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24TH NATIONAL REUNION, CLEARWATER, FLORIDA DECEMBER 4-5-6-7, 1965

The JACK TAR HARRISON Hotel in downtown Clearwater has been selected as the Convention Headquarters. Many facilities are available for members and their guests during the convention period (and longer if you desire to extend your stay).

Suncoast Chapter No. 1, PHSA, will have a special program printed for this reunion; it is going to be a professional job, with a national circulation, advertising, pictures, programs, etc., to a full scale. A section will be set aside for Boosters, their home addresses, and the units to which attached during the attack on Pearl Harbor. If you desire your name added on this list, please send in \$1.00; this will include a copy mailed to you, or presented to you at the time of the reunion. Additional copies will be available at the reunion. If you are interested in running an ad in this program please send in what you would like to have and we will let you know what the cost will be, prior to having it printed, and wait for your okay, before we bill you. Send Boosters and Ads to Hank Shane, 6488 Central Ave., St. Petersburg, Florida.

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Fishing and golf, swimming and tennis, are but a few of the recreational activities available. In addition, we believe the Memorial Service this year will be held at one of the most beautiful sites available anywhere, and this particular service this year should be a must on your schedule. The U.S. Air Force will be our host service.

Our speakers for the Memorial Services and for the Reunion Banquet will be men of national prominence; their names will be announced later. This year's National Reunion Banquet is going to be open to the Public, and it is expected that a great number of prominent people and distinguished guests will be present.

You will note the Schedule of Events, and as you will see, Suncoast Chapter is really going "all - out" to make this a real big affair. Those of you who were at the National reunion in St. Louis will well remember the wonderful time you had — and we are going to try to make this a bigger and better affair — a sort of warm up for our 25th Anniversary Reunion which is to be held in Honolulu in 1966.

CORRECTION TO UNIT LISTS

The following Navy ships should be added to the unit listings: McFarland, Navajo and Ontario.

BAKERSFIELD, CALIF. TO BE SITE OF CALIF. STATE REUNION JULY 1966

Bakersfield, California has been selected as the city to host the California State Reunion in July 1966. The Bakersfield Chapter is one of the most active chapters in the organization and I am sure that all those who attend this state reunion will have a wonderful time. Further information regarding this can be obtained by contacting Walt Willison, 615 Patricia Avenue, Bakersfield, California.

CENTRAL ILLINOIS CHAPTER HEADED BY GUY CROSS

Central Illinois Chapter elected new officers on September 4, 1965. They are as follows:

Guy Cross, Sub Base P.H., President; James Newman, Harbor Patrol, Vice President; Tom Proctor, Barbers Point, Secretary; Charles Shendel, Hickam Field, Treasurer; Carl Browning, USS Phelps, Charles Clague, Hickam Field, John Doyle, USS Tennessee; Trustee and Honorary Chaplain Harold Hunt, USS Oklahoma.

FRANCIS DUSSEAULT APPOINTED MASSACHUSETTS STATE CHAIRMAN

Francis Dusseault, 2 East Highland St., Lynn, Massachusetts, was appointed the Chairman for the State of Massachusetts on September 1, 1965. Francis is a survivor of Schofield Barracks.

SUMMARY OF SPECIAL ARTICLES OF FIRST FOUR ISSUES PRINTED

Following is a summary of some of the articles of special interest which appeared in the first four issues of the Pearl Harbor-Gram.

We are sorry that space limitation does not permit a reprinting of the entire articles nor the many photographs which appeared in prior issues. If any member or non-member would like full information regarding any particular article we would be happy to furnish it as long as our supply lasts.

Pearl Harbor Survivors Assn. members plan huge reunion at Pearl Harbor to commemorate the 25th anniversary of the attack on December 7, 1941.

Oregon, Washington and Idaho survivors plan to meet in Portland.

Wright-Patterson Air Force Base tentatively selected for Ohio's 1964 Memorial Service.

Large crowd attends Eastern Missouri
Chapter charter presentation and dinner
dance.

Suncoast St. Petersburg, Florida, chapter to hold memorial service and dinner.

California State Chairman plans relighting ceremony.

Central Illinois chapter to host state reunion.

Fleet Admiral Chester W. Nimitz participates in California Memorial Service.

Ex-Marine heads Portland chapter.

Widow of survivor of the U.S.S. St. Louis anxious to hear from shipmates of her deceased husband.

Greater Bakersfield officers assume duties on February 3rd.

Sacramento Chapter enjoys steak dinner.

Attention all members who served in Destroyer Squadron 48.

Clearwater, Florida to be the site of the 1965 National Reunion and Memorial Service.

National Charter being sought from Congress.

Illinois Chapter No. 3 plans dinner meeting.

New decals available from the National Office.

State of New York continues to grow.

New officers elected for the New Jersey chapter on March 20.

Pearl Harbor survivors special guests at premier showing of "In Harms Way".

Greater Bakersfield chapter news.

Ford Island survivor heads second Missouri chapter.

Portland chapter schedules dinner meeting.

October 23, 1965 to be date of New York State Reunion.

New Jersey survivors plan meet in September.

Deposits pour in for Hawaiian Reunion.

U.S. Treasury Department, Internal Revenue Service issues determination letter to National Office.

Virginia survivors to hold reunion on July 17.

Life Membership opened.

Associations Memorial Plaque placed aboard U.S.S. Arizona Memorial

Los Angeles chapter plans memorial service and dinner dance.

Missouri State Capitol Building to be used for memorial service.

Salt Lake City, Utah selected for 3 day reunion.

Binghamton, New York, chapter activities for December 7, 1964, incomplete.

Florida to be site of 1965 National Reunion and Memorial Service.

A special note of appreciation from Dave Montgomery, President of Central Illinois.

Who owns this silver dollar minted in 1934?

National Office codification of Naval Units and Military Bases on the Island of Oahu on December 7, 1941.

San Francisco Bay Area chapter elects officers.

SCHOFIELD BARRACKS SURVIVOR ELECTED PRESIDENT OF THE NEWLY FORMED SYRACUSE CHAPTER

Francis McCaw was elected president of the newly formed Syracuse chapter. He lives at 105 Woods Avenue, Syracuse, New York.

Other officers elected were Homer G. Vader, Vice President; Michael F. Viggiano, Secretary; Allison H. Howard, Treasurer and Francis I. Rousseau, Floyd E. Chase and George F. Norton, Trustees.

This makes the third chapter in the State of New York. Nice going fellows and good luck in all your endeavors.

LOS ANGELES CHAPTER PLANS PEARL HARBOR CEREMONIES THIS DECEMBER 7

Los Angeles Chapter plans Pearl Harbor ceremonies this December 7 for those who are unable to attend the National Reunion and Memorial Services in Clearwater, Florida. Detailed information may be obtained from Dale Justice, 18259 Van Ness Avenue, Torrance, California 90504.

Governor-Elect of the State of Missouri attends Missouri's Memorial Service.

David T. Montgomery appointed Illinois State Chairman.

Maryland chapter elects officers.

Santa Clara, California holds election of officers on November 3, 1964.

Mount Diablo Beacon relighting stirring tribute.

Grave site of the Commanding Officer of the U.S.S. West Virginia is the scene for Pearl Harbor Memorial Services.

New Mexico State Chairman appointed.

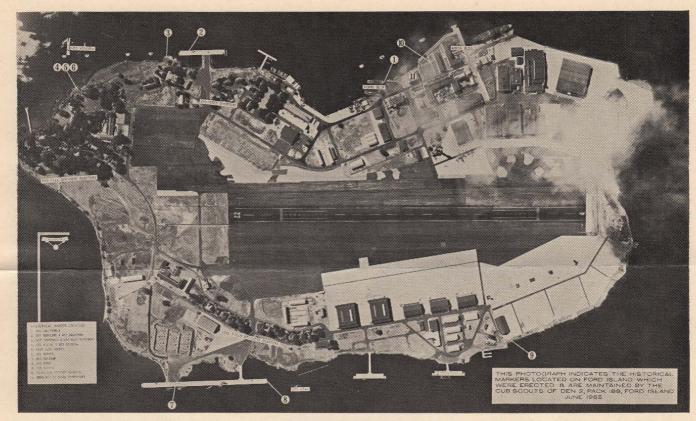
State Chairman appointed for Oklaho-

U.S.S. Tangier survivor appointed State Chairman for Utah.

Frank Frucci appointed Michigan State Chairman.

New Orleans chapter elects officers for 1965.

Indiana State Chairman, John C. Berlier reports new officers elected.



FORD ISLAND TODAY

Courtesy-Editor, The Ford Islander

ATTENTION - NON-MEMBERS

We are indeed happy that we are able to mail this issue of the Pearl Harbor-Gram to our non-member friends. As you may already know, the Pearl Harbor Survivors Association was founded in 1958 by 11 Pearl Harbor survivors living in California.

Today we have located nearly 10,000 military survivors of the Pearl Harbor Attack. These thousands live in every state of the Union and many in foreign countries. Our search for survivors continues (note article concerning news release to 15,000 newspapers). Most states have at least one chapter and one state has 7 chapters, these chapters meet at various times. Some monthly, some quarterly, etc., each plays an important role in the National Organization.

The Pearl Harbor Survivors Association National Office is located in the heart of the United States, Jefferson City, Missouri. This office is the hub from which flows a mass of material. Information on all survivors located, member and nonmembers alike, are recorded on IBM punch cards, these cards are processed thru high speed modern data processing equipment. As an example, the labels used in this mailing were prepared on a printer at a printing speed of 600 lines

per minute, the unit list of members and the state and master alphabetical listing of both members and non-members are prepared at the same speed. The walls of the National office contains 40 pictures of the attack on Pearl Harbor and other installations, all grim reminders of why the PHSA is in existence. We have a library of 16mm sound films on the attack and at the present we are attempting to enlarge this library. In the near future these films will be available (on loan) to our local chapters. No salaries are paid by the Association to its National officers, the only salaries paid are for secretarial and clerical help in the National office. Everyone who handles the funds of the National office must post a Surety Bond. You will notice that our Association has qualified for a "Non-Profit Organization" postal permit under the veteran organization section. The U. S. Treasury Department, Internal Revenue Service has ruled that the PHSA is exempt from Federal Income Tax and that all contributions to the Association are tax deductible by the donor.

We wish it were possible to describe all the many facets of this very exclusive organization and the activities in which we are engaged both at the National, State and the local chapter levels. It is regreted that our limited funds do not permit us to mail all the issues of the Pearl Harbor-Gram to our nonmember friends but we will try to keep in touch with you occasionally.

Due to the huge number of members planning to return to Pearl Harbor with us next year to commemorate the 25th Anniversary of the attack, the workload in the National Office will be extremely heavy and further mailings to non-members cannot be made until 1967. We hope you enjoy reading this issue of our quarterly publication.

The qualifications and costs for membership in the Pearl Harbor Survivors Association are found at the bottom of the application enclosed.

HAVE YOUR NAME APPEAR IN THE 24TH REUNION PROGRAM

Come on fellows, let's send those dollar bills to Hank Shane at 6488 Central Avenue, St. Petersburg, Florida and have your name, your home address and the unit to which you were attached at the time of the attack appear in this program. If you are unable to attend the reunion, a copy of this program will be sent to you. We need your name. We need your dollar.

24TH ANNIVERSARY REUNION CLEARWATER, FLORIDA TENTATIVE SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

Saturday, December 4, 1965

10 a.m. - 6 p.m. Registration — Sun Lounge.

6 p.m. Hospitality Reception for Survivors and wives (cocktails). Courtesy of Suncoast Chapter, No. 1, PHSA — Roof Terrace.

Sunday, December 5, 1965

10 a.m. - 6 p.m. Registration — Sun Lounge.

1 p.m. - 5 p.m. Films of Pearl Harbor Attack. (Will be shown continuously during the afternoon.) Public in-

vited. - Zephyr Room.

A good day to go sightseeing — to the beaches, visit Tarpon Springs and the Sponge Docks nearby; PGA Golf Course in nearby Dunedin; take a ride to De-Soto National Park via Bayway Bridges; stop at the midway Lounge anytime after 2 p.m. for a Special Treat and Program supervised by John Andrews, a member of the PHSA.

Monday, December 6, 1965

10 a.m. - 6 p.m. Registration — Sun Lounge.

8 a.m. - 10 a.m. Executive Board meeting. — Blue Room.

10 a.m. - Noon. State Chairmen meet-

ing. - Blue Room.

1 p.m. - 5 p.m. Business meeting (Membership cards must be shown for admittance). —Ft. Harrison. Election of National officers. — East Room.

2 p.m. - 6 p.m. Films of the Peal Harbor Attack (shown continuously) Public invited. —Zephyr Room. Sightseeing tour to World reknown Busch-Gardens in Tampa.

6 p.m. - 8 p.m. Hospitality Reception
-Roof Terrace.

Tuesday, December 7, 1965

7:55 a.m. National Memorial Service, Clearwater Auditorium. This, the time of attack 24 years ago, is the highlight and prime purpose of our National Reunion. Here we honor our fallen and Dedicate ourselves anew to KEEPING AMERICA ALERT. The State of Florida, the City of Clearwater, and the U.S. Air Force are all contributing to make this the most outstanding Memorial Service in our History.

9:30 a.m. Wreath laying Ceremony. Soldiers and Sailors, Monument, at the Memorial Causeway.

10 a.m. - 6 p.m. Registration — Sun Lounge.

10 a.m. - Noon, Ladies Games, Prizes by PHSA. — Zephyr Room.

11 a.m. - 6 p.m. Trip to Weeki-Wachee Springs.

ANOTHER CHARTER ISSUED



Some of the Syracuse Chapter members proudly display their recently issued Charter. Seated left to right: John Hornbeck, Al Howard. Standing: Walter Brown, Homer Vader, Francis Rousseau, Bernard Schon, Sylvester Puccio, Francis McCaw.

8 p.m. Memorial Banquet and Installation of Officers: There will be the presentation of Distinguished guests, roll call of Units; Speech by Brigadier General E. A. McDonald, U.S. Air Force. Floor show and entertainment followed by dancing to the music of the best Combo on the West Coast of Florida. A bar will be set up for our use and convenience. Public is invited to the Memorial Banquet. Dress—Optional.

Wednesday, December 8, 1965

Check-out — Farewell and Aloha —See you in HONOLULU in 1966.

LIFE MEMBERSHIP OPENED

The National Executive Board recently voted to open for an indefinite period Life Memberships. This matter was brought before the Board due to the many requests from Officers and members of the association. New members desiring Life Membership must pay \$50. This includes the \$5.00 Initiation fee. Existing members who have paid their current years dues must remit \$40.00. This offer will remain open until officially changed by the Executive Board and notice published in the Pearl Harbor-Gram.

ASSOCIATION HATS

The Official Pearl Harbor Survivors Association hats are available from the National Office. Sizes: Large, Medium, or Small. Price \$6.50.

ATTENTION POST OFFICE EMPLOYEES

We are indeed happy to advise you that the United States Post Office Department in their letter of August 20, 1965, has advised the National Office that postal employees who are members of our organization will be granted annual leave each December to attend our Reunion and Memorial Service. It is necessary, however, for these employees to be back on duty by December 13th. The Post Office Department has notified each Regional Director regarding this matter. Anyone desiring a copy of this letter may have same by contacting the National Office.

ORGANIZATIONAL FLAGS AVAILABLE

Official Pearl Harbor Survivors Association flags are now available from the National Office. These flags are approximately 45 inches by 68 inches. The flags are constructed using 100 percent white rayon taffeta, and are dry cleanable. Price \$15.00. Allow two weeks for delivery.

UNIT LISTS

Unit Lists are available from the National Office, they are yours for the asking. If you would like a list of buddies who were attached to your unit who have joined our association, just write to the National Office and enclose a stamped self-addressed envelope. Only members in good standing will receive these lists.

NORTHERN ILLINOIS CHAPTER ELECTS NEW OFFICERS SEPTEMBER 12TH AT JOLIET



Standing left to right: Warren W. Wood, Trustee, of Naperville; Elmer J. Parsons, Trustee, of Aurora; Harry Kanter, Trustee, of Chicago; Walter E. Dearie, Chaplain, of Joliet.

Sitting left to right: Elmer H. Boehm, Treasurer, of Buffalo Grove; H. Arthur Bush, Vice President, of Joliet; David F. Briner, President, of Waukegan; Robert M. Grigg, Secretary, of Aurora.



Officers of the USS Ward Chapter. Seated left to right: Carroll Hutchings, V.P.; Robert H. (Bob) White, Pres.; standing Richard Hall, Trustee; Ernest H. Kempfer, Trustee and Eugene Henry, Sec. - Treas. These men head up the second Chapter in the State of Missouri.

PORTLAND CHAPTER PRESIDENT REPORTS ON ACTIVITIES

Harry Niehoff, USMC, reports on some past and forthcoming activities of the Portland Chapter. It appears from the report that this chapter meets monthly and two forthcoming events are on October 16th when they will meet at the Thunderbird Motel-Restaurant and on November 20th at the New Heathman Hotel. From Harry's report they have a very large turnout for their meetings and I am sure that the newsletter which they publish is enjoyed by their members. The National Office always appreciates copies of these newsletters since it enables us to assist chapters in some of their activities.

BRIGADIER GENERAL E. A. McDONALD, USAF, SCHEDULED TO SPEAK

Brigadier General E. A. McDonald, Commander, 822nd Air Division, Strategic Air Command, Turner Air Force Base, Georgia is scheduled to be the banquet speaker at the National Reunion to be held in Clearwater, Florida, December 4, 5, 6 and 7, 1965. I am sure all of those in attendance will enjoy hearing the General.

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Prayer for our Dead

Eternal rest grant unto them, and let perpetual light shine upon them and may they rest in peace. AMEN

> JOSEPH G. MICHALIK Petaluma, California

JOHN T. ATCHISON Garden Grove, California

DUES DUES DUES

The 1966 membership cards are now available for issuance by the National Office. How about sending in your \$6.00 now and have all this behind you before all the activity starts in commemoration of the 24th anniversary of the attack. The new membership cards are made on white stock with blue printing and carries the background wording "25TH ANNIVERSARY". How about giving the National Office a break and start getting these dues remittances in now? Your present annual membership card expires on December 7, 1965. Life members of course, do not pay annual dues.

DO YOU HAVE A RESOLUTION OR PROPOSAL CHANGE IN OUR CONSTITUTION AND BY-LAWS

Any chapter or individual not a member of a chapter who may have any resolution or proposed change in the National Constitution and By-Laws which it is desired to present at the forthcoming national convention in Clearwater, please send original and four copies thereof to Edward Mrovka, Chairman, Resolutions and Legislative Committee, PHSA, 701 1st Avenue North, St. Petersburg, Florida. All such proposed resolutions will be given committee attention and presented to the association when sitting at convention.

USS WARD CHAPTER HOLDS CHARTER PRESENTATION DINNER

USS Ward chapter will hold its charter presentation dinner on October 2, 1965 at the Rockwood Country Club, Indepence, Missouri.

United States Congressman William Randall will be the guest speaker and Bob White, Chapter President (Ford Island), expects a huge turnout.

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Special rates for children, dependent on their ages, will be quoted on request.

Wherever possibl, special flights with group discounts will be arranged from various major cities to Log Angeles or San Francisco Gateways. Details on the flights and rates will be furnished later.

Note: Those departing from Portland and-or Seattle should add \$20 per adult to the above cost.

Depoit of \$40 per family is required. Final payment is due by October 21, 1966. RESERVE NOW! Make check pay-

IMPOSSIBLE — IS IT????



The above photograph shows National Vice President Charles Blazek, Milwaukee, Wisconsin, with part of the 15,000 envelopes containing news releases which will be mailed in October to news media across the United States for release December 7.

Chuck is going all-out in an attempt to locate all living military survivors of the attack on December 7, 1941. We expect a huge response from this undertaking and the National Office would appreciate anyone seeing articles regarding our association or statements on the radio or television to please advise the National Office so that we may know how effective our coverage was.

Our hats are off to the National Vice President for his devoted efforts to search out more survivors.

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These pins are one-half inch diameter, have the military clutch attachment, and are made of 10 K. gold.

VIRGINIA SURVIVORS HAVE SUCCESSFUL MEETING

Jesse Pond reports that a successful meeting was held in Fredericksburg, Virginia on July 17, 1965. This meeting was enjoyed by all in attendance and there were discussions on such topics as the 1965 Reunion in Florida, the Pearl Harbor Return in 1966 and other items of general interest. The meeting was well covered in the press.