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# ARMY & NAVY

**MANY PRIZES TO BE TAKEN HOME FROM U. S. CAMP**

Mail advices reaching Honolulu yesterday show that fine prizes will be awarded next month at the United States military training camp for civilians at Monterey, California, next month.

According to the Examiner of June 18, 21 magnificent silver pieces, costly and beautiful mementoes of "soldier days," will be awarded to the men of the camp next month. The awards will be made to those who show the greatest progress in marksmanship, swimming, polo, baseball and similar sports.

The trophies, gifts of the civil enrollment committee for the camp, George Knapp of Santa Barbara and S. M. Spalding of Los Angeles, have been completed by Shreve & Co., and are the finest that money can buy.

Twelve silver cups and nine silver steins comprise the set. The cups will be given for marksmanship, swimming, polo and other events, and the nine steins will go to the camp's winning baseball team.

Each cup and stein will be embossed with the crest of the training camp, a soldier kneeling with rifle at aim and the name of the camp.

**PLENTY OF GOOD MUSIC IS READY FOR GUARD BALL**

Good music will be a feature of Saturday night's dance to be held in the armory under the auspices of the National Guard for the enlisted men's clubroom.

There will be seven pieces, consisting of piano, first violin, bass, violin, clarinet, trap drum, cornet and trombone.

The armory dancing floor is one of the finest in the city and a record crowd is looked for. The dances are now being given every Saturday night, and are for the entertainment of the public in general.

Supervision is excellent and Honoluluans who do not know what these dances are like are invited to come and see for themselves.

**GUARDSMEN TO HOLD DRILL AT FORT RUGER**

At 6:30 o'clock this evening the Fort Ruger Company, Coast Artillery Corps, National Guard of Hawaii, will drill with the 12-inch mortars at the fort under the direction of non-commissioned officers.

More men are needed for the new coast artillery companies now in process of formation, and Capt. G. K. Harrison asks each member to bring with him at least one prospective recruit.

**ENJOYABLE DINNER IS GIVEN BY GALLOGLYS**

Captain and Mrs. James A. Gallogly had dinner for 18 at the Alexander Young hotel last evening followed by dancing on the roof garden. The dinner table was beautifully decorated with African daisies.

Guests at the enjoyable affair included Col. and Mrs. Alfred Hunter, Col. and Mrs. William P. Kendall, Col. and Mrs. James B. Houston, Col. and Mrs. James H. McRae, Major and Mrs. Edgar Russel, Captain and Mrs. Jack Hayes, Lieut. and Mrs. W. W. Hicks, Lieut. and Mrs. Robert O. Edwards.

**BIG MORTARS AT RUGER WILL BE BUSY TOMORROW**

Tomorrow afternoon at 2 o'clock the big new mortar battery at Fort Ruger will roar when proof firing will be held, and a total of eight shots fired out to sea at distances ranging from 5 to 8 miles.

Proof firing is to determine whether the carriages of the mortars function properly. The shots will prove whether the carriages have been properly set up and adjusted.

Each projectile from the new mortars weighs about 1000 pounds. Approximately \$20 worth of powder is used to each shot. The amount of powder used is much less than that required to hurl a projectile from a 12 or 14 inch gun, as the principle of the mortar is to let gravity do the work by plunging the shot down from a given height upon the enemy vessels, while in the big rifles the shot has to be fired with sufficient impetus to pierce the ship broadside at long range.

Tomorrow's proof firing will be preceded by an inspection of the entire corps at the fort, at 9 a. m. Capt. C. G. Mettler, department ordnance officer, will make the inspection and have charge of the proof firing. Today he inspected machine gun companies at Fort Shafter.

**BIG NUMBER OF ARMY OFFICERS CONCLUDE QUIZ**

Today is expected to see the last of army officers' examinations completed. According to Hawaiian department headquarters this morning, all field officers have been examined and recommendations for promotions made.

The total number of junior army officers on Oahu who have taken the examinations is close to 140. The number includes captains, first and second lieutenants, and is divided as follows:

Cavalry, 23; field artillery, 23; coast artillery, 20. 1st Infantry, 23; 25th Infantry, 21; 2nd Infantry, 26; 17th Infantry, 1 (Lieut. Hornsby Evans, aide-de-camp to General Evans).

Field officers examined have included two in the cavalry, two in the artillery, one in the 1st Infantry, two in the 2nd Infantry and one staff officer, Lieut.-col. James H. McRae of department headquarters, adjutant to General Evans.

A number of field officers were promoted without examination by reason of graduation from the military service schools within the last four years.

**GEN. EVANS CALLS ON ADMIRAL BOUSH AND SEES PEARL HARBOR**

An official visit to Pearl Harbor, where a call was paid to Rear-admiral Clifford J. Boush, commandant of the naval station, was made this morning by Brig.-gen. R. K. Evans, commanding the Hawaiian department, and several officers of his staff.

The general is due to return this afternoon. He was shown the various points of interest at Pearl Harbor by the commandant and expressed great interest at the progress of the work there.

Fire losses in the United States and Canada during May amounted to \$15,973,500.

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**Fort Shafter Notes**

(Special Star Bulletin Correspondence)  
FORT SHAFTER, June 27.—Lieut.-col. B. W. Atkinson, 2d Infantry, visited Schofield Barracks on Tuesday, where he reported to the examining board for examination for his promotion. He will receive promotion to a colonelcy on July 1.

Owing to the fact the main road across the gulch from the main post to the cantonment has been closed for the purpose of putting in a large drain by the engineers, the large motor bus is unable to make its regular trips to the cantonment and only runs as far as the Headquarters building. Its route is via the back line of barracks in the main post.

Lieut. Raymond R. Wheeler, Corps of Engineers, received a painful injury on Monday when he was struck on the forehead by a two-by-four scantling, which fell from the roof of the aerodrome. The lieutenant is in charge of the construction work on the theater at the fort and was giving instructions on the ground when the long piece of scantling fell and cut a long gash in his forehead and knocked him unconscious for several minutes. His men rushed him at once to the department hospital, which was near by, and after the doctors took three stitches in the wound the lieutenant returned to his work.

The post commander has notified the department quartermasters that the following officers and enlisted men from the fort will want transportation to the mainland on the July transport: For first class transportation, Maj. George H. Jamerson, 28th Infantry; Capt. Edwin A. Hickman, Signal Corps; 1st Lieuts. Joseph A. McAndrew and John B. Richardson, and 2d Lieuts. Thomas J. Camp, Edward F. Witsell, Ralph C. Holliday and Charles B. Lyman of the 2d Infantry. Second class transportation—Master Signal Electrician John T. McAniff, Signal Corps; 1st Cl. Sgt. John T. Sullivan, Sgt. James Kelly, 1st Cl. Sgt. Felix B. LaCrosse, 1st Cl. Sgt. Earle B. Fuller, 1st Cl. Sgt. John C. Grant, Sgt. G. A. Pollin and 1st Cl. Sgt. Frank J. Maxwell, all of the Signal Corps; 1st Sgt. Orin H. Rigley, Co. L, 2d Infantry. In addition to these there will be 69 enlisted men of Field Company E, Signal Corps, who will proceed to the border for duty, and 17 enlisted men of the 2d Infantry for duty as assistant instructors at the camps of instruction in the Western Department; five enlisted men of the 2d Infantry for discharge, and three who will go on furlough. This is an unusually large number from the garrison and will reduce the strength much below what it has been for some time.

An examining board of officers consisting of Capt. Otho B. Rosenbaum, Capt. William E. Hunt, 2d Infantry, and Capt. Harry R. McKellar, Medical Corps, are now in session at the fort conducting the preliminary examinations of enlisted men for promotion to the grade of second lieutenant. The examinations are being conducted in the Administration building and nine enlisted men are being examined.

A crusade on the stray cats and dogs at the fort is being made by the police officer and quite a large number of these pests have been killed.

Orders have been issued by the department quartermaster stating that there would be no transportation available on the July transport for families of officers who are going to the mainland for duty in the Western Department as instructors at the various civilian training camps. This will work more or less of a hardship on those officers detailed for this duty as it will require that they secure transportation on a commercial liner for their families or that the families remain at home for three months. The transport is more than crowded now and there is no room for the many that would naturally desire to go.

1st Lieut. Stephen H. Smith, Medical Corps, has been relieved from duty at this post and ordered to proceed at once to Schofield Barracks for duty. Lieut. Smith is at present in the field at Puukii with the detachment of Company I, 3d Battalion of Engineers, on temporary duty.

The examinations of the June class of the school for cooks and bakers were held at Headquarters building on June 15, and the following is the results: In the cooks' class, Pvt. Harry W. Preston, 91st Company, C. A. C., was graduated with highest honors and won the first prize for cooks, \$5 in gold, with a percentage of 96. Second prize in this class was won by Pvt. Smith G. Snelflow, Company K, 2d Infantry; this prize was \$2.50, his percentage being 94.

1st Lieut. Charles L. Wyman, 25th Infantry, formerly stationed at Schofield Barracks, has just received a cable from the War Department which details him in the Signal Corps at Fort Shafter for duty with the telegraph and telephone platoon. Lieut. Wyman takes the place of 1st Lieut. Frederick F. Black, who was formerly on duty here in the Signal Corps, but was recently transferred to the 25th Infantry. Lieut. Wyman will move to Shafter the latter part of the week and bring his family.

The coast guard cutter Thetis, built in Dundee, Scotland, in 1883, now obsolete in type and useless for coast guard purposes, has been sold to a New York firm for \$25,100.

**JUNIOR OFFICER EXAMS. FINISHED; BOARDS THROUGH**

The boards appointed for that purpose have completed examinations to date for promotions in the junior grades of officers in the Hawaiian Department.

As a result, 1st Lieut. George Rullen, Jr., Coast Artillery Corps, the last of the junior officers to be examined, has been reported as qualified for promotion. He is a newcomer to the islands and was formerly stationed at Fort Wright, N. Y.

The following officers have been reported as qualified for promotion by the boards conducting examinations for field officers: Lieut.-col. John E. McMahon, 1st Field Artillery; Lieut.-col. Frank R. Keefer, Medical Corps; Lieut.-col. James H. McRae, adjutant-general, department adjutant; Maj. Charles A. Hedekin, 4th Cavalry; Maj. Edmund S. Wright, 4th Cavalry, and Maj. William Weigel, 2nd Infantry.

**SAYS SUGAR MILL YARDS SHOULD BE KEPT CLEANER**

The average sugar mill yard looks as if it had been dropped out of hell, because it was too ugly to be allowed there.

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All the same, the "Buttinski" who fills this column maintains that there is no reason why the mill yards of Kohala and some other districts should "look like the devil," be "ugly spots" instead of "beauty spots."

The time will come when the planters' agents will have to insist—just to satisfy Congress that they deserve a tariff on sugar, if for no other reason—that efficiency experts thoroughly investigate every department of operations. Then the old mud-wallow of a mill yard will have to go where the ox team and the whaling kettles have gone. They all belong together. There is one mill yard in Kohala with hollows in it big enough to swallow out of sight a cart load of cane, mules, driver and all.—Kohala Mid-get.

**ARMY ORDERS**

June 27, 1916.

Special Orders, No. 105.  
1. Paragraph 5, Special Orders, No. 92, these headquarters, current series, is revoked.

2. Pursuant to the requirements of General Orders, No. 5, War Department, 1913, Maj. Joseph B. Douglas, Coast Artillery Corps, Department Signal Officer, will make not to exceed three trips during the month of July, 1916, to Schofield Barracks, and Fort Shafter, H. T., and return, for the purpose of inspecting the telephone system at the posts named.

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