

# USO-Camp Shows, Inc.

White - (Hold) Far East Comm  
Yellow (Cabin) USO GA6-C\*

7:30am Scandia



6 EAST 45th STREET, NEW YORK 17, N. Y.

Murray Hill 7-0881

1- Report to Col 7.  
2- See about Baggage

## Sponsoring Organizations

- Actors Equity Association
- Authors League
- American Broadcasting Company
- American Federation of Television and Radio Artists
- American Guild of Musical Artists
- American Guild of Variety Artists
- American Society of Composers, Authors and Publishers
- Artists Managers Guild
- Associated Actors and Artistes of America
- Association of Motion Picture Producers
- Association of Theatrical Press Agents and Managers
- Columbia Broadcasting System
- Council of Motion Picture Organizations
- Dramatists Guild
- Hollywood Coordinating Committee
- International Alliance of Theatrical Stage Employees
- League of New York Theatres
- Music Publishers Protective Association
- Mutual Broadcasting System
- National Association of Radio and Television Broadcasters
- National Broadcasting Company
- Negro Actors Guild
- Screen Actors Guild
- Screen Directors Guild
- Screen Writers Guild
- Society of Independent Motion Picture Producers
- Theatre Owners of America

### INFORMATION FOR MEMBERS

OF

USO-CAMP SHOWS' SPECIAL CHRISTMAS OVERSEAS UNIT NO. GA-6C

FAR EAST -- Japan & Korea

1. All necessary Army and USO-Camp Shows' papers will be signed at this meeting.
2. After signing the necessary papers you will be briefed by Lieut. Col. Jerome B. Coray on the military aspects of your tour.
3. An Escort Officer has been assigned to each Special Overseas Unit. The name of your Escort Officer is:

Lieut. Col. John A. Farnham, USA

#### 4. PLEASE REMEMBER:

Your Escort Officer is on duty status and acting under military orders. He is not expected to act as your host nor is he equipped with personal funds to act as such.

5. In outline, your Escort Officer's duties are as follows:
  - a. To act as liaison between your group and the Military.
  - b. To arrange for and notify you of time and place of arrival and departure of transportation.
  - c. To arrange for and notify you of billets assigned to you and to pay for same if payment is required.
  - d. To arrange for messing and notify you of place and time meals will be available and to pay for same if payment is required.
  - e. To arrange for and notify you of places and times of your performances and to secure such special facilities or equipment therefor as may reasonably be necessary.

- f. To arrange for any necessary medical attention or hospitalization.
  - g. To pay, out of the advance given him against estimated total Per Diem Allowance reimbursements payable to the members of your unit, for meals and lodging, as above indicated, and for other miscellaneous expenses of a non-personal nature such as tips, transportation if not furnished by the Military, telephone calls required to make arrangements for messing, billeting or performances, etc.
6. Your Escort Officer is neither authorized nor expected:
- a. To purchase for you cigarettes, toilet articles, reading matter, soft drinks or liquor, articles of clothing or any personal items or services. You should carry with you sufficient personal funds to satisfy your wants of this nature.
  - b. To pay any bills incurred by you unless previously authorized by him. If you desire billets or meals other than those for which he has arranged at prices coverable by the Per Diem Allowance specified in your Travel Orders, notify him to this effect in advance, and it is within his discretion to cancel those he has arranged. In this event, however, he is not authorized to pay any charges therefor and you must yourself pay such charges.
  - c. To pay for sightseeing trips, recreation, curios, personal overseas telephone calls, cables, etc. This is not to restrict the pleasure of your trip but simply because your Escort Officer will not have sufficient money to do so.
7. Your Escort Officer will have your Special No-Fee Passport and those of the other members of your unit. He will retain the passports throughout the trip and return them to the Department of State at conclusion of the tour in accordance with a Department regulation. You will be furnished with the number and date of issue of the Special No-Fee Passport issued to you for this trip and, if at any time thereafter you desire to take out a regular passport, refer to this number and date of issue in your application. Special No-Fee Passports are not valid for travel except under Government auspices.

7:00 a.m.

DEPARTURE

*Scandia Restaurant, 9131 Sunset Boulevard*

8. You are to report, with all your baggage at ~~Grayhound Bus Terminal, 1627 North Caluenga, Hollywood~~ not later than ~~7:30~~ A.M., Friday Morning, December 17. A chartered bus, marked with the name of the overseas area you will tour, will be waiting at the Terminal. Place your baggage in the bus as soon as you arrive. The bus will take the members of your unit directly onto the strip at Burbank Airport to the Special Plane assigned to your unit. Your baggage will be unloaded directly from the bus onto the plane.

Be sure to bring all necessary toilet articles with you. You may not be able to buy exactly what you lack at the Post Exchange. Colonel Coray will give you further details on this, and about any special clothing necessary or that will be issued to you by the Army. Your total personal baggage must be limited to 66 pounds.

LT. COL. FARNHAM ESCORT OFFICER TO  
JAPAN AND RETURN.

28 PASSENGERS AND CREW TO KWATAKEIN

SINGERS  
MUSICIANS  
COMEDIANS  
MAGICIANS  
DANCERS  
COVER GIRLS  
ROPE TWIRLERS  
WESTERN ARTISTS

1. MATERIAL OBTAINED AT BRIEFING BEFORE TRIP
2. CERTIFICATE OF VACCINATION AND INNOVATION

HEADQUARTERS  
UNITED STATES ARMY FORCES, FAR EAST  
and  
EIGHTH UNITED STATES ARMY  
APO 343

Ltr Order 12-125

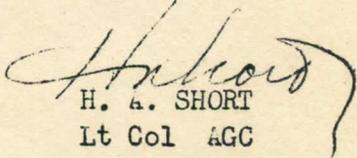
10 December 1954

SUBJECT: Invitational Travel Order

TO: MR LARRY S SALTERS (VIP) (Mgr)  
and 12 other indiv (VIPs)

You are auth and invited to proceed on TDY for aprx 18 days as members of Unit "C" Special Hollywood Christmas Celebrity Show, to present Special Hollywood Christmas Celebrity Show for members of the Armed Forces. You WP o/a 22 Dec 54 for Hq Eighth Army (Fwd) APO 301; depart Eighth Army (Fwd) o/a 1 Jan 55 for Hq 24th Div APO 24, rtn Tokyo 3 Jan 55, depart Tokyo o/a 7 Jan 55 for performance Midway enroute CONUS. Due CONUS 7 Jan 55. Air priority ID certified. CIP&P. TBGaa. TBMaa. Personal bag limited to 65 lbs while tvl by mil acft. Tvl by mil acft is deemed nec for the successful accomplishment of an emergency mission. An excess bag allowance of 500 lbs is authorized the group in addition to 65 lbs authorized each indiv while traveling by air. Excess bag consists of official equipment which will accompany the group while traveling. Personal svc charges will be borne by indiv. Reimbursement will be eff in accordance with Department of the Army Invitational Travel Orders. Indiv will wear prescribed uniform with US insignia on cap and collar only while in Korea. Indiv auth to draw orgn clothing and equip as prescribed for dy in Korea. Prior to departure phys insp and immunizations will be completed and personal bag will be marked in accordance w/AR 850-5. Costs incurred chargeable to 2152020 591-3001 P3022-02 03 S92-566 SOA 101100533. Copy of paid vou w/copy of this order will be fwd Fin & Acct Off, Cp Zama. Vou for payment due for tvl performed UP this order will be submitted to fin off NLT 5 days after rtn to CONUS. If tvl auth by this order is not initiated within 7 days of "on or about" date, the requesting agency will notify AG-MI (O&R), Zama 3-1671 to revoke this order. TDY is of URGENT OFFICIAL nature. UP par 23, SR 600-32-1 indiv will wear ident tags while tvl aboard acft. All clo and equip will be rtn wtl in 72 hours after rtn to Tokyo.

BY COMMAND OF GENERAL TAYLOR:

  
H. A. SHORT  
Lt Col AGC  
Asst Adj Gen

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HEADQUARTERS  
UNITED STATES ARMY FORCES, FAR EAST  
and  
EIGHTH UNITED STATES ARMY  
Office of the Special Services Officer  
APO 343

SS-RP 353.8

10 December 1954

MEMORANDUM FOR: (See Distribution)

SUBJECT: Itinerary, Special Christmas Celebrity Show

1. In accordance with Staff Memorandum No. 43, Hq, AFPE, 27 July 1953, subject: "Processing of VIP's," information regarding the Special Christmas Celebrity Show is made available for all personnel concerned.
2. In accordance with Department of the Army-Far East Command policy, the entertainment personnel (gratuitously offering their services to entertain members of the armed forces) indicated as celebrities by Department of the Army are automatically accorded Class V VIP status.
3. A Special Christmas Celebrity USO Camp Shows Unit has been made available by Department of the Army to tour military installations throughout the Far East Command and mid-Pacific during the coming holiday season. Names of individuals are not as yet available at this headquarters. Department of the Army has indicated the unit will consist of approximately 40 persons and in order to effect maximum coverage of the geographical area concerned, the unit is to be divided into three groups. Department of the Army will furnish a special mission aircraft to accompany the unit throughout its entire tour of the command. The group has been made available to depart Burbank, California 18 December, and return Burbank 7 January 1955.
4. In coordination with Commander, Joint Task Force 7, Commander-in-Chief, Pacific, Commanders of component commands of Far East Command, and the subordinate commands of AFPE/8A, the unit is to be scheduled as follows:
  - a. Entire group depart Burbank 0200 hours, 18 December for Kwajalein by special mission aircraft via Hawaii. Group A will be dropped off at Kwajalein to start their tour of Pacific area. Groups B and C will continue on to Tokyo, arriving Haneda 20 December. All times local. Itineraries are subject to change due to weather or non-availability of aircraft.
  - b. Itinerary for Group A: (17 persons)

19 Dec 54

20 Dec 54

1000 hours

1230 hours

Arrive and perform Kwajalein

Depart Kwajalein (Local aircraft)

Arrive Eniwetok

Perform Eniwetok

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21 Dec 54	1000 hours	Depart Eniwotok (Sp plane from Guam)
	1230 hours	Arrive Agana NAS Guam
	2000 hours	Perform Guam
22 Dec 54		Perform Guam
23 Dec 54		Perform Guam
24 Dec 54	1000 hours	Depart Agana NAS Guam (Sp plane from DA)
	1430 hours	Arrive Clark AFB Philippines
		Perform Philippines
25 Dec 54		Perform Philippines
26 Dec 54		Perform Philippines
27 Dec 54	1000 hours	Depart Clark AFB Philippines (Sp plane from DA)
	1230 hours	Arrive Taipei, Formosa
		Perform Formosa
28 Dec 54		Perform Formosa
29 Dec 54	1000 hours	Depart Taipei, Formosa (Sp plane from DA)
	1230 hours	Arrive Kadona AFB Okinawa
		No performances scheduled this day
30 Dec 54	1400 hours	Perform Naha AFB Okinawa
	2000 hours	Perform Camp Kuo, Okinawa
31 Dec 54	1400 hours	Perform Camp Kuo Area, Okinawa
	2000 hours	Perform Kadona AFB Okinawa
1 Jan 55	1300 hours	Arrive Iwo Jima
	1400 hours	Perform Iwo Jima
	1900 hours	Depart Iwo Jima
	2400 hours	Arrive Haneda
2 Jan 55	1300 hours	Perform Camp McGill
	1700 hours	Perform Yokosuka
	2030 hours	Perform Yokohama
3 Jan 55	1300 hours	Perform Tokyo Army Hospital
	1700 hours	Perform Camp Drake
	2030 hours	Perform Tachikawa

This completes performances of Group A.

o. Itinerary for Group B: (14 persons)

20 Dec 54	1700 hours	Arrive Tokyo
21 Dec 54	0800 hours	Process for Korea
22 Dec 54	0900 hours	Depart Haneda for K-16
23 Dec 54	1530 hours	Arrive K-16. Stay overnight in Seoul VIP Billets.
23 Dec 54		One performance in Marine Division and one in Munsan-ni Base Camp. Billet at Munsan-ni.
24 Dec 54		Two performances in 7th Division Artillery Area. Billet at Munsan-ni.
25 Dec 54		Two performances and billet in 7th Division Area.
26 Dec 54		Two performances and billet in I Corps Artil- lery area.

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27 Dec 54		Two performances and billet in 17th Inf Regt and 36th Engr Group area.
28 Dec 54		Two performances and billet in I Corps area.
29 Dec 54		Two performances and billet in Chunchon area.
30 Dec 54		Return to SMP area with performances in 121st and 11th Evacuation Hospitals. This will include ward performances. Billeting in Seoul VIP billets.
31 Dec 54		Two performances and billet in Seoul Military Post area.
1 Jan 55	0900 hours	Depart K-16 for Matsushima Japan
	1400 hours	Performances Matsushima area.
	2000 hours	Performance Camp Schimmelpfennig
2 Jan 55	1800 hours	Performance Camp Haugen
	2000 hours	Performance Camp Haugen area
3 Jan 55	1400 hours	Performance Misawa Air Base
	1700 hours	Performance Chitose
	2000 hours	Depart Chitose for Haneda or Tachikawa
	2400 hours	Arrive Tokyo area

This concludes tour of Group B.

d. Itinerary for Group C: (12 Civilians, and 5 Enlisted Personnel)

20 Dec 54	✓ 1700 hours	Arrive Haneda AFB
21 Dec 54	✓ 0800 hours	Process for Korea
	✓ 1200 hours	Radio and TV appearance
22 Dec 54	✓ 0900 hours	Depart Haneda for Korea
	✓ 1300 hours	Arrive K-2 <b>TAEGUE</b>
23 Dec 54	✓ 0930 hours	Depart K-2 for K-8
	✓ 1030 hours	Arrive K-8 <b>KUNSAN</b>
	✓ 1400 hours	Performance K-8
	✓ 2000 hours	Performance Kunsan area
24 Dec 54	✓ 0930 hours	Depart K-8 for K-9
	✓ 1030 hours	Arrive K-9 <b>PUSAN</b>
	✓	Two performances Pusan area
25 Dec 54	✓	Two Performances Pusan area
26 Dec 54	✓	Two performances Pusan area
27 Dec 54	✓ 0930 hours	Depart K-9 for K-3
	✓ 1030 hours	Arrive K-3 <b>PO-HANG</b>
	✓ 1400 hours	Performance K-3
	✓ 2000 hours	Performance K-3
28 Dec 54	✓ 0930 hours	Depart K-3 for K-6
	✓ 1030 hours	Arrive K-6 <b>P'YONG T'AK</b>
	✓	Two performances K-6 area
29 Dec 54	✓ 0930 hours	Depart K-6 for K-14
	✓ 1400 hours	Performance AZCOM City <b>INCHON</b>
	<del>2000 hours</del>	<del>Performance K-14</del>
30 Dec 54	✓ 0900 hours	Depart K-14 for K-2
	✓ 1030 hours	Arrive K-2
	✓ 1430 hours	Performance K-2
	✓ 1915 hours	Performance <b>KIAG</b> <b>TAEGUE</b>

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31 Dec 54	✓ 1330 hours	Performance 52 Ord Co Area	
	✓ 1900 hours	Performance Taegu Military Post	TAEU
1 Jan 55	✓ 0900 hours	Depart K-2 for Itazuki AFB Japan	
	✓ 1100 hours	Arrive Itazuki Air Base	ITAZUKI
	✓ 1400 hours	Perform at Itazuki Air Base	
	✓ 2000 hours	Perform at Camp Hakata	HAKATA
2 Jan 55	✓ 1030 hours	Depart Itazuki (Sp Navy amphibious plane) for Sasebo.	HELICOPTER
	✓ 1500 hours	Perform Camp Mower	BEAVER
	✓ 2000 hours	Perform Sasebo Fleet Activities	
3 Jan 55	0900 hours	Depart Sasebo (Sp Navy amphibious plane)	
	1030 hours	Depart Itazuki	ARR TOKYO BY
	1200 hours	Arrive Itami	
	1500 hours	Perform Camp Otsu	JAL
	1900 hours	Perform Camp Nara	
	2300 hours	Depart Itami	
4 Jan 55	0100 hours	Arrive Haneda	COMMERCIAL

This completes tour of Group C.

e. Remainder of itinerary applies to entire unit.

4 Jan 55		Deprocessing of units from tour of Korea
5 Jan 55	1900 hours	Reception and dinner for unit
6 Jan 55		Day free for sightseeing and personnel requirements.
	2230 hours	Unit will depart from Haneda for Midway
	1130 hours	Arrive Midway (International Date Line)
	1330 hours	Performance Midway
	1700 hours	Depart Midway for Hickam.
	2255 hours	Arrive Hickam AFB Hawaii
7 Jan 55	0400 hours	Depart Hickam for Burbank, Calif
	1600 hours	Arrive Burbank

5. Unit will be billeted at the Imperial Hotel while in the Tokyo area.

6. Escort Officers will be made available in accordance with Department of the Army policy to accompany each group on its entire tour of the Far East Command. This action has been coordinated with all commands concerned.

7. Separate request has been submitted to Transportation Section for special mission aircraft as indicated in the itinerary above.

8. Mr. Walter A. Bouillet, Director, Professional Entertainment, Special Services Section, this headquarters, has been appointed coordinator for all matters regarding this unit. Personnel of the professional Entertainment Branch may be reached at the following numbers at any hour of the day or night.

Offices: Zama 3-1314 or 3-1390

Tokyo 26-7835 or 26-7661, Ext 20

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After Duty Hours: Mr. Fukuzaki may be contacted at Tokyo 32-3059  
or Mr. Adams at Tokyo 26-7511, Ext 307

*J. J. Stanfield Lt Col Exp 550*

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HERBERT G. SITLER

*For* Colonel, Inf  
Special Services Officer

P.T.O. - RAILWAY TRANS. OFF.

c/o  
USO Christmas Celebrity Unit  
GA-6-C  
Special Services Section  
Hq AFFE / Army Eight  
APO 343  
Postmaster: San Francisco



Good morning  
On ya kass a me ka

How are you  
Go ba say-a

Thank you  
Come up sa me da

Stew (?)  
Kim oke

Large (Japanese)  
Tate san

Small (Japanese)  
Shashie

HEADQUARTERS  
TAEGU MILITARY POST  
APO 234

22 December 1954

TO: Mrs. Strother

1. Welcome to Korean Communications Zone and Taegu Military Post.
2. Your Billet is # 43, Senior Officers' Compound.
3. The Mess hours is as follows on weekdays.

<u>Sr Off Mess</u>	<u>Gen Mess</u>	
0700-0800	0700-0800	Breakfast
1200-1300	1200-1300	Luncheon
1800-1930	1800-2000	Dinner

4. The following is a limited list of activities on the main compound:

<u>ACTIVITY</u>	<u>LOCATION</u>	<u>HOURS</u>
Post Exchange	Bldg 216	(1100-1430)
Mon, Tue, Thu, Fri, Sat.	-----	(1530-1800)
Wednesday	-----	1700-1800
Sunday	-----	1100-1200
Finance	Bldg 551	0800-1700
Off Open Mess	Bldg 100	1700-2100
Theater (weekdays)	Bldg 775	1830-2030
Sundays & Holidays	-----	Also 1430
Dispensary	Bldg 527	Tel Taegu 152
Motor Pool		Tel Taegu 535

5. In case of fire call 117.

Cpl ERNIE L SUMMERS  
Billeting NCO

ITINERARY  
CHRISTMAS SHOW GAG (CHARLIE)  
CELEBRITY SHOW

22 Dec 54 (Army Time)	✓ 1340 ✓ 1430 ✓ 1500	ETA K-2 Billets Orientation (Service Club)	Show will be picked up at K-2 by TMP. TMP billets 22 Dec 54.
23 Dec 54 (Air Force Time)	0930 1000	ETD K-2 ETA K-8 Performances K-8	Show will be delivered to K-2 passenger terminal by TMP NLT 0830 hrs for flight to K-8. Remain overnight K-8.
24 Dec 54 (Air Force Time)	0930 1015	ETD K-8 ETA K-9 Performances Pusan Area	Show will be delivered by K-8 to their passenger terminal NLT 0830 hrs for flight to K-9. Remain overnight Pusan Area.
25 Dec 54		Performances Pusan Area	Remain overnight Pusan Area.
26 Dec 54		Performances Pusan Area	Remain overnight Pusan Area.
27 Dec 54 (Air Force Time)	0930 1030	ETD K-9 ETA K-3 Performances K-3	Show will be picked up at K-9 by K-3 for trip to K-3. Marines will furnish aircraft. Remain overnight K-3.
28 Dec 54 (Air Force Time)	0800 0900	ETD K-3 ETA K-6 Performances K-6	Marines will furnish aircraft. Remain overnight K-6.
29 Dec 54 (Air Force Time)	0900 1000 1130 1230 1430 1615 1930	ETD K-6 ETA K-14 Billets and lunch K-14 Pick up by Ascom City Performance Ascom City Return to billets Performance K-14	Show will be billeted overnight K-14. Ascom City will pick up and return show at K-14.
30 Dec 54 (Army Time)	0900 1015 1130 1245 1430 1600 1915	ETD K-14 ETA K-2 Billets and lunch TMP Pick up by 58th FBW Performance 58th FBW Pick up from 58th FBW by Hq KMAG. Supper Hq KMAG. Performance Hq KMAG. Return to billets.	K-14 will deliver show to passenger terminal for flight to K-2. TMP will pick up show on arrival at K-2 for trip to TMP. TMP Billets 30 Dec - 31 Dec 54 inclusive.
31 Dec 54 (Army Time)	1000 1330 1500 1900	Pick up by 52nd Ord Co. Performance 52nd Ord Co. Return to billets. Performance TMP.	52nd Ord Co will pick up show at TMP NLT 1000 hrs. Remain overnight TMP.
1 Jan 55 (Air Force Time)	0900 1115	ETD K-2 ETA SWCOM	TMP will deliver show to K-2 NLT 0800 hrs for flight to SWCOM Japan.

(VIP) USO Show Itinerary "Operation Starlift"

USO Show	SSO	21 Dec 1954
1200 hours	24 Dec 1954	Mess Hialeah Compound
1330 "	" " "	Dep for 503rd Engrs
1400 "	" " "	Arr " "
1500 "	" " "	Perf " "
1700 "	" " "	Dep for Hialeah Compound
1715 "	" " "	Mess " "
1830 "	" " "	Dep for K-9
1900 "	" " "	Arr " "
2000 "	" " "	Perf " "
2200 "	" " "	Dep for Hialeah Compound
1200 hours	25 Dec 1954	Mess Hialeah Compound
1300 "	" " "	Dep for 14th Trans Port Bn
1330 "	" " "	Arr " " " "
1430 "	" " "	Perf " " " "
1630 "	" " "	Dep for 32nd QM
1700 "	" " "	Mess " "
1930 "	" " "	Perf " "
2130 "	" " "	Dep for Hialeah Compound
1200 hours	26 Dec 1954	Mess Hialeah Compound
1300 "	" " "	Dep for 19th Regt
1330 "	" " "	Arr " "
1430 "	" " "	Perf " "
1630 "	" " "	Dep for 21st Stat Hosp
1700 "	" " "	Mess " " "
1930 "	" " "	Perf " " "
2130 "	" " "	Dep for Hialeah Compound
0700 hours	27 Dec 1954	Mess Hialeah Compound
0730 "	" " "	Dep for K-9, Flight to K-3

WILLIAM L. CLINGER, 2nd Lt, OMC  
Entertainment Officer, Pusan 248

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