Record of Military Service of General Oliver P. Smith, USMC

17 April 1917

Commissioned 2nd Lieutenant in the Marine Corps Reserve.

14 May 1917

Reported for active duty at Mare island, CA.

13 September 1917

Accepted commission as 2nd Lieutenant in the Marine Corps.

29 June 1917 - 28 March 1919

Duty at Marine Barracks, Naval Station, Guam.

3 October 1917

Temporarily appointed 1st Lieutenant with rank from 11 August 1917.

6 Sep 1918

Temporarily appointed Captain with rank from I July 1918.

6 May 1919 - 8 October 1921

Duty Marine Barracks, Navy Yard, Mare Island, CA.

Commanding Officer, Machine Gun School

Assistant Adjutant

6 April 1921

Appointed permanent Captain with rank from 4 June 1920.

13 October 1921 - 15 May 1924

Duty as Commanding Officer, Marine Detachment, USS TEXAS.

17 May 1924 - 1 June 1928

Detail Office, Personnel Section, Headquarters Marine Corps.

13 June 1928 - 10 June 1931

Duty as Assistant Chief of Staff in Garde d' Haiti, Republic of Haiti.

Awarded Haitian Distinguished Service Medal with Diploma.

17 September 1931 - 1 June 1932

Student in the Field Officers' Course, The Infantry School, Pt. Benning, GA.

30 June 1932 - 5 September 1933

Instructor, Company Officers' Course, Marine Barracks, Quantico, VA.

6 September 1933 - 17 January 1934

Asst. Operations Officer, 7th Marines, Quantico, VA.

29 January 1934 - 2 August 1936

Office of Naval Attache, American Embassy, Paris, France

November 1934 - July 1936

Student in the Ecole Supericure de Guerre.

24 August 1934 - I June 1939

Instructor (Amphibious) and F-3, Marine Corps Schools, Quantico, VA.

3 September 1935

Promoted to Major with rank from 29 May 1934.

17 May 1938

Promoted to LtCol. with rank from I May 1938.

9 July 1939 - 9 June 1940

F-3 Fleet Marine Force, San Diego, CA.

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10 June 1940 - 31 May 1941

Commanding Officer, 1st Battalion, 6th Marines, San Diego.

7 July 1941 - 8 March 1942

Commanding Officer, 1st Battalion, 6th Marines, Iceland.

5 January 1942

Temporarily appointed Colonel with rank from I January 1942.

29 April 1942

Appointed permanent Colonel.

2 May 1942 - 14 January 1944

M-4 and Executive Officer, Division Of Plans and Policies,

Headquarters Marine Corps, Washington, D.C.

28 January 1944 - 6 November 1944

First Marine Division; Commanding Officer, 5th Marines, Talasea Operation.

Assistant Division Commander, Peleliu Operation.

13 April 1944

Appointed temporary Brigadier General with rank from I October 1942.

Awarded Bronze Star with Combat V for Talasea Operation.

Awarded Legion Of Merit with Combat V for Peleliu Operation.

8 November 1944 - 23 June 1945

Marine Deputy Chief of Staff, Tenth Army, Okinawa Campaign.

Awarded Oak Leaf Cluster for Legion of Merit.

2 July 1945 - 22 January 1946

Commandant Marine Corps Schools, Quantico, VA.

28 January 1946 - 27 February 1946

Commanding General First Special Marine Brigade, Quantico, VA.

12 March 1946 - 15 July 1946

Commandant Marine Corps Schools, Quantico, VA.

16 July 1946 - 30 December 1947

Assistant Commandant Marine Corps Schools, Quantico, VA.

28 February 1947

Awarded Order of Orange-Nassau

31 December 1947 - 5 April 1948

Commanding General, Marine Barracks and Marine Corps Schools, Quantico, VA.

12 February 1948

Appointed as permanent Brigidier General with rank from 1 October 1942

3 April 1948

Appointed as temporary Major General with rank from I October 1942

5 April 1948 - 19 July 1950

Headquarters Marine Corps, Washington, D.C. Appointed Assistant Commandant

26 July 50 - 26 April 1951

Commanding General, 1st Marine Division, Republic of Korea.

24 February 1951 - 5 March 1951

Commanding General, IX Corps, United States Army.

May 1951 - July 1953

Commanding General, Marine Barracks, Camp Joseph H. Pendleton.

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10 October 1951 - 20 November 1951

Commanding General, Fleet Marine Force Pacific.

23 July 1953 - 31 August 1955

Commanding General, Fleet Marine Force Atlantic, Naval Base, Norfolk, VA.

24 July 1953

Promoted to Lieutenant General with rank from 23 July 1953.

1 September 1955

Promoted to General.

Assumed inactive status on the Retired List of Officers of the Marine Corps.

### Awards of General Oliver P. Smith, USMC

World War I

WWI Victory Medal

Haiti

MC Expeditionary Medal, Haiti, 1929-31

Haitian Distinguished Service Medal with Diploma, 1931

World War II

Legion of Merit with Combat V and Oak Leaf Cluster (Peleliu & Okinawa), 1944-5

Bronze Star Medal with Comabt V (Talasea, Cape Gloucester, New Britain), 1944

Asiatic-Pacific Campaign Medal with 3 Stars

European-African-Middle Eastern Campaign Medal

Presidential Unit Citation with 3 stars

#### Korea

Distinguished Service Cross (Army) - Chosin Reservoir Operation

Distinguished Service Medal (Navy) - Inchon & Chosin Reservoir Operation

Distinguished Service Medal

Silver Star (Army) - Inchon Landing

Korean Service Medal with Silver Star

Korean Order of Military Merit with Silver Star

Korean Presidential Citation wish Oak Leaf Cluster

United Nations Service Medal

Air Medal

**Navy Unit Commendation** 

American Defense Service Medal with Bronze Star

National Defense Service Medal

Miscellaneous

Order of Orange-Nassau with Swords (Rank of Commander), 28 Febuary 1947

Highlights in the General Oliver P. Smith CollectionsBox 17, Official Correspondence, 1917-1944

- Official Correspondence Guam, 1917-1919
  - o August 27, 1917 Request for transportation to Guam for fiancee, Miss Esther L. King
  - o January 28, 1918 Duties of the officer-of-the-day
  - February 25, 1919 Additional duty of OD (offensive language referee at baseball games)
- Official Correspondence MCHO, Washington, D. C., 1924-1928

- o July 14, 1924 University of California transcript
- January 22, 1926 Letter to Commandant to increase number of reserve officers from 168 to 4,000
- March 29, 1927 Letter from Brig. Gen. C. L. McCawley, Quartermaster, congratulating
   O. P. Smith on article in "Marine Corps Gazette entitled "On Traditions"
- Official Correspondence Haiti, 1928-1931
  - o March 29, 1930 Request for extension of tour of duty
- Official Correspondence Ft. Benning Infantry School, 1931-1932
- Official Correspondence Marine Corps Schools & Marine Barracks, Quantico VA, 1932-34
  - September 28, 1933 Letter from Gen. John H. Russell informing O. P. Smith of Commandant's consideration of O. P. Smith to become a student at L'Ecole Superieure de Guerre
  - o September 30, 1933 O. P. Smith' reply to Gen. Russell
- Official Correspondence Ecole Superieure de Gberre 1934-1936
  - Report on preparation for and course of instruction Chapter 5 [Tactical Doctrine], Section
     (j) [Motorization and mechanization], "Factors influencing motorization and mechanization in the French Army," page 62; "Conclusion," page 63
  - o School report "The Frontier in American History"
- Official Correspondence FMF, Pacific, MC Base, San Diego CA
  - o HQ Company, 1939-1940
  - o 1st Battalion, 6th Marines, 1940-1942
  - o August 15, 1941 Recommendations regarding the equipment of an infantry battalion
- Official Correspondence MCHO, Washington, D. C., 1942-1944
  - January 4, 1943 Memo for Col. Merwin H. Silverthorn--Projections on the wars against Germany and Japan
  - o September 30, 1943 Memo: Demobilization Planning (post-war)

### Box 18, Official Correspondence, 1944-1976

- Official Correspondence IstMarDiv, FMF, Pacific, 1944
  - o X Army, CG Staff, 1944
  - o Marine Detachment, X Army, 1945
  - o January 2, 1945 Memo: Activation of MarDet (Prov), X Army
- Official Correspondence MCS, Ouantico VA, 1945-1946, 1946-1948
  - o 1st Special Marine Brigade, MB, Ouantico, VA, 1946
  - o January 22-May 8, 1946 Diary
  - July 17, 1946 Letter from Brig. Gen. Harry J. Malony, Chief, Historical Division, asking for O. P. Smith's comments on enclosed chapter from proposed book on battle of Okinawa
  - o July 30, 1946 O. P. Smith' reply to Gen. Malony
  - September 16, 1946 Effect of Atomic Explosives on Amphibious Warfare; Enclosure -August 21, 1946, Lt. Gen Roy S. Geiger's "Report on Able and Baker Atomic Bomb tests held at BIKINI, July 1946."
  - May 16, 1947 Offense Report, case of P.F.C. Lewis (n) ROBINSON, USMC 981216,
     Post Service Battalion [O. P. Smith' steward]

- August 25, 1947 Memo: Review of "The Marines War" (comments and corrections by O. P. Smith)
- o December 3, 1947 Organization of the Marine Corps Schools
- Official Correspondence MCHO, Washington, D. C., 1948-1950
  - o June 21, 1950 Report of the 1st MarDiv History Board
- Official Correspondence 1st MarDiv, FMF, Pacific, 1950
  - August 6, 1950 Letter of Instructions to Brig. Gen. Ivan W. Miller, USMC, Deputy Commander, FMF, Pacific, regarding organization of the FMF, Pacific
- Official Correspondence Fleet Marine Force, Atlantic, Naval Base, Norfolk, VA, 1953-1955
  - July 23, 1953 Original memo with signature from Lemuel C. Shepherd, CMC,
     "Designation to perform theduties of CG, FMF, Atlantic"
  - August 31, 1955 Report of Separation from the Armed Forces of the United States (carbon copy)
- Official Correspondence 1955-1976

January 28, 1966 - Original letter from Wallace M. Greene, Jr., CMC, asking O. P. Smith to visit Marines in U.S, Naval Hospital at Oakland, CA, on behalf of the CMC

Box 19, Correspondence - Korean War - Historical Studies (O. P. Smith' comments on historical studies such as The Crucial Decade by Eric Goldman, The New Breed by AndrewGeer, Cavalry of the Sky by Lynn Montross and U.S. Marine Operations in Korea by Lynn Montross.)

- Correspondence Korean War Historical Studies, 1952-1955
  - June 5, 1952 Letter to Andrew Geer contains O. P. Smith' proposed forward for The New Breed.
  - November 9, 1950 O. P. Smith' answers to questions concerning "Command Relationships inAmphibious Operations in World War II."
  - May 12, 1955 Original letter from Maj. Gen. Lewis B. Puller to O. P. Smith expressing his dissatisfaction with certain sections of U.S. Marine Operations in Korea.
- Correspondence Korean War Historical Studies, 1956-1957
  - March 1, 1956 Original letter from Admiral James Doyle offering his assistance to the development of U.S. Marine Operations in Korea.
  - March 7, 1956 Attached to letter from Lynn Montross to O. P. Smith is a Xerox copy of letter from Douglas MacArthur giving his comments on U.S. Marine Operations in Korea.
  - September 20, 1956 Attached to letter to Andrew Geer from O. P. Smith is a copy of O.
     P. Smith's letter dated November 15, 1950 to the CMC, C. B. Cates.
- Correspondence Korean War Historical Studies, 1958-1961
  - April 15, 1960 Letter to Lynn Montross from O. P. Smith which includes two articles ("The Inchon Landing in Retrospect" and "Looking Back at the Chosin Reservoir Operation") for publication. The articles appeared in the Marine Corps Gazette in September 1960 and November 1960.
  - June 29, 1960 Letter to Burke Davis from O. P. Smith giving O. P. Smith' opinion of Lewis B. Puller for a biography.
- Correspondence Korean War Historical Studies, 1958-1961
  - o June 9, 11 & 12, 1969 Outline of Oral History transcript.
- Correspondence Korean War Historical Studies, 1968-1971
   August 25, 1971 "Oral Reminiscences of General Oliver P. Smith"

### Box 20, Haiti & Ecole Superieure de Guerre

- Haiti, 1928-1931 Diary
- Haiti, 1928-1931 Historical Data
- Haiti, 1928-1931 Documents, Pictures, Cards
  - o Two presidential campaign buttons for Andre F.F. Chevallier
  - o Signed portrait of Andre F.F. Chevallier
- Ecole Superieure de Guerre, 1934-1936 Diary

Ecole Su~erieure de Guerre, 1934-1936 - Class Photo Album & Address Book; Remise de 1a Croix de 1a Legion D'honneur a L'Ecole Superiuere de Guerre

#### Box 21, Iceland

- Fleet Marine Force, Pacific San Diego & Iceland. 1939-1942 Diary
- Iceland, 1941-1942 Supporting Documents
  - o Song of the Sixth Marines (Reinforced)
  - o August 5, 1941 Estimate of the situation for the defense of Iceland
  - o January 21, 1942 Combat instructions No. 1, Revised 21Jan42
- Iceland, 1941-1942 Miscellaneous
  - o Three Christmas cards from " A U.S. Marine in Iceland"
  - o Cartoon "Inspection of Quarters, U.S.S. Fuller"
- Iceland. 1941-1942 Booklets
  - o The American in Iceland (guide- and phrase-book)
  - 6th August 1941, No. 44/100 (pictorial commemoration of Prime Minister Winston Churchill's visit to Iceland)
  - o The American Forces in Iceland (history
  - o The First Marine Brigade (Provisional). Iceland, 1941-1942 (history)
- Iceland, 1941-1942 Newspapers
- Iceland Proposed "History of Marine Operations in World War II," Chapter 4 "Marine Occupation of Iceland"

#### Box 22, WWII Pacific Campaigns

- Personal Narrative New Britain Island. Russell Islands & Peleliu
- Talasea Supporting Documents First World War II troop command
- Peleliu Special Action Report
- Peleliu Miscellaneous
  - November 4, 1944 O. P. Smith' comments and recommendations as a result of the Peleliu Campaign
- · Personal Narrative X Army and Okinawa
- X Army and Okinawa Miscellaneous Papers
  - o Poem "Excuse It, Please," signed 1st Marine Division
- X Army and Okinawa Booklets
  - o Communication & Organization Digest, Task Force 51 Personal Notebook
  - o Combat Report, Okinawa, 6th Marine Division, April 1 to June 21, 1945 (Cartoon)

# Box 32 - Korea - Plans & Orders; Korean War Misc. Documents; Korea

- Semi-Official Correspondence; Korea Casuality List, I8Mar-26Apr51
- Korea Station List 1stMarDiv, IApr5l
- Korean PUCs for 1stMarDiv & I1th Marine Air Wing

- Korea Plans and Orders
  - o Operation Order 2-50 (Inchon)
- Korea Plans and Orders February 1951 IX Corps, US Army, General Order No. 32 O. P. Smith assumes temporary command of the IX Corps, 24 Feb 51
- Korean War Miscellaneous Documents September 1950
  - Landing at Inchon (Prepared by MGen Smith for briefing of correspondents) September
     13, 1950 MacArthur briefing
  - o D-Day Schedule of Events, 0400-1730 (H-Hour), Inchon
  - September 8, 1950 Order to Establish a Civil Government for the City of Inchon, Republic of Korea
  - Two Newspaper Clippings found in Seoul, September 1950: "This Is How the War Prisoner of the U.S. Forces and of the So-called National Army Are Spending Their Days in Leisure" "Do You Miss Your Parents, Wives and Children at Home?"
- Korean War Miscellaneous Documents October and November 1950
  - o Special Report1 1st Marine Division (Reinf), FMF, 1 Aug 15 Nov 50
- Korean War Miscellaneous Documents December 1950
  - Extracts from Chinese Documents Dealing with Chosin Reservoir Operation and Other Notes
  - o December 28, 1950 Original letter from Edward R. Murrow to Mrs. Esther King Smith
- Korean War Miscellaneous Documents January 1951
  - o Questions by N. Harry Smith for O. P. Smith and O. P. Smith' answers.
  - o Summary report of the Marine Corps in the Korean War as of December 31, 1951.
  - January 5, 1951 Extracts of personal letter (I7Dec50) from O. P. Smith to C. B. Cates, CMC.
- Korean War Miscellaneous Documents January 1952 February 1958
  - December 2, 1953 From Red Star, "Answers to Questions from Readers: WHAT DOES THE U.S.A.MARINE CORPS REPRESENT?"
  - January 27, 1958 Original handwritten letter from Jhongman Rhee, Chairman, United States MarinesMemorial Foundation, Inc., Republic of Korea, with leaflet describing memorial.
- Korea Semi-Official Miscellaneous Correspondence. 20Jan51-23Nov53
  - February 2, 1951 Letter to Lt. Gen. Matthew H. Ridgeway, CG, 8th US Army. O. P.
     Smith gives hisviews on future operations in northeastern Korea.
  - April 1, 1951 Message to CG, Eighth Army from CINCFE, Tokyo from DEPTAR (CINFC), Washington, D. C. The Army wanted O. P. Smith to refute Navy Chaplain Lt. Cmdr. Otto E. Sporrer's charges that 400 soldiers of the 31st Reg, 7th Division, impersonated wounded at Changjin Reservoir.
  - January 8, 1952 Original British Information Services press release as enclosure to letter to O. P. Smith from R.H. Hadrow. The release describes Royal Marine Lt. Col Douglas Drysdale's experiences in Korea with the 1st MarDiv.
  - May 22, 1952 Letter to Brig. Gen. J. C. McQueen from O. P. Smith denying that Walter Karig interviewed O. P. Smith for Battle Report - The War in Korea.
  - October 27, 1953 Letter to O. P. Smith from Col. C. L. "Gus" Banks. Banks sought a commendation for Associated Press Correspondent Frank Noel who the Chinese

- captured at Koto-ri about November 29, 1950 and held until about August 5, 1953. Included are two recommendations from officers who knew Noel during this time.
- November 11, 1953 Article entitled "Are These men Still Alive?" by Col. Leonard H.
   Nason in the Norfolk Ledger-Dispatch. Nason wondered if the Chinese had returned all of their prisoners.
- November 14, 1953 Letter to Brig. Gen. T. A. Wornham from O. P. Smith who wanted to use the Historical branch to set Col. Nason's facts straight.
- o November 23, 1953 O. P. Smith' response to Col. Nason's article
- The 1st U. S. Marine Division, Republic of Korea, Presidential Unit Citation. 15 Sep 27
   Sea 1950 Translation. Syngman Rhee's signature and Presidential Seal.
- The 1st Marine Air Wing, Republic of Korea. Presidential Unit Citation. 3 Aug 1950 26
   Feb 1951 and 27 Feb 1951 11 June 1953 Translation. First Award has Syngman
   Rhee's signature. Second Award hasSyn~man Rhee's signature and Presidential Seal.

## Box 33 - Terrain Study No. 6 - Northern Korea

- Marine Corps Board Study: An Evaluation of the Influence of the Marine Corps Forces on the Course of the Korean War
- Korean War Miscellaneous Documents Marine Corps Board Study: "An Evaluation of the Influence of the
- Marine Corps Forces on the Course of the Korean War, 4Aug50-15Dec50" (O. P. Smith' comments)

# Box 37 - Commendations: Subordinates, Personal, Unit Citations & Engagement Stars

- Cornmendations-Personal, 1950-1960
- August 16, 1950 Original letter from Commandant Clifton B. Cates thanking O. P. Smith for his recent hospitality at Camp Joseph H. Pendleton
- October 3, 1950 Original letter from Lt. Gen. Le Roy P. Hunt, CG FMFLant, declaring Hunt's nomination of O. P. Smith for University of California's Alumnus of the Year.
- October 8, 1950 IstMarDiv Memorandum from O. P. Smith entitled "Inchon Seoul Campaign," with O.P. Smith' signature (copy)
- October 10, 1950 Original letter from Col. Shin, Hyun Joon, Commanding Officer, ROK Marine Corps thanking O. P. Smith for designating Col. Hagenah as Advisor to the ROK Marine Corps
- December 6, 1950 Original letter from Baron E. Lewe von Aduard, former Dutch Marine and now member of U.N. Commission for Unification of Korea
- December 11, 1950 Original letter from Commandant Clifton B. Cates expressing his gratitude to the Marines at Chosin
- December 15, 1950 Original letter from Gen. J. Lawton Collins, Chief of Staff, U. S. Army, expressing his admiration for the lstMarDiv
- December 19, 1950 IstMarDiv Memorandum from O. P. Smith entitled "Operations in the Chosin Reservoir Area," with O. P. Smith' signature (copy)
- January 10, 1951 Original letter from Commandant Clifton B. Cates congratulating O. P. Smith on his leadership in Korea and its effect in the U.S.
- January 24, 1951 Original letter from Lt. Gen. Matthew B. Ridgeway, Commanding General, Eighth Army, Korea, on the importance of NCOs. Hand-drawn 8th Army emblem.
- February 9, 1951 Original letter of appreciation from Secretary of the Navy Francis P. Matthews during his visit to Korea

- February 26, 1951 Extract from "Time Magazine," January 15, 1951, entitled "The U. S. Gets A
  Policy, This winter's Events Fix the Goal and Plot the Course." Credits IstMarDiv with being the
  deciding factor to stay in Korea.
- February 27, 1951 (Endorsement to memo dated February 23, 1951) Commendation by Lt. Gen. Matthew B. Ridgeway, Commanding General, Eighth Army, Korea
- April 30, 1951 Memo from J. C. McQueen paraphrasing Maj. Gen.Frank Lowe, USA (Res),
   Special representative of the President in Korea. Lowe believed "Without the presence of the First Marine Division in Korea, losses to the other major units might have been disastrous."
- May 5, 1951 O. P. Smith compared to Generals "Stonewall" Jackson and Robert E. Lee by President Harry Truman
- May 11, 1951 Song by Press and Union League Club, San Francisco, for O. P. Smith
- September 1, 1955 <u>Telegram from George Washington</u> congratulating O. P. Smith on his service in three wars
- Commendations Unit Citations & Engagement Stars, 1944-1956 Gloucester Bay, New Britain Island
  - Navy Unit Commendation Eleventh Marine Regiment December 26, 1943 April 30, 1944 Peleliu, Palau Islands
  - o Navy Unit Commendation Third 155-mm. Howitzer Battalion September 15-29, 1944
  - o Presidential Unit Citation First Marine Division (Rein) September 15-29, 1944
  - o Navy Unit Commendation Eighth 155-mm. Gun Battalion September 17-29 1944
  - Original Memorandum for the Record by O. P. Smith recommending the 33rd Naval Construction Battalion for a Navy Unit Commendation
  - o May 1, 1945 War Department, General Order No. 33 Battle Honors and Rescission
  - August 8, 1951 Original letter from Maj. Gen. G. C. Thomas who mentions a Communist indication to seek a cease-fire
  - August 9, 1951 U.S. Army General Order No. 72 Distinguished Unit Citation and Meritorious Unit Citation
  - January 23, 1952 Original letter from Assistant Commandant, Lt. Gen. M. H. Silverthorn to O. P. Smith concerning lstMarDiv awards
  - February I, 1952 Original letter from Assistant Commandant, Maj. Gen. G. C. Thomas to
     O. P. Smith commenting on O. P. Smith' request for a Distinguished Unit Citation
  - March 3, 1952 Memo from O. P. Smith to Commandant recommending the 1stMarDiv for the Distinguished Unit Citation Award with all USMC and USA endorsements
  - December 8, 1952 Memo from Commandant Lemuel C. Shepherd to Secretary of the Navy (Navy Department Board of Decorations and Medals) recommending IstMarDiv (Rein) for Navy Unit Commendation with O. P. Smith' endorsement
  - November 17, 1953 Letter from Commandant Lemuel C. Shepherd, Jr., concerning changing executive order which prohibits the Navy from awarding the Presidential Unit Citation to non-U.S. Naval units which would benefit the 41st Independent Commando, Royal Marines
  - October 25, 1954 Original letter from Lt. Gen. Randall McCall Pate concerning ALMARCON

- 2 January 7, 1955 Memo from USMC Commandant to Maj. Gen E. A. Pollock USMC,
   CG, MCRDep, Parris Island, S. C., on units eligible for the second Korean Presidential
   Unit Citation awarded First Marine Division for service October 1950 to July 1953
- February 4, 1955 First Endorsement from O. P. Smith on units eligible for the second Korean Presidential Unit Citation awarded First Marine Division for service October 1950 to July 1953
- March 21, 1955 Memo for USMC Commandant from USA Adjutant General listing Army units attached to IstMarDiv from 15 January 1950 to 26 April 1951
- o January 26, 1956 Republic of Korea Presidential Unit Citations
  - 2 August 1950 6 September 1950 First United States Provisional Marine Brigade
  - 15 September 27 September 1950 First United States Marine Division
  - 26 October 1950 27 July 1953 First United States Marine Division (Reinforced)
- United States Presidential Unit Citations:
  - 7 August 7 September 1950 First Provisional Marine Brigade, Reinforced
  - 15 September 11 October 1950 First Marine Division, Reinforced
  - 27 November 11 December 1950 First Marine Division, Reinforced

# Box 38 - Speeches, 1945-1950

- [N.D.] "The Landing Force Commander in the Pacific"
- [N.D.] Dedication of Iwo Jima Monument
- April 17, 1947 Introduction of Mr. George Frost Kennan, Foreign Service Officer
- August 7, 1948 First Marine Division Association, Boston, MA
- February 2, 1949 Presentation to General Dwight D. Eisenhower

Box 39 - Speeches, 1951-1952; Ceremonies, 1947-1955; Marine Corps - Data, 1948-1950; Marine Corps policies, 1948-1950

- June 1951 Congressional Remarks in Connection with Hearing on Douglas Bill
- September 15, 1951 "Time For Defense" Radio Program
- December 7, 1951 Inscription in Mr. Ashley T. Cole's copy of "The Old Breed"
- Marine Corps Policies, 1948-50 Membership of CMC on JCS (MC Statement)

# Box 40 - Miscellaneous

- Erskine Board (Status of Marine Aviation), April 1947
- Staff Memo ORO-S-25: CCF Tactics in the Envelopment of a Column, S.L.A. Marshall
- Staff Memos ORO-S-26: CCF In the Attack, Part I, S.L.A. Marshall, 5Jan5l & ORO-S-34: CCF In the Attack. Part II. S.L.A. Marshall, 27Jan51
- The Military Order of the Carabao Its Story and Its Proiected History. 1959
- Letter with Partial Items Sent to Marine Corps Museums. 1960
  - o Christmas Menu, General Mess, Agana, Guam, December 1917
  - o Identification Tags First Lieutenant and Brigadier General French Staff Officer's Tab
  - o Operation Order No. 3, 1st Battalion, 6th Marines, 15 Dec 1941
  - Operation Order No. 17-44, 5th Marines (Reinf), 4 March 1944
  - o Situation Map, 1st Marine Division, 25 April 1951

#### Box 41 - Miscellaneous (Cont.)

# O.P. Smith Collection Highlights - Marine Corps Archives & Special Collections

- "The Department of Urban Affairs: A Blueprint for the Destruction of Private Property and States Rights" (Pamphlet). 1962
- Pocket Signal Disk
- Secretary of Defense [Robert McNamara] Priority List of 104 Projects
- Series of Davis Merwin's columns on national defense