## MILITARY TRAINING CERTIFICATE



## Citizens' Military Training Camps

| TO ALL WHO SHALL SEE THESE PRESENTS, GREETING:       |  |
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| KNOW YE, THAT  |  |
|  | WHITE COURSE OF INSTRUCTION,               |
| INFANTRY   | ARM, AT THE CITIZENS' MILITARY TRAINING    |
| CAMP HELD UNDER THE AUSPICES                         | OF THE WAR DEPARTMENT OF THE UNITED STATES |
| AT   | CAMP BULLIS TEXAS                          |
|  | TO JULY FOURTEENTH , ONE THOUSAND          |
| NINE HUNDRED AND THIRTY TWO                          |  |
| GIVEN AT CAMP BULLIS T                               | EXAS , THIS FOURTEENTH                     |
| DAY OF JULY  | , IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD ONE THOUSAND     |
| NINE HUNDRED AND THIRTY TWO                          |  |
| REMARKS:HONEST AND FA                                | ITHFUL SERVICE                             |
| FOR THE CAMP COMMANDER:                              | H. H. Sacher                               |
| W. D., A. G. O. Form No. 124<br>March 1, 1932 3-8139 | MAJOR, 23RD INFANTRY                       |

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COMMANDING

Keep this Certificate and present it whenever you seek employment. It is valuable as a personal record and is evidence of your Military and Citizenship Training. In case you join any of the Military forces of the United States, show it to each Commanding Officer who may be placed over you.

## CERTIFICATE OF TRAINING

I hereby certify that the candidate whose name appears on this certificate has been given training and instruction in the \_\_\_\_\_ White \_\_\_\_ Course, \_\_\_\_ Intantry \_\_\_\_\_ Arm, at this camp and \*has not satisfactorily completed the course.

He is recommended For return for Blue Course (Show recommendations in accordance with par. 17 b (1), AR 350-2200)

tHe \*does possess the physical, moral, and general qualifications for appointment in the Officers'

Reserve Corps as prescribed in paragraph 23, AR 140-5, and \*is appointment as prescribed in the appropriate Army Regulations (AR 140-22 to 140-38, incl.).

<sup>†</sup>He is entitled to exemption from the ability test and examination in the following subjects: Military Discipline, Courtesies and Customs of the Service; Interior Guard Duty; Military Sanitation and First Aid; Coast Artillery Ammunition and Weapons and Matériel.

Remarks: ...

(Show organization in case candidate is a member of the Regular Army, National Guard, Enlisted Reserve Corps, or Reserve Officers'

Training Corps. Show marksmanship and other qualifications, if any. Show property loss, if any DEVORE 33rd Inf. Commanding.

\*Strike out word or words not applicable.

†Applies to graduates of the Blue Course only.

Only young men in good physical condition and of good moral character are accepted for attendance at Citizens' Military Training Camps.

Those who complete the course have received the typhoid-paratyphoid inoculation and smallpox vaccination.

A young man who attends a Citizens' Military Training Camp renders voluntary service to the United States Government and this certificate is evidence of his patriotism and loyalty.

Graduates of the Red, White, and Blue Courses are entitled to wear the insignia for service.

Citizens' Military Training Camps are conducted by the War Department under the National Defense Act. This is the basic law which authorizes all military training. The Government pays the expenses of those attending, consisting of transportation to and from eamp, uniforms, food, medical attendance and other necessary expenses. The object of these camps is to bring together young men of high type from all sections of the country on a common basis of equality and under the most favorable conditions of outdoor life; to stimulate and promote citizenship, patriotism, and Americanism; and, through expert physical direction, athletic coach-ing, and military training, to benefit the young men individually, and bring them to realize their obligations to their country. There are four (4) courses of instruction: BASIC, RED, WHITE, and BLUE. Each course lasts 30 days and only one course can be taken in any calendar year. No obligation for future service in any component of the Army of the United States attaches to attendance at any course. The BASIC COURSE—For physically fit mels citizens of the United States 17 to 24 years of eac. Previous military training not previous to the different courses:

1. The **BASIC COURSE**.—For physically fit male citizens of the United States, 17 to 24 years of age. Previous military training not required. Appli-cants must possess average general intelligence, be able to read and write English, and be of good moral character. This course provides preliminary military training, including physical development, athletics, school of the soldier, squad and company drill, rifle marks-manship, first aid, camp sanitation, personal hygiene, military courtesy, meaning of discipline, and studies in citizenship. Those taking this course will be given an opportunity to qualify for the next higher, or Red Course.

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2. The RED COURSE.—For physically fit male citizens of the United 5 rates, 17 to 25 years of age. Applicants must be graduates of the Basic Course or have had military training equivalent thereto, must possess average general intelligence, be able to read and write English, and be of good moral character. This course provides training in different arms of the Army: Infantry, Field Artillery, Cavalry, Coast Artillery Corps, and Signal Corps. Advanced instruction in the subjects covered in the Basic Course is included. Those who take this course will be given the opportunity to qualify in the same arm for the next higher, or White Course.
3. The WHITE COURSE.—For physically fit male citizens of the United States, 18 to 28 years of age, and enlisted men of the Army of the United States. Applicants must have a grammar-school education or its equivalent, possess qualities of leadership, and be of good moral character. This course provides training in different arms of the Army: Infantry, Field Artillery, Cavalry, Coast Artillery Corps, and Signal Corps, for the purpose of qualifying candidates as specialists and noncommissioned leaders. This course is open to candidates who have completed the Red Course, and no have been recommended to pursue the White Course, to selected citizens who have had military training equivalent to the Red Course, and to selected enlisted men of the Army of the United States. Those who tatend will be given the further opportunity to qualify in the same arm for the next higher, or Blue Course, but it will be required that they possess, the mental and physical qualifications to become officers' Reserve Corps. This requirement will be fully explained to all candidates before or during the White Course.
4. The BLUE COURSE.—For physicall further opportunity to qualify in the same arm for the next higher, or Blue Course, but it will be required that they be fully of the Course.
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4. The **BLUE COURSE**.—Age limits, 19 to 29. Qualifications for admission are as follows: Applicants must be warrant officers, enlisted men, or selected civilians who are physically fit and who have completed the White Course or have had military training equivalent thereto. Applicants must have not less than a completed high-school education or its equivalent and, for technical arms, must have the necessary technical education. They must also possess the personality, appearance, tact, bearing, and general adaptability which will fit them after further training to be officers of the Officers' Reserve Corps.

of the Officers' Reserve Corps. Applications from warrant officers and enlisted men must receive the approval of immediate commanding officers. Norm.—Graduation from the Blue Course does not of itself confer legal eligibility for appointment in the Officers' Reserve Corps. Candidates for appointment in the Infantry, Field Artillery, Cavalry, and Coast Artillery Sections of the Officers' Reserve Corps must at time of appointment be either warrant officers or enlisted men of the Regular Army, National Guard, or Enlisted Reserve Corps. The applicant's preference for training in Infantry, Field Artillery, Cavalry, Coast Artillery Corps, and Signal Corps will be granted when such training is available and practicable from an economic and military viewpoint. 3-8139a u. s. coversester Faurice 1922