

The Redstone Rocket

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99 PERCENT OF UGF PLEDGES ARE COLLECTED

Redstone Arsenal United Givers Fund campaign solicitors collected 99.1 percent of all UGF pledges made by Arsenal personnel during the recently concluded post-wide drive, it was announced by Stuart H. Jones, Redstone UGF executive chairman.

Of pledges totaling \$156,306, collections amounted to \$154,962. The later figure is the final official total netted in this year's highly successful drive, Jones said.

This is approximately twice the amount contributed in last year's campaign.

Overall participation, military and civilian, among Arsenal personnel this year was 93 percent with "Fair Share" amounts given by 39 percent. "Fair Share" contributions had been suggested by solicitors, based on a certain percentage of a day's pay for each person.

Redstone UGF Executive Committee members and Agency chairmen were invited to attend the Huntsville-Madison County UGF Committee's "victory" or Campaign Awards Dinner, last Monday night at the Huntsville Country Club.

During this event, Maj. Gen. J. B. Medaris, Commanding General of the Army Ordnance Missile Command at Redstone Arsenal, scheduled to present a check for approximately \$140,000 to D. C. Boone, Huntsville-Madison County UGF Chairman. Gen. Medaris served as chairman of the Redstone UGF campaign.

Other surrounding counties will receive shares of the Red- (See 99 PERCENT on Page 2)

AOMC Headquarters Building Officially Accepted in Ceremony

(Photo Inside)

Maj. Gen. John B. Medaris officially accepted the new Headquarters Building for the Army Ordnance Missile Command from the District Engineer at Mobile in a brief ceremony at the entrance to the building Monday morning.

"I need not emphasize the pleasure with which we accept this building," Gen. Medaris said. "The crowded conditions under which this headquarters has lived since last March have been trying. We are highly appreciative of the manner in which the Corps of Engineers has rushed the job to completion.

"I am delighted to house my headquarters separately to spell out the decentralization and self-sufficiency of the subordinate areas," he said.

Col. J. P. Dawley, Assistant District Engineer, presented the three-story rectangular-shaped office building, costing \$1,380,000, to Gen. Medaris. Edwin K. Fowler, Area Engineer, introduced contractors and guests present. The building was constructed by Daniel Construction Co. of Birmingham.

Mayor R. B. Searcy, speaking for the people of Huntsville and northern Alabama, said: "It is obvious that the tremendous efforts under way here to strengthen the defenses of our country are continuing at AOMC as usual. This headquarters building is another recognition of the ability of the people and leaders of AOMC to get the job done, no (See AOMC on Page 2)



THE ARMY'S FIRST MISSILE TRANSPORTATION SEMINAR was held this week at Redstone Arsenal. The Army Ordnance Missile Command was host to about 75 military and civilian transportation officials from throughout the country. In photo above, Brig. Gen. A. W. Lyons (left), Commandant of the Army Transportation School at Ft. Eustis, Va., registers for seminar. Looking on are Maj. Henry Del Mar (right), Chief of the AOMC Transportation Office and project officer for the seminar, and Martin Malone, of the Transportation Research and Engineering Command, Ft. Eustis. Purpose of the seminar was to acquaint top military and commercial traffic representatives with the Army's family of missiles and to increase interest in solving transportation problems peculiar to missiles. The seminar was to end at noon today.

ARMY'S FIRST

Missile Transportation Seminar Is Held on Post

The Army's first Missile Transportation Seminar is being held this week at Redstone Arsenal.

The Army Ordnance Missile Command is host to about 75 military and civilian transportation officials from throughout the country. In addition, approxi-

mately 25 persons from various elements of the AOMC are also attending the meeting.

Purpose of the seminar is to acquaint top military and commercial traffic representatives with the Army's family of missiles. (See Missile on Page 2)

74 ARE GRADUATED BY 864TH SMS

The 864th Strategic Missile Squadron (IRBM-Jupiter), the Strategic Air Command's first IRBM Squadron in training at the Army Ordnance Missile Command at Redstone Arsenal, last week held graduation ceremonies for 74 Officers and Airmen who

have completed courses in Jupiter individual training, launch control training, guided missile operations and missile maintenance. Graduation exercises were held at 10 a.m. Thursday, Nov. 20, at the Post Theatre. (See HONOR on Page 3)



HONOR STUDENT—Lt. Col. John H. Brewster, left, Deputy Commander of the 864th Strategic Missile Squadron (IRBM-Jupiter) presents Capt. Frank Parker with a certificate as Honor Student in the Guided Missile Maintenance Officer Course at graduation ceremonies held Thursday at the Redstone Arsenal Post Theatre. The 864th SMS graduated 74 officers and Airmen from Jupiter training courses being held at the Army Ordnance Missile Command and the Ordnance Guided Missile School.

Col. Wishart Heads ARGMA Industrial Div.

HE SUCCEEDS COL. LEHTONEN

Col. Henry H. Wishart has been named as Chief of the Industrial Division of the Army Rocket and Guided Missile Agency, it was announced by Brig. Gen. J. G. Shinkle, ARGMA Commander.

Col. Wishart succeeds Col. R. O. Lehtonen, who has been assigned Deputy Commander of ARGMA.

Col. Wishart came to Redstone Arsenal from Seoul, Korea, where he served as Chief of the Logistics Division, Joint MAAG, from July 1957 to September 1958.

He was graduated from the Industrial College of the Armed Forces in Washington, D. C., in 1957, and from the Command and General Staff College at Fort Leavenworth, Kans., in 1950.

His civilian education includes a BS degree in administration from the University of Southern California, and a diploma from the Harvard (sic) Military Academy of Los Angeles.

The colonel's World War II experience includes 33 months in the Pacific Theater and Japan. He was commanding officer of the 352nd Ordnance Battalion from 1943 to 1944, and CO of the 57th Ordnance Group from 1944 to 1945.

For three years, 1946 to 1949, he served in Europe as Ordnance Officer, Headquarters Command, (See COL. WISHART on Page 2)



COL. HENRY H. WISHART

Lt. Col. Palsrok Heads Finance, Accounting Division at Redstone

Lt. Col. Palsrok has been announced as Chief of the Finance and Accounting Division at Redstone Arsenal by Col. Keith T. O'Keefe, Post Commander. Maj. Clarence Hanson of the Division will continue as Finance and Accounting Officer.

Col. Palsrok was formerly Chief of the Management Engineering Division at Headquarters, Fifth U. S. Army, Chicago, Ill.

A veteran of more than 20 years Army service, he holds a Bachelor's degree in commerce from Roosevelt University, Chicago, and an L. L. B. degree from the American Extension School of Law, Chicago.

He entered the Army in 1934 and attended the Finance School, U. S. Army, until 1935. This was followed by a two-year tour of duty in the Philippine Islands, a year at Ft. Benjamin Harrison, Ind., and four years with the Finance School Staff at Baltimore, Md., and Indianapolis, Ind.

In 1942 he was assigned with the Office, Chief of Finance, U. S. Army at Washington, D. C., where he remained for four years. He joined the U. S. Army Advisory Group at Nanking, China, in 1946, (See PALSROK on Page 2)

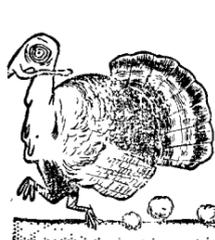


LT. COL. JOHN PALSROK

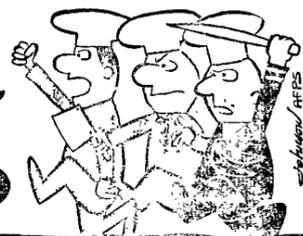
NATO Teams Are Set For Soccer Game Thurs.

The Thanksgiving Day Soccer game between the Vikings and the Continentals, two teams made up of NATO students now studying at the Ordnance Guided Missile School, will get underway at 2 p.m. tomorrow at Redstone Arsenal's Linton Field.

The game is sponsored by Veterans of Foreign Wars Post 2702, with proceeds going to Christmas Clothing and gifts for underprivileged children. An advance ticket sale of over 4,000 has been reported, but plenty of tickets are expected to be available to fans at the Linton Field box office.



Thanksgiving



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sites and to increase interest in solving transportation problems peculiar to missiles.

Conference delegates were welcomed at 1:30 p. m. Monday at the Post's Rocket Auditorium by Brig. Gen. J. M. Colby, AOMC Deputy Commanding General.

Among a series of orientation briefings scheduled for the group was a presentation Tuesday on the Army's scientific satellite program by Dr. Werner von Braun, director of Development Operations for the Army Ballistic Agency.

Heading the list of military delegates to the seminar is Brig. Gen. A. W. Lyons, Commandant of the Army Transportation School at Ft. Eustis, Va.

In addition to Army officials, representatives of the Air Force, Navy and Marines were also invited.

Representatives of commercial transportation organizations are also attending.

Monday night, conference delegates met for dinner at the Post's Squirrel Hill Officers Club.

Tuesday afternoon, the group inspected a static display of missiles arranged by the Ordnance Guided Missile School.

This morning's portion of the conference was to be a tour of some of the Command's research laboratories and test facilities. The meeting ends at noon today.

Project officer for the Army Missile Transportation Seminar is Maj. Henry R. Del Mar, Chief

COL. WISHART

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EUCOM.

Col. Wishart also had served one tour in the Office, Chief of Ordnance, where he had dual assignments as Control Officer and Chief of the Systems Improvement Office, Field Service Division. The OCO tour was from 1953 to 1956.

Among the awards earned by Col. Wishart are the Army Commendation Ribbon with two clusters, the Asiatic-Pacific Ribbon with campaign star, the Philippine Liberation Ribbon with star, and the Medal for Humane Action (Berlin Airlift).

In civilian life, he was employed in Los Angeles by the Standard Oil Co. of California, as assistant purchasing agent.

Col. Wishart is the son of Mrs. Amy E. Freeman of 343 South Madison Avenue, Pasadena, Calif.

He and Mrs. Wishart now reside on the post.

His hobbies include golf and bowling.

99 PERCENT

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stone UGF total, based on contributions of personnel residing in those counties and employed at the Arsenal.

In addition to Gen. Medaris and Jones, members of the Redstone UGF Executive Committee were L. M. Brockman, executive secretary of the AOMC Transportation Office.

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CUTTING THE RIBBON — Master Sergeant Robert F. Jackson (third from left), AOMC sergeant major, cuts the ribbon at the official acceptance Monday of Bl. 4504, the new AOMC Headquarters building, by the Command from the District Engineer at Mobile. Left to right are Edwin K. Fowler, Area Engineer; Huntsville Mayor R. B. Searcy; Sgt. Jackson; Maj. Gen. J. B. Medaris, AOMC Commanding General; and Roy Stone, Chairman of the Madison County Board of Commissioners.

AOMC

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matter how difficult the task they are asked to do. As long as the country will give you the facilities, I know you will continue your scientific and military contributions."

Master Sergeant Robert F. Jackson, sergeant major, cut the ribbon before the guests were taken on a tour of the building by Maj. Donald A. Klein, Chief of the Protocol Office, AOMC.

The visitors were shown the Command Control Room, and were served coffee.

Among those attending the brief ceremony were: Brig. Gen. Joseph M. Colby, Deputy Commander, AOMC; Brig. Gen. John G. Shinkle, Commander, ARGMA; Brig. Gen. John A. Barclay, Commander, ABMA; Col. Henry S. Newhall, Commander, OGMS; and Col. Owen T. McCloskey, Deputy Commander, Redstone Arsenal; members of the staff of each agency, and military personnel and civilians assigned to AOMC.

PALSROK

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and returned to the Office, Chief of Finance in 1948.

In 1952 he attended the Command and General Staff College at Ft. Leavenworth, Kan. Upon completion of this training in 1953 he was assigned with the 17th Finance Distribution Section, Seventh Army, in Europe. In 1954, he became Finance and Accounting Officer with Headquarters, Communication Zone, at Orleans, France, a post he held until his return to the U. S. and assignment with Fifth Army in 1956.

Among his decorations and awards are the Legion of Merit, the Royal Brest Order of Yun Hui, and the Army-Navy-Air Force Medal. He is a member of the Oak Park, Ill., Chamber of Commerce and the Shrine at San Francisco, Calif.

Col. and Mrs. Palsrok reside on post with their two daughters Diane, age 15, and Linda, age 13. Mrs. Palsrok is the former Maria A. Meyer, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Meyer of 6919 Brentwood Ave., Baltimore, Md.

Col. Palsrok is the son of Henry Palsrok Sr., of 709 Apple St., Muskegon, Mich.

retary, Col. Thomas J. Seigler, Col. Thurston T. Paul, Jr. Harold Katz, Lt. Col. Joshua L. Holley, Jr., Claude Stockton, Col. Owen T. McCloskey, Merle Bacon, Lt. Col. Ernest W. Eubank, Jr., Dr. W. H. Mebane, Deschere, Gordon L. Harris, Jack Blackburn, and Edwin W. Fowler.

Serving as chairmen for the various agencies on Post were V. C. Sorensen, Army Ballistic Missile Agency; Jack Balch, Army Rocket and Guided Missile Agency; Thurman Burns, Redstone Arsenal; Stan Kreged, Ordnance Guided Missile School; Joseph Moquin, Army Ordnance Missile Command Headquarters; and Edwin K. Fowler, Area Engineer Office.

Five hundred solicitors and 100 monitors participated in conducting the Redstone UGF campaign.

Post Well Represented In Huntsville Civic Orchestra; Concerts Set

The Huntsville Civic Orchestra will play a series of three subscription concerts during the 1958-1959 Season, its sixth season under the direction of Dr. Arthur M. Fraser. Dates of the concerts, all to be held at 8 p. m. on Saturday evenings at Huntsville High School Auditorium, are Dec. 6, Feb. 14, and April 11.

The Arsenal is well represented among the playing members of the orchestra. The concert master is Werner Kuers, of ABMA. Other ABMA employees in the orchestra are George Detko, Dieter Fellenz and John Haire, violinists, and Theodore Vowe, cellist.

ARGMA employees in the orchestra are Mike Keeseey, clarinet; David Mendel and David Mann, trumpets; and William Hay, trombone.

Arsenal military personnel in the orchestra include Lt. Jerry

Werdern, violinist; Lt. Duane Hardy, trombone; Pfc. Robert Hunt, oboe; and Pfc. Robert Polk, French horn.

The Arsenal contractor represented in the orchestra by Scott Kidd, bass viol (Thiokol), and Douglass Grimes, trumpet (Rohm and Haas).

Wives or daughters of Arsenal or contractor personnel include Mrs. Andrew Draper, Miss Barbara Geissler, Mrs. Robert Groeneveld, and Mrs. Dieter Grau, violinists; Mrs. Charles Lundquist, violist; Miss Karen Sachs, cellist; and Mrs. George Sachs, percussionist.

The concert on Dec. 6 will feature a variety of instrumental pieces representing the classical and romantic periods. On Feb. 14, the orchestra will be assisted by the Huntsville Community Chorus and the Huntsville Little Theater in a presentation of the Gilbert and Sullivan operetta, "Trial and Jury." The concluding concert on April 11 will feature as guest conductor Julius Hegyi, who regularly conducts the Chattanooga Symphony Orchestra.

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The 864th SMS will be one of SAC's first missile units to become combat operational. It will be deployed to an advance base overseas where it will be equipped with the Jupiter IRBM, a liquid-propelled ballistic missile capable of delivering a nuclear warhead at supersonic speeds against targets 1500 miles away.

Commander of the 864th is Col. William C. Erlenbusch whose officers and airmen were selected on the basis of retentive capability, technical ability, and top proficiency in fields adaptable to the missile field. Col. Erlenbusch has been in the missile business since June 1956 when he was transferred from SAC to the Air Force Ballistic Missile Division at Inglewood, Calif.

The graduating class represents one increment in the training cycle of the Missile Squadron which encompasses fueling, propulsion, control, guidance, plus training in the utilization of ground service equipment, the logistics support plan and the operational capabilities of the missile.

Under the overall direction of Maj. Gen J. B. Medaris, Commanding General, AOMC, the Army Ballistic Missile Agency is charged with the responsibility of training the 864th Squadron.

During the Jupiter individual training phase, the air-missilemen undergo training with trainers which not only duplicate the missile equipment in internal and external appearance, but also allow crewmen to perform checkout, adjustment, fueling and even a "countdown" with a simulated firing.

At the Surface-to-Surface, Ballistic Missile Branch of the Ordnance Guided Missile School, the officers and airmen have the following additional trainers: fueling, propulsion, boat-tail (aft-unit of missile), launch control trailer, electrical equipment trailer, and fuel and LOX service trainers.

The Jupiter IRBM and the Jupiter Weapons System underwent close scrutiny in early October of this year when Air Force officers from bases throughout the U.S., contractors participating in the Jupiter System and personnel from the Army Ballistic Missile Agency witnessed a highly successful demonstration of the erection, assembly, checkout and rapid fueling of the Jupiter. During the four-day Development Engineering Inspection held at the AOMC, airmen conducted the firing sequence so rapidly that reaction time was within operational requirements. Personnel of the Systems Support and Equipment Laboratory under the direction of Hans Hueter worked around the clock to have the launch site ready for the demonstration ahead of schedule.

In August of this year, the ABMA commanded by Brig. Gen. J. A. Barclay, delivered to the Air Force the first tactical Jupiter IRBM one month ahead of schedule. The Jupiter was fabricated at the Missile Agency which has produced all Jupiter versions launched to date. Two research and development prototypes equipped with full-scale nose cones were successfully launched recently and both cones were recovered in undamaged condition by the U. S. Navy.

Col. Charles J. Payne, Director of the Missile Agency's Training Division, was guest speaker at the ceremony. Col. Payne was introduced by Lt. Col. Ernest W. Ewbank, Assistant Commandant of OGMS where Airmen receive training at the Ballistic Missile Branch.

Honor Student Capt. Frank Parker, who completed the Guided Missile Maintenance Officer Course, was presented an honor award by the 864th Deputy Squadron Commander, Lt. Col. John H. Brewster.

Air Force graduates are listed by Jupiter courses as follows:

Guided Missile Maintenance Officer Course: Maj. Leon L. Crowder, Maj. James E. Maraist, Capt. Edward K. Buell, Capt. F.

P. Delemos, Capt. M. L. Flowers, Capt. Joseph German, Capt. Henry Kinney, Capt. Clarence B. Knight, Capt. Gleen M. Mathis, Jr., Capt. W. R. Meharg, Capt. Frank Parker, Capt. Robert K. Perkins, Capt. William J. Reid, and Capt. Clifford Tyler.

Guided Missile Operations Officer Course: Lt. Col. H. L. Thomas, Maj. E. C. Cranford, Maj. J. Emig, Maj. A. J. Pennington, Maj. W. M. Seigle, Maj. T. W. Tedrowe, Maj. R. W. Young, Capt. L. A. Pendergrass, and Capt. R. G. Wahl.

Jupiter Integrated Weapons System Training-Mobile Maintenance Crews: M-Sgt. Francis E. McCrown, T-Sgt. Joe A. Huff T-Sgt. Ray G. Mehl, S-Sgt. Clinton A. Bliss, S-Sgt. Dwight J. Clark, S-Sgt. James R. Pollard, S-Sgt. Clarence Robinett, S-Sgt. Elwood Whitmore, A 1-C Virgie D. Snody, T-Sgt. Lawrence B. Head, T-Sgt. Jesse C. Greene, T-Sgt. John P. Weaver, S-Sgt. Sherman L. Benson, S-Sgt. Franklin D. Cox, S-Sgt. Russel E. Robinson, S-Sgt. Henry B. Tilton, Jr., A 1-C John M. Brown, and A 1-C William B. Delair.

Missile Technician (Airframe) Course: M-Sgt. James P. Dutcher, M-Sgt. Joe W. Hainline, M-Sgt.

Herman C. Santas, M-Sgt. Richard W. Schmidt, M-Sgt. Harold Spicer, M-Sgt. Lewis E. Singleton, T-Sgt. A. Godfrey, T-Sgt. Herman L. Hardin, T-Sgt. Fred V. Stratton, Sgt. Donald O. Dwyer and A 1-C John H. Soukup. Launcher Control Console Operator Course S-Sgt. Wayne A. Buhr, A 1-C Kenneth E. Asbill, A 1-C James L. Brown, A 1-C John R. Butler, A 1-C Richard I. Kint, A 1-C Robert R. Paynter A 1-C Harold B. Pearson, A 2-C Carl N. Adrain and A 2-C Armand J. Cadieux.

Jupiter Integrated Weapons Training Course-Launcher Crews: Maj. R. A. Fromm, M-Sgt. Philip E. Ross, S-Sgt. J. R. Hill; Maj. Howard F. Menadier, Jr., M-Sgt. Chester D. Gray, S-Sgt. G. F. Valdez; Maj. J. W. Bice, S-Sgt. E. R. Jones, S-Sgt. Dean A. Niece; Maj. D. W. Tuttle T-Sgt. E. W. Smith, S-Sgt. R. E. Mitchell; Maj. C. E. Bierman, M-Sgt. J. H. Walsh, S-Sgt. Alexander Jackson; Capt. J. K. Greene, M-Sgt. F. E. Lehman, A 1-C R. D. Kruse.

Oh for the good old days when a drum and not the generation was beat.

Committee Named By AFGE Lodge Head

Appointment of members to a Grievance Committee for Redstone Arsenal Lodge 1858 of the American Federation of Government Employees has been announced by E. L. Louthier, Lodge president.

They are: Norman Landry, chairman; James Locke, vice-chairman; Dennis Garrison, Virgil C. Mitchell, J. T. Clark, and Charles W. Spurlin.

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MRS. MARILYN McDOWELL, ventriloquist, performs with her puppet Emma Tate during the Army Ballistic Missile Agency Officers Wives luncheon held last week.

MUSIC, VENTRILOQUY HIGHLIGHT ABMA OFFICERS WIVES LUNCHEON

Music and ventriloquy Barclay and Mrs. G. P. Levy highlighted the Army Ballistic Agency Officers Wives luncheon held Tuesday (Nov. 18) at the Squirrel Hill Officers Club.

Featured on the program were Mrs. Marilyn Carboni, concert pianist, and Mrs. Marilyn McDowell, ventriloquist.

Mrs. Carboni, wife of Raymond Carboni of the ABMA Personnel Office, played "Theme With Variations" by Paderewski and "Romance" by Schumann. She studied music at Kearney State Teachers College, Kearney, Neb., under Dr. Antonia Brico of Denver, Colo.; and under Dr. Sigismund Stojowski of New York City.

Mrs. McDowell, wife of Capt. Holt McDowell, Jr., of the Redstone Arsenal Post Hospital, entertained with her puppet, Emma Kate. Mrs. McDowell, the former Marilyn Tate of Haleyville, was Miss Alabama in 1954. She became interested in ventriloquy while attending college at the University of Alabama and the University of Redlands, Redlands, Calif.

Seventy-one ladies attended the buffet luncheon. Decorations were carried out in a Fall theme, with centerpieces of Fall leaves and chrysanthemums highlighting the luncheon tables and bouquets of Fall flowers gracing the head table and buffet table. The two bouquets were presented as door prizes and went to Mrs. J. A.

Nominations Listed For Toastmistress

Nominations for club offices for the January through June term of the Huntsville Toastmistress Club, presented at the last meeting by Mrs. Meme Warren, Chairman of the Nominating Committee, included: President, Mrs. Cora Carr Briskey; Vice-President, Mrs. Kenneth B. Waugh; Secretary, Mrs. Edith Nilssen; and Treasurer, Miss Corrie Knight.

Mrs. Peter Horne, Topicmistress, in keeping with the theme of "Harvest," led a discussion of the celebration of the harvest season in the various parts of the U.S. and other countries represented by members and guests.

Mrs. Donald Ackerman served as Toastmistress. With the exception of the book review scheduled for presentation by Mrs. C. R. Darnell, the evening's program had been arranged as a surprise farewell for Mrs. Darnell who will return this month to England, with her husband, Maj. C. R. Darnell, British Liaison Officer to the Arsenal. With brief presentation speeches, members conferred bon voyage souvenirs from various States on the guest of honor.

As a memento of her association with the group, Mrs. Darnell presented the Club with a cup to be used as a future award. The gift was accepted in the name of the club by the President, Mrs. Gervaise L. Wyss.

Mrs. Darnell, the present club treasurer, is a charter member of the local organization and plans to continue her affiliation with International Toastmistress Club upon her return to England. The Huntsville Club gift to Mrs. Darnell, a cup inscribed in recognition of her work in speaking and in public relations, was presented by Mrs. Wyss.

Guests included Mrs. Anthony Keech, Mrs. Henry Clifford, Mrs. John Caryi, Mrs. E. J. Des Laurier, and Mrs. R. B. Scarcy, an honorary member.

program — Mrs. Nathan Reiter, chairman, Mrs. Levy, Mrs. J. E. Devine, Mrs. D. A. Rich; food — Mrs. R. G. Shircliff, chairman, Mrs. L. P. Sims; decorations — Mrs. W. F. Kaiser, chairman, Mrs. C. G. Payne, Mrs. G. H. McBride.

Children's Christmas Party to Be Divided Into Four Groups

Division of the Annual Children's Christmas Party at Redstone Arsenal in four groups will be accomplished alphabetically, it was announced by the Christmas Party Committee this week.

Alphabetical division was chosen so that children from the same family could attend the same group and enjoy the fun together. The annual event is scheduled for December 22nd, with two parties to be held simultaneously at 10 a.m. and again at 2 p.m. utilizing the Rocket Auditorium and the Post Theater.

Exact division lines for the groups will be announced shortly. Dependents of all Arsenal military personnel ranging from infants in arms up through children 9 years of age are invited to attend. This includes those residing on and off post as well as NATO troops stationed at the Arsenal.

The Annual Children's Party is sponsored by the Special Projects Committee of the Arsenal's Joint Activities Council.

Bridge and Canasta Groups of Officers Wives Club Meet

The Redstone Arsenal Officers Wives Club Bridge and Canasta groups met Thursday (20 Nov.) for competition with the following results:

DUPLICATE Bridge, 5 tables, Howell movement, first, Mrs. R. M. McNamee, Jr. and Mrs. Frank Parker; second, Mrs. L. L. DeNoya and Mrs. Pierre Tisdale; third, Mrs. George Pickering and Mrs. Thomas Reed.

PARTY bridge, 6 tables, high Mrs. R. B. Love with 5490 points; second Mrs. J. P. Conway with 5080 points; third, Mrs. H. B. Finch with 4680 points; low Mrs. J. J. Desaulniers with 1450 points. Wives Club members interested in participating in Party Bridge should make reservations with Mrs. Fredrick Brown, JE 4-0905, by noon on Tuesday preceding play on Thursday. Party Bridge is played every Thursday beginning at 10 a. m. at the Squirrel Hill Officers Club.

CANASTA, three tables, high, Mrs. George L. Bittenbender; low, Mrs. E. R. Coogan. The Canasta group holds biweekly competi-

Madison Pike PTA Cake Sale 'Success'

The Madison Pike Elementary School PTA Cake Sale held last Thursday was a "huge success," officials of the PTA reported.

All cakes were sold, at both the Redstone Arsenal Main Post Exchange and at the school.

The PTA sponsors of the sale expressed appreciation to all who participated in the project, especially those who contributed cakes.

ABMA Engineer's Daughter Named Homecoming Queen

The 19-year-old daughter of an Army Ballistic Missile Agency engineer has recently been named 1958 Homecoming Queen of San Jose State College in California.

She is Miss Judy Allen, daughter of Henry Allen, who is employed in the Engineering Branch of the ABMA Industrial Division. She had also been named Homecoming Queen for the Air Force at Wiesbaden, Germany, in 1956.

Allen transferred from the San Francisco Ordnance District, Oakland, Calif., to Redstone Arsenal.

Children's Classes Set for Saturday

Classes for children in art, manual training, and sewing will start Saturday under sponsorship of the Pre-Teen Committee of the Redstone Arsenal Joint Activities Council.

Classes will be held in the old troop area, Bldgs. 3180 and 3182, beginning at 9:30 a.m. Transportation will be provided from Wherry, Capehart, MCA, Redstone Park, and Headquarters Circle, beginning at about 9 a.m. Off-post military dependents are eligible to attend, but must provide their own transportation. Tuition for the classes will be 25 cents, it was announced.

tion on Thursdays at the Squirrel Hill Officers Club. On December 4th the group will begin meeting at 10 a. m. and will have lunch at the club. For reservations call Mrs. Roy C. Roberts, ext. 7345, not later than Tuesday, Dec. 2.

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MRS. MARILYN CARBONI, concert pianist, played "Theme with Variations" by Paderewski and "Romance" by Schumann at the Army Ballistic Missile Agency Officers Wives luncheon held last week.

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ARMY KEY CIVILIAN SCIENTISTS MEET—Lt. Gen. Arthur G. Trudeau, Chief of Research and Development, Department of Army, is shown above (third from left) at the Army Ordnance Missile Command airstrip after he arrived for the 7th Annual Meeting of Army Key Civilian Scientists held at AOMC Nov. 18-20. From left to right are: Dr. Harold C. Weber, Chief Scientific Advisor to the Chief of R&D; Brig. Gen. J. M. Colby, Deputy Commander of AOMC; Gen. Trudeau; Dr. Gillford G. Quarles, Chief Scientist, AOMC; Dr. Richard A. Weiss, Scientific Advisor, Research Division, Office of the Chief of Staff, Army; and Brig. Gen. T. J. Conway, Office, Chief of R&D. Eighty scientists and top officers from Army technical services met to tour AOMC laboratory facilities, hold symposiums related to the Army R&D programs, and exchange information in fields of interest related to the Army R&D programs.



ROCKET 'SUBSCRIBER'—Two-year-old Kathy Roberts (above) can't read the Redstone Rocket yet, but she heartily "subscribes" to another useage for the paper—keeping the sun out of her eyes. A member of the VERY youngest generation of space enthusiasts, Kathy was looking out the window of her grandmother's Cocoa Beach, Fla., home, watching for a daytime missile firing at nearby Cape Canaveral, when her father snapped this photo. Kathy is the daughter of CWO and Mrs. O. M. Roberts; CWO Roberts is an instructor at Ft. Sill, Okla. They recently visited Kathy's grandmother, Mrs. Mildred V. Musil, who is a clerk-typist with the Supply Section, ABMA, Missile Firing Laboratory, at the Cape.

'Rapid Transit' Chess Tournament Is Held At Service Club

On Nov. 18, a "rapid transit" chess tournament was played at the Rocket Service Club.

The game was played at the rate of 10 seconds per move and the play was fast and furious.

The top scorers in the round-robin tournament were SP-4 Mike Schulman (9-0), Pfc. Basil Gordon (8-1), and Pfc. Bernie Werner (7-2).

These "rapid transit" tournaments will be played weekly on Tuesday evenings at 7 p. m. If you like chess, come on out and play an entire tournament in one evening. The winner of once of these weekly tournaments will be ineligible to claim first prize for the next two succeeding tournaments.

The final results of the tournament were as follows;

Capt. Grayson Tate Assigned to AOMC

Capt. Grayson D. Tate, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. G. D. Tate of Denver City, Tex., has been assigned with the Office of the Assistant Chief of Staff for Research and Development at the Army Ordnance Missile Command.

Capt. Tate heads the Office's Technical Intelligence Division. He was previously stationed at the Georgia Institute of Technology, Atlanta, Ga., where he

1. Mike Schulman 9-0
2. Basil Gordon 8-1
3. Bernie Weiner 8-2
4. Marvin Johnson 5-4
5. Bob Klein 4-5
6. Sorenson 4-5
7. Sol Weber 3-6
8. Fred Worth 2½-6½
9. Tony Kormilas 2½-6½
10. Burl Moss 0-9

completed his Master's degree in aeronautical engineering. He received his BS degree in 1950 from the U. S. Military Academy, West Point, N. Y.

Prior to his two-year tour of duty at Georgia Tech, he had served one year at Ft. Sill, Okla., and four years at Ft. Bliss, Tex.

Capt. Tate is a member of Sigma Tau, a national aeronautical engineering honor society, and the Institute of Aeronautical Sciences. He holds the Bronze Star and Purple Heart.

Capt. and Mrs. Tate have two children, Debra Eileen, age 6, and Randall Grayson, who is 5 years old. Mrs. Tate is the former Anne Hashagen, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hashagen of Darien, Conn.

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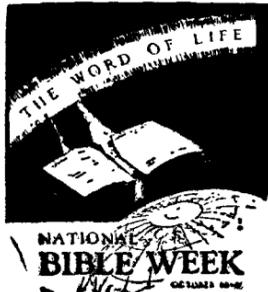
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ROCKET PIN-UP—This week's Rocket Pin-up is Miss Ivy Ward, a stenographer in the Jupiter Section of the Ordnance Guided Missile School. She's been working at Redstone Arsenal about six months, after attending Middle Tennessee State College. A native of Fayetteville, Tenn., Miss Ward now resides in Huntsville. (Photo by Hal Betch.)

Novelty Event Is Staged by Officers Wives Golf Group

Members of the Redstone Arsenal Officers Wives Club Golf Group enjoyed a novelty event on Wednesday (19 Nov.) following two weeks of tournament play which was completed this week.

Each player chose her four favorite clubs to be used in rotation around the nine-hole course and golf professionals would have looked with amazement on some of the trick shots displayed by the ladies in the matches.

Mrs. William Hahn displayed a sensational drive with the putter while Mrs. Reino Lehtonen always seemed to draw the number 2 wood for putting. Mrs. George Koebbe's best putts were accomplished with her 9 iron; Mrs. G. B. Daughton's fairway shot on number 5 with the 8 iron was hard to equal and Mrs.

H. H. Northington's favorite 2 wood was often seen chopping out of the rough.

Mrs. George Koebbe took first flight honors with her score of 49; Mrs. Fred O'Brien won the second flight with 58, and Mrs. R. L. Spragins took the third flight with a 72.

The group's monthly awards luncheon will be held at the Squirrel Hill Officers Club on Wednesday, Dec. 3, at 12:30, following nine holes of play at the Municipal Golf Course. The event will be a low gross, low net event with two prizes awarded in each flight.

Highlight of the luncheon will be the awarding of prizes to the champions and runners-up in the recent match play tournament.

All members of the Redstone Arsenal Officers Wives Club are invited to become members of the Golf Group. For information call Mrs. O. O. Roundy, JE 4-7851, or Mrs. H. H. Northington, ext. 8649.

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Hawks	22	6
Bohunks	19	9
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TEAM STANDINGS RSA MIXED LEAGUE 17 Nov. 1958

	Won	Lost
1. PeaPickers	48	15
2. Bombers	37	26
3. Pindroppers	35	28
4. BowlWeevils	33	30
5. Hi-Counts	29	34
6. HolyRollers	26	37
7. D-Yanks	25	38
8. Blind Mice	20	43
200 Games, Men: Rabinowitz 227, Walsh 200, Northington 201. 180 Games, Women: Rabinowitz 182, Roundy 182.		

RSA OFFICERS BOWLING LEAGUE

TEAM	WON	LOST	%
Hq.	21	7	.750
Kingpins	16	12	.572
Industrialists	15	13	.535
Medics	15	13	.535
Mechanics	14	14	.500
Slowburners	14	14	.500
Gutterdusters	10	18	.357
Post Signal	7	21	.250
High. Urban, Carver, 198 each Robinson 197. High Series: Knight 542, Walsh 512, Rabinowitz 510.			

RIFLE CHAMPS

The Det. B, USABMA, small bore rifle team recently won the Post Championship representing the RSA Troop Command. They were coached by Lt. Paul Brinkpeter. Pfc. Robert Clarkson placed second overall. They were presented trophies by Col. K. T. O'Keefe, Redstone Arsenal Commander.

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Monday thru Friday 0900-2200.
Saturday and Holidays 1000-2200.
Sunday 1200-2200
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Wednesday thru Friday 1400-1630 and 1730-2200.
Saturday and Holidays 0800-1630.
Sunday 1230-1930.
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Mon., Wed., and Sun., 1300-2300.
Tues., Thurs., Sat., Hol., 1000-2300.
Friday 0900-2300.
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Friday 1300-1600 temporarily 2000-2300.
Monday thru Thurs., 1745-2300.
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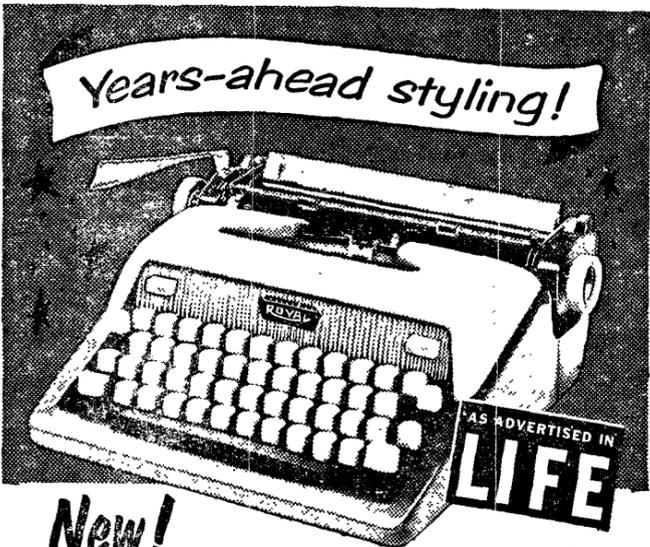
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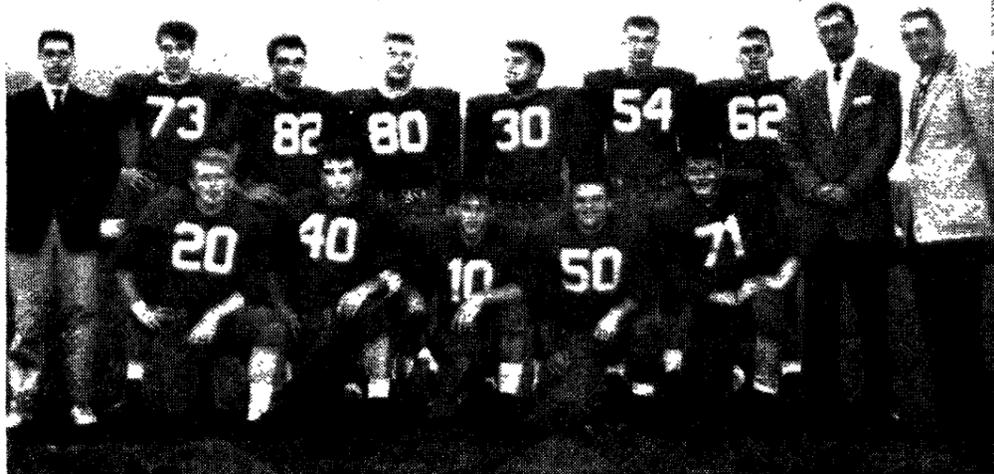
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REDSTONE GRID CHAMPS—Shown above are members of the team which recently won the championship in the Redstone Arsenal Unit-Level Six-Man Football League. Known as "Dabby's Rangers," the squad represents Hq. & Hq. Detachment, Garrison Troops. The nickname comes from their commanding officer, Capt. John P. Dabravalskas (extreme right). Kneeling, left to right, are Bill Carrayway, Victor Crowe, Dave Dalton, Barney Rae. Standing are Duke Stennett (manager), John Combs, Ted Gleason, Steve Roman, Galen Wahmeier, Ken Reading, Bobby Erwin, Douglas Spillum, Douglas Zitek (coach), and Capt. Dabravalskas.

ALL-POST FOOTBALL TEAMS NAMED

The following All-Post Unit-Level Six-Man Football Teams have been announced by the Redstone Arsenal Special Services Office, Sports Section. (Players were selected by the coaches and officials of the post's Unit-Level Six-Man Football League):

	FIRST TEAM	
Mc Clorey	"B" Det. ABMA	End
Uribe	291st MP Co.	End
Walhmier	Hq. & Hq. Det. USAG	Center
Monroe	"A" Det. OGMS	Halfback
Crow	Hq. & Hq. Det. USAG	Halfback
McNeil	"B" Det. OGMS	Quarterback
	SECOND TEAM	
Scott	2nd ETD	End
Erwin	Hq. & H. Det. USAG	End
Schmidt	"A" Det. OGMS	End
Cammeron	864th Air Force	Halfback
McIntyre	"B" Det. ABMA	Halfback
Moyer	"B" Det. ABMA	Quarterback

Thanksgiv'g Worship Services Scheduled At the Post Chapel

Thanksgiving Day will be fittingly observed at the Post Chapel tomorrow. Services for all Protestant and Catholic personnel and dependents have been planned.

A mass for those of Catholic faith will be held at 0900 hours. For those of Protestant faith a Thanksgiving service of worship will be held at 1030 hours. "These services provide an excellent opportunity for all of us to express our gratitude to Almighty God for the blessings He has bestowed upon us as individuals, as families, and as a nation," said Chaplain (Maj.) James H. Goewey, Post Chaplain. Let us gather together in His house on this day to render our thanksgiving."

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Saturday, 29 Nov., "Legion of the Doomed" starring Bill Williams. Time 1745 and 1945 hrs.

Sunday and Monday, 30 Nov. and 1 Dec., "Harry Black and the Tiger" starring Stewart Granger and Barbara Rush. Time, Sunday, 1400, 1745 and 1945 hrs. Time Monday 1315, 1745 and 1945 hrs.

Tuesday, 2 December, "Tom Thumb" starring Russ Tamblyn, June Tormburn and Alan Young. Time 1745 and 1945 hrs.

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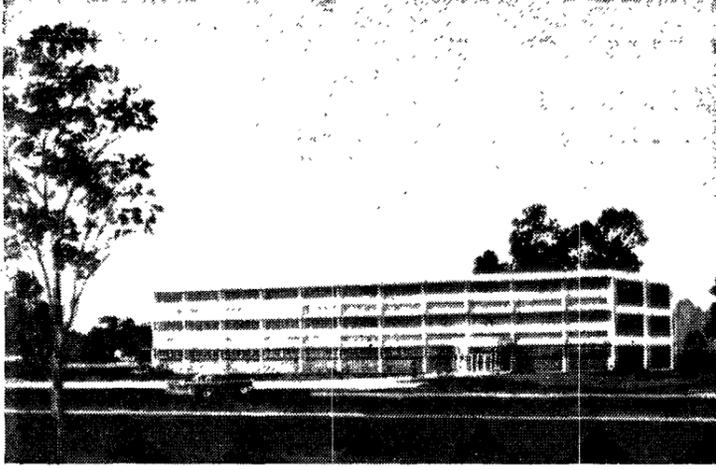
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Wednesday — 1845 hours — Chancel Choir rehearsal.

Thursday — Thanksgiving Day Service — 1030 hours.

Thursday, 1630 — Junior Choir rehearsal.

CHAPEL No. 2 — PROTESTANT

Friday — 1930 hours — Christian Science service.

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1800-1930 hours — Confessions

1000-1130 hours — Altar Boys class.

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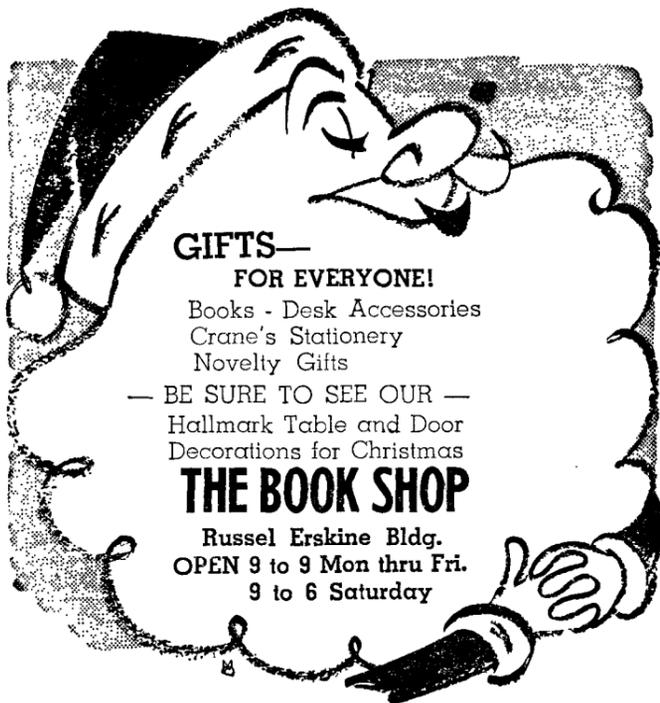
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ARGMA's Mechanized Engineering Documentation Breaks Bottleneck

BY STANLEY MORGAN
Of ARGMA Ind. Div.

When the Army's missile program began to expand so rapidly, there developed a serious bottleneck in the documentation which is necessary to support such a vast program.

Each part of every missile system—down to and including nuts, bolts, and screws—must be identified and described with drawings, diagrams, and specifications in such a manner that any manufacturer could duplicate the part if necessary.

Operational units must have the proper documentation in order to repair, service, and fire the missiles. Engineers are constantly referring to drawings in the design and improvement of missiles. It became the responsibility of the Army Rocket and Guided Missile Agency's Industrial Division to receive, check, record, reduce, distribute, and store these documents.

As the volume of drawings continued to grow, ARGMA began to search for a faster and cheaper method of storing and distributing them. It was decided by ARGMA, with approval by office Chief of Ordnance, that a combination of microfilm and electrical accounting machines would solve the problem. Two microfilm cameras were procured, the necessary machines rented, and the mechanized operation started.

Drawings are received from the contractors, checked for legibility, and microfilmed to reduce the size to 35mm film. This film is sent to outside contractors for developing and making of duplicate rolls, and returned. The film is placed in a viewer and EAM cards are punched with all the identifying information with the operator reading directly from the film. This card is used to reproduce as many duplicate cards as necessary. The film is then mounted directly to the cards with a mounting machine. At this point, the original drawing becomes an EAM card which can be sorted, reproduced, and filed with high-speed electrical accounting machines which results in a savings in handling cost, storage space, and reproduction cost. The microfilm may be reproduced and enlarged onto paper by a photographic or electrostatic process or the film may be viewed directly on a viewer enlarger. The microfilm cards may be reproduced directly on an automatic card-to-card machine if additional decks of cards are desired. This results in a highly flexible and compact system.

ARGMA has an automatic continuous electrostatic printer which reproduces the microfilm cards onto plain paper at a rate of 20 feet of finished drawings per minute. The printer automatically feeds and ejects the cards and will make as many copies of any one drawing as desired. This machine results in a big savings in cost of reproduction compared to the old manually fed photographic process.

ARGMA is negotiating to have all contractors microfilm the original drawings and all exchange of documents will be in the form of EAM card-mounted microfilm. Three contractors are establish-

ing facilities to make the change from paper to film and the others are scheduled in the near future. This will mean a uniform system throughout the Army missile program.

The microfilm system is being developed at a rapid pace. Suppliers are working overtime to produce cheaper, faster, and better quality machines for handling and reproducing the microfilm. It is the belief of ARGMA officials that there is no means for storing information more compact than microfilm, no method more convenient and flexible for handling information both manually and mechanically than EAM cards, and no cheaper way to reproduce drawings than using plain bond paper. ARGMA's microfilm system is a combination of all three systems.

ARGMA's Mechanized Data Project for Engineering Documentation is scheduled for completion Dec. 30, 1959.

It is estimated that savings will result as follows:

A. Faster service for copies of documentation (two days using

mechanized system, compared with 10 days using manual system.)

B. Reduction in cost for reproduction (400,000 copies per \$20,000 a month, compared with a cost of \$50,000.)

C. Reduce floor space required for storage of drawings (148 sq. feet, compared with 756 sq. feet.)

D. Reduction in personnel utilized in filing drawings (two people, compared with six.)

The above savings with exception of item B will be identical in the 12 areas scheduled to receive EAM-microfilm cards in lieu of full size copies of engineering documentation.

ARGMA, in addition to the EAM-microfilm card, has established other cards for maintaining accurate and up-to-date engineering records to air the Procurement Standardization and Engineering Program at the Agency.

The first microfilmed engineering drawing of ARGMA's operation was mounted into an EAM card in October, 1957. Since that date, 1,643,360 microfilm EAM aperture cards have been com-

Reservations Notice Given by Nursery

Reservations for the Post Nursery are necessary by 1200 hours the day preceding, Nursery officials have announced. Without reservations, children will be refused. Call ext. 8745 for reservations.

New hours for the nursery went into effect Monday, as follows: Monday through Thursday, 0800 to 1730; Friday, 0800 to 0130 Saturday; Saturday 0830 to 0130 Sunday.

Anyone interested in Nursery opening at 0730 or other changes in the schedule should call Mrs. Farrell, ext. 8147.

The Nursery will be closed tomorrow.

RSA Post Engineer Unit Collects Fund For Leukemia Victim

Personnel of the Redstone Arsenal Post Engineer Office have contributed \$278 to a fund to assist a PE employe whose four-year-old daughter is a victim of leukemia. Additional voluntary donations are expected this week, a PE spokesman said.

The Roads and Grounds Section of PE is conducting the solicitation among PE personnel for the benefit of Roy T. Casey, a laborer with the Section. His little daughter is named Deborah Janie.

Eighty dollars of the total was given by personnel of the RSA Fire Department, which is an element of the Post Engineer Office.

Parking Rules for Lot At Bl. 4505 Outlined

Parking in the parking lot adjacent to Bl. 4505, new AOMC Headquarters building, is restricted to front or "head-on" parking, it was announced by the AOMC Adjutant General's Office.

Backing into parking spaces creates a safety hazard and prohibits efficient use of walkways, it was pointed out.

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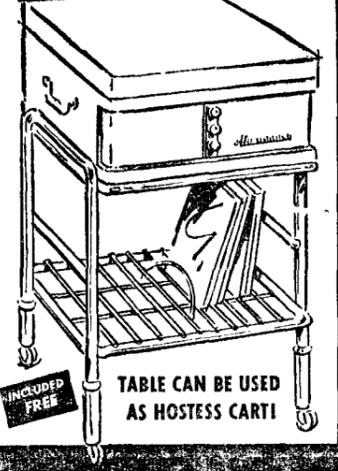
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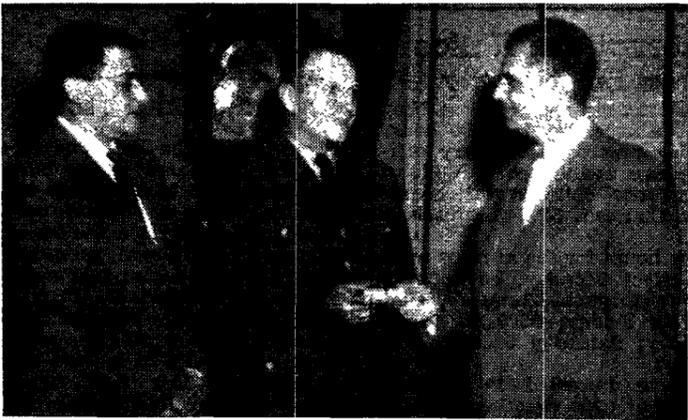


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SP4 JAMES SUTHERLAND (center) was recently named "Post Soldier of the Month" for September at Redstone Arsenal. He is shown above receiving a gift cigarette lighter from Nathan Porter (right) and Walter F. Eigenbrad, members of the Huntsville Kiwanis Club. SP4 Sutherland is a member of the 291st M.P. Co. at Redstone. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Sutherland of Whitby, Ontario, Canada.



Thomas E. Bateman
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Thomas E. Bateman 'Safe Worker of Week'

The "Safe Worker of the Week," announced by the RSA Safety Division, is Thomas E. Bateman, Metal Parts Inspector, Inspection Division, RSA Depot Operations.

Bateman was recommended by his supervisor, based on his 13 years of injury-free Civil Service experience. Most of this exper-

Safety Scoreboard

(As of Nov. 24)

Days since last civilian disabling injury—23.	Our goal	30
Days since last military disabling injury—5.	Our goal	30
Days since last contractor personnel disabling injury—28.	Our Goal	75
Days since last government vehicle accident—8.	Our Goal	30

ience has been in connection with work involving explosives or other hazardous material.

Bateman was born in Madison County, at Toney. He attended local schools, served several years in the Army, farmed some, then settled down to his career in government work. He is married to the former Alta Story, and they have two children, Lana Carol, 13, and a 1-year old son. They live at 2116 Woodview Drive, Huntsville.

Bateman is a sports enthusiast and enjoys following local baseball, football, and basketball teams. He also enjoys hunting and fishing.

He is presently assigned to the Thiokol operation in connection with propellant manufacture. He points out that in this type work,

Capt. Powalski Gets Hospital Assignment

Capt. Robert J. Powalski, son of Mr. and Mrs. Thaddeus D. Powalski of Buffalo, N. Y., has been assigned to the Post Hospital at Redstone Arsenal.

Capt. Powalski completed his Doctor of Medicine degree in 1954 at the University of Buffalo. He entered the Army in August, 1958.

Capt. and Mrs. Powalski have

CONARC Chief Sends Thanksgiving Message

On Thanksgiving Day, we Americans traditionally pause in the rush of everyday life to express our gratitude for the blessings we enjoy as a nation and as individuals. In doing so, we perpetuate a custom handed down from generation to generation for more than 300 years.

This year as world tensions increase, let us give thanks for the continued existence of our most cherished heritage—freedom. Let us seek guidance from God to maintain this freedom for our children and for all peoples of the earth.

To each of you, I send best wishes for a pleasant and meaningful Thanksgiving.

BRUCE C. CLARK
General USA
Commanding

especially, it is always important to be alert to all accident and fire possibilities because of the nature of the materials handled. Bateman says, "Keep your mind on the job always, and practically all accidents will be prevented."

two children, Karen Ann, age 3; Joan Ann McNamee, daughter of years and Robert J. Jr., 2 years; Mr. and Mrs. Albert McNamee of old. Mrs. Powalski is the former Mrs. Buffalo, N. Y.

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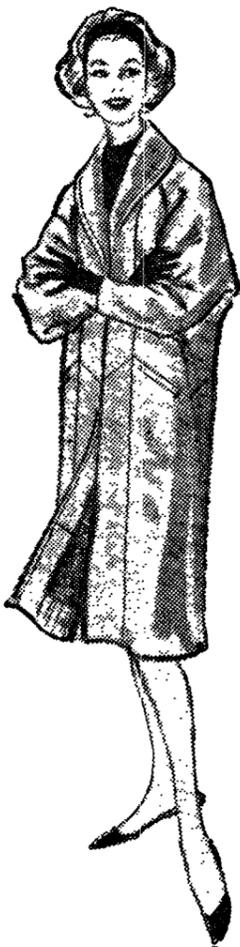
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Army Engineers Ask Bids on Work for ARGMA and Thiokol

Army Engineers have called for bids for the construction of additional developmental facilities for the U. S. Army Ordnance Missile Command at Redstone Arsenal.

Bids will be opened on Dec. 4 for the construction of the first increment of extensive facilities for the use of the Thiokol Chemical Corporation in performing development work on propellants for the Missile Command. The job will include the construction of two 2-story buildings of masonry unit construction on concrete slab, each with a floor area

of approximately 22,000 square feet; two 1-story buildings of masonry unit construction on concrete slab, each with a floor area of approximately 1,900 square feet; two earth-covered concrete bunkers, each containing about 350 square feet; two earth barricades; roadways and parking areas; fencing; and utilities.

Bids will be opened on Dec. 6 for the construction of a pre-flight evaluation laboratory for the use of the Army Rocket and Guided Missile Agency in performing operational and climatic environmental tests on rockets and missiles. The laboratory will be a one-story rectangular building about 86 feet wide and 267 feet long, with a partial basement. It will be of reinforced concrete construction with structural steel

framing, insulated for close temperature control. Interior partitions separating individual test cells will be of reinforced concrete. A 16-ton gantry crane will be constructed for use in moving the rockets and missiles.

Bids for both jobs will be opened at the Corps of Engineers office, 2301 Grant Street, Mobile, Ala., at 11 a. m., C. S. T., on the scheduled dates.

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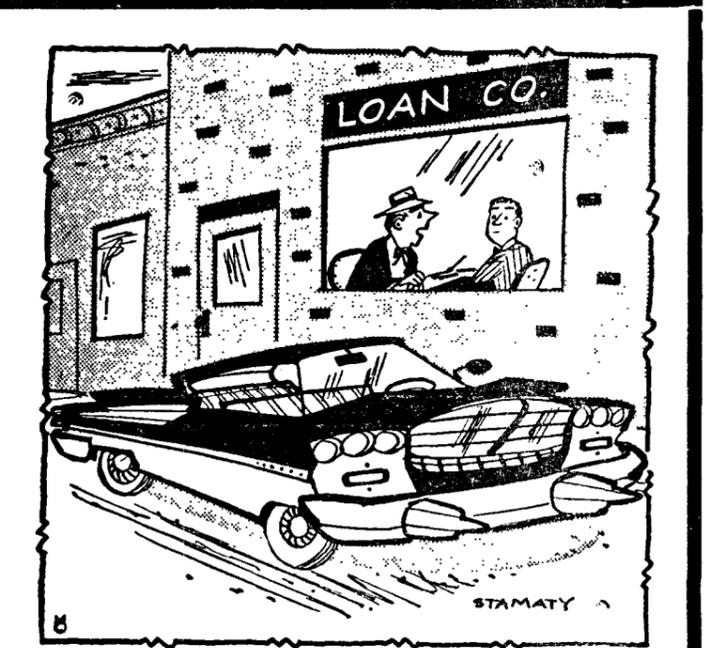
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Congratulations to the winners of last week's chess tournament. Mike Schulman was first place winner; Basil Gordon, 2nd; and Burnie Weiner 3rd. Mr. Stahlings was referee for the tournament, and William E. Gallucci was timer. Join in the fun at the next tournament on Tuesday night at 7 o'clock.

Another tournament? The Pool enthusiasts are also participating in a round of tournaments. Contact William E. Gallucci or the SC office if you are interested in participating in the tournaments.



Sgt. Buford D. Harrison
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Sgt. Harrison Named 'Safety Supervisor'

Game Warden, RSA Provost Marshal Office, has been recommended by his supervisors and selected by the RSA Safety Division as "Safety Supervisor of the Week" because of the job he has done supervising hunting and fishing within the Arsenal boundaries.

There has not been a single reportable injury under his supervision and this is the fifth season he has had the job.

Sgt. Harrison was born at Killen, Ala., and attended school there and at Rogersville. He took advantage of his 6' 4" height and played center on the basketball team. He entered military service in 1944, serving in Europe and the Far East. He feels he was lucky to have been sent to Germany, for it was there he met and married his wife Lora. (She is now an American citizen.) They reside at 2205 Walnut Street, Huntsville, and have three children, Caroline, 9, who attends Westlawn School; Sharon, 5; and Jerry, 4.

What does Sgt. Harrison do off the job? You guessed it - he is an ardent hunter and fisherman. His favorite game to hunt is quail, duck, and raccoon. He realizes too, that the interest he must show in safety on the job must go with him off the job. He has never had a serious injury while engaged in these sports activities.

Sgt. Harrison would also like to pass along encouragement to all military personnel who drive their automobiles, believing sincerely that it is a real tribute these days to be able to drive without accidents. He says "Just use horse sense in your sports and driving—Learn the rules and follow them."

Motorists can prevent trouble on expressways by staying in one lane as much as possible, says the Allstate Safety Crusade. Changing lanes at such high speeds presents a serious hazard unless proper signaling is done well in advance and traffic behind is checked thoroughly before turning.

The last word in automobiles frequently is "stop on it." There's usually one more pin in a new shirt than a man figures.

Have you made reservations for the CHILI SUPPER Friday night? Delicious Chili will be served at 6 and 7 o'clock and there will be a floor show following each supper. The floor show will be presented by the "FOOT-LIGHTERS" from Butler High School with Mrs. Lee Jernigan as director. They really have some excellent entertainment in store for us so don't miss it. Pick up your tickets today at the SC office.

We've got real good news. Our dancing instructor, Ray, has consented to instruct a Jitterbug class beginning January 7. The Beginners Fox Trot will be taught at 7:30; the Beginners' Tango at 8:15; and Beginners' Jitterbug class at 9 o'clock. We would like to sign up twenty (20) girls for the Jitterbug class. How about it girls????

Austin Roberts will start the SQUARE DANCE CLASS promptly at 7:30 Thursday night. GIRLS - GIRLS, please join us for the first "Duck for the Oyster".

Santa would like for you to assist with the repair of toys in the Service Club SANTA LAND. We have hundreds of toys that need attention before Christmas.

Spend your spare time repairing toys for the Huntsville Charities. The toys, tools, paints and supplies are available for you when you have time.

Norm Raffish and Al Daniels are spinning your favorite records every Sunday afternoon on the Disc Jockey Show from 1 until 2 o'clock. Join us and enjoy some of your favorite records.

A talent show will be presented following the Birthday Party Sunday evening at 8:30 p. m. The "Paragons" will furnish the music for the occasion. Two of the Junior Hostesses (Jo and Kathy) are going to make the Birthday cake. Don't miss the party and talent show.

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