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## DRAFT BOARD NO. 1 SENDS TWO GROUPS

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### One Group Sent to Cumberland, Md., While Other Goes to Camp George Meade.

Two contingents of selectees were sent to U. S. Army camps today by Local Draft Board No. 1.

The first group whose destination is Camp George Meade, Md., consisting of two Negroes, left early this morning. They were Leroy L. Smith and Glennie W. Cobbs. The former was the acting corporal.

The second group left later in the morning, headed for Camp Cumberland, in charge of Acting Corporal John J. Hock. They included:

Rudolph Gallich, Vincent A. Buragino, Laurence M. Bringenberg, Michael Petro, George J. Robal, Frank A. Hercik, Robert R. Rothrock, William Nagy, John Racz, Jr., John J. Hock, Angelo F. Capuano, Joseph G. Pilyar, James Milhalko, Horace Messina, John Orwan, Jr., Michael J. Jabbour, Robert A. Derico, John S. Schmidt, Jr., Samuel Bachman, Francis L. Jani, Fred V. Butryn, Joseph F. Krenos, John L. Henn, Joseph F. Toplak, Thomas F. Kitzhoffer, George N. Volkay, Alois G. Phillips, Stephen A. Bacak, Joseph F. Anfuso, George J. Fistner, Edward J. Kelleher, Frank Trajber, Anthony L. Benzak, Herbert G. Dans, Jr., Joseph A. Carregal, Thomas A. Veanus, John T. Carraghan, Francis Loncarlo, Louis Galgacy, John Duch, Andrew Kospiah, Albert A. Radis, Michael G. Cottage, Paul Dias, Bruce R. Hagey, Simon J. Straub, Stephen Duna.

Each of the selectees received an appreciable kit, the gift of the Bethlehem Tobacco Club. The presentation was made by John Griffith, president of the club, who briefly addressed the young men.

He emphasized the fact that they are now in Uncle Sam's service and that the U. S. Army is a mighty big institution, and it is up to the individual to make good. He urged them to be good soldiers and to obey their superiors.

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