

DAILY

BULLETIN

NUMBER 205

AIR STATION 111
25 July 1945

OFFICIAL

1. DETAIL FOR OFFICER OF THE DAY:

25 Jul - 1st Lt D. S. MATTOON

26 Jul - Capt J. T. THREADGILL

2. DETAIL FOR OFFICERS IN CHARGE OF LIBERTY RUN:

25 Jul - 1st Lt J. F. MCDONELL (2215) 26 Jul - Capt E. T. HURTHA (2215)
25 Jul - 1st Lt J. R. GRIM (2300) 26 Jul - 1st Lt W. H. WENSHIP (2300)

BY ORDER OF COLONEL UHLIN:

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INFORMATION

1. SAFETY SLOGAN: "Cigarettes and matches should always be put out in ash trays and never thrown in waste baskets."
2. MOVIES AT THE POST THEATRE:
Today, Wednesday, 25 Jul - "HISTORY IS MADE AT NIGHT" with Charles Boyer and Jean Arthur.
Tomorrow, Thursday, 26 Jul - "THE UNSEEN" with Joel McCrea and Gail Russell.
3. ARMY UNIVERSITY STUDY CENTER NO 2, BIARRITZ, FRANCE:
Applications for the Army University Study Center No 2 at Biarritz, France, may be made at the I & E Office from now until 31 August 45. Courses will be available in the following major fields: Agriculture Education, Engineering, Liberal Arts, Commerce, Fine Arts, Journalism and Science.
4. ATTENTION ALL SAFETY NCO'S:
The regular meeting of all Ground Safety NCO's WILL BE HELD ON THURSDAY, 26 JULY 45 at the Ground Safety Office at 1030 hours.
5. The following letter received from the Luton American Red Cross is quoted for the information of all personnel:

"The American Red Cross Club of Luton offers the men of your command a most cordial welcome, and I wish to call to your attention some of the special features offered for their entertainment.

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Realising that week-ends are the low-point of work at the bases, and that little amusement is available in town on Sundays, we have OPEN HOUSE at this club on Sundays, and the men may bring their girl friends here in the afternoon for novices, free refreshments and music. In the evening we have a dance from 8 to 11 pm., for which they may obtain invitations for their girls.

We have dormitory accommodations for 175 men, and there is a fine modern swimming pool in Luton, all of which offer a week-end of good recreation."

SUGGESTION BOX

SUGGESTION: "Suggest that the old clothes depot referred to in the Staff Meeting Minutes for July 13 be established. I have a number of old clothes I'd like to get rid of and I'm sure there are more officers and men on the post with the same problem."

ANSWER: Any person having clothing or other personal articles they wish to turn in for the British Red Cross may leave them with the Officers' Laundry.

SUGGESTION: OUR MOST INEFFICIENT MOTOR POOL. ".....more transportation is available than ever before, yet our departments must wait, wait, wait merely because the motor pool insists upon sending a driver with every vehicle. Our departments have driven and cared for their own trucks, etc., for the past three years. This has not resulted in any marked misuse of said vehicles. Must we assume that it would do so now? There is still work to be done....."

ANSWER: "Misuse" of vehicles was not the reason for pooling our vehicles - it was poor upkeep, inefficient utilization of vehicles and a much greater load on the motor pool (sight-seeing trips, delivering our own rations daily etc.)