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Medical, Dental Officers in Pacific Keep Up With Times

Medical and dental officers serving on tiny islands "somewhere in the Philippines" are kept abreast of the times and developments in their respective professions even though they are far from civilian contacts.

According to word received from Lieut. F. A. Lang, USNR, of Bethlehem, a dental officer for a Seabee battalion, the dental and medical officers on his island have formed the "Island X Medical-Dental Society", which meets every other week to discuss the latest in medicine and dentistry. Many of the members who were specialists back in the States give informative talks on the developments in their respective branches.

Lt. Lang's battalion is one of the Navy's highly publicized "building-fighting" units which participated in the D-Day invasion of Normandy and has seen considerable action in the Asiatic-Pacific theater. Lt. Lang has been attached to this battalion during the seven months it has been in the Pacific.

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