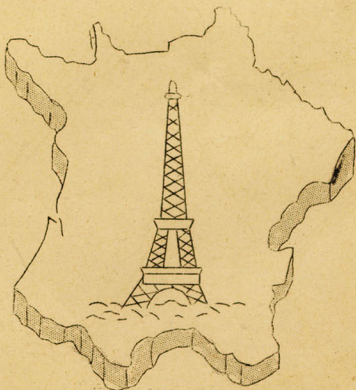
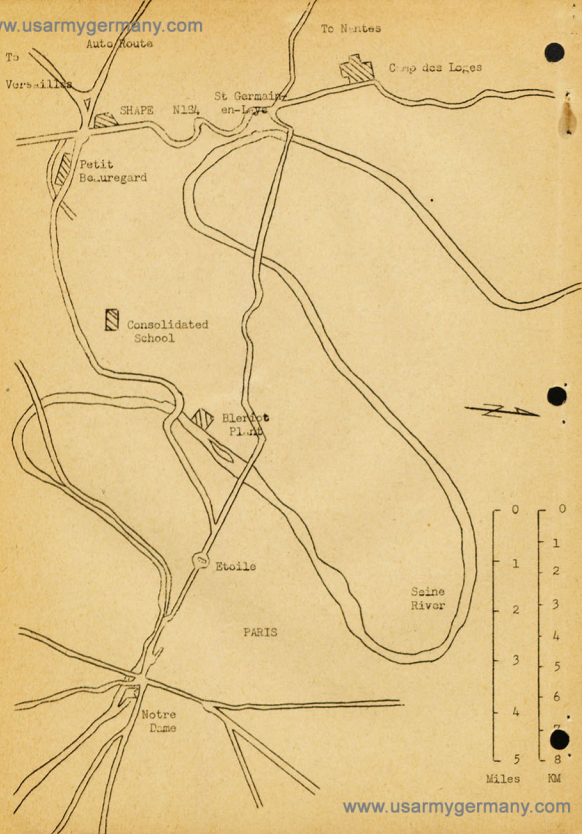


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UNITED STATES EUROPEAN COMMAND

F O R W A R D

This booklet is designed to assist the newcomer in becoming acquainted with Headquarters United States European Command and the facilities of Camp des Loges Post. Although much of this booklet is informative only, the attention of all assigned and attached personnel is particularly directed to those portions which are obviously directive in nature. Suggestions and/or recommendations for future publications should be addressed to this headquarters, Attention: SJS - Personnel Branch.

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1. LOCATION

Headquarters US EUCOM is located at Camp des Loges Post, Ste Germanine-en-Laye, France. Camp des Loges is situated approximately 10 miles west of Paris and about one mile north of Ste Germaine. Building diagram of Camp des Loges is given on Pages 15 and 16.

2. ACCOMMODATIONSA. Camp des Loges

(1) All enlisted personnel without dependents will live in barracks at Camp des Loges.

(2) Officers and civilians without dependents may utilize BOQ rooms, if available. BOQ's are furnished combination bed-sitting rooms with bath and closet. There is also a furnished lounge on the ground floor and a public telephone. There will be a service charge (approximately \$15 per month for officers) for each occupant, to defray the expenses of maid service, cleaning, change of linen, towels, etc.

B. PETIT BEAUREGARD (US EUCOM RENTAL GUARANTEES HOUSING PROJECT)

Under the Rental Guarantee Housing Program, a project of 300 apartment units has been constructed for US EUCOM at Petit Beauregard. The location is approximately 11 miles west of the Arc de Triomphe in Paris and about 7½ miles south of the US EUCOM Headquarters at Camp des Loges. Under the terms of the contract for this project, the French sponsor agreed to construct these apartments to certain mutually agreed specifications and to rent them at specified prices to American personnel as designated by this Headquarters. In turn, the United States Government has guaranteed 95% occupancy, and will reimburse the sponsor if at any time the occupancy falls below this percentage. Because these apartments are not Government quarters, personnel who occupy them are entitled to authorized rental allowances and applicable station per diem allowances. It is expected that there will be sufficient apartments to accommodate practically all military personnel and DA civilians of this headquarters who have dependents in Europe and who desire to occupy one of these Rental Guarantee apartments. At the present time, Petit Beauregard is 100% occupied and appropriate waiting lists have been established. Newly assigned personnel may apply for this housing on arrival. Waiting time is estimated as 90 - 120 days after arrival. Diagrams of Petit Beauregard and the apartments therein are given on Pages 17 through 25.

The following table shows the size, type and rent of the 300 apartments:

| <u>Type</u> | <u>No of Bedrooms</u> | <u>Number</u> | <u>Size</u> | <u>Monthly Rent</u> |
|-------------|-----------------------|---------------|-------------|---------------------|
| A | 2 | 60 | 742 Sq Ft | \$102.50 |
| B | 3 | 96 | 862 Sq Ft | 117.50 |
| C | 2 | 36 | 773 Sq Ft | 107.50 |
| D | 3 | 90 | 976 Sq Ft | 135.00 |
| E | 3 | 18 | 1154 Sq Ft | 160.00 |

The sponsor will furnish, without expense to the tenant, heat, hot and cold water, electric range (4 burners and oven), electric refrigerator (7.2 cubic ft), electric fixtures, venetian blinds (except in bathrooms and storerooms), kitchen sink and cupboards, screens (one window in each room only), bathtub, shower, toilet, wash basin, medicine cabinet, towel rods, shower curtain rod, garbage chute, janitorial service, groundskeeping, parking areas, laundry and drying rooms (coin operated washing machines). The tenant must pay for electricity (individual meter) and telephones (if desired). The tenant must provide furniture and furnishings. There are no servant quarters provided. Storage space for each tenant is provided in a storage room next to the kitchen and in a separate area for each tenant in the basement.

The electricity in Petit Beaugard is 110 volts, 50 cycle alternating current. The electric bill is the only required utility charge (telephone service is optional). It should be remembered that cooking is also by electricity. The cost should be approximately \$18 to \$20 per month.

The water is potable and adequate quantities of both hot and cold water will be furnished without charge. Adequate military bus service will be provided between Petit Beaugard, the dependant school and Camp des Loges.

The Contribution Mobiliere (the French tax on the occupancy of a dwelling) is payable by all personnel who live on the French economy or in Petit Beaugard. It is assessed on 1 January each year. The annual rates are unknown at this time but information on similar accommodations in the same general area indicate that they will be approximately as follows:

| <u>Type Apartment</u> | <u>Approximate Rate per Year</u> |
|-----------------------|----------------------------------|
| A | French Francs 8,500 (\$24.30) |
| B | " " 10,000 (\$28.50) |
| C | " " 9,000 (\$25.70) |
| D | " " 11,500 (\$32.80) |
| E | " " 16,000 (\$45.70) |

The Policies and Procedures for Assignment of Quarters in Petit Beaugard are covered in US EUCOM Staff Memorandum 62-1. Applications may be made at Accommodations Office, Bldg. 402, Room 4, Tel. 8266.

C. Housing on the French Economy

Renting of houses or apartments from the French is difficult. There are no housing bargains in Paris at the present time. There has been some house and apartment construction but not enough to offset the shortage of living accommodations for the French population plus the influx of persons from other countries who, through their normal occupations, are required to live in Paris.

Private homes can be obtained from time to time in the suburbs of Paris, starting at average rentals of \$150 per month, plus utilities and heating which run about \$50.00 or more per month. Such houses are usually rented furnished. Generally speaking, they are not modern according to our standards. Tenants have difficulties keeping the utilities in order and holding servants who prefer to be in town. Transportation is a problem for personnel living in the suburbs and a car is practically a necessity, even though there is good rail service to many of the surrounding towns.

Usually, houses located outside Paris have a garage and front or back lawns. In nearly every case, apartments are rented furnished. In one case, it might mean four or five rooms containing only the bare essentials and in another case, it might resemble the interior of an antique shop, with pictures, bric-a-brac and objects d'art. Prices for furnished family apartments range from \$150 a month and up with utilities extra. The latter are considerably more expensive than in the United States. Many apartments are available only for short periods of from three to six months. Renting on a monthly basis is the most convenient, of course, though in some instances, landlords demand payments of from three to six months or even a year in advance.

If the apartment is obtained through an agent, there are fees ranging from 50% of one month's rent to 10% of the annual rent. Most apartments have no garage facilities and tenants are therefore obliged to either park outdoors or rent a garage at a cost of approximately 3,000 to 5,000 francs a month.

Hotel rates in Paris vary according to the season, with the higher rates in effect between 15 March and 15 November. Only a few hotels have housekeeping apartments, but prices are so high as to be prohibitive. Most hotels in Paris provide only hotel service, and range in price from 1,000 francs a day single without bath (with bath it is closer to 1,500 francs a day), to just about any price you are willing and able to pay. A double room with bath in a moderate price hotel will cost anywhere from 2,000 to 3,000 francs per day.

D. General Information on Accommodations

- (1) Water in the Paris area is potable.
- (2) Electricity varies from 105 to 115 volts and is 50 cycle.
- (3) Commercial prices for coal run as high as \$50 per ton. Wood and oil may also be purchased on the local market.
- (4) Central heating, when provided, is turned on between 15 October and 1 November and regardless of the weather, is turned off between 15 March and 1 April.
- (5) Bath water is heated by a central hot water system or individual units in bathrooms. There is a charge for all hot water used in most French hotels and apartments.
- (6) The Accommodations Section will assist in obtaining servants. Maids are paid about \$40 a month, cooks and chauffeur somewhat more. Nursemaids are paid from \$40 to \$50 depending upon their experience, languages, etc.
- (7) Servants brought to France from other countries must obtain an identity card plus a work permit from the French Government. The Accommodations Section will render assistance in obtaining these.
- (8) The employer is responsible for paying social security, insurance, and certain other taxes. Altogether, these may average about 15% of the wages paid.

3. ADDRESS FOR PERSONAL MAIL AND LOCAL INTERNATIONAL MAIL

Rank, Name, SN
Hq US EUCOM (Staff Division)
APO 128, US Army
or
APO 128, New York, N.Y.

Rank, Name, SN
Hq US EUCOM (Staff Division)
c/o Postmaster
8 Avenue Kleber
Paris 16, France

4. AMERICAN RED CROSS

A representative of the American Red Cross can be contacted at the Seine Area Command, 2 Rue de la Faisanderie, Paris 16e, Tel: Seine Military, Ext 194. Night Number: ELY 9253 - Mr Willard W Bruce or the MP on duty at Kleber 6915. Red Cross services are also available through the Red Cross Office.

5. BANKING FACILITIES

American Express Company - Bldg 908, Tel: 7008. Hours of operation are 0930 to 1630 hours, Monday through Friday; 0930 to 1200 hours, Saturday.

6. BARBER SHOP

The PX Barber Shop is located in Bldg 908 and is open from 0845 to 1845 hours Monday through Friday, Saturday, 0900 to 1200 hours.

The Officers Barber Shop is located in Room 28, Bldg 204 and is open Monday through Friday from 0845 to 1730. Appointments may be made by calling Ext 7014.

7. BUS SERVICE

Bus schedules are published and distributed monthly by Camp des Loges Transportation Section, Bldg 907, Tel: 8135.

8. CLASS VI STORE

Class VI store is located in Bldg 402. On completion of Bldg 908, it will be located in that building. Hours: 1000 to 1700, Monday through Friday; 1000 to 1200, Saturday.

9. CLEARANCE FROM HEADQUARTERS

All personnel being reassigned from Headquarters US EUCOM will report to the appropriate Service Personnel Section (Personnel Bldg 403) for clearance instructions and forms.

10. COMMISSARIES

The Commissary is located at Bleriot Plant. Hours of Operation are 1000 to 1600 daily except Sundays and holidays. Camp des Loges commissary will be located in Bldg 908 after 1 January 1955. Hours of operation will be published in Daily Bulletin when available.

11. DENTAL SERVICE

The Dental Clinic is located in Bldg 804 - Tel: 97.

12. ENLISTED MEN'S CLUB

The Joint Enlisted Club is located in Bldg 905, Tel: 7243. It is open Tuesday through Friday from 1730 to 2300 hours, Saturday from 1200 to 0100 and Sunday from 1200 to 2300 hours. Food is served until 2200 hours. Special events such as dances, bingo, etc., are announced in the Daily Bulletin.

13. FINANCE SERVICES

The Finance Office is located in Headquarters Bldg, Room A 206, Tel: 7208.

14. FIREARMS REGISTRATION

Application for purchase of firearms are made through the Service Personnel Sections in Bldg 403. Firearms purchased or brought into France must be registered with the Seine Area Command Provost Marshal, Bleriot Plant, Tel: Longchamps 2704. For full information, call Camp des Loges Provost Marshal, Bldg 703, Extension 8267.

15. GARAGE SERVICE

EES Garage Facilities are located at Packard Garage, 13 Quai de Boulogne, Paris. Limited auto accessories are available at the ESSO Station on Camp des Loges Post. Tel: 8260.

16. GASOLINE

POL Books valid at certain ESSO Stations throughout France are sold at the Camp des Loges Post Exchange and the Bleriot Plant Post Exchange. A list of these stations is furnished at the Information Desk and also with the COMZ Drivers Handbook which is furnished at time of car registration. Gasoline over the regular monthly ration may be secured by contacting the Personnel Actions Section, Bldg 403, Rm 3, Tel: 8122.

17. HOUSEHOLD GOODS

Application forms for movement of household goods may be obtained from Personnel Branch, Bldg 403, Rm 6, Tel: 8119.

18. IDENTIFICATION CARDS

A. US ID Cards for Military, DA Civilian Personnel and dependents - contact the appropriate Service Personnel Unit, Bldg 403. Civilian Personnel - contact Civilian Personnel Liaison, SJS (Personnel Branch), Rm 9, Bldg 403.

B. French Identity Cards are required for all dependents over 16 years of age and all Civilian Personnel. These cards must be applied for within 8 days of arrival in France. Contact Accommodations Section, Rm 1, Bldg 402, Tel: 8096.

C. Headquarters US EUCOM IDENTIFICATION CARDS are required for all Military and Civilian Personnel assigned or attached to the headquarters. Newly assigned or attached Personnel must report to the Post Provost Marshal within 5 days of arrival and complete necessary arrangements, Bldg 703, Tel: 7267.

19. LEGAL ASSISTANCE

Seine Area Command. Tel: Seine Military 17. A legal assistant officer is available on Camp des Lignes Post each Tuesday from 1500 to 1600, Rm A200, Headquarters Building.

20. LIBRARY

Post Library is located in Bldg 902. Official Reference Library is located in Headquarters Bldg, Rm C 207.

21. MEDICAL SERVICE

Camp des Lignes Dispensary is located in Bldg 804, Tel: 77. A medical officer will be present at the Post Dispensary between the hours of 0830 to 1730. During the hours of 1730 to 0030, the medical officer on duty at the 61st General Dispensary, 63 Blvd Victor Hugo, Neuilly-sur-Seine, Tel: MAI 0900, will give medical care if needed.

A CQ and ambulance driver will be on duty at the dispensary during hours of 1730 to 0900 to administer first aid or supply transportation. On Sundays and holidays, the Medical Officer of the Day at the 61st General Dispensary will supply medical coverage.

22. MOTION PICTURE THEATER

Located in Bldg 805. Schedules are published in the Daily Bulletin.

23. OFFICIAL RECEPTION BUREAU

Hq US EUCOM Official Reception Bureau is located in Room A-125, Hq Bldg, Tel: 8199.

24. OFFICERS OPEN MESS

Officers Open Mess is located in Bldg 203, Tel: 7213. Special Events are announced in the Daily Bulletin. The following schedule is effective:

Dining Room Hours:

| | | |
|------------|--------------|---------------|
| Breakfast: | 0730 to 0900 | Mon Thru Sat |
| Lunch: | 1130 to 1330 | Mon Thru Sat |
| Dinner: | 1800 to 2100 | Tues Thru Sat |

Sunday: Continuous service from 0830 to 2100 hours.

OFFICERS OPEN MESS (Con'd)

Bar Hours:

1130 to 1330 Mon Thru Fri (Closed Mon Evening)
1700 to 2300 Tues Thru Thurs
1700 to 2400 Friday
1200 to 0100 Sat & nights preceeding holidays
1200 to 2300 Sunday

Hot and cold sandwiches served at bar from 2100 hours 'til closing.

Minors are not permitted in the bar at any time. This does not include the lounge directly opposite the bar. Tel: 7213.

25. PASSPORTS

Renewals, extensions and other actions pertaining to US Passports are handled by SJS (Personnel Br), Room 5, Bldg 403.

26. PET REGISTRATION

Full information on pet registration may be secured from Post Provost Marshal, Room 16, Bldg 703, Tel: 8267.

27. POSTAL SERVICE

The Hq US EUCOM Mail Room is located in Room A-130 Hq Bldg and acts as pick-up and distribution point only, for official and personal mail. No commercial facilities are available at the Hq Mail Room. Commercial postal facilities are available in Bldg 903. Hours of operation are 0900-1600 hours, Monday through Friday; 0900 - 1200 hours, Saturday.

Custom Requirements: Information for mailing of parcels is available at the Hq Mail Room. One or more officers in each division have been designated as certifying officers for customs.

28. PROCESSING OF NEWLY ASSIGNED PERSONNEL

All newly assigned personnel will report to SJS (Personnel Branch) Room 1, Bldg 403, for processing.

29. PX FACILITIES

Temporary PX facilities are located in Bldg 904. Hours of operation are 1130-1800, Monday through Friday; Saturday, 0900-1200. After 1 January 1955, permanent PX facilities at Camp des Loges Post Community Center, to include laundry, dry cleaning, watch and radio repair, beauty shop and QM Clothing Sales will be located in Bldg 908.

30. RELIGIOUS SERVICES

The Chapel is located in Bldg 801. Schedules of Religious Services are announced in the Daily Bulletin. Tel: 7218,

RELIGIOUS SERVICES (Cont'd)

Catholic Sunday Mass: 1000 hours. Confessions 9:15 to 9:50 AM, Sunday. Novena and other services as announced in the Daily Bulletin. Office hours - 1300 to 1700 hours (Phone first)

Protestant Sunday Worship: 1115 hours. Protestant Sunday School at the Post Theater, 1100 hours. Thursday, Bible Study, 1930 hours. Choir rehearsal, 2030 hours. Office hours by appointment Tuesday and Thursday afternoons.

Jewish Friday Services: 1930 hours at Seine Area Command, 2 Rue de la Faisanderie (Metro Porte Dauphine) Paris. Call Chaplain's Office, Tel: 7218 before 1300 hours Friday for transportation.

31. SCHOOLS

US Elementary and high school facilities are available. Located at Garches, approximately 3 miles from Petit Beauregard. Application for enrollment may be secured from Personnel Branch, SJS, Bldg 403, Room 6, Tel: 8119 or 8120.

32. STATION PER DIEM ALLOWANCES as Per CURRENT JTR and/or CPR

A. Quarters portion.

(1) Officers with dependents in Paris may live in Petit Beauregard or on the French economy. In either case, they are entitled to their statutory quarters allowance and to the quarters portion of the Station Allowance. The Quarters Portion of the Station Allowance for personnel occupying U.S. Rental Guarantee Housing (Petit Beauregard) is approximately 1/2 of the similar allowance for personnel living on the French economy.

(2) Enlisted Men with dependents in Paris may live in Petit Beauregard or on the French economy. In either case, they are entitled to commutation in lieu of quarters and to the quarters portion of the station per diem allowance. The Quarters Portion of the Station Allowance for personnel occupying U.S. Rental Guarantee Housing (Petit Beauregard) is approximately 1/2 of the similar allowance for personnel living on the French economy.

(3) Enlisted Men with dependents not in Paris will live in barracks at Camp des Loges. They are entitled to commutation in lieu of quarters provided their dependents are not occupying government quarters elsewhere. They are not entitled to any station per diem allowance.

(4) Enlisted Men without dependents will live in barracks at Camp des Loges. They are not entitled to commutation in lieu of quarters or station per diem allowances.

(5) Civilian personnel with dependents in Paris may live in Petit Beauregard or on the French economy. In either case, they are entitled to reimbursement as prescribed in current civilian personnel regulations.

(6) Civilian personnel with dependents not in Paris may live in the BOQ at Camp des Loges, or if BOQ space is not available, on the French economy. If living in the BOQ, they are not entitled to quarters allowance. If living on the French economy, they are entitled to reimbursement as prescribed in current CPR's provided their dependents are not occupying government quarters elsewhere.

(7) Civilian personnel without dependents may live in the BOQ at Camp des Loges, or, if BOQ space is not available, on the French economy. If living in the BOQ, they are not entitled to quarters allowance. If living on the French economy, they are entitled to reimbursement as prescribed in current CPR's.

B. Subsistence Portion

(1) Officers with or without dependents, in addition to the subsistence allowance of \$47.88 per month, are entitled to the subsistence portion of the appropriate station per diem allowance.

(2) Enlisted personnel with dependents in Paris, in addition to the basic subsistence allowance for Enlisted Men authorized to mess separately (\$1.05 per day), are entitled to the subsistence portion of the appropriate station per diem allowance.

(3) Enlisted personnel with dependents not in Paris will eat in a government mess at Camp des Loges and will not be entitled to any type of subsistence allowance.

(4) Enlisted personnel without dependents will eat in government mess at Camp des Loges and will not be entitled to any type of subsistence allowance.

(5) Civilian personnel with or without dependents are entitled to a post allowance in accordance with current civilian personnel regulations.

C. Increased Station Per Diem Allowance

(1) Officers are entitled to an increased Station Per Diem Allowance of \$14.00 in lieu of Station Per Diem Allowance if required to provide temporary lodgings other than government quarters for themselves or their dependents. It is payable for the first 45 days after PCS or until permanent lodgings are secured whichever is sooner.

(2) Enlisted Personnel who do not have their dependents present in Paris will live in barracks at Camp des Loges and will not be entitled to an increased Station Per Diem Allowance.

(3) Enlisted Personnel who have their dependents in Paris are entitled to an increased Station Per Diem Allowance of \$14.00 (less the amount of any basic allowances for subsistence to which they may be otherwise entitled) in lieu of Station Per Diem Allowance if required to provide temporary lodging other than government quarters for their dependents. The increased Station Per Diem Allowance is payable for the first 45 days after PCS or until permanent lodgings are secured, whichever is sooner.

(4) Civilians: There is no provision for payment of an increased Station Per Diem Allowance to civilians.

33. TAXES

A. French Taxes

(1) United States Armed Forces are stationed in France in the common defense effort pursuant to the North Atlantic Treaty. The legal status of these forces is controlled by another treaty, the NATO Status of Forces Agreement of 19 June 1951, which has been ratified by the United States and France. Accordingly, U.S. Personnel are obligated to abide by its provisions.

(2) The specific articles of the NATO Status of Forces Agreement which deal with the obligation of U.S. military and civilian personnel and their dependents stationed in France for the payment of certain French taxes are as follows:

ART. II. "It is the duty of a force and its civilian component and the members thereof as well as their dependents to respect the law of the receiving State..... It is also the duty of the sending State to take necessary measures to that end."

ART. IX. "Neither a force, nor a civilian component, nor the members thereof, nor their dependents, shall by reason of this Article enjoy any exemption from taxes or duties relating to purchases and services chargeable under the fiscal regulations of the receiving State." (para 8)

ART. X. "Where the legal incidence of any form of taxation in the receiving State depends upon residence or domicile, periods during which a member of a force or civilian component is in the territory of that State by reason solely of his being a member of such force or civilian component shall not be considered as periods of residence therein, or as creating a change of residence or domicile, for the purposes of such taxation. Members of a force or civilian component shall be exempt from taxation in the receiving State on the salary and emoluments paid to them as such members by the sending State or on any tangible movable property the presence of which in the receiving State is due solely to their temporary presence there." (para 1)

"Nothing in this Article shall prevent taxation of a member of a force or civilian component with respect to any profitable enterprise, other than his employment as such member, in which he may engage in the receiving State, and, except as regards his salary and emoluments and the tangible movable property referred to in paragraph 1, nothing in this Article shall prevent taxation to which, even if regarded as having his residence or domicile outside the territory of the receiving State, such member is liable under the law of that State." (para 2)

ART. XI. "Members of a force or civilian component may import temporarily free of duty their private motor vehicles for the personnel use of themselves and their dependents. There is no obligation under this Article to grant exemption from taxes payable in respect of the use of roads by private vehicles." (para 6)

(3) U.S. Military personnel in France may receive bills for the following taxes: Contribution Mobiliere; taxes des prestations; tax vicinale; des chiens; d'habitation; radio (television) tax; and miscellaneous local taxes.

This letter is designed to explain briefly those taxes and to define further the obligation for payment thereof by U.S. military personnel (which term for the purpose of this letter includes DA civilian employees and dependents and Continental Wage Scale personnel).

a. Contribution Mobiliere.

1. This is a general revenue tax for the benefit of municipalities and departments levied upon the occupancy of a dwelling.

2. It has been decided, based on statements in 1951 by the drafters of the NATO Status of Forces Agreement, that the treaty affords no basis for exemption from the contribution mobiliere or from taxes "levied on occupied premises."

3. The tax is assessed as of 1 January each year for that entire year; however, bills are generally not received until several months later. Therefore, if a dwelling occupied on 1 January is later vacated, arrangements should be made with the new tenant or the landlord for the apportionment of the tax, whether a tax bill has already been received or not. Likewise, if a dwelling is initially occupied after 1 January of a given year, the tenant is not responsible for the contribution mobiliere for that year unless liability therefor is assumed by agreement.

4. Each dwelling is assessed as though it were unfurnished, and a basic rental value (loyer ficticiel) is ascertained. Of importance is that the basic rental value of the dwelling should in no case under French law (Art. 1636. Code General des Impots), exceed the basic rental value as of 1 September 1948. The tax rate, however, may vary from year to year. Therefore, if an individual bill for the contribution mobiliere seems high, inquiry should be made of the Inspecteur, whose name and address appear on the reverse side of the tax bill, in particular to determine what basic rental value was used in 1948. If he refuses such information or if such value is below that appearing on the tax bill, the Staff Judge Advocate concerned should be advised.

5. There may be entitlement to reduction in this tax by reason of dependents living with U.S. personnel. The money saving may be small and varies in each community. To take advantage of this allowance, consult the Tax Assessor of the town, if possible, between 1 and 15 September, or see the Inspecteur before paying the tax.

6. If a number of families occupy one dwelling, ie, a chateau, it should be considered a single dwelling, if there is a community dining facility. If the chateau is divided into complete apartments, separate taxes may be imposed.

b. Taxe des Prestations

1. The Taxe des Prestations is designed to cover the cost of maintaining local roads. It is levied upon each inhabitant or head of a family, in his status of property owner, inscribed on the direct tax rolls, and on each automobile or other vehicle utilized by the family.

2. Several questions which cast doubt on the obligation of US personnel to pay this tax have been referred to higher headquarters for resolution.

tion. Until definite instructions are received from the Department of Defense any payment of this tax should be accompanied by advice in writing to the Precepteur named on the reverse side of the tax bill, that it is paid "under protest" (payee sous reserve),

c. Taxe Vicinale

The Taxe Vicinale may be levied as an addition to, and when imposed is generally billed together with the contribution mobiliere. There is therefore no exemption from its payment.

d. Taxe de Chiens

1. This is a minor tax (in towns of less than 50,000 inhabitants, 150 francs per pet and hunting dog, 30 francs for other dogs; in cities of 250,000 population, 230 francs and 80 francs; and in cities over 250,000 300 francs and 100 francs.)

2. It is a general revenue tax based on dogs owned on 1 January of each year. Although designated a "compulsory tax" (Art. 1495, Code mentioned in para 3a(2), above, or that it is a tax on a service. Accordingly, there is no obligation on the part of the U.S personnel to pay this tax.

e. Miscellaneous Local Taxes

French law allows towns to levy at their option a variety of local taxes such as:

1. Garbage Disposal. This is an obligation of US personnel if in the place where levied public garbage disposal service is rendered and supported by means of this tax.

2. Sewers. This is a tax on the real property owner, not the tenant, and consequently need not be paid by US personnel who do not own such real property.

3. Taxe d'habitation. This is another tax imposed on occupants of premises. It falls within para 3a(2) above. US personnel are, therefore, liable for this tax: It may be assessed in lieu of the "contribution mobiliere" or in addition thereto, depending on the tax laws of the locality.

4. Certain musical instruments. This is not related to a service and need not be paid by US Personnel.

5. Servants. This is not related to a municipal or governmental service and need not be paid by US personnel.

6. Road Sweeping. This is a tax on the owner of the real property bordering on the road, and not on the tenant, and consequently need not be paid by US personnel who do not own such real property.

(4) Provision may be made in lease of premises for the landlord to assume to pay the contribution mobiliere and any other tax assessable upon the

tenant as such. A typical lease clause would be:

"M. _____, the landlord, assumed the payment of the contribution mobiliere, taxe des prestations, tax vicinale and taxe d'habitation assessed against Captain _____ by virtue of his tenancy in this property."

(5) The radio (television) tax is a "use tax" imposed annually for the benefit of Radiodiffusion Francaise upon individuals who possess radio receiving sets in France. The present amount of the tax is 1275 francs. In general only one tax is imposable, regardless of the number of radios an individual possesses. However, there is some doubt as to whether this is true in the case of an automobile radio. The owner is required to file a declaration and make payment at the Post Office. If the set is purchased in a French store, a declaration is then made and a tax paid. It has been decided that US personnel are liable for this tax.

34. TRAVEL AGENCIES

Transportation for Official Travel: Arrangements for Official Travel utilizing commercial carriers will be completed by Personnel Branch, SJS, Bldg 403, Rm 5, Tel: 8124.

American Express Travel Agency is located in Room A-201, Hq Bldg, Tel: 7013. Hours of operation are 0930 - 1630, Monday through Friday; Saturday, 0930 - 1200.

35. TELEPHONE SERVICE

Unofficial Telephone Service:

A. The Headquarters Services Branch, Joint Support Group, has made arrangements for outgoing personal telephone service from Camp des Loges for all individuals stationed on the Post. Warrant Officers, enlisted grades, 5, 6, 7 and D/A Civilians are eligible for this service on payment of a registration fee. Eligible individuals desiring to register should report directly to Headquarters Service Branch, Bldg 402, Room 1, to fill out required forms.

B. Procedure. Individuals registered with the Personal Services, Camp des Loges, may place calls from a Class "X" telephone on the Post or any registered Class "B" phones by dialing "O". They will be required to give their telephone number, name, rank, serial and account number. This will be checked against a listing of all registered telephones by the operator. The operator will keep a record of and list all calls. The listed calls will be billed once monthly and will be payable three days after delivery date, Sunday and Holidays excluded. Payment should be made to the Headquarters Services Branch, Bldg 402, Room 1.

C. Personnel not registered, may book outgoing calls only, from designated telephones at the Officer's Mess, Enlisted Club and such other telephones as may be designated later. Charges for calls booked at attended stations will be payable immediately after completion. The operator will notify the attendant of charges for such calls.

36. UNIFORM REGULATIONS

Uniform Regulations for personnel of Headquarters US EUCOM are published in Staff Memoranda and/or Daily Bulletin. In general, uniform regulations as prescribed by CINCUSAREUR, CINCUSAFE AND CINCNELM.

37. VEHICLE REGISTRATION AND OPERATORS LICENSE

A. Camp des Loges vehicle registration must be accomplished at Post Provost Marshall's Office within five days of arrival on the Post.

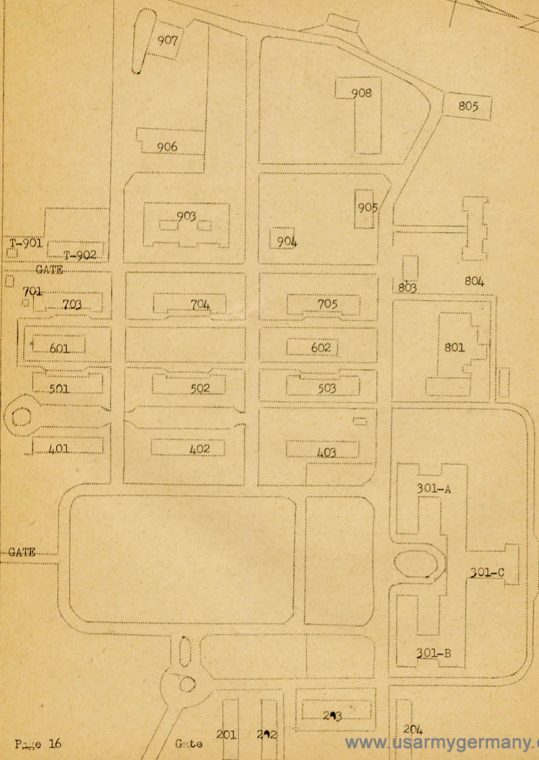
B. COMZ Registration with CF Plates is mandatory within 30 days of arrival of the vehicle.

C. All persons operating vehicles must have a valid USAREUR COM Z Operator's license.

D. Complete information on these matters is available from the Post Provost Marshall, Room 16, Bldg 703, Tel: 7236.

| <u>BUILDING</u> | <u>ACTIVITY</u> |
|-----------------|---|
| 201 | BOQ |
| 202 | BOQ |
| 203 | Officers' Open Mess |
| 204 | BOQ (transient) |
| 301 | Headquarters US EUCOM |
| 401 | EM Billet |
| 402 | EM Billet (Accommodations and Temporary Class VI Store) |
| 403 | Personnel Branch, JJS; Personnel Sections, USA, USN, USAF |
| 501 | EM Billet |
| 502 | EM Billet |
| 503 | Communications Building |
| 601 | Swimming Pool - EM |
| 602 | Swimming Pool - Officers |
| 703 | EM Billet - Security Detachment and Provost Marshal's Office |
| 801 | EM Mess (West Side), Chapel (East Wing) |
| 804 | Dispensary and Dental Clinic |
| 805 | Theatre |
| 902 | Library |
| 903 | EM Billet (APO and American Express Co - North End) |
| 904 | Fire Station (Temporary PX, Barber Shop, Laundry and Dry Cleaning Pickup point) |
| 905 | Joint Enlisted Club |
| 906 | Warehouse |
| 907 | Motor Pool |
| 908 | PX and Shopping Ctr, Commissary, Class VI Store |
| 1001 | Post Engineer |

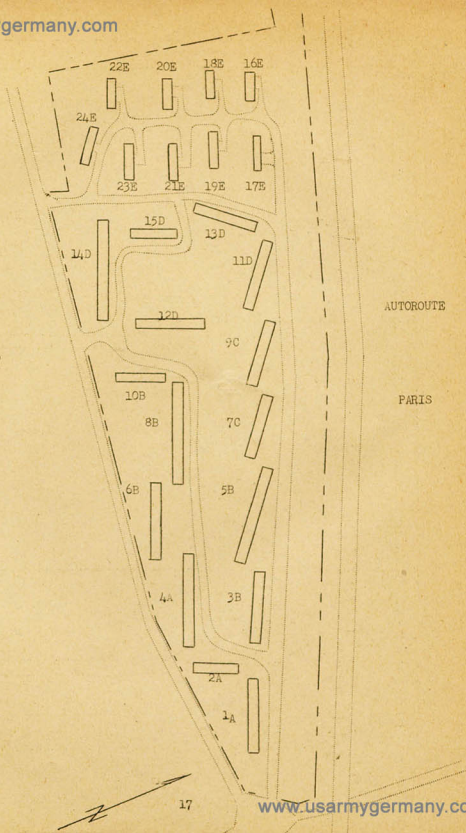
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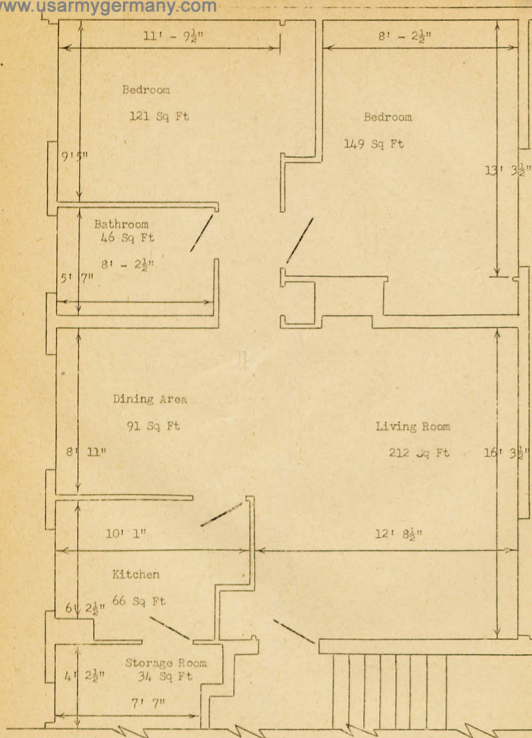


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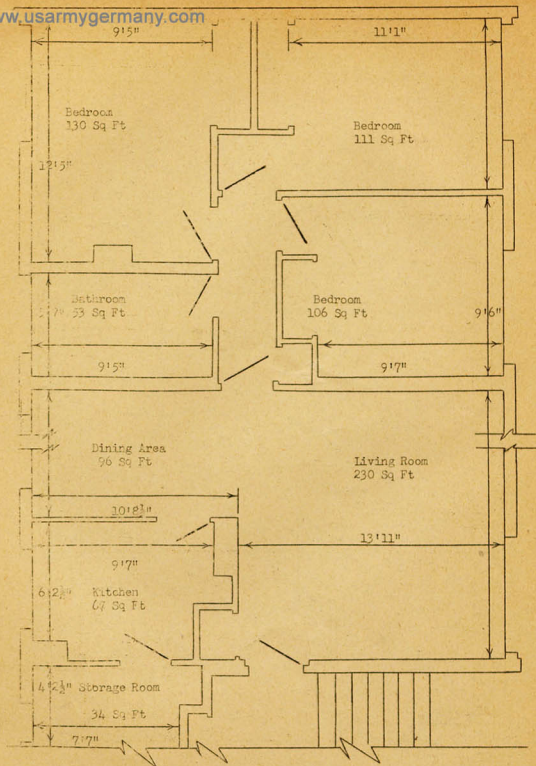
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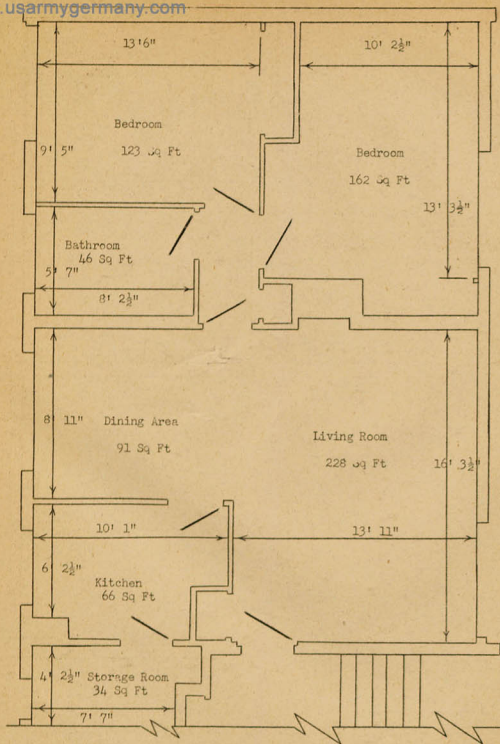


TYPE "A" APARTMENT

TOTAL 742 Sq Feet RENT \$102.50 Per Month

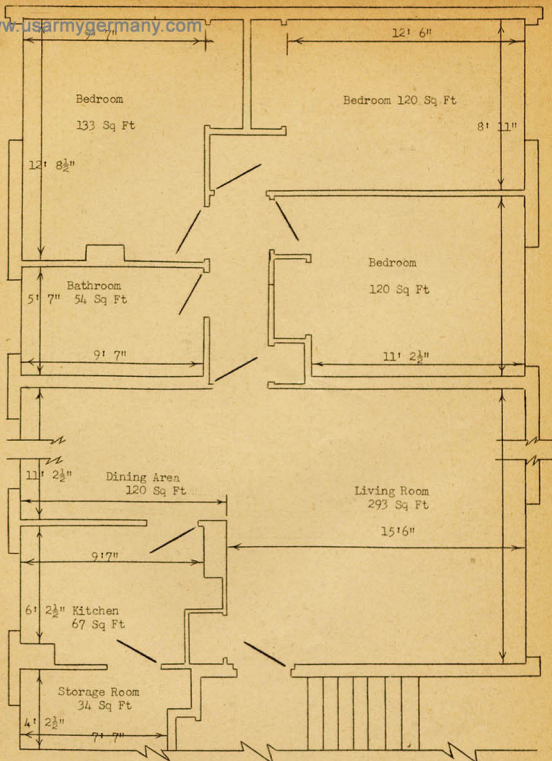


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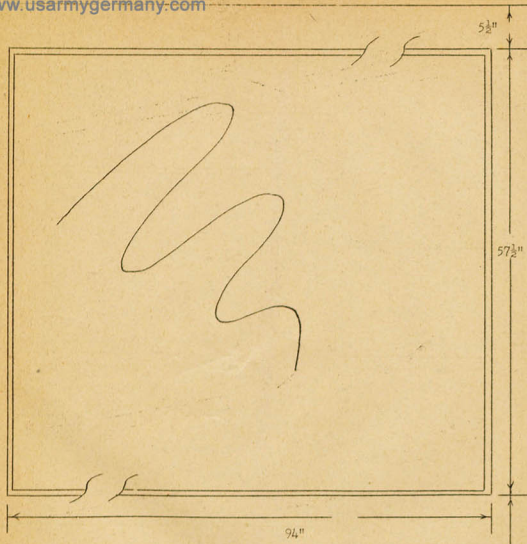
TYPE C APARTMENT

TOTAL 773 Square Feet RENT \$107.50 Per Month



TYPE D APARTMENT

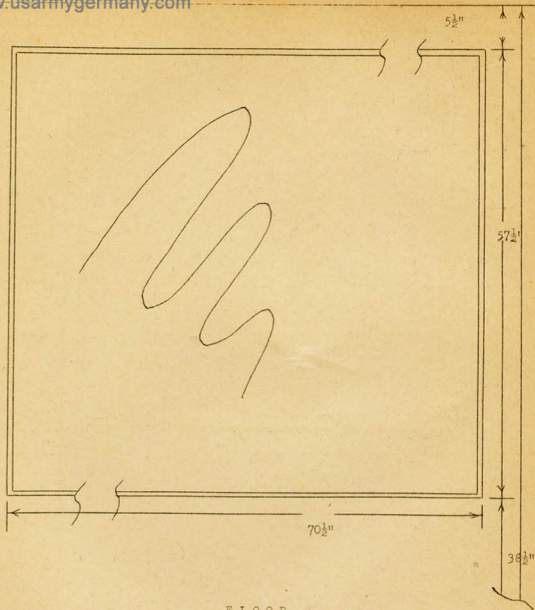
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FLOOR
LIVING AND DINING ROOM WINDOWS

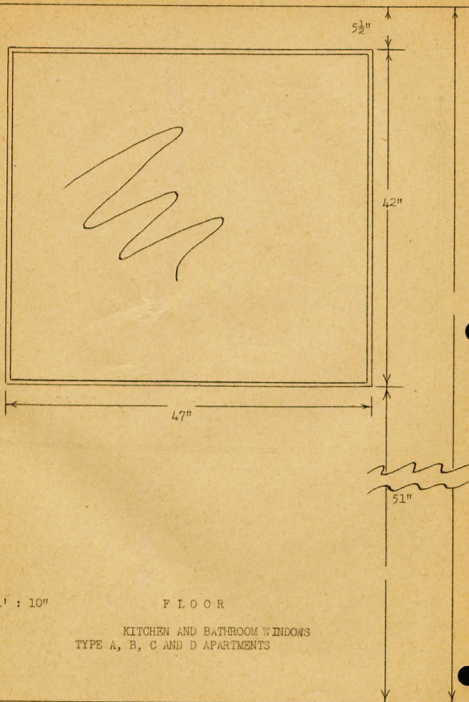
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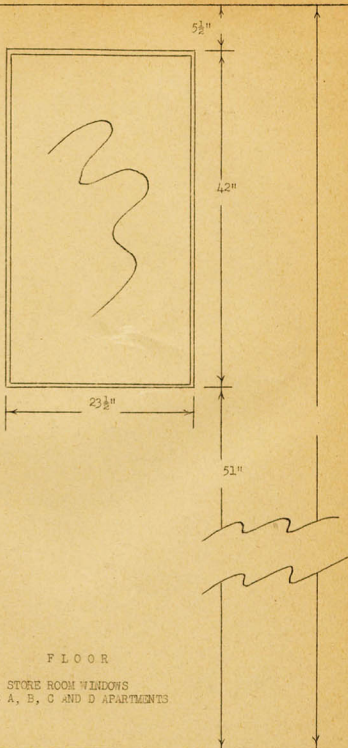
Bedroom Windows, Type A, B, C and D Apartments
Living and Dining Room Windows, Type A, B and C Apartments



SCALE 1' : 10"

FLOOR

KITCHEN AND BATHROOM WINDOWS
TYPE A, B, C AND D APARTMENTS



SCALE 1' : 10"

FLOOR

STORE ROOM WINDOWS
TYPE A, B, C AND D APARTMENTS