



FOR YOUR INFORMATION

A short period of processing is necessary in order to discharge you from the Women's Army Corps. Our aim is to help you accomplish your aim, "to reach home as quickly as possible." Here is a preview of some of the processing steps you will experience soon:

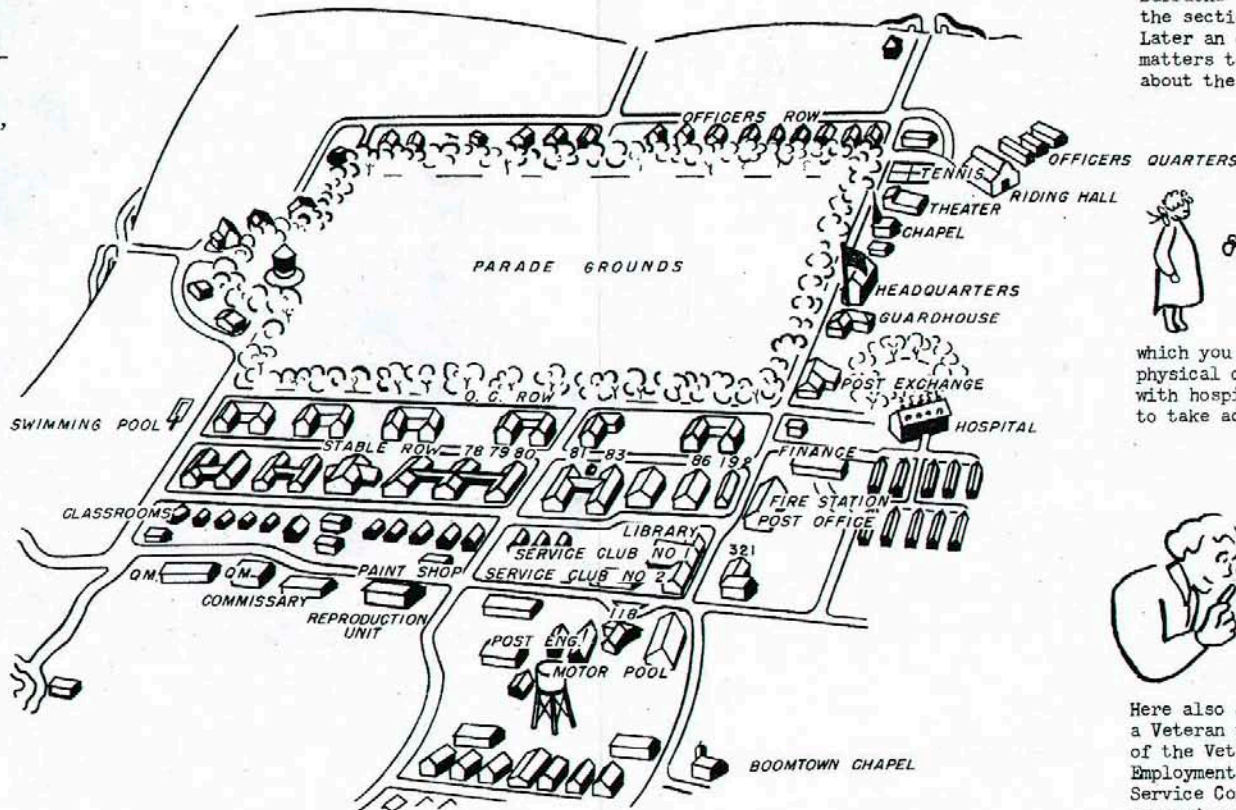
RECORDS: As soon as you arrive your official records are turned in. While you are being processed your records are being checked and prepared in order to be ready by the time you sign your final papers. Be certain to turn in all official records to avoid any delay in your processing period.



GUIDES: A guide, who is the equivalent of a platoon sergeant will be assigned to each group of twenty-five women. She will conduct you through all phases of your processing and answer any questions you may have or refer you to someone who can answer them for you.



CLOTHING: Your GI clothing will be checked soon after your arrival. You are permitted by regulations to keep certain items of your clothing when you are discharged. All other items must be turned in. A list of the clothing you are permitted to retain is posted on your Company Bulletin Board. We will sew the discharge emblem on the correct garments, press your uniform, and if necessary make minor alterations before it is returned to you.



SEPARATION CENTER

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| BLDG 79 - CO HQ | BLDG 83 - COUNSELING |
| 80 - SECT A | 86 - SUPPLY |
| 78 - SECT B | 192 - MEDICAL BRANCH |
| 81 - RECORDS (Front) | |
| FINANCE (Rear) | |



BARRACKS: Your guide will conduct you to your Barracks and assign you to a bed in one of the sections of the Separation Company. Later an officer will explain any company matters to you and tell you more in detail about the processing program.



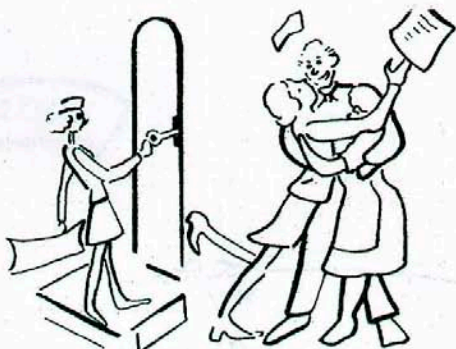
MEDICAL EXAMINATION: The Army wants you to return to your home in the best possible physical condition. Be certain to inform the Medical officer of any physical defect of which you are aware. If they discover any physical defect the Army will provide you with hospital care and treatment if you wish to take advantage of it.



COUNSELING: Here you will help the interviewer prepare a summary of your Army experience. A copy of this record will be given to you to retain for reference or to show future employers. Here also an explanation of your rights as a Veteran will be explained. Representatives of the Veterans Administration, United States Employment Service, Red Cross and the Civil Service Commission will be available for your convenience. They are here to help you; feel free to consult them about any personal matters.



FINAL PAY: After you have signed your discharge certificate you will sign the payroll and receive all pay that is due. This will include mileage to your home and the first installment of your mustering out pay if you are entitled to it. You will also receive your discharge button at this time.



Your service to your Country as a member of the Women's Army Corps is almost over. The mission you set for yourself when you came to the Army - a Volunteer - is accomplished and you have the right to hold your head high in the pride of a good job well done.

Your service to your country as a citizen is now beginning. You who have so willingly accepted the responsibility of serving your Country in time of War now have the continued and far-reaching obligation of serving your country in time of Peace.

In the words of your Chief of Staff, General of the Army George C. Marshall, in a letter written to you - a member of the Army of the United States:

"Remember that NO American can afford to be disinterested in any part of his government, be it county, city, state or nation.

You know what war is. You know that we must not have another. As individuals you can prevent it if you give to the task that lies ahead the same spirit which you displayed in uniform.

Accept that trust and the challenge which it carries. I know that the people of America are counting on you. I know that you will not let them down."

TICKETS

