

Armed Forces Display Might Here Tomorrow

Jet fighters and huge reconnaissance bombers will monopolize Bay area skies tomorrow while ground based Army, Navy and Marine Corps personnel at principal military installations appeal host to the public in the annual observance of Armed Forces Day.

At several of the nearby military bases, the celebration will extend through Sunday.

Highlight of tomorrow's program at the Presidio of San Francisco, where the Sixth Army Bagpipe Band will perform, is the first public display of the Nike, deadly anti-aircraft missile.

ROCKETS ON DISPLAY.

Under the direction of the Thirtieth Antiaircraft Artillery Group, a number of the rocket propelled, thirty foot weapons with electronic brains will be poised on launchers set up on the main parade ground.

As an added feature, mess halls at the Presidio, Fort Scott, Oakland Army Base and Fort Baker in Marin County will offer the public typical Army chow priced at 60 cents for adults and 30 cents for children.

The Navy, with open house celebrations at every installation in the area, will stage a parade along the Embarcadero at 10 a. m., ending at Pier 18 where the historic light cruiser USS Manchester, holder of the most enviable Korean war record, will be opened to public inspection from 10 to 11:30 a. m. and from 1 to 4 p. m. The craft also will be opened to visitors from 1 to 4 p. m. on Sunday.

Dockside at Pier 18, the 7728th Antiaircraft Artillery Battalion will display heretofore classified 90 millimeter guns, the latest radar target finding equipment and a radar early warning system. Two radio controlled ARCAT planes will also be open for public inspection.

DUAL CELEBRATION.

The Treasure Island Naval Station will be open to the public both Saturday and Sunday because the installation, in addition to observing Armed Forces Day, also is celebrating the fifteenth anniversary of the opening of the 1940 Golden Gate International Exposition.

Band concerts, athletic events and a special performance by the Athens Club Water Follies will highlight the activities, while submarines and seaplane tenders will be open to the public.

"Miss Naval Reserve" will be selected from a covey of contestants in Civic Center at 1 p. m. Sunday as a reserve battalion conducts muster and inspection.

In keeping with this year's Armed Forces Day theme, "Power for Peace," the Naval Air Station at Alameda tomorrow will exhibit the carrier Boxer and the submarine Pomfret, while Navy planes of all description will be on exhibit aloft and in the various hangars.

WAVES DRILL.

Close order drills by the WAVES and a Marine Corps contingent, a fire fighting demonstration, simulated air-sea rescue operations by helicopter and a baseball game round out the afternoon. The Air Station gates will be open to the public from 10 a. m. until 4 p. m.

Raymond H. Folger, Assistant Secretary of the Navy, will be the featured speaker at an Armed Forces Day luncheon in Vallejo and later will participate in the Mare Island Navy Yard observance.

Hunters Point will be open from 1 to 4:30 p. m., with the carrier Hancock and submarine Dentuda as principal attractions. Guided tours of the "mothball fleet" at the installation also are scheduled.

The Naval Air Station at

Moffett Field will hold open house from 8 a. m. until 5 p. m. both tomorrow and Sunday, with flight demonstrations, athletic events, a helicopter rescue, precision drills and band music the order of the day.

MODEL PLANES.

An added feature of the Moffett Field celebration will be the California Model Airplane Championships, sponsored by the California Exchange Clubs in co-operation with the Navy.

The Oakland Naval Air Station will exhibit aircraft and electronic equipment from 10 a. m. until 4 p. m. tomorrow, while Oak Knoll Naval Hospital will hold its open house observance from 1 p. m. until 4 p. m. today.

Models of submarine nets, torpedo nets and a relief map of west San Francisco illustrating use of the nets will be on display from 9 until 4 at the Tiburon Naval Net Depot tomorrow.

The Naval Magazine at Port Chicago will hold underwater mine disposal demonstrations, while the Marine Corps stages a judo exhibition.

At San Bruno Personnel Depot, a tank-infantry demonstration and display of Geiger



BOMB SHELTER—Interior of new steel H-bomb shelter is displayed in Garden City, N. Y. The makers claim the shelter will afford protection for a family for three to five

days. This model has five bunks with air mattresses. At the rear is a fan which draws purified air through a special filter. A radiation detector is included in the varied equipment.

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ENTRANCE—A youngster is helped into the hatch-like entrance to the Walter Kiddie Laboratories H-bomb shelter shown above. At right background is the intake for the special filter which removed radioactive particles from the air.

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counters and scintillators will feature open house from 1 to 5 p. m.

Visitors to the Oakland Army Base open house, from 10 a. m. until 4 p. m. tomorrow, will be able to send free radio messages to relatives or friends anywhere in the world.

UNIFORM DISPLAY.

The Army's new green uniform will be displayed for the first time in the East Bay, while big guns, guided missiles and a new tank will be on exhibition.

At Travis Air Force Base, three of the biggest military aircraft in regular operation will perform during the afternoon.

Hamilton Air Force Base will augment tomorrow's aerial display with a Protestant "singspiration" in the outdoor amphitheater at 7 p. m. Sunday. The program is sponsored by the Hamilton United Fellowship of

Protestants, an interdenominational, co-educational Christian youth fellowship of the Armed Forces. Invitations have been extended to sixty-five Marin County and Bay area youth groups to participate in the special program.

The California Maritime Academy training ship Golden Bear will be docked at Pier 45 for public inspection between 1 and 4 p. m. tomorrow and Sunday.