

LT. PETER A. GREEMAN

Greeman Joins PIO Staff at Redstone

Lt. Peter A. Greeman is now the assistant public information officer here.

A native of Larchmont, N. Y., the lieutenant is a graduate of Yale University where he received his bachelor of art's degree in English.

During the summers while in school, Lt. Greeman worked for the Preston Advertising Agency in New York City.

He is married to the former Miss Tamara Heller, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Heller, New Rochelle, N. Y. His parents are Mr. and Mrs. Edward Greeman of Larchmont, N. Y.

Among his other public information and public relations activities here, Lt. Greeman will handle sports publicity for Redstone Arsenal's teams.

He came to Redstone after completing Ordnance officer training at Aberdeen Proving Ground, Md.

Security Primer To Be Published

A "Primer of Security" will be provided for all new employees of Redstone Arsenal, James C. Lynch, Intelligence officer, announced at the November meeting of deputy security officers.

He also said that he hopes to have enough copies published to furnish one to every individual at Redstone.

The primer, written in simple terms, lists ten "Do's" and ten "Don't's."

Among the "Do's": Mark, transmit, store and dispose all classified material properly.

Lock files and other containers when a work area is left unattended.

Check before leaving to see that all classified material is properly stored.

Wrap and address all classified material properly.

Obtain a receipt when transmitting classified material of secret or higher.

Use appropriate cover sheets on classified documents. (Lynch pointed out that many individuals are failing to do this.)

Report any knowledge of espionage, sabotage, subversives, trespassers, theft, embezzlement, or suspicious activities.

Wear your badge and exhibit your identification card when required.

Cooperate at all times with the guard force.

Ask the security officer or your supervisor when in doubt.

The "Don't" include: Don't discuss classified information over the phone.

Don't fail to mark all working papers with the security classification of the finished document, nor leave classified information with unauthorized people. Don't put a classified document on someone's desk when he isn't there.

Don't be negligent or careless; and don't try to cover up mistakes. Lynch pointed out that through kindness many try to cover for someone, and that merely compounds the trouble because the next careless act by the same individual or another in the organization may be serious.

FINAL MEET SET ON PROCUREMENT

Policy Discussed In Study Sessions

The Procurement Indoctrination Program, whose sessions have had an average attendance of about 80 persons, will close tomorrow with a three-and-a-half hour conference in Rocket Auditorium.

The concluding session will open at 8 a.m. with talks on basic government contract law, including legal elements of a government contract, relationship between the government and its procurement agents, and legal aspects of default.

The final hour will be given to study of the government budget and fiscal process.

Yesterday, the sessions of the Procurement Indoctrination Program focussed on a discussion of government contracts and a discussion of government patent policy and procurement of patentable material under research and development contracts.

Reginald Pippin, Legal Office, led the discussions which also went into the standard clauses required in government contracts and the different types of government contracts.

The study program is under the direction of William Sayre, Chief of the Legal Office, assisted by James Cleary and Hardy Jackson of the Legal Office. It was sponsored by the Legal Office in coordination with the Training Branch of Civilian Personnel.

The program, held for the first time at Redstone Arsenal, consisted of 21 hours of instruction in the principles of procurement and the special session on research and development procurement. The chiefs of 12 arsenal segments selected to attend the program those individuals whose duties require a knowledge of procurement procedure and regulations.

Certificates of training will be awarded to personnel who attended all the regular sessions and a record of training will be placed in the 201 file of each trainee. The sessions could be attended on either a part-time or a full-time basis.

The speakers, from various segments of the arsenal and the Legal Office, have consisted of Joe Church, Legal Office; Frank McKenna, Legal Office; Wilbur S. Davis, Chief of Purchasing and Contracting; Mr. Jackson, Legal Office; Mr. Cleary, Legal Office; Mrs. Roth, GMDD; Edgar King, GMDD; Stanley Veatch, Contract Administrator; John White, National Procurement Division; Raymond Fraser, Price Analyst; Louis Walter, Legal Office; Jeff Darwin, Small Business Specialist; Paul K. Schaeppi, NPD; James Morrison, P & C; Roger Cole, P & C; Mrs. Lide, P & C.

Harry Williamsan, Chief of Consolidated Supply; John Parker, Deputy Chief of P&C; A. McCrary, NPD; Mr. Sayre, Legal Office; Claude Stockton, Chief of Budget and Fiscal; and James Lutz, Chief of Industrial Funding Office.

BREAKDOWN TABULATIONS MADE ON COMMUNITY CHEST DONATIONS

A breakdown has been completed for the \$8,089.18 contributed by Redstone Arsenal personnel to the Madison County Community Chest campaign.

The breakdown is as follows: Intelligence Office, Adjutant Division and Inspector General, \$124.25; Comptroller, \$9; Internal Audit, \$16; Industrial Accounting, \$94.36; Budget and Fiscal, \$41.90. Management, \$68.50; Troop Command, \$169.79; Army Exchange, \$40; Chaplain, \$5; Dental Division, \$2.50; Military Personnel, \$7.95; Special Services, \$4.25; Finance Division, \$21; Army Education Center, \$7.

Commissary and Food Advisor, \$12.25; Station Veterinarian, \$14; Ordnance Guided Missile School, \$579.39; Redstone Depot, \$89.20; Consolidated Supply, \$239.15; Inspector of Ordnance, \$141.50; Legal Office, \$31.

Transportation, \$244.05; Prop-



AT NCO OPEN MESS—General Toftoy (right) looks over records of the NCO Open Mess with Major Ben Keyserling (left) advisor to the Board of Governors of the organization, and M/Sgt. Allen E. Helson (center), custodian. Before touring the newly-decorated building housing the NCO Open Mess, General Toftoy ate lunch there as a special guest.

Personnel Explains Travel Regulations

BY HAL CARPENTER

The Classification Act of 1949 was amended by the 83rd Congress as follows in regard to time in travel status: "Section 204. For the purposes of this Act, time spent in travel status away from the official-duty station of any officer or employe shall be considered as hours of duty ONLY when (1) within the days and hours of such officer's or employe's regularly scheduled administrative work week, including regularly scheduled overtime hours, or (2) when the travel involves the performance of work while traveling or is carried out under arduous conditions."

The amendment does not change, in any way, the present policy or practice in paying employes who are in travel status. Such policy, briefly for Class Act employes, is that compensation may not be paid for time in a travel status outside the employe's regularly scheduled tour of duty unless work was required and was performed.

Plans are under way to reproduce that portion of the pertinent regulations regarding pay when traveling for both Class Act and Wage Board employes. The reproduction will be distributed to each division administrative offices.

erty Disposal, \$23; Ammunition Surveillance, \$25; Provost Marshal, \$176.25; National Procurement Division, \$635.49; Mission Planning, \$100; Contract Administration and Credit Union, \$35; Ammunition Division, \$599.01. Field Service Division, \$382.10; Safety Office, \$34.50; Public Information, \$15; Civilian Personnel, \$105; Post Engineer, \$1,015.13; Medical Division, \$28.65; Signal Office, \$48.40. Purchasing & Contracting and Small Business, \$115.50; Guided Missile Development Division, \$1,320.95; Rocket Development Division, \$343; Technical Feasibility Studies Office, \$136; Operations Research, \$7; Administration and Management, \$239.50; Research Division, \$46. Technical and Engineering Division, \$586.69; Resident Engineer \$59.50; J. A. Jones (contractor), \$36.95; Graduate Institute, \$11; (Continued on Back Page)

SALARY INCREASE AWARD IS GIVEN

Stephenson Cited For Superior Work

A step increase in salary for "superior accomplishment," one of the highest arsenal awards for civilian employes, was presented to John Stephenson, Redstone Depot Division, last week by General Toftoy.

The award, the first of this type to be presented at Redstone, was made for Stephenson's performance of duties during the six months period he was detailed to the position of Deputy Chief of Redstone Depot.

Lt. Col. Theodore Ebbert, Chief of Redstone Depot, pointed out that, during the unplanned absence of the Deputy Chief, not only did Stephenson's performance of these duties permit the work of the division to continue on schedule, but it was also a considerable factor in carrying on business in such a manner as to win the commendation of the Inspector General.

The awarded salary increase of \$200 annually does not effect the regular periodic step increases, it was pointed out by E. C. Wooton, executive secretary of the Efficiency Awards Committee.

A certificate, signifying the award, was presented to Stephenson last Wednesday in a short ceremony in General Toftoy's office.

In a letter of commendation to Stephenson, General Toftoy stated, "I have been informed that, through your performance of duties as Deputy Chief of the Redstone Depot Division, you not only enabled the work of the division to proceed on schedule, but, on your own initiative, instituted a program that improved employe relations noticeably and also so vigorously emphasized the safety of personnel that the division lost-time accident rate was lowered beyond expectation. . . . Such exemplary performance of assigned duties brings credit on the Redstone Depot Division and the arsenal. You are to be congratulated for your superior accomplishments."

Stephenson, a general supply officer in the Redstone Depot Division, has been working here since September, 1941, when he was employed by Kershaw and Butler, contractors for some of the arsenal's first buildings. He was employed by the Chemical Corps from 1942 until 1949, when he went to work in Field Service. He has been with the Redstone Depot Division since its formation in 1951.

Prior to his work in this immediate area, Stephenson was employed by the Alabama Hosiery Mills, Inc., Decatur.

His home is at Huntsville, Rt. 4.

During the ceremony Wednesday another presentation was made to an employe of Redstone Depot Division.

Howard F. Calder was awarded \$50 for his design of a bracket to attach to igloos permanent display chemical signs for designation of the contents of the igloos. This will eliminate the need for ground signs which had to be replaced relatively often.

Formal Opening Set By NCO Open Mess

The formal opening of the NCO Open Mess in its newly-decorated home will take place Saturday night.

Festivities will begin at 7 p.m. with a buffet supper for members and guests. Following the supper, there will be a short dedication talk by Col. George Levings, acting as representative for General Toftoy.

A dance, with music to be furnished by Jack Murphy and his orchestra, will begin at 8 p. m.

The formal opening follows extensive redecoration of Building 613, which was designated last March to house the NCO Open Mess then undergoing reorganization. The NCO Open Mess moved from a building in the troop area to its present home in the OGMS area, and management of the organization was changed at that time.

It opened on Aug. 5 on a temporary basis pending the establishment of a working fund and the organization of a members roster.

President of the NCO Open Mess is Sfc. Robert H. Labbe, Provost Marshal Office. M/Sgt. Allen C. Helson is the custodian.

One representative from each military unit on the arsenal forms the Board of Governors of the NCO Open Mess. On the present Board of Governors are M/Sgt. Moore, M/Sgt. Burdick, M/Sgt. Marshall, M/Sgt. Koetz, Sgt. Grant, Sgt. Cheek, Sgt. Perkins and Sgt. Craft.

Major Ben Keyserling is military (Continued on Back Page)

LOCAL ROCKET SOCIETY CHAPTER ORGANIZES EDUCATION COMMITTEE

Gene McClard, RDD, presided over the organizational meeting of the Education Committee of the Huntsville Chapter of the American Rocket Society Tuesday evening, Nov. 23, in the auditorium of Bldg. A-120.

The Education Committee has planned an ambitious schedule which will eventually include a large staff of speakers who would lecture civic groups, colleges, and high schools in the vicinity of the arsenal. The immediate program includes a series of basic lectures to be given to the local high schools.

The committee hopes to encourage students to further their edu-

cation through interesting lectures about rockets, guided missiles, space travel and their related sciences. Each speaker will lecture about his own field but will emphasize the importance of the basic sciences, not only to rocketry, but in all walks of life. In this way students will be made aware of the tremendous opportunities open to people with scientific educations, and the committee hopes eventually to interest students in the many scientific scholarships offered by colleges and universities throughout the country.

Chairman McClard plans to receive short abstracts of proposed (Continued on Back Page)

The Redstone Rocket

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Regulations Listed For New Uniforms

HEADQUARTERS 3RD ARMY, Ft. McPherson, Ga., — The new Army uniform, scheduled for its first wearing in 1956, was discussed last week in a statement from Headquarters Third Army, by Lt. Gen. A. R. Bolling, Third Army Commanding General, and Third Army Quartermaster officials.

In an open statement to military personnel in the seven-state Third Army Area, Gen. Bolling briefed regulations which have been approved by the Department of the Army concerning the new uniforms, and also outlined pertinent facts about the phasing over to the new dress.

Department of the Army has received final approval of its plan to replace the present olive drab shade 33 with the Army green

shade 44 uniform. Effective the first of September, 1956, one issue of the AG 44 uniform will be issued to G. I.'s as part of their initial clothing allowance. The AG 44 uniform will be authorized for wear at all times except in formations, when the shade 33 will be required.

Also effective September 1, 1956, the AG 44 uniforms will be made available for sale at both Quartermaster outlets and commercial sources. Under no circumstances, emphasizes Department of the Army regulations, will the AG 44 uniform be worn prior to September 1, 1956, without the express approval of DA.

Elaborating upon future long-range plans concerning the new dress, Gen. Bolling pointed out that an "X" date has been set by DA, probably September 1, 1958, when the issue of OD shade 33 uniforms will cease altogether. At that time 2 AG 44 uniforms will be issued as part of the initial allowance.

As of that date, Gen. Bolling pointed out, all officers and enlisted men will be required to own at least one AG 44—Army green—uniform. Beginning then, all troop formations will be met only in AG 44 uniform, while it will be permissible to wear OD shade 33 otherwise.

Then, effective "X" date plus 2 years—probably September 1, 1960—the wearing of the OD shade 33 dress will be strictly prohibited by DA, with the wearing of the AG 44, naturally, becoming mandatory.

Also, as of 1960, all enlisted men will be required to own at least 2 sets of AG uniforms, and all officers will be required to own AG uniforms in sufficient quantities to appear so dressed whenever ordered.

These are the plans which are

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MUSCULAR DYSTROPHY DRIVE—Major Arthur Pinkham, (left), Post Signal Officer, was chairman, and Redstone Fire Chief Pat Pruitt (right) co-chairman of the arsenal segment of the Madison County Muscular Dystrophy campaign. Results of the Thanksgiving week drive will be published in the next edition of The Rocket.

definite as of this date concerning the new Army uniform, announced Gen. Bolling, but there are some other tentatively-contemplated ideas about it.

It is contemplated that the present "pinks" and "greens" will eventually be supplanted by the dress-blue uniform, though the action will certainly not be taken in the near future.

Regarding accessories to the new uniform, it was pointed out

that black low quarter shoes, black socks, and black neckties will replace those presently worn, effective September 1, 1956.

TECHNICAL SEMINAR FRIDAY

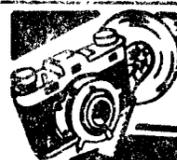
O. C. Holderer, Aeroballistics Laboratory, will be speaker at the Technical Orientation Seminar to be held Friday, Dec. 3, at 9 a.m. at Rocket Auditorium.

His subject will be "Experimental Aerodynamic Procedures and Model Design." The lecture will be unclassified.

Mr. Holderer will discuss comparative advantages of free-flight and wind tunnel testing, experimental aerodynamics as opposed to theoretical aerodynamics, the "Model Law", and the merits, short-comings, and limitations of various techniques. His talk will describe and illustrate a variety of types of force and pressure models, internal and external balanced and calibration principle.

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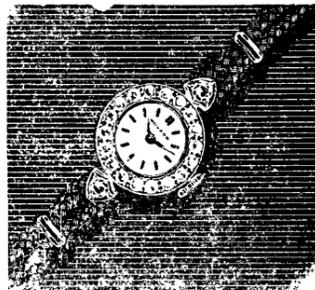
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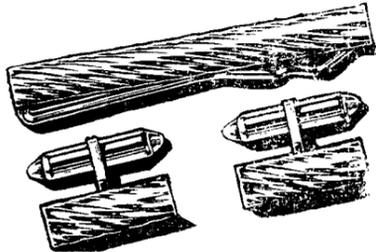
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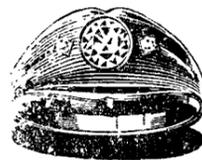
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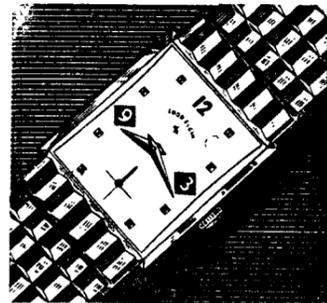
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AND IT WAS, MORE OR LESS, RAINING—Marion Hodges, pretty clerk in Consolidated Supply, assured The Rocket photographer that she didn't mind the November "rain." The shower was provided from the water tank on a fire truck at Station 5, Redstone Arsenal Fire Department.

ROHM AND HAAS COMPANY
BY JAMES CARSON

Joe Sims resigned November 26 to accept a new job with a company here in Huntsville. Good luck to you, Joe, on the new job! Congratulations to Doug and Pat Franklin who are the proud parents of a baby boy born last week. Mrs. Franklin was formerly employed in the Chemistry Section at R&H.

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who resigned last week to accept another job here on the arsenal.

Mr. R. S. Moorman is away on Company business in Philadelphia, Pa., this week.

A warm welcome to Mr. Joe Clem who will work with the Weapons Group of Rocket Development Section, and to Mr. R. H. Waesche, who will work with the Interior Ballistics Research Group.

We understand that Dr. Charles Colburn tried to change car pools last week. Chemistry Section wants to know why, Dr. C.?

"Curly" Henderson reports that he is placing "Twin-Pots" (Straights) on that new car. "Why 'Curly', going to the speedway or Sump'in'?"

Sorry to report that Mrs. Robbie Smith is in the hospital. We join Robbie in hoping that she will soon be well and home again right away.

Congrats to Dr. Fred Hawthorne on pickin-em right in last week's Pigskin Prediction.

Dr. Dennis Nead attended the American Mathematical Society Meeting in Tuscaloosa, Ala., Nov. 26-27.

Don DeYoung and Ellis Payne spent well-earned vacations on the "Big Moe" last week. The boys report that the good ship is



BRITISH OFFICERS ASSIGNED HERE — Maj. Wilfred J. Mellors (left) and Maj. Lewis F. A. Hardy (right) of the British Army are now working as liaison officers in the Field Service Division here. Maj. Mellors is in the Royal Electrical Mechanical Engineers and Maj. Hardy a member of the Royal Army Ordnance Corps.



Two British Officers Are Stationed Here

Two representatives of the British Army are now stationed at Redstone Arsenal as liaison officers.

They are Major Wilfred J. Mellors of the Royal Electrical Mechanical Engineers and Major Lewis F. A. Hardy of the Royal Army Ordnance Corps.

At present, they are working in the Field Service Division.

Major Mellors began his study in the field of physics and then went into electrical engineering at Jesus College, Cambridge, England.

He has served in Northwestern Europe and Nigeria besides his posts in England.

Major Mellors studied at the anti-aircraft command school in Kent and at the Royal Military College of Science at Shrivenham Wiltshire.

The Mellors are residing in Huntsville. They have two daughters, Jennifer, 6, and Jane, 2.

Prior to his assignment in the United States, Major Mellors was at the Radar Research Establishment, Malvern Works.

Major Hardy joined the army after completing his work at Long Eaton Grammar School, the equivalent of U. S. high schools, in July, 1939.

He is a motorcycle grass track

just about ready to receive visitors, but be sure to bring along the food you like to eat, for the ship's cook has resigned.

Dr. Jerry Freeman attended the Notre Dame - So. Cal. football game last weekend.

It is with regret that we announce Mr. Hershel Sherman's resignation on November 23, because of a physical disability. Mr. Sherman had been with the company since December 5, 1949, and at the time of his resignation he held the position of Shop Foreman in the Maintenance Section.

Dr. and Mrs. Hany Shuey spent their vacation in Shreveport, La., last week.

Bill Grootzinger is sporting a brand new red and white Chevy convertible this week, and Nancy Parks is the lady behind the wheel of that new pink Chevy you see coming into the parking lot each morning.

Dan Nevels, his wife, and some friends attended the Alabama-Auburn football game at Birmingham last Saturday.

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PERSONALS

Mary Weeks, consolidated Supply, spent Thanksgiving with her parents and friends in Beaverton, Ala.

Howard O'Dell, Consolidated Supply, and his wife, visited Mrs. O'Dell's parents and other relatives in Atlanta last weekend.

Alice Goggins, Consolidated Supply, spent the past weekend in Baton Rouge, La., visiting her mother and his wife.

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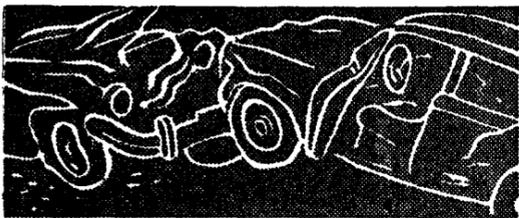
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FABRICATION LABORATORY

BY CAROLYN E. NOLTE

First of all this week, I would like to express my thanks and appreciation for all the help and cooperation I have received from all the members of Fabrication Laboratory, in helping me with this column.

Travelers

J. W. Ray and family traveled to Franklin, Ky., to visit in-laws, over the Thanksgiving holidays.

Recently returned from Florida where they visited a week are Art Rautiola and Delbert Bynum. Bynum came back with callouses on his hands from carrying suitcases, and a head suntan.

J. D. Smith and family spent their week's vacation at the Roma Plaza in Lily Flagg, where they have a heated swimming pool. The Smiths danced under the stars on the roof garden and had dinner on the patio overlooking beautiful Highway 38.

Alfred E. Smith is slowly recuperating from his Birmingham trip. Wonder what he did up there?

R. L. Richardson and family spent the holidays in Meridian, Miss., visiting relatives and

friends. We hear that Meridian is his old home town.

Jack Pritchitt and family went to see the Guntersville-Albertville ball game over the holidays.

Wonder if Northern turkeys are better? Amos R. Christener must think so, as he did his turkey eating in Indiana.

T. L. Ferguson has been to Texas (good for him!) to learn how to punch cattle. Guess he'll have beef Thanksgiving (we don't eat turkey in the cattle country!)

What a man! Mr. Pederson is on vacation, and he was supposed to go fishing. The only catch is that Pete didn't take any fishing poles along. He said that he wanted to be sure he wouldn't have to work.

Clifton Greene is back on his old job after being in Chicago last week attending a Sciaky welding school. He was accompanied by Mr. Stroud.

Tennessee Charlie Major and family traveled to Jackson, Tenn., over the holidays.

Gene Davis and Aubrey Drummond have attended the work Simplification School. We sure are going to have a bunch of smart people around here with all the schooling going on (as if we don't already!)

Henry Kennon spent a week's vacation in Iowa. He traveled via Missouri.

Mr. Kuers and Mr. Paetz have both returned from TDY. One went north and one went south. Now, don't ever say that Fab Lab isn't going places! Join Fab Lab and see the United States — or hear about it anyway.

Recently returned from a deer hunt in the Mobile area is Mr. Covin. He reported that he missed the deer.

Anyone who misses a housecat can lay the trouble to Mr. Little's new coondog, Belle. This is a warning to all coons—and cats! Anyone wanting to go coon hunting notify Steve.

Mr. Butler is wearing out his shoes climbing trees looking for coons. We would appreciate it if some pole climber would contribute his equipment to Butler.

Sgt. Gene Polk and Pfc. Paul Carson went rabbit hunting last Saturday. Polk missed with the first three shots he fired. His excuse is that the bunny was running toward him and he got scared. The day wasn't wasted tho, as Polk got two and Carson got one.

The new huntress in Building 412, or should I say the hunted — is Doris Dixon. There is a mouse loose in Andres office. It ate part of Carmody's lunch and Doris is expecting it to eat her next.

Johnny George, Warren Smith and Ollie B. George spent a weekend in South Alabama hunting deer. Haven't heard if they got any yet.

A. D. Hargrove, barring the measles, is planning to do some hunting. His daughter has had the measles and his son is looking suspicious.

Johnny Garrard and family spent Thanksgiving in Altoona and Gadsden where he caught up on his rabbit, squirrel and bird hunting.

Warning! We hear that the day after coon season is over, that open season is being declared on

CONSOLIDATED SUPPLY

BY MARILYN MILNER

To be a little liberal with Lydia Marie Child's poem "Thanksgiving Day," I quote the following: Over the highway and through the state

To various points they go; The car finds the way to places they stay

With friends and relatives on Thanksgiving Day.

Alice Goggins spent the holidays with her brother in Baton Rouge, La. Edna Broyles went to Jacksonville, Fla.; Joyce Monks to

Job Analysts.

New Addition

Congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. James Koonce, who are the proud parents of a new baby girl, Linda Kay. Mr. Koonce was presented with his little daughter on Nov. 18th. Linda Kay weighed 7 lbs. 4 oz. at birth.

Hard Workers

Pioneer Robert N. Cox moved to scenic Green Mountain, Nov. 8th. We hear he is really building a beautiful home up there.

O. L. Cline is about to work himself to death on his new farm. Hope he doesn't—we'd hate to lose such a swell guy.

Oddities

Andres is now a full fledged rebel. He is now passing Confederate money.

We would all like to know why John Brown is wearing a dress shirt and necktie to work. The trouble is that John is mighty handsome anyway and with that necktie of his, some of the girls just do not seem to be able to hit the right keys on their typewriters.

Football Fans

Decatur lost another football game Friday night, but we do not hold it against Charlie Hoffman. We know that the only reason that he moved to Decatur was because he could not find adequate housing in Huntsville (but then, who can?)

We have two broken hearts here in Fab Lab. Mr. Bill Gibson's heart is broken because Alabama can't play football, and mine is because SMU lost the Southwest Conference.

We're Sorry

Mr. Kay would like his friends to know that he is not married. We were pulling a joke on him in last week's column.

Clarksville, Tenn., to visit her sister; Betty Williams to Larkinsville, Ala.; Marie Weeks to Bessemer to visit relatives; Corinne Stone to Fayetteville to visit parents; Mary Weeks to Beavertown to visit parents; and Howard Odell to Atlanta to visit his wife's people.

Pre-holiday schedule found Mrs. Palmerlee busy filling her cookie jar and preparing to baby sit with her grandchildren.

Charles Bowen and Paul McCutcheon spent the holidays participating in one of their favorite sports — hunting. Charles had more luck this time than he did on a previous trip at which time he reported he "shot up the woods like there was a war going on" and just bagged one squirrel.

Every girl knows that face powder is necessary to get a husband but most of them forget that baking powder keeps him. Not so with newlyweds Pat Saigh and Kathern Adams who cooked their first Thanksgiving dinner to prove their mastery of culinary arts.

Wanted: A demonstrator to explain to Jane Graham the difference between a dripolator and a percolator, since she can't understand why she had hot water instead of coffee the other morning for breakfast.

"If at first you don't succeed, try, try again" is Libbie Cochran's motto. She had to discontinue supervisor's school due to illness but has now completed her training.

Steve Stephens reports that

TDY to Washington can be fun.

Lucy Payne attended the Alabama-Georgia Tech game in Atlanta, recently.

Ophelia Ealey, Benard Cantrell and John Smith are the latest additions to our division. James Barbee has transferred to Transportation Division.

SEAL SALE TIME

Sixty posters for the 1954 Tuberculosis Christmas Seal sales will be put on display in various areas of the arsenal this week.

The posters are reminders to respond as soon as possible to the letters, bearing seals, which are now being sent out by the Madison County Tuberculosis Association, according to James Cleary, Redstone Arsenal representative on the Board of Directors of the county TB organization.

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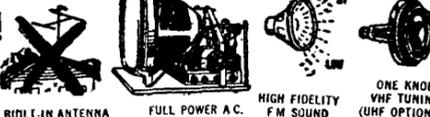
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GUIDED MISSILE DEVELOPMENT DIVISION

From all reports Mr. Lloyd is happy to be back in good Ole Alabama after a month's stay at Ft. Lee, Va. Seems that everything was very nice including the classes in procurement that he

had to attend, but Alabama just can't be beat.

Congratulations Sgt. Leland—so what if it is another girl. What could be nicer than three darling girls. Just one question—does it really take one month's leave to get acquainted—after all this is the third.

Something must be wrong with Cpl. Sand. He smiles now and then. Could it be the fact that he is leaving the "Sunny South" soon? Lloyd.

A hearty welcome to the newcomers. Delores Kinney of the Admin Branch and Claude Dornring of Tech Planning Section. Glad to have them with us.

Sorry to hear about Mr. Tessmann's Buick burning on the way to Florida. Now he has good reason for the new '55 and they are so pretty.

Glad to have those who had an extended vacation in Florida back again and envy their suntans.

Gone but not forgotten—Faye Adcock sends her best to everyone and is missing deah ole Div. Hqs.

"Happy" Davis will remember this Xmas for a long time as she retires temporarily for that visit from the stork.

You all who missed the Civilian Welfare Dance which was sponsored by this division really should have been there. We had a lot of fun and through the cooperation of all depends the success of the dances. How about that proposal on the Civilian Club? Aren't you interested? Let Sam Huston hear from you.

Haven't been able to find out where most of the people are spending Turkey Day but I am sure the long weekend will be enjoyed by all. Shirley Stacey is motoring to Memphis. Betty Rogers to St. Louis. Maybe we can find out more about the holiday weekend before the next issue. We do want to wish everyone a Happy Thanksgiving and will be anxiously awaiting the smiling faces as they appear for duty on Monday morning.

ROCKET DEVELOPMENT LAB
By Chris Cowley

Last week everyone was looking forward to another day off to enjoy a nice big Thanksgiving dinner. Most of the people were so stuffed that they were just not able to make it back to work on Friday.

Niles White spent Thanksgiving at home entertaining relatives and enjoying a nice turkey dinner with all the trimmings. Then he planned to take it easy and maybe go fishing on Friday.

Irene Chapman was planning to spend the day with her mother. It was to be a kind of family get-together with her sister Carolyn and sons Bruce and Jimmy visiting from Birmingham.

Bill Payne planned to sleep late, watch television and instead of cooking at home, take Lucy and Kelly out to enjoy a big turkey dinner. He says that the best way to enjoy a day off is to "take it easy."

Some were not satisfied with lazing around home so they took off early and went traveling around. Dana Milburn and his family journeyed over to Mississippi to spend the holiday visiting with relatives.

Bob Edwards, also from Missis-

THE POST LIBRARY

BY ANNA L. FARRAR
Librarian

The books listed have recently been added to the Post Library collection.

Bernt Balchen, "The Next Fifty Years of Flight."

H. E. Bates, "The Feast of July"

Berlitz self-teacher: German

Betty Crocker's "Good And Easy Cook Book."

Erskine Caldwell, "Love and

Mississippi, took off on a long weekend to enjoy some "home cooking."

Kenneth Dodd was going to be different and have chicken for his "feast." Then he planned to watch the football game on television and listen to another one on the radio at the same time!! (How do people with a one track mind do things like that?!!)

Money."
Ainslie Conway, "The Enchanted Islands."
Steve Fisher, "Giveaway."
Eric Fromm, "Escape From Freedom."
Frank B. Gilbreth, "Inside Nantucket."
Evan Hunter, "The Blackboard Jungle."
Bruce Marshall, "Only Fade Away."
Roger Price, "The Rich Sardinia."
Henri Queffelec, "Saint Anthony of the Desert."
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Mrs. James Wesley Jones, Jr., employe of Post Engineer Division, was Miss Vicki Cook, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Cook, Route 1, Haron, Ala., before her marriage on Nov. 18.

Mr. Jones is the son of Mr. and Mrs. James Wesley Jones, Sr., of Birmingham, Ala., and is employed by Sherman-Williams Co., in Huntsville.

The wedding took place in the home of Dr. James J. Milford on Whitesburg Drive.

Mr. and Mrs. Wesley plan to reside at 308 Oak Avenue in Huntsville.

Belle Cagle Takes Vows to P. M. Cryer

Miss Belle Cagle, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. O. C. Cagle, Huntsville, became the bride of Harold Cryer, son of Mr. and Mrs. P. M. Cryer, last Saturday, Nov. 27.

Rev. Buford M. McElroy performed the ceremony in the home of the bride's brother, Eugene C.

Four Tables Bridge To Samba Played

Four tables of bridge and two tables of samba were in play during Couples Bridge, Monday, November 22.

High scores at bridge were made by Col. Paul Elias and Mrs. S. R. Stevens.

Second were Capt. Milton Sweat and Mrs. Arlo Dixon. Low scores were made by Mrs. Sweat and Lt. John Atchley. Lt. and Mrs. Robert Yeager were host and hostess for the bridge tables.

Samba winners were Mrs. Arthur Hogan and Mrs. J. D. Childs. Low score was taken by Mrs. Frederick Sayers.

The next meeting will be on Mon., Dec. 6 at 7 p.m. at the Officers Open Mess.

Cagle, 908 McCullough Ave., at 7 p.m.

Miss Cagle is employed in the stock record section of Consolidated Supply Division.

Mr. Cryer is employed by Ideal Bread Company in Huntsville.

The couple will reside at Route 4, Huntsville.



MARTHA LIPTON

Metropolitan Artist Slates Concert Here

Martha Lipton, mezzo-soprano of the Metropolitan Opera, will be the guest artist at the second presentation of the Community Concert Association on Dec. 6 at 8:15 p.m. at the Huntsville High auditorium.

Ever since her debut as Siebel in the Metropolitan opening night production of "Faust" in November, 1944, Martha Lipton has been a leading member of the company. She has sung over three dozen parts in four languages. Her roles have run the gamut of dramatic characterization and musical style. They have ranged from the little boy Hansel in Humperdinck's fairy tale to the ribald Mother Goose in the American premiere of Stravinsky's "Rake's Progress," from the seductive Carmen to the faithful Brangaene in "Tristan and Isolde," from the dramatic Amneris in "Aida" to the rustic innkeeper in the recent revival of "Boris Godunov."

Latin-American audiences have also applauded Miss Lipton in opera, for she has brought her usual distinction to performances at the Teatro Municipal in Rio de Janeiro and the Opera Nacional in Mexico. The Dutch were so impressed by her artistry when she made her first European concert appearances in the summer of 1950 that they invited her back in '51 and '52 to sing in Verdi's "Un Ballo in Maschera" and Bartok's "Bluebeard's Castle" at the celebrated Holland Festival and again this year.

In September, 1951, Martha Lipton made her debut at the Edinburgh Festival, chosen by Bruno Walter as one of the soloists in the Beethoven Ninth Symphony with the New York Philharmonic-Symphony. Dr. Walter honored her a second time when he presented the work again in New York, in the spring of 1953, a performance which was later recorded for Columbia Records. Long a favorite with Philharmonic-Symphony audiences and conductors, she has appeared with that orchestra in Schoenberg's "Gurrelieder" and Mahler's Eighth Symphony under Stokowski, and in Busoni's "Arlecchino" and Mendelssohn's "Elijah" under Mitropoulos. Eugene Ormandy chose her for a role in Honegger's "Jeanne d'Arc au Bucher," which was also recorded for Columbia. The other orchestras with which she has sung include the symphonies of Boston, Chicago, Cincinnati and Pittsburgh.

Miss Lipton has been guest ar-



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Miss Bonnie Young, in the commanding general's office, visited Lou Schuessler, Jr., and family in Philadelphia, Pa., over the Thanksgiving weekend.

Hal Carpenter, civilian personnel, and wife attended the Auburn-Alabama game last Saturday in Birmingham.

Jim Pride, civilian personnel, visited his wife and family in Morgan Field, Ky., last weekend. Miss Lois Robertson, technical library, spent Thanksgiving with Mr. and Mrs. Tuck Robertson and other relatives in Lineville and Birmingham.

Jesse Stutts, civilian personnel, and wife had as their guest during the Thanksgiving weekend, their daughter, Patricia, who is attending Vanderbilt University.

Col. and Mrs. O'Connor enjoyed having Mr. and Mrs. John D. Park and children, Marilyn and Jackie, from Blackwood, N. J., spend the Thanksgiving holi-

days with them. Mr. Park is Mrs. O'Connor's brother.

James R. Cleary, legal office, visited relatives in Birmingham and Ashville during the Thanksgiving weekend.

Roslyn Daniel, Consolidated Supply, and husband, PFC Stuart Daniel, visited relatives and friends in Charlotte, N. C., on Thanksgiving.

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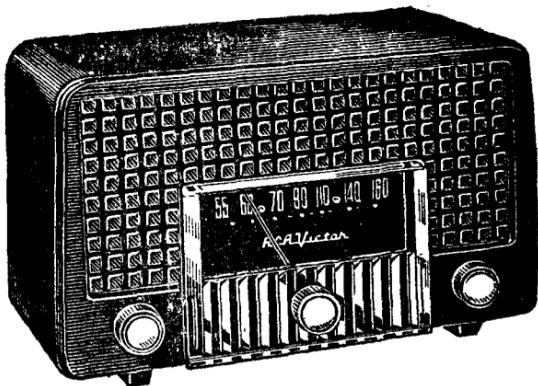
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Rockets, Tyndall Tangle

The Redstone Rockets will play their last game of the season this Saturday, Dec. 4, at 2 p. m. at Linton Field.

Tyndall Air Force Base will furnish the opposition. And the Rockets have invited the Huntsville and Butler High football squads to be their guests under Redstone Arsenal's "Operation See It Yourself" youth program.

"The Rocket's ability to dig in and hold at critical moments told the story in Redstone's 12-0 win over the Ft. Benning C. T. C. Commanders on Saturday, Nov. 20. The teams were almost equal in yards gained: 211 for Ft. Benning and 267 for Redstone. The Commanders however, were unable to break through when it counted.

Redstone's forward wall was equally effective on offense, opening holes for Halfback Ken Stuteville who cut through tackle and smashed out extra yardage for a total of 82 yards gained rushing.

Quarterback Paul Cruden proved that he could run as well as he passed, when, after 108 yards through the air, he ran the ball around right end to score standing up.

The chilled but enthusiastic crowd of approximately 200 watched a deadlocked first half in which both teams made long gains but were unable to hit pay dirt.

The Rockets exploded in the

second half, scoring early in the third quarter when Ken Stuteville went over from the 9 yard line after a series of long gains.

Ft. Benning speedsters Dick Taylor and Ed Revels menaced the Rockets when they broke loose, but were never able to mount a sustained attack, though they made 46 and 90 yards rushing, respectively.

Cruden iced the game in the fourth quarter, when, after scoring the second touchdown, he spiked a Commander attack by intercepting a pass on his own 45 yard line.

1954 FOLLIES SLATED

A number of Redstone Arsenal employees will join other Huntsville residents in taking part in The Follies, which will be presented by the Grace Club Auxiliary on Dec. 9 and 10 at the Huntsville High auditorium.

Proceeds from the shows will help the Grace Club Auxiliary build their Crippled Children's Clinic.

Among the arsenal employees who will participate in the song-and-dance show are Paul Kelly, Mrs. David Culver, Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Harbarger, George Potts, Mrs. Arthur Harvey and Woody Waesche.

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The Redstone Rocket's outstanding guard, Paul Muratore, is a personable young man whose easy grin sets off his dark hair and dark eyes. His 200 pounds is evenly distributed over his stocky frame, and he has been throwing his weight at opposing linemen for six of his 21 years.

Born July 29, 1933, in Rochester, N. Y., Paul grew up to play four years of football for Rochester's Madison High School. Madison won the city championship during Paul's junior and senior years there, and if his performance for the Rockets is any criterion, Madison owes its success in part to Paul's heft in the line. He was also a varsity wrestler and baseball player, and earned a total of 12 varsity letters in four years.

Drafted soon after graduation from high school, Muratore has been at Redstone Arsenal since basic training. Here he plays both football and baseball, and last year he caught several games though he is normally an outfielder.

Paul has found that Army football is a lot rougher than the game as played in high school, but he has learned much from the many experienced men he has played with and against. He got great satisfaction from helping to smash a Ft. Benning team 12-0 on Nov. 20, after losing to Benning teams for two years.

He plans to use the experience gained here to get a college football scholarship when he leaves the Army, and he has already received offers from leading colleges around the country.

Military Basketball Program Under Way

The military basketball program is well under way. One post team and eight detachment teams are participating in practice sessions at the armory and junior high school gymnasiums at night and during the weekends.

An officials' clinic is being conducted by the Special Services Sports Section and both the teams and the officials should be well prepared for the beginning of the company level tournament on December 8.

The first game presently scheduled for the Post Team will be played at Memphis, Tenn., against the Memphis Naval Air Station.

In addition to the Post Team, the following teams have been organized to be entered in the company level tournament:

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It is rather lonesome and sad, wish Hal Carpenter hadn't thrown his crying towel away, with so many co-workers vacationing. Bernard Durham is deep in the heart of Texas. You know the old adage: you can always tell a Texan, but you can't tell him much. Loretta Gough is visiting in Pennsylvania. James Bailey traveled to Boaz, a true Alabamian.

Jay Fryman was hard to recognize with his enlarged jaw, he's back with us after numerous trips to the dentist. Welcome back also to Barron Currin after spending two weeks in Tennessee.

A "Glad Hello" to Fred W. Quesenberry, Jr., Estelle Taylor, Rowena Boutwell and Lynn Bryant and a "Sad Goodbye" to Jane Vaughn.

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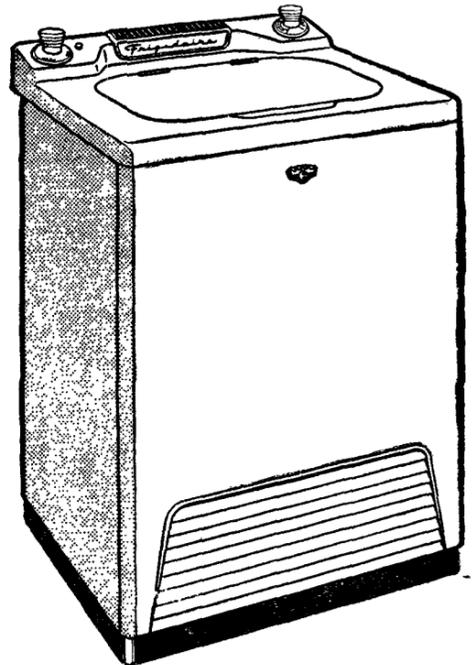
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Formal Opening

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tary advisor to the Board of Governors.

In addition to its other activities, the NCO Open Mess serves lunch each weekday from 11:30 until 1 for members and guests.

Membership in the Mess is not limited to military personnel on active duty, but extends to those in the reserve.

Local Rocket Society

(Continued From Page One)

lectures in order to prepare a list of topics to be made available to local high school principals. He encourages anyone who is interested in speaking to high school groups to contact him or any member of the committee.

Committee members present at the meeting were: Charles Arnold, Field Service; Earl Fitter, T & E; Burl Galloway, RDD; Bill Gifford, T & E; Lt. Pete Greeman, PIO; George Henderson, GMDD; Gene McClard, RDD; Gene Miller, Research Division; Bob Rudolph, RDD; Jim Stamy, GMDD; Ray Turner, RDD; Fred Vial, Pfister Associated Growers; and John Wise, Thiokol.

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Budget Forum Held By Cost Accountants

"The Forecast Side of Budgeting" was the general subject of the second and last group of discussion forums sponsored by the North Alabama Chapter of the National Association of Cost Accountants.

The meetings were held November 23 at the Russel Erskine Hotel, Huntsville, and Reynolds Camp, Sheffield, Hugh P. Henderson, education director of the Chapter arranging the program.

These simultaneous meetings concluded the discussion of "Budgeting" which was the subject for this year.

The meeting was attended by Jack Severin, Alabama - Tennessee Natural Gas Company; Marlin Long, Robert W. Stephens, R. L. Outler, Wolverine Tube Division; Sarah H. Fisk, Huntsville Manufacturing Company; Clara Young, Grady Shaw, Frank McLaughlin, James Journey, W. C. Hunter, Hubert E. Burleson, and North Alabama Chapter President Jack W. Mueller of Chemstrand Corp.; Stanley A. Veatch, L. D. Craig, Osmond Gardner, of Redstone Arsenal; Emil O. Tolonen and Lloyd F. McMurtrie, Thio-

kol Corp.; Robert C. Huffman, Ashburn & Gray; James G. Thomas and Frank Hayes, Rohm and Haas Company.

The discussion were divided into three sections, the first section in Huntsville was led by Jack Severin, the second section by Marlin Long, and the third section by Emil O. Tolonen.

Mr. Henderson served as chairman of the simultaneous meeting at Reynolds Alloys Company Camp, in Sheffield, Ala.

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