

De Long, Robert

### Marine Shavetail

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Robert A. De Long, son of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas F. De Long, 2546 Easton Avenue, raised from Pfc. to 2nd Lieutenant, Marine Corps, on September 30 at Camp Lejeune, N. C.

Born in Bethlehem, he was graduated from Liberty High School and entered Lehigh University, Business Administration. He wrestled at Liberty High School in the 135 lb. class and in the 128 lb. class on the freshman team at Lehigh University. In his sophomore year he wrestled varsity for Lehigh University and was the high point winner for the year.

Enlisted in the Marine Reserves in December, 1942, and was sent to the University of Rochester on July 1, 1943. He went to Parris Island for his boot training March 3, 1944, and to Camp Lejeune in May, 1944, where, after a hold-over period, he entered a newly formed Officers' Training Regiment.

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