

# The Redstone Rocket

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## Sunrise Services Scheduled

Service Sponsored By Chaplain and Local Ministers

Easter Sunrise services will be held behind the Redstone Arsenal Post Chapel at 6 a.m. on Easter Sunday, sponsored by the Huntsville Ministers Association.

The 55th Army Band under the baton of CWO DeWitt Mytinger, will present prelude music beginning at 5:35 a.m. The Huntsville High School Chorus will sing. Dr. Harrison McMains, president of the Ministers Association, and pastor of the First Christian Church of Huntsville, will give the Easter meditation.

The post chaplain and other ministers of the Huntsville area will take part. In event of rain, services will be held inside the chapel.

At 10 a.m. on Easter Sunday and at 11:15, Services will be held at the Post Chapel.

At Redstone Park Chapel, Easter Service will be held at 11 a.m. There will be no Christian Youth Fellowship meeting, either junior or senior, on Easter Sunday evening.

The Catholic Easter Services will be held at the hours of the regular Sunday Masses at 7:30 a.m., 8:45 a.m., 12:30 p.m. and 5 p.m. There will be no catechism on Holy Saturday or Easter Sunday.

### BLOODMOBILE

Red Cross Bloodmobile will be at the Post Gym on Wednesday, March 29, from 8:30 a.m. to 2:30 p.m.

The routes to the Bloodmobile will be marked with arrows from all major Arsenal thoroughfares. The Bldg. number is 5163.

## John Slezak Receives Two-Day Orientation Tour of Missile Post

John Slezak, Chairman of the Defense Reserve Forces Policy Board, arrived at Redstone Arsenal March 23 for a two-day tour of Army missile activities.

He was met at the Redstone airstrip by Maj. Gen. August Schomburg, Commanding General of the Army Ordnance Missile Command.

Slezak is also the Illinois Civilian Aide to the Secretary of the Army and is a member of the Army Ordnance Advisory Committee on Research and Development.

This afternoon Slezak heard briefings on AOMC's mission and worldwide facilities. (See JOHN SLEZAK on Page 3)

### DIRECT TRAFFIC ROUTE

Recently, Dodd Road was opened to morning traffic from Gate 2 to the Army Ordnance Missile Command, Army Ballistic Missile Agency Headquarters, and the Army Rocket and Guided Missile Agency Headquarters. This road is a fast, direct means of reaching these work areas from the South and its use is intended to minimize traffic on Patton Road during the morning rush hour. However, records indicate that the maximum traffic load is not utilizing this route. This procedure is on a trial basis, and Redstone officials are encouraging the full use of this means of reducing congestion on Patton Road.

**DELIVERS CHECK**—Maj. Gen. August Schomburg (right), commanding general of the Army Ordnance Missile Command at Redstone Arsenal, Huntsville, Alabama, delivered a check for \$2,000 recently to the Army Distaff Foundation. It was a gift from the Huntsville Chamber of Commerce, and the "Huntsville Times," Gen. Wade H. Haislip, U. S. Army (Ret.), vice president of the Foundation, accepted the check. He briefed his guest with a model of a home to be erected by the Foundation, for Army dependents. Under the auspices of the Huntsville Chamber of Commerce, a special showing of a movie about Wernher von Braun, former Army missile expert, yielded \$1,700 of the sum tendered, and the "Huntsville Times" donated the remainder.

## Teenager Suggests: Send Our Family Cat In Rocket

### Messages Received Include Fuel Sample

A 16 year-old boy in New York City has asked the U. S. Army to help him send the family cat on a rocket ride.

His letter, one of many received daily at Redstone Arsenal, head-

quarters of the U. S. Army Ordnance Missile Command, asked that one complete Army missile with empty nose cone be forwarded as soon as possible.

Teenagers, both in the U. S. and abroad, manifest a continuing interest in missiles and rockets. Most ask for information about Army missiles. The Army is glad to comply.

Some of the mail addressed to Maj. Gen. August Schomburg, AOMC commanding general, however, asks for items the Army cannot supply.

A youth in New Jersey forwarded a diagram of a proposed missile, adding that he was having trouble finding some economical, safe, heavy duty propellant. He wondered if the general could loan him "about a gallon of rocket fuel."

Another lad wrote and asked where he could get some nitroglycerine.

A young man in Indiana addressed a letter to the "Army missile people" at Redstone Arsenal, Ala., with this request: "I would like some information on rockets and missiles if you know anything."

From Florida came a request to the chief of the Army's missile program asking: "Please send me some information on the (See TEENAGERS on Page 2)

## CONTRACT LET FOR PRODUCTION OF NIKE HERCULES

The Department of the Army today awarded a \$23,222,202 contract for continued production of Nike Hercules guided missiles.

The award to the Western Electric Company, prime contractor, will procure missiles for the Army and the Military Assistance Program.

Nike Hercules, a supersonic anti-aircraft guided missile, is operational at air defense sites throughout the country.

Work to be performed will be done at Western Electric's North Carolina plants at Greensboro and Winston-Salem. The Douglas Aircraft Company's plant at Charlotte, N. C., will share in the work.

The Army Rocket and Guided Missile Agency is technical supervisor of the Hercules program.



**EASTER EGG HUNT**—Bobby Mitchell and Paul Walker inspect some of the prizes to be awarded the best Easter Egg hunters Saturday at 1:30 p.m. The hunt is sponsored by the Joint Activities Council at Redstone Arsenal. The hunters, with baskets of their own, will convene on the field adjoining the Rocket Service Club, Lt. Col. James Spellman, chairman, said. Ages range from nine years, and groups will be divided by ages to keep the competition fair. Prizes will be for most eggs gathered and for a "golden" egg.

## EASTER EGG HUNT WILL TAKE PLACE ON PARADE FIELD

The Easter Egg Hunt sponsored by the Special Projects Committee of the Joint Activities Council are completed for Saturday, April 1 when youngsters from infants to nine years will compete in finding the golden egg and in finding the most eggs on the parade field behind the Rocket Service Club.

The hunt begins at 1:30 p.m. Buses will load at regular stops in the housing areas to transport youngsters and parents to the area, Lt. Col. James W. Spellman, chairman, announced.

Reservations are necessary. Dependents of military personnel assigned or visiting in the area including members of the NATO troops are eligible to participate. Youngsters under four years should be accompanied by their parents, Col. Spellman said. (See EGG HUNT on Page 2)

## Commissioners Court to Be Established

A United States Commissioners Court will be established at Redstone Arsenal immediately to handle traffic violations on post by civilian personnel.

Violations by military will continue to be handled under the Uniform Code of Military Justice.

The Court is being established to ensure equitable treatment for all violators of Post Traffic regulations. A summons may be issued for any series of traffic violations over a 12 month period and/or for causing accidents.

All traffic problems will be judged in consonance with Alabama State Law, which is honored by the Federal statutes.

Court will be held in the Legal (See COMMISSIONER on Page 3)

## Newsmen Visit Kwajalein To See Nike Zeus Site

Editor's note: A group of newsmen completed a 10-day tour of the Pacific Missile Range Friday. During the trip they visited down-range sites in Hawaii and on Kwajalein. In this account to the Rocket, Copley News Service correspondent Frank Macomber gives his view of the tour.)

**BY FRANK MACOMBER**  
Copley News Service

Thirty U. S. newsmen on a tour of the Pacific Missile Range have learned more during the last week than the state of the Nation's missile programs. We have seen first-hand how inter-service teamwork can and does pay off.

The Navy, as custodian of the Pacific Missile Range, arranged our journey to Hawaii and then

on down-range to Kwajalein to see the giant Nike Zeus missile complex.

But the Army and the Air Force pitched in to help, too. Their courtesy and thoughtfulness at all the stations we visited was gratifying.

From the day we left Point Mugu, until we arrived back in Honolulu after the air journey to Kwajalein, it was apparent the people working on the PMR and on the Nike Zeus project are a dedicated organization.

From time to time in Congress and even in the Pentagon, there have been doubts cast over the reliability of the Nike Zeus and its ability to bring down enemy ICBM's.

But the men who have designed (See NEWSMEN on Page 2)

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## NEW EQUIPMENT TRAINING COURSE IS UNDERWAY FOR NIKE HERCULES

### Teenagers

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Navy and Marines and their airplanes."

A girl in Massachusetts asked for "a picture of a missile blasting off and the White House."

A 10-year-old wrote asking for missile information, adding apologetically, "I asked the mayor and the chief of police but they don't seem to know much about them."

And then there was the youth who sent along a jellylike substance and asked to have it analyzed as a possible rocket fuel. An Army demolition expert handled that one. His report:

"That stuff could have blown the whole headquarters building sky high."

A cost-conscious young man in Michigan asked: "Would you please send me some free information on missiles?" He got it.

Many youngsters write regularly. A boy in California who had received a packet of unclassified information and photographs of Army missiles expressed thanks and a problem in his second letter. He said almost everyone in his science club had requested and received similar information. He wanted "a few secret things" to spruce up his report.

A correspondent in Texas also had a report problem. He said: "I have to hand in a report on missiles. Please send me a composition on plain white paper typed double space."

A new equipment training course on test equipment for the Improved Nike Hercules guided missile system has begun at Redstone Arsenal.

The course is under the supervision of the Tactical Systems Projects Office, Research and Development Operations of the Army Rocket and Guided Missile Agency.

ARGMA has the mission of assuring an early transfer of system knowledge and skills from the developer to appropriate technical service and user agencies.

Over 30 key military and civilian instructor personnel are enrolled in this first class. Personnel attending the course are from ARGMA, Ordnance Guided Missile School, First U. S. Army, Second U. S. Army and Sixth U. S. Army.

Instructors of Field Engineering Forces of Western Electric Company, Inc., under contract to ARGMA to teach this course are Keith Carroll, W. T. Jones and T. E. Pooley.

Four classes of two weeks duration are scheduled to be conducted. It is anticipated that another class might be necessary to meet the personnel requirements. Classes are being held in a facility furnished ARGMA by the Ordnance Guided Missile School.

Capt. William S. Aiberts of Nike Branch, OGMS, and George W. Wilde of Special Projects Branch, R&DO, ARGMA, gave a short welcoming address to the students prior to the start of the

## Newsmen

(Continued From Page 1) the Zeus and those who are erecting its complex fairly burst with confidence that the Nike Zeus will prove out as a reliable weapons system.

Seldom has a group of newsmen been given an opportunity to learn so much about a new weapons system in such a brief time.

Officials in charge of the program made available all the unclassified information about Nike Zeus and the PMR. I am sure I can speak for the entire group when I say the Navy deserves a "well done" for its role in setting up the PMR inspection.

The officers and civilian personnel who escorted us made every effort to keep us happy; and they succeeded, with an able assist from their sister services.

So let's made the "well done" apply to everybody who had anything to do with the PMR tour.

## Egg Hunt

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The nursery will be open, but reservations are necessary.

Lt. Michael A. Ciccarelli, in charge of egg dyeing, has asked all committee members to meet at Mess No. 1 at 7 p.m. on March 31.

Maj. Claude C. Anderson will conduct the hunt. Each child will furnish his own basket to hold his eggs. In case of rain, the event is scheduled on the patio at the Rocket Service Club.

Gate 2 will be open from 8 a.m. until 3 p.m. Saturday for the convenience of Redstone Park personnel.

The busses will follow the regular school bus route beginning at 12:50 p.m.

## IN HONORS CONVOCATION

ANDOVER, Mass. — The daughter of the senior field representative of the Army Rocket and Guided Missile Agency, Redstone Arsenal, Ala., at the Raytheon Co. plant here has been cited for academic achievement at Wellesley College.

Andrea Julian, daughter of Lt. Col. and Mrs. Leonard J. Julian, 52 Rawson Rd., Brookline, Mass. was named in the Wellesley Honors Convocation on March 17th.

first class.



RECEIVES CERTIFICATE—L. R. Horvath (left) Chrysler Corp., missiles division official, received a Certificate of Appreciation from Maj. Gen. E. P. Mechling, of the American Ordnance Association. At right is Col. O. M. Hirsch, director of Industrial Operations for the Army Ballistic Missile Agency, who addressed a meeting of the AOA production techniques division, which held a conference recently in New Orleans. Horvath was presented the certificate at the same meeting.

## Huntsville Citizens Presented Awards

Three Huntsville citizens have been honored for jobs well done at the Army Rocket and Guided Missile Agency, an element of the Army Ordnance Missile Command.

Brig. Gen. John G. Zierdt, commander of ARGMA, recently presented citations for sustained superior performance and an outstanding rating to James K. Fowler, 3710 Memorial Parkway, N. W.; and Eddie M. Vaughn, Jr., 1505 Sunvalley Rd., S. E.

Mrs. Betty See, 514 Paradise Trailer Park, received a rating of sustained superior performance.



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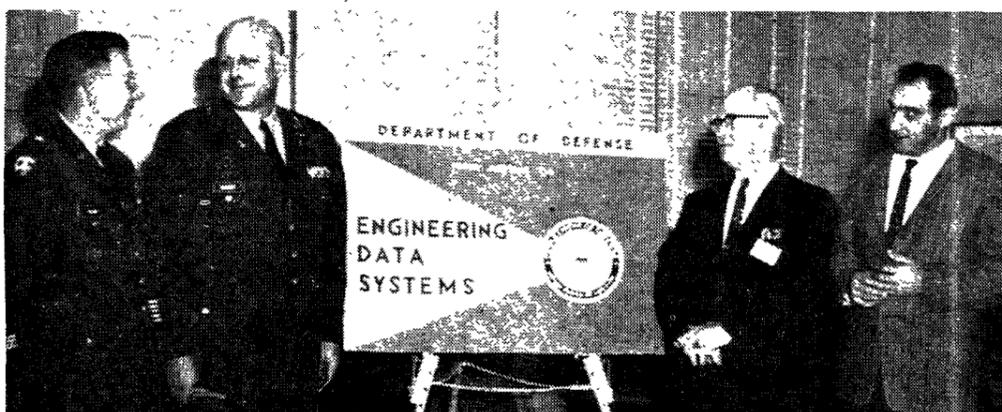


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**VISITOR**—Lt. Gen. Robert J. Wood, (third from left) Commanding General of the U. S. Army Air Defense Command, gets a briefing on reproduction of microfilm at the Army Ordnance Missile Command during a recent visit. Harry Patterson, Chief of Documentation Services Branch of the Army Rocket and Guided Missile Agency explains the operation to Gen. Wood, Brig. Gen. John G. Zierdt, Commander of ARGMA, and Col. R. O. Lehtonen, (for right) Deputy Commander of ARGMA. Machine operator (left) is Dwaine Blake.



**BRIG. GEN. I. L. Allen**, Deputy Director of the Armed Forces Supply Support Center in Washington, discusses engineering data systems with Col. H. H. Wishart, Chief of ARGMA Industrial Operations, John J. Dunn of AFSSC, and George Agamy, EDS program manager at ARGMA. The first Department of Defense meeting on EDS took place at ARGMA last week.

**Lt. Murakoshi Is Promoted at ABMA**

Allen Y. Murakoshi, a native of Wahiawa, State of Hawaii, has been promoted to the grade of first lieutenant.

Lt. Murakoshi is a liaison officer in the Technical Liaison Office of the Control Office, Army Ballistic Missile Agency.

After completing the basic officers' course at Aberdeen Proving Ground, Md., in December, 1959, he attended the Ordnance Guided Missile School at Redstone Arsenal, completing the surface-to-air missile course in June of 1960. His assignment to ABMA followed.

The son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Murakoshi, 146 Muliwai Ave., Wahiawa, Lt. Murakoshi is a graduate of Leilehua High School Wahiawa, and the University of Colorado at Boulder, which graduated him in 1959 with a degree in aeronautical engineering. He also attended the University of Hawaii for one year. He was elected a member of Sigma Tau, an honor society for engineering students. He is also a member of the American Rocket Society.

**ARGMA WIVES COFFEE**

Army Rocket and Guided Missile Agency wives will hold their monthly coffee at the Redstone Arsenal Officers' Open Mess April 4 at 10 a.m.

Reservations should be made with Mrs. H. M. Murray at 877-5146 prior to noon Friday. Can-

**Commission**

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Office at Redstone Arsenal, Bldg. 7132 as frequently as necessary to take care of the workload.

New regulations are being written at present to make "littering" a misdemeanor. According to Col. Thomas W. Cooke, Post Commander at the Arsenal, the litter problem includes all kinds of items from cigarette packages to large pieces of metal and lumber jarred from trucks which have not been properly strapped or covered. The latter offense is already on the books as a hazardous nuisance.

**Pershing Contract Is Awarded Martin**

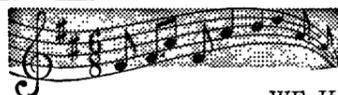
The Department of the Army today announced the award of a contract for \$1,196,894 to the Martin Co. of Orlando for items of ground support equipment for the Pershing selective range ballistic missile.

For use at the Ordnance Guided Missile School, the equipment will be used for individual specialist and unit training courses.

The Birmingham Ordnance District will administer the contract.

The Army Ballistic Missile Agency at Redstone Arsenal is the technical supervisor of the Pershing program.

cellations must be made by noon April 3.



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**John Slezak**

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Tomorrow he will see a mobility demonstration of the Pershing ballistic missile on its fully-tracked transporter. After viewing the Pershing test facility at Redstone, Slezak will be briefed on Army's Nike Zeus anti-missile missile system.

Friday evening he will attend the annual West Point Founders Day dinner at the Squirrel Hill Officers' Club.



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# Social News

## Arsenal Wives Club Plays Cards, Brunches in March

A Bridge Party and Brunch were the features of this month's meeting of the Redstone Arsenal Officers Wives Club at the Squirrel Hill Officers Club Tuesday morning, March 21.

Playing party bridge, Mrs. R. G. Heller and Mrs. J. E. Harris came out with top score; second was Mrs. A. V. Garrabrant, and third Mrs. Stanley J. Neitzel.

In duplicate bridge, Mrs. C. C. Young and Mrs. R. W. McNamee, Jr., were first; Mrs. Billy Tippins and Mrs. O. L. Knight were second; and Mrs. Charles Payne and Mrs. C. A. Hall were third.

Winners at canasta were: Mrs. John Gester, first, and Mrs. W. A. Davis, second.

Altogether, there were 26 tables of players at this event which replaces the regular party day for the party bridge group sponsored by the Wives Club.

Overall chairman was Mrs. A. J. Woodard.

## Redstone Dance Club Forms for Better, Modern Dancing

The newly formed Redstone Dance Club will meet Tuesday, April 4 and each Tuesday thereafter at 1930 hours in the old Stag Bar of the Squirrel Hill Officer's Club.

Having become dissatisfied with their proficiency and style of dancing, a group of military and civilian members of the Officer's Club decided to form a modern dance club for improvement.

The Redstone Dance Club has been formed from participants in the recent dance classes, to meet on Tuesday evenings for continued study and to attend the Sunday Buffet Suppers for social dancing.

Officers in the new club elected are: president, Maj. G. A. Wood; vice president, Maj. Charles Owens; music chairman, Capt. R.

## MRS. H. J. FINCH, PAT SMITH WIN AT PARTY BRIDGE

Four tables of bridge players competed at party bridge at the Squirrel Hill Officers Club Monday night, March 20.

High for the men was Mr. Pat Smith with Col. John Bowman second. For the women, Mrs. H. J. Finch was high with Mrs. Winford Patton second.

Reservations to play with the group may be made with Mrs. John Severeid by noon on Saturday.

## Dr. Muench Speaks To Texas Audience

Dr. Nils L. Muench, Chief Scientist of the Army Rocket and Guided Missile Agency, spoke before an audience of 150 members of the American Society of Mechanical Engineers of Texas A&M recently.

ARGMA's Chief Scientist's discussed "Army Missiles in the Nation's Future."

Preceding the speech an informal dinner meeting was held with members of Texas A&M Engineering Faculty.

Dr. Muench's speech was aimed at giving a clearer understanding of the role that U. S. Army missiles play in the overall national defense structure. He gave a brief description and function of each missile managed by the Army Ordnance Missile Command.

L. MacIntosh; publicity chairman, Mrs. L. B. Holmes; membership chairman, Mr. Pat Yount.

Anyone having completed the recent dance lessons and desiring to join the club, should contact the membership chairman, Mr. Pat Yount, JE 6-5581, Ext. 411 or JE 6-7348.

## Miss Virginia Sayers Weds Lt. John Blondel

The wedding of Miss Virginia Grace Sayers and Lt. John Vernon Blondel was solemnized at the Redstone Arsenal Post Chapel Friday evening, March 24 with the Rev. A. J. Yunker, Jr., of the First Presbyterian Church in Huntsville officiating.

The bride, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frederick Sayers, was given in marriage by her father.

The groom is the son of Col. and Mrs. Vernon J. Blondel of Arlington, Va.

For the double-ring, candle-light, ceremony, the bride wore a floor length gown of white lace. The fitted bodice, embroidered with sequins and seed pearls, had a high scalloped neckline and long sleeves. Tiered in back, the skirt was full with a chapel train. A circlet of seed pearls and sequins matching the bodice, suspended the chapel length veil.

The bride carried a bouquet of lilies with streamers of satin ribbon entwined with lilies. Miss Dorothy Sayer, sister of the bride, was maid of honor in cornflower blue organza. She carried a bouquet of candy striped carnations. The bridesmaids, Miss Linda Jackson and Miss Beth Culver, wore matching dresses of daffodil yellow and carried bouquets of white carnations.

Best man was the groom's brother, James Blondel, cadet at Virginia Polytechnic Institute. Ushers were: Lt. Harry Ennis, Lt. Dick Hall, Lt. Joel Thomas, and Lt. Leonard Schlegel.

Miss Georgette Graham was the organist and Mrs. Thomas Bowers, vocalist.

Approximately 100 guests attended the wedding and the reception at the Squirrel Hill Officers club immediately following the nuptials.

For the wedding of her daughter, Mrs. Sayer chose to wear lavender lace.

The bride and groom left the chapel under a ceremonial arch of swords.

Following a week's trip through the South, the couple expect to reside on post.

## Federal Accountants Addressed by Luker

Calvin Luker, Huntsville, representative of International Business Machine Corporation, was principle speaker at the monthly meeting of the Huntsville Chapter of F.G.A.A. Thursday evening.

Luker was introduced by the program director, Abner McNaron of AOMC at Redstone Arsenal. His subject, "Auditing Automatic Data Processing Systems," was of special interest to the group, since a number of these accountants are presently engaged in various phases of machine accounting.

Luker's presentation included some of the newer techniques which auditors could use in reviewing machine accounting systems. He made specific references to such methods as "Auditing by Exception" and "Leap-Frogging", which are being successfully used.

The highlight of his address, however, was his description of the newer machines being developed by IBM Corporation, as well as other companies which are also engaged in research on computers. He concluded his presentation with a brief discussion of revolutionary developments in the Computer area that may be expected within a few years.

In addition to Luker's address, Mark Hunter gave a report of the activities of the membership committee, of which he is chairman. He reported that in the fourteen months since the Huntsville Chapter was organized, the membership has grown from 44 charter members to a present total of 99.

A social hour preceded the dinner meeting, which was held in the Blue Room of the Russel Erskine Hotel. A number of guests and potential members attended.

## Chemists Will Hear Dr. Bjorksten on Increased Life Span

Dr. Johan Bjorksten, president-elect of the American Institute of Chemists, and president of Bjorksten Research Laboratories, and of Bjorksten Research Foundation, will speak on "Aging, The Neglected Field in Biological Research" at a dinner meeting of the Alabama Chapter A.C. on Monday evening, April 3, at the Hotel Russel Erskine.

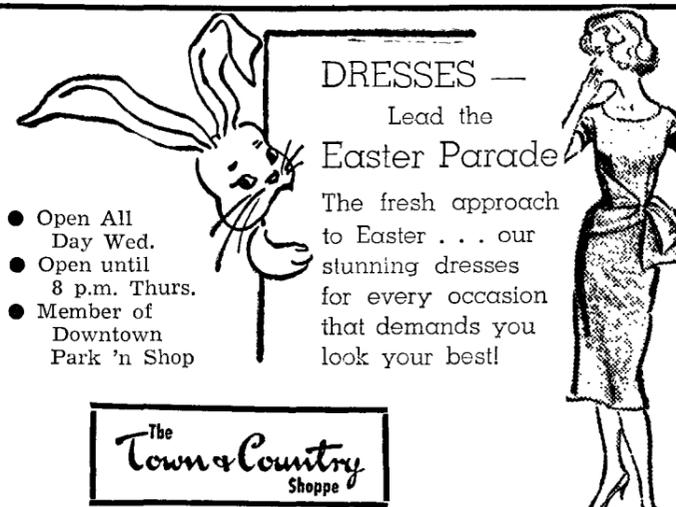
Dr. Bjorksten will point out that while much progress has been made in the control of infant mortality and infectious diseases, the life expectancy of a man at 60 is only a couple years higher than it was in 1789. He will analyze reasons for this lack of progress in the control of aging and its deleterious effects, will discuss recent progress in this field, and will outline a proposed approach which has as its goals the elimination of senility and the extension of the most productive portion of man's life.

Dr. Bjorksten's address at 8 p.m., will be preceded by a social hour at 6 p.m., and a roast beef dinner at 7 p.m. Cost of the dinner will be \$3.00 per plate, and reservations may be made with one of the following by Friday, March 31; ABMA, William Guthrie, 876-8656; ARGMA, Martin Williams, 876-8226; NASA, Lee Naftel, 876-7383; Rohm & Haas, Dr. Robert Walker, 876-9837; or Thiokol, John Miller, 876-9526.

Wives and friends of members, and all others who are interested in hearing Dr. Bjorksten are cordially invited to attend.

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**EASTER BONNETS**—Miss Carol Richardson, 19-year-old clerk stenographer in the ARGMA Field Service Operations Maps section, prettily poses in a series of Easter bonnets. The first is a blue straw with contrasting colors of blue chiffon and matching flowers; the second a beige straw with amber trim is reminiscent of the

"Empire Look"; (center) is Miss Richardson holding a Rebel cap to prove she's observing the centennial of the Civil War; four is a green straw with amber velvet trim and contrasting flowers; five is a straw pillbox with saucy veil. The photographer and Carol borrowed the hats from Harold's. (Photos by Jimmy Taylor)

### 'APRIL IN PARIS' IS THEME FOR COMING DANCE

"April in Paris" is the theme of the April 15 dance at the Squirrel Hill Officers Club.

The April dance is sponsored by Redstone Arsenal officers and will contain an authentic French program with a French menu featured in the dining room before dance time which is 8:30 p.m.

The dance will be informal and will be preceded by a Happy Hour from 7:30 p.m. until dance time.

### University Center Has Art Exhibition

An exhibition of paintings by the art faculty located on the main campus is on display at the University of Alabama Huntsville Center.

The exhibit consists of fourteen paintings done in both oils and watercolors.

This group of artists, including such painters as Richard Brough, Richard Zoellner, John Granta and Howard Goodson, is well known to the people of Huntsville and North Alabama. These artists have been here on various occasions in connection with art shows and lectures.

The exhibition is located in Room 100 of the Center Building and will be open to the public from 9:00 A.M. to 8:00 P.M. weekdays and 9:00 A.M. to 12:00 noon on Saturday, ending Saturday April 1. The exhibit is the first in a series of exhibitions that will be shown at the Center during the coming year.

### Art Group Plans Show April 5, 6, 7

The Art Group sponsored by the Redstone Arsenal Officers Wives Club will hold an art show in the Redstone Room at the Squirrel Hill Officers Club April 5, 6, and 7 under the direction of Dr. John G. Kramer.

The show will be open to mem-

### Lt. Wilson Elected Welding Society's First Chairman

Lt. Edward J. Wilson, a project officer on the U. S. Army's Nike Zeus anti-missile missile system, has been named first chairman of the newly-chartered Greater Huntsville Section of the American Welding Society.

Lt. Wilson, a metallurgist in the

Officers Club and their guests. Sherry will be served from 2:30 to 4:30 Wednesday, Apr. 5.

Free nursery service is available to those attending the sherry but reservations must be made.

Army Rocket and Guided Missile Agency, was installed with other new officers in recent ceremonies conducted by Fred Plummer, the society's national secretary. Plummer also presented the local group its charter at the installation dinner-dance. Mayor and Mrs. R. B. Searcy of Huntsville were honored guests.

Other officers of the new group include Dan Daley of the Marshall Space Flight Center, vice chairman for Huntsville; Robert Conner, vice chairman for Decatur; Emmett Lindsay of Wilson Dam, vice chairman for Tri Cities; James K. Dawson of MSFC, treasurer, and Sherwood Goldstein of the Army Ballistic Mis-

sile Agency, secretary.

Conner is employed by the American Bureau of Ships and Lindsay by the Tennessee Valley Authority. Dawson and Sherwood live in Huntsville.

The local organization's area extends from Guntersville to the Tri-Cities. It disseminates information on welding techniques and allied processes and serves to keep members fully informed of advances in the field.

The group has chosen Miss Peggy McGriff of the Army Ballistic Missile Agency, as its "Miss Welder" as a first step in its plans to observe National Welding Month, which begins April 1.

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**MONTGOMERY WARD**

## At the Service Club

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On Wednesday night, the Jitterbug classes will meet at 1930 hours in the large lounge, followed at 2030 hours by the Tango and Samba Classes.

Thursday night, March 30, the Shutter Club will hold their weekly meeting at 1900 hours. Then at 2000 hours, the All-Army Entertainment Contest will get under way. This is the live phase of the contest, and winners from Redstone will go to Fort Benning, Ga., to compete with other winners from the Third Army Area.

A pool contest will begin at 2000 hours on Friday, giving the experts their first competition since last month's Post-Wide Tournament.

Saturday, April 1st, there will be an April Fool's Game Party at 2000 hours. I might mention in passing that there are several quiet little nooks here at the club where gullible people can escape from practical jokers on April 1st.

On Easter Sunday, coffee and donuts will be served at 0930 hours from the kitchen. At 1900 hours Sunday night there will be a Record Dance under the theme of "Dance Night."

April 3rd, Monday night, there

will be an evening of games in the large lounge.

The Bridge Club will meet on Tuesday for another evening of cards and companionship. If you're at all interested in Bridge, by all means, drop by some Tuesday evening, as there's always a game going.

**HISTORY:** On the eve of St. Patrick's Day, a large number of dancing couples whirled under a curtain of Shamrocks for out St. Rick's Dance. Gene Louis' Sextet Patrick's Dance. Gene Louis' Sextet provided the music, and a very enjoyable evening resulted.

Then there was the Pizza Party on Saturday, the 18th. Ed Viennau and Betty Hayes supervised the construction of a large quantity of delicious pizzas, which were welcomed heartily by the patrons of Luigi's Pizza Parlor, open for one night in the lounge.

**FUTURE:** April begins to look like an exciting month as I gaze over the schedule for the next few weeks. First, there's a Costume Storybook Dance in the near future, so you can begin to pick out your favorite character from literature and collect a costume. A Patio Party also caught my eye as an interesting item. This will no doubt be a "sign-up" program, so keep that in mind. Then there will be a Post-Wide Table Tennis Tournament this month.

These programs, and many more are listed on our printed calendar-schedules, which are for your convenience. You can pick one up at the Show Case in the lobby of the club, so feel free to get one and keep up with the programs. That way you won't miss anything you'll regret.

That's it for this week, but I urge you to come by and take advantage of our outdoor equipment. See you soon?

Margaret



**DUMB BLONDE?** — Tain't so says delectable and curvaceous Sheri Zarvas as she assumes an academic pose to remind servicemen that National Library Week will be observed April 16-22.

### Library Features Competition for Library Week

An art exhibit, an essay contest, flower arrangements, and photos will all be judged during National Library Week which will be celebrated at the Post Library from 10 a.m. until 10 p.m. the week of April 16-22.

Miss Anna Farrar, Post Librarian said that such groups as the Girl Scouts, the Gray Ladies, the Chapel Guild, and the Noncommissioned Officers Wives will all participate in the week-long program.

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## Capt. Wheeler Is Assigned in ARGMA

Capt. William C. Wheeler, Jr., a recent graduate of the Ordnance Guided Missile School, has been assigned to the Army Rocket and Guided Missile Agency.

Capt. Wheeler will work as a procurement control and production officer in ARGMA Industrial Operations. His last assignment

before reporting to the Ordnance Missile Command was Team Chief of MAAG Mission in Liberia.

The new ARGMA Officer started his Army career in February 1954 at Aberdeen Proving Ground, Md. In addition to his tour in Liberia, he has had assignments in France and Germany.

He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Wheeler, 10842 Langford Drive, St. Louis, Missouri.

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# SPORTS

## German Air Force Defeats Auburn In Soccer Match

The German Air Force students at the Ordnance Guided Missile School defeated the Auburn Soccer Club, 5-3, Saturday in a match that had about everything.

One of the OGMS students kicked a goal for Auburn in the free-scoring European football match.

The Germans scored early, took a 2-1 halftime lead and were never threatened. In the second half, Pfc. Dieter Riedel of the OGMS team accidentally booted a goal for Auburn.

Sgt. Friedel Vogt sent OGMS out front, scoring a goal early in the match. Midway the first half, Pfc. Alfred Eberle added the second German point.

Auburn scored late in the first half. The goal was made by Chris Truetler, a German student at Auburn.

Vogt made it 3-1 early in the second half, then Sgt. Paul Dirhold iced the game with a goal to give the Germans a commanding 4-1 lead.

Right after Sgt. Dirhold's goal,

## GOLF GROUP PLAYS OPENER FOR 4, 5 AND 7

The Golf Group of the Redstone Arsenal Officers Wives Club held the first competition this season at the Redstone Arsenal Golf Course on March 23.

Twenty-two golfers played for 4's, 5's and 7's

Mrs. H. H. Wishart achieved the most 4's. Mrs. R. O. Lehtonen tied with Mrs. Stephen Albee, Jr., on 5's, and Mrs. E. J. Kloos had the most 7's.

Mrs. Wishart Group Chairman also announced that the golf committee is requesting all fees be paid before the opening of the Spring "ladder" and "ringer" tournaments on April 1.

### PROMOTED

Edward J. Wilson, Jr., an ordnance guided missile officer in Research and Development Operations of the Army Rocket and Guided Missile Agency, was promoted to First Lieutenant last week. The Williams reside at 229-A Niblo Drive.

the freak kick occurred. In a scramble around the German goal, Pfc. Dieter kicked the ball and it deflected off a German player into the goal for an Auburn point.

S/Sgt. Horst Windheuser added the final OGMS goal late in the match. Then, with only a minute to play, player-coach Fred Taube kicked one for Auburn.

The match was the first of a home-and-home series. OGMS will go to Auburn on April 8.

Referee for Saturday's match was W/O Ronald L. Davies of the British Army. Linesmen were Sgt. Ernst Spiske, German Air Force, and Pfc. Holm Detleb.

This was the sixth soccer match played in Huntsville. All others had ended in tied scores.

Gala pre-game ceremonies were held with each team marching to the field on the tune of its song. Auburn's "War Eagle" march was played and the "Flying Eagles Fight Song" accompanied the Germans. Players were introduced then the traditional exchange of flowers held. After this, the Germans and American national anthems were played and the match began.

## All-Stars Lose At Third Army Tournament

The Redstone Arsenal All-Star basketball squad met defeat in two consecutive games in the Third Army Basketball Tournament at Fort Gordon, Ga. The highly-spirited All-Star squad was outclassed by the taller, more experienced quintets from Fort Bragg and Fort Stewart.

In their first game of the tournament the All-Star squad found themselves behind from the opening moments. The height advantage of the Bragg team was evident as they controlled the boards, and with the remarkable hitting of guards Quarterman and Perkins built-up a half-time lead of 51 to 28. The Arsenal team found the second half just as tough as Fort Bragg won easily, 101 to 61.

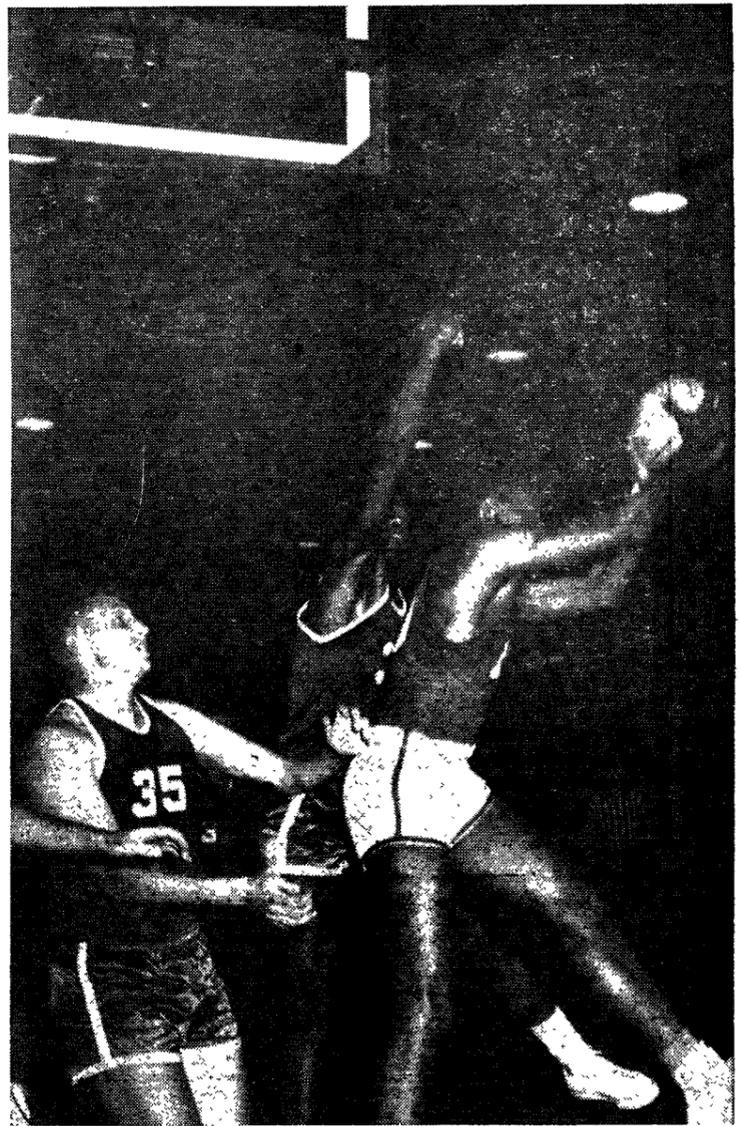
Two of the All-Stars hit in double figures with Adams dropping in 19 points and Godsey adding 10. Five of Fort Bragg's men hit in double figures with Quarterman and Lickich each getting 22 points, Searcy 16, Perkins 14, and Hurder 12.

In the second round of the tournament the All-Stars met Ft. Stewart. The game was close in the first quarter mainly due to the sharp shooting of the All-Stars' Ken Hunsicker. In the second quarter the height advantage proved too much for the Arsenal team and Fort Stewart pulled into a 48 to 33 half time lead. In the second half the two teams more or less exchanged baskets but the first half lead was never threatened as Fort Stewart rolled to a 91 to 67 victory.

Hunsicker was high man for the All-Stars with 18 points, followed by Adams with 15, and Raudensky and Godsey with 12. The high in the game was Fort Stewart's Keeton with 32 points. Hitting also in double figures for Stewart were James with 11, and King with 10.

Ft. Gordon PMGC Saints won the Tournament Championship defeating Ft. Benning in a 78 to 60 contest. An informal poll conducted at the press table selected this All-Tournament Team: Bates, Tom Reddin and Joe Cotton of Gordon; Darryel Kouns of Ft. Campbell, Bill Schmidt of McPherson, Bill Thomas and Eddie Price of Ft. Jackson; Jerry Keeton of Ft. Stewart, Gallagher of Benning and Joe Quarterman of Bragg.

Schmidt, of the University of Connecticut, averaged 29.3 points in three games and Kouns, of West Point, 28.3. Thomas set a new individual game record with 43 points.



ALL-STAR Loren Adams of Redstone Arsenal is shown taking a rebound in the Third Army Tournament from No. 35 Quarterman and No. 33 Searcy of Fort Bragg. Adams was high scorer for RSA All-Stars with 19 points. Bragg won 101 to 61.

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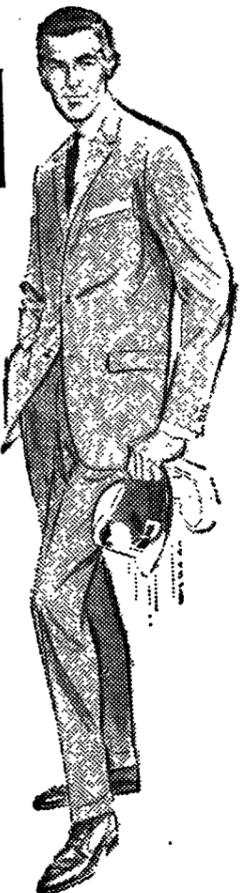
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### John Hopkins Professor Will Visit March 27-28

Dean Robert H. Roy of the School of Engineering, John Hopkins University, in Baltimore, Maryland, visited Huntsville on March 27 and 28 to conduct a seminar in "Systems Engineering" for graduate students and faculty of the University of Alabama Huntsville Center on the evening of March 27.

Dean Roy is a national leader in the field of systems engineering. He is a former Vice President for Engineering and Director of the Waverly Press, Inc., in Baltimore. Before becoming dean of the School of Engineering, he served as Chairman of the Department of Industrial Engineering at Johns Hopkins.

Among the many organizations of which he is a member are the Operations Research Society of America, Tau Beta Pi, and the Executive Committee for Engineering of the College Adminis-



**WINS POOL TROPHY**—Winner of the recent Post Pool tournament is Pvt. Tommy J. Britton (center) holding the trophy presented to him by Service Club Hostess Betty Hayes. Miss Hayes (left) and WO William T. Moore hold the plaque presented the 224th Ordnance Det at OGMS. Pvt. Britton is assigned to the 224th which WO Moore commands.

### Movie Schedule

Wednesday, March 29, "Upstairs and Downstairs" (M-YP) starring Mylene Demongeot and Michael Craig. Time 1800 and 2030 hours.

Thursday-Friday, March 30-31, "Cry for Happy" (M-YP) starring Glenn Ford and Donald O'Connor. Time 1800 and 2030 hours.

Saturday, April 1, "Wings of Change" (F) starring Frances Rafferty and Jim Brown. Time 1800 and 2030 hours. SPECIAL MATINEE: 1000 hours.

Sunday-Monday, April 2-3, "The Canadians" (M-YP) starring Robert Ryan and John Dehner. Time Sunday 1400, 1800 and 2030 hours. Time Monday 1800 and 2030 hours.

Tuesday, April 4, "Blueprint for Robbery" (M-YP) starring Jay Barney, Jr., and Pat O'Malley. Time 1800 and 2030 hours.

trative Council for the American Society for Engineering Education. He was a delegate to the international conference on Operational Research at Oxford, England, in 1957, and is a Special Master, United States District Court, Baltimore.

Dean Roy lists some twenty-five engineering and operations research publications including two books on engineering administration and systems engineering.

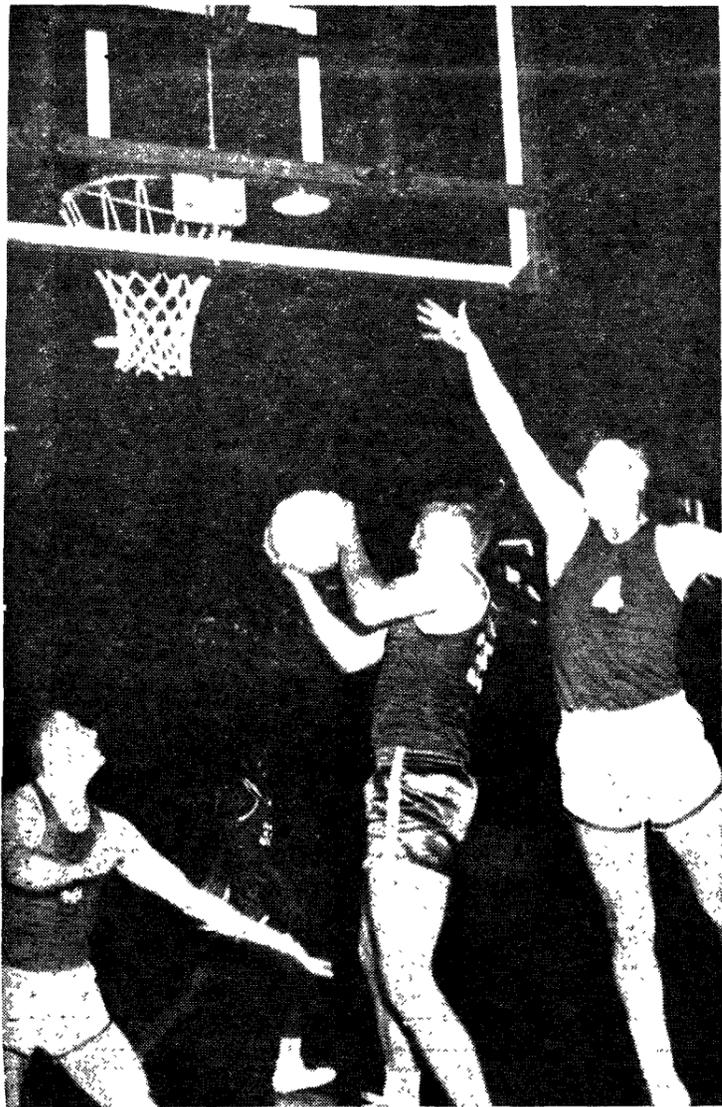
On Tuesday, March 28, Dean Roy visited several systems offices at Redstone Arsenal.

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Hq. OGMS	7	1
Co. A, OGMS No. 1	6	2
Hq. USAG	6	3
866th A F	6	3
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Co. A, OGMS No. 2	4	4
3rd ETC	4	5
DET A, ARGMA	0	14
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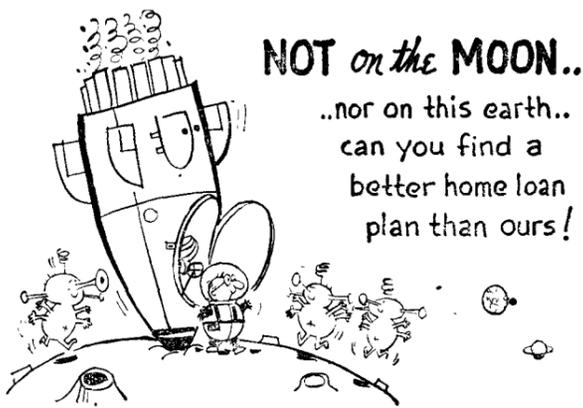
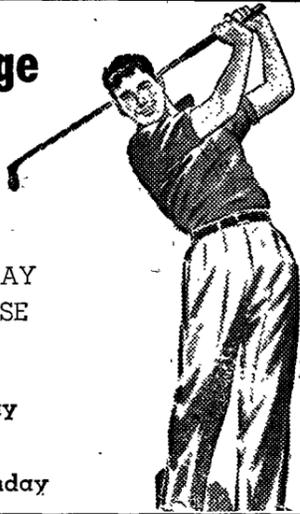
**DURING THIRD ARMY TOURNEY**—In game action with Redstone Arsenal No. 35 Quarterman of Ft. Bragg retrieved a rebound against Harold Nichols No. 4 and Dave Merritt No. 3 of the RSA All-Stars. Searcy, No. 33, from Ft. Bragg is pictured in the background.

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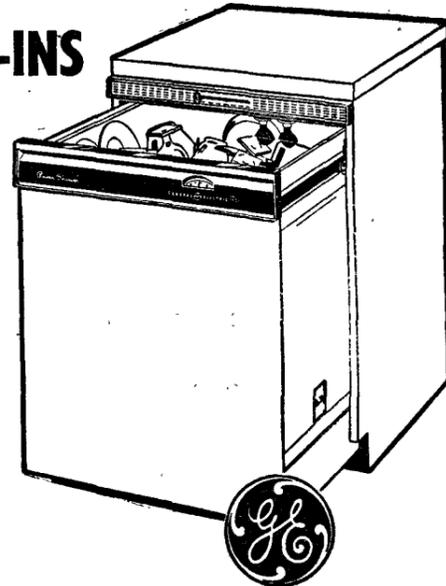
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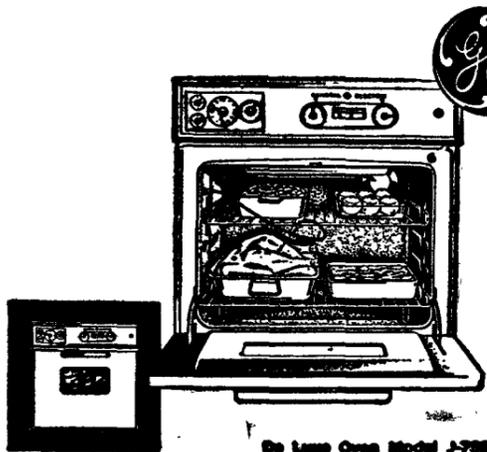
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Thursday, March 30 — 7:30 p.m. The Vigil of Maundy Thursday.

Friday, March 31 — 12:30 — 2 p.m. Good Friday Services. The service will have pauses to allow persons to be seated or depart. The first portion will be at 12:30 to 12:55 p.m., the second 1-1:25 p.m. and the final portion from 1:30 to 1:55.

Easter Sunday, April 2—6 a.m. Sunrise Service. 10 a.m. Easter Sunday Service, Post Chapel. 11:15 a.m. Easter Sunday Service, Post Chapel. 11 a.m. Easter Sunday Service, Redstone Park Chapel.

No Christian Youth Fellowship meetings are scheduled Sunday evening.

### Holy Week and Easter Service CATHOLIC

Daily Mass — Monday through Thursday, 1:15 and 5:15 p.m.

Daily Confessions — 5-6 p.m.  
Good Friday — March 31 2:30-5:30 p.m.

Saturday April 1 — Holy Saturday. Easter Vigil Mass — 8 p.m. Confessions — 9:30-11:00 a.m. 4-6 p.m.

Easter Sunday, April 2. Regular Sunday Masses — 7:30 — 8:45 — 12:30-5 p.m.

There will be no catechism classes on Holy Saturday or Easter Sunday.

## Col. Leedham to Be Guest of Sojourners

Redstone Chapter No. 353 National Sojourners met Thursday, at the Officers Open Mess.

Announcement was made of the forthcoming visit of the National President of the National Sojourners organization.

Col. (M. D.) Charles L. Leedham, USA Ret. will address members and guests at an open meeting scheduled for May 11 at the Officers Open Mess.

Invitations will be extended to all Alabama Sojourner Chapters, and members and their guests are cordially invited. Additional items of business considered were the announcement of a nomination for the citizenship award and the acceptance of two new members.

The American Committee nominated Col. Morton S. Jaffee formerly of the JAG Section, for its annual citizenship award.

The membership welcomed into the organization: Capt. Clarence A. Ledford, Blue Lodge Helium Nr 1, Huntsville, and Lt. Col. John F. Wood, Air Force Reserve, Blue Lodge Orient, Nr. 51, Topeka, Kan. Approximately 25 members attended the dinner.

### ACCEPTS BARS

Thomas R. Glenn accepted a commission as a warrant officer at the U. S. Army Ordnance Guided Missile School, recently. The bars, denoting his new rank, were pinned on by Capt. Pinky Evans, commanding officer of Co. A, and Lt. Col. Eugene J. McGinnis, executive officer.

A maintenance supervisor for the Hawk missile system, Glenn entered the Army in July of 1950. He is the son of Elizabeth H. Glenn of 5630 Riverside Dr., Richmond, Va.

He was assigned at the U. S. Army Signal School, Ft. Monmouth, N. J. prior to his assignment at the Missile School.



RESERVE OFFICERS DINNER—Guests at the dinner meeting of the Reserve Officers Association held at the Squirrel Hill Officers Club March 18 included Maj. Gen. Carl T. Sutherland, National President of ROA and the principal speaker at the meeting. Approximately 150 members and guests were at the meeting. Above, left to right are: Lt. Col. Paul McNutt, president of the Huntsville Chapter, ROA; Maj. Gen. John A. Barclay, Deputy Commander of the Army Ordnance Missile Command; Maj. Gen. Carl T. Sutherland, National president, ROA; Lt. Col. Paschale Redding, Jr., member of the National ROA Army Affairs Committee.

### PROMOTED TO WARRANT

Norman L. Schaffer received the bars of warrant officer after accepting a commission at the U. S. Army Ordnance Guided Missile School. His wife, Erika, and Lt. Col. Eugene J. McGinnis, executive officer, pinned on his bars.

A maintenance supervisor for the Hawk missile system, Schaffer entered the Army in August of 1948. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Franklin H. Schaffer of Route 1, Wescosville, Pa.

Schaffer was formerly assigned to the Unit Training Center at the Missile School. Mr. and Mrs. Schaffer reside at 1149 F Hof Circle, Redstone Arsenal, Ala.

### SONGFEST

The Rocket City Chapter, SPEBSQSA, will hold a Ladies' Night Dinner Songfest at the Russel Erskine Hotel on Thursday, March 30, at 7:30 p.m. Entertainment will be provided by the chapter chorus and local quartets. Couples or individuals interested in attending may contact Jack Fohner, ext. 876-7235, for reservations.

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**Western Electric  
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The U. S. Army today awarded a \$4,029,019 contract to the Western Electric Company for production engineering services for the Nike Hercules air defense guided missile system.

The Western Electric Company plant at Burlington, N. C.; Bell Telephone Laboratories at Whippany, N. J., and Douglas Aircraft

Company facilities at Charlotte, N. C. and White Sands Missile Range, N. M., will share in the work.

Developed under the supervision of the Army Rocket and Guided Missile Agency at Redstone Arsenal, Ala., the Nike Hercules system is operational and on site throughout the United States.

The New York Ordnance District administers the contract. Western Electric is the system prime contractor.

**ARGMA Personnel  
Office Is Honored**

The staff of the Army Rocket and Guided Missile Agency's civilian personnel office were honored recently with the first group award made by Brig. Gen. John G. Zierdt, Commander.

Stuart H. Jones, director, accepted the certificate of achievement in a special ceremony held in the ARGMA commander's office this week.

It was presented for exceptional meritorious performance of assigned duties during the period of 12 February 1960 to 14 February

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In addition, the certificate also stated that, "the progress achieved through establishment of clear lines of authority and responsi-

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**FRENCH OFFICER PROMOTED IN ALABAMA** — Noel Henri Vidal (center) French Air Force student at the Army Ordnance Guided Missile School, is honored upon his promotion to Captain by Col. Charles W. Eifler (right), commandant of the Missile School and Capt. Harrison E. Fite, Allied Liaison Officer. Capt. Vidal is an electro-mechanical specialist and has served in the French Air Force since 1935 after graduating from the Lycee at St. Quentin (Nord). He is studying air defense weapons here. He resides with his wife and daughter at 200 Walker Ave., N.E., in Huntsville.

**Capt. Gwinner Gets ABMA Certificate Of Achievement**

Capt. John K. Gwinner, a native of Danville, Ill., has received a certificate of achievement for his services as senior project officer, Industrial Operations, Army Ballistic Missile Agency.

Brig. Gen. Richard M. Hurst, Agency Commander, made the award.

The award was for Capt. Gwinner's procedural and organizational development efforts in procurement of the XM-52 rocket gre-

nade, and for his contributions to Industrial Operations responsibilities for Missiles "A" and "B."

Capt. Gwinner joined the Kentucky National Guard in 1938. A graduate of Louisville Male High School, he entered Federal service in January 1941. He was a recovery chief in the 2nd Ordnance Medium Maintenance Company in the June 6, 1944 landing on Utah Beach, Normandy. He was awarded five battle stars for his participation in the Normandy, Northern France, Rhineland, Ardennes, and Central European campaigns.

In Korea, where he served

**ANNOUNCEMENTS**

The U. S. Civil Service Board of Examiners has issued two new announcements calling for nursing assistant and for alphabetic card punch operators.

The former is announcement no. 5-35-9 (61) and carries a grade of GS-3 (3760 p.a.)

The latter is announcement No. 5-35-10 (61) and calls for GS-2 (\$3500 p.a.), and GS-3.

from July 1950 to November 1951, he received six battle stars for duty in as many major campaigns, including the U. N. Offensive and U. N. Counter Offensive campaigns.

Prior to coming to Redstone Arsenal in July 1957, home of the Army Ordnance Missile Command, parent organization to ABMA, Capt. Gwinner was administrative officer of the Southern European Task Force General Depot at Leghorn, Italy.

The son of Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Gwinner, Finchville, Ky., he is married to the former Mildred Blackmon, daughter of Mrs. R. H. White of Indianapolis.

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American Assembly, "The Secretary of State."

Amory, Cleveland, "Who Killed Society?"

Appel, Benjamin, "A Big Man, a Fast Man."

Atkinson, James David, "The Edge of War."

Bergamini, David, "The Fleet in the Window."

Boyce, Burke, "Man from Mt. Vernon."

Carrell, Paul, "The Foxes of the Desert."

Chapman, John, "Broadway's Best, 1960."

Dayan, Yael, "Envy the Frightened."

Dinesen, Isak, "Shadows on the Grass."

Druon, Maurice, "The She-Wolf of France."

Field, Peter, "Battlesnake Range."

Gault, William Campbell, "Vein of Violence."

Gerson, Noel B., "The Hittite." Goals for Americans; comprising The Report of the President's Commission on National Goals and Chapters Submitted for the Consideration of the Commission.

Gordons' The, "Operation Terror."

Greene, Harris, "The 'Mozart' Leaves at Nine."

Hosford, Bowen, "The Grave of the Twin Hills."

Information Please Almanac, At-

las and Yearbook, 1961.

Lolos, Kimon, "Respite."

Meyer, Robert, "The Stars and Stripes Story of World War II."

Moll, Elick, "Menoir of Spring." Moorehead, Ala., "The White Nile."

Moosbrugg, Bernhard, "USA. a Picture Tour of America."

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Shelford, W. O. "Subsunk; the Story of Submarine Escape."

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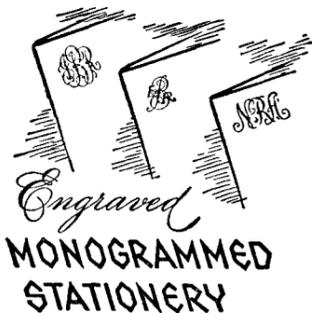


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**Births at Post Hospital**

Cheryl Jo Shanahan, 7 lbs., 12- $\frac{3}{4}$  ozs., Mar. 16, daughter of Capt. and Mrs. Norman K. Shanahan.  
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 Paul Steven Arnett, 7 lbs., 4 ozs., Mar. 18, son of T-Sgt. and Mrs. Wilbur C. Arnett.  
 Lori Ann Hallford, 6 lbs., 6 $\frac{1}{4}$  ozs., Mar. 19, daughter of SP6 and Mrs. Rex. Hallford.  
 James Seldon Moody, 3 lbs., 15 $\frac{3}{4}$  ozs., Mar. 20, son of SP4 and Mrs. Ronald S. Moody.  
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 Margaret Ellen Ernsberger, 5 lbs., 13 ozs., Mar. 21, daughter of 2-Lt. and Mrs. Gale R. Ernsberger.  
 Richard Glen Upchurch, 9 lbs., 10 ozs., Mar. 21, son of SFC. and Mrs. Orion A. Upchurch.  
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**RIVER LOTS**—Nice wooded lots in Madison County. See Saturday or Sunday afternoon, or call BR 3-4481, New Hope at night. Terms. Turn at sign on 431 at New Hope. 4-5p

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1306 CLINTON AVENUE, E.—Plenty of room in this two bedroom house with separate living and dining room. City bus line by the door. Price \$12,000. Must see inside to appreciate. Better hurry on this one.  
1005 MASTIN LAKE ROAD—Compare this home with any for the price of \$14,250. It's a three bedroom brick with 1½ baths, living and dining room, gas heat, and city sewerage. Small down payment and closing cost on FHA.

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INTS "S" Mint 1935 thru 1955 coins VG to XF. \$1.50 Postpaid. No personal checks please. Raymond Bennett, Rt. 8 Box 452 Atheas, Alabama. 1tp

DR SALE — 6 wooded lots located in Cullman, east side, reasonably priced. Will sell all or part for cash or terms. Pho. 876-9195 or JE 6-2082. 1tc

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DR SALE — 1958 Michigan Arrow, 45'x10', 2 bedroom house trailer, colored appliances, including automatic washer and air conditioner. Excellent condition. Call 876-7244 or ELgin 5-0726, Decatur. 1tp

OR SALE — 1959 New Moon House Trailer, 45'x10'. Buy equity, assume payments of \$78.27 per month. Call JE 9-6055. 1tp

DR SALE — New Mercedes 220 with sliding metal top, automatic clutch, reclining seats, driven only 5,000 miles will sell for \$4,000 by owner, Coy. Cockrell (Ret.) For additional information call 877-4846. 1tc

OR RENT in Westlawn, 2 BR house, gas floor furnace, washer connections, water furnished. \$75.00 per month. JE 4-1502. 1tp

ROTECTED LOTS — Nice size building lots, rolling land, most with trees, city water, and police protection. Can get FHA loans. Enjoy suburban living near lake, 20 minutes drive from Gate 1, contact Mrs. A. W. Johnson, New Hope. 4-5p

## Achievement Certificate Given MSFC Personnel By ARGMA Commander

Miss Georgia Lee Walls, Executive Secretary of the Marshall Space Flight Center Board of U. S. Civil Service Examiners, has received an Army Rocket and Guided Missile Agency Certificate of Achievement from Brigadier General John G. Zierdt.

The ceremony took place in the ARGMA Commander's office last week.

Miss Walls received the ARGMA Certificate of Achievement for her proficient and expeditious services rendered by the Board of Examiners in receiving, rating and certification of engineers and scientists for ARGMA.

In accordance with an agreement between the U. S. Army Ordnance Missile Command and NASA, the Space Flight Center administers the engineering and scientist examinations for all agencies of the command. As executive secretary, Miss Walls was responsible for the administration of the Board of activities in filling ARGMA's engineer and scientist vacancies.

In addition to the Certificate of

IF YOU ARE INTERESTED in renting dock space near New Hope write Harry Johnson, New Hope, Ala. 4-5p

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## Geller Joins ABMA Management Staff

Gerald Geller, a native of Brooklyn, N. Y., has been named chief of the Management Systems Branch in the Control Office of the Army Ballistic Missile Agency.

Geller was formerly with the U. S. Naval Ordnance Plant in Macon, Georgia.

ABMA, is responsible for all Army rockets and missiles that follow predetermined courses after firing. This mission has included the development of such famous Army missiles as the Redstone, Jupiter and Pershing.

Geller was graduated from Georgia Institute of Technology with a bachelor's degree in Industrial Engineering. He is a member of the American Institute of Industrial Engineers, the American Management Association, the American Ordnance Association, and the American Legion.

He was listed in the 1960 edition of "American Men in Science."

Geller is the son of Mr. and Mrs. William Geller of 706 Leferts Avenue, Brooklyn. He is married to the former Miss Betty Jane Davis, daughter of Mrs. Gertrude Allen of Atlanta, Georgia.

Mr. and Mrs. Geller and their two children, Deborah Lynne, 9, and Curtis, 6, live in Huntsville.

Achievement, Miss Walls and her entire staff received a letter of commendation from General Zierdt.

### GOOD FRIDAY SERVICES

On Good Friday afternoon, March 31, unit commanders and section chiefs are authorized to excuse military personnel, military requirements permitting, for the purpose of attending Good Friday religious services.

Civilian personnel who desire to attend such services will be granted annual leave.

### RETREAT PARADE

A Retreat Parade and Review will be held on the Arsenal parade field behind the Rocket Service Club tomorrow afternoon at 4:30 p.m.

Maj. Gen. August Schomburg, Commanding General of the Army Ordnance Missile Command will be the reviewing officer.

The parade will honor personnel retiring from military service. All military personnel at Redstone Arsenal and their dependents as well as civilian employees are invited to attend the ceremony.

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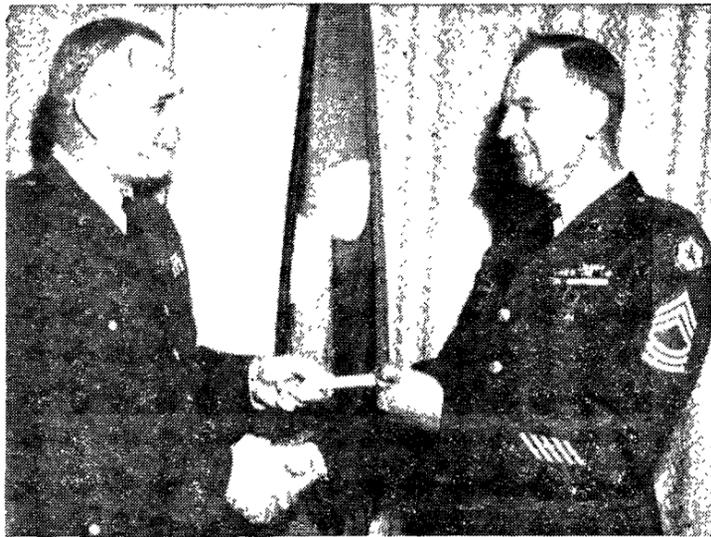
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**TOP MISSILE GRAD**—M/Sgt. John H. Heishman (right) accepts congratulations from guest speaker Maj. Gen. Gunnar C. Carlson, chief of the industrial division at the Office of the Chief of Ordnance, during graduation ceremonies at the Army Ordnance Guided Missile School. Heishman was the honor graduate in the Nike Track Radar Repair Course at the Missile School. He entered the Army in March of 1942, and was assigned to Headquarters Battery, 4th Guided Missile Battalion at Ft. Bliss, Texas, prior to his assignment at the Missile School. He resides with his wife, Frances, at 1310 B Jupiter St., Redstone Arsenal, Ala.

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**CITED FOR PERFORMANCE**—Seymour J. Farber (left) and Robert C. Lowery (right) department heads in the Comptroller's Office each received certificates of recognition for sustained superior performance from L. L. Aycock, Acting Comptroller. Farber is chief of the Accounting Division and Lowery heads the Budget Division. Farber was recognized for developing accounting policies, methods and procedures for all fiscal, cost, general and property accounting and specifically for the manner in which he reduced data for submission of the FY 61-62 Army Industrial Fund budget to higher authority. Mr. Lowery streamlined reporting under the Ordnance Command Management System with related review and analysis.



**VENDORS' PRESENTATION**—A. L. Morris, Dorr-Oliver Inc., Stamford, Conn.; Thomas Wheeler, Hicks Corp., Asheville, N. Car.; J. W. Wiggins, General Manager, Thiokol Chemical Corp.-Redstone Division; and R. Ritchey, Consolidated Western Division, U. S. Steel Corp., Los Angeles, Calif., are shown during Thiokol's Vendors' Presentation on Friday, March 24 at Thiokol's Redstone Division. Attending the presentation were representatives of thirty five vendors who had supplied information to Thiokol for its economic feasibility study of large solid propellant booster motors for the National Aeronautics and Space Administration.

### Gresham Completes Leadership Training

John W. Gresham, Jr., missile test engineer in the ARGMA Test and Evaluation Laboratory recently completed the 20-hour course in conference leadership conducted by the Training and Career Development Branch of the RSA Civilian Personnel Division.

Gresham's present assignment requires that he participate frequently in conference with Ordnance Corps and contractor personnel, and plan, coordinate and conduct tests relative to the Shiloh Guided Missile System.

A native of Florence, Gresham graduated from Auburn University in 1960 where he majored in aeronautical engineering.

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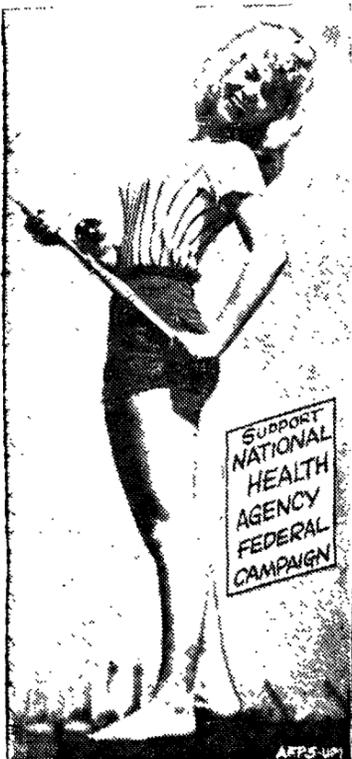
He is married to the former Miss Joyce Wallace of Florence. The Gresham's reside at 2307 Poincianna St., S. W., Huntsville.

### Engineering Experts Confer at Arsenal

Two U. S. Army engineering experts are visiting Redstone Arsenal Tuesday and today for conferences with top commanders of Army Ordnance Missile Command elements, and orientation on engineering aspects of their respective missions.

Col. J. H. Kerkering, Director of the Engineer Research and Development Laboratories, Ft. Belvoir, Va.; and William J. New, Technical Director of Research and Development, Office of the Chief of Engineers, the Pentagon, are the visitors. Army Ballistic Missile Agency, and Army Rocket and Guided Missile Agency, as well as the parent organization, AOMC.

Col. C. C. Haug, Engineering chief of AOMC, is the visit project officer. Lt. Col. A. W. Starkey is the program coordinator.



**PICTURE OF HEALTH** — This lovely angler knows the value of outdoor sports in promoting better health. She's thrown her support behind the National Health Agency Campaign which started March 1 and runs until March 31.

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