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Thunderbolts Elect Officers For 1949

FORMER ENLISTED MAN VOTED PRESIDENT

A former enlisted man, Jack M. Straus, 556 N. Flores Avenue, Los Angeles, California, was named President of the 83rd Infantry Division Association for the year 1948-49. While with the division, Sergeant Straus devoted much time as a public relations non-com with the war edition of "Thunderbolt." Later he compiled the history of the 331st Infantry Regiment.

Three new vice presidents were also elected: 1st Vice President—Jules B. Desgain, Battery B, 908 FA, of 753 Penn. Ave., Wilkesburg, Pa.; 2nd Vice President—Max R. Williams, Headquarters 329th Inf., 2928 East 6th St., Topeka, Kan.; and 3rd Vice President—Eugene Desh, 323d FA, 9120 Crane Ave., Cleveland, Ohio. At this point, Ralph G. Neppel, last year's 3rd Vice President, was made a life-time honorary president, an honor accorded only to former Commanding Generals of the division.

Most of the other positions in the association were filled by their previous holders. Reelected to office were; Secretary-Treasurer—Lt. Col. George W. Rhyne, 83rd Signal Company

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IMPORTANT BULLETIN!

Minutes before this issue of Thunderbolt went to press, we received an SOS letter from the Pittsburgh Convention Bureau informing us that we had run into trouble insofar as the dates of August 12 and 13 for 1949 were concerned. The only information now available is that we can use the preceding Friday and Saturday, August 5 and 6. Association Headquarters immediately decided to take the 5th and 6th of August. It is now very important for all members and friends of the 83rd to inform as many of their buddies of this sudden change. In all probability the convention will be held on those dates and at the William Penn Hotel. More details will appear in the March-April issue of the Thunderbolt.

NEW THUNDERBOLT OFFICERS



Here are your officers for the 1948-49 year. Standing from left to right are: Max Williams, 2nd Vice President; Jules B. Desgain, 1st Vice President; Eugene Desh, 3rd Vice President; Lt. Col. George W. Rhyne, Secretary-Treasurer; and Raymond Goguen, Secretary of Publications. Seated are Ralph B. De Palma, Assistant Secretary of Publications and President Elect Jack M. Straus.

83rd Infantry Division Commander Returns To US After Serving Two Years In Russia



Major General Robert C. Macon

The Medal of Honor

The Army awarded 292 Medals of Honor, the Navy, 137, for conspicuous gallantry "above and beyond the call of duty" in WWII. The award is the highest decoration our Government can bestow.

Major General Robert C. Macon, Commanding General of the 83rd Division in Europe during World War II returned to the United States last fall after more than two years as Military Attache to Russia, with station at Moscow, Russia, where he had served since the deactivation of the 83rd Division in April of 1946. General Macon is now the Deputy Chief of Army Field Forces, Fort Monroe, Virginia.

The General is a native of Washington, D. C. and graduated from Virginia Polytechnic Institute, Blacksburg, Virginia, with degrees of B. S. and M. E. and was commissioned a second lieutenant of Infantry on November 30, 1916.

From August 1940 to March 1941 he served with the 6th Infantry at Ft. Knox. His next assignment was to Pine Camp, New York, where he served with the 4th Armored Division as Assistant Chief of Staff, G-4, and as CO of the 80th Armored Regt. In April 1942 he went to Camp Ord, Calif., and joined the 3rd Infantry Division as

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83rd Div. Vets Hail 2nd Annual Reunion

GALA BANQUET CLIMAXES IND. CONVENTION

More than 500 members, wives, relatives and friends of the 83rd Division attended the second post-war reunion of the "Thunderbolts" in Indianapolis, Indiana, at the Claypool Hotel, August 20 and 21, sponsored by the 83rd Infantry Division Association.

Albert C. Bizzini, Jr., G-329, made it from Gustine, California; Gordon Briggs, Hq-83, Bangor, Maine; Needham V. Alford, Hq-1-330, Houston, Texas; and Mr. & Mrs. J. H. Crane, E-329, Atlanta, Georgia. From the state of Ohio came 106 delegates to nose out Pennsylvania with 85. (Last year at Cleveland, Ohio also led all of the other states with 127 members.) Indiana was third with 59, followed by Illinois—41, Kentucky—20, and New York—18.

The first Thunderbolt to complete registration early Thursday evening was Robert T. Walsh, K-331, of 162 Fairview Ave., Jersey City, N. J. Over 90 wives and numerous relatives and friends accompanied 83rd veterans to Indianapolis and joined in all of the convention activities over the two-day period.

Following a pre-lunch meeting on Friday morning, August 20, the men climbed into buses and drove out to Camp Atterbury, Indiana, where the division had been reactivated in August of 1942. Here they inspected the old training areas and retracked the obstacle course where five years ago they had received their basic training. At 8 p.m. that evening they witnessed combat pictures of their five campaigns in Europe. An informal dance completed and highlighted the day's program.

Saturday, August 21, opened with the election of new officers for the association and the selection of a 1949 convention city. Jack M. Straus, popular former sergeant with the 331st and also with Hq-83 was elected president for the following

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THE STATE OF THE THUNDERBOLTS

The 83rd Infantry Division Association was started in April of 1947 when eleven Thunderbolts around Washington, Cleveland and New York decided it was time to form such an organization so as to preserve the glory, the spirit and the camaraderie which had always been such a great part of the division due to the great role which it had played in World War II.

After a little more than four months of operation the organization had enrolled 800 members and had published two issues of "Thunderbolt." The task of promoting the association fell to a small group of five located in and around Washington. The first post-war reunion in Cleveland was a huge success. Another drive for members was begun and after the association had celebrated its first anniversary, 1200 members appeared on its roll. Two more issues of "Thunderbolt" were mailed to all of the members. Another reunion in Indianapolis was a tremendously successful affair, and from all appearances, the 83rd Infantry Division Association was well on its way.

Unfortunately, the progress of our association stopped there. Nothing to further it has been done since Indianapolis. No issues of "Thunderbolt" have been printed until this one. Very little correspondence has been answered. No promotion has been sent out. In fact, may we say, that all association activity was suspended for six months. Someone must be blamed for this, but before the ax falls, there is a tale to tell.

Reelected to key office positions were the Secretary-Treasurer and the Secretary of Publications. Both these men have held the same assignments in the organization since its activation and have devoted unlimited energy and time, apart from their regular duties. They also have held very important positions as members of the Army working under the Department of the Army in Washington. Returning from Indianapolis they were confronted with unrelenting expeditious tasks which required them to devote their full time. Naturally, this did not help our association any, but nothing could be done, since their Army work came first.

Then, the long awaited break came. The secretary of publications (also Editor of "Thunderbolt") was discharged from the Army. At one time he seriously thought of reenlisting, but the right pressure was applied by several people, and he was made to see the light. He was also shown how extremely necessary it was for him to continue in his work for the 83rd. Facing him was the most difficult task ever undertaken—that one of becoming a civilian after more than six years in the Army. All of you who are veterans, know of what and why he speaks. But the mountain was climbed and it is with pride that we can now inform you that the association will again be off and running. The secretary of publications is now well established in a college (under the G. I. Bill of Rights) and will be able to devote three to four days a week for the 83rd for the next three or four years.

Starting with this issue of "Thunderbolt" there WILL be an issue published every two months. All of the accumulated correspondence WILL be answered promptly. Rosters WILL be brought up to date. Membership cards WILL be sent out as soon as dues are received.

The big problem facing us at headquarters is the one of making up for those six months of lost time. Once this is done, we will then concentrate on the promotion of local chapters and be ready to help those men who have shown interest in promoting chapters. A project is now being developed whereby an addressograph plate will be made of every potential name and address of every man who ever served with the 83rd. When this is completed we will then be able to run off a roster in little time of any given locality in the country. In the very near future a drive will be made to double our membership before next reunion time.

So Thunderbolts please bear with us. WE WILL DO THIS. As devoted Thunderbolts, we will. We, at headquarters, take the blame upon ourselves for that six months of inactivity, but remember we also want the cooperation of everyone who proudly uses the name of Thunderbolt. If we do not get that cooperation, and we have not received too much of it in the past, then we are not the only ones to blame. One man can not do it all. We are all Thunderbolts, and all in this, together.

GENERAL MACON

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CO of the 7th Infantry. He commanded that regiment during the invasion of North Africa in 1942.

After duty as observer on the Tunisian front, he returned to the U. S. in April 1943, becoming Assistant Division Commander of the 83rd Division. He was named to command the 83rd Infantry Division in January 1944 and led the Division through five European campaigns.

General Macon was awarded the Silver Star and Combat Infantryman Badge in 1942; other decorations include the Distinguished Service Medal, 1944; the Legion of Merit, 1945; the Bronze Star with Oak Leaf Cluster, 1945; Army Commendation Ribbon, February 1946; Croix de Guerre with Palm and French Legion of Honor (Grade of Officer) March 1945; Netherlands Order of Orange-Nassau, Degree of Grand Officer, with Swords, May, 1946; and Belgian Croix de Guerre with Palm, October 1947.

REUNION PLANNERS



Mr. and Mrs. Walter H. Edwards, Jr., happy over the success of the reunion. Edwards was chairman of the planning committee.

LETTERS — FROM THE ARTILLERY

Letter received from COL. IRVINE, now GEORGE IRVINE, 203 Garden Lane, Colma, Calif., stating he wanted BURGESS' address. Here it is, GEORGE—1660 Beacon St., Cincinnati 30, Ohio. . . . BOB SMITH and his family will be back from Manila in a few months. . . . Cram-in-tee DICK AYDELOTTE is married and lives at 5 Winston Ave., Elmhurst, Wilmington, Del. . . . BILL GROSS has written several times from 602 N. Penn. Ave., Lansing, Mich. He's going to school now and married (who isn't?). MAJOR MACPHERSON (425 Winthrop St., Westbury, N. Y.) wrote and said he is going to try to make Pittsburgh next August. . . . EDWIN C. MILLER is married and lives in New Holland, Pa., where AL YELK is located. By the way, YELK has a baby (who hasn't?). . . . BUDDY EMERSON REID was at the Reunion last year, is married, has a baby and lives at 1122 S. Boeke Rd., Evansville 14, Ind. BUDDY will see to it that many of the boys get out to Pittsburgh next August, so will BURGESS, WAINSCOTT and MIKELS. . . . Anyone who wants an artillery roster, write, and I will send back same by return mail. . . . Thanks, for the letters, AL LONG from Box 162, Brilliant, Ohio. . . . DICK ALEXANDER sends me a picture of his baby from year to year. DICK is also working hard at school in Canton, N. C. . . . MIKELS got married a few months ago, REID went to the wedding with HARV O'HARA. . . . Everything is smooth with CARBONETTA, COLGAN, DAVIS and DALEY. . . . DELUCA made the Indianapolis Reunion. . . . Camp Atterbury looked the same. . . . The same old fallen tree on the obstacle course. . . . NURCHES still playing the flute. . . . And old man OWENS is still at Silver Spring, Md. . . . Don't forget the convention in Pittsburgh next August and let me hear from all of you. Until then. . . .

BILL SHUMAN
 Route 3
 Greencastle, Pa.

CONVENTION HIGHLIGHTS



Guest Speaker, the Honorable Henry F. Schricker, facing the throng of "Thunderbolts" at the 83rd second annual banquet.

Message From The President

"Frankly, the honor accorded me, still has me stunned. It was a great surprise. It was certainly great being with you again. It is difficult for the average person to realize the gratifying experience one feels in meeting with those who shared some of life's incidents that words alone can't describe.

Some Division Chapters have been formed, but unless they spring from every possible state in the country we will never function properly. There are some men throughout the country who seem to be most active and most interested in the association. My business takes me across the country and I would consider stopping in several cities and visiting with these men in order to create additional interest. I shall try to formulate a definite plan to generate the necessary interest in creating chapters."—JACK M. STRAUS.



Newly elected President Jack M. Straus delivering his acceptance speech at the gala banquet.

THUNDERBOLTS PRESENT AT INDIANAPOLIS CONVENTION

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INDIANAPOLIS IN '48

—PITTSBURGH IN '49—



Lt. Col. Robert H. York, former commanding officer of the 331st Infantry Regiment, greets Charles Lesser who served with company "B" of that regiment. The Colonel hopes to see more of his men at the Pittsburgh convention.

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New Members Join New York Chapter

From letters recently received at association headquarters it has been confirmed that a New York State Chapter is now in operation. Over 75 Thunderbolts in the vicinity of New York City attended a meeting on January 8. It is also anticipated that this chapter will grow and take in several close-by states, thus making it an Eastern States Chapter. Reverend Edward L. Swartout, former Chaplain with the 331st Infantry, 326—68th St., Guttenberg, N. J., was elected President. The Chaplain expressed a strong desire to see to it personally that the chapter be built from the now 75 members to a total membership of over 750. Considering that in that section of the country over 2,500 former members of the division now reside, the Eastern State Chapter has great potentialities.

Radio Show Honors 83rd Div. Veteran

On Tuesday evening, February 8, 1949, an unexpected but deserving tribute was paid Ralph G. Neppel, 83rd Division Congressional Medal of Honor man, on Ralph Edwards program "This Is Your Life," between 8 and 8:30 p.m.

The story which unfolded is one very familiar to Thunderbolts, but this time the world-wide radio audience heard it. Sergeant Neppel who received the CMH as a result of action in the Hurtgen Forest near Birgel, Germany, about December 15, 1944, lost both legs above the knee. The sergeant made excellent recovery and established himself ably as a farmer in Iowa. He received numerous gifts, one a tractor to help him on his farm.

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Others elected to office were: Secretary—Merritt Murphy, 330th Inf.; Asst. Sec'y. of Pub.—Ralph B. DePalma, K-330, 709 Swissvale Ave., Wilkinsburg, Pa.; Historian—Herbert L. Gibson, Hq-83, 123 Elizabeth Ave., Avalon 2, Pa.; and Asst. Historian—Lloyd Ernst, Hq-3331, 60 Tod Lane, Youngstown, Ohio.

Reunion Banquet



The "D" Company of the 330th Banquet Table, left to right are seated Mrs. Frank Bialy, Charles Barefoot, Steve Ferko, Elmer Suttinger, Howard Schreiner, and Mrs. H. Schreiner.

Here, There and Everywhere

WILLIAM P. STANLEY, C-330, 1127—17th Ave., North, Seattle 2, Wash., wants RUDOLPH SILVA and GLENDON BRYDON to get in touch with him. . . . JOHN SPICKLER, B-329, 12 Cornell Ave., Lancaster, Pa., sends regrets to all his buddies of company B. He couldn't make last year's reunion and hopes everyone had a good time. . . . LT. COL. GRANVILLE SHARPE, Hq-2-329, back on familiar grounds in Germany. Spent from April to October at Grafenwohr Training Area with the 3rd Bn., of the 26th Inf. Write to him c/o APO 139, P. M., N. Y. . . . CHARLES F. HOST, Hq-3-331, wants everyone to know that his new address is 218-38, 94th Rd., Queens Village, N. Y. . . . LT. COL. ROY T. DODGE, 308-Eng, left Cornell Univ., and is now at the Engineer School, Ft. Belvoir, Va. . . . To the hundred of Thunderbolts who wrote inquiring, "What has happened to the association and when will the next paper be out?" please read the editorial on page 2. This will never happen again. Your editor is now out of the Army and a happy civilian and will devote most of his time to the association. . . . JOHN J. WILLIAMS, E-331, 2231 Ekin Ave., New Albany, Ind., wrote us a nice letter all about the wonderful time he and his friends had in Indianapolis. . . . Those of you who knew PHILIP SPINNER, Hy-3-330, can reach him at 730 Lafayette Ave., Brooklyn, N. Y. . . . DANIEL P. O'CONNOR, Hq-1-329, is on the move again, this time on to 32 West 71st St., New York 23, N. Y. . . . Elbow benders please notice, FRANK BELLINO, 102 So. Monroe St., Monroe, Mich., still has on hand several dozens of 83rd inscribed highball glasses. They are the most practical yet seen, anyone interested or thirsty, contact BELLINO. . . . RUSSEL T. HITE, Hq-83, sent some good advice. . . . He wants us to inform the men as early as April in reference to the Pittsburgh reunion. . . . LT. COL. CAMPBELL, 330th Inf, is now with the Hawaii National Guard, Honokoa, Hawaii, T. H., P. O. Box 431, APO 957, San Francisco, Calif. . . . BRIG. GEN. C. B. FERENBAUGH is also out Hawaii way. The General is now Commanding General of Schofield Barracks, Hawaii, T. H., Box 791. . . . Also in the grass-skirt land is CAPT. STANLEY HOWARTH, S-3, Hq-1-330. He left a position at Middlebury College for a 90 day tour of duty and liked it so much he put in for active duty. The captain and his English bride expect the stork in July. . . . All members of company A—329, please contact EUGENE E. PERSINGER, Raymond City, W. Va. . . . MAJOR HARRY G. BENION is no longer with USFA, Vienna, Austria, but with the ROTC unit at N. C. State College in Raleigh, N. C., as the senior Infantry Instructor. . . . Best of luck, to all Thunderbolts, here, there, and everywhere.

2nd Annual Reunion At Indianapolis

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year. Former President James C. Hanrahan was named to a position on the Board of Executives. Ralph G. Neppel, M-329, the 83rd's only Congressional Medal of Honor holder was unanimously elected as an Honorary President for life. He holds this distinction with two past Commanding Generals of the division, Major Generals Frank W. Milburn and Robert C. Macon. After a long disputed session it was agreed to advance the convention dates for 1949 one week, those days falling on August 12 and 13. Pittsburgh, Chicago and New York were mentioned as 1949 convention sites, but Pittsburgh supporters showed the greatest strength and eventually won out over the other two. The 12th and the 13th of August have not yet been confirmed by the Pittsburgh Convention Bureau.

Saturday evening, Thunderbolts escorted their wives and friends to the spacious ballroom on the mezzanine floor for the gala banquet and the climax of the convention. Governor Henry F. Schricker of Indiana addressed the huge audience and recalled the numerous adventures and historical feats of the division during the last war. Newly elected President, Jack M. Straus, followed the Governor and delivered an eloquent acceptance speech. The food and the entertainment were of the finest quality.

At 11 p. m. Thunderbolts left the banquet hall and adjourned to the separate company rooms throughout the Claypool to again relive and re-toast the war days. The 83rd Infantry Division Association's second reunion had come to a successful end.

Gilbert Says:

Let's see your
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