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015. letter	Jorge Fenton to Commander re: Award medal [Personally Identifiable Information] [partial] (1 page)	10/26/1992	b(6)
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019. letter	Earl Yowell to Ileana Ros-Lehtinen re: Jorge Fenton's award medal [Personally Identifiable Information] [partial] (1 page)	03/01/1993	b(6)
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Miami, September 20, 1993

Mr. Jose Cruz
Office of Public Liaison
Old Executive Building
Room 122
Washington, D.C. 25000

Dear Mr. Cruz:

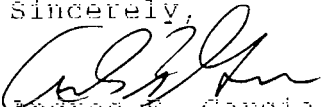
As per our telephone conversation of today, I am forwarding the information we sent to Col. Gil Coronado, but unfortunately has been misplaced, along with our letter to him of July 26, 1993.

The two issues we are addressing: The Armed Forces Expeditionary Medal (Cuba, October 1962-May 1963) for those Cubans who served in the U.S. Armed Forces during the Cuban Missile Crisis and a plan for Humanitarian Aid to Cuba Post-Castro are very important to the Cuban-American Community in the U.S. We are enclosing two binders with information for your perusal, which you are free to pass along to the appropriate officials as you see fit.

A confidential meeting with our Commander-in-Chief to further discuss these two issues is extremely important. The Cuban-American Veterans are highly respected by our community; therefore, we could play a very positive and significant role in the relationship of the President with this sector of the American public which is well known for its work ethic, love for freedom and loyalty to its true friends.

We are eager to hear from you in the near future.

Sincerely,


Andres F. Garcia
Director

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July 26, 1993

Ret. Col. Gil Coronado
3704 Albermarle St. N.W.
Washington, D.C. 20016

Dear Col. Coronado

On behalf of Felix Rodriguez, Mario Alfonso, Frank Penela and myself, we want to express our appreciation for the time you took from your busy schedule to meet with us on July 16, at the Pentagon and your expressed interest in the work of our organization, the Cuban-American Veterans Association.

As we discussed, we believe President Clinton, our Commander in Chief, could solidify his ties with the Cuban-American community by addressing two (2) issues.

1) Issuing an Executive order granting the Cuban-Americans who volunteered and served in the U.S. Armed Forces during the October 1962-Cuban Missile Crisis; the Armed Forces Expeditionary Medal, (Cuba; October 1962-May 1963).

2) Endorsing our organization's plan for Humanitarian aid to the people of Cuba, immediately upon the overthrow of the Castro's communist regime.

Concerning the first issue, we are enclosing some information we have put together showing the induction of the Cuban-Americans into the U.S. Army in response to the Missile crisis, as well as correspondence with members of Congress requesting the issuance of the medal.

Concerning the second issue, we are enclosing information about our humanitarian aid to Cuba Plan, and the steps we have taken to carry out our mission. As Americans born in Cuba, we are concerned about the future relations of our two countries and our organization is willing, able, trained, and motivated to represent the U.S. as goodwill ambassadors to Cuba through the implementation of our plan.

In our visit to the State Department, it was suggested to us, to conduct a ceremony at the National Vietnam Veterans Memorial, to honor the many Cuban-Americans who died in Vietnam. It will be a victory to the current administration in its relations with the Cuban-American community to declare in the future, A Cuban-American Veterans day in Washington. On that day, the President, Mr. Clinton, could recognize in a ceremony at the White House, the many Cuban-Americans who served in the U.S. Armed Forces during the Missile crisis, by presenting them with the Expeditionary Medal and paying tribute at the Viet Nam Memorial to those

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Cuban-Americans who served and gave their lives in VietNam. I can assure you, that if those two events take place, we can mobilize in an orderly fashion, thousands of Cuban-Americans to Washington to support our appreciation to our Commander in Chief.

Our organization could serve therefore as a bridge between the Cuban-American community and the administration.

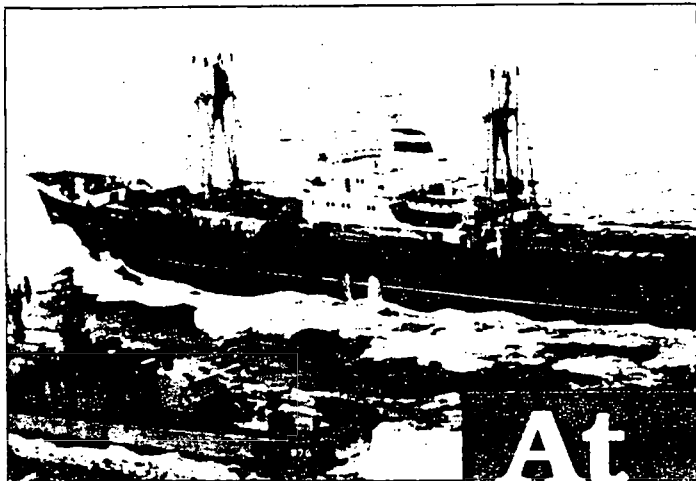
We also respectfully request, through your efforts, a confidential meeting with the President to discuss these two issues.

We thank you in advance for your help and at the same time we express our support to you in your future assignment with the Administration.

Sincerely



Andres Garcia
Director
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Soviet ship *Volgoles* with one partially uncovered missile on the foredeck, and other canvas-covered missiles on the afterdeck. U.S. Navy's radar picket ship *USS Vesole* appears alongside. Official U.S. Navy photograph

"One of the most striking aspects of the missile crisis was its almost total lack of violence," said Eliot Cohen of the U.S. Naval War College. "A U-2 was shot down over Cuba, a Soviet sub may have been depth-charged, but that's about it."

Yet America and the Soviet Union were brought to the very brink of WWII during this largely non-violent confrontation in October of 1962. Close on the heels of the Berlin Crisis, U.S. forces throughout the world were placed on alert and tens of thousands mobilized in and around Florida.

Fidel Castro had been a thorn in Uncle Sam's side ever since he seized power in 1959. On April 17, 1961 the failed Cuban exile invasion at the Bay of Pigs further heightened tensions. (U.S. aircraft carriers stood by near the landing site, and throughout 1961-62, the U.S. Navy patrolled Cuban waters.)

As early as August 1962, U-2 flights had spotted missile sites on Cuba. Early next month President John F. Kennedy mobilized 150,000 Reservists. Then on Oct. 14, a U-2 positively confirmed a Soviet nuclear missile site on the island. Ten days later a U.S. Navy blockade of Cuba went into effect.

Task Force 136 — consisting of the anti-submarine carrier *Essex*, three heavy cruisers, 16 destroyers and six support ships — screened Atlantic approaches to Cuba by disposing ships in an arc extending from Jacksonville, Fla. to beyond San Juan, Puerto Rico.

In addition, a picket line of ships based around the nuclear-powered carrier *Enterprise* formed an inner patrol ringing Cuba. Task Force

At the Brink: Cuba, 1962

135, as it was designated, was reinforced by aircraft carrier patrols, and was intended to defend Guantanamo Naval Base. The *USS Independence* also was on call.

An international fleet, called Task Force 137, comprised seven ships — one from the U.S. and the remainder from member-countries of the Organization of American States. It deployed south of Puerto Rico, a relatively secure zone.

All told, 63 U.S. vessels surrounded Castro's bastion. Some 30,000 sailors and aviators were directly involved in locating ships headed for Cuba. Counting craft preparing for a possible invasion, the number totaled 183.

Meanwhile, Florida was becoming an armed camp. Hundreds of

thousands of troops were readied for invasion. The Army's 1st Armored Division moved east from Texas, soon joined by four other Army divisions. Plans were in place: the 101st Airborne was to take Mariel Bay, held by almost a Cuban division led by Che Guevara. Approximately 20,000 Russian troops — four units of 5,000 men each — guarded missile sites.

In the eye of the storm was Guantanamo Bay. Dependents were evacuated, leaving the base with an eerie aura about it. The *Navy Times* described the isolated facility: "A high ridge of hills inside the chain-link fence boundary had been deeply scarred by the trenches and bunkers to form the Marines' main line of resistance."

Elements of the 1st and 2nd Marine divisions reinforced the tiny garrison. A Marine of Battalion Landing Team 2/1 later remembered how the Marines "stayed locked and loaded for six weeks." Leathernecks patrolled a 7-ft. wire fence stretching 24 miles around, and another 10 miles of seacoast.

Blockade operations successfully screened incoming ships. On the second day, the destroyer *Gearing* stopped the Soviet tanker *Bucharest*. Soon after the destroyers *Joseph P. Kennedy, Jr.* and *John R. Pierce* detained the Soviet-chartered *SS Marcula*. On Oct. 27, Maj. Rudolph Anderson lost his life over Nipe Bay when a surface-to-air missile downed his U-2 plane.

By then, war loomed large. "On the Guantanamo Bay perimeter several thousand poncho-en-shrouded Marines squatted numbly in trenches, drenched in torrents of rain," wrote David Detzer in *The Brink*. "Ringing Cuba, another 25,000 Marines were almost set as a landing force."

"Over 100,000 Army troops in Florida were ready to follow. The carriers *Enterprise* and *Independence* had closed the island. Cruiser captains had already received their orders about where to start firing."

Suddenly, on Oct. 28, however, the crisis ended when Moscow agreed to remove its missiles from Cuba. Once the missiles were gone, the naval blockade was lifted Nov. 20. Tensions, nonetheless, remained high through May 1963. RKK



VFW Eligibility

Armed Forces Expeditionary Medal
Cuba: Oct. 24, 1962 - June 1, 1963

Navy/Marine Corps Expeditionary Medal
Cuba Operation: Jan. 3, 1961 - Oct. 23, 1962

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Kennedy - Khrushchev Correspondence
Cuban Missile Crisis, October-December 1962

<u>Doc. #</u>	<u>Date</u>	<u>Sender/Recipient</u>	<u>Summary</u>	<u>Citation of Previous Publication</u>
1.	10/22/62	Kennedy to Khrushchev	Kennedy expresses U.S. reaction to Cuban developments.	<u>Bulletin</u> , Nov. 19, 1973, p. 635; <u>Claflin, JFK</u> , pp. 205-206.
2.	10/23/62	Khrushchev to Kennedy	Khrushchev accuses U.S. of intervening in Cuba; reaction to Kennedy's speech of 10/22.	<u>Bulletin</u> , Nov. 19, 1973, p. 636.
3.	10/23/62	Kennedy to Khrushchev	Kennedy acknowledges Khrushchev's 10/23 letter and blames Soviets for Cuban crisis.	<u>Bulletin</u> , Nov. 19, 1973, p. 636.
4.	10/24/62	Khrushchev to Kennedy	Answers Kennedy's letter of 10/23 and accuses Kennedy of offering the Soviets an ultimatum, not a "quarantine."	<u>Bulletin</u> , Nov. 19, 1973, p. 637.
5.	10/25/62	Kennedy to Khrushchev	Replies to Khrushchev's letter of 10/24/ and reiterates U.S. belief that Soviets initiated the first challenge in the crisis.	<u>Bulletin</u> , Nov. 19, 1973, p. 639.
6.	10/26/62	Khrushchev to Kennedy	Acknowledges Kennedy's letter of 10/25 and protests U.S. definition of offensive weapons.	<u>Bulletin</u> , Nov. 19, 1973, p. 640.
7.	10/27/62	Kennedy to Khrushchev	Acknowledges Khrushchev's letter of 10/26 and agrees to work out permanent solution to the Cuban problem.	<u>Bulletin</u> , Nov. 19, 1973, p. 649; <u>Claflin, JFK</u> , pp. 209-210; <u>Docs. on Disarm.</u> , p. 990.; <u>Public Papers of JFK</u> , p. 813.
8.	10/27/62	Khrushchev to Kennedy	Has studied Kennedy's reply to U Thant; proposes points of agreement for avoiding armed conflict.	<u>Bulletin</u> , Nov. 19, 1973, p. 646; <u>Docs. on Disarm.</u> , p. 991.

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| 9. | 10/28/62 | Khrushchev to Kennedy | Replies to Kennedy's letter of 10/27 and assures him that order has been issued to dismantle offensive weapons. | Bulletin, Nov. 19, 1973, p. 650;
Docs. on Disarm., p. 995. |
| 10. | 10/28/62 | Kennedy to Khrushchev | Answers Khrushchev's message of 10/28, saying it is an important contribution to peace. | Bulletin, Nov. 19, 1973, p. 654;
Public Papers of JFK, p. 814;
Claflin, JFK, pp. 211-212; Docs.
on Disarm., p. 1000. |
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| *1. | 11/30/62 | Khrushchev to Kennedy | Discusses Cuba, disarmament, Germany and Berlin. | |
| *2. | 11/03/62 | Kennedy to Khrushchev | Kennedy replies to Khrushchev's message of 10/30. | |
| *2a. | 11/04/62 | Khrushchev to Kennedy | [Received on 11/05/62] Khrushchev discusses a list of offensive weapons. | |
| 3. | 11/06/62 | Kennedy to Khrushchev | Message concerning removal of IL-28 bombers from Cuba. | |
| *4. | 11/12/62 | Khrushchev to Kennedy | Message confirms withdrawal of missiles from Cuba. | |
| *5. | 11/13/62 | Kennedy to Khrushchev | Oral message on IL-28 bombers. | |
| *6. | 11/14/62 | Khrushchev to Kennedy | Message agrees to withdraw IL-28 bombers from Cuba. | |
| *7. | 11/15/62 | Kennedy to Khrushchev | Acknowledges Soviet agreement to remove IL-28 bombers. | |
| *8. | 11/20/62 | Khrushchev to Kennedy | Confirms Cuban agreement in reply to Kennedy's 11/15 message. | |
- Claflin, JFK, pp. 217-221.

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| *9. | 11/20/62 | Kennedy to Khrushchev | Oral message lowering the state of alert on Cuba. |
| 10. | 11/21/62 | Kennedy to Khrushchev | Replies to Khrushchev's message of 11/20. |
| *11. | 11/22/62 | Khrushchev to Kennedy | Answers Kennedy's 11/21 message. |
| *12. | 12/10/62 | Khrushchev to Kennedy | Discusses Cuba and Berlin. |
| *13. | 12/14/62 | Kennedy to Khrushchev | Kennedy considers Cuban crisis over. |
| 14. | 12/19/62 | Khrushchev to Kennedy | Khrushchev considers Cuban crisis closed; discusses nuclear test ban and inspections. |

Published in Claflin, JFK, p. 222; Beschloss, Crisis Years, 561.

Published in part in Claflin, JFK, pp. 227-229; Beschloss, Crisis Years, 571.

Docs. on Disarm., p. 1239.
Amer. For. Pol.: Current Docs.
 (1962), p. 1306.

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Los Cubanos Van a Alistarse

Un grupo de jóvenes cubanos que acudieron ayer a alistarse en el Ejército de los Estados Unidos, hablan de su inquebrantable fe en los destinos de Cuba, mientras eran su turno en las oficinas del Servicio Selectivo. La bandera de las cincuenta estrellas aparece como respaldando tan digna y patriótica actitud.

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SPECIAL ORDERS
NUMBER 211

- E X T R A C T -

19 October 1962

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Assigned to: US Army Reception Station, Fort Knox, Kentucky

Report date: Not later than 2400 hrs 19 October 1962

Permanent change of station (MDC): PCS A1

Authority: Department of the Army message: 87241 30 August 1962

Effective date of change of strength accountability: 19 October 1962

MADRUGA, RAMON UC	(b)(6)
GONZALEZ, RICARDO	(b)(6)
GARCIA, ROBERTO UC	(b)(6)
GONZALEZ, RAFAEL A	(b)(6)
DELGADO-MOLINA, JOSE	(b)(6)
CALDERIN, URBANO A UC	(b)(6)
NEGRIN, EULALIO J UC	(b)(6)
GARCIA-COLON, RENE A D	(b)(6)
PENA, DIEGO H	(b)(6)
MARINO, FAUSTO	(b)(6)
VERA, PEDRO J	(b)(6)
PINO-VILLA, OCTAVIO	(b)(6)
FERRER, DOUGLAS H UC	(b)(6)
FUENTES, PEDRO F UC	(b)(6)
SANCHEZ-CAIRO, FERNANDO P UC	(b)(6)
POZO, ARTURO UC	(b)(6)
BADELL-MARQUEZ, RAFAEL UC	(b)(6)
MORA-CANALES, VINCENTE M UC	(b)(6)
LOPEZ-MARTINEZ, SIXTO R UC	(b)(6)
PIÑENTEL-AMADO, FRANKLIN UC	(b)(6)
*HERNANDEZ, MARIO UC	(b)(6)
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GONZALEZ, IVAN S	(b)(6)
MENENDEZ-PEREZ, JULIO	(b)(6)
CARRILLO, MARIO L UC	(b)(6)
TORRIENTE, JOSE D UC	(b)(6)
DO CAMPO, SUBIZA A UC	(b)(6)
GUEVARA, ANDRES R UC	(b)(6)
SANCHEZ-HERNANDEZ, MEDARDO G A UC	(b)(6)
DE LA VICTORIA, NESTOR UC	(b)(6)

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IZQUIERDO-TORRES, JULIO
MARTINEZ, ESTEBAN J UC

(b)(6)

DIAZ, JOSE R

(b)(6)

JIMENEZ-MIRET, ALBERTO UC

(b)(6)

VIDAL, JESUS A UC

(b)(6)

SERNA, ROBERTO UC

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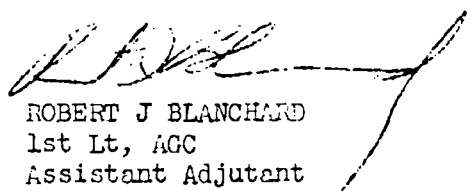
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HEADQUARTERS 4TH TRAINING BRIGADE
US ARMY TRAINING CENTER, ARMOR
Fort Knox, Kentucky

SPECIAL ORDERS
NUMBER 242

15 December 1962

E X T R A C T

21. TO 340. LEAVE auth as indic. (PI) Co E 15th Bn 4th Training Bde (BCT) (2018) USATC Armor Ft Knox, Ky. Indiv will comply with instr contained in App II AR 630-5.

Mfi Date: 18 Dec 62

Type: Ordinary

No Days: 16

Auth: AR 630-5 & Ltr USATC Armor AIBKTC-GP 26 November 1962 subject Christmas - New Year Leave.

- Op Inst: Indiv will return from leave by 2400 hours 2 January 1963. In the event of emergency which cannot be solve by indiv:
1. Report to nearest military installation for assistance.
 2. Request assistance from nearest Red Cross Office.
 3. Notify HQ 4th Training Bde phone 4-9875. COLLECT CALLS DURING NO. 1000-1100.
 4. Send telegram to Co of indiv company: Capt Nathan H Crow CO, CS E 15th Bn 4th Trg Bde (BCT) USATC Armor Ft Knox, Ky.

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CONSEJO REVOLUCIONARIO DE CUBA

"MENSAJE A LOS JOVENES PATRIOTAS CUBANOS"

Boletín Informativo

No. 2

Enero 5 de 1963

1700 Biscayne Blvd.
Miami, Fla.

PLAYA GIRON

Cuba, angustiada y herida por todos los martirios, ha recibido alborozada el regreso de los héroes de Playa Girón. Para ellos, para sus familias, para todo el exilio y para los millones que quedan atrapados en la Isla cautiva, el rescate de los prisioneros de la invasión gloriosa, ha sido un hondo motivo de regocijo. Estas Pascuas, las últimas del destierro, se han visto iluminadas por la luz de esa alegría Pero la sombra de los que allí quedan, de los que allí sufren, de los que allí mueren en ese infierno de nos va envolviendo de nuevo el alma. Los primeros en esta angustia, son los héroes de la Brigada de Asalto 2506. De todos sus pechos, con encendido patriotismo, ha brotado el anhelo de apretar de nuevo en sus manos valientes el rifle redentor. Apenas decrecida la tensión de las horas primeras, apenas disfrutado el calor de los brazos cariñosos que los recibían, se volvieron sus ojos a la Patria lejana, y vieron enturbiarse su alegría ante el dolor de sus hermanos Han llegado a las playas de la libertad, a las tierras de la democracia, han estrechado la mano del gran líder mundial que encabeza el Mundo Libre pero todos estos homenajes, toda esta alegría sólo sirve de acicate a sus empeños de ver un día cercano, libre y soberana, a la Patria por la cual se dispusieron a ofrendar sus vidas.

Los que vivieron las horas indescriptibles en que funcionó el puente aéreo que hubo de devolverlos a la libertad tras los episodios, llenos de tensión, de las negociaciones del rescate, jamás olvidarán aquel desfile glorioso de los bravos soldados de la libertad, por la tribuna del anfiteatro de Dinner Key Nuestros ojos se empañaban de lágrimas, nuestras manos enrojecían en la ovación interminable y fervorosa Y los corazones de quienes los recibían en sus brazos amantes y de los que allí estaban para salu-

darlos como héroes, latían como acaso jamás otra emoción igual pudo hacerlos latir.

Un grito, como una consigna de honor, se escapaba del valeroso pecho de los liberados: ¡Volveremos...! Otros han quedado allá y ellos también tienen que ser libres.

La historia de los sacrificios que el cubano ha hecho a través de casi un siglo por la conquista de su libertad, por el triunfo de sus derechos de hombre, se ha enriquecido con los luminosos episodios de Playa Girón, capítulo que no se ha cerrado, que no podrá tener otro colofón que la derrota de las hordas castro-comunistas que esclavizan a Cuba y que pretenden expandirse por toda la América libre, para someter al yugo soviético a los pueblos hermanos de este Continente.

La llegada de los héroes de la invasión de 1961, ha llenado de alegría a cuantos pedíamos el milagro de su rescate. Admirados por su valor, por su entereza, por su sacrificio, recorren nuestras calles, orgullosos de haber sido soldados de la Libertad. Para ellos, la Cuba que sufre, tiene su más cálido homenaje.

Y para los hermanos que cayeron en las horas amargas de la lucha, para los que no regresaron porque la gloria los reclamó en su seno, la Cuba que espera el minuto de su liberación, tiene una lágrima, una oración y una promesa: no descansarán sus hijos hasta no ver ondear sobre sus tumbas abiertas en las arenas de la playa gloriosa, el pabellón sin mancha, por el cual se ofrendaron en el más viril de los holocaustos por la dignidad humana.

¡Honor a los héroes que regresan . . . ! ; Paz y gloria para los que se ofrendaron a la Patria en el glorioso sacrificio por su libertad.!

IDEARIO

"Los hombres van en dos bandos: los que aman y fundan; y los que odian y destruyen."

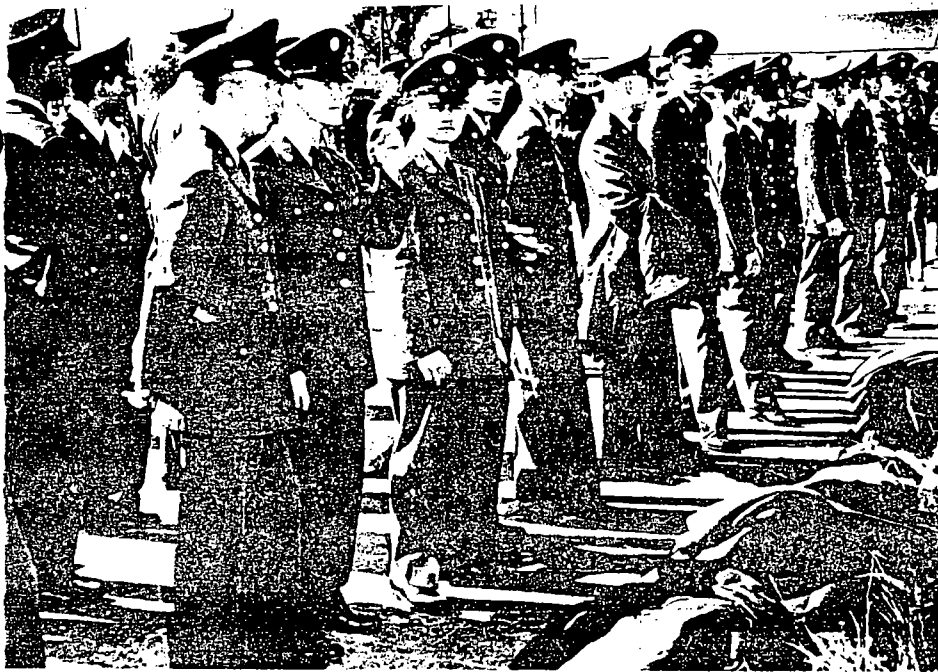
"La Libertad cuesta muy cara y es necesario resignarse a vivir sin ella o decidirse a conquistarla a cualquier precio."

"Yo abrazo a todos los que saben amar."

"La sangre de los buenos no se derrama en vano."

"La tumba es vía y no término. La muerte es una victoria y cuando se ha vivido bien, el léctro es un canto de triunfo."





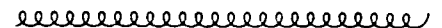
Los jóvenes cubanos que reciben adiestramiento militar en Fort Jackson, Carolina del Sur, arriban a Miami para pasar con sus familiares las fiestas pascales.

REGRESAN FAMILIARES DE LOS HEROES DE PLAYA GIRON

Por gestiones del Comité de Familiares de los Prisioneros de Guerra de Playa Giron, fueron autorizados a abandonar Cuba cerca de 1.000 familiares de los héroes de la Brigada 2506.

Poco después de la llegada de los prisioneros, este grupo de familiares arribó a las tierras de la libertad en el barco "African Pilot", que había llevado a Cuba parte del cargamento de medicinas y alimentos remitidos desde Estados Unidos en pago del rescate.

Pese a las noticias pesimistas recibidas de Cuba sobre la nueva autorización para el viaje de los familiares que quedaron allá, y que no tuvieron la oportunidad de regresar junto a sus seres queridos liberados, se mantiene la esperanza de que puedan superarse las dificultades que impiden la salida de dichos familiares.



El Departamento de Defensa ha anunciado que la razón de este traslado es ofrecer a los jóvenes reclutas un área de clima más benigno.

Aunque los reclutas desarrollaron su adiestramiento en Fort Knox, sometidos a muy bajas temperaturas, esas condiciones de clima, a las que no estaban acostumbrados, en nada amyoraron sus entusiasmos y esfuerzo por obtener la adecuada preparación militar que los capacite para ser soldados de la libertad y la democracia.



TRASLADAN A LOS PATRIOTAS CUBANOS A FORT JACKSON, CAROLINA DEL SUR.

Ha comenzado el traslado de los jóvenes reclutas cubanos que comenzaron su entrenamiento militar en Fort Knox, Kentucky, al campamento de Fort Jackson, en Carolina del Sur.

GRACIAS, SEÑOR PRESIDENTE...

La visita del joven Presidente de esta gran nación, John F. Kennedy, acompañado de su distinguida esposa, la Primera Dama de los Estados Unidos, ha llenado de satisfacción a los cubanos y a cuantos con nosotros aman la democracia.

A las emociones de las Navidades de 1962, llevadas a su climax por el rescate de los prisioneros, se agregó un capítulo inesperado y trascendente. El Primer Mandatario americano, deseoso de estar en contacto con la gran masa cubana del exilio y de rendir un cálido homenaje a los gloriosos miembros de la Brigada 2506, los heroicos combatientes de Playa Giron, vino hasta aquí para ofrecer a los valientes cubanos rescatados de las garras comunistas, su más ferviente tributo como defensores de la libertad y la dignidad del hombre.

La presencia del señor Presidente de los Estados Unidos en Miami, ha tenido una enorme y decisiva trascendencia en este minuto de supremas decisiones que vive nuestra Patria. Con su visita, y con las palabras pronunciadas ante más de 45,000 cubanos, ante la gloriosa Brigada 2506, el Presidente norteamericano ratificaba su promesa de que Cuba sería libre, y llenaba de esperanza y de fe nuestros corazones.

Su presencia, sus declaraciones, el concurrir acompañado de su esposa, ya eran motivos de alta significación; pero hubo esa mañana inolvidable, dos gestos que llevaron nuestra emoción hasta límites insospechados. El primero fue cuando, rompiendo las costumbres protocolares, hizo que las primeras notas que se escucharán, fueran las del himno de Jayamo, y el segundo fue cuando, alejándose también de la forma habitual de las revistas militares, fué de fila en fila, recorriendo todo el campo del Orange Bowl, estrechando las manos de todos los jefes de pelotones de la heroica Brigada de Asalto 2506.

No puede silenciarse, desde luego, la alta significación que tuvo para los 45,000 cubanos que lo escuchaban y para cuantos conocieron el hecho a través de la televisión, la radio y la prensa, el acontecimiento de que cuando la Brigada puso en sus manos, en calidad de custodio, la gloriosa bandera de la Brigada, el Presidente Kennedy reclamara la presencia del valiente soldado que la rescató en la pelea, para decirle, dramáticamente, que podía asegurar a la Brigada que esa bandera que ondeó en Playa Giron, él, el Presidente de los Estados Unidos, la pondría de nuevo en sus manos, en una Habana libre. Esta declaración formal, hecha en esa oportunidad, tiene implicaciones trascendentes que nadie puede desconocer.

No podemos silenciar tampoco el hecho de que el señor Presidente propiciara que la Primera Dama de la Nación, en nuestro propio idioma, rindiera también un delicado homenaje a los valientes de Playa Giron. Las breves frases de la señora Kennedy, que se reproducen en este número, fueron un bello poema, un homenaje sin igual a la valentía de los patriotas de Giron, fueron el tributo emocionado de una madre que ama a sus hijos y declara ante el mundo que ella estaría orgullosa de que algún día fueran la mitad de los valientes que fueron aquellos soldados de la libertad que ofrendaron sus vidas en aras de su Patria esclavizada.

Después del sensacional acto de Orange Bowl, los que allá en la isla cautiva esperan, los que aquí luchamos en exilio, los demócratas del mundo, sentimos que nuestras razones se llenan de esperanza y de fe.

Cuba será libre.

Y América se salvara de la barbarie comunista.

Gracias, señor Presidente...

¿POR QUE SOY UN SOLDADO DE LA DEMOCRACIA.?"

El Consejo Revolucionario de Cuba se propone organizar un concurso literario entre los patriotas cubanos reclutados en el Ejército norteamericano. En nuestro próximo Boletín ofreceremos las bases de este concurso y otros detalles del mismo.

Consistirá en la redacción de un trabajo en el que se desarrolle el siguiente tema: "POR QUE SOY UN SOLDADO DE LA DEMOCRACIA?."



LA LLEGADA DE LOS PATRIOTAS



A la llegada de los patriotas cubanos procedentes de Fort Knox, son saludados en Miami por miembros del Consejo Revolucionario de Cuba. En la foto, rodeados por los jóvenes cadetes, aparecen, el Presidente, Dr. Miró Cardona, el Consejero de Relaciones Exteriores, Dr. Manuel A. de Varona y el Capitán, Fernando Ordaz, miembro del Ejército Americano, que ha realizado una encomiástica labor al frente de la oficina de Reclutamiento de Miami.

FORT KNOX-FORT JACKSON

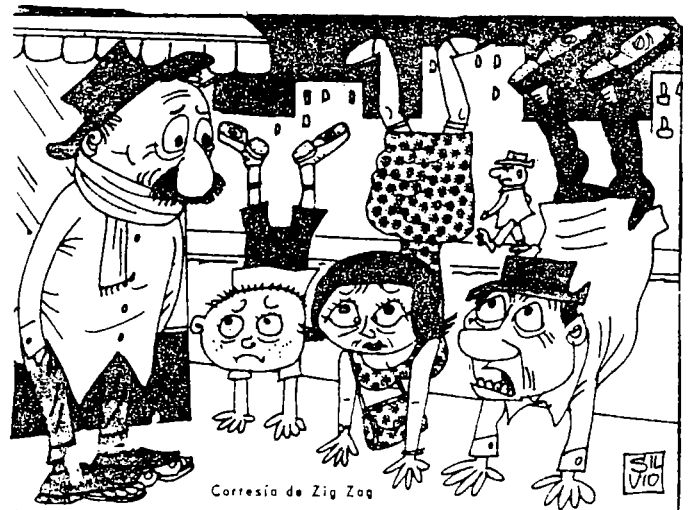
Sintiéndose orgullosos y felices, hemos visto desfilar por nuestras calles a los valientes jóvenes patriotas cubanos que se alistaron en las filas del Ejército Norteamericano, para adiestrarse militarmente y convertirse en eficaces soldados de la libertad y de la democracia.

Los millares de patriotas que visten el honroso uniforme del ejército estadounidense, invencibles legiones de la libertad que dos veces han salvado al mundo de las garras del totalitarismo, recibieron el homenaje de toda la ciudadanía y han regresado a sus campamentos llenos de fe en el futuro de su Patria.

El Consejo Revolucionario de Cuba, viendo en ellos la representación de la juventud cubana que espera una acción enérgica para liberar a Cuba, los vió hermanarse con orgullo a los bravos combatientes de Playa Girón, a los que un día correspondió la gloria de ser pioneros en la gran batalla por la libertad cubana.

Ya están de nuevo en sus campamentos militares, esta vez en Fort Jackson, ansiosos de adiestrarse en el manejo de las armas modernas y en la estrategia del combate, para ser útiles a Cuba, a América y a todos los pueblos donde la planta comunista haya aplastado o pretenda desconocer los derechos del hombre.

INDUSTRIA DEL CALZADO EN KUBA



Corresía de Zig Zag

EN LA KUBA DE NIKITA

-¿Y ésa, Facundo?

-Ahorrando, viejo. Y practicando para cuando se nos acaben los zapatos que tenemos puestos....



MRS. JACQUELINE KENNEDY SALUDA A LOS HEROES DE PLAYA GIRON: "Es un honor para mí estar hoy con un grupo de los hombres mas valientes del mundo y compartir la alegría que sienten sus familiares que por tanto tiempo vivieron esperando y rezando.

Me siento orgullosa de que mi hijo haya conocido a los oficiales. El es aún muy joven para comprender lo que ha

sucedido aquí, pero yo me encargaré de contarle la historia de vuestro coraje cuando él crezca.

Es mi deseo y mi esperanza, que algún día él sea un hombre, al menos la mitad de lo valiente que han sido ustedes, los miembros de la Brigada 2506.

¡Buena suerte.!"

PAGINAS DE GLORIA

Durante la odisea de Playa Girón se produjeron muchos hechos heroicos que recogerá para siempre nuestra historia. La Brigada 2506 fué protagonista de un glorioso y dramático episodio de la liberación cubana. Pero hubo un hecho que debe destacarse por la alta significación moral que representa como ejemplo para la juventud cubana.

Ocho de aquellos héroes de la Brigada, sin otra garantía que su palabra de honor, viajaron en dos ocasiones a estas tierras de la libertad y, cumplida la misión a ellos confiada, regresaron de nuevo espontáneamente al infierno de las mazmorras comunistas de Cuba, que era como ir hacia la muerte.

Ellos habían jurado morir por la libertad de su patria y no podían hundir sus vidas en la ignominia de traicionar a sus compañeros de la gloriosa Brigada, ni

traicionar su propia palabra de honor.

A través de los siglos, la voz de la Historia ha recogido hechos similares desde los tiempos de Grecia y de Roma. Pero ninguna de esas páginas ha hablado tan alto del honor de un grupo de hombres, como ese gesto de los delegados de la Comisión que, por dos veces, se vió libre de las prisiones castristas y, cumpliendo su deber, regresó al seno de sus compañeros para sufrir con ellos un destino común.

En esta hora en que el rescate de la Brigada ha sido lograda y ellos gozan, tras crueles martirios, de la ansiada libertad, quede consignado este hondo mensaje de reconocimiento al grupo de héroes de Playa Girón que supo escribir, sin importarle la prisión ni la muerte, esa página inmortal de la historia de nuestras luchas por la libertad.



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El Consejo Revolucionario de Cuba tuvo la feliz iniciativa de señalar el día 22 de Febrero próximo como **DÍA DE GRACIAS AL PUEBLO NORTEAMERICANO**, eligiendo esa fecha por ser el natalicio del Primer Ciudadano de esta Nación, el gran libertador George Washington. Cuba demostrará, pues, su gratitud al gran pueblo estadounidense en ese día, por la forma tan generosa en que hemos sido acogidos en esta nación, al huir de la barbarie comunista.

Varios actos se celebrarán en diversos lugares de los EE. UU., organizados por un Comité Central, formado por Delegados de las Organizaciones que integran el Consejo, y de otros sectores del exilio que han querido sumarse a esta iniciativa que no tiene carácter partidista y a la cual han sido invitados a colaborar todos los que deseen testimoniar su gratitud a este gran pueblo hermano.

En Washington se han programado varios actos que presidirá el Dr. José Miró Cardona, y a los que concurrirá también el Dr. Manuel A. de Varona, Director de Relaciones Públicas del Consejo, así como otros integrantes del mismo. Entre esos actos está la colocación de una ofrenda floral en la tumba de George Washington, en Mount Vernon. También se colocará otra ofrenda floral en el acto en que se dedicará el homenaje, al cual concurrirán representaciones oficiales de los Estados Unidos.

EL GRITO DE BAIRE

El próximo 24 de Febrero Cuba celebrará un nuevo aniversario del luminoso día en que tuvo inicio la gesta libertaria que nos hizo nación independiente y soberana.

Esta efemérides tiene hoy una dramática significación. Cuba sufre de nuevo las cadenas de la esclavitud, pero no son como en el siglo pasado. Las de la nación progenitora, sino las férreas y sangrientas cadenas que le imponen sus hijos traidores y el comunismo internacional.

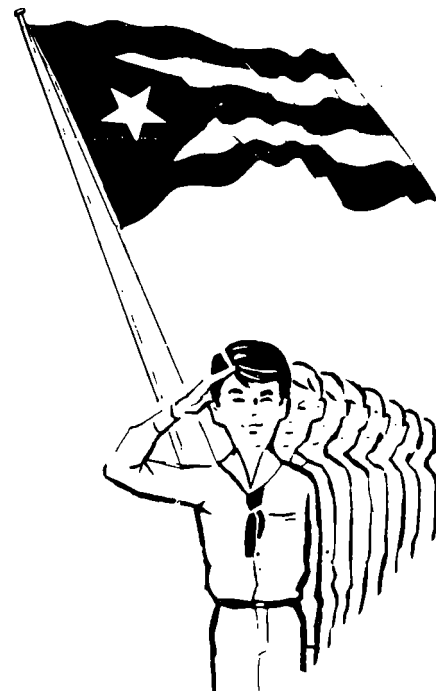
Vuestra guerra de hoy tiene una más honda implicación que la que nos emancipó de la colonia. Porque durante más de medio siglo, tras una gloriosa gesta de martirio y sacrificio, fuimos un pueblo libre y soberano.

Los cubanos responderán a esta nueva llamada de la Patria. La vanguardia de los ejércitos de liberación ya está adiestrándose en los campos de Fort Jackson impaciente porque llegue la hora suprema de salvar a Cuba.

La unión por la que tanto luchara nuestro Apóstol Martí para lograr la acción liberadora en nuestra guerra del 95, no sólo vertebrará en un magno esfuerzo a los cubanos, sino que todos los pueblos de América se hermanarán en la tarea insoslayable de erradicar de estas tierras de libertad, al monstruo comunista.

Esta gran cruzada para independizar a Cuba es más que una guerra por la libertad de una nación sojuzgada por la barbarie soviética, es la última oportunidad de las democracias para salvar al Continente americano de la esclavitud de esa doctrina atea y disociadora que ha puesto en peligro las conquistas de la civilización.

Sea este nuevo Grito de Baire en el exilio doloroso, un acicate más para la gran batalla por la Libertad de América y del Mundo.



DEFENDIENDO LA DEMOCRACIA QUE TENEMOS, LOGRAREMOS LA DEMOCRACIA QUE DESEAMOS.

LA LUCHA POR LA LIBERTAD

El Dr. Francisco Carrillo Masvidal, representante de la "Agrupación Montecristi" ante el Consejo Revolucionario, acaba de hacer públicos pronunciamientos sobre la función que, a su juicio, deben realizar las organizaciones revolucionarias, en su lucha por la libertad de Cuba.

Tal como lo haremos con interesantes pronunciamientos de líderes de las organizaciones integrantes del Consejo, a medida que éstos vayan produciéndose, ofrecemos hoy las declaraciones del Dr. Carrillo Masvidal sobre las aportaciones de las organizaciones revolucionarias para colaborar en el derrocamiento de la tiranía comunista.

He aquí algunos párrafos de esas declaraciones:

Las actividades de las organizaciones revolucionarias están determinadas por el lugar y momento en que se desarrollen las mismas.

Las organizaciones revolucionarias de Cuba, tanto en el clandestinaje como en el exilio, han sabido cumplir con su deber. Consecuencia de ello ha sido el trágico balance de muertos, cuyos nombres recogerá la Historia, que ofrendaron sus vidas ante el paredón, en los llanos y las montañas, y más recientemente aún en las calles de nuestras ciudades. De las filas de estas organizaciones han salido en incontenible procesión las decenas de miles de héroes que hoy llenan las más despiadadas cárceles de América. De esas filas han

salido también los valientes que en los campos o las ciudades han producido duros golpes a la tiranía dentro del propio territorio de Cuba.

De nuestras filas en el exilio, sin mencionar hechos menores pero no por ello menos heroicos, salieron los patriotas de Playa Girán, unidos hoy en las cárceles con sus hermanos de Cuba; de nuestras filas en el exilio han salido los propios hombres de nuestra organización con el coraje suficiente para batirse en plenas costas cubanas con lanchas patrulleras comunistas, causándoles bajas que enseñaron al mundo un nuevo estilo de lucha que ha sido seguido con éxito en acciones que como la del cañoneo del Hotel Blanquita, también con nuestra modesta participación, le han enviado un mensaje de aliento a los combatientes de dentro de Cuba, que comprueban que no están abandonados en su lucha y que los que desde afuera desesperamos por el regreso, no desmayamos en la labor por lograrlo.

Por último, de las filas de las organizaciones revolucionarias, como nuevo aporte a la libertad, salen a diario los miles de jóvenes que se incorporan a las "Unidades Cubanas" creadas dentro del Ejército Norteamericano para recibir el entrenamiento militar indispensable. Estos futuros héroes, junto a los dirigentes de estas organizaciones, confiamos en ser los primeros en teñir con nuestra sangre las playas añoradas de nuestra Patria.

Cuando se escriba la Historia de este proceso y se puedan dar datos y nombres que la discreción hoy impide, Cuba y el Mundo libre sabrán cuanto han aportado por la libertad de ellos, las organizaciones revolucionarias.

Mientras tanto, las organizaciones revolucionarias, sus dirigentes y miembros de fila, tienen que estar conscientes de que al asumir la responsabilidad de dirigir la lucha, aceptaron las consecuencias de esa dirigencia. Otros han podido desesperarse ante los reveses. Para el revolucionario, una derrota no significa el final de la lucha; significa que en vez de desfallecer, tiene que hacer aún mayores esfuerzos para recuperarse y comenzar de nuevo.

Hoy miramos hacia atrás y recordamos cuantas veces hemos tenido que ir contra la marea del pesimismo general. Sólo nos basta decir que si otra vez la meta se alejara, de nuevo estaremos en nuestro puesto, una vez más tomaremos la senda de nuestros antepasados. Los mambises que se lanzaron a la manigua en 1868 tuvieron que esperar hasta 1902 para ver ondear la enseña de la estrella solitaria en Cuba Libre. Pero recorrieron el largo camino sin desfallecer.

Para las organizaciones revolucionarias de hoy, herederas de la tradición martiana, el camino será largo o corto, pero estarán en él hasta ver la Patria liberada."

NOTICIERO

* **LA CRISIS DEL ABASTECIMIENTO EN CUBA.**—Cubanos llegados en los aviones que llevaron artículos enviados como pago del rescate, informan sobre la creciente crisis de abastecimientos comestibles.

Para dar una idea de los precios que han alcanzado algunas mercancías, ofrecemos una relación del costo de algunos artículos alimenticios.

He aquí los precios de la Bolsa Negra, en las contadas ocasiones en que pueden obtenerse esas mercancías: 1 lb. de puerco: \$2.50; 1 lb. de manteca: \$2.50; 1 lb. de arroz: \$1.20; 1 lb. de malanga: \$0.30; 1 lb. de ajo: \$0.50; 1 lb. de cebollas: \$1.20; 1 lb. de chorizos: \$1.00; 1 lb. de tocino: \$3.70; 1 lb. de ají: \$0.50; 1 jabón: \$0.60; 1 pollo de 1-1/2 lb.: \$5.00; 1 caja de Fab: \$1.00; 1 lb. de carne de res: \$1.75; 1 huevo: \$0.25; 1 lb. de harina de maíz: \$0.50; 1 lb. de pescado malo: \$1.00; 1 minuta de pescado: \$0.50.-

* **GRAVE SITUACION EN LA PROVINCIA DE ORIENTE.**—Se reporta gran movimiento de tropas rusas en

la provincia de Oriente, en Cuba. Incluso llega a asegurarse que numerosas carreteras y caminos están siendo patrullados por tropas rusas que realizan registros. La clandestinidad considera que esta Provincia, por estar enclavada en ella la base americana de Guantánamo, ha sido poderosamente reforzada. También se dice que es allí donde tienen los rusos plataformas de cohetes e instalaciones de armas especiales. Aseguran cubanos recién llegados que el piloto Anderson, derribado durante la crisis de Octubre mientras efectuaba vuelos de reconocimiento, fue atacado desde una base rusa llamada Micara, Mayarí Arriba, al Norte de Oriente.

Un técnico en cemento, llegado hace poco a Miami, desde Santiago de Cuba, comunica que en esa ciudad se fabrican 35,000 sacos de cemento cada día, los cuales son utilizados exclusivamente en obras militares.

* **TRIBUNALES POPULARES.**—Se había anunciado varias veces la organización de los Tribunales Populares, con antecedentes en la Revolución Francesa, en la Rusa y en la China. En cada centro de trabajo, en cada cuadra o área rural determinada, funcionarán estos Tribunales, que no tendrán sede fija sino que po-

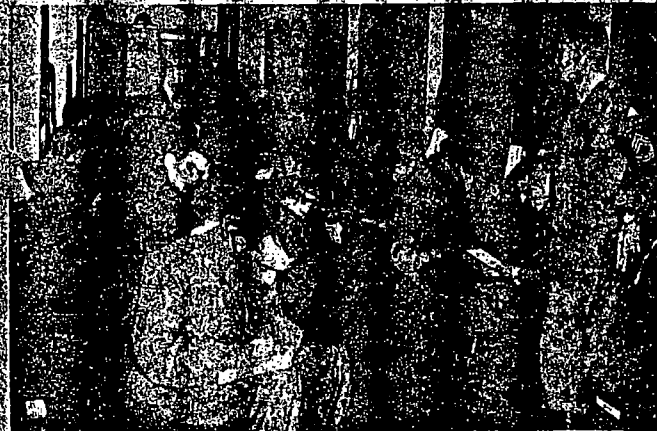
drán reunirse en cualquier parte donde fuere preciso. Estos Tribunales no podrán enviar a la Cárcel a las víctimas, pero sí podrán pasar el caso a los temidos Tribunales Revolucionarios. Estarán compuestos por quienes hayan demostrado más calor en la defensa de los ideales comunistas. No se ha dado a conocer aún los tipos de sanción que estos Tribunales podrán imponer a quienes caigan bajo su poder. Reina pánico entre las familias comunistas, pues las represalias de todo tipo serán puestas en práctica contra los patriotas que no se han plegado al régimen.

* **CONTINUA EL REFUERZO MILITAR RUSO.** A diario llegan noticias, a través de canales clandestinos, de nuevos barcos rusos que llegan con soldados y material bélico. Por Puerto Padre han entrado la semana pasada cinco barcos, que fueron descargados de noche, por soldados rusos y salieron, de noche también, en camiones con lonas, a puntos desconocidos. Por otros puertos continúan llegando tropas rusas y descargándose enormes cajas que, por la forma en que son manipuladas, indican claramente el destino militar de su contenido.

USTED, EL VOLUNTARIO EN ENTRENAMIENTO



El entrenamiento de buenos tiradores requiere instructores de primer rango. Aquí, un instructor les enseña algunos de los secretos de cómo disparar desde las trincheras.



Clases de fusiles son parte del entrenamiento. Aquí miembros de "El Voluntario rico" se familiarizan con el nuevo método de su barraca.



Instructores de tiro en Fort Jackson, enseñan a los blancos efectuando por voluntarios cubanos del primer Regimiento de entrenamiento.



Los blancos aguardan su turno, para disparar la Bazooka en el Campo de Tiro T-10.



Los instructores de la Compañía C-1 se preparan para disparar la Bazooka.



La cooperación es también parte del entrenamiento de los Voluntarios. Aquí, un grupo prepara las muni- ciones para la compañía que se encontrará en la Línea de Fuego.

Editorial

El "LEADER" Se Abre Camino En El Periodismo Del Ejercito

El proposito principal de un periodico es el de informar a sus lectores las noticias. Aqui en el "Fuerte Jackson" el "Leader" no es diferente en este respecto. Aunque no tenemos noticias nacionales o internacionales en nuestro periodico, creamos, sin embargo, que nosotros informamos al personal del Fuerte Jackson de los sucesos importantes en nuestra area.

El "Leader" vio la imprenta por vez primera en junio del año pasado como un pequeño periodico de cuatro paginas. Hoy, al traerle las noticias de este campamento a nuestros lectores, hacemos ocho semanas un gran cambio ocurrió en nuestro periodico. Se añadieron dos paginas más para darle un total de seis paginas.

La edición de hoy marca otro punto en la historia de este joven periodico. En este día el "Leader" se hace bilingue. Las dos paginas adicionales se editaran en español.

Con la llegada de 1700 voluntarios cubanos creemos que es nuestro deber el informarle a este personal de habla hispana los acontecimientos del Fuerte Jackson. Esperamos que estas dos paginas en español hagan esto.

Mientras servimos con esta función, el "Leader" sentara precedencia en el campo del periodismo del Ejercito de los Estados Unidos. Nuestra sera la primera publicación continental del ejercito que sea bilingue. El periodico del Primer Regimiento "Hittopfer" tuvo una edición especial la semana pasada en español; pero esta solo fue de nivel regimental. Es tambien verdad que otros periodicos militares están escritos en el idioma del país. Las noticias de setaf están en italiano al igual que en ingles pero esta edición en italiano es solamente para uso de los civiles. La edición coreana del "Bullseye" esta tambien impresa en una edición especial pero aqui tambien es solamente para el uso del personal coreano del primer cuerpo del ejercito.

Hasta donde podemos ver el "Leader" es el primero y esperamos mantenernos en esta posición.

1700 Voluntarios Desfilan En Revista

Alrededor de 1700 Voluntarios cubanos del Primer Regimiento participaron en el desfile de la mañana en el campo de entrenamiento.

Participaron en el desfile las tropas de las compañías A, B, C y D del Tercer Batallón; C y D del Primer Batallón y la C y del Cuatro Batallón. Tambien participo la Compañía A del Decimo Batallón, Quinto Regimiento.

Agasajados con el desfile fueron las unidades de la C-1 y los de la A-10-5 que en este día se graduaron de entrenamiento basico. La parada fue conducida por el Primer Regimiento a las nueve de esta mañana.

El General de Brigada Robert L. Ashworth, Sub-Comandante General del Fuerte Jackson fue el Oficial de Revista mientras que el Coronel Charles C. Coleman, Comandante del Primer Regimiento, fue el Comandante Local.

El Teniente Coronel Paul R. Kennedy, Comandante del Tercer Batallón, sirvió como el Comandante de Tropas en la parada de graduación. Durante las ceremonias los solda-

dos fueron presentados por el General Ashworth. La A-3 está en la primera semana de entrenamiento. Los de la B-1 en la segunda semana de entrenamiento. Los de la C-1 en la tercera semana de entrenamiento. Los de la D-4 en la cuarta semana de entrenamiento.

Estado Maj. Visita Program de Cubanos En El Fuerte Jackson

El Departamento del Ejercito mandará un grupo del Estado Mayor al Fuerte Jackson para observar el Programa de Entrenamiento de los Voluntarios Cubanos los días 5 y 6 de Febrero.

Los tres oficiales llegarán por avión militar al aeropuerto Owen de Columbia a las diez de la mañana del 5 de febrero. Inspeccionarán todas las fases del entrenamiento de los 1700 cubanos que se entrenan aquí. Los inspectores son el Coronel

HERMANOS SE REUNEN EN EL FUERTE JACKSON



Cuatro hermanos cubanos se reunieron en el Fuerte Jackson el sábado por la tarde. Tres de los hermanos fueron a este centro de entrenamiento para cumplir su entrenamiento basico bajo el programa de voluntarios cubanos mientras que el otro hermano está en su segunda semana de entrenamiento individual avanzado.

El Comandante General Empieza La Semana De Fe

El General de División, Charles S. D'Ors, Comandante General del Fuerte Jackson dio el discurso principal el jueves pasado dándole principio a la Semana de Enseñanza Religiosa que empezará el 24 de febrero y durará hasta el día 2 de marzo.

Dirigiéndose a los comandantes de las diferentes compañías y los diferentes grupos de unidades que representaban las unidades mayores del puesto, el general le dio gran énfasis a la serie de actividades religiosas por venir. El programa le da gran importancia a los valores espirituales, morales y principios religiosos del soldado y su familia.

El programa de servicios de esta semana de ensaías religiosas es el siguiente:

Servicios católicos en la iglesia 5 a las 1730; Iglesia 10 a las 1900; en la iglesia 11 a las 1900. Servicios protestantes en la iglesia 8, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15 y 17 a las 1900 en cada iglesia. Servicios judíos en la iglesia 18 a las 1900. Habrá un servicio especial protestante en la iglesia 19 a las 1900.

Major Loboda Dirigirá El Coro Del Ejercito El Martes

El Coro del Ejercito de los Estados Unidos bajo la dirección del Mayor Samuel R. Loboda, ofrecerá un concierto en el teatro 2 por la noche.

El grupo de cuarenta esta en una gira a través del área del Tercer Ejercito.

El Mayor Loboda formó este grupo originalmente en el 1956. El Mayor Loboda se ha ganado muchos premios por sus composiciones. Su música "Kiwanis Anniversary" fue adoptada oficialmente por este grupo en su cuarentésimo aniversario. Cuando la División 101 de aerotransporte fue reactivada, el Mayor Loboda compuso la marcha especialmente para ellos titulada "Screaming Eagles."

Las Obras de este prolífico compositor están rapidamente haciendo más y más conocidas y admiradas en todos los rincones del Ejercito donde se presentan.

Bajo la dirección del Mayor Loboda, este coro está ganandose una gran reputación y está dandose a conocer a través de la nación.

Ellas han visitado casi todas las ciudades más importantes de Norte

América al igual que muchos colegios y universidades. Tambien han cantado en el Carnegie Hall en la Ciudad de Nueva York.

Cuatro Hermanos Se Encuentran En Fort Jackson

Cuatro hermanos cubanos fueron unidos hoy en Fort Jackson. Sergio, Aldo, y Angel Battie Vargas; viajaron por tren desde Miami, hasta Colombia.

De allí fueron llevados, a la estación de recibimiento, de Fort Jackson, donde se encuentran con su hermano Pedro.

Pedro Battie Vargas está cursando, su segunda semana de entrenamiento individual avanzado, con la Compañía B-1-1. Los tres nuevos reclutas que llevan en este país menos de un mes, se inscribieron como voluntarios, en el centro de reclutamiento de Coral Gables en la Florida.

Esperan con ansias, a su querido y quinto hermano.

HABLA EL COMANDANTE GENERAL



El General de División Charles S. D'Ors, Comandante General del Fuerte Jackson, cuando hablaba en una reunión con respecto a la Semana de



Cotejan La Salida De Discos En Espana.



Tres cubanos en entrenamiento observan diferentes colecciones de discos en España antes de hacer una decisión sobre cual van a tomar prestado. Dos miembros de la directiva del Servicio Club, Joe E. Mann los ayudan en su decisión. Entre sus algunos de mas de 100 colecciones de discos que han recibido en el club.

Semana De Enfasis Religioso 24 Febrero A 1 Marzo

La Semana De Enfasis Religioso, llevada a cabo anualmente a través del Ejército, se celebra los días 24 de febrero hasta 1 de marzo en el Fuerte Jackson.

Se espera que alrededor de 25 mil personas — entre civiles, personal militar y sus dependientes — asistan a los 53 servicios especiales que efectuará el clero de las tres creencias mayores.

El capellán del Puesto, David E. Mann, dijo esta semana: "El programa especial está diseñado como un acercamiento, concentrado hacia la promoción del conocimiento religioso, desarrollando la dirección espiritual y proporcionando una oportunidad a los individuos de hacer una elección de sus vidas hacia su fe o de renovar sus convicciones personales en sus vidas espirituales."

En un discurso dirigido a las tropas bajo su mando la semana pa-

sada, el General de División Charles S. D'Orazio, Comandante Del Fuerte Jackson, dijo: "Cuando quiera que sea, querremos a Dios, un sitio en nuestras vidas podremos estar seguros de que estamos reduciendo la carga de nuestra Nación."

"En estos días cuando el mundo comunista está haciendo todo esfuerzo para destruir la dependencia del hombre sobre su Creador, nosotros vamos a un acercamiento positivo hacia que se enfrente el reto del mundo de la fe de sus antepasados. El programa de

Enfasis Religioso está diseñado para traer a nuestros soldados un periodo de especial significado religioso. "El programa semanal ofrece con servicios en todas las capillas mayores el lunes por la tarde (25 de febrero). Los servicios católicos se efectuarán en las capillas 8 y 10 para el personal de habla inglesa y en el teatro número uno para el personal de habla hispana. El grupo protestante, habla hispana, tendrá su servicio en la capilla número uno, los judíos en la capilla número 16."

"Voluntarios" Se Adiestran Para Cocineros Del Ejército

S.F.C. Joseph S. Dettori obtuvo una sorpresa en días atrás cuando se sentó a almorzar en la Escuela De Servicios De Alimentos Del Fuerte Jackson donde trabaja como instructor.

La "sorpresa" le llegó en forma de bizcocho cubierto con una gruesa capa blanca sobre la cual estaban escritas, con pedacitos de papa, las palabras: "Cuba Seva Libre."

La historia detrás de este sentimiento expresado en el bizcocho, es que el primer grupo de Cubanos Voluntarios está en entrenamiento en la Escuela De Servicios De Alimentos para desarrollar las habilidades que hacen a un cocinero de Ejército De Los Estados Unidos.

"Este incidente es la línea señalante demuestra el tipo de educación que prepara a la primera clase," exclama el Sargento Dettori, un voluntario de más de 20 años en el Ejército.

"Todos estos hombres se ofrecen como voluntarios para la Escuela de

cocina," continúa el Sargento Dettori, "porque ellos se dan cuenta de lo importante que es para un Ejército estar bien alimentados. Por eso ellos están tratando, tan duro como es posible, de hacerse buenos cocineros."

El primer grupo de voluntarios, que está formado por los mejores soldados de la Escuela de Cocineros Voluntarios, Grupo de la Compañía Alfa Tercer Batallón, Primer Regimiento De Entrenamiento, después de completar el curso de dos semanas, ellos reflexarán a su antigua compañía como "Entrenadores En El Teatro No. 1."

Los voluntarios, que están recibiendo su entrenamiento en la Escuela de Cocineros Voluntarios, están recibiendo su entrenamiento en la Escuela de Cocineros Voluntarios, que está formada por los mejores soldados de la Escuela de Cocineros Voluntarios, que está formada por los mejores soldados de la Escuela de Cocineros Voluntarios.

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Mucha Distracción Hispana Convirtiéndose Una Realidad Para Los Cubanos En El Puesto

Desde el punto de vista de la literatura, el Primer Regimiento de Entrenamiento Del Fuerte Jackson, está empezando a parecerse una biblioteca hispana.

Cuando los están sometiendo a rulo entrenamiento, sobre 2000 voluntarios cubanos pasan sus horas no laborales en muchos de los sitios preparados para la distracción y el solaz, lo que ha creado una rápida demanda de literatura en español.

El periódico del Primer Regimiento, "The Hilltopper", está siendo publicado completamente en español y también lleva noticias del entrenamiento y otros eventos que con-

vierten a las personas de habla hispana.

Servicios Especiales está jugando una de las mayores faenas en este programa. Cada sección de Servicios Especiales a reaccionado rápidamente para proveer la mayor parte del material necesario.

Todos los saludos a las dos de la tarde se está exhibiendo una función especial en uno de los teatros de este fuerte. Una exhibición hispana — una película en inglés con una descripción de lo que se comenta y que aparece en la parte inferior de la película — es exhibida para beneficio de aquellos en entrenamiento y que no hablan inglés. Se espera que en un futuro cercano, películas sonido hispano sean recibidas.

La biblioteca número uno tiene separada una sección completa de tablas para un nuevo cargamento de libros en español y que varían desde novelas hasta estudios en matemáticas. La mayor parte de estos libros han provienen desde el Fuerte Gordon y el Departamento Del Ejército. A pesar de que actualmente la demanda excede el abastecimiento, se espera que lleguen más en un futuro cercano.

El Joe E. Mann Service Club ha añadido a su discoteca mas de 100 discos en español, todos de artistas conocidos por el habla hispana. Ya que la música se considera el lenguaje universal, esta colección es tan popular como la discoteca de música clásica y semi-clásica de la biblioteca número uno. El Service Club está recibiendo revistas tales como "Life" y el "Reader's Digest", escritas en español, así como un periódico de Puerto Rico, titulado "El Mundo".

Para hacer más completo el efecto de la biblioteca cubana del Primer Regimiento, se han incorporado clases de inglés en el programa cubano del Fuerte Jackson. Estas clases están siendo llevadas a cabo bajo la dirección del Comité Sobre La Enseñanza Del Inglés, una organización responsable de proveer el material para las lecciones, fijar el horario de las clases, examinar a los que están en entrenamiento y mantener un nivel alto de instrucción.

El programa del Inglés está diseñado con un doble propósito en mente: proveer a los cubanos en entrenamiento con un conocimiento de los términos militares más comunes al Ejército De Los Estados Unidos; y hacer que se conviertan en miembros más efectivos a su comunidad a través de un conocimiento sólido del inglés.

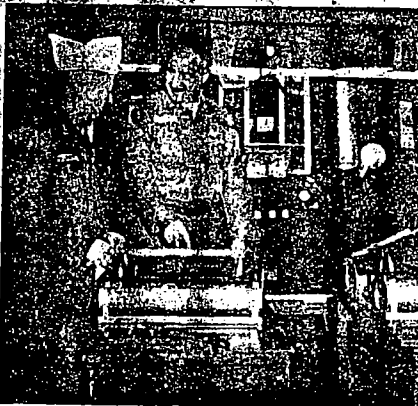
Orador Durante La Semana De

El Rev. Guillermo Rodríguez-López nació en la Habana, Cuba. Empezó sus estudios para sacerdote en el Seminario Diocesano De La Habana en 1948, subsecuentemente fue a Roma para completar sus estudios en Madrid, Barcelona y Cuenca. En 1966 retornó a Cuba para su ordenación.

Después de su ordenación se convirtió en párroco de la parroquia de la Bahía De Cochinos donde sirvió hasta Octubre del 1960 y luego vino a Los Estados Unidos. Desde Noviembre de 1960 hasta Octubre de 1961 sirvió como asistente en la Iglesia San Patricio, Playa De Miami a cargo de personas de habla hispana; hasta Septiembre de 1962 como asistente de Santa María en Georgetown, S.C., y subsecuentemente hasta el presente, como asistente de San Juan en Charleston Heights, S. C.

El Padre Rodríguez hablara todos los días a las 6:00 P.M. a los católicos de habla hispana en el teatro número uno.

Aprenden El Arte De Cocinar



El Sargento Dettori, instructor de la Escuela de Servicios De Alimentos en el Fuerte Jackson, demuestra al recluta Enrique...



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Voluntarios Aprenden Tacticas Militares



Los "Voluntarios" de la B-1, se familiarizan con la ametralladora M16. Esta compañía está en el Entrenamiento Individual Avanzado (A.I.T.)



Bajo la constante supervisión de un Asesor de la Infantería, un miembro de los "Voluntarios" estudia el Rifle Automático "Browning" y los blancos que surgen frente al campo de tiro rápido en Leitch.



El combate mano a mano se enfoca a los "Voluntarios" en el Entrenamiento Básico. Aquí los miembros de la B-3.1 reciben instrucciones sobre cómo protegerse si ellos mismos están desarmados.



Miembros de la C-4.1 fueron introducidos a un tipo nuevo de clase. Aquí dos de los "Voluntarios" reciben instrucciones sobre cómo enterrar una mina de tierra.



Un miembro de los instructores de los "Voluntarios" y uno de los Entrenados en la C-1.1, una compañía de "Voluntarios" entrena, retornan al punto de partida después de completar el campo de tiro rápido en el Camp Leitch.

Mejores Instructores Campos De Tiro Usan Raro Distintivo

Una vista muy común en cualquier uno de los 18 campos de tiro en el centro de Entrenamiento de Infantería, Fuerte Jackson, es un distintivo de "Instructor Solcaulenta" adherido al capote de algunos de los instructores.

El distintivo, de color azul de la Infantería y que mide 4 por 8 pulgadas, lleva un emblema en el contorno de los blancos "Gentleman Jim" (usados en la instrucción en los campos de tiro) conteniendo un dibujo de Davy Crockett agachando uno de los largos rifles de Kentucky contra un fondo del terreno natural.

Davy Crockett y su largo rifle simbolizan el rudo espíritu combatiente y la exactitud de las armas de los primeros hombres fronterizos. El terreno natural significa las condiciones reales que son la clave de el éxito del programa de los campos de tiro.

El propósito de este distintivo es hacer un reconocimiento a los

miembros del Comité de Campos de Tiro del Segundo Regimiento, Infantería, que han logrado y mantenido una alta excelencia en la instrucción de las clases, proporcionando así un ambiente en el incentivo de la instrucción y en la moral.

La idea fue concebida por el Coronel Arthur D.S. Von Rohr, Comandante en Jefe del Segundo Regimiento, y fue favorecida por el General Charles S. D. Dyer, Comandante General del Fuerte Jackson. La primera adjudicación de este distintivo fue en Octubre de 1962.

La Sección G-3 del Puente 1024 durante sus inspecciones a finales de 1961, el distintivo fue adjudicado a una puntuación de 100 por puntos evaluados, la alta impresión, cualidad del instrutor, facilidad al hablar, uno de los requisitos, preparación y presentación general.

Actualmente una puntuación de 97 o más es requerida para ser adjudicado el distintivo.

Demuestra distintivo



Sgt. W.D. Chentwood, de la 3ª Compañía, 1er Batallón, 2do Regimiento de Infantería, Fuerte Jackson, es el primer hombre en usar el distintivo de "Instructor Solcaulenta".

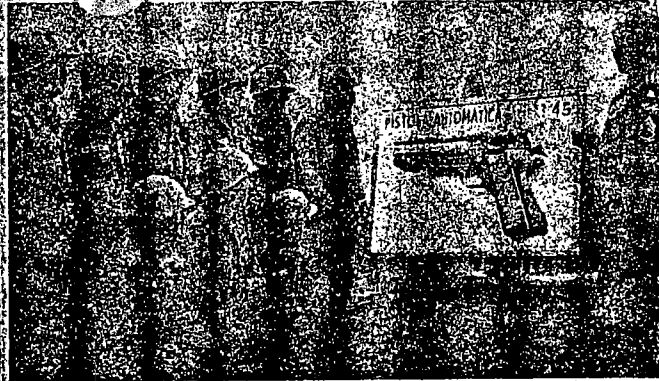
Periodico Newark, N. J. Imprimira Historia Cubana

El periódico Newark, N. J. News Imprimira, en su edición de marzo 17 una página especial sobre los Cubanos en entrenamiento aquí en el Fuerte Jackson.

Representantes del periódico visitaron este puesto unas semanas atrás y recopilaron información a

los miembros del personal de la Imprimira. Una de las características de la Imprimira es su tamaño, ya que cubre una gran área para la impresión y la distribución de los periódicos.

Usa Instruadores de entrenamiento en español



Varios instrutores de entrenamiento son usados para ayudar a los voluntarios en la instrucción militar. Aquí uno de los instrutores de entrenamiento en español usa el nuevo rifle para señalar el funcionamiento de la pistola de calibre .45.

Aviso Importante

Hemos recibido numerosas preguntas de personal estacionado en el Fuerte Jackson con la solicitud de ayuda para obtener permisos de salida para sus familiares en Cuba.

Sentimos mucho informar que no hay dentro de la autoridad de la Cruz Roja Americana (el efectuar de los trámites) la Cruz Roja Americana no tiene representación en Cuba. Sin embargo, hemos sido informados por el Cuartel General, el 11 de febrero de 1962, que el Estado cubano tiene cualquier individuo en los Estados Unidos que desee salir de Cuba para Cuba.

El individuo en los Estados Unidos debe de la Sección de Vías del Departamento de Estado, la eliminación de la lista para su familia.

La Sección de Vías envía una lista al solicitante en este país informándole que el Departamento de Estado ha eliminado los requisitos de salida de inmigrantes para el personal en Cuba.

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Banda Del Ejército Dara Concierto

Un animado concierto será presentado por la Banda del Ejército de Washington, D.C., el Lunes 18 de Marzo a las 8 de la noche en el Auditorio Municipal. El concierto será abierto al público y no se cobrará la entrada.

La Banda del Ejército de 100 instrumentos ha aparecido en las paradas de inauguración de los Presidentes Truman, Eisenhower y Kennedy y ha dado conciertos en todos los 50 estados y en 15 países de Europa. También ha prescrito 85 conciertos en el Oriente. El repertorio de la banda incluye música popular militar y semi-clásica.

"Coro de Soldados", una parte de la banda, incluyendo cierto número de sus instrumentistas, generalmente, canta cierto número de canciones favoritas de Broadway.

El lema de la banda es: "Somos Los Reyes de la Carretera", que proviene de la antigua canción de Infantería, "Reyes de la Carretera", y el cual la banda usa como emblema de lealtad. La Banda es completamente móvil con su propia transportación, de tal manera que puede llevar a cabo su misión de movilidad de visitar las tropas en el campo y presentar conciertos en las comunidades de la Nación, de acuerdo al Mayor Robert L. Bligh, comandante en jefe y director de la banda.

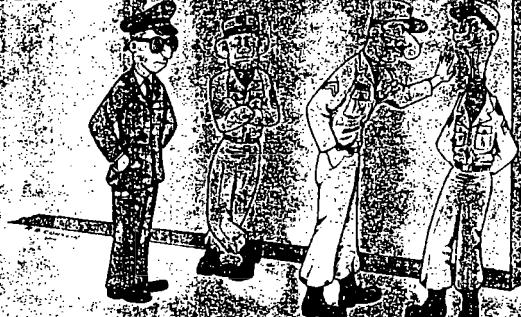
El programa de entrenamiento para personal reclutado entre las edades de 18 a 34 años será de 22 semanas mientras que el curso para oficiales en las edades 21 a 45 años será de 12 a 16 semanas.

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Supervisión en el uso del Lanza-llamas



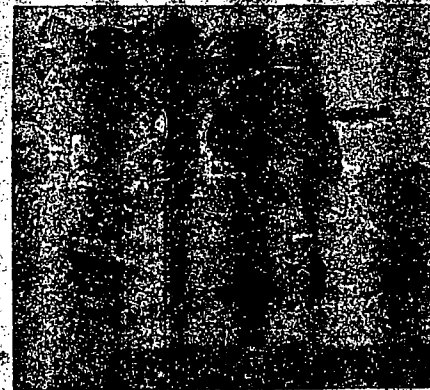
Una supervisión rigurosa se mantiene mientras se entrena el uso del Lanza-llamas en el Campo de Tiro Blak del Fuerte Jackson. Un miembro de la A-5-11 dispara al blanco al tiempo que una cámara de video se mueve al frente.

EL RIFLE M1



El campo de Rifle M1 es parte del entrenamiento practica en el Campo de Tiro.

Entrenamiento Nocturno



El entrenamiento de la infantería en el campo nocturno se realiza mediante el uso de escaravanes. Una cámara de video se mueve al frente al tiempo que una cámara de video se mueve al frente.

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Que Esperar Cuando Se Leta En Entrenamiento



En el Fuerte Jackson, en el Estado de Carolina del Sur, se ven a los miembros de la 101.ª División Aerotransportada, una de las unidades más importantes del ejército de los Estados Unidos.

El "Rudo" prueba a prebamente en el Fuerte Jackson, en el Estado de Carolina del Sur, a los miembros de la 101.ª División Aerotransportada, una de las unidades más importantes del ejército de los Estados Unidos.

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Conoce el "Rudo" a los miembros de la 101.ª División Aerotransportada, una de las unidades más importantes del ejército de los Estados Unidos.



Disparar la pistola calibre .45 es de gran importancia durante el entrenamiento, pero verificar donde han pegado los disparos es otra fase importante. Aquí uno de los entrenados cubre los huecos que el ha hecho en el blanco en el campo de tiro para pistola.

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Exilado Obispo Cubano Visita El Puesto

El exilado Obispo de la Italiana, Monseñor, Obispo Eduardo Berra Moscardi, estuvo en el Fuerte Jackson la semana pasada para conocer y saludar a los refugiados cubanos en entrenamiento bajo el Programa de Entrenamiento para Voluntarios Cubanos.

El Obispo Moscardi, un hombre que pasó muchos meses en las prisiones de Castro antes de obtener el exilio en Venezuela, permaneció dos días en el puesto.

Primero se dirigió a un grupo de 800 de los cubanos, muchos de los cuales estuvieron en prision en el mismo sitio y tiempo en que estuvo. Su viaje alrededor del puesto incluyó visitas a varias áreas

de la instalación y habló con varios voluntarios. El Obispo Moscardi indicó que encontró a los nombres del Fuerte Jackson. También comentó que cuando los vio por última vez en las prisiones cubanas.

Aclamado por sus seguidores como el símbolo de la libertad para el pueblo cubano, el Obispo Berra Moscardi fue recibido con entusiasmo por la juventud, quienes sus ayudantes.

El Obispo Moscardi, el cual fue ve juvenil y energético a pesar de la primera rigurosa entrada una hora antes, fue recibido con entusiasmo y afecto por los soldados cubanos por alguna que fue.



El Obispo Eduardo Berra Moscardi, Obispo de la Italiana, es saludado por el Mayor René Ramo durante la visita al Fuerte Jackson.

General Wheeler Visita Puesto

El General Earle G. Wheeler, Comandante en Jefe del Ejército, completó su visita de un día a este Centro de Entrenamiento el martes. El General de División Charles S. D'Orsi, comandante general del Puesto, lo guio en una visita de las facilidades de entrenamiento.

Llegó a McEntire. El fin de la visita fue rápido, para permitir al Gen. Wheeler observar el entrenamiento en la

instalación. El Gen. D'Orsi, Comandante del Puesto, le dio un resumen de la misión, organización y operación del Centro de Entrenamiento de la Infantería. El programa de entrenamiento para Cubanos, de los Estados Unidos, fueron de observación. El Gen. Wheeler durante la mañana. Primero visitó el Curso de Preparación de Líderes, que fue establecido el pasado año. Luego, pero en la reciente renovación. Estación de Recepción.

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El Obispo Eduardo Berra Moscardi y el Padre Francisco Villaverde obtienen las primeras impresiones de los voluntarios cubanos José Fernández, Nelson Salazar, y Eulio Estévez, en entrenamiento en el Fuerte Jackson, durante la reciente visita del Obispo al Puesto.

General Waters

Comandante Del CONARC Inspecciona Entrenamiento

Cubano Anota 500 Puntos Prueba Habilidades Físicas

Un miembro de la Compañía D, 488.º Regimiento de Infantería, anotó una puntuación perfecta de 500 puntos en la prueba de habilidades físicas en el Combate (PCP Test) esta semana.

La puntuación perfecta la hizo el Soldado Lazaro O'Farrell, el cual anotó 500 puntos cuando se completó la prueba de habilidades físicas en el Combate (PCP Test) durante la octava semana de entrenamiento.

Una contribución a esta puntuación perfecta fue el hecho de haber corrido la milla en 8 minutos y 47 segundos.

En una formación, Retirada en el Área de la Compañía, el miércoles 6 de marzo, el Capitán Heriberto García, Comandante en Jefe de la D-4, presentó un trofeo al soldado D'Orsi, lo felicitó por su demostración durante la prueba de Habilidades Físicas (PCP Test).

D'Orsi, a la vez de Ministro, Florida, donde su esposa, Caridad Palacios, reside en la actualidad.

El recientemente asignado comandante del Comando del Ejército Continental (CONARC), General John K. Waters, visitó ayer este Centro de Entrenamiento como parte de su visita con el comandante general, General de División Charles S. D'Orsi.

El Gen. Waters llegó a la Base Aérea de MacDill a las 8:45, donde fue recibido por el Gen. D'Orsi.

Desde la base, Waters el comandante del CONARC, quien pasó a ser general de cuatro estrellas en marzo 1, visitó hasta el Campamento Hilton para un saludo de 17 canciones y una parada en su honor. En la parada, unas 1600 tropas pasaron frente al general.

A las 10:45 en el Salón de Conferencias del Puesto, el General Waters escuchó un resumen de la misión, organización y operación del Centro de Entrenamiento de los Estados Unidos. El resumen incluyó datos sobre el Programa de Entrenamiento para los Voluntarios Cubanos.

Más tarde el General de cuatro estrellas visitó hasta el Puesto Hilton para un resumen de el Curso de Preparación de Líderes y terminó sus actividades de la mañana con una visita a la Estación de Recepción del Ejército de los Estados Unidos.

Un almuerzo con el comandante general fue fijado antes de que el General Waters fuera a hacer su visita por la tarde.

Durante la tarde el Gen. Waters observó el entrenamiento en los campos de tiro del Fuerte Jackson. Observó combate cuerpo a cuerpo y entrenamiento con ametralladoras. Después de inspeccionar las facilidades del Campamento # 16 (Hilbert Range), el Gen. Waters salió del Fuerte Jackson a las 3:00 de la tarde.

El Gen. Waters empezó su carrera militar después de su graduación en junio de 1931 de la Academia Militar de los Estados Unidos. Comisionado como Segundo Teniente de Caballería, fue asignado a primeramente al 1.º Regimiento de Caballería en el Fuerte Myer, Virginia.

Durante la Segunda Guerra Mundial, el general estaba sirviendo en el Norte de África cuando fue capturado por los alemanes en febrero de 1943 y retenido en un campo alemán para prisioneros de guerra hasta abril de 1945 cuando fue retornado a los Estados Unidos.

Ha servido militar desde entonces ha incluido viajes a Washington, varios estados de la nación, Corea y Yugoslavia. En 1953 pasó a ser "Deputy Chief of Staff for Material Development." Retorno a la Cuarta División de Artillería como su Comandante General en abril de 1960.

El Gen. Waters asumió el mando de los V Cuerpos en septiembre de 1961 y fue promovido a Teniente General en esa fecha. En abril de 1962 recibió ordenes de retornar a los Estados Unidos y asumir el mando del Quinto Ejército de los Estados Unidos. En mayo pasó a ser Comandante de los Ejércitos, puesto que ocupó antes de pasar a ser comandante del CONARC en febrero.

"La Retreta"

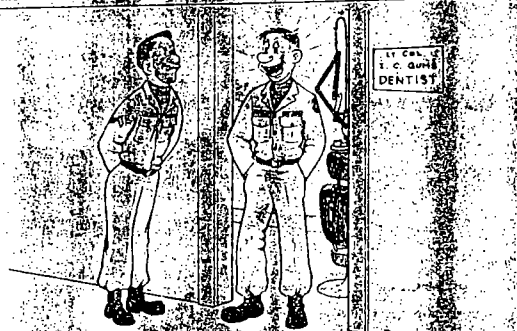
Llega un momento en la vida de todo soldado norteamericano y cubano, en que se pregunta a sí mismo: Que hago yo aquí?

Pudiera en estos momentos estar disfrutando de los placeres de la vida civil, tener un negocio, o un buen trabajo.

Si, esa pregunta se hacen a sí mismo desde los mas fuertes hasta los mas débiles de espíritu. Algunos nos hemos detenido a pensar en lo que significa la "retreta".

Por eso es que estamos aquí, para poder de veras rendirle honor a esos que cayeron para que nosotros disfrutáramos de la libertad. Para que fuéramos algo libre y nuestro. Para que los que han caído ya, no calgan en vano, para el mañana de nuestros futuros hijos y hermanos.

Por eso y mucho mas es que nosotros tenemos que hacer nuestra pequeña contribución. Por eso estamos aquí!



LOOK, NOW I'M A MEMBER OF THE SPACE PROGRAM!

Mark, ANDERSON, MARCH 14, 1963, PAGE 4

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9 April 1963

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01-1161 P1511 S99-999 Awarded MOS 111.10 UP AR 611-203

Pvt E2 111.00 Trne Co B 1st Bn 1st Tng Regt USATC Inf (3171) Ft Jackson SC
Pol data appl to all UNOINDC

Asg to: USA Recruiting Main Station (1202-08) New York New York

Rept date: 11 Apr 63

Lv data: NA

PCS (MDC): CE

Auth: Msg USCONARC ATPER-DD-S 0233 4 Apr 63

FSAC: 7

ADC: 24 Mos

BPED: INDIC

ETS: INDIC

EDCSA: 17 Apr 63

Sp instr: Report to Commanding Officer, United States Army Recruiting
Main Station (1212-08) 39 Whitehall Street New York New York
for duty as directed by CO thereat. Prov Govt qtrs & mess not
avail, payment of BAS at rate of \$2.57 per day and BAA at rate
of \$1.84 per day auth from 11 Apr 63 thru 24 Apr 63 UP para
4-21c AR 37-104. UP JTR TO will furn trans & meal tickets.
If coml air tvl util 66 lb plus 9 lb excess baggage auth.
GROUP TRAVEL by commercial transportation is directed.

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3.	BETANCOURT-GONZALEZ, ALBERTO	UC	22Oct62	21Oct64	1-13
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5.	DOCAMPO-SUBIZA, ALFONSO	UC	19Oct62	18Oct64	1-29
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451. TC 221. Pol REASSIGNMENT Dir. WP OA 26 Apr 63 TDN 2132010 01-1161
P1511 S99-999.

Pol EM PVT E2 MOS 111.10 UNOINDC Co A 3d Bn 1st Tng Regt USATC Inf (3171) Ft Jackson
SC. Pol data appl to all UNOINDC.

Asg to: USA Recruiting Main Station (1202-07) New York, New York
Rept date: 27Apr63 NLT 0600 hrs
Scty Clnc: NA
Lv Data: NA
PCS (MDC): CE
Auth: Ltr TAG AGAM-P (5 Apr 63) 5 Apr 63 subj: Trf Processing Procedures
for REFRAD and Trf to the USAR Standby Res Con Gp (Adm) or Disch of
Cuban Vol Inducted or Comm in the USA

ADC: 24 mos
BASD: NA
BPED: Indc
ETS: Indc
EDCSA: 3 May 63
FSAC: 7

Sp Instr: Report to Commanding Officer, United States Army Recruiting Main
Station (1202-07), 39 Whitehall Street, New York, New York for duty
as directed by CO thereat. Prov Govt qtrs and mess not avail pay-
ment of BAS at rate of \$2.57 per day and BAQ (w/o dep rate) auth eff
27Apr63 UP para 4-21c and Sec 1 Chap 5 AR 37-104. UP JTR TO
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P1511 S99-999. TPA Auth.

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Asg to: USA Recruiting Main Station (3013-08) Coral Gables, Florida
Rept date: 28Apr63 NLT 0600 hrs
Scty Clnc: NA
Lv Data: NA
PCS (MDC): CE
Auth: Ltr TAG AGAM-P (5Apr63) 5 Apr 63 subj: Trf Processing Procedures
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of Cuban Vol Inducted or Comm in the USA

ADC: 24 mos
BASD: NA
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EDCSA: 1 May 63

FSAC: 7

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8	MONTERO-GARCIA, GONZALO ANDRES(*)	U	(b)(6) 300ct62	300ct64	2-138
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Miami, March 30, 1991

Honorable Connie Mack
U.S. Senator. Florida
777 Brickell Ave., Suite 704
Miami, Florida

FAXED 2 9⁴³ / LM
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Miami Office

cc.: Jorge L. Arrizurieta, Deputy State Director

T-530-7103

F-372-3740

Dear Senator Mack:

We the undersigned, past members of the Armed Forces of the United States of America who answered the U.S. call to arms during the Cuban-Missile Crisis in October 1962, humbly request your help, support and assistance in order to obtain the necessary recognition from the Senate and Congress of the United States of America and to be awarded the Armed Forces Expeditionary Medal.

The great majority of the Cubans who served in the army at that time had only refugee status and by volunteering into the Armed forces we and our families back in Cuba, became immediate targets for persecution by the Castro Regime. Nevertheless we, who proudly volunteer into the Armed Forces, had only one goal in mind; to Fight for Freedom and Democracy shoulder to shoulder with other American Units against one common enemy, in the spirit and tradition of great men, as Washington, Lincoln, Grant, Lee, Eisenhower, Patton, and many others.

It is known, that the Armed Forces Expeditionary Medal for the Cuban-Missile crisis was awarded to a number of units of the Armed Forces. We, the Cuban-Americans who made up the Cuban Unit During the Missile crisis (October 62- June 1963) deserve to share the recognition.

In the past, the United States has recognized and awarded such efforts. The Filipino Units which fought with the U.S. Armed Forces against the Japanese Invasion during WWII are a perfect example.

Many of the members of the Cuban Unit, later complemented by returning 2506 Brigade soldiers from Cuban jails went on to serve the United States in Vietnam, Central America, Europe, etc.

Some of them are still active, such as Brig. General Eneido Oliva; others died, as Capt. Felix Sosa Camejo (Vietnam).

JK Montoya

The Cuban Unit that was organized for the Liberation of Cuba, was instructed since the first day the use of weapons, and it was only after the end of the crisis, that it began regular army training of marching, military courtesy, etc.

Also our unit, was distinguished from regular U.S. Units, by our serial numbers. Which all began with the initials, UC instead of US.

We Free Cuban-Americans, veterans of the missile crisis, and who have lived in Freedom in the United States, have and always be unconditionally committed to the defense and preservation of Democracy and the Constitutional value of the United States of America.

Almost 30 years have elapsed since crisis and we still feel very proud of the historical moment, when we answered the call of the United States and volunteer to serve in its Armed Forces.

One Nation, under God, Indivisible with Liberty and Justice for All.

Very truly yours,

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1st Mrs. J. M. Montoya
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ILEANA ROS-LEHTINEN

18TH DISTRICT, FLORIDA

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Congress of the United States
House of Representatives

April 23, 1991

Mr. Joseph Martory
3521 S.W. 88 Court
Miami, Florida 33165

Dear Mr. Martory:

Thank you for contacting my office requesting support for an Armed Forces Expeditionary Medal to be awarded to Cuban veterans who served our country during the Cuban missile crisis.

As you know, I have always been supportive of our veterans. I realize that our veterans have sacrificed their lives for freedom and democracy and that some have been denied the benefits and honors which they deserve.

However, you need to elaborate more on the facts pertaining to the situation. In your letter, you stated that your unit "was distinguished from regular U.S. units by [your] serial numbers...which began with the initials U.C. instead of U.S." If you could provide me with the branch and division numbers of the units involved, as well as any other pertinent information which will assist me in furthering this effort, I would be very appreciative. I need factual information with supporting documentation.

Again, thank you for contacting my office.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read "Ileana".

Ileana Ros-Lehtinen
Member of Congress

IRL/ct

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October 26, 1992

Commander
ARPER CEN
ATTENTION: DARP - PAS - EAW
9700 Page Blvd.
St. Louis, MO. 63132-5200

Dear Commander:

I wasn't aware, how close we came to a nuclear war, until I was recently watching, several documentaries regarding the Cuban Missile Crisis. As such, I have decided to write to you, in order to find out the procedures, to claim my right to the ARMED FORCES EXPEDITIONARY MEDAL: CUBA-OCT. 24, 1962 - JUNE 1, 1963.

It is my understanding that such an award, including The Navy/Marine Corps. Expeditionary Medal, Cuba Operation, from January 3, 1961 - October 23, 1962. Were given to a number of units that participated during the missile crisis.

I volunteered to the Armed Forces of the United States-Cuban Unit, which was being organized in October 1962, as a force ready to go, to fight and liberate Cuba from Castro's Communism. Our serial numbers, were different from regular US units, in which they all started with the letters UC, instead of US. My number for example was UC-(b)(4).

I would like to start the necessary paper work, in order to claim that medal, and also the National Service Commendation Medal, which I have been told, should have been awarded also. My request, is not only for myself, but for all my comrades in arms, who volunteered to the Cuban Unit during the missile crisis.

Very truly yours,

[015]

Jorge O. Fenton
UC (b)(6)
250 Aledo Ave
Coral Gables, Florida 33134

CC: U.S. Senator for Florida Mr. Connie Mack
U.S. Senator for Florida Mr. Robert Graham
U.S. Representative Ms. Ileana Ross-Lehtinen

ILEANA ROS-LEHTINEN

18TH DISTRICT, FLORIDA

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November 10, 1992

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Commander
United States Army Reserve Personnel Center
Attn: DARP-PAS-AA
9700 Page Boulevard
St. Louis, Missouri 63132-5200

Dear Commander:

A constituent of my Congressional district, Mr. Jorge O. Fenton, has contacted my office to request the Armed Forces Expeditionary Medal for his military participation during the United States/Cuba Missile Crisis.

Enclosed is information pertinent to the inquiry made by Mr. Fenton, which my constituent hopes will provide insight into his situation.

Sincerely,

Ileana Ros-Lehtinen
Member of Congress

Enclosures

IRL:ds

cc: Mr. Jorge O. Fenton
250 Aledo Avenue
Coral Gables, Florida 33134

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CUBAN AMERICAN VETERANS ASSOCIATION

ASOCIACION DE VETERANOS CUBANO-AMERICANOS

P.O. BOX 141197
MIAMI, FL. 33114
(305)854-6634

November 18, 1992

U. S. Senator Mr. Connie Mack
Senator for the State of Florida
Miami, Florida

Dear Senator Mack:

It is with great pleasure that we write to you, to thank you for all your work and support in behalf of the passing and signing of the new law for "Democracy for Cuba".

Senator in the last few weeks, the world has been exposed to many news reports in how close the world came to near nuclear destruction, during the October 1962, Cuban - Missile Crisis. But, what many don't know, is that several thousand young Cuban refugees answering the call to arms by the US. Government, volunteered into the Armed Forces, joining the recently formed Cuban Unit, which was created as an invasion force for the Liberation of Cuba.

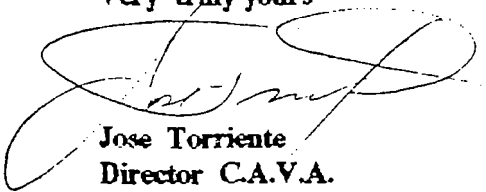
In our organization C.A.V.A., there are many of those Cuban-Americans veterans, and they are asking; why our unit and ourselves were given not the proper recognition? as was given to other units and soldiers who received the Armed Forces Expeditionary Medal: Cuba - Oct 24, 1962 to June 1, 1963. In addition, the unit and the individual soldier did not receive the National Service Commendation Medal, nor the good Conduct Medal.

As a point of interest, a distinguishing feature that the unit had, was that our serial numbers began with the letters U.C., instead of the regular US. for regular US servicemen..

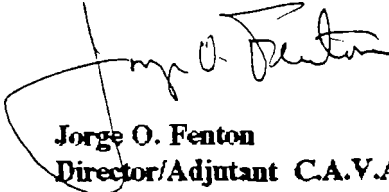
Senator, many members of the unit went on to fight in other wars and conflicts that the United States have been involved in the last 30 years such as; Viet-Nam, Dominican Republic, etc... fighting and dying for the preservation of democracy and freedom.

Many of our comrades in arms are now US citizens, and have remain loyal to the principles of Americanism and Democracy for which this nation stands for. That is why we would like for you to help us in obtaining this forgotten recognition, of the day we all said as one "Present and Accounted for".

Very truly yours



Jose Torriente
Director C.A.V.A.



Jorge O. Fenton
Director/Adjutant C.A.V.A

United States Senate

WASHINGTON, DC 20510-0903

December 2, 1992

Mr. Jorge O. Fenton
250 Aledo Avenue
Coral Gables, Florida 33134

Dear Jorge:

Thank you for contacting my office and requesting my assistance regarding obtaining your military awards and decorations and having any additions reflected on a DD-215.

In an effort to assist you, I have contacted the United States Army on your behalf. As soon as I receive a reply or have additional information, I will be in touch with you.

It is an honor to serve you. I appreciate your bringing this matter to my attention.

With kind regards,

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Bob Graham", written in a cursive style.

United States Senator

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December 29, 1992

Ms. Mary M. Hixson
Chief, Special Inquiries Branch
Department of the Army
ARPECEM
ST. Louis, Missouri 63132-5200

Dear Ms. Hixson:

REF: DARP-VSA-I

Thank you for the award received, which was issued by the Department of the Army; The National Defense Service Medal (Copy of the document attached).

Please, I would still like to receive information as to the eligibility process in order to receive the Armed Forces Expeditionary Medal, Cuba; Oct. 1962-May 1963, that was awarded to a number of units during the Cuban-Missile Crisis of 1962, as I feel, that such award should be given not only to myself but to the several hundred Cuban-Americans, who, volunteered into the Special Cuban-Unit which was formed in October of 1962, in Fort Knox, KY., as a force for the invasion and liberation of Cuba from Castro's Communism.

I feel that this recognition is due as a reminder of the loyalty and effort of the new Americans, who as refugees in the United States, were willing to sacrifice their lives for the preservation of Freedom and the restoration of the principles of Democracy to your close neighbor and friend, Cuba!

Again thank very much, and Happy New Year.

Jorge O. Fenton
250 Aledo Ave.
Coral Gables, Florida 33134
UC (b)(6)

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cc: U.S. Senator for Florida Mr. Robert Graham
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2 TO

Commander
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Philadelphia, PA 19101-3460

4 DATE

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14	Air Medal	30	European-African-Middle Eastern Campaign Medal	46	Combat Infantryman Badge	62	Honorable Service Label Button WWII
15	Joint Service Commendation Medal	31	WW II Victory Medal	47	Expert Infantryman Badge	63	
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December 18, 1992



Special Inquiries Branch/53

Subject: Fenton, Jorge O. (b)(6)

[c18]

Honorable Bob Graham
United States Senate
Washington, D.C. 20510

Dear Senator Graham:

This replies to your letter pertaining to Jorge O. Fenton.

In response to a previous request in Mr. Fenton's behalf he was advised that the Armed Forces Expeditionary Medal is awarded for service in certain geographical locations on or after July 1, 1958. A review of his records failed to show he served in the required areas during the periods in question. Therefore, his request for the award cannot be favorably considered.

Enclosed for Mr. Fenton's information is an excerpt from Army Regulation 672-5-2, regarding the award of the Armed Forces Expeditionary Medal.

Sincerely,

Earl Yowell
Earl Yowell
Chief, Special Actions
Division

Veterans Services Directorate

Enclosure

(2) No person is authorized to receive more than one award of the Antarctica Service Medal.

(3) Not more than one clasp or disc will be worn on the ribbon.

(4) For the purpose of this paragraph, Antarctica is defined as the area south of latitude 60 degrees S.

(5) The Antarctica Service Medal takes precedence immediately after the Korean Service Medal.

4-28. Armed Forces Expeditionary Medal

Established by Executive Order 10977, dated 4 December 1961 (DA Bul. 1, 1962). This medal is authorized for US military operations, US operations in direct support of the United Nations, and US operations of assistance for friendly foreign nations.

a. Explanations.

(1) *Operation.* A military action, or the carrying out of a strategic, tactical, service, training, or administrative military mission; the process of carrying on combat including movement, supply, attack, defense, and maneuvers needed to gain the objectives of any battle or campaign.

(2) Area of operations.

(a) The foreign territory upon which troops have actually landed or are present and specifically deployed for the direct support of the designated military operation.

(b) Adjacent water areas in which ships are operating, patrolling, or providing direct support of operations.

(c) The airspace above and adjacent to the area in which operations are being conducted.

(3) *Direct support.* Services being supplied the combat forces in the area of operations by ground units, ships, and aircraft providing supplies and equipment to the forces concerned, provided it involves actually entering the designated area; and ships and aircraft providing fire, patrol, guard, reconnaissance, or other military support.

b. *Requirements.* Awarded for service after 1 July 1958, meeting the qualifications set forth below:

(1) *General.* Personnel must be a bona fide member of a unit and engaged in the operation, or meet one or more of the following criteria:

(a) Have served not less than 30 consecutive days in the area of operations.

(b) Be engaged in direct support of the operation for 30 consecutive days or 60 nonconsecutive days, provided this support involves entering the area of operations. The qualifying criteria for non-unit direct support personnel in Grenada is 6 consecutive days or 12 nonconsecutive days.

(c) Serve for the full period where an operation is less than 30 days' duration.

(d) Be engaged in actual combat, or duty which is equally as hazardous as combat, during the operation with armed opposition, regardless of time in the area.

(e) Participate as a regularly assigned crewmember of an aircraft flying into, out of, within, or over the area in support of the military operation.

(f) Be recommended, or attached to a unit recommended, by the chief of a service or the commander of unified or specified command for award of the medal, although the criteria above have not been fulfilled. Such recommendations may be made to the Joint Chiefs of Staff for duty of such value to the operation as to warrant particular recognition.

c. Designated areas and dates.

(1) US military operation:

(a) Berlin. From 14 August 1961 to 1 June 1963.

(b) Lebanon. From 1 July 1958 to 1 November 1958.

(c) Quemoy and Matsu Islands. From 23 August 1958 to 1 June 1963.

(d) Taiwan Straits. From 23 August 1958 to 1 January 1959.

(e) Cuba. From 24 October 1962 to 1 June 1963.

(f) Congo. From 23 to 27 November 1964.

(g) Dominican Republic. From 28 April 1965 to 21 September 1966.

(h) Korea. From 1 October 1966 to 30 June 1974.

(i) Cambodia (Evacuation of Cambodia—Operation EAGLE PULL). From 11 to 13 April 1975.

(j) Vietnam (Evacuation of Vietnam—Operation FREQUENT WIND). From 29 to 30 April 1975.

(k) Mayaguez Operation. 15 May 1975.

(l) Grenada—OPERATION URGENT FURY. From 23 October 1983 to 21 November 1983. See paragraph 4-28b(1)(b) above.

(m) Libya—Operation Eldorado Canyon. From 12 April 1986 to 17 April 1986.

(n) Persian Gulf—From 24 July 1987, the date of the Bridgeton incident, to a date to be determined. The area of operations is the area from 20 degrees north latitude northward to 30 degrees, 30 minutes, north latitude and from 46 degrees, 36 minutes, east longitude eastward to 63 degrees east longitude. These geographical limits include the Persian Gulf, Bahrain, Kuwait, the Gulf of Oman and most of Saudi Arabia.

(o) Panama—Operation Just Cause. From 20 December 1989 to 31 January 1990.

(2) *US operations in direct support of the United Nations:* Congo. From 14 July 1960 to 1 September 1962.

(3) *US operations of assistance for a friendly foreign nation:*

(a) Laos. From 19 April 1961 to 7 October 1962.

(b) Vietnam. From 1 July 1958 to 3 July 1965.

(c) Cambodia. From 29 March 1973 to 15 August 1973.

(d) Thailand (only those in direct support of Cambodia operations). From 29 March 1973 to 15 August 1973.

(e) Lebanon. From 1 June 1983 to 1 December 1987.

d. *Service star.* The bronze service star will be used to denote second and subsequent awards of the Armed Forces Expeditionary Medal. See chapter 6.

e. *Order of precedence.* The Armed Forces Expeditionary Medal takes precedence immediately after the Antarctica Service Medal.

4-29. Vietnam Service Medal

Established by Executive Order 11231 (DOD Directive 1348.15, 1 October 1965). Awarded to all members of the Armed Forces of the United States serving in Vietnam and contiguous waters or airspace thereover, after 3 July 1965 through 28 March 1973. Members of the Armed Forces of the United States in Thailand, Laos, or Cambodia, or the airspace thereover, during the same period and serving in direct support of operations in Vietnam are also eligible for this award.

a. Individuals must—

(1) Be attached to or regularly serve for 1 or more days with an organization participating in or directly supporting military operations.

(2) Be attached to or regularly serve for 1 or more days aboard a naval vessel directly supporting military operations.

(3) Actually participate as a crewmember in one or more aerial flights into airspace above Vietnam and contiguous waters directly supporting military operations.

(4) Serve on temporary duty for 30 consecutive days or 60 nonconsecutive days in Vietnam or contiguous areas, except that time limit may be waived for personnel participating in actual combat operations.

b. No person will be entitled to more than one award of the Vietnam Service Medal.

c. Individuals qualified for the Armed Forces Expeditionary Medal for reason of service in Vietnam between 1 July 1958 and 3 July 1965 (inclusive) shall remain qualified for that medal. Upon request (unit personnel officer) any such individual may be awarded the Vietnam Service Medal in lieu of the Armed Forces Expeditionary Medal. In such instances, the Armed Forces Expeditionary Medal will be deleted from list of authorized medals in personnel records. No person shall be entitled to both awards for Vietnam service.

d. Vietnam and contiguous waters, as used herein, is defined as an area which includes Vietnam and the water adjacent thereto within the following specified limits: From a point on the East

United States Senate

WASHINGTON, DC 20510-0903

January 8, 1993

Mr. Jorge O. Fenton
250 Aledo Avenue
Coral Gables, Florida 33134

Dear Jorge:

In response to the inquiry on your behalf, I have enclosed a copy of the letter I received from the United States Department of the Army.

I had hoped to give you a more positive answer, but I regret this is not the case. I trust you will understand my limitation in this matter. Please let me know if you have any further questions or if I can help you in any other way.

As your United States Senator, I welcome the opportunity to serve you in any way that I can. I hope that you will always feel free to call on me.

With kind regards,

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Bob Graham", with a stylized, flowing script.

United States Senator

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Enclosure

January 18, 1993

Mr. Robert Graham
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Washington, D.C. 20515-0903

Dear Senator Graham:

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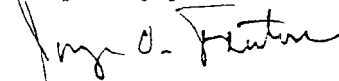
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Again, thank you very much.

Very truly yours,

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Jorge O. Fenton
250 Aldeo Avenue
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305-446-0369

ILEANA ROS-LEHTINEN

18TH DISTRICT, FLORIDA

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Sincerely,

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Ileana Ros-Lehtinen
Member of Congress

IRL:dpm

Enclosure

January 25, 1993

Ms. Ileana Ros-Lehtinen
Member of Congress
416 Cannon Building
Washington, D.C. 20515-0918

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- 7) Point (F), of the eligibility requirements, leaves a door open for perhaps Congressional approval.

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CONNIE MACK
FLORIDA

United States Senate

WASHINGTON, DC 20510-0904

January 19, 1993

Mr. Jorge O. Fenton
250 Aiedo Avenue
Coral Gables, Florida 33134

Dear Mr. Fenton:

Thank you for your recent letter regarding your request for the Armed Forces Expeditionary Medal.

I have made an inquiry on your behalf. Please be assured that as soon as I have a reply, I will be in touch with you. If you have any questions or require additional information, please contact Mrs. Chris Berry, in my Fort Myers Regional Office, located at 1342 Colonial Boulevard, Suite 27, Fort Myers, Florida 33907, (813) 275-6252.

Again, thank you for contacting me.

Sincerely,



Connie Mack
U.S. Senate

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OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY OF THE ARMY
WASHINGTON, DC 20310-1600
January 28, 1993

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OFFICE, CHIEF OF
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Honorable Connie Mack
United States Senator
1342 Colonial Boulevard
Fort Myers, Florida 33907

Dear Senator Mack:

Thank you for your inquiry pertaining to Jorge O. Fenton.

An inquiry has been initiated. You will be further advised as soon as information becomes available. If you have any questions about this inquiry, please refer to the following case number: 3012139.

Sincerely,



Teresa T. Ray
Congressional Coordinator
Congressional Legislative Liaison

CONNIE MACK
FLORIDA

United States Senate

WASHINGTON, DC 20510-0904

February 8, 1993

Mr. Jorge O. Fenton
250 Aiedo Avenue
Coral Gables, Florida 33134

Dear Mr. Fenton:

Enclosed please find an interim reply from Department of the Army regarding my inquiry on your behalf.

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Sincerely,

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Connie Mack
U.S. Senate

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Honorable Ileana Ros-Lehtinen
House of Representatives
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Dear Congresswoman Ros-Lehtinen:

This replies to your letter pertaining to Jorge O. Fenton.

To qualify for a military decoration or unit citation during past wars and conflicts, specific requirements had to be met. First, Mr. Fenton's unit had to distinguish itself by heroic actions, meritorious service or meritorious achievement. Even then, awards and decorations were not automatically considered or approved. Second, someone having knowledge of the units deeds had to submit an award recommendation into military channels. Finally, after review by the chain of command, the award had to be approved by a senior field commander and announced in General Orders issued by that command. No entitlement to any military decoration occurred until all of these requirements were met.

The time limitations for citing units for service in Cuba from October 24, 1962, to June 1, 1963, has expired. Citations not previously issued can only be authorized by issuance of an Executive order. In the absence of such an order Mr. Fenton's request cannot be favorably considered.

Sincerely,

Earl Yowell
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Honorable Ileana Ros-Lehtinen
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Dear Congresswoman Ros-Lehtinen:

This replies to your letter pertaining to Jorge O. Fenton.

We have authorized the U.S. Army Support Activity to forward the National Defense Service Medal shown on the enclosed form to Mr. Fenton. It may be 30 days before it is received. If he has not received it by the end of this period, he should forward a copy of this letter and the enclosed DA Form 1577 to the U.S. Army Support Activity, Attention: STRAP-SEI, Post Office Box 13460, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania 19101-3460.

The Armed Forces Expeditionary Medal is awarded for service in certain geographical locations on or after July 1, 1958. A review of Mr. Fenton's record failed to show he served in the required areas during the periods in question. Therefore, his request for the award cannot be favorably considered.

Enclosed for Mr. Fenton's information is an excerpt from Army Regulation 672-5-2, regarding the award of the Armed Forces Expeditionary Medal.

Sincerely,

Earl Yowell
Chief, Special Actions
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Enclosures

(2) No person is authorized to receive more than one award of the Antarctica Service Medal.

(3) Not more than one clasp or disc will be worn on the ribbon.

(4) For the purpose of this paragraph, Antarctica is defined as the area south of latitude 60 degrees S.

(5) The Antarctica Service Medal takes precedence immediately after the Korean Service Medal.

4-28. Armed Forces Expeditionary Medal

Established by Executive Order 10977, dated 4 December 1961 (DA Bul. 1, 1962). This medal is authorized for US military operations, US operations in direct support of the United Nations, and US operations of assistance for friendly foreign nations.

a. Explanations.

(1) *Operation.* A military action, or the carrying out of a strategic, tactical, service, training, or administrative military mission; the process of carrying on combat including movement, supply, attack, defense, and maneuvers needed to gain the objectives of any battle or campaign.

(2) Area of operations.

(a) The foreign territory upon which troops have actually landed or are present and specifically deployed for the direct support of the designated military operation.

(b) Adjacent water areas in which ships are operating, patrolling, or providing direct support of operations.

(c) The airspace above and adjacent to the area in which operations are being conducted.

(3) *Direct support.* Services being supplied the combat forces in the area of operations by ground units, ships, and aircraft providing supplies and equipment to the forces concerned, provided it involves actually entering the designated area; and ships and aircraft providing fire, patrol, guard, reconnaissance, or other military support.

b. *Requirements.* Awarded for service after 1 July 1958, meeting the qualifications set forth below:

(1) *General.* Personnel must be a bona fide member of a unit and engaged in the operation, or meet one or more of the following criteria:

(a) Have served not less than 30 consecutive days in the area of operations.

(b) Be engaged in direct support of the operation for 30 consecutive days or 60 nonconsecutive days, provided this support involves entering the area of operations. The qualifying criteria for non-unit direct support personnel in Grenada is 6 consecutive days or 12 nonconsecutive days.

(c) Serve for the full period where an operation is less than 30 days' duration.

(d) Be engaged in actual combat, or duty which is equally as hazardous as combat, during the operation with armed opposition, regardless of time in the area.

(e) Participate as a regularly assigned crewmember of an aircraft flying into, out of, within, or over the area in support of the military operation.

(f) Be recommended, or attached to a unit recommended, by the chief of a service or the commander of unified or specified command for award of the medal, although the criteria above have not been fulfilled. Such recommendations may be made to the Joint Chiefs of Staff for duty of such value to the operation as to warrant particular recognition.

c. Designated areas and dates.

(1) US military operation:

(a) Berlin. From 14 August 1961 to 1 June 1963.

(b) Lebanon. From 1 July 1958 to 1 November 1958.

(c) Quemoy and Matsu Islands. From 23 August 1958 to 1 June 1963.

(d) Taiwan Straits. From 23 August 1958 to 1 January 1959.

(e) Cuba. From 24 October 1962 to 1 June 1963.

(f) Congo. From 23 to 27 November 1964.

(g) Dominican Republic. From 28 April 1965 to 21 September 1966.

(h) Korea. From 1 October 1966 to 30 June 1974.

(i) Cambodia (Evacuation of Cambodia—Operation EAGLE PULL). From 11 to 13 April 1975.

(j) Vietnam (Evacuation of Vietnam—Operation FREQUENT WIND). From 29 to 30 April 1975.

(k) Mayaguez Operation. 15 May 1975.

(l) Grenada—OPERATION URGENT FURY. From 23 October 1983 to 21 November 1983. See paragraph 4-28b(1)(b) above.

(m) Libya—Operation Eldorado Canyon. From 12 April 1986 to 17 April 1986.

(n) Persian Gulf—From 24 July 1987, the date of the Bridgeton incident, to a date to be determined. The area of operations is the area from 20 degrees north latitude northward to 30 degrees, 30 minutes, north latitude and from 46 degrees, 36 minutes, east longitude eastward to 63 degrees east longitude. These geographical limits include the Persian Gulf, Bahrain, Kuwait, the Gulf of Oman and most of Saudi Arabia.

(o) Panama—Operation Just Cause. From 20 December 1989 to 31 January 1990.

(2) *US operations in direct support of the United Nations:* Congo. From 14 July 1960 to 1 September 1962.

(3) *US operations of assistance for a friendly foreign nation:*

(a) Laos. From 19 April 1961 to 7 October 1962.

(b) Vietnam. From 1 July 1958 to 3 July 1965.

(c) Cambodia. From 29 March 1973 to 15 August 1973.

(d) Thailand (only those in direct support of Cambodia operations). From 29 March 1973 to 15 August 1973.

(e) Lebanon. From 1 June 1983 to 1 December 1987.

d. *Service star.* The bronze service star will be used to denote second and subsequent awards of the Armed Forces Expeditionary Medal. See chapter 6.

e. *Order of precedence.* The Armed Forces Expeditionary Medal takes precedence immediately after the Antarctica Service Medal.

4-29. Vietnam Service Medal

Established by Executive Order 11231 (DOD Directive 1348.15, 1 October 1965). Awarded to all members of the Armed Forces of the United States serving in Vietnam and contiguous waters or airspace thereover, after 3 July 1965 through 28 March 1973. Members of the Armed Forces of the United States in Thailand, Laos, or Cambodia, or the airspace thereover, during the same period and serving in direct support of operations in Vietnam are also eligible for this award.

a. Individuals must—

(1) Be attached to or regularly serve for 1 or more days with an organization participating in or directly supporting military operations.

(2) Be attached to or regularly serve for 1 or more days aboard a naval vessel directly supporting military operations.

(3) Actually participate as a crewmember in one or more aerial flights into airspace above Vietnam and contiguous waters directly supporting military operations.

(4) Serve on temporary duty for 30 consecutive days or 60 nonconsecutive days in Vietnam or contiguous areas, except that time limit may be waived for personnel participating in actual combat operations.

b. No person will be entitled to more than one award of the Vietnam Service Medal.

c. Individuals qualified for the Armed Forces Expeditionary Medal for reason of service in Vietnam between 1 July 1958 and 3 July 1965 (inclusive) shall remain qualified for that medal. Upon request (unit personnel officer) any such individual may be awarded the Vietnam Service Medal in lieu of the Armed Forces Expeditionary Medal. In such instances, the Armed Forces Expeditionary Medal will be deleted from list of authorized medals in personnel records. No person shall be entitled to both awards for Vietnam service.

d. Vietnam and contiguous waters, as used herein, is defined as an area which includes Vietnam and the water adjacent thereto within the following specified limits: From a point on the East