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es C. Krulak talked enlisted about what our future.

Explaining the finan-United States. He world trade will be year 2000 and how he Marine Corps in

ing was brought into play rine Corps is looking at how the Marines train as compared to the other branches of the armed forces. The Commandant pointed out that the Marine Corps will be receiving more money for the next fiscal year and there will be many new projects beginning to improve the quality of life for the Marines. One example is the renovations that are going to begin on base housing.

Also, thoughts about the new Tri-Care medical program were brought to attention. The commandant said that there are many issues with the Iks of quality train-lks of quality train-

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> General Charles C. Krulak Commandant of the Marine Corps

cess of being worked out. In the near today - not because of what we future there will be simpler ways handle the medical problems that face know we are, or what we know we service members and their families Then he spoke of what the Ma-

rine Corps was about. He repeated a quote from his father when he was asked what the Marine Corps is today. "We exist today — we flourish reliant stable citizens — citizens into

can do, but because of what the grass roots of our country believes we are and believes we can do... The Ameri-can people believe that Marines are down right good for the country that the Marines are masters of a form of unfailing alchemy which converts

safely be entrusted and likewise should the people ever lose that conwe as a result of our failure to meet their high — almost spiritual — standards, the Marine Corps will quickly disappear.

This simply means that the nation needs a force in readiness to handle world wide situations that occur from time to time. If that need ever disap-pears the Marine Corps will be terminated

This gave a feeling of intensity in the air which all Marines felt.

Some other subjects included the operation tempo that has been fast paced for some time now. He spoke ington D.C. to try and ease that.

The subject of promotion, which all Marines are interested in, was a topic that the Commandant also put on the floor by dismissing some rumors. One was the rumor affecting the rank of major in the Corps. Apparently he had overheard people talking that if someone is passed over twice for lieutenant colonel they would be discharged. He stated that when someone makes the rank of major they will be guaranteed 20 years of service. To finish, the Com-mandant and the Sergeant Major stayed for an hour after the presentation to answer whatever quarties the Ma answer whatever questions the Marines had for them.

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ON — The DoD Inspector General's Office is lookdeaths not related to combat or terronstri-Defense William S. Cohen directed the study in ine 12 letter from Massachusetts Sen. John F. concern about peacetime deaths in the military, man Ken Bacon said Aug. 7. one accidental death is one too many, and the vas appropriate to look into this," Bacon said,

ts to get a handle on how bad the problem is, d the inspector general and others to look into s. You can never do enough to stop accidental irn out that there are a few more things we can

t accidental deaths followed a series of articles, ties of Peace: Deaths in the Military," published - See DEATHS/10A

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ON - Defense officials are reviewing DoD's

exuals in the military. direction of Fred Pang, principal deputy of defense for personnel and readiness, officials vo major policy elements, Pentagon spokesman here Aug. 8.

nent is the number of people discharged every y've either announced they are homosexuals or discovered they are homosexuals, Bacon said. risen over the last several years, and we want to

art of the study is looking at specific charges vicemembers Legal Defense Network and other ppropriate investigations, Bacon said. "We want se allegations are correct or not."

al is to determine if the "don't ask, don't tell, don't clearly understood by enlisted members and officy commanders — and whether it's being consist inforced throughout the military, Bacon said.

Partnership for Peace

Nations work to fight drug war

LCpl. Kurt M. Smay

A two-week multi-national counterdrug exercise hosted by the Standing Joint Task Force of Marine Forces Atlantic will conclude here tomorrow. The exercise, Fuerzas Unidas Contradrogas 97,

involved ten countries, including Bolivia, Colom-bia, Ecuador, Peru, Panama, Venezuela, and the United States. Argentina, Brazil and Chile all ob-served the exercise. The name translates to United

Forces Counterdrug 97. With drug trafficking remaining an ever danger-ous threat around the world, it is important that we keep searching for better ways to fight it. This is especially true for some of the Latin American coun-tries where they haif a illeard done trade tries where they battle illegal drug trade. The exercise included political, military and law

enforcement agencies from the countries involved. The exercise was designed to build an understanding of each nation's drug control strategy, but was not a training session for any specific operation. The goal was to better coordinate the combined drug control strategies of the countries. Working together should improve the effectiveness of each countries fight against the illegal drug trade. "We're learning things that will help us be better prepared," said Col. Peter Grimes, the director of

the Joint Visitors Bureau for the exercise. He added that understanding the other countries agencies and policies will enhance America's ability to help combat drug trafficking. "You can't possibly hope to have any progress

or understanding of an issue without coordination, said Grimes

During the first week of the exercise the partici-pants received training on computer equipment that was used during the exercise. The second week included a three day simulation in which the participants reacted to various scenarios to generate dis-

cussion and decision making. The exercise will improve cooperation in regional detection and tracking, aircraft emergency diver-sions, joint search and rescue operations and exchange of timely information. All of this will en-hance the ability to combat illegal drug trade, as well as improve overall counterdrug an contraband techniques.

The exercise is also expected to improve the way that regional civilian agencies work with the military



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during the opening ceremony for phase II of Cooperative Osprey '97, a Partnership for Peace Program ise designed to strengthen the bond between participating partner countries. The program enables all countries to learn about how each operates in peacekeeping and humanitarian operations.

Commandant of the Marine Corps, Gen. Charles C. Krulak, welcomed the participating countries

four phase plan. A similar exercise is scheduled for

Exercise strengthens bond in Partnership for Peace

Sgt. J. J. Rodriguez lobe stal

Sixteen Partnership for Peace nations and five North Atlantic Treaty Organization nations came together July 28 - Aug. 8 to conduct Cooperative Osprey, an exercise designed to establish good relations and commu-nications between countries.

The Partnership for Peace Pro-gram, established in 1994, offers a means for ex-Warsaw Pact and ex-Soviet republics to affiliate themselves with NATO. The program centers on military cooperation and con sultation as an interim step to NATO membership.

Participating Partnership for Peace Program nations were: Albania, Azerbaijan, Austria, Lithuania, Hun-

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Moldova, Poland, Latvia, Bulgaria, Kazakhstan, Kyrgyzstan, Geor-gia, Belarus, Czech Republik, Romania and Ukraine. The five NATO naons were: the United States, Canada, Turkey, Denmark and France

The exercise, planned and ex-ecuted by U. S. Marine Forces Atlan-tic, was focused on the staff level this year with a computer simulated Command Post Exercise. Last year's evolution involved more than 700 troops A larger scale exercise is conducted every other year, alternating with Cooperative Nugget, the Army's equivalent to Cooperative Osprey

The exercise was built on a plan/ model based on education, training and execution, according to Lt. Col. Thomas L. Cariker, of MarForLant's

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Phase I, conducted at Norfolk, Va., familiarized participants in the planning process and was hosted by the Expeditionary Warfare Training Group Atlantic, headed by Col. Neil

Fox, group commanding officer. "The capstone of phase I was the practical application planning using the actual operations order used in phase II," said Cariker. "That familiarized the people with task organization of the simulated nation we open ated in, and the actual concept of operations course of actions." Phase II, a simulated Command

Post Exercise conducted here by 2d Marine Regiment, headed by Col. Gordon C. Nash, 2d Marines commander, divided the partner officers (two from each participating nation)

peace keeping scenario in the fictitious island nation of Bashoe off the coast of Africa. The nation was having internal turmoil and NAFO was requested to come down to maintain

Staff Sgt. Micheal T. Huff

The first group worked at the Combined Joint Task Force headquarters for ground, air and service support elements. There, the partners weren't just observers. They participated and helped out in the tion managing forces from 2d Tank Battalion as the nucleus of the ground element, 8th Engineer Sup-port Battalion, 2d Force Service Support Group as the service support el-ement and 2d Marine Air Wing as the air element.

See OSPREY/10A



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Colonel Dalel Buhatyn, from Kavakstan and Maj. Preston are interviewed about the exercise

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It was 53 years ago when

Promotions to PFC from boot camp are discontinued

Promotions directly from boot camp to the rank of private first class have been ordered discontinued in a letter of instruction from Marine Corps Commandant Lt. Gen. Alexander A. Vandegrift, it has just been announced.

Old timers have long contended that such pro-motions of "boots" was not according to the traditions of the Marine Corps. Vandegrift's letter of instruction discontinuing

promotions directly from boot camp now authorizes ommanding officers to promote privates to the rank of PFC on the following basis:

a) 45 percent of the combined total of privates in authorized allowance of the command, except for organized Marine detachments of Naval vessels.

b) All privates having six months or more of satisfactory service in addition to (a). c) One hundred percent of the combined totals

of privates first class and privates in the authorized allowance of organized Marine detachments of Naval vessels

The Globe, March 15

All discharged Marines to wear insignia on sleeve

All discharged Marines, who are permitted to retain uniforms, will be required to wear a distinctive mark on the right sleeve of clothing, it was an-nounced by Lt. Gen. A. A. Vandegrift, Commandant

The distinctive mark, prescribed by the Secretary of the Navy, is a diamond figure three and one half inches long in the vertical axis and two inches and two inches long in the horizontal axis. Made of any cloth material, white distinctive marks will be worn on blue, forest green, khaki clothing, and blue will be worn on white clothing.

The order pointed out that the figure should be worn on the right sleeve at the point of this shoulder, and the upper point of the diamond is to be one --- quarter of an inch below the shoulder seam

Commanding officers will issue the insignia, and Marines will affix them to their uniforms at or immediately prior, to their discharge

The Globe, April 19

Gen. Holcomb presented Distinguished Service Medal

Secretary of the Navy Frank Knox today presented Gen. Thomas Holcomb, U.S. Marine Corps, 46, with the Distinguished Service Medal bestowed upon him by the President of the United States for his accomplishments as Commandant of the United States Marine Corps from December, 1936, to Jan. 1, 1944, when he was retired from active duty. A special Act of Congress authorized the award.

Holeomb, recently appointed Minister to the Union of South Africa, was born in Newcastle, Del., He and his wife, Beatrice, have their home at St. Mary's, Md.

The Globe, April 19

2nd Lt. Sze, the first Asian to get Marine Commission

The first Asian to be commissioned in the Marine Corps, 2nd Lt. Wilbur Carl Sze, reported for elec-tronics duty at the Signal Battalion this week. Commissioned in January, one month before receiving a degree in electric engineering at George Washington University. Sze completed an eight-week officer indoctrination course at Quantico before coming here

The son of a physician, Sze was born in Wash-

5 **RINE MAIL:** Is it possible to se military personnel files by other metho

The following Marine Mail was submitted by MSgt. Frank Aleman, Marine Corps Air Ground Combat Center, Twentynine Palms, Calif .: Sir.

I recently requested and received a microfiche copy of my Official Military Personnel File. The problem here is that with today's technology, microfiche viewers with print capability are becoming obsolete, it is becoming more and more difficult to find a microfiche viewer where you can spend time (pri-vately) looking over your OMPF, and make a copy of it.

Recommendation: That when a Marine requests their OMPF it be sent to them on 3 1/2-inch diskette. A double-sided box of high-density diskettes is \$4.42 at Division Service Support Center that comes to 44 cents per disk. You would be able to get everything on one disk instead of multiple microfiche, and it would be

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General Smedley D. Butler and

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most of America's foreign military ex-

Nicaragua, Mexico, Haiti, France (AEF), and finally China again in the late 1920s.

charge of Philadelphia's city police in a notable push for militarization in the

1920s. He was also the leading national

some of the boldest peacetime military

intrusion ever into domestic American life, he launched annual Marine expe-

ditionary maneuvers from Quantico

into surrounding states culminating in football games and popular on-site Civil

scinded court-martial and premature re-tirement in 1931, he dramatically re-

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and prestige to various dissident and

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Butler also achieved fame for taking

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Military History

by Hans Schmidt

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easier to read. The files can also be cop-ied as a AmiPro document or an ASCII text file. You can also have the Marine send a blank formatted disk with their re-

The other way this can be done is by e-mailing the Marine making the request or by sending them a hard copy. I realize that this would not be an easy

fix and it will take some time for this to come about. With the technology of tomorrow, there will not be any more microfiche and everything we read and write

MSgt. Aleman

The following response was provided by Col. Robert M. Flanagan, director, Personnel Management Division, HQMC: The Marine Corps is currently in the process of converting the Official Mili-tary Personnel File from a microfiche for-

will be electronic.

Commandant's Reading List

mat to an optical digital image media for

storage at the personnel management support branch. However, the immediate plan of supporting OMPF requests is to still print the OMPF to microfiche unless a Marine is present to view them at the support branch.

Although the concept of providing records on floppy diskettes seems reasonable, a number of technical issues cur-rently prevent us from providing the OMPF to customers in a digital platform. The average file size of an entire

OMPF would require more than eight high-density floppy diskettes, even in a compressed format. The image is not viewable in an ASCII format, but must be displayed using a tagged image format protocol. The monitor resolution for proper viewing must be at least 1640 x

1200 dpi. Additionally, the concept of transmit-ting data via e-mail is feasible, however, images require a larger pipeline and would

consume too much ti width, and resources, mit. Over time, these solved and such an ap be considered.

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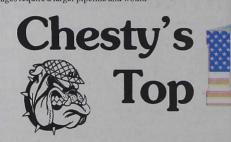
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- 1915-1917 ? What position was created as the result of the creation of boot
- What famous slogan would become synonymous with the Marine
- 5) True or False: Attempts to send Marines to trenches during WV
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- What was the motive behind deploying Marines to the Caribb 7)
- 8) How did Marines collect enemy weapons from the Panamania eration Just Cause"?
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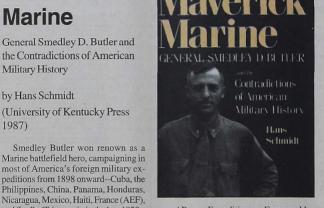
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erans' Bonus Expeditionary Force and labor union insurgency. He was a major spokesman for the League Against War and Fascism and the prominent leader of the veterans' antiwar movement in the 1930s.

advocate for paramilitary police reform analogous to Marine pacification in the orful life, Hans Schmidt presents a politi-cal and social history of American military Caribbean and Central America. In exploits in the Caribbean, Central America, and the Far East--many of them analogous to recent events in these regions. Basing his work on extensive archival and oral history sources, Schmidt also enlarges our Butler's post-military career is as fascinating as his military. After a re-

of a fascinating individual whose life and

career epitomize the contradictory nature of American military policy through the first third of this century.

PROFILE: COURAGE IN THE CORPS

Korean Veterans share their legacy

MARINE CORPS BASE, Camp Pendleton, Calif. - The wisdom of the "Old Corps" was passed on to the "New Corps" recently during a fireside chat at the 25 Area Combat Town.

Marines from Company B, Infantry Training Battalion, School of Infantry, gathered around members of The Chosin Few to hear some sea stories and get some firsthand information on combat.

Korean War veterans Clyde Queen, Howard Mason, Fritz Heistermann, Robert Winders, and Frank Torres spoke of their experiences in combat and related their thoughts and feelings as young Marines going to war.

The Chosin Few take their name from the battle of Chosin Reservoir during the Korean War. The Marines were surrounded by eight Chinese divisions but managed to fight their way to the sea where they

Heistermann managed to draw his pistol and shoot his foe in the face. "I can still hear the click his rifle made when he fired at me," Heistermann said.

Tired and wounded, Heistermann played dead as other Chinese soldiers moved through the area. The next day, one of his

friends saw his body and took him to safety. "We never leave Marines behind," he I. "If we did, I'd be dead."

Torres, a retired gunnery sergeant, recalled his master sergeant crying when he

told Marines in his unit they were shipping out for Korea.

'He knew some of us wouldn't be coming back," Torres said.

After the gray and weathered warriors shared their stories and showed off some vintage weapons they brought with them, the young Marines had a chance to ask quesmeet their pre

9) In addition to recounting Butler's col-

understanding of the American military subculture and of military-civilian politics. But first and foremost, this is the story Uinb bano.

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gton 29 years ago. His father also graduated from George Washington University and practiced medicine for five years in the United States before re-

Young Sze went to schools in Shanghai until he was 15, when he returned to America to attend Satunton Military Academy in Virginia

The Globe, April 26

2,000th family moves into Midway Park, Marine City

In addition to its claim of being a community of war Marine's Midway Park today boasted its 2,000th family since opening for occupancy in March,

The settlement of Marine staff noncommissioned officers, civilian employees and their dependents is now populated by more than 3,000 people.

Almost every conceivable story behind family life in wartime can be found among its residents. Couples married since the Pearl Harbor attack, and others who were united in a peaceful civilian life before Dec. 7, 1941, are happily housed. *The Globe*, May 3 rescued.

The stories ranged from touching to frightening. Heistermann told of his duty as a forward observer in Korea. While manning a listening post, he was discovered by a Chinese soldier. The soldier attempted to shoot him, but his rifle jammed.

After being severely wounded in handto-hand combat with the soldier,

"It makes me feel proud, knowing that we're walking in the same footsteps these guys did. It keeps me going," Pvt. Gary Marr, heavy machine-gun student, said. The "fireside chat" has been an integral

part of ITB training. "It helps emphasize the importance of the training by hearing how it has been applied," said Sgt. Maj. Manny Raices, battalion sergeant major.

LCpl. Matt Hagerman



Matt Hane

Marines listen to the wisdom of the "Old Corps" at MCB, Camp Pendleton, Calif.

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Does your unit rec "Marines" magazir

WASHINGTON "Marines' magazine is the official magazine of the Marine Corps and is authorized for distribution at the rate of one copy per five Marines, both active duty and reserve. If every unit re-ceived the magazine, monthly distribution would be approximately 43,000 copies.

Unfortunately, many units have let their subscriptions lapse, or have never subscribed. Last month, the total distribution was only 23,000

Ordering the official magazine of the Marine Corps is easy, but com-manders must take the first step. Marine Corps activities can order "MA-RINES" magazine, or change the RINES" magazine, or change the quantity they currently receive, by

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DoD holds Worldwide **Education Symposium**

MARINE CORPS LOGISTICS BASE AIbany, Ga.—The Department of Defense held its tri-annual Worldwide Education Symposium in St.

In-annual workware Education Symposium in St. Louis, recently. Some of the Marine Corps education programs and issues that were discussed included the Sailor/ Marine American Council on Education Registry Transcript and the Military Academic Credit Ex-amination. Changes to the Tuition Assistance pro-

amination. Changes to the Tuition Assistance pro-gram were also discussed. "The SMART program is going to provide a transcript for all of the military member's academic experiences," said Albany Education Officer Gun-nery Sgt. Ramon Serrato, after attending the four-day conference. "Any military training a Marine receives will be automatically registered as col-lege credits." lege credits.

An information booklet, "Marine Corps Off-Duty Voluntary Education Program Strategic Plan," states that Navy and Marine Corps person-nel do not have an academically acceptable document certifying military training and education for college credit.

With the help of the American Council on Education, the Navy and Marine Corps are develop-ing an education transcript to document all military education and training. Because this transcript will be endorsed by the ACE it may be submitted directly to a college or university for credit. Cur-rently, Marines must fill out a form and submit it to be awarded credits for military training. The program will also allow storage of a

Marine academic history on network computers. Marine's academic fusion on network computers. When Marines transfer, their transcripts will al-ready be available at the new duty station. The SMART project is currently in its imple-mentation stage and is scheduled to be completed by the end of this calendar year. "MACE will provide a vehicle for Marines to receive academic circli at colleges and universi-

receive academic credit at colleges and universi-ties for their military training, school training, and for experience on the job as they are promoted through the ranks," said Serrato. LCpl. Clark Carpenter

Squadron 312 named **Fighter Squadron** of the Year

MCAS, BEAUFORT, S.C. - Marine Fighter Attack Squadron-312, based at the Air Station, was named by the Marine Corps Aviation Association recently as 1997's Marine Fighter/Attack Squadron of the Year VMFA-312's Checkerboards have now won the

prestigious Robert M. Hanson Award three times in the 1990s, having earlier captured it in 1993 and 1994

Last week's announcement capped off an al-

ready exceptional previous week for '312. On July 17 the squadron was presented an aviation safety award for achieving 40,000 hours of class A, mishap-free flying. A class A mishap is one resulting in a loss of life or more than \$1 million in aircraft damage. Major Gen. Michael D. Ryan, commanding gen-eral of the 2nd Marine Aircraft Wing, presented the status and the second second

safety award in a ceremony at the squadron hangar award covered nine years and 35,000 sorties

Meanwhile, the Checkerboards will receive their Fighter/Attack Squadron of the Year Award Sept. 25-28 during the Marine Corps Aviation Association's annual reunion/symposium at Marine Corps Air Sta-tion Cherry Point, N.C.

Lieutenant Col. Randolph D. Alles, '312's com-manding officer, praised his Marines for their actions that earned the awards

"It wasn't an individual effort. It wasn't a star effort. It was a bunch of Marines working together as a cohesive team and a cohesive unit, Alles said.

This quality of work, said Ryan in his safety award presentation, demonstrated the Checkerboards' determination to always keep safety as the top priority. Cpl. Raymond A. Szpara

Bronze Star awarded 46 years after actions

MCRD, SAN DIEGO - A Marine's heroic actions and commitment to duty were recognized 46 years later as PFC Ronald A. Clark received the Bronze Star Medal recently in a morning colors ceremony. Clark was presented the award for his heroic achieve-

ment in connection with combat operations against the North Korean Army while serving as a machinegun ammunition carrier, Company C, 1st Battalion, 5th Marines June 2, 1951.

Clark's rifle platoon lost it's platoon leader and platon sergeant and all three squad leaders were wounded in the last 600 yards of a bayonet assault to the crest of Hill 610. Seven Marines reached the crest, but ran out of ammunition and were faced with a detormined construction between the last of the second determined counterattack by a force of 20 or more burp gunners coming up the reverse slope. At the order of his section leader, Clark exposed himself to enemy fire, ran down the hill to obtain a can of ammunition, and brought it up the hill to the single remaining light machine gun, inserting the belt just in time to repel the enemy assault at a range of less then 50 yards. For his courage under fire, Clark was

awarded the Bronze Star Medal. According to Clark, the presentation of the award was delayed due to inaccurate documentation of the battle. Extensive research was done to uncover the true events that took place on that hill in 1951 and it was

discovered that Clark was a hero. Clark said the award is something he didn't earn by himself. If it hadn't been for all the men on that hill with him, he would have never had the protection and courage to retrieve the ammunition.

"I feel grateful for everyone who made this possible, especially all the Marines who lost their lives that day, said Clark

Cpl. Britt McCourt

Montford Pt. Marines honored recently during Sunset parade

MARINE BARRACKS, Washington -Members of the Montford Point Marine Association recently were honored during a Sun-set Parade at the Marine Corps War Memo-

rial in Arlington, Va. Montford Point was an all-black Marine Corps training site established at Camp Le-jeune, N.C., in 1942. It was the only training site for black Marines until the Armed Forces were integrated in 1949. More than 20,000 black Marines were trained during that time and many of them went on to serve in World War II campaigns on Saipan, Guam, and Iwo Jima, as well as the Korean and Vietnam

wars. "This is beyond my wildest dreams," said Gene Doughty, who went to Montford Point in 1943. "I'm really privileged to be part of the group being honored."

Several members of the association explained that, although they are proud of their history, it was difficult in the beginning. They were faced with segregation in the civilian community around Montford Point, with their white counterparts in the military, and on the battlefield.

"We had no place to go outside of the ap," said Joseph Montgomery, who trained at Montford Point in 1944. "We had a small black community at the time, and the only

off-base eating place for us was in that

According to a television documentary that aired in March, "Black Marines were trained primarily to man supply and weap-ons depots, or act as stewards for white officers. They were not prepared for combat roles and were barred from com positions over whites."

During World War II, however, many black Marines "were thrown, unprepared but willingly, into combat." The Montford Point Marine Associa-

tion, founded in 1965, works to further "friendships as Marines through the sharing of experiences and accomplishments to ensure more peaceful times." The or-ganization also volunteers in community projects such as the Young Marines Pro-gram, which helps instill Marine Corps ideals and leadership values in America"s ideals and leadership values in America's youth

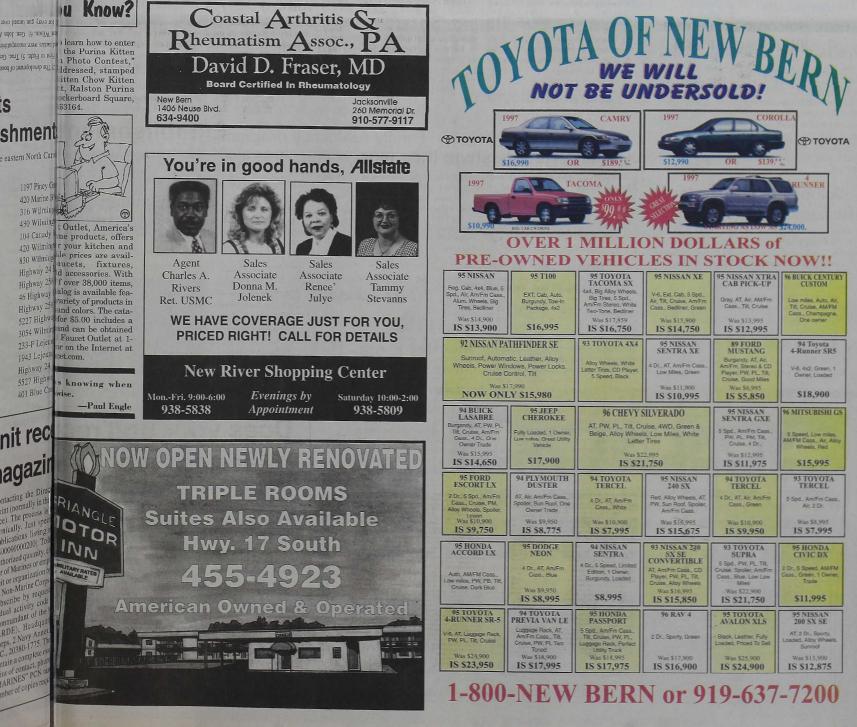
'I'm very proud," said Montgomery, "because at the time when I went through, there was that feeling that we were not wanted. Most of us still felt that they weren't going to run us out, and we wanted to make a name for ourselves."

Cpl. Pauline L. Render



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Samuel F. Saxton, national president of the Montford Point Marine Association, and his wife (4th and 5th from left) and fellow members of the association meet with the Marine Corps Silent Drill Platoon before a Sunset Parade at the Marine Corps War Memorial in Arlington, Va



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Tarawa Terrace Community Festival

Tarawa Terrace Community Center will hold a community festival Aug. 16. Bring your family, meet members of your community and have a family fun day! It will run from 11 a.m.-3 p.m. Check out the games, food and entertainment. For more information, call 451-2253.

MWR Events

French Creek receives in-

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in-room phone service to the French Creek area of Camp

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Marine Corps life

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Phone service will be available as follows for the fol-

9 a.m-2 p.m.

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Law of War Class

conducting a Law of War Seminar Aug. 18-22 at the Offic

The Marine Corps University will be at Camp Lejeune

The course is geared toward officers in operational

For more information contact Lt. Col. J. W. Bearor at

billets and will cover topics ranging from rules of en-

Greenway closure

Wallace Creek Greenway is temporarily closed due to logging operations to control pine bark beetles. It is antici-

Marine Corps Family Team

Building a program for

Marine spouses

program is up and running at Camp Lejeune and New

River. It is in a newly developed program designed to

introduce, demystify and assist Marine spouses as they

All classes are taught by volunteer Marine Corps

spouses and this mentoring style approach is the key to

fostering the community atmosphere and sense of spou-

If you would like to enroll in a LINKS workshop or

volunteer in the MCFTB program (volunteers are needed

in a variety of areas i.e. administrative, mentoring, child

care, decorating, etc.), please call 451-5353. An answering machine is available 24 hours a day. Registration forms

are also available at the commissary, 7-Day Store, all base

MCFTB is located in Bldg. TT2471 at Tarawa Terrace

chapels and Family Service Center.

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The Marine Corps Family Team Building (MCFTB)

pated the Greenway will reopen by the end of August.

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gagement to handling prisoners of war

ages 6-10 years old. Ages 11-14 years old are invited 520, 525, 530 today. Please call 1-800-893-2018 to sign up for in-room phone service or stop by the AT&T Ser-5-9:30 p.m. vice Center, located on Louis Road, behind the Main Post Office freshments and a free drawing.

Hey kids, its a party!

The new Stone Street Youth Pavilion will hold a Homecoming Party & Dance today from 5-9 p.m. for

Briets

Marine Embassy Guard Association seeks former and active members

The Marine Embassy Guard Association is currently looking for all former and active MSGs to join their association. The association has been formed to foster fraternal relations among active and former Marine Security Guards that have served honorably on MSG duty with Department of State.

All past and present MSGs and MSG Battalion staff are eligible for membership. For more information, check out our web site: www.geocities.com/SouthBeach/1289/ GUARD1.HTM or you may request a complete membership package by writing to:

Marine Embassy Guard Association 568 Aaron Ct.

Clifton, Co. 81520

Marine Corps University Reps to visit Base and MCAS

Representatives from Marine Corps University's College of Continuing Education will be present Aug. 20 from 9-11 a.m. and 1-3 p.m. at Bldg. 1 in the Commanding General's Briefing Room and Aug. 21 at the New River Air Station's Officer's Club.

Continuing education representatives will be available to all Captain selectees through Major to discuss enhancements to the Command and Staff College and Amphibious Warfare School distance education programs. Camp Lejeune will be a Marine University satellite campus to provide Distance Education Professional Military Education courses

For additional information, call 451-3091 or 451-6623 for the Air Station schedule.

American Red Cross holds blood drive

The American Red Cross will be holding blood drives at Camp Lejeune from Sept. 4 until Dec. 8. The schedule and locations are

Marston Pavilion	Sept. 4	10 a.m3 p.m
Camp Johnson	Oct. 1	noon-6 p.m.

Prepare for a postal career

The Family Service Center will be conducting a Mock Postal Exam Workshop Aug. 20 from 9 a.m.-noon at the FSC, Bldg. 14.

This workshop will cover what to expect on the exam, effective time management skills during the test, common mistakes to avoid and a strategy for the memory test section.

To register, call 451-5340, ext. 100/101. Childcare will be provided by calling 451-2874 in advance.

Volunteers needed for **Hispanic Heritage Month**

Hispanic Heritage Month is Sept. 15-Oct. 15 every year. This year's celebration at Camp Lejeune will be Sept. 20 from 2-8 p.m. at Goettge Memorial Field House.

Volunteers are needed from each Hispanic country to participate in the booth competition in which the country with the best displays are presented with prizes.

If you would like to work on the booth from your ountry, or you have items to display, call MSgt. Sue McLaughlin at 451-8117.

Make the right move

The FSC is presenting a Making the Right Move Seminar Aug. 20 from 9 a.m.-noon in the FSC classroom, Bldg.

14. Reservations are required and may be made by calling 451-3212, ext. 100/101. Childcare will be provided by calling 451-2874 in advance

Federal employment workshop

The FSC is conducting an Understanding and Entering the Federal System Workshop from 1-4 p.m. Aug. 19 at the FSC, Bldg. 14.

The workshop covers the Federal employment application, testing, how federal jobs are classified, how the federal hiring system works, entry level jobs for college graduates, benefits, and Veterans Readjustment Act.

To register, call 451-3212, ext. 100/101 Child care is provided by calling 451-2874 in advance

Volunteer Victim Advocates needed

Volunteer Victim Advocates are needed to be oncall nights and weekends for the rapidly growing Camp Lejeune Domestic Violence Prevention Program

Training is scheduled Aug. 19 and 20 from 6-8:30 p.m. at Bldg, 41 Call 451-2876/2864 to register for the training and to be a volunteer victim advocate.

Upcoming LINKS workshops are scheduled for October. In-house child care is provided free of charge during LINK sessions. For more information and/or to register,

please call 451-5353.

Apply now for school meal benefits

Camp Lejeune Dependents School are currently accepting applications for Free and Reduced Price Meal Benefits for School Year 1997-98.

Applications were distributed during preregistration for returning students and for new students, however many families have not turned in their application according to Jan Holt, director of School Food Services

Families applying for meal benefits need to complete only one application per household. Applications are available and can be submitted at any Camp Lejeune Dependents School or the School Food Service Central Office at Bldg. 4021, Midway Park.

An instruction sheet will be attached to the application, however, if families have any questions, they can call the School Food Service Office at 451-2133.

If households have not qualified in the past, they are encouraged to apply again since the eligibility guidelines change each July.

Relief society offers

an information course Sept. 15-19 from 9 a.m.-noon at the River Room in the Paradise Point Officer's Club.

budgeting resource and referral services is the perfect

active-duty military and retirees to learn the history, policy and procedures of the society. Childcare and mileage are

for further information on the class or volunteer opportu-

To attend, call 451-2876/2864.

Prepare for the fall

Potential job candidates planning 1997 Camp Lejeune Job Fair are enco Job Fair Preparation Workshop to effect this employment event.

A Job Fair Preparation workshop 26 from 9 a.m.-noon at the FSC, Bl 3212, ext. 100/101, to register. Child care will be provided by can

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For further information, call Pat Mi ext. 108.



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8-11 a.m.

11:30 a.m. to 2:30 p.m. 2:30 to 3 p.

Vehicular traffic will be allowed t and half hour. From 6 p.m. to 8 a.m. N ends, the bridge will open on signal.

Aviation Day Barl benefit New River Memorial Foun

There will be a National Aviation D day from 10:30 a.m.-2 p.m. at the MC/ change Parking Lot.

A combination plate of pork barbec cost \$6 or \$5 for a plate of pork barbe cludes coleslaw, potato salad, hush pup tea. A tent will be available for your cor Advance tickets can be purchased a

11 a.m. - 2 p.m.

451-6197 or ITT in front of the MCASE

course on organization The Navy/ Marine Corps Relief Society will be holding

Lifestyle Insights, Networking, Knowledge and Skills (LINKS) is primarily aimed at spouses who are new to During a LINKS workshop participants will receive

This in-depth class on military pay and allowances,

information on topics such as Marine Corps history, base services, family and community dynamics and a host of

foundation for financial self-sufficiency. The course provides an opportunity for dependents,

reimbursed Refreshments will be provided.

Anyone interested in attending can call 451-5346/6642

nities at NMCRS.

Free screening for preschoolers

The objective of the Exceptional Family Member Program (EFMP) is to provide assistance to Sailors and Marines who have family members with special needs. The EFMP coordinator may be reached at the FSC,

fights domestic violence

The Family Counseling Center (FCC) is presenting Family Advocacy Program Command Education Training today, Saturday, Aug. 25, and 26 in Bldg. H-1. There will be two three-and-a-half hours sessions

The target audience for this training is commanding officers, executive officers, sergeants major, first sergeants, and Battalion Family Advocacy Program Officers (FAPO). Other interested personnel are welcome.

Human Services

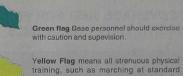
EFM program

Bldg. 14, or by calling 451-3212, ext. 115.

Family Advocacy program

each day, 8-11:30 a.m. and 1-4:30 p.m.

Flag Condition Guideline



	Five-day weather forecast			
Today	Saturday	Sunday	Monday	Tuesday
High 88	High 92	High 94	High 94	High 92
Low 70	Low 72	Low 72	Low 74	Low 72

cadence, should be suspended for unacclimatized members. Outdoor classes in the sun are to be avoided.

Red flag means all physical training for anyone who has not become thoroughly acclimatized for at least 12 weeks should be halted. The troops who are thoroughly acclimatized may carry on limited activity not to exceed six hours per day.

Black Flag means all nonessential outdoor physical activity will be halted for all units. Essential outdoor physical activity will be conducted at a level that is commensurate with personal acclimatization as determined by unit's commanding officer and medical

For current flag condition, call 451-1717 or see Base Order 6200.1D, enclosure (1) for more information.

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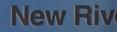
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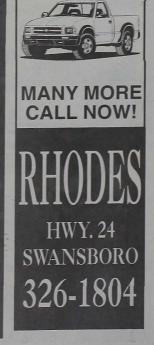
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	St. Francis Xavier Chapel Confessions Saturday [*] at St. Francis Xavier Chapel or contact unit chaplain	5 p.m. 4 p.m.
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10 a.m.	Naval Hospital Chapel	9 a.m.
9:30 a.m.	Tarawa Terrace Chapel, Communion	9:45 a.m.
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Chaplain's Cor Sticking with "Core Val

By Chaplain Wayne Minyard

We hear a lot about the problems that have hit our nation like a plague. Drug abuse, divorce, murder in schoolyards, teen gangs, and a thousand other evils fill our TV screens on the evening news. It's nearly impossible to avoid a feeling of despair when you consider the size of the problem. Over a million couples divorced last year, and another mil-lion couples declared bankruptcy. Violent crime, while down overall, is up sharply among people under 21. The fabric of fam-

ily life is being shredded by a culture which discriminates against commitment to one's family, job, and even one's country. Yet we who serve in the military are committed to exactly those things. As a writer for the Wall

Street Journal noted in an article last year, Marines who graduate from boot camp return to a society from which they feel alienated. They find

it difficult to believe they ever lived in such an indulgent, selfish environment, and many find they have little in common with former associates. This is as it should be

Yet as the military becomes increasingly out of step with the civilian world, a military career will become less and less valued by our society. Even now, patriotism has become in many places a forgotten idea. People joke and look around during the national anthem at ball games

They stare at servicemembers in uniform as if they were from another planet, with that 'couldn't you find anything better than that look in their eyes. True, around to wear?" Jacksonville you don't see it as much, but it's a different story in many other cities across America. To proudly associate oneself with honor, courage, and commitment in today's society is to invite sarcasm and ridicule from a society which is running desperately short in all three.

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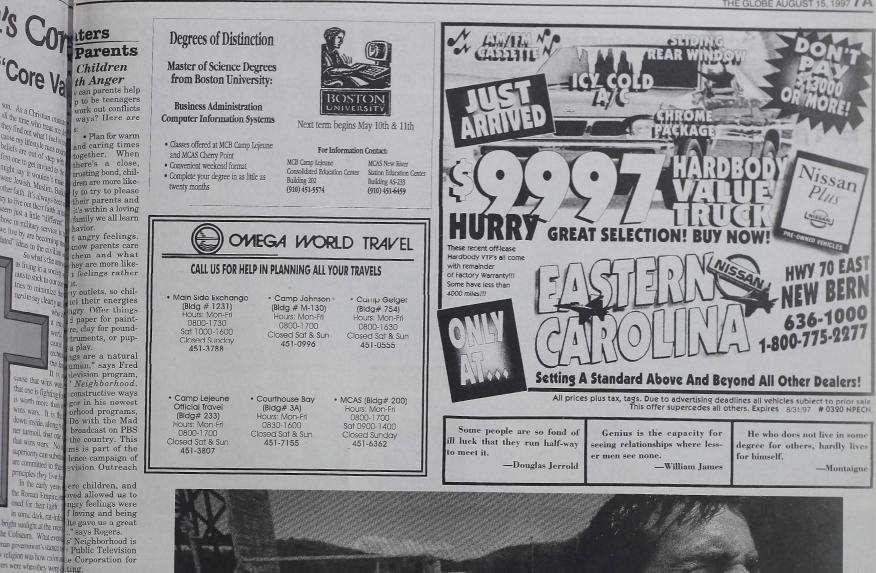
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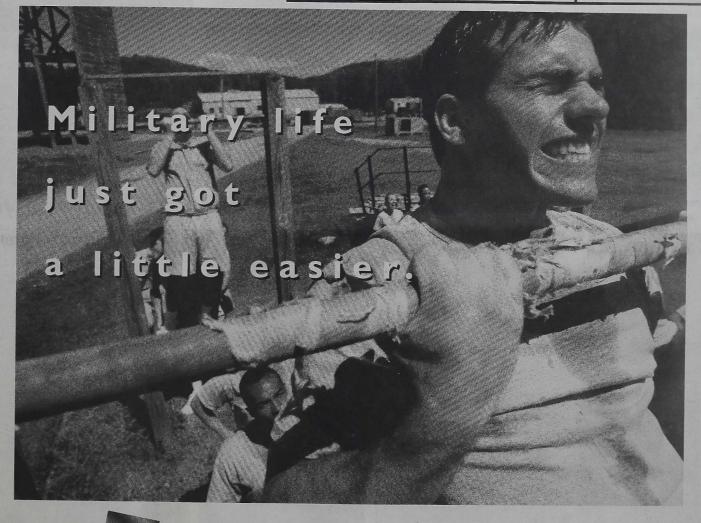
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Diverse combat training for Marines

Sgt. J. J. Rodriguez

There are 10 million loose mines in Iraq, three to six million in Bosnia and possibly a million in Somalia ticking away today.

Most were put there by waring factions, but the victims end up being innocent people. They also pose a threat to deployed Marines and other Americans. To prepare for this silent threat Lejeune Marines routinely work at Engineer Training Area 3. Instructors at ETA.3 are out of their up to

Instructors at ETA-3 go out of their way to help any unit here get basic and advanced demolition training. It falls under the command of 2d Combat Engineer Battalion and it's designed to train and challenge both engineers and non-engineers.

"The range is designed to provide Marine Corps units with engineer training such as counter mines, military explosives and demolitions, advanced demolition, land mine warfare, field fortification, engineer reconnaissance, rigging, night infiltration course and land navigation," said GySgt. Bertram Nickles, officer in charge of the range.

Nickles and his staff of qualified instructors also cover bridging and mine detection by using electrical detection devices.

by using electrical detection devices. The one thing Marines need when they leave the range is confidence. They need to know how to work with explosives.

have the range is connected in the red to know how to work with explosives. "You have to have the confidence in your abilities to set a mine," said Nickles. "There is no room for mistakes. There is no second chance. You have to have the confidence in what you're doing because if you're not you're going to make a mistake and get somebody killed."

Confidence is especially important for Marines belonging to Marine Expeditionary Units. Past experience in deployments to Iraq, Somalia and Bosnia have proven there is a need to know mine clearing skills.

"We're here as a weapons company...," said 1st Lt. Ross Muir, Combined Anti Armor Team Bravo commander. "We need to review basic demolition skills to help (Marines) succeed in a combat situation where he might have to use demo." The instructors are contantly undating

The instructors are contantly updating training by taking what they learn from current world events and passing them on to Marines.

Demolitions, however, not the only skill Marines can learn. In the two day land mine warfare package instructors cover all conventional U. S. land mines, firing devices and hasty protective mining procedures. The package is taught by using classroom time and practical application with emphasis placed on "hands on" of all mines and devises covered in class. In mine/countermine operations, the rec-

ognition of foreign mines, use of booby traps and improvised munitions in a Low Intensity Conflict (LIC) environment and personnel protective measures are taught to every student. Emphasis on this package is placed on the detection and clearing of booby traps.

"They're actually getting hands on with the 'mouse traps' and the Yugoslavian mines," said Nickles.

If there's one class every Marine should take it would have to be the range's field fortification. This package, in two days, covers individual fighting positions, crew served fighting positions, different types and protection requirements of overhead cover, riveting techniques, construction procedures of all wire entanglements, construction procedures of anti-tank obstacles and the different types and construction procedures for fighting bunkers and shelters. "This is the type of training any Marine can enjoy," Nickles said. "We may be used by infantry and combat enginneers, but military police can use this training to set up POW camps."

An engineer reconnaissance course is offered specifically for combat engineers. It covers in detail all specific recon missions that the division might request of combat engineers. Marines learn gathering techniques, information that is required for each mission and how to correctly recon routes and bridges. The night infiltration course offers Ma-

The night infiltration course offers Marines of all specialty backgrounds a challenge. They have to stealthily maneuver through log post obstacles and trenches, all thoroughly booby traped with flash bangs, flares and CS grenades, Each unit has three hours to complete the course. The other night course is the land naviga-

tion course. It consists of nine check points ranging from 200 to 1500 meters in length.

The three main engineer goals are mobility, counter mobility and survivability, according to Nickles. Survivability is essential at the range. The instructors handle explosives almost every day, but most importantly they work around Marines who don't. For this reason they have to count on the instruction they give each student to keep them alive.

"You have to have the right frame of mind to be an instructor," said Sgt. Charles Yannizzi, range instructor, "They are nervous and shaky at first. We have to relax them... They could take your life if they don't do things right."

Nickles and his staff take their job seriously and are willing to bend over backward to accomodate training for any unit.

"Anyone can train here," Yannizzi said. "All it takes is a phone call. We are flexible and will do anything we can to help a unit out. It's that easy."



At a water shot, Marines learn how to blow craters filled with water.

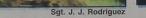


Sergeant Carlos Rivera, range instructor, inspects the assembly of TNT explosives by Marines from 3rd Battalion, 2d Marines.









A shape charge is used to carefully remove an old tree trunk.

 Corporal Kevin Ferre, range instructor, inspects detonating caps and used in every explosion for the evolution.



Infantry Marines learned how to build a modified claymore mine at ETA-3.

Marines from 3rd Battalion, 2d Marines gather in a school circle were they learn to assemble and blow up a "sch

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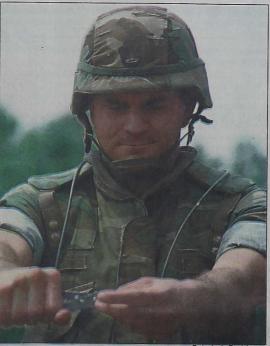
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Sgt. J. J. Rodriguez ains of a plastic bag continues to burn as its tossed up in ne fuel explosion.



Sgt. J. J. Rodriguez A Marine crimps the detonating cap and wire together. The wire was cut to burn at a specific time length before setting off the cap.



s waited patiently at a bunker while all charges went off and the range was cleared for re-entry.



Sgt. J. J. Rodriguez Cardboard targets were used to show the effect of claymore mines.



Marines get hands-on training with explosives at the range.



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Kennedy Rogers prepares to detonate a shape charge for the first time. An instructor takes students through demolition drills



Sgt. J. J. Rodrigue Marines learn exact ways of doing demolition procedures

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Base 911 serves in time of need

PFC Chet Decker

Emergency 911 service is available throughout the base, and Fire Chief Robert Bright is urging all personnel to use it in times of need.

Bright said many people don't realize the procedure for requesting emergency assistance on base is the same as in civilian situations. Once 911 is called, operators can dispatch fire, medical or police or a combination as needed to a requested address

"Some people call an ambulance or the naval hospital and ask for advice when all they need to do is call 911," said Bright. "We have a dis-911, patcher there 24 hours a day. They are just waiting for those kind of calls

A quick response time can liter-ally mean life or death, as may have been the case last month when a young Marine crashed his car into a monument at Camp Geiger. The vehicle was totaled, and the Marine was trapped inside of the vehicle. The jaws of life were used by rescuers to remove him from the car.

"That young Marine's life was saved. He was seriously hurt," said Bright. This success is a tribute to 911

effectiveness. Due to the 10 strate-gically placed fire stations, re-sponse time was minimal. An am-bulance from the Naval Hospital could have taken several crucial minutes to arrive on scene, while an ambulance and fire truck took only a couple of minutes to assist.

A new system in base housing also allows names and addresses to appear directly on the 911 operator's screen, allowing a quicker response. In March of 1995 the system directly led to saving the lives of two children in a Camp Geiger house fire. A neighbor who didn't know the address and was new to the area called 911. Al-though one person died in the blaze, firefighters pulled two children from the house and gave them CPR. An effort is underway for all buildings on base to get the automatic ad-dress system.

Bright currently has 138 people working under him, 112 of which are fully-trained firefighters. All firemen are also trained as emergency medical technicians. The training EMTs receive is much like the instruction Navy corpsmen must go through. Base 911 received more calls than ever before last year, due largely to two hurricanes that roared through the area.

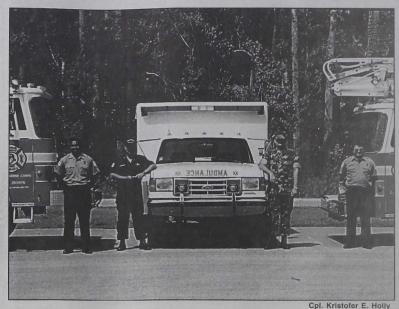
Many people still don't know a 911 service is available. Bright, as the base fire chief, still gets calls directly to his office from people in emergency situations.

The response teams can also as-sist Marines working out in the field if a location is given, Bright said. A year ago when 14 Marines and sailors were killed in a mid-air, multiplehelicopter crash, several teams arrived on the scene near Courthouse Bay. Two service members survived that crash thanks in part to the response of several rescue teams and military police.

"As long as people call 911, everything will take place," Bright said. "There won't be any delays at all. Don't hesitate. We're here to serve.

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MCAS New River	1
Midway Park	2
Headknot Point	3
Paradise Point	4
Post Exchange Area	5
Camp Geiger	6
Courthouse Bay	7
Camp Johnson	8
Sandy Run	9
Rifle Range	10

Here to help



Strengthening the emergency 911 system, the uniting of firefighters, medical rescue and military police is decreasing the response time in emergency situations. Firefighter Lee Capehart (left), Petty Officer Third Class Jim Colbert, LCpl. Jason Short and Firefighter Dan Medlin pose with their ambulance, fire and rescue vehicles on Camp Geiger.

DEATHS from 1A -

in the Boston Globe in June. The series focused on deaths due to aircraft accidents, private motor vehicle accidents and suicides, Bacon said.

In 1980, there were 117 noncombat deaths per 100,000 service members — about 2,390 deaths out of 2.05 million service members. In 1996, there were 68 noncombat deaths per 100,000 servicemembers — 1,020 noncombat deaths out of 1.5 million servicemembers. Of those, 228 service members died in privately owned vehicle accidents and 190 service members committed suicide

We all know that helicopter crashes occur, drownings occur; there are training accidents," Bacon said. "Training in the military

is extremely rigorous. We try to approximate combat conditions as much as we can. Many of the people in the military are young: 're operating highly sophisticated equipment, and there's a lot of room for problems. But we work extremely hard at keeping those problems to a minimum.

Deaths by auto accident is a fact of life in society as well as in the military, Bacon said. "We have programs to deal with drunken driving and driving when people are too tired or driving too fast, but like the rest of society, we can do more.

The military's suicide rate is about equal to the suicide rate in the population as a whole, Bacon said. "Suicides do occur in the military, but not at an unusually high rate," he said.

While the inspector general has not yet set the focus of the study, aircraft accidents will not be included, Bacon said. Former Defense Secretary William J. Perry conducted an investigation of aircraft accidents within the last few years that revealed a fairly dramatic decline in death rates from that cause. Bacon said. The major accident rate per

100,000 hours flown has gone from .04 in 1990 to 1.50 in 1996," Bacon said. "The number of aircraft destroyed in those accidents has dropped from 143 in 1990 to 67 in 1996." The number of deaths from all types of accidents has declined,

Bacon said. The inspector general's study of noncombat-related deaths began in June. No completion date has yet been set, Bacon said.

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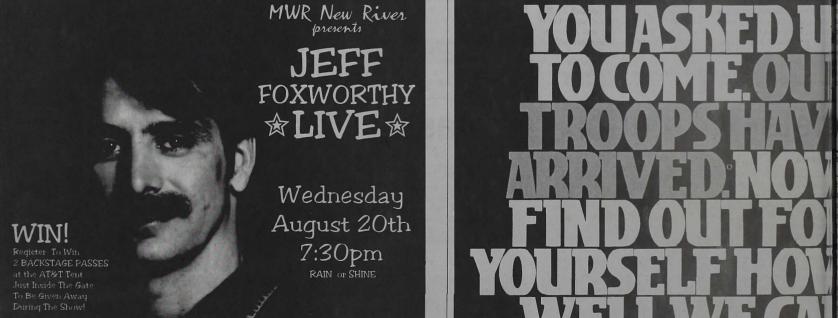
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enemy's territory. Even before the sun rose behind the mountains surrounding Alpha Co., AH-1W Super Cobras were buzzing the treetops and the sec-ond day of the battle began. Shortly following the aerial assault, motor-ized vehicles broke the perimeters of the enemy's defense and the 22d MEU (SOC) was knocking at the door of Alpha Co. with mortar fire and machine guns.

Within a matter of hours, the stronger force prevailed and the 22d MEU (SOC) claimed a victory.

In the days following the 36-hour war, the members of the 22d MEU (SOC) conducted live-fire exercises and other training to hone their skills as a fighting force. When the exercise was over, the Marines embarked aboard their ships and pre-pared to redeploy for operations in different parts of the Med.

Cpl. David Bro

A CH-53E Super Stallion delivers fuel bladders to the forward arming and refueling point to resupply Marine forces ashore

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'We want to add more realism and 'up the ante,''' said to Lt. Col. Truman C. Preston, commanding officer, SOTG, as he spoke to members of the MEU during a critique. 'The chances are high that you could be employed in real-world missions similar to the ones you are practicing here

Preston added the scenarios were developed based on the concerns higher headquar-ters has for possible contingencies while the MEU is deployed.

Highlighting the flexibility of MEU Marines was a humanitarian assistance mission accomplished by an infantry platoon. When seas kept the primary humanitarian assistance team from making it ashore the mission fell to 3rd Platoon, India Co., who were flown in by helicopter

Normally a reinforcement force for such missions, the Marines had no experience providing assistance to displaced persons. It was an eye-opener for the infantry Marine

"We are trained in straight infantry skills, we had to adjust," said Cpl. Josef Wagner, one of 3rd Platoon's squad leaders. "It's not too often that we get to actually work with people vice against them."

The usual aggressive approach of Marines had to be modified too, according to Wagner. A more friendly, less aggressive approach is necessary during humanitarian missions

The MEU's final preparation for its deployment is the Special Operation Capability Exercise (SOCEX) schedule for late August.

Heliborne Company raids airfield

Cpl. Gregory S. Gilliam

Just hours after being notified of the incident, Marines from the 24th Marine Expeditionary Unit's heliborne company swooped down and recovered the main box of an unmanned aerial vehicle (UAV) that crashed July 26 as part of the MEU exercise (MEUEX).

The Marines of India Co., BLT 3/6, aboard USS Guam, were tasked with reclaiming the pod which housed the UAV's guidance system and intelligence gattering equipment. Intelligence sources revealed the aircraft might be in the hands of enemy forces located near an airfield on "Onslow Peninsula" (attached to a fic tional, war-torn country in Europe).

"Our job is to recover or confirm de-struction of that pod," said Capt. Larry Miller, commanding officer, India Co. as he briefed his Marines prior to commencing the exercise

After receiving detailed instructions from each of the platoon commanders, the Marines loaded into four CH-46E Sea Knight and two CH-53E Super Stallion he-licopters. One CH-53E carried a fast atvehicle (FAV) which would provide additional firepower and mobility. Two AH-1W Cobra attack helicopters would provide close air support during the raid.

Once on the ground, members of 1st Platoon, the assault force for the scenario, fanned out in a search pattern and moved down the runway looking for the pod. The security platoon on an adjacent run-way provided flank protection while the Cobras hovered overhead. According to 2ndLt. Rory B. Quinn, 1st Plt. Commander, once his troops landed on the runway, their job was to locate the box which was believed to be somewhere on the runway or already in enemy hands. "We didn't find it, so we knew the enemy already

had it. "It was an unknown situation at that point," he continued. "We didn't know where they were located."

Suddenly, 1st Platoon was forced to seek cover when 2nd Platoon intercepted an en-emy ambush from the runway on their left flank. When the exchange ceased 1st Platoon continued forward as they had been trained to do.

Encountering a swamp, the platoon plowed forward and attacked the objective, which turned out to be a small, cinderblock building. Strafing runs from the two Cobra helicopters had successfully dispatched six soldiers, but two more remained on guard inside. After a brief fire fight, explosive ordinance disposal personnel recovered the box from inside the building. During the raid, the Marines' training and

cohesiveness paid off during two critical moments. The first occurred as 1st Platoon approached the intersection of two of the

According to Quinn, his platoon had originally expected the two runways to meet and end at a point. However, when one of them extended further than expected the platoon was forced to push through thick brush and a swamp. Upon exiting the dense vegetation, the platoon immediately regrouped in the pitch dark and assaulted in and take charge," said Quinn.

through the objective

"When we got to the airfield we had to make adjustments," said SSgt. R. D. Roundtree, 1st. Platoon Sergeant.

After we went through the swamp my Marines knew where their squad leaders would be," said Quinn, speaking of the ability of his platoon to regroup and converge on the objective after scrambling through the mud and thick brush. "Each Marine knows that once he breaks through he should go 13 steps to the right and he'll find his fire team.

Second Platoon experienced the other critical moment. Once 1st Platoon at-tacked, they sustained five casualties which was unexpected. Second Platoon was there to provide rapid reinforcement to the handicapped platoon.

"It wasn't planned for us to have five casualties," Quinn said. "But we were able to call on Second and they did a good job of helping out."

"They (everyone) did a real good job out there," Quinn said. "It was good to prove our flexibility with 1st being the assault and 2nd being security.

The roles are usually reversed, Quinn explained.

Quinn and Roundtree both credit the successful recovery of the UAV pod to constant practice and their Marines' ability to adapt to changing situations

"Our ultimate objective is that if a platoon commander or platoon sergeant gets shot they (the Marines) should be able to operate at 98-percent. There should always be another qualified person to step

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children, according to cadet staff Capt. Anthony Debiase e gave 72 Marine New Haven has a vast diverica out of New sity of social and ethnic back the time of their grounds and almost all are 11-day visit, as represented in the cadet rated a few as-larine Corps. liverine Assault group.

"We're part of the drug war to keep kids off the streets," Debiase said. "There are shootings seven days a week and children are casualties.'

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Coming to Lejeune is one of the activities the cadets look forward to. It's an opportunity for them to experience something they would otherwise not know existed Some of these kids do

things that some Marines don't do in their enlistment," said Thomas

The motivating training and events challenge these young, and possibly future Marines, and it is so much better than them hitting the streets. Parents don't have to worry about who their chilare hanging out with, said Debiase

Marine Cadets of America should not be confused with Young Marines. Unlike them.

they are sponsored by the Marine Corps, not by the Marine Corps League. All 72 cadets saw part of the

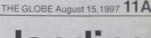
Marine Corps during their stay. They will take this experience back with them and for some, it will possibly affect which direction they take in life

There are many current active duty Marines who are former Marine Cadets of America, according to Debiase. The program is not only a great learning tool for the children, but also a great recruiting tool for the Marine Corps. The training they receive prepares the ones who want to join for the day they wear the Eagle, Globe and Anchor.



Sergeant Joseph Cullam not only made sure every cadet went down safely, but motivated

LCpl. John Gres



As a Landing Craft Air Cushion prepares to return to USS Kearsarge (LHD-3) for another load of combat equipment, a UH-1N Huey flies overhead surveying the beach landing site.

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Sergeant David Ruble reassures one of the cadets having second thoughts about repelling down the tower.

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Lance Cpl. Craig Ziecina ensures Marine Cadet Alex Agosto is properly fitted with the required repelling seat.

Computerized Fitness Reports Streamline Evaluation

Staff report

After two years of review and design, the Marine Corps is changing the way lead-ers rate their Marines, hoping to curb inflation and streamline administrative requirements

The new system has been approved by the Commandant and is scheduled to go into effect as early as January 1999. The reporting system will remain as is during the interim time as administrative procedures for using the new computerized sys-

tem are brought on line. One of the key changes relates to the traits and characteristics that Marines will be evaluated on. Instead of 21 graded boxes in Section "B" there will be only 14 that are more streamlined and get to the point of describing a Marine's abilities and perfor-Those traits are broken down into

When evaluating a Marine, a reporting senior will no longer rate the individual in the old outstanding-not observed format. Instead there will be classifications ranging from A-H with G being the highest level of proficiency. The mark of A will be for adverse and H will be for not observed.

The last category is used only for those who are reporting seniors responsible writing fitness reports for subordinate Ma-

At first look the new format of the fitness report may be intimidating. It is stressed, however, that even though it is five pages, the computerized format is programmed to make it user friendly. Overall there is actually less information required for the reporting senior to fill and being computerized, information in. on the old Section A will be able to stay on file for future reports

To battle inflation in the new system, a justification block is included on the new fitness report. In this block a re-porting senior must explain both adverse ratings and G (outstanding) ratings they make on the Marine. Space for additional or narrative comments (the old section C) and will have to be more focused on performance vice a narrative personal sketch that would occur under the old system. The hope for this is to reduce the impact of the reporting senior's writ-ing abilities when fitness reports are reviewed by promotion boards.

In the section of the new report where Marines are rated and ranked amongst their peers, reviewing officers will now make the call on who is number one and who is at the bottom. This will only be used in cases where the reporting senior has fre-

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quent enough evaluation to make the call. The new computerized system will also be used to build a profile of reporting se-niors. This profile will effectively establish trends a reporting senior has in respect to how he grades and allow those who inflate reports to be identified as well as give Marines who have a historically hard grader fare well at promotion time. Throughout a reporting senior's career feed-back can be given to let them know how their evaluations stack-up against other officers who rate Marines.

One of the final major changes will be in how fitness reports are used as a counsel-ing tool. As was the case in the past, the Marine may no longer see the final report unless it is adverse in nature. After the fitness report is processed into the system, however, a copy will be sent to the Marine through the mail.

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Headquarters & Support Bn., Marine Corps Base

Lieutenant Col. Rodger C. Harris relinquished command of Headquarters Support Battalion, Marine Corps Base to Col. Cesare Cardi in a change of command ceremony held Tuesday. Harris reports to 2d Force Service Support Group where he is serv-

ing as the Staff Judge Advocate. Cardi reports to HqSpt Bn., MCB after a successful tour as the Assistant Chief of Staff, G-1, 3d Marine Division, Okinawa.



Lieutenant Col. R. C. Harris



for acquisition of new equipment. The program office lists the equipment on its Information Technology Excess Catalog located on the World Wide Web at http:// www.disa.mil/cio/darmp/ excess.html. Items include disk drives, printers, computers, monitors, facsimiles, scanners and other equipment. The catalog lists ev-

Melissa Garner

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puter on your desk may seem an antique, but in other offices it may

be the stuff of Star Wars.

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forms and request the equipment. The customer incurs only shipping costs. How ever, if the requesting activity can pick up the equipment, it saves shipping

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The Marine Corps Institute recently announced that is Inter is operational. The address is WWW.MCI.HQI.USMC.MIL.

The site will provide users with the latest information and relating to MCI distance learning products and student enro ministration. Inofrmation and services will continue to be add come available.

Currently, the page provides linds to: contacting MCI, a and hot lines, annual course listing, procedures manuals file of the institute and frequently asked questions. Other pages of interest to Marines are:

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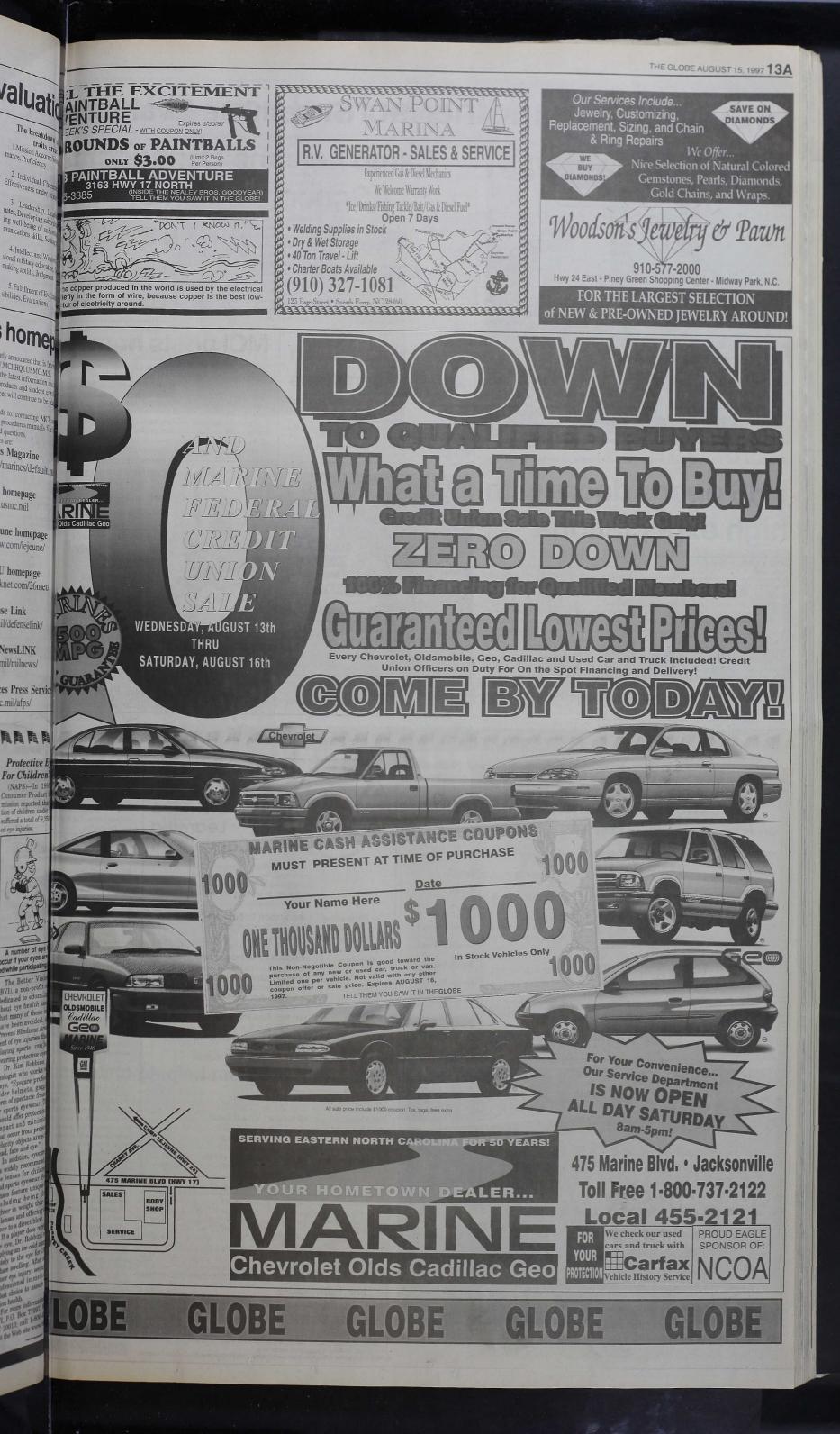
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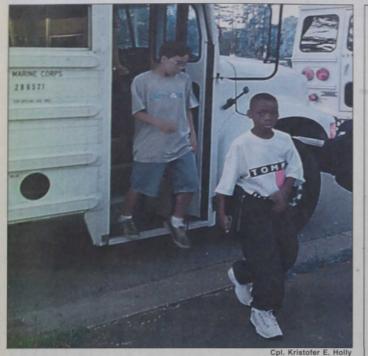
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Brewster Middle Schoolers take their first steps off the bus for the new school year.

LHS opens doors with high expectations

LCpl. Kurt M. Smay

Lejeune High School has opened it's doors for the '97-'98 school year. Expectations are high for the new school year, as students are being challenged to have their best year ever.

"We feel we have a very special place be-cause we are so aware of the situation they come from," said Dr. Brenda Johnson, princi-"We hope that the students and parents will take advantage of this opportunity." Johnson said the smaller classes at LHS

allow the school to offer a more rigorous academic program. "We often have some of the best Scho-

lastic Aptitude Test scores around," she said. The school is hoping to offer the Armed Services Vocational Aptitude Battery to students this year, providing them with yet an-other way to showcase their academic abili-

In addition to the school's high academic standards, many other activities are available. An Art Club, a Dance Club, French and Span-

ish clubs, a Key Club that aides the Camp Lejeune and Onslow County communities, a marching band and chorus, and a Students Against Drunk Driving program, are all available, as well as many other excellent organizations

Fall sports at the school, many of them already having begun practices, include foot-ball, volleyball, cross country, soccer, tennis, and cheerleading. Winter sports are wres-tling, basketball, and cheerleading. The school sports year will conclude with spring sports including soccer, fast-pitch softball, baseball, golf, track and tennis.

Johnson said the school faculty likes to see the students at LHS participate in sports. "We feel it all goes together," said Johnson. "We encourage them to partici-pate." She added that in most cases the teachers see a rise in the students grades when the students are participating in sports.

"Everyday there is something for the students to do after school," she said. Johnson said that she really believes this year will be the best school year yet for LHS.

Camp Lejeune Dependent Schools Calendar

August First day for preschool students	19	January Martin Luther King Day
September Labor day	16	February Presidents day
Columbus day Staff planning, student holiday	16 17	March Staff Planning/Student Holiday Staff Development/Student Ho
November Veteran's day Early release, no preschool Theleasition	13-17	April Spring Break
Thanksgiving December Winter Break	25 26-28 28 29	Memorial Day LHS Final exams Last day for preschool Last day for K-12 students



A 7th grade class sits waiting for the arrival of the new teacher. Their first day of school was mainly for stu introduction and getting to know classes.

School assignment by housing area

Grade Levels	Base Housing	School Assignment
PS-5	5000-5600 Berkeley	Berkeley Manor
PS-5	5700-5800 Berkeley	Russell
PS-5	Midway Park	Russell
PS-5	6000-6100 Watkins	Russell
PS-3	Camp Knox	Tarawa Terrace I
PS-3	Tarawa Terrace I	Tarawa Terrace I
PS-5	- Tarawa Terrace II	Tarawa Terrace II
4-5	Tarawa Terrace I, Camp Knox	Tarawa Terrace II
PS-5	Paradise Point, Rifle Range, Hospital Point	Stone Street
PS-5	5900 Watkins, Courthouse Bay	Stone Street
PS-5	New River Air Station	Delalio

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Camp Lejeune Dependents Schools

The school cafeteria serves hot, nutritious, appealing meals every school day. We encourage all students to participate in the lunch program. Weekly lunch tickets are available the first day of each week. Buying a weekly ticket is the most efficient, safe way for your child to handle lunch money. Lunch money can be borrowed in the office on a day-to-day basis. Repayment is expected the following day. Due to limited funds, we cannot lend money for breakfast or snacks

Applications for the Child Feeding Program, free and reduced lunch, are always on file in the office. If your child is approved for meal benefits, you must tell the school when your household income increases more than \$50 per month, or \$600 year, or when your household size decreases.

You may reapply for benefits at any time during the school year. If you are not eligible now, but have a decrease in

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The first school bell of the year sounded, and the students make way to their new classes.

Preschool program helping children

Camp Lejeune Dependents Schools

The following information will answer many of the questions parents may have about the Camp Lejeune Dependents Schools Preschool Program.

The preschool program is avail-able to all dependent children who will be four years old by Oct. 16 of the current school year and are living aboard the Base or have a ninety-day housing letter. All six of the elementary schools have preschool classes.

The children participate in a bal-

Bad Weather

For information on school closings call 451-1717.

e of active and quiet times du ing the day. Children participate in small groups and time periods for activities which are appropriate for the developmental abilities of the children. For example, preschooler cannot be expected to sit still for 45 minutes of circle time. Sufficient time is allocated for children to select their own activities and play for an extended time each day.

The classroom has clearly de fined work areas that accommodate one to five children. Low pieces of furniture define these areas, so teachers can see all areas of the room, while at the same time giving children a sense of privacy. Area are set up for different kinds of ac-Areas tivities, such as dramatic play, art, blocks, table, toys, books, sand and water, and large muscle activities

Noisy areas are separate from quiet areas. Materials are displayed on low shelves, so that children can reach what they need. Shelves with materials are near where they will be used, with labels, indicating

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Naval Expeditionary Conference looks towards fun

Cpl. Kevin M. Shermer

Engineers from all walks of life came to the Camp Lejeune Officer's Club July 28 - 31 for the Naval Expeditionary Conference '97, which could be the start of a new era for the field.

This was the first meeting of such since 1991, which used to be

The purpose of the meeting was to both inform and guide the ad-vancement of engineer issues including doctrine, organization, training, equipment and support in the context of the Marine Corps Combat Development Process.

"This was just the beginning," said Col. Tom Phillips, the Commanding Officer Marine Corps Engineer School who headed the coordination of the meeting. "This was

just the beginning." The conference began July 29 with a welcome aboard briefing, then broke up for many discussions about the various topics facing the engineering field.

For the next two days new ideas were tossed around as some ways

husiness were declared obsolete. Senior engineers were looking for changes that can improve how military engineers will operate in the future

On July 31 the conference came to conclusion with final briefs set up by members of the engineering field to include Col. Wayne Clemmer, commanding officer Marine Wing Support Group 47 and LtCol. John Egan from the Marine Corps Combat Development Command.

"We needed to create a basis or foundation on which to establish a future," said Phillip. One of the issues brought to the

briefing was the transportation of fuels

Right now, the Marine Corps must attack the beach front and se-cure a position on land. Then supplies can be brought inland by sea to be sent out by vehicle to troops on the front line. Now they are look-ing at ways to bring supplies inland without an area secured on land.

Engineers form other services also attended the conference to help unify expeditionary engineering. There were many discussions about different types of equipment and The Marine Corps wants to start working on establishing a standard in which all units will be using the same equipment. This will help arreatly when the time comes for greatly when the time comes for joint service operations.

For years the various arms of the engineering field have been separated by their own ideas. The Navy and the Corps has had problems working together because of the different ways they operated, said Phillip

With different gear and tactics being used it was complicated getting the mission accomplished in a joint environment. This meeting was the beginning of an effort de-signed to work out those differences and to help unify engineers throughout all branches of the ser-

The Navy/Marine Corps team is going to be looking hard to find better ways in which to supply the beach front assault. Within the next 20 years, supporting ship to shore maneuvers could be completely different from today's beach front assaults, according to Phillips.



Colonel Tom Phillips receives a plaque from Col. Wayne Spencer for his job in hosting te closing of the 1997 Engineer Brief.

experience," said Sibley. "We got a chance

to learn what to expect from the judges then.

This year I think we have a good chance of

winning it. It is a hundred percent improve-ment this year," said Sibley.

Whoever wins the base competition will

compete later this fall in the nationals. This

will be against the best field messes found at most major installations. The judges for the national competition will travel during that

Marines and dependents volunteered their time to help out repainting the stadium bleachers at the Brewster Middle School field Aug. 2. Units included G-3 Nuclear, Biological and Chemical platoon, U.S. Marine Corps Forces Atlantic NBC School and 8th Communications Battalion, 2d Surveillance Reconnaissance Intelligence Group.

Stone Street Youth Pavilion, where a kid can be a kid

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A plan 10 years in the making saw fruition last week when the Stone Street Youth Pavilion held its grand opening here

To the delight of hundreds of children, the ceremonial ribbon was cut at 3:00 pm, and the party was on. The youths stormed the building to see just what the center had to offer. They weren't let down.

"I'm going to have a lot of fun here. It's pretty cool. It's got good games and a cool gym. It's a big place," said 11-year old David Pollock. painting in the gymnasium. This place is perfect. This is

my first time coming to any youth center. It's very good for the kids. With summer vacation over, it's good to have a place for the kids to go," said Debbie Feliu, a military dependent with two children.

As jam-packed as the facility was during its inaugural day, officials don't expect the numbers to dwindle anytime soon. The youth center is located between the two largest schools on base -- the high school and middle school.

"This is the way we think it's ing to be all the time. If we don't

(Teen Talk, a group discussion), Tuesday (Internet Fun on the center's new computers), Wednesday (Playing Card Night) and Thursday (Sports Night).

"I'm really shocked at how many people are here," said Randi Hubbell. a recreation attendant. "I like my job already.

The center is available for open recreation during the school year for children six to 12 Mondays through Fridays from 3-6:00 pm and Saturdays and Sundays from 6-9:00 pm. Chil-dren ages 13 through 17 can roam the facility Mondays through Thursdays from 6-9:00 pm. On August 15, youth

Headquarters Bn., 2d I Div. holds annual family

Cpl. Kristofer E. Holly

More than 1,000 Marines and family members turned out for the annual 2d Marine Division Headquarters Battalion Family Day at the Gottschalk Marina Aug 6.

Cars lined Cross and Julian C. Smith Streets that afternoon as the field near the marina turned into a parking lot. The smell of barbecue izzling on the grill was detected from blocks away.

We have this event so that the families can get together and meet each other," said SSgt. Cedric Lind-

across the New River showing them an example of what their boats can do. Food was provided by 2d Force Service Support Group Messhall 325 while Morale, Welfare and Recreation supplied steaks, sodas and potato chips. Cotton candy and snow cones were also available.

A Marine makes his next selection from the salad bar 8th Comm. set

The children were entertained by

a number of activities. Smiley the Clown made an appear ance with magic and jokes, the newly opened Camp Lejeune Youth Pavilion brought in games and prizes while the Base Stables provided pony rides. A

moonwalk kept the children jumping

The marina supplied canoes and paddle boats, while volleyball, horse-

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The cooks of 8th Communication Battalion were judged Aug. 6 for a chance to com-pete in this years Memorial Hill Award for food service excellence, commonly referred to as the New/Hill.

The New/Hill is an annual competition in which units throughout the Marine Corps can compete for the title of best field mess in the Corps for each year.

The cooks began preparing for the inspec-tion back on June 23 when they began set-ting up camp. GySgt. Michael J. Sibley, the mess chief of 8th Comm. with a crew of 13 cooks sprang into action by setting up tents and cammie netting then bringing in cooking equipment with which to prepare the meals that would be served at the site

The first thing is getting the field mess set . "We get 96 hours to set up and be ready

to serve. Miraculously enough, we were ready in 72 hours," said Sibley. The next month was spent preparing for the big day. One day the entire battalion came to the site to test out the field mess. July was the day in which the cooks met there toughest critics, "the battalion."

There was four practice feedings in total before the actual judging, according Sibley. Each time they learned something new to help them for New/Hill award.Second Fleet Service Support Group, 2nd Light Armored Re-connaissance, and New River field messes are also in this year's competition. Each of the cullinary outfits will give 8th Comm a run for their money. A Marine Last year, Sibley brought 8th Comm to the Hill award

What the children found after entering the center were brand new video games, pool tables, a huge gymnasium and a warm, friendly staff

The 2.2-million dollar structure was built from base-generated funds, acquired through money spent at vari-ous Marine Corps exchanges and through special programs. All Ma-rine Corps installations jockeyed for a share of available funds to spend on community programs, according to Oachel Asbury, director of the community recreation division here. Camp Lejeune got a lion's share. An identical youth pavilion is slated to open Nov. 1 in the Tarawa Terrace area.

"This is probably the greatest leap here from a facility standpoint," said Col. Joe Stewart, assistant chief of staff for the Morale, Welfare and Recreation Department. "It really makes it good for the kids here at Camp

Children soon discovered the area behind the building during the grand opening, which was nearly as impres sive as the inside. A mini-carnival, complete with a disc jockey and free soda, hot dogs and chips awaited parents and kids. There was even face

do something for the kids here, then they're going to be out on the streets doing something for themselves," said Asbury,

The center has plenty of activities for younger children, but is also geared toward teenagers. Four nights a week bring a different ac tivity for teens including Monday ages six through 10 can attend a home coming party. On August 16, older children, ages 11-14 also have a homecoming party

Little five-year old Rochelle Edwards knows what she's going to do when she's at the youth pavilion. 'I'm going to play,' 'she said with a bright smile on her face.

Cpl. Kristofer E. Holly

Kirk Myers, 10, cuts the ribbon to the new Stone Street Youth

Pavilion with Maj. Gen. Ray L. Smith, Commanding General, Marine

Corps Base and Col. Joe R. Stewart, Assistant Chief of Staff,

Morale, Welfare and Recreation, Aug. 8.

say, assistant mess manager, Headquarters Battalion. "They get to meet people they don't usually work with.

Other units and establishments aboard base contributed to the event.

Riverine Assault Crafts from Small Craft Company, Hq. Bn., 2d Mar. Div., gave family members a speedy trip

shoes and frisbees were on hand for those wanting to stay dry.

Not only did the families get a chance to come together for a good meal and some fun, but overall camaraderie and unit cohesion grew to a higher level.



Marines enjoy a fr volleyball.



A Youth Pavilion volunteer helps a little golfer on the putting course.

Riverine Assault Crafts from Small Crafts Company, 2d M gave Marines and family members a little cruise around and Gottschalk Marina.





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Camp Lejeune, N.C.

G Cup Flag Football **B** takes second place in Cup standings

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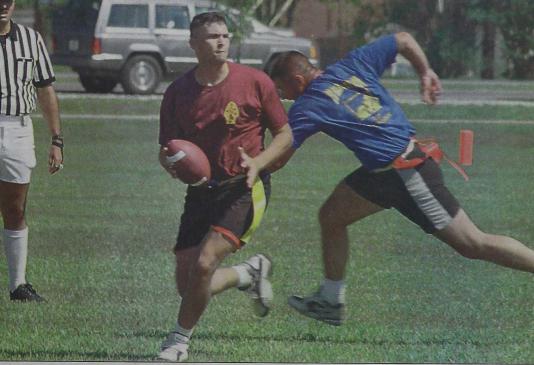
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Cpl. Angelo Vincenzo, 2d CEB, evades a rushing defender to buy time for his receivers to get open dow CG Cup Standings events after Rank Team Points Rank Points Team HQ Bn. **8th Marines** 95 6 40 2d CEB 7(tie) 90 2d Tank Bn. 30 3 **10th Marines** 85 7(tie) **2d Marines** 30 2d LAR 4 75 2d AA Bn. 20 9 10 5 **6th Marines 2d Recon** 45

Women Paradise \bigcirc

A CLUB CHAMPIONSHIP

Cpl. Edward S. Harcher staff Women took over Paradise Point golf course for a two-day tournament Aug. 12 and 13 as the Paradise Point

Women's Golf Association held its club championship. Staged on the scarlet course, 15 women from the association teed off for their shot at claiming the trophy and bragging rights for the next year. After the first round, those rights belonged to Maggie Weder, a retired chief warrant officer.

Weder hit a 76 on the first 18 holes to claim an early lead.

"I have a high handicap, so it's a privilege to be able to play out here," said Edna Maxwell. "The ladies in the group I played with were so nice, and they're very, very good.

The duo she played with happened to be Weder and Joanne Kopanski, a retired master sergeant who claimed second place after the first round.

"We go way back," Kopanski said, referring to Weder. "We were in the same field when we were in the Corps.'

The group's secret to victory was basic, funda-Possibly more important mental golf. Staying out of than the competition, the the rough and consistent driving were vital in their apparent to most of the play- quest for the championship. See GOLE/28





After eight long months of waiting we have finally entered the gateway to the 1997 college football season. The heralding trumpet has sounded in the form of the Associated Press preseason football poll. Wait a minute... what did they say? Penn State is ranked number one?!

After an 11-2 season last year, PSU fans may say it is to be expected. I say it must have been just to quiet Joe Paterno. There's just no other way to explain it.

Penn State has to replace not only its quarterback, as do several other top contenders, but several holes in its offensive line, secondary and special teams. I've junked cars with fewer missing parts than the starting team for Penn State.

Granted, Paterno is one of the great coaches to have carthe great conclusion have call ried on from the leather helmet days, but come on! How can a team built on back ups and new recruits honestly claim leader-ship over the entire NCAA? When the first weak is in the

When the first week is in the record books, we'll see. For now, only speculation counts, which may account for the rankings so far. Let's look at who's ranked af-ter PSU

Florida ended last season as Florida ended last season as number one. Now they claim second fiddle. Of course they lost Wuerffel, but one man doesn't make a team. The Gators are stacked with talent on both sides of the ball, and Doug Johnson should blossom into a suitable, if not equal re-placement for Wuerffel. Florida State has to replace

placement for Wuerftel. Florida State has to replace 16 starters, but coach Bobby Bowden has without fail guided his team into a top-four finish rain or shine for the past 10 sea-sons. To be fair, Bowden him-self was quoted as saying "third place was about right" for his team to be starting but behind eam to be starting, but behind

Then comes Washington. I Then comes Washington. I won't even comment on why they are stuck in the mix. In a conference which has provided a nice place for the rest of the country to wipe its feet lately, the Huskies are merely the best available product. After they meet Nebraska (Sept. 20), we'll see what ranking they hold on to.

Tennessee, at least in my mind, is the team that most de-serves to be ranked number one serves to be ranked number one at the beginning of the season. Payton Manning has returned to give the offense experienced leadership. Behind him, veteran players such as receivers Marcus Nash, Peerless Price and Andy McCullough will pro-vide composition ample scoring opportu ties. The offensive line has six returning starters to protect Manning from whatever other teams can muster. The Volun-teer defense is also one of the country's best, and special teams are cause for little concern. Somehow, it has been deter-mined that Penn State should be counted as number one, though. So Penn State Fans can whoop it up for the next three weeks. That celebration may even last through the first four weeks, as the Nittany Lions host patsies Pitt and Temple, then vacation in Louisville and at Illinois.

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Cpl. Edward S. Harcher Lena Green uses her iron to get onto the green.

Cpl. Edward S. Harche Helen Larson. Vice President of Paradise Point Women's Golf Association makes a put.

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Range, on Sneads Ferry Road, will be closed tional shooters on Saturday, August 16 at 8 he Lejeune Summer Biathlon. The range will until approximately 1 p.m. Fore more race III 451-1799.

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BIATHLON

This event begins and ends the F-11 Range on Sneads Ferry Road. Individuals and teams of 5 are encouraged to participate Grand Prix Series events are oper to all military (active duty, retire reserve, dependents) and civil ians. Entry fees are \$10 military and \$15 civilian. All participan must be pre-registered no later than noon today. There will no registration on race day. For more race details contact Mike Marion

DISCOVER DIVING DAY

Diving Day will be Sat, Au-gust 26 from 8 a.m. to 11 a.m., at Tarawa Terrace outdoor pool. In-structors from Seaduction Dive Service and Vision Quest will be present to introduce patrons to snorkeling and scuba diving, as well as answering all your scuba questions. For participation and information, call 451-1441/2513.

SAILING CLASSES

Basic sailing classes are of-fered on weekends at Gottschalk Marina through Oct 26. This two-day instruction will qualify students in basic sailing. Basic sail craft are the marina's 13 Sunfish sailboats. Advanced classes and check-outs are scheduled as needed. Students must have qualified for basic sail craft before attending advanced sail training. Classroom instruction is sailing instruction is held on Wallace Creek and the New River. Keep watching for additional weekday class offerings, races, regattas, and moonlight sails. Call 451-8307 for registration and

SOCCER

The Youth Soccer Kickoff Clinic will be August 16 at the Stone Street soccer fields. Basic fundamentals of soccer will be taught by experienced instruc-tors of the Wilmington Hammerheads. This clinic is open to boys and girls ages 5 to 16 years old. Each participant must wear shin guards, bring a towel and a soccer ball. Minimum participation is 24. \$20 per student. Interested youth may register through August 15 at the Youth Sports Of-

SCUBA DIVING

Are you a NASE certified scuba diver interested in higher level certifications such as Ad-vanced/Technical Nitrox, Cavern Diving, Rescue Diver, Overhead Environment/Wreck Diving? If you are, you'll be glad to know that these NASE diver certification courses are offered through MWR's Aquatics. Courses will dives. Certification fees vary depending on the certification level. Course fees do not include charter fees, travel costs, textbooks, or not required to buy textbooks

How accurate are body fat tests?

Andrea Caputi al Trainer Coordinato

Body fat measurements are impor-tant not only to military personnel for physical readiness, but also to the medical profession and those who like to stay healthy and exercise on a regular basis. Contradictory information concerning body fat measurement methods is everywhere. Although there are many methods available, there are only two currently used at the fitness centers. Let's examine five other methods and then we'll look at the two methods used at the fitness

1. Hydrostatic - Body density is determined from the relationship of body weight in the air and water. Body fat is calculated from body density. The subject is seated in a suspended chair attached to a scale. Upon complete exhalation, the subject is then immersed in a pool of water. This method is impractical in most settings. Expensive equipment is necessary, it's time consuming, inconvenient to clients, and inaccurate due to residual lung volume. 1 2. Infrared Interactance - This method is based on the fact that the ability of the body tissue to absorb and reflect infrared light depends upon its composition. This method lacks research and validation, is expensive, and a Futrex 500

machine is needed. 3. Ultrasound - This method estimates body composition by emitting

high frequency sound waves at five anatomical sites. Sound waves are reflected back from fat/muscle interface, producing an echo measuring the distance between muscle/fat layers. The necessary equipment is expensive and impractical. Specially trained personnel are required to perform the tests.

Circumference and Body Diameters - This method uses a measuring tape to measure the circumference of body parts, an anthopotometer to measure body diameters, and an equation to predict body fat percentages

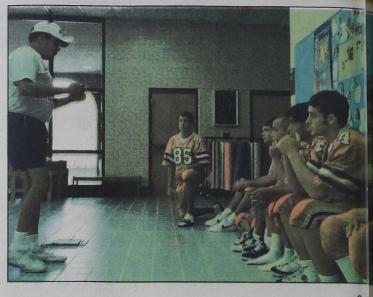
5. Marine Corps NeckIWaist Ratio -Measurements for male Marines are taken at the navel, with abdominal muscles relaxed, and at the neck just below the larynx. Male Marines' body fat must be maintained below 18 percent. Female Marines' are measured at the neck, navel, biceps, forearm, and thigh. Female Marines body fat must be maintained below 26 percent. Each measurement correlates to points on a chart. Points are added, a minus correction factor is subtracted from the sum, and a body fat percentage is derived.

The fitness centers do not practice any of these methods. Some are costly, some are time consuming, and some are just impractical. Two methods that are used at the fitness centers are Skinfold Calipers and Electrical Impedance. Let's explore these methods

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Line Coach Jack Reiss er briefs prospective ends on the upcoming season.

Lejeune sets sign on football seas

Cpl. Edward S. Harcher Globe staff

The Lejeune High School Devil Pups have a new head coach and new goals for the upcoming season. With their first game coming in the form of a scrimmage against North Lenore Aug. 21, those sights must be cleared quickly.

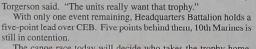
After á 5 - 5 season last year, the Devil Pups have set a finish in the upper section of their conference as their common goal, said Tom Childs, This is a whole new head coach. year and a whole new team," he added. "We've got a good nucleus to build upon, but we've got a lot of building to do.

The nucleus Childs refers to is the

have a good time on the course. "(Golf) is not an easy game, but it's

ing to handicap, highest starting first. Five flights of three golfers each were filled.

After all golfers completed the course, their scores and handicaps were tallied. Awards were presented to golfers with low gross score and net. Prizes were also presented



Two weeks of practice also helped the team. During that time, they worked out the halfback pass which provided several of their

The competition also practiced during the weeks preceding the tournament though, and Headquarters Co., 6th Marines proved to

"The 22 teams that registered for the tournament were really excited about this event," said 1st Lt. Ryan Torgerson, Division

Special Services. That translated into great competition between

"The units look forward to the tournament anyway, but since we are in the final stretch, there is more emotion and drive involved,"

The canoe race today will decide who takes the trophy home, and who goes back to the drawing board to try for next year's CG Cup.



Cpl. Edward S. Harcher Cpl. Chris Fenti makes the catch from the high arch.



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Sharon Martin blasts out of the sand trap on the 5th hole.





Cpl. Edward S. Harcher Cpl. Angelo Vincénzo drops a bomb

from MWR and are not charged for certification cards until the course is completed. All registrations are held at Area 2 indoor pool. Call 451-2513/2024 for all course

ARCHERY

Get your bows and arrows ready and enter the 3-D Archery Shoot, tomorrow, 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. Shoot, tomorrow, 9 a.m. to 3 p.m., at the Camp Lejeune Archery Range on Parachute Tower Road. Divisions include: Men's Open, Men's Bow Hunter, Men's Tra-ditional, Women's, Youth, Pee Wee, and Cub. Medals will be presented to first, second, and third places in each division. S5 per entry, \$2.50 for Pee Wee and Cub divisions. For more details, contact Ssgt Randall at 451-5111.

CHALLENGE

Run the Marine Corps Mara thon, Sunday October 26. Chal lenge the SgtMaj. USMC (Re



Cpl. Chris Fenti, 2d CEB, celebrates with his teammates after a T. D.

Col. Edward S. Harcher

CAMP LEJEUNE, NC - Marine Cadets from spent ten days on Camp Lejeune doing what! everyday. Eighty young people made the journe New Haven, Conn. to visit the base and get a Marine life. Led by a group of former Marine hometown who took vacation and volunteered them, the cadets paid \$250 each to make the trip get them away from the never mind for awhile," GySgt. Howard Thomas Jr., one of the volunteers group. The group has been making the trip fo years. The kids spent last Friday at a field meet l many different events, allowing them to see one prevalent parts of a Marines life, PT.

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cent water. The monitor reads total body water then calculates corresponding lean mass. This is subtracted from the weight, resulting in a body fat percentage. Al-though this method has many advantages, there are a few downfalls. This method is not accurate on the obese, lean, or elderly. It can overestimate obese, real, of elderly. It can overestimate obese, underestimate lean, and not enough research has been compiled to validate the results of the elderly.

French Creek Fitness Center's Human Performance Center provides Certified Personal Trainers on weekdays to assist you with any questions you may have regard-ing body fat percentages. There trainers are also available to perform basic fitness assessment testing to include body fat composition tests, along with various other tests such as strength

textbook defense. To give more variety in the ver. Joining Childs in his pocket, Childs will call upon Jason Anderson coach are a staff of assisto back up James. Anderson will give the Devil Pups more versatility on the ground ch Lejeune did not have for ons, according to Childs. while retaining its aerial attack capabilities. good staff this year to work

On defense, the Pups are a bit shallow, and several players will be required to play "Iron Man football," going both ways. Holes must be filled in key spots on the defensive line and the coaches are still seeking another linebacker

Likewise, the offensive line is still missing a few players. During the first few practices, Childs and line coach Jack Reisser hope to find the most qualified players available to fill those vacancies

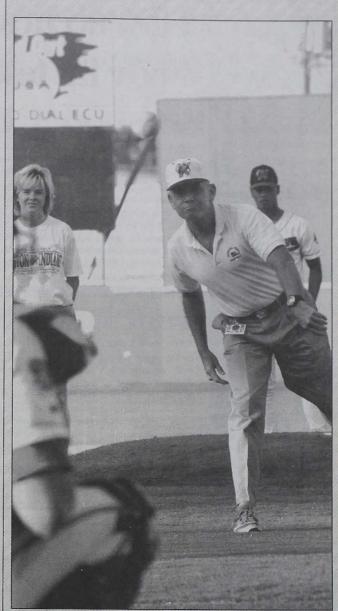
Aside from personnel shortages, the team looks good. Offensive coordinator Norman Allen is closely guarding what is in store for the Devil Pups' opposition this year, but he did have two key goals for his offense. "We're going to punch the ball down the field, and cut back on turnovers," he said. Turnovers were a sore point in last year's program.

As the team heads into practice, Childs has one piece of advice for his "blood and guts" variety of football: if you play your best but the other team is better, you just have to go back and work harder for the next week.

The Devil Pups will see the results of their hard work August 28 when they meet Southwestern.

Cpl. Edward S. Harcher

junior guard and defensive end gives his triceps a workout.



Cpl. Edward S. Harcher Maj.Gen. Larry S. Taylor, Deputy CG MarFor South throws out the first pitch of the season at the August 7th Kinston Indians Game



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HUNTING SAFETY CLASS

The Onslow County Parks & Recreation Department and the N.C. Wildlife Resources Commission will conduct a Hunting Safety Class August 19-21 from 6-9 p.m. at Blue Creek Elementary School. There is no cost for the class and all students must be older than 12. Preregistration is required and can be done by phone through the Onslow Pines Park Administration Office prior to 5 p.m. on August 19. Class size is limited. For more information, call 347-5332

INTERESTED IN TENNIS?

The Lejeune Ladies Tennis Association is in need of new members. The fall season will begin September 8. The Association meets Monday and Friday mornings from 9-11 a.m. at the Paradise Point courts. Dependent wives of active duty or retired military are eligible for membership. Beginners are welcome! For more information call Karen Edwards at 324-2857, or Deborah Schoch at 347-9238.

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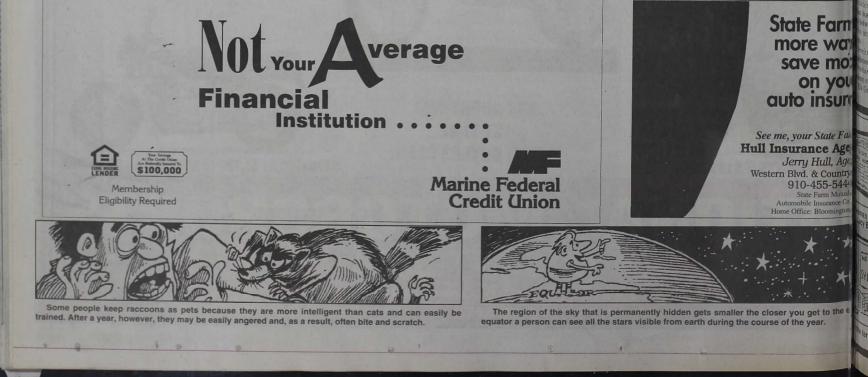
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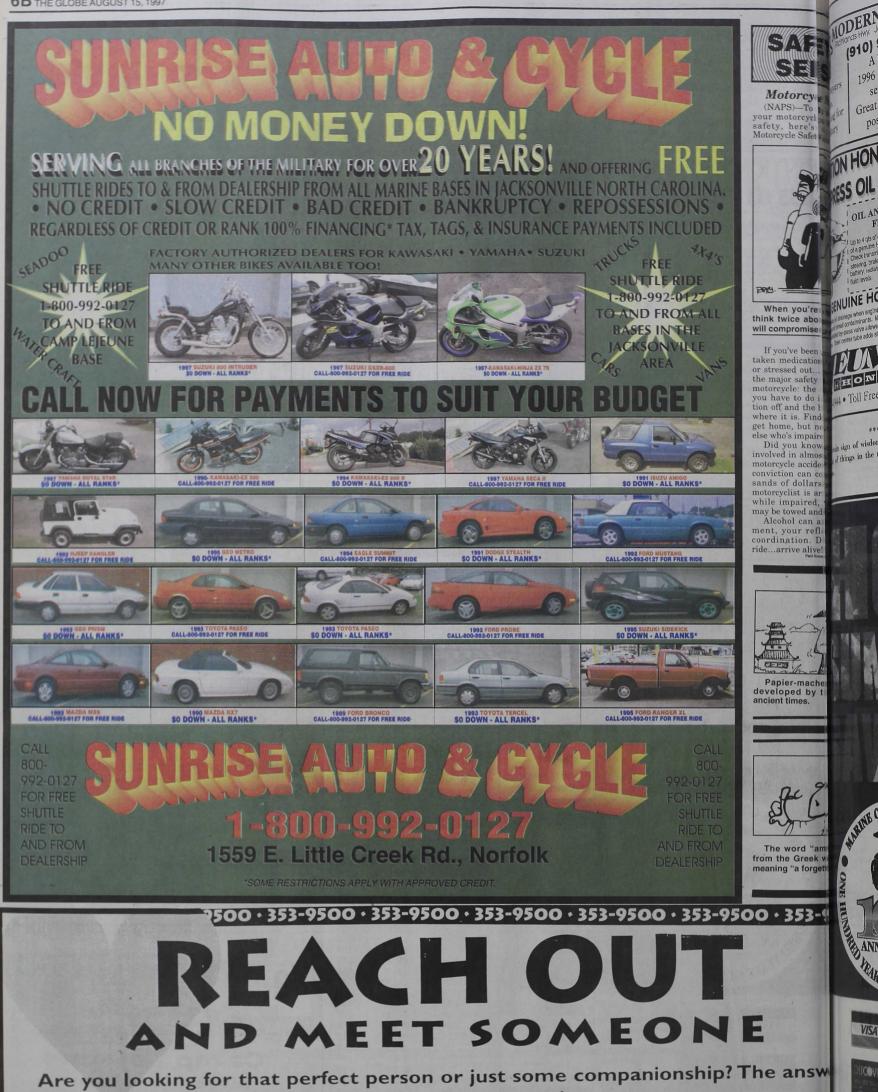
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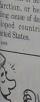
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