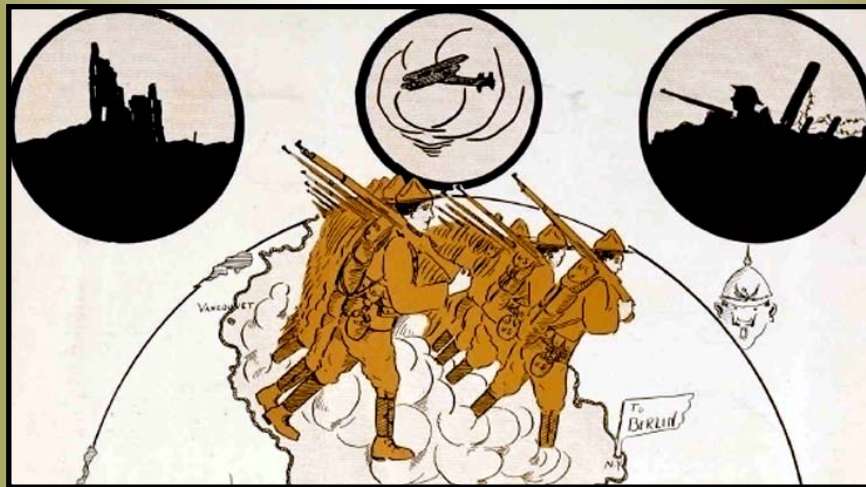


## The Lower Columbia Veterans Coalition Celebrates the Vancouver Barracks



**WHEN:** On 10 August, 2019, from 10 AM to 6 PM, at the Artillery Barracks, at 600 E Hatheway Rd., Vancouver, WA 98661

**WHAT:** The LCVC will have a fashion show of military uniforms and civilian clothing over time, on the north porch of the Artillery Barracks. We will also have historic vehicle displays and artifact and equipment displays inside. This event will end with a song concert highlighting the end of World War I and the Suffrage Movement.

**WHO:** The fashion show and inside displays are open to the public. There is a requested donation of \$10 to attend the song concert. Come see and participate!

**Historic Displays:** There will be displays of military vehicles and equipment supplied by Lower Columbia Veterans Coalition members, the Vancouver Barracks Military Association, Combat Veterans International, and the Buffalo Soldiers.

**Fashion Show:** There will be a fashion show from various times and themes. Models will do a ‘cat walk’ across the Back Porch of the Artillery Barracks, with a narrative of their clothing and the time period. This includes, the Civil War Era, Buffalo Soldiers and the American Frontier, World War I, World War II & Korea, and the Vietnam War. Much of the clothing is being modeled by members of the Edwardian Society of Oregon as well as private owners.

### **Schedule for the 10th of August**

Military Equipment Displays 10:00 AM—4:00 PM Inside Artillery Barracks

Military Vehicle Displays 11:00 AM—4:00 PM N. Side Artillery Bks

#### **Civil War (1861—1865)**

Civil War Clothing 11:00 – 11:20 AM N. Porch Artillery Bks

Civil War Weapons 11:20 – 11:40 AM Inside Artillery Bks

#### **Frontier Army (1866—1890s)**

Buffalo Soldiers Clothing 11:50 AM – 12:10 PM N. Porch Artillery Bks

Buffalo Soldier Equipment 12:20 – 12:40 PM Inside Artillery Bks

#### **World War I (1917—1919)**

World War I Clothing 12:50 – 1:10 PM N. Porch Artillery Bks

World War I Weapons 1:20 – 1:40 PM Inside Artillery Bks

Workshop: Army Awards 1:50 – 2:20 PM Inside Artillery Bks

#### **World War II & Korea (1941—1953)**

World War II Clothing 2:30 – 2:50 PM N. Porch Artillery Bks

World War II Weapons 2:50 – 3:10 PM I Inside Artillery Bks

#### **Vietnam War (1955—1973)**

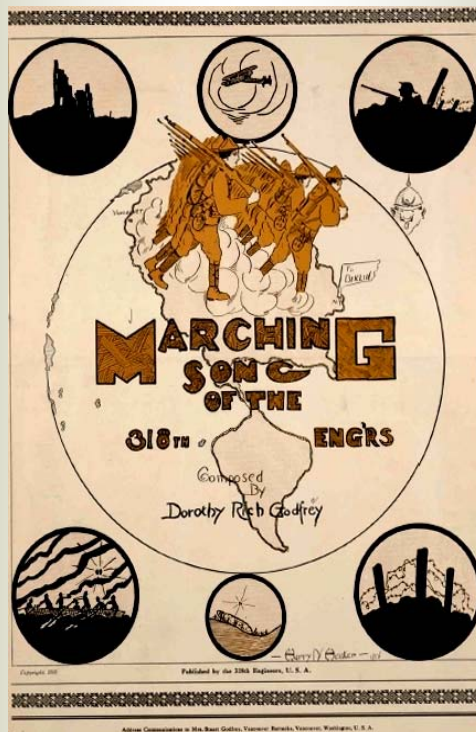
Vietnam War Era Clothing 3:20 – 3:40 PM N. Porch Artillery Bks?

Vietnam War Weapons 3:40 PM – 4:00 PM Inside Artillery Bks

WWI/Women’s Suffrage Concert 5:00 – 6:00 PM Inside Artillery Bks

**Songs of 1919 Concert:** This 12-song program has been arranged specifically for this event by American Songline® creator Cecelia Otto. **Songs of 1919** begins at the close of World War I with the return of the soldiers to an America undergoing vast social and economic change. Going from post-World War I to the beginnings of the Suffrage Movement, the program covers the hits of the day, ending with a song about Prohibition, a peek ahead to the issue that would define the 1920s.

The concert will begin with a special performance of **The Marching Song of the 318th Engineers**. The 318th Engineers Regiment was formed at the Vancouver Barracks on January 2, 1918, and their theme song was written by Dorothy Rich Godfrey, wife of Stuart C. Godfrey, a senior officer of the regiment. Their song was last played at the Vancouver Barracks when the men shipped out for Europe in May 1918. The 318th served with distinction in France in Gieveres, Mehun, Bricon and the Alsace front. **This will be the first time in over a century this song has been played at Vancouver Barracks!**



**Sing Along:** “America” or “My Country Tis of Thee”  
original verse with all Suffrage lyrics.

My country 'tis of thee, Sweet land of liberty Of thee I sing. Land where my fathers died, Land of the pilgrims' pride, From every mountain side Let freedom ring!	Women in every age, For this great heritage Tributes have paid. Our birthright claim we now, Longer refuse to bow, On freedom's altar now, Our hand is laid!
Our country now from thee, Claim we our liberty In freedom's name. Guarding home's altar fires, Daughters of patriot sires, Their zeal our own inspires, Justice to claim!	Sons, will you longer see Mothers on bended knee For justice pray? Rise now, in manhood's might, With earth's great souls unite, To speed the dawning light Of freedom's day!

