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INSPECT TRAINING—With Maj. Gen. Frank H. Partridge, Commanding General, 7th Armored Div., are Maj. Gen. Harry L. Bolen, Commanding Gen. 44th Div., Brig. Gen. George B. Peplow, Asst. Div. Commander, 44th Div., and Brig. Gen. Arthur S. Champeny, Asst. Div. Commander, 7th Armored Div. The visiting Generals from Camp Cooke inspected training procedures at Camp Roberts last week. (Shannon Photo).

Leaders' Course Review Surprise For General

Making his first formal public appearance since receiving the two stars symbolizing his new rank, Major General Frank H. Partridge, Commanding General of Camp Roberts, was present Saturday morning at a "surprise review" of Leaders' Course. Present also were military and civilian dignitaries including members of the general's staff and Mayor Russell W. Gates and City Attorney James A. Madden of Paso Robles.



SURPRISE REVIEW—One of the features of the surprise review given by Leaders' Course for Major General Frank H. Partridge was the presentation of a Certificate of Achievement to Captain John W. Nocita. Gen. Partridge made the presentation to Capt. Nocita, who is leaving for Artillery School at Fort Sill, Oklahoma. Capt. Nocita served as Leaders' Course S-3. (Shannon Photo).

When the general saw the extent of the surprise which had been planned for him, he was visibly moved.

Speaking after the Leaders' Course passed in review, the general said, "This has been a very pleasant surprise, but you have broken a rule. A ceremony like this is for a VIP and you have made me feel that you regard me as one."

"I regard it as an indication that you are happy with what has happened to me. I don't believe that I know how to tell you how happy you have made me."

"I want to compliment you on your fine appearance. You know that I love my command and that I am particularly fond of the Leaders' School."

"I want to thank those who conceived this fine ceremony and put it on for me."

During the ceremony General Partridge trooped the line of the Leaders' Course accompanied by Brig. Gen. Arthur S. Champeny, Col. Paul G. Hollister, Maj. Carl D. Armentrout, Capt. Shurley E. Schluer, and Lt. Hugh Henig.

At the conclusion of the ceremony General Partridge presented a certificate of achievement to Capt. John W. Nocita of the Leaders' Course.

Awards Presented At Review Of Quartermaster Battalion



REVIEW—Major General Frank H. Partridge presented bronze star medals to three Korean veterans at the 7th Quartermaster Battalion retreat review last Friday. Men receiving the awards are (left to right): SFC John

C. May, Jr., M/Sgt. Paul F. McCarty, M/Sgt. Visvaldis A. Pakains. Following presentation of the awards, the battalion was reviewed. (Shannon Photo).

Award of the bronze star medal to three sergeants for their achievements in the Korean action was made by Major General Frank H. Partridge, Commanding General, at the retreat review of the 7th Quartermaster Battalion on Friday afternoon.

Recipients of the awards were SFC John C. May, Jr., bronze star

medal with letter "V" device for heroic achievement in connection with military operations against the enemy of the United States; M/Sgt. Visvaldis A. Pakains, bronze star medal for meritorious service in Korea; and M/Sgt. Paul F. McCarty, bronze star medal for meritorious service in Korea.

Before the presentation awards General Partridge, accompanied by Lt. Col. Cyril A. Keller, Commandant, Specialist School, 7th Quartermaster Battalion, trooped the line.

Following the ceremony of presentation the 7th Quartermaster Battalion passed in review.

"IMPRESSED" Training Program Viewed By Camp Cooke Generals

The training program at Camp Roberts was inspected last week as a possible source of ideas or procedures to be adopted at Camp Cooke by Major General Harry L. Bolen and Brigadier General George B. Peplow, commanding general and assistant division commander, respectively, of the 44th Division.

The visiting generals were welcomed at the north end of the Parade Ground at 0900 hours Friday by Major General Frank H. Partridge. The three generals inspected Leaders' Course units and the commanding general of Camp Roberts escorted his two guests in an inspection of local facilities.

The party witnessed the infantry-artillery-tank team demonstration at the Attack Course. This demonstration, incidentally, was narrated by Lieutenant Jack T. Frost in his final appearance in the role of narrator before leaving for duty in Alaska.

Interviewed during the interim, General Bolen praised Camp Roberts for the quality of its training, for the excellent performance of its personnel, and for the fine natural environment.

The 44th Division's commanding general stated: "I am very much impressed with the caliber of training here. It is most outstanding in every respect and this is as fine a demonstration as I have ever seen."

"Camp Roberts is a wonderful place to train infantry troops. You have ideal weather conditions and ideal terrain, and the officers and men of the 7th Armored Division under the direction of Major General Frank H. Partridge are doing a fine job."

Neighbors Help Soldiers As Fire Destroys Homes

When fire of undetermined origin completely destroyed the homes and household belongings of Corporal and Mrs. Billy Steward and Corporal and Mrs. Ray Rich in San Miguel last week, neighbors of the two Camp Roberts soldiers and their wives immediately came to the rescue.

Mrs. Steward was in the hospital awaiting the arrival of a child at the time of the fire. Thanks to the minister of the San Miguel Assembly of God Church, she and Corporal Steward and their young son have secured temporary living quarters.

Living quarters have also been provided for Corporal and Mrs. Rich, and both families, because of the high priority position they had previously acquired on the Almond Acres list, will soon be able to move into homes in the housing project.

In the meantime, neighbors have given \$100 worth of baby clothes to the Stewards and have provided \$300 in cash for both families.

Collections to help the two families are continuing through the San Miguel USO, the San Miguel Chapter of the Native Daughters of the Golden West, and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Namura of San Miguel. Mr. Namura was until recently stationed at Camp Roberts.

Combat Pay Bill Passed; Praised By Secretary

The combat pay bill, which was passed last week to provide past and future combat pay for members of the Armed Forces serving under fire in Korea, has been praised by Secretary of the Army Frank Pace, Jr., as recognition by Congress of "the principle that no duty is more hazardous than ground duty."

Retroactive to June, 1950, the bill provides combat pay of \$45 monthly to every person who was in a combat unit for six days or more during any month since May 31, 1950. Altogether soldiers, sailors and Marines will share \$218,722,060.

In the case of those who were captured, wounded, injured or missing in action, combat pay will be paid for the month in which this happened and not for more than three months afterwards while the person continues in this condition.

Combat pay will go to all members of a unit of regimental size or smaller which was in actual physical contact with the enemy and under hostile ground fire for six days during the month. Payment will also be made to troops attached to units of battalion size or smaller when physically with and serving this unit under competent orders.

Lt. Col. Thompson New Div Trains Chief



Div. TRAINS HEAD—Lt. Col. William V. Thompson is the new commanding officer of Div. Trains. He served for a short time as CCB commanding officer. Prior to his arrival at Camp Roberts, Col. Thompson spent a year on the island of Formosa as an American supply officer for Chinese troops and civilians. He also served in Japan as G-4. (Shannon Photo).



TROOPING THE LINE—Major General Frank H. Partridge, commanding general, accompanied by Major Carl D. Armentrout, Leaders' Course commandant, Brig. Gen. Arthur S. Champeny, assistant division commander, and Col. Paul G. Hollister, chief of staff, troops the line at the surprise Leaders' Course review. (Shannon Photo).

Vet Auto Loan Restrictions Terminated

Credit restrictions on automobile loans for veterans have been terminated, according to an announcement by the Veterans Administration.

Previously, the maximum term of such a loan by a private lender

on new cars could not exceed 30 months, and, for a used car, 24 months. The VA says that private lenders can now make loans with longer maximum terms, but in no case may the terms exceed the economic life of the automobile.

As in the old restrictions, no down payments are required for such loans. These loans are granted only when an automobile is a necessity to the veteran in conducting his business or in fulfilling the requirements of his job.

AA Unit Deployment Stepped Up By Army

Deployment of antiaircraft units for the protection of strategic industrial, metropolitan and Air Force centers has been stepped up by the Army. The action is not designed as an emergency measure, but rather as a general assignment of units and troops.

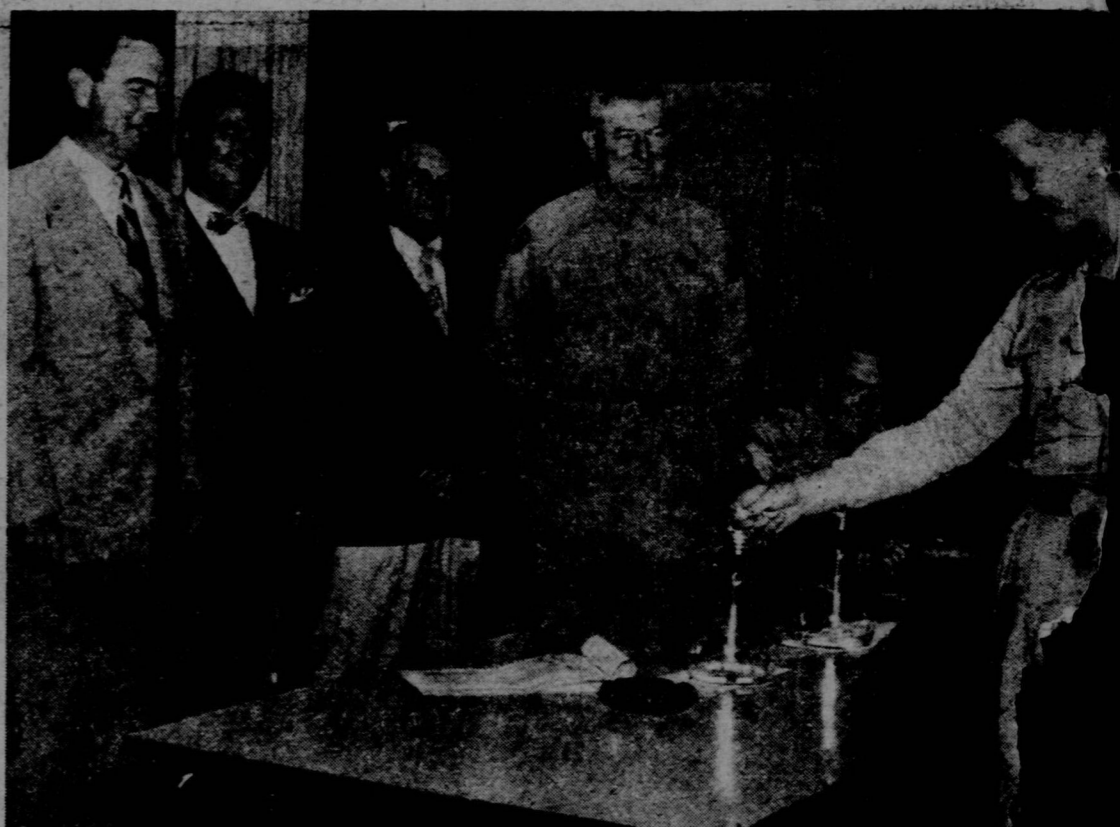
Korean Veterans Honored Here

Five Korean veterans were honored this week in a short but impressive ceremony held in the office of Colonel Augustus H. Regnier, commanding officer, 6100 ASU.

Colonel Regnier presented the Commendation Ribbon with Medal

to tal Pendant to Sgt. wellt, Sgt. Horace C. Alberto A. Valdespina, Peter F. Ortlieb, C. W. Farquhar received for the second Bronze Cluster to the Bronze Medal.

Almond Acres Drawing Held



FIRST MAN—Cpl. Edward M. Boo, Hq. Co., 87th AFA Battalion, draws the first number for his future home in Almond Acres. The drawing was held recently at Service Club No. 1. Sixty-one other military personnel also drew numbers for one and two bedroom homes. Looking on, from left to right, are: James A. Madden, chairman, Army Advisory Committee;

George Stephens, secretary, Army Advisory Committee; Bob Mann, San Miguel commander, and Col. Robert I. Stack, Deputy Housing Director. Col. Stack spoke before the drawing and lauded Major Frank H. Partridge's interest in the project. (Shannon Photo).

The first 62 personnel eligible for homes in the Almond Acres housing project last week drew capsules from a jar indicating the location of their new homes.

This informal drawing was held in Service Club No. 1. Prior to the drawing, Colonel Robert I. Stack, deputy Post commander, made a short speech in which he said that Major General Frank H. Partridge, 7th Armored Division Commanding General, had been interested in the problem of housing even before the opening of Camp Roberts and has maintained consistent interest in the development of better housing.

Guests were introduced to the crowd of 150 that watched the drawing, by Colonel Stack. They included Mr. James A. Madden, chairman, Army Advisory Group; Mr. George Stephan, secretary, Army Advisory Group; Mr. Kenneth Heinsohn, president, San Miguel School Board; and Mr. Bob Mann, San Miguel civic leader. All of the above were instrumental in the creation of the Almond Acres housing project.

Also present was Housing Director, Mr. P. Westerfield, who in the manner in which the drawing would take place. Sixty-two names were drawn for the one-bedroom bedroom homes. Ward M. Boo, Headquarters, 87th AFA Battalion, the honor of drawing a capsule for a one-bedroom home. Corporal George Stephens, Headquarters, 440th AFA Battalion, drew the first capsule for a one-bedroom home.

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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 financial 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.

OREGON (The Beaver State)

Qualifications for Voting

Must be at least 21 years of age on date of election.
 Must be a U. S. citizen having resided in the State of Oregon for at least six months.
 Must be able to read and write in English.
 Must be a registered voter, except for members of the Armed Forces.

Registration

Registration is permanent, unless voter has failed to cast a ballot in any one election during the two-year period immediately preceding the next election.

Members of the Armed Forces are listed automatically when Federal Card Application (No. 76) for an "Application to Register as a Voter Form" from county clerk of Oregon residence. Completed registration form will be mailed at any time, except during the period immediately preceding the election.

Obtaining Ballots and Voting

All registered voters who are absent from their voting districts on election day may vote by absentee ballot.

Members of the Armed Forces receive ballots when they mail Federal Card Application (No. 76). Marked ballot must be returned in time to proper officials not later than 30 days prior to election day. All other persons may request absentee ballot by writing to county clerk of Oregon residence within the period immediately preceding the election. (Information should be furnished as that required on form No. 76). Marked ballot must be returned to proper official not later than 30 days preceding election day.

NEVADA (The Sagebrush State)

Qualifications for Voting

Must be at least 21 years of age on date of election.
 Must be a U. S. citizen having resided in the State of Nevada for at least six months and in county of residence for 30 days.
 Must be a registered voter except for members of the Armed Forces and Merchant Marine personnel.

Registration

Registration is permanent unless persons who failed to vote in person at any general election and any persons who voted by absentee ballot in last previous election.

Members of the Armed Forces vote in any election without being registered.

Any qualified person may apply for registration by first requesting blank "Application for an Absentee Ballot Form" from county clerk of California residence. Completed registration form will be mailed to voter. Ballot must be received by appropriate officials not later than Nov. 29, 1952.

Obtaining Ballots and Voting

1. Any absent person may vote by absentee ballot.
 2. Members of the Armed Forces and "Merchant Marine personnel" may apply for absentee ballots (and automatic registration) at any time by mailing a completed form (No. 76) to county clerk of California residence. Marked ballot must be received by election officials not later than Nov. 29, 1952.
 3. Any other qualified person may also apply for an absentee ballot by first requesting blank "Application for an Absentee Ballot Form" from county clerk of California residence. Completed registration form will be mailed to voter. Ballot must be received by appropriate officials not later than Nov. 29, 1952.

AIN'S MESSAGE

Wanted: Men With Purpose

BY CHAPLAIN (CAPT.) ARTHUR E. MILLS

You see the statement, in a help wanted column in the classified section of newspapers, "Men Wanted." A job opportunity is offered in unskilled fields, or the professions.

Those seeking employment can apply for the jobs which require experience necessary. The trained craftsman can meet the rigid requirements for the Service System. These men are needed for a purpose: National Godliness.

Greater call for men is made. This call does not require number, but universal appeal. It is stated "Wanted: Men with Purpose." Voluntary service is invited to achieve national Godliness.

Men are trained as they serve. This branch of service is not selfish desire to further the cause of Godliness is a call for volunteering or for emergency exists. America's divine ideals, sacrifice holy patriotic tendencies, but a positive statement with the Lord.

line of endeavor we set of rules. Carry their codes; microscopic demands

on precision instruments; bankers on exact dollars and cents; athletes on rigid rules and exacting perfection—all these we accept.

God demands obedience to moral codes; meticulous interest in the personal qualities of love, service, and devotion; rigid perfection in moral purposes—all these should be willingly accepted. This is needed to insure a national adherence to Godly living. The God of all expects this to be our primary purpose in life. When it is resolutely sought, then, "Blessed is the Nation whose God is the Lord; and the people whom he hath chosen for his own inheritance." Psalm 33:12.

The demand of society creates the appeal "Wanted: Men with Purpose." God offers the equipment, training and work. The need for God is in evidence in all professions—states, towns or Military installations.

Do you want a job—with a purpose? Here is one for the asking.

AER Drive Ends With Total Of \$14,429.50 Contributed

The Army Emergency Relief drive ended last week with an impressive total of \$14,429.50 contributed by military and civilian personnel on Post. Colonel Augustus H. Regnier, Commanding Officer of 6100 ASU, was chairman of the drive committee.

Leading units include the following:

REGIMENTS	
Reserve Command	\$2,814.72
6100 ASU	2,390.84
CCA	1,700.98
CCB	1,505.16
DivTrains	1,434.37
DivArty	1,390.00
BATTALIONS	
6100 ASU (Station Complement)	887.59
95th HTB	863.75
17th MTB	789.46
87th AFA	781.58
Div Troops (6100 ASU)	746.35
48th AIB	730.27
COMPANIES	
Headquarters Company, 7th Armored Division	392.54
Company B, 77th AIB	361.79
Company B, 17th MTB	352.79
Company A, 95th HTB	347.80
Company A, 77th AIB	322.91

AWOL Scheduled 23rd Truckers Safest Drivers As TIC Topic

The high cost of AWOL and the ways it can be avoided will be discussed at this week's Troop Information Conference.

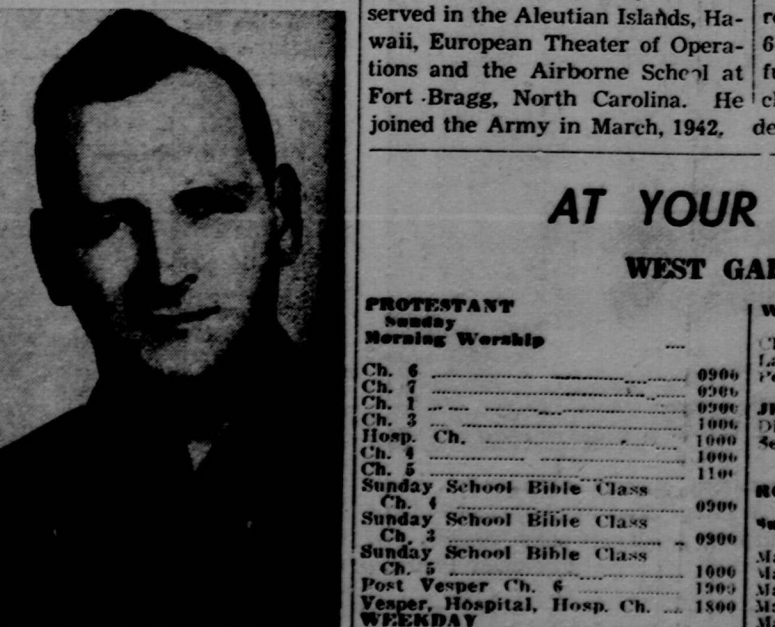
AWOL is a costly problem for the government. It is estimated that the cost is approximately \$10 per day for each day that a man is absent without leave. This results in more than one million dollars a year being spent to provide guards to return AWOL's to their station after apprehension.

If a soldier has a problem, there are always organizations available to help him, like the Red Cross, Army Emergency Relief, the Legal Assistance Officer and the chaplains. It is better for the soldier to seek out this aid than to go AWOL.

Two Officers Take Over New Positions



FACULTY CHIEF — Lt. Col. Harry Braze is the new Chief of Faculty, Division Faculty. He succeeds Major John B. McClure, Jr., who becomes the new G-3 executive officer. Col. Braze was formerly assistant G-3. He was recalled to active duty in May, 1952. He served with the 40th National Guard Division overseas in World War II as G-3. (Shannon Photo).



LEAVES DIV. FACULTY — Major John B. McClure, Jr., Div. Faculty Chief for the past six months, has been assigned as G-3 executive officer. Major McClure started his military career in 1940 after graduating from college. Under his guidance, Div. Faculty received its highest rating since the camp's reactivation in 1950. (Shannon Photo).

BIG SAVING Food Program Cuts Waste, Brings Cash For Salvage

One of the biggest savings in the cost consciousness program is realized from plate waste in mess halls.

The Property Disposal office reports that 3140 pounds of garbage were collected and found suitable for animal consumption recently. This was sold to local farms for a return of \$2,959.20 into the Army food fund.

Second Almond Acres Priority Listing Issued

The Office of the Post Housing Director this week issued the second priority list for housing in the Almond Acres project. Last week's issue of PARADE carried the first listing, including 12 occupants of one bedroom houses and 50 occupants of two bedroom houses.

The new list:

2nd PRIORITY ALMOND ACRES ONE BEDROOM	
Name, Rank	Reported
13. Tripplit, F. C., M/Sgt.	6 Feb. 51
14. Krupski, J. A., Sgt.	12 Feb. 51
15. Stoppel, H. Jr., Sgt.	17 Jan. 51
16. Hayes, J. F., Cpl.	20 Feb. 51
17. Parmer, C. A., Cpl.	20 Feb. 51
18. Gutierrez, H. J., Cpl.	28 Feb. 51
19. Williams, C. L., Cpl.	28 Feb. 51
20. Babroff, A. W., Pfc.	28 Feb. 51
21. Thomas, G. F., Cpl.	28 Feb. 51
TWO BEDROOM	
51. McDonald, J. W., M/Sgt.	2 Jul. 51
52. Bible, W. L., SFC	12 Nov. 51
53. Stephens, J. D., Sgt.	13 Nov. 51
54. Platz, L. M., PFC	15 Nov. 51
55. Howard, W., Cpl.	16 Nov. 51
56. Smith, J. R., SFC	23 Nov. 51
57. Domeier, D. E., Pvt.	28 Nov. 51
58. Dalmeida, J. R., SFC	28 Nov. 51
59. Hydock H. S., SFC	28 Dec. 51
60. Barrett, A. L., Sgt.	3 Dec. 51
61. Warren, H. SFC	3 Dec. 51
62. Barnes, Joe, M/Sgt.	7 Dec. 51
63. Kelley, M. N., SFC	8 Dec. 51
64. Alexander, W. R., SFC	8 Dec. 51
65. Campbell, S., SFC	8 Dec. 51
66. Coleman, C., Cpl.	8 Dec. 51
67. McCowen, F., Sgt.	8 Dec. 51
68. Welch, Oscar, SFC	8 Dec. 51
69. Coats, H. L., SFC	10 Dec. 51
70. Johnson, L. E., Sgt.	12 Dec. 51
71. Kinney, J. R., Pvt.	12 Dec. 51
72. Thompson, F., Cpl.	15 Dec. 51
73. Mosarra, P. C., Pvt.	15 Dec. 51
74. Herron, N., M/Sgt.	19 Dec. 51
75. Pahl, F. H., Pvt.	21 Dec. 51
76. Owens, H., SFC	21 Dec. 51
77. Rene, V. E., M/Sgt.	26 Dec. 51
78. Shumaker, F. W., SFC	26 Dec. 51
79. Davis, M., SFC	29 Dec. 51
80. Cypress, J., Cpl.	30 Dec. 51
81. Shishido, Yoshio H., SFC	30 Dec. 51
82. Wickdal, Jr. L., Cpl.	3 Jan. 52
83. Brauckmiller, W., Sgt.	3 Jan. 52
84. La Roche, C. J., SFC	5 Jan. 52
85. Moseley, W. H., SFC	5 Jan. 52
86. Newman, W. E., SFC	18 Jan. 52
87. Schaper, Vernon H., Pvt.	22 Jan. 52
88. Gutierrez, J. P., Sgt.	24 Jan. 52
89. Romans, B. D., Pvt.	25 Jan. 52
90. West, C. L., Sgt.	25 Jan. 52

QM Mobile Teams Repair Equipment

A nationwide system of mobile inspection and repair to help eliminate the need for shipping heavy mechanical equipment to central locations has been set up by the Army Quartermaster Corps.

The plan involves six permanent roving repair crews of six men each, whose job is to keep mechanical equipment in this country in top operating condition.

Each team utilizes two rolling repair shops, each built on a 6-by-6 truck. The shops contain a full complement of power machinery, hand tools, and testing devices.

AT YOUR CHAPEL

WEST GARRISON	
PROTESTANT	
Sunday Morning Worship	
Ch. 6	0900
Ch. 7	0900
Ch. 1	0900
Ch. 3	1000
Hosp. Ch.	1000
Ch. 4	1000
Ch. 5	1100
Sunday School Bible Class	0900
Ch. 4	0900
Sunday School Bible Class	0900
Ch. 3	0900
Sunday School Bible Class	1000
Post Vesper Ch. 6	1900
Vesper, Hospital, Hosp. Ch.	1900
WEEKDAY	
Midweek Service, Wed. Ch. 3	2000
Midweek Service, Wed. Ch. 4	1900
Choir Practice, Wed. Ch. 4	2000
ROMAN CATHOLIC	
Sunday	
Mass, Ch. 25	1100
Mass, Ch. 2	0900, 0900
Mass, Hosp. Ch.	0900
Mass, Ch. 6	1000
Mass, Ch. 4	1100
WEEKDAY	
Novena, Wed. Ch. 3	2000
Mass, Ch. 2	1900
Confessions, Sat. Ch. 6	1900-2100
Confessions, Sat. Ch. 2	1900-2100
EAST GARRISON	
CHAPEL LOCATIONS	
Ch. 1 CCA Area	Blgd. 1014
Ch. 2 Div. Arty. Area	Blgd. 2010
Ch. 3 6100 ASU Area	Blgd. 1027
Ch. 4 Res. Com. Area	Blgd. 4014
Ch. 5 CCA Area	Blgd. 5014
Ch. 6 Div. Trains Area	Blgd. 6018
Ch. 7 Leaders' C. Area	Blgd. 7025
Ch. 25 East Garrison	Blgd. 2021
Hosp. Ch. Hosp. Area	Blgd. 510

Battalion Soldier Of Month



SOLDIER OF THE MONTH—Corporal James Strickland, A Battery, 464th AAA Battalion, receives the congratulations of Lieutenant Colonel Ralph E. Glasgow, commanding officer of the 464 AAA Battalion, on being chosen the battalion's Soldier of the Month. Strickland won out in competition with two other men in his battalion. In the near future he will compete again, but with representatives of other battalions in the Provision Automatic Weapons Group (California) for the title of Group Soldier of the Month.

Navy Replaces Life Nets With New Lifeboats

Washington.—Troop-carrying ships assigned to the Arctic area will be furnished with new inflatable 15-passenger lifeboats. Other troop-carrying ships will continue to use the present balsa wood life floats and life nets until the new items are in plentiful supply.

The entire changeover will take at least five years. New ships for which life nets and floats have not been purchased will be fitted with the new lifeboats if it does not interfere with the date of completion.

As available funds permit, life nets and floats will be replaced by inflatable lifeboats in all other ships of the active fleet including PT boats.

Officer Who Took Basic In Germany Now At Roberts

Lieutenant David S. Grossett, Jr., who received his basic training in Germany in 1947, is the new executive officer of Company A, 87th Reconnaissance Battalion.

Although born in Boston, he spent many years in Scotland. When he enlisted there was no draft, and the government set up basic training outfits in Germany for American nationals. Lt. Grossett took an 8-week cycle with some 20 other American nationals.

Following his training, he spent two years in Europe, then spent a year at Fort Sill, Oklahoma, and entered Infantry Officer Candidate School, Fort Benning, Georgia. He graduated from the latter school in May.

Prior to attending OCS he was in the Leaders' Course School at Fort Dix, New Jersey.

Best Mess Award Goes To 31st AAAB



BEST MESS—Lieutenant Colonel Don A. Mason, Deputy Chief of Staff, 7th Armored Division, presents the best mess award, on behalf of the Commanding General, Major General Frank H. Partridge, to the 31st AAA Battalion. Lt. Col. William V. Thompson, commanding officer, Division Trains, and Major Bryan W. Potter, commanding officer of the 31st AAA Battalion, accept the award. The battalion received a superior rating of 97 for the month of June. Tied for second with a 96 rating were the 94th MTB, CCB; 434th AFA Battalion, DivArty; 17th MTB, CCA; and the 503th M. P. Battalion. (Signal Photo).

6100 Wins 4th Straight, Defeats DivTrains, 19-1

6100 won its fourth straight game last week on Windbreak Field with a gigantic 19 hit attack to defeat DivTrains, 19-1.

Clobbering the slants of losing pitcher Dale Stuckey almost at will, 6100 scored five times in the first inning, and continued its pace with one more in the third, three in the fourth, two in the fifth, and then added eight on seven hits in the sixth. DivTrains broke into the scoring column in the last half of the final inning spoiling Mel Clark's shutout by tallying an unearned run. Centerfielder, Just reached first on an error, advanced on a walk, and scored on a fielder's choice.

Stuckey, who in previous contests had been almost unbeatable, failed to fool his opponents with the tricks he used in building up a high strikeout record in league play. Two home runs by the first three batters he faced foretold the outcome of the game. Four consecutive hits after Tred-up and Crawford Neal hit for the distance pushed the winners into an opening five run lead.

Most every man in the 6100 line-up connected for hits and scored at least one run. Top batters were Leroy Polite, Bob Everett, and Jordan who each got to Stuckey for three base taps in five tries.

Score by innings: R H DivTrains 000 000 1 1 5 6100 ASU 501 328 X 19 19

CCB sewed up the contest in the third inning by pushing across two tallies on consecutive hits by White and Crossin, followed by a walk to Tate and Verne Highfield's smash. Crossin's hit was a ringing double, scoring Tate.

Two more runs crossed the plate in the fifth. Crossin led off and was safe on an error. Mattei hit safely and Highfield brought the runners around with his second straight hit after Tate grounded out.

Two unearned runs in the seventh ended the scoring. Two errors and a hit batsman provided the impetus.

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Score by innings: R H CCB 002 020 2-6 7 7th QM 100 000 0-1 2

7th Armored Wins
The 7th Armored Leaders' Course softballers hung an 8-3 defeat on the 303rd Signal Battalion in the Paso Robles City league last week.

The winners pounded out 11 hits to the loser's three. Centerfielder Larry Hemel had a perfect night at the plate, garnering three hits in three trips.

Winning pitcher Mooney pitched outstanding ball throughout the game and maintained close control over his opponents.

Eddie Arcaro, who rode the record total of money winners, piloted 250 straight losers, before he scored his first win.

7th QM Breaks Sixth Inning Tie Beats DivArty, 7-6

Rallying for three runs in the top of the sixth inning, 7th Quartermaster broke a four-all deadlock and forged ahead to pound out a 7-6 verdict over DivArty in an Inter-Regimental league game.

On the short end of the count after DivArty scored twice in the first inning and repeated the feat in the third, QM began picking away at the lead with a three run outburst in the fourth, and added a single tally in the fifth.

DivArty almost produced a winning rally of its own in the last of the seventh, scoring twice when Alfort singled, Jackson got on via an error, and both scored on Grigiski's single.

Three singles and a double in the fourth accounted for three runs for the winners to start their scoring. Les Bryant's single was followed by a double, the first of two by pitcher John Tierney, and a single by Bill Wiegert. After Bryant scored, the next two batters were unable to solve the pitching of the DivArty hurler however, Bottom kept the issue alive with another hit which pushed two runs across.

Sullivan and Bryant again singled in the fifth and Tierney's second two-sacker produced one run.

Two walks and a fielder's choice set the stage in the sixth for the two singles by Sullivan and Wiegert which accounted for the winning tallies.

Tierney's two doubles out of three times at bat won him the batting kudos while Alfort with two singles and a double led DivArty.

The score by innings: R H DivArty 202 000 2-6 7 7th QM 000 313 X-7 10

GOLF Shots
A championship thirty-six hole medal type golf tournament will be conducted on Sunday, 27 July 1952 and Sunday, 3 August 1952 at the Morro Bay Golf Course.

The tournament is to determine the Post Golf Team Champions to represent Camp Roberts in the Sixth Army Preliminary Golf Tournament to be held at the Presidio of San Francisco.

All units of Camp Roberts are authorized to enter an unlimited number of contestants. Only the low five scores from each command will count toward team scores. In the event a command enters less than five players the missing entries will be given a score of one stroke more than the highest score in the tourney.

Green fees at the Morro Bay Golf Course are \$1.50 and will be paid by individuals. A limited number of clubs are available at the Sports Arena. Clubs may be rented at the Morro Bay Club Pro Shop for \$1.00.

United States Golfing Association rules and local ground rules will apply and no excuse except for inclement weather will be allowed for failure to play at scheduled times.

A championship team trophy and individual champion awards will be presented at the conclusion of the tourney.

6100 Rips DivFac Scores 19-6 Win

Trailing by a margin of 6-5 at the end of the third inning, 6100 ASU erupted for eight runs in the top of the fourth, and six in the fifth to pound out a convincing 19-6 win over DivFac.

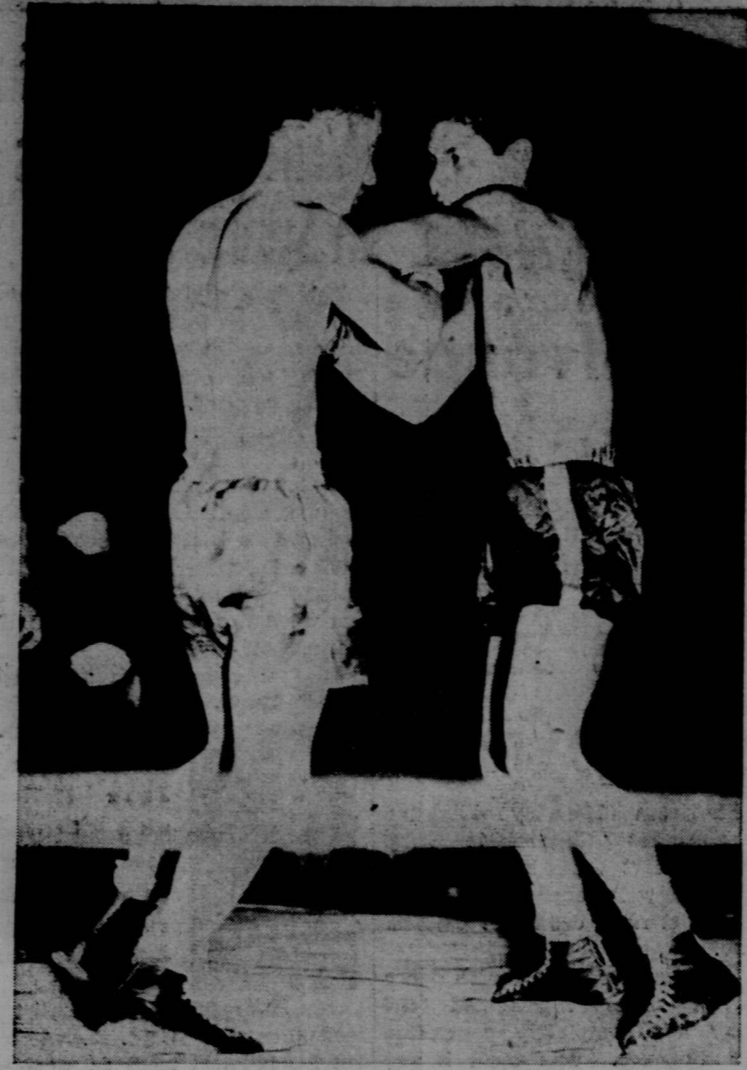
The game was called at the end of the fifth inning by mutual agreement after three DivFac pitchers failed to stop the powerful 6100 crew.

Leading the winning batters who collected ten hits was third baseman Tredup with three hits in three times at bat.

Credit for the win went to hurler Bowen.

Score by innings: R H 6100 ASU 600 00 10 19 DivFac 200 00 6 6

Largest Yet
The largest trout reported landed in California this year has been claimed by Robert F. Hanley of Long Beach. He boated a 19-pound, 10-ounce Loch Leven at Crawley Lake, Mono County, late in May. The 37 1/2 inch fish measured 19 1/4 inches in girth.



DANCE OF THE CHAMPS—Sixth Army champion John Garrity and ex-Hawaiian AAU titlist Amilio Varriga, Camp Roberts, appear to be dancing as they slug it out in a clinch. Garrity copped the unanimous decision of the judges last week in the boxing smoker held in the Sports Arena. (Signal Photo).

Boxing Smoker Provides Rugged Thrills At Arena

Hard socking Rocky Fisher pounded John Henson into semi-consciousness in 48 seconds of the third round in the best match of last week's boxing smoker at the Sports Arena.

Packing a lot of power in his looping right hand which he landed almost at will, Fisher ripped into his wildly swinging foe from the opening second of the bout.

A blistering pace in the second round had Henson on the verge of going down. Referee Gene Fulmer stopped the bout in the third when Henson was unable to defend himself after taking a smash-eight hand. Henson was obviously out on his feet.

Sixth Army champion John Garrity hammered out a three round unanimous decision over former Hawaiian AAU champion Amilio Varriga in a bout which saw considerable clinching and infighting.

A heavy flurry in the final round almost proved too much for the Hawaiian, but he hung on until the final punch by evading Garrity's pay-off punch.

In the heavyweight bracket Fred Robertson outclassed and outpunched the lighter hitting Louis Kulso, to win the vote of all judges. Robertson's effective counterpunching made a mess of Kulso's nose in all three rounds.

A split decision was given to John Moon over Darrell Rigby in a light-heavyweight match. Moon directed a heavy body attack sprinkled with short uppercuts. A grazing right opened a cut over Rigby's eye in the last round but it was not serious.

So You Think You Know Baseball!

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Is the catcher an infielder? A lot may depend on the answer. Here, in a simulated big-league setting, is a major problem over the catcher's status.



Catcher Returns
L. Charles Clutka, coach of the championship basketball team during the first half of last season, recently was reassigned to Camp Roberts.

His return assures a potent nucleus for the team which will be defending its All-Army title this season.

The aggressive style of play which won Clutka All-Pacific Coast Conference honors at UCLA was a sparkplug during the first drive by the Raiders and his extensive knowledge of the fast-break offensive was responsible in a great measure for the success of the team.

ANSWER
Although there is something to be said for the claim that the catcher is an infielder, major league umpires are instructed to call the base runner out on a play like this one.

First Come, First Served Basis For Surplus Deer Munt

California Department of Fish and Game permits for the taking of 9,850 surplus deer next January in five Southern California areas will go on sale July 19 it was announced recently.

The one-dollar permits for the 16 day special season will be sold on a first-come, first served basis at five temporary license offices. Applicants must present a valid California hunting license and deer tags. Application blanks are attached to each 1952 deer tag.

During the special season, January 3 to January 18, permittees may take one deer in the specified areas only. During the shoot 7,000 bucks and 2,850 antlerless deer will be available for the taking.

Beginning at 9 a.m., Saturday, July 19, permit sales offices will be open for the following hunting areas:

Los Angeles county, 2,000 bucks; Glendora-San Bernardino area, 750 antlerless deer; administration building, Los Angeles county fair grounds, Pomona.

San Bernardino county, 2,000 bucks; Beaumont, Banning, and Yucaipa area, 250 antlerless deer, Elliot school, E and Highland, San Bernardino.

Riverside county, 2,000 bucks; Beaumont, Banning and Yucaipa area, 250 antlerless deer; western Riverside county, 600 antlerless deer; Sherman Institute gymnasium, Riverside.

Orange county, 500 bucks; Orange county fair grounds. San Diego county, 500 bucks; Escondido Youth center.

TV TONIGHT
The San Diego Naval Training Station will again provide competition for the Camp Roberts' boxers tonight on Tommy Harmon's Meet The Champ show.

Among the eight men making the trip South are four Sixth Army Champions. They are featherweight Mas Unemoto, bantamweight John Garrity, welterweight Sammy LaCross, and light-heavyweight Walter Russell.

The remainder of the squad will include James Kinney, Charles Hair, Fred Robertson, and Rex Summer, all seasoned veterans of the Camp Roberts' ring.

Robertson, a 216 pounder, exhibited a powerful punch and plenty of fight in pounding out an easy three round win last Thursday night in the boxing smoker held here.

Accompanying the team will be trainer Gene Fulmer.

Twenty-One Pass Lifesaving Tests

Sergeant Bobby Jolley, Post swimming pool director, this week announced the appointment of 21 men as Post lifeguards, after they had successfully passed the American Red Cross senior life saving test.

The new appointees attended a two week class at the pool on lifesaving methods and care and management of the swimming pool. Another class is scheduled to start soon.

The following men will serve as lifeguards at the Post swimming pool: Pvt. Beryl Yocum, SFC Gail Leachman, M/Sgt. Edward Matthews, Cpt. Pat Ancog, Sgt. Ethan Gall, Cpl. Donald Meyer, Cpl. Menion Williams, Cpl. Moses Owens, Cpl. James Miller, PFC Yarl Jensen, and SFC Mike Dwyer.

In addition to these ten men will serve as lifeguards at the Hunter-Liggett pool when it opens: Pvt. Asia Hamilton, Sgt. James Farner, Sgt. Gilbert Mendoza, Cpl. Hector Diaz, PFC Takuo Kuwahara, SFC Frederick Wagner, Sgt. Robert Orrison, Sgt. Richard Setkler, Sgt. Emmet Bates, and Cpl. Adrin Murphy.

Taylor Paces Team

Bob Taylor, player-manager of the 7th Armored softball team smashed out two hits in two official times at bat to pace his team to a 12-7 win over CCA in Paso Robles City league play.

A total of 11 hits were made by the Armored team as Ed Matras and Mooney shared the mound duties and held CCA to nine hits. Leftfielder Simon connected for three hits and scored three runs for the losers.

Ross Misses New Strike-out Mark

Bob Ross, former Washington Senator hurler, came up in one strikeout of notching a new California Semi-Pro Tournament record Sunday night in San Luis Obispo as he hurled the Camp Roberts' All-Stars to a 7-3 win over the San Diego Skyraiders.

In hanging up his first win of the tourney, Ross allowed only three singles.

San Diego scored all its runs in the third inning when the bases were loaded on a single, a walk, and a hit batsman. A hard hit sinking liner by Ingram that got by shortstop Jack Holmquist allowed three runs to cross the plate.

The All-Stars bounced back in their half of the inning, scoring one run. With Ray Herald on third and Al Mouton on second, Jack Price bunted safely squeezing home Herald.

A rally in the third netted three more runs for the winners and put them into the lead. Bill Bullock opened the inning by walking and was followed by Mouton who got on by an error. Herald walked to load the bases and Gil Dickens smashed a three run single. Dickens moved around to third on subsequent plays and scored when a successful squeeze play was initiated by Burtner's bunt.

The All-Stars added another run in the sixth inning when Dickens got his second hit and Price walked. Holmquist then came through with a base blow pushing in Dickens with the score.

Bullock hit a bases empty homer in the eighth inning to end the scoring.

San Diego used three pitchers during the contest with Smith being tagged with the loss.

Thursday night the Camp Roberts' All-Stars will meet the powerful Santa Maria Indians in their second round of tourney play.

The score by innings: R San Diego 030 000 000 3 All-Stars 014 010 01X 7

Near Record
PFC Tommy Kono, welterweight weight-lifter from Ft. Mason, neared the world record in a spectacular practice trial today and his coach, Bob Hoffman said enthusiastically, "Tommy has as good a chance for an Olympic gold medal as Bob Mathias."

Kono already holds the three-way world record of 815 points for press, snatch, clean and jerk.

DivArty PT Course

A forty hour physical training school covering a ten day period is being held in DivArty (L-10) under the directorship of Sergeant Lou Joseph, former post basketball coach and recent graduate of the Army Field Forces Physical Training school at Fort Bragg, N. C.

The oldest fundamental rule of racing is that a winning shall be penalized in his race by addition to the amount of weight he must carry, with the weight on losers is decreased. The theory is to come close to the "perfection of handicapping"—a dead heat.



WATER SAFETY technique is demonstrated, left to Sgt. Deane Howell and SFC Gail Leachman, members lifeguard class being held at the Post swimming pool. is the cross chest carry, one of the many safety measures the men during the two week course. (Signal Photo)

SAVE YOUR LIFE



HARD ON THE HAIR but very effective is the carry being demonstrated by SFC Gail Leachman with Sgt. Deane Howell as the simulated victim. Both are students in the lifeguard classes now being given at the Post swimming pool. Upon successful completion of the course, they will assist in giving swimming tests to basic trainees. (Signal Photo)

McCune Comedy Show Big Success

TV Comedian Leads Star-Studded Troupe

The Hank McCune Comedy Show scored a big success last Friday as the TV star headed a program full of top entertainment. Backed by the music of Muzzy Marcellino, the star-studded troupe put on a ninety minute production of singing, dancing and clowning.

June Barton started things off with a bouncy rendition of "Can't Believe," followed by a wonderful version of a new tune called "Must Have That Man." This marked the first performance of the lovely singing star since she retired two years ago, and proved that she still has her finesse as a song stylist.

The pantomimery of Darlee Paulson moved into the spotlight next with Spike Jones' zany arrangements supplying the musical background for the act. The pretty brunet clowning her way through two numbers much to the delight of the audience.

Muzzy Marcellino followed with his interpretations of several tunes, including the current favorite "Walkin' My Baby Back Home."

Comedian Freddy Morgan provided the highlight of the presentation as the funnyman of the Spike Jones' TV show played and gagged his way through twenty-five minutes onstage. His virtuosity on the banjo was shown as he played "When Day Is Done," and "St. Louis Blues." The final touch to the act was provided in the person of Morgan's lovely daughter. The tall dancer whirled her way through two intricate routines.

The Mercers, dancing brothers of the Milton Berle Show, danced and joked their way through several routines to close the show. The brothers brought down the house with their act on the Hollywood politician.

Hank McCune, star of the show, appeared all through the production and kept things at a rapid pace with his sparkling personality and brilliant ad-libs.



SURPRISE PERFORMANCE—Beautiful Nona Morgan appeared in a surprise performance during the Hank McCune Show last Friday. The beautiful dancing star provided the final touch to Freddy Morgan's act, making it a father-daughter team. Miss Morgan did two intricate dance routines in a ninety minute show packed with top entertainment. (Signal Photo).

"Kapers" Seen By Large Crowd

Showman Kenny Kingdon brought his "Kapers" to Camp Roberts last Saturday and presented a well paced program before a standee crowd at Theater One.

Barbara Madrid's Spanish dance interpretations highlighted the show and completely captivated the audience. The dark haired dancer, who has just returned from a successful European tour, sparked the show with her lovely routines.

Old time vaudeville was brought back to life in the show through the efforts of Romano and Cone. Their smooth delivery and professional polish put over the act with accompanying cheers from the audience.

Glamorous Elaine Murphy's song stylings plus the "Rhythmettes," dancing darlings of television, were popular in the evening of entertainment.

Other top acts that contributed to the success of "Kapers" were dancing team Lois and Ed, ballroom dancing stars Betty and Sal, and the old Scotchman, comedian Scotty MacNeish.

Looks At Books

To understand the background of today's headlines, read "THE FUTURE OF AMERICAN POLITICS" by Samuel Lubell which is a general analysis of American politics of the Roosevelt Revolution and the Fair Deal. That the people of the great cities were numerous among the Roosevelt recruits is no news. Lubell pictures the drive to escape from the tenements to "nicer" neighborhoods. As each tenement contingent has taken a step toward the "urban frontier," it has been replaced by another. As the waves of metropolitan migration moved out toward the urban frontier they became middle-class in outlook. Their partisan loyalties remained Democratic but they became conservative. The radicals who had "arrived" became exponents of the established order. In the labor component of the new Democratic coalition a fundamentally similar course has been run. The dynamism of a movement of the lean and hungry has been replaced in large measure by a conservative anxiety that past gains must be retained.

If you are interested in medicine, don't miss "ADVENTURES IN TWO WORLDS" by A. J. Cronin which tells of the author's experiences in medicine and the writing of fiction. Each adventure is written with the fiction writer's flair for suspense and crisis; some, like the search for the cause of an epidemic of scarlet fever, are fine bits of detective story written as well, the more interesting because true. Here is the story of the grim battles with death in the mines, the successful practice in London, with its dampening of the idealism that had carried the young doctor through hardship and poverty in Scotch villages and the Welsh mining district.

So for good reading, visit your libraries.

Pentagon Captain Writes Hit Tunes In Spare Time

There's a captain in the Pentagon who's an extraordinary authority on a hit tune called "Blue Tango," which is currently sweeping the country. His name is Leroy Anderson. He wrote the tune.

Called back into uniform last August, Capt. Anderson has skyrocketed to become one of America's top songwriters. His "Blue Tango," selling into the millions, has been number one on the Hit Parade for months.

His other hits such as Syncopated Clock, Sleigh Ride, Fiddle Faddle, Plink Plank Plunk, Jazz Pizzicato and Serenata, have already found a durable spot in the American musical scene.

A specialist in instrumentals, Capt. Anderson cut his musical teeth as arranger for the Boston Pops Orchestra. There he acquired what he calls "insight" into the technique of orchestration and sound. From then on he slowly "felt his way along" until he was ready to begin serious composition.

A fondness for horses led Capt. Anderson into his first taste of Army life. He joined a New York National Guard outfit, the 101st Cavalry, rising from private to sergeant in the days before WWII. Then in 1942 he went on active duty, going to OCS and eventually being assigned to intelligence work, which he has been doing since he was recalled.

At 43, Capt. Anderson can look forward to a career that is just beginning to bear the fruits of years of labor. On his time off from Army duties he is at work on a concerto, and after release from active duty expects to do some work with the movies and musical comedy.

A Magna Cum Laude graduate from Harvard, where he also took an M. A. in music, Capt. Anderson is married and has two children. He sums up his phenomenal success in what might be good advice to all budding creative artists—"Just plain hard work."

"Heaven Can Wait"
The humor of one of the theater's greatest comedies will be presented at Theater One this Saturday evening when the talented Hollywood players of the San Francisco present "Heaven Can Wait" at 1930 hours.

The play, presented in three acts, ran on Broadway for more than two years.

Record Review

By Pvt. Jerry Litman
Here's a rundown on some current records.

In the popular field Chuy Reyes has come up with a nice selection of what is called "Piano Cocktails" (Capitol). Two new Victor selections are Frankie Carle's "Festival" and Vaughn Monroe's "Idaho State Fair."

CLASSICAL—Victor has released the complete "La Boheme" sung by Albanese and Pearce. Toscanini conducted the orchestra for these records. And Columbia has just brought out the symphonies of Beethoven and Brahms. Finally, fans of semi-classical music will enjoy Andre Kostelanets' rendition of Gershwin's "Cuban Overture" (Columbia).

SHOW TUNES—Direct from the soundtrack comes Gene Kelley singing "Singing in the Rain" for MGM records. Capitol offers "Circus Parade" featuring Marie Evans and the Ringling Bros. Barnum and Bailey band. This is a fine collection of circus tunes.

JAZZ—Some really fine jazz records have been made in the past few weeks. For instance, there's Columbia's three-volume edition of "The Big Band Story," containing some of Bix' finest work.

Officers Club Schedule

Thursday 17 July—Bingo 2:00 Hrs., Jack-Pot, Door Prize and Free Buffet.
Friday 18 July—Swimming Buffet 17:00-19:00 Hrs., at the pool.
Saturday 19 July—Open
Sunday 20 July—Tea Dance 1:00-1:00 Hrs.
Monday 21 July—Retired Officers' Night, Army-Navy-Air, Dinner, Movies.
Tuesday 22 July—Crying Hour, Drinks 1/2 price, 19:00-2:00 Hrs., Free Buffet, Dancing 2:00-5:00 Hrs.
Wednesday 23 July—2:00-5:00 Hrs.
Thursday 24 July—2:00-5:00 Hrs., Bingo

Three Libraries Offer New Books, Many Periodicals

The Camp Roberts Library System consists of three libraries, the Post Library (main library) and two branches, one in the Hospital area and the other located at East Garrison.

The purpose of the library is to provide reading material of an educational, informational, recreational, and reference nature.

To insure a uniform, well rounded selection of new books, twenty-five books selected in Washington are sent monthly to every Army Library. Additional books are purchased by the libraries on the post.

Best sellers, daily newspapers, popular magazines, reference books and a wide variety of non-fiction dealing with such subjects as history, psychology, sports, travel, military science, and music are available.

Professional trained librarians are available to supply reading guidance and to aid with reference work.

Comfortable chairs and sofas, reading lamps and attractive drapes provide a cheerful, friendly atmosphere.

The Post Library is open from 12:00 to 2:00 hours daily. The East Garrison Library is open Sundays 12:00-19:00, Thursdays and Saturdays 13:00-19:00, and Mondays and Tuesdays 08:00-17:00.

Roberts Soldier Here In Movie

When "Fearless Fagan," the MGM movie starring Keenan Wynn opens at the post theaters this week, many soldiers will recognize one of the players as private Ken Miller of the 7th Quartermaster Battalion.

Prior to donning the uniform of Uncle Sam, Pvt. Miller was under contract to MGM as a stock player. Also in his service days, he served as producer-writer-director of a successful musical revue entitled "Hit The Road," which ran for three months at the Music Box Theater in Hollywood.

Pvt. Miller's greetings caused his role in "Fearless Fagan" to be reduced from what was originally scheduled for him, but he still is seen in many scenes.

Currently Miller is directing the all-soldier production, "Basic Ballyhoo," which will be presented at the Paso Robles USO in the near future.



Fastest way to become a man about town is to run into a speeding train.

Then there was the airman who stepped up to the bar very optimistically and two hours later went away very misty optically.

A woman was suing the owner of a four-family flat. When the owner took the witness stand, the attorney began: "What is your occupation?" "I," answered the owner, "am a flat head."

A frog told his dinner companion: "I won't be able to do much talking tonight. I've got a man in my throat."

Many a resort visitor is going to learn from the mosquitoes that the best stings in life are free.

A couple of feuding cats were about to have a duel. "Shall we fight to the death," demanded one, "or just make it the best five lives out of nine?"

A bachelor is a man who didn't have a car when he was in college.

Sign painter's ad: "I made signs before I could talk."

Roberts Personnel Invited To Picnic

All Camp Roberts servicemen are invited to a picnic on Sunday, August 3, at Santa Barbara. There will be entertainment and refreshments under the auspices of the USO-NJWB. The group is asked to meet at the B'nai B'rith Community Center, 2112 Santa Barbara Street, Santa Barbara. This outing is free to servicemen and their families and begins at 13:00 hours.

Morgan And McCune Provide Laughs



COMEDY—Freddy Morgan and Hank McCune provide a comedy routine for the Hank McCune Comedy Show that appeared here last Friday. TV comedian McCune starred in the show of singing, dancing and clowning. Morgan, former banjo player for Spike Jones, was featured in a twenty-five minute act of clowning that highlighted the show. (Signal Photo).

SOLDIER'S FRIEND

Paso Robles USO Club Offers Many Activities

The facilities and services of the Paso Robles USO Club include many wide and varied features for the large number of military personnel, their families, and community visitors who use them.

During the past year, 1951-1952, approximately 10,000 persons visited the club each month. During that period, over 6,000 people took advantage of the musical instruments and music room. Six hundred made voice recordings. More than 1,000 visitors used handicraft and art equipment.

Recreational programs developed around archery, horseshoes, ping-pong, badminton and shuffle board provide many hours of pleasure to the servicemen away from home.

Over 2,400 people have checked packages at the club, and it is conservatively estimated that soldiers have written about 35,000 letters on USO stationery. The last figure is based on the actual amount of stationery ordered and used.

More than thirty different clubs and classes were conducted during the year involving around 8,000 persons. An average attendance of 200 people took part at the 100 dances held. Movies were provided twice weekly with a full club attendance.

Symbolic of the personal interest the club shows is the Japanese Army Wives Program which meets weekly. This program serves to make these wives more familiar with the American way of life. This group joins the Army Wives Club, numbering around 50 members, which meets every Wednesday for luncheon and table games besides other activities including picnics, outings, and ironing parties.

The USO has made its facilities available to community groups, when the club is not engaged by military personnel, for the fulfillment of its objective towards attaining the goal of a community centered USO. These facilities are loaned without charge.

All of these many services that the Paso Robles USO Club offers are made available by Community Chest allocations to the United Defense Fund.

Kiss Contest Finds No Winner

The Paso Robles USO regular Thursday night dance last week was held with an unusual feature. The director of the club, deciding that too much time is lost before the soldiers muster up enough courage to ask the junior hostesses to dance, provided each hostess with a number of candy kisses.

Each time a soldier danced, his partner gave him a kiss—a candy kiss. The man with the most kisses at the intermission was to get a prize. Unfortunately for the men, the kisses proved so good that they were eaten by intermission time. No winner for the contest could be announced.

Guest Houses Open For Camp Visitors

Two guest houses are available for visitors to Camp Roberts. Guest House 1, located near the main gate, is for females only.

Guest House 2, in the East Garrison is for the use of males and married couples only. The rates at either house are \$1 per day and there is a three day limit. However, an extension may be granted. Reservations are suggested. The phone number for Guest House 1 is 89, for Guest House 2 it is 1088.

Show Biz

STRICTLY A FAKE!

Veteran screen and stage actress Dorothy Lynn has chosen the Broadway brand of glamour over the Hollywood product. "Hollywood style sex appeal is all a fake. It has no mystery. It's too obvious. You know what the stars have for breakfast, who they're holding hands with, and what type of clothes they wear. There are no fan magazines in the theatre. You have what it takes or head for the exit. Sex appeal doesn't lie in the body but in the heart. Only a few movie queens like Greta Garbo and Gloria Swanson have that mysterious, compelling quality called personality. Some of today's young stars better stop depending upon 'cheesecake' and start developing personalities... or else!"

BRAWN OR PADDING?

Biceps—not clothes—make the man. This is the firm conviction of the California Swimsuit Manufacturers' Assn., which countered the annual "best dressed" lists with a selection of the nation's ten best male torsos. Brawny Marlon Brando heads the list, followed by: Alan Ladd, Tony Curtis, Gene Nelson, Burt Lancaster, Cornel Wilde, Kirk Douglas, Randolph Scott, Buddy Baer and Forrest Tucker.

Paso Robles USO

Thursday 17 July—8:00 P.M.—U.S.O. Dance. Refreshments served by Paso Robles Community Groups.
Friday 18 July—All Day—Badminton, Table Games.
Saturday 19 July—11:00 A.M.—Ye Olde Snack Bar Opens.
9:00 P.M.—Horseshoe Pitching, Archery.
8:00 P.M.—U.S.O. Dance. Refreshments served by Paso Robles Community Groups.
Sunday 20 July—10:00 A.M. to 12:00 Noon—Coffee and Donuts.
3:00 P.M. to 5:00 P.M.—Informal Dance Instruction. Sketching, Sing Songs.
8:00 P.M.—Movies, Refreshments.
Monday 21 July—8:00 P.M.—Voice Recording—Talk a Shuffleboard.
Tuesday 22 July—8:00 P.M.—Folk Dancing.
Wednesday 23 July—8:00 A.M.—Japanese Army Wives Meeting.
1:00 P.M.—Army Wives Luncheon. Activities—picnics, s.wings, etc.
8:00 P.M.—Bingo

Service Club No. 2

Thursday 17 July—19:00 Hrs.—Crafts
19:30 Hrs.—"What's My Line"
Quiz Show
Friday 18 July—19:00 Hrs.—Crafts
20:00 Hrs.—Auction Poker
Saturday 19 July—19:00 Hrs.—Music Hour
20:00 Hrs.—Free Movie
Sunday 20 July—19:00 Hrs.—Coffee Hour
19:30 Hrs.—Picnic at Atascadero Lake
1:00 Hrs.—Horse Racing
19:30 Hrs.—Whoopie Party
Monday 21 July—19:00 Hrs.—Crafts
20:00 Hrs.—Square Dance Instruction, Game Night
Tuesday 22 July—19:00 Hrs.—Crafts
20:00 Hrs.—Tournament Night
Wednesday 23 July—19:00 Hrs.—Crafts
20:00 Hrs.—Bingo

San Miguel USO

Thursday 17 July—7:30 P.M.—Service Wives Luncheon.
7:30 P.M.—Club Contests Night.
Cool Ping-Pong, Shuffleboard, Badminton, Volley Ball.
Friday 18 July—8:00 P.M.—Small Games Night.
Coffee and Cake.
Saturday 19 July—11:00 P.M.—Snack Bar Opens.
Voice Records Made.
Sunday 20 July—10:30 P.M.—Refreshments.
Monday 21 July—11:00 A.M.—After Church Coffee.
Letter Writing Time, Voice Records.
Tuesday 22 July—1:00 P.M.—Snack Bar Opens.
3:30 P.M.—Smorgasbord Supper.
5:30 P.M.—Feature Movie Program.
Saturday 23 July—11:00 P.M.—Records-Music.
Amateur Games.
Sunday 24 July—11:00 A.M.—Coffee and Cake.
1:00 P.M.—Movie.
Tuesday 26 July—Card Game Night.
Wednesday 27 July—Card Game Night.
Thursday 28 July—Card Game Night.
Friday 29 July—Card Game Night.
Saturday 30 July—Card Game Night.
Sunday 31 July—Card Game Night.

The Local Cinema

Theaters No. 1 and 3

Thursday 17 July
THE STORY OF ROBIN HOOD
Technicolor
Richard Todd-Joan Rice
Friday 18 July
SHOW BOAT
Technicolor
Ava Gardner-Howard Keel-Kathryn Grayson
Saturday 19 July
FEARLESS FAGAN
Janet Leigh-Keenan Wynn
Sunday 20 July and Monday 21 July
THE MERRY WIDOW
Technicolor
Lana Turner-Fernando Lamas
Tuesday 22 July
LAST TRAIN FROM BOMBAY
Jon Hall-Lisa Ferraday
Wednesday 23 July
DON'T BOTHER TO KNOCK
Richard Widmark-Marilyn Monroe

Theater No. 2

Thursday 17 July
THE WORLD IN HIS ARMS
Technicolor
Gregory Peck-Ann Blyth
Friday 18 July
WE'RE NOT MARRIED
Ginger Rogers-Fred Allen-Paul Douglas-Eddie Bracken
Saturday 19 July
TO THE SHORES OF TRIPOLI
Technicolor
Randolph Scott-John Payne-Maureen O'Hara
Sunday 20 July
THE STORY OF ROBIN HOOD
Technicolor
Richard Todd-Joan Rice
Monday 21 July
SHOW BOAT
Technicolor
Ava Gardner-Howard Keel-Kathryn Grayson
Tuesday 22 July
FEARLESS FAGAN
Janet Leigh-Keenan Wynn
Wednesday 23 July
THE MERRY WIDOW
Technicolor
Lana Turner-Fernando Lamas

Theater No. 4

Thursday 17 July
CRIPPLE CREEK
Technicolor
George Montgomery-Jerome Courtland
Friday 18 July and Saturday 19 July
THE WORLD IN HIS ARMS
Technicolor
Gregory Peck-Ann Blyth
Sunday 20 July
WE'RE NOT MARRIED
Ginger Rogers-Fred Allen-Paul Douglas-Eddie Bracken
Monday 21 July
TO THE SHORES OF TRIPOLI
Technicolor
Randolph Scott-John Payne-Maureen O'Hara
Tuesday 22 July
THE STORY OF ROBIN HOOD
Technicolor
Richard Todd-Joan Rice
Wednesday 23 July
SHOW BOAT
Technicolor
Ava Gardner-Howard Keel-Kathryn Grayson

Safety Thought

Scenery can be taken in small doses from a moving car; but if you want to drink deeply of nature's beauty, pull off the road and stop.

Service Club No. 1

Thursday 17 July—7:30 P.M.—Service Wives Luncheon.
7:30 P.M.—Club Contests Night.
Cool Ping-Pong, Shuffleboard, Badminton, Volley Ball.
Friday 18 July—8:00 P.M.—Small Games Night.
Coffee and Cake.
Saturday 19 July—11:00 P.M.—Snack Bar Opens.
Voice Records Made.
Sunday 20 July—10:30 P.M.—Refreshments.
Monday 21 July—11:00 A.M.—After Church Coffee.
Letter Writing Time, Voice Records.
Tuesday 22 July—1:00 P.M.—Snack Bar Opens.
3:30 P.M.—Smorgasbord Supper.
5:30 P.M.—Feature Movie Program.
Saturday 23 July—11:00 P.M.—Records-Music.
Amateur Games.
Sunday 24 July—11:00 A.M.—Coffee and Cake.
1:00 P.M.—Movie.
Tuesday 26 July—Card Game Night.
Wednesday 27 July—Card Game Night.
Thursday 28 July—Card Game Night.
Friday 29 July—Card Game Night.
Saturday 30 July—Card Game Night.
Sunday 31 July—Card Game Night.

Mark Notes

RELATIONS TO:
Mrs. Donald Roland, 7 1/2 ounces.
Mrs. Roy Herbert, 7 July, 8 ounces.
Mrs. Dwight Thierolf, 7 ounces.
Mrs. Ramer Copeland, 8 1/2 ounces.
Mrs. Anthony Bruno, 10 ounces.
Mrs. Harlan Sole, 12 1/2 ounces.
Mrs. Webb Jones, 14 1/2 ounces.