

LOCAL MOTHER GOES 3200 MILES TO WATCH CADET SON IN REVIEW

Mrs. Lawrence L. Benton Jr. of 2107 Gramercy Ave. was honored at the seventh annual Parents Week End at the U.S. Coast Guard Academy in New London, Conn., last week end.

Mrs. Benton, mother of Cadet Fourth Class Max D. Benton, was presented a gift following the review of the 600-man corps of cadets on Saturday morning, for traveling the greatest distance to attend the parents' week end. She traveled over 3200 miles to attend this event.

ONE WEEK end each year is set aside for the parents of the corps of cadets to visit their sons and officially tour the Academy, both inside and out. This also gives the par-

ents a chance to meet the officers and instructors at the Academy. Prior to the review on Saturday morning, the parents had the opportunity to visit the classrooms and laboratories where their sons study for a commission of Ensign in the U.S. Coast Guard and a Bachelor of Science degree.

THE PARENTS began to arrive on Friday morning, and by Sunday over 700 parents and guests had registered at the Academy. Friday evening they attended a football rally with the cadets, and Saturday afternoon they were able to see the Coast Guard Academy team win a close game from Amherst College, 14-12. There

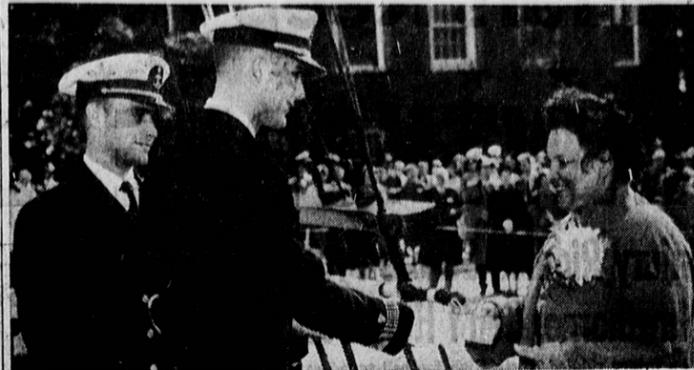
were also sailboat races and a cross-country meet on Saturday afternoon.

Saturday evening, Mrs. Benton and the other parents of the fourth class joined the cadets at an informal dance in the Recreation Hall, while the upper three classes held a formal dance in Billard Hall.

Closing out the formal festivities on this the seventh parents' week end, was a Raven Heptagonal Race at Jacobs Rock Sunday morning following services in the Academy Memorial Chapel.

FARM COUNT

There are 4,792,000 farms in the U.S. today compared with a total of 6,812,000 farm operations in 1935.



TORRANCE WOMAN CITED . . . Mrs. Lawrence L. Benton, Jr., received a gift from Cadet, first class, LeRoy G. Krumm, Regimental Commander of the Corps of Cadets at the U. S. Coast Guard Academy, while Cadet, first class, William H. Low, Chief Petty Officer, Supply, looks on. The gift was presented to Mrs. Benton for traveling the greatest distance to attend her seventh annual Parents weekend at the Coast Guard Academy last week end. (U.S. Coast Guard Photo)

Bruce A. Wilson, USN, son of Chester E. Wilson of 2001 S. Denker, and George E. Becker, boilerman second class, USN, husband of the former Miss Mavis M. Miner of Torrance, are serving aboard the heavy cruiser USS Bremerton which departed Long Beach on Oct. 20 for a four-month tour of duty with the U.S. Seventh Fleet in the Western Pacific.

Upon returning to the states in February, the Bremerton is scheduled to be decommissioned.

While in the Far East, the ships crew will participate in various operational exercises and visit Japan, Hong Kong, and the Philippines.

Marine Pfc. Arthur E. Palmieri, son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Palmieri of 22127 Newkirk St., Marine Pvt. Roy W. Clites, son of Mr. and Mrs. Curtis E. Clites of 18420 Ashley Ave., and Marine Pfc. Carl W. Tomblin, son of Mr. and Mrs. O. A. Tomblin, of 23301 S. Marigold Ave., are scheduled to depart San Diego Monday aboard the Navy transport USS General D. I. Sultan for Okinawa with the Second Battalion, Fifth Marine Regiment from Camp Pendleton.



GETS GOLD BARS . . . Leonard L. Nicholson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Irving D. Nicholson, 3331 W. 190th St., was recently commissioned a second lieutenant in the Army after graduation from the Infantry Officer Candidate School at Fort Benning, Ga. The 24-year-old officer was graduated from Wahoo, Neb., High School in 1951. His wife, Edna, lives at Limon, Colo.

Richard A. Beard, machinist mate third class, USN, son of Mrs. Calista L. Beard of 1215 W. 208th St., returned to Long Beach aboard the newly commissioned destroyer USS Turner Joy, after a month-long combination trial run and good-will cruise to South America.

During the tour the destroyer's crew visited Costa Rica; Peru; and the Naval Station, Rodman, Canal Zone.

Upon completion of her shakedown cruise the Turner Joy will assume the duties as flagship for the Commander of Destroyer Squadron 13 and will join the U.S. Pacific Fleet.

OKINAWA BOUND . . . Scheduled to depart from San Diego Monday aboard the Navy transport USS General D. I. Sultan for Okinawa is Marine Pvt. James Pico of 24005 Lomita Drive, Lomita. He is assigned to the Second Battalion, Fifth Marine Regiment from Camp Pendleton. The battalion is scheduled to arrive in Naha, Okinawa, Nov. 19.

Jon C. Phillips, interior communications electrician second class, USN, son of Mr. and Mrs. Karl F. Phillips of 4705 Avenue C, Torrance, returned to San Diego Thursday aboard the destroyer USS Boyd after a six-month cruise in the Western Pacific.

Operating with units of the U.S. Seventh Fleet, the Boyd participated in various exercises and in September, took part in the Taiwan Patrol and replenishing of Kaohsiung, Formosa.

Ports visited by the destroyer's crew included Pearl Harbor; Hong Kong; Subic Bay, Philippine Islands; Yokosuka and Iwakuni, Japan, and Hiroshima, Japan, where the sailors played host to a group of orphans, serving them ice cream and cake and individual gifts.



SONAR TRAINED . . . Graduated Oct. 16 from Fleet Sonar School at Key West, Fla., after completing a 24-week course in basic sonar operation was David J. Metternick, sonarman seaman, son of Mr. and Mrs. Amos Chadwick, 18245 Roslin Ave. He has been assigned to the USS Wadleigh at Newport, R. I. Before entering the service, Metternick attended North High School.

ENDING TRAINING . . . Marine Pvt. Gerhardt F. Cherney, son of Mr. and Mrs. Arlis D. Bell, 21416 Moneta Ave., is scheduled to finish four weeks of combat training at Camp Pendleton next Friday.

Eighth Grader New Madrona President

Eighth grader Sandra Coffey was elected student body president at Madrona Elementary School this week, following school-wide voting.

Other new officers include Bill Valles, vice president; Pamela Brown, secretary-treasurer; Janet Kimbrell, girls' athletic director; and Ray Cano, boys' athletic director.



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