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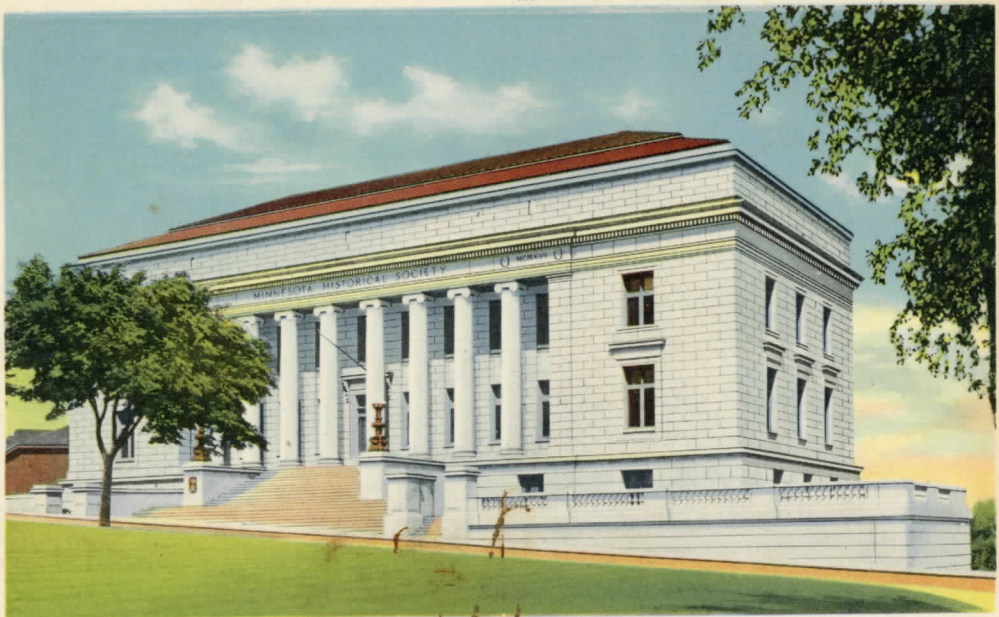
MINNESOTA HISTORICAL BUILDING



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Dramatic Moments in Saint Paul's Yesterday

1805—A log fur trading hut in the wilderness was chosen by Lieutenant Zebulon M. Pike, under orders to "proceed with all possible diligence up the Mississippi," as the logical site for a military outpost.

1820—Land was purchased from the Indians on which Fort Snelling, the first military reservation in the Northwest, was built and named after Colonel Snelling, gallant commander.

1841—The future city of Saint Paul was marked by a crude chapel dedicated by Father Galtier to "Saint Paul, apostle of nations".

1850—Just after the establishment of Minnesota Territory in 1849, Saint Paul was represented by a colony of white people and was already a center of transportation and a thriving commercial river port.

1858—Minnesota was admitted to the Union and Saint Paul was acknowledged the capital, center of legislation and government as well as of trade and distribution.

1884—Saint Paul had reached the 100,000 population mark.

1930—Population 271,606.

1931—As it has built soundly and wisely in the past, Saint Paul builds for the future. A private and public building program totalling in excess of $50,000,000 has materially changed the skyline and the complexion of the downtown district. At the same time improvements in the already extensive park system have aided greatly in beautifying the residential districts.

1936—Population 283,835.

★ SAINT PAUL TODAY ★

Saint Paul in the heart of the Land of Lakes is the capital city of Minnesota, a city whose history teems with

from one of the eminences upon which Saint Paul is situated. Nearly fourteen years the builders worked on

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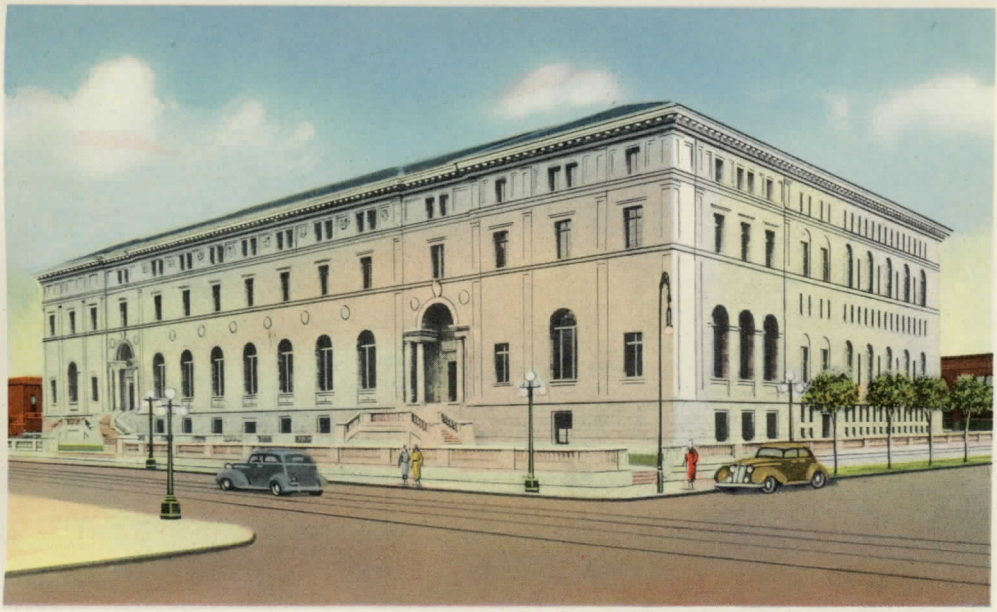

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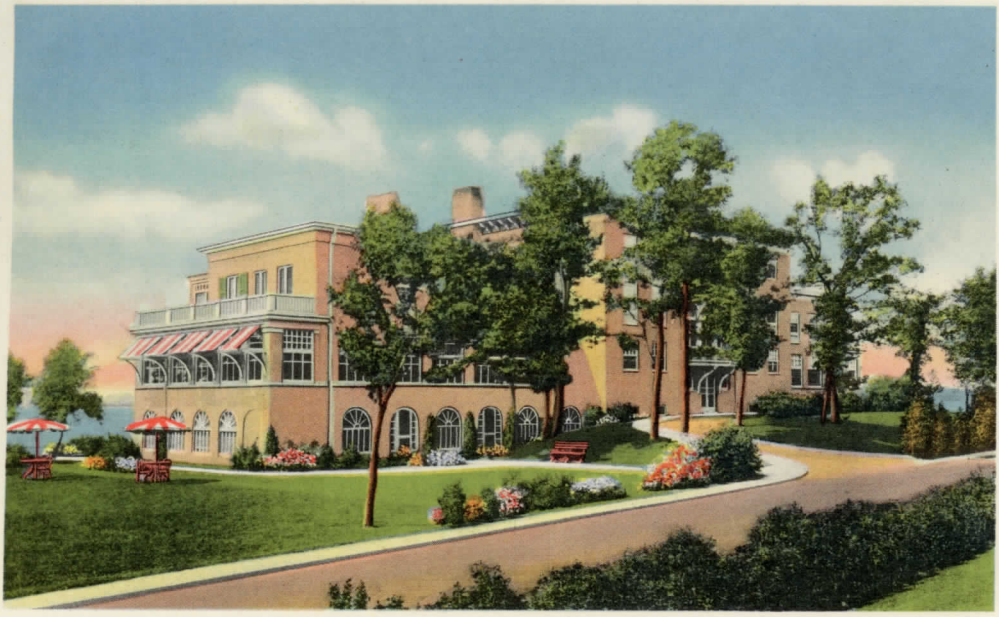

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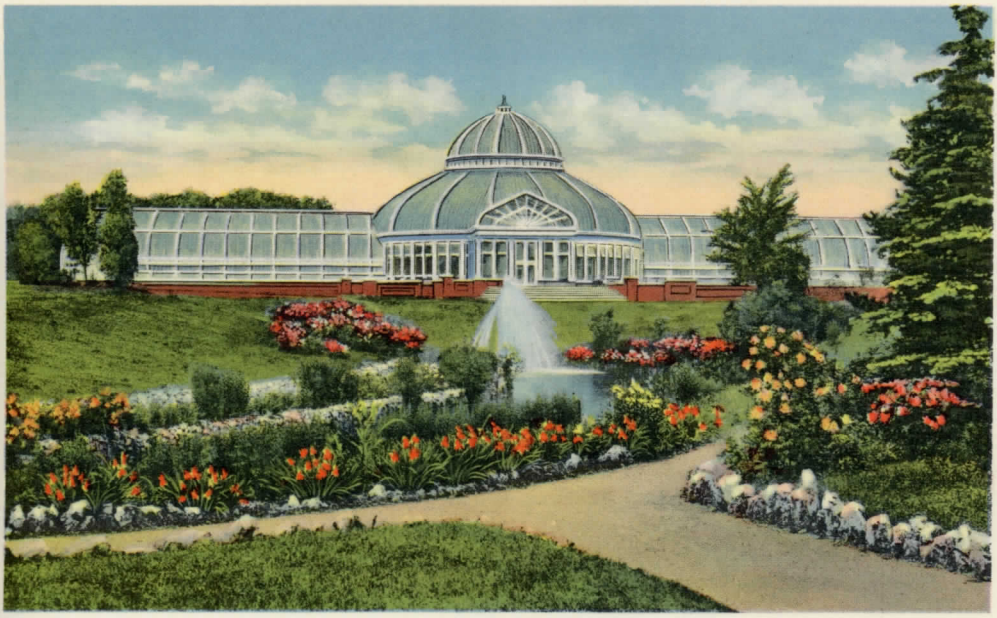

FORMAL GARDENS, COMO PARK

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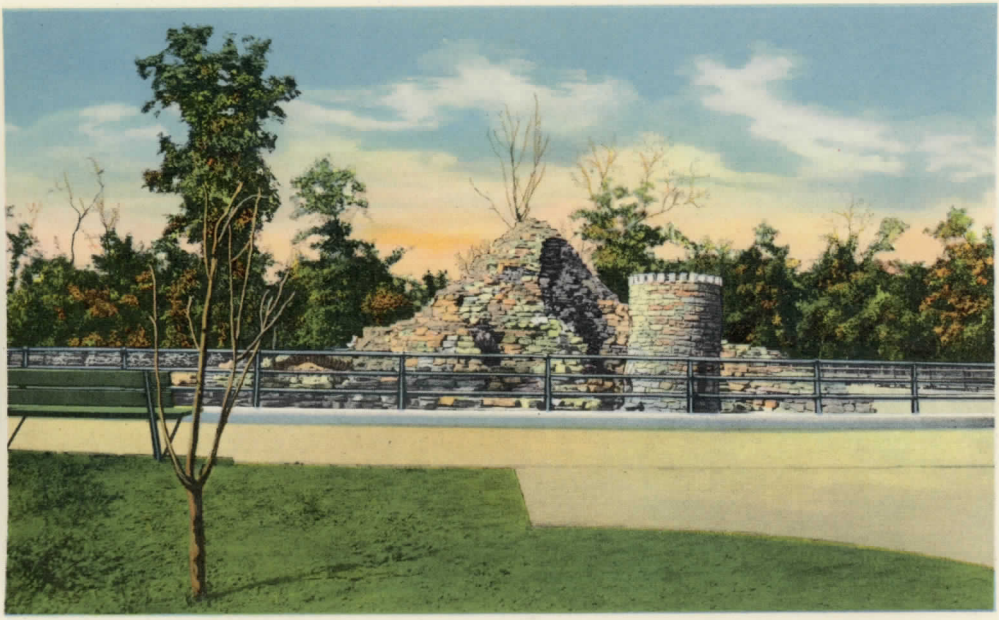
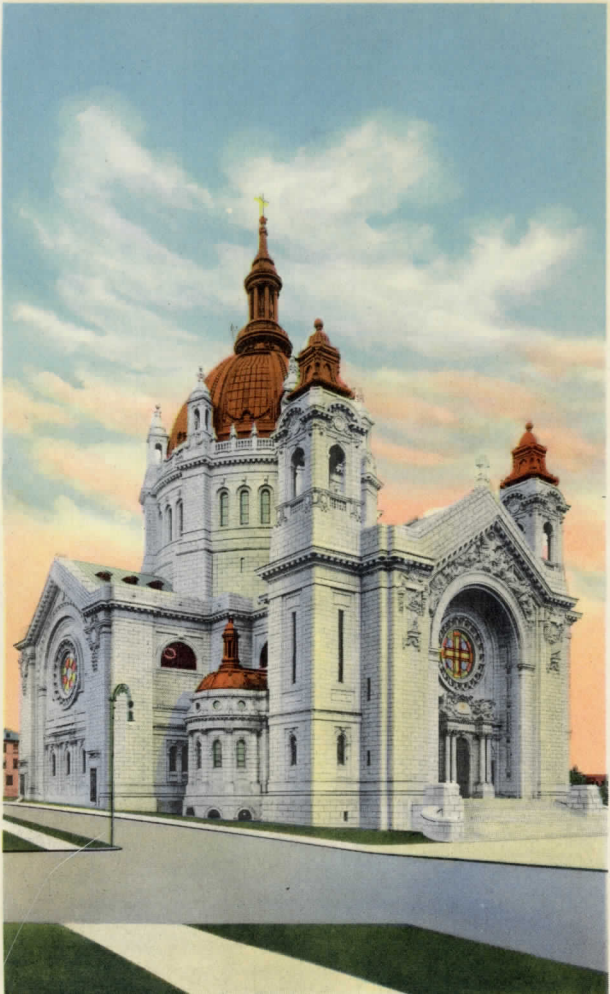
INDIAN MOUNDS PARK

MONKEY ISLAND, COMO PARK



SCENE IN PHALEN PARK

ST. PAUL CATHEDRAL



MISSISSIPPI RIVER AND ST. PAUL SKYLINE

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AEROPLANE VIEW SHOWING MINNESOTA STATE CAPITOL, STATE OFFICE BUILDING

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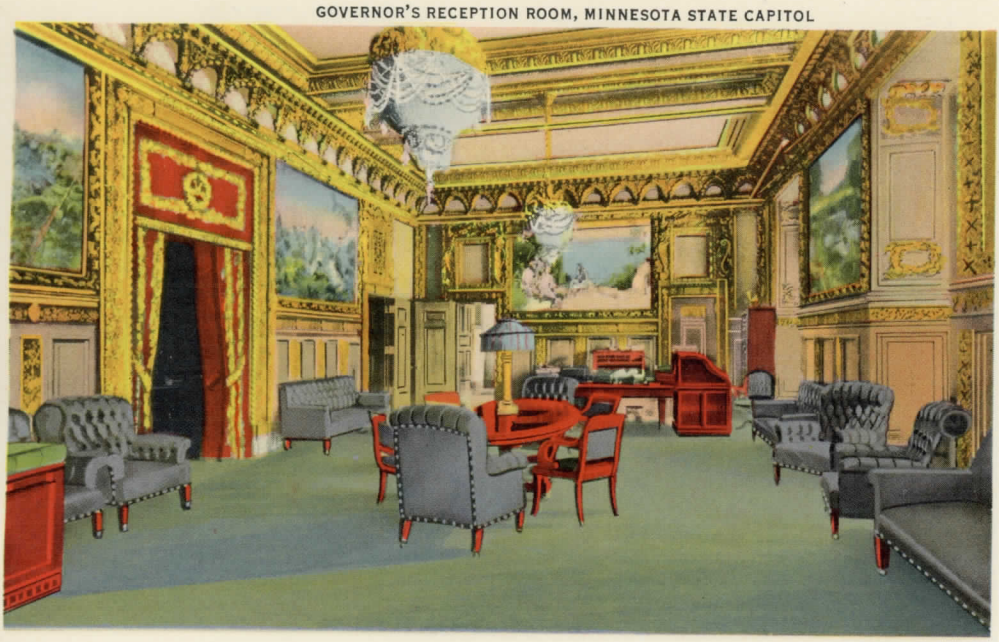
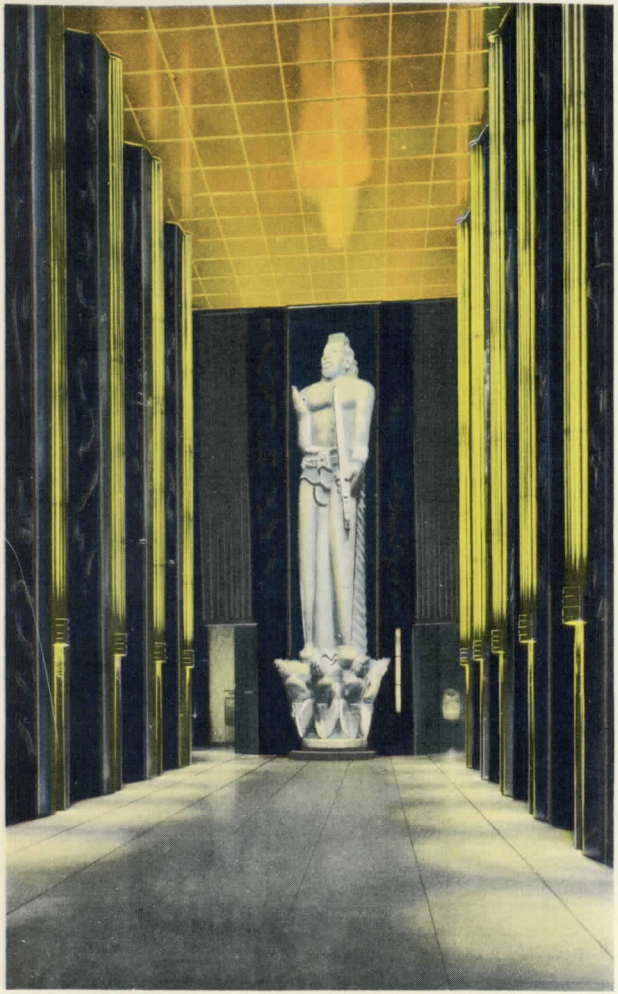
GOVERNOR'S RECEPTION ROOM, MINNESOTA STATE CAPITOL



ST. PAUL CITY HALL AND RAMSEY COUNTY COURT HOUSE

CARL MILLES' INDIAN STATUE "PEACE"



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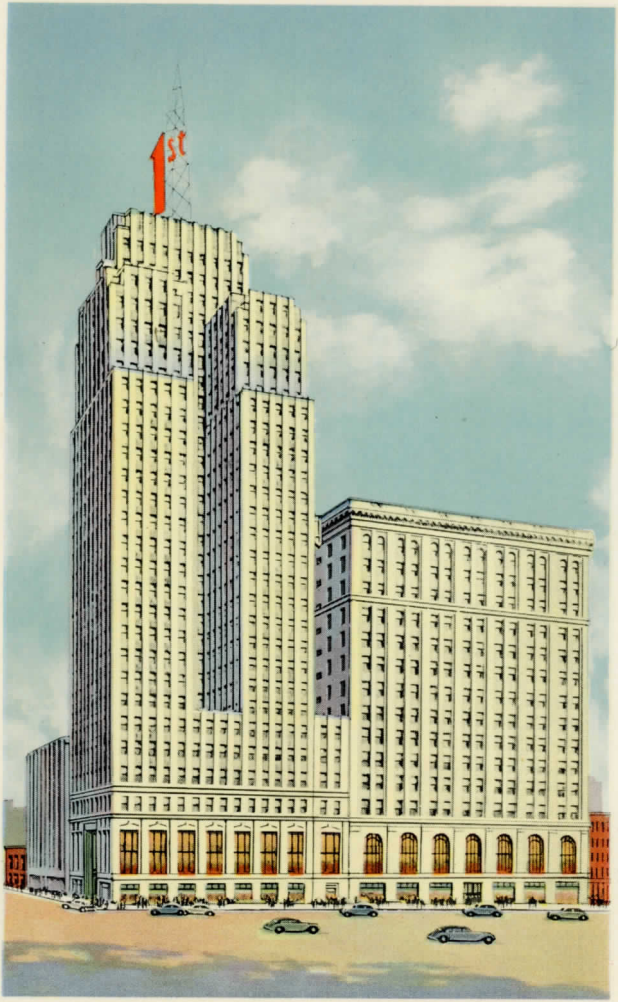
THE FIRST NATIONAL BANK BUILDING



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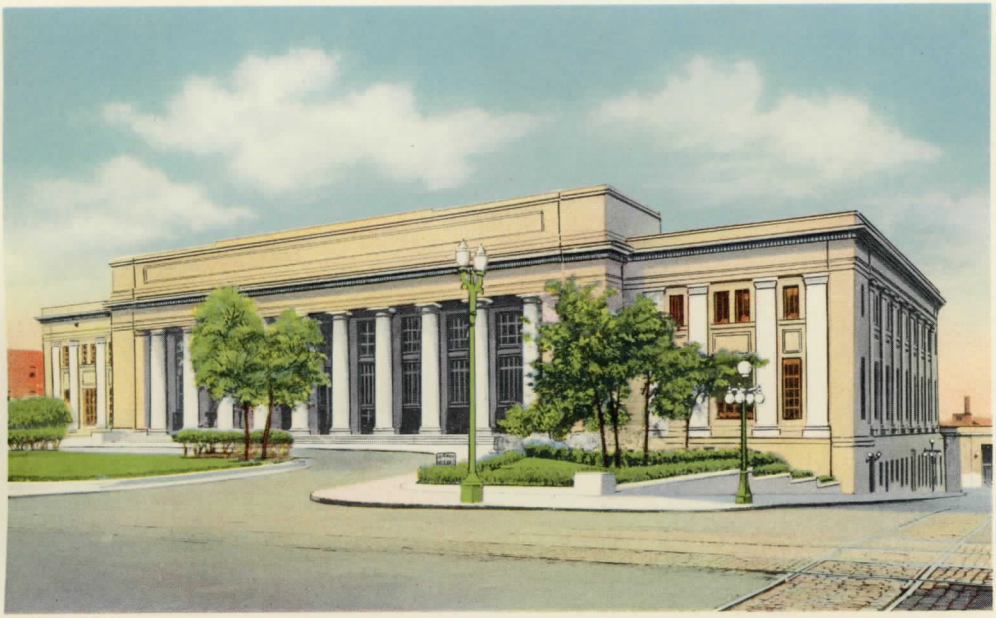

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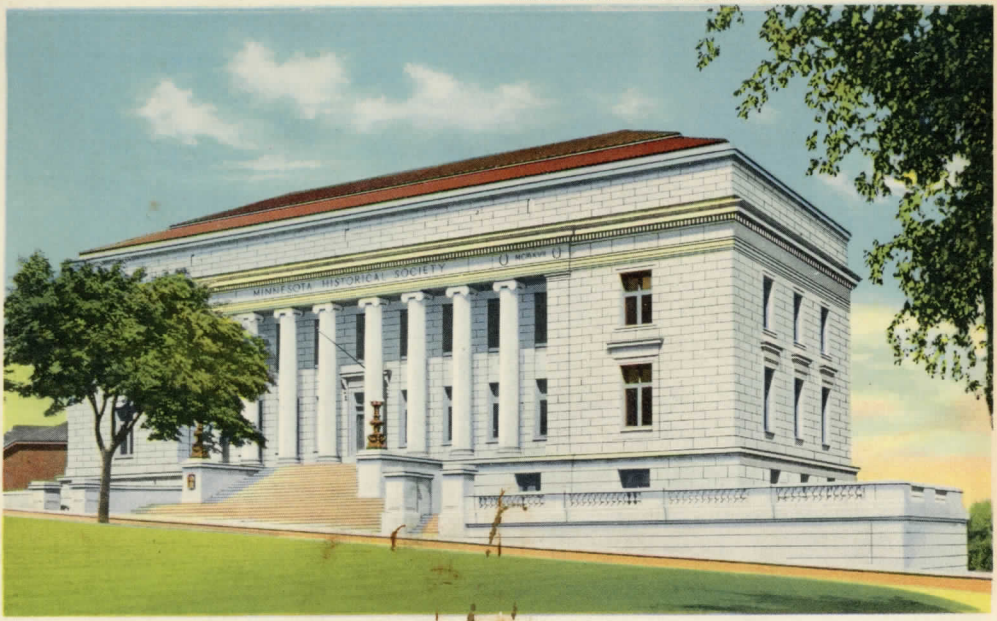

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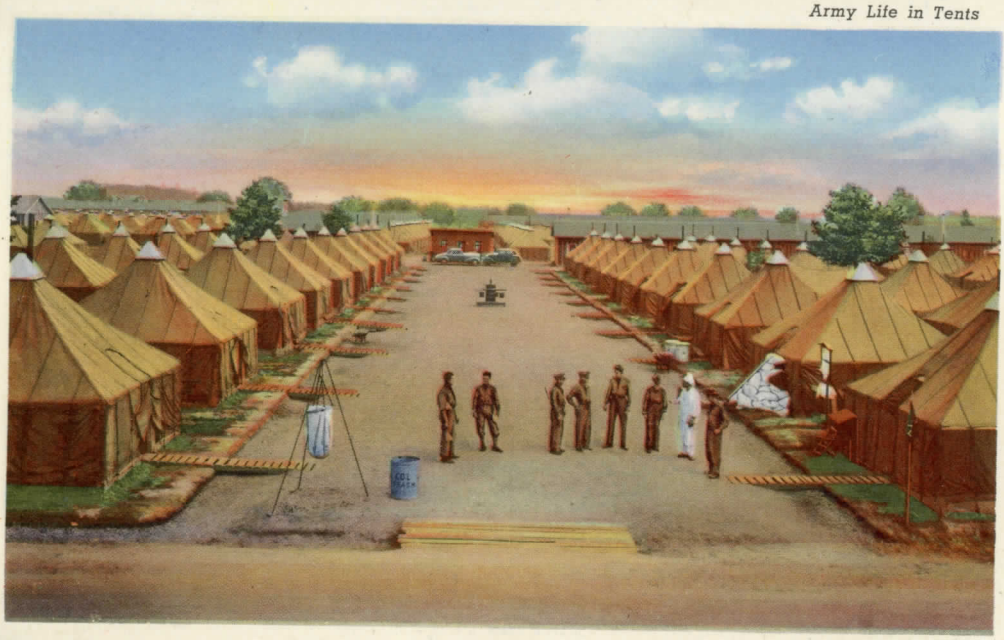
THE U. S. ARMY — *Its Branches of Service*

Infantry

The basic arm is the Infantry, the foot soldiery of the army. Armed with rifles and other automatic weapons of small caliber, the Infantry forms the nucleus of the plan of battle. With the growing emphasis on speed, this unit has been streamlined for greater effectiveness and mobility. Though they necessarily depend upon marching, the increased use of motor carriers makes possible the quick transportation of large numbers of men over long distances.

Army Life in Tents



"On the March"

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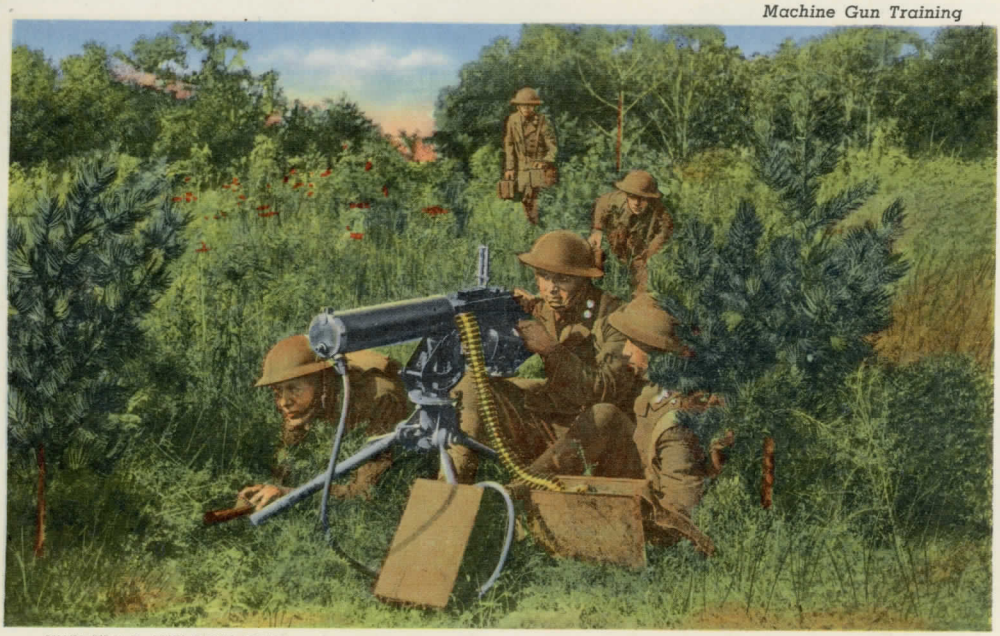
At the Rifle Range

Machine Gun Training



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U. S. Infantry

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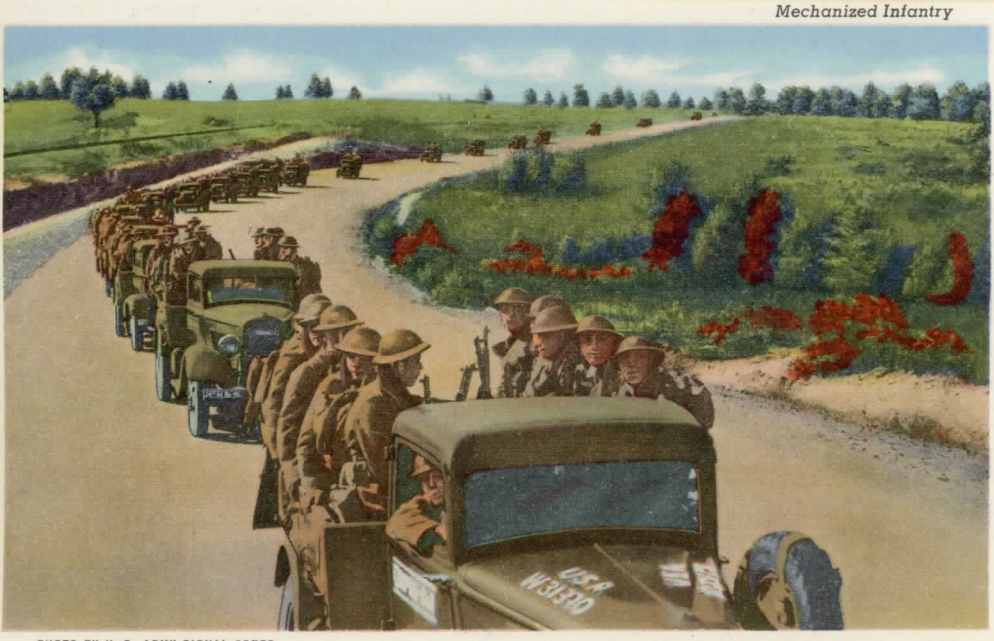
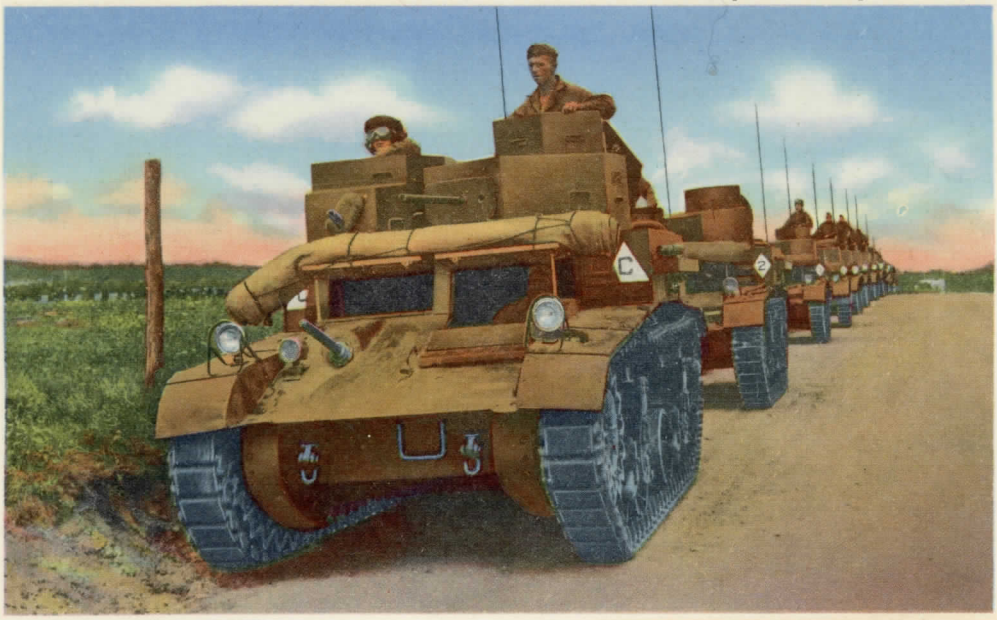
Mechanized Infantry



Infantry Tanks Ready for Action



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Field Artillery Firing under Camouflage

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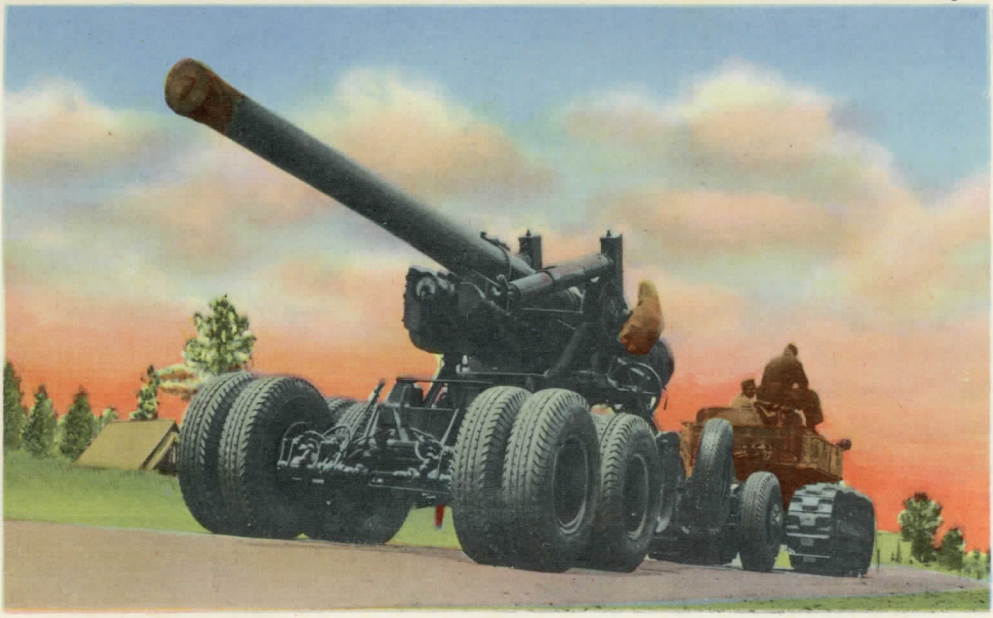
155 mm. Gun, Field Artillery



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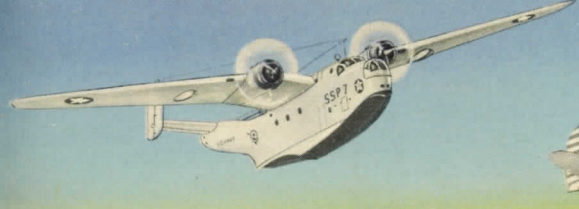

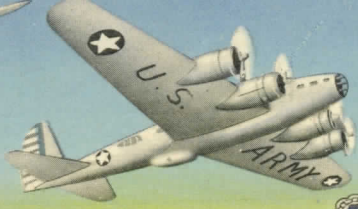

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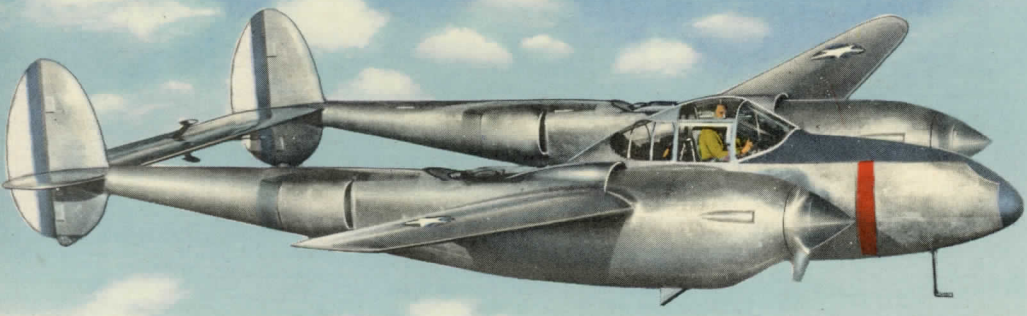

LIGHTNING INTERCEPTOR

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PARACHUTE TROOPS

Airplane Listening Post and Giant Searchlights

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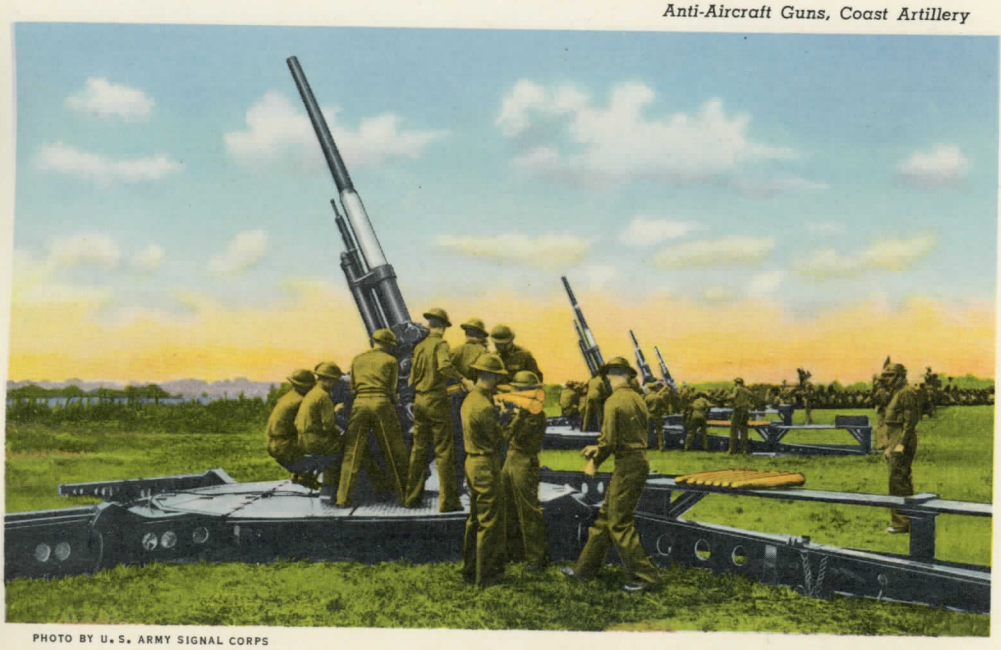
Anti-Aircraft Guns, Coast Artillery



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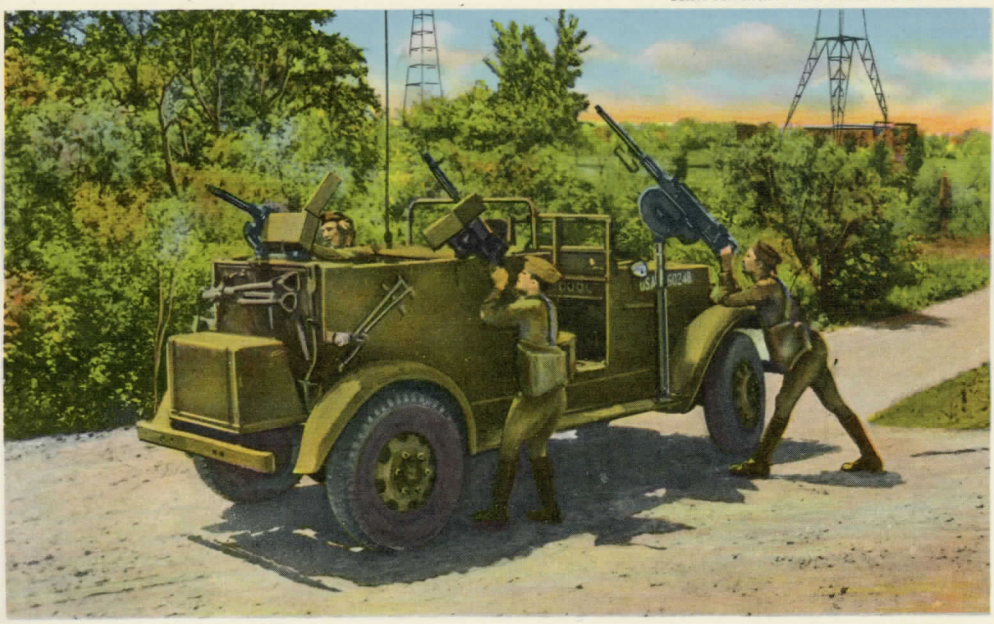
Anti-Aircraft Fire from Scout Car



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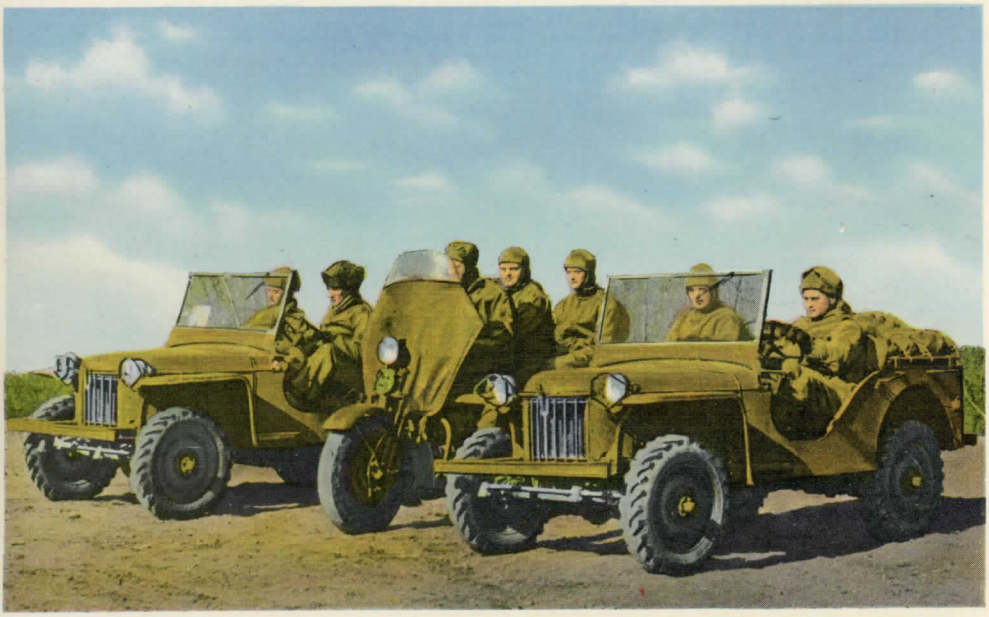
Bantam Cars, U. S. Armored Division



Tanks, U. S. Armored Division

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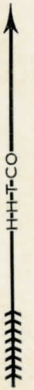

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