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Marines Save Accident Victim

Six 2d Marine Division Marines were credited today with saving the life of a traffic accident victim last Sunday following a two-car head-on collision near Wilmington, Delaware.

Wife of one of the victims, Mrs. James Brown of Hurlock, Maryland, wrote the Division crediting the Marines with saving the life of her husband. The Marines were Pfc Gary

Toth of Headquarters Battery, 1st Battalion, 10th Marines, Pfc Carl Coletti, Pfc Edward L. Paralusz, Pfc Terence McCann and Private Ralph P. Mann, Jr., all of Battery "E", 2d Battalion, 10th Marines and Private Roger Harrison of 2d Medium Support Company, Service Battalion.

Returning to Camp Lejeune in Private Mann's car on Highway 301 near Wilmington, Del.,

the Marines saw a car spin on icy pavement while attempting to pass another car and go out of control crashing head-on into an oncoming vehicle.

They immediately stopped and gave first aid to the victims, two of whom were suffering from serious head injuries. Lacking bandages or compresses, the Marines folded clean underwear into makeshift bandages and applied them to the injured areas. They also wrapped the two more seriously injured victims in coats and blankets.

Attempting to make the victims more comfortable, the Marines placed one of the more seriously injured in the back seat of Mann's car. The other was placed in the wreckage of one of the two demolished automobiles.

While Paralusz, Coletti and McCann were busy administering first aid, Mann and Toth directed traffic, avoiding dangerous jams which could have resulted from the blocked highway.

Harrison ran about a mile up

the highway to a farm house where he called for help.

During an hour-long wait for an ambulance, the Marines took turns applying pressure to the victims' injuries, and directing traffic. Icy road conditions and poor weather delayed the arrival of the ambulance while the Marines continued their work.

An ambulance arrived about 8:30 p. m. and took the victims to a nearby hospital.

Mrs. Brown got the names of the Marines from a police officer's report. She addressed her letter, citing the Marines with saving the life of her husband, to the Division Chaplain's office.

In the letter she reported that her husband has had two blood transfusions and is still considered serious, but is improving and "...still remembers the Marines..."

1st MarDiv Association Seeking New Members

A membership drive for the 1st Marine Division Association is begun at Camp Lejeune. If you have ever served with the 1st Marine Division or attached units such as certain Corps or Aviation elements, you are eligible to join the 1st Marine Division Association.

The Association is a non-profit, tax-exempt veteran's organization incorporated to foster, encourage and perpetuate the fighting record and spirit of the 1st Marine Division Reinforced.

Membership in the 1st Marine Division Association provides a means of keeping in contact with all individuals who are proud to have served with the 1st Marine Division, Reinforced.

This contact is made through "The Old Breed News" pub-

lished for members every month or two, and also at the yearly reunions held in the major cities of the East and West Coast.

Membership in the Association also entitles 1st Marine Division veterans to support a scholarship fund established in 1953 which provides educational

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Tallah Bankhead Show Here In May

Tallah Bankhead and Stetson Winwood, who've toured the stock circuit together in the George Oppenheimer comedy, "Here Today", will make a one-night stand here May 15 at the Amp Theatre.

Time and prices have not yet been announced by Base Special Services but the public is invited.

Reviewed by several as "a light comedy", one critic says this to say, "La Bankhead continues to compound the spirit of a carnival midway gone loco to a sprawling dedication to the stage".

Also cast in the presentation are Peter Hobbs, Richard Hendrick, Patience Cleveland, Amy O'Hayes, Isabel Sanford and John Grainger.

High School To Sponsor Science Fair Tomorrow

Camp Lejeune's Junior-Senior High School will open its doors to the general public tomorrow, March 8 from 6:30 to 10:30 p. m., affording parents and friends an opportunity to view exhibits in the school's First Annual Science Fair.

Sponsored by the school's Science Club, the contests are broken down into two categories, Biological and Physical.

Students in grades seven through nine will make up the Junior Division while grades 10 through 12 will compete in the Senior Division.

Three judges from Wilmington College, Rolla Nelson, professor in Physics, Louis H. Adcock, Chemistry professor and Frank Allen, professor in Biology will judge the some 400 displays in accordance with rules and regulations set up by the North Carolina State Science Fair.

Displays will be graded using the following criterion: Does the project display a complete brief scientific story or principle? Is the Story or principle accurate? Does the project show signs of planning, research, and hard work? Does the project exhibit originality? Is the project a "Crowd

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Cruise Units Back At Morehead City

The 1st Battalion (Reinforced), 2d Marines is scheduled to return to Camp Lejeune today, concluding a six-month joint operational and good-will tour of Mediterranean countries with the U. S. Sixth Fleet.

Commanded by LtCol. Paul G. Graham, the Battalion Landing Team has been serving as the amphibious striking arm of the Sixth Fleet since September 1962. The unit has made good-will visits in accordance with the President's "People-to-People" program to such countries as Italy, Spain, Greece, France and Turkey. In addition, they have conducted several amphibious landing exercises, keeping their combat

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Rifle Range Opens Firing Season

Spring isn't far away and rounds have already gone toward the butts at Camp Lejeune's Rifle Range since the first detail of shooters gathered on the 200 yard line last week to open the 1963 requalification firing season.

Last Monday morning, Feb. 25, 416 shooters from Base, Division, and Air Facility sent the first rounds of the 1963 season to their targets on "A" and "C" ranges. Of the 416 shooters last week, 384 were able to reach or pass the 190 mark.

Of the 84 men from MCB to qualify with the M-14, 18 fired Expert, 19 finished up as

Sharpshooters and 40 made the Marksman category. Seven shooters were not so fortunate. This gave Base a requalification percentage of 91.7. The 2d Marine Division had 332 men, including 23 corpsmen from the 2d Med. Bn. who had never fired the Marine Corps requalification course before, attempting to qualify with the M-14. The Division shooters finished with 92.9 percent requalification shooters. Out of the 332, 130 reached Expert, 87 reached Sharpshooter and 84 hit at least 190 for Marksman, while 23 were unable to qualify.

Marine Corps Air Facility sent eight men to the range

and three of them went over 220, one fired as a Sharpshooter and two fired among the Marksman bracket while two others failed along to be non-qualifiers.

Seventy-seven men from Division fired the pistol range to requalify a total of 70.1 percent. Twenty-three were Experts, 14 were Sharpshooters and 17 shot Marksman, leaving 23 failing to qualify.

Today, more than a thousand shooters are on line trying to requalify themselves for 1963. This includes 380 reserve Seabees here for their annual training cycle.

"STAND-BY"



SNAPPING BONES AND MUSCLES INTO POSITION—as preparation for requalification firing on the Rifle Range is again becoming a familiar scene around Camp Lejeune as the coming of Spring weather sends personnel to the range. (Photo by Pfc P. E. Johnson)

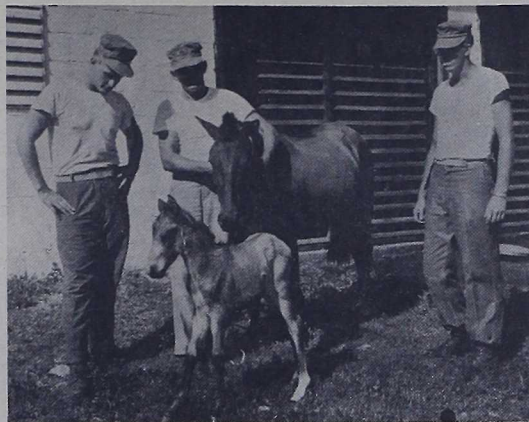
Aiding Your Heart Today Longer Life For Future

The American Heart Association is the only national voluntary health agency devoted exclusively to combatting diseases of the heart and circulation. Its program of research, education and community service is supported entirely by contributions from the public.

Diseases of the heart and blood vessels are leading causes of death in the United States. Included in the group of diseases are "stroke," heart attack, rheumatic fever, high blood pressure and inborn heart defects. Cancer produces one-half as many deaths as circulatory disease. Accidents produce one-fourth as many deaths. The figures, high as they are, are being improved through the efforts of medical science. Much of the research and education in heart disease are coordinated by the American Heart Association which receives financial support from the National Health Agencies Campaign, now underway.

Recent advances include ways of early diagnosis and prevention of rheumatic fever and the heart disease it sometimes produces. The care of people who suffer heart attacks has been improved; many more of them return to useful work now than in years gone by. The treatment and prevention of strokes can today offer hope. In some cases almost miraculous improvement may be produced. Knowledge of the cause and treatment of high blood pressure is steadily advancing. "Blue babies" born with defective hearts, formerly regarded as beyond help, may in many cases be helped by modern medicine and surgery. Dietary research promises eventually to explain the cause of "hardening of the arteries," raising the hope that one day we may slow or postpone this formerly inevitable disease.

Last year the American Heart Association alone spent over two and one-half million dollars for basic research in heart disease. It is from such studies that tomorrow's advances will come, the advances which will help not only our children, but which will add useful life tomorrow for those of us who contribute today.



MOTHER AND SON DOING FINE—Pfc W. K. Tapley, left, power plant operator, GySgt. J. T. Kroll, utilities chief, and Pvt. E. W. Moulton, reefer mechanic, admire "Suzy's" five-day-old foal. The Marines in Puerto Rico have cared for some 20 to 30 stray horses with various ailments including sore backs, cuts and bruises.

Brig. Gen. Kyle Conducts Semi-Annual Inspection

Brigadier General Wood B. Kyle, Commanding General, Force Troops, Atlantic, and his staff made a semi-annual inspection of Camp Garcia, Vieques, Puerto Rico last month.

Prior to the inspection, a briefing was held for General Kyle by Lieutenant Colonel F. F. Ramseur, Commanding Officer, Camp Garcia and his staff.

Escorted by Colonel Ramseur, General Kyle proceeded with his inspection of the detachment area, the 2d Marine Division billeting and training area, "A" Company, 8th Engineer Battalion's billeting area. On-site inspections of "A" Company at work on their projects throughout the Camp Garcia area were also conducted.

General Kyle was accompanied by Colonel Paul H. Millichap, Commanding Officer, 2d Force Service Regiment, Colonel Robert T. Whitten, FMFLant Inspector, and Colonel Raymond D. Wright, Force Engineer, FMFLant.

In the interim, General Kyle's staff conducted their inspections in their cognizant area of responsibility.

The inspection completed, a critique was held by General Kyle and his staff for the officers and staff non-commissioned officers of the detachment and engineer company.

General Kyle summed up his feelings about Vieques when he said; "The Camp Garcia Detachment, 2d Force Service Regiment has been organized about one year. Prior to that time the training camp at Vieques was maintained by a small detachment from the 8th Engineer Battalion. Remark-

able progress has been made in this one year. The Camp Detachment now provides Camp Lejeune Marines with a tropical home-away-from-home. Almost everything found at Camp Lejeune is now at Camp Garcia, except dependents.

"Lt. Col. J. A. Harper, Commanding Officer, 8th Engineer Bn., Force Troops is in charge of all construction work at Camp Garcia. Companies of the battalion rotate to Camp Garcia for periods of about six months each. During the past year "D", "B" and "A", Companies in that order, have completely changed the face of Camp Garcia. The engineers have constructed a series of tent camp sites for training units, new heads and showers, two large mess halls, an electrical power plant and numerous other facilities. Everything at Camp Garcia is designed to provide field training for Marines. The construction work provides valuable training for engineers, who, in wartime might be required to erect similar camps overseas."

General Kyle and his staff departed from Vieques Feb. 20, for St. Thomas, Virgin Islands. Here the General inspected the 2d Force Reconnaissance Company's training area.

Leaving St. Thomas, shortly after noon that day, the General went to San Juan, Puerto Rico, where he paid a call on Rear Admiral Allen Smith, Jr., Commandant, 10th Naval District.

The following morning, General Kyle, his inspection tour completed, left San Juan on his return trip to Camp Lejeune.

3/2 Members Try For GED Diplomas

Crowded into messhall 206 last week in a mass effort to secure their General Educational Development certificates were 180 members of the 3d Battalion, 2d Marines.

An agreement between the Battalion and Base Education Officer initiated the mass testing period. The 180 men, representing over 80% of 3/2's non-high-school graduates, responded to the call. A three-day testing period was set up.

A series of five tests made up the GED test: one each in English Grammar, English Literature, Science, Social Studies and General Mathematics.

Anyone interested in attaining a General Equivalency Diploma for high school is encouraged to contact his unit education officer for details.

Corral Becomes Crib For Vieques Marines' Suzy

Versatility! A word common to the vocabulary of Marines came to light again last February 14. The place, Camp Garcia, Vieques, Puerto Rico. The Marine, a trouble-shooting utilities chief named Gunnery Sergeant J. T. Kroll, who sat in on the delivery of a male foal.

Born to a mare named Suzy, the baby horse arrived at 8 p. m., and is approximately the size of a full grown collie. Suzy was loaned to Gummy Kroll by a resident of the nearby town of Isabella Segunda, and has been with him for three months.

Kroll said, "Suzy was loaned to me for recreational purposes and transportation around the camp area. Suzy does serve another purpose; however, she is my automatic grass cutter here around the power plant. She eats and cuts grass at the same time."

Home to Suzy and her newborn foal, is a corral about 200 feet long by 75 feet wide. Kroll built the corral out of barbed-wire and old telephone poles, with the assistance of Corporals Robert Smith and Joseph Underwood; Pfc. W. K. Tapley, and Private E. W. Moulton. It took about two weeks of off-duty

time to complete the corral. The corral was originally built for another purpose; the being as an isolation area where they could keep stray horses that roam throughout the Camp Garcia area.

Any horse that came into the area was checked over by Kroll. If it was noted that the horse had sores on its back, cuts, bruises, or ticks, it was placed in the corral and cared for until it was cured of its ailments. At this time it was free again to roam the range of the "Ponderosa."

Kroll, Tapley and Moulton, with the assistance of Hospitalman 2d Class R. E. "Doc" Lien, one of the detachments' corpsmen, treated between 10 to 30 horses in off-duty hours, over a period of three months. Doc Lien was instrumental in preparing salves and lotions for healing the horses.

The foal, now four weeks old is still a "mama's boy," sticking real close to her heels and hooves. As yet it is unnamed, but looking like a pure mixture of the Spanish and Arabian horses.

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assistance for deserving dependents of departed members of the 1st Marine Division. To date some 16 students have been assisted under this fund at a cost of \$26,000.

Association dues are \$10.00 per year with no initiation fee. For new members a special three year membership is \$5.00, and a five-year membership may be had at \$8.00. Life membership costs \$35.00 initially in one sum, or \$36.00 in three annual installments. Fully paid life membership pins are given free of charge. Regular membership pins cost \$1.00 each.

Reunions are held each summer in one of the larger East or West Coast cities usually on a weekend near the anniversary of the landing on Guadalcanal. Full information regarding these events is furnished all members through the Old Breed News.

Membership forms for those desiring to join the Association may be picked up from local representatives of the Association. These representatives are authorized to collect dues and issue receipts.

Representatives about the Base are Major J. J. Thum, Marine Corps Base, at 7-524; Colonel D. J. Barrett, 2d Division, 7-5769, and Maj. J. C. Barrett, Force Troops, 7-5111.

Scout Troop Plans For Future Outings

Neither icy winds nor windy rains dampened the enthusiastic determination of Boy Scout Troop 190 as they "took to the hills" recently for a weekend campout.

With the snake season just around the corner, the scouts need a safe place in which to camp out. Nineteen boys, including three chaperones, made up a "cleaning detail" to clear away the trees and shrubs often associated with the snake hibernation.

Upon arrival at the designated camping area, tents were put up and groups were formed. "Chefs" were appointed and the scouts enjoyed meals consisting of flapjacks, bacon, cocoa, hamburgers, potatoes, carrots, hot dogs, beans, bread, peaches and milk.

More campouts are planned before the summer begins in order that the surrounding camping areas may be made a safer place in which to pitch a tent. As one boy scout commented: "Sleeping was cold, but we learned to take warmer clothing while on a winter campout."

Chaperones for the weekend were SSgts. Frank Bruno, scoutmaster; John O'Neill, assistant Scoutmaster and GySgt. Joseph Welch.



AMATEUR CHEFS—are the words describing this group of Boy Scouts from Troop 190. Members of the "Flaming Arrow" patrol are in the process of preparing the evening meal during the weekend campout held recently.



EQUIPMENT MAINTENANCE INSPECTION—Brigadier General Wood B. Kyle, left, is shown being escorted through the heavy equipment maintenance area by Warrant Officer Donald S. Giusto, Maintenance Officer. General Kyle made his semi-annual inspection of the Camp Garcia Detachment, "A" Company, 8th Engineer Battalion on Feb. 18-19.

Fires In Dependent Housing Costly To All

Fires in Camp Lejeune dependent housing areas during the past five months have accounted for \$4,000 damage to personal and government property, according to the Base Quarters and Housing Division.

Carelessness is the chief cause of these fires according to the Division officials. Another cause is occupants' unfamiliarity with household heat-

ing appliances.

Three fires in the Capehart area during the past five months were caused by burning grease. The occupants in these cases were not familiar with the heating capacity of their kitchen stoves.

The Base Quarters and Housing Division reports that the electric stoves in the Capehart homes heat very rapidly. In

many cases occupants do not realize the grease in their pans is reaching the ignition point. Another cause of grease fires is due to occupants not paying attention to which burner is lit, since there is no flame to an electric burner.

Such fires frequently impose a severe financial burden on fire victims, especially when insurance claims take a long

time to clear.

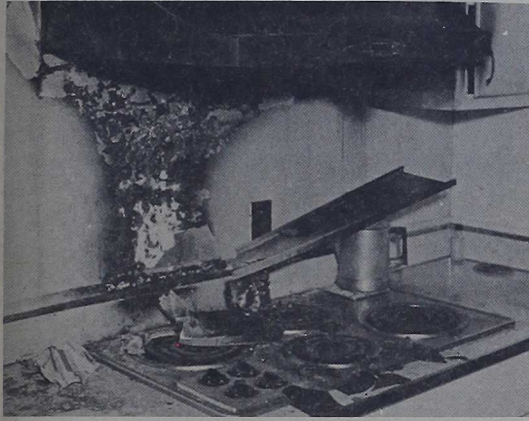
Heretofore, the government has been bearing the financial cost for damaged property. But a proposal is now being considered to authorize a board of investigation to hold careless occupants responsible for damages to government property.

Don't be careless. Familiarize yourself with all

household electrical or other combustible appliances.

For safety's sake keep a box of baking soda or salt near your kitchen stove. If a grease fire occurs, smother it with either of these products. Do not use flour.

Help Uncle Sam save money. You can help by adhering to these precautions.



TYPICAL SCENE—A recent grease fire in the Capehart Housing Area caused this damage in the kitchen shown. However, damage to the property itself is not the most that may result from a fire in the home.

2d MarDiv Association Returns After 14,000-Mile Round Trip Down Under

Nearly 100 members of the Second Marine Division Association, and their families, returned to the United States last week after a 14,000 mile pilgrimage to New Zealand to commemorate the Division's landing there in World War II.

The group arrived in Wellington, N. Z., February 7, and were greeted by that country's Deputy Prime Minister, John R. Marshall. The visitors were also received by the Mayor of Wellington, Frank J. Kitts and the American Ambassador, Anthony B. Akers.

A parade through Wellington, and a visit to parliament and a special concert of native songs by the Ngati Ponkeke Maori Association were staged for the group during the second day of their visit.

Two days after their arrival, the Americans traveled to McKay's Crossing, Paekakariki, outside Wellington, the site of the Second Marine Division's 1943 camp.

At the old camp-site, New Zealand Prime Minister Keith Holyoake unveiled and dedicated plaques presented by the New Zealand-American Association and the Second Marine Division Association, placed in the newly erected memorial gates at the entrance to Queen Elizabeth Park.

Following the plaque dedication ceremonies, the "pilgrims" returned to their hotel where the Marine vets and their guests were treated to a special brew of beer named in their honor... "Leatherneck Lager."

A cocktail party and buffet supper for the association members was given that evening by the New Zealand Returned Servicemen's Association. During the supper, an

official charter of the New Zealand Chapter of the Second Marine Division was presented to Mr. Tom Glynn, president of the chapter. This was the first time such a charter had been granted outside the United States.

During the visit, Second Marine Division Association president Jack E. Lee, and his wife, Elna, represented the association at a tea given by England's Queen Elizabeth and Prince Phillip.

After the group had completed its formal visit, the Americans

became sight-seers until their departure.

Some stayed with, or sought out, old friends. Others devoted themselves to trout and big-game fishing or hunting deer or wild pig. Some embarked on a packed tourist tour while others combined a little of all these things.

The group's return arrival at the Oakland, California, International Airport was met by a Marine Drum and Bugle Corps, representatives from the New Zealand Consulate and Oakland City officials.



CITIZENSHIP CLASSES—More than 50 Marine dependents representing 13 different nationalities were present last Monday night for the first of a 12-week series of basic English, history and American Government classes. The English course provides a basic knowledge of the language. The history and government classes prepare students for naturalization examinations and American citizenship. Instructors for the course are Pfc Gary Azerier, Division ISO (English) Pfc Steve Kavalgian, Division ISO (American History and Government) and Lt. Marty Seligman, MC, USN, Base Dental Department.

Science Fair

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Stopper", neat and attractively done and does it meet conditions of the fair?

The first, second and third place winners in each division of the local contest will be eligible to compete in the District Fair in Wilmington, N. C. March 23. Winners there will participate in the State Fair at Raleigh and the winners in that contest go to the National Fair in Washington, D. C.

It's Termite Season

Termites will soon make their appearance. They can be controlled with any commercial bug killer Spray their breeding areas. Then call Base Maintenance. This office can do nothing until the quarters are vacated, but it will help the next occupants.

Traffic Violations

Cpl. Donald B. Henderson, SS. MCSS, driving while under suspension. Illegal possession of temporary pass. Permanent.

Pfc David C. Wylie, H&S Co., 1st Bn., 22d Marines, no operators' license; permanent.

Pvt. Joseph P. Fitzgerald, H&S Co., 2d AmTracBn., reckless driving, driv-

ing under the influence, leaving scene of accident, failure to report accident, no operators' license, and unauthorized use of government vehicle; two years.

Pfc Ronald J. Wise, Rifle Range Detachment, reckless driving and no base registration; one year.

LCpl. Charles D. Blakney, 2d Bridge Co., careless and reckless driving, driving under the influence and no written permission; one year.

LCpl. Allan D. Wolshonak, H&S Co., 3d Bn., 6th Marines, speeding 75/35 and reckless driving; one year.

LCpl. Paul M. Snyder, Co. "B", 1st Bn., 6th Marines, careless and reckless driving, driving under the influence, failure to stop at Main Gate and illegal entry; one year.

Cpl. Albert R. Giampietro, 2d 8" How Btry., 2d FAG, improper passing at intersection (accident); six months.

LCpl. James A. Durato, Serv. Co., H&S Bn., speeding 60/35, six months.

SSgt. John L. Capehart, H&S Co., 2d Bn., 6th Marines, too fast for conditions (accident); five months.

Pfc Thomas J. McPherson, Hq. Btry., 2d Bn., 10th Marines, failed to see intended move could be made in safety (accident); five months.

Pfc John D. Monahan, 2d 8" How Btry., 2d FAG, no drivers license in possession; three months.

Pfc Thomas A. Zalewski, Hq. Co., H&S Bn., too fast for conditions (accident); three months.

Cpl. John J. Anderson, Sub Unit, 1st Bn., 2d Marines, failure to see intended move could be made in safety (accident); three months.

Cruise Units

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edge sharp.

A Reception Center for the returning BLT Marines is set up in the 1st Battalion, 2d Marines messhall. The doors will be opened for dependents at 10:30 a. m.

Dependents are cautioned that they will not be permitted on the piers or docks around the debarkation points.

The 3d Bn., 8th Marines also returned to Camp Lejeune this week, concluding a two-month deployment in the Caribbean area. The battalion made an amphibious landing at Onslow Beach Monday evening as a finale to their tour.

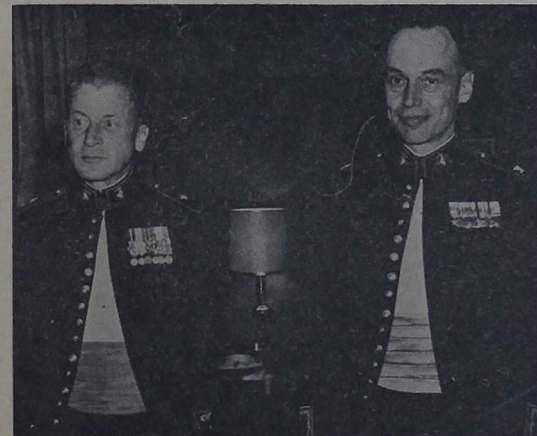
British Army Custom Of Mess Night Carried On By 10th Marines Officers

Officers of the 10th Marines, 2d Marine Division, took part in a Regimental Officers Mess Night at the Paradise Point Officers Club March 4. Officers Mess Night stems from a British Army custom designed to help junior regimental officers become acquainted with their seniors on a social level. Brig. Gen. R. McC. Tompkins, acting

2d Division Commander, was the honored guest at the dinner affair. Addressing the Mess concerning his military career, the general told the gathered officers that he had thoroughly enjoyed his military career and if he had it all to live over again, he would live it exactly the same way. In conclusion, Gen. Tompkins said, "If work is doing something which you don't like to do, then I have done 60 minutes of work in the past 27 years."

The menu for the dinner included: Shrimp Cocktail; French Onion Soup; the traditional Roast Beef au Jus; Asparagus Hollandaise; Baked Potato; Salad; Cherries Jubilee; Coffee and appropriate wines.

Following the dinner, the Marines gathered around the piano and sang rollicking military songs. Col. W. P. Oliver, Jr., Commanding Officer of the 10th Marines and President of the Regimental Officers Mess, presided over the affair.



GUEST OF HONOR AND PRESIDENT—Brig. Gen. R. McC. Tompkins (left), acting 2d Division Commander, and Col. W. P. Oliver, Jr., Commander 10th Marines, arrive at 10th Marines Regimental Officers Mess Night March 4 at Paradise Point. Gen. Tompkins was the Guest of Honor, while Col. Oliver, as president of the mess, presided over the affair.



MARCH IN AT EASE—Officers of the 10th Marines march into the banquet room at Paradise Point March 4 for their Regimental Officers Mess Night. The 2d Division Drum and Bugle Corps played the traditional Mess Night song "Roast Beef of Old England," announcing that dinner was being served. (Photo by SSGT. Ben T. Holcomb)

Girl Scouts Mark 51 Years Of Honor

Almost 3½ million members of Girl Scouts of the U.S.A. will celebrate their 51st anniversary on March 10.

Juliette Low organized the first troop of 12 girls on March 12, 1912, in Savannah, Ga. She brought from England the principles of Scouting as set forth by Lord Baden-Powell, founder of the Scouting movement, and adapted them to the needs of girls in the United States.

Since 1912, almost 18½ million girls and adults have enjoyed the benefits of Girl Scouting. For 51 years, communities across the nation have been grateful for the influence of Scouting on their young people and for the many service projects carried out by individual councils.

The impact of Girl Scouting is not only local and national. It is

international as well. International friendship has been at the core of the movement since its inception. Through the World Association of Girl Guides and Girl Scouts, American Girl Scouts are linked to their sisters in 50 other member nations. Each year sees the growth of international exchange of persons, including not only girls but adults, who belong to the World Association.

Both national and international Girl Scout programs are based on the code of ethics expressed in the Promise which today is just as valid in motivating force of Scouting as it was in the Movement's early days: "On my honor, I will try to do my duty to God and my country, to help other people at all times, to obey the Girl Scout Laws."

Although they adhere faithfully to the original Promise and Laws of conduct, Girl Scouts have developed a flexible program to meet the needs of a changing world. This combination of stability and adaptability undoubtedly accounts for the tremendous growth of the movement.

The Promise is reflected in the girls' eagerness to serve their community. As they enter upon their 51st anniversary year, troops throughout the country are pledging to carry out a project of service to the children and youth of their community. They will be putting into action the second part of the birthday theme, "Honor the Past — Serve the Future."

Our heartfelt birthday congratulations to the Girl Scouts of today and best wishes to those of tomorrow!



Chaplain's Corner

"Habits," wrote John Dryden, "gather by unseen degrees — as brooks make rivers, rivers run to seas." Another wise person had this to say, "Habits are implanted not inherited."

All men are susceptible to the accumulation of habits. They are a part of our natural lives. Repetition of action is an everyday occurrence. However, it is not the repetition of natural actions such as eating, sleeping, working, and playing that have effects on human life. But those unnatural habits we acquire do affect our lives and the lives of those around us.

These unnatural habits are acquired over a long period of time. No one ever decided that in the morning at 10:00 he would become the most foul-mouthed person in the world and succeeded. Why? Because he had not yet implanted the bad habit of cursing. However, if we decide to be the most foul-mouthed, it doesn't take many weeks to succeed.

If it takes a long period of time to acquire a bad habit, then it stands to reason it will take a long time to disperse with the habit. This is never done until we decide that the habit or habits we have are having a devastating effect on our lives and the lives of those near to us. What then is the criteria for deciding if a habit is good or bad? First, we as Christians, ask the question "Is this acceptable in the sight of our Lord?" If it is not, we should stop this habit. Second, we may ask, "Is this habit affecting my family and friends in an adverse manner?" If the answer is positive, then the habit should be stopped. Third, we should ask the question, "What is this habit doing to my own body and my Christian witness?" If the habit is hurting us, we should quit as soon as possible. The Apostle Paul said it very well. "That you present your bodies a living sacrifice, holy, acceptable unto God, which is your reasonable service."

The habits of a man mark the character of a man.

—Harold K. Hulsey
3d Bn., 2d Marine Division

Library Hours

COURTHOUSE BAY LIBRARY
Bldg. BB 8
Monday - Friday, 11:30-1600;
1700-2200.
Saturday, Sunday & Holidays,
1300-1600; 1700-2200.

RIFLE RANGE LIBRARY
Bldg. RR 11
Monday - Friday, 1530-2030.
Saturday, Sunday & Holidays,
1300-2100.

Camp Lejeune Area Church Schedules

GREEK ORTHODOX (BLDG. 67) Sun—0930, Confession 1000, Divine Liturgy LATTER DAY SAINTS (Re-Organized) KNOX CHAPEL Sun—0930, Sunday School 1015, Services SEVENTH DAY ADVENTIST MONTFORD POINT CHAPEL Sat—0930, Sabbath School 1100, Services	CATHOLIC BASE CHAPEL (St. Francis Xavier Chapel) Sun—0700, 0800, 0900, 10:15, 11:30, Mass 11:00 Area 5, Bldg. 539, Mass Mon—1130, Mass 1900, Miraculous Medal Novena and Benediction Tue—Fri—1130, Mass Wed—1900, Choir Practice Sat—0900, Mass 1930, Confessions GEIGER CHAPEL Sat—1600, Confessions Sun—0830, Mass Daily—1130, Mass KNOX CHAPEL Sun—1200, Mass COURTHOUSE BAY CHAPEL Sun—0930, Mass MCAF CHAPEL Sun—0930, 0945, Mass Mon—Fri—1145, Mass Sat—0830, Mass 1930, Confessions Mon—1945, Perpetual Help Novena and Benediction MIDWAY PARK COMMUNITY BLDG. Sun—0930, Mass MONTFORD POINT CHAPEL Sun—0900, Mass NAVAL HOSPITAL Sun—1100, Mass Mon—Fri—1200, Mass BASE BRIG Sat—1900, Confessions TARAWA TERRACE COMMUNITY BLDG. Sat—1300, Confessions Sun—0915, Mass	PROTESTANT BASE CHAPEL Sun—0915, Service, Comm'n 2d Sun. 1100, Services, Comm'n 1st Sun. Wed—1900, Rehearsal, choir GEIGER CHAPEL Sun—1000, Services, Comm'n, 1st Sun. BASE SUNDAY SCHOOL Sun—0915, 1st Session, Stone Street School 1100, 2d Session, Stone Street School COURTHOUSE BAY CHAPEL Sun—1030, Services, Comm'n, 1st Sun. MCAF CHAPEL Sun—0930, Sunday School, ages 4-up 1100, Services, Comm'n, 1st Sun. Tue—1930, Chapel Choir 0930, Women's Guild (3d Tues) MIDWAY PARK COMMUNITY BLDG. Sun—1000, Sunday School, ages 1-up 1100, Morning Worship, Comm'n 1st Sun. MONTFORD POINT CHAPEL Sun—1009 *Sunday School, all ages, Bldg. M132 1100 *Chapel Worship Service, Bldg. M116 1700 Fellowship Dinner (1st Sunday Bldg. M104) 1900 Sunday School Teachers' Meeting (2nd Sunday), Bldg. M116 Thu—1900 Choir Rehearsal, Bldg. M116 *Free Nursery from 0945-1200, Bldg. M104 NAVAL HOSPITAL Sun—0930, Services, Comm'n, 1st Sun. 1230, Daily Devotions TARAWA TERRACE SCHOOL Sun—0930, Sunday School, ages 3 thru Adult 1045, Services, Comm'n 1st Sun. Nursery during both services Tue—1930, Adult Fellowship, monthly Wed—1700, Angel Choir 1745, Pilgrim Choir 1900, Crusader Choir and Adult Choir Mon—1900, Chapel Council, 1st Mon. BASE BRIG Thu—1900, Services JEWISH (Jewish Chapel) (BLDG. 67) Sun—1000, Religious School in Jacksonville Information ext. 7-5322 Fri—1930, Sabbath Services EPISCOPAL BASE PROTESTANT CHAPEL Sun—0800, Holy Communion and Sermon
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Camp Lejeune was host last week to a group of NROTC Midshipmen from Tulane University of New Orleans, La., despite a flu epidemic which cut their tour party size from 40 to nine people.

The tour, part of their annual training schedule, gave the Midshipmen a chance to observe, and in some cases, to participate in the Marine program of company level weapons training, coupled with a tour of the base installation and its facilities.

Captain Charles E. Mueller, Commanding Officer, "P" Company, 1st Infantry Training Regiment, met the Midshipmen upon their arrival by plane at the New River Air Facility last Thursday afternoon and escorted them to a messhall at Camp Lejeune for the evening meal. Following the meal, the Midshipmen, accompanied by their Officer In Charge, Maj. William B. Creel and MSgt. Walter L. Barr, NCOIC of the unit, were transported to Bachelor Officers' Quarters at Paradise Point for billeting.

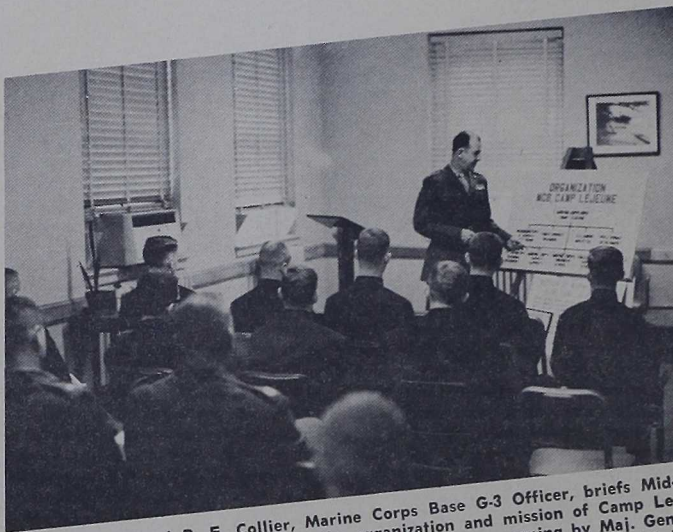
The day began early for the nine Midshipmen on Friday. After reveille at 6:00 a.m., they enjoyed breakfast at a messhall and departed at 8:00 a.m. for Marine Corps Base Headquarters, where they were officially greeted by Maj. Gen. James P. Berkeley, Commanding General, Marine Corps Base.

After meeting with the General, the Midshipmen were given a background briefing by Col. Robert E. Collier, Base G-3 Officer, to prepare them for the tour. Covered during the briefing were the location and mission of the Quad-Commands at Camp Lejeune, the location and purposes of various training areas, organization of the base command and recreational facilities.

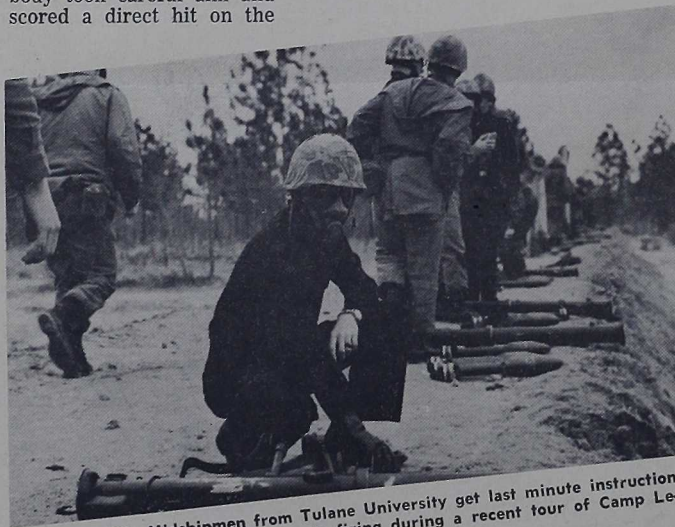
Boarding their bus at 9:45

a.m., the Midshipmen departed for Range G-9 to observe the firing of the 3.5" Rocket Launcher. On arrival, the Middies were met by 2d Lt. F. A. Roger, range officer, who gave a lecture on the Rocket Launcher. With a final check of safety procedures, the Midshipmen swapped their white frame caps for helmets and took up firing positions on the line. Individual instruction on the weapons was provided by Marine instructors on the line and each Midshipman was given one round to fire at a target tank down range.

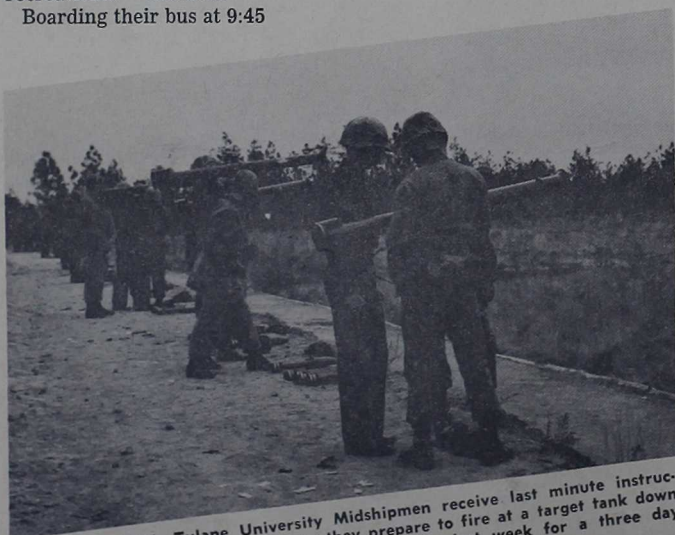
Most of the Midshipmen were viewers of television war serials with their subdued sounds of battle, and were totally unprepared for the loud detonation of the first rocket. The resulting "boom," coupled with a cold, biting wind on the line put the first few rounds wide of the target, but Midshipman Walter Peabody took careful aim and scored a direct hit on the



BRIEFING—Colonel R. E. Collier, Marine Corps Base G-3 Officer, briefs Midshipmen from Tulane University on the organization and mission of Camp Lejeune after they were officially welcomed aboard Friday morning by Maj. Gen. James P. Berkeley, Commanding General, Marine Corps Base. (Photo by LCpl. H. L. Shaw)



ON THE LINE—Midshipmen from Tulane University get last minute instruction on the 3.5" Rocket Launcher prior to firing during a recent tour of Camp Lejeune. (Photo by LCpl. H. L. Shaw)



AT THE READY—Tulane University Midshipmen receive last minute instructions on the 3.5" Rocket Launcher as they prepare to fire at a target tank down range at Camp Lejeune. The Midshipmen arrived last week for a three day tour. (Photo by LCpl. H. L. Shaw)



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BIG RIFLE—NROTC Midshipmen from Tulane University watch a Marine 106mm Recoilless Rifle crew go into action. (Photo by LCpl. H. L. Shaw)

tank's turret with his first round to compensate for the Midshipmen's first misses.

With their ears still ringing, the Midshipmen proceeded to Range G-5 where 106mm Recoilless Rifle training is conducted. After a briefing on the fundamentals of the weapon and its transporter, the "mechanical mule," the Midshipmen returned to the firing line. Each Midshipman fired several magazines of .50 cal. ammunition from the 106 "spotting rifles" at a moving target downrange and at stationary targets positioned about 800 yards to the front.

After returning to base for the noon meal, the potential officers left again, this time for a close air support demonstration at the N-1 tower area. After a briefing on the fundamentals of Marine air-ground coordination, the Midshipmen watched as Marine A4D jet aircraft made their approach runs and softened up an "objective" with

20mm cannon and rocket fire.

Late Friday afternoon, the Midshipmen returned to base for the evening meal, a brief tour of base facilities and a film at the Camp Theater.

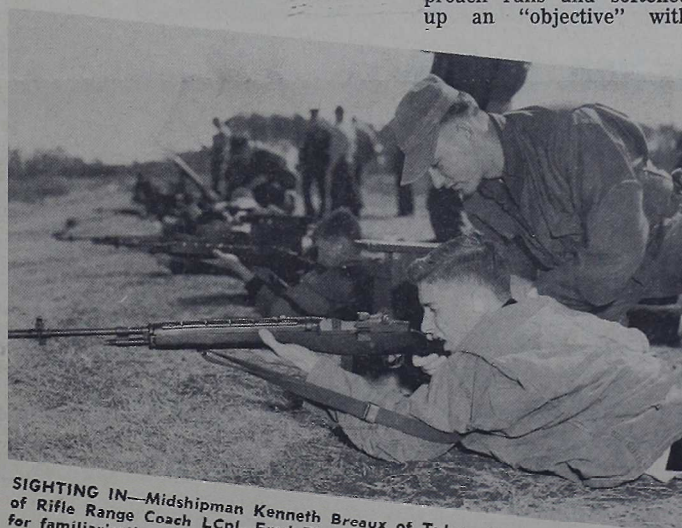
Saturday morning found the Midshipmen at the Rifle Range where they fired the .45 cal. pistol and the M-14 rifle for familiarization. After returning to mainbase, those who desired were transported to the Area 2 swimming pool for recreational swimming, followed by a bus tour of the base area. Later in the evening, the collegians watched the Camp Lejeune Marines in action on the basketball court at Goettge Memorial Field House.

On Sunday morning, the men attended church services at base chapels prior to departure for the return flight to New Orleans.

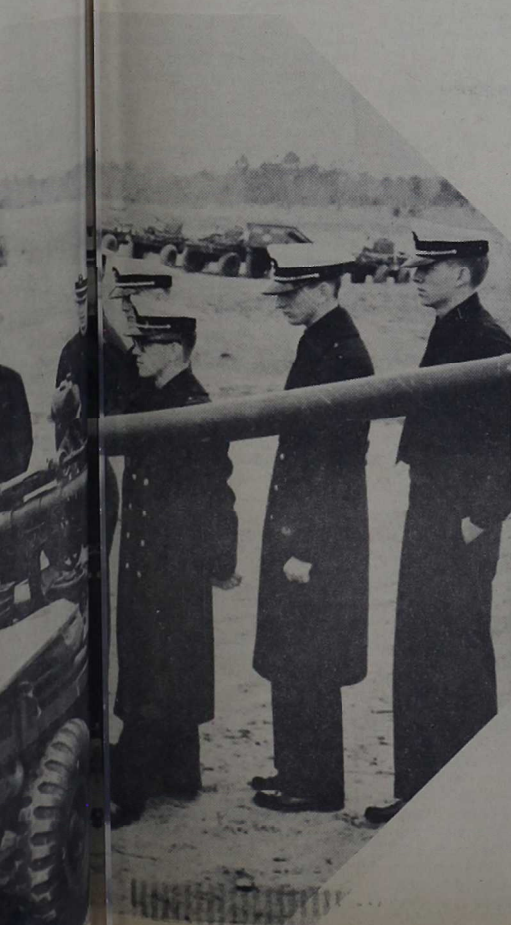
One Midshipman commented on the success of the tour, before departure; "We really enjoyed this; for the first time, we were able to personally observe, and in some cases, actually participate in Marine training procedures."

Tulane University, founded in 1834, has one of the five oldest NROTC units in existence. Over 200 Midshipmen are enrolled in the program. Tulane, located in New Orleans, La., offers degrees in Medicine, Law and Education as well as the Liberal Arts.

Midshipmen enrolled in the NROTC program undergo a full four year program of officer training while at Tulane, and may elect to take a Naval or Marine commission as regulars or reservists upon graduation. The NROTC tour of Lejeune is part of the annual training program. During the last two years, the Midshipmen were hosted by the Marine Corps Recruit Depot at Parris Island.

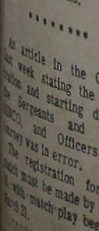


SIGHTING IN—Midshipman Kenneth Breaux of Tulane University with the aid of Rifle Range Coach LCpl. Fred Thomason fires the Marine Corps M-14 rifle for familiarization. (Photo by LCpl. B. J. Martin)



HAT SWAP—Tulane University NROTC Midshipmen trade their white frame hats for Marine helmets as they prepare to fire 3.5" Rocket Launchers during a recent tour of Camp Lejeune. (Photo by LCpl. H. L. Shaw)

Competition from other Marine Corps and Army installations is expected.



2d Division Muscleman Rated Tops

2D MARINE DIVISION--A rugged 2d Marine Division Infantryman, with a 47-inch chest, rates as one of the top musclemen in America.

Private First Class Carlos A. Rodriguez, a 19-year-old machine-gunner with Company "G", 2d Battalion, 2d Marines, has been entering physique contests for the past three years. A 1962 winner of New York's "Mr. Metropolis" contest, the 6'6", 170-lb. body builder will defend his crown in the 1963 edition of the same competition in Brooklyn, March 16.

Rodriguez, born in Caguas, Puerto Rico, was a second-place finisher in New York's 1962 "Mr. Gotham" competition, and a third-place contestant in the "Mr. New York City" meet, held in 1961. Larry Cianchetta, a Marine reservist from



CARLOS RODRIGUEZ

New York, finished second in the same competition, while California's Larry Scott was the winner.

Prior to joining the Marine Corps in September 1961, Rodriguez entered the "Mr. New Jersey" contest, where he placed third.

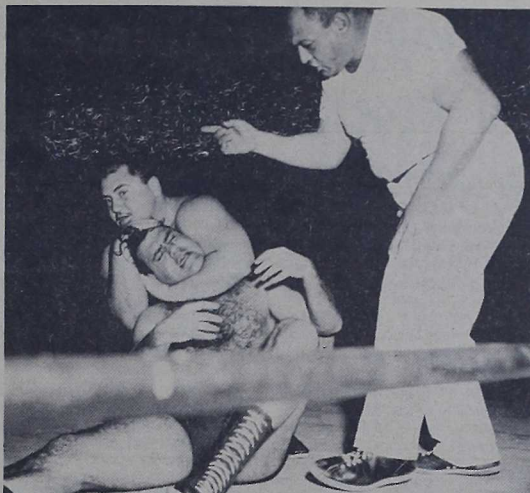
Now living in Hoboken, N. J., the good-natured physical fitness bug neither drinks nor smokes. His 47-inch expanded chest and steel-hard 16 1/2-inch expanded biceps taper down to an amazing 28-inch waist. He trains six days a week, and his condition is so good he has been known to do 150 pushups in a matter of a short few minutes. On one occasion, during recruit training in Parris Island, he recorded a tremendous mark of 169 pushups within the two-minute limit.

Although never really concentrating on weight-lifting, Rodriguez is nevertheless amazingly strong. He is able to bench-press 325 lbs., military-press 235 lbs., and can squat 350 lbs. laden on his powerful shoulders. In spite of his obvious strength, however, he refers to classify himself as strictly a body-builder.

Duffer Bag

In an effort to organize a Junior Golf Committee and plan golf program, a special meeting has been announced for Saturday, March 9, 1963 in the Enlisted Clubhouse at the Paradise Point Golf Course. All junior golfers, male or female, interested in participating in this program are invited to attend.

An article in the GLOBE last week stating the registration and starting date of the Sergeants and below, INCO, and Officers' golf tourney was in error. The registration for this match must be made by March 17, with match-play beginning March 21.



ON CANDID CAMERA?—If so, Mark Stone, in the advantageous position, isn't giving Louie Bone much of a chance to give the spectators a smile. The two pro grapplers entertained over 1,200 fans last week, during a three-event, wrestling match sponsored by Special Services. (Photo by LCpl. W. E. Friesendorf)

3-Day Title Eliminations End Tonight

2D MARINE DIVISION--After a three-day elimination tournament involving six teams, the basketball champion and runners-up of the 2d Marine Division will be decided tonight at Goettge Fieldhouse. Game time is 7:30 p. m.

The three-day Division play-off series began Tuesday night, March 5. The top three teams in the National League--2d Motor Transport Battalion, Headquarters Battalion, and 2d Service Battalion competed with the top three in the American circuit--4th Battalion, 10th Marines, 2d Battalion, 6th Marines and 2d Pioneer Battalion. 2d Motor Transport Battalion ended their National League season with a top-ranking 13-3 record, followed by a two-team tie for second place. Both Headquarters Battalion and 2d Service Battalion finished their regular games with identical 12-4 record, playing their final game of the season on Monday night, March 5.

2d Battalion, 2d Marines ended in fourth place in the National League with an 11-5 record, followed by the 1st Battalion, 6th Marines, who were 10-6 for the year. Two artillery units, the 1st Battalion, 10th Marines and the 3d Battalion, 10th Marines, ended in a two-way tie for sixth place with the same 5-11 standing. Rounding out the National League were the cellar-dwellers, 1st Battalion, 8th Marines, with a 4-12 slate.

In the American League, which ended its regular season last Thursday, February 28, 4th Battalion, 10th Marines made a runaway of the league by winning 13 and losing only 1. 2d Battalion, 6th Marines came in second with a 10-3 ledger, followed by third place 2d Pioneer Battalion, 8-6 on the year. Rounding out the last five teams in the American circuit the 1st Battalion, 22d Marines had a 7-7 record, 2d Anti-Tank Battalion, (6-8), sixth-place Headquarters Battery, 10th Marines (5-9), 2d Medical Battalion (3-10), and last-place finisher 2d Battalion, 10th Marines.

Lady Golfers

The Women's Golf Association has announced a Scotch Foursome to be held Sunday, March 10, on course No. 2, Paradise Point Golf Course. Scheduled to begin at 12 noon, the match is open to all Marines and their dependents.

Quantico Tops Hawaii For All-Marine Honors

San Diego, Calif.--The Quantico "Marines" scored their third consecutive All-Marine Corps Basketball Championship with an easy 78-52 victory over Hawaii Saturday at California Western University's Golden Gym.

The Virginians, who were downed 77-70 by the Islanders in the tournament opener on Tuesday, jumped to a quick 5-0 lead following the opening tip-off and the rout was on. Quantico's 5-9 court wizard Brian Sheehan paced the winners with 22 points while Jodey Gardner's 11 was tops for the cold shooting Hawaiians.

With the defending champs on the long end of a 33-20 count at the half, the Islanders were able to cut the edge to eight

points before their shooting again froze early in the second period.

After picking up only four points in the opening stanza, Sheehan sparked the Virginians to a second half explosion.

The Hawaiians edged within nine points of the lead and then Sheehan connected on two straight field goals and teammates Gary Koenig and Jim Mullen added one each. The red-hot Sheehan netted one more from the floor before the Pacific "Leathernecks" could score.

The Sheehan-led explosion pushed the Quantico's advantage to 50-32.

The champs lost three men on fouls in the final 10 minutes of play but head coach Ira Norfolk's bench strength proved too much for the Islanders to overcome.

Supplymen Show Tourney Threat

Marine Corps Supply Schools will move into the Base Intramural bowling roll-off, beginning Tuesday, about as strong as any team can hope to get.

The first of two teams to represent the Supplymen will be Supply School Company, which Monday, swept into the base tournament, undisputed with a 22-2 record during a local tourney.

Runners-up to the winners were a contingent from Headquarters and Service Company with a 13-11 slate. They will also represent the Schools during the Base tournament.

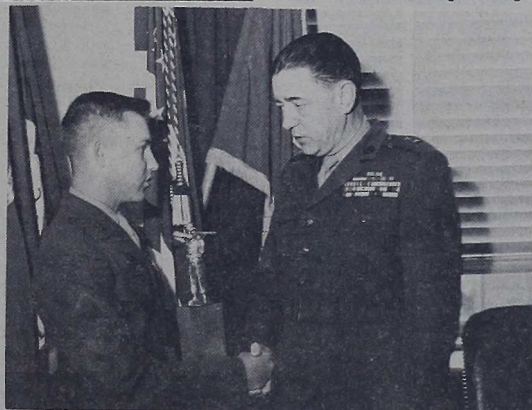
Heading the Montford Point entrants will be Ron Foley, who led the local tourney with a 193 average, and Hank Maultbie who rolled the unit's high game of 278 and total series of 699.

Joining Foley and Maultbie on the School's top team are Joe Applegate, 173; Billy Marsh, 170, Bob Axton and Al Samuel with 175's and Dick Ciesielski.

Track Tryouts

Personnel interested in trying out for the Force Troops Track Team should notify the Special Services Officer at Bldg. 300, phone 7-5519, prior to next Friday.

The track team will participate in Quad-Command and FMFLant Track Meets. Outstanding individuals will be selected to represent Camp Lejeune in the East Coast Conference Championship Track Meet at Fort Belvoir, Va., and also the Quantico Relays.



RECRUIT MARKSMAN--Maj. Gen. James P. Berkeley, Commanding General, Marine Corps Base, presents the annual 1962 Brigadier General Calvin B. Matthews miniature Trophy to Pfc Arthur D. Ledbetter. Pfc Ledbetter attained the highest qualification score with the M-14 (241) while attending recruit training at Parris Island, S. C. last November.

Bat Boy Contest

Wanted....Two bat boys for the Camp Lejeune Baseball Team.

The Camp Lejeune baseball team has announced the beginning of an essay contest to select two bat boys for the 1963 season.

Boys between the ages of 10 to 12, desiring to be selected should forward a letter in 100 words or less on "Why Sportsmanship Is Important", to: Bat Boy Contest, c/o Athletic Office, Marine Corps Base, Camp Lejeune, N. C.

Following the initial judging, the best 10 entrants will be interviewed by Lejeune coach, John Holt and Assistant coach,

Curt Salyer.

Judging the essays will be Major E. S. Lambert, Special Services Office, coach Holt, Assistant coach Salyer and the GLOBE Sports Editor.

Deadline for the contest ends 8 a. m., March 21, with the final selections being made March 25. Both boys will be awarded a varsity baseball uniform.

The boys will be expected to work all weekend games during the exhibition season, after April 1, and all home games during the regular season, beginning April 15.

For further information regarding the contest, call 7-3125.

Interservice

The fifth annual Interservice Pistol Championships will be held at Lackland Air Force Base, Texas from March 31 to April 5, 1963.

This year's competition will include, for the first time, an individual match recognized for award of credit points toward the Distinguished Pistol Shot Badge. This special Excellence-In-Competition Match will be designated in the program forwarded to all participants.

A Marine Corps Team, consisting of shooters from many Marine Corps commands will be selected by the Team Captain, Marine Corps Rifle and Pistol Team, Weapons Training Battalion, Marine Corps Schools, Quantico, Va.

All local commands have been encouraged to attend.

WANTED

Bat Boys (2) - To work with Lejeune Baseball Team. Must be aggressive, motivated and desiring a varsity uniform of their own. Send essay, 100 words or less, why sportsmanship is important, to Bat Boy Contest, c/o Athletic Office, Marine Corps Base, Camp Lejeune, N. C.

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PERSONAL AMBULANCE—Stretcher-bearers carry a wounded Marine through a wooded area enroute to the Battalion Aid Station where he will be treated prior to evacuation to the Field Hospital. (Photo by Cpl. Danny Paul)

From Your Career Advisory Office . . .

Career Clues

If you are an E-4 Corporal or above between the ages of 20 and 30 years, and can fill basic requirements listed for the Career Noncommissioned Officer Program, you could be commissioned a Marine 2d Lieutenant in just 10 weeks.

Selected applicants for this program attend the Officer Candidate Course at the Marine Corps Schools, Quantico, Virginia, for 10 weeks. Upon successful completion of this course, candidates will be appointed to the grade of 2d Lieutenant in the Marine Corps Reserve, followed by an Officers' Basic School at Quantico. Graduates of the Basic School are then assigned to Reserve units or continue specialized training for continued active duty.

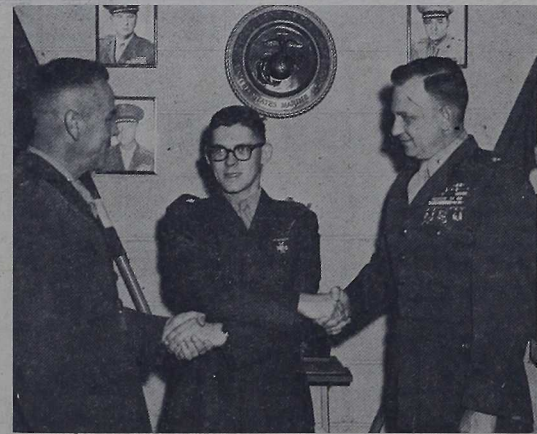
Education requirements specify a high school diploma, and candidates who have completed four years of an accredited college or university will be accepted without a screening examination. Those who have only the high school diploma are required to take an Officer Selection Test.

Preparation for this exam should include a review of high school general math, algebra, trigonometry, biology, general science and physics in the math and science fields, English and social studies courses recommended include high school English and grammar, composition, American history and government and world history and geography.

Applicants may be married, must be male citizens of the United States, and must not have previously failed to complete an officer candidate course. Personnel on active duty must have completed a minimum of 2 years of service and not more than five years. The applicant's

present enlistment must not expire for a period of one year after the date of application unless an extension or written statement of intent to reenlist or extend accompanies the application. A General Classification Test grade of 120 or higher is also required.

It is recommended that applicants for this program undertake a serious program of academic review before attempting to take the Officer Selection Examination. Your unit education NCOs will furnish further information on USAFI courses available. Career Advisory NCOs have detailed information on this program, and will discuss with you Marine Corps Order 1532 dealing with officer candidate programs. Drop in and see them.



DOUBLE SHAKE FOR FIRST PLACE—Lcpl. Barry R. Betts, center, H&S Co., H&S Bn., 2d FSR is congratulated by his company commander, Maj. R. R. Berling, right, and acting battalion commander, Maj. L. Schoenberger, left, on finishing first in a class of 63 Marines in the Regimental General Military Subjects School last month.

Corpsmen In 3/2 Put Book-Learning To Practical Use In Field Problem

"Corpsman, Corpsman," cries a wounded Marine. It is this call that has sent a small group of individuals into action in countless campaigns where Marines have fought. They are the Field Hospital Corpsmen attached to each Marine Infantry unit and supporting element.

To produce these finely trained men, the Navy provides well-staffed and well-supplied "Corps" schools. But, what is done to keep the fine edge on the Corpsman's skill after his schooling is completed and he is attached to an infantry unit where he may someday have to put his "book-learning" to practical use? The 3d Battalion, 2d Marines, has an answer. Under the direction of Lt. J. J. Quinn, (MC) USN, Battalion Medical Officer, the battalion conducts actual medical "field problems".

Utilizing Marines as patients and as "enemy" soldiers, the Corpsmen become front-line "lifesavers." The problems are conducted under as nearly actual combat conditions as possible. Marines from the battalion are used to portray "enemy" ground troops and snipers, intent on killing or wounding the Corpsmen who expose themselves.

The Marine "patients", using medical moulages of wounds ranging from abrasions to amputations, test the Corpsman's ability to give aid while keeping himself and the wounded Marine under cover.

After the Corpsman has treated the wounded Marine as best he can, he must instruct the stretcher-bearers concerning the location of the Battalion Aid Station and the quick-

est, safest route they can take to get the wounded man to the station alive.

Other members of the battalion are used as stretcher-bearers. They must aid the Corpsman in transporting the wounded man to the Battalion Aid Station where he can receive further medical treatment prior to being evacuated to a Field Hospital or being returned to duty.

Treatment of the patients at the Battalion Aid Station is also scrutinized and commented upon. At the Aid Station, the wounded Marine is examined

further by another Corpsman and the proper aid is given him.

When the problem is completed, Lt. Quinn and the senior members of his staff point out what errors, if any, have been made and how to insure that the same mistakes aren't made again, when it comes to a Corpsman's or Marine's life.

The road to a wounded Marine's recovery is often a long one, but, he wouldn't get farther than the spot where he fell if it weren't for the efforts of Corpsmen on the front line.



LIFE LINE—At the Battalion Aid Station, Corpsmen diagnose, treat and evacuate wounded Marines who cannot be returned to duty. This Marine is being given a "simulated" pint of plasma. (Photo by Cpl. Danny Paul)

Sentry Commended For Determination, Courtesy

PFC Robert J. Killen, Headquarters Battery, 4th Battalion, 10th Marines, received a letter of commendation from Major General James P. Berkeley, Commanding General, Marine

Corps Base, for the determination, courtesy and outstanding performance of duty.

PFC Killen was standing as a sentry at the 10th Marines gun park when General Berkeley attempted to enter the park in his personal automobile.

Upon entering the park, General Berkeley was stopped. Pfc. Killen who informed the general that private vehicles were not allowed inside the park.

To see how firmly Killen would hold to his decision, General Berkeley showed the sentry his ID card and notified him that he was the Base Commander.

According to General Berkeley, the sentry never wavered from the fact that private or civilian vehicles were allowed in the park.

Wanted

Two men from MCB, private first class or private, with MOS 0141 or 0100 who are willing to reenlist for duty in Hawaii. One man for duty at the Marine Corps Air Station, Kaneohe Bay, Oahu, and one man for duty with H&S Bn., FMFPac. Camp H. M. Smith, Area.

For further information, contact Base Career Advisory Office in Bldg. 59, or telephone ext. 7-3321.

Quad Command Highlights

Promotions

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3d Bn., 2d Marines
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Deitsch, E. W. Dottman, K. A. Eastburn, R. S. Fisher, E. C. Floyd, F. J. Frasier, J. R. Frost, W. J. Gallagher, J. Garrett, Jr., J. A. Gibbs, D. I. Jackson, D. H. Jagers, E. Jennings, D. L. Joy, R. M. Kerry, S. G. Kirby, L. L. Littrell, R. E. Martin, R. T. Meyers, W. T. Mitchell, W. Moffitte, H. Nero, Jr., L. W. Patterson, V. J. Myers, L. A. Pitre, R. J. Price, J. F. Santor, V. J. Smith, D. H. Steele, F. D. Stewart, R. J. Turner, D. G. Still, C. G. Sullivan, J. E. Sumpter, E. Teller, Jr., H. G. Thielmann, R. G. Walker, T. D. Wittman, R. E. Collins, J. M. Cotto, M. B. Graham, J. S. Jurasko, P. S. Nielson, R. M. Nimmic, G. C. Skaggs, L. D. Verbeck, R. G. Fecko, N. D. Jones, R. L. Dickerson, D. C. Arley, T. F. Fallon, P. F. Malloy, R. E. Cable, D. P. Reed, H. J. Weyers, W. R. Hoskin, J. S. Baker, J. E. Collins, G. E. Jackson, G. G. Ziems, A. L. Molina, E. S. Sneed, W. W. Boone, Jr., E. R. Forrest, B. G. Glasscock, J. R. Twine, L. W. Lytle, J. L. Glover, L. Lookinglass, R. Haney, G. D'Urso, W. E. Coble, J. G. Rheame, E. C. Ridlon, J. C. Guthery, W. H. Johnson, T. E. Cossitt, W. G. Boernman, J. R. Allen, K. E. Cota, F. J. Paveza, G. A. Dahkie, R. G. Meckley,

L. J. Canfield, C. W. Henderson, C. R. Mann, R. P. Floyd, R. H. Drozdziel, J. D. Glazewski, D. Mead, 2d Bn., 2d Marines
Cpls. Kerry J. Rulon, William A. Mericle, Thomas L. Sherman, Harold W. Morgan, Elmer O. Bowen, Michael A. Piserchia, Charles D. Smith, Thomas A. Spoltore, Philip S. White, Samuel Moton, Jr., Edward K. Mayberry, Paul A. Trechick, Avery L. Douglas, and Arthur J. Marchetti.
Lcpls. James R. Risko, Larry E. Henrickson, Charles L. Young, Jr., Lynwood M. Head, Harry J. Leaman, Howard H. McClellan III, Franklin T. Burdett, Ronald Breeding, Edwin F. Upright, Ronald D. Coleman, Nathan Griffin, James D. Pierce, Ronald A. Deslauriers, John J. McDermott, Hilrey C. DiGuilio, John F. Pittman, Russell M. Barber, Daniel R. Jankowisk, Jimmie R. McKinney, Jerry R. Fitzgerald, Roy S. Hawkley, James W. Carrier, Joe L. McClain, Joseph L. Ketterman, Ronald S. Poplawski, Robert J. Will, John A. Cook, Bobby J. White, Clinton C. Esleman, William L. Twitty, Joseph D. Harrington.
3d Bn., 10th Marines
Lcpl. G. C. Price, and Pfc's E. G. Lemery, W. H. McClellan, R. Mock.

MARINE CORPS BASE:

Naval Hospital
HNS Lynette M. Armistead, Tommy R. Burdine, Lawrence R. Price, Fairlee Stone, Robert C. Voss and MASN Richard E. Butterworth.

FORCE TROOPS:

2d Bridge Co.
Cpls. H. W. Williams, A. V. Masari, P. F. Moore, and P. L. Thompson.
Lcpls. W. B. Smith, B. D. Pierce, T. J. Casey, Jr., E. C. Chappell, G. H. Kane, W. W. Cook, G. T. Ellis, P. M. Becoski, D. R. Ziems, and D. L. Bradford.
Pfc's P. W. Adams, A. M. Boller, J. A. Walsh, E. H. Strong, J. A. Simpson, W. B. Fogarty, C. P. Kruske, Jr., C. E. Wetteland, and J. C. Housier.

Commendations

FORCE TROOPS:

2d Bridge Co.
Sgt. F. L. Ridler, Good Conduct, 1st Award.
Cpls. R. G. Gauthier, M. L. Scott, and Lcpl. J. B. Searight, Good Conduct, 1st Award.

2D MARINE DIVISION:

Pfc. W. Morse, 3d Bn., 10th Marines, Letter of Commendation.
Lcpl. John I. Griffith, 1st Bn., 2d Marines, commended for first finish at Communication School.

Off-Duty Courses

FORCE TROOPS:

2d AmTrac Bn.
Cpl. C. F. Tankersley, MCI Marine NCO.
Lcpl. W. W. Chaplin and Pfc. Hercheik, USAFI High School Tests.

MARINE CORPS BASE:

Naval Hospital
HMCA Burton C. Riley, company Hospital Food Service Manager.

2D MARINE DIVISION:

3d Bn., 10th Marines
Cpl. J. W. Burdette, MCI Wire Communications.
Cpl. L. M. Tyrell, MCI Automobile and Engineer Equipment Mechanic.
3d Bn., 2d Marines
Lcpl. Dennis R. Hockett, MCI Rifle Squad.



FIVE LITTLE THREADS—Pictured are five of the girls who will participate in "The Magic Thread" Girl Scout program Sunday at the Goettge Memorial Field House. Over 43 countries will be represented by the girls who have found or made native costumes and also constructed the country's flag as the one shown in the picture. From left to right are: Jeanie Merrick, Guatemala; Nancy Adams, Troop 110's Juliette Low representative; Janice Gibbs, Chile; Sharon Danowitz, Spain and Pinky Lambert, Sweden.

Girl Scouts Begin Week With Mass Dedication

A special program to be held March 10 at the Goettge Memorial Field House at 2 p. m. will mark Girl Scout Sunday and be a fitting beginning to Girl Scout Week which runs from March 10 to March 16.

Presented by Brownie and Girl Scouts of Onslow District which includes Camp Lejeune, the Air Facility, Jacksonville, Hubert and Swansboro, it will be open to the public. All girls that have uniforms are asked to wear them with white gloves both to church and to the program.

Purpose of the program is to rededicate scouts to the principles and ideals of scouting and to honor their founders, Juliette Low, with contributions to the fund named in her memory, "The Juliette Low World Friendship Fund".

Theme of the program is "The Magic Thread" chosen in the belief that troops and troop leaders are the magic thread which links the youth of the world together.

In carrying this out, each troop is studying a member country of the World Association of Girl Guides and Girl Scouts, learning the promise of the assigned country in the native language. If possible, making a flag of Indian head cloth and acquiring an original or a copy of the native costume.

One girl from each troop in the native costumes will place the flag on stage while one girl in Brownie or Girl Scout uniform donates the Juliette Low contribution.

Camp Lejeune's 2d Marine

Division Band will open the program with a concert. Presentation of colors will then take place by the Girl Scouts followed by the Pledge of Allegiance and "Star Spangled Banner" by the audience.

Rev. W. L. Smith of St. Anne's Episcopal Church, will give the Invocation and Susan Kohler of Troop 81, the Welcome. An explanation of the World Association and Juliette Low Fund will be given by Brenda Mitchell of Troop 81 after which the scouts will join in singing "Our Chalet". She will then call forth the member nations.

Judy Bayless, Troop 297, will present a rededication to the principles of scouting and both the Brownies and Girl Scouts will rededicate themselves by reciting their respective Promises followed by the singing of "When E'er You Make A Promise".

In closing, Father F. W. Kelly, Base Chaplain, will give the Benediction, colors will be lowered and all scouts will join in singing "Girl Scouts To-

gether". Organ music will be by Miss Barbara Brown.

Color guard will consist of Sandra Lockhart, Judy Connor and Judy Bayless of Camp Lejeune Troop 297; Carolyn Powell and Ann Sheehan of Jacksonville Troop 130; Mary Davis and Gwen Clark of Hubert Troop 144; Gwen Hubert and Wendy Wilderson of Swansboro Troop 498.

Alice Dorgan of Camp Lejeune Troop 297 will be officer of the day. In charge of ushers will be Cindi Loeper, also of Troop 297.

Program committee consists of Mrs. S. M. Kelly, district chairman; Miss M. G. Grady, district advisor; Mrs. I. E. Librot, Mrs. G. R. Campo, Mrs. E. S. Lambert, Mrs. G. G. Ezzard, Mrs. D. R. Brimmer, Mrs. R. Hicks, Mrs. U. S. Baker, Mrs. F. E. Tomlinson, Mrs. P. J. Woods and Mrs. J. P. Abbott.

An important rehearsal will be held Saturday at 9:30 a. m. at the Field House. Each troop should have its flag there then.

Activities Calendar

Tarawa Terrace E-4, E-5 Wives

The first meeting of the newly formed club will be March 11 at 8 p. m. in the Tarawa Terrace Community Center. All E-4, E-5 wives in the area are cordially invited to attend.

International Wives

A program on Japan has been planned for the March 15th meeting at 10 a. m. in the Paradise Room of the Paradise Point Club. Capt. Arthur G. Bartel will be the guest speaker. Japanese arts and crafts will be on display and members will be served sukiyaki in a Japanese

restaurant. Reservations should be made by March 13 by calling Mrs. J. T. Adair, 6-6272; Mrs. J. Glenn, 6-6175; Mrs. M. L. Beamon, 346-9811, Ext. 616; or Mrs. J. T. May, 346-8271.

Group I, OWC

The monthly meeting will be March 14 beginning at 9:30 a. m. at the Paradise Point Club. There will be games and prizes for all. For details check your newsletter. Voting for the OWC officer candidates will take place during the social hour at 11:30 a. m. This will be a "No-Hat Luncheon" and all Irishmen and those that wish they were are urged to wear "a little of the green".

Group VI, OWC

The regular monthly get-together will be held March 13 at the Paradise Point Club. Mrs. J. E. Wilson and wives of officers of 1st Battalion, 8th Marines will be hosting a coffee at 9:30 a. m. to be followed by party bridge and canasta.

PTA Meeting

Midway Park's March 11th meeting will feature a play entitled "Winning The Peace" which will be presented by the third grades of Mr. Jones and Mrs. Irwin. Curtain time is 7:30 p. m. The public is cordially invited.

OWC Plans Spring Fashion Parade

The Officers' Wives' Club of Camp Lejeune will present its annual spring fashion show Thursday, March 28, at Marston Pavilion. This year's show will be based on the theme, "My Fair Lady".

General chairman for the show is Mrs. R. L. Mulford; her co-chairman is Mrs. C. B. Redman. Mrs. A. Roosevelt will be the commentator and music will be furnished by the "Tones."

Sub-committee chairmen working with Mrs. Mulford are: Mrs. R. H. Barnard and Mrs. L. P. Cherubini, programs; Mrs. J. A. MacNeill, fashion co-ordinator; Mrs. W. C. Maugan, assisted by Mrs. J. J. Bentzer, Mrs. D. L. Diamond and Mrs. J. H. Austin, ballroom decorations; Mrs. P. N. Frazier and co-chairman Mrs. R. R. Fritsch, entrance and lounge decorations; Mrs. E. L. Hickson, table arrangements; Mrs. F. R. Chambers, reservations; Mrs. H. E. Knapp, property; Mrs. H. R. Shortt, hostesses; Mrs. W. J. Skvaril, lighting and public address system; Mrs. R. K. Adams, favors and prizes. Mrs. M. Beards and Mrs. W. R. ten Bensel and Mrs. R. W. Rychlik, publicity.

Models taking part in the fashion show have been chosen from each of the eight groups within the Club. Group I will

be represented by Mrs. E. Hampton, and Mrs. D. S. McClung; Group II by Mrs. R. T. Geddes; Group III by Mrs. R. H. Barnard and Mrs. J. M. Platt; Group IV by Mrs. L. J. Naquin, Mrs. D. J. Fulham and Mrs. R. B. Lytle; Group V by Mrs. D. Connell and Mrs. Long; Group VI by Mrs. J. A. MacNeill, Mrs. W. M. Prest and Mrs. C. S. Robertson; Group VII by Mrs. D. W. Wilson.



LADIES' THREE—Discussing plans for the OWC "My Fair Lady" fashion show to be held at Marston Pavilion March 28 are left to right, Mrs. C. B. Redman, co-chairman; Mrs. R. L. Mulford, chairman and Mrs. T. H. Galbraith, chairman of the sponsoring group. (Photo by LCpl. Linda Sype)

SCHOOL MENU

Friday, March 8
Macaroni & Cheese or Fish Squares w/Tartar Sauce
Spring Cabbage
Parsley Buttered Potatoes
Relish Tray
Cornbread & Butter
Cinnamon Pears
Milk
Monday, March 11
Vegetable Soup w/ Saltines
Hot Toasted Cheese Sandwich
Ham Salad on Lettuce
Lemon Cake Squares
Milk
Tuesday, March 12
Chicken A La King
Steamed Rice
Fruit Salad Mold on Lettuce w/ Dressing
Buttered String Beans
Hot Cinnamon Buns
Milk
Wednesday, March 13
Pizza Squares
Peas & Carrots
Garden Salad w/ Garlic Dressing
Yeast Roll w/ Butter
Fresh Pear
Milk
Thursday, March 14
Salisbury Steak w/ Gravy
Mashed Potatoes
Succotash
Cheese Biscuits & Butter
Chocolate-Vanilla Cookies
Milk



DANCE, BALLERINA, DANCE—Practicing their ballet positions are two members of the adult dancing class, Betty Elfer, front left and Carolyn Davis, back left. Mrs. Mary K. Houston, right, one of the instructors, shows the correct way. Classes in ballet, tap and acrobatics are held each Wednesday at 2:30 p. m. in the Midway Park Community Center. (Photo by LCpl. Linda Sype)

Tap, Ballet Classes Now Open To Adults

Four and five-year-olds are doing it. Teenagers are doing it and now adults can do it. No, I'm not speaking of the Bossa Nova but of the ballet, tap and acrobatic lessons taught by Mrs. C. Davis and Mrs. Mary K. Houston, both of whom are experienced dance instructors.

"We've been very pleased with the response thus far and have had so many inquiries for an adult class we have decided to form one to be held each Wednesday at 2:30 in the Midway

Park Community Center," said Mrs. Davis.

Although the location of the class is Midway Park the lessons are not limited to Midway Park residents. Recommended attire for the hour long class is sportswear and leotards. Soft slippers are used for the ballet sessions and tap dancing shoes for the tap dance instructions. There is also a period of acrobatics.

New Children's Class

Because of the excellent response and prompt registration of over 200 children for the Marston Pavilion classes many had to be turned away. Another class for youngsters from 4 to 17 years-of-age is now being formed. It will be held on Wednesdays from 3:30 to 4:30 p. m. at the Midway Park Community Center.

Those interested in either the adult or the children's class are asked to contact Mrs. Houston at 347-4477 or Mrs. Davis at 6-6601.

Pre-School Registration

Members of the Officers Wives Club may enroll their three and four year old children for Pre-School training by calling Mrs. F. B. Lukins at 6-6664 evenings. School is in session every weekday from 9:30 to 12:00 in Building 2625, directly behind the Sitting Service.

Commandant Delivers Annual Status Report

WASHINGTON, D. C.--General David M. Shoup, Commandant of the Marine Corps, last week, delivered his annual report to the House Armed Services Committee on the current status of the Corps.

Highlighting the Commandant's nine page report, which covers Military Personnel, Material, Research and Development, Aviation, Reserves, and Deployments, are these items:

--The budget for the present year provides for a level strength of 190,000 for the Marine Corps. The budget proposed the Fiscal Year 64 will support the same strength.

--The 1964 budget provides for an officer strength of 16,700. Our ultimate officer strength goal for a Marine Corps of 190,000 is an orderly build up to 17,500.

--The Corps has adopted a career program which assists qualified Reserve officers to serve a minimum of 20 years active service.

--One aspect affecting the morale, welfare and effectiveness of the individual Marine is the recent legislation passed by Congress authorizing an increase in the quarters allowance. This has provided some relief in an area of continuing importance. Favorable action to increase military compensation at an early date will further add to the attractiveness of a career in the armed services.

Festival

Members of the Jewish faith will celebrate the festival of Purim Saturday at the Jewish Chapel in Bldg. 67, beginning at 7:45 p.m.

Adults and children are invited to attend.

The Purim reception will be held the following day (Sunday) at Chaplain Solomon Poupo's home at 1127 Suribachi in Tarawa Terrace. The traditional reading of the Megillah will be given by the rabbi.

Also of interest to Jewish personnel and their dependents is the preparation for the Feast of the Passover from April 8 to April 16. Chaplain Poupo asks that all interested persons telephone his office (7-5822) or his home (346-6543) for information.

Adult Health Class In Planning Stage

An Adult Physical Fitness and Recreation Class is now in its planning stage, reports Mr. Selwyn Orcutt, Director of Youth and Community Activities at Camp Lejeune.

If enough are interested and the class is formed it will be held from 10 a. m. to noon twice a week at Marston Pavilion. Mrs. Van Voorhis and Mrs. St. Marie, both physical education teachers, will instruct. One hour will be devoted to exercise and the other to recreation.

Children may attend the periods with their parents. There will also be baby-sitting available.

Recommended attire is sportswear; socks for the trampoline, sneakers for the recreation period which will include volleyball, badminton, fencing, rudiments of tennis indoors and any other activity that may be desired by the class.

Those interested are asked to contact Mr. Orcutt at 7-5528.

--Since April 1962, the First Marine Aircraft Wing has provided one helicopter squadron and the necessary base support to operate in the Republic of Vietnam. The squadron is rotated approximately every six months. During the nine month period ending January 12, 1963, these Marine helicopters have flown some 17,500 sorties for a total of some 14,031 flight hours. They have lifted about 87,600 troops and passengers and 1,994,711 pounds of cargo. During these support operations, the squadrons report a total of only 55 hits on the aircraft by Viet Cong fire. There were no personnel injuries or aircraft losses from these hits.

--I shall continue to say that one of the most heartening results of the build up for Cuba was that parochialism perished in the Armed Forces. The Army, Navy-Marine, and Air Force forces, keenly aware of their own capabilities and limitations, and those of the other services, were welded together under a unified commander into one of the greatest assault teams in American history.

--In 1962 we demonstrated repeatedly our unique ability to operate high performance aircraft from small expeditionary airfields. We are approaching our goal of being able to operate them from airfields no longer than 2,000 feet utilizing the Short Airfield for Tactical Support (SATS). The arresting gear and matting have been operational for many months and the catapult equipment is in the final stages of development.

--A development contract has been negotiated for an improved follow-up of the present family of assault amphibious personnel vehicles, a command vehicle, and a recovery vehicle.

--The present direct support artillery weapons organic to the Marine Divisions are principally World War II type. In the near future the HOWTAR, a 4.2" mortar mounted on a 75mm pack howitzer carriage, will replace the 4.2" mortars. This will give us a helicopter transportable weapon with the mobility of the pack howitzer and the punch of the mortar.

--We have equipped the FMF with the M14 Rifle and the M60 Machine Gun and have on hand these weapons for the 4th Division/Wing Team.

In conclusion the Commandant told the House members: "The immediacy of the response of Fleet Marine Force units in widely separated areas of the world during the past year once again demonstrated our readiness and willingness to fulfill our traditional role of this country's force in readiness. The Congress and the American public have my personal assurance that they have a Marine Corps that is trained and ready to meet the kinds of contingencies for which this force is maintained. We propose to keep it that way in Fiscal Year 1964."

TV Show

Capt. Duan K. Sinclair Jr., 8th Engr. Bn., will appear on Ben McDonald's "Military Log" interview show on Channel 6, WECT, Wilmington, on Monday, March 11, at 6:30 p.m.

He will show a 400-year-old suit of Japanese armor and various Japanese swords, one of which is more than 700 years old.



ON TRIAL — The Marine Corps' experimental "Hip Pack," as shown here with a load of radio equipment, may prove to be a blessing to the Marine infantryman used to carrying heavy loads on long marches.

MCB-23 Noting 21st Anniversary

Although their anniversary was Tuesday, March 5 Sea Bees of Mobil Construction Battalion 23 will celebrate their 21st anniversary today at the Camp Geiger picnic area beginning at 6 p. m. There will be a cake-cutting and refreshments.

MCB 23, presently here for a brief training period, is under the command of Cmdr. J. B. Wyble, CEC.

Sea Bee is not the term applied to an ocean going honey bee, but rather the name for the most famous crew of construction men to come out of World War II.

The term Sea Bee is derived from the letters C, B, in Construction Battalion.

Dubbed "Fighting Sea Bees" during World War II, these gallant builders have earned fame and will always be remembered when such names as Guadalcanal, Salpan, Tinian and Guam are mentioned.

Now, 21 years later, they are still working around the world with Marine and Navy units, performing the same duties today as they did then.

The GLOBE extends its heartiest congratulations to "these builders from the sea".

Notice

Camp Lejeune motorists are warned the speed limit on Holcomb Blvd. has been lowered to 25 mph from Dogwood Street to the Traffic Circle.



INCENTIVE AWARDS—Mrs. Elaine F. Martin, 512 Jarman St., Jacksonville, left, secretary to Col. J. G. Babashian, Base Provost Marshal, right, and Mrs. May L. Moser, 429 Nelson Ct., Jacksonville, center, PMO Clerk typist, receive certificates and checks for \$150 from the Colonel. The certificates and checks were incentive awards for "sustained superior performance" and "an increase in proficiency." Both are veterans of more than 10 years of Civil Service. (Photo by LCpl. Linda Syke)

Marines 'Get Hep' With An Attachable 'Hip-Pack'

MARINE CORPS SCHOOLS, QUANTICO, VA., -- The "Hip Pack," a device designed to ease the load of the pack-carrying Marine, is currently under test here by the Equipment Board, Marine Corps Landing Force Development Center.

This rigidly constructed pack was developed by Bell Aerosystems Company. It is designed to free the backbone and shoulders area from the load pressure of a pack by distributing the load weight over the man's hip and pelvic area. It decreases fatigue from carrying a heavy load.

The "Hip Pack" material is designed to deflect flying objects and shrapnel. For frontal protection the pack has a body armor vest, much like the ones now worn by Marine infantrymen, which may be snapped to it.

Through the use of a detachable packboard, hooks and other

devices, various other loads such as ammunition, canteens and first aid packets may be attached to the "Hip Pack" vest.

The Equipment Board is evaluating the pack to find an improved load carrying system to meet the needs of the Marine Corps and the individual Marine.

Service Station

Effective Sunday, March 10, the Central Exchange Service Station will operate under the following hours:

	Only Gas	Service Parts
Sun.	0900-1730	Close
Mon.	0700-1900	0700-1700
Tues.	0700-1900	0700-1700
Wed.	0700-1900	0700-1700
Thurs.	0700-1900	0700-1700
Fri.	0700-1900	0700-1700
Sat.	0800-1730	0800-1300

Artillerymen Successful Eight Days At Fort Bragg

Members of the 2d Battalion, 10th Marines have returned to Camp Lejeune following an eight-day artillery training period at Fort Bragg, N. C. last month.

The cannoners ended their overall 10-day training period by joining forces with the 6th Marine Regiment for a two-day infantry-artillery problem in the Croatan National Forest.

Since June 1952, the artillery arm of the 2d Division has used the firing ranges at Bragg by having an entire regiment travel there twice yearly for its firing exercises. Only on rare occasions has a separate battalion been sent there on its own. However, because of the success of the 2d Battalion, 10th Marines, more battalion firing exercises are likely in the future.

The 2d Battalion's high-spirited sharpshooters, commanded by LtCol. James P. Mariades, endured cold and rain before expending some 2600 rounds in the five days of firing. Several days' exercises were delayed because of poor visibility or rain.

Colonel Mariades, enthusiastic about the overall training period, said: "I feel that we have a responsibility to every man in this battalion, that he

know his job and know it well. The only way he'll learn his job is to be here in the field wearing his bread and butter uniform."

The 2d Battalion troops, maintaining high spirits despite the miserable weather, were helped considerably by the quality and quantity of hot food served in the field. The battalion field mess, opened by Sgt Harry W. Spade and Cpl Walter B. Vittur, was declared "outstanding" in all aspects. The cannoners praised the top quality of the meals.

Four of the battalion's five batteries made the trip to Fort Bragg: Hq Battery, commanded by Captain James A. Croley; Batteries "E" and "F" led by Captains Clarence W. Milworth and John E. Sinclair respectively, and Howler Battery (firing the 4.2" mortar in place of the howler, now being modified), commanded by Captain R. D. Stuckey. Battery "D", normally a part of the 2d Battalion, is currently in the Mediterranean with Battalion Landing Team 1/2.

Colonel William P. Cover Jr., commanding officer of the 10th Marines, visited the firing areas and was pleased with the overall success of the battalion's problem. The colonel anticipates more battalion-level training periods of this type.

Col. Schmidt New 1-6 Commander

Change of command ceremonies were held March 6 at 1st Battalion, 6th Marine Division at Camp Lejeune with Lt. Col. Maynard Schmidt relieving Lt. Col. Joseph C. Fegan.

Lieutenant Colonel Fegan has been designated the Assistant G-3, 2d Marine Division, assignment previously held by his successor.

Lieutenant Colonel Schmidt, before joining the Division in July 1962, served as a instructor at Senior School, Marine Corps Education Center, Quantico, Va. during a 35 month tour of duty at Marine Corps Schools, Quantico, Va.