

Daily Outlines Reserve Plans

Gives 'Last' Word On ERC Status

Final WMC plans for calling ERC students to active duty have been released which provide for continuance in school for all members until the end of the current semester, "current" being defined as the semester in which they were enrolled on or before Dec. 31, 1942.

Medical, dental and engineering students will act under special provisions, and advanced ROTC students will be called when the army specialized training program begins at their college. Detailed plans for each group have been outlined by the war department as follows:

1. Reservists who are not in military colleges, or studying medicine or engineering will be called to duty at the end of the current semester, term or quarter—"current" being defined as the period in which they were enrolled on December 31, 1942. After basic training, they will be eligible to be sent back to college under the Army Specialized Training Program. They will have at least two weeks' leeway between the end of their study period and being called to duty.

2. Medical students (including dental and veterinary) in the Enlisted Reserves will be called at the end of the first full semester beginning in 1943—in most schools, at the end of the usual February to June term. They will be assigned to continue medical courses in medical schools which have Army contracts—meaning, in some cases, that they will go on studying right where they are. At this time, medical students who have commissions in the Medical Administrative Corps may resign, enlist as privates, and be detailed in the same manner as medical students in the Enlisted Reserve.

3. Pre-medical students in the ERC will continue on inactive status until the end of the first full semester beginning in 1943, and will then be called. Those selected at induction or at the completion of their basic training for further medical or pre-medical training will be assigned to colleges under the Army Specialized Training program to continue their studies.

4. Medical and pre-med students who are not in the ERC and are drafted, will be placed on inactive status until the end of the first full term beginning in 1943. They will then be called to active duty, and are eligible to be assigned to further medical training.

5. Seniors in the ERC (non-ROTC) who are taking approved technical engineering courses will continue in an inactive status until graduation or the end of the first full semester beginning in 1943, whichever is earlier. After their basic training, they may be assigned back to college.

6. Junior ERC engineering students (non-ROTC) will stay on inactive status until the end of the first full semester beginning in 1943, and will then be called to active duty. After basic training, they may be selected to continue their studying under the Army

Specialized Training Program.

7. Junior engineering students who are not reservists will go onto inactive status when drafted until they have finished the first full semester beginning in 1943. They will then be called, given basic training, and may be selected to continue their technical training.

8. Sophomore ERC students in engineering will be called like all other engineering students at the end of the first full semester beginning in 1943. They may be selected for further technical training.

9. Sophomore ERC students in military colleges also will not be called until the end of the first full semester, and then after basic training may be selected to continue their technical courses.

1. Second-year advanced senior division ROTC students (who are also in the ERC) will be called to active duty when the Army Specialized Training Corps gets under way in the college they are attending. They will stay until graduation, provided they graduate before June 30, 1943. They will then be detailed to their respective branch service schools, and commissioned after a three-month course.

2. Second-year advanced senior division ROTC's, who are not members of the ERC may be inducted into the Corps, and follow the same procedure as the former ERC-ROTC members.

2. First-year advanced senior division ROTC students who are also in the ERC will be called to duty when the Army Specialized Training Program begins in their colleges. They will remain in school until the end of the first full semester beginning in 1943, after which they will receive military training in replacement centers instead of the usual second-year advanced course. After this they will either be sent back to the colleges for further technical training, or sent to Officer's Candidate School and commissioned.

As in the case of second-year ROTC's, these first-year men (advanced division) who are not members of the ERC may enlist.

3. First and second year advanced course ROTC medical students (including dental and veterinary) will be called to active duty upon the initiation of the Army Specialized Training Program in the institution attended. If their marks are satisfactory, they will stay in school until they graduate.

4. Pre-med and medical students in the advanced course ROTC who are not in a medical unit may be discharged from their ROTC contracts and continued in school under the Army Specialized Training Program. If their marks are not satisfactory they will be sent to their branch Officer Candidate School to try for a commission.

5. Basic course ROTC's—that

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is freshmen and sophomores—who are not in the enlisted reserve are liable to be drafted under the normal Selective Service regulations. War Department officials report, however, that their military training will be helpful to them in getting into Officer Candidate Schools. Freshman and Sophomore ROTC members who are in the Enlisted Reserve will be handled under the ERC regulations. (See 1, Enlisted Reserve Corps, unassigned).

All senior division ROTC members must appear at their induction centers when called with a transcript of their college academic and ROTC records for presentation to the Classification Officer.

The War Department assures reservists who expressed a preference at the time of their enlistment for the Navy, Marine Corps, or Coast Guard that their names will be sent to the Bureau of Naval Personnel for consideration at least thirty days before they receive Army orders. If they are accepted by one of the other branches of the service, they will automatically be eligible for release from the Army.

Seniors Resume 'Judo' Training Tomorrow At 9

Reopening of the commando tactics class will be effected tomorrow at nine o'clock in the coliseum, according to an announcement of the military department.

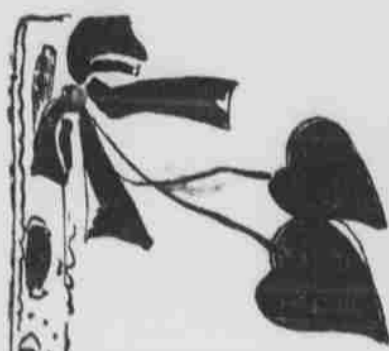
The course to be taught every Saturday morning for the remainder of the semester is the newest venture of the military department in teaching its cadets practical knowledge of modern warfare.

Open to Volunteers.

Subject matter for the course has been especially planned and arranged for senior drill men but is opened to all volunteers. Senior advanced drill officers, going to OCS next summer, have been advised to take the training by the military department, it was learned yesterday.

At present it is planned to run two classes simultaneously, for beginners and for second semester students, with the advanced students helping out with the instruction of those just beginning. Only requirement for the course is old clothing and basketball or gym shoes. Students who expect to take swimming training must obtain a pool permit before beginning the course. This should be done as quickly as possible, it was announced.

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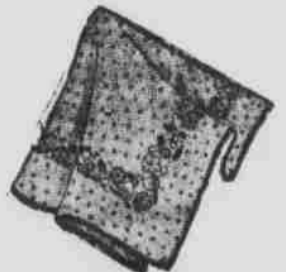
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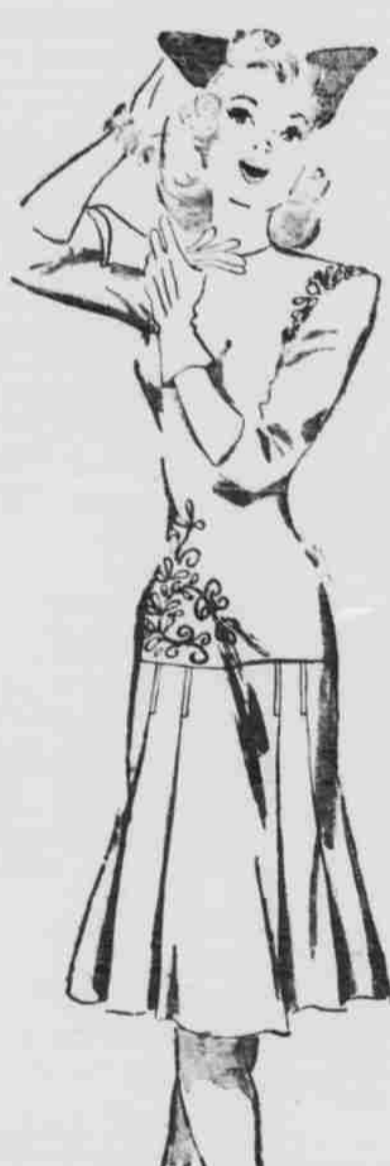
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