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THE CAMP LIBRARY

WELCOMES THE RETURNED MINDANAO DETAIL.

Membership in the Camp Library is open to anyone. We have over 3000 books and magazines available for circulation; will soon have around 5000. There are reference books, maps, and magazines available for reading in the Library. There is a Game Department with many games which can be played in the Library or drawn out for barrack use. An Author's and Subjects file and a Roster by Title list all books in the Library. Books can be reserved; a messenger will notify you that the book you have requested is being held for you. A Bookbinding Department keeps all books in good condition.

COME DOWN AND GET ACQUAINTED.

HOW TO BECOME A MEMBER:

- (1) If you have no book, bring a note of recommendation from your barrack leader (field officers excepted). You will be given a membership with one reservation privilege.
- (2) If you have a book, turn it in for membership. For the first book turned in, you will be given a membership with two reservation privileges; for each additional membership add one additional reservation privilege. A Japanese order requires all books in camp to be turned in to them for censorship and registration, and all books to be circulated thru the Camp Library.

YOUR BARRACKS HAS A BARRACK LIBRARIAN, whose duties are to handle reservations, give due notices, and the magazines made available for your barracks.

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CAMP LIBRARY:

D. S. HABC CR,
Lieut. Colonel, U.S.
Camp Librarian.

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Hospital Headquarters
October 26, 1944.

SUBJECT: Medical Textbooks in Possession of Hospital Headquarters Requiring
Japanese Censorship.

1. GRAY'S ANATOMY	Henry Gray, F.R.S.
2. GRAY'S ANATOMY	Henry Gray, F.R.S.
3. GRAY'S ANATOMY	Henry Gray, F.R.S.
4. MEDICAL DISEASES IN TROPICAL AND SUB-TROPICAL AREAS ...	-----
5. MEDICAL DISEASES IN TROPICAL AND SUB-TROPICAL AREAS ...	-----
6. MEDICAL DISEASES IN TROPICAL AND SUB-TROPICAL AREAS ...	-----
7. CLINICAL ATLAS OF BLOOD DISEASES	A. Pincay & S. Wyard
8. PHYSIOLOGICAL CHEMISTRY	Mathews.
9. DISEASES OF THE NOSE, THROAT AND EAR	W.W.Morrison
10. DISEASES OF THE NOSE, THROAT AND EAR	W.W.Morrison
11. PHYSIOLOGY IN HEALTH AND DISEASE	Carl J. Wiggers
12. PHYSIOLOGY IN HEALTH AND DISEASE	Carl J. Wiggers
13. SURGICAL ANATOMY	C. L. Callander
14. THE DISEASES OF INFANTS AND CHILDREN	J. P. C. Griffith
15. DENTAL FORMULARY	Hermann Prinz
16. DENTAL FORMULARY	Hermann Prinz
17. TEXTBOOK OF CLINICAL NEUROLOGY	Israel S. Wechsler
18. TEXTBOOK OF CLINICAL NEUROLOGY	Israel S. Wechsler
19. PHARMACOLOGY AND THERAPEUTICS	Arthur R. Cushny
20. PHARMACOLOGY AND THERAPEUTICS	Arthur R. Cushny
21. PHARMACOLOGY AND THERAPEUTICS	Arthur R. Cushny
22. INJECTION TREATMENT OF VARICOSE VEINS AND HEMORRHOIDS .	H. O. McPheeters
23. THE TECHNIC OF MEDICATION	Fantus
24. TEXTBOOK OF EXODONTIA	Leo Winter
25. AMERICAN POCKET MEDICAL DICTIONARY	W.A.Newman Derland
26. WEBSTER'S PRACTICAL DICTIONARY	Noah Webster
27. WEBSTER'S COLLEGIATE DICTIONARY	Noah Webster
28. PROGRESSIVE SPANISH	John M. Pittare and Alexander Green.
29. THE MERCK MANUAL ...	Merck & Company, Inc.
30. MINOR SURGERY	Frederick Christopher
31. PHYSIOLOGY IN HEALTH AND DISEASE	Carl J. Wiggers

RALPH E. HIBBS,
Captain, Medical Corps,
Executive Officer.

DATE	PROGRESS NOTES	DIET AND TRANSPORTATION
	Medical Vademecum (Winthrop Co.) - Robert V. Strasters	12.00 9
	Military Ophthalmic Surgery - by A. Greenwood -	E.E.N.T. 9
	The Merck Manual - Lt. Harry M. Brown	9
	Reference Handbook for Nurses by H.K. Book - Robert V. Strasters	9
	Textbook of medicine - by R.L. Cecil - A. Harry M. Brown	9
	Outline of Otolaryngology as Applied to Aviation Medicine - E.E.N.T.	9
	Archive of	
	Conversational Japanese - Robert V. Strasters	9
	American Illustrated Medical Dictionary - Robert V. Strasters	9
	Pharmacology - by T. Solbmann - " "	9
	Webster's Elementary School Dictionary - Gus Katoines	11
	Greek Prose Composition - Gus Katoines	11
	Hypertension & Nephritis - by A.M. Fishberg - Surgery	9
	Surgical Anatomy - by C.L. Callander - Surgery	9
	Anatomy of the Human Body - Henry Gray - Surgery	9
	New Testament - James A. Green	11
	Novena Manual - Charles C. Topsy	8
	My Missal - Philip H. Rohde	8
	Standard Vest-Pocket Dictionary - Philip H. Rohde	8
	50 Best Poems of England " "	7
	San Juan Bosco " "	8
	Fundamental Japanese for Filipinos - " "	8
	The Beginner's Book of Chess	
	Mental Formulary - Quiz - Pharmacy	9
	Pharmacology & Therapeutics - Cushing's - Pharmacy	9

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Joseph Medill Patterson - Publisher New York Daily News

"War is exciting business but it's rough as hell!"

Ernest L. Warner - Lt. Colonel FA. USA

SLOGAN

PUT BETTER MEN IN CONGRESS"

WARNER

Warner
Bluffs

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Westbrook Pepler (Humor columnist) Cleveland Press

American Mercury Inc. 570 Lexington Ave. N.Y.C. (J.P. McEvoy)

Womans Day - 67 W. 44th St. N.Y.C.

* F.R. Publishing Corp 25 W-43rd St - N.Y.C. ^{The New Yorker} (You Can't Take it With You)

The Crowell Pub Co 250 Park Ave. N.Y.C. ^{American Magazines & Collectors etc}

B.C. Forbes Pub Co Inc - 120-Fifth Ave N.Y.C.

The New York Times Co. Times Square. N.Y.C. (Stephen Leacock)

The Nation Inc 20 Vesey St. N.Y.C.

Books - "The Big Four (450) by Alfred A Knopf Inc 501 Madison Ave ^{N.Y.C.}
Building of the Central Pacific RR (Huntington, Sanford, Hopkins & Crocker

Payson Publishing Inc 701 Park Ave. N.Y.C. { Mark Sullivan

Rotarian - Rotary International 35 E. Wacker Drive Chicago Ill.

McCall Corp. 230 Park Ave N.Y.C. (Redbook ^{What Surprised Me About Congress} by Bruce Partington

Forum Publishing Co Inc 570 Lexington Ave. N.Y.C.

The Atlantic Monthly 8 Arlington St Boston Mass

Harper & Bros 49 E. 33 St N.Y.C. (Harper)

The American Nature Assn - 1214 - 16th St. N.W. Wash. D.C.

Time Inc - Time & Life Bldg Rockefeller Center N.Y.C.

Current History Inc 63 Park Row N.Y.C.

New York Tribune Inc 230 W. 41st ST N.Y.C.

Christian Century Press - 440 S. Dearborn St. Chicago Ill

Editorial Publication, Inc 40 S. 49th ST N.Y.C.

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HOSPITAL HEADQUARTERS
AMERICAN PRISONERS OF WAR CAMP NO. 1 OF THE PHILIPPINE ISLANDS

Cabanatuan, P. I.,
February 1, 1943.

LIBRARY REGULATIONS

The following rules and regulations will govern the library for the duty personnel at this hospital:

I. FICTION AND MISCELLANEOUS BOOKS

a. Library will be maintained in Headquarters building where books may be withdrawn and returned each day, as follows:

Officers: 3:30 - 4:00 P.M.
Enl Men : 4:00 - 4:30 P.M.

b. Books may be withdrawn for three (3) days only.

c. Due to the small number of books available at the present time, there must be a lapse of at least four (4) days between date of return of books and withdrawel of another.

d. Failure to return a book when due will cause loss of library priveleges for two (2) weeks.

e. An unabridged dictionary is available for reference, as well as a French-English dictionary.

f. Headquarters building will not be used as a reading room during the day or evening.

II. PROFESSIONAL BOOKS

will be issued to officers only.

OFFICIAL:

C. S. Maupin
C. S. MAUPIN,
Major, MC,
Adjutant.

By order of Lt. Col. SCHWARTZ;

F. M. Lunnie
F. M. LUNNIE,
1st Lt., Med Adm C,
Librarian.

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オードネル俘虜收容所
THE CONCENTRATION CAMP AT O'DONNEL

俘虜身分調書
PRISONER'S IDENTIFICATION CARD

1	姓名 Name	Andres N. Cariaso.	年齢 Age	24
2	所屬別 Name of Organization	Co C 12th Medical Bn.		
	階級 (a) Present Rank	Pvt. 1cl.		
3	所屬部隊名 Name of Division	Philippine Div.		
4	應役當時現役ナリシヤ又ハ豫備役ナリシヤ Reserve or active when called to the colors	Volunteered.		
5	應役種別 Kind of call	Regular.		
6	俘虜トナリタル地名 Place where captured	Little Gaguio, Marrisones.		
7	特殊技能 Specialized work	Clerk, Surgical and Medical Technician.		
8	家族現住所 Address of family	547 Labores Ext. Pandacan, Manila.		
9	摘要 Remarks			

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March 27, 1943.

SUBJECT: Redistribution of Library Books.

TO : The Commanding Officer, American Headquarters, Military
Prisoners Camp No. 1 of the Philippine Islands, Cabanatuan, P.I.

1. The Hospital Librarian reports the following number of books and magazines available for distribution to patients in the hospital:

- a. Books 174
- b. Magazines 21

In addition there are 185 books in such state of wear that they cannot be issued for distribution. One man is constantly at work rebinding these books. There is, in addition, a library of 88 books maintained at Hospital Headquarters for the 423 Medical Officers and enlisted men.

2. It is earnestly requested that some consideration be given to the redistribution of books in the Camp Libraries so as to give hospital patients greater access to books. This request has been made verbally a number of times and was also brought to the attention of the Hospital Board of Investigation some time ago which promised to incorporate recommendations in its report but no action was taken.

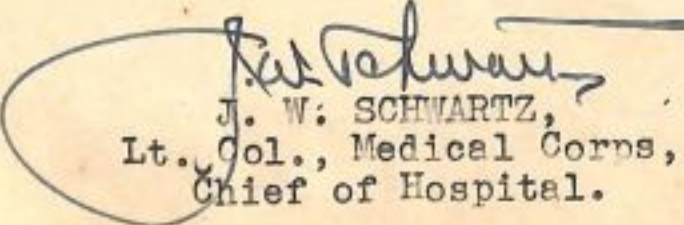
3. There has never been an opportunity to develop a large library in the Hospital because with the exception of the medical personnel on duty in the Hospital, all personnel in this area have come to the hospital from Groups where any books they may have brought into camp were deposited in the Camp Library. The Hospital Library was developed from a small shipment of books received from the Bilibid Hospital and another large shipment received from the O'Donnell Hospital.

4. Whereas the majority of prisoners in the Groups are working most of the day and have no opportunity to read, patients in the hospital find time hanging heavily and are constantly clamoring for reading material. Many of these patients claim to have books on deposit in the Camp Library to which they do not have access while in the Hospital.

5. From therapeutic and morale stand points it is considered highly desirable to provide reading material for patients.

6. It is recommended that all books in camp be prorated on group strength. The argument that books in the camp library belong to individuals and therefore cannot be disposed of without the permission of those individuals I believe untenable. I believe that if a sound appeal is made to owners of books to donate them to a library to be used by sick people, the approval will be spontaneous.

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J. W. SCHWARTZ,
Lt. Col., Medical Corps,
Chief of Hospital.

To: Lt. Col. Swartz -

The above request has been disapproved by A.P.H. because they do not consider the books in the camp library camp property, but individual property. Membership in the library is open to both sides and many (number is being checked) memberships belong to patients & personnel in the hospital area. These books are being drawn daily from the library by patients on visiting details. Patients are free to withdraw their books and some of them do before going to the hospital. There are 100 free books on this side not requiring membership that are not given

available to the hospital. In the future as boats coming to
the camp from individual sources will be divided 2 ways -
hospital + camp.

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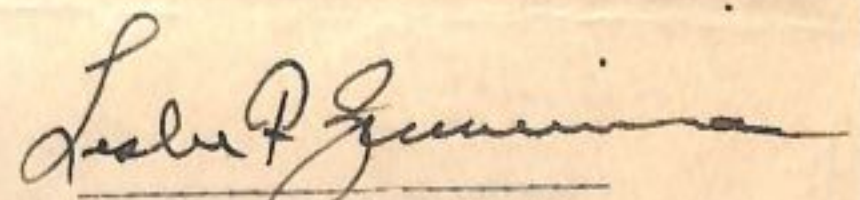
Office of the Chaplains
Prison Camp Hospital
Cabanatuan, P. I.

March 26th., 1943

SUBJECT: The hospital library report
Submitted as requested by Lieut. Colonel Schwartz on March 25th.

HOSPITAL LIBRARY REPORT:

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|----|-------------------------------------|-----|
| I. | 1. Total Number of books: | 359 |
| | 2. Total of magazines: | 21 |
| | 3. Total of books and
magazines: | 380 |
| | 4. Total unserviceable: | 185 |
| | 5. Total with circulation
value: | 195 |
- II. At present books are issued to only a portion of wards each day and yet there are nearly one hundred men each day desiring books and unable to draw them.
- III. Any means that can help us to obtain more books or magazines will be a splendid help toward building the morale of the patients in the hospital who have so few activities to occupy their time.



Leslie F. Zimmerman,
Capt., U.S. Army
Chaplain.
Hospital Librarian

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PAPERS

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Office of the Chaplains
Prison Camp Hospital
Cabanatuan, P. I.

June 30, 1943

SUBJECT: Hospital Library Report.

TO : The Commanding Officer of the hospital.

1. A library (upper area)

Total books	385
Total serviceable	270
Total users	1,012
Total circulation (to June 19th.)	1,458
Daily average	55

2. B library (lower area)

Total books	61
Users	512
Circulation	549

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File 903

Leslie F. Zimmerman
Leslie F. Zimmerman,
Capt., U.S. Army Chaplain.

Office of the Chaplains
Prison Camp Hospital
Cabanatuan, P. I.

April 30, 1943

SUBJECT: Library Report for the month of April, 1943.

TO: The Commanding Officer

Total Number of Books:	448
Total Number Serviceable:	285
Total Number of Users:	1,293
Total Circulation:	2,575
Daily Average:	95

SIGNED:

Leslie F. Zimmerman

Leslie F. Zimmerman,
Captain, U. S. Army
Chaplain.

Hospital Librarian.

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Please post on Dysentery (see #13)

Hospital Headquarters
September 3, 1943

NOTICE: To Personnel in the Dysentery Area:

1. The Hospital Library is now a branch of the Camp Library. Books are now being inspected and will be available for circulation as soon as possible. ~~Two~~ ^{A few} Japanese magazines ~~per ward~~ are now available for withdrawal and will be issued ^{to individuals} at the rate of two magazines per ward at WARD 20 ^(Carabao Cafe) at the following hours:

AM 9:30 - 11:00

PM 2:00 - 4:00

2. It is requested that all members of the Camp Library or of the former Hospital Library report to WARD 20 (Carabao Cafe) during the above hours to check their membership status.

WARD SURGEONS; Notify patients in your wards

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December 17, 1942.

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W.O. JR	FIRST THREE GRADES			SGT	CORP	PFC	PVT	TOTAL
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6	10	35	81	162	188	368	587	1569

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NCO 482

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PVTS 955.

NON-RATED.

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NCO 32.

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PVTS 7.

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NCO 24.

PVTS 26.

$$\begin{array}{r} 220 \\ 30 \\ \hline 250 \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{r} 6 \\ 330 \\ \hline 336 \end{array}$$

GRAND TOTAL: 1665.

HB Siquot, 2d Lt MAC
REGISTRAR.

Notice:

To Personnel in the Non-Dysentery Area:

1. ~~By order of the Japanese~~ The Hospital Library is now a branch of the Camp Library. Books are now being inspected and will be available for circulation as soon as possible. Some Japanese Magazines are now available for withdrawal by anyone in the Temporary Library (Chaplain's Office) and will be issued daily as follows:

A.M. 9:30 — 11:00

P.M. 2:00 — 4:00

2. It is requested that all members of the Camp Library or of the former Hospital Library report to the Temporary Library, during the above hours, to check membership status.

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Office of the Chaplains
Prison Camp Hospital
Cabanatuan, P. I.

April 1, 1943

SUBJECT: Library Report

TO : The Commanding Officer,
Prison Camp Hospital,
Cabanatuan, P.I.

1. The following Library Report for the month of March is submitted:

Total (volumes and magazines)	351
Total serviceable	201
Total users	1103
Total circulation	2822

Leslie F. Zimmerman

Leslie F. Zimmerman,
Capt. U.S. Army
Chaplain.

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