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General Guthrie Called To New Post With SHAPE

From Korea to Camp Roberts and now to SHAPE, a new assignment involving an integrated command whose members try hard to reflect their respective national viewpoints, but rather to develop plans for the common good of the NATO nations.

This will be Brigadier General John S. Guthrie's new assignment in the G-3 section of SHAPE.

General Guthrie has been the assistant division commander of the 7th Armored Division since January 1952. Previously the chief of staff of X Corps in Korea, General Guthrie emphasized the fact that the "quality of Camp Roberts replacements in Korea is rated very, very high." The General commanded the 7th Infantry Regiment, 3rd Division through the North Korea Campaign, including the Chinese intervention and the evacuation of Hungnam.

Commissioned in 1930 from West Point, he served as Operations Officer of the 7th Army in Europe from Spring of 1944 until the end of World War II. After serving with the 1st Division on occupation duty in Germany, General Guthrie returned to the United States and assumed command of the 7th Regiment in Sept., 1949. Previously he had served a tour with the Department of the Army General Staff Operations Division. In September of 1950, the regiment moved to Japan for combat training, and in January 1951, he went to X Corps as Chief of Staff.

The General and his family are looking forward to the new assignment although they regret leaving friends and acquaintances they have made while here.



BRIGADIER GENERAL JOHN S. GUTHRIE will join the G-3 Section of SHAPE in June, 1952. The General plans to leave Camp Roberts about the 20th of May for his new post in the integrated command. General Guthrie has been the assistant division commander of the 7th Armored Division since January, 1952. Previously, he was chief of staff of the X Corps, and commanded the 7th Infantry Regiment, 3rd Division, throughout the North Korea Campaign. (Shannon Photo).

PLANS READIED

Camp Roberts Prepares Armed Forces Day Events

The precision stepping of the 16,000 men of the 7th Armored Division on Saturday, May 17, will set in motion the 1952 observance of Armed Forces Day at Camp Roberts, a day that will see countless civilian citizens across the land welcomed to their nation's military establishments.

"Unity, Strength, Freedom," are the three words keynoting the third Armed Forces Day and the third year since the Army, Navy and Air Force were brought together under the Department of Defense. Pointing up this theme, President Truman, in his proclamation declared: "Whereas our fighting forces, welded into a 'unified' team that symbolizes our 'strength' as a united people, have been waging the battle of freedom in Korea and are guarding the vital interests of peace in other lands across the sea, . . . it is fitting that we devote one day each year to paying special tribute to these defenders of our liberty."

The troops of the 7th Armored Division and Camp Roberts, commanded by Brigadier General Frank H. Partridge, will begin their march across the Camp Roberts parade ground, the world's largest, at 10 a.m. in the course of the morning awards will be presented by General Partridge, and a demonstration of light aircraft will take place.

During the remainder of the day, the public will be invited to watch attack course and weapons demonstrations, enjoy a baseball game, view interesting service films, and visit the library, service club, hospital, and chapels. They will also have an opportunity to eat a "soldier's meal" in the Camp mess halls.

Parade Planned In Paso Robles

A foretaste of Armed Forces Day will be provided in Paso Robles this Saturday by a parade of local organizations, with Class 50 of the Leaders' Course representing Camp Roberts.

Commander of the Camp Roberts contingent will be Lt. Wm. E. Baxley. The class officer will be Lt. Bobbie Reuser.

The start of the parade is set for 1315 hours at 11th and Park Streets. The line of march will be along Spring Street and around the city park.

Community organizations, including the Trail Riders group and members of the sheriff's office, will participate.

Warrant Officer Measure On Way

Washington — Mrs. Anna M. Rosenberg, Asst. Defense Secretary, has indicated that the long-awaited Warrant Officer Promotion Bill will soon be submitted to the Bureau of Budget.

Mrs. Rosenberg pointed out that it was not until 15 Aug. 1951, that studies conducted by the Services were completed. These studies provided information for drafting the bill.

The bill will provide a statutory career plan for warrant officers of all Services. It would eliminate existing differences in the warrant officer systems, which are administered under four different statutes.

Four new warrant officer grades would be established to conform to the four pay grades created by the Career Compensation Act.

VA Trims Staff In Economy Move

About 2,700 of its administrative employees will be discharged by the end of this month, the Veterans Administration has reported.

Reds Take Bait In Trap Planned By Departing CO

Lt. Col. H. D. McCown, CO of the 17th "Buffalo" Regt., 7th Div., made the eve of his departure from his unit in Korea a night to remember.

The "Buffalos," under orders from their CO, baited a trap for the Red forces that was sprung with good results—90 Reds killed and 130 more wounded, to no "Buffalo" casualties.

In setting up the trap, enemy positions were given a respite of 24 hours from artillery fire and "Buffalo" patrol action to give the Reds the idea that Col. McCown's outfit was planning to withdraw.

New Campaigns In Korean Zone Named By Army

Two new Korean battle campaigns have been officially designated by the Department of the Army. They are:

1. The United Nations Summer-Fall Offensive, applicable within the territorial limits of Korea and adjacent waters between July 9, 1951 and Nov. 27, 1951; and

2. The Second Korean Winter, applicable to the same area between Nov. 28, 1951, and a date to be determined.

The Far East Command will designate Army units entitled to battle participation credits for service in these campaigns. Also to be designated are Army units entitled to the bronze arrowhead which is symbolic of a combat parachute jump, combat glider landing or amphibious assault landing.

Previously announced campaigns with the time limits are:

United Nations Defensive, June 27 to September 15, 1950;

United Nations Offensive, September 16 to November 2, 1950;

Chinese Communist Forces Intervention, November 3, 1950 to June 24, 1951;

First United Nations Counter-offensive, January 25 to April 21, 1951; and the Chinese Communist Forces Offensive, April 22 to July 8, 1951.

Departing Major Receives Award

Reporting to a new assignment at the Presidio in San Francisco, Major James R. Pendergrast left Camp Roberts with the 7th Armored Division's Certificate of Achievement.

Major Pendergrast activated the Leaders' Course here in February of 1951 and has commanded the school since its beginning. His new duties are with the G-3 (training) section at Sixth Army Headquarters.

Tour of Inspection

Major General William B. Kean, commanding general of III Corps, Fort MacArthur, California, accompanied by Mr. O. D. Keep, publisher of Fortnight magazine, Los Angeles, arrived at Camp Roberts Tuesday for a two day inspection of basic infantry training.

A thirteen gun salute was fired as the general arrived. Following the review of the honor guard, he and his party made a thorough inspection of the methods and techniques used in basic infantry training.

Brigadier General Vernard Wilson, assistant commander, 6th Infantry Division, Fort Ord, California, and Brigadier General James T. Roberts, commanding general, 63rd Infantry Division Organized Reserve Corps, Los Angeles, accompanied General Kean.

General Praises Training Program At Camp Roberts

Major General Claude B. Ferenbaugh, infantry inspector for Army Field Forces, Fort Monroe, Va., arrived here recently to inspect basic infantry training.

The General visited the bayonet assault course, the mine and booby trap area, and the rifle range, where trainees are given instructional practice on the M-1 rifle. He watched the attack course demonstration, where retraining in their 16th week of basic training make practical use of the techniques learned all through the program.

The General was escorted by Brigadier General Frank H. Partridge, commanding general, 7th Armored Division, Brigadier General John S. Guthrie, assistant division commander, Major John B. McClure, chief of Division Faculty and Captain William Scanlon, training officer, G-3 section. After a visit to the Leaders Course School, he concluded his thorough inspection on the ranges, where he observed the training techniques employed to teach combat firing, 60 mm mortar firing and the use of grenades.

General Ferenbaugh said of the basic training programs throughout the United States, that there has been a noticeable improvement in the instruction and facilities in the past year and the training now is much more practical and realistic. The General believes the training at Camp Roberts is "some of the best in the country."

505th MP's Mess Selected As Best Of Month



MIGHTY PROUD—The Best Mess Award for the month of April went to the 505th M. P. Battalion. Col. Paul G. Hollister, Chief of Staff, 7th Armored Division presents the plaque to (l.-r.) SFC Robert L. Scheier, Cpl. Arthur J. Kuhl, and Lt. Col.

Eugene J. Carson, commanding officer of the 505th M. P. Battalion. Looking on in the background are (l.-r.) Maj. Alfred C. Edwards, executive officer of G-4, and Maj. Harry T. Lipsky, Post Food Supervisor. (Signal Photo).

NINE MONTHS ADDED

Enlistments Prolonged For All Armed Services

An executive order signed by the President has extended enlistments an additional nine months if they are due to expire between July 1, 1952 and June 30, 1953.

The nine-month period, however, is a maximum. According to the Defense Department, personnel might be released earlier depending upon the international situation. The order does not affect the following:

1. Personnel inducted through Selective Service.
2. Personnel whose enlistments have previously been extended.
3. Selective Service registrants who voluntarily enlisted for 24 months.

This is the third time the President has extended enlistments. Formerly the extensions were for one year, but since the Services are approaching authorized strength it was felt that nine months would be adequate.

The order affects all components of the Armed Forces on active and inactive duty including reservists and national guardsmen. It does not, however, affect tours of active duty for reservists and national guardsmen.

In making the announcement the Department of Defense has pointed out that "it is essential to have experienced and highly trained men retained on active duty in order to bring 'seasoning' into active units and continue training programs for recruits."

Chief of Staff Explains Need For Extension

Executive orders extending enlistments are necessary because the Korean conflict and other commitments overseas have taken all regular infantry divisions outside the limits of the United States, General J. Lawton Collins, Army Chief of Staff, told the House Armed Services Subcommittee last week.

General Collins said that six divisions are engaged in Korea, two are stationed in Japan, and five are in Europe.

The only big units currently in the United States, the Chief of Staff reported, are two airborne and one armored division of the regular Army and four National Guard infantry divisions.

Here Is New Release Schedule

The following table is the specific implementation by each Service of the executive orders which extended enlistments.

The table takes into account the two previous extensions and lists the month in which men affected will be eligible for release.

Month of Normal Enlistment

Planned month of release from active duty (unless released sooner under some other special program)

ARMY	NAVY	AIR	MARINES
May 1951	May 1952	May 1952	May 1952
Jun 1951*	Jun "	Jun "	Jun "
Jul 1951	Jul "	Jul "	Jul "
Aug 1951	Aug "	Aug "	Aug "
Sep 1951	Sep "	Sep "	Sep "
Oct 1951	Oct "	Oct "	Oct "
Nov 1951	Nov "	Nov "	Nov "
Dec 1951	Dec "	Dec "	Dec "
Jan 1952	Jan 1953	Jan 1953	Jan 1953
Feb 1952	Feb "	Feb "	Feb "
Mar 1952	Mar "	Mar "	Mar "
Apr 1952	Apr "	Apr "	Apr "
May 1952	May "	May "	May "
Jun 1952**	Jun "	Jun "	Jun "
Jul 1952	Jul "	Jul "	Jul "
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Sep 1952	Sep "	Sep "	Sep "
Oct 1952	Oct "	Oct "	Oct "
Nov 1952	Nov "	Nov "	Nov "
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Feb 1953	Feb "	Feb "	Feb "
Mar 1953	Mar "	Mar "	Mar "
Apr 1953	Apr "	Apr "	Apr "
May 1953	May "	May "	May "
Jun 1953***	Jun "	Jun "	Jun "

* Involuntary extension under executive order of 1950.

** Involuntary extension under executive order of 1951.

*** Involuntary extension under executive order of 1952.

Other special programs include the release of overseas returnees who have only a short tour of service remaining, and the phasing out of guard units and other veteran groups ahead of the present maximum period prescribed by law.

Fort Terry Back On Active List

Reactivation of Ft. Terry, located on Plum Island, Long Island Sound, about two miles off the New York shore, was announced by the Department of the Army. The fort will be used in connection with Chemical Corps activities.

House Expected To Vote Soon On K-Vet Bill

Washington—The K-Vet Bill is finally ready for approval by the House-Veterans Committee.

Congressional observers feel confident that the bill will reach the House floor for a vote before the end of May.

The bill will carry free school benefits similar in many ways to those granted WWII veterans. It is expected to cost approximately \$13 billion. The program has, however, been tightened up to prevent abuses.

The bill may also contain benefits to include loan guarantees for homes, farms and businesses, social security and possible unemployment insurance coverage. It is not known, however, whether these benefits will actually be a part of the schooling bill or be contained in later legislation.

NSLI Dividend Mailing Starts

The Veterans Administration has reported that the first of its 1952 NSLI dividend checks have already gone out to Service personnel.

However, it will not be until at least mid-summer before the checks begin coming out at full speed. The VA is still busy trying to finish mailing checks for the 1951 special dividend. Deadline for completion of that project is sometime during the month of July.

BE CAREFUL

Buy Your Travel Tickets From Authorized Agents

"Say, soldier, want to buy an airplane ticket home to New York at a bargain?" "Bud, want to make some money—All on the up and up? Have dinner with me in San Miguel tonight and I'll tell you all about it."

Soldier, if anyone approaches you with greetings like the above or words to that effect, BE CAREFUL. You might be letting yourself in for a pack of trouble and unknowingly buying a fellow soldier out of his hard earned cash.

Repeated warnings have been issued about unscrupulous ticket vendors representing fly by night ticket agents or agencies who get the cash and do not follow through with the tickets. Other soldiers have gotten on a plane only to find that Podunk in Kansas was the plane's destination and not New Jersey or New York where they wanted to spend those few precious days of leave. They were left high and dry with no refund, no recourse to legal action, and what was worst of all, no money left to continue their trip any other method.

With the assignment of Gage Sproull to represent the Conference Airlines, the Staff of Commercial Travel Representatives is now very complete and set up to handle any transportation problem of the soldier traveling on his own. The Commercial Travel Representatives duly authorized to operate on this post maintain offices in the Transportation Troop Movement Section, Building 3031, with the one exception of the National Bus Military Bureau agent who may be reached at the Greyhound Bus Station, Building 1017.

The complete Staff includes the following:
Richard James, Agent for the Railroads, Extension 438.
Gage Sproull, Agent for the Scheduled Airlines, Extension 515.
Jack Blackwell, Agent for the Irregular Airlines, Extension 1061.
Larry Youngman, Agent for the Bus Lines, Extension 470.
These men may be contacted any time of the week personally or by phone to give you reliable, authoritative travel information. Play it safe fellows and take

heed of the warnings contained in Seventh Armored Division Memorandum No. 29 dated 19 February 52 which states, "Agent and representatives will not be permitted to make sales or solicit sales unless they have a letter of authorization to do so, signed by the Camp Roberts Provost Marshall."

"The acceptance of emoluments of any sort (money, gifts, or services) by military or Department of the Army Civilian personnel, to facilitate the sale of items offered, is prohibited." Anyone charged with violation of this regulation will be subject to disciplinary action or, in the case of a civilian, to dismissal.

Numerous complaints from military personnel resulted in the publishing by Headquarters Sixth Army at the Presidio of Memorandum No. 236 dated 21 April 52. This memorandum states in part:

"Investigation has shown that certain non-scheduled airlines which are NOT REPRESENTED within the provision of AR 96-9c are not to be considered a reliable means of transportation. Repeated failures of fulfillment of contracts by such non-scheduled airlines have resulted in inconvenience and financial loss to military personnel.
"The Military Establishment cannot assume responsibility for such transactions and military personnel are warned against entering into transactions with non-scheduled airlines not authorized to operate on military posts or reservations. Such transactions will be consummated at the individual's risk and responsibility."
And the payoff comes follows when a check with the Provost Marshall's office discloses the fact that many of these solicitors do not represent an airline of any kind. They represent only themselves.
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Here's How You Can!

Practice Democracy in 1952 Your Vote Is Freedom's Key

This voting information applies to Armed Forces personnel, dependents residing with Armed Forces personnel and U. S. citizens attached to and serving with the U. S. Armed Forces beyond the continental limits of the U. S., unless otherwise specified. These persons include civilians employed by the Department of the Army, Navy, and Air Force, the Marine Corps and the Coast Guard; and personnel of the American Red Cross and USO.

WISCONSIN

(The Badger State)
Qualifications for Voting
 1. Must be at least 21 years of age on date of election.
 2. Must be a U. S. citizen having resided in the State of Wisconsin for a period of one year and in the election precinct for 30 days.
 3. Must be a registered voter, except members of the Armed Forces and certain Merchant Marine personnel and certain civilians.

Registration
 1. Although members of the Armed Forces, certain Merchant Marine personnel and certain civilians are exempted from all registration requirements, they register if they so desire.
 2. Any person who is unable to register in person may request a "Registration Affidavit" from the town, village, or city clerk at place of Wisconsin residence. Request for application should be made at least 30 days prior to any election.

Obtaining Ballots and Voting
 1. Members of the Armed Forces, certain Merchant Marine personnel and certain civilians may make application for absentee ballots in two ways: either by submitting a letter, card, or complete Federal Post Card Application (Standard Form 76) or, (b) by other persons (spouse, parents, relatives, or friends) applying in person on behalf of absent voter. By either method, application will be accepted at place of Wisconsin residence as early as 60 days before any election.
 2. Ballots will be mailed to all voters about 21 days before any election. Marked ballots must be received by election officials at proper voting precinct before closing of the polls on election day.

IOWA

(The Hawkeye State)
Qualifications for Voting
 1. Must be at least 21 years of age on date of election.
 2. Must be a U. S. citizen having resided in the State of Iowa for a period of six months and in the county for 60 days.
 3. Must be a registered voter. Unregistered members of the Armed Forces are considered to have fulfilled all registration requirements when they have returned the absentee ballot with the affidavit on the return envelope.

Registration
 1. Registration is permanent in those cities where it is required.
 2. All persons (including members of the Armed Forces, if they desire) may register by absentee ballot at any time up to and including the 10th day prior to election by requesting duplicate "Registration Cards" from the commissioner of registration, Department of Iowa, Des Moines. These cards must be properly executed and returned to the commissioner from whom obtained. Registration in person may be accomplished at office of commissioner of registration at such place designated during the three-day period beginning with the second Thursday preceding election, or the last Saturday before election day and, in certain circumstances, on election day.

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NEW EDITOR of The Camp Roberts Parade is Fred R. Brockhagen who this week took over the desk and typewriter left behind by Kenneth E. Erwin when the latter left for new duties with The President in San Francisco. A former resident of the Bay Area, Fred has held editorial posts in San Francisco, Oakland, and Berkeley.



FRESH from the ranks of University of California graduates to assistant editor of The Camp Roberts Parade is quite a step for Jim Seay. However the smiling young scribe is backed by experience in Navy and civilian publications in addition to reporting for county newspapers in the vicinity of his home, Martinez, California. Originally hailing from Colorado Springs, Colorado, the former Naval aviator is rapidly learning the Army lingo.

SERVICE NEWS IN BRIEF

Something unique for the Army's Stevedoring School at Ft. Eustis, Va., was the recent graduation of 19 members of Naval Cargo Handling Battalion Seven. They were the first Navy men in the 10-year history of the school to complete the eight-week course.

A/3C Mildred Barrilleaux of Lackland AFB WAF Hqs. has been credited with donating the 10,000th pint of blood at the Gateway base's blood center. The striking brunette was a runner-up in the Miss Texas League beauty contest last year.

Brig. Gen. Edwin L. Sibert will succeed Brig. Gen. Arnold J. Funk as commandant of Camp Edwards, Mass., in May. Lt. Gen. Willis D. Crittenden, First Army Commander, announced recently.

Members of the Army Quartermaster Parachute Maintenance Detachment, attached to the 187th Airborne Combat Team in Korea, claim the 300,000 parachutes they packed during their first 15 months of combat duty is an all-time record for a single airborne unit. The detachment has also participated in two combat jumps.

Lt. Gen. Howard A. Craig, Inspector General, USAF, has been nominated to succeed Lt. Gen. Harold R. Bull, USA, as Commandant of the National War College in July, 1952. The assignment is alternated between the Services every three years.

The keel of a new-type submarine designated SST-1 was laid recently at the Electric Boat Company, Groton, Conn. The 250-ton target and training submarine will be the first ship in modern naval history to be built primarily for training purposes.

REPORT from WASHINGTON

A two-year program to provide new designs for emergency-type military construction has been completed by the Army Corps of Engineers, the Department of the Army has announced. The designs, which cover 245 different types of buildings, include new barracks plans which call for a simple, one-story, U-shaped building instead of the mobilization type used during WWII. Buildings have been designed for a life expectancy of three to five years, and designs have been prepared for three temperature zones.

The following bills of interest to Service personnel were recently introduced in Congress:
 1. A bill to provide that uniform allowances for ROTC and AROTC be fixed at a rate sufficient to cover full cost of uniforms.
 2. A bill to amend the National Defense Act of June 3, 1916 with respect to the system of courtmartial for the National Guard and the Air National Guard.
 3. A bill to prohibit the procurement for the Armed Forces of any article produced in, or imported from, Communist-controlled countries.

A total of 265 officers of the Army Medical Service Reserve will be ordered into active service in July, the Department of the Army has announced. These officers are in addition to 290 in this category called to duty in March. Included in the group are 232 physicians, 25 dentists and eight veterinarians.

The Department of the Army has issued a call to its agencies for books. It particularly wants military, historical and General Staff publications, translations of foreign military works and reports and studies at the Army, Army Group, and Department of the Army level. The object is to build up the Army War College library to its former state. Any agency having multiple copies of available publications is requested by Army Circular No. 17 to transfer a copy to the Army War College, Carlisle Barracks, Pa.

Blood collections for the 26th week of the Armed Forces Blood Donor Program totaled 76,401 pints of whole blood, the Department of Defense announces. Donations since the start of the campaign, Sept. 10, 1951, have totaled 1,670,205 pints.

A special refresher course for approximately 150 National Guard command and staff officers will be held May 12 to 17 at the Command and General Staff College, Ft. Leavenworth, Kans. The course is designed to keep officers abreast of current military, tactical and administrative developments.

Applications for payment under Montana's Veterans Adjusted Compensation Act (state bonus) are now available from the Adjusted Compensation Division, Ahsenal Building, Helena, Mont. The Act provides for payment to Montana WWII veterans who served in the Armed Forces between Dec. 7, 1941 and Sept. 2, 1945.

Formerly chief of staff of the U. S. European Command in Germany, General Noce succeeds Maj. Gen. Louis A. Craig who is retiring after 39 years of military service.

The second meeting of the newly formed Division Faculty and G-3 (training section) officers wives social club will be a one o'clock luncheon at the Paso Robles Inn the afternoon of May 14. Formed for the purpose of helping the wives get acquainted more quickly, the ladies plan a monthly luncheon on the second Wednesday of the month and one evening to include both husbands and wives.

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MEAT ONE HALF OF DIET, SAY ARMED FORCES

One of the big reasons why we're the best fed Servicemen in the world is meat.

This mainstay of the American diet is served daily in chow halls all over the world. It constitutes about half of our daily ration and supplies us with a heaping share of proteins, vitamins and minerals that give us the power to tackle the tough jobs we face.

Just for the record the daily authorization of meat for one man breaks down as follows, depending upon the type of meat being served:

Beef—1 lb. carcass weight, .651 lb. boneless weight. Liver—.7 lb. Fish—.7 lb. Pork—1 lb. Pork Loin—.9 lb. Poultry—1.5 lb. Veal—1 lb. carcass weight, .7 lb. semi-boneless weight.

This covers the whole range of meat products. Meat in field rations offers even more per serving.

Be Careful

(Continued from page 1)

And their own desire for gain at your expense. Suppose they do take your money and that of enough of your buddies to make it worth while. Then they will dick around and charter a plane. To your destination? Maybe, but most likely not. You take off, stop at some airport, are told you have time for a snack, hear a motor roar and there goes your plane.

Or again, as actually happened recently according to the Provost Marshall's files, a group got only as far as Los Angeles when they were informed that the plane could not carry them to their destination but that the company very graciously would give each man a full rebate of \$150.00, BY CHECK. The company then promptly stopped payment on all those checks before any could be cashed. Those fellows are still trying to get their cash.

These are all actual cases from the records. Know the man you're dealing with. Contact only authorized representatives approved by the Installation with offices in the Transportation Section Building 3031.

If any other "so-called" representative tries to "do you a favor" detain the man and contact the Provost Marshall Office immediately. You will be performing a service in the effort to stamp out these unprincipled sales agents.

The detachment, led by Capt. Royden S. Ingham, received commendations from Brig. Gen. Harry P. Storke, commanding general of Camp Desert Rock, for their MP work on the post as well as for the effectiveness of town patrols in Las Vegas.

Currently on duty at Camp Desert Rock is a detachment from Company B, 505th Military Police Battalion, under the command of 1st Lt. Rufus V. Cosby.

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Sergeant Knows Lady's Name Now

Frankfurt, Germany — A Red Cross Gray Lady in the 97th General Hospital here noticed a convalescent sergeant of the 18th Infantry Reg. industriously shining the soles of his shoes.

"I'm getting out soon," he explained, "and my outfit is going to have a big inspection." The Gray Lady protested that nobody would ever look at the bottom of his shoes.

"Oh yes," said the sergeant, "Col. George, the 1st Division IG, is running this inspection and you don't know Col. George!"

"I certainly do," gasped the startled Gray Lady. "I've been married to him for 25 years." The lady was the wife of Lt. Col. Gustave George. The sergeant remained mercifully unidentified.

Hospital Head Given New Rank

Promotion of Major General Leonard D. Heaton, Commanding General of Letterman Army Hospital, from colonel to brigadier general in permanent rank has been announced by Sixth Army Headquarters.

General Heaton has been a temporary major general since April of 1950 and will continue to serve in that rank.

Coast Still Out Of Oil Strike

Still unaffected by the strike of oil workers, Pacific coast states have been exempted from an inventory control order imposed on the rest of the nation.

The inventory limitation, announced by Bruce K. Brown, Deputy Petroleum Administrator for Defense, does not apply to California, Nevada, Arizona, Oregon and Washington. Coast oil production, because of its importance to the Korean action, was omitted by union leaders from their strike call.

Infantrymen Ask For Korea Duty

Washington — Approximately 1,500 infantrymen from all over the world have volunteered for service in Korea, the Army has announced.

SR 615-220-7 dated Nov. 26, 1951 made it possible for enlisted men qualified in an infantry career field MOS to request transfer to an infantry unit in Korea. Only the Department of the Army may disapprove such applications if the mandatory requirements outlined in the regulation are met.

Playful Plane Throws Captain Grabs Him Again

Tokyo—A flier in a C-46 transport recently pulled an "in-again-out-again-Finnegan" routine in turbulent weather over Korea.

The freak accident happened to Capt. Fred C. Seals Jr., of Dallas, Tex., who was making a cargo drop to a Fifth Air Force radar unit in a mountainous area where rough aid and tricky currents set the big transport swerving and pitching violently.

Capt. Seals, who is attached to the Combat Cargo Command, was standing in the open door of the C-46 assisting the crew in preparing to drop 300-pound cargo packs when a twisting maneuver threw him out of the plane.

"I found myself in midair. I was wearing a parachute and tried to push and kick myself away from the plane to keep from being slammed against it," the captain said.

The transport then swerved in the rough air current and scooped Capt. Seals back in through the side door out of which he had been flung and sent sprawling on the floor. The pilot hit another pocket of turbulent air and this time Capt. Seals was thrown to the ceiling. As he came down a cluster of jerrycans hit his foot, breaking it.

BEST DISPENSARY PLAQUE AWARDED



BEST DISPENSARY plaque for the month of April went to Dispensary F. The plaque was presented by Major Arnborg to the members of the unit at ceremonies held last Saturday in front of the dispensary. The winners edged out Dispensary E on a very small margin to take possession of the coveted award. (Signal Photo.)

MP Unit Finishes Atomic Site Duty

Return of its 21-man detachment from Camp Desert Rock at the atomic test site near Las Vegas, Nevada, has been reported by Company B, 505th Military Police Battalion.

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CHAPLAIN'S MESSAGE

God Was There

By CHAPLAIN (CAPT.) VINCENT A. COX

According to author James L. Johnson in an article entitled "With Wings As Eagles" and printed in the Christian Life magazine, the Blue Wing, 101st Fighter Wing of Korea, was not too religious. That is, with the exception of the commander, Major Harry Steele.

Then it happened. They were returning from a bombing mission over Minsu when attacked by enemy jets. Bob Jamison went into a spin. The end was near. His voice came clear over the inter-com system. "Major—Major, don't worry none. I ain't scared this trip. You know why?—I took your Jesus Christ today, right down into this wicked old heart of mine—it makes me feel good all over—I got the strangest feeling—Major, are ya listenin'—"

The Major replied, "I hear you, Bob."

Bob went on, "Good — 'cause you were right—there isn't anything else to satisfy. I don't feel anything right now, although I got a body full of Russian lead—I feel like I'm seeing a whole different place—all white and full of colors I've never seen before—and I'm not scared, Major. Thanks, Major, thanks for telling me about—Jesus—"

The others in Blue Wing, heard, and by five o'clock the same afternoon Blue Wing, 101st Fighter Wing, had accepted the Lord, for "God Was There."

Guard to Observe Armed Forces Day

Washington (AFPS)—More than 3,000 National Guard Army and Air units will participate in Armed Forces Day celebrated throughout the nation, Maj. Gen. Raymond H. Fleming, Chief of the National Guard Bureau, has announced.

Plans for the May 17 observance include "open house" at thousands of armories, special exhibits and equipment displays, sham battles, weapon and troop demonstrations, and fly-overs by Air National Guard planes.

At present there are more than 150,000 National Guardsmen and 2,000 units in active military service.

FECOM Chaplain Upped In Rank

The former chaplain of the United Nations Command in the Far East, Ivan I. Bennett, has been made chief of Army chaplains. He now holds the rank of major general.

AT YOUR CHAPEL

WEST GARRISON		EAST GARRISON	
PROTESTANT		PROTESTANT	
Sunday		Sunday	
Morning Worship	6:00	Christian Science, Mon.	6:15
Ch. 6	6:00	Latter-day Saints, Wed.	6:15
Ch. 7	6:00	Pentecostal, Tuesday	6:30

TRACK MEET VICTORS

Easy Win Marks Second Time
DivArty's Squad Victorious

For the second year running, DivArty eased ahead to take the inter-regimental track meet held on their newly completed field.

Amassing a total of 52 points the victorious trackmen managed to get 6 first places and outdistance their nearest opponent, the 7th Quarter-

masters, who came in second with 31 1-3 points. Rolling into third place was DivTrains with 20 1/2 points, followed up by CCB with 19 1/2 points.

It was a slow time meet, with almost all of the speeds being over last years marks. In the mile run however Frasch of DivTrains came in with a mark of 4:59.2 which beat last years time of 5:05.3.

CCR's Sullivan tossed the javelin a nice distance of 151 feet 3 1/2 inches which was about 4 feet over last years mark. In the discus DivArty's John Renner made a toss of 125 feet 9 1/2 inches to best last years distance by approximately 8 feet.

DivArty's mile relay team of Hendon, McDavid, Hammond, Simpson bettered last years team with a time of 3:47.6. DivArty's Norm Price and Ollie Wright of the 7th QM were outstanding in the meet, taking honors for winning three events. Price not only won the 100 yard dash, but turned on the steam to capture the 120 high hurdles, and finally tie for first place with Lumpkin of DivFac in the 180 yard low hurdles.

Racing right along was 7th QM's Wright, who took the 220 yard dash, and the 100 yard dash and outjumped his nearest opponents to take first place in the broad jump.

CCR's Sullivan did more than his share by coping first place in the high jump and the javelin.

The only man entered by DivFac was Lumpkin and he came through with flying colors to pick up a tie for first place in the 130 yard low hurdles, and came in second in the 120 yard high hurdles, for a total of 7 points.

Weekly of the 6100 ASU also was the only entrant from his unit and managed to garner a good second in the 2 mile run.

The final team scores were: 1—DivArty 52; 2—7th QM 31 1-3; 3—DivTrains 20 1/2; 4—CCB 19 1/2; 5—ResCom 19 1/2; 6—CCA 9; 7—DivFac 7; 8—East Gar 3 1/2; 9—6100 3.

Post Swimming Pool Opens Saturday 1300

Post Swimming Pool is all with nice, cool, inviting water and officially opens Saturday at 1300 hours for recreational swimming.

The call is also for any divers or aquatic performers who are interested in performing on Armed Forces Day. They are asked to report to the swimming pool any time between 0800 to 1600 hours this week.

CCB Softball Standings

Company	Won	Lost
B 48th	2	0
Hdqtrs	1	0
D 48th	1	0
A 48th	1	1
C 48th	1	1
B 31st	0	1
A 31st	0	1
C 31st	0	2

Official Results

Mile — Frasch, DivTrains; Hamilton, DivArty; Royal, ResCom; Shamesee, DivTrains; 4:59.2.

440 — Price, DivArty; Bemke CCA; Gould, CCB; May, 7th QM; 54.2.

100 — Wright, 7th QM; Stram, DivArty; Dolan, CCB; Montgomery, DivArty; 10.5.

120 H.H.—Price, DivArty; Lumpkin, DivFac; Badger, CCB; Sager, 7th QM; 15.3.

830 — Hamilton, DivArty; Coulter, 7th QM; Cole, CCB; Nicholson, CCA; 2:13 1/2.

220 — Wright, 7th QM; McDavid, DivArty; Montgomery, DivArty; Herdan, DivTrains; 23.7.

180 L.H. — Price, DivArty; Lumpkin, DivFac; Muntion, CCB; Plymate, CCA; 21.9.

2 Mile — Frasch, DivTrains; Weekly, 6100; Roybal, ResCom; Eberhart, 7th QM; 11:43.

Mile Relay — McClendon, McDavid, Hammond, Simpson, DivArty; CCB; 7th QM; CCA; 3:47.6.

Javelin — Sullivan, ResCom; Utke, CCA; Johnson, ResCom; Sullivan 7th QM; 151' 3 1/2".

High Jump — 1st, Sullivan, ResCom; Washington, East Gar; McClendon, DivArty; tie; Berry; CCB; Badger, CCB; tie; 5' 9 1/4".

Shot Put — Caldwell, DivArty; Breen, DivTrains; Van Mark, DivTrains; Bryant, 7th QM; 40' 4 1/4".

Discus — Renner, DivArty; Caldwell, DivArty; Bryant, 7th QM; Bousman, 7th QM; 125' 9 1/2".

Broad Jump — Wright, 7th QM; Badger, CCB; Berry, CCB; Washington, East Gar; 20' 4".

Pole Vault — Redfield, ResCom; Hogge, 7th QM; Beisinger, DivTrains; tie; Howard, CCB; Beryfogle, DivArty; tie; 10' 6".

Henry Chadwick was known as "Father of Baseball" as he originated system for scoring.

DivArty Walks Away With Intra-Camp Track And Field Meet Honors



SORT OF HAPPY—And why not? DivArty has just won the Intra-Camp Track and Field meet with a total of 52 points which is nearly twice as much as their nearest competitor the 7th Quartermaster. Six of these winners will go on to Fort Ord to participate in the Sixth Army Meet 12-13 May, 1952. (Left to right kneeling) Donovan Allen, Dyane Beryfogle, Andrew McDavid, John Vincent, and Billy Montgomery. (Standing, left to right) Col. Daniel P. Norman, commanding officer, Perry McClennon, Dave Caldwell, John Renner, Dick Stram, James Carter, Royce Griswold, Norman Price, and Lt. Daniel K. Hurley, A&R officer. Missing are James Simpson and Linville Hamilton. (Signal Photo).

DIVTRAINS TRIMS 7TH QM TEAM BY A SCORE OF 9-7

The score ended up 9-7 in favor of DivTrains in the game with 7th QM last week.

DivTrains opened up by scoring 4 runs in the first inning. The 7th QM came back in the last of the inning with 2 runs, and gained two more in the second one. In the third the 7th QM took the lead, but not for long as DivTrains racked up 4 more runs in the fifth.

It was even in the sixth with each scoring one run, but the seventh saw DivTrains win by a 9-7 score.

California Angling Regulations

TROUT (excluding winter steelhead trout)—Seasons: May 30 to October 31 in Tuolumne, Alpine, Calaveras, Amador, Eldorado (except Lake Tahoe), Placer (except Lake Tahoe), Nevada (except Donner Lake and Boca Reservoir), Sierra, Plumas, (except Lake Almanor and Butt Lake), Lassen, Del Norte, Modoc, and in waters tributary to the Pacific Ocean coast of Humboldt County.

May 3 to October 31 in balance of State, including Tahoe, Boca, Donner, Almanor, Butt, Pillsbury lakes and Stone, Big, Freshwater, and Clam Beach lagoons in Humboldt County.

No closed season in Colorado River Area.

Bag Limits: 15 trout, salmon or Rocky Mountain whitefish or combination, but not more than 10 pounds and one fish. Irrespective of weight, at least three trout, salmon or whitefish or combination may be taken in above season.

In Lake Merced (San Francisco County) two trout.

OCEAN SALMON — Seasons: February 15 to November 15 in ocean waters south of Tomales Point. No closed season in other Pacific Ocean waters or bays except those in Sacramento-San Joaquin rivers east of Carquinez Bridge.

Bag Limits: Three trout or salmon or combination, except in Pacific Ocean waters south of the Monterey-San Luis Obispo county line, where limit is two fish.

Size Limit: 22 inches in all ocean waters. Possession of one under sized fish is permitted.

WARMWATER FISHES—Seasons: May 3 to February 8 in all counties north of Mono, Madera, San Benito, Santa Clara and Santa Cruz counties. No closed season elsewhere or in clear lake or in the following reservoirs: Exchequer, Don Pedro, Melones, Shasta, Slat Springs, Hogan, East Park, Stony Gorge, Turlock, Modesto, Oakdale, Coyote and Anderson.

Bag Limits: Five black bass; 25 Sacramento perch, crappie, calico bass, sunfish.

CATFISH—Season: No closed season.

Bag Limit: 15 fish, regardless of size. Nine-inch minimum size limit in Clear Lake, Lake County, only.

Night fishing permitted in Siskiyou, Modoc, Shasta, Tehama, Lake, Butte, Glenn, Colusa, Yuba, Sutter and Inyo counties, and in Pit River, Lassen County.

STRIPED BASS—Season: No closed season.

Bag Limit: Five fish or 25 pounds and one fish. Irrespective of maximum weight, at least two striped bass may be taken and possessed.

Size Limit: 12 inches minimum.

OCEAN FISH—Season: No closed season, except for salmon, grunion, shellfish.

Bag Limits: 15 in the aggregate of the species listed below, but not more than 10 fish of any one of the following species: bluefin tuna, yellowfin tuna, skipjack, yellowtail, albacore, barracuda, white sea bass, bonito, rock bass, sand bass, kelp bass, California halibut, California corbina, velvetfin crocker, spotfin crocker, lingcod, and cabezone; nor more than two fish of each of the following species: marlin, broadbill swordfish, and black sea bass.

Size Limits: No more than five white sea bass, five barracuda, or five yellowtail under 28 inches; no more than five halibut under four pounds; no more than one salmon under 22 inches.

CLAMS—Seasons: September 1 to April 30 in Districts 8, 9, 17, and 19. No closed season elsewhere.

Bag Limits: 30 razor, 10 big neck, 10 Washington, no limit jack knife.

Pismo Clam—Seasons: September 1 to April 30 in District 15, 16, 17 and 19. No closed season elsewhere.

Bag Limit: 10 per day. Five-inch minimum size limit.

Cockles—Season: September 1 to April 30 in all counties north

A BATTLE ROYAL
Veteran Fighter Makes Good Showing In Tournament Bout

It was Norm Walker again Monday night with a technical knockout in 34 seconds of the third round in the Sixth Army Boxing Tournament at Camp Roberts Sports Arena.

Reinstated after losing by default in the semi-finals at San Francisco, Walker aggressively pressed the bout in all three rounds. Although a game fighter Dan Dizon of Fort Mason, San Francisco found Walker a tough fighter.

The battling Walker knocked Dizon down with a hard right in the first round, but the spirit of Dizon was unquenchable. It was a fast moving give and take bout all the way.

In the second round Walker rushed out of his corner and the battle was just as rugged as in the first round. Walker had a good fight on his hands, and finally connected another hard down after 34 seconds of the round.

Fort Lewis' fighters took over the Junior Welterweight and heavyweight classes at the arena, Monday night with John Cobb's victory over Harry Draper of Camp Cooke in the junior welterweight class.

The fight turned into a first rate slugfest match in the second and third rounds with the decision unanimously going to Cobb.

Joe Davis, heavyweight from

The fight finals will be broadcast over radio stations KCOY, Santa Maria, and KATY, San Luis Obispo at 2215 hours Thursday.

Fort Lewis had a lot of trouble keeping out of the way of Joe Turner's jabbing right. Turner from Camp San Luis Obispo, and Davis came out with a split-decision after Turner started pouring on the steam in the second round.

Flyweight Freddy Trano of Desert Center, Tooele, Utah gave Koshi Yoshida of Fort Lewis a bad time with a series of lefts and rights punctuated by a nasty right hook. Trano was awarded a unanimous decision.

The preliminary bouts were sparked by a technical knock-out by Louis Kuslo of CCB over Tommy Gates of East Garrison. The TKO came in the first 15 seconds of the first round.

Another TKO was awarded to Oscar Vagas of 6100 ASU over Duane Kalb of the 7th QM in the second round. The referee stopped the fight and declared Vargas the winner.

Thomas Hunn of DivTrains won a unanimous decision over Art Smith of East Garrison in another prelim battle, while James Morton of CCB and Dorrance Benny of East Garrison fought to a draw.

The referees were Ray Lunney, boxing coach of Stanford University, and Lt. Bill Cole of CCB. Judges were George Prouse, boxing coach of California Polytechnic and Leo Philbin, registrar of Cal Poly.

LATE FLASH
In Tuesday nights fights Norm Walker decisioned Leonard Scott, Fort Lewis.



IT'S EASY—And so it was for Ollie Wright of 7th Quartermasters and Norm Price of DivArty. Wright steamed home with first place in the 100 and 220 yard dashes and broad-jumped 20 feet 4 in. for another win. Price tied for first in the 180-yd. low hurdles, but came through with a first in the 120-yd. high hurdles and in the 440-yd. dash. (Signal Photo).

ResCom Team Beats 6100 ASU

With their biggest inning coming in the second, ResCom walked away with their game with 6100 ASU by a score of 15-4.

Pitcher Norm Wielansky swatted out a home run in the third bringing in a total of 3 runs.

Again in the seventh Wielansky got a two-bagger bringing in 3 more runs, after Flora had smacked a base hit. Burner hit a single and Linck crossed the plate, making a grand slam of 5 runs.

In the first inning 6100 ASU's Woodworth and Masterson each got singles, then La Porte got a base on balls, and Marinkovich hit a two-bagger and two runs came in.

Again in the sixth Marinkovich got a base hit, Neils popped out, Gonzales got a base hit, then a pitch-out advanced both runners. With the stage all set, Cote hit a double bringing two men across the plate.

However in the seventh ResCom came back strong to take the game 15-4.

Baseball Schedule

- May 8 CCB vs. ResCom.
- May 9 EG vs. 6100.
- May 12 CCR vs. 7th QM.
- May 13 DivArty vs. ResCom.
- May 14 DivFac vs. 6100.

Leaders Course Win Softball Game, 4-3

Camp Roberts Leaders Course defeated Co. A of the 48 AIB in a recent softball contest by a score of 4-3.

Company A started fast scoring 3 runs in the first inning, batting out two singles, a double and a triple. In the last half of the first Leaders Course smacked out two singles bringing in two runs.

Leaders Course made it 3-3 in their half of the third by putting together a base on balls, a single and an infield out. Finally in the last half of the fifth on a squeeze play Matras bunted with runners on second and third bringing home the winning run, making the final score 4-3 in favor of Leaders Course.

In 1947 at Long Beach, California, Jimmy Green set world's record in salmon fly casting with an average of 198 2/3 ft.

6100 ASU Now League Kings

It's 6100 ASU the new Badminton Kings. With a tight playoff race they nosed out CCA for the championship of the intra-camp tournament.

	Won	Lost
6100 ASU	7	0
CCA	6	1
ResCom	5	2
DivTrains	4	3
CCB	3	4
DivArty	3	4
7th QM	1	6



IT'S A LONG WAY—But Linville Hamilton of DivArty made this 880 yard run in 2:13 1/2 to beat Coulter of the 7th Quartermasters. The time was about 5 seconds slower than last year's meet, but from the look on both runners' faces the distance hasn't changed any as they sprint towards the finish line. (Signal Photo).



READY, AIM—Sullivan of Reserve Command grinds his teeth and prepares to sling a long one way down the field. It was a pretty good heave for a distance of 151 ft. 3 1/2 in. bettering last year's mark by about 4 ft. Sullivan took first place in this event in addition to the high jump where he cleared 5 ft. 9 1/4 in. (Signal Photo).



WHOOOPS—With a grim look of determination, catcher Gould, of CCB rushes forward to tag DivArty's Ray Morin as he bites the dust following a mad dash for home plate during a recent game. Umpire Dale Stuckey waits expectantly, alert to make a quick action decision. Although Morin was called out, DivArty coped the game with a healthy 4-0. (Parade Photo).

SPORTS Quiz

QUESTIONS

1. Would you guess that the game of billiards was originated in: (a) 1956 B.C.; (b) 1739; (c) 1624; (d) 1900; (e) 1903?
2. In modern horse racing, what constitutes a dead heat?
3. True or false? Amateur fighters usually adopt the ring name they will use later as professionals?
4. Two major league teams won the pennant four years in succession. Which teams were they and who managed them?

ANSWERS

1. You guessed right if you chose (c) 1739.
2. It's judged a dead heat when the most modern precision cameras are used and the horses can't be separated in the order of finish by a space of 1/32 inches.
3. False. In amateur boxing, ring names and nicknames are prohibited.
4. The Giants, managed by John McGraw, won pennants in 1921-1924. The Yankees under Joe McCarthy performed the feat in 1936-1939.



BARKDOLL and his dummy provided many hilarious moments at Saturday's "Crazy Show." The production played to a full house at Theater One.

"Rainbow Revue" Will Feature All New Cast

E. B. Curger, noted Hollywood producer, will return to Camp Roberts with his fabulous "Rainbow Revue" this Saturday, May 10, for one performance beginning at 1930 hours.

AF Day Music Show Readied

Activity is reaching a feverish pitch in the Entertainment Section of Special Services as final preparations are begun for the big Armed Forces Day production, "Noche de Canto," an evening of song.

Two performances will be presented at Theater One, and the date is May 17. "Noche de Canto" is definitely a must-see on your entertainment calendar.

Winning Smile



SILVER-BLOND Vera Ellen displays a captivating smile for the cameraman on an unidentified beach in California. The brown-eyed dancer can be seen with Fred Astaire in "Belle of New York."



"So," sobbed Ilma Kropotkin Vasilynikovitchsky, "Ivan Nines-porsky died in battle. Did he really whisper my name with his dying breath?"

"He did his best, lady," was the reply. "He did his best."

"I'll never go back until that girl takes back what she said." "What did she say?" "Never come back."

Scotch lieutenant: A close shavetail.

One cannibal to another: "We



can't put this missionary into the boiling water—he's a Friar."

Teacher: "What is a flood?" Pupil: "It's a river that's too big for its bridges."

Sgt.: "This coffee tastes like dirt." K.P.: "Well, it was ground this morning."

Man: "If I stopped a man from beating a donkey, what trait would it show?" Bored girl friend: "Brotherly love!"

Spring has sprung, the grass has riz. I wonder where the flowers is? Circa 1800 B.C.

A recruit running the obstacle course stumbled and fell. "What's the trouble?" demanded the sergeant.

"I think I've broken my leg," the recruit moaned. "Well, don't just lie there," shouted the sarge. "Start doing pushups!"

Pedestrian: A man who can be reached easily by automobile.

Top Talent Show Honors Taken By Wac Corporal

Wac Cpl. Bobby Gordon nabbed top honors in last Sunday's Talent Show to start the May contest. Her thrashing of "The Desert Song" and the sultry "Temptation" was tops with the G. I. audience.

Very close behind her, in the second spot, was Pvt. Bill Matson, who with his guitar, captured the audience's fancy with his droll rendition of "Smoke That Cigarette."

Third place laurels went to the tapping toes of Sgt. Ray Hollingsworth for his sensational Astaire-style hoofing to the tune of "I Can't Give You Anything But Love." Garnering fourth honors was Pvt. Bob Stack whose flying fingers brought the intricate and difficult "Hora Stacatto" out of his accordion.

May's Talent Contest looks like the best yet. Why not be at Theater One next Sunday when the second round moves into the spotlight?

Sponsor Photo Contest For Shutterbugs

Washington—Attention all shutterbugs! Popular Science Magazine has inaugurated a "Craftsmen in Uniform" photo contest giving servicemen an opportunity to win cash prizes and merchandise for their camera work.

Beginning with the April issue, the magazine will feature photographs of craft work by men on active duty with the Armed Forces. The pictures should be of work which is original and "eye-catching" in order to compete for the monthly cash prizes.

Photographs and captions should be addressed to the Craftsmen-in-Uniform Editor, Popular Science Monthly, 353 Fourth Avenue, New York 10, N. Y.

Officers' Mess Readies Program

The following program for the last half of this week and the first half of next has been announced by the Officers' Mess:

Thursday 8 May—Bingo! Bingo! Jackpot \$130 plus \$5 door prize, 12 games for \$1. Free buffet night. Many prizes available for you to select from. Don't forget this is VE Day. Your drinks half-price if you wear the ETO ribbon.

Monday 12 May—Dues become delinquent today.

Tuesday, 13 May—Crying Hour, Dancing in the Ball Room 1800 to 1930 hours. Drinks one-half price. Free buffet at 1900 hours.

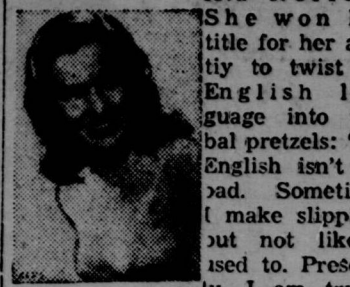
Don't Count Spots



If you're taking the time to count the spots on this outfit, you're missing the beauty of Corinne Calvet. She certainly has the leopard skin you'd love to touch.

Show Biz

WHAT A VICTIM!—The "Grabbed Garbo" of film-land is a well-assembled 110-pound Hungarian beauty named Ava Norring.



She won her title for her ability to twist the English language into verbal pretzels: "My English isn't too bad. Sometimes I make slipshods but not like I used to. Presently, I am trying to acquire a southern droll."

MONEY BAG IN SKIRTS—Money means nothing to Janice Gilbert. She's given away \$3,500,000 in crisp bills in the last six years. Five times a week in a radio studio and on Sunday over TV she acts as the paying teller on the quiz program "Break the Bank."

TOP RECORDS—Variety's top tunes: Kay Starr's "Wheel of Fortune," Ray Anthony's "At Last," Leroy Anderson's "Blue Tango," Ella Mae Morse's "Blacksmith Blues," Doris Day's "A Guy Is a Guy," Dan Cornell's "I'll Walk Alone," Rosemary Clooney's "Tenderly," Eddie Fisher's "Forgive Me," Eddy Howard's "Be Anything" and the Four Aces' "Tell Me Why."

The Local Cinema

Thursday 8 May HALF BREED Technicolor Robert Young-Janis Carter Friday 9 May GUNS AND GALS Bob Hutton-Cathy Downs Saturday 10 May KANSAS TERRITORY Sepiatone Wild Bill Elliott-Peggy Stewart Sunday 11 May THE GREATEST SHOW ON EARTH Betty Hutton-James Stewart and Cornel Wilde Tuesday 12 May BRAVE WARRIOR Technicolor Jon Hall-Christina Larsen Wednesday 13 May THREE FOR BEDROOM C Natural Color Gloria Swanson-James Warren

Theater No. 2

Thursday 8 May ABOUT FACE Technicolor Eddie Bracken-Gordon MacRae Friday 9 May NO ROOM FOR THE GROOM Tony Curtis-Piper Laurie Saturday 10 May PAULA Loretta Young-Kent Smith and Alexander Knox Sunday 11 May HALF BREED Technicolor Robert Young-Janis Carter Monday 12 May GUNS AND GALS Bob Hutton-Cathy Downs Tuesday 13 May KANSAS TERRITORY Sepiatone Wild Bill Elliott-Peggy Stewart Wednesday 14 May THE GREATEST SHOW ON EARTH Betty Hutton-James Stewart and Cornel Wilde

Theater No. 4

Thursday 8 May WILD SWALLON Technicolor Ben Johnson-Barbara Woodell Friday 9 May ABOUT FACE Technicolor Eddie Bracken-Gordon MacRae Saturday 10 May NO ROOM FOR THE GROOM Tony Curtis-Piper Laurie Sunday 11 May PAULA Loretta Young-Kent Smith and Alexander Knox Tuesday 12 May HALF BREED Technicolor Robert Young-Janis Carter Wednesday 13 May GUNS AND GALS Bob Hutton-Cathy Downs

San Miguel USO Plans Full Week

A full week, with special events planned for every day, has been scheduled by the San Miguel USO. Club Contests Night and Small Games Night, each starting at 1930 hours, will be featured today and Friday. The program for the week-end includes the feature movies, "Galant Journey" and "My Blue Heaven," to be shown Saturday and Sunday, respectively, at 2000 hours. The snack bar will be open both days from 1900 hours, and a \$100.00 supper will be served Sunday at 1700 hours. Monday, Tuesday, and Wednesday evenings will be given over to music, card games, and voice recordings.

Uniform Makes Man Star Likes To Entertain Members Of Armed Forces

I saw Dagmar in a sweater. The effect was tremendous on both Dagmar and the interviewer. Reason for the interview (if one is needed) was that Dagmar has become a hostess on a television show called "Dagmar Canteen."

Worry About This Only If You're Not Uniform Man

"Milady" is not the only one who has to worry about a new wardrobe. If Mr. America is to keep up with the "Joneses" and wear the latest in finery he will have to "dig deep" to meet the changes in men's apparel, according to the latest fashion news.

The modern fashion plate will discard his padded shoulders, flamboyant ties and shirts, wide-brimmed hats and exaggerated collar points for a "new look" that leans toward a more natural and neater silhouette.

A middle of the road suit, somewhere between the Hollywood glamour suit and the "sack" cloth suit is now the "ultra" in style. It is called the American Lounge with the accent on a single breasted design. Somber ties and shirts, and smaller-rim chapeaux will be the order of the day at your favorite haberdashery.

Clothing in general, including shoes, will be lighter in weight and more porous, while tweeds and soft fabrics will find much favor.

Of course, if you're strictly a "uniform" man, you have no fashion problems at all.

Bob Hope Will Appear Here

America's beloved Clown Prince of Comedy, Bob Hope, and his all-star radio cast headed by Jerry Colonna and Les Brown's Band of Renown will appear at Theater One on May 30.

Famed as one of the fastest men with an ad lib, Bob is continuing his efforts to provide real top-notch entertainment for the G. I.'s, and his appearance here at Camp Roberts is certain to be a milestone in the post's parade of entertainment.

The date is May 30, and Rapid Robert is an odds-on favorite to keep you chuckling for many laugh-packed hours.

Looks At Books

Calling all science fiction fans, who enjoy stories of space travel, robots, intelligent plants, strange nonhuman creatures and invasions from Mars. Here are some new books which you are sure to enjoy.

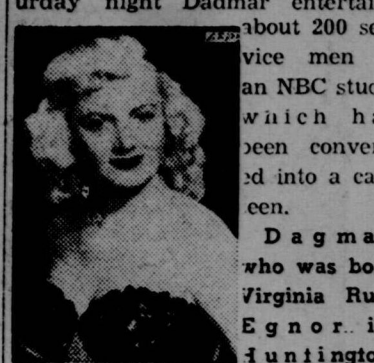
"TOMORROW THE STARS" edited by Robert A. Heinlein is a collection of short stories by the top science fiction writers. Ranging in time from the present to at least A.D. 2300, these narratives introduce such varied characters as a blind reporter who "sees" a Martian invasion, a laboratory madman let loose in a large city, and a man who wins his girl, although he ruins her mother's wash. "DOUBLE IN SPACE" by Fletcher Pratt brings you two stories instead of one. One is the story of an Allied space station, from which atomic torpedoes can be launched on the Earth, if necessary. The other tells of the strange adventures of a United Planets fleet of twelve space ships on their way home after the successful devastation of Iva. Although it is essential for Commodore Lortz, leader of the force, to return to Earth as soon as possible, he continually meets unaccountable but apparently unavoidable delays. The interplanetary fleet visits many strange places before a space psychologist discovers a clever criminal campaign at work. So, if you're looking for science fiction, visit your libraries.

Service Club No. 1

Thursday 8 May—2000 Hrs.—Crafts Friday 9 May—2000 Hrs.—Movies Saturday 10 May—2000 Hrs.—Talent Show Sunday 11 May—1000 Hrs.—Coffee and Donuts 1329 Hrs.—Tour—San Miguel Mission 2—1:50 1100 Hrs.—Tourist's Day Program 2000 Hrs.—Jingo Tuesday 12 May—2000 Hrs.—Crafts 2000 Hrs.—Quiz Wednesday 13 May—2000 Hrs.—Dance Instruction 2000 Hrs.—Card Party

Service Club No. 2

Thursday 8 May—1300 Hrs.—Crafts 2000 Hrs.—Quiz Night Friday 9 May—1300 Hrs.—Crafts 2000 Hrs.—Try-outs for Pool and Ping Pong Tournaments 2000 Hrs.—Lower night Saturday 10 May—1300 Hrs.—Music Hour 2000 Hrs.—Free Movies Sunday 11 May—1000 Hrs.—Coffee Hour 1100 Hrs.—Cards and Small Games 2000 Hrs.—Whoopie Party Monday 12 May—Club Closed Tuesday 13 May—1300 Hrs.—Crafts 2000 Hrs.—Tournament Night 2000 Hrs.—Square Dance Wednesday 14 May—1300 Hrs.—Crafts 2000 Hrs.—Free Bingo



Dagmar, who was born Virginia Ruth Egner in Huntington, W. Va., greeted me warmly at the door of her New York penthouse apartment. We went into the living room where she settled on a corn-yellow sofa that matched her blond hair. She lit a cigarette and said:

"Now let's see what would be of interest about little of me... I'm all excited about my new show. Yes, I wear off-the-shoulder evening gowns when I perform. Nothing extreme. I'm not an extremist."

"I think servicemen are awfully sweet. I've entertained them in camps and hospitals but my dearest association has been through letters. I get the most fascinating fan mail you'd want to read. I've been voted the oddest, sweetest thing by the military. They've even named a hill and tank after me in Korea."

"What do I owe my fame and fortune to, honey? Why 'Mother Nature,' of course."

"A uniform certainly helps a man. Makes him look handsome, masculine and strong. You may not realize it but a girl feels protected and in good hands when she's out with a man in uniform."

"What do I think of men in general? Well, darlin', I think they're very necessary. Am I really dumb? Don't be silly, honey, I think I'm brilliant. What do you think?"

The room was becoming increasingly warm. "One more question," I said, "then I must be leaving. What do you think a serviceman considers most important in a girl?"

Dagmar sighed deeply and said: "Intelligence, sweetie—what more could any man desire?"

Sharpshooters' Corner



PVT. GILBERT E. WNIQUES HATS OFF TO THE: Company B, 17th Medium Tank Battalion.

15.1% qualified as Expert. 73.8% qualified as Sharpshooter. 11.1% qualified as Marksman. 0% unqualified. High man of the week was Pvt. Gilbert E. Wniqués, US 56127916, Company B, 17th Medium Tank Battalion, from Bakersfield, California. Score: 239 out of 260. Qualification: Expert.

Japanese Wives Guests Of USO

Japanese wives of U. S. servicemen were guests of the Paso Robles USO Club last Tuesday in the second of a series of meetings designed to help them become oriented in their new American setting.

In charge of the meeting was Mrs. Mary Robertson, wife of Captain Jack Robertson. Guests were Mrs. Luther T. Cook, Mrs. Tony Arangus, and Mrs. Leonard Cochran.

THEY LIKED IT

"Crazy Show" Applauded By Enthusiastic Crowd

Musicians often refer to things that are very good as being crazy. In that light, the "Crazy Show" last Saturday could have been called the "Great Show," because it was just that. As the Colbert-Allbridge production unfolded before a full house at Theater One Camp Roberts

Headed by producers Bob Colbert and Syd Evoked, the sparkling cast evoked tremendous applause with their top-notch talent. Singer Helen Welles and mimic Larry Irvine were the first two acts on and really started the proceedings in star-like fashion.

The nimble fingers of Gil Hayward brought an unbelievable amount of music and rhythm of his accordion, and magico Bob Fisher assounded the audience with his feats of legerdemain.

Gorgeous thrush Norine Peel sang her way into the hearts of the G. I. onlookers, and, judging by the welcome, accorded her, the Roberts welcome mat will be out for her early return.

The pantomimery of Ray Paige and the ventriloquism of Barkdoll and his dummy provided many moments of hilarious carryings on. Following haritone John Donohue, Bob Colbert and his lovely partner, Ross, came on in a satirical sketch entitled, "Life in the Armed Forces." As you can imagine, Colbert's clowning in khaki was greeted with rollicking laughter.

After Syd Allbridge wowed 'em with his first rate pianists, the entire cast assembled on stage for rousing finale, and the curtain rang down on one of the top entertainments to be seen here.

USO Week Set In Paso Robles

Dances at 2000 hours tonight and Saturday, with refreshments served by community groups, are scheduled by the Paso Robles USO.

Movies planned for the week include "The Frontiersman" at 1930 hours on Sunday, and "Basketball Highlights of the 1949-1950 Season" at 2000 hours on Wednesday.

Other Sunday events include sketching, informal dance instruction, and sing songs, all set to start at 1500 hours. In addition, the choral group will gather at 1930 hours on Monday, and folk dancing will be featured at 2000 hours on Tuesday.

Sergeant Says OK

President Truman passed the problem on to the Army, the Army turned it over to the Chief of Chaplains, and the latter learned from the Indian Embassy that Sikhs in the Indian and British armies are allowed to wear long hair. Army permission followed, ending with advice to the Sikh that "you keep this letter to show to your commanding officers after you are inducted."

Drivers In Korea Find Safety Pays

More good drivers than traffic violators are being stopped by Army military police crews along the supply roads leading to the Korean front lines. They are stopped by highway patrols of the Seventh Division. After giving their names, ranks and organizations, the safe drivers are informed that letters of commendation will be forwarded to their commanding officers. Delinquency reports rates are dropping, although the commendation program is only two months old.

Club Schedules Hillbilly Night

Starting this Friday night, the CCA NCO Club will try to keep its customers entertained with hillbilly music. Sgt. Conley, the club custodian, states that he has hired a country-style band to provide music, and, if the idea meets with the approved of the NCO's of CCA, Hillbilly Night will be a weekly affair. The orchestra, the Allie Combs aggregation, is frequently heard over Station KHEY, San Luis Obispo.



"You're fired!"

505th MP's Mess Best For Month

The commanding general's award for the best battalion mess of the month was presented to the 505th M. P. Battalion by Col. Paul G. Hollister, Chief of Staff, 7th Armored Division.

Lt. Col. Eugene J. Carson, commanding officer of the 505th unit, and SFC Robert L. Scheier, B Co., and Cpl. Arthur J. Kuhl, C Co., accepted the award for the "highest percentage rating any unit has received." Col. Hollister commended the unit for scoring 98 per cent, the first time such a high score has been made in the keen competition.

The messes are rated on a 100 per cent score. Every month there is a competitive mess inspection where a rating of 94 or better receives a superior. The battalions do not know exactly when the post-wide inspections are to be held. The winners are not allowed to rest on their laurels, as they are automatically inspected the following month. According to Major Harry T. Lipsky, post food adviser, who is leaving for FtCom, ten battalions were inspected during April with an overall average of 93.4 per cent which is only a few tenths below a post-wide superior rating. Capt. W. Wooten will be the new post food adviser.