Pork Chop Hill Bibliography

Donald W. Boose, Jr.

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This commemorative pamphlet published for the 50th Anniversary of the Korean War is a concise overview of the ground actions during the last two years of the war. It provides the strategic and operational context within which the Pork Chop Hill battles took place.

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Donnelly, William M. "The Best Army that Can Be Put in the Field in the Circumstances': The U.S. Army, July 1951-July 1953." *The Journal of Military History*, Vol. 71, No. 3, July 2007, pp. 809-848.

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Marino, James I. "Korean War: Battle on Pork Chop Hill," *Military History*, April 2003, available at www.historynet.com/korean-war-battle-on-pork-chop-hill.htm, accessed 27 April 2011.

A readable and generally accurate account of the 17 April 1953, Pork Chop Hill battle.

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An account, based on interviews with participants and the records of the units involved, of 7th Infantry Division combat actions in Korea during the last months of the Korean War.

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Box 5 contains maps, overlays, Marshall's debriefing notes, and other documents relating to the Pork Chop Hill battles, including the log of the 7th Division Artillery and the 7th DivArty After Action Report on the 16-18 April 1953 actions.

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Trudeau, Arthur G. *The Arthur G. Trudeau Papers and Photo Collection*. U.S. Army War College Military History Institute Archives.

Box 1 contains General Trudeau's oral history (U.S. Army Military History Research Collection, Senior Officers Debriefing Program, *Conversations Between Lieutenant General Arthur Gilbert Trudeau and Colonel Calvin J. Landau*, Carlisle Barracks, PA, Vol. II, 13 January 1971 – 13 July 1971). Part 5 contains General Trudeau's recollection of the Pork Chop Hill and related battles.

Box 32 contains 7th Infantry Division Command Reports for July 1953, including a report on the use of armored personnel carriers to support the Pork Chop Hill garrison and other documents relating to the last battle for Pork Chop Hill.

Box 64 contains General Trudeau's 1957-1959 correspondence with S.L.A. Marshall, Captain Joseph Clemons, and others regarding the filming of *Pork Chop Hill.*

Film "Pork Chop Hill"

Director: Lewis Milestone; **Writers:** S.L.A. Marshall (book) James R. Webb (adaptation); **Release Date:** 25 July 1959 (Japan)

Actual officers and men portrayed in the film and the actors who portrayed them:

Maj. Gen. Arthur G. Trudeau, CG, 7th Infantry Division: Ken Lynch

Colonel William B. Kern, CO, 31st Infantry: Bob Steele

Lt. Col. John N. Davis, CO, 2d Bn, 31st Infantry: Barry Atwater

1st Lt Thomas V. Harrold, CO, E/31st Infantry: Charles Aidman

1st Lt. Joseph G. Clemons, Jr., CO, K Co., 31st Infantry: Gregory Peck

1st Lt. Eddie Tsugio (Tsugi) Ohashi, XO, K Co., 31st Infantry: George Shibata

1st Lt Walter B. Russell, CO, Co. G, 17th Infantry: Rip Torn

1st Lt James Blake, S-2, 3/31st Infantry: Michael Garth

1st Lt James Barrow, PAO, 7th Division: Lew Gallo

2d Lt Cummings, 1st Platoon Leader, K/31st Infantry: Bert Remsen

2d Lt Robert S. Cook, 2d Platoon Leader, K/31st Infantry: Leonard Graves

2d Lt Arthur Marshall, Platoon Leader, L/31st Infantry: Martin Landau

SFC Walter Kuzmick, Squad Leader, 2d Platoon, K/31st Infantry: Syl Lamont

RADM John C. Daniel (UNC Truce Delegation*): Carl Benton Reid

*Other UNC Armistice Delegates, 17 April 1953: Lt. Gen. William K. Harrison, USA; Brig. Gen. Frank C. McConnell, USA; Brig. Gen. Lee Han Lim, ROKA; Brig. Gen. Ralph M. Osborne, USA; Brig. Gen. Joseph T. Morris, USAF.

Korean People's Army/Chinese People's Volunteers Armistice Delegates, 17 April 1953: Lt Gen Nam II, KPA; Gen Pien Chang Wu, CPV; Maj Gen Lee Sang Cho, KPA; Maj Gen Hsieh Fang, CPV; Maj Gen So Hui, KPA; Adm Kim Won Mu, KPN.

Fictionalized characters: Pvt Forstman (Harry Guardino), Cpl Chuck Fedderson (George Peppard), Cpl Jurgens (James Edwards), Pvt Franklin (Woody Strode), Sgt Coleman, RTO (Norman Fell), Pvt Velie, Runner (Robert Blake), Cpl Payne, RTO (Cliff Ketchum), Pvt Boven (Biff Elliot), Chinese PSYOP Broadcaster (Viraj Amonsin), Cpl. Kissell (Kevin Hagen), Pvt Saxon (Gavin MacLeod).