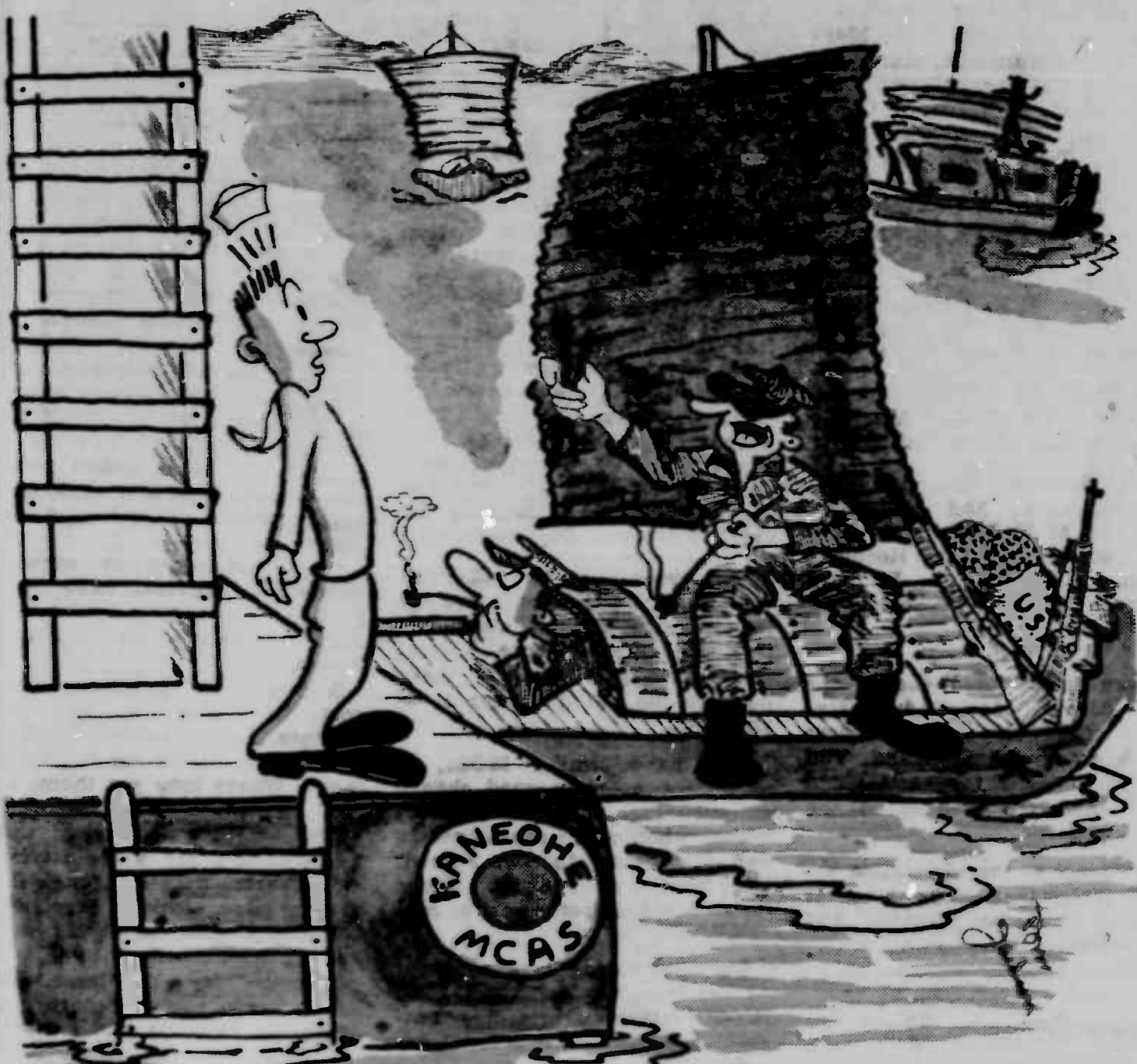




# LAST OF FOURTH RCT ARRIVES HERE



"Hey mate, where did the Fourth check in? We're the rear of the rear echelon."

## Intensive Six-Months Training Program Already Well Underway

The last 500 men from the 4th Marines Reinforced arrived aboard four LSTs at the Windward Station last Saturday morning, thus completing the regiment's move from Japan.

Lt. Gen. Robert Pepper, commander of Fleet Marine Force, Pacific, was on hand to watch the artillery men step ashore.

Also on the beach to greet the men was the Pearl Harbor Marine band and a troupe of hula dancers who braved winds and rain in order to give the Marines a real Hawaiian welcome.

Aboard the LSTs were heavy guns and equipment which will be put into action when field problems and maneuvers begin in the near future.

Activities of the regiment have been running full-scale, according to Maj. J. C. Fegan, operations officer for the regiment.

Since its arrival at Kaneohe, the regiment has continued training it underwent in Japan while awaiting the beginning of the air-ground phase of the program for which it was sent here.

"We can't get rusty," Maj. Fegan pointed out. "We must keep the men in tip top shape at all times. To do this, we keep the men in basic individual training which consists of running the obstacle course and close order drill."

Yesterday the unit conducted its first ceremonial regimental parade since its arrival here. On Feb. 24 and 25, Maj. Fegan said, the regiment would undergo a command post exercise.

### MEN SAY THEY LIKE IT HERE

After interviewing several men from the 4th Marine Regiment, the Windward Marine reports a favorable impression of duty at Kaneohe. The men, according to several verbal reports, like it here and are anxiously awaiting the beginning of their air-ground training.

"I liked Japan," said Sgt. Frank Campinell of the 1st Bn. "I was a little dismayed when I learned we were being transferred to Hawaii. However, after I had been here a few hours, I changed my mind. I like it fine—maybe it's the palm trees."

## Two Concerts Slated For Windward Side

The Honolulu Little Symphony orchestra will present a special concert for children at 4:30 p.m. Mar. 1 at the Kailua theater.

Planned carefully to interest children of all age groups, the 35 minute concert will be conducted by George Barati, conductor of the Honolulu Symphony orchestra.

Both this concert and the one scheduled for 8 p.m. the same evening are being brought to Kailua under the sponsorship of The Windward Friends of The Symphony.

Tickets for both the afternoon and evening programs will go on sale Feb. 16 at Kailua's Liberty House and Hughes' Kaneohe drug store. Admission prices are .35c for the Children's Concert and .60c, \$1.40 and \$1.80 for the evening concert.

## Kaneohe's Safety Record for 1954 Much Improved

Maj. Ray H. Bishop, industrial relations officer here, said this week that the safety record for Kaneohe for 1954 was much higher than the previous year.

The station, the major pointed out, completed 1954 with a lost time accident frequency rate of 1.10 percent and a severity rate of .02 percent. He explained that the figures meant there were 1.10 employees injured seriously enough to warrant hospitalization per 1,000,000 man hours worked and .02 days lost per 1,000 man hours.

"This is an overwhelming improvement from last year," Bishop said, "and all hands should be commended for their support to Kaneohe's safety program."

Comparing Kaneohe's record to that of the whole of the Bureau of Aeronautics, the major said, "The lost time accident frequency rate given in the bureau's report for the period January through September was 1.97 percent compared with our rate of .96 percent. The severity rate was .398 percent compared with our rate of .016 percent."

"We hope to make 1955 an even safer year," Maj. Bishop went on. "In order to do this, we need the help of all personnel. We need the continued co-operation of all hands to keep the statistics on a declining plane."

## February 22 Will Be Holiday For Majority

The commandant of the Fourteenth Naval district has announced that Washington's birthday, Feb. 22, will be observed as a holiday by all personnel under the jurisdiction of the Fourteenth Naval district.

The headquarters of the 1st Provisional Marine Air-Ground Task Force, FMF, also has issued notice to the effect that policies for the task force concerning Washington's birthday will coincide with those published by the Fourteenth Naval district.

However, in both commands sufficient personnel will be required to stay aboard to insure that complete duty sections are maintained, and that adequate personnel are available consistent with the work requirements and to handle any emergencies that may arise.

## Credit Union Votes To Include Normal Tour of Duty . . .

In the interests of personnel stationed here, the Federal Credit Union charter was amended late last month to include officer and staff NCO personnel stationed here for a normal 2-year tour of duty.

Included in other current business at the annual meeting, the members voted to adopt the board of directors' recommendation that a 6 per cent dividend be declared, thus marking the second successful year of operation and service to the employees of the Air Station.

During the meeting, the following officers were nominated and elected to serve on the board of directors for the coming year: L. P. Fuddy, president; J. P. Hallin, vice president; Stanley Peremba, treasurer; Ruth Croft, clerk; and Evelyn Lee, member.

Also voted into office were the following committee members: Moses Hanohano and Miyoko Sato, credit committee; and Thomas Montgomery and Ernest Enomoto, supervisory committee.

Fuddy explained that the two main functions of the Union are to "loan money at a low rate of interest and to return a high rate of interest on savings." Free loan protection insurance also is offered Union members.

The local branch, located in Bldg. 205, first began operations in March, 1953, nearly two years ago.

## WM's Celebrate 12th Birthday

(PICTURE ON PAGE 2)

The local Women Marines joined with those of Pearl Harbor to celebrate their 12th anniversary Sunday evening.

In celebration of 12 years as a regular component of the Marine Corps, the Windward Lady Leathernecks hosted a buffet supper and dance at the E.M. club.

Col. and Mrs. Charles H. Hayes were guests of honor for the cake cutting ceremony. They were accompanied by Lt. Col. and Mrs. John F. Carey; Maj. and Mrs. Bruce J. Matheson and Cdr. and Mrs. James H. Etter, jr.

Former WMs whose husbands are now serving here were also among the guests.

Capt. Virginia Caley, commanding officer of the Pearl Harbor Women Marines, Lt. Theresa Hayes and Lt. Marie Halvorsen also were present for the festivity which was attended by approximately 200 persons.

A large cake was colorfully decorated in traditional Marine Corps colors with a candle representing each of the 12 years the women have been a part of the Marine Corps.

T/Sgt. Dorothy Kearns of the detachment office was presented the first piece of cake by Col. Hayes for her length of service. The sergeant has been a Marine since October, 1944.

Presently commanded by Capt. Patricia Mass of Chevy Chase, Md., the Lady Marine detachment first arrived at Kaneohe in November, 1953 with a contingent of 50 enlisted women and one officer.

## Regiment Compared To K-Bay's Air Group

The Marine Corps air station, as many may have realized, is unique in the sense that it is the only Marine installation where air and ground forces live and work together to train for a common objective.

While it also is the only military installation in Hawaii "housing a unit capable of defending the islands against an air attack", this is not the primary mission of the station. Basically, the purpose here is training. Lessons hard come by in combat are taught to new men and reviewed for the old salts.

Because of this closer-than-usual relationship between ground forces and air units, it might prove helpful and of interest to brief both segments on what makes the other one tick.

The 4th Marine Regiment, a part of the 3rd Marine Division in Japan, and Marine Air Group-13 (MAG-13), a part of Aircraft, Fleet Marine Force, Pacific, at El Toro Marine Corps air station, Santa Ana, Calif., may be compared as follows:

Although a regiment and a Group are not comparable in physical strength, they are similar as to their objectives and structural set-up in Division and air wing. Both have their more or less non-combatant units and their fighting units. Below is a comparable breakdown of the 4th Marine Regiment and Marine Air Group-13:

FOURTH MARINES  
Regimental Headquarters & Ser-

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# Windward Marine

Col. Charles H. Hayes ..... Commanding Officer  
Lt. Col. John F. Carey ..... Executive Officer  
Capt. Jack Lewis ..... Officer-in-charge  
Sgt. Wayne A. Butterbaugh ..... Editor  
Cpl. Hal Pierce ..... Sports Editor  
Cpl. Tom Jackson ..... Artist

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## "THIRTY"

Whenever a new editor takes over a paper, he generally has two paramount objectives in mind—handling the job as competently and as diligently as his predecessor, and giving his readers what they want as long as it is in good taste and acceptable to the majority.

The first objective will take some doing on my part for Don Fergusson has not only proved himself to be most competent, but has put in many long and tedious hours each week in order that Windward Marines would have their paper every Friday.

Don sails for the Mainland next week, leaving the editorship of your paper in my hands. Although I have hardly been at Kaneohe long enough for my ears to pop from my first trip over the Pali, it has been sufficient time to learn the many adverse conditions under which it is necessary to publish this paper.

When Don took over the paper a year-and-a-half ago, it was literally the first time he had ever been on a newspaper—for that matter, it was the first time he had ever been connected with the editorial field.

For the average man, the situation Don found himself in would have proved impossible, but he is not the average. With a natural talent for writing, combined with hard work learning the mechanics of putting together a paper, he has held down the job admirably.

Your many friends, both on and off the station, wish you the best and those of us in the field of journalism join together in the hope you will remain in the field.

## Past History Catches Up With Fourth Marines At Kaneohe...

History finally caught up with the 4th Marine Regiment, 3rd Marine Division, FMF, this week when a photo album, missing for 16 years, was returned.

The album, depicting the activities of the 4th Marines in China from 1937 through early 1940, was presented to Col. Wood B. Kyle, commanding officer of the regiment, by the man who has carried it through the years, M/Sgt. John B. Rozier.

It will be placed among the "China Marine" regiment's other trophies.

A member of the Hawaiian Armed Services Police here, Sgt. Rozier was a private when he received the album shortly before leaving the 4th Marines in Shanghai, China, back in 1939.

The album, one of two, was given him by the regimental photographer and is believed to be the only one in existence.

The other album was with the regiment on Corregidor when the island fortress fell. It has never been located.

Sgt. Rozier had carried the precious book with him constantly until the 4th arrived here from Japan.

He said he felt that the album's rightful place was with the famous regiment it pictorially records.

Sgt. Rozier, a veteran of 17 years service with the Corps, saw action on Iwo Jima and in Korea.

The tapered wing-covering of new jet aircraft is ten times thicker than the aluminum sheets used in World War II aircraft.

## Waikiki Weekend Doesn't Require A Bankroll...

You can spend a fun-packed weekend at Waikiki without the proverbial pocketbook of a General Motors' executive. For the benefit of those who doubt it, here is one way it can be done.

The Armed Forces recreation center at Fort DeRussy in Waikiki covers 71 acres from the main street in Waikiki to the beach. The main gate of this former Army post is located just four blocks from the world-famed Royal Hawaiian hotel on Kalakaua ave.

All types of service and recreational facilities are available to both officers and enlisted personnel, some of which includes hotels, swimming beach with bath houses, a service club, dining rooms, snack bars, beer gardens, a theater, post exchange, bowling alley, library, tennis courts, driving range, children's playgrounds, picnic grounds, laundry and dry cleaners.

Service men and women and their families may stay at the officers' and enlisted men's hotels for a minimum charge of 75 cents per person for enlisted men and \$1 per person for officers. For family men, apartment accommodations may be had for \$1.50 with special rates for children under 12.

Servicemen may make room reservations by calling the Army

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## With the Women

By CPL. MARY STAFFORD

This week's column is to bid "ALOHA" to nine Women Marines who arrived at Kaneohe this week.

Seven of the Lady Leather-necks have been assigned to the Marine exchange. They are: Cpls., Nellie Blackwell of Greenville, Miss., who served previously at Camp Lejeune, N.C.; Mary-ryon Sill of Hamilton, Kan., arriving from El Toro; Mary James of Carlsbad, N.M., from Camp Pendleton; Gloria Casillas, San Antonio, Tex., previously stationed at Camp Lejeune; Mary Houghtling also of San Antonio, arrived from Parris Island; Loretta Cooney, a native of Green-bay, Wisc., arrived from Camp Pendleton; and Pvt. Joyce Glasscock of Cullman, Ala., formerly stationed at Cherry Point.

Assigned to station special services are PFCs Marjorie Schmuck and Helen Kehus.

PFC Schmuck is a native of Wichita, Kan., and previously stationed at El Toro. Helen Kehus, whose home is Rosburg, Wash., also served at El Toro prior to her arrival here.

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Hawaii, considered one of the most coveted Marine duty stations, offers all the conveniences you knew on the Mainland. You are quartered in the newest and most modern barracks in the Marine Corps.

Personnel of the air station extend hope that your stay at Kaneohe will be pleasant and memorable.

## Navy Supply Unit To Conduct Tours

The Navy supply department here will conduct guided tours through its area on Feb. 23, Lt. William Dickey, planning officer of the unit, announced last night.

The tour was set up in connection with the 160th anniversary of the Navy Supply Corps, Lt. Dickey reported.

The officer requested that all interested persons or groups call 72385 prior to Feb. 21 for tour assignment and additional information.



T/SGT. DOROTHY KEARNS, chief clerk for WMD-3, receives the first piece of cake from Colonel Hayes at the Women Marines 12th anniversary Sunday evening. The lady gunny has the distinction for having served in the Marine Corps longer than any member of the local detachment. She has been a Marine since October, 1944.

## The Question Is, Whom Is The Shadow....?

There are two sergeants in the headquarters company of the 1st Provisional Marine Air-Ground Task Force who can't get rid of each other. They've served together for over three years in sundry corners of the world.

Sgt. Don Fergusson and Sgt. George Luke, the latter a native of the Hawaiian Islands, met in August, 1952 at Camp Pendleton, Calif., when assigned to Staging Regiment and later the 25th Replacement Draft bound for Korea.

They both, upon arrival in the war zone, were assigned to the 1st Marine Division and saw each other frequently during their six months tour there.

An order was sent throughout the division for volunteers for Hawaiian duty in February, 1953, and both sergeants found their name's on the roster to become members of the Task Force at Kaneohe Marine Corps Air Station. They arrived here February 13, 1953, with 90 other Korean veterans to activate the unit.

This week, the two Marines were astonished once more as they discovered their names on the same Task Force Special Order which transfers them back to the Mainland for reassignment.

"We have similar MOSs, so we've got a pretty good chance of spending another tour together when we're reassigned in San Francisco," the two agreed. "At least we hope so. Maybe we're breaking some sort of record."

Sgt. Fergusson was assigned as secretary to Maj. Gen. J. P. Riseley (then a brigadier general) when he first arrived for duty at Kaneohe, then later took over as editor of the Windward Marine. Sgt. Luke serves in the personnel section of the task force's headquarters section.

"I kind of hate to leave Hawaii; after all, it's home," Luke said when he learned of the transfer. "But at least I'll be seeing one familiar face wherever I go."

In 1918 and 1919, 11 Marine pilots at Quantico, Va., were the first to use parachutes successfully in jumping from seaplanes.

## THE STORK IS HERE

BRACE

Born to Capt. and Mrs. E. C. Brace, a boy, Jan. 30, at Tripler army hospital. The boy weighed seven pounds, 14 ounces and was named Ernest William. Capt. Brace is attached to MCAS 2.

DIETRICH

Born to Sgt. and Mrs. Paul E. Dietrich, 345 Kaneohe Bay dr., Kaneohe, a son, Michael Paul, at Tripler army hospital on Dec. 27.

## 4th Causes Food For Thought

If the culinary desires of 4th Marines are to be fulfilled, it looks as though the persons who are responsible for the preparation of the menu at the Marine exchange cafeteria are going to have to make a few changes.

According to Dick Shelley, director of the cafeteria, the Marines lately have been ordering such things as rice and dried squid, sukiyaki, om rice, fried octopus, and other dishes peculiar to the restaurants of Japan.

The orders, says Shelley, "have been confusing our waitresses and cooks to such a degree that several have even gone so far as to gather all available information on Japanese dishes."

Shelley went on to say that some of the foods these new Marines have been ordering aren't even listed on Japanese menus. Where they got them, he don't know.

Shelley cited an incident that has confused his whole staff.

"A Marine walked through the serving line, looked over our selection of food, shook his head as if disgusted with what he saw and called for a waitress. He asked if she could prepare him some fish eyes ala hari kari."

## OPPORTUNITY TO ATTEND LUAU...

"Happy" Hanohano, a public works employee here and chairman of the St. Anthony's building fund in Kailua, announced late this week that the church fund committee was staging an old fashioned Hawaiian luau on Sunday. He said that proceeds from the ticket sales will go to the building fund.

Included in the luau will be Hawaiian entertainment and food traditional with the luau, including Kalua pig, Tahitian, Samoan and Hawaiian entertainers from all over the island have been engaged for the event, Hanohano said.

Marines desiring to attend the festivities may purchase tickets for \$3.00 at St. Anthony's church grounds, 61 N. Kalahoo, Kailua prior to the luau on Sunday.

Hanohano urged that 4th Marines who were interested in Hawaiian life, bring to the luau their cameras. He said some treasured shots of old fashioned Hawaii could be secured.

## Postman Rings Twice

This week proved monetarily fruitful for S/Sgt. Fred Stienberger of HAMS-13.

Sgt. Stienberger not only received his Federal income tax rebate, but a \$5.00 check from the Marine Corps Gazette for a letter he submitted to their "Message Center" column as well.

In an article recently published by the magazine, the controversial subject of "Old Corps" NCOs vs. new breed NCOs was gone into some extent; needless to say, there was plenty of room left for debate.

The Windward sergeant's letter can be found in the "Message Center" column of the March issue.





## INTRAMURAL PROGRAM

**IN GAMES PLAYED** around the Intramural League last week, John Boden's one-hitter over MABS gave the H&MS team a 10-0 victory. MACS-2 slammed the Red Devil squadron 10-0, "Red" Handzo pacing the winners with a single and triple.

**ON THIS WEEK'S** softball scene, VMF-214 upset the league-leading H&MS 6-3. Gus Stathopoulos, who relieved the ejected Boden in the fourth, gave up five runs to the Black Sheep via the base on balls route. Bill Smith and Jules Amaya of MABS each paired hits to highlight a slugfest, which saw the MABS men down Task Force 16-6. MACS-2 went ahead when John Bagget doubled with the bases filled, and continued the onslaught as they downed the Black Sheep squadron 18-2.

**PLAYOFFS ARE** scheduled to start Wednesday. Make up games will be played for the remainder of this week and up to playoff time next week. The top four teams in the final standings will participate in these post-season battles. Second and third place finishers at 4. First and fourth place teams at 8. Losers of these contests meet on Thursday at 4. Winners of the tilt will square off for a two-out-of-three series to determine the trophy winners.

**LEAGUE STANDINGS** up until press time: H&MS (5-1); MACS-2 (4-1); VMF-214 (3-1); HQ&HQS (2-2); VMF-232 (1-3); MABS (1-4); Task Force (0-4).

**THE TEN LEADING** hitters: Shellito (VMF-232) .545; Handzo (MACS-2) .538; Solaitis (MABS) .500; Roberts (HQ&HQS) .500; Pumphrey (H&MS) .458; Sierra (H&MS) .428; Holland (H&MS) .396; Ray (MACS-2) .363; Berkeley (MACS-2) .363; Wadell (MABS) .363.

## Bow Hunter Club Holds Blue Ribbon Shoot at Ft. Hase

Last Sunday, the Fort Hase recreation area was the scene of the Kaneohe Bow Hunters club's latest archery ventures.

Three ribbons were awarded, one for each of the first three places. Lt. Col. Wilbur Free garnered top honors in the ribbon shoot with a total score (including handicap) of 403. The second and third place awards were taken by Sgt. Norman L. Koss and M/Sgt. Robert A. Lippner with 398 and 396, respectively. Named the "Hunters Round," the shoot was the initial competitive archery event in which Col. Free has participated.

At an informal business session prior to the shoot, the members were informed that two game hunts, one for ram and one for goats, had been tentatively scheduled for March and April. The ram hunt, to be held in March, will take place on the island of Hawaii and will be fol-



**WELCOME RCT**—The Kaneohe Golf Course cordially welcomes the officers and men of the 4th Marines. For your info the golf course is at your disposal daily; officer greens fees are \$1.00 per day or \$5.50 monthly, enlisted greens fees are \$1.00 per day or \$3.50 monthly. Dependents are \$1.00 additional. The club regrets the shortage of golf clubs for loan but special services has an order in for takusan sets and expects them to arrive in the near future. The course has a driving range and snack bar for your convenience and tomorrow noon Jimmy Ukauka, the local pro, will hold his free golf clinic which he holds every other Saturday.

**GOLF LADER:** (1) EIDE, S., (2) ALAMIDA, C., (3) MILLER, M. J., (4) HODDE, G. V., (5) NEWPORT, R. B., (6) NORRBOM, A. L., (7) CASE, W., (8) JONES, C., (9) PARKER, G. B., (10) JOHNS, F. D., (11) STEELE, A., (12) CAREY, J. F.

**MONTHLY MEDAL TOURNEY**—The February Monthly Medal Tournament will be held Saturday, Feb. 26. Play will be 18 holes, full handicap, summer rules, and trophies will be awarded first, second, third low net and low gross. The only conditions are that you must have at least a temporary handicap, must play with at least one other contestant who scores for you and must use a score card issued by the Kaneohe golf shop. No entry fee will be charged for this tourney, so put your names down and get your friends to enter in order to make it a success—we'll have one every month if there is enough interest shown.

**TIP FOR THE WEEK**—Into the present winds, many golfers wonder how to hit a low or "wind" shot. Sam Snead says to "widen the stance, play the ball more towards the right foot, and hit through further than normally, leading with the hands ahead of the club head. Keep all flip or sudden uncocking of the wrists out of the shot." This all has the effect of preventing the ball from taking its normal loft by having the club head slightly hooded at impact, keeping the ball lower in flight.

lowed in April by the goat hunt on Lanai.

The club increased its membership roster to a total of 18 with the addition of three archery enthusiasts last week.

## Hawaii Marine Nine Tryouts Turn Into Chinese Fire Drill

Over 200 candidates for the 1955 Hawaii Marine baseball nine reported to Riseley field here early this week, and what was scheduled to be an orderly screening session turned into a Chinese fire drill.

Only two coaches were on hand to look over aspirants, but they quickly enlisted the aid of several qualified by-standers and the first unlucky man was cut a scant five minutes after practice began.

One of the standouts on the field was Bill Werber, former two-time All-American first baseman for the Duke Blue Devils at Durham, N.C. Werber is the son of William M. Werber, who played with the Yankees, Red Sox, Athletics, Reds and Giants. The elder Werber participated in two world series while at Cincinnati, losing to the Yankees and Charlie Keller's big bat in 1939, and defeating the Tigers in 1940.

Coached by Capt. Ken McCreight, the Hawaii Marines will be based at Marine Barracks, Pearl Harbor, and play home games on a half-and-half basis there and here. Armed Forces league play begins around Apr. 1 and ends the last week of July, with a 50 or 42 game schedule.

## Hawaii Marine Five Continue Winning As Hickam Falls

The Hawaii Marine cagers continued their winning ways this week in the Armed Services basketball league by edging past the Hickam Flyers 86-83 and hammering the 14th Infantry 98-50. The Leathernecks, sporting a 13-6 record, now have won their last 13 of 15 tilts and currently are riding a five-game win streak.

In Friday night's game with Hickam the Marines rallied late in the fourth period to nullify a strong bid by the Flyers. Pace-maker for the Hickam crew and high point man for the night was George Nieman, with 34 counters. Derral Davis and Clarence "Casey" Jones led the Leatherneck scoring with 16 and 14 points, respectively.

The Marines led the 14th Dragons throughout the contest, due to combined team efforts that produced an amazingly well-balanced scoring attack. Although ringing up a 98-point total, the highest individual point total was 14 points, bucketed by Casey Jones.

Player-coach Day Lay of the Dragons walked off with scoring honors as he sank 20 points.

With three games remaining on their schedule, the Leatherneck five appears to have a strangle hold on fourth place and still maintains an outside chance of replacing the Army Musketeers in third spot.

At 9 tonight the Marines take on Special Troops, at Pearl Harbor's Bloch arena and will attempt to extend their win streak to six games.

## Warning Issued To Skin Divers

A warning was issued this week to all potential spearfishermen and skin divers.

According to M/Sgt. Robert A. Lippner of the special services department, no personnel serving here are allowed to skin dive or spearfish in the waters surrounding the air station without a letter of qualification.

Lippner said that Marines could secure this letter by taking a series of tests at the station swimming pool during the hours it is open. The life guard will administer the tests, Lippner reported.

The sergeant also mentioned the fact that a new club, one for skin divers, professional or novice, was in the process of being organized for interested personnel.

M/Sgt. L. L. Leong of the security department, will head the organization of the new group, it was learned. A meeting of prospective members will be held Feb. 25, 7 p.m., in the Fleet Reserve building, No. 292. All interested Marines are encouraged to attend since special services will sponsor the group if enough members join, Sgt. Lippner pointed out.

Additional information con-

## Ten K-Boy Boxers Entered In Civic Auditorium Card

The Hawaii Marine boxing team has entered 10 team members in the sixth Civic Auditorium card sponsored by the Oahu Amateur Boxing Assn. of the embryo 1955 boxing season. The meet is scheduled to begin at 7:30 p.m., Monday night.

Included in the 10 entries are: Foster Bonner, 178-pounder, Middleweights Jack Kearns and Newcomer Bill Rooks; Herman Mosqueda at 156 pounds; Ring-rookie Jimmy Chavis at welterweight; Nick Ortiz weighing-in 139 pounds; Dave Funada in the 125-pound bracket; Tom Bonebrake at 119 pounds; and Flyweights Phil Ortiz and Mark Botas.

In the only Marine bouts last Monday, Dave Funada decisively won over Kenet Uchida of the University of Hawaii in a 125-pound battle and Leatherneck Mark Botas lost by points to the Hawaii Athletic club's Larry Marino.

cerning the formation of the group may be had by calling Sgt. Leong at 72106.



Dewey Wade will be receiving a contract from the San Francisco 49ers any day for his signature. The following letter was received by 1st Lt. Harry Collins from Lou Spadia, business manager of the Bay Area pro football club.

"As you know by now, we were fortunate enough to get Dewey Wade in the draft. He is now on our reserve list and we desire very much to sign him to a contract for the first season in which he is eligible to play.

"As I understand it, he is eligible for discharge in time for the 1956 season. I would greatly appreciate your contacting him, and determine what kind of contract he is interested in.

"I would strongly suggest that he agree to the terms we are offering him, which is more than the average rookie is usually offered.

"If this is satisfactory to him, please drop me a note and I will forward you his contract for signature.

"Hope that you are a captain by now, and thanks for your invaluable assistance."

Wade, who starred during the 1954 season at guard and tackle for the Hawaii Marines—who won the local conference title—has two years of collegiate eligibility left. He's already played a couple of seasons for Kansas State, but his class graduates this June. Which, according to existing regulations, makes him pro fodder.

By signing with the 49ers Wade will be waiving all college eligibility. Also, until after the first regular scheduled conference game has been played, Dewey will receive no pay. Of course, the team does provide board and room during pre-season drills and the exhibition schedule.

Wade has been informed of all the above, and has decided to take a flyer at the play-for-pay game. The 49ers plan to utilize him as a defensive end, the same position at which he was All-Big Seven as a soph at Kansas State.

Collins has given Dewey some good advice to retain in his noggin while at Menlo Park, just outside of San Francisco, and where the club trains.

"Son, you just take care of the three or four yards territory you get as an end. Don't go out there trying to make every tackle and be a big hero.

"If you do, those old timers will make you look like a silly kid. Which is what you'll be. Play it cool, do the job they give you to the best of your ability, and I'll see you playing in a conference game the next time I'm in town."

Wade says he's going to do his darndest to heed the lieutenant's warning, make the club as a defensive flankman, then work hard for a berth as offensive guard.

We think you have the gear, Dewey—best of luck!

**BOAT HOUSE CLOSSES**—According to the special services department here, the Station's boat house will be closed until further notice. Reasons for closing the facilities was not announced.

## WRESTLERS WANTED

A station wrestling team is being formed to compete in the Hawaiian Area Wrestling Tournament. Interested personnel should contact Capt. Habash. Phone 72548 or 72061.



## HATS OFF!



Saucy Hilda Estvez, young and pretty Miami model, stands prepared for any watery emergencies. Recently, Hilda got caught in a violent thunder shower and was completely drenched. She purchased the sombrero for protection.

## Local Corporal and Uke Return Home

Cpl. Donald Arruda was right at home when he stepped off one of the four LSTs that docked here last Saturday.

With uke in hand, Arruda joined the Marion Diamond hula troupe on the makeshift stage where he ably accompanied the entertainers.

Arruda resides at 661 Kainalu Dr., Kailua.

## COMPARED

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vice Battalion (H&S Bn)  
1st Battalion  
Headquarters & Service Company (H&S Co)  
"A" Company  
"B" Company  
"C" Company  
Weapons Company  
2nd Battalion  
Headquarters & Service Company  
"D" Company  
"E" Company  
"F" Company  
Weapons Company  
3rd Battalion  
Headquarters & Service Battery  
"G" Battery  
"H" Battery  
"I" Battery  
MARINE AIR GROUP-13  
Group Headquarters  
Headquarters & Maintenance Squadron-13 (H&MS-13)  
Marine Air Base Squadron-13 (MABS-13)  
Marine Air Control Squadron-2 (MACS-2)  
Marine Fighter Squadron-214 (VMF-214)  
Marine Fighter Squadron-232 (VMF-232)  
Marine Helicopter Squadron-361 (HMR-361)  
There are three divisions and three air wings in the Marine Corps and each division and air wing is made up of three battalions and three groups.

## OLD-TIMERS PROMISED SPECIAL CONSIDERATION

Gen. Lemuel C. Shepherd, Jr., Commandant of the Marine Corps, promised special consideration early this week to reserve officers who are within two years of the minimum retirement requirements should a release of all reserve officers to inactive duty become necessary at some future date.

Gen. Shepherd said those provisions of law which safeguard the earned retirement equity of regular officers will be applied.

## Toastmasters Clubs

## NCO Toastmasters

At the weekly meeting of the NCO Toastmasters club Monday evening at the NCO club, the members were informed that the application for membership in the Toastmasters International had been accepted and that the charter for the club would be awarded in the near future.

The club's regular business, under the direction of President Mike Lamson, included four-minute speeches by George Masson, Bill McPherson, Emert Robertson and Mike Lamson. Masson's refreshing style of speech presentation earned for him the best speech award. The "Wizard of Ahs" was given to Toastmaster McPherson, Edmund Michalowski, one of the three speech critics (others: Ken Vaughn and Jim Monroe), was awarded the whitewash brush for being least critical of the three judges.

Topicmaster Jack Horcher supplied topics to eight members: Charles Cornelius, Marvin Killingbeck, John Felder, Ed Jaswinski, Louis Stanislaw, Phinas Law, Michalowski and Monroe, and instructed each to speak for one minute on the subject.

The club still is not at full strength and all NCOs interested in becoming a member are requested to contact one of the following members: Ed Jaswinski (72258), Bill McPherson (72258) and Ernest Bridges (72054).

## Kaneohe Bay Officers

Maj. Richard J. Collins presided over Monday night's meeting of the Kaneohe Bay Toastmasters club and, in addition, acted as toastmaster.

In this most recent meeting of the KBTC, Maj. Hubard Kuokka was awarded the best speech award for his urgent request to make good public relations every military man's duty. Another competent speaker, Maj. William J. Zaro, warned his listeners "Don't Decline Before Your Time"; advising a well-rounded program of careful exercise for people past 30 in order to avoid that "well-rounded" look. Maj. Gaylord C. Greenfield reported on the growing technique of "Automatom" in industry wherein raw materials are sent through a factory on conveyor belts and emerge as finished products entirely by electronic control.

Maj. Gerald Fink was appointed topicmaster for the meeting and kept all members on their toes by requiring each topic speaker to assign a successor an extemporaneous subject with only one minute's notice in which to prepare themselves. The offices of chief critic and grammarian, a weekly post, were handled by Lt. Col. John F. Carey and Maj. John Hyneman, respectively.

Maj. John W. Ruhsam, a member of the Black Sheep squadron, was added to the roster of the club by a vote of the toastmasters.

## Clinton A. Phillips Club

2nd Lt. R. L. Snyder acted as toastmaster for the Monday luncheon meeting of the Clinton A. Phillips Toastmasters club.

Capt. T. L. Pittman, selected best speaker of the day, was congratulated by Criticmaster Capt. J. Q. Nesmith for his interesting and informative speech.

Each club member was assigned a movie title by 1st Lt. A. L. McLean, topicmaster, and instructed to speak for one minute on the first subject that entered their minds upon seeing the title.

## Special Service Activities

**GOLF COURSE:**  
8 a.m. until sunset.

**INDOOR MOVIE:**  
5:45 and 8 p.m.—10 cents.

**OUTDOOR MOVIE:**  
8 p.m.

**SWIMMING POOL:**  
Monday—Closed  
Tues., Wed., Thurs. Fri.—10 a.m. to 6 p.m.  
Saturday, Sunday—8 a.m. to 6 p.m.

**FORT HASE RECREATION AREA:**  
See MCAS Gen. Order 111-53.

**HOBBY SHOP:**  
Mon, Tuesday—Closed  
Wednesday—1600 to 2100  
Thursday and Friday—1300 to 2100  
Saturday—0900 to 2000  
Sunday—1300 to 2000

**BOAT HOUSE:**  
12 to 6 p.m. — Wed., Thurs. and Fri.  
8 a.m. to 6 p.m.—Saturday and Sunday.

**LIBRARY:**  
Monday through Friday—10:00 a.m. to 9:00 p.m.  
Saturday through Sunday—1 p.m. to 4 p.m. and 6 p.m. to 9 p.m.

**ARCHERY RANGE:**  
Mon., Wed., and Fri.—Sat. and Sun.—12:30 p.m. 4:30 p.m. to dusk.

## CHURCH SERVICES

**PROTESTANT**  
9:30 a.m. Sunday School, Chapel, Termite Village.  
10:30 a.m. Worship Service, Chapel, Termite Village.

An adult nursery attendant will care for children of all ages during the 10:30 a.m. Protestant Church Service.

**CATHOLIC SUNDAY MASSES:**  
8:30 a.m. Termite Village Chapel

10:00 a.m. Station Theater  
**DAILY MASSES:**  
6:45 a.m. New chapel Monday through Friday,  
8:00 a.m. New chapel, Saturday.

11:20 a.m. Hangar 103 Friday  
**CONFESSIONS**  
Saturday at 6-7 p.m. at St. Michael's Chapel, and before every Mass.

**NOVENA:**  
7:00 p.m. St. Michael's Chapel, Monday.

**JEWISH**  
8:00 p.m. Friday evening, Aloha chapel, Moanalua Housing, Pearl Harbor, T.H. to dusk.

## Weekend Flights To Hawaiian Isle Available to Fourth

Plane flights to the island of Hawaii will be available to personnel of the 4th Marines starting this week, according to 1st Lt. Jack Macko, regimental special services officer.

The flights, costing \$7.00, will leave at noon every Monday, Wednesday and Friday from the Marine Corps air station here.

## WAIKIKI WEEKEND

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number 8-3211 and asking for extension 66-3197 for enlisted reservations and extension 66-3130 for officer reservations.

Meals at Fort DeRussy are reasonably priced. For those who wish to take in any one of the internationally known Waikiki beach spots, it is simply a matter of walking out the gate.

## Theater Schedule and Reviews

"Box Office" Ratings  
Prepared by  
Cpl. Doyle Lamb

TONIGHT—

## A STREET WITH NO NAME

A not so well written drama, starring Mark Stevens and Barbara Lawrence. Produced by Fox in late 1953.

Rated: GOOD.

SATURDAY—

## CAPT. JOHN SMITH AND POCAHONTAS

The title of this one gives it away. Produced in technicolor by United Artists, it stars Anthony Dexter and Jody Lawrence. Released in early 1954.

Rated: GOOD.

SUNDAY—

## CREST OF THE WAVE

This drama is based on a top secret explosion under the sea. It can puzzle science so it should thrill you. Starring Gene Kelly and Jeff Richards. Produced by MGM in September, 1954.

Rated: VERY GOOD.

MONDAY—

## ATHENA

A colorful and sparkling musical with a full star cast. Starring Jane Powell, Debbie Reynolds, Vic Damone and Edmund Purdom. Produced in color by MGM in 1954.

Rated: EXCELLENT.

TUESDAY—

## SHADOW MAN

This one may be colorless and old but it will keep you on your toes. Starring Cesar Romero. Produced by Lippert in late 1950.

Rated: FAIR.

ALSO—

## GHOST OF CROSSBOW CANYON

A routine run-of-the-mill, every day garden variety western. Starring Guy Madison and Andy Devine. Produced by Allied Artists in 1953.

Rated: FAIR.

WEDNESDAY—

## ELEPHANT WALK

This epic, starring Elizabeth Taylor and Dana Andrews, ends with almost complete disaster. It is one of the most colorful movies of the year. Produced in technicolor by MGM in late 1954.

Rated: EXCELLENT.

THURSDAY—

## MAGNIFICENT OBSESSION

A full-length drama which was considered for the Academy Award. Starring Jane Wyman and Rock Hudson. If you like a truly good movie you will enjoy this one. Produced in technicolor in late 1954.

Rated: EXCELLENT.

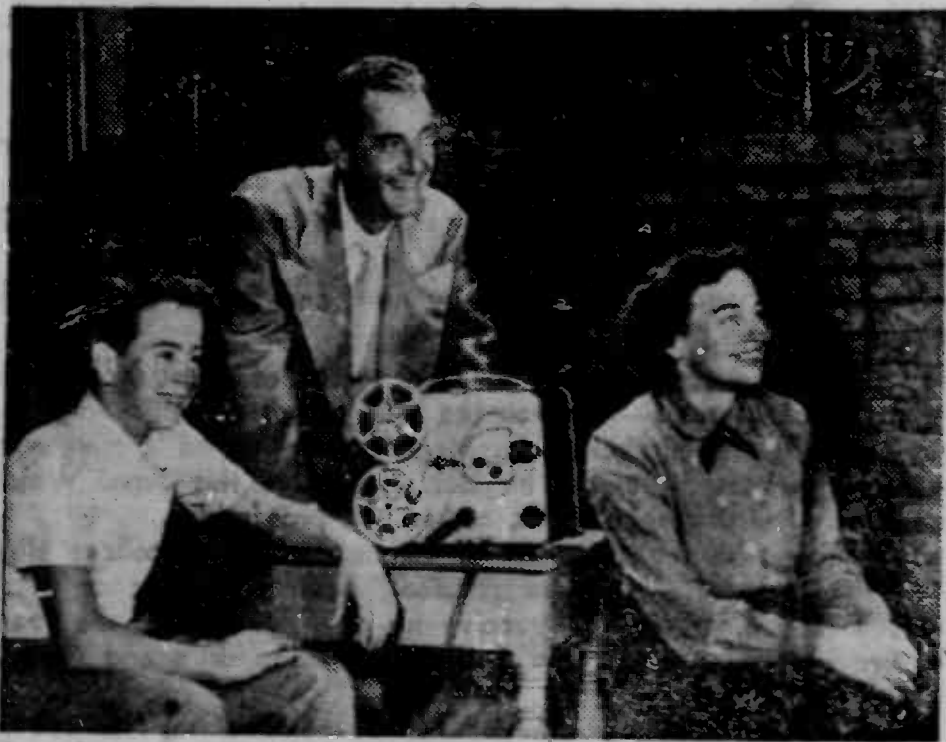
## Reserve Officers Get Retirement Rights

The Marine Corps will give special consideration to reserve officers who are within two years of retiring in the event a release of all reserve officers from the Corps ever becomes necessary.

Gen. Lemuel C. Shepherd Jr., Marine Corps Commandant, said the same earned retirement equity laws that apply to regular officers also will apply, insofar as possible, to reserve officers on active duty who have more than 18 years satisfactory service behind them.

Maj. Gen. Robert E. Huga-boom has become Deputy Chief of Staff of the Marine Corps in an exchange of duty with Maj. Gen. Merrill B. Twining who relieved him in Korea as commanding general of the 1st Marine Division.

## the Snapshot Guild



Rented or borrowed films offer interesting entertainment for the family. They are available in a wide variety of subjects.

## Show Professionally Made Movies at Home

We always thought it's a good idea to rent professionally-made movies to show at home when you are entertaining. We've talked about it before and marveled at the wide range of subject matter covered by the films which you can get on a rental basis.

But we didn't know until recently just how smart this is considered socially. A friend of ours showed us something in one of the top women's fashion magazines that really proved how right we've been all the time. It was an article telling what kind of clothes a woman in an exclusive suburban New York area wears on various occasions. And it showed a dress for wearing when friends or neighbors invite her to drop in for the evening to see a film they've rented to show at home! The article went

on to point out how popular this idea has become in the modern way of living.

Of course, we aren't going to suggest that you wear any particular type of clothing for viewing films—but we do want to remind you that there are so many wonderful movies available, both from an entertainment and educational standpoint, that it's a shame not to take advantage of them.

If you don't have a projector, it is usually fairly easy to borrow or rent one. The movies you show with it can be used to amuse the family on a rainy weekend, to fascinate young guests who come to play and provide an enjoyable evening for your adult friends.

—John Van Guilder