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Army

JOHN J. PERSHING as a West Point Cadet. Born near Laclede, Missouri, on September 13, 1860, Pershing was appointed to the U.S. Military Academy from his native state. He attended West Point from July 1, 1882 until July 1, 1886 and was commissioned a Second Lieutenant in Cavalry.

General of the Armies John J. Pershing Centennial Day, September 13, 1960...



Capt. Pershing
Philippine Islands, April 1903



Brig. Gen. Pershing
Mexican Punitive Expedition,
1916



Army

General Pershing
Washington, D. C., 1919



Army

GENERAL OF THE ARMIES John J. Pershing. With the outbreak of World War II, the services of General Pershing were invaluable to the nation's war program. He was active and willing to serve until the last years of his life. (U.S. Army photograph of a painting by Philip de Lazzo, Paris, 1934)

President Eisenhower Dedicates Space Center

Mrs. Marshall Helps Unveil Granite Bust Of General Marshall

President Dwight D. Eisenhower dedicated the Marshall Space Center and shared the honors of unveiling a bust of General George C. Marshall with his widow, Mrs. Katharine Marshall.

On the speakers platform with President Eisenhower were Congressmen, Army representatives and top officials of the National Aeronautics and Space Administration to whom MSFC belongs.

Dr. T. Keith Glennan, Director of NASA, introduced the President. Dr. Werner von Braun, Director of MSFC introduced many of the distinguished guests including Maj. Gen. H. N. Toftoy (ret.), former commander of the Redstone Arsenal. Gen. Toftoy was instrumental in gathering the space-missile scientists at Redstone Arsenal during the early stages of U. S. research and development.

Gen. Marshall was praised by the President. "He was a man of war, yet a builder of peace. Northern-born and Southern schooled, all-American through military service, he ultimately became a citizen of the world.

"He became the symbol of renewed hope for scores of millions of suffering people through his great plan for Europe that will forever bear his name."

The President, in his address said, "All that we have already accomplished, and all in the future that we shall achieve, is the outgrowth not of a soulless, barren technology, nor of a grasping state imperialism.

"Rather it is the product of unrestrained human talents and energy restlessly probing for the betterment of humanity—by courage to overcome disappointment and failure—by free ranging imagination—by insistence upon excellence—with none of this imposed by fiat, none of it ordered by a domineering bureaucracy.

"In this fact is proof once again of that hard work, toughness of spirit, and self-reliant enterprise are not mere catchwords of an era dead and gone. They remain the imperatives for the fulfillment of America's dream."

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To All Members of the Command:

I want to thank all members of this Command for your splendid performance of assigned duties during the recent visit by President Eisenhower. It left nothing to be desired.

The 55th Army Band, the Military Police Detachment, the Security Forces and the Transportation Office particularly deserve recognition.

Collectively, the military and civilian personnel here put their best foot forward, for which I am proud. Your spirit, cooperation, and appearance made a profound impression on the Most Distinguished Visitor ever to appear at Redstone Arsenal.

August Schomburg
Major General, USA
Commanding

AUSA Has 421 New Members To Date

The chairman of the membership drive for the Association of the U. S. Army at Redstone Arsenal announced today that 421 new members were obtained for the Tennessee Valley Chapter during the past week.

Captain Donald L. Voorhees, Redstone chairman, said that last week's totals brought the number of members enrolled since the

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UGF Has 11 Major Divisions This Year

Eleven major divisions in the United Givers Fund organization have been established this year, announced A. A. Stewart, Executive Chairman of the Arsenal UGF effort. Each of these organizational divisions will be headed by an Agency Chairman who will be responsible for drive efforts in his area of operation.

The organization is geared toward a smooth and efficient collection of donations.

By Sept. 22, the Arsenal UGF Drive Kick-off date, these Agency

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ARGMA Open House October 15

Building Will Be Dedicated; Tours, Exhibits Slated

(Picture Inside)

The Army Rocket and Guided Missile Agency facilities at Redstone Arsenal will be opened to the public for the first time Oct. 15.

Col. John G. Zierdt, ARGMA commander, today announced the planned "open house" will be held in conjunction with dedication ceremonies the same day for ARGMA's new headquarters building.

Col. Zierdt said the public would be permitted to witness actual missile and rocket firings, view displays of missiles and missile components by ARGMA and the agency's industrial contractors, and tour the Thiokol Chemical Corporation and Rohm and Haas plants at Redstone in addition to the new headquarters building.

A three story masonry structure with a gross-area of 216,360 square feet, the new ARGMA headquarters will provide office and working space for about 1,300 persons, approximately one third the personnel of the Agency.

Now nearing completion, it will soon be occupied by the ARGMA

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Chrysler Receives Contract For More Engineering Service

WASHINGTON, D. C., — The Department of the Army today announced the award of a \$624,463 contract to the Chrysler Corporation for further engineering services for the Redstone missile system.

The contract was administered by the Detroit Ordnance District. Chrysler will perform the work at its Michigan Ordnance Missile Plant.

The Redstone, operational with troops in Europe since 1958, was developed by the Army Ballistic Missile Agency.

Pershing Centennial Observance Is Today

Army Band to Play "Black Jack" March

Today a Retreat Parade and review at 4:30 p. m. will climax the General of the Armies John J. Pershing Centennial observance at Redstone Arsenal.

A Pershing missile is scheduled to be on the parade field with troops from the U. S. Army Garrison servicing the Army Ordnance Missile Command, and troops training or on the staff at the Army Ordnance Guided Missile School.

The School will sponsor the parade which will be witnessed by local commanders veterans organizations and other distinguished guests from Huntsville.

They will join with the Army in paying tribute to Gen. Pershing. Maj. Gen. August Schomburg, Commanding General of AOMC, will be the reviewing officer.

Today marks the 100th anniversary of General Pershing's birth in Laclede, Mo. where a special celebration is scheduled.

President Eisenhower issued a proclamation to mark the centennial.

Featured in the parade will be the Pershing ballistic missile, namesake of the famous hero. The missile will be mounted on its fully-tracked prime mover and will pass the reviewing stand during the parade.

A 30-inch by 40-inch color (See CENTENNIAL on Page 2)

THE WHITE HOUSE
GENERAL OF THE ARMIES JOHN J. PERSHING
CENTENNIAL DAY
THE PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

A PROCLAMATION

WHEREAS September 13, 1960, will mark the one hundredth anniversary of the birth of General of the Armies John J. Pershing; and

WHEREAS General Pershing was a great and patriotic military leader whose long and distinguished life was dedicated solely to his country; and

WHEREAS our Nation will be forever grateful to General Pershing for his leadership in bringing victory to the Allied cause in World War I; and

WHEREAS, by joint resolution approved June 1, 1960, the Congress has requested the President to proclaim September 13, 1960, as a day upon which all Americans should pay honor and respect to General of the Armies John J. Pershing and the men who served under him:

NOW, THEREFORE, I, DWIGHT D. EISENHOWER, President of the United States of America, do hereby proclaim September 13, 1960, as General of the Armies John J. Pershing Centennial Day; and I invite the people of this Nation to observe that day with appropriate ceremonies designed to commemorate the life and accomplishments of General Pershing and of those who served with him.

As provided in the aforesaid joint resolution, the Secretary of Defense will be responsible for coordination between civic and patriotic organizations and the departments and agencies of the Government in ceremonies commemorating the birth of General Pershing.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Seal of the United States of America to be affixed.

Done at the City of Washington this third day of June in the year of our Lord nineteen hundred and sixty, and of the Independence of the United States of America the one hundred and eighty-fourth.

(SEAL)

DWIGHT D. EISENHOWER

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PRESIDENT

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Also in the course of his speech, the President joked about the outer reaches of space being more accessible to the soldier of the future than his commanding officer was to President Eisenhower in the early days of his Army career.

The President was welcomed to the Arsenal by NASA and Army representatives when his plane landed at the Arsenal Airstrip a few minutes ahead of schedule.

Among Army representatives attending the dedication were Army Chief of Staff, Gen. Lyman L. Lemnitzer and Lt. Gen. Herbert B. Powell, Third Army Commander.

Leaders from Huntsville who attended included Mayor R. B. Searcy and the two ministers who took part in the dedication: Rev. Harry B. Wade of the First Presbyterian Church and Rev. George F. Hart, St. Mark Lutheran Church.

The President was also taken through the Fabrication Division and the Test Division by NASA representatives whom he said were "Army pioneers" in space technology when they launched the U. S. first satellite, Explorer I.

Approximately 5,000 spectators attended the dedication ceremonies and lined the road along the President's route during his inspection of the Saturn booster facilities

ARGMA

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commander and his staff and administrative and engineering personnel of the agency's industrial and research divisions.

Maj. Gen. August Schomburg, Commanding General of AOMC, said the new building, providing ARGMA with a permanent headquarters and much needed administrative and engineering space, will permit consolidation of several ARGMA segments under one roof and contribute to a more efficient operation.

Gen. Schomburg said the new building would alleviate but not eliminate AOMC's continuing need for adequate facilities at Redstone from which to carry on the Command's nation-wide responsibility for all Army missile systems.

Pending completion of the new building, ARGMA headquarters will continue to be housed in the Redstone Arsenal headquarters building. Buildings vacated by personnel moving into the new fa-

here.

Dr. von Braun and Dr. Karl Heimburg acted as spokesmen in outlining the activities on the NASA schedule.

A model of the Saturn was in the test stand for the President to inspect.

His visit was televised over the Arsenal's closed circuit and later over National television networks.

AUSA

(Continued From Page 1) beginning of the drive on August 15 to 1649.

Last week's figures include 22 from the Army Ordnance Missile Command; 110 from the Army Rocket and Guided Missile Agency, 118 from the Army Ballistic Missile Agency, 30 from the Ordnance Guided Missile School and 141 from Redstone Arsenal headquarters, including 26 from Thiokol Chemical Corporation.

The drive at Redstone Arsenal ends September 13.

During 1959, the Tennessee Valley Chapter of AUSA was the largest in the national association.

UGF

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chairmen will have set up directorate chairmen, monitors and solicitors completing the fund drive organization. Chairmen and respective areas in which they will supervise solicitation and recording of funds include: Mr. H. K. Katz, ABMA; Col. H. H. Wishart, ARGMA; Mr. L. Brockman, AOMC; Col. Ernest R. Manierre, AIR FORCE; Mr. S. C. Wilkins, RSA; Col. C. W. Eifler, OGMS; Capt. R. C. O'Brien, Troop Command; Mr. Norman E. Waldrop, Area Engineers; Mr. R. F. Shanks, Rohm and Haas; Dr. W. F. Arendale, Thiokol; and Col. J. S. Jeffers, Other On-Post Contractors.

Guidelines of the drive and information for the contributor will be presented in detail to all solicitors. This information will also be carried in a later issue of the Rocket.

cility will continue to be used by other elements of AOMC.

The new building has a cafeteria which will seat approximately 370 persons and a conference auditorium with a seating capacity of 120.

Also housed in the new building as part of its communication center will be the master station of ARGMA's world-wide teletype system for the Nike Zeus antimissile missile project with direct lines to all major points where Nike Zeus components are being developed and tested.

The unique Nike Zeus system is one of the many weapons systems being developed under ARGMA's technical supervision. The agency is responsible for Army missiles in the surface to air category as well as anti-missile systems and those battlefield missiles requiring maneuverability after firing. In addition to Nike Zeus, current ARGMA projects include Nike Hercules, Nike Ajax, Hawk, Mauler, Redeye, LaCrosse, Shillelagh and the Field Army Ballistic Missile Defense System.

From the new building, ARGMA personnel will also direct execution of research projects in the fields of propellant chemistry, aerodynamics of missile structures radar and missile electronics.

Paralleling progressive research, development, production and field support of its assigned weapons systems, ARGMA is also responsible for the training of key military and civilian personnel to ensure proper use of the weapons once they are turned over to troops.



UNVEIL BUST OF GEN. MARSHALL — President Eisenhower and Mrs. Katharine Marshall, widow of the General, unveil a red Finnish granite bust of Gen. George C. Marshall during the dedication of the Marshall Space Flight Center Thursday, Sept. 8. The bust of the General was sculpted by Halerva Kallio of Finland. He modelled the likeness in clay at Gen. Marshall's home in Leesburg, Va.

CENTENNIAL

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portrait of General Pershing is to be displayed on the reviewing stand. The portrait was painted by Danny Della-Calce, an employe of Redstone Arsenal.

The "French National Defile", official march of the American Expeditionary Forces during World War I, will be played by the 55th Army Band in honor of all who served in that conflict. The "Black Jack March" will be played in memory of General Pershing, affectionately known as "Black Jack" to his soldiers.

Troop commanders will be Lt. Col. Claude E. Cason, Troop Commander of OGMS Troops, Capt. Preston R. Jett is scheduled as parade adjutant and Capt. B. C. Homeyer will read the President's proclamation.

Gen. Schomburg, Brig. Gen. Richard M. Hurst, and Col. Charles E. Eifler will troop the line, each in a jeep.

Among the honored guests from Huntsville invited to attend are

Maj. Gen. R. L. Spragins (ret.), Maj. Gen. David F. O'Neill (ret.) Mayor R. B. "Speck" Searcy and members of the Army Advisory Committee have been included in the invitation.

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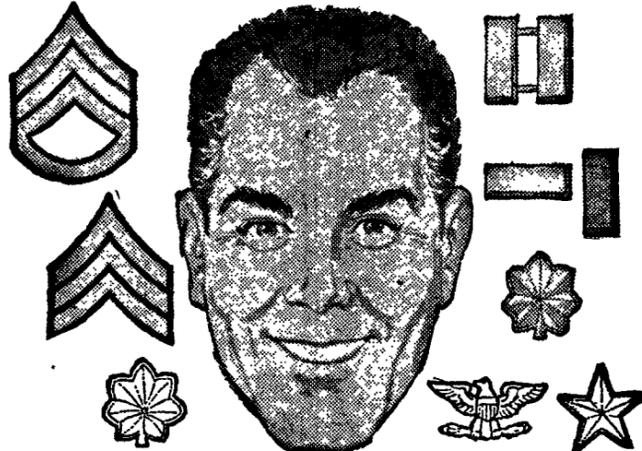
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General Decker Is Named Next Chief Of Staff for Army

Washington (AFPS) — Gen. George H. Decker, Army Vice Chief of Staff since July 1959, has been designated by President Eisenhower to become the Army's next Chief of Staff.

Gen. Decker would succeed Gen. Lyman L. Lemnitzer, the President's choice as new chairman of the Joint Chiefs of Staff. Senate confirmation of the nomination is required.

Prior to July 1959, Gen. Deck-

GEN. GEORGE H. DECKER



PRESIDENT WELCOMED—President Dwight D. Eisenhower (foreground, right) is welcomed to Redstone Arsenal as he steps off his plane to dedicate the George C. Marshall Space Flight Center Thursday, Sept. 8. At the plane to greet him are (left to right) Col. Owen T. McCloskey, Commander of Redstone Arsenal, Maj. Gen. August Schomburg, Commanding General of the U. S. Army Ordnance Missile Command, John Patterson, Governor of Alabama, and Dr. Wernher von Braun, Director of the new Space Center, an element of the National Aeronautics and Space Administration.

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er served a two-year tour in the Far East as Commander of U. N. Forces and of U. S. Forces in Korea, a post he took over from Gen. Lemnitzer. At the time of the Suez crisis in 1956, he was Deputy Commander of U. S. Forces in Europe.

After serving with the Budget Division, the general became Comptroller of the Army in June 1952. Before this he commanded the 5th Inf. Div. at Ft. Jackson, S. C.

During WWII the general was Chief of Staff, Sixth Army, in the Southwest Pacific area, a position he held throughout the New Guinea and Philippine campaigns.

Gen. Decker was graduated from the Command and General Staff School and attended the Company Officer's Course of the Infantry School at Ft. Benning, Ga.

The General's military career

began in 1924 when he was commissioned a second lieutenant of infantry. He held a number of small-post assignments in Hawaii and the United States before entering the Infantry School.

Gen. Decker was graduated

from Lafayette College in Pennsylvania with a BS degree in economics. He would be the seventh non-West Pointer to hold the Army's top office since the present staff system was set up in 1903.

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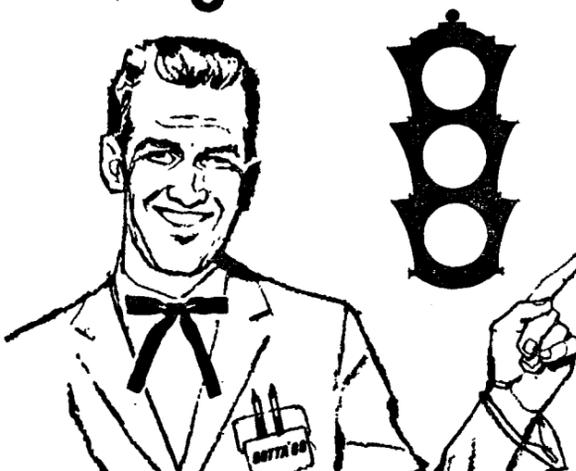
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Social News

Officers Wives Club Plans Fashion Show on Sept. 20

A Fall Fashion Show with clothes from Herold's in Huntsville is scheduled during the Officers Wives Club luncheon on Sept. 20 in the Hawk Room at the Squirrel Hill Officers Club.

Reservations for the luncheon will be accepted until noon Friday, Sept. 16.

For reservations on post call Mrs. John Palsrok, ext. 877-5648 or Mrs. Robert Betka, ext. 877-

5950. Off post reservations may be made with Mrs. Donald Voorhees, JE 9-2452. Cancellations will be accepted until noon on Monday, Sept. 19. Mrs. Wilber Bemis, Jr., ext. 877-5640 will handle the cancellations.

The Fashion Show reservations will be limited to 20. Nursery facilities will be available.

The activities will begin with sherry in the Nike room at 12:30 p. m. Lunch is scheduled in the Hawk Room at 1 p. m.

The Membership Committee will also be available for renewal of membership in the Officers Wives Club.

Chess Club Plans First Meeting at Big Spring Park

An organizational meeting will be held by the Huntsville Chess Club at 6:30 p. m. Sept. 19 at the Huntsville Community Center, Big Springs Park.

The initial meeting time is early to accommodate school age people who would like to play. Tentatively, the meeting is set to close at 10 p. m. However, the Community Center is open until 11 p. m. and anyone who wished to join the group at 7:30 p. m. or 8 p. m. would be welcome.

Tentative plans are to associate with the U. S. Chess Federation. Meeting will be on Monday nights. Further questions may be directed to Barney H. Roberts, Thiokol ext. 6-9174.

Wives Bridge Group Plans Party Day Thursday, Sept. 15

The Party Bridge Group of the Redstone Arsenal Officers Wives Club plans a "Party Day" on Thursday, Sept. 15 to begin at the Squirrel Hill Officer Club at 10 a. m.

"Party Day" will feature rotating prizes and a high score prize.

Off post reservations may be made with Mrs. J. T. Bull, JE 6-9623 and on-post with Mrs. R. S. Macy, ext. 877-5541 until Wednesday noon. Cancellations should also be made by Wednesday noon. During the meeting last week

At the Service Club

"BACK TO SCHOOL" DANCE: With September our thoughts turn to school days. Even though we are not full time students, we still remember our school days and often wish we could grab our books and head towards the Old School House.

For one night let's pretend that we are attending a school dance. Wear your school sweaters and your bobbie socks and come to our "Back To School" Dance on September 15 at 2030 hours. until 2330 hours. The Gene Louis Sextet will furnish the music for the occasion.

DANCE CLASSES: Don't forget about the Dance Classes which will start at 1930 hours on Sept. 14. Come out and we will "Cut a Rug" together.

POOL TOURNAMENT: Like to play "Eight Ball" Pool! Join us for a Pool Tournament on Sept. 16 at 1900 hours. A prize will be awarded to the Champion.

JAM SESSION: The sounds of a piano, a saxophone, an accordion, and many other musical instruments will be heard on September 20 when we have a Jam Session. Don't stay away from the sounds. Join us at 2000 hours for the Session.

"IVY GREEN" TOUR: "Ivy Green" was the birthplace of Helen Keller. The home is located in Tuscumbia, Alabama, a typical Old Southern town. This is the home where Helen Keller grew up to overcome her handicaps.

Helen Keller is "Alabama's First Lady of Courage." When Helen was two years old, she was stricken with an illness which left her blind and deaf. The way she overcame these handicaps has been an inspiration to everyone.

Come with us for a tour to "Ivy Green" which will long be remembered. The bus will leave the Service Club at 1230 hours on September 18. A Picnic Supper will be served after the tour through the home.

HISTORY: The Hostesses from Birmingham and Huntsville and the Enlisted men enjoyed the costume Hawaiian Dance on the

30th of August. The decorations were so realistic and lovely you could almost feel the South Sea Island breezes as you danced to the melodic music of Hilding Holmberg's orchestra. Our boy Larry Zoll did an extra fine job on the stage backdrop and palm trees . . . thanks Larry. Dot Worley was honored at the dance during intermission and was presented with a lovely gift for being the Hostess of the Month.

Labor Day Week-end was a busy one at the Service Club—Watermelon cuttings on the patio—Snack Night and Record Dance, and to top off the Labor Day Holiday, brunch was served all the late sleepers at 0930 hours Monday morning. Molly Patterson, Service Club Director, and Sgt Joe Rice, her able helper, surprised the group with piping hot buttered biscuits, jelly, fruit juice, sliced tomatoes, donuts and hot coffee.

Labor Day Bingo was on tap

for Monday evening. The lucky winners had to perform before receiving his prize. This was good for a lot of laughs. Labor Day Bingo brought a close to another holiday at the Service Club without a single casualty.

WELCOME: We would like to welcome a new member to our staff. Miss Margaret Richardson will be in our midst to assist in future Service Club activities. Come by and welcome her personally.

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Huntsville, Ala.—Fire Marshal William H. Kleiber at Redstone Arsenal here said the post has gone 37 consecutive days without a reportable fire. And that fire, which occurred when a rocket exploded at Range Five, was one of only eight reportable fires reported in Fiscal Year 60.

A reportable fire is one with more than \$50 damage and or a loss of life.

Kleiber praised the personnel of the Arsenal for the fire prevention record, but added a word

of caution to motorist who toss lighted cigarettes from automobiles. He pointed out hay has been cut on the reservation and is now drying in fields beside the road.

The greatest fire hazard to the hay, he added, is a carelessly tossed cigarette.

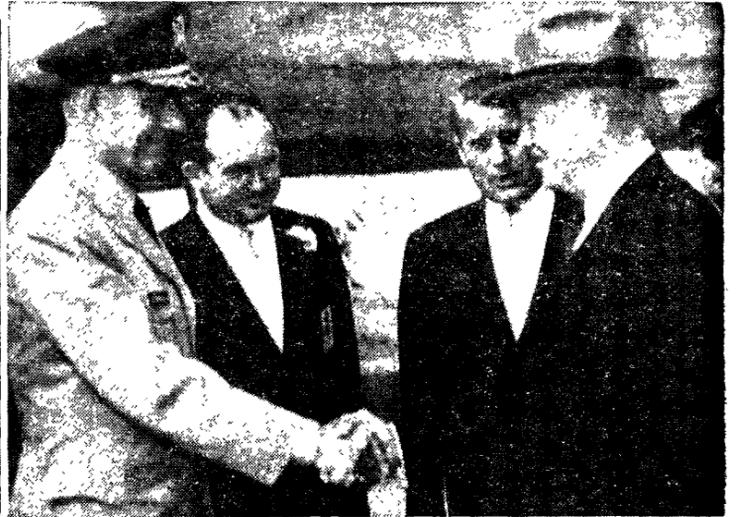
Statistically, 161 fires caused \$157,000 damages in fiscal year 1959. In fiscal year 1960, the 193 fires reported caused damage estimated at \$380,000.

Twenty structural fires, seven vehicles, six grass and seven miscellaneous fires occurred at Redstone during July and August.



MILITARY POLICEMAN OF THE MONTH—SP4 Vern L. Timberman received a letter of commendation for being selected MP for the month of July. In addition to the letter, he was awarded a three-day pass. SP4 Timberman's initiative, appearance, and attitude helped him attain this coveted position. Timberman has been a member of the 291st MP Company since February, 1958. He entered the Army in October, 1957.

Only one, however, caused over \$50 damage.



COMMANDING GENERAL GREET'S COMMANDER IN CHIEF—Maj. Gen. August Schomburg (left), Commanding General of the Army Ordnance Missile Command, shakes hands with President Dwight D. Eisenhower and welcomes him to Redstone Arsenal Thursday, Sept. 8. The President's plane touched down at the Redstone Arsenal airstrip where he was welcomed by the director of the National Aeronautics and Space Administration's George C. Marshall Space Center, Dr. Wernher von Braun (right rear) and Gov. John Patterson of Alabama. The occasion was the dedication of the MSFC.

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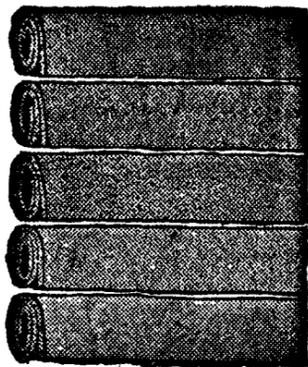


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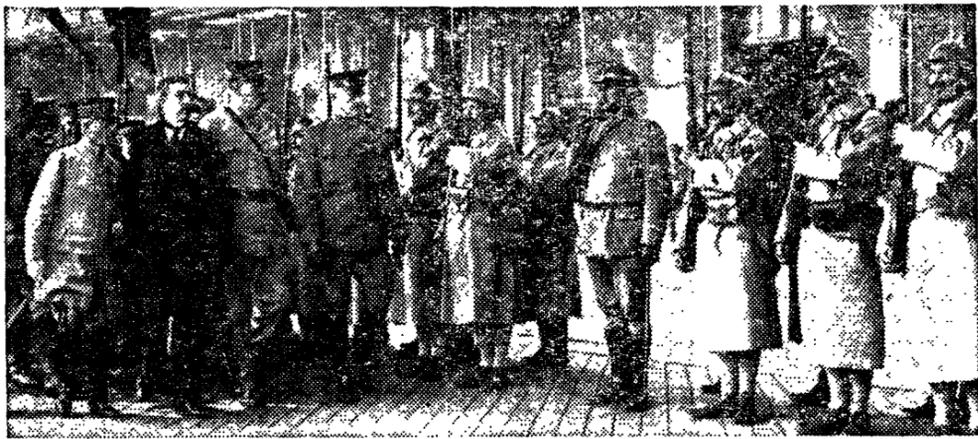
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Army

GENERAL JOHN J. PERSHING with officials of the French Government reviewing French soldiers upon his arrival in France, 1917. In recognition of his services as Commander-in-Chief of the American Expeditionary Forces in World War I, Pershing was promoted to the rank of General of the Armies. By joint resolution, Congress requested the President to proclaim September 13, 1960 as the day upon which all Americans should pay honor and respect to General of the Armies John J. Pershing and the men who served under him.

Gen. Pershing Had Unprecedented Career, Rose From Captain to General Over 862 Senior Officers

He Was First General Of the Armies After Successes in World War

Final Assignment Was Chief of Staff

By "Buddy" Phillips

A man of less spirit and devotion might have been discouraged by the fact that he had spent twenty of his forty-six years in the Army as an officer and had gained no more than the rank of Captain. But this one had seemed destined for more by his own character and personality.

When he was just two months shy of his twenty-second birthday, an age which would have made him ineligible for admission, he received a Congressional appointment to the United States

Military Academy. During his last year at West Point, he held the rank of First Captain of the Cadet Corps and was president of the class of 1886. Scholastically, he stood 30th in a class of 77, but his instructors lauded him for his sound tactical applications and military knowledge.

Now it was 1906. He was U. S. military attache to Japan. In the U. S. Army around the turn of the century, promotions were almost at a stand-still. Yet he served, faithfully and without grumbling. But, while he may not have been aware of it, he was not without his admirers.

President Theodore Roosevelt, in a completely unprecedented and highly controversial move, promoted Captain John J. Pershing to Brigadier General, jumping him over 862 senior officers!

With that monumental boost, "Black Jack" Pershing continued to serve until he had become the

only man ever to hold the rank of "General of the Armies of the United States." The grade was first created in 1799 and was intended for George Washington. No record is available to show that he ever received the title, however. When the rank was not mentioned in an Army reorganization act of March 16, 1802 it ceased to exist. Congress, by Public Law 45 of September 3, 1919, reestablished the grade and bestowed it on the popular hero of World War I.

September 13, 1960 marks the 100th anniversary of his birth. In honor of this event, President Eisenhower has proclaimed the date "General of the Armies John J. Pershing Centennial Day." Memorial services will be held at his graveside in Arlington National Cemetery, Arlington, Virginia.

Born in LaClede, Missouri, Pershing showed early signs of industrious and purposeful actions.

He taught school in Missouri while still in his teens to gain the money needed to further his own education. His boyhood desires were fulfilled with his appointment to the military academy at West Point.

After receiving his commission in the U. S. Cavalry, Pershing joined the 6th Cavalry, participating in the Indian Wars in the West. His brilliant tactics soon won him the respect of his superiors and he was placed in charge of Indian scouts in the Dakotas, where the Sioux were making their last stand against the "long-knives" of the cavalry.

During his years in the West, Pershing found time to be a part-time military instructor at the University of Nebraska. Capitalizing on the opportunities presented to him, he attended school himself and was awarded a Bachelor of Laws degree by the university in 1893.

During the last few years of the 19th century, he was an instructor of tactics at West Point. In 1898, his tour was interrupted by the Spanish-American War in Cuba. His gallantry during the Santiago Campaign first brought his name before "Teddy" Roosevelt. Pershing's commander, whose name has escaped historians, said that "Pershing is the coolest man under fire I ever saw." Had that commander known Pershing before the war, he would have expected such reactions and would

probably have been surprised if Pershing had acted otherwise.

From 1899 to 1903, he served under General Arthur MacArthur in the Philippines and, following his tenure as military attache, returned to suppress moro uprising in 1913.

Perhaps the most remembered event of Pershing's career was his chase of Francisco Villa in Mexico in 1916. Villa's hit-and-run tactics failed to shake the pursuing American forces and Pershing ran him back across the Rio Grande into Mexico. The campaign was short but colorful and Villa's march in Texas was the last time a foreign force has invaded American soil.

While Pershing's pursuit of Villa was winning further acclaim for him, he suffered the most crushing blow of his life. In March, 1917, his wife and three small daughters were burned to death in their San Francisco home. Mrs. Pershing was the daughter of Francis E. Warren, first governor of the state of Wyoming.

America's attempts to stay out of the war in Europe came to an end in 1917 and Woodrow Wilson turned to Pershing to form the "American Expeditionary Force" in Europe. He was promoted to full general and named commander-in-chief of the AEF.

Hand-picking his own 31-man staff, Pershing departed for Europe. (Continued on Page 7)

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pe, arriving in England on June 1, 1917, and in France on June 13. Pershing wanted to form an American Army, but to his amazement, Allied officials had planned to integrate the Americans with units already on the battlefield. Pershing insisted that his Army remain separate and, with strong backing from Secretary of War Newton D. Baker, succeeded in building it that way.

Whatever misgivings the Allies had, they revised their opinions of both Pershing and his Army when the AEF smashed to victories at St. Mihiel and the Meuse-Argonne. Military experts have classed them as superior operations, turning the prolonged war into a rout.

Historians, such as Colonel (U. S. Army, (Ret.) R. Ernest Dupuy, said: "Beginning from nothing, within the span of 18 months he had produced an army 2,000,000 strong whose elements in 200 days of battle decisively defeated German troops and commanders hardened by four years of war."

But while others were heaping praise on Pershing for his organization of forces, he was exhibiting one of his strongest characteristics by crediting one of his staff officers with the success at Meuse-Argonne. He said: "It seldom happens in war that plans can be so precisely carried out as was possible in this case. The details of the movement of troops connected with this concentration were worked out and their execution conducted under the able direction of Colonel George C. Marshall, Jr., of the Operations Section of the General Staff, First Army."

Marshall was not the only person destined for fame in his own right. The 42nd (Rainbow) Division was commanded by Brigadier General Douglas MacArthur

and in the ranks of that division was 24-year-old First Lieutenant Wilbur M. Brucker, presently Secretary of the Army. Brucker had also served under Pershing on the Mexican Border in 1916 as a member of Michigan's 33rd National Guard Division.

Pershing also recognized another young man's talents and abilities when he picked a cavalry advisor for his staff. Lt. George S. Patton, Jr., would gain his greatest fame in another war some twenty-five years later, but his daring and aggressiveness were prominent at an early age.

When the "Great War" ended, Pershing came home to a hero's welcome. Congress re-created the rank of "General of the Armies" for him and he was America's most revered soldier since Robert E. Lee. He served as Chief of Staff of the Army from 1921 until age forced his retirement on September 13, 1924.

During his service as Chief of Staff, he prepared the framework for the new permanent Army which would be the nucleus of America's World War II fighting force almost twenty years later.

In retirement, the holder of Army Serial Number 0001 devoted much of his time to writing of World War I. His book, "My Experiences in the World War," received the Pulitzer history prize in 1932. He made few statements about his own part, reserving most of the space for praises of the fighting soldiers and staff officers who served under him.

He served as chairman of the American Battle Monuments Commission, and organization which provides for up-keep and supervision of the United States' military cemeteries and memorials in overseas areas.

His patriotism and devotion were never more evident than in December, 1941, when, at the age of 81, he volunteered his services to President Franklin D. Roose-

Stuart Jones Named ARGMA Director of Civilian Personnel

Stuart H. Jones, a former resident, has returned from Italy to become director of civilian personnel for the Army Rocket and Guided Missile Agency.

Colonel John G. Zierdt, ARGMA Commander, announced the appointment today to take effect

immediately. Jones first came to Huntsville in 1951 as Redstone Arsenal's director of civilian personnel. In 1953 he joined the staff of the Army Ordnance Missile Command as deputy director of civilian personnel.

He and his wife, Phyllis, and their daughters, Shelia and Marsha, moved overseas when Jones accepted a position as director of civilian personnel of the Army Southern European Task Force with headquarters in Verona, Italy.

Jones began his career in federal service in 1937. He was loaned by the federal government to the United Nations to assist in setting up a personnel management program for the UN Secretariat before coming to Redstone Arsenal.

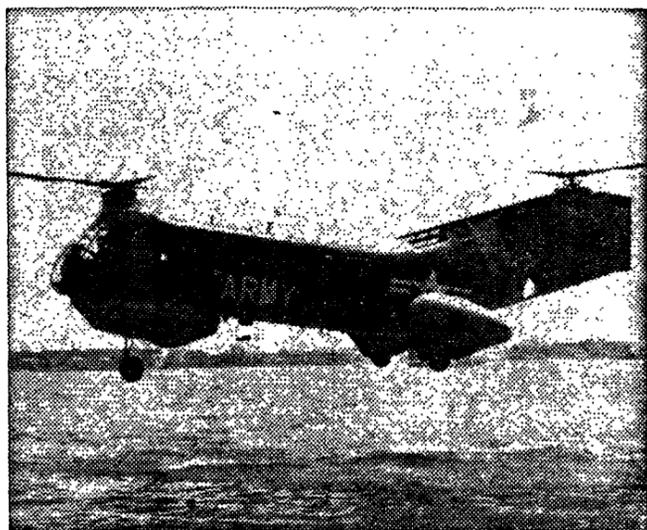
Prior to leaving Huntsville for his assignment in Italy, Jones had been active in civic affairs. He was second vice president of the

Huntsville-Madison County UGF Board of Directors, a member of the Kiwanis Club and past president of the local chapter of the Society for Personnel Administration, the Toastmasters Club and the Junior High PTA. He served as executive chairman for the 1958 Redstone Arsenal UGF campaign.

The family is now living on Four Mile Post Rd. Shelia is a sophomore at Auburn University. Marsha is in her junior year in Huntsville High School.

Highly mobile, the Pershing can be moved into firing position, erected and launched in a matter of minutes on its self-contained XM-474 prime mover.

The characteristics of reliability and versatility prove that the missile's name is no mere coincidence, but rather, is symbolic of the man himself.



SHAWNEE H-21 amphibious helicopter on maiden flight, Norfolk, Virginia. The two rotor H-21 chopper is the first of eight to be delivered to the U. S. Army Air Defense Command. The amphibious helicopter, for use by United States Army Air Defense Command units on both East and West coasts, will be able to follow water routes with a greater degree of safety for army and civilian populace. When necessary the amphibious chopper can be used in seas-rescue operations.

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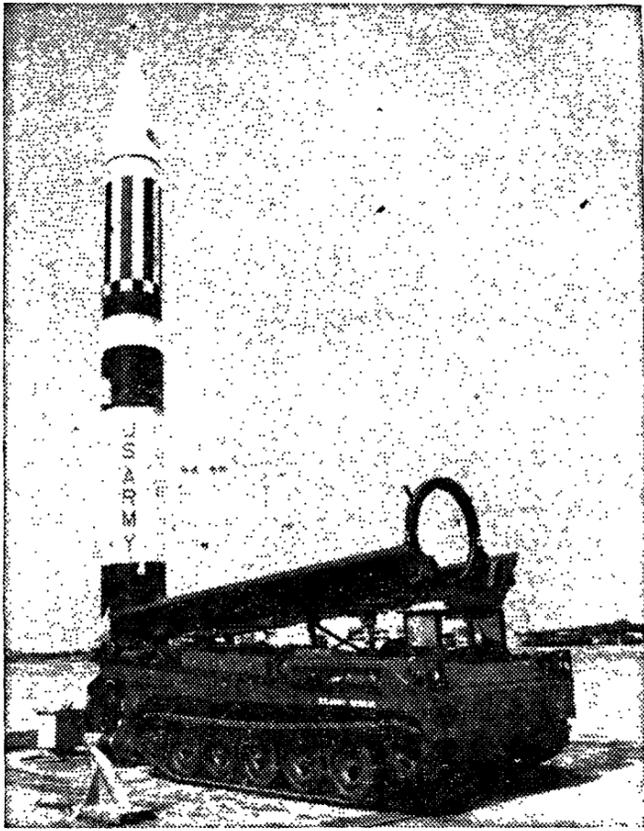
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Army

THE PERSHING MISSILE named in honor of General of the Armies John J. Pershing. A successful test firing of PERSHING from its new transporter-erector-launcher held recently was the first firing from its new mobile launcher. The new type launcher will permit PERSHING to be transported to an unprepared site, erected and fired in a matter of minutes.

Development of Pershing Missile Is Success Story

Man and Missile Are One Of a Kind As Army Successes

The Army has good reason to hold its head high up this September 13!

Today, soldiers around the world, as well as the American public, will observe "General of the Armies John J. Pershing Cen-

tennial Day" in a tribute to America's most famous hero of World War I on the 100th anniversary of his birth.

Gen. Pershing died 12 years ago at the age of 87, but his name has been memorialized in the Army's newest surface-to-surface ballistic missile. Both the man and the missile are unique.

Pershing is the only man in history to hold the title of "General of the Armies of the United

States." While the rank was first created for George Washington in 1779, no records are available to show that it was ever conferred upon him. When the grade was not mentioned in an Army reorganization act of 1803, it ceased to exist and was not re-established until Congress passed Public Law 45 in 1921 to give the rank to Pershing.

The Pershing missile has carried its name proudly, setting a record at the Cape Canaveral test range unequalled by any other missile in America's arsenal. Pershing is batting 1,000 in its test program with six successful firings in as many attempts.

Designed to replace the Redstone liquid-propellant missile, the Pershing is the result of the Army's continuing efforts to provide field troops with reliable, highly mobile, lightweight missiles. In addition to these characteristics, it is completely air transportable.

Operating on a "shoot and scott" principle, the Pershing and all equipment required to prepare and launch the missile will be carried on light-weight, full-track vehicles capable of movement cross-country over all types of terrain.

The 34-foot Pershing, developed for general support of the field Army, can be moved into firing position, erected and launched in a matter of minutes due to use of a solid propellant and the XM-474 prime mover. Time required to prepare and launch the missile will be considerably shorter than would be possible with a liquid propellant.

With the threat of encountering nuclear weapons on the battlefield more of a possibility than ever before, troops and equipment must be able to move quickly and over great distances in combat. In this type of situation, time becomes an even more important element in command decisions. The Pershing will fill the need for quick and accurate application of firepower on highly selective targets as they appear.

The Pershing's inertial guidance system makes it invulnerable to any type of outside jamming.

In the first three firings of the Pershing (Feb. 25, April 20, and May 10), the Army tested the first stage of the missile, weighting the second stage to simulate an actual motor. There was no stage separation and range was not an objective.

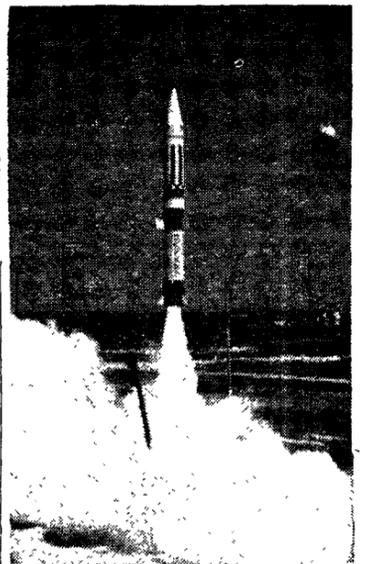
The last three firings (June 9, June 30 and July 26) were programmed to test the missile's reaction to atmospheric conditions which might be encountered in a tactical firing. Instruments were pre-set to cause the missile to perform a "rock and roll" pattern, moving it slightly out of its normal trajectory as might be done by high winds. In each case, the missile righted itself and continued on its intended path.

In the last test, the Pershing was successfully fired from its mobile transporter-erector-launcher.

The missile has been developed under the supervision of the Army Ballistic Agency, an element of the Army Ordnance Missile Command at Redstone Arsenal. However, the development of the Pershing Weapon System does not follow the pattern established by earlier Army ballistic missile systems. The effort is being provided almost entirely by American, industry, while ABMA retains control of the system design concept by exercising technical supervision over the efforts of the prime contractor. In this manner, the contractor gains maximum benefits from the extensive ballistic missile skills and experience available at ABMA, and the capacity of the agency remains available to meet other development requirements.

The Martin Company of Orlando, Florida, as prime weapons contractor, is responsible for research and development of the system, reliability, testing, and production of the missile and associated ground equipment.

Subcontractors in the progressive development program and their responsibility include: Bendix-Eclipse-Pioneer Division, Teterboro, New Jersey, the inertial guidance stable platform and associated equipment; Bulova Watch Company, Long Island, New York, the fuzing and arming system; Thiokol Chemical Corporation, Huntsville, design and development of the propulsion system; and Thompson Products Accessories division, Cleveland, Ohio, manufacture of the transporter-



THE ARMY'S PERSHING, versatile and reliable surface-to-surface ballistic missile, blasts off in another successful test firing at Cape Canaveral. The missile has a record of six successful firings in as many attempts.

Designed to replace the liquid-propellant Redstone, the Pershing is a two-stage, solid propellant, inertially guided ballistic missile. When mounted on its full-tracked carrier, it can be moved into firing position, erected and launched in a matter of minutes.

The missile was named for General of the Armies John J. Pershing the 100th anniversary of whose birth will be celebrated September 13, 1960, by Presidential proclamation.

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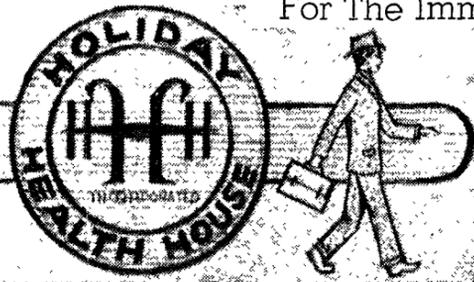
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Births at Post Hospital

James Byron White, 3 lbs. 11½ ozs., Sept. 1, 60, son of CWO-4 and Mrs. Hiltor B. White.
 Cathy Leona Jackson, 6 lbs. 1 oz. Sept. 1, 60, daughter of HMC and Mrs. Orbery I. Jackson.
 Bruce Dale Hollingsworth Jr., 7 lbs. 10ozs., Sept. 2, 60, son of SP5 and Mrs. Bruce D. Hollingsworth.
 Andrea Marie Cooper, 6 lbs. 3½ ozs., Sept. 4, 60, daughter of SP4 and Mrs. Albert B. Cooper.
 Robin Lynn Reheman, 7 lbs., 14 ozs., Sept. 6, 60, daughter of Pfc and Mrs. Ronald G. Reheman.
 Charles Ralph Ogle, Jr., 7 lbs 6½ ozs., Sept. 6, 60, son of A3c and Mrs. Charles R. Ogle.
 Michael Joseph Quigley, 6 lbs., 12 ozs., Sept. 7, 60, son of Pfc and Mrs. Donald E. Quigley.
 Susan Angela Gardner, 6 lbs. 12¾ ozs., Sept. 7, 60, daughter of SP4 and Mrs. Charles T. Gardner.
 Michael James McKinley, 8 lbs., 8¼ ozs., Sept. 7, 60, son of 1st Lt and Mrs. David J. McKinley.

FIRST MEETING

The Madison Pike School PTA will hold its first meeting of the 1960 school year Tuesday in the school from 8 to 8:30 p. m. The meeting will be preceded by an "Open House" at 7:15 p. m. Entertainment will be furnished by a barbershop quartet. A nursery will be available for the use of parents with small children. Refunds from the used book sale will be made at 7:00 p. m. in the Principal's office:

play. In other games played Ft. Rucker downed Ft. Bragg (4-2), Ft. Campbell walked over Ft. McPherson (6-1), and Ft. Jackson defeated Ft. Gordon (4-2). The second round of play found Redstone on the short end of a (7-2) game with Ft. Rucker; eliminating them from the 3rd Army playoffs.

The Post Swimming Pool reported an attendance of 1300, while the Special Services picnic areas were well used by many family groups in this last holiday of the summer season.

Holiday Sports Activities

ing and conditioning program, Sept. 2, for trainers, coaches, and officials. Topics discussed pertain-

Sports office, Special Service activities continued over the holiday weekend to provide information, recreation, and relaxation for many servicemen and their dependents.

Capt. Rugg, of UTC, held an excellent three hour football train-

FOOTBALL SCHEDULE

September 14—Hq. Det, USAG vs ARGMA-ABMA.
 September 16—Co "A", OGMS vs Co. "B", OGMS.
 September 20—Hq. Det, USAG vs Co. "A" OGMS.
 September 21—Hq. OGMS vs Co "B". OGMS.

ed to athletic conditioning in relation to football injuries, the various injuries, and treatment of injuries. A live demonstration of specific taping problems were covered to enable trainers to prevent further player injury so players may continue their performances. The clinic was well attended by coaches and trainers.

In baseball competition Redstone Arsenal All-Star baseball team was beaten by Elora, Tenn. (12-6). The game was not a total loss considering the fact the All-Stars tried situation plays which may prove valuable in the 3rd Army baseball tournament, Sept. 11th and 16th will conclude the All-Star's practice games before the tourney.

Meanwhile at Ft. Benning the Redstone Arsenal softball team was narrowly edged by Ft. Benning (5-4) in their first round of

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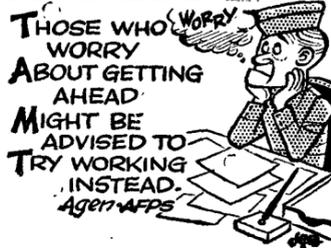
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Wednesday, Sept. 14, "Studs Lonigan" starring Christopher Knight and Venetia Stevenson. Time 1800 and 2030 hours.
 Thursday - Friday, Sept. 15 - 16, "The Angel Wore Red" starring Ava Gardner and Joseph Cotton. Time 1800 hours.
 Saturday Sept. 17, SPECIAL MATINEE, "Ride Lonesome" starring Randolph Scott and Karen Steele. Time 1000 hours.
 Saturday, Sept. 17, "Tiger Boy" starring John Mills and Horst Buchholz. Time 1800 and 2030 hours.
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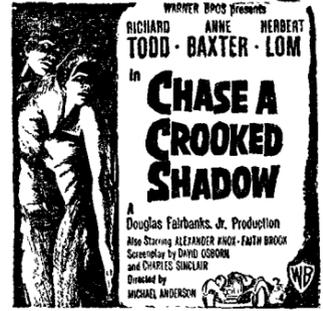


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Army and Martin Company Test Fire Captive Pershing

The U. S. Army and the Martin Company conducted another captive sequential test firing Sept. 6, of the two stage solid propellant Pershing ballistic missile.

The captive sequential firings using both first and second stage motors are the prelude to actual two stage firing tests of the mid-range Pershing.

In today's test, all components of the missile were tested simulating an actual flight. Two bays of the Army Rocket and Guided Missile Agency vertical test stand were used. The Thiokol-developed first stage motor with a dummy second stage and dummy warhead to provide proper weight was set up in one bay. Beside it in the other test bay, the Thiokol second stage motor with a complete guidance section and a dummy warhead was installed.

The guidance section controlled both of the tested missile, activating the second stage motor after burnout of the first.

Missile guidance and control functions were simulated to represent a flight test except that in captive test the missile was subjected to even more strenuous requirements than is possible during flight.

Instrumentation recorded data on temperature, vibration, stress, strain and other factors to compile information on the performance of the missile.

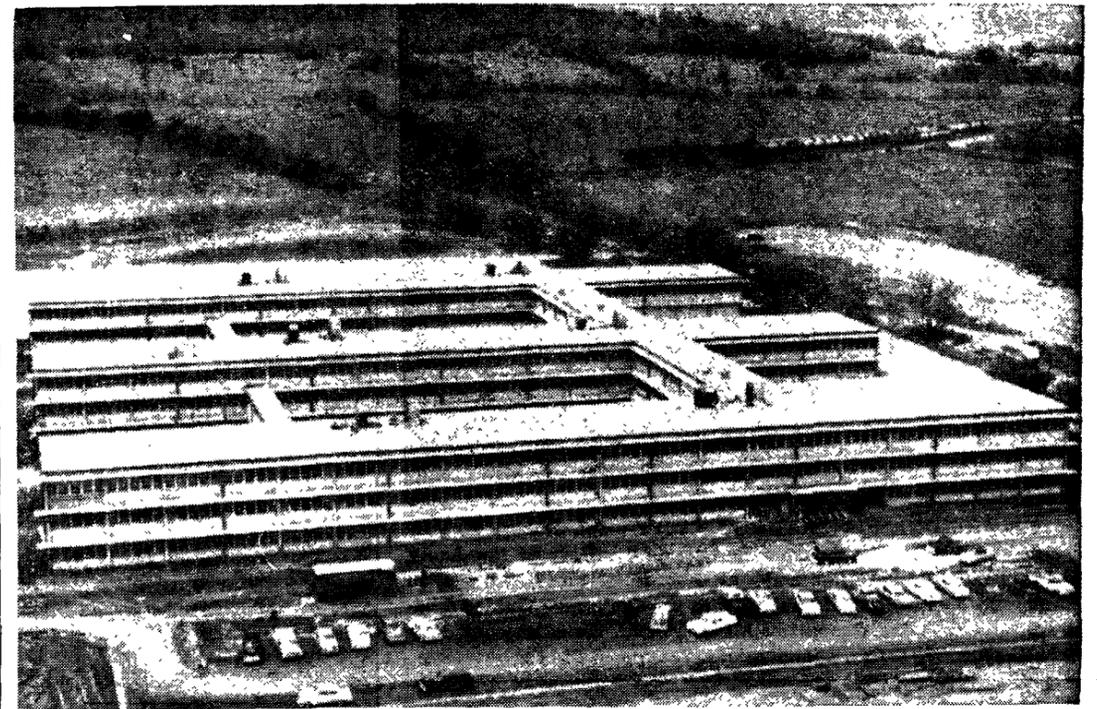
Personnel of the Martin Company performed the firing under the supervision of the Test, Evaluation and Firing Laboratory of the Army Ballistic Missile Agency. They said the test was a success.

Six successful Pershing flight tests out of six attempts have been accomplished thus far in the program. These tests used only the first stage motor.

The highly-mobile Pershing is under development for the Army by the Army Ballistic Missile Agency, an element of the Army Ordnance Missile Command. The Martin Company of Orlando, Fla., is the prime contractor, The Redstone Division of the Thiokol Chemical Corporation is the propulsion subcontractor and produced the motors used in today's successful firing.

"Our primary weapon system is the individual soldier and we must first consider how we can multiply his effectiveness."

—Lt. Gen. John C. Oakes, Deputy Chief of Staff for Military Operations



SOON-TO-BE-OPEN HOUSE— New headquarters building for the Army Rocket and Guided Missile Agency, an element of the Army Ordnance Missile Command, will be dedicated Oct. 15 at Redstone Arsenal. Col. John G. Zierdt, ARGMA Commander, announced today that the building, now nearing completion, and other ARGMA facilities will be opened to the general public for the first time as part of the dedication ceremonies.

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SERGEANT-MAJOR COMMENDED—Maj. Gen. John A. Barclay, Deputy Commander, Army Ordnance Missile Command, congratulates Sergeant Major Samuel S. Sumner after awarding him the Army Commendation Medal. Recently assuming new duties as AOMC Sergeant Major, Sgt. Maj. Sumner received the award for outstanding service while attached to American Forces Network, Europe, in Frankfurt, Germany, from June 1958 through June 1960. A veteran of 19 years Army service, he is a native of Burgaw, North Carolina.

Wave." Peter Gilman, "Diamond Head," Roger Grenier, "Years in Ambush," Martha Griffis. "Fun with the Shapes in Space." Ruth Gruber, "Puerto Rico: Island of Promise," Florence Hausamen, "The Divorce Handbook," William Randolph Hearst, "Ask Me Anything," Helen Hoke, "Music Boxes, Their Lore and Lure," George Jessel, "Jessel, Anyone?" George Jones, "Parents Deserve to Know". Donald Keyhoe, "Flying Saucers," Galway Kinnell, "What a Kingdom it Was," Bob Krauss, "Here's Hawaii," Yutang Lin, "The Importance of Understanding," Cynthia Lindsay, "The Natives are Restless." Emilie Loring, "How Can the Heart Forget?," Phillip Marson, "A Teacher Speaks", Thomas Martin, "Dynasty, the Longs of Louisiana," Scott Meredith, "Writing to Sell," Helen Miller, "Nightshade", Mary Motley, "Devils in Waiting".

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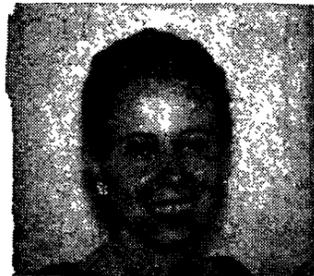
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ARGMA Establishes Missile Safety Systems Office

The Missile Systems Safety Office was established in ARGMA on July 27, 1960. This staff office reports directly to the ARGMA Commander and is responsible for advising organizational elements on Missile Systems' Safety.

Establishment of the Missile Systems Safety Office represents a new approach by the Army to further insure that the many safety problems encountered in the development, production, and field of missile systems are adequately resolved.

It is imperative that missile systems contain the necessary safety features that will allow them to be manufactured, transported, handled, stored, and fired with unnecessary hazards to operating personnel. In addition, the location of our defensive missile sites around heavily populated cities has further accentuated the necessity of eliminating unnecessary hazards.

The Army can ill afford to have a missile system that might accidentally fire or explode and result in injury to personnel in the surrounding community. The responsibility of producing safe missile systems is still retained



ARMY COMMENDATION MEDAL is pinned on CWO Arthur P. Hutto (left) by Col Owen T. McCloskey, Commander of Redstone Arsenal. CWO Hutto, Chief, Transfer Point in the Arsenal Military Personnel Division received the award for his accomplishments at Redstone Arsenal between Dec. 17, 1958 and Aug. 31, 1960.

by the various project managers and their assigned engineers.

The Missile Systems Safety Office will provide technical assistance on missile safety problems and will independently review all safety aspects of missile systems.

It will furnish the operational divisions with the latest standards, and research and test results in order that potential safety hazards may be eliminated in the original design.

The office will review and approve all criteria drawings for local facilities used for the manufacture, storage, static and flight test, and research on missiles of missile component.

It will approve for safety all standing operating procedures for hazardous operations. In addition, the office will maintain all liaison contacts relative to missile sys-

PFC NULL DISPLAYS STAMPS

Pfc Merlin R. Null of Los Angeles, California, who is assigned to the 228th Ord Det, in Corporal Radar Repair, has on display in the show case the Post Library at Redstone Arsenal a representative group of stamps from his collection. Stamps exhibited are those of the United States, Germany, and commemorative Ant-

tics safety between the agency and higher headquarters and other installations or contractors.

Services of the Missile Systems Safety Office are available to any contractor, installation, using unit, etc. Basically, the office will administer an objective program aimed at preventing accidental injury, property damage, and adverse public relations.

artic Expedition stamps of seven countries.

Pfc Null has been collecting stamps for about eight years. His collection contains German stamps dating from 1945, all Antarctic Expeditions, United Nations,

Greenland and Malagasy Republic. From time to time the library hopes to display more of his collection. Pfc Null is a member of the Huntsville Stamp Club and is a part-time employe at the Post Library.

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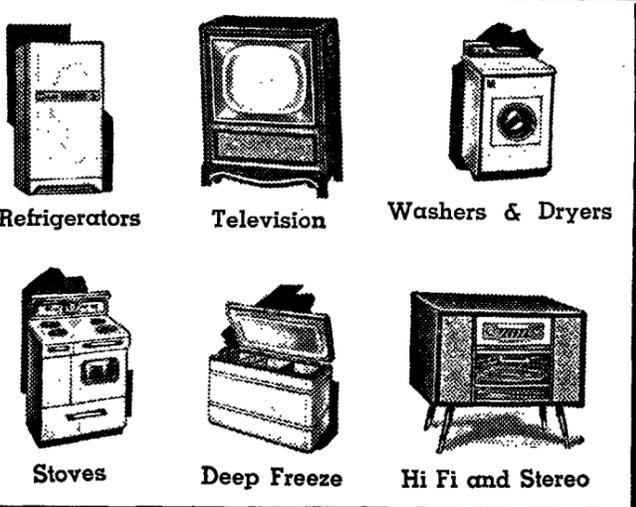
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Commanders' Messages

The Commanding General of the Army Ordnance Missile Command, and his Agency Commanders issued the following messages for the General of the Armies John J. Pershing Centennial today:

ARMY ORDNANCE MISSILE COMMAND

The brilliance of General John J. Pershing's devotion to his country has not been dimmed by the years since World War I. His undaunted spirit of service and humility serves as an example for all men, military and civilian. General Pershing, a living symbol of World War I, was warmly received after that conflict by an American public grateful for his outstanding leadership and steadfastness.

Personnel at Redstone Arsenal should take particular pride in paying tribute today to the man whose name is carried by the Army's versatile and reliable Pershing ballistic missile. I ask that every member of this command join me in this tribute on "General of the Armies John J. Pershing Centennial Day."

AUGUST SCHOMBURG

Major General, USA
Commanding

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The nation-wide observance of Pershing Centennial Day freshens our memories of this dedicated general of World War I fame.

The high level of patriotism and loyalty demonstrated by General Pershing during that conflict, and throughout his long life of service

to the country he loved, should inspire us to remain vigilant in safeguarding our liberties against tyranny.

Let us observe the 100th anniversary of General Pershing's birth with fresh resolve to renew our patriotism and stiffen our moral fiber as the necessary foundations of our strength.

RICHARD M. HURST
Brigadier General, USA
Commander

ARMY ROCKET AND GUIDED MISSILE AGENCY

It is a distinct pleasure to participate in the observance of "General of the Armies John J. Pershing Centennial Day."

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As a citizen and as a soldier, he was truly one of the outstanding individuals in United States history.

JOHN G. ZIERDT
Colonel, Ordnance Corps
Commander

HEADQUARTERS, REDSTONE ARSENAL

One hundred years ago the first General of the Armies was born and this Nation was given one of the greatest military leaders of its history, General John J. Pershing. September 13, 1960 has been set aside by Presidential proclamation for commemoration of this outstanding soldier and the men who served with

Army Technicians Meet Tomorrow

Representatives of 45 Army installations will attend the three-day Ordnance Maintenance Technicians symposium schedule to open at the Rocket Auditorium tomorrow morning.

The symposium is the first meeting of this group, recently established as a separate service from the Ordnance Maintenance program which had headquarters at Raritan Arenal. The program was broken into three sections: special weapons, automotive, and guided missiles and rockets each with separate headquarters. The missile headquarters was established at the Arsenal under the Army Ordnance Missile Command.

Host organization for the symposium is the Army Rocket and Guided Missile Agency, Field Service Operations.

Col. R. O. Lehtonen, Deputy Commander of ARGMA, is scheduled to welcome the group. A second welcome will be extended by A. A. Stewart, Acting Direc-

him.

Throughout 66 years that his name was on the Army's active list he displayed excellent leadership and high character. As Chief of the American Expeditionary Force, in Europe during World War I, his decisive actions prevented American troops from being used as replacements in the worn Allied Armies. His unyielding will to win permeated his units and influenced the Allied Armies. Time proved his judgment and leadership right, as it has done for all campaigns with which General Pershing was associated.

It is most fitting that today we honor this man who served with high character and dynamic leadership. These are admirable qualities that span time and remain as needed now as in the past.

OWEN T. McCLOSKEY
Colonel, Ordnance Corps
Commander

1787 PUZZLE: HOW TO SELECT THE PRESIDENT

One of the most puzzling questions facing the Constitutional

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Gustav Ingold, Chief, Technical Assistance Division, who was instrumental in initiating Army maintenance program during World War II, will outline the general Field Service Operation. Scheduled to speak are Gilbert Workman, Chief, OCMT Joseph Flaherty, Deputy Chief, OCMT, and many other representatives working in the program.

The symposium is a joint training and liaison project. The speakers will be introduced by Karl P. T. Marx, Chief, Contract Technician Branch, Technical Assistance Division.

convention of 1787 was the method if choosing the President and what share the people should have in his election.

Equally perplexing was the problem of how much weight each state should have in choosing him—whether or not the larger states should be given a bigger say in the election.

Since a conservative and aristocratic group controlled the convention, it was quickly decided that the people should not vote directly for the President.

After much debate the convention agreed that the President should be selected by electors chosen as the legislature of each state might think best.

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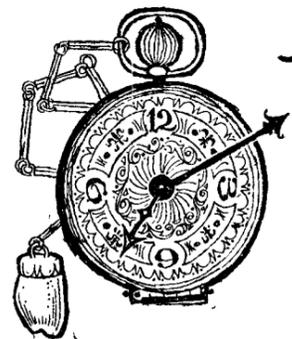


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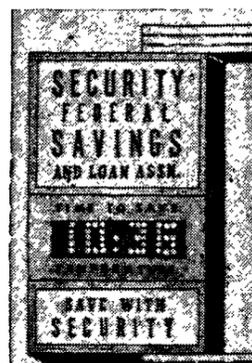
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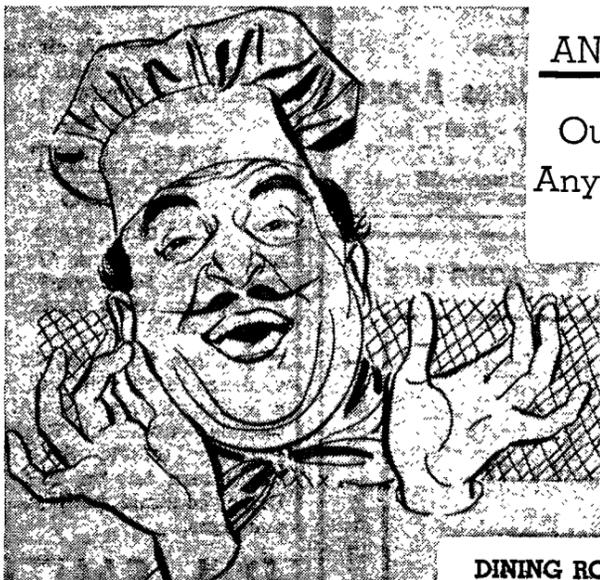
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TEXT OF PRESIDENT'S SPEECH AT DEDICATION OF SPACE CENTER

Governor Patterson, Mrs. Marshall, Mayor Searcy, Dr. Glennan, Dr. von Braun, Members of the Congress, other Distinguished Guests, and Fellow Americans:

It is always good to come back to our Southland, this region of traditional hospitality and friendliness. I thank you both, Mr. Governor and Mr. Mayor, for making me feel welcome, and so much at home.

I have long looked forward to visiting this spot. I know that, for an old foot soldier, it will be a revelation to see at firsthand the efforts here underway to probe into the mysteries of the universe millions of miles from our earth.

Already, in brief visits with your distinguished men of rocketry, I have made a significant discovery of my own.

I find that the leaders of the new space science feel as if Venus and Mars are more accessible to them than a regimental headquarters was to me as a platoon commander forty years ago.

To move conceptually, in one generation, from the hundreds of yards that once bounded my tactical world to the unending millions of miles that beckon these men onward, is a startling transformation.

I freely admit to sentimentality in my contemplation of these advances, because so much of this dramatic accomplishment was pioneered by the United States Army, which until recently was my life and my home.

Here, under Army guidance, Redstone and Jupiter and a whole family of missiles have taken form. Here, too, was created Explorer I, America's first earth satellite. I share with the Army its gratification in these trail-blazing achievements, which have their counterparts in other services. These achievements have thrilled the American people and won plaudits throughout the world.

The momentum thus gained accelerates today under the civilian management of the new National Aeronautics and Space Administration, guided by Dr. Glennan, and his Deputy, Dr. Dryden. The gifted scientists, engineers and technicians who splendidly served the Army are now eagerly developing for this new organization, the gigantic launch vehicle, "Saturn."

No doubt this mighty rocket system makes its presence known loudly—possibly too loudly—in Huntsville. But it is a significant forward step in our conquest of space and for growth in human comprehension.

Already we have improved our understanding of matter, energy, motion and life processes through our early efforts in space.

The characteristics of the radiation belts girdling the earth—the true nature of our space environment, including solar storms—the appearance of the earth's total cloud cover—the feasibility of a world-wide communications system utilizing satellites—these and other space ventures have opened new vistas of thought, understanding, and opportunity.

These, of course, are only beginnings. This past month new milestones in space exploration have been headlined throughout the world. As the months go by we shall see many more.

Marvel as we will at these technical achievements, we must not overlook this truth:

All that we have already accomplished, and all in the future that we shall achieve, is the outgrowth not of a soulless, barren technology, nor of a grasping state imperialism. Rather, it is the product of unrestrained human talent and energy restlessly probing for the betterment of humanity. We are propelled in these efforts by ingenuity and industry—by courage to overcome disappointment and failure—by free-ranging imagination—by insistence upon excellence—with none of this imposed by fiat, none of it ordered by a domineering bureaucracy. In this fact is proof once again that hard work, toughness of spirit, and self-reliant en-

terprise are not mere catchwords of an era dead and gone. They remain the imperatives for the fulfillment of America's dream.

Not pushbuttons or electronic devices, therefore, but superlative human qualities have brought success and fame to this place. These qualities I mention here because they typify a distinguished American—George Catlett Marshall—in whose name we carry forward this activity.

General Marshall was supremely endowed. He was a man of war, yet a builder of peace—forceful and dynamic as a leader, calculating and prudent in judgment, yet warmly regarded by his associates. He was selfless, indeed self-effacing, yet known and admired throughout the world. Though dominating in personal force, in action and thought he was humble and considerate.

Northern born and Southern schooled, all-American through military service, he ultimately be-

came a citizen of the world. I, of course, knew him best during the prosecution of World War II. I found him immune to discouragement, relentless in carrying the war to the enemy, and unsparing of himself in his leadership of the great forces he directed. But so profound was his devotion to the constructive works of peace—so outspokenly was he their advocate as Secretary of State—that he later became the symbol of renewed hope for scores of millions of suffering people through his great Plan for Europe that will forever bear his name. He became, in consequence, the only professional soldier ever to be honored with the Nobel Peace Prize.

During his final twenty years he lived with, he counseled and influenced, the greatest men and movements of his time. Through it all he remained unaffected, reserved, completely disinterested in self, and dedicated to our Nation's highest ideals.

We, participating in this brief ceremony, agree with Sir Winston Churchill, that "succeeding generations must not be allowed to forget (General Marshall's) achievements and his example."

There are ways to do this that General Marshall would have prized far more than what we do here today. It is not enough that we rest with praise of his name.

But we can newly resolve to work ceaselessly, with all our hearts and with such talents as we may possess, as did he throughout his life, for the good of this land and its freedoms.

Thus we shall carry forward the noble mission of our republic, ever striving to strengthen peace, ever advancing the cause of human liberty, ever doing our best to build a better life for all.

That is what George Marshall would wish of us today.

In this spirit, and with deep satisfaction in having shared in this tribute to a revered friend, I dedicate this, the George C. Marshall Space Flight Center.

May this great Center be ever worthy of its honored name.

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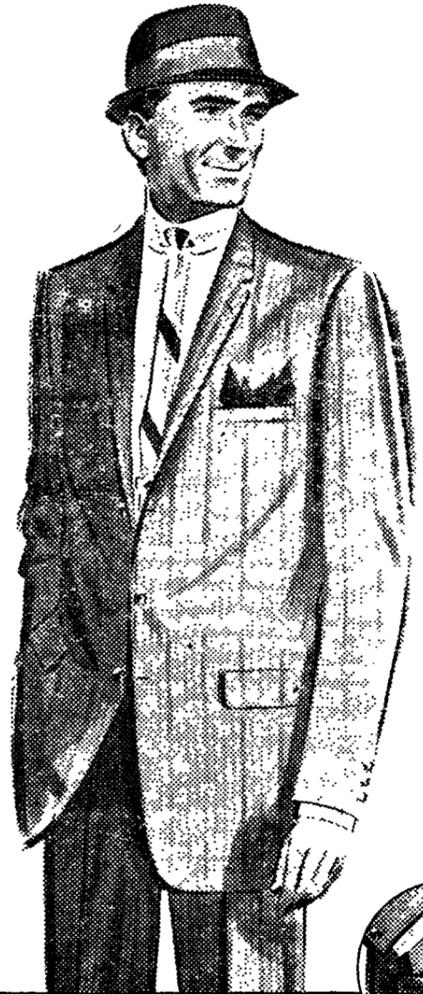
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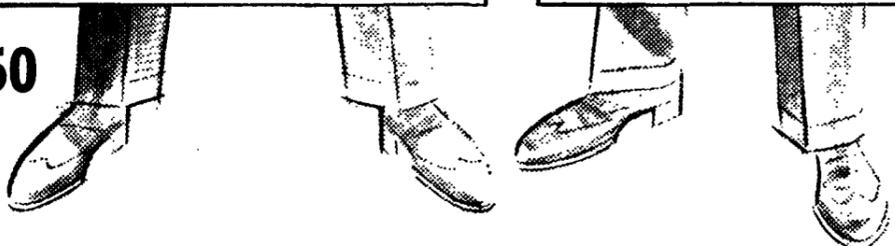
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