



Gentleman, I suppose your wondering why I've called you together today. I will address that point just as soon as Chief Oitz gives the invocation.

CROSSING THE LINE

On November 23, at longitude 142-00, **GLACIER** crossed the Equator and in accordance with time honored tradition paid homage to **GOOD KING NEPTUNE**. On that day a good many **POLLYWOGS** were brought before **NEPTUNE** and his court to stand trial for their crimes against **NEPTUNE'S SHELLBACKS**. **NEPTUNE'S** court quickly convicted all with typical efficiency but in light of the ordeal the **POLLYWOGS** had been through graciously admitted them to **THE ORDER OF THE SHELLBACK**.

