

Second notice. Please answer at once.

RUTGERS COLLEGE

NEW BRUNSWICK, N. J.

TO RUTGERS MEN WHO ARE, OR HAVE BEEN, IN THE SERVICE OF THE UNITED STATES:

As soon as the necessary data can be obtained, Rutgers College will publish in book form as complete a history as possible of the part the College and her sons have played in the great world war. The volume will contain several hundred pages of valuable historical matter.

One chapter of the book will be devoted to the *individual war* records of graduates, former students, and undergraduates. We are trying to secure the complete record of *every* Rutgers man who was a member of the United States military or naval forces during any period of the conflict.

Will you please cooperate with us and prepare an outline of your own career in the army or navy. Even if you were only in service for a week, we need the information in order to make the College's record complete. It makes no difference whether you served in France, England, or the U. S. A., the information is necessary if our War Book is to be a success.

Use the other side of this sheet, using the two following paragraphs as models for your own sketch. And please reply at your earliest convenience.

Very sincerely yours,

EARL REED SILVERS,
Director War Service Bureau.

Model Outlines

William J. Smith, '12.

First Lieutenant, Infantry, U. S. A.

Enlisted July 1, 1917, First Officers Training School, Fort Myer, Va. Commissioned second lieutenant Oct. 1, 1917. Assigned to 601 Inf., Camp Lee, Va., Oct. 1, 1917. Camp Lee, Oct. 1, 1917-Jan. 5, 1918. Sailed for France, Jan. 6, 1918. Made first lieutenant March 1, 1918. In training, Saumur, France, until Sept. 15, 1918. Battle of Hindenburg Line, Sept. 25-30, 1918. Wounded (machine gun bullet through thigh) Sept. 29, 1918. Base Hospital No. 8, Savenay, France, Sept. 30-Oct. 20. General Hospital No. 3, Colonia, N. J., U. S. A., Nov. 20-Dec. 30. Mustered out of service, Jan. 8, 1919.

John F. Jones, '17.

Seaman, First Class, U. S. A.

Enlisted in Naval Reserve, Jan. 20, 1917. Pelham Bay, N. Y., Jan. 25-March 5, 1918. U. S. S. C., No. 54, patrolling Atlantic Coast, March 5, 1917-Nov. 15, 1918. Mustered out of service, Dec. 18, 1918.

WAR RECORD OF

Name and class... *Wallace Todd Eakins Class of 1911.*

Rank and branch of service... *1st Lieut. Sanitary Corps.*

Commissioned 1st Lieut. Sanitary Corps on March 21, 1918. Stationed at Camp Greenleaf, Chickamauga Park, Georgia until July 9, 1918. Camp Sanitary Engineer at Camp Logan, Houston, Texas, July 10 to Oct. 31, 1918. With Malarial Drainage Detachment, Camp Hill, Newport News, Va. Nov. 1-12, 1918. At Camp Crane, Allentown, Pa. as C.O. Sanitary Squad # 128, Nov. 17-27, 1918. Sanitary Inspector at Langley Field, Hampton, Va. from Dec. 1-16, 1918. Honorably discharged Dec. 16, 1918.

WAR RECORD OF

Name and class.....Joseph Hoffman Edgar 1918

Rank and branch of service.....2nd Lt. Field Artillery U.S.A.

Entered Plattsburg Training Camp
June 3rd 1918.

Commissioned 2nd Lt. F.A., U.S.A.,

Sept 16, 1918. ~~assigned 3rd Lt.~~

Assigned to Field Artillery Central Officers
Training School, Camp Zachary Taylor, Ky.

Sept 26, 1918

Mustered out of Service

Dec 14th 1918.

WAR RECORD OF

Name and class

Harry Wedgar 1915

Rank and branch of service

2nd Lieut Inf. U.S.A.

I was voluntarily inducted into service May 27-1918 and went to Camp Dix N. J. I was assigned to the 40th Co., 10th Bu for training. About Aug 1st I was chosen with three others from my company as candidates for Officers Training School. On Aug 13th I left for C.O.T.S at Camp Lee Va. I received my commission as 2nd Lieut. Inf. U.S.A in November. On Dec. 1st I received my honorable discharge.

WAR RECORD OF

Name and class...Herman Eisenberg, 1917.....

Rank and branch of service...Sergeant 1st Cl. Med. Dept.

Enlisted Dec. 12, 1917, Washington, D. C. .
 On duty Surgeon General's office, Division of
 Food and Nutrition, Washington D. C., Dec. 12,
 1917--Jan. 17, 1918. On Detached Service, Camp
 Merritt, N. J. Jan. 12--Feb. 1. On duty
 Surgeon General's office Washington D. C., Feb.
 2--~~Feb. 1~~ Feb. 12, 1918. On Detached Service,
 Scott Field, Ill., Feb. 14--March 7, 1918. App
 App't Sergeant, Med. Dept., Feb. 14, 1918.
 Jefferson Barracks, Mo., March 7--April 2. Park
 Field, Tenn. April 3--April 24. Ebber's Field,
 Ark., April 24--May 18. Love Field, ^{Tex 95} May ~~20~~--
 June 20. Aviation Repair Depot, Texas, June 20--
 July 3. Rich Field, Texas, July 5, 1918--Jan.
 5, 1919. Recommended for commission as 2nd.
 Lieutenant, Sanitary Corps, U. S. A. Aug. 21,
 1918. Technical error in papers delayed granting
 ing of commission until signing of armistice,
 after which time no further commissions were
 granted. Love Field, Texas, Jan. 5--Jan. 29.
 App't Sergt. 1st Cl. Med. Dept. Jan 14, 1919.
 Post Field, Okla. Jan 30--March 13. Camp Meade M
 Md. March 18, March 29, 1919. Mustered out of
 service, March 29, 1919.

2nd Answer

WAR RECORD OF

Name and class.....

John D Elliott 1914

Rank and branch of service.....

2nd Lt Asst.

Commissioned

July 2nd 1918 - Assigned
16th Aero Sqdn, Wilbur
Wright Field - Feb 1,
Instructor, Radio School
Ellington Field - May
25 Instructor Radio
School Austin Texas -

Aug 1st Chief Instructor,
Radio School, Austin,
Tex. Separated from
service Jan'y 3rd 1919.

(Not wounded once)

WAR RECORD OF

Name and class.....Tracy L. Elmendorf 1912

Rank and branch of service.....2nd Lt Air Service

Permanent or home address.....790 Neil St. Kingston, N.Y.

Enlisted 3/2/18 School
of Military Aeronautics,
Atlanta Ga. Commis-
sioned Second Lt. May 11
1918. Assigned to Kelly
Field Texas May 11, 1918
Sailed for France July
21, 1918 Assigned to
flying instruction
at Pseudun France
Sept 25, 1918 Mustered
out of service June 2, 19
at Persedio San
Francisco California

WAR RECORD OF

Name and class. Tracy L. Elmandorf 1916

Rank and branch of service. 2nd Lt. Air Service

Enlisted 3/2/18
School of Military
Aeronautics Atlanta
Georgia. Commissioned
Second Lt. May 11, 1918.

Assigned to Kelly
Field Texas May 11, 1918
Sailed for France
July 21, 1918. Assigned
to flying instruction
at 3rd G. I. C. Issoudun
France Sept. 25, 1918.
Mustered out of
service June 2, 1919,
at Persedio San Fran-
cisco California.

P.S. Regret not to have
given you this information
but did not get any letter.

WAR RECORD OF

Name and class. *John E. Chmielewski M. D. 1914*

Rank and branch of service. *Private Medical Reserve*

Enlisted *Oct 12th 1914* *Co. F*

assigned to Service at *Johns Hopkins*
Hospital, Balto Md

WAR RECORD OF

Name and class

Richard Lounsbury Eltinge
1897 Class of

Rank and branch of service

Major, M. C., U.S.A.

Rec'd Commission as 1st Lt. Med.
Reserve Corps June 6-1917, Reported to
Camp Greendale Ft Oglethorpe Ga.
Aug. 1917, joined 38th Inf. at Syracuse
N.Y. Sept 1. Commissioned
Capt. Apr 6-1918 Major Mch 12
1919, discharged July 1-1919 at
Camp Dix N.J. 38th Inf. U.S. Regulars
Became Regt. Surgeon, Aug 1, 1918
and served as such until June
1919. In five major engagements
Aisne - name Defensive
Champagne - name Defensive
Champagne - name Offensive (bed)
St Mihiel Offensive
Argonne - name offense
Army of occupation Stationed
at Wiedemannsburg near Coblenz
five months.
Left U.S. Mch 22 1917 sailed from
Halifax N.S. to Glasgow Scotland

WAR RECORD OF

Name and class Spencer D. Embree. 115

Rank and branch of service. 1st Lieut C.W.S.

Commissioned 2nd Lieut Ordnance

Reserve Corps. Jan-2-1918-

Transferred Chemical Service

Section - N.A. Apl-17-1918-

Stationed. Washington. D.C. —

Transferred to Chemical Warfare

Service May-6-1918- Stationed
Saltville - Va. —

Appointed 1st Lieut Chemical
Warfare Service Nov-6-1918-

Still-in - Army. May-8-1919-

WAR RECORD OF

Name and class... Spencer. D. Embree. 1915,

Rank and branch of service... First Lieut. Chemical
Warfare Service, U.S.A.

Appointed Second Lieut. Ordnance Reserve
Corps, Jan. 2, 1918- Called to active duty at
Washington, D.C. Jan. 10, 1918,

Assigned to Dr. Chas. L. Parsons, Bureau of
Mines on designing of Sodium Cyanide plant
to be constructed at Saltville, Va.

Transferred to Chemical Service Section
April, 10, 1918. with station at U.S. Chemical
Plant No. 4 Saltville, Va, on construction,
Transferred to Chemical Warfare Service,
May, 6, 1919.

Promoted to First Lieutenant, C.W.S. Nov. 8, 1918.

Appointed Commanding Officer U.S. Chemical
Plant, June, 15,

Honorably discharged, Oct. 22, 1919.

WAR RECORD OF

Name and class... *Chas. H. Engelhard* ... 1915.

Rank and branch of service... *Ensign (T) U. S. N.* ...

Enlisted May 12, 1917, ^(U.S.N.R.F.) Studied navigation, seamanship, signalling and gunnery, Columbia University. By examination, promoted to Warrant Machinist Sept. 28, 1917 and assigned to duty on the instruction staff, U.S. Navy Gas Engine School. By examination, was commissioned on Feb. 19, 1918 as Ensign, U.S.N.R.F. On Mar 9, 1918 was detailed as the Engineer Officer of the U.S.S. Bailey, torpedo boat destroyer. ~~and~~ On convoy, escort, patrol and special duty aboard the latter until Sept. 4, 1919. Placed in charge of U.S.S. Chesapeake, an eleven hundred ton vessel being converted for duty as salvage ship. On Oct 21, 1919 reported at U.S. Naval Academy, Annapolis, Md. for a three months intensive course in Marine Engineering and Naval Construction. Completed course Feb. 1, 1919 and ~~next day~~ accepted Temporary Commission in regular Navy. Reported next day aboard the super dreadnaught U.S.S. New York where I am now closing out a four months' sea training under instruction on a first line ship.

Made winter cruise in southern waters visiting Cuba, Trinidad etc, target practice and battle drills in Caribbean Sea and Atlantic. Now off Hampton Roads, Va., for Spring practice, torpedos firing, battle manoeuvres, star shell experiments etc. Date of return to inactive service uncertain.

Chas. H. Engelhard.

Note: - (Not a war item) Married Dec. 23, 1918 to Miss Helen R. Harding of New Brunswick, N.J.

WAR RECORD OF

Name and class..... *John Clyde Enk '13*

Rank and branch of service..... *Seaman 2nd Class, U. S.*

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Enlisted in the U. S. Newark N. J.
Naval Reserve on April 20, 1918
Reported at
Newport, R. I. July 1, 1918 - Feb 12, 1919
Assigned to 3rd Regt. 5th Co.
July 3rd 1918. Entered Signal
School August 17th 1918. Released
from active duty Feb. 12, 1919.

WAR RECORD OF

Name and class. Charles. Simmonds. Ernst., 1914.....

Rank and branch of service.. Corporal., Signal. Corps.

Drafted in the service, May 27, 1918, assigned to Company B, 51st Pioneers, Camp Wadsworth, S.C., Assigned to Company B, 318th Field Signal Battalion, June 26, 1918. France, July 30, 1918; training at Pierréfait, Haute-Marne, and Clemency, Nièvre. With the Second American Army Corps, Fourth British Army on the Somme front, October 13th to 22nd. Mustered out March 31st, 1919.

Chas. L. Ernst

WAR RECORD OF

Name and class... *George W. Eypper. '17*.....

Rank and branch of service... *Captain, Air Service*...

Sailed for France as a member of Lafayette Flying Corps, July 9, 1917, after passing flying tests at Dayton, Ohio.
Transferred with first contingent to American Army about August 15th and enlisted as private in Flying Corps.

Finished schools at Tours, Oorod, Issoudun and Cognac and there being no ships for the front went to England thru school at Hythe and of Scotland thru school at Turaherry. Made Lieutenant.

Returned to France and put in charge of Aerial Gunnery School at Issoudun.

Got to the front in August and of Focadville took part in St. Mihiel, Champagne + Argonne scraps.

Commissioned Captain and returned to states about middle of April.

Discharged April.

P.S. Sorry for delay,
just returned home. *GEORGE W. EYPPER*

WAR RECORD OF

Name and class... *Norman K. Eysper* 1918.....

Rank and branch of service... *Private 1st class*.....

reorganized
~~changed into~~ Enlisted June 25, 1917, Troop A, Squadron A, N.Y. Cavalry.
Oct 13, 1917, Co A, 105 M.G. Bn, 27th Division
until date of discharge April 1, 1919. Served in France.

Left U. S. May 17, 1918, arrived in U. S. Mar. 6 1919.

Skirmish
Battle — East Poperinghe Line July 9 to Aug 20, 1918
Engagement — Dickelsheld Sector Aug 20 to Aug 30, 1918.

Battle — Vrestrass Ridge (Mt. Kemmel) Aug 31 - Sept. 2, 1918

" — The Knoll-Guillemont Farm - Guillemont Farm, Sept 27.

" — Hindenburg Line - Bony Sept 27-29, 1918.

" — La Selve River, S. script, Oct 17, 1918.

" — Junc de Mee Ridge } Oct. 18, 1918

" — Abbe Guernon }

" — St. Maurice Church, Catillon - Oct 19-20, 1918

Trained at Camp Hadsworth, Spartanburg, S. C.