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**Students Collect Soil Samples**

Dr. C. G. Bookhout, director of the Duke University Marine Laboratory, looks at samples of earth gathered by Betty Martin and William Ward, graduate students at the Piver's Island laboratory. This soil will be sent to Lederle laboratories, Pearl River, N. Y., to be tested for possible micro-organisms which may prove as effective as the antibiotic aureomycin. See story page 1.

Photo by Jerry Schumacher

**Atom Age Electronic Brains Keep Base Records Accurate**

Human beings are distinguished from other animals, because they can tell right from wrong, have a more fully developed memory, and are credited with having a conscience.

Here at Camp Lejeune there are machines that could be considered nearly human because they're able to tell right from wrong, remember information, and if they make a mistake, they're bothered by their error enough to cease operation. At least, that's one way of looking at it.

The Machine Records Installation is the home of these strange and highly complicated electronic "brains."

Located in Building 1101 in the Industrial Area, approximately 50 officers and enlisted men are busy day and night feeding information into the machine, preparing reports printed by the electronic calculators, and putting information of all types in the form of punched holes in cards.

Under the present command of Lieutenant Colonel Bruce W. Hammond, MRI No. 2 was established at Camp Lejeune in September 1949. Rosters and lists that would take weeks to prepare by hand are printed in a matter of a few hours on the large accounting machines, commonly known as "tabs."

Embarkation rosters, monthly personnel rosters, housing reports, officer and enlisted assignment listings, special reports of all descriptions are all "duck soup" for the tabs.

Information is fed to the machines on special cards. After the information has been coded to save space and avoid repetition it is punched into the cards by key-punch machines resembling large typewriters. The card emerges from the keypunch full of small rectangular holes.

These holes are the same that appear in some government checks, gas, water, or electric bills. Each card has 80 vertical columns for information and plenty of facts can be punched into that short space.

For example, it's possible to put a man's full name, rank, and serial number on a card along with his date of enlistment, regular or reserve status, MOS, race, marital status, organization, pay, grade, date of rank, Korean service and dependents.

Electrically "reading" the small punched holes, the accounting machines use this information with other data it has "remembered" electrically to print many copies of a total, listing, or roster of names on a continuously-fed roll of paper.

Time required for the machine to do all its thinking and printing about one item is less than a second yet the same operation performed by humans might easily take a matter of minutes.

Furthermore, the machine can be made to store up or "remember" the information which is fed to it and later print totals or summarize from these facts equally as fast. And a machine never tires or "takes five" for coffee.

The Machine Records Installation also prepares thousands of civilian payroll checks weekly, using the payroll data in a punched card. A reproducing punch is also connected to the tab. At the same instant that the amount is being printed on the check, it is also being punched in the form of holes in a card passing through the reproducer. The new card is then electrically filed for reference, and the records are kept current.

Should the reproducer make an error, it will automatically stop and show a red light. The error then easily can be found.

The alphabetic collator approaches a human brain in its operation. Within its metal "skin," its anatomy consists of dozens of electronic tubes, miles of wire, and hundreds of pieces of electrical and mechanical equipment.

The collator is able to compare two punched cards for mistakes or arrangement and either rearrange them in the correct order or reject the faulty card.

It can also file two decks of cards together in the proper sequence and check that order, much the same as you would do in arranging playing cards in your hand. The collator makes and registers its decisions almost instantaneously.

Another responsibility of the MRI's electrical "thinkers" is keeping the file in the Camp Locator Section in Building 1 up-to-date. With hundreds of men reporting in and being discharged or transferred off the base weekly, keeping track of these men would be a tremendous job were it not for the

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**SCARLET ANGEL**

**Banks, Government Offices To Close for July Fourth**

Banks, post offices, and other government offices, liquor stores, and chain food stores will close Friday, the Fourth of July. At press time yesterday, no clearest decision had been made on places of business in Beaufort and Morehead City, but many are expected to remain open.

Crowds at the beach are running larger this year than any previous season and the number spending the day and long holiday weekend at the beach is expected to far exceed that of any previous year. A fireworks display has been scheduled at Atlantic Beach Friday night.

**Crowds Favor 'He's My Boy'**

It didn't take long for the dog racing fans to pick out the favorite of the current season at the Carolina Racing association track west of Morehead City. In his first appearance at the track, He's My Boy became the favorite.

The 65-pound, 23-month-old brindle dog had been delayed in his three schooling races due to sickness, and thus his first 5/16s run was Saturday night, June 21. He ran in the featured 11th race, got a terrible start from the 3-box. But the huge crowd of 2,700 fans, largest of the season, yelled as the dog showed speed and power at the turn, winning handily over Easy Whirl and Three Dots.

He's My Boy comes to Morehead City with an outstanding reputation. Figures provided by Trainer James Rae, working the local entries for the kennels owned by Fred Whitehead, whose big dog farm is at Chanut, Kan., show the dog's prominence. He ran 23 times at Hollywood and Miami's Biscayne tracks this past season, had seven firsts, four seconds and a third.

The Whitehead champion is the son of a national champion, Beach-comber, who won 99 races and was the outstanding canine in the country in 1949. The dam is Slever Sister. At Biscayne last winter He's My Boy was considered one of the top three dogs, and he is already a favorite to break Jack Arher's 5/16s record of 31.1 seconds here.

**Beaufort Buys Motorized 48-Inch Street Sweeper**

Beaufort commissioners, in special session Thursday afternoon, authorized purchases of a street sweeper. The sweeper, motorized with a broom 48 inches wide, will be bought on the rental purchase plan at a cost of \$1,600.

The sweeper is already in use and one man on the town crew in three hours is able to sweep all of front street and all cross streets with curbs north to Broad, Dan Walker, town clerk reported. Formerly all gutters were swept by hand.

The cost of a new sweeper is \$1,815 plus freight. The sweeper purchased was a demonstrator which sold for \$1,600.

**Nine County 4-H Club Members Attend Camp**

Nine Carteret county 4-H club members are attending camp at Manteo this week. Accompanying them is C. H. Kirkman, 4-H advisor. The clubbers left yesterday morning and will spend a week at Manteo. They will attend the Lost Colony in addition to participating in planned camping activities.

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**Car, Dump Truck Crack Together on Bridges St.**

A car ran into the rear of a dump truck at 5:10 p.m. Friday on Bridges street at 20th in Morehead City. No one was injured but damage to the car was estimated at \$250.

Patrolman Carl E. Bunch who investigated said the driver of the truck, Julius D. Small, jr., route 1, Beaufort, had to stop suddenly because a car in front of him stopped.

Willie F. Lewis, jr., 1210 Evans, who was following the truck, failed to stop in time and crashed into the rear of the truck. Both vehicles were headed east. The truck, owned by the state, was not damaged.

**Old Chiefs Never Die**

Calgary, Canada (AP)—There are enough retired police chiefs and fire chiefs here to form a baseball team now. Five fire chiefs and four police chiefs have retired on reaching pensionable age since 1943.

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**More Triangle Business**

Janet Leigh can't make up her mind as to which man she wants—impetuous and extravagant Peter Lawford, or serious and down-to-earth Richard Anderson. It's all part of the fun of M-G-M's happy new romantic comedy, "Just This Once."

**All State Waters Open Today for Shrimping**

Night-time shrimping officially ended last night. Beginning this morning at 4 o'clock, shrimping in all waters of the state opened and is now permitted daily until 8 p.m. except on Sunday.

By special ruling, day and night shrimping started June 2 in the area lying between a dike running from the southeast end of Goose Island, Pamlico county, then with Brant Island shoals to Brant Island light, thence to Ocracoke lighthouse and a line from Queen's creek south of Swansboro to Bogue inlet.

**Challenge Meeting Will Take Place at 2 Tomorrow**

Representatives of county agriculture agencies will meet at 2 o'clock tomorrow afternoon in the home agent's office, Beaufort, to discuss plans for setting up a long-range agriculture program in Carteret county. The meeting is in conjunction with the North Carolina Accepts the Challenge project.

Present will be J. W. Crawford, program planning specialist with the extension service, and C. S. Mintz, district farm agent. This is the third challenge meeting to be held in the county. Twenty-seven persons are expected.

R. M. Williams is chairman of the project. The home agent's office is located in the court house annex.

**Two Autos Collide Yesterday in Morehead**

An accident occurred yesterday at 12:30 on Arendell st. in Morehead City between 7th and 8th sts., when a 1952 car driven by Mrs. Eileen Tyler McWhorton of Bethel collided with a 1949 model auto driven by Preston Carl Edwards of Morehead City.

Mrs. McWhorton was proceeding west and Edwards was backing out from the curb in front of the Dress Shop. According to Edwards, he had backed out and already stopped when the other car struck his.

Damage to the Edwards car was estimated at \$30. Left rear bumper and tail light were the only damages. The McWhorton car was damaged to the extent of \$200. The car struck on the right front fender and door.

Mrs. McWhorton received a sprained right arm. Capt. Herbert Griffin investigated the accident.

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**Ad in Error**

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