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Division Band At Pavilion Tonight; Wilson Humber Plays Montford Point

The dance program for Camp Lejeune tonight schedules the popular 2d Division dance orchestra for Marston Pavilion from 2000 to 2400. One of America's finest pianist, Wilson Humber, and his orchestra will play Montford Point for the same hours.

In addition to playing for the dance, the Humber orchestra will play a concert at the MPC theater from 1800 to 1900.

At Marston Pavilion, charming hostesses from local cities and a special Christmas program intermission will heighten the appeal of the dance and will, with the smooth rhythms of the 2d Division orchestra, keep the entire four hours packed with entertainment.

The Humber orchestra casts the reigning star of radio and stage Barbara Barrie, on the vocals. Featured on the Mutual coast-to-coast broadcast, "Mutual Goes Calling," Barrie was formerly with Pinky Minlin's orchestra and has made inscriptions for overseas broadcasts in addition to transcriptions on WJZ on the Blue Network, New York.

Wilson Humber, a top arranger, writes the music for his band, M. C.'s the show, directs the band, and plays a terrific piano. He mixes his stories, parodies, and humor along with other entertainment, making the band show a pleasure to see as well as hear. Humber's impersonations of such pianists as Eddy Duchin, Fats Waller, and Frankie Jaxon have been termed "terrific."

All in all, it looks like a top entertainment program for Lejeune tonight from 2000 to 2400. Don't miss it!

Recreation Center Welcomes Servicemen A Party Tuesday

The Presbyterian Recreation Center on College Street in Jacksonville invites all Marines to a special Christmas party at 2000 Tuesday.

There will be a short program, refreshments, and many hostesses and townspeople present to greet and serve those who attend.

The recreation center is open every night except Monday and servicemen are always welcome. The center extends a special invitation for this party on Tuesday, however, and urges all to attend.

All-Service Title At Stake Today

The Quantico Marines and Fort Belvoir All-Americans will meet at the College Park, Md., gridiron this afternoon to decide the 1948 All-Service Football Championship. The proceeds from the game will be donated to charity. Quantico won the All-Navy title last Saturday 21-0 against San Diego MCRD. The member of the Ft. Bragg team is well-known to local football fans.

Changes In Globe Publication Dates Over The Holidays

The Camp Lejeune Globe will be delivered to the personnel of this base next Wednesday, 22 December, instead of on Thursday.

The following week, the Globe will be delivered on Friday, 31 December.

After the first of the year, regular publication on Thursday of each week will be resumed.

Prizes To Residents Of Midway Park For Best Decorations

The Midway Park Women's Club is sponsoring a contest for the best interior Christmas decorations as viewed from the outside and the Midway Park Community Association is sponsoring a companion contest for the best exterior decoration of dwelling and yard.

All residents of Midway Park are urged to participate in these contests and make the Park the most attractive town in the area for the Christmas Season.

The judges will be a group of impartial persons from outside Midway Park. Their decisions will be final. The date of the judging will be December 23.

AWARDS

Community Association—Best exterior decoration of dwelling and yard.

1st Award—The winner's house rent will be paid for the month of January, 1949 by the Association.

2nd Award—The winner's utility bill will be paid for the month of January, 1949 by the Association.

Women's Club—Best interior decoration viewed from the outside.

1st Award—A Christmas turkey.

2nd Award—A Five-Dollar (\$5.00) certificate for merchandise at the Midway Park Drug Store.

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Official Designation Of Women Marines Avoids Nicknames

For the purposes of official designation, women entering the Regular Marine Corps under the provisions of Public Law 625, 80th Congress, which provided for women as a part of the regular military establishment, shall be referred to as "Women Marines," Marine Corps Headquarters announced today.

Although their official title is that of "Women Marines," the designation "U. S. Marine Corps" will apply to the women as well as to the men in the Marine Corps when used after a name.

The letters "USMC-W" will be used in official reporting forms, and in the cases of Women Reservists the letters "USMCR-W" will be used.

School Vacation

Christmas vacations for Camp Lejeune schools will commence on 20 December until 3 January, 1949. Students will return to school on the morning of January 3rd.

Children's Christmas Party Tuesday; Santa To Be There; Stockings For All

Santa Claus will be at Camp Lejeune next Tuesday afternoon at 1600 at a gala Christmas party for the children of all enlisted personnel at this base. The party will be held at Marston Pavilion and will be sponsored by the Hadnot Point Staff NCO Club.

Christmas Programs Scheduled Through Wednesday, 22 Dec.

Special Christmas programs throughout Lejeune commence Sunday and continue through the 24th. The following events have been scheduled for the period 19 through 22 December. The remaining programs will be carried in the next issue of the Globe.

SUNDAY

1100—Protestant Church Christmas Services in the Community Building, Midway Park.

1500—Christmas Pageant at the Protestant Chapel at Hadnot Point by the children of the Paradise Point Sunday School.

1700—Candlelight Musicales to be presented by the Midway Park Women's Club in the Community Building.

This chorus of forty-five voices is composed of residents of Midway Park and is under the direction of Mrs. Clyde Bartley with Mrs. Thomas Roper as accompanist.

TUESDAY

1500—Combined Scout Party at the Community Building, Midway Park.

1600—Christmas party at Marston Pavilion for the children of all enlisted personnel at Camp Lejeune, sponsored by the Hadnot Point Staff NCO Club.

1800—Christmas party for all of See CHRISTMAS On Page 6

Each child who attends the party will receive a stocking crammed full of goodies. There will be ice cream and soft drinks to tickle the palate. And, as if this were not enough for almost any child, Santa Claus will be on hand in person.

Old Saint Nick, the children's jolly Christmas idol, will hear their heart's desires and make the afternoon one to be long remembered.

The children of all enlisted personnel at Camp Lejeune and their parents are invited to this party at the Pavilion at 1600 Tuesday, the 21st.

MORE PARTIES SCHEDULED

On the 23rd, next Thursday, two more children's parties are scheduled, one at Midway Park for the children of all personnel at Camp Lejeune and one at the Officers' Mess. Complete details of these parties and other special holiday events will be published in the December 22 issue of the Globe.

2d Division Public Information Will Inaugurate New Radio Series Tonight

A new type of radio show will be inaugurated by the 2d Division Public Information Section tonight at 1930 on radio station WJNC. This program will be in the form of a newscast and will feature current events at Camp Lejeune.

For the past several months, the Division Public Information Section has been on the air every Thursday at 1930 over the facilities of the local radio station, highlighting an activity or unit at this immense base. The series has been highly informative and has brought the listening audience an inside glimpse of the actual functioning of many organizations.

Unit commanders should phone 3621 if they have any items of current interest which would be suitable for this new broadcast.

All hands are invited to tune in at 1240 on the radio dial every Thursday at 1930 to hear this program.

Special Lejeune Christmas Cards

Your Camp Exchanges are featuring a special Christmas card bearing a full color picture of a stained glass Chapel window. Embossed in gold, this luxury card is priced for popularity and is on sale at all Exchanges.

Its souvenir value will increase with the passing weeks. Long after the Holidays your friends will keep it and display your distinctive choice with pride.

Send some of them out today!

Nativity

This scene from the pageant presented at the Camp Lejeune School Monday calls to mind the real meaning of Christmas. The three wise men, bearing gifts, worship the Christ child in the manger at Bethlehem. Left to right, below, are Esther Henderson, Frank Greer, Ceril King, Sonny Barker, Gwen Barnes, Jim Snyder, Jeanne Waller, and Paul Rothgeb. The pageant was presented in the school auditorium for the students Monday morning and in the evening for the members of the Parent-Teacher Association. The latter presentation was broadcast over station WJNC. (Photo by Pfc. Powers).



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Every Little Bit Helps

High Finance

Beginning the first of the year we will all get what is equivalent to a pay cut. The average Marine will lose between five and ten percent of his pay, which will revert back to the government in the form of income tax. But before you run down to the company office to cancel your bond allotment, let's take a look at this whole subject of finance.

The United States Government, like many of its citizens, is pretty hard up for money. It took an untold amount of ships and planes and guns to beat the Axis, and none of these things grew on trees—the government had to buy and pay for them just as any individual would. Each time someone in the armed forces wore out a pair of shoes, or went over the hill, or turned into the hospital, the bill that Uncle Sam had to pay went up a little higher.

We in the naval service are citizens of the United States, and as citizens we are now being called upon to pay our share of this national debt. There are several ways in which we can do this. The most common way is the payment of taxes, but this method is also the roughest on the individual as there's no return on your money. An easier way to carry our share of the load is to loan the government money by purchasing savings bonds or by making deposits with the Treasury. (Bonds pay you 2½% interest, and deposits 4%, so you're doing yourself a big favor as well as the government.) Of course what you as one individual can loan the government doesn't amount to very much, but this country is made up of about 145 million little individuals and your dollar is just as much help as the millionaire's.

Aside from all of this, we in the armed services can do quite a bit toward saving the government money. We can accomplish this by taking better care of our equipment and clothing; taking care not to waste food, gasoline or ammunition; and by continuing to give the government a full days work for our pay. This in itself will help to reduce income taxes.

This is our country, and we who serve it faithfully in war and peace, should be proud to contribute our little share to help ease the tremendous financial burden which our government is shouldering as a consequence of the past war.—G. S. W.

Among the first troops to arrive on the scene of the great San Francisco earthquake and fire in 1906, were a detachment of Marines from Yerba Buena Island in San Francisco Bay and a battalion of Marines from Mare Island.

A company of Marines was assigned as legation guard at Seoul, Korea, in 1904.

Divine Services

SUNDAY PROTESTANT SERVICES

- 0800—Camp Chapel, Holy Communion Service (Note: 1st and 3rd Sundays, Lutheran Rite; 2d and 4th Sundays, Episcopal Rite.)
 - 0800—Tent Camp, Worship Service
 - 0900—Montford Point, Church School
 - 0915—Adult Bible Class, Camp Chapel
 - 0930—Paradise Point Church School
 - 1000—Montford Point Chapel, Worship Service
 - 1000—Theater, Courthouse Bay
 - 1000—Midway Park Church School
 - 1000—Trailer Park Church School
 - 1030—Camp Chapel, Worship Service (During month of December, Chaplain F. P. Smart, Jr.)
 - 1045—Naval Hospital Worship Service
 - 1100—Midway Park Community Bldg., Worship Service
 - 1100—Trailer Park Worship Service
- All are invited to attend any of the above services.
- CHOIR PRACTICE
- 1900—Thursdays: Camp Chapel, Choir Rehearsal
- ROMAN CATHOLIC SERVICES
- SUNDAY MASSES
- 0730—Chapel, Hadnot Point
 - 0800—Theater, Courthouse Bay
 - 0900—Chapel, Hadnot Point
 - 0900—Trailer Park
 - 0900—Midway Park
 - 1030—Chapel, Hadnot Point
 - 1100—Tent Camp
- Daily Masses:
- 0630—Chapel, Hadnot Point
 - 1800—Chapel, Hadnot Point
- Confessions are heard each Saturday from 1930 to 2030 and immediately preceding the daily Masses.
- JEWISH SERVICES
- Rabbi Jerome G. Tolochko of Temple Israel, Kinston, will conduct services each Tuesday evening at 2000 in the new location in Building 67. A social and refreshments will follow.

Chaplain's Corner

Where Training Starts

Recently I met an Army officer from a nearby camp. In the course of the conversation he deplored the large number of AWOL's and AOL's and summed up his argument with the statement that it was due to a lack of responsibility on the part of the youth of today. That is however, not the whole story. The problem is more complex than that. The lack of responsibility in the first place was in the home. A judge in one of the eastern cities says, "Juvenile delinquency is truly parental delinquency."

Perhaps you recall the old Biblical saying, "Train up a child in the way he should go and when he is old he will not depart therefrom." That places the responsibility at home. A chaplain of a mid-western reformatory reports that out of 1700 persons confined, he has found only one who had been brought up in a home where there had been a genuinely balanced emotional, moral, and spiritual atmosphere.

You are perhaps asking why we should discuss this situation at Camp Lejeune. First of all there are men here who have lacked a wholesome atmosphere. Some of these men recognize this fact, and try to understand situations that they come up against. Others face the problems of life; and, being unable to maneuver the environment to suit themselves, take what appears as the easiest way out. Running from it, they "go over the hill." If a man realizes that he is too weak to "face up" to a situation due to lack of previous training, it is still his responsibility to enlist the help of someone who can help him in his present difficulties. The same man generally uses every means to bring about a desired leave or liberty.

The second part of this problem applies to the situation here at Camp Lejeune as it is a place where hundreds of children are being trained for life by virtue of the fact that they live here. Many of the finest facilities in the Carolinas are here, such as well regulated accredited schools, scout activities, medical care, strict sanitation, libraries, churches, etc. If a child has all these yet lacks parental love and understanding he is being deprived of his "essential due". The worst thing that can be said of a child is that he is a "little man" or that she is a "little lady". They are not to be understood as "little grown-ups" but as children. Their needs should be met at that level.

At this point you are thinking of the housing situation and saying, "but how can we do this in our circumstances?" Perhaps you feel like little Tommy who was asked to write an essay on "Our Dog" and upon completing it read to the class: "Our dog. We haven't got one." Your present house may not measure up to your expectations. It's more than the house that counts, it's the home. One of the finest homes in Camp Lejeune is at Trailer Park. Abe Lincolns come out of homes and not houses.

This whole problem of responsibility then has a two-fold nature involving a personal check-up, analysis, and also a preventive check-up on the part of parents in supplying a wholesome home atmosphere for normal growth. A nation is as strong as its children.

HAROLD A. MacNEILL
2nd ComSerGrp (M)

The Marine Corps Band was organized in 1798 and has played for every president except George Washington.



What's New

Wish You Knew?

QUESTIONS

1. Membership applications of six nations, including Italy and the Dominion of Ceylon, were debated at the United Nations in Paris recently. Why were Italy and Ceylon ineligible for admission when the U. N. was first formed?
2. There was a lot of speculation recently about possible changes in President Truman's Cabinet. Can you name five of the current members?
3. There has been much discussion of a proposed defensive alliance among the five nations of Europe's Western Union, Canada and the United States. Has the United States ever before entered into a military alliance in peacetime?

ANSWERS

1. Italy was an enemy nation during the war, when the U. N. was being organized. Ceylon was at that time a British Crown Colony and therefore not eligible (unlike self-governing dominions) for admission.
2. The cabinet members: George C. Marshall, State; John W. Snyder, Treasury; James V. Forrestal, Defense; Tom C. Clark, Attorney General; Jesse M. Donaldson, Postmaster General; Julius A. Krug, Interior; Charles F. Brannan, Agriculture; Charles Sawyer, Commerce; Maurice J. Tobin, Labor.
3. No.

Family Hospital

Stork Club

- November 30—Timme Lee Rodgers to Mrs. Agnes and Capt. William Rodgers.
- December 1—Gregory Jock McRoberts to Mrs. Mary and 1st Lt. James McRoberts.
- December 5—Jeannie Faith Scott to Mrs. Alma and Sgt. Sidney Scott.
- December 5—Baby girl Stringfellow to Mrs. Margaret and T-Sgt. Robert Stringfellow.
- December 6—David Michael Atkins to Mrs. Carol and Lt. (jg) John Atkins.
- December 7—Terry Leslie Parker and Maureen Eva Parker to Mrs. Mary and HMC Graham Parker.
- December 7—James Douglas Fleeman, Jr., to Mrs. Allene and CWO James Fleeman.
- December 8—Christine Marie Carroll to Mrs. Florence and Pfc. Frank Carroll.
- December 8—Donald Fred Swanda, Jr., to Mrs. Joanne and 2d Lt. Donald Swanda.
- December 9—Baby boy Heiland to Mrs. Margurite and Lt. Clarence Heiland.

NEW RIVER RIPPLES

Hallie Flanagan Davis, the producer, and playwright, tells about the hillbilly who saw a stage play for the first time. Asked why he came home so early, he said, "was fine; nice pictures in the lobby, nice seats inside, nice music. Then the curtain went up and people came out and talked about their family affairs. I thought was none of my business, so I went up and left."

The young lieutenant was very small and very young. The first time he appeared before the company a bass voice from the ranks boomed out, "And a little shall lead them." The mercurial lieutenant said nothing. But the next day a notice appeared on the bulletin board: "Company A will take a 25-mile hike to the hills with full packs. And a little shall lead them—a on a damned horse."

"I want a present for an gentleman for Christmas," said. "Yes, ma'am," replied the clerk. "Something nice in ties?" "No; he has a long beard," the customer explained. "H'm," the clerk murmured thoughtfully. "Perhaps a favorite might be suitable?" "No; it's a long beard," came back the answer. The clerk sighed wearily. "Well, how about carpet sweepers?"

The court room was crowded when the judge finished his lecture to the defendant in the divorce action. "So," said the judge. "I've decided to give your wife \$40.00 a month." The husband's face lit up. "That's fine Judge, I'll try to slip her a couple of bucks now then, myself."

When a man gets too old to be a bad example, he starts giving good advice.

Existing on a serviceman's pay is a constant struggle to keep earning capacity on an even keel with one's yearning capacity.

The butcher was waiting on a customer when a woman rushed in and demanded 20 cents worth of cat meat "at once." Turning to his first customer, she added: "Thank you don't mind." "Not at all," was the answer. "since you are as hungry as that."

THURS., DECEMBER 16, 1943

Fourth Award

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us at an immediate socially as we in the field of endeavor. Your language course it and use it wisely. It is a valuable asset—one that makes the difference between failure and success.

KNOWLEDGE IS CONFIDENCE

If we are to conquer the future of what we are to say it is necessary to have a rich vocabulary. Mental warehouses from which to choose words which to use in our speech are of great value. See MCI on page 10

MRS. MARGUERITE Outstanding Interior Decor

Fourth Award

Mess Hall 411, 16th Marines, copped the mess efficiency pennant for the fourth time last week. Col. G. F. Good, Jr., Chief of Staff, 2d Marine Division, made the presentation to the mess sergeant, MSgt. P. C. Smith (below) during ceremonies Friday. The mess officer, Lt. W. O. Day, is on Smith's right. All available men of the 16th Marines, commanded by Col. J. B. Hill, witnessed the presentation. (Photo by Cpl. Sage.)



Correct English Big Handicap; Remedy Is Simple

It is unfortunate that in a country that boasts of free speech so many of us speak incorrectly. It is a natural desire to have those with whom we come in contact think of us as intelligent individuals worthy of friendship and esteem. This can be accomplished successfully without a thorough knowledge and facility to use the English language. Grammatical imperfections as well as an immediate disadvantage socially as well as in our chosen field of endeavor. We must use our language constantly and to know it and use it well makes it a valuable asset—one that may well be the difference between success and failure.

KNOWLEDGE BREEDS CONFIDENCE

If we are to convey a clear picture of what we are attempting to say it is necessary to enrich our vocabulary and acquire a mental warehouse of words from which to choose. However, a rich vocabulary is of little value if it fails to serve its purpose when exercised with poor grammar. See MCI On Page 7

Mrs. Marguerite Valk, Interior Decorator, Presents Lecture

Mrs. Marguerite Sinkler Valk, outstanding interior decorator from Charleston, South Carolina, gave a highly entertaining and informal lecture at the Officers' Mess on Wednesday, December 8, under the sponsorship of the Officers' Wives Club of Camp Lejeune.

Mrs. Valk used water color illustrations of the two types of quarters at Paradise Point in her lecture on combinations of fabrics and wall papers that can be effectively used with charming colors and furniture in rooms of different dimensions.

In her lecture she pointed out how to substitute charming wall paper for expensive fabrics.

This past summer Mrs. Valk redecorated the Commissioned Officers' Mess. She is well known in the interior decorating field and is considered one of the outstanding authorities in the south. She has her decorating shop in Charleston, S. C., where she has been in business for a number of years.

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MRS. MARGUERITE VALK
Outstanding
Interior Decorator

MRS. FRANKLIN A. HART
President
Officers' Wives Club

Louisiana Vet Bonus Eligibility Announced; \$250 Top Payment

The State of Louisiana has announced eligibility requirements for the veterans bonus authorized on June 18 of this year, providing \$250 for service outside the States and lesser amounts for continental U. S. duty.

Men and women with active duty in the armed forces of the United States at any time between the period January 1, 1941, to March 1, 1946 and who were citizens of the State of Louisiana when inducted into active duty, are eligible for the bonus, provided:

Must have had honorable separation or discharge from service. Must submit actual size photostatic or certified copy of discharge or separation. Navy veterans are reminded to include a copy of their Nappers 553 "Notice of Separation". Veterans who have lost their original discharge and thus cannot present a copy, should write for a "Certificate in lieu of lost or destroyed discharge." Write to: (for ex-Army personnel) The Adjutant General, U. S. Army, Personnel Information Branch, Washington 25, D. C.; or to (for ex-Navy personnel) Bureau of Naval Personnel, Naval Department, Washington 25, D. C.; or to (for ex-Marine Corps personnel) The Commandant of the Marine Corps, Headquarters, U. S. Marine Corps, Washington 25, D. C.; or to (for ex-Coast Guard personnel) The Commandant of the U. S. Coast Guard, 1300 E. Street, N. W., Washington 25, D. C.

Where a bonus has been paid to an eligible applicant by some other state, territory or governmental authority other than the government of the United States, the amount of that bonus shall be deducted from the amount to be paid by the State of Louisiana.

Any potentially eligible applicant outside of Louisiana may obtain an application blank from his respective state veteran's agency, most of which are called "Departments of Veterans Affairs." If there is no such agency available, write to The Bonus Administrator, Bonus Division, Capitol Station Box 4214, Baton Rouge, La.

The deadline for submission of applications is December 1, 1949.

As soon as application blanks are available, sufficient publicity will be given so that all interested parties will be notified. No correspondence should be directed to the Bonus Division.

AMOUNT OF BONUS

The amount of the bonus is as follows:

\$250 to veterans or servicemen who have performed active duty during said period outside of the United States, regardless of the amount of service within the United States;

\$150 to veterans or servicemen who have performed active duty within the United States for one year or more during said period and who are not entitled to a greater bonus;

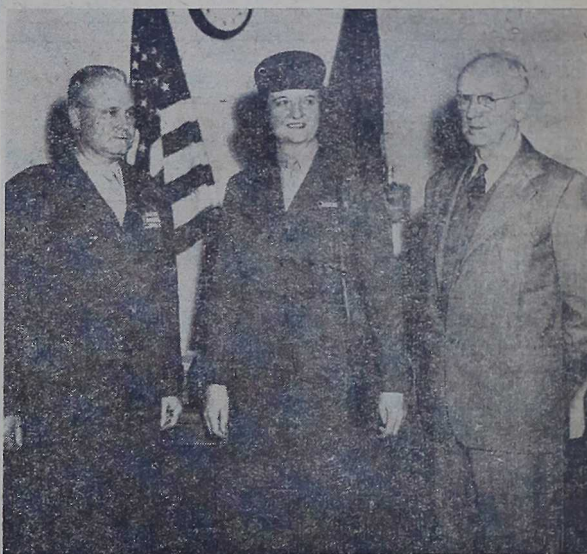
\$100 to veterans or servicemen who have performed active duty within the United States for more than 6 months but less than one year during said period and who are not entitled to a greater bonus;

\$75 to veterans or servicemen who have performed active duty within the United States for more than 90 days but not more than 6 months during said period and who are not entitled to a greater bonus;

\$50 to veterans or servicemen who have performed active duty within the United States for a term of 90 days or less during said period and who are not entitled to a greater bonus.

Receives Commission

Captain Helen J. McGraw of Jacksonville smiles happily after being sworn in the Marine Corps here with a regular commission. Brig. Gen. H. D. Linscott administered the oath last Tuesday at Camp headquarters. Her father, Mr. Alanson R. McGraw, is shown at right. One of 21 officers selected from the inactive reserve, Capt. McGraw will be stationed at Headquarters Marine Corps.—(Photo by Pfc. J. R. Powers).



Capt. Helen J. McGraw Sworn In Regular Marine Corps Last Week

First Lieutenant Helen J. McGraw, USMCR, of 5 Third St., Jacksonville, was sworn into the Marine Corps last week by Brig. Gen. H. D. Linscott, Deputy Camp Commander, upon being selected from the Women's Reserve for a regular captain's commission.

A resident of Jacksonville since her discharge from active duty in April, 1946, she was one of seven captains among 21 officers chosen at this time for the authorized women's component. Captain McGraw will assume duties at Headquarters Marine Corps this week.

Known in these parts as the founder of the Onslow Music School, Captain McGraw enlisted in the Women's Reserve at Denver, Colorado, where she attended Loretta Heights college. She was commissioned in April, 1943, and stationed here three years as officer in charge of the Camp Lejeune School.

Bubbles Becker Orch And Floor Show For Staff NCO Dance

Bruce "Bubbles" Becker brings his orchestra and bag of tricks to the Staff NCO Club tomorrow for the regular Friday night dance. All members and their guests are invited to attend.

The Becker band played the Staff Club last year and was accorded a mighty good hand. This year, however, the only thing the same about the aggregation is its leader. Bruce has gathered together a new group of musicians and the outlook is even brighter.

Dave Townsend, who has brought his own orchestra to the club in the past, is now playing piano and doing the arranging for Becker. In addition, some of the members of Townsend's band have tagged along with him. Add to this considerable talent new musicians gathered from the best available and the picture of the Becker band is almost complete.

A new eye-appealing and ear-appealing vocalist completes the musical side of the ledger.

"Bubbles" lives up to his nickname by performing tricks with elusive little bubbles that will invariably leave the audience somewhat nonplussed.



BRUCE "BUBBLES" BECKER

One-Man Detachments In Pacific Shared 173rd Cake Cutting

WASHINGTON, D. C. (December 7)—Although Marine Master Sergeants Spencer P. Judkins and Stanley A. Glogowsky are stationed alone on widely separated Pacific islands, they too shared in the traditional cake cutting ceremony which takes place each November 10th on the anniversary of the United States Marine Corps.

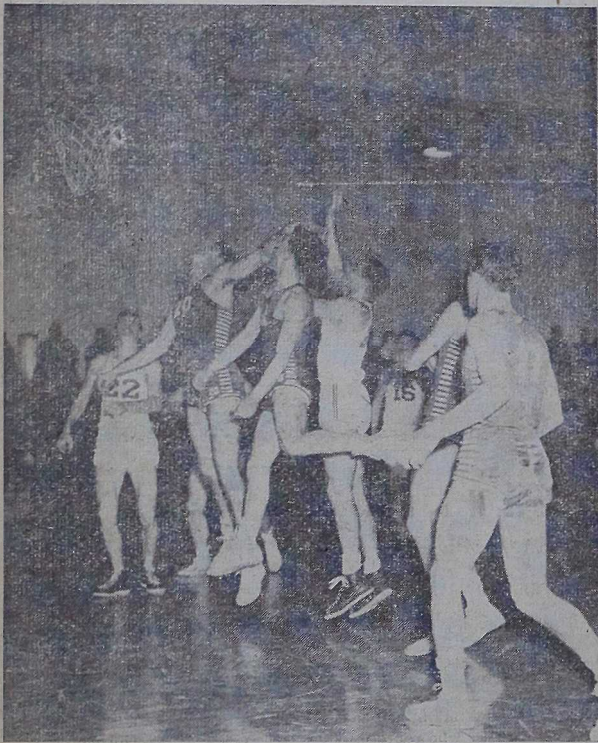
Enjoying a huge celebration in Pearl Harbor, Marines of the Fleet Marine Force Pacific Headquarters saw fit to include these two sergeants. Cakes were baked for each and delivered by air to Samoa and Majuro, Marshall Islands... reaching the hands of the noncommissioned officers on the morning of the 10th of November.

Master Sergeant Judkins, who is serving as Non-commissioned Officer in Charge of the Fita Fita Guard at Samoa, is the official one-man Marine Detachment there. He submits his own one-entry muster roll. Master Sergeant Glogowsky is attached to the Marine Barracks, Naval Operating Base at Kwajalein and was detached on temporary duty to Majuro to "organize and train the Marshallese Constabulary." He is still there.

See CAKE CUTTING On Page 6

Fast Action

Westphal (number 28) pots one from the ring as Kubiskey (22) and Bishop (16) cover for the rebound during the Ft. Jackson game Saturday. Cearley, 6'7" Army center moves in attempting to recover. Sanford, Army guard, (17) also moves in on the play. Bishop scored high for the game with 27 points. (Photo by Pfc. Jellison).



Ft. Jackson Quintet Downed 81-63 By Leathernecks' Periodic Rallies

The lethal Leathernecks of Camp Lejeune, led once again by the unerring aim of "Whiz" Bishop and Lou Anderson, soundly smashed the Fort Jackson five Saturday night, 81-63. Again, as it has been all season, the terrible twosome led the scoring with Bishop gathering 27 and Anderson collecting 25.

The game started out slowly, with the visitors playing slow, deliberate ball, and the Lejeuners unable to hit. The former All-American, Leland Byrd, paced their early efforts, both by his marksmanship and play off the boards, and Jackson ran up a 17-7 lead before the Marines could locate the rim. But, in the case of Lejeune, when it rained, it poured, for the Camp team drove to a tie at 25-all then went ahead to lead, 36-31 at the half by scoring 29 points to 14 for the visitors.

The start of the second half was a repetition of the initial period, with neither team able to get going. Team matched team point for point, until the Lejeune five, led by the busy Bishop, edged ahead halfway through the final period, 60-51. Anderson landed four set shots before the game wound up, in addition to donations by Nofsinger and Halloran, and the gun went off to end the contest at 81-63.

Rollie Kubiskey, the Leatherneck pivot man played the most brilliant game of defensive ball seen yet this season, and it was his scoring in the early minutes that kept the Marines in the contest. Ralph Nofsinger, ball-stealing forward turned in another bang-up game at that position, and contributed six points to the Marine cause.

Leland Byrd, the former All-American of West Virginia, and the 6'7" center of the Fort Jackson five, Cearley, were the main

Quantico Grid Team Downs Diego MCRD For All-Navy Title

The Quantico Marines, East Coast champions, won the All-Navy football championship Saturday by defeating the San Diego MCRD team 21-0.

It was the second straight All-Navy championship for Quantico. The East Coast Leathernecks scored twice in the second period and once in the last quarter on a 70-yard jaunt by center Bill Jesse after a pass interception.

Staff NCO Bowlers Lose Heavily To Wilmington Teams

Staff Club bowlers suffered a terrific setback last Sunday in their matches with Ingram's Keglers of Wilmington. Staff Club team No. 1 was the only team to emerge with bowed but unbroken head, winning two of the three games in their match with the "Sport Center." Staff Club team No. 2 and the Staff Club ladies team were defeated in all three games of their matches.

This marks the Staff Club's first defeat in four matches with their friendly rivals from Wilmington. Return matches will be bowled on the Staff Club alleys after the holidays.

STAFF CLUB TEAM NO. 1				
Player	1	2	3	
MSgt. Stackhouse	134	157	172	463
SSgt. Yetter	157	159	148	464
MSgt. Walters	162	150	164	476
TSgt. Rogers	224	168	111	503
MSgt. Mencher	160	168	154	482
Total	837	800	749	2386

SPORT CENTER				
Player	1	2	3	
Mr. Clark	164	203	187	554
Mr. Ruark	108	155	139	402
Mr. Garrett	131	116	155	402
Mr. Blakeslee	165	150	127	442
Mr. Ingram	116			116
Mr. Kaylor		145	145	290
Total	682	769	753	2204

STAFF CLUB TEAM NO. 2				
Player	1	2	3	
SSgt. McCrosky	114	135	116	365
MSgt. Hudson	149	111	148	408
SSgt. Kelly	155	133	189	477
TSgt. Radford	153	161	128	442
TSgt. Spahr	166	91	141	398
Total	737	631	722	2090

SALLY ANN BAKERY				
Player	1	2	3	
Mr. Porter	186	156	150	492
Mr. Singleton	174	133	130	437

1948-49 Varsity Basketball Schedule

DATE	OPPONENT	PLACE
Thurs., 16 Dec.	Wilmington, N. C.	Wilmington, N. C.
Tues., 28 Dec.	ME, Washington, D. C.	Camp Lejeune
Thurs., 30 Dec.	Chincoteague, Va.	Chincoteague, Va.
Sun., 2 Jan.	Fort Monroe, Va.	Fort Monroe, Va.
Tues., 4 Jan.	Langley AFB, Va.	Langley AFB, Va.
Thurs., 6 Jan.	NAS, Norfolk, Va.	Norfolk, Va.
Sat., 8 Jan.	82nd Airborne Div.	Camp Lejeune
Tues., 11 Jan.	NAMPB, Little Creek, Va.	Norfolk, Va.
Thurs., 13 Jan.	USS Midway	Camp Lejeune
Sat., 15 Jan.	Campbell College	Norfolk, Va.
Mon., 17 Jan.	NRS, Norfolk, Va.	Fort Jackson, S. C.
Wed., 19 Jan.	ME, USNB, Charleston, S. C.	Camp Lejeune
Sat., 22 Jan.	MCAS, Cherry Point, N. C.	Camp Lejeune
Mon., 24 Jan.	AFB, Greenville, S. C.	Camp Lejeune
Wed., 26 Jan.	Wilmington J. C.	Washington, D. C.
Fri., 28 Jan.	ME, Washington, D. C.	Camp Lejeune
Sat., 29 Jan.	Chincoteague, Va.	Fort Monroe, Va.
Mon., 31 Jan.	Fort Monroe, Va.	Norfolk, Va.
Tues., 2 Feb.	USS Midway	Camp Lejeune
Fri., 4 Feb.	MCAS, Cherry Point	Little Creek, Va.
Sat., 5 Feb.	NAMPB, Little Creek, Va.	Quantico, Va.
Mon., 7 Feb.	NAS, Jacksonville, Fla.	Jacksonville, Fla.
Wed., 9 Feb.	ME, USNB, Charleston, S. C.	Charleston, S. C.
Fri., 11 Feb.	NAS, Jacksonville, Fla.	Camp Lejeune

All home games will be played in Gym 201

RESULTS

Camp Lejeune	55	NOB, Bermuda	37
Camp Lejeune	80	NOB, Bermuda	32
Camp Lejeune	78	AFB, Bermuda	22
Camp Lejeune	79	NOB, Bermuda	33
Camp Lejeune	83	AFB, Bermuda	39
Camp Lejeune	66	Wake Forest	80
Camp Lejeune	77	Campbell College	48
Camp Lejeune	81	Fort Jackson	63

Camp Cagers Crush Campbell College Win 77-48 Over Determined Visitors

The Camp Lejeune Basketeers bounced back from their loss to Wake Forest Deacons and rolled up a decisive 77-48 victory over Campbell College quintet in Gym 201 last Thursday before a late crowd, including the Commanding General, Maj. Gen. Franklin A. Hall.

Led by Andy Anderson, who set shot artistry scored 22 points for the Lejeuners, the Marines broke up a tight game early in the second quarter when Anderson and Bishop combined for a series of shots and lay-ups.

The score was 10-11, Campbell ahead, in 9 minutes of the first quarter when two free throws by Bishop gave the Camp cagers a lead which they swiftly stretched during the second period.

Kobza and Westphal started systematic breakdown of the Campbell offense during the second quarter as they continually intercepted passes and stole dribbles while center Kubiskey kept the backboards clean for the Marines against their taller adversaries.

Half-time score was 38-25, for Lejeune.

Thompson, tall center for the collegians, was their chief threat during the first half as he broke away several times, and made good on a number of pivot shots before the Marine's defense found a way to cover him effectively.

The Lejeuners opened up the second half with a scoring attack that poured in four goals in two minutes, and then slowed a tripping as Coach Caputo started substituting. The reserves came to life, however, and again started the razzle-dazzle defensive play that harassed the visitors greatly, and the score at the end of the third quarter, was 67-35.

During the remaining period of the game the Marines played a tight defensive game, marred only by a last minute rally by the Campbell quintet which dropped in four quick baskets before it was cut off by the alert work of the Lejeune squad.

Mason, Campbell College forward who won a berth on the All-conference team last year, provided the scoring punch for the visitors, and was their chief inspiration with his excellent defensive play.

Coyle, Anderson, Bishop, Kobza, Kubiskey, Westphal, and all of the Lejeuners, turned in an excellent game, and gave added encouragement to the hope that Camp Lejeune will give a real battle for Navy court honors.

When the Marines pulled to within four points of the Deacons, coach Murray Greason sent in the first string again, and they threw in six quick baskets to give them a 40-30 half time lead.

The final two quarters saw the Deacons pull slowly but steadily away from the Marines, as play was marked by the accurate shooting of Kaylor, Deacon guard, and the passing of Deacon forward Mueller, who teamed with center Bob Corey to break the Lejeune defense.

Ralph Nofsinger and Whiz Bishop provided the close-up scoring punch for the locals during the second half, and Andy Anderson did his share of set shots from a distance. Westphal took over from Kubiskey on the control of Lejeune backboards, and both did well against their giant opponents.

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Camp High Quintet Wins Newport, 52-24, Beaufort, 57-38

Camp Lejeune High school basketball team added two more to its victory skein last week when the boys' team dropped the quintet 52-24, in a game at Newport on 3 December, then went on to gain a 57-38 over the Beaufort five on Monday.

The feminine team from Lehigh did not fare so well, dropping their third and successive games, losing to Newport sextet by a 15-25 after holding a half time lead, and then dropping a hotly contested game to the Beaufort 20-31.

Thy Raney is the leading scorer on the Camp High School team, with 77 points to her credit. Esther Henderson, Margaret and Penny Stepka are three most able teammates.

During the scoring on the Lehigh boy's scorebooks is Probst, racked up 21 points in the Bern contest, and was also

in the game with Beaufort, he hit the net for 18. It was closely followed in scoring in both games by Blake, scored 13 in the first game and 17 in the second. Barker, Sutherland and Sutherland are well up on the points per list, with the entire team well up to give the Camp another top-notch basketball team.

This week the Camp School two Class A high schools, coach Ellington expected to meet both a hard fight. Kinsland New Bern are the two, and Kinsland was the Camp Champion last year. New also is reported to have a team, and the Camp High will definitely be the underdog in both games.

Annual Tournament Eighth Marine Commences

Eighth Marines commenced their third annual Inter-Battalion Golf Tournament early last week when Able and Baker Companies engaged in the first match of the 15-game tournament.

Each company has entered a team in the round-robin tournament, which will conclude on January 31. In addition to the perpetual trophy, prizes in the possession of Able Company, individual prizes will be awarded for the high average and high individual games. Matches will be played in the area Service Club, commencing 1900. All hands are invited to attend.

Golf Schedule

Monday 19 December — Points Par Tourney—Play against with 3-4 handicap.
Tuesday 20 January — Two Man Tourney — Both men drive then play alternate with only one ball.
Wednesday 23 January — Blind Partner Tourney — Partners chosen by lot after teeing off.
Thursday 26 January — 1-2 combined handicap alternate.
Friday 29 January — Least putts tourney—Prizes for least putts in 3 holes. Net score of 80 or less is necessary.
GOLF COURSE HOURS
Monday thru Sunday—0800 to 1800.
Closed All Day Monday.

'Points For Par' For Camp Lejeune Golfers Here This Weekend

This week-end Camp Lejeune Golfers will have an opportunity to take part in a Points for Par tourney, and try for prizes totaling \$35.00 in PX Merchandise Chits.

Each golfer will play 18 holes of golf against par, using three-fourths of his handicap. The handicap is split up so that he is allowed to use one stroke on each of the holes specified on his score card. Points will be awarded on the following basis: 1 point for bogey (1 over par); 3 points for par; 5 points for birdie (1 under par); 10 points for eagle (2 under par). Prizes will be awarded for the highest number of points accumulated.

Every golfer must play with at least one other tournament player to qualify. Medal play will prevail. Separate score cards must be turned into the Pro Shop by each player, signed and attested by his playing opponent. The tournament will run on both Saturday and Sunday.

H&S Officer Keglers Beat 2d ComSerGrp Four Straight Games

The Headquarters and Service Bn, MB, officers' bowling team took four straight games from the vaunted 2d Combat Service Group officer keglers in a match on the Officers' Mess alleys last Tuesday.

The 2d ComSerGrp team had a record of 24 wins out of 28 games until the H&S officers stepped in to hand them four more losses.

The H&S Bn. team is composed of Lt. Col. Winecoff, Lt. Col. Goldberg, Lt. Col. Migneault, Lt. Protz, and Lt. Reynolds.

Staff NCO Bowlers

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Mr. Floyd	142	155	163	460
Mr. Stanley	160	165	163	488
Mr. Keen	158	145	120	413
Total	810	754	746	2310
STAFF CLUB LADIES TEAM				
Player	1	2	3	
Mrs. J. Heidenfelder	99	114	117	330
Mrs. G. Roehlk	125	104	115	344
Mrs. J. Houle	109	97	112	318
Mrs. M. Harless	62	109	87	258
Mrs. D. Regan	110	112	117	339
Total	515	532	558	1629
INGRAMS LADIES TEAM				
Player	1	2	3	
Miss M. Porter	123	160	161	444
Miss F. Botesky	93	101	98	292
Miss B. Burnett	114	99	127	340
Miss J. Botesky	131	84	88	303
Mrs. M. Wheeler	157	113	159	429
Total	618	557	634	1809

Wake Forest

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Bishop and Kaylor tied for high point honors, both scoring 20, followed by Anderson with 16. The results of the game indicate that the Lejeune team should be able to hold its own with the best of service teams during the coming season—Wake Forest is touted as being second only to N. C. State in the Southern Conference this year.

SCORING				
LEJEUNE	FG	FT	PT	
Bishop	9	2	26	
Kaylor	4	5	13	
Nofsinger	4	2	10	
Kubiskey	1	3	5	
Westphal	1	3	5	
Anderson	8		16	
Kobza	2	2	2	
WAKE FOREST				
FG	FT	PT		
Kaylor	10	20		
Bennett	3	8		
Patten	3	6		
Brooks	1	4		
Covey	4	2	10	
Marlin	2	4		
Hajeway	3	9		
Geary	2	5		
Mueller	2	7		
McCotter	2	4		
Watkins	2	6		

Ft. Jackson

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Walker	0	0	0	0
Anderson, g	12	1	25	Barnes

'Champions' Trophy

The coveted intramural football 'Champions' trophy was presented to the winning team, H&S Bn.—1st AAA "Deacons", at Marston Pavilion Friday night. Shown below are, left to right, Lt. C. A. R. Fredrickson of the 1st AAA Bn., ass't coach; Maj. Marvin L. Ross, representing the CO of the 1st AAA Bn.; Brig. Gen. H. D. Linscott who made the presentation; Lt. Col. John A. Saxten, CO of Division H&S Bn.; and Chaplain R. S. Sassaman, team coach. Some of the happy team members are visible in the background. (Photo by 2d Division Photo Sect).



8th's Touch Football League Going Again; Baker Co. Leading

After many delays caused by rain, training schedules and inspections, the Eighth Marines Touch Football League again is underway.

The big game of the schedule so far has been the H&S—Baker Company game. Ever since the softball season, when Baker Company won the deciding game to win the Trophy, H&S Company has sworn to even the distribution of trophies by taking the football award. The game, however, tells a slightly different story at this point.

H&S started the scoring last Monday night by scoring Egan on a pass from Somjai, after a long drive down the field late in the first period. The try for the extra point was wide. Baker Co. then became more determined than ever to score. Throwing passes in all directions, they moved consistently. Stewart, a 6'3" end for Baker, was on the receiving end of most of them.

Late in the third quarter, having moved to the H&S 25 yard line and on fourth down, Baker Co. elected to try one more end zone pass. Stewart was the target again, but as the pass came down, Final, playing center for H&S, beat Stewart to the jump and batted the ball to the ground... or so he thought. As the ball descended, Nase came in on a "Frank Merriwell" horizontal dive, picked the ball out of the air a scant few inches from the ground, and skidded across the goal line. The try for the extra point was good. The score: 7-6 Baker Company.

H&S Co. hasn't given up hope as yet. The schedule calls for H&S to play two more games with Baker before the schedule ends.

Kobza, g	0	1	1
Shimulunas	1	0	2
Half: LEJEUNE 36			
JACKSON 31			
Byrd, f	9	1	19
Holt	1	0	2
Kinky	1	0	2
Thomas, f	5	2	12
Nichols	0	0	0
Cearley, c	2	1	19
Smith	0	3	3
Pyle, g	1	1	3
Kinch	0	0	0
Sanford, g	1	1	3
Ware	0	0	0
Bothins	0	0	0
Singleton	0	0	0
Barnes	0	0	0

Victorious H & S Bn-1st AAA Football Team Receives Intramural 'Champions' Trophy

The victorious intramural football team, the Headquarters and Service Battalion-1st AAA "Deacons", were presented the coveted 'Champions' Trophy by Brig. Gen. H. D. Linscott at Marston Pavilion Friday night.

The trophy was accepted by Lt. Col. John A. Saxten, Commanding Officer of H&S Battalion, and Major Marvin L. Ross, who represented the Commanding Officer of the 1st AAA Battalion.

Following the trophy presentation the men were awarded cigarette lighters engraved with the inscription: "1948 Intra-mural Football Champions of Camp Lejeune."

Coached by Chaplain Robert S. Sassaman, a veteran football athlete, the Deacs ran the majority of their plays from a short punt formation and developed a crushing offense. Berjans, the Deacon center, was the outstanding linesman, while in the backfield the honors went to Mangine and Gorman.

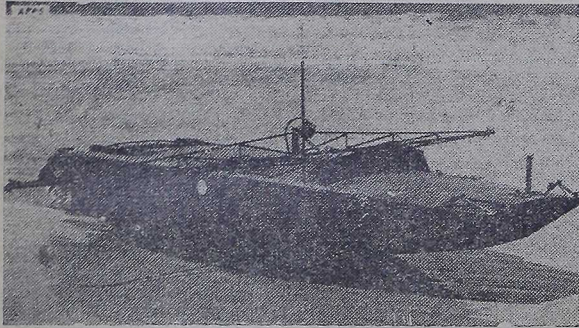
The Deacons took the lead in their first game when they downed a favored 10th Marines eleven 19-0. In the course of the season they made a total of 77 points to their opponents' 19.

Six intra-mural teams were on the gridiron this year and the majority of the games were well attended. Well-matched, the teams played "heads up" ball and gave their fans many a thrill.

Intra-Mural Basketball Schedule, 2-18 Dec.

AMERICAN LEAGUE				
DATE	TEAM	OPPONENT	TIME	PLACE
Thurs., 16 Dec.	U.S.N.H.	vs 21st Mar.	1745	Gym 300
Thurs., 16 Dec.	1st AAA	vs 2nd MedBn.	1945	Gym 300
Fri., 17 Dec.	USMC-V	vs H&S Div.	1745	Gym 300
Fri., 17 Dec.	10th Mar.	vs 2nd AmTrac	1945	Gym 300
Sat., 18 Dec.	21st Mar.	vs M.P.C.	1745	Gym 300
Sat., 18 Dec.	USMC-V	vs U.S.N.H.	1745	Gym 300
Dec. 20, Mon.	1st AAA	vs 2nd AmTrac	1945	Gym 300
Dec. 20, Mon.	H&S Bn. Div.	vs U.S.N.H.	1945	Gym 300
Dec. 21, Tues.	1st AAA	vs M.P.C.	1945	Gym 300
Dec. 22, Wed.	1st AAA	vs U.S.N.H.	1945	Gym 300
Dec. 23, Thurs.	1st AAA	vs H&S Div.	1945	Gym 300
Dec. 27, Mon.	H&S Div.	vs M.P.C.	1800	Gym 300
Dec. 27, Mon.	U.S.N.H.	vs 2nd AmTrac	1945	Gym 300
Dec. 29, Wed.	2nd Med. Bn.	vs USMC-Vs	1945	Gym 300
Dec. 30, Thurs.	21st Mar.	vs 10th Mar.	1945	Gym 300
Jan. 3, Mon.	10th Mar.	vs 2nd Med. Bn.	1945	Gym 300
Jan. 4, Tues.	U.S.M.C.-Vs	vs 21st Mar.	1945	Gym 300
Jan. 6, Thurs.	2nd Med. Bn.	vs 21st Mar.	1945	Gym 300
Jan. 6, Thurs.	U.S.M.C.-Vs	vs 10th Mar.	1945	Gym 300
M.P.C.—Montford Point Camp				
DATE	TEAM	OPPONENT	TIME	PLACE
Thurs., 16 Dec.	8th Mar.	vs ComSerGrp	1745	Gym 115
Thurs., 16 Dec.	2nd EngBn	vs 16th Mar.	1945	Gym 115
Fri., 17 Dec.	H&S Camp	vs MCSD	1745	Gym 115
Fri., 17 Dec.	EupSchBn	vs 2nd TankBn.	1945	Gym 115
Sat., 18 Dec.	2nd EngBn	vs 8th Mar.	1745	Gym 115
Sat., 18 Dec.	Research Lab	vs SupSchBn.	1945	Gym 115
Dec. 20, Mon.	2nd Eng. Bn.	vs SupSchBn.	1945	Gym 115
Dec. 21, Tues.	2nd Eng. Bn.	vs Research Lab.	1945	Gym 115
Dec. 22, Wed.	8th Mar.	vs SupSchBn.	1945	Gym 115
Dec. 23, Thurs.	2nd Eng. Bn.	vs M.C.S.D.	1945	Gym 115
Dec. 27, Mon.	2nd Eng. Bn.	vs 8th Mar.	1800	Gym 115
Dec. 27, Mon.	M.C.S.D.	vs Research Lab.	1945	Gym 115
Dec. 29, Wed.	2nd ComSerGrp.	vs 16th Mar.	1945	Gym 115
Dec. 30, Thurs.	2nd Tank Bn.	vs H&S Camp	1945	Gym 115
Jan. 3, Mon.	16th Mar.	vs 2nd Tank Bn.	1945	Gym 115
Jan. 4, Tues.	2nd ComSerGrp.	vs H&S Camp	1945	Gym 115
Jan. 5, Wed.	16th Mar.	vs 2nd ComSerGrp.	1945	Gym 115
Jan. 6, Thurs.	2nd Tank Bn.	vs H&S Camp	1945	Gym 115
RESULTS				
Thurs., 2 Dec.	2d Eng Bn	37		
Thurs., 2 Dec.	MCSD	29		
Fri., 3 Dec.	2d Tank Bn	38		
Fri., 3 Dec.	2d Eng Bn	41		
Sat., 4 Dec.	2d Eng Bn	38		
Sat., 4 Dec.	2d ComSerGrp	34		
Mon., 6 Dec.	16th Marines	33		
Wed., 8 Dec.	2nd Eng. Bn.	37		
Wed., 8 Dec.	Research Lab.	39		
Wed., 8 Dec.	M. P. C.	63		
Wed., 8 Dec.	1st AAA Postponed			
21st Mar.		29		
2nd ComSerGrp.		42		
2nd Eng. Bn.		39		
10th Mar.		47		
H&S Bn. Div.		76		
Naval Hosp.		43		
2nd AmTrac.		37		
SupSch Bn.		29		
2nd Eng. Bn.		52		
H&S Bn. Camp		72		
2nd Med. Bn.		53		
2d ComSerGrp.		52		
Research Lab		49		
8th Marines		51		
H&S Bn. Camp		28		
16th Marines		27		
SupSchBn		34		
MCSD		34		
SupSch Bn.		46		
H&S Camp		36		
U. S. N. H.		40		
USMC-V		44		
MCSD		28		
2nd Tank Bn.		35		
1st AAA		57		
2nd Med. Bn.		43		
H&S Bn. Div		73		
M. P. C.		73		
8th Mar.		34		
Research Lab.		43		
16th Mar.		43		
21st Mar.		53		

Robot The wraps of secrecy were stripped from this strange-looking tank-boat recently when it was made public that the Navy had the remote-controlled robots ready for action before the end of the war. Operated by remote radio and unmanned, the blast boats were built as part of "Project Stinger." They ranged in size from huge cargo boats to small amphibious sleds and were loaded with high explosives.



Civilian Personnel Guide

IDENTIFICATION CARDS

The Industrial Relations Office wishes to remind all civilians employed at this activity that in accordance with Camp General Order No. 75, dated 26 April 1943, they must carry on their person a valid identification card.

An identification card was issued to each employee at the time of his appointment but it must be renewed annually to be valid. That card permits the civilian employee to enter or leave the reservation upon exhibiting it between the hours of 0600 and 1800 Monday through Friday. For the purpose of working after hours a special after-hours pass is required in addition to the valid identification card. Visitors passes, and other types of special passes, are issued when needed and properly requested.

The Camp Provost Marshal will, from time to time, cause a check of civilian cards or passes to be made in order to insure the compliance of identification and security requirements.

A lot of civilian identification cards have recently expired. Therefore, the Industrial Relations Office suggests that each employee check his own card and be sure that it is good. If it has expired, see your superintendent right away and arrange to have it renewed. It may save the employee from embarrassment and being delayed in the event of a check on identification.

NEW IDEAS

New ideas are important to the Navy and Marine Corps. All em-

ployees can help minimize costs and improve quality and quantity of service at Camp Lejeune by submitting constructive ideas as beneficial suggestions.

The Navy and Marine Corps do not ask you to make constructive suggestions for nothing. We know that sound ideas for improvement of work methods and tools, and reduction of costs, waste and accident hazards, require thought and work. Therefore, cash awards up to \$275 are made for adopted ideas, and additional awards result from use of a beneficial suggestion in other naval activities.

If you have any idea which will result in improvement or economy in the operations of this camp through monetary savings, increased efficiency, conservation of property, improved working conditions, better service to the public, etc., send in that idea to the Beneficial Suggestion Committee at the Industrial Relations Office.

FEDERAL EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITIES

The Board of U. S. Civil Service Examiners, Richmond General Depot, Richmond, Virginia, announces an unassembled examination for the positions of Storage Officer—QMSS, CAF-10, \$4885.80 per annum; Chief of Storage—MSS, CAF-6, \$3351 per annum; Warehouse Superintendent—QMMC, CAF-7, \$3727.20 per annum; Labor & Equipment Superintendent, CAF-6 and CAF-5, \$3351 and \$2974.80 per annum, respectively. The announcements are for probational appointments under civil service regulations at Richmond General Depot, U. S. Army, Richmond, Virginia. Applications will be accepted by the Executive Secretary, Board of U. S. Civil Service Examiners, Richmond General Depot, Richmond 12, Virginia, not later than close of business December 29, 1943. The forms to file are the Standard U. S. Civil Service Commission Forms Number 57 and 5001-ABC. For additional information about the above announcements, contact the Industrial Relations Office.

Cake Cutting

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Although Sergeant Glogowsky will not return to the United States for some time, Sergeant Judkins will return for assignment to the 11th Recruiting class at Parris Island commencing January 3, 1944. With him he will bring a soft spot in his heart for the men of the United States Marines who remembered the words "alone but not forgotten."

Buy U. S. Savings Bonds.

Transfer Orders

OFFICERS JOINING

30 NOV.

2nd Lt. Anderson, Elmer J., to 2nd. Mar. Div. from FMFPac.
2nd. Lt. Milless, Elmer W., to 2nd Mar. Div. from FMFPac.

2nd. Lt. Chanahan, Thomas C., to 2nd. Mar. Div. from FMFPac.

5 DEC.

Lt. (jg) Brown, Willis E., to H&S Bn, MB, Camp Lejeune from 612 Liberty St., Elgin, Ill.

6 DEC.

Maj. Munson, Stephen C. Jr., to H&S Bn, MB, Camp Lejeune from FMF Western Pac.

1st. Lt. Hill, Jesse O., to 2nd. Mar. Div. from Inactive Duty.

8 DEC.

CWO Balaban, Thomas (n) to H&S, Bn, MB, Camp Lejeune from 2nd. Mar. Div.

OFFICERS DETACHED

4 DEC.

Maj. Adams, Stanley M. to Depot QM, San. Fran., Calif. from MB, Camp Lejeune.

Capt. Shaw, Kenneth L., to MCSD, Barstow, Calif. from MB, Camp Lejeune.

1st. Lt. Auvil, Arthur H., to MB, NS, San Diego, Calif. from MB, Camp Lejeune.

2nd. Lt. Calvert, Robert W., to 2nd. Mar. Div. from MB, Camp Lejeune.

6 DEC.

Lt. Col. Shuford, McDonald I., to MCSD from SupSchBn.

7 DEC.

Lt. Col. Sisak, Nicholas A., to QMC, Washington, D. C. from SupSchBn.

1st. Lt. Morin, Donald E., to MB, NTC, Great Lakes, Ill. from SupSchBn.

1st. Lt. Nelson, William L., to Depot QM, San. Fran., Calif. from SupSchBn.

2nd. Lt. Tallentire, Gilson A., to 1st. Mar. Div. FMF, from SupSchBn.

8 DEC

Lt. Col. Nohrden, Marnard M., to MCRD, Parris Island, S. C., from SupSchBn.

Maj. Norton, William R., to 2nd. Mar. Div. FMF, from SupSchBn.

Capt. Bjorson, Richard A., to MCAS, AirFMFLant, Cherry Point from SupSchBn.

2nd. Lt. Cicala, George (n) to DQP from SupSchBn.

Lt. (jg) Bruni, Samuel N., to NavRecSta, Norfolk, Va., from 2d Mar. Div.

9 DEC.

Maj. Bear, Robert J., to MB, Washington, D. C., from SupSchBn.

Capt. McGuire, John H. to MB, NTC, Great Lakes, Ill. from SupSchBn.

STAFF NCO'S JOINING

1 DEC.

SSgt. Mathews, Guy L., to 2nd. Mar. Div. from Parris Island, S. C.

2 DEC.

SSgt. Morgan, Thomas F., to 2nd. Mar. Div., from MB, NMD, Yorktown, Va.

SSgt. Wakefield, Donald R., to 2nd. Mar. Div. from Parris Island, S. C.

SSgt. Cutchin, Maxwell L., to 2nd. Mar. Div. from Parris Island, S. C.

3 DEC.

SSgt. Holcomb, Denver L., to 2nd. Mar. Div. from Parris Island, S. C.

MSgt. Norris, Roy A., to 2nd. Mar. Div. from Parris Island, S. C.

TSgt. Grimes, Roy (n) to 2nd. Mar. Div. from Parris Island, S. C.

MSgt. Crawford, Donald H., to 2nd. Mar. Div., from Parris Island, S. C.

4 DEC.

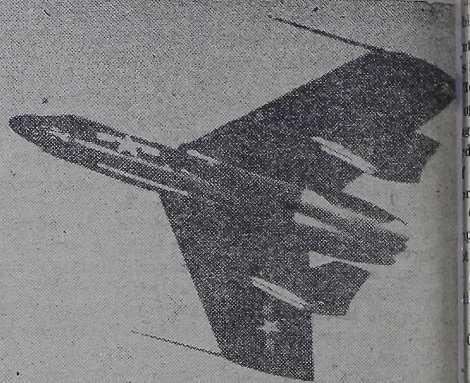
SSgt. Richard, Raymond R., to 2nd. Mar. Div. from Parris Island, S. C.

5 DEC.

SSgt. Seagrove, Robert A., to 2nd. Mar. Div. from Parris Island, S. C.

Swept-Jet

Designed for carrier operation, this new twin jet Chance-Vought XFZU-1 recently completed initial flight testing at the Naval Air Test Center, Patuxent, Md. The radical tail-less plane with swept-back "Delta" wings, capable of speeds in the over-600-miles-an-hour class. Photo was made on a test run and shows the plane from below.



The Social Review

Items for this column from Paradise Point should be submitted to Kay Shuler, telephone 6149; Naval Hospital notes are taken by Corrine Cull MOQ 3119; items from Midway Park should be submitted to Mrs. Seidenburg, 1214 Butler Dr., and Trailer Park items will be taken by Mrs. P. J. Fellows. All items will be submitted by Saturday of each week.

Mrs. Marguerite Sinkler Valk, Miss Charlotte Ball, and Mr. T. Chisholm of Charleston, S. C., were luncheon guests of Maj. Gen. and Mrs. F. A. Hart on Wednesday, December 8th.

The officers of the Headquarters, 2nd Marine Division and their ladies had a cocktail party in the River Room of the Officers' Mess on Wednesday evening. This is the second in a series of parties which this group has planned. The first party, held last month, was a stag affair.

Last Wednesday evening, Col. and Mrs. R. M. Victory entertained at a dinner party in their quarters in honor of Mrs. Marguerite Sinkler Valk of Charleston, S. C. Their other guests included Major General and Mrs. Franklin Hart, Miss Charlotte Ball, Mr. Chisholm of Charleston, S. C.; Comdr. and Mrs. George S. Robinson and Captain George S. Walz.

Lt. Col. and Mrs. John A. Saxten entertained at a dinner party in their quarters last Saturday evening. Their guests included Lt. Col. and Mrs. Arthur P. McArthur, Lt. Col. and Mrs. George T. Fowler and Lt. Col. and Mrs. Cecil W. Shuler. After dinner this group at-

Quarters Assignments

PARADISE POINT

Qtrs No.
Garner, James E., Capt MOQ 3380
Hoey, J. A. Jr., 1st. Lt. MOQ 3378
Senkow, J. (n), Ensign MOQ 3342
Willett, W. A. Capt. MOQ 3345
Wortman, H. D., Capt MOQ 2610
Dickinson, H. "E", Capt. MOQ 2700
MacDonnell, D. H. Capt. MOQ 2211
Telephone 6110
June, R. E., Capt. MOQ 2723
Telephone 6350

MIDWAY PARK

Qtrs No.
Sullivan, W. L. SSgt. 3065
McAnany, Wm. E. Jr., HMC 3125
McCormick, L. SSgt. 1935

6 DEC.

MSgt. Werder, Robert J., to 2nd. Mar. Div. from Camp Pendleton, Oceanside, Calif.

tended the Gay Nineties I given at the Officers' Mess.

Last Friday evening the officers of the 10th Marines and their ladies held a "get acquainted" in the Balloon Room of the officers' Mess.

The winner of the Bingo-Jack at the Staff NCO Club Monday SSgt. Wayne O'Carroll. The merchandise certificate was won MSgt. Lenard E. Bennett.

High bowler for the week MSgt. E. M. Mennner.

Christmas Program

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the children of Trailer Park at Recreation Hall.

1930—Senior and Junior To Age Dance and Party at the Midway Park Community Building.

1930—Preliminary judging house and grounds decoration Midway Park.

2200 to 2230—Midway Park Carols broadcast over station WJNC.

Tide Table

Tide predictions for Bogue Inlet and New River Inlet. Time is Eastern Standard.

	HIGH	LOW
16 December	0710	1810
Thursday	1929	0710
17 December	0755	1845
Friday	2016	0843
18 December	0843	2107
Saturday	0931	2157
19 December	2157	1022
Sunday	1022	
20 December		
Monday		
21 December	2254	
Tuesday	1117	
22 December	2351	
Wednesday	1211	

Milk For Germans

To help supplement the diet of undernourished children at German Red Cross camps and homes in the American Zone Occupation, the American Red Cross has sent 15 tons of powdered milk to the German organization.

The milk will provide 450,000 feedings of 150 calories each, which means one glass daily for a month to approximately 150,000 children.

Volunteers

In a single year during the war, seven and one-half million volunteers served with the Red Cross.

BY PROJECT SERVICE ADVISOR

The Christmas Party for all the children of Trailer Park will be held December 21st. The time is 6:00 P. M. at the Recreation Hall. There will be a gift for all the children under high school age, a tree, Santa and fun for all.

Our clinic will be moved to the clinic building next to the night nursery. The Doctor and Navy Relief Nurse are on duty Tuesday and Friday mornings.

Our Saturday night dances are to be discontinued for the present. Every Friday night is Bingo Night.

Thursday night, December 23rd, at 7:30 P. M., the Morehead City Franklin Memorial Church Choir will present a Cantata "Choir of Bethlehem" in the Recreation Chapel building at Trailer Park. Let us look forward to this date and this special program. This program is for the older children and adults.

Sunday morning at 9:00 A. M. Catholic Mass.

10:00 A. M. Sunday School.

11:00 A. M. Church.

Over The Counter

Christmas trees are on sale at all places in the rear of the shop, Building No. 203. The trees are just placed on sale, and there is a good selection of trees.

Central Camp Exchange, Shop, Gift Wrapping service Shop—these activities open until 1800 Mondays and Fridays and open all day Saturday until 1700 for the benefit of Christmas shoppers. Only one Central shopping day this Christmas!!!

Men's Shop is able to give service on alterations of purchased there. All other work will be performed in Alteration Shop in the rear of Cleaning and Pressing Plant. R. Cronin, recently from Island, is the new manager of the department.

Men's Shop also has a fine assortment of haberdashery suited to last minute Christmas giving. Don't forget to buy Uncle who thinks the best of you!

Christmas gifts your wife will like to have. Call the Beauty Shop 3388—for an appointment. There are still a few toys available at the Toy Shop in Building No. 203. Many of the best sellers have been reduced, so visit this activity early to get those "extras" which will mean so much to your children.

Accessories — the perfect Christmas gift for a man! Stop at the Station and see their line of accessories. You'll find many to choose from—and surprise your man of the house at the same time.



Below listed officers and enlisted men are high scorers for practice for the week ending December with the weapons listed.

OFFICERS	
M-1 Rifle	
Anderson, G. E.	317
Combat Service Group	
Carbine	
Erdrner, W. E.	264
2d Marine Division	
Pistol	
Anderson, G. E.	372
Combat Service Group	
B. A. R.	
Beers, E. P.	200
TSMG	
Taylor, R. M.	136
Bank Bn.	
ENLISTED	
M-1 Rifle	
Amber, J. J.	306
Marines	
Whiefer, D.	306
Carbine	
Whillyard, D. A.	261
Combat Service Group	
Pistol	
Donzelli, J. F.	334
Infantry Battalion	
B. A. R.	
Frame, M. W.	190
Marines	

MIDWAY PARK THEATER FEATURES

Shows Monday, Tuesday, Thursday, Friday at 1900, 1900, 2100, Wednesday at 1500, 1700, 1900, 2100, Saturday Sunday at 1300, 1500, 1700, 1900.

THURS. AND FRI., 16-17 DEC.
Race Street
George Raft, William Bendix
SAT., 18 DEC.
West To Glory
Eddie Dean (Also)
Campus Sleuth
June Brainer, P. Stewart
SAT., 18 DEC. (Late Show)
Devil Bat
Bela Lugosi
SUN. AND MON., 19-20 DEC.
Key Largo
H. Bogart, L. Bacall
TUES., AND WED., 21-22 DEC
The Hunted
Preston Foster, Bellita

CHECK CASHING SERVICE Officers

Officers and their wives may cash private checks not in excess of \$25.00 of merchandise purchased, in addition to Government Checks, Cashiers Checks, Travelers Checks, Money Orders drawn on Camp Lejeune, Midway Park, Jacksonville, N. C. Post Offices only.

Staff NCOs

Staff NCO's stationed at Camp Lejeune may offer personal checks for the purchase of merchandise at the Camp Exchanges. However, they are not to exceed \$50.00 in any one day. Personal checks of Staff NCOs can not be cashed—exchanged for money.

Enlisted Men

Enlisted Personnel may cash the following checks — Government Checks, Travelers Checks, Money Orders drawn on Camp Lejeune, Midway Park, Jacksonville, N. C., post offices only. These checks may be cashed at the Central Camp Exchange only.

Positive identification must be established in all cases.

"PX PERSONALITY"



Master Sergeant J. B. Dingler, a Marine with twenty-four years' service, is from the farm and orchard country of Griffin, Georgia. Dingler states that the hamburgers produced at the Post Troops Service Club, of which he is steward, are the best in the state. If you are from Missouri, Dingler says "Try one!"

Over 96 percent of the male officer personnel of the Marine Corps served overseas during World War

Matinee

The matinee at the Camp Theater Saturday will be Saddle Pals with Gene Autry, Brick Bradford No. 3, and Pluto Playmate.



BY GORT WILBUR

DISA AND DATA: The tradition of the Nativity backgrounds the hour-long musical and dramatic presentation of WJNC-Mutual traditional Christmas-time "The Joyful Hour" program, which, this year, will be presented this Sunday, December 19, from 9 to 9:30 P. M. Eighteen stars of stage, screen and radio will be heard during the show, which will originate from Mutual's studios in New York and Hollywood.

Ethel Barrymore and Pedro de Cordoba will be the co-narrators. From Hollywood the program will feature Bing Crosby, singing "Adeste Fidelis," Dennis Day, who will be heard singing "Little Town of Bethlehem," and Ann Jamison, in "O Holy Night." Others that will be heard from the film capital will be Ann Blyth, MacDonald Carey, Jeanne Crain, Joan Leslie, Roddy McDowell, Ricardo Montalban, Maureen O'Hara and Maureen O'Sullivan.

Perry Como, Christopher Lynch, and the Mullen Sisters will be heard from New York during the aircast. Mr. Como will sing Schubert's immortal "Ave Maria," the Mullen Sisters will harmonize "Mother of Christ," and Mr. Lynch will present a tune also in the Yuletide tradition. Sylvan Levin and his orchestra will provide background music.

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mar. It is then that we appear unlettered and embarrassed before others. Such an undesirable language situation can only be avoided by obtaining a solid grammatical background, familiarizing ourselves with the proper usage of a rich and fluent language.

THE SELF-INFLICTED WOUND

We have all heard the quotation about the "pen and the sword" but let us remember that the pen, like the sword, may also have two cutting edges and if not handled properly, defeat the writer's purpose. In corresponding with friends, relatives, and business houses we constantly put on paper tangible evidence of our breeding and culture, and by the same token, our limitations in cultural attainment. We cannot expect our friends and associates to forgive grammatical errors that are usually due to carelessness or lack of interest. Because few people like to criticize, we make the same mistakes over and over until they become habit.

LEARN HOW

To give Marines an opportunity to improve their language for business, professional, or social reasons, the Marine Corps Institute has designed a special course, **GOOD ENGLISH**. It is neither a high school or college course, but rather a review with additional emphasis on word study, punctuation, spelling, correct and effective sentence structure, paragraphing, and letter writing.

The text, **HANDBOOK OF WRITING AND SPEAKING** by Wooley, Scott, and Tressler, will be of value to the student as a reference after completion of the course. Marines who would take advantage of an opportunity that will reimburse them for their time and effort may easily do so by seeing their Education Officer or writing the Director, Marine Corps Institute, Washington 25, D. C.

Historical Monograph On Pacific War Clarifies Moves In Northern Solomons

WASHINGTON, D. C.—December 8—"Bougainville and the Northern Solomons," fourth in a series of operational monographs prepared by the Historical Section of the Marine Corps, sheds light on the strategy of successive South Pacific landings in late 1943 and early 1944 when public attention was largely focused on events in the Central Pacific Ocean and in North Africa.

First copies of the 166-page battle narrative, written by Major John N. Rentz, USMCR, and published by the Government Printing Office, were distributed yesterday. Sale price has not been determined.

The monograph introduces a five-months series of amphibious operations with the disclosure that the general pattern of counterattack had been foreseen by the Joint Chiefs of Staff at least 16 months before the Third Amphibious Force, including the First Marine Amphibious Corps as landing force, moved in to seize a beachhead at Empress Augusta Bay, on Bougainville.

The author presents a well-documented conclusion that the Bougainville operation, for the neutralization of Rabaul, " . . . was undertaken principally as a flank security measure for Southwest Pacific Forces advancing along New Guinea's northern coast." He also discloses that major plans originating in Admiral William F. Halsey's headquarters were concurred in by General Douglas A. MacArthur, area commander to the southwest.

A preface by Brigadier General William E. Riley, Marine

Director of Public Information when the manuscript was in preparation, explains that the narrative briefly recounts some operations in which U. S. Army and New Zealand Imperial Forces participated, for the sake of continuity. However, the Marine Corps emphasizes, "it is more correct that the Army should recount the story of the repulse of the major counteroffensive on Bougainville in the spring of 1944. The U. S. Army exercised command and furnished the XIV Corps which fought so gallantly and bore the brunt of the action in the decisive defeat of the Japanese forces . . . " after major Marine forces were withdrawn.

Impressive throughout the account is the constant effort of SOPAC (Admiral Halsey) and other commands to use limited forces to maximum effect. A footnote reveals that for the unopposed seizure of Emirau, Admiral Halsey "borrowed" a Marine regiment already earmarked for another campaign. "True to his promise," Admiral Halsey returned the 4th Marines to the control of Lieutenant General Holland M. Smith, USMC, in time for the landings at Guam.

Subsidiary landings treated in the monograph are: Treasury Islands, October 27th, 1943, landing by 8th New Zealand Brigade Group; Choiseul diversion, landing in darkness early morning of October 28th, 1943, by 2d Parachute Battalion, 1st Marine Parachute Regiment; Green Island, February 15th, 1944, landings by 3rd New Zealand Division (less 8th Brigade); and the Emirau landings March 20th, 1944, "the cork placed in the bottle containing Rabaul and Kavieng."

Relatively detailed treatment is given to secret amphibious reconnaissance preparatory to the main landing on Bougainville, and to the conduct of the Choiseul diversionary raid, both subjects possessing special interest to military readers.

Numerous maps, with adequate legends, simplify strategic considerations and assist the reader in following small unit action.

Well-chosen photographs emphasize the natural obstacles of terrain and weather at Bougainville, where rain fell on 17 of the first 18 days of the campaign, and where amphibian tractors proved indispensable for land supply and evacuation.

Technical conclusions contain the estimate that "about half" of the enemy died as a direct result of artillery shelling.

Despite the difficulty of target identification, Marine aviation co-operated closely with ground forces and attacked targets within 75 yards of our front lines.

The official historical program of the Marine Corps contemplates publication of an operational narrative of each major action in which the Marine Corps participated in World War II. Monographs in the current series will be revised as necessary for final publication in a five-volume history.

Historical monographs previously completed are "The Defense of Wake," by Lieutenant Colonel R. D. Heinl, Jr., "The Battle for Tarawa," by Captain J. R. Stockman, and "Marines at Midway," also by Colonel Heinl.

Flicker Flashes

TITLES

- I A NIGHT AT THE OPERA, Marx Brothers, Kitty Carlyle.
- II ANGELS ON THE AMAZON, Brent Ralston, A. Bennett.
- III ROGUES REGIMENT, Dick Powell, Marta Toren.
- IV DECISION OF CHRISTOPHER BLAKE, Alexis Smith.
- V HE WALKED BY NIGHT, Scott Brady, Richard Basehart.
- VI COUNTESS OF MONTE CRISTO, Sonja Henie, M. Kirby.
- VII BADLANDS OF DAKOTA, R. Stack, Richard Dix.
- VIII EVERY GIRL SHOULD MARRY, Cary Grant, F. Tone.
- IX KISSING BANDIT, Frank Sinatra, Kathryn Grayson.
- X TWO MUGS FROM BROOKLYN, William Bendix, J. Sawyer.
- XI ONE SUNDAY AFTERNOON, Dennis Morgan, Janis Page.
- XII DYNAMITE, William Gargan, Orson Welles.
- XIII BLONDIE'S SECRET, Penny Singleton, Arthur Lake.

TIMETABLE

- Camp Theater—1800 and 2030 daily. Matinees Saturdays, Sundays and Holidays at 1430.
- Montford Point Camp — 1900 daily—Main Theater.
- Rifle Range—1900 daily.
- Courthouse Bay—1800 and 2000 daily.
- Naval Hospital—1900 daily.
- Tent Camp—1930 daily.
- Area Five—1800 and 2030 daily.

THEATER	Thurs. 18 Dec.	Fri. 19 Dec.	Sat. 20 Dec.	Sun. 21 Dec.	Mon. 22 Dec.	Tues. 23 Dec.	Wed. 24 Dec.
Camp	VII	VIII	IX	X	XI	XII	XIII
MPC	VI	VII	VIII	IX	X	XI	XII
Tent Camp	V	VI	VII	VIII	IX	X	XI
CHB	IV	V	VI	VII	VIII	IX	X
Rifle Range	III	IV	V	VI	VII	VIII	IX
Naval Hosp.	II	III	IV	V	VI	VII	VIII
Area Five	I	II	III	IV	V	VI	VII

A NIGHT AT THE OPERA—Comedy*
ANGELS ON THE AMAZON—Drama**
ROGUES REGIMENT—Drama***
DECISION OF CHRISTOPHER BLAKE—Drama***
HE WALKED BY NIGHT—Action***
COUNTESS OF MONTE CRISTO—Comedy**
BADLANDS OF DAKOTA—Western*

EVERY GIRL SHOULD MARRY—Comedy***
KISSING BANDIT—Technicolor Musical***
TWO MUGS FROM BROOKLYN—Musical Comedy*
ONE SUNDAY AFTERNOON—Technicolor Musical***
DYNAMITE—Program Picture*
BLONDIE'S SECRET—Comedy*

Camp Communications Section Keeps Phones Working, Messages Moving

Nerve Center Of This Giant Amphib Base Is Complex But Smooth-Running Activity

By PFC. R. K. DALY

The Camp Lejeune telephone system, with headquarters at the Central Telephone Exchange in Building No. 1, is operated as a government utility by Marine Corps personnel. Throughout the base there are eight telephone exchanges, four of which are automatic. The main exchange at Hadnot Point is manned twenty-four hours a day by three operators who handle only information, operator and incoming and outgoing long distance calls. Approximately 25,000 calls a day are received by this exchange, averaging about 19 calls per instrument.

At Hadnot Point there are 1258 dial phones. Midway Park has 521 and Paradise Point has 368. In the entire plant there are close to 2400 instruments. Around the camp there are some 720 miles of open wire pole line construction and 75 miles of underground cable and aerial. A test instrument board, located in Building No. 1, fixes the location of any trouble on the exchange. The inside maintenance is handled by five technicians and the outside maintenance by sixteen technicians. These communications men repair and maintain lines as far as the Montford Point intersection on the Jacksonville highway. They have twelve trucks, three of which are always on twenty-four hour duty. They also do their own pole line construction and maintenance.

EFFICIENCY PROVED

The efficiency with which these men work was proved just last winter when most of the telephone lines were down due to heavy icing. One of the severest storms ever to hit this section of the South demolished communication lines throughout the state. The promptness with which the Marine linesmen faced this emergency was a tribute to their training and discipline.

There are a few non-dial phones on the reservation. The Naval Hospital has 189 non-dial phones and is administered, and maintained, by camp communications personnel on a PHX exchange. Courthouse Bay has 99 non-dial phones, 35 at Rifle Range and Montford Point has 47. These are also on a PHX exchange.

TELEPHONE ACCOUNTS

The Telephone Accounts office takes care of applications and the telephone service charges and is staffed by four civilians. General information and instruction may be found in the new telephone directory which was issued recently and is corrected to 1 August, 1948.

CAMP MESSAGE CENTER

The Camp Message Center at Building No. 1 is the clearing center

for all types of official correspondence. Almars and Alnavs, all general messages from Commandant Marine Corps and Chief of Naval Operations are delivered by this section of communications. This correspondence is logged out to lessen the possibility of misplaced or non-delivered messages. As a branch of the Naval Teletype system, they send and receive all types of official dispatches all over the world.

Storms are plotted in this office and all surrounding stations are notified of the conditions of these storms. During the last sleet storm, the majority of the message center personnel, basically linesmen, worked with the trouble-shooters all over the reservation. In the event of disrupted communications, the message center works with the Division Radio Station and all dispatches are sent and received via this radio station and relayed to the message center.

The correct time is received from Radio Washington by the message center and the clocks at Building No. 1 are set and colors are raised by this time.

A twenty-four hour watch is maintained by this section and the weekly bulletins, the special bulletins from the Commanding General and small deliveries of the Globe are also made by the Camp Message Center.

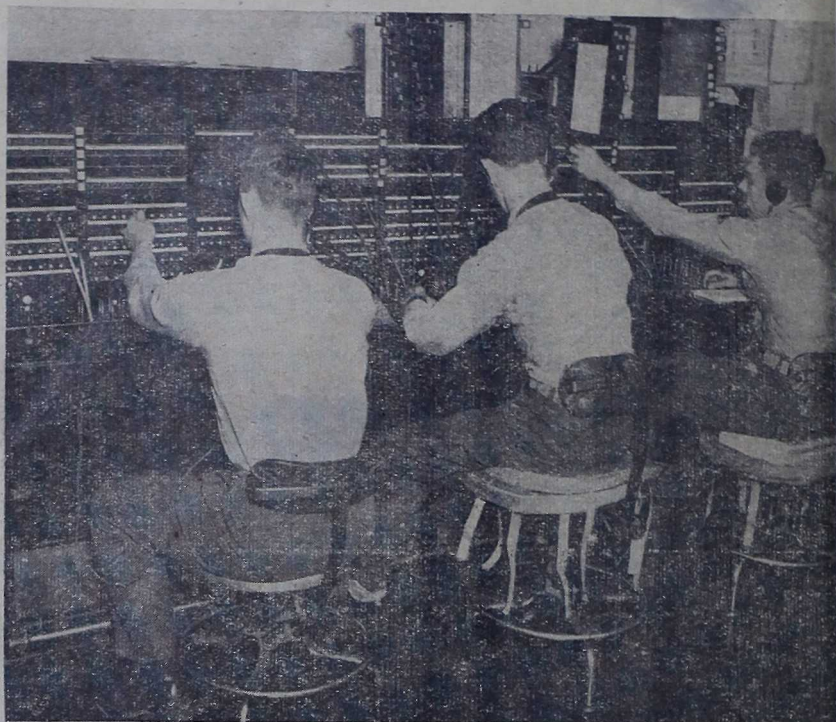
FAR CRY FROM 1878

The smooth functioning of the Camp Lejeune Communications Section and the modern equipment in use in the telephone system on this vast reservation is a far cry from the first exchange placed in operation in 1878.

Following the invention of the telegraph a number of inventors endeavored to transmit human speech over a wire instead of merely signals. However, they were working on the wrong principle. A young Scotchman arrived at Boston from Canada. This man, Alexander Graham Bell, working on a different principle, discovered how to use electricity

Hadnot Point Exchange

Pfc. Jack D. Baltz, Cpl. Joseph A. Caruso, and Pfc. Joseph Her Jr., operate the Hadnot Point switchboard. This main exchange manned twenty-four hours a day by three operators who handle only information, operator, long distance calls. All other calls, averaging about 25,000 a day at the Central Telephone Exchange in Building 1, are processed automatically. At Camp Lejeune, there are eight telephone exchanges four of which are automatic.—(All photos by Cpl. Rider).



Testing a cable, part of the 720 miles of pole line construction on the reservation, is Cpl. Roy W. Lear. Lear is one of sixteen technicians constantly on-the-go repairing and maintaining the outside lines.



since the invention of the telephone, scientific research and engineering development have not only found a way out of difficult situations which threatened to hamper the growth of telephone service, but in advance of immediate needs, they have created new instrumentalities which, in turn, have led to further extensions and improvements of the service.

PROGRESS MARKED

As progress was made in the improvement of manually operated switchboards, the tendency was constantly towards the substitution of automatic devices for human labor. The accomplishments in this direction became more marked after the introduction of the common battery operations with lamp signaling. After a time so much progress in this direction had been made that the question began to be raised whether ultimately in large cities it might not be possible to eliminate the operator entirely by the substitution of electrically controlled machinery. The development of automatic switch-

ing has paralleled that of forms of switchboards. As a result of protracted and sea inquiry, a large installation of automatic equipment was made in 1914.

Since then, the telephone has been developed into one of the most highly technical and important industries in our country. Today, with the millions of telephone lines which stretch across this continent and across the oceans to foreign lands, the United States Navy is able to converse with its other lands in a matter of minutes.

Camp Lejeune also has a sufficient and intricate telephone system with a similar crude beginning. Not many years ago field phones were used. Now we have dial phones. The assemblage of our present communication system was very difficult and laborious work. However, the competency with which the present system is operating affirms the well constructed foundation.

Test Board

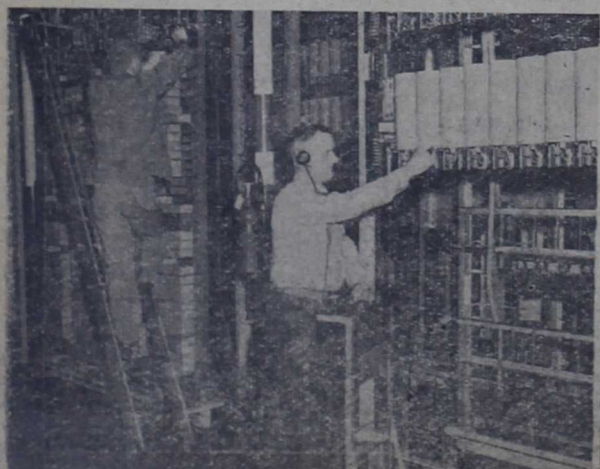
Through this test board in Building 1, being operated by Sgt. Sheldon E. Hess, the location of any trouble on the exchange can be determined. The installation of phones and circuits is checked through this board as well as all servicing and repair work.



for the transmission of speech by means of undulating current. On the second of June, 1875, he produced an instrument that would transmit the overtones of speech over a wire. He thereby made talking by means of electricity possible.

In April, 1877, the first telephone was installed between Boston and Somerville, Massachusetts. The first regular commercial telephone exchange was opened by George W. Coy on January 28, 1878, in New Haven, Conn. This crude telephone switchboard provided primitive means for accomplishing the fundamental operations of interconnecting substation lines. It served 21 stations on 8 grounded lines.

Many times during the period of years which have elapsed



Routine Check-Up

MSgt. Vincent J. Feeney, with the help of an assistant, makes a routine test of automatic switching equipment at the Central Telephone Exchange in Building 1. Constant testing is a big factor in assuring uninterrupted telephone service throughout this giant base.