

The Redstone Rocket

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'TALKING THROUGH THEIR HATS' — Missilemen at Redstone Arsenal try out Army Signal Corps' new helmet radio transceiver to investigate possible applications in missile field. Helmet, which weighs slightly less than one pound, provides two-way voice communication at range up to 500 yards and was developed primarily for combat infantry use. Literally "talking through their hats" to each other in photo above are Sgt. Marion A. Brazell (foreground) and Barry Moss. Missile is the giant Jupiter IRBM, developed by the Army Ballistic Missile Agency for operational deployment by the Air Force.



COL. OWEN T. McCLOSKEY

MAY 1

Law Day Events Slated on Post

Ceremonies in observance of Law Day are scheduled Friday, May 1, at Redstone Arsenal, with some 200 persons from five North Alabama counties expected to attend.

Law Day has been proclaimed by President Eisenhower, who urged "the reaffirmance of dedication to our form of government and the supremacy of law in our lives." The observance, the President added, is "to pay tribute to the rule of law between men."

This will be the first such observance at Redstone Arsenal.

Distinguished Guests

Among distinguished guests for the ceremonies will be J. Ed Livingston, Chief Justice, Supreme Court of Alabama; Brig. Gen. Robert H. McCaw, Assistant Judge Advocate General for Civil Law, Department of the Army; Elbert H. Parsons, Presiding Judge, 23rd Judicial Circuit of Alabama; and J. Russell McElroy, Presiding Judge, Jefferson County, Ala.

Invited to attend are members of the bar, judges, civic club presidents, and law enforcement officials from Madison, Jackson, Limestone, Marshall, and Morgan Counties; Huntsville Mayor R. B. Searcy; members of the Huntsville City Council and Madison County Board of Commissioners; all lawyers on duty at Redstone Arsenal; and key military and civilian officials of the post.

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Arsenal Goes on DST Next Sunday

Arsenal activities will be on Daylight Saving Time starting Sunday, April 26, post personnel are reminded. Clocks will be set forward one hour.

3 ARGMA CIVILIANS ALSO SERVE AS TROOP COMMANDERS OFF DUTY

Three civilian employees in one division of the Army Rocket and Guided Missile Agency spend their days to further the Army's missile program and much of their off-duty time as commanders training troops to be ready in emergencies.

The three, employees of the ARGMA Research and Development Division, are Jackson Balch, chief of the Control Office; Curtis Williams, chief of the Training Branch; and Wilber E. Fowler of the Education and Program Branch.

Balch and Fowler are National Guardsmen, while Williams is in the Naval Reserve. They are three of several hundred Army Ordnance Missile Command employees who are active in national reserve forces.

Commands 279th

Balch, a lieutenant colonel, commands the 279th Anti-Aircraft Battalion whose troops are drawn from Huntsville and Decatur. The commander is a native of Huntsville and has been employed in Army rocket and

missile work at Redstone for six years.

He has completed 20 years of service on active duty in the Army and as a National Guardsman. Balch's organization has a strength of 402 officers and enlisted men. Its history goes back to World War II and formation during the Aleutian Islands campaign.

With such a large outfit, 279th segments have to alternate their meetings at the Patton Street Armory.

Irish Graduate

In spite of exposure to a Southern accent almost all of his life, Balch's speech is sometimes mistaken for the clipped precision of the British. There is a good reason. He graduated from the University of Dublin, Ireland.

Williams, the Navy man in the trio, is a lieutenant commander. He commands the Electronics Battalion 6-30, one of the three battalions which meet at the Huntsville Naval Reserve Center. As an extra duty, Williams serves (See 3 ARGMA on Page 2)

Col. O'Keefe Reassigned; McCloskey to Head RSA

REDSTONE CHIEF WILL TAKE NEW POST IN N. Y.

Col. Keith T. O'Keefe, Commander of Redstone Arsenal, has received assignment to a new position as Chief of the U. S. Army Overseas Supply Agency, New York City, it was announced by Maj. Gen. J. B. Medaris, Commanding General of the Army Ordnance Missile Command.

Upon Col. O'Keefe's departure, Col. Owen T. McCloskey will assume command of the installation which is the headquarters site for, and an organizational element of, the AOMC. Col. McCloskey is presently Deputy Commander of Redstone.

Col. O'Keefe, who has been at Redstone since August, 1956, will begin his new assignment May 15. He expects to leave here about May 11. Col. O'Keefe became Redstone Commander in March, 1958, after previously serving as Deputy Commander. He came here from Lordstown Ordnance Depot, Warren, Ohio, where he was commanding officer.

Largest Such Agency

The Army Overseas Supply Agency which he will head is the largest of three such agencies, others being located in New Orleans and San Francisco. Its mission is "to assure timely provision of adequate quantities of authorized supplies to overseas commands." It is an element of the Office of the Deputy Chief of (See COL. O'KEEFE on Page 3)



COL. KEITH T. O'KEEFE

RESERVE OFFICERS ASSOCIATION WILL HONOR MEDARIS

The Alabama Department of the Reserve Officers Association of the U. S. will present a plaque to Maj. Gen. J. B. Medaris, Commanding General of the Army Ordnance Missile Command, on Tuesday, April 28, for "his outstanding efforts in support of the national defense program."

The presentation will be made by Lt. Col. (USAR) William J. White, State President of the Alabama Department, at a luncheon meeting of the Huntsville Chapter of ROA at the Redstone Arsenal Officers Club.

Gen. Medaris is a past president of the Cincinnati Chapter of ROA.

Following presentation of the plaque to Gen. Medaris, installation of new officers of the Huntsville Chapter will be held. Installing officer will be Lt. Col. (USAR) Pete Redding of Huntsville, who is immediate past president (See RESERVE on Page 2)

Sen. Martin of Iowa Is Visitor to Arsenal

(Photo Inside)

Sen. Thomas E. Martin (R-Iowa), a member of the Senate Aeronautical and Space Sciences Committee, was a guest of the Army Ordnance Missile Command last week for an orientation tour.

The senator arrived at the Redstone Arsenal Airstrip April 14, where he was met by Brig. Gen. J. M. Colby, AOMC's Deputy Commanding General, who is a native of Lake Mills, Iowa.

Following luncheon with the general, Senator Martin received (See SEN. MARTIN on Page 3)



FIRST GERMAN MISSILE UNITS—The first four missile units of the new West German Air Force are shown here being formally activated at the Ordnance Guided Missile School after more than a year of training on the Nike-Hercules air defense missile. Here Capt. Werner Kothe, German Liaison Officer, has presented the flag of West German Republic to Maj. Heinz J. Casper, commander of the new units. Activation of the German units brings to an even dozen the number of North Atlantic Treaty Organization missile units formed at the Redstone "Space Academy." These are believed to be the first Allied military units to be formally organized on U. S. soil since the first World War.

AUSA Membership Drive on

A campaign to enroll members in the Tennessee Valley Chapter of the Association of the U. S. Army got underway today at Redstone Arsenal and in Huntsville.

Walter Linde, Huntsville businessman, has been named as membership drive chairman. On the Arsenal, the drive is to be coordinated by Capt. D. L. Voorhees, RSA Adjutant, with representatives appointed for each agency.

Linde said it is hoped that at least 1,000 memberships will be obtained on the post, from among military, Civil Service, and contractor personnel.

Huntsville civic club leaders and chairman of professional societies met yesterday at the Chamber of Commerce office for a planning session on the drive. Veterans organizations and National Guard units have also been asked to join in organizing the drive.

At Brown Engineering Co., arrangements are being made for employees to pay membership fees on a payroll deduction plan.

Tennessee Valley mayors who form the chapter's executive committee are to be asked to conduct drives in their cities. Huntsville Mayor R. B. Searcy is president of the chapter, which was approved last month for a charter with 77 members. Membership is now about 200.

The primary function of the Tennessee Valley Chapter is to serve as a means whereby civilian employees and military personnel of all ranks, branches and components may:

- Meet to discuss problems of national defense,
- Unite their efforts toward a more effective national defense,
- Attend sessions in which qualified speakers and helpful instructional media are presented

864th Redesignated Hq., SAC, Announces

Headquarters, Strategic Air Command, has announced that the 864 Strategic Missile Squadron (IRBM-Jupiter), has been redesignated the 864th Technical Training Squadron. The change was effective April 15.

The 864 is commanded by Col. William C. Erlenbusch.

The Redstone Rocket

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ved as the Training Center commander for more than a year. For his work with Reserves, he has received a commendation from the Sixth Naval District Commander.

At the Top

Every month the Reserves in a district are evaluated by numerical ratings. The Huntsville Naval Reserve men have remained in the top five percent for nearly a year.

Ninety-five percent of the Naval Reserve personnel are employed at the Army Ordnance Missile Command or the Ordnance Guided Missile School at Redstone. ARGMA is an element of the Missile Command.

Williams, also a native of Huntsville, had considerable Navy sea duty during World War II.

Commands 513th

The third member of this ARGMA trio is Wilber Fowler, a major who commands the 513th Field Artillery Battalion's Headquarters and Headquarters Company at Arab, Ala.

Fowler's organization draws its strength from Company A at Albertville; Company B at Guntersville; and Company C at Hanceville. The battalion also includes its own medical unit.

At work at Redstone, Fowler and Williams, have the responsibility of planning training efforts at ARGMA's Research and Development Division. Both men were originally attached to the Civilian Personnel Office, but as the R&D program expanded they were permanently assigned to that Division.

'Island-Hopping'

During World War II, Fowler spent 32 months in the Pacific campaign, "island-hopping" with the advancing American troops. He was recalled for two more years of active duty with the American forces in Korea.

Fowler is a native of Arab, and a graduate of Jacksonville State College, Jacksonville, Ala.

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i. To assist in informing the members of the Association and the public of the development of the United States Army and to keep them abreast of new accomplishments by the army.

j. To promote and perpetuate those Army and unit traditions that contribute to "Esprit De Corps" and performance of duty.

k. To preserve and foster the spirit of fellowship among former, present and future members of the United States Army and the Association of the United States Army and provide an organization through which they may unite in bonds of comradeship.

l. To commemorate the memory of soldiers who gave their lives in the service of their coun-



SCHOLARSHIP CHECKS GIVEN—Former Secretary of the Navy Dan E. Kimball, right looks on as Robert W. Cuthill, fourth from right, president of the Tennessee Valley Post of the American Ordnance Association, receives checks representing two \$5,000 college scholarships to be awarded by the Brown Engineering Co. and the Human Resources Foundation, Inc., both of Huntsville, and administered by the local AOA post. Presenting these scholarship checks at the post's spring dinner meeting Friday night is Milton K. Cummings, president of Brown Engineering, and motivating leader in the Foundation. Kimball, Navy Secretary for 1951 to 1953 and now president of the Aerojet General Corp. in California, was principal speaker at the dinner. Cuthill is chief engineer at Headquarters, AOMC. Members of the scholarship committee which will screen applicants include, left to right, Dr. Eleanor Hutchins, Mrs. Addison White, Dr. William Johnson, A. J. Yunker, Jr., and John Blackburn.

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m. To publish a professional military magazine devoted to the dissemination of information and ideas relating to the military art and science representing the interests of the entire Army.

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e. SUSTAINING MEMBERSHIP

—Any organization, corporation, business, or firm which supports the aims of the Association.

Membership fees are \$5 per year, \$9 for two years, or \$12 for three years. Current members in the Association of the United States Army whose membership will soon expire may renew their membership through the Tennessee Valley Chapter. Personnel desirous of becoming members may obtain application blanks by calling Capt. D. L. Voorhees, ext. 3816, or are invited to remit their membership fee along with their name, mailing address and home telephone number as well as information as to whether it is a new or renewal membership to Capt. Voorhees, Adjutant, Redstone Arsenal, Bldg. 7101, Redstone Arsenal. Checks may be made payable to the Tennessee Valley Chapter of AUSA.



RANKIN RECEIVES AOA SCROLL—Col. Calvin A. Heath (right), Chief, ABMA Industrial Division, presents American Ordnance Association Past President Scroll to M. F. Rankin, outgoing president of the Tennessee Valley Post, AOA, at post's Spring dinner meeting Friday night.

Reserve

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of the Alabama Department. A ROA chapter president's key will also be presented to Lt. Comdr. (USNR) John H. Graham, outgoing Huntsville president.

Among distinguished guests at the meeting will be Col. (USAR) Horace Hanson, of Birmingham, a member of the ROA National Council, and Col. (USAR) Albert F. DeFuniak, also of Birmingham, a past president of the Alabama Department.

Program committee members for the meeting are Redding, Lt. Col. (USAR) Walter E. Swarthout, and Lt. Col. (USAR) Martin Phillips.

Chapter President Graham pointed out that chapter meetings are usually held on the third Friday of each month, and that the date has been changed to Tuesday for this meeting only.

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A GROUP OF IOWANS are shown at a dinner given at the Redstone Arsenal Officers Club April 14 in honor of Sen. Thomas E. Martin, visiting member of the Senate Aeronautical and Space Sciences Committee. Left to right, standing, are: Lt. Loren A. Gross of West Union; Mrs. J. M. Colby, wife of Gen. Colby; Sen. Martin; Mrs. Clarence C. Haug; Gen. Colby of Lake Mills, Ia.; Col. Haug of Spillville, Ia.; and Chaplain (Maj.) John A. Zwack of Dubuque. Sitting are, left to right: Warrant Officer Donald L. Davis of Bayard; Mrs. Shirley C. Jacobs; and Capt. Jacobs of Downey. The hosts are all stationed at Redstone Arsenal.

Sen. Martin

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briefings in the AOMC Control Room on subjects including AOMC management philosophy, Army support to the national space program, propulsion, guidance and control, and supporting research.

Following the briefings, Sen. Martin toured facilities of the Command including ABMA's Fabrication and Engineering Assembly Lab, Guidance and Control Lab, and Structures and Mechanics Lab.

Sen. Martin was guest of honor at a dinner party that night at the Redstone Arsenal Officers Club. Gen. Colby was host, and guests included a number of fellow Iowans now stationed at Redstone. These included: Col. and Mrs. William J. Durrenberger (she is from Des Moines); Col. and Mrs. Clarence C. Haug of Spillville; Chaplain (Maj.) John A. Zwack of Dubuque; Capt. and Mrs. Shirley C. Jacobs of Downey; Lt. Loren A. Gross of West Union; and Warrant Officer Donald L. Davis of Bayard.

Another guest at the dinner was Brig. Gen. George W. White, Commander of the Ordnance Training Command, Aberdeen Proving Ground, Md., who was also a visitor to the Arsenal last week.

Wednesday, Sen. Martin toured the ABMA Test Lab where giant rocket motors are static-fired.

The senator departed from the Redstone Airstrip Wednesday.

READ THE WANTADS

COL. O'KEEFE

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Staff for Logistics, Department of Army, headed by Lt. Gen. Carter B. Magruder.

Col. O'Keefe, a native of New York City, holds engineering degrees from the City College of New York and Brooklyn Polytechnic Institute. He is also a 1954 graduate of the Army War College.

His successor, Col. McCloskey, has served as Deputy Commander since his arrival here in May, 1958, from Ft. Benning, Ga., where he was Ordnance Officer in the U. S. Army Infantry Center. He is a graduate of Aquinas College and Ohio State University, both located in his hometown of Columbus. He received a Bachelor of Science degree in business administration at Ohio State. He also received a Master of Arts degree in foreign affairs at George Washington University, Washington, D. C.

In Service Since 1940

Col. McCloskey is a graduate of the Command and General Staff College at Ft. Leavenworth, Kan., and the Armed Forces Staff College at Norfolk, Va. He became a member of the Armed Forces in 1940 and has served in many states of the Union as well as England, France, and Belgium. He is entitled to wear the Bronze Star Medal and Order of King Leopold II of Belgium.

The outgoing Redstone Commander, Col. O'Keefe, is a veteran of 18 years in the Army, serving in many countries outside the U. S. His assignments include: director of technical training,

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Law Day ceremonies will get underway at 10 a.m. at the Arsenal's Rocket Auditorium, with a reception for distinguished guests and members of the Madison County Bar Association. An exhibit of missiles and law literature will also be held.

Law Day Program

The Law Day program will begin at 11 a.m. with presentation of colors by a color guard, followed by singing of the National Anthem by the Huntsville High School Chorus. Invocation will be by the Rev. A. Emile Joffrion, Rector of the Episcopal Church of the Nativity, Huntsville.

A welcome address will be given by Maj. Gen. J. B. Medaris, Commanding General of the Army Ordnance Missile Command. Response will be by M. H. Lanier, Jr., immediate past president of the Madison County Bar Association. Following presentation of distinguished guests, addresses will be given by Judge Parsons and Chief Justice Livingston. The program will close with benediction by Chaplain (Maj.) James H. Goewey, Redstone Post Chaplain.

Chairman of the program will be Lt. Col. Morton S. Jaffe, Command Staff Judge Advocate, AOMC.

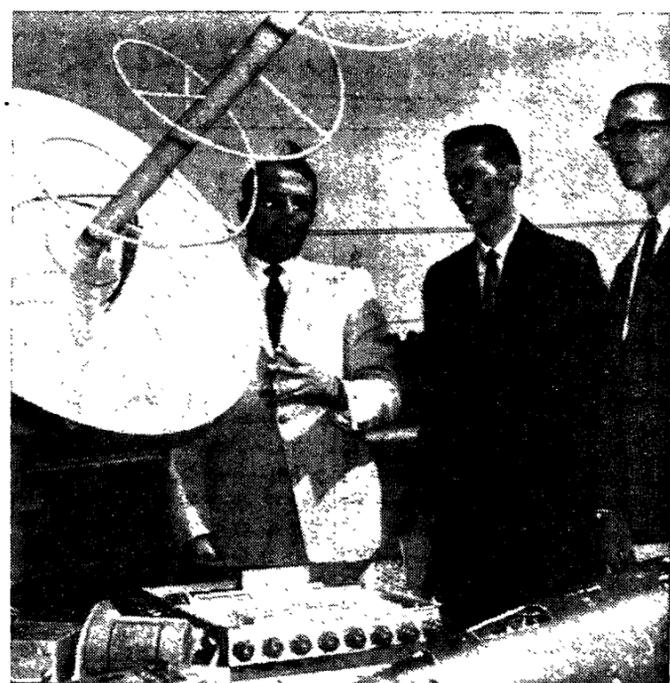
Luncheon Set

Following the Rocket Auditorium program, a luncheon will be held at the Redstone Officers Club. The speaker will be Judge McElroy. Chairman will be Douglas C. Martinson, president of the

Ordnance School, Aberdeen Proving Ground, Md.; director of maintenance, Red River Arsenal, Texas; commanding officer, 85th Ordnance Base Depot (Italy); chief ordnance officer, Mediterranean Theater; chief of ordnance section, U. S. delegation to the North Atlantic Council (London and Paris); and a member of the Procurement Division, Department of the Army general staff.

Among his decorations are the Bronze Star, Commendation Ribbon, Crown of Italy, and Italian War Cross of Merit. During his stay in Huntsville, the colonel has been a member of the local Rotary Club and a charter member of the recently organized Tennessee Valley Chapter of the Association of the U. S. Army.

Col. O'Keefe is married to the former Miss Marguerite Hall of London, England, and the couple has five children. At his new assignment, they expect to reside at Ft. Hamilton, N. Y.



IRE STUDENT MEMBERS VISIT—Student members of the Institute of Radio Engineers from the University of Alabama, Mississippi State, and Vanderbilt toured Redstone Arsenal last week. Shown above, inspecting a helical telemetry antenna at ARGMA's Range 5 are (left to right) John Weimer, Chief, Telemetry Section, Instrument Development Branch, Test and Evaluation Laboratory, Ordnance Missile Laboratories Division, ARGMA; Kenneth Ledlow, chairman, Student Branch, IRE, Mississippi State University; and William W. Clements, chairman, Student Branch, IRE, University of Alabama.

Lt. Swenson Assigned To Control Unit

First Lieutenant Donald A. Swenson has been assigned with the Control Office at the Army Ballistic Missile Agency. Lt. Swenson is serving with the Control Office's Research and Development Liaison Branch.

Prior to his assignment at the Army Ballistic Missile Agency, Lt. Swenson was a student at the Signal School, Ft. Monmouth, N. J. He received his BS degree in physics from the University of Alabama in 1953 and his PhD in physics from the University of Minnesota in 1958. Prior to entering active Army duty in December 1958, he was employed as a scientist with Midwestern Universities Research Association at Madison, Wisc. He is a member of the American Physical Society and the American Institute of

Madison County Bar Association. After lunch, a tour of the Army Ballistic Missile Agency facilities is scheduled.

Members of the Law Day Committee in charge of arrangements for the Arsenal observance include Martinson, J. Robert Miller, and W. H. Griffin, Huntsville lawyers, and Col. Jaffe.

Physics. He attended Huntsville High School from 1943 until 1945 and was graduated from DeKalb County High School at Fort Payne in 1949.

Lt. and Mrs. Swenson are residing in Huntsville. They have one daughter, Nancy Lynn, who is three years old.

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Joe: "Then why are you shaking?"

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"Impression of Washington in the Spring," created by Bill Hudley, 28th Ordnance Platoon, was the theme for our dance on April 14 with Little Johnny Beecher's Orchestra playing. Approximately 250 people attended the dance. The Birmingham and Huntsville Junior Hostesses were present.

Did you hear the CRASH in the game room on Thursday night? Eight men competed in the Pool Tournament. Pvt. Larry Di Luncardi won the tourney.

You SQUARE DANCERS take note! Fred Goodner and his wife from Chattanooga will call the big square dance on Thursday, April 23, starting at 8:00 p.m.

To take advantage of the nice spring weather, we're off to Cullman to the Ave Maria Grotto on Sunday, April 26. We leave from the Service Club at 1:30 p.m. The Service Club is furnishing a picnic supper.

ATTENTION! GIRLS! Don't forget our Huntsville Junior Hostess Meeting on Monday, April 27, at 7:30 p.m. These meetings will be held every fourth Monday in the month at 7:30 p.m. Bring your ideas for our monthly program for May.

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ABMA Foreman's Club Organizational Dinner Meet May 1

"The boys are really interested and we are moving fast on the formation of our club," according to Stephen Little, ABMA Fabrication & Assembly Engineering Laboratory, temporary chairman of the planned ABMA Foremen's Club. All of some 160 Wage Board Supervisors of the Agency have been invited to an organizational dinner meeting on May 1 at 7 p.m. at the VFW Club on Memorial Parkway.

Little reported that a second meeting had been held with representative from all segments in which Board Supervisors are working. Final plans for the dinner meeting were approved during this meeting. Present at the meeting were William Buttram, Structures and Mechanics Lab.; Jack Conn, Systems Analysis & Reliability Lab.; Ben Curtis, Test Lab.; S. E. Land, Tech. Materials & Equipment Branch; William Linstead, Guidance & Control Lab.; Gordon Stephens, Systems Support Equipment Lab.; Carl Walker, Aeroballistics Lab.

Little expressed particular appreciation for the fact that Wage Board Supervisors of the Missile Firing Laboratory are showing an active interest in the club even though they are working 700 miles away from Huntsville at Cape Canaveral. The laboratory is represented by Miles Hollingsworth.

Plans for the meeting on May 1 include a presentation on the purpose and potential of the club as well as the formation of committees necessary for the organizational phase of the Foremen's Club.

Mrs. Raymon Dotson Feted at Luncheon

Mrs. Raymon Dotson was entertained last Wednesday by her friends of the International Women's Club with a luncheon at the Squirrel Hill Officers Club.

Mrs. Smith A. Dawson and Mrs. J. V. Fill were hostesses for the event with 12 ladies attending. Mrs. Dotson will leave for Belgium at the end of the month.

mingham on May 2. The bus leaves from the Service Club on Saturday, May 2, at 4:30 p.m. We will dance at the Birmingham Y.M.C.A. with the Junior Hostesses.

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To contribute to the Redstone Rocket, call Mrs. Thrower, ext. 3248. To contribute to the Huntsville Times, call Mrs. Laxson, JE 2-2411.

Col. Jaffe Heads Madison Pike PTA

In a meeting of the Madison Pike PTA last week Lt. Col. Morton S. Jaffe, Army Ordnance Missile Command Staff Judge Advocate, was elected and installed president of the Madison Pike PTA for the 1959-1960 school year.

Other officers elected were Lt. Col. N. I. Reiter, Jr., first vice-president; Master Sergeant Louis Scharnberg, second vice-president; Alex Keith, secretary; and Mrs. O. D. Street, treasurer. The new officers were installed by Homer Crim, Principal of Butler High School.

The meeting was opened with Girl Scout Troop 193 (sponsored by Madison Pike School) presenting the flag. The Rev. Cecil O'Rear, pastor of the West Huntsville Baptist Church, gave the devotion.

Mrs. Hodges' first grade and Mrs. Morris' third grade tied for room count for the lower grades with Mrs. Duncan's fifth grade winning room count for the upper grades.

Refreshments were furnished by Room Mothers of the third grades.

Technical Writers Group Sets Meeting

The first meeting of the Huntsville Chapter of the Society of Technical Writers and Editors will be held at 7:30 p.m. tomorrow at the AMVets Club, South Memorial Parkway in Huntsville.

This meeting is for the purpose of getting the Chapter started by electing a slate of officers.

By attending this first meeting members will be instrumental in starting the Chapter off properly, it was pointed out by the group's steering committee.

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Lauderdale County Hi Alumni Event Set

Arsenal personnel who are alumni of Lauderdale County High School at Rogersville, Ala., are invited to attend an Alumni Banquet at 7:30 p.m. May 2 at the school cafeteria. Speaker will be Harlon Hill, LCHS alumnus now a member of the Chicago Bears professional team.

Tickets at \$1.50 each, may be obtained at the East Lauderdale Banking Co., the Post Office, and McKee's Store in Rogersville, through April 30.

Redstone Sojourners Set Dinner Meeting

A business meeting and a buffet supper will be held by Redstone Chapter of National Sojourners at the Squirrel Hill Officers Club at 7 p.m. Friday, 1 May. The social hour will be between 6:30 and 7.

A report on the project for obtaining a Sojourner Flag will be made. A social events program of the Chapter will also be discussed, according to Maj. L. H. Townsend, president of the Chapter. The revised constitution and by-laws will be voted upon.

Sojourners expecting to attend should make reservations with George Buyske, ext. 4144, or Eugene Allen, ext. 5680.

WANTADS GET RESULTS

Masons Will Plan Forming New Lodge

A second meeting is planned for all Master Masons in the Huntsville-Madison County area who are interested in the formation of a new Blue Lodge. The meeting will be held Friday, 24 April, at 7:30 p.m. at the W.O.W. Hall on Humes Ave. N.E., a few blocks away from Five Points East. Organizational, business, and membership activities will be on the agenda.

Art Exhibition Set At Officers Club

An art exhibition by the art group of the Redstone Arsenal Officers Wives Club will be held this week beginning Thursday afternoon April 23, and continuing through Friday and Saturday.

The art work will be on display at the Squirrel Hill Officers Club. All interested persons are invited to the exhibition.

BRIDGE RESULTS

Results of party bridge competition Monday night, April 14, at the Officers Club, were as follows:

Women: high, Mrs. George Pickering, with one of the highest scores ever made in the party bridge competition — 9,000, second, Mrs. George Middleton; low, Mrs. Bob Kirk.

Men: high, Fred Ellis; second, Capt. Hugh Carmichael; low, Capt. George Pickering.



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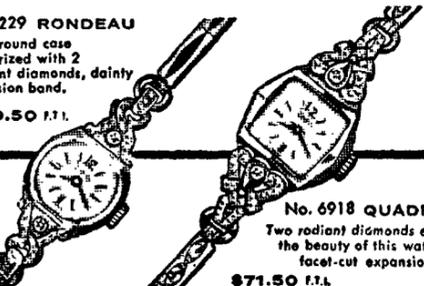
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RESERVISTS HONORED—Col. William J. White (USAR) (right, foreground), president of the Department of Alabama Reserve Officers Association, presents a certificate to Lt. Comdr. James G. Goodwin (USNR), commanding officer of the U. S. Naval Reserve Electronics Division 6-31, Huntsville, citing the unit for having 100 per cent membership in the ROA. Looking on, left to right, are following members of the Reserve unit: Lt. Comdr. J. J. McDermott, Lt. M. W. Shettles, Lt. (JG) J. B. Collier, Lt. W. L. Howard, Lt. E. A. Platt, Lt. R. J. Vance, Lt. R. V. Callahan, and Lt. Comdr. J. H. Graham. Graham is president of the Huntsville ROA chapter. NRED 6-31 was the first naval unit in the state to attain 100 per cent ROA membership. Last October, an Army unit in Huntsville—the 96th Chemical Group, commanded by Col. William C. Benton—received a similar citation.

Astronomical Assn. Will Hear Ferdie

Ronald Ferdie, co-secretary of the Rocket City Astronomical Association, will be the principal speaker for the Association's monthly meeting Wednesday, April 29, at 8 p.m. in the small auditorium of Huntsville High School. His topic will be "Principals of Astronomical Spectroscopy." Ferdie is an employee of Chrysler Corp., assigned to ABMA's Guidance and Control Laboratory. Future plans will be discussed at the meeting, including organization of an astronics section and opening of the Association's observatory to the public at regular periods.

170 Officers Wives Meet for Coffee

One hundred and seventy newcomers and members of the Redstone Arsenal Officers Wives Club met April 14 for coffee at the Squirrel Hill Officers Club. The get-together was sponsored for the entire club membership by the Arsenal's Air Force wives. The main table was decorated with a bouquet of spring flowers, including tulips, iris, and snapdragons. On each side of the bouquet were colorful, miniature paper umbrellas carrying out the spring theme. The respective chairmen for the club's more than a dozen activities were present to solicit interest and participation from the attending newcomers. Represented activities included gardening, arts and crafts, swimming, bowling, golf, bridge, sewing, art, Red Cross, thrift shop, teen-age club, Scouts, and fund raising. Chairman for the coffee was Mrs. H. G. MacDonald. She was assisted by: decorations, Mrs. E.

BRIDGE RESULTS
The Redstone Arsenal Officers Wives Bridge Group met last Thursday for weekly competition with the following results:
Duplicate bridge: 5 tables, Howell movement, first, Mrs. R. W. McNamee, Jr. and Mrs. Bruce Pierce; second, Mrs. Thomas Reed and Mrs. Ellwyn Reed; third, Mrs. H. J. Finch and Mrs. W. A. Conway.
Party Bridge: five tables, first, Mrs. Elwood J. Heni; second, Mrs. Victor Pianta; third, Mrs. Walter Dermatis; low, Mrs. Ralph J. Brown.

"The surest way to double your money," says Jack Benny, "is to fold it over and put it back in your pocket."

J. Kelly, Mrs. W. W. Fleming; food, Mrs. R. W. DeBolt, Mrs. G. W. Kenyon; name tags and door prize, Mrs. W. T. Anderson and Mrs. Leon Stann; telephoning, Mrs. S. W. White.
Pouring for the coffee were: Mrs. J. M. Colby, Mrs. J. A. Barclay, Mrs. K. T. O'Keefe, Mrs. T. J. Seigler, Mrs. R. O. Lehtonen, Mrs. M. R. Collins, and Mrs. F. E. Napper.
The main table bouquet was offered as door prize and went to Mrs. F. C. Gotham.

Safety Scoreboard
(As of 20 April)

Days since last civilian disabling injury	11
Our goal	60
Days since last military disabling injury	24
Our goal	30
Days since last contractor personnel disabling injury	26
Our goal	50
Days since last government motor vehicle accident	3
Our goal	30

DRIVING RECORD
(Government Vehicles (As of 20 April))

Organization	No. Accidents (1959)	Days Since Last MV Accident
Transportation Div. (RSA)	4	17
Post Engineer Div. (RSA)	9	2
Provost Marshal Div. (RSA)	5	7
Depot Operations (RSA)	8	3
All other RSA	1	63
Thiokol (ARGMA)	2	44
All other ARGMA	3	3
OGMS	9	3
ABMA	4	4

Every soldier snapped to attention when the major entered the mess hall except the new recruit cook.

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'Long and Short' Tournament Held By Ladies Golf Group

Twenty-two members of the Redstone Arsenal Officers Wives Golf Group participated in a "long and short" tournament held Wednesday morning, April 15, at the Municipal Golf Course.

Mrs. H. E. Fite and Mrs. John B. Levass won top honors with Mrs. R. O. Lehtonen and Mrs. T. T. Paul placing second.

The golfers played in pairs with one using long clubs and the other short clubs. One-half of the combined handicap applied and competition was for low score on nine holes.

Golf balls were awarded to the tournament winners.

Next week the group will hold a blind partner tournament. Partners will be drawn after tee-off and one-half of the combined handicap will be used for each team. Competition will be low score for nine holes.

Golfers are reminded that golf instruction by K. V. Estes is still in progress at the course on Wednesday mornings. Two classes are in session, at 9:30 a.m. and 10 a.m. Beginners are urged to attend.

Small Bore Rifle Team Wins 18 Prizes

The Redstone Arsenal Small Bore Rifle team successfully fired in thunder showers and wind to earn 18 awards Sunday at the first tournament of the season at the Isaac Walton League near Birmingham.

CWO John W. Mann, Jr., Hq Det OGMS, Marksman, earned 3rd place awards in the 50yd match with 381-11x, the Dewar Match with 378-13x, 50 Meter Match with 381-5x, and the Aggregate Match with 1517-34x.

SFC Ed M. Beeler, Hq Det "B" OGMS, MARKSMAN, earned 2nd place awards in the 50yd match with 389-14x, 100 yd match 279-10x, 50 Meter Match with 388-13x, and Aggregate Match with 1547-51x, and a 1st place award in the Dewar Match with 391-14x.

Sgt. Gerald E. Fitzgerald, Sig Det OGMS, MARKSMAN, earned a 3rd place award in the 100 yd match with 375-10x.

PFC Leigh Anderson, Hq Det "B" OGMS, UNCLASSIFIED, earned 3rd place awards in the 50yd match with 381-6x, Dewar Match with 373-9x, Aggregate Match with 1476-24x, 100 yd match with 363-3x, and 50 Meter Match with 359-6x.

PFC Charles H. McManns, Hq Det "B" OGMS, UNCLASSIFIED, earned 2nd place awards in the 50yd match with 382-8x, Dewar Match with 379-12x, and Aggregate Match with 1476-26x.

SOFTBALL SCOREBOARD

Field Maintenance 18, Medical Det 0.

864th Air Force 12, Hq & Hq Det USAG 0.

"B" Det ABMA 17, A Det 9. Hq & Hq USAG 13, 228 Ord Plt 7.

3rd ETD 7, Lt. Gross Mixed 4. 864th Air Force 13, Det "A" ARGMA 4.

Field Maintenance 9, 3rd ETD 2.

Softball Schedule April 22-28

April 22 Signal Det No. 2 vs Hq Det UTC Field No. 1—1800.

Hq Det USAG vs "A" Det ARGMA Field No. 1—1930.

Medical Det vs 32nd Ord Det Field No. 2—1800.

228th Ord Det vs "A" Det OGMS Field No. 2—1930.

April 23 Field Mat vs 1st ETD Field No. 1—1800.

864th AF vs Lt Dill Officers Field No. 1—1930.

Lt. Gross Mixed vs Hq Det UTC Field No. 2—1800.

"B" Det ABMA vs Signal Det No. 2 Field No. 2—1930.

April 23 3rd ETD vs 32Ord Det Field No. 1—1800.

Hq Det USAG vs "A" Det OGMS Field No. 1—1930.

Medical Det vs 1st ETD Field No. 2—1800.

228 Ord Det vs Lt Dill Officers Field No. 2—1930.

April 27 864th AF vs Signal Det No. 2 Field No. 1—1800.

Field Mat vs Hq Det UTC Field No. 1—1930.

Lt Gross Mixed vs B Det ABMA Field No. 2—1800.

A Det ARGMA vs A Det OGMS Field No. 2—1930.

April 28 Hq Det USAG vs Dill Officers Field No. 1—1800.

Medical Det vs Hq Det UTC Field No. 1—1930.

228th Ord Det vs Signal Det No. 2 Field No. 2—1800.

Field Mat vs "B" Det ABMA Field No. 2—1930.

Movie Schedule

Wednesday, 22 Apr., "Shane" starring Alan Ladd, Van Heflin and Jean Arthur. Time 1315, 1745 and 1945.

Thursday and Friday, 23 and 24 Apr., "Alias Jesse James" starring Bob Hope and Rhonda Fleming. Time 1315, 1745 and 1945.

Saturday, 25 Apr., SPECIAL MATINEE, "Domino Kid" starring Rory Calhoun. Time 1000 hrs.

Saturday, 25 Apr., "King of the Wild Stallions" starring George Montgomery. Time 1745 and 1945.

Sunday and Monday, 26 and 27 Apr., "Compulsion" starring Dean Stockwell, Orson Wells and Diane Varsi. Time Sunday 1400, 1745 and 1945; time Monday 1315, 1745 and 1945.

Tuesday, 28 Apr., "Roots of Heaven" starring Erroll Flynn,

DANISH GENERAL VISITS OGMS—Maj. Gen. Valdemar Jacobsen, second from right, Inspector General in the Danish Army, visited the Ordnance Guided Missile School recently on a two-day orientation tour. Gen. Jacobsen was accompanied by Lt. Col. Aksel Jorgensen, right, chief of staff, Danish Artillery. From left to right are Lt. Col. Ward T. Gilbert, OGMS Director of the Surface-to-Air Division, Lloyd Jones, OGMS Inertial Guidance Instructor, Gen. Jacobsen and Col. Jorgensen. Gen. Jacobsen is slated to become Chief of Staff of the Danish Army when he returns to Denmark.



Dr. Gerathewohl Is Speaker at Rocket Society

Dr. Siegfried J. Gerathewohl, Chief Scientist, Bioastronautical Research Unit, AOMC, discussed "Experiments in Aero-Gravity" last night at Lee Junior High School. The program was open to members, guests, and prospective members of the North Alabama Section of the American Rocket Society.

Special Services Advisory Group Set

A Special Services Advisory Council has been appointed for the purpose of advising the Special Services Officer in all phases of the special services program.

The council consists of a representative from each activity of Redstone Arsenal as indicated below: Lt. Col. Claude E. Cason, OGMS; Chaplain (Maj.) James H. Goewey, RSA; Maj. Jesse A. Garner, RSA; Capt. Stuart L. Miller, ABMA; Capt. Eugene R. Coogan, Sig. School, Elec. Tng. Det.; Lt. Peter J. Werdern, UTC; CWO Thomas W. Ellis, ARGMA; WO Russell B. Parker, 864th SMS.

Personnel having any suggestions and/or information that should be brought to the attention of the above mentioned council should contact the council representative from the activity concerned.

Juliette Greco, Trevor Howard. Time 1745 and 1945. NO MATINEE.



CHAPLAIN ASSIGNED—First Lieutenant Charles R. Hasty has been assigned as a Chaplain at Redstone Arsenal. Chaplain Hasty entered the Army in January. He completed his BS degree in 1954 at Davidson, N. C., College and earned his degree in theology at Union Theological Seminary, Richmond, Va., and the University of Edinburgh, Edinburgh, Scotland.

RSA MIXED BOWLING LEAGUE — 13 APR.

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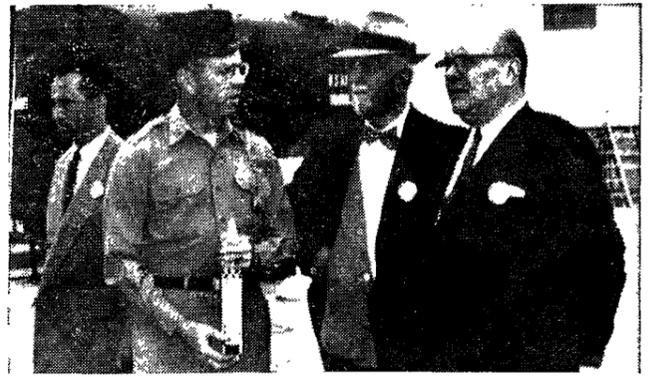


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DISTINGUISHED VISITORS TO CAPE—The ABMA Missile Firing Laboratory at Cape Canaveral recently played host to Paul Henri Spaak (right), secretary general of the North Atlantic Treaty Organization, and Roger Babson (second from right), financial writer. Talking with them on an Army firing pad is Capt. James A. Ross, Jr., of the AOMC Field Office. At left is Mr. Saint-Meleux, Spaak's personal assistant.

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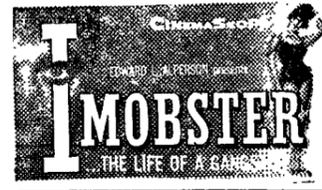


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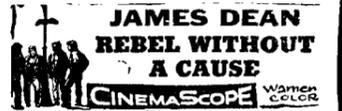
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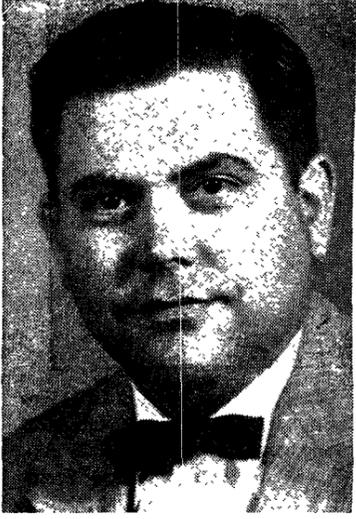


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HAROLD B. CARPENTER

Carpenter Elected Secretary of Ala. Credit Union League

Harold B. Carpenter, of Review Branch, ARGMA Control Office, was elected secretary of the Alabama Credit Union League at its Annual Convention held recently at Montgomery.

He was elected director of the League prior to the convention at a district election.

Carpenter was doubly honored by also being elected a national director of the Credit Union National Association. He will represent Alabama at the national convention to be held in May at Boston. He is president of the Redstone Federal Credit Union, the third largest affiliated Credit Un-



DENNIS GARRISON

Dennis Garrison Is 'Safety Supervisor'

The "Safe Supervisor of the Week," selected by the RSA Safety Division, is Dennis Garrison, Assistant General Foreman, Materials, Rockets and Missiles Branch, Inspection Division, RSA.

Garrison has not had a disabling injury to himself or to anyone under his supervision. This record had its beginning in 1940 when he entered the Army. His work has exposed him and his employees to some of the most hazardous operations at the arsenal.

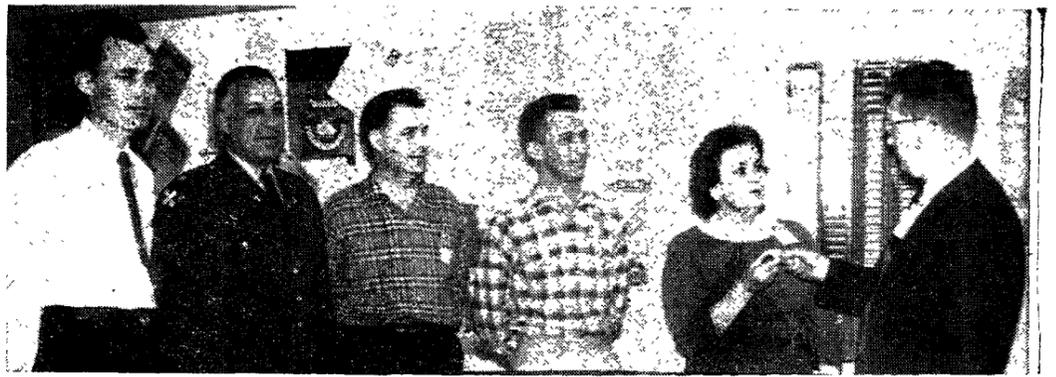
He entered the Army in 1940 and saw action in both the European and Pacific Theatre. It was there he says he began to practice safety. He went to work at the Arsenal when he was discharged from the Army in 1945.

Garrison is a strong believer in safety promotion, Safety officials said. He believes you should practice and stress the importance of safety at every opportunity. He attends and holds safety meet-

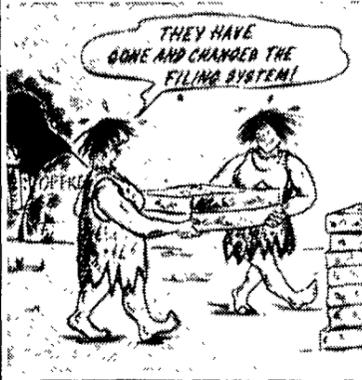
ion in Alabama.

Roy Hollihan, general manager of the Redstone Federal Credit Union, was reelected alternate national director of the Credit Union National Association.

Over 400 Credit Union delegates and guests attended the convention at which Gov. John Patterson spoke following the banquet.



SAFETY AWARDS GIVEN—Presentation of Five-Year No-Accident Safety Award pins was made recently to five supervisors and 24 employees of the Redstone Arsenal Field Printing Plant. The presentation was made by Lt. Col. Paul A. Lamoure (second from left), Redstone Arsenal S-1 (Assistant for Personnel and Administration). Supervisors receiving pins are shown above. Left to right are Wallace Phillips, Col. Lamoure, Kelly Brown, Cecil Brady, Mrs. Clarice Norton, and John Tyson (Chief, Printing Plant.)



ings regularly, and keeps abreast of all rules and regulation changes. He makes full use of posters and handouts.

The "Safety Supervisor" is married and lives in Madison County at Monrovia with his wife, Eleanor, and their two sons, Billy, 10, and Carl, 11. The boys attend school at Monrovia and participate in all sports. Garrison likes to hunt and fish and is a spectator at most all local competitive sporting events.

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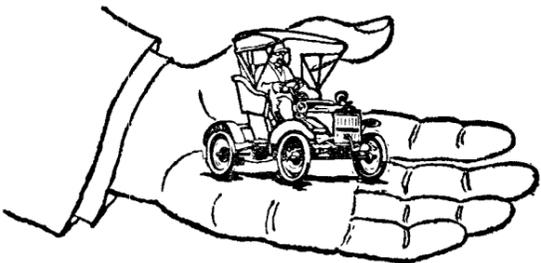


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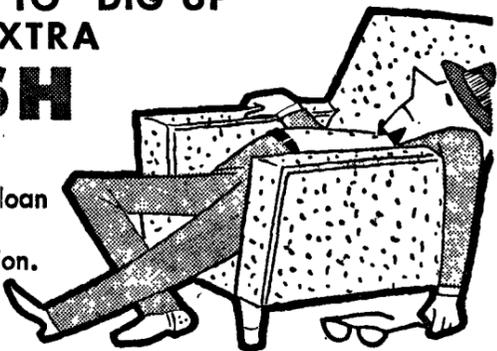
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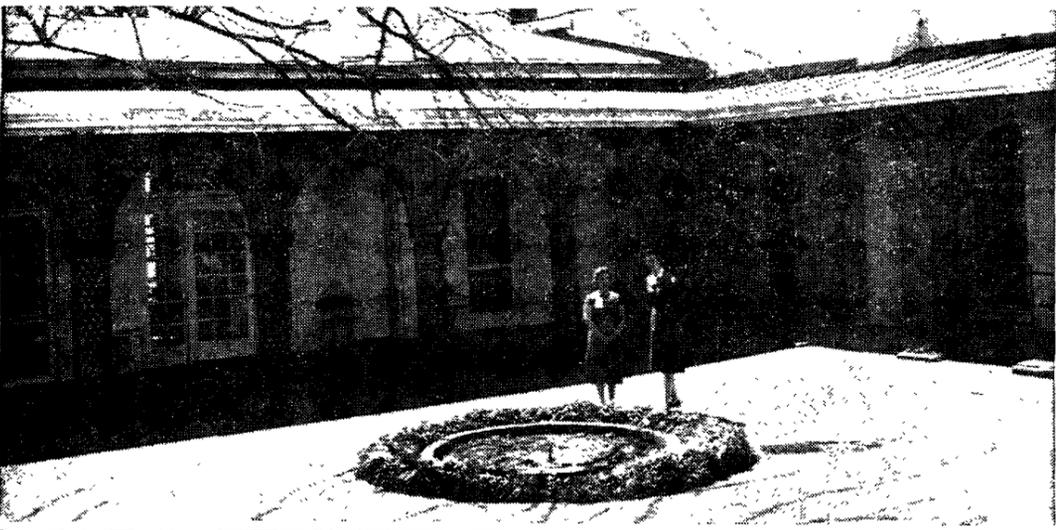
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GLIMPSES OF ANTE-BELLUM HUNTSVILLE—The ante-bellum home (shown above) of Mr. and Mrs. Milton Cummings, located on Adams St. S.E., will be open to Redstone Arsenal enlisted men, their families, and guests on Sunday, May 3. The tour of this home and several other points of interest will be sponsored by the Arsenal's Rocket Service Club on this day. Reservations should be made with the Service Club to participate in the tour.

In photo below, Mrs. Cummings and Miss Barbara Kelly, recreation leader with the Service Club, are pictured at the Cummings home on the site of a reception held in 1892 by Samuel Moore for his nationally famous prize cow, Lily Flagg.



Nike-Hercules Equipment Inspection Held in N. J.

WHIPPANY, N.J. — A two-day inspection by the Army Ordnance Missile Command of new equipment for use in the Nike-Hercules guided missile system began yesterday at Bell Telephone Laboratories' location here.

The new features provide significant increase in target acquisition and tracking capability.

This latest member of the Nike missile family is being developed by the same Army-Industry team responsible for earlier Nike systems which materially added to the nation's defenses. The principal contractors include Western Electric Co., Bell Telephone Laboratories, and Douglas Aircraft Co.

The Army team conducting the Design Characteristics Inspection is headed by Brig. Gen. J. M. Colby, deputy commanding general, Army Ordnance Missile Command, and Col M. R. Collins, chief

of the Research and Development Division, Army Rocket and Guided Missile Agency, Command element responsible for the Nike program. Some 150 representatives of the Army and associated industrial firms are participating in the meeting.

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'Miss Home Show' Contestants Invited

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or civilian personnel are also invited. Contestants may be married or single, must be between the ages of 17 through 30, and must be residents of or employed in Madison County.

In addition to the winner, four runners-up will be chosen, with prizes for all donated by local merchants. Crowning ceremonies will be held the night of May 6 at Parkway City Shopping Cen-

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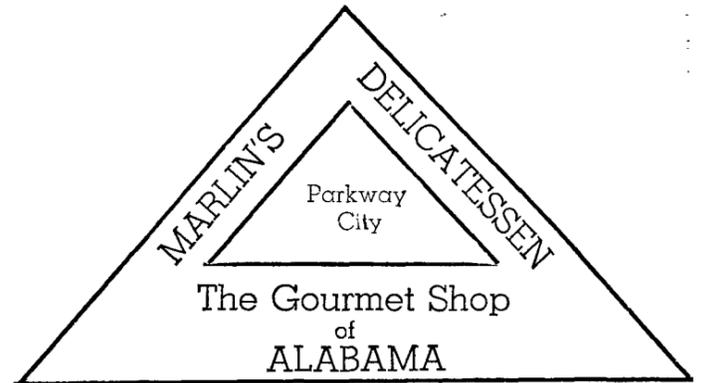
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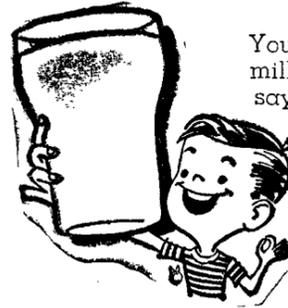
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Wiederrich's home is Sidney, Mont. where he was engaged in milk processing before entering the Army. He was very active in the Future Farmers of America organization and was a local vice-president of that organization for a period of time. After completing his three years in the Army he hopes to return to Montana and continue work in the electronics field.

Off the job he has especially enjoyed fishing and is proud of a big jack salmon he recently caught. He and his wife, Dixie and 17-month-old daughter, Gretchen, live at 297 Trymore Ave., Huntsville.

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Capt. Hutchison Assigned at AOMC

Capt. James H. Hutchison has been assigned with the Office of the Command Staff Judge Advocate at the Army Ordnance Missile Command.

Capt. Hutchison was formerly a legal assistance officer with the Judge Advocate Section, US Army, Post of Embarkation, Bremerhaven, Germany. He received his BA degree in 1943 from the University of Arkansas and his

LLB degree in 1954 from the University of Virginia. He entered the Army in 1943 and served in the Pacific Theater of Operations during World War II receiving the Combat Infantry Badge, the Bronze Star and the Purple Heart in 1945 in the Philippine Islands. He is a member of the Virginia State Bar Association, the American Bar Association, and the National Rifle Association.

Capt. and Mrs. Hutchison, the former Virginia Blanche Kelly, daughter of Richard H. Kelly of Branwell, W. Va., reside on post with their six children, Jane, age 10; Reed, age 7; Jim, age 5; Candace, age 4, John, age 2; and Hillary, 11 months old.

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