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THREE TO RECEIVE STAR

LT. COL. YOUNG IS AIR DEFENSE REPRESENTATIVE

Lt. Col. James W. Young has assumed duties at the U.S. Army Missile Command as Liaison Officer for the Army Air Defense Command.

He succeeds Lt. Col. Joe G. Waterman in the position of coordinating activities between the two commands.

Col. Young, a native of Philadelphia, Pa., entered the Army as an enlisted man in 1942 and was commissioned a second lieutenant a year later. He is a graduate of the Armed Forces Staff College, and Army Command and General Staff College.

From 1961 to 1962, Col. Young commanded a Nike Hercules missile unit in Thule, Greenland, the 4th Battalion, 55th Artillery. (See COL. YOUNG on Page 3)



COL. E. I. DONLEY



COL. B. R. LUCZAK



COL. I. O. DREWRY, JR.

Project Managers Nominated

Stars literally fell on Redstone Arsenal Monday morning.

Three Colonels managing major Army missile programs here have been nominated for the star of Brigadier General by President Lyndon B. Johnson. They are Col. Edwin I. Donley, Pershing Project Manager; and Col. B. R. Luczak, SAM-D Project Manager, and Col. I. O. Drewry, Jr. Nike-X Project Manager. The nominations are to be sent to the U.S. Senate for confirmation.

Col. Edwin I. Donley has been Pershing Project Manager for the Army Missile Command since 1963. The Pershing is the Army's most powerful ballistic missile system and is now in the hands of U.S. troops and the Federal Republic of Germany.

A native of Buchanan, Mich., the 47-year old Colonel has the unusual distinction for any Army officer of being a graduate of the U.S. Naval Academy at Annapolis in 1940. He won his MBA Degree in Industrial Management from the University of Michigan in 1949.

His commission in the Army was awarded in 1941 and he served in the European Theater during World War II. Col. Donley reported to Redstone following his assignment as Senior Supply and Maintenance Advisor to the Deputy Chief of Staff (Logistics) Republic of Korea Army.

Other major assignments have been as Ordnance Officer with the U.S. Army, Caribbean Area; Office, Chief of Ordnance; and De- (See STARS on Page 3)

Borne By Helicopter—

XM-158 Ready For Field

The Army Friday, announced the development of a new lightweight launcher which will be used on helicopters to fire the 2.75 inch rocket.

Called the XM-158, the rocket launching system will go into the field in early 1966.

A versatile system which can be used with a variety of other helicopter armaments, the XM-158 consists of a seven-tube reusable pod. In tests at Redstone Arsenal, the system has successfully fired more than 500 rounds.

Designed to replace pods with limited reusability, the new launcher is an "in-house" development at the U.S. Army Missile Command. Work was done by the Ground Support Equipment Labo-

ratory of the Research and Development Directorate.

The new launcher will give using units increased capability with much less logistic support requirements.

The XM-158 can be assembled in minutes and is considerably lighter and less expensive than similar systems now being used.

The Missile Command's Test and Reliability Evaluation Lab conducted tests during the program. The overall development program was completed two months ahead of schedule, the Army said.

The XM-158 is one of several helicopter armament systems managed by the Land Combat Commodity Office at the Missile Command under Col. C. D. Sterner.

Nine Retire From Active Military Duty

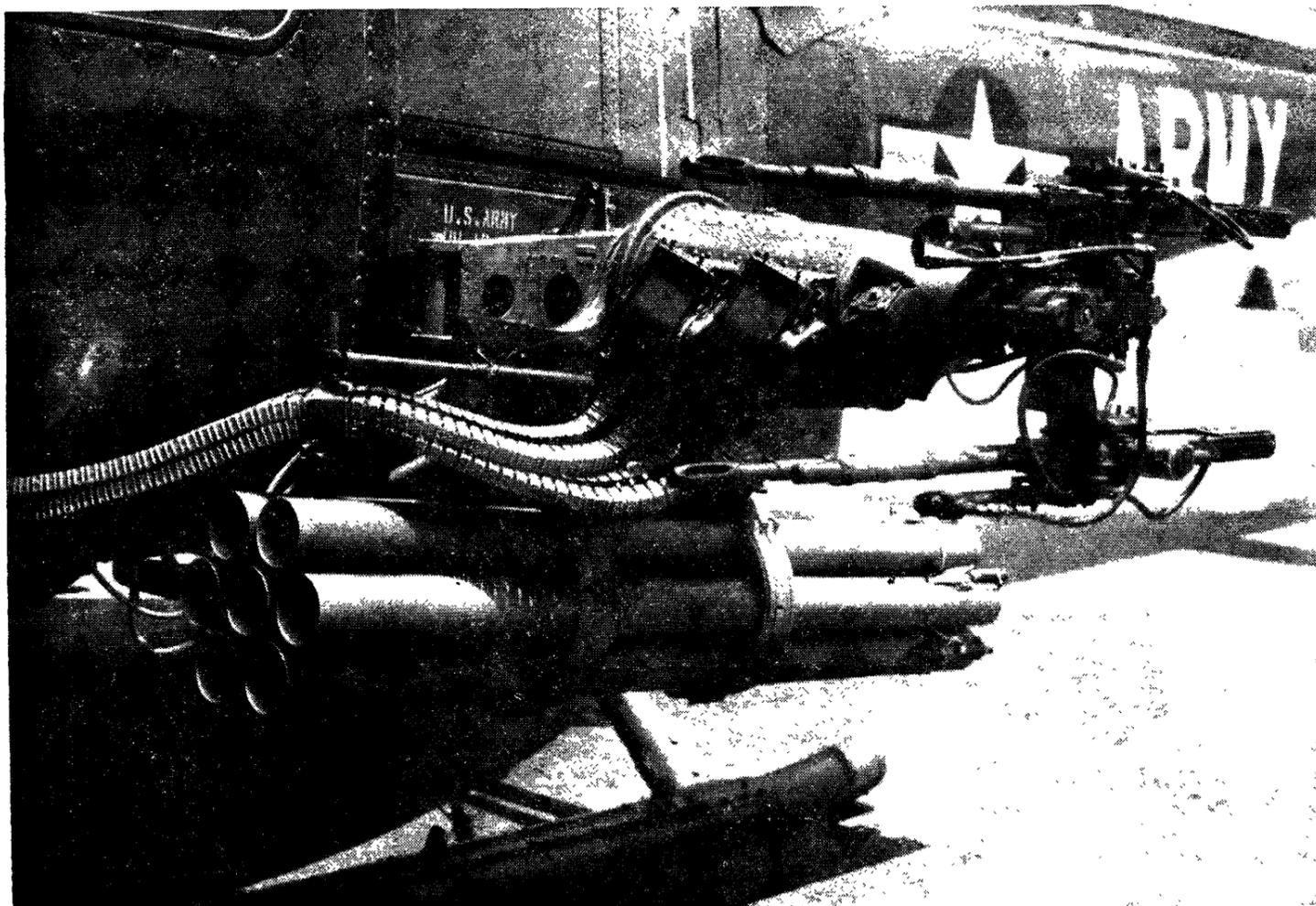
The Post Theater was the setting for nine men retired from active Army service at the end of November.

The men who ended their active careers are: Col. Robert M. Allgeier, Col. Lewis M. Anderson, CWO Robert J. Cornelius, SFC Emmett Carney, SFC Fred M. Spratt, SFC Nathan Harris, SFC John R. Kellett, SFC Jorge Teissoniere, and Sgt. Joseph N. Simon.

Maj. Gen. John G. Zierdt Commanding General of the Army Missile Command was presiding officer at ceremonies underscored by music of the 55th U.S. Army Band. (See RETIRE on Page 2)



LT. COL. JAMES W. YOUNG



NEW ROCKET LAUNCHER—Shown mounted below the M6 machine gun system is the XM-158, the Army's new lightweight launcher which will be used on helicopters to fire the 2.75 inch rocket. Consisting of a seven-tube reusable pod, the system can be

used with a variety of helicopter armaments. Developed by engineers at the U. S. Army Missile Command, the XM-158 is simple to operate and is considerably lighter and less expensive than similar systems now being used.

TOW Men Meet In California

Missilemen who are developing the Army's TOW anti-tank weapon system are meeting at Culver City, Calif., this week to take a look at how the program is coming along.

Attending the Quarterly Review Meeting are representatives from most of the Army agencies concerned with the TOW Program, personnel from the system's prime contractor and officials from the Army Aircraft Weaponization Office in Washington, D.C.

TOW is being considered for mounting on helicopters.

Lt. Col. Ballard B. Small, Jr., TOW Project Manager at the U.S. Army Missile Command, says attendees will review, among other things, the program status, flight test results and future plans.

TOW is a heavy-assault weapon being developed for infantry troops to use against tanks or field fortifications. It may be carried by soldiers and fired from a ground emplacement or mounted on a variety of vehicles.

Hughes Aircraft Company at Culver City is prime contractor for TOW.

STARS

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puty Commander at Picatinny Arsenal.

He is a graduate of the Command and General Staff College, Ft. Leavenworth, Kansas, and of the Industrial College of the Armed Forces, Washington.

A native of Pittsburgh, Pa., 52-year old Col. Bernard R. Luczak has recently been named to head the Army's newest air defense missile program, known as SAM-D. He has previously managed the Mauler and the Nike Hercules air defense weapons.

Col. Luczak came to the Army Missile Command in 1962, holding the position of Deputy to the Deputy Commanding General, Air Defense Systems.

A graduate of the University of Pittsburgh, he also holds a Masters Degree in Business Administration from Stanford University. His military career started in 1936 with his commission as a second lieutenant in the Army Reserves upon graduation from Pitt. During World War II, he directed the firing training programs of more than 100 heavy gun battalions and some 80,000 officers and enlisted men. He later was operations officers in the planning and operations of a 22,000 man force of American, British and Polish troops to destroy German V-1 rockets fired at Antwerp, Belgium.

Major post war assignments have, with only one exception, been in the missile field. These have included: Ordnance Liaison Officer with the Jet Propulsion Laboratory, California Institute of Technology, Section Chief, Guided Missile Branch, Research and Development Division, Office, Chief of Ordnance; Chief of the Integrated Range Mission, White Sands Missile Range, N.M.; and Deputy Commander Army, Pacific Missile Range, Point Mugu, Calif.

His only assignment not connect-

ed to the missile program during the post-war period was a 17 month tour as Ordnance Battalion Commander in Korea during that war.

Col. Luczak is a graduate of the National War College and has served on a number of Defense Department special committees relating to research, development, handling and testing of missiles and rockets.

Of the three, Col. Drewry is a native of Alabama. The Army's anti-missile program which he heads for the Army Materiel Command is the largest single missile program under development by the Army.

The 50-year old native of Jasper is an authority in anti-missile programs and related activities. Under his management since 1962, the Nike-X Project Office has progressed to the point of awaiting a decision on production from Secretary of Defense Robert McNamara.

Col. Drewry came to Redstone Arsenal from Korea where he was Senior Ordnance Advisor to the Republic of Korea Army.

A veteran of both European and Pacific theaters during World War II, Col. Drewry's other major assignments for the United States have included: Commanding Officer, Picatinny Arsenal; Comptroller, Detroit Arsenal; Chief of the Guided Missile Branch, Industrial Division, and Assistant Executive Officer for the Chief of Ordnance.

He holds a Bachelor of Science degree in Mechanical Engineering from Georgia Institute of Technology, awarded in 1939, and did post-graduate work at Michigan University. Col. Donley is a graduate of the Armed Forces College, Norfolk, Va., and the Industrial College of the Armed Forces, Washington. He is a graduate of Walker County High School, Jasper, Alabama.



COLONEL SMITH DECORATED—For meritorious service as Acting Commandant and Assistant Commandant of the U. S. Army Ordnance Guided Missile School, Colonel Hobart V. Smith, now retired, is awarded the Legion of Merit. Here he is shown in the center being presented the medal by Col. Erwin M. Graham, Jr., School Commandant, with Mrs. Smith looking on. Col. Smith was cited for his consolidation of missile, ammunition, and explosive disposal training in one U. S. Army service school. Col. Smith who retired from the U. S. Army in October of this year, is now employed with NASA and resides with his wife at 809 Farley Drive, Huntsville.

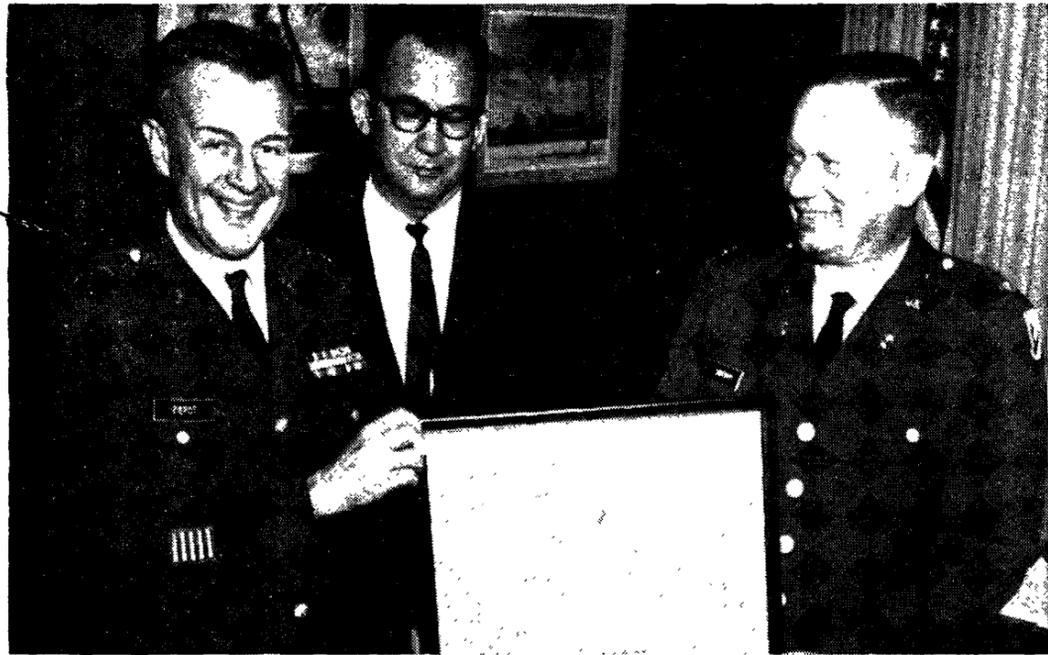
COL. YOUNG

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fore coming to Redstone Arsenal this month he was assigned to headquarters of the North American Air Defense Command in Colorado Springs, Colo., for three years.

Col. Young has been decorated with Army Commendation Medal and Joint Services Commendation Medal.

He is married to the former Rosalyn R. Coyne of Wynnewood, Pa. They have two children, Patricia S. Young, 13, and Mrs. Ronald Nyland.



SAFE FOR 1,000,000 HOURS—The Nike-X Project Office has received the Army Materiel Command Commendation for Safety after two years without any accidents at Redstone Arsenal or Nike-X field offices in the continental United States. The two years represents approximately 1,000,000 man-hours for the Project. Col. I. O. Drewry, Nike-X Project Manager, (right) received the safety award plaque from Maj. Gen. John G. Zierdt, Commanding General of the Army Materiel Command at Redstone. Present during the ceremony was J. A. Butas (center) of the Nike-X Safety Office.

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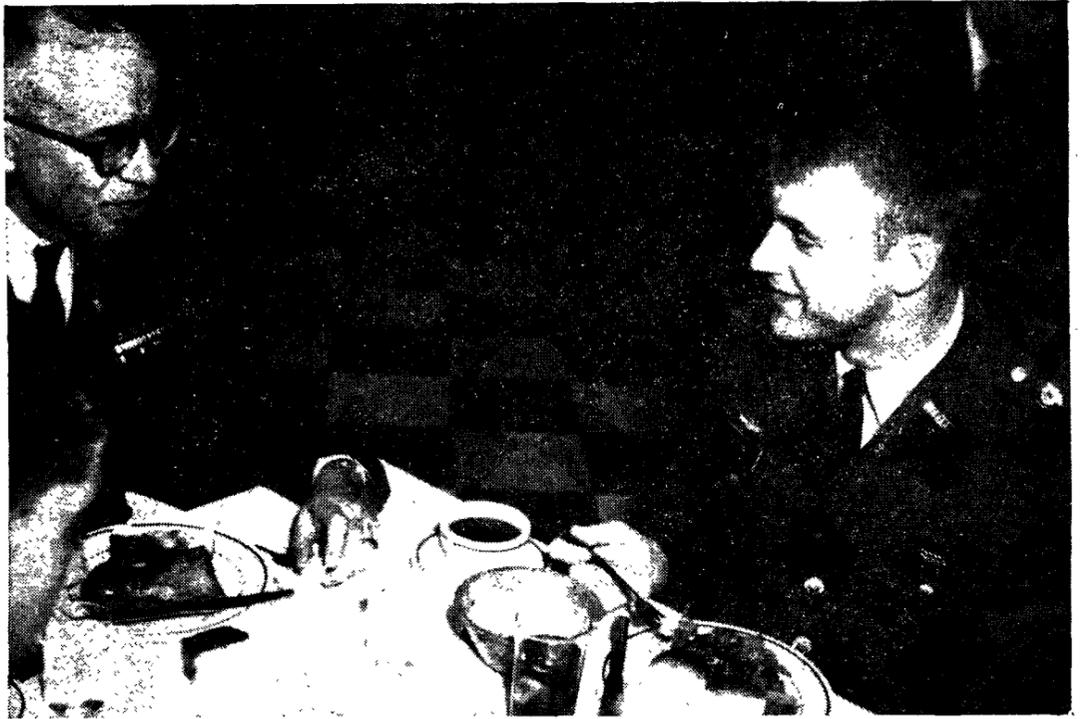
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LAUNCH OF A MISSILE KILLER—The Army's new Sprint anti-missile missile, partially obscured by smoke, is captured a fraction of a second after its launch from an underground cell. The Sprint is being developed as an interceptor for the Nike-X missile defense system to destroy intercontinental ballistic missiles and submarine launched missiles in flight. The missile has just been ejected from its underground cell by a gas charge and the booster engine has ignited sending it upward in a flight test.



HOW IS THE TOUR?—Col. Edward D. Mohlere, (left), Army Missile Command Chief of Staff, chats with Jerry Taylor of Birmingham, one of the University of Alabama ROTC cadets who visited Redstone recently. The group had lunch at the Redstone Officers Open Mess and toured several Research and Development Directorate laboratories as well as the Missile Display area.

GEN. SUTHERLAND TO GO TO EUROPE

ABERDEEN PROVING GROUND, MD., Nov. 24 — Major General James W. Sutherland, Jr., commanding general of the U.S. Army Test and Evaluation Command, has been selected to command the 4th Armored Division in southern Germany, according to Department of the Army orders published this week.

He replaces Major General Alexander D. Surles, Jr., present division commander. The change is effective December 18.

With headquarters at Goepin-

gen, near Stuttgart, the 4th Armored is one of the five combat divisions assigned to the Seventh U.S. Army, mainstay of NATO ground forces in Europe.

General Sutherland has headed the Army's materiel testing agency here since August 1963. His replacement has not been announced.

Junior officers on active duty as OBVs (obligated volunteers) are the objects of a test counselling program soon to be initiated by the Department of the Army. A team from the Office of Personnel Operations will visit various Army installations to discuss the advantages of an Army career and to give the OBVs an

opportunity to request a Regular Army commission. The value of the program will be studied after the visits are concluded in March of next year. (ANF)

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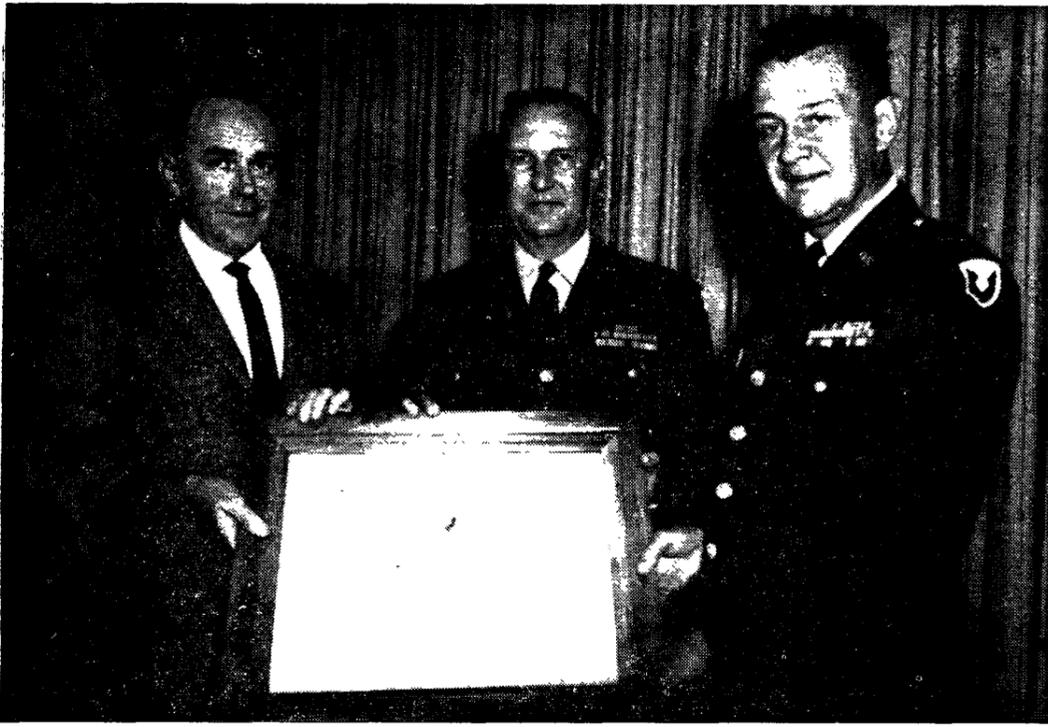
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AWARD OF MERIT—Personnel of the Army Missile Support Command have been recognized for their efforts in connection with accident prevention with the Army Materiel Command's Award of Merit for Safety. The award, covering Fiscal Year 1965, was presented to the Command last week by Maj. Gen. John Zierdt. Col. Thomas Cooke, AMSC Commander, and Jack Haynes, the Command's Safety Director, are shown accepting the award from Gen. Zierdt.

Helicopter Unit Training Speeds Up At Ft. Benning

NATICK, Mass. (ANF) — Pie-in-the-sky is a tasty reality at the U.S. Army Natick Laboratories' Food Division here, where a bewildering and mouth-watering array of convenience foods is prepared for the American astronauts . . . as well as the combat troops of all the Armed Services.

The Army's food experts specialize in miniaturizing pre-prepared dishes and packaging them in the most convenient manner for their military customers. As a result, familiar table fare appears in odd sizes and odd shapes, retaining all its flavor while its caloric and nutritional value are enhanced.

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In addition to the obvious need for these items on the lengthy Gemini and Apollo space flights, the soldier in the field has a continuing requirement for food in flexible, nearly weightless packages to replace the cumbersome tin cans of an earlier day. His unit can also be spared the difficult, time-consuming job of constantly carrying bulky food preparation equipment.

Despite the wide application of their creativity in the kitchen, the Army's space chefs at Natick are proudest of having made it possible for a weary soldier, miles from the nearest messhall, to begin a tasty, nutritious evening meal with a special touch by adding water to his pocket-size bar of shrimp and his wafer of cocktail sauce.

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Support Command Gains Recognition For Safety

The outstanding manner in which the continuing safety program is conducted by the Army Missile Support Command has been recognized with the presen-

tation of the Army Materiel Command's Award of Merit for Safety to the personnel of that organization.

Maj. Gen. John G. Zierdt, Com-

manding General of the Army Missile Command, made the presentation to Col. Thomas Cooke, Commander of the Support Command, during a ceremony in Building 7101 last Friday. Jack Haynes, safety director, also attended the presentation.

The award goes to those organizations or installations in the top 20 per cent in the AMC evaluation system. All activities reporting directly to the Weapons Command, the Test and Evaluation Command and the Missile Command are included in the competition.

The evaluation is based on improvements over the previous year's accident rate and/or the maintenance of a low accident rate, together with the manner in which the safety program is conducted.

During the judging period the Support Command accumulated approximately eight million man-hours and sustained 11 injury accidents. This averages out to 8.9 injuries per 1,000 personnel. The organization had an average of 4,500 personnel per day.

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SPORTS

Activity Light, Scoring Heavy In Civilian Bowling

Parade Of Stars

Redstone League: Vic Passavant, 635, (210-235), Joe Calamusa, 607 (200-204-203), Ed Marshall, 571 (232), Jim Wright, 571, Joe Leary, 567 (203), Billy Cox, 564 (226), Jim McCormack, 564 (229), Lew Crouch, 555, Ken Parcus, 545, Jim Haight, 543.

Supply Management League: Tom Lindsay, 626 (214-212-200), Joe Hill, 578 (212-201), Roy Parmalee, 576 (210), Chuck Henricks, 561 (212), Ed Lawson, 559, Jim Bult, 545.

Two first-timers and an old hand at rolling 600s kept the civilian bowler's Honor Roll humming last week despite the regular weekly activity being reduced because of the Thanksgiving Holiday.

Vic Passavant and Joe Calamusa put in their first appearance on the Roll while Tom Lindsay made the elite company for the fourth time. The latter made it in the Supply Management League while the other two do their bowling in the Redstone League.

The two Wednesday night leagues were not scheduled last week.

Passavant rolled a 210 and a 232 on his way to a 635 to capture

Bowler of the Week honors, Calamusa turned in a consistently tough 607 on three 200 games. Lindsay also passed the double-century mark in each game and ended with a 626.

The sterling efforts of Passavant and Calamusa almost went for naught as neither was able to get enough support from their mates to stave off defeat. Dean's Trailer Park only got a split in their match with the Aero's despite Passavant's total, while the Six-Shooters lost three out of four to the Super Hawks.

The two went into the evening sharing the lead. However, when the dust had settled the Valley Cleaners had grabbed the lead by sweeping their set from Burkett's. Joe Leary tossed a 576 for the new leaders.

Ed Marshall was the chief instigator in the loss by Dean's with a 571 and Jim Wright turned in an identical effort for the Super Hawks.

Lindsay's mates on the Brick and Tile team were a little more responsive and they took his lead in posting a 2943 total that was good for a clean sweep over the Satellites.

The All-Sports fell to three and a half points off the pace by dropping three to Baker Real Estate despite a 578 by Joe Hill. Debuggers slipped into second with a 3 to 1 win over the Top Cats. Roy Parmalee set the Baker team pace with 576.

In firing his fourth Honor Roll count Lindsay equalled Hill at the top of the league's individual average chase. Both are averaging 184.

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ALL EYES POINT TO MEXICO CITY—Sandy Aldridge gets a few pointers from her father and assistant coach as she gets loosened up for another of her practice sessions. During the summer months these practice sessions are an almost daily occurrence for the father-daughter team, and they are confident that they will lead to Sandy becoming a member of the U. S. diving team at the 1968 Olympic Games in Mexico City.

Redstone Father-Daughter Team Looks Ahead To 1968 Olympics

The glitter of gold shines in the eyes of Sandy Aldridge as she glides up from the blue-green depths of the swimming pool with the grace of a mermaid. It's a vision of a 1968 Olympic Gold Medal.

Almost any summer day the 17-year-old daughter of a Missile Command property officer in Procurement and Production can be found at the Rocket City Aquatic Club, diving off the spring board a blur of somersaults and twisters. She hopes it all will lead her to Mexico City . . . in 1968.

Sandy began diving when she was 12 years old and since then has chalked up 14 diving championships in 15 tries. "The only time she has goofed was three years ago at the Ohio State meet when she missed first place by two-tenths of a point," said her father, Frank Aldridge, who she considers her assistant coach.

Statistics tell the story of how successful this young aquanaut has been: 50 first place wins out of 61 contests and a successive string of 34 first places; trophy, medal or blue ribbon wins 89 times in 91 attempts; winning or placing 28 times in 30 events in which she has dived; 12 consecutive state and Tri-Amateur Athletic Union championships.

Sandy's latest win was in August when she successfully defended her 1964 three-meter championship at the Inter-Association All-Star Meet in Atlanta.

In 1963 Sandy was at the Dixie Invitational and Heart of Atlanta Championships. After winning the three meter springboard event she learned she was eligible to compete in the girls "open" ten meter tower event. Entrants had

to dive from a 40-foot high platform, something Sandy had never done, she pleaded with her parents to let her enter.

With only an hour to learn, Dick Womac, University of Georgia swimming and diving coach and Rocket City Aquatic Club 1964 coach, volunteered to tutor Sandy. To learn ten dives from a ten meter stationary platform in one hour seemed like an impossible undertaking, but she did just that and went on to take home the first place trophy.

"I believe I have all the dives necessary to compete successfully in the next Olympics in Mexico City," said Sandy. "I'll do my best to bring home a gold medal."

The young Olympic hopeful first was coached by Sam Hall, the 1960 Olympic Silver Medal Winner. Two other well known coaches, Dr. Sammy Lee and Dick Smith, both of whom have produced National and Olympic champions, have instructed Sandy.

Sandy doesn't confine her athletic interests to water sports. She has gone all the way from roller skating to diving off the high board. In between she has wedged basketball, gymnastics, ice skating, bowling, track and horseback riding. Sandy also shoots in the expert class with a .22 automatic pistol and .38 revolver.

She was born at the Redstone Arsenal hospital Sept. 5, 1948. Her father was serving in the U.S. Air Force and stationed with the Army and Air Force Recruiting Service in Guntersville.

After graduating from Arab Ala., High School, where she now is a senior and cheerleader, Sandy hopes to enroll at the University

of Indiana and dive under the tutorage of famed diving coach Hobie Billingsley.

Wheezers Duel Black Jacks for A-B-C Lead

First place in the A-B-C Officers Bowling League will be at stake tonight when the front-running Wheezers try to beat the challenge of the second place Black Jacks at the Post Lanes.

Trailing by three points, the Jacks will have to sweep the four-point set from the leaders if they hope to take over the top rung.

Each of the contenders tuned up for their crucial match with a sweep last week and the two of them ended the evening tied for the League's top pinfall total, 2779 sticks.

The Wheezers placed four of their bowlers in the 500 category as they took all four points in a match with the Stump Knockers and the Lucky Strikes used an identical pattern in sweeping past the Hopefuls.

Rex Javins tossed a 536 for the Strikes, the high individual total for the league, while Dave Dozier was the Wheeler leader with 525. Other 500 bowlers for the Strikes were Tom Ellis, George Adams and Wiley Cooper.

Don Vanderheyden, Rene Mood and Ray DeBolt provided the support for Dozier in the Wheeler sweep.

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Officers Grab Unit Cage Lead

A pair of highly impressive wins over First ETC and the Support Command boosted the Officers into sole possession of first place in the Unit Level basketball league last week.

The lead, however, in the eyes of the MP and C Company cagers, is just a matter of the Officers having played more games. Each of the dissenters have equally as impressive in each of their three wins.

The MPs went on a scoring binge in their single encounter during the week and smothered Hqs, STC, 81-27, while C Company was experiencing little difficulty in disposing of Third ETC, 74-41.

The Officers opened the week with an 80-35 lacing of First ETC and came back to shellack the Support Command to the tune of 76-31.

Bob Murphy set the pace for the opening win with 20 points and Bill Lenzi took over the lead role in the afterpiece with 21.

The MPs hardly worked up a sweat in their win as Mike Stuart hit for 26 points. Stuart and his team mate Jerry Gonsiorek completely dominated the rebounding and limited STC to very few second shots.

C Company had a battle on their

hands for a half and only led 26-21 at the intermission. But Harvey Spencer and Vern Banlander paced a fast breaking attack in the second half that demolished the Third hopes.

Spencer and Banlander shared scoring honors with 18 apiece while Ted Carstensen hit for 17 in the losing cause.

Two other teams that will bear watching before long are the Medics and Fourth ETC. Each dropped an early game but have come back strong and each is capable of knocking off any team on a given night.

The Fourth was a double winner last week, taking a 51-48 come from behind win from the Support Command and then knocking off A Company, 58-41. The Medics made their only appearance a winning one, when they crushed Second ETC, 61-31.

Hezekiah Thomas was the star in each of the Fourth wins. He hit a pair of goals and a foul in the last minute to boost his mates to the win over the Support Command. Thomas totaled 25 for the game while Willy Leslie tossed in 16 for the losers.

In the other Fourth win Thomas hit for 15, one less than Dick Harper hung up for A Company.

The Medics had a 28-17 lead at the half time of their game with the Second and broke the game wide open with 13 straight points

Unit Level Grid Race About Even

With three teams still very much in the race, the Unit Level Touch Football season is building up to a grand climax during the next two weeks.

Hqs, STC and A Company have each won five times while MICOM has been the winner four times. Each of the contenders has suffered a single setback.

A Company was the only one of the leaders in action last week and they made it a successful effort when they handed Second ETC a 28-6 drubbing. In the only other game played last week Fifth ETC handed Second ETC their seventh straight loss by the score of 20-10.

Pete Carruthers provided the guidance for A Company just as he has all season. The speedy quarterback connected on 13 out of 18 passes including three touchdown aeriels.

He hit Hillario Alvarez, Mike Hogate and John White with scoring passes. Ron Loose accounted for the other A Company six-pointer when he returned an intercepted pass 37 yards.

The Second averted a shutout late in the game when George Hemmelright directed his mates on a 76-yard drive climaxed by a pass to Tommy Collins in the end zone.

C Company started fast with a first quarter touchdown but then succumbed to the pin point passing of Connie Zuma during the second half of the other game.

The C Company score came on an intercepted pass when Russ Hoever grabbed one of Zuma's tosses and outran the Fifth defenders of the touchdown.

Larry Thompson passed to Dan Cole for the conversion which gave C Company an 8-0 lead. They made it 10-0 in the second period with a safety.

From there on out it was all Zuma and the Fifth. He hit Donnie Burke with scoring aeriels of 23 and 81 yards during the third quarter and closed out the game with a 15-yarder to Dale Ratliff just before the end.

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GAMES THIS WEEK

- Thursday, Dec. 2
MICOM vs. Third ETC, 1600
First ETC vs. Hq, STC, 1730
- Tuesday, Dec. 7
Fifth ETC vs. Second ETC, 1600
A Company vs. Third ETC, 1730

following the rest.
H. C. Duncan was the leader of the Medic attack with 24 while Jim Wise scored 14 for the Second.



NAVY VISITOR TO OGMS—Commander Kenneth Ploos (second from right), Commanding Officer of the U.S. Naval Explosive Ordnance Disposal School at Indianhead, Md., recently visited the Explosive Disposal Division of the Ordnance Guided Missile School on an orientation tour of the school's ammunition facilities and training procedures now that all the Army's ammunition and missile instruction has been centralized at one school. Shown here with Cdr. Ploos, from left to right, are: Major Frederick Gardner, Army Liaison Officer at Indianhead, Major Arthur W. Brochu, Asst Chief, ED Div., and Lt. Col. Richard M. Barb, Chief of the ED Div.

• The filing deadline for mustering-out payments has been extended to January 30, 1966, for those officers who were serving on active duty in a pay grade below major at the time of integration in the Regular Army. Integration must have been between June 27, 1950, and July 16, 1952. See DA Circular 35-6.)ANF)

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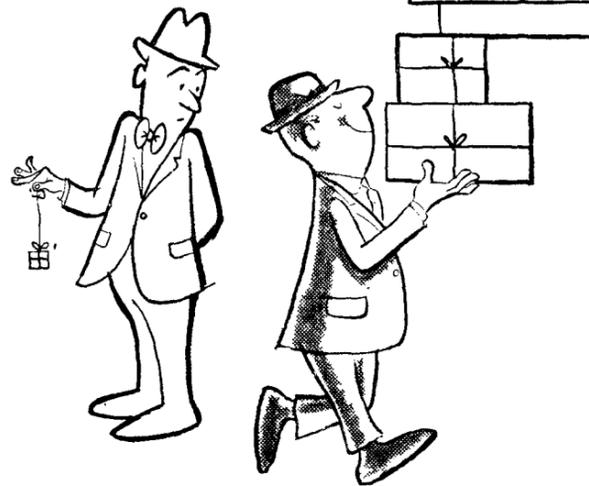
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Dealers from over ten states will exhibit in Huntsville's first annual Antiques Fair and Sale, proceeds from which will be contributed to the Rehabilitation Center Building Fund by the Grace Club Auxiliary, sponsors of the project.

The Antiques Fair and Sale will be held four days: 2 to 6 p.m. Dec. 5; 11:00 to 9 p.m. December 6 and 7, and 11 to 6 p.m. December 8. The show will be staged in the Madison County Coliseum on Highway 72 West.

Antique lovers and collectors from several states are expected to visit the many different antique displays representing over 35 dealers from Alabama, Tennessee, Georgia, Florida, Virginia, Texas, North Carolina, South Carolina, Maryland and Pennsylvania who have reserved space for the show.

Antiques to be exhibited will include furniture, silver, china, glassware, coins, prints, guns, dolls and jewelry.

The Grace Club Auxiliary is headed by Mrs. W. C. Smith, president. Chairman of the show committee is Mrs. George Mahoney, Jr., assisted by Mrs. Al Moore, Mrs. Carey Walker, Mrs. William Cobb, Mrs. David Culver, Mrs. Ellis Sparks, Mrs. Robert Miller, Mrs. William B. Warren, Mrs. Jack Harbarger, and Mrs. Gene King.

Information and tickets are available at The Arts Council, 311 West Clinton Avenue in Huntsville.

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WORLDS OF WIGS—(Left to right), above Mrs. Alden L. Cox, Mrs. Dan G. Brewer, Mrs. Carol D. Waller, Mrs. Paul E. Towry and Mrs. Harold A. Schulz are accusing one another of wearing wigs. Who is? All of them. They were among the models at the annual Ordnance Guided Missile School officers wives fashion show and wig show. Approximately 200 women heard Mrs. Eleanore C. Blevins of Birmingham talk about wigs and the merits of the handmade

products, the machine made products, the different qualities of the hair and the different sources. DUNNAVANTS dressed the models in clothes ranging from casual to formal. Below are Mrs. Antonio Santoro and Mrs. Peter von Mayerhofen of Italy and Germany, respectively, who modeled the only formals in the show. Their hair is supplemented for the occasion by hair pieces. Mrs. Zacarias F. Rael and wives of officers in the Directorate of Individual Training at the school were in charge of the lunch.

Fantasy Will Play Cinderella

Fantasy Playhouse's Christmas gift to children of all ages is a spectacular production of the beloved fairy tale, Cinderella, which Jo Linger has written and is directing. Mrs. Linger is one of the founders of Fantasy Playhouse and has participated in every production in some way, either acting,

directing, making costumes or painting sets since that time four years ago when Huntsville's own children's theatre group was born.

Loyd Tygett, artistic director of the Community Ballet Association, is choreographer. He, too, has been involved in many phases of theatre besides ballet before coming to Huntsville in September of this year.

Susan Caneer portrays "Cinderella" and Ed Cohen is "Prince Michael." The selfish stepsisters are Susan Ehrenberger and Jeanette King. Cheryl McPherron plays the stepmother and Belle Osborne the Fairy Godmother.

Others in the cast include Mike Meigs and Darcy Debs as the King and Queen; Elaine Cubbins as the Jester; James Caudle, the Herald; Lee Hunt as the Cat, Midnight; Pat Martin as Lady Winifred; Gail Moore, Molly Gannon and Stephanie Rhinehart as Maids in Waiting; David Richards, the Page; and Susie Frey, Jan Unger and Susan Detko as village women. There are also many extra dancers in the ballroom scene.

Due to the overwhelming response to last month's Peter Pan, a fourth performance of Cinderella has been scheduled. Time of the Saturday Matinee has been changed to allow children to see



both the play and the Santa Claus parade. Cinderella will be presented at Huntsville High School on Saturday, December 4th at 10:00 a.m., 1:30 p.m. and 7:30 p.m.; and on Sunday, December 5th at 2:30 p.m. Tickets go on sale Monday, Nov. 29—Friday, Dec. 3, at the Temporary Civic Arts Center, 311 W. Clinton Avenue. All seats will be reserved in advance. Persons who have season tickets and have not yet made reservations should bring their season tickets to the Arts Center and exchange them for reserved seat tickets. This is very important. Only a reservation is a guarantee that you can see Cinderella.



ONE WOMAN ART SHOW—Cynthia December (right) will hold a one woman art show at the Redstone Arsenal Service Club Dec. 12 from 2-4 p.m. Buddy Curry will be at the organ and the Service Club staff will serve refreshments. The show is open to everyone. Cynthia is a native of San Antonio, Texas who studied at the San Antonio College and with Cecil Casebier. Cynthia also attended the Warren Hunter School of Art and received training in fashion illustrating and commercial art. She is a past member of the Louisiana Art Guild and is an active member of the Huntsville Art League. Her work is in a number of mediums.

At The Service Club

By Betty Hayes

Seasonal greetings!! Since today is Dec 1, many of you are making plans to go home for the holidays. Before you leave for the Christmas vacation, attend the festive activities this week and every week this month at the Service Club.

Today at 2 p.m. the Enlisted Men's Council will meet. The purpose of the meeting is to discuss the programs for December and the New Year. Come today with lots of enthusiasm and ideas.

Where will we travel tonight? You will have to come to see the travelogues at 7:30 p.m. to find out the answer.

On Thursday evening bring your favorite partner to the Service Club for pinochle night at 7 p.m. Prizes will be awarded to the winning partners.

How skillful are you at the chessboard? Friday night you have a chance to find out when you enter the contest at 8 p.m. Tell your friends about the contest.

Relax on Saturday afternoon and enjoy a cup of coffee and tasty refreshments at 3:30 p.m.

Small games are on the agenda for Saturday night at 8 p.m. Monopoly, sorry, cribbage, and scrabble are only a few of the games which will be played.

Sunday morning hot coffee and donuts will be served at 9 a.m.

Sunday evening the Junior Hostesses will meet at 7 p.m. Girls, let's get together and plan programs for 1966.

The holiday season's first big activity will begin on Sunday night with a record dance: The Mistletoe Swing. Attend the event at 8 p.m. to begin celebrating for

IRVIN TO TALK

The American Society of Tool and Manufacturing Engineers will hear George A. Irvin present a talk on Human Industrial Engineering Dec. 7.

Irvin is a cost reduction expert for Northrop Corporation, specializing in reducing cost on the NIKE-X Project. His business experience has come in sevens: seven years as chief industrial engineer; seven years as production manager; and seven years as supervisor of facilities.

Garden Club Plans Christmas Luncheon

The Redstone Officers Wives Garden Club has scheduled their annual Christmas luncheon for 12:30 p.m. Dec. 8 in the Redstone Officers Open Mess. Guests are invited to attend. Reservations should be made by noon, Monday, Dec. 6 by calling either Mrs. M. R. Flores, 877-4843 or Mrs. G. D. Hicks, 877-4958. Cancellations must be made by noon, Tuesday, Dec. 7.

The Wives Club choral group will present the program.

the season.

Join us for bridge Tuesday at 7 p.m.

Don't forget to check the December program for the Service Club activities and also the lucky service number.

See you at the Service Club.

Births At Post Hospital

Teresa Anne Butterfield, Nov. 17, daughter of 1/Lt. and Mrs. Orrin L. Butterfield

Matthew Ray Coffey, Nov. 23, son of SSgt. and Mrs. Calvin R. Coffey.

Gene Elizabeth French, Nov. 19, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Stuart M. French.

Kathryn Ann Hanvey, Nov. 18, daughter of SSgt. and Mrs. Andrew J. Hanvey.

Mona Rae Hollingsworth, Nov. 21, daughter of SSgt. and Mrs. Bruce D. Hollingsworth.

James Michael Lapointe, Nov. 18, son of CWO and Mrs. Melvin R. Lapointe.

Angela Jane Perry, Nov. 22, daughter of SSgt. and Mrs. Herbert E. Perry.

Donald Wayne Whitfield, Nov. 19, son of Sp4 and Mrs. Carrol W. Whitfield.

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Professional Engineers To Meet December 9

The Northeast Alabama Chapter of the Alabama Society of Professional Engineers will meet Thursday, Dec. 9, at the Candlelight Inn on North Memorial Parkway at 6:00 p.m.

A panel discussion will be on the proposed changes to the Constitution. The panel members and the areas they represent will be

John Beal, chairman; Cecil Hammett, education; Wilbur Maddy, industry; Tom Gilbert, private practice and Julian Greer, government. From this discussion, the chapter will establish its recommendations.

All members are urged to review their copy of the proposed changes prior to this meeting and be prepared to express their views and recommendations. Reservations can be made by calling Benjie Shultz, 842-3595.

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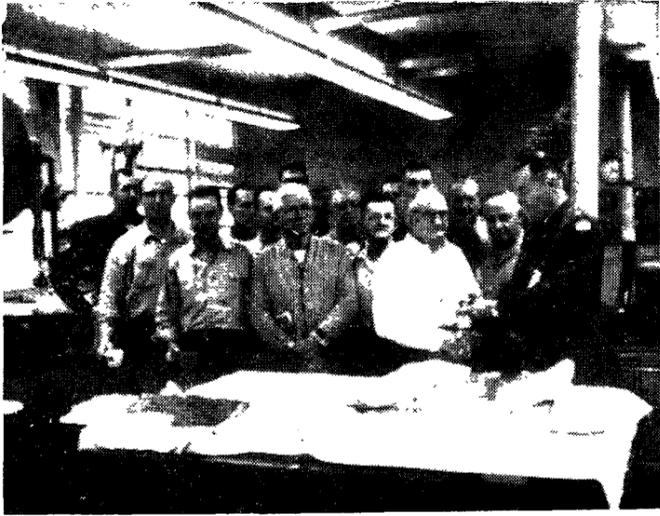
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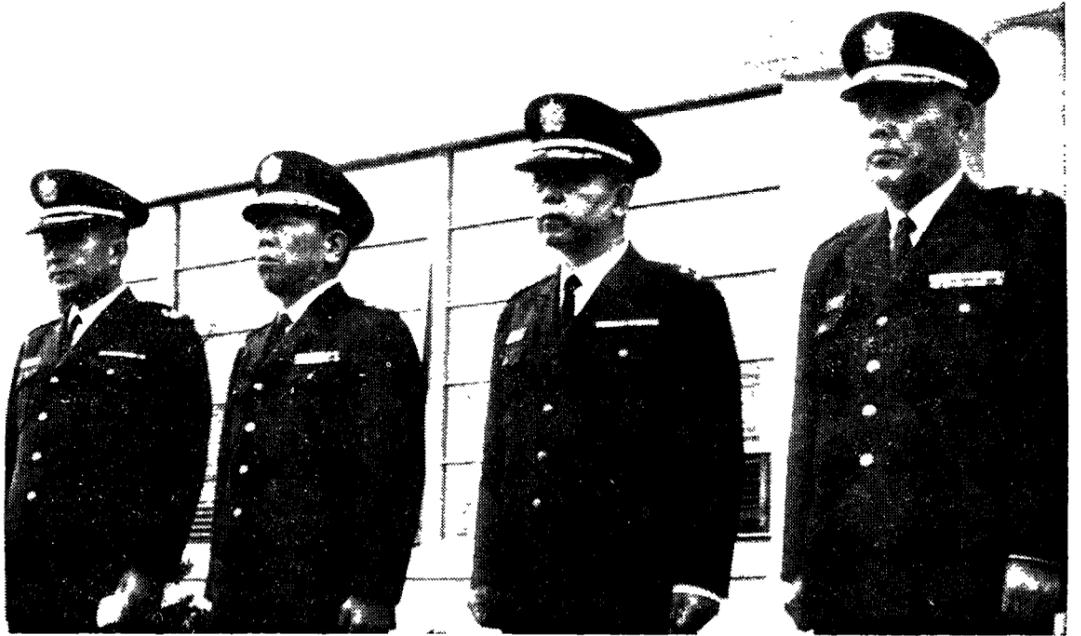
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RETIRES—Irby L. Mitchell (second from right) retired after 23 years Federal service. He entered the government in 1941 at Redstone and has spent the entire time here. Mitchell, who is a native of Alabama and Huntsville, has been with the Ordnance Guided Missile School for ten years where he worked with the Training Devices Branch as a woodwork model maker. He is shown here at a coffee in his honor being congratulated by Lt. Col. William C. Rogers, Chief of the Logistical Support office. After his retirement Mitchell says he plans to do some woodworking in his hobby shop which is at his home, 516 Mill Street, Huntsville. He said that he also might find some time to do a little fishing.



JAPANESE "STARS" VISIT—The first simultaneous visit ever made to the U. S. Army Ordnance Guided Missile School by three major generals from an Allied nation occurred this week when (reading from right) Maj. Gen. Seinosuke Kuno, Maj. Gen. Tetsuo Hazeyama and Maj. Gen. Akira Shono inspected training facilities and met with Japanese missile students. Accompanying them was (left) Col. Masao Suga. The generals are respectively chief of the G-4 section of the Japanese Defense Agency; deputy commandant of the Ground Self Defense Force Staff College and chief of the Quartermaster Section of the Ground Staff Office. Col. Suga is deputy chief, G-1, of the Ground Staff Office. In the second picture, the visitors are shown addressing Japanese students.

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Missile Command Personnel Continue Studies

Off-post training continues to hold an important place in the career development program at Redstone and in recent weeks 84 civilian employees and military personnel have been enrolled for advanced training in their individual career fields.

The courses of study are being conducted at military installations, leading universities and contractor plants scattered across the country. The courses are made available to local personnel by the Training and Development Division of the Civilian Personnel Office.

Over a quarter of the Redstone personnel participating in the program are at Rock Island, Ill., at the U.S. Army Management Engineering Agency.

Walter Hamlink, F & A Center, Adrian Wilson, Pershing, and Mary Seelbinder, of P & P, were enrolled for ADP Appreciation, while Dexter Potter, R & D, and Abie Franz and James Valentine, both of P & P, took the Quality Assurance Appreciation course.

Richard Nelson, P & P, William Willoughby, Qual & Rel Mgmt, and James Daniel, R & D, studied Sampling Procedures for Reliability Testing, Paul Pace, of the Computation Center, took Data Collection & Transmission, Larel Hoagland, Nike X, and Stanley Provost, S & M, took the Financial Management for Managers course, and Lee Keim, P & P, studied Inspection Planning.

Joseph Smith, P & P, Thomas Lowery, Post Engineering, and Robert Cloyd, Mgmt Science, took Management Statistics, and Vernon Robeson, Lance, joined Harlan Judd of the Inspector General for Management of Value Engineering in Defense Contracts.

Charles Price, Pershing, Robert Van Roo, Hercules, Alfred Stevens, Lance, and Lt. William Leverich, OGMS, are attending the Project Planning and Control Techniques course, and Robert Jones, Nike X, is enrolled for Work Planning and Control.

Joseph Camp, Installations & Services, C. B. Hopkins, R & D, Dowe Morlen, Hawk, and Robert Jones, Safety Division, are at the U.S. Army Materiel Command Field Safety Agency, Charlestown, Ind., where they are taking Guided Missile and Rocket Safety.

Eight of the locals are taking the PERT/COST course. They are Walter Pont and Edward Murphy, S & M, Arthur Reed, Redeye, Donald Ackerman, Comptroller & Dir of Programs, George Hurley, Land Combat Commodity Office, Hugh Finnegan, Sergeant, Luther Smith, Pershing and James Yost, P & P.

Seven are remaining here at Redstone for training at the Ordnance Guided Missile School. Charles Ayres, S & M, is taking Ballistic Missile Propulsion and Structures Repair, and Glendol Wren, S & M, is enrolled for Missile System Logistical Support Annex of Hawk Maintenance Supervisor.

J. M. Horne, Missile Intelligence, Alfred Johnson, P & P, and William Hanes, Nathaniel Barnes and Coolidge Needham, all of S & M, are taking Missile System and Logistical Support Orientation.

Another five are at the U.S. Army Logistics Management Center, Ft. Lee, Va., for the Defense Procurement Management Course. They are Lillie Hendrix, James Rushing and Hugh Michaels, of P & P, Louise Taylor, Purchasing and Contracting, and Francis Marsden, of TOW.

Owen Money Penny, S & M, and James Richardson, R & D, are at the Joint Military Packaging Training Center, Aberdeen Proving Ground, Md., where they are studying Packaging Design, and Ella Jones, Post Transportation, is taking a Special Course in Freight Transportation at the Army Transportation School, Ft. Belvoir, Va.

Paul Galloway, Sergeant, and Robert Nix, Nike X, are at the School of Systems and Logistics, Wright-Patterson AF Base, Ohio, for the Contract Administration course. Carl Rand, also of Nike X, is taking Advanced Contract Administration at the same place.

The Standards of Workmanship class at Frankford Arsenal, Pa., in-

cludes six Arsenal personnel. They are SFC Calvin Brown, SFC Clifton Young, SSGT James Hullett, and James Ballinger, all of OGMS, and Allen Davis and Harold Isom of the Maintenance Support Division.

Howard Cook, General Counsel, took a course in Formal Advertising at George Washington University, and another General Counsel employee, Leta Haskins is enrolled for Computer Impact on the Law at American University. Both of the universities are in Washington, D. C.

J. A. Muller, P & P, will take Defense Procurement Executive Refresher course offered by the Department of Navy in Washington, and Robert Gunter, General Counsel together with Ernest Atkinson and Charles Morgan, both of P & P, will study Termination Settlement and Negotiation in Washington at the Office of Chief of Naval Material.

William Barnes and Thomas

Hamrick, of R & D, and John Douma, Maintenance Support, and Harley Daniel, S & M, completed the Electronic Instrumentation course at Hawlett-Packard in Richmond, Va.

Three employees of Civilian Personnel will take a course in Advanced Position and Pay Management offered by the Deputy Chief of Staff for Personnel in Dallas, Tex. They are Mary Miklic, John Miklic and Graham Shovelton.

Robert Lowery, Comptroller & Director of Programs, will go to Kings Point, N. Y., for a course in Administration of National Security Policy prepared by the Civil Service Commission, and Robert Clem, P & P, will study Gas Chromatography at the Sadtler Research Laboratories in Philadelphia.

Vester James, S & M, will take a course in New Equipment Training, at the Army Tank-Automotive Center, Warren, Mich., and

Ralph Walton, Lance, is going to Dugway Proving Ground, Utah, for the CBR Weapons Orientation. Sidney Mintz, of the Support Command's Control Office, is going to the Army Management School at Ft. Belvoir, Va., for Army Installation Management, and Paul Donaldson will be at Ft. Gordon, Ga., for the Physical Security Course at the Military Police School.

The final group of Redstone students will be at the Army's Logistics Management Center, Ft. Lee, Va., where they are enrolled in three courses.

Leroy Hardin, P & P, and Clyde Parker, of Hawk, will take Defense Advanced Procurement Management, and Norman Bilger, P & P, is enrolled for Specification Management.

Lee Schiffman, Hawk, Max Robinson, Sergeant, and Capt.

Joseph Bond, S & M, will study International Logistics Management at the Virginia installation.

Movie Schedule

WEDNESDAY, Dec. 1.
"Man's Favorite Sport" (M-Y)
THURSDAY-FRIDAY, Dec. 2-3.
"The War Lord" (M)
SATURDAY, Dec. 4.
"Apache Uprising" (F)
SUNDAY-MONDAY, Dec. 5-6.
"When the Boys Meet the Girls" (F)
TUESDAY, Dec. 7.
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Missile School Reaches Thirteenth Birthday

The Army Ordnance Guided Missile School is observing its 13th birthday today with every indication that it will continue to grow as lustily as any teen-ager.

In fact, Col. Erwin M. Graham, Jr., commandant, announced that another substantial increase in the student body of more than 6,000 is expected in the very near future. He said it is likely that increased requirements for both missile and ammunition maintenance specialists in Viet Nam will boost the input of students past 7,000 during the Army's current fiscal year that ends next June 30th.

The missile School was formally established on Dec. 1, 1952 by a general order issued by the Department of the Army in Washington. Prior to that time, it had functioned as a provisional institution at Redstone Arsenal, occupying a

hastily converted ammunition loading building that housed a handful of instructors and students.

Col. Graham, then a major, headed the Missile School at that time. He became commandant again in mid-1965 when he returned here from several other assignments in the U. S., Europe and Asia.

In intervening years, the Missile School has expanded into a \$65,900,000 facility with a faculty of some 700 and courses that range from the smallest conventional ammunition to nuclear-tipped Pershing missiles with warheads of megaton explosive force.

Graduates now total about 32,000 men from all branches of the U.S. forces and 18 foreign nations.

In addition to training individuals, the Missile School also activates and trains missile maintenance units to support tactical fore-

es throughout the free world.

Upwards of 150 such units have been deployed from the Missile School, including the support specialists for the U.S. Marine Hawk air defense missile forces now in Viet Nam. Units and men trained here also participated in the Que-moy-Matsu crisis of 1958 when

Red China appeared to be threatening the off-shore islands and in the Cuban crisis of 1962.

The Missile School has pioneered a number of educational advances in the field of technical training. These include the first use of closed circuit television for missile training and the develop-

ment of a streamlined method of teaching basic electronics and missile technology.

Known as "common block," this latter teaching technique has gained high official approval. Such instruction is soon to be housed in a new building costing close to \$1,000,000.

Graduates Told To Keep Training

Technology advances at a rapid pace and . . . you must continually seek the knowledge that will make you technically proficient and capable of maintaining this equipment." Capt. Robert C. Tilton told the graduating class Wednesday at the Army Ordnance Guided Missile School.

Tilton, who is Test Branch Guided Missile Officer of the Hawk project at the Missile Command, was guest speaker at commencement ceremonies for 45 U. S. Army, one Marine Corps, and 12 German Air Force students. Among the graduates was the second group of 21 ammunition officers to be graduated from OGMS. Capt. Tilton, who is a West Point graduate and has been in the missile field practically all of his military career, stressed the ever-present need for proper maintenance because of the limit of logistical support one can be given in the field and this can be done only by always training and learning.

Two German Air Force men, Sgt. Kurt Kohler, with a 97.1 grade average, and Sgt. First class Klaus Bohr, with a 96.3, from Bahnhoftr, West Germany, were the Association of the U. S. Army award winners in the Pershing Ballistic Missile Propulsion and Structure Repair course. They were presented the AUSA plaque by Earl Dotson, AUSA Representative.

Other honor graduates were: First Lt. Harold Walpert, son of Mr and Mrs. William Walpert, 2431 Forest Green Rd., Baltimore, Md., in the Ammunition Officer course; SFC Arnold W. Harkins,

son of Mr. Thomas Harkins Jr., of Hall Quarry, Maine, in Nike Radar and Computer Repair course; and Sgt. Ralph E. Pyle and SFC Arnold J. Nolde in Section I and II, respectively, of the Ballistic Missile Inertial Guidance and Control Repair (Pershing) class.

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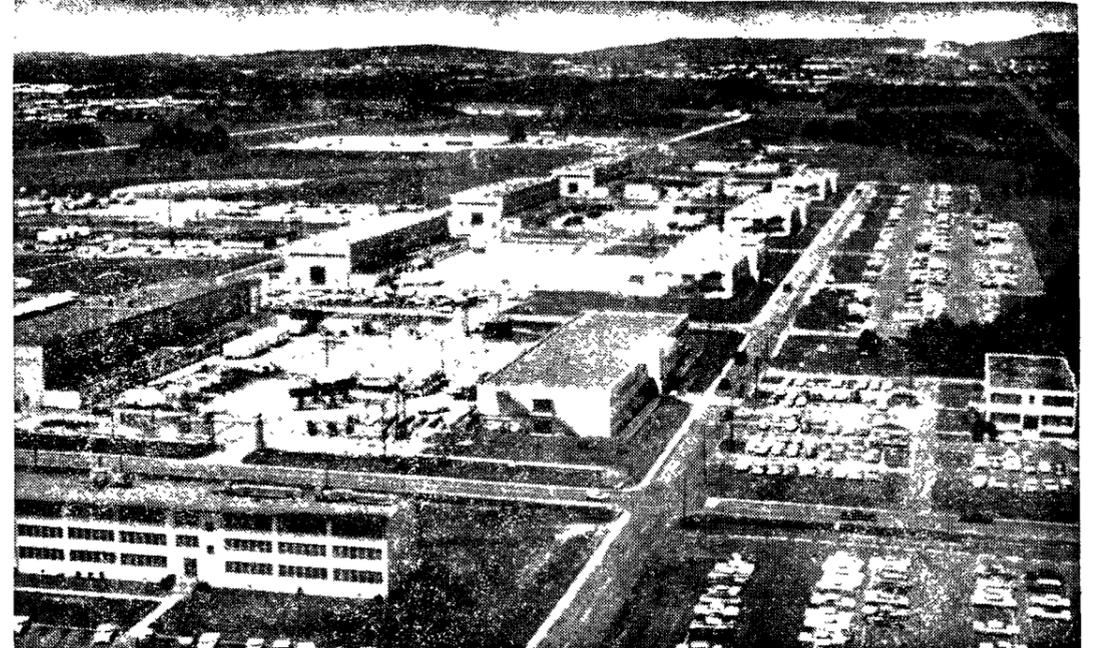
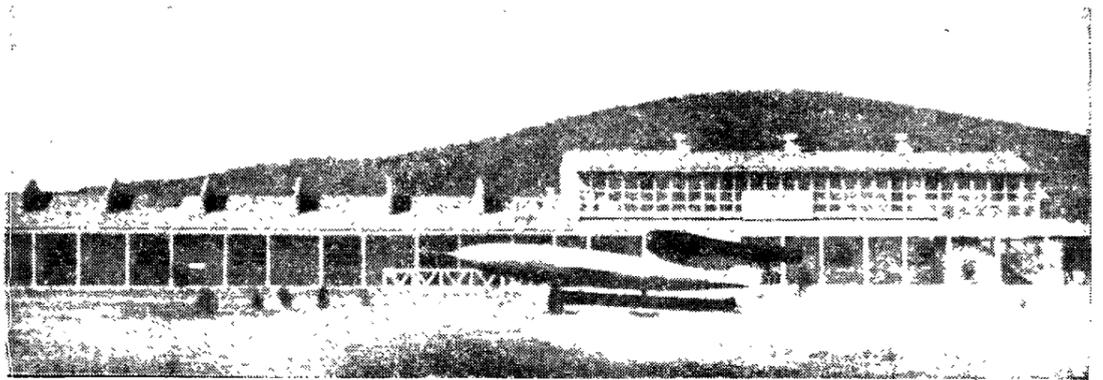
The Red Cross Bloodmobile Collected 134 more pints than the 500 quota at Redstone Arsenal during the November visit of the unit.

The 3rd. FTC at the Ordnance Guided Missile School had the greatest turnout of military personnel in Category I and the school's 251st Ordnance Detachment was highest percentage-wise in Category II. The plaques will hang until next month.

All told, 663 people were processed, and 634 gave blood.

'Unknown' Number Drops

With more than 200,000 aircraft flights taking place daily within the air space watched by the North American Air Defense Command, it is a rare day when none shows at the NORAD combat operations center as "unknown." But the average number of unknowns in the system has steadily declined over the years until now it is less than 10 per day. Of these, it is common to find two or three instances where interceptors are scrambled but recalled before intercept due to further communications checks. The remaining unknowns are intercepted and visually identified by the jet fighter crew. (NNS)



QUITE A TEEN-AGER!—Celebrating its 13th birthday this week is the U. S. Army Ordnance Guided Missile School which is now training some 7,000 missile maintenance and ammunition specialists per year. First picture shows World War II wooden structure in which classes began in 1952. Second is aerial view of school's \$65,000,000 campus today.

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The play will run for nine performances—two more than last year's usual run—in order to accommodate the large number of season ticket holders. The show will be produced Thursday through Saturday, Dec. 9-11, and Monday through Saturday, Dec. 13-18. Curtain time will be 8:15 p.m.

Availability of seats is limited, because of the high number of HLT season tickets sold. Mail orders for reserved seat tickets are being taken from patron and season ticket holders. Reserved seat tickets that remain will go on public sale on Monday, Dec. 6, at the Arts Council office.

Stars of the upcoming light comedy are Charlene Hughes, Don Walizer, Joe Dickinson and Dean Chumley. Richard Simmons will handle two walk on roles. Peggy Willingham is the director.

Charlene is a veteran of four other HLT shows. She has also been active in the Tuscaloosa Little Theatre. Charlene portrays Robin Austin, a college girl who is subletting her aunt's apartment for the summer. From this arrangement, grows a four-sided tangle with her fiancé, her landlord and her aunt.

Don plays Dave Manning, Robin's fiancé. A Pennsylvanian, Don will be making his fourth straight HLT appearance. He was last seen as Chick in "Wonderful Town." Don is a lieutenant at Redstone Arsenal, where he is deputy chief, Hawk Mechanical Branch, OGMS.

Joe is Hogan, landlord of the apartment building where Robin lives. Joe appeared in the HLT production of "Inherit the Wind" and is a former member of the Driftwood Players in Seattle, Washington. Joe is the supervisor for the Boeing Co. plans and engineering group in Huntsville.

Dean portrays Robin's aunt. She has been active in numerous HLT productions. Her latest effort was as Dona Ana in "Don Juan in Hell," HLT's summer show. She is a native of Gadsden.

Peggy is directing her second show for HLT. She also has appeared in five other HLT productions and was the stage manager for two musicals. She won the best supporting actress award for her performances in "The Little Foxes." Besides HLT, Peggy's hobbies are golf and sailing. She is a digital computer programmer for the Supply and Maintenance Directorate at Redstone Arsenal.

William Lewis Dies At Colorado Springs

William Lewis, 82, father of Mrs. Howard P. Pearsons, died at 5 p.m. Saturday at the U. S. Air Force Academy Hospital, Colorado Springs, Colo., after several weeks illness.

A private prayer service was held at the hospital and the remains were cremated. The ashes were sent to San Francisco for interment.

Mr. Lewis resided with Brig. Gen. and Mrs. Persons while they were at Redstone.

The family has requested no flowers, and designated the Bookhurst Ranch for Boys, Colorado Springs, for memorial contributions.

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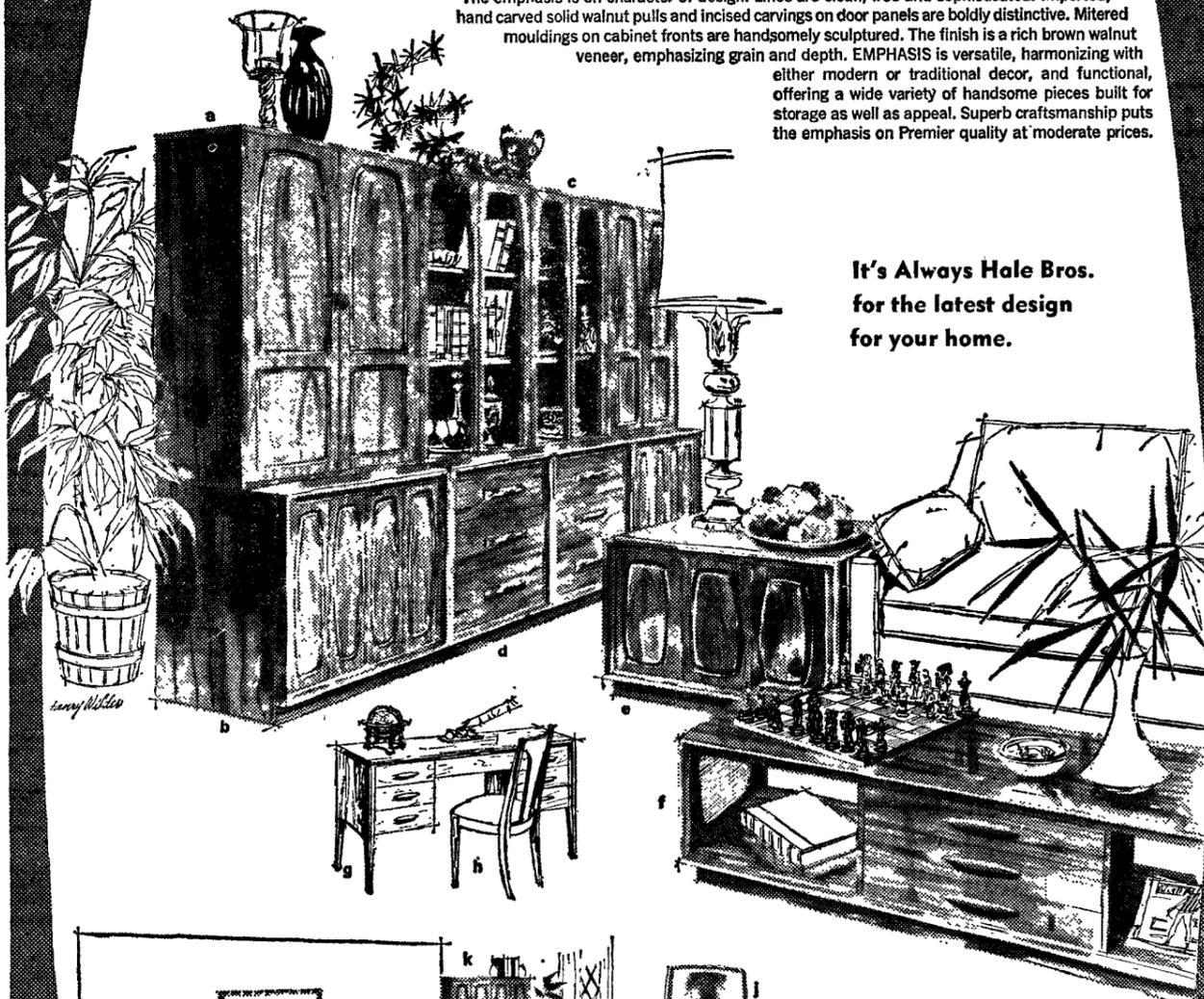
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WORKS UNTIL LAST MINUTE—Juanita B. Bain, for 35 years a Federal employee, retired Friday. A financial technician, Mrs. Bain worked in Washington during most of her career but came home to Decatur and a job at Redstone Arsenal in 1956. The Finance and Accounting Center staff gave a farewell party for her and presented a plaque of appreciation.

Juanita B. Bain Retires After 35 Years Service

Juanita B. Bain, a Federal employee for more than 35 years, retired Friday.

She started working for the gov-

ernment in the Washington offices of the Department of Agriculture in 1930 and returned to her native state of Alabama in 1956 because

her parents wanted her to live with them in Decatur. At Redstone she worked in the Wholesale Stock Fund Division of the Finance and Accounting Center.

Mrs. Bain remembers Washington with great pleasure. She enjoyed mixing with prominent government officials and acting as official hostess for several state receptions. In addition, she was active in the Eastern Star. She made her home in Arlington, Va., and during vacations travelled in Cuba, Mexico, New England and Canada.

In Decatur Mrs. Bain is active in the Business and Professional Women's Club and in the Women's Fellowship of the First Christian Church.

Her future plans include more travel. Now she is getting ready for a trip to Florida and possibly Nassau.

Mrs. Bain started her business career with a newspaper, and then in several law offices and county offices in Decatur and Cullman.

As a formal farewell observance, the Finance and Accounting Center staff held a party for Mrs. Bain at the Redstone Officers Open Mess. Approximately 150 of her fellow workers attended the event at which she was crowned by her supervisor, Leo Kirk, to be "Queen of the Ball."

Lt. Col. Milton A. Jones, Finance and Accounting Officer, presented her with a brass plaque in appreciation for her faithful service.

Jo Smith served as mistress of ceremonies at the "red and gold" banquet.

U.S. Savings Bonds account for more than 20 per cent of the publicly-held portion of the Government's debt. They are described by Treasury officials as the keystone of the national debt structure.



STILWELL HALL IS OFFICIAL—Following a formal dedication ceremony last week, Brigadier General Joseph W. Stilwell, Jr. (center) inspects a bronze plaque and picture of his distinguished father in the lobby of Stilwell Hall at the Army Ordnance Guided Missile School. The plaque cites the senior Stilwell as "Hero of the China-Burma-India Campaign, 1942-1944 and Commander of Army Ground Forces, predecessor of U.S. Continental Army Command," of which the Missile School is an element. A veteran of Viet Nam, Brig. Gen. Stilwell now commands the Army's John F. Kennedy Center for Special Warfare at Fort Bragg, N.C. Looking on at right is Maj. Gen. John G. Zierdt, commanding general of Army Missile Command, with Col. Erwin M. Graham, Jr., commandant of the Missile School at left.

Three Contracts Total \$11 Million For Missile Work

Three contracts totaling \$11,196,310 have been awarded by the U. S. Army for work on the Redeye and Shillelagh missile system and research in re-entry physics in support of Project DEFENDER.

Engineering services for the shoulder fired Redeye air defense missile system are covered by a \$8,096,310 contract to General Dynamics/Pomona, a division of the General Dynamics Corp. The work will be done in Pomona, Calif.

A \$1,200,000 award to Philco Corporation's Aeronutronic Division covers industrial engineering

services for the Shillelagh, a light-weight surface-to-surface missile. The work will be performed at the corporation's Newport Beach, Calif., plant.

Avco Vorp. received a \$1.9 million contract for re-entry physics research in support of Project DEFENDER, a study in ballistic missile defense systems being conducted by ARPA, an agency of the Department of Defense. The U. S. Army Missile Command, Redstone Arsenal, manages the program for ARPA. The work will be done at Avco's Everett, Mass. research laboratory.

The Los Angeles Procurement District will administer the Redeye and Shillelagh contracts. The contract to Avco was awarded by the Missile Command Procurement and Production Directorate's Systems Contract Division A.

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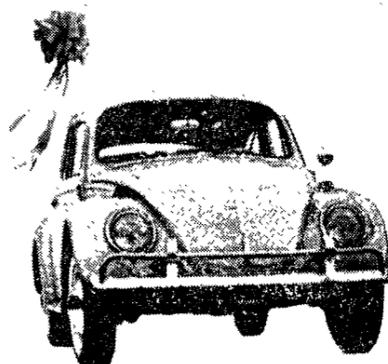


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Organizational meeting for the Chapter will be held at Morton Hall on the Huntsville Campus of the University of Alabama, Dec. 15. All members and prospective members are encouraged to attend.

The agenda for the initial meeting will include the installation of officers and a guest speaker who will be named later. A representative of the Society's national headquarters will attend the meeting.

The Huntsville Chapter was organized by a number of government and local administrators with Dr. Orba Traylor, professor of economics and public administration at the University of Alabama, as the temporary chairman.

This group drafted a constitution for the local chapter and petitioned ASPA for a charter. Acceptance of the application was made at a meeting of the Society's Council in Washington last week.

Officers of the Huntsville Chapter are: Dr. H. Clyde Reeves, University of Alabama, president; Thomas D. McDonald, Judge, Madison County Court, vice-president; Colonel David Marcelle, Comptroller and Director of Programs, Army Missile Command, secretary-treasurer; and Dr. Bernard Cosman, University of Alabama, corresponding secretary.

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TOKEN OF APPRECIATION FROM GERMANY—As a token of appreciation for courtesies extended by the city of Huntsville to hundreds of German Army students attending the U.S. Army Ordnance Guided Missile School at Redstone Arsenal, Lt. Col. Hans-Joachim Behrends, German Army Liaison Officer (left) presents a large-scale world map to Mayor Glenn H. Hearn. The gift was made on behalf of Behrends' predecessor, Lt. Col. Hans W. P. Finck, who established a record of "foreign" service at the Missile School with a five-year tour of duty before returning to his homeland recently.

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School Changes Key Men

Five key appointments on the staff of the Army Ordnance Guided Missile School are announced by Col. Erwin M. Graham, Jr., commandant. All are effective today.

Lt. Col. Paul E. Towry is Executive Officer. He has been chief of Air Defense in the Department of Individual Training.

Lt. Col. Charles R. Richards is named head of the Directorate of Unit Training. He has been serving as Executive Officer.

Lt. Col. Robert J. Percy is director of the Missile Components Department. He had commanded Unit Training.

Lt. Col. Gordon T. Fearson is acting chief of the Air Defense Department after serving as chief of the Hawk Division.

Maj. Peter C. Kostoff is assigned to the New Missile and Literature Directorate to coordinate plans for a number of new missile systems soon to be added to the school's curriculum and work on special projects affecting the entire instructional system.

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