



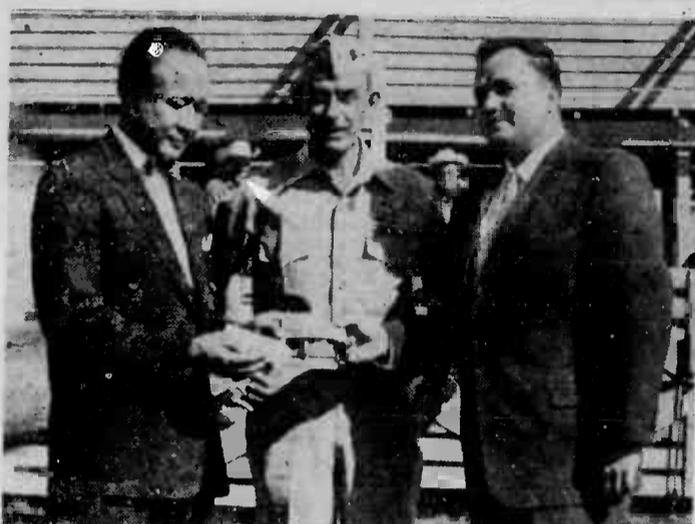
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FIRST TICKET SALE — Hawaii Lieutenant Governor James Kealoha, left, purchases the first ticket to the 1959 Hawaiian Roundup from Dal Potter, right, president of the Downtown, Optimist Club which has volunteered to handle off-station ticket sales, as Col. M. M. Magruder looks on. (Photo by ActSgt. Bruce Hamper)

Hawaiian Roundup Queen Entries Vie for Court Honors Tomorrow

Twelve island beauties have entered as contestants in the 1959 Hawaii Roundup Queen Contest. The Queen and her court of four princesses will reign throughout the two-day roundup scheduled to be held at the K-Bay Marine Corps Air Station on Saturday and Sunday, Nov. 14 and 15.

Selection of the queen and her four princesses will be held at the Dee Gibson Ranch, 4200 Auloa Rd. Maunawili Valley, just off the Pall Road on Saturday, Oct. 31, at 2:30 p.m.

The judges will be Col. M. M. Magruder, Station commanding officer, Jack Van Osdol, manager of the Bishop National Bank at Windward City Shopping Center in Kaneohe, and Stuart Allen, manager of the Liberty House, Kailua.

Contestants for the title of queen of the roundup represent four of the Hawaiian Islands, Oahu, Hawaii, Kauai, and Maui.

All contestants will be judged for beauty, personality and poise, with added points for horsemanship, although the latter is not a necessary requirement.

Roundup tickets are available at Station Special Services or may be obtained from any unit Special Services officer.

Concert Here Tonight at 8

Windward residents will join with K-Bay music lovers here tonight during a concert of the Honolulu Little Symphony. Conductor George Barati will raise his baton on the stage of Station Theater No. 1 beginning at 8 p.m.

Internationally famous Chinese soprano Ellie Mao will make her only Oahu appearance on the program tonight.

Ticket prices are \$2.50, \$1.50 and 75-cents. Tickets for enlisted personnel and children are 50-cents.

Retirement Parade Honors Lt. Gen. Megee Tomorrow

Lt. Gen. Vernon E. Megee, commanding general, Fleet Marine Force, Pacific, will bring to a close over 40 years of Marine Corps service during retirement ceremonies here tomorrow.

Some 7,000 men of the 1st Marine Brigade and a battalion from the Marine Corps Air Station will pass in final review before the FMFPac Commander at 10:30 a.m. at Platt Field.

The colorful ceremony, during which Gen. Megee will pin on the four stars of a full general, is open to the public. Parade participants are encouraged to invite dependents and friends to witness the event. Bleacher seating will be available. Col. Paul J. Fontana, Brigade chief of staff, has been designated

commanding officer of troops and Maj. J. V. Canzoneri, Brigade adjutant, has been designated adjutant for the parade and review ceremony.

A pictorial feature of Gen. Megee appears on Page 4.

After the publication of Gen. Megee's retirement and promotion orders over the public address system, the four stars of his new rank will be pinned on the collar of Gen. Megee. A unit of the 3rd Bn., 12th See GEN. MEGEE Page 5

University of Hawaii

Winter Semester Starts Dec. 3; Registration Action Needed Now

Personnel who plan to participate in the winter semester of the University of Hawaii educational program for the first time at the Kaneohe Center here are urged to write immediately for transcripts of their high school or college courses.

Although classes will not begin until Dec. 3, personnel will be required to furnish transcripts for acceptance to classes. All transcripts should be mailed direct to the University of Hawaii, Honolulu 14, Hawaii (Attention: Office of Admissions and Records), by the high school or college concerned.

Entrance requirements for new students are (1) present a transcript of 12 semester hours of credit from another accredited university or college or (2) pass the entrance examination and present a high school transcript showing successful completion of high school or have an average score of 45 on the high school GED, with no score under 35.

Kaneohe Center classes are open to all active duty military personnel, their dependents and all civilians of Windward Oahu.

Civilian students not employed on Station will be required to furnish the Station Education Office certain information by Nov. 23 for the issuing of a pass to attend the on-Station classes.

Two courses, each accredited at three semester hours, will be offered. They are "Public Speaking" See UH COURSES Page 8

Community Chest Fund Tops \$4,000

Combined 1st Marine Brigade and Marine Corps Air Station contributions to the 1959 Community Chest Drive totaled \$4,139.37.

Brigade personnel donated \$2,100 of this figure, Station personnel \$2,039.37 according to final figures.

Maj. D. E. Hunter of the Brigade Legal office was chairman of the Brigade drive, Maj. G. W. Parker was chairman of the Station drive.

E-7 PROMOTION BOARD MEETS

A board convened at Headquarters Marine Corps Oct. 21 recommended acting gunnery sergeants and staff sergeants (E-6) for promotion to gunnery sergeant (E-7).

Eligible for consideration are Marines in grade E-6 with dates of rank prior to July 17, 1957.

Senior member of the board, which is scheduled to be in session about eight weeks, is Col. Michael Ryan of the G-1 Division, Headquarters Marine Corps.

Children's Center Reservations Open For Birthday Ball

Parents planning to have their children cared for at the Station Child Care Center during the time of the Marine Corps Birthday Balls are urged to make reservations with the Center as soon as possible.

Children will be taken by reservations only on that evening.

Reservations may be made by calling 72-608. If reservations are made and not used, the patron making the reservation will be charged one dollar.

Supper will be served between 5:30 and 6 p.m. at a charge of 25-cents. The Child Care Center will remain open until 3 a.m. that evening.

A check with the Child Care Center Wednesday morning showed that the 52 cribs for babies up to 2½ years of age have already been filled by reservations, while 50 of the 100 accommodations for older children had also been reserved.

184th Marine Corps Anniversary Plans Take Form

More details on the K-Bay observance of the 184th Anniversary of the Marine Corps on Nov. 10 were announced this week by program officials. Reports indicate that this year's celebration will be bigger and better than ever.

The public will have an opportunity to see the hard-hitting 1st Marine Brigade display its might during a Combat Parade and Review beginning at 9:30 a.m. on Runway 18. All Brigade personnel and equipment will be utilized in the gigantic ceremony. Thousands of Marines, along with the latest equipment and arms of the mighty air-ground force will pass in review while overhead sleek jets and helicopters will demonstrate with a mass fly over.

That same evening, K-Bay Marines and their guests will mark the founding of their Corps in 1775 at Philadelphia with three giant birthday balls. In addition to the dancing, feasting and entertainment, the traditional cutting of the birthday cake along with a pageant depicting the illustrious history of the Marine Corps will be held at three locations.

EM BIRTHDAY BALL
 K-Bay's sergeants and below will hold the biggest Marine Corps Birthday Ball aboard the Station the evening of Nov. 10 in Hangar 105. Thousands of Marines and their guests are expected to witness the



RUFIE DAVIS
 traditional cake cutting ceremony and pageant there at 8 p.m. Seating will begin about an hour earlier. Plans call for a buffet dinner following the ceremony with almost continuous entertainment the order-

of-the-day until the 11 p.m. closing time.

Starring in the birthday show will be Rufe Davis, "Hollywood's Most Fashionable Hillbilly." The veteran comedian has appeared in movies, TV and for a number of years has been a favorite with audiences at fairs, theaters and night clubs across the country.

One critic said "Rufe Davis is funnier than a mother-in-law with the mumps."

Jimmy Walker, a leading Honolulu radio personality, will handle the master of ceremonies billet.

Music will be provided by the Charlie Robinson Quintet.

Dark-haired beauty Maureen Brady, a continental song stylist, will entertain with songs in English, French, Italian and Spanish. She has appeared in Broadway musicals, with the New York Opera Co., and recently completed an exceptionally successful six-month tour of South America.

Liberty Recording artist Bill Coker, Hawaii's celebrated "King of the Banjo," will demonstrate his versatility with a number of selections. Adding color to the show will be

performances by the Bandei Trio, three of Japan's loveliest beauties direct from a six-month engagement at Honolulu's Forbidden City.

Also on the bill is "Mariko," said



MAUREEN BRADY
 to be one of Japan's most beautiful dancers. Enlisted men are encouraged to invite dates to their celebration. Bus transportation is being planned for the evening's event in order that Marines lacking "wheels" can use

this method for escorting their dates to and from home. Pickup points on both the leeward and windward side of the island are planned. The detailed schedule will be printed in next Friday's WINDWARD MARINE.

Those planning to utilize this bus service should put in their requests as soon as possible to their company or squadron offices.

COUPLES AT EM CLUB
 Sergeants and below have been encouraged to obtain dates for the evening of the Marine Corps Birthday, Nov. 10, especially if they wish to visit the Enlisted Men's Club. Couples only will be admitted to the Club that evening.

A cocktail hour for couples will be held there from 6:30 to 7:30 p.m. At 7:30 p.m. the Club will close to allow guests to take in the colorful cake cutting ceremony and pageant at the EM Ball in Hangar 105.

The Club will reopen again at 9 p.m. for those couples who wish to return. Bill Stevenson's Tunemasters will provide dance music at the Club See ANNIVERSARY Page 7

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Chaplain's Corner

By Chaplain A. R. Anderson

LEST WE FORGET

Klerkegaard, the Danish theologian, tells a parable of a wild duck. With his mates, this duck was flying northward across Europe in the spring. One day he came down in a barnyard where there were tame ducks. He ate and enjoyed the corn. Because the duck liked the good fare and the safety of the barnyard, he stayed all summer.

One autumn day when his wild mates were winging their way southward again, they passed over the barnyard. When the duck heard their cries, he was stirred with a strange delight, and, flapping his wings, he rose in the air to join his old comrades in their flight to the land of summer. But, alas, he found that his good fare had made him so soft and heavy that he could rise no higher than the eaves of the barn. So, he sank back again to the barnyard and said to himself, "Oh well, my life is safe here and the fare is good."

Every spring and autumn when the wild ducks flew over his barnyard he heard their honking cry, his eye gleamed for a moment, and he began to lift his wings in vain to join his mates. At length the day came when the wild ducks flew over him and uttered their cry, but he paid not the slightest attention to them.

The story reminds us that it is easy to forget our ideals and become content with lower things. Our ideals inspire us to soar to higher levels of living, but we must constantly refresh our minds concerning our ideals.

When we forget them, the environment of even the barnyard will become satisfactory to us as a level of conduct.

Going to church, daily devotions and all those things that focus our minds on things above are indispensable, lest we forget our high calling.

Officers Wives

First thing out of the hat—a reminder to the Executive Board members. The next meeting will be on Nov. 4, 9:30 a.m., at Mrs. Fontana's Quarters. Since this is a deviation from the regular meeting date, please do not forget.

With Toyland open and all the helpful ladies gift-wrapping at the Exchange, one can't help realizing Christmas holidays are creeping up. Those early mailing dates are too! The gift-wrapping project is truly worthwhile and much appreciated; all donating their time to it certainly deserve a vote of thanks.

Are you all set for Tuesday's luncheon at M's Ranch House? There's M's special chicken salad plus a deluxe dessert, all for \$2.00. Remember social hour will begin at 11 a.m. Come on out, relax and enjoy the talented Mrs. Whaley's "Fun With Music."

NAVY RELIEF LAYETTE GROUP MEETS NOV. 2

Don't forget the new date, new time, and new place for our meeting this month. It is going to be Monday, Nov. 2, at 1:00 p.m. in the TV room at the Officers' Club. We hope it will be a convenient time for most of you.

If you are interested at all in helping but are not sure this is the exact group that you should join, please feel free to come and visit us and then you can decide whether to add your name to our rolls. We would certainly be glad to have you. And if you would like additional information by phone or need transportation, call Tom Mackey at 252-102.

The Inquiring Photographer

By PFC. EDWARD BOMAR

With the big day right around the corner, it seems only natural that we inquire of a few K-Bayites as to their plans on November 10. The question, specifically: "Where and how do you intend to celebrate the 184th anniversary of the Marine Corps?"

AMSGT. J. W. DRAUGHTON, Security MP Chief — "This will be the last one of many anniversaries I'll have seen as an active Marine. I'll be celebrating the birthday at the club, and as always, will be looking forward to the arrival of the full-dress pageant at 9 p.m."



MAJ. R. J. BUTTERS, VMA-214 — "I always join the Corps birthday celebration at the Officers' Club. I think the birthday is exceptional among the armed services, and is another confirmation of the esprit de corps for which the Marines are so well known."



CAPT. N. C. TULLIS, Adj. 3/12 — "I plan to spend the entire evening at the Officers' Club, for dinner and the Ball. I believe the Marine Corps Birthday is both figuratively and factually a review of the history of the Corps, highlighted by the full-dress pageant featuring Marines in period uniforms."



CAPT. J. E. CRANDELL, Brigade Legal Office — "My wife and I always enjoy getting together with fellow Marines and celebrating the spirit of the Birthday. The pageant is due at the Officers' Club at 10:30 p.m., and is a 'must' as far as I'm concerned."



AGYSGT. T. W. MYERS, Hq. Co., 4th Marines — "I haven't missed a Birthday Ball yet, and will be present and accounted for at the club on November 10. The anniversary has always meant quite a lot to me."



ASGT. C. H. HATCHER, Station Transportation — "I'll be taking my wife to the Ball at the club. This will be the first one she's seen, and we're both looking forward to it. The Birthday is a wonderful opportunity for Marines and their wives to mingle and get to know each other."



Editor's Corner

BEWARE OF ARM-TWISTERS; KNOW YOUR OWN CAPACITY

Often a man new to the service, who in civilian life drank only an occasional beer or two, finds himself with buddies for whom drinking bouts are a regular evening pastime.

Not real drunks—just good natured characters who like to relax in a suday glow—and who have quite a capacity for it. So our friend, enjoying their company and wanting to be one of the gang, matches them drink for drink. He doesn't want it. He'd secretly rather nurse the drink he's got. But it's down the hatch, down the hatch—it separates the men from the boys, and who wants to be thought of as a kid?

Well, for that matter who wants to befuddle his wits and risk chucking his cookies just for the boozy approbation of some good time Charlies? Only a fool. Certainly not a man capable of making his own decisions and sticking by them.

Drinking can be one of the pleasures of life if you do it moderately, not habitually, and if you know your own capacity. After you reach it, don't let anyone twist your arm for a fresh bout of elbow bending. The summer sun may be hot, but a soft drink is as cooling as a beer or something stronger. And if it's raining, you don't have to get out of your wet clothes into a dry martini.

As Kipling put it: "If you can keep your head when all about you..."

Keep it. You won't lose any friend really worth having. You're certain to gain his respect. (AFPS)

Divine Services

Catholic

ST. MICHAEL'S CHAPEL
 SUNDAY MASS — 8:00, 9:30 and 11:00 a.m.

WEEKDAYS—Monday through Friday 11:30 a.m.; and 4:30 p.m. Saturday and holidays, 9 a.m.

CONFESSIONS—Saturday, 6:30 to 8:00 p.m. and one half hour before all masses.

INSTRUCTION CLASSES—Adults Monday 7:00 p.m. in Station Chaplain's Office.

HOLY NAME SOCIETY — Second Sunday of the month, Holy Communion at 9:30 a.m. Mass. Meetings are held on Mondays preceding the second Sunday of the month at 8 p.m. in Chaplain's Office, Bldg. 1090.

NOVENA—Our Lady of the Miraculous Medal, Monday, following the 4:30 p.m. Mass.

CHOIR — Tuesday, 7 p.m.
 ALTAR AND ROSARY SOCIETY—Corporate Communion third Sunday of each month at 9:30 a.m. Mass.

Jewish

8 p.m.—Friday, Aloha Chapel, Johnson Circle Housing (off Kam Highway), Pearl Harbor.

Christian Science

SUNDAY
 9:30 a.m.—Bible School.
 11:00 a.m.—Church Service, Kainalu School, Kailua.
 Christian Science minister at Chapel Center, Friday, 9 to 10 a.m. For appointment at other hours, call 73182 or Mr. McGraw, Honolulu 410-392.

Protestant

TRINITY CHAPEL
 SUNDAY DIVINE SERVICES
 9:30 and 11 a.m.—Protestant Worship Service.

9:30 a.m.—Sunday School, Religious Education Center, Bldg 386. Class for all ages.

WEDNESDAY
 4:00 p.m.—Choir Rehearsal (to 9:30 a.m. service).
 7:30 p.m.—Choir Rehearsal.

Latter Day Saints

SUNDAY
 9:00 a.m.—Priesthood meeting.*
 10:00 a.m.—Sunday School.*
 4:00 p.m.—Sacrament Meeting.*
 *All services at Church of Latter Day Saints, Kailua rd., Kailua.

ALL SAINTS & ALL SOUL'S DAY

Catholic personnel will be interested to know that All Saints Day, one of the six Holy Days of obligation in the Church, falls on a Sunday this year, and will be observed with the usual times for Sunday Masses.

Monday Nov. 2 is All Soul's Day, and while not a Holy Day of obligation, it is a day on which special emphasis is placed on prayers for the Souls in Purgatory.

For the convenience of all, Father Conte and Father Cortney will offer Masses at 6, 6:25, 9, 11:30 and 11:55 a.m. and 4:30 p.m.



MCAAS, BEAUFORT, S.C.—A war on local mosquitoes is being waged by a U.S. Public Health Service aircraft operating out of MCAAS Beaufort in request to pleas by state and county health officials. The aerial duster will apply dust over a wide area of the Coastal Carolinas from Charleston to Hilton Head including the air station and Laurel Bay.

CAMP PENDLETON—Reckless, pride of the 5th Marines, is back in the news again. The little Mongolian headline stealer has been promoted from acting staff sergeant (E-5) to staff sergeant (E-6). No regular promotion board passed judgement on the ammo-toting, twice wounded mare. She was promoted meritoriously.

OKINAWA — A six man Chinese boxing team from Taiwan, Formosa, won four of their six fights here recently at the Stillwell Fieldhouse against boxers from the 3rd Marine Division, the Air Force, the Army, and from Koza high schools. In the fourth bout of the night, which was named by the judges as "fight of the night," Minoru Ura, of the Chuo High School Boxing club in Koza, dealt the Chinese Marines their first loss of the night.

BARSTOW, CALIF. — Three Marine Corps Supply Center personnel copped titles at the Interservice Boxing Tournament held at Edwards Air Force Base last week. Murlyn McCluskey, corpsman at the Station hospital, captured the light middleweight, Marty Sykes the featherweight and Ralph Brown the middleweight crowns. Vertis Garrett, a rugged light middleweight, won one of his three bouts.

CHERRY POINT — The Marine Corps will exercise complete control of the air in the Beaufort, N.C., area, according to Col. F. J. Frazier of the Cherry Point Marine Corps Air Station. Col. Frazier, speaking to a meeting of civilian pilots said all civilian flights, including short hops around the airfield must be cleared with the Cherry Point tower.

EL TORO, CALIF. — A new system for identifying automobiles registered at El Toro went into effect Oct. 5 when field grade officers will commence registration for new metal station tags. It is expected that the window decals will be phased out completely by Dec. 31.



OUTSTANDING NCO—ASSgt. Charles O. Saunders (right) of Hdqs. Co., 1st Marine Brigade, receives congratulations from Brig. Gen. F. L. Wieseman, Brigade commander, after receiving a meritorious mast Oct. 22. (Photo by ASgt. Bruce Hamper)

Peleliu Invaders Impress Youngster Now Infantryman With 4th Marines

By PFC. KENTON SKEELS

For ACpl. Raphael Nigirmang, a native of Peleliu Island, a life long dream has come true.

On a clear bright morning in 1944, the then six year old Nigirmang witnessed the first Allied air attacks on his home island.

He was evacuated from Peleliu only five days before the first wave of Marines landed on the beaches. After the bitter fighting had subsided he and his family returned to their home.

The sight of U. S. Marines was strange to him. Nigirmang He was very curious about them. He talked to them while they were on liberty and he visited them on the beaches.

His most prominent recollection of the Marines on the island was the time he watched them play football. The game was strange to him. Soon, however he had joined the men on the beach and was playing the game.

When asked about his opinion of the combat Marines he replied; "I was with the men every chance I had. They taught me how to play many American games and they were good to me in many other ways. Very soon I felt that the Marines were the best, not only in the United States, but throughout the world. I decided right then that if possible, I was some day going to become one."

Nigirmang was to learn much later that his wish wasn't going to be realized so easily.

He left his home on Peleliu in 1951 to attend school at Guam. While there, he met Airman Second

Class W. H. Turner. They became very good friends.

When Turner was scheduled to return to the States, he asked Nigirmang to accompany him to his home in Memphis, Tennessee. He left Guam a short time later.

Turner's parents "adopted" him and he lived at their home in Memphis until 1957.

In May, 1956 he decided the time had come to join the Corps, but trouble developed. It was then that he met 1st Sgt. Herbert L. Tutor, now serving as first sergeant of "B" Pioneer Company, Service Battalion, here at K-Bay.

In 1956 Tutor was a Marine recruiter stationed at Memphis. Cpl. Nigirmang told the "Top" of his desire and the Leatherneck went to work immediately.

Nigirmang was not a United States citizen, nor did he have a birth certificate or legal papers of his entry into the U. S. His case looked very grim. Tutor was faced with a lot of red tape.

There were many times that Nigirmang didn't believe he would be accepted into the Corps.

Fives months later, however, in February, 1957 he received his orders to report for duty. In his words, his reaction to the news was; "I was completely overjoyed. I couldn't eat or sleep for two days because I was so happy. I knew at last that I was going to be a Leatherneck."

Two years later while stationed at Camp Pendleton, he accidentally met Tutor again, who had traveled to California for an amphibious operation. He learned that the sergeant was stationed at Hawaii.

Several months later he too was assigned duty on the Island. He is now serving with "Bravo" Co., 1st Bn., 4th Marines.

Meritorious Mast Awarded Saunders

ASSgt. Charles O. Saunders, of Headquarters Co., 1st Marine Brigade, was awarded a meritorious mast last week for exceptional and commendable performance of duties as Brigade Passenger Transportation NCO.

The meritorious mast was conducted by Brig. Gen. F. L. Wieseman, commanding general, 1st Marine Brigade.

The citation which accompanied the mast read in part, "As the 1st Marine Brigade Passenger Transportation NCO for the past seventeen months, you have processed over 5,000 Marine Corps and Navy officers, enlisted personnel and dependents from the Windward side of Oahu.

"This figure includes families and personnel that were living here while their husbands were stationed in the Far East, dependents traveling alone or those with hardship cases.

"Your courteous and outstanding cooperative attention given these and all passengers processed through your office has consistently obtained favorable reaction from the people with whom you deal and reflects credit on you, this command and the Marine Corps.

"Acting Staff Sergeant Saunders, I commend you on the outstanding performance of your duties as the 1st Marine Brigade Passenger Transportation NCO."

MX Postal Unit Patronage Urged

Beginning tomorrow, the 1st Marine Brigade Postal unit located with the Christmas gift wrapping service in the Bldg. 1090 Marine Exchange Branch, will be open Saturdays from 8:30 a.m. to noon.

This postal service is not restricted to patrons using the wrapping service. As many personnel as possible are requested to utilize this Postal Unit to alleviate the load on the Regimental Post Office during the holiday season.

All postal services, with the exception of money orders, are available at the gift wrapping location.

Local postal officials also remind patrons that holiday season greeting cards may be mailed unsealed with 3 cent stamps to all destinations using domestic rates, except Canada or Mexico. Cards mailed to these two countries require 4 cent stamps, sealed or unsealed.

Staff NCO Wives

By Gertrude Burke

The first business meeting under the leadership of the new executive board is scheduled for 7:30 p.m., Nov. 3. All members are requested to bring a used, but not abused, toy to the meeting to be given to the Child Care Center.

Eighty club members and their husbands attended the 11th semi-annual officer installation ceremony last Friday evening. Col. and Mrs. M. M. Magruder were guests of honor.

Mrs. Magruder administered the oath of office to incoming officers, Mrs. Jerome Foley, president; Mrs. Emory Krotky, vice president; Mrs. Fred Prince, secretary; Mrs. James Menard, treasurer; and Mrs. Earl Williams, sergeant-at-arms. New committee members were also installed.

Outgoing executive officers and committee chairmen were presented with leis and extended a heartfelt "thanks" to AMSgt. Toon and his capable staff for all their cooperation during Staff Wives Club meeting and parties.



RED ONE—Lt. Col. Louis H. Steman, commanding officer of the Red Devils of VMF-232, disembarks from his Crusader jet garbed in a bright red flight suit. His transportation, a flashy red convertible, awaits him together with the CO's three-pronged trident held by his driver. A: leading Demon, Col. Steman sets the pace that has set new records for VMF-232. (Photo by ASgt. Bruce Hamper)

SCHEMING 'RED DEMON' ADDS FIRE TO VMF-232

Beelzebub is on the loose in Hawaii! What's more he's a real sporty demon in a flaming red flight suit and a bright red convertible.

Most of his activities are confined to the Marine Corps Air Station, Kaneohe, but occasionally one of his hot cohorts earns the privilege of driving his fiery chariot around the island of Oahu.

The Kaneohe Bay "devil" is Lt. Col. Louis H. Steman, commanding officer of Marine Fighter Squadron 232. The fact that the outfit is known as the "Red Devils" is not incidental.

From the "skipper" to the rawest replacement, "Steman's screaming" demons pride themselves in being the hottest squadron in the 1st Marine Brigade's Marine Aircraft Group 13. They also fly and maintain Hawaii's hottest aircraft, the 1000-mile-per-hour-plus F8U Crusader.

Records mean little to the Red Devils. They will set a new mark one month in squadron flight hours, bombs dropped or aerial gunnery, and attempt to break it the following month.

Regular hours mean little when the squadron is out to break a record, 12 to 14 hours a day, 7 days a week are not unknown.

Teamwork and spirit is the key. The teamwork is a physical thing that can be seen in the hustling mechanics, ground crewmen and ever-flying pilots. But the spirit of the outfit is almost as tangible. A Crusader grounded for repairs is an insult to all hands and working hours are thrown out the hangar door until the aircraft is back in a flying status. But it isn't all work. Red One,

code for Col. Steman, garbed in his colorful flightsuit and armed with a three-pronged trident, is likely to pop-up anywhere in the hangar repair area or flight line. Wisecracks and a friendly prod or two mark the "skipper's" progress. More important, personal attention, in the form of an appreciative pat-on-the-back, from the commanding officer sends morale zooming to new heights.

The Buick convertible purchased by Col. Steman, will be passed on to his successors as squadron commanding officers are transferred. It is also used to reward the enlisted man selected as the VMF-232 Marine of the month. With a full tank of gas, the vehicle is turned over to the outstanding Leatherneck for a "big" date, a trip around the island or for some other leisure hour pursuit.

NURSERY RATES CHANGE
Child Care Center officials wish to notify parents that new rates will go into effect Sunday, Nov. 1.

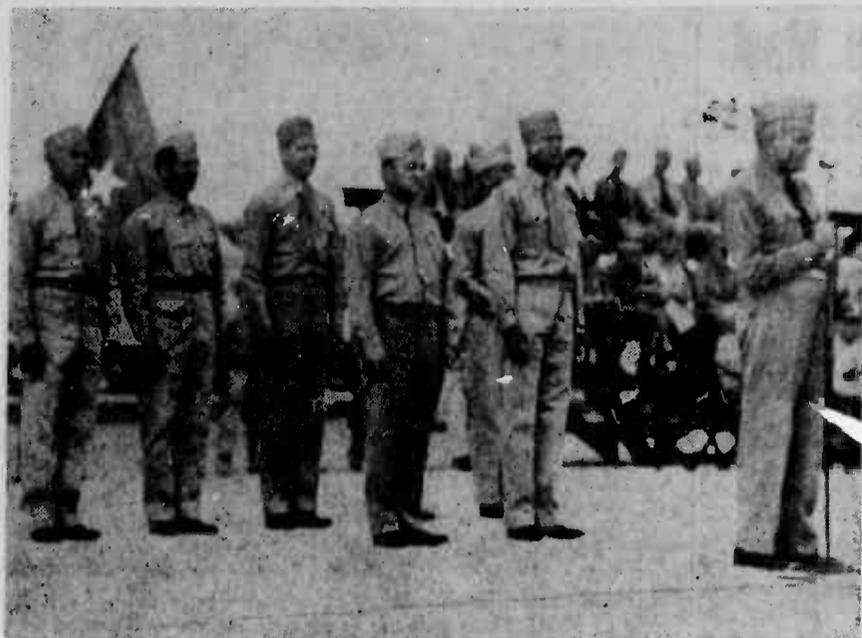
The new rates are as follows:
HOURLY RATES — one child, 35 cents, two children of the same family, 50 cents and 10 cents for each additional child of the same family.
MONTHLY RATES — one child, \$36, two children of the same family, \$52 and \$12 for each additional child of the same family.



NAVY DAY—Brig. Gen. F. L. Wieseman, commanding general of the 1st Marine Brigade, performs the honors in the Station Dispensary Tuesday on the occasion of the local celebration of the U. S. Navy's 183rd anniversary.



DONATES BLOOD—LCpl. David R. Bendorf, center, talks with ASgt. Wade D. King as nurse, Mrs. Hatsuye Matsunobu of Queen's Hospital in Honolulu, takes blood from King which was donated in the name of 10-year-old Ernest Charter of Kailua, a hemophilia victim. The Marines were part of a group of 43 Leathernecks from Camp Catlin who donated their blood.



WITH "BULL" HALSEY — The late Admiral "Bull" Halsey addresses his men at Ewa, as Marine officers stand at attention during a review. Colonel Vernon E. Megee stands second from right, front rank. The photograph was taken at Ewa in 1944. Ewa was located adjacent to Barber's Point.



ADVISOR TO PERU — In October, 1940, Major Megee was assigned to the U.S. Naval Aviation Mission in Peru as special advisor to that government's Minister of Aviation. He is shown with the American Ambassador to Peru and Vice President Henry Wallace.

Gen. Megee Climaxes Career Tomorrow

Tomorrow marks the end of more than 40 years of Marine Corps service for Lt. Gen. Vernon E. Megee, commanding general, Fleet Marine Force, Pacific.

Few people have accomplished as much in a military career as he has, rising from a private in 1919 to command two-thirds of the total operating forces of the Marine Corps. That is an accomplishment any Marine would be proud to claim!

Gen. Megee is not only an aviator, but spent ten years with the ground marines prior to receiving his wings. His experience on the ground equals or is greater than the experience of many of his non-flying staff officers. He knows the problems of both.

Having been reared on an Oklahoma ranch, he developed an early interest in shooting which he has continued throughout the years. Wherever Gen. Megee is in command, you can count on there being an active, competitive marksmanship program, even to the extent of personally participating in competitive skeet shooting, in which he is a formidable opponent.

He has stated that he hopes his retirement will give him the opportunity to catch up on his hunting and fishing, not having been able to do as much of it as he would have liked, the last few years.

Prior to his present command, General Megee served at Marine Corps Headquarters, Washington, D. C. as Assistant Commandant of

the Marine Corps and Chief of Staff, the first Leatherneck aviator to hold that post.

In Korea he commanded the 1st Marine Aircraft Wing from January to December, 1953, winning the Air Force Distinguished Service Medal in that capacity. In World War II he saw action in the Iwo Jima, Okinawa and Western Carolines operations earning the Legion of Merit with Combat "V" as commander of Landing Force Air Support Control Unit One at Iwo Jima and the Bronze Star Medal with Combat "V" as commander of all the Marine Landing Force air support control units at Okinawa.

He also earned the Navy and Marine Corps Medal for commendatory achievement June 19, 1930, while flying as an observer and machine gunner in an attack on a large force of rebel bandits in Nicaragua.

The general was born June 5, 1900, at Tulsa, Okla., and is a graduate of Oklahoma A & M College. He enlisted in the Marine Corps on March 8, 1919, and was commissioned a second lieutenant May 4, 1922. After completing the Officers Basic Course, he served his first tour of expeditionary duty with the 1st Marine Brigade in Haiti from October, 1923, to November, 1925. He was then stationed with the 10th Marines at Quantico, Va., until April, 1927, when he was ordered to China for his second tour of expeditionary duty.

Returning from China in March, 1928, General Megee was assigned to preliminary aviation training at the Naval Air Station, San Diego, Calif., until January, 1929. He then began another tour of expeditionary service as Squadrons Quartermaster, Aircraft Squadrons, 2nd Marine Brigade, in Nicaragua. After earning the Navy and Marine Corps Medal there, he returned to the United States to enter flight training at Pensacola, Fla., in January, 1931.

Awarded his wings in February, 1932, the general was assigned to Aircraft Squadrons, West Coast Expeditionary Forces at San Diego, where he remained until May, 1933. The following month he began a three-year tour of duty at Quantico, where he served as a student and instructor in the Marine Corps Schools, then as Executive Officer of Marine Fighter Squadron 9.

He entered the Air Corps Tactical School at Maxwell Field, Ala., in August, 1936, and after graduating in June, 1937, returned to Quantico for another two years as an instructor in Aviation tactics. In July, 1939, he took command of Marine Fighter Squadron 2, 2nd Marine Aircraft Group, with which he participated in fleet exercises the following year.

In October, 1940, General Megee was assigned to the U. S. Naval Aviation Mission to Peru as special advisor to that government's Minister of Aviation. For his service in that capacity during the next three years he was awarded the Peruvian Aviation Cross, First Class.

He returned to the United States in October, 1943, and the following month reported to Cherry Point, N. C., as Chief of Staff of the 3rd Marine Aircraft Wing. He was ordered to the Pacific theater with that unit in May, 1944.

In October, 1944, the general was assigned to Aircraft, Fleet Marine Force, Pacific, as commander of Provisional Air Support command. After leading Control Unit One at Iwo Jima he was named Chief of Staff, Air Support Control Units, Pacific Fleet, with additional duty as Commander, Marine Air Support Control Units. He served in that capacity until he returned to the United States in September, 1945.

Reporting to Marine Corps Headquarters that October, General Megee was a member of the Joint Amphibious Operations and Doctrines Committee until August, 1946. Then, after serving briefly as an instructor at the National War College, Washington, he was promoted to brigadier general in December, 1946, and or-

dered to Norfolk, Va., where he became Chief of Staff, Fleet Marine Force, Atlantic, the following month.

He returned to Washington in August, 1949, to serve as Assistant Director of Marine Corps Aviation until January, 1950, when he was named Director of Intelligence with the Joint Staff, Department of Defense.

In August, 1951, he was promoted to major general and named commander of the Marine Corps Air Station and Marine Corps Air Bases at Cherry Point.

The general remained there until February, 1952, then served for almost a year as Commanding General, Aircraft, Fleet Marine Force, Pacific, at El Toro, Calif., before taking command of the 1st Marine Aircraft Wing in Korea in January, 1953. The following January, he reported to Pearl Harbor, where he served as Deputy Commander, Fleet Marine Force Pacific, until June, 1955.

A month later he was appointed Commanding General, Aircraft, Fleet Marine Force, Atlantic, serving in that capacity at Norfolk, Va., until he assumed his present rank in January, 1956.

General Megee was then transferred to Marine Corps Headquarters, Washington, D. C., serving as Assistant Commandant of the Marine Corps and Chief of Staff until he received orders assigning him duties as Commanding General, Fleet Marine Force, Pacific at Camp H. M. Smith, Hawaii. He assumed command in December, 1957.



LAST YEAR — Gen. Megee introduces Hawaiian Governor William F. Quinn at the 1958 Marine Corps Birthday Ball. The 1958 Ball was the last Marine Corps Birthday celebration that Gen. Megee will attend while on active duty.



ARDENT SPORTSMAN—Lt. Gen. Vernon E. Megee presents the massive Megee Trophy to ASgt. J. T. Turk early last spring. A perpetual award donated by Gen. Megee, the trophy is presented each quarter to the Leatherneck with the highest combined rifle and pistol score in intramural competition.



IWO JIMA, 1945—On Iwo Jima, he commanded Landing Force Air Support Control Unit One, in which assignment he earned the Legion of Merit with Combat "V." He is shown in front of his Command Post on Iwo Jima.



EMPLOYEES' COUNCIL — Posing with the MCAS commanding officer, Col. M. M. Magruder, newly elected Council members are (front row, l to r) Walter Gaspar, Margaret Ako, Margarette Yeager, Leimomi Tilton; (second row) Norman Higa, Sarah Souza, Daniel Denis; (third row) Col. Magruder, Albert Perreira, Alfred Oliveira, Jr., Alfred Deluze; (back row) Gilbert Silva, Sigurd Jensen, Tom Fanene (alternate), George Teves. Missing Council members are William Ching, Albert Quinta, Julia Jones, Wanda Hamilton, James Ako, Melvin Todd and George Young.

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LATEST SUGGESTION AWARD

Congratulations are in order for these employees who recently received awards for their adopted suggestions: Nicholas Souza, PW, earned an additional \$20.00 for his crash truck fire hose repair tool that was further evaluated for safety factors and adopted by NAS Barber's Point; Robert K. Ikeda, Supply, received \$30.00 for his idea to put a try scale in Produce Section of the Stores Commissary for convenience of customers.

Mary L. Austin, Comptroller, netted \$25.00 for devising a way of expediting posting by increased use of National Cash Register Bookkeeping Machine; Ruth E. Croft, IRD, received \$10.00 for a new personnel records transmittal form for 14ND use.

Tanilau F. Dias, Communications, was a double award winner getting \$10.00 for suggesting better storage for tape recorder demagnetizer and \$25.00 for improving the ventilation system at Kansas Tower Electronics Equipment room.

Michael Gay, PW, received a Certificate of Award in recognition of his suggestion on a check valve in the high pressure system serving Capehart housing that will contribute to more effective operation.

Q. I was earning \$3945 per annum and received a rate increase to \$4040 per annum. Will I get written notification or an insurance rider for the change in amount of insurance coverage?

A. No. The amount of insurance automatically changes whenever your annual compensation is increased by an amount sufficient to raise or lower insurance to a different \$1,000 bracket. That is, when you were earning \$3945 per annum, your insurance coverage was \$4,000. Now that your annual salary is \$4040 per annum, your insurance coverage automatically goes up to \$5,000. The new amount of insurance is effective on the date the salary rate change occurs.

SUPERVISORY TIP

Supervisors, why not establish a B. S. P. (Beneficial Suggestion Period) from time to time, and let your employees help you streamline your work operations?

During these periods, the office force could meet in small groups or, if a small office, in one group to discuss the workability of suggestions offered by each member.

The time spent in the interchange of ideas for getting the job well done with more speed, accuracy and also more economically should produce

some excellent results and also lead other employees to come up with additional ideas. Why not give it a try?

INDEBTEDNESS

Federal employees are expected to pay their debts and a consistent failure to assume a responsible attitude toward obligations is considered sufficient reason to remove an employee from the Federal Service. Repeated failure to honor debts indicates a pattern of unreliability and will not be condoned.

Each notice of indebtedness received must be answered and all pertinent correspondence becomes a part of the employee's personnel folder. Too much time is now being spent on employee financial problems.

The Federal service is not a harbor for those who refuse to pay debts, and this is just a "word to the wise"—"Take care of your obligations and remain a Government employee."

SICK LEAVE AWARDS

Four employees were recently commended for the accrual of 500 hours of sick leave. Award certificates signed by the Commanding Officer were presented to Christopher Manuwai, Supply, and Evelyn W. Wright, Mary B. Duffen and Jim Rudge of PW. Evelyn and Mary now join Lois Guess as the only PW women in the 500 Hour group.

INTEREST RATE ON SAVINGS BOND INCREASED

New Series E and H bonds with issue dates of 1 June 1959 and after now earn 3-3/4% interest if held to maturity instead of former 3-1/2%. All outstanding Series E and H bonds purchased prior to 1 June 1959 earn at least 1/2% more than before from now to next maturity.

There is no security available to investors, large or small, that is safer than a U. S. Savings Bond. Moreover, unlike cash, your bonds while you hold them continually on or after June 1, 1959 will now grow in value.

A \$75.00 Series E bond purchased on or after June 1, 1959 will now reach full maturity value of \$100.00 in 7 years, 9 months from issue date instead of the former 8 years, 11 months.

Payroll Savings Authorization cards for bond deductions as well as Personnel Record Cards for you to list the bonds you hold are available in IRD.

SUPPLY NEWS

ALOHA WEEK FESTIVITIES — The spirit of Aloha Week was con-

spicuous as the following winners won prizes for "the most" in Hawaiian attire in daily contests: Jenn Sato, Wanda Hamilton, June Nun, Helen Sakamoto and Norma Kulanani who were judged daily winners for beautiful aloha shirts were Richard Lum, Ernest Francis, Andrew Stanley, John Dixon and Richard Yokomichi.

Musical entertainment during the Aloha luncheon was sparked by Supply talent including Jimmy Ako and Alma Ho who sang the Hawaiian Wedding Song and trio K. A. Lee, Jimmy Ako and John Freltas who vocalized My Blue Heaven in Japanese.

BIRTH NOTES — Major and Mrs. C. F. Hamlin, Jr. welcomed their third child, Elizabeth Louise, who tipped the scales at 8 lbs. 4 ozs. New addition for the family of Captain and Mrs. Robert Borders is Thomas Joseph. The 8 lb. 2 oz. son joins two brothers.

GEN. MEGEE

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Marines will then fire a 17 gun salute.

After Gen. Megee, accompanied by Brig. Gen. F. L. Wieseman, commanding general, 1st Marine Brigade, has inspected the massed troops, he will make a farewell address.

At the conclusion of Gen. Megee's address, the assembled units will pass in review.

As the last marching unit passes the reviewing stand, 36 aircraft of Marine Aircraft Group-13 will execute an aloha fly-over honoring Gen. Megee.

Aircraft will include 20 Fury jets, eight Crusader jets, and eight helicopters. Furies will be from VMA-212, VMA 214, and H&MS-13, Crusaders from VMF-232 and helicopters from HMR-161.

When the last aircraft has passed, the 1st Marine Brigade Band will play Auld Lang Syne. Gen. Megee's four star flag will be lowered and folded by orderlies, and Maj. Gen. F. M. McAlister will step forward and present the flag to Gen. Megee.

Following the parade and review, a reception and coffee will be held at K-Bay's Commissioned Officers Mess honoring Gen. and Mrs. Megee.

Saturday evening, officers and their ladies on the Leeward side will honor Gen. and Mrs. Megee with a reception at Camp H. M. Smith.

Maj. Gen. Thomas A. Wornham, selected for promotion to lieutenant general, will succeed Gen. Megee as FMFPac commander.

Theater Schedule

TONIGHT

JET PILOT — Janet Leigh is the Soviet woman air force officer who takes jet controls in hand with ease. John Wayne is the American officer who is to keep her in sight. Rough duty. . . Seems she is a top "red" spy and has been brought down with her plane in Alaska. It is in color and runs for 112 minutes a good rating for adults only.

SATURDAY MATINEE

No information available

SATURDAY

GIDEON OF SCOTLAND YARD — Chief Inspector Gideon, Jack Hawkins, starts off the movie picking up the morning milk to end it with a midnight seeing the airport to identify, there's a fast moving success violence and bribes, murder, touched with heart-all of this interest touches, some warming fan minutes of adult and interest entertainment.

SUNDAY MATINEE

No information available

SUNDAY

WILD HERITAGE . . . Dig this. . . an off beat western. Maureen O'Sullivan, mother of four little ones travels via covered wagon, toward the wild and woolly West. After many mishaps they plan on returning to get East where things aren't so tough. The youngun's decide to stay and carve out a successful life against almost insurmountable odds. It is recommended for the family and has a running time of 84 minutes.

MONDAY

SLAUGHTER ON 10TH AVENUE — A hard hitting melodrama of union racketeering on New York's waterfront. Richard Egan, a forceful actor, takes the leading role. This is a night for the kiddies to stay at home and watch TV. This movie displays so much violence that it will chill the blood of many. It is a fairly true rendition of the waterfront situation of a few years ago. Assisting Egan are Jan Sterling, Dan Duryea and Julie Adams. 103 minutes of excellent entertainment.

KARATE ENTHUSIASTS

All personnel stationed aboard the Marine Corps Air Station interested in learning the art of Karate should contact AMSgt. Al Black at 72912. The goal in mind of interested personnel so far is to get together a team which will compete with clubs from Honolulu.

ment for adults.

TUESDAY

RIDE LONESOME — Walter, it dolph Scott as star peniment is bound to be good results of for western fans. Fine actors, movie, with all stance, colorful one of fine Pare handy with ful characterful with horses. guns and griff turned bounty Scott is in Steele, Pernell Rohunter, James Best share the bertat for 84 minutes.

WEDNESDAY

HANGMAN — This flicker has an unusual knack in that it builds up sympathy for both the U. S. Marshal, Robert Taylor, and the man he is forced to track down, Jack Lord, who is now married and reformed. Tina Louise, of "God's Little Acre" fame is the supporting actress. Running time for this adult movie is 107 minutes.

THURSDAY

NUN'S STORY — This is the movie and story that created quite a sensation in almost every city it played. Audrey Hepburn stars in the dramatic and touching story of a young girl who enters the convent and works in the Belgian Congo. It relates the story of how she believes she has made a mistake in her vocation. An excellent movie for every member of the family. The second movie for the evening should start at approximately 8:50 p.m.

Staff NCO Club

TONIGHT

All the equipment to unwind the week's tension! Happy Hour's on from 4 'til 7 p.m.

SATURDAY

HALLOWEEN DANCE—Costume Ball with music by Ken Alford. Dress up in your goriest! Prizes for the best get ups, but only one each, for the best man, woman, and couple, so let your imagination be your guide.

SUNDAY

Take a kitchen break and bring the family in for a feast. Only \$1.00 per, and half price for children's portion.

MONDAY

Toastmasters meeting at 7 p.m.

TUESDAY

Staff NCO Wives Club meeting. Bar and dining room open.

WEDNESDAY

Comon in and make the rounds after work—a few games, a bartender's shoulder, and a good dinner in the dining room—where else?

THURSDAY

Eddie Rogers opens his dance classes at 8:15 p.m.



TAGGED—Ronald Carvallo takes one on the chin from Joseph Loudd in last week's boxing smoker. Carvallo and Loudd came out at the sound of the bell and began pushing leather. They belted each other for three full rounds without letting up. Loudd was winner of the match by decision. (Photo by Pfc. Don R. Ward)



HANG ON! — MCAS griddier, far left, heads for the way while D. L. Olson, number 44, latches onto a 1st Bn. carrier. The infantry ball-carrier did some fancy stepping but couldn't get away from the grips of MCAS's hard hitting center. (Photo by Don R. Ward)

1ST BN. BELTS MCAS, 38-14 IN 6 MAN GRIDIRON OPENER

Gridders from 1st Battalion, 4th Marines stomped the MCAS six man team into the deck with a 38-14 score last Tuesday at Dailey Field.

Brig. Gen. F. L. Wieseman, commanding general, 1st Marine Brigade and Col. E. J. Doyle, representing the station commander, were on hand for opening ceremonies here at MCAS.

The brigade team won the toss and requested to receive. MCAS kicked-off deep into 1st Bn.'s territory. The ball was picked up by Robert L. Davis and he began travelling. The long legged backfield runner sprinted all the way to the pay dirt area. The score stood, 6-0.

The backfield contingent of the 1/4 squad displayed some fancy, behind the scrimmage line, ball handling much to the dismay of the MCAS team. The ball passed from hand to hand like it was on the basketball court.

After the initial score the defensive team for MCAS kept the ball in control until mid-second quarter, when Davis again got his hands on the ball and began pumping towards the end zone. The extra point was made and 1st Bn. led, 13-0.

D. L. Olson, hard hitting center for the station team made a series of tackles that left the regimental men spinning. After one hit the

player flipped off his helmet, spit out his mouthpiece and began shaking his head. He knew right well he had been hit and hit hard.

MCAS threatened just before the half when Edward L. Jory made a 70 yard run but was called back by the referee for illegal procedure.

At half-time the score stood, 1st Bn.—13, MCAS-0.

The 1st Bn. kicked-off at the beginning of the second half and drove the MCAS squad back into their end zone. The line couldn't hold the driving infantry men and a safety was racked up which brought the score to 16-0.

Chester Markham recorded the first tally for the "Red" team in the early part of the third quarter when he ran for the goal posts. The extra point was run and the score stood at 16-7.

The "Blue" team didn't seem to appreciate the 16-7 score made against

them. David L. Rand, quarter back for 1/4, made a long run and scored again for the visiting team.

After that game was in the clutches of 1/4, Davis, stretched his legs again in the third quarter to score and Kenneth Paskewicz picked up a pass from Robert Stidham to rack up another counter.

In the last quarter of play another touchback was made against MCAS.

With only a few minutes left in the last quarter, Walter Bailey tossed the pigskin to Markham and the final tally of the game was recorded. Jerome Gidrey took the sphere over for the extra point and shortly thereafter the game ended.

At the sound of the closing gun it was 38 for 1st Bn. and 14 for MCAS.

All games played at Dailey Field begin at 3 p.m.

AMSGt. Jack Rickard Scores 256 For High Honors at MCAS Lanes

AMSGt. Jack Rickard was probably the most outstanding bowler last week when he racked up a 256 at the MCAS lanes.

Sgt. Rickard rolls them with the



AMSGT. JACK RICKARD

MAG-13 Intramural scratch league. His line started out with a split, then he tallied up six strikes in a row, a spare in the 8th and 9th frames and then struck out in the last.

BRIGADE-STATION INTRAMURAL LEAGUE

All personnel interested in participating in a Brigade-Station league should turn their names in to ASSgt. Huntley at the MCAS bowling alley or call 72597.

This will be a scratch league and all personnel are eligible to enter.

There will be a six game "roll

off" between 1 and 5 p.m. on Nov. 5 with the six highest averages for six games being selected to form the Headquarters and Headquarters Squadron team. Additional information may be obtained by calling the bowling alley at 72597.

With the exception of the "roll off" games, there will be no charge for bowling in this league.

BALL & CHAIN

In first place is the CHAIN GANG with the LOHI group following. The SADDLESONS moved last week from seventh position to third. Bob Clapsaddle rolled a high game of 212 for the men and Mae Bolton took the honors for the women with a 181.

The final results of the Brigade Intramural League were announced this week. The results were as follows:

Team	W	L
MABS 1	37½	7½
1/4 Panthers	35	10
VMF-232	34	11
Hq. Brig	31½	13
1/4 Bears	29½	15½
HAMS-13	29	16
MABS 2	25	20
2/4 Red	24½	20½
3/12 Strikers	19	26
2/4 Gold	17	28
Hq. Co. 4th Mar.	16	29
Serv. Bn. Hurlers	15	30
1/4 Tigers	15	30
H&S Serv. Bn.	15	30
"B" Med.	9	36
3/12 Spares	8	37

36 HOLE PLAY TO CELEBRATE MC BIRTHDAY

A 36 hole medal play tournament has been scheduled for the weekend of Nov. 7-8 to commemorate the 184th anniversary of the birth of the United States Marine Corps.

This event will be held in "flights" dependent on the total entry. If the number that registers exceeds 40, then there will be three flights. If the total entry exceeds 55 then there will be four flights.

The aforementioned four "flights" will be broken down according to handicap, and an equal distribution will be made for each flight. Net and gross awards will be given in each flight.

Application blanks for entry in this tournament will be available at the golf club house over the week end and entries will close at 12 noon, Dec. 6.

Pairings and starting time will be posted by 5 p.m. on Nov. 6, and all entrants are urged to contact the Pro Shop to find out what their pairings and starting times are.

An entry fee of \$2.50 per person has been set and appropriate awards will be given.

SHOOTERS CORNER

This week's subject will be on the Brigade and Station rifle and pistol competition known as the Intramural Rifle and Pistol program.

Here is how our Intramural Rifle and Pistol Windward League works. Range availability permitting, we try to have one match per month in each quarter. These matches include both rifle and pistol, each being held at various dates.

To determine the teams which will compete against the Leeward side, we take the scores of all three matches and add the together to give us the grand aggregate score.

The four rifle teams with the highest scores are then chosen to represent the Brigade or Station in the Inter-League shoot off. The Brigade was host unit for the last quarter.

Three pistol teams are chosen in the same manner.

At the end of the third match of any quarter, the winning rifle team receives the Windward trophy. Each member of the winning team receives a medal. The first, second, and third place individuals are also presented medals. The same awards are given in pistol events.

Monthly Small Bore Match

High shooter for the Monthly Smallbore Match held Oct. 9 was an Army man, C. G. Harris of "D" Btry., 8th Artillery, with a score of 393x400. Lt. R. J. Maguire of the 2nd Bn., 4th Marines, firing with the Hawaii Marine Team, picked up a medal with his 389.

The team match was taken by the Hawaii Marine Team No. 1 with a score of 1522x1600 earning the team a trophy and gold medals for individuals. Two of the team members were from the Brigade on temporary duty with the Hawaii Marine Team.



K-BAY KUTIES — These four lovelies practiced their swings at the Klipper Course in preparation for the "Muumu" tourney which begins Sunday at 12:30 p.m. The Scotch Foursome can be played with your own mate or you can draw for partners. Entrance fee is \$1.50 and you can sign up at the Klipper clubhouse. A 15 point penalty will be invoked on all players wearing fitted garments and a one stroke penalty for every inch over six inches the muumu is off the ground. Many prizes will be awarded for the best games and of course for the most attractive muumu's. L to R. are Pfc F. L. Habjan, Maj. R. E. Hoskins, and Capts. J. J. Delaney and N. C. Madore. (Photo by ASgt. Bruce Hamper)

PIGSKIN PICKIN'

Jack Sheehan topped the list again last week as far as percentages go with a 190. Your sports editor takes a sad second place with 168 and Ed Creen, ISO Chief trails the pack with a 125.

TEAMS	G	S	Z	Your Pickin's
Syracuse vs. Pittsburgh	S	S	S	
Army vs. Air Force	AF	AF	AF	
Navy vs. Notre Dame	ND	Navy	Navy	
Mich. St. vs. Ohio St.	MS	MS	MS	
Purdue vs. Illinois	I	P	P	
SMU vs. Texas	T	S	S	
Calif. vs. S. Calif.	SC	SC	SC	
College of Pacific vs. Hawaii	CoP	CoP	H	
Penn. St. vs. W. Virginia	PS	PS	PS	
Indiana vs. Northwestern	NW	NW	NW	

Sports Calendar

MCAS BOWLING ALLEY

Mondays — Station Mr. and Mrs. League, 8 p.m.

Tuesday — Hq. & Hq. Sq. League, 6:30 p.m.

Wednesdays — MAG-13 Intramural League, 8 p.m.

Fridays — Mokapu Mr. and Mrs. League roll at 5 p.m. Ball and Chain Loop at 8.

MCAS POP WARNER FOOTBALL
Oct. 31—Kaneohe Marines vs. Kailua at KMCAS, 10 a.m.

6 MAN FOOTBALL
Nov. 3—1-4 vs. MAG-13, 3 p.m. at Dailey Field.

Nov. 4—Serv. Bn. vs. MCAS, 3 p.m. at field adjacent to the enlisted swimming pool.

Nov. 6—Camp Smith vs. 2/4 at Camp Smith, game time is 8 p.m.

ALBERT CRABTREE PICKED AS OUTSTANDING FIGHTER

Albert Crabtree of H&S Co., 2nd Bn., 4th Marines was voted the most outstanding fighter of last week-end's boxing smoker.

On Thursday night, the first night of the smoker, Crabtree matched with Glenn Boyd and came out the winner. What the 139 pound Crabtree didn't know was that after the first bout he had injured three of his ribs.

He came back into the ring later in the evening against Richard Thompson and won again. To top that off he fought again Friday evening against John Rayford. Ray-



ALBERT CRABTREE

ford took a unanimous decision against the "never say die" Crabtree.

Crabtree will be leaving Hawaii shortly and therefore was not picked up to become a member of the Varsity Boxing Squad.

After his release from the Marine Corps Al plans to return to his home town of Dallas, Texas, with hopes of entering the professional ring with the Dallas Eagles.

He has had 19 fights and lost only two. He has never been knocked out.

Thursday's fight between Ronald Carvallo and Joseph Loudd proved to be one of the fastest moving bouts of the card. The two mittmen came at each other at the sound of the first bell and kept up a terrible pace of leather pushing until the final bell was sounded. It was a slam-bang bout and both boxers knew they had been up against a

good man. Loudd emerged victorious in this close battle.

During the "7th inning stretch" on Thursday "Red" Pryor gave a speed bag demonstration much to the amusement of everyone present.

Robert (Joe) Cevello, who made an excellent showing and was the only other contender for the outstanding fighter award, won on a split decision against L. V. Rainey Thursday evening and on Friday night's card he tagged Bobby Hallias with a series of body punches, a terrific left hook and a smooth uppercut which put Hallias down for the count.

After Friday's bouts, which attracted approximately 1,000 spectators, boxing coach AMSgt. Jerry Plunkett sat down and began picking his varsity team members.

In the 125 pound bracket he has Tom "Trigger" Long. Moving up to 132 pound class "Gunny" Plunkett grabbed Ronald Carvallo, Robert (The Brooklyn Kid) Cevello, and L. V. Rainey. John Rayford and Al Armentor were picked up in the 139 pound bracket. Other team members include Joe Clark, John McKinley, Stanley Niogorski, Rocky Winstead, Leonard Myers and Bill Bailey as equipment manager.

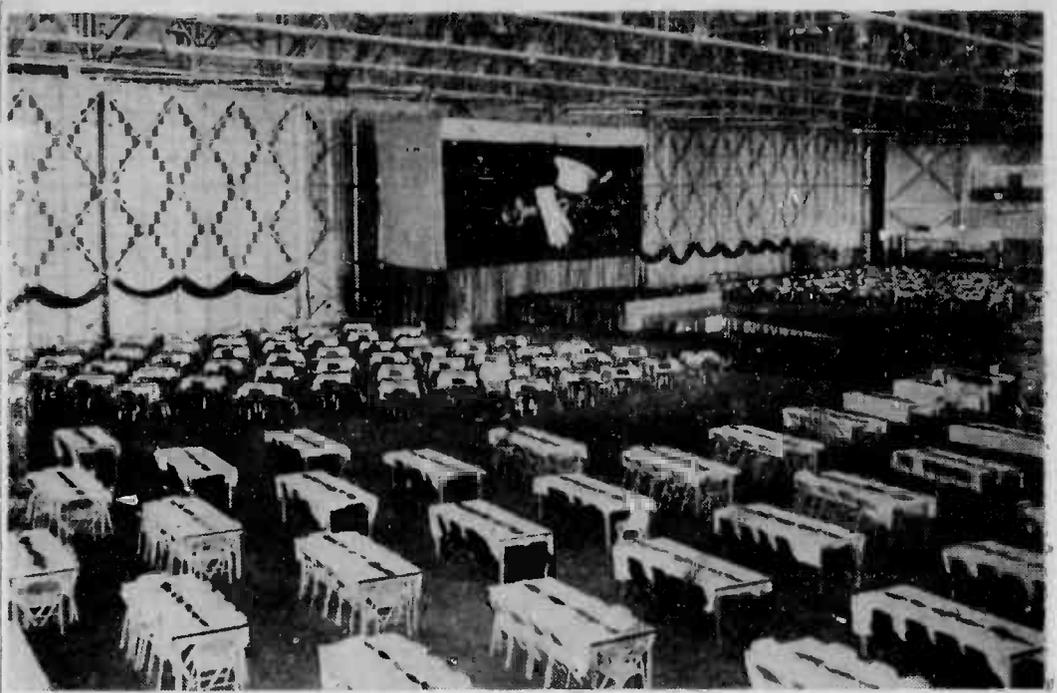
Last year's members who are again on the squad include Al Stenrud, Ray Phillips, Amos Johnson, Gabe Terronez, and George Chapman.

The varsity squad is training now in preparation for the Junior National bouts which will be held at Civic Auditorium on Nov. 30 through December 4.

STATE PISTOL CHAMPIONSHIP

Dates for the 1959 State Pistol Championship have been set for Nov. 7 and 8. Conducted by the Hawaii Rifle Association and sponsored by the NRA, the match will be held at the Hawaii National Guard pistol range at Diamond Head. Interested personnel can contact AGySgt. Rocha at 72067.

Listen to "Reveille Revue" from 5 to 7:30 a.m. each morning, Monday through Friday. It's 1240 on your radio dial with Marine ActSgt. Bill Stuckey your host.



HANGAR 105 — Taken prior to last Year's Marine Corps anniversary celebration, this view shows how the hangar can be converted into a huge ballroom to accommodate the hundreds of junior enlisted men and their dates. This year's cake cutting ceremony begins at 8 p.m., Nov. 10 with seating arrangements beginning at 7 p.m. Comedian Rufe Davis and songstress Maureen Brady headline the entertainment bill.

COLORFUL ANNIVERSARY CELEBRATIONS SCHEDULED FOR CLUBS AND HANGAR 105

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until 1 a.m. closing. Sultry Ella Corca will handle the vocal chores.

For the convenience of couples who wish to divide their time between the activities at the Club and Hangar 105, a shuttle bus service will be in operation between the two locations.

STAFF NCO BIRTHDAY BALL

Seating accommodations for 1,325 people are planned for the celebration of the Marine Corps Birthday Ball by the Staff NCOs at K-Bay the night of Nov. 10.

According to 1stSgt. J. D. Bidwell, who heads this year's entertainment committee, approximately 325 seats will be available inside the Staff NCO Club (125 in the dining room, 100 in the Aloha Room and 100 in the bar room.)

Accommodations for seating the additional 1000 will be provided outside of the Club under a giant luau tent. The tent will be located on the lawn adjacent to the patio.

It is planned to utilize the entire ballroom for dancing.

The Club will open at 6:30 p.m. and there will be no reserved seats. Tickets, which have been on sale since Oct. 20, are priced at one dollar each. Deadline for the purchase of tickets is Nov. 3. No one will be admitted without a ticket.

Mixes and a buffet dinner will be covered by the cost of the tickets. Although the bar will be open until the 1 a.m. closing, members have been urged to patronize the package goods store which will remain open from noon until 10 p.m.

Dancing will commence at 7:30 with Ken Alford and his Dixiecats supplying the music.

The cake cutting ceremony and pageant will begin at 9 p.m., followed by the buffet dinner.

Among the items on the menu will be shrimp cocktail, baked ham, roast beef, fried chicken and other delicacies.

Uniform will be Summer Service "A" with garrison cap or Dress Blue "B". For women the dress will be either semi-formal or formal. Male civilian guests will be required to wear coats and ties.

No coat checking service will be available.

OFFICERS BIRTHDAY BALL

The commissioned officers' mess will be the setting for one of the most colorful local observances of the Corps' 184th Anniversary, come November 10.

The officer's "dress" occasion will start at 8 p.m.

Two dance orchestras have been engaged for the evening. One will

provide dance music for the Main Dining Room area while the other will hold forth on the Lower Lanai.

Reservations for the Officer's Ball are now being taken. They can be made with unit adjutants and personnel officers.

Deadline for the Anniversary reservations is 4 p.m., Nov. 6.

Tickets, which cost \$5.00 per person with dinner, \$2.50 each without the meal, may be paid for with cash or checks may be signed.

The entree on the dinner menu will be Prime Rib Roast Beef.

Uniform for the anniversary observance will be Mess Dress "B" White Dress or Summer Service "A" for those officers not required to possess a dress uniform.

The schedule of events for the November 10 party is:

- Package Store Hours . . . 6 to 10 p.m.
 - Bar Hours 6 p.m. to 1 a.m.
 - Dinner Hours 7 to 9 p.m.
 - Dancing 8 p.m. to 1 a.m.
 - Ceremony 10:30 p. m.
- Ice and mix will be provided without cost

Traffic Violations

STATION

ASSGT. R. C. TERWILLIGER, Speeding 30/25. Official Warning.

ASGT. J. C. VINION, Speeding-20/15. Official Warning.

1ST MARINE BRIGADE

AMSGT. R. D. AUSTIN, Speeding 24/15. CivDrivPrivSusp for nine days.

AMSGT. P. H. PRESTRIDGE, Speeding 20/15. Official Warning.

AMSGT. R. C. LATIMER, Speeding 20/15. Official Warning.

AMSGT. R. M. BARR, Speeding 20/15. Official Warning.

ASSGT. M. J. TRAVOSSOS, Speeding, 21/15. Official Warning.

CAPT. J. W. MEDIS, Speeding, 35/25. CivDrivPrivSusp for 10 days.

LCPL. A. B. CASTOR, Speeding 30/25. Official Warning.

CIVILIANS

Mr. L. T. KUNISHIMA, Speeding 25/15. CivDrivPrivSusp for 10 days; SentSusp for 90 days.

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2 BEDROOM apartment, partially furnished in Kailua. \$95 per month. Call 269-108 after 5 p.m. or during working hours call 72-736.

Mr. Stork Beats Base Ambulance

An old bird and a modern cadillac had a race this week and the bird—known as the Stork—won.

A 17-year old wife of a K-Bay Marine corporal gave birth to her second child, a daughter, in the Air Station's Cadillac ambulance on Kam Highway Wednesday afternoon at 12:13 somewhere between Wai-kane and Kahala.

Mrs. Michaela Bovier, wife of Cpl. Raymond Bovier of VMA-212 called the dispensary shortly before noon when the birth appeared imminent. The ambulance was dispatched immediately to the Bovier home at Hauula.

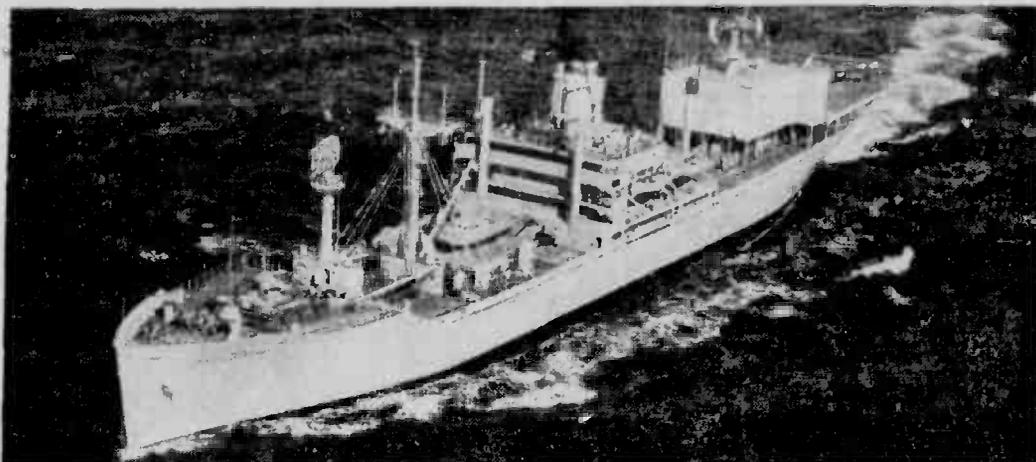
Mrs. Bovier meanwhile tried to expedite things by heading toward the Air Station in a private car. About a block from her home she was transferred to the ambulance and eight minutes later gave birth to her daughter Marcia, who wasn't scheduled to arrive for about two more weeks. Mother and daughter, reported in excellent condition, were transferred to Tripler Army Hospital at 1:30 p.m.

Mrs. Jesse Daniels, RN, and Hospitalman 3rd Class Carl F. Christen were in attendance at birth. The ambulance was driven by Pfc. Simpson Steele.



FORE! — Col. M. M. Magruder, Station CO, sends the first one on its way. The group met at the Klipper Course last Thursday to test the Night Driving and Putting Range, scheduled to open on Nov. 6. Behind Col. Magruder, from left, are: AMSgt. Al Greer, Mr. Jimmy Ukauka, and Maj. D. H. Blanchard. (Photo by ActSgt. Bruce Hamper)

SATELLITE RECOVERY CREWS TRAIN AT K-BAY



FROGMAN PRACTICE—Navy Chief Paul N. Salerni is hoisted from K-Bay waters after completing a practice dive in preparation for the possible surface recovery of DISCOVERER VII capsule. Salerni is one of four divers who may play an important part in the surface recovery of the capsule should the planned air recovery be unsuccessful.

A group of Navy personnel currently stationed at the K-Bay Marine Corps Air Station may play an important part in the surface recovery of the next DISCOVERER capsule in the event that air recovery is not successful.

Eight Navy helicopter pilots, 16 enlisted 'copter technicians and four frogmen are now training at K-Bay for their key roles as members of the Pacific Missile Range's surface recovery team.

The helicopter personnel are temporarily on loan to the PMR from

the Ream Field Naval Auxiliary Air Station near San Diego, while the frogmen are from Underwater Demolition Team 12, Coronado, also near San Diego.

According to newspaper reports, DISCOVERER VII is due for launching soon from Vandenberg Air Force Base, Calif.

While awaiting the big day, the helicopter-frogmen specialized recovery crews keep in training for their capsule recovery job by daily drills in nearby Kaneohe Bay. For the drills, a helicopter or boat takes a dummy capsule and attached parachute out and releases it into the water.

The frogmen then effect the recovery by leaping from a hovering helicopter into the water and prepare the capsule and parachute for hoisting.

Similar drills are occasionally held at sea with the dummy capsules be-

SPACE SHIP — A World War II Victory class ship, the USNS Haiti Victory is now a range recovery ship laden with radar tracking-plotting equipment, weather sounding devices, telemetry receivers and additional communications equipment. It also has a hangar deck with a platform for helicopter operations. The ship is one of two scheduled to take part in the tracking and recovery of the DISCOVERER VII capsule. (Official USN Photo)

ing dropped from high-flying aircraft.

If DISCOVERER VII can be made to orbit the earth and position itself, a C-119 Flying Boxcar squadron from Hickam AFB will try to catch the satellite's nose cone as it ejects and parachutes toward the Pacific Ocean, near Oahu, the newspapers reported.

In the combined recovery plan will be two specifically-equipped Navy range ships and a long-range WV-2 Navy aircraft. If surface recovery is necessary, the Navy helicopters now at K-Bay, will fly from the recovery ships with the Navy frogmen who will retrieve the waterborne package after it has been located.

Manned by personnel from the PMR headquarters at Point Mugu, Calif., the Navy's WV-2 aircraft is an electrically-laden Super Constellation. This aircraft will attempt to follow the capsule's beacon and vector the two recovery ships to its position. Other planes in the operation will provide similar information.

The DISCOVERER VII capsule is designed to float and its beacons will continue to operate after it is in the water.

In earlier DISCOVERER operations, Navy ships have been on station in the programmed recovery area. Events, however, in the recovery sequence have never progressed to the point where recovery was feasible.

Early this year two wartime Victory-class ships, the USNS Haiti Victory and the USNS Dalton Victory, were converted to range recovery ships and placed under the operational control of the Commander, PMR.

Although the two ships were

first used during the recovery phase of DISCOVERER V, the coming operation will mark the first time that the recovery ships have been teamed with a specifically assigned tracking aircraft.

Each of the two Victory ships has been outfitted for their specialized mission by the addition of radar tracking-plotting equipment, weather sounding devices, telemetry receivers, additional communications equipment and a hangar deck with platform for helicopter operations.

In addition to their surface recovery role in the DISCOVERER operations, the two Victory ships are equipped for radar tracking and telemetry reception. They will also serve as search and rescue ships in case an aircraft involved in the DISCOVERER program is forced down at sea.

When the recovery ships are not involved in a DISCOVERER operation they are available on a not-to-interfere basis to support other operations requiring their specialized radar-telemetry capabilities. In recent weeks the two ships have operated in support of Regulus operations conducted by units of the Pacific Fleet.

Officers Club

TONIGHT

Happy Hour prevails in the Lower Lanai from 4 until 6 p.m., and in the Couples Bar from 5 'til 7 p.m. Dinner served from 7 until 9 p.m.

SATURDAY

Reception and coffee for General Vernon E. Megee following retirement ceremony, at about 11:15 a.m. Dinner served from 7 to 9 p.m. with dancing to the music of the Melodiers from 8 'til 11.

SUNDAY

Get up at your leisure and enjoy Sunday Brunch anytime between 9 and noon. Don't wash any dishes today; come back for the family buffet served from 6:30 until 8:30 p.m. Music by the Stereos will set the pace for dancing from 7 'til 11.

MONDAY

Hula Lessons for adults at 9 a.m.; for the kiddies (ages 5-10) from 3 to 4 p.m., and the "12 to teens" at 4. Lunch for all from 11:30 'til 1 p.m.

TUESDAY

Toastmasters Luncheon at 11:30 a.m. Regular lunch for everyone begins at 11—served 'til 1 p.m. Don Wallace adult dance class begins at 8 p.m.

WEDNESDAY

Lunch served from 11:30 until 1 p.m. The bar opens at 4 p.m., and doesn't close until 11:30.

THURSDAY

Same schedule as yesterday's — C'mon in and relax!

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and "Introduction to Psychology." Entrance examinations will be administered at Bilger Hall, Bldg. 152, at the University Nov. 19 at 6:30 p.m. and Nov. 21 at 1:30 p.m. Examination fee is \$2.

A counseling service for prospective students will be held at the K-Bay Education Office (Bldg. 221) Nov. 4 from 9 a.m. to noon. Appointments may be made by calling 72-650.

Marines desiring information on tuition assistance are requested to contact the Station Education Office as soon as they learn the results of their entrance examinations.

Deadline for filing tuition assistance forms is 4 p.m., Nov. 18.

Additional information may be found in Station Bulletin 1560 published this week.

Brigade Band Seek More Musicians

AMSgt. William Tosh, band leader of the 1st Marine Brigade Band and Drum and Bugle Corps, is currently seeking applications from Brigade personnel who wish to join the group.

Especially needed are clarinetists, drummers, trombonists, French horn players and a pianist. Applicants must possess a reasonable degree of proficiency in the musical instrument of their choice.

Interested personnel may arrange for an audition by calling 72758 or by inquiring at the band Office, Bldg. 261.

Enlisted Club

TODAY

Here's your chance to pay your buddy back the one you owe him—Happy Hour's on from 6 'til 7:30 p.m.

SATURDAY

HALLOWEEN DANCE — Bill Stevenson and his Tunemasters, with vocalist Ella Correa, featuring music under the category of "anything danceable." Starts at 8 p.m., and the club'll be decked out for the occasion. Don't miss this one!

SUNDAY

This is an open night, and we'll leave the scheduling up to you. Remember the TV room, the game room, and the "refreshment facilities."

MONDAY

A good movie tonight, especially if you're feeling a little blue—at least the title's optimistic. Cary Grant stars in "Mr. Lucky."

TUESDAY

Another open night. Come in and relax with a cooling glass of ice water, or — you name it!

WEDNESDAY

Here's one for the artists—good music, and a show everyone'll enjoy. The late Mario Lanza in "The Great Caruso."

THURSDAY

How about a tempting steak, with all the trimmin's? Take your time eating—no rush, no bother. Games and TV always on the go.

Arizona Models Gift to Donors

With half of their \$500,000 goal achieved, the Fleet Reserve Association has set Dec. 7 as a target date to complete the USS Arizona Memorial Fund Drive.

With this target date goes a Christmas gift suggestion. For each \$2.00 contribution, a model kit of the Arizona will be sent prepaid to the donor or to anyone the donor designates.

Fund donations should be mailed directly to the USS Arizona Memorial Committee, P.O. Box 16, Phoenix, Ariz. Contributions may also be mailed to the "USS Arizona, Pearl Harbor."

Sunk during the Pearl Harbor attack, the Arizona is the permanent grave for more than 1,000 Navy and Marine Corps personnel.

Asia Lecture Series Offered by AAUW

A close-up look at Asia and an opportunity to visit two outstanding island homes are combined in a lecture series sponsored by the Kailua Branch of the American Association of University Women.

Tickets are \$1.50 per lecture and are available at the Pall Press, 408 Kuulei Rd., Kailua, or at the World Brotherhood, 1010 S. King St., Honolulu.

The next lecture is scheduled for 7:30 p.m., Nov. 3 and is entitled "Changing Attitudes in India, Burma, Ceylon, Pakistan and Iran." It will be given at the home of Dr. Robert Chung, Auloa Road, Maunawili.

The final lecture, The 'Quiet' and the 'Ugly' American in Asia, will be given at the Thomas K. White Home, 22 Kaiholu Place, Kailua, at 7:30 p.m., Nov. 20.



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CAPTIVATING SMILES — Vivacious Pat McLaughlin of Silver Springs, Fla., may hide behind a smiling Jack-O'-Lantern, but it is doubtful if anyone would be scared away.

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