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Sergeant David 'Pops' Lovett is falling apart

Our HQ Company's very own Sgt David 'Pops' Lovett may have been fully trained to defeat vast hordes of the German nation, yet it seems that he can be easily defeated by a chicken wrap! After only a couple of bites, our Sgt started slyly looking into his hand. The other members of the 502nd who were present, myself included looked at him with a great deal of confusion. He then announced that one of his teeth had come out. It was quite clear that he was trying to work out which tooth it was. Whilst pulling some strange expressions

can only guess was him checking with his tongue to try and locate where this stray tooth had just appeared from. With everyone a little concerned, all attention was on the Sgt. However we didn't have to wait long for the answer, for it was revealed pretty quickly once he smiled about something else and this big gap was

evident. Nurse M. Waldron was present and clearly was deeply concerned, which she carefully hid behind hysterical fits of laughter. This in turn highlighted the 'gap' massively and reduced myself almost to tears. Struggling to regain composure, we did managed to advise a trip to the Medical Corps dentist.



First edition of The Toccoa Times, the HQ Co. 502 P.I.R. official newspaper.

After the positive comments on the reporting procedure from The Victory Show; and the great suggestions from two of our Nurses. M.Waldon and A.Miles this newspaper will become a regular feature in camp life; how regular will be dependent on you. If you all keep up the current pace of doing daft enough things for me to write about, then this could almost become a daily broadsheet!

I will try and report in the fashion of a period newspaper, but of course this won't always be possible. I can't always be everywhere at every moment, although I will try. It would be really helpful if members could also contribute, even if its just the information and I can type it up for you.

Please send submission, articles or comments for consideration to the newspaper via the contact page, or to me via the magic of F/B.

Missing! Where has the last show gone?

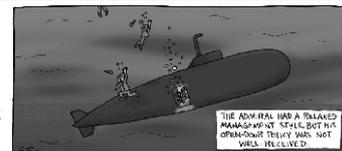
I don't seem to be having much luck with the dates of these shows. I was all excited about going to Statfold. After the show was cancelled due to flooding I was invited to go and dig up more of our military history. Then came the notification that it was back

on. I know it wasn't just myself that had booked in other things. I think it was Cpl T.Stokes that had booked into work instead. Then came the news it was back on. I'm sure I wasn't the only one who was thinking of changing plans a second time. However I'm

pleased I didn't as it wasn't long before it was cancelled again! This time however it stayed off. Although it's always sad we miss a show and getting together, it would have been a pretty miserable affair if its going to be boggy and raining... so until next time!

Subs!

As a group that wants to improve, grow and purchase items for displays we have introduced membership subscriptions. Almost all groups do this. Subs help offset all the costs which until now only a few members were paying



for. The food is provided at cost price, yet we all eat under the canteen canopy. I can only encourage you to pay your subs as soon as possible. This is in everyone's best interest. If anyone doesn't know what to pay, who to pay, or how to pay, feel free to contact one of the officers and they can advise. If you can't pay for any reason, we would rather know, than just think that you are ignoring the requests.