

(If anyone is interested in hiring a bunch of P-grade judges or participants, Chick knows where he can get ahold of a few on short notice!) **Mike Lord**, a JAGC type at Oceana, is handling a court-martial for one of Chick's guys ("one of my better guys, potential to be a 4.0 sailor, highly recommended for advancement . . .") **Neil Tollefsrud** is working for Texas Instruments in Sherman, Texas. **Dennis Powers** is with the FITWING at Oceana. **Dave Whipple** is working for Proctor & Gamble out in Cincinnati.

**Clay Absher** is a pilot for Piedmont Airlines. Chick ran into **Tony Ruoti** (P-3 type) in Sigonella, while Chick was on an overnight R&R after 55 days near Lebanon. "Needless to say, we destroyed some brain cells together." Chick ends this entry in the annals of our Class with his phone number at VA-85 (avn 274-2662) or at home (804/468-5034), and an invitation to call and brace him up . . . (sounds like an offer you can't refuse!). Thanks a bunch for the news Chick, and good luck in your new line of work!

Well, it's time again to wrap up another one. As usual it's been real . . . Hugs and kisses from the Hubbards (Florie says "woof") and have a pleasant Spring . . . assuming you're having it by now. By the way, if anybody is planning a get-together for this year's Homecoming, let me know ASAP so we can get some word out. Until next time . . . BEAT ARMY!!

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Sec'y, Mr. **J. F. Buranosky**  
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It has been a very poor month for correspondence; I received only one short letter and a few Navy Hometown News Releases, so there is not a lot of news to pass on. I heard from **Dennis Dilucente**; he is still with VMFA-212 in Hawaii but is expecting orders soon. He is doing well.

From the Hometown News Releases I learned that **Paul Wrigley** is with VA-85 in Oceana flying A-6s. **Pat Jacobs** is still with Air Anti-submarine Squadron 30 out of NAS Cecil Field. **Mike Dailey** is with Air Anti-submarine Squadron 41 at NAS North Island, and **Tom Cook** is with Helicopter Anti-submarine Squadron Ten also at North Island. **Rick McHugh** has been assigned to the pre-commissioning unit of the USS NORFOLK, the Navy's newest SSN. **Tim Naville** completed an around-the-globe deployment aboard USS CALIFORNIA at the end of December. **Mark Uhron** is serving aboard USS TAURAS, the Navy's newest and fastest hydrofoil, commissioned 10 October in Bremerton; he is homeported in Key West, Florida. **Chuck Dirienzo** has reported for duty with Headquarters Battalion, First Marine Division, Camp Pendleton.

That's all the news I have this time. Take some time to write so we keep in touch.

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Greetings and hello again for the last time, from New York City. At long last, the final week of January has arrived. It is finally time to dig myself out from the three inches of ice which New York is under and head South. I am definitely not going to miss recruiting duty. It was great to be home for awhile, but I am ready and anxious to get to USNA South, which is what Pensacola apparently seems like. My only regrets in leaving New York are missing the night life and a certain blonde female from Philadelphia, who I've gotten quite attached to. Look for a new address to send your correspondence to next month. Until then I'm sure that Ma Sciabarra will forward all your mail to me. This was another great month for correspondence, and there are a lot of new developments to pass on.

I deeply regret that I have to begin this column on a tragic note. It is my sad duty to report to you the death of our Classmate, **Ed Carmany**. Ed died in an auto accident on 22 January in Pensacola. Ed was a member of the Third Company and was 1st Battalion Commander during the Spring Set 1981. Ed was a dear friend to many of us and he will be sincerely missed by all. Our greatest sympathies go out to Ed's family. We will miss him.

I will start off this month by listing the latest group of school graduates, which the Alumni Association has forwarded to me. Chris Cooke, Joe Schartung, Al Oram, Gary Bell, Charles Smith, Craig Larrew, Dave Jackson, K.C. O'Connor, Bruce Hagaman, Dave Dent, Jim Galanie, Mike Pashkevich, Tom Hartline, and Dave Branzell have all completed AIC at Pensacola. Also just completed with the Basic Civil Engineer Corps Officer Course are Loretta Yates, Mike Harber, Terry Huxel, Dave Ricks, Scott Murdock, Barry Loveless, Mike Giorgione, and Lisa Freeland. And finally, the last graduate to report is **Jim Trueblood** from the Non-Lawyer Course at Naval Justice School. Congratulations to all on your accomplishments.

As I said before, the letters have come in pretty steadily this past month, so I'll start with one from **Mike Yandell**. Mike is the first NFO from '81 to complete VT-10, and he is now on his way to RVAW-120 at NAS Norfolk, which is the East Coast E-2C RAG. **Doug DeBode**, one of my old roommates, has also completed VT-10 and will be going to Navigation School at Mather AFB in California. I know that DJ is probably overjoyed at getting his beloved P-3s. Still on the "flight-side" in VT-10 are **Charlie Odom**, **Steve Astolffi**, **Joe Adan**, **Mark Shanuel**, **Dave Sperling**, **Dave Tallon**, and **Dave Lane**. Dave Lane also was recently married to Vicki. And finally, Mike reports that **Jeff Trumbore**, along with his wife and son, and **Bob Dolan** are at Diving School in Panama City, Florida.

Dee and **Rick Martin** also sent their greetings from Pensacola. Dee is expecting near the end of February. Rick seems to be enjoying Pensacola along with **Sid Abernathy**, **Pat Donovan**, **Barry Kenny**, **Pete Reister**, and **Ted Carter**. The whole gang got together at a party at Sid, Pat, Barry, and Pete's in mid-January. Also present were **Brian Sullivan**, **Mike Kronzer**, **Mark Kendall**, **Pete**



Army-Navy South 1981

**Perri**, and **John Geshay**. Second Company's representatives at P-Cola are **Jim King**, **Henry Holt**, **Tim Griffith**, and **Bill Cone**. Also heard around P-Cola is the news that Pam and **Mike Kronzer** are the proud parents of Amy Marie. **Jim Murray** and **Pete Perri** arrived in mid-January and went through the "O" Course in that great ten degree weather. Also recently arrived from "Camp Quantico" are **Joe Zurlo**, **Danny Harrington**, **George Basil**, and a few others. **Joe Mucci** and **Ken Lewko** are also in the vicinity and have gone to Survival Training at Eglin AFB. Rick also sent me this picture of Army-Navy South. Apparently it was quite a bash, complete with a march-on, and a huge TV screen on someone's lawn and of course some liquid refreshments. Thanks for all the info Rick, and please keep the beer cold; I'm on my way.

Received a quick note from **Debbie Woods**, who informed me that she and Dave were married last May. Also tying the knot from 25th Company were Sally and **Jack Vess**, Carol and **Roberto Garcia**, Jill and **Ken Lewko**, Gibson and **Paul Wehr**, and Julia and **Dave Ricks**. Debbie also informed me that she and Dave will get an addition to their family around July 4th, and that **Brent Jett** is engaged. Thanks for the news, Debbie.

**Dave McDonald** sent me a letter and this picture of '81ers who were stashed at Moffett Field, California. From left to right are **Steve Kim**, **Dave McDonald**, **Dave "Arlo" Guthrie**, **Mike Mahre** (nice beard), **Lauro Aguila**, and **Earl Hampton**. Through their efforts on the Combined Federal