

# The Redstone Rocket

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**ALREADY!** Col. William Grabowski, Director of Supply and Maintenance, appears somewhat surprised at the early response of Directorate personnel in the 1967 Combined Federal Campaign, but the key workers shown with him, assured the Colonel that S&M always rates high in such projects. Over 85 per cent of the assigned personnel of the Directorate have already made their contribution with gifts totaling almost \$7,000. Shown presenting the second weekly report to the Director are, left to right, Leonard Twinem, Sally Langford, Cindy Phillips and H. W. Crumrine. This is the first Arsenal-wide fund raising drive conducted since Col. Grabowski took over as Director.

## Army Personnel Give \$198,183 During First Two Weeks Of CFC

"The largest total gift in the shortest time frame" is a pre-campaign goal that now appears well within reach for the 1967 Combined Federal Campaign in the Huntsville area.

With only two weeks of the fund raising drive having been completed, Federal personnel have responded with contributions and payroll deduction authorizations in excess of \$300,000. This total gift is approximately 75 per cent of the amount raised here last year in a two-month drive.

Department of Army agencies have contributed \$198,183, the Marshall Space Flight Center has turned in \$101,909 and the other government agencies participating in the campaign have donated \$1,367.

In reviewing the weekly report on Monday, Maj. Gen. John G. Zierdt commented that "Our hopes for concluding the solicitation in four to six weeks could be realized."

The Commanding General of the Missile Command, in opening the drive here two weeks ago, called

on campaign officials and key workers "to strive for one more improvement in our fund raising techniques."

"This improvement," he said, "would be to reduce the period of solicitation period from the usual six-weeks to more in the time frame of four weeks."

Gen. Zierdt added that with the payroll deduction privilege, he felt that we could reduce the time without sacrifice to the productivity of the campaign.

It is the payroll deduction feature that is primarily responsible for the fast early start of the campaign. Over three-quarters of the total contribution has been made in this manner.

The larger reporting agencies led the big second week surge of contributions with each of the three large MICOM directorates and the Support Command nearly equalling their total gift of a year ago.

The Supply and Maintenance directorate has turned in donations totaling \$36,739 with 85 per cent (See CAMPAIGN on Page 3)

## SAM-D In Progress Review To Begin

More than 100 industry and Government representatives will be at the U. S. Army Missile Command three days this week for an In-Progress Review of the SAM-D air defense missile system.

The SAM-D program is in a five-month Contract Definition Phase of firming up proposals for development. Three companies — Hughes Aircraft Company, Fullerton, Calif.; Radio Corporation of America, Moorestown, N.J.; and Raytheon Company, Bedford, Mass. — are conducting this effort under contract.

The purpose of the review is to make sure the contractors and subcontractors are on the right track leading to development of a weapons system the Army and Navy want for defense against aircraft and short-range missiles in the 1970's.

Following the Contract Definition Phase, if no further definition effort is needed, one or more of the three contractors will be picked to receive development contracts.

The Army-Navy SAM-D Project Office at the Missile Command is responsible for technical supervision of the advanced air defense system. Col. Edward M. Dooley is SAM-D Project Manager. Navy Capt. William A. Arthur and Charles A. Cockrell, an Army civilian, are his deputies.

## HARVEST BALL TICKET SALE BEGINS OCT. 1

Tickets for the fourth annual Harvest Charity Ball, an event of Oct. 29, will go on sale through husbands' organizations.

Mrs. W. F. Kaiser is overall chairman, Mrs. George McBride is menu chairman, and Mrs. S. J. Clark is chairman for decorations.

The ball is formal. The Meltones will play for dancing, and plans are being made for a floor show.

## AUSA TO HEAR GENERAL DODGE

The 1966-67 season of meetings of the Tennessee Valley Chapter of the Association of the U. S. Army will open with a dinner at the Redstone Officers Open Mess tonight, and local officials expect a searching analysis of the chapter's achievements and deficiencies.

Lt. Gen. Charles G. Dodge, (USA, Ret.), new executive vice president of the international association of Army backers, is the featured speaker for the event that begins with a "dutch treat" social at 6:30. All members of the AUSA, regardless of rank, are invited to attend, and tickets are on sale at all agencies on Redstone Arsenal.

Recent discussions between William T. Weissinger III, local chapter president, and the board of directors emphasize a "need for action" in two areas of membership where the chapter's record "seemingly is very fine but still has several faults," according to A.A. Stewart, vice president and chairman of the membership committee.

In letters to his fellow officials, Stewart points out that 86 per cent of the Tennessee Valley chapter's membership of 3,854 are civilians. This compares with an overall national civilian membership percentage of only 25 per cent. The Tennessee Valley membership is the third largest in the nation, ranking behind the Fort Benning, Ga. and Braxton Bragg, N. C. chapters.

However, Stewart's membership committee points out that of the 3,320 local civilian members, the vast majority are civilian employees of the Army agencies at Redstone. At the same time, local military membership totals only 534.

The committee feels that far more civilians not connected with the Arsenal should be enrolled, while military membership on the Arsenal itself should at least double, in view of the continuingly successful efforts of the AUSA to improve the Army's "national posture" and also provide additional insurance and personal benefits to all its members. Non-Army civilians in the community should also be made more aware of the continuing economic advantages to the entire business area of Army activities at Redstone, the committee feels.

Local members are being urged to distribute their copies of the

monthly magazine, "Army" to non-members in the community and at the Arsenal as an educational measure to explain the broad scope of AUSA interests that range from production and deployment of the Nike-X antiballistic missile system to wider medical benefits for military retirees and dependents.

Gen. Dodge is expected to touch on these and other matters at the Wednesday dinner as he speaks on "The AUSA and the Changing Army".

## BG Davisson Commands White Sands

WHITE SANDS MISSILE RANGE, N. M. — Brig. Gen. Horace G. Davisson has been named to be the new Commanding General, White Sands Missile Range, Maj. Gen. L. G. Cagwin, Commanding General of the U. S. Army Test and Evaluation Command, has announced.

Gen. Davisson, Commanding General, U. S. Army Weapons Command at Rock Island Arsenal, Ill., is to assume command of this national range the middle of October.

WSMR, a major field test agency of the USATECOM, has been commanded by Colonel Karl F. Eklund since the death of Maj. Gen. John M. Cone last spring.

From April 1964 to June 1966, General Davisson served in Korea as Commanding General, 8th U.S. Army Support Command. While in that assignment he achieved reorganization of the Support Command into COSTAR (Combat Service Support to the Army) designed to improve the logistic base in Korea.

A 1937 graduate of the U. S. Military Academy, General Davisson was born in Ruleville, Miss., in 1914. Prior to entering West Point he attended Millsap College, Jackson, Miss., for two years.

General Davisson is married to the former Miss Betty Wyatt of San Antonio, Tex. They have three children: a married daughter, Elizabeth; Sarah Louise, 19; and Peter Charles Lawrence, 18.

## Col. Sterling Abernathy Assumes Comptrollership

A veteran of all phases of Army financial management, Col. Sterling H. Abernathy has assumed his newly assigned duties as Comptroller and Director of Programs for the Army Missile Command.

Col. Abernathy succeeds Col. David Marcelle in the key MICOM staff position. The latter left Redstone in August for a new assignment with the Office of the Comptroller, Department of Army.

The new Comptroller came to the Arsenal from the U. S. Army Finance School at Ft. Benjamin Harrison, Ind., where he had been Director of Military Service for the past year.

He is a native of Fordyce, Ark., and a graduate of Ouachita Baptist College. Col. Abernathy was a member of the Reserve Officer Training Corps in college and at graduation was granted a reserve commission in the Infantry.

Called to active duty in 1941, Col. Abernathy saw service as an Infantry officer in the European Theater during World War II and in Korea during the Korean Conflict. He was cited with the Silver Star and Bronze Star for his service in Europe and the Legion of Merit while in Korea.

Col. Abernathy has served an additional tour of duty in Europe and Korea and has been Comptroller at Ft. Benning and at Ft. Wayne, in Detroit. He is a graduate of the Command and General Staff College.

He is married to the former Miss Madge Obermiller of Jackson, Mo., and the couple are the parents of two sons. The family resides on the Arsenal.

In addition to the previously mentioned awards, Col. Abernathy has twice been cited with the Army Commendation Medal.

## Mission Safety 70 To Be Inaugurated At Arsenal

The Army Missile Command Mission Safety 70 program will be inaugurated throughout Redstone Arsenal next week. It will be the subject of a month long promotion leading to a long term program designed to improve the existing accident prevention effort and to periodically evaluate the results against the established goals.

Proclaimed by President Johnson as the policy for all Federal Services, Mission Safety 70 has the long range objective of reducing injuries to civilian and military employees and loss by 30 percent by 1970.

The program is dedicated toward better accident prevention. It is intended to develop managerial awareness of the safety problem within the organization

and revise and improve existing educational, engineering, and enforcement control measures.

T. W. Davidson, the MICOM Safety Director, briefed key management personnel of all Army elements on the aims and objectives of the program and was assured that full support would be extended.

Davidson pointed out that the Missile Command has maintained one of the better accident prevention records in the Army. Because of the good record, it will be extremely difficult to meet the President's challenge.

The October program will provide the base for the continuing long term effort. Primary targets will be prevention of lost time injuries, motor vehicle accidents (See SAFETY-70 on Page 3)

# The Redstone Rocket

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## Rocket Ruminations

Diplomacy is to do and say the nastiest things in the nicest way . . .

—Isaac Goldberg

## Our Nation's Highest Court

We all have a personal stake in our Government. And whether we realize it or not, that personal stake is what makes our country great. Basically, it translates into teamwork.

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We know our Founding Fathers wrote the basic law of the land—the Constitution. We also know they distributed the power of the federal government among three separate branches: (1) The EXECUTIVE made up of the President and his Cabinet; (2) the LEGISLATIVE (Congress); and (3) the JUDICIAL (made up of the Supreme Court and the other federal courts).

Let's look at the latter and the Supreme Court in particular, which came into being Sept. 24, 1789, when the Judiciary Act became law.

French Statesman and Author Alexis de Tocqueville in his "Democracy in America" (1835) described the place and function of the Supreme Court in the government of the United States in language which remains basically sound. He said:

"The peace, prosperity, and the very existence of the Union are vested in the hands of the (justices of the Supreme Court). Without them the Constitution would be a dead letter: the executive appeals to them for assistance against the encroachments of the legislative power; the legislature demands their protection against the assaults of the executive; they defend the Union from disobedience of the states, the states from the exaggerated claims of the Union, the public interest against private interests, and the conservative spirit of stability against the fickleness of the democracy. Their power is enormous, but it is the power of public opinion. They are all-powerful as long as the people respect the law; but they would be impotent against popular neglect or contempt of law . . ."

(AFNB)



**SYSTEMS SAFETY ANALYSIS**—Three Huntsville men who are employed at the Redstone Arsenal attended a recent course in Safety Systems Analysis at the University of Washington College of Engineering. The men are: (left to right) Stanley J. Brockway, aerospace engineer, U. S. Army Materiel Command, Nike-X Project Office; John A. Butas, Nike-X Safety Officer, IRS Office, Safety Division; and Malcolm M. Hudgins, general engineer (safety). The latter two are with the U. S. Army Missile Command. The course, designed to keep engineers up-to-date, is part of the University's program of Continuing Education for Engineers (University of Washington Photo).

## MINNEAPOLIS AUSA MEMBERS HEAR ABOUT MISSILE USES

U. S. Army missiles could have more widespread use in the Vietnam war, but value of the targets and high level policy decisions must govern such use.

This was pointed out Thursday by the U. S. Army's top missileman, Maj. Gen. John G. Zierdt, Commanding General of the Army Missile Command at Redstone Arsenal, Ala. His command has research, development and management responsibilities of all Army missiles and rockets.

Speaking to a meeting of the Minneapolis, Minn., Chapter of the Association of the U. S. Army, Gen. Zierdt said that guided missiles have made possible the age of push-button warfare, but have not brought it into reality. Pointing out that the fighting in Southeast Asia is still war where soldiers with rifles are shooting at other soldiers with rifles, the General affirmed that some Army missiles and rockets are being used daily in Vietnam. These include rocket launchers mounted on Army helicopters, the Hawk guided missile and a four pound shoulder fired rocket assault weapon—systems which were developed at the Missile Command.

But, he said, "That is not to say that there could not be more widespread use of missiles in Vietnam. The capability is there should the decision be made. . ."

At the same time, "The question becomes one of economics in the strict military sense. Does the value of the target justify the use of a relatively costly delivery system? And, of course, there are other considerations of a policy nature that must be decided at the highest levels of government."

"For the most part", Gen. Zierdt said, "the Army has been actively engaged since World War II in a war of technology fought in laboratories and test ranges. This war has produced many of today's major operational missile systems which are designed to defend against or deter the use of similar weapons by other nations."

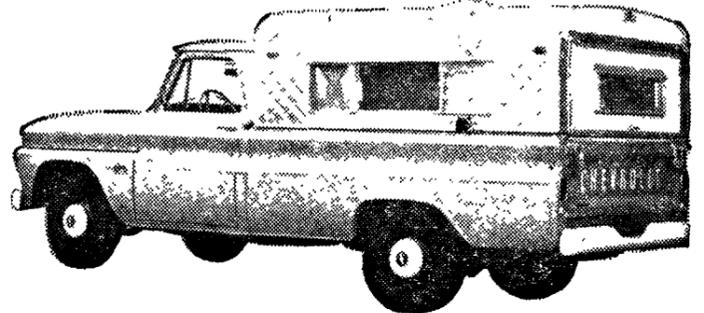
During the past several years, the Army has been making a major shift in emphasis on missile development. Ten years ago, he said, the Army was in the early development stages of the 60 foot tall

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Jupiter missile with a range of 1,500 nautical miles. Today the Army has in early development a shoulder-fired missile assault weapon that can be carried on a soldier's back.

Technology moves ahead and we must move with it, General Zierdt said. "Those of us charged with adapting technology to better arms for the American soldier constantly search for lighter weight, more mobility, higher reliability, more cost effective missile systems."

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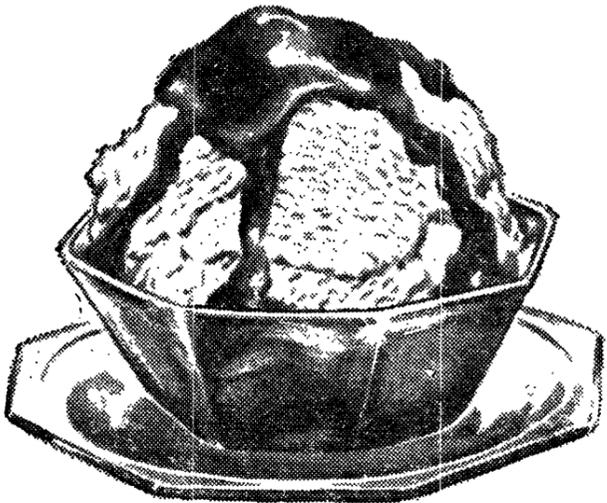


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**SHILLELAGH/M60**—Two Army "Tankers" load a Shillelagh anti-armor guided missile aboard an M-60 A1E1 tank. The Shillelagh missile system, under mass production for the Army by Aeronutronic at the Army's Lawndale, Calif., Missile Plant, recently completed a highly successful series of test shots to determine the system's performance in extreme varying weather conditions.

**COMBINED FEDERAL CAMPAIGN SCOREBOARD**

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Rohm & Haas	P. T. Campbell	7,853.09	84
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Proc & Prod	Willard Collins	24,631.45	76
Msl Intell	J. R. Williams	1,655.56	74
Thiokol Corp	B. D. Herbert	17,643.05	72
Air Defense Sys	A. E. Tarwater	8,519.10	72
Staff Offices	Robert Lowery	5,050.00	70
Land Combat Sys	Robert Malone	10,107.07	68
Res & Dvmt	Will Lewis	24,631.45	58
Sup Command	George Parker	39,238.94	49
AMMCS	Lt Col R. J. Percy	7,189.66	27
Total		\$198,183.05	59

**CAMPAIGN**

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of the 1765 assigned personnel listed as participants. This contribution is within \$1,300 of the total amount collected in the directorate last year.

Sands, additional extreme weather firing tests are scheduled for Fort Greely, Alaska and the Yuma Proving Ground, Arizona.

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and renewed stress on fire prevention. He noted that the principle losses incurred during the past three years had resulted from major fires.

Improved safety procedures will be the subject of special attention for employee suggestions with recognition being given to all participants. Score boards for major organizations will be displayed throughout Redstone displaying the days since last lost time injury both on and off the job. Supervisors will be provided with new reporting tools and will be kept aware of their organization's progress.

"If our efforts," Davidson commented, "result in a reduction in the number of accidents and violations of ten percent during each of the next three years, we will

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The tests took place at three Army test sites across the nation, Fort Knox, Ky., Aberdeen Proving Grounds, Md., and White Sands, N. M., and were instrumental in the granting of a Type Standard "A" classification to the missile system by the Army Materiel Command.

The Type Standard "A" Classification is the highest possible given to an Army item and means "the most advanced and satisfactory item currently available to fill operational requirements.

Fully integrated with the General Sheridan Armored Reconnaissance Airborne Assault Vehicle to form the Sheridan/Shillelagh system, the Shillelagh mis-

siles were subjected to extreme conditions ranging from desert heat and dust to arctic cold and humid tropical heat and rain prior to and during testing.

Army gunners fired the missile, under mass production by Aeronutronic at the Army's Lawndale (Calif.) Missile Plant, through rain, wind, dust, smoke, snow, fog, over water, at night, and at extreme hot and cold temperatures. Stationary and moving objects which also maneuvered to avoid the missiles, were the targets.

The missile systems were also loaded aboard a General Sheridan vehicle which was air-dropped from a U. S. Air Force cargo aircraft several times. They were then fired from the Sheridan without a miss.

During the test program the Shillelagh missile systems were transported thousands of miles under actual and simulated air and ground cargo conditions in order to demonstrate their ruggedness and reliability. In addition to actual shipping and in-vehicle road and cross-country tests, the missiles were placed on vibration machines to duplicate shaking and handling which would be encountered during years of service at sites around the world.

Tests of the missiles are expected to continue indefinitely, using both the Sheridan and the M60 A1E1 main battle tanks. Although a number of arctic tests have already been conducted as well as extreme desert tests at White

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# JANGOS RECEIVE CAPS

## Thirteen New Members Join Local Chapter

Capping ceremonies for 13 new members of the Redstone Guild of the Junior Army-Navy Guild Organization (JANGO) were held last Tuesday night at the Redstone Post Chapel. Also during the ceremonies, pins and chevrons were presented to the JANGOs who had served additional hours as nurses aides in the Post Hospital and Dental Clinic.

The JANGOs who received their caps from Mrs. I. O. Drewry, Guild chairman, and Maj. Betty Anderson from the Post Hospital are:

Russelyn Bergmann, Debbie Hicks, Nancy Jean Hooker, Elizabeth Anne Johnson, Deborah Jo Justin, Mary McHugh, Linda Kaye Parker, Lynanne Roth, Kristine Smith, Enitza Velez, Debbie Verbeek, Donna Watson and Candy Zierdt.

JANGO pins representing 50 hours service were awarded to 17 girls, and white chevrons for 200 hours service were earned by eight. Two girls received blue chevrons for 300 hours. These awards were made by Mrs. William Hooker, Guild co-chairman, Maj. Marian O'Neill and Mrs. Jean Grady of the Post Hospital, and Mrs. John G. Zierdt, JANGO Senior Board Advisor.

Pat O'Connor, the Guild president, was presented a gold charm bracelet from JANGO national headquarters in Washington, D. C.

Mrs. Manuel Flores furnished organ music at the beginning and at the close of the program. The

invocation and benediction were given by Chap. (Maj.) James Johnston, Post Chaplain. Lt. Col. Russell J. Gale, Post Surgeon, opened the ceremony with welcoming remarks.

Following the awards presentations, Maj. Gen. John G. Zierdt, Commanding General of the Army Missile Command, spoke to the group and pointed out that the Redstone Guild was the first one to be established on an Army post outside the Washington, D.C. area.

Col. James R. Thompson, chief of Dental Service, Post Hospital, praised the JANGOs for their assistance as nurses aides.

In order to earn their caps, the JANGOs spent 24 hours in class and 76 hours working the Post Hospital and Dental Clinic.

A reception was held in the Chapel Social room at the close of the ceremonies.

## WIVES TO MAKE FANCY CANDLES

The Officers' Wives' Club will sponsor weekly courses in decorator candle-making, beginning Wednesday Oct. 12 at 1 p.m. at the Officers' Open Mess.

Mrs. L. R. Seggel will conduct instruction for varieties of poured-type candles as well as the beeswax honeycomb type. Materials will be set up Wednesday, with priority given earliest registrations.

Mrs. Seggel will show an exhibit of her work at the O.W.C. luncheon Oct. 11, and will accept names of those interested.

Members may register earlier by contacting Mrs. E. M. Wohlbold at 877-4561.



WE'RE CAPPED—The third annual JANGO capping ceremony was held last Tuesday night at the Post Chapel. Left to right, back row, are: Elizabeth Anne Johnson, Nancy Jean Hooker, Candy Zierdt, Kristine Smith and Debbie Verbeek; middle row, Donna Watson, Deborah Jo Justin, Lynanne Roth, and Russelyn Bergmann; front row, Debbie Hicks, Mary McHugh and Enitza Velez. Linda Kaye Parker, also a member of this class, was not present for the photo.

## SENATOR'S WIFE TO TALK TO OFFICERS WIVES

The Redstone Arsenal Officers' Wives' Club is having a luncheon on Tuesday, Oct. 11, at 12:30 p.m. Ivo Sparkman, wife of U. S. Senator John Sparkman, will be the guest speaker. Mrs. Sparkman has traveled extensively in the Far East and has chosen "Japan to Penang" as her topic. Emphasis will be placed on Viet Nam, because of its interest to all Military wives.

MMCS wives will be hostesses with Mrs. Erwin M. Graham, Jr. as Chairman.

Reservations must be made by noon Friday, Oct. 7. Please call one of the following: Mrs. J. T. Price 877-4862; Mrs. L. S. Schmitz 877-4138; Mrs. R. H. Mullen 877-4371; or Mrs. T. H. Mosley 877-4064. Cancellations will be accepted until noon Monday, by calling Mrs. C. T. Bayer 877-5735.

### DECORATIONS

Mrs. William C. Rogers, chairman of the Decorations Commit-

tee, has planned a theme "Glance at Eastern Countries".

The tables will be adorned with pagoda, bridges, happy birds and lake scenes. Mrs. Christian S. Yamate will do an authentic To-

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# Fantasy Playhouse Will Present 'Wizard Of Oz'

The sixth season of Fantasy Playhouse opens on Oct. 1 and 2 with four performances of the perennial favorite "The Wizard of Oz".

L. Frank Baum, who was unsuccessful in almost everything he had attempted, finally persuaded a publisher to print one of his stories; but he and the illustrator had to agree to pay all printing costs. Hoping to sell maybe 5,000 copies, "The Wonderful Wizard of Oz" was published Aug. 1, 1900. Four months afterwards 25,000 to 30,000 more copies had to be printed. Today more than 5,000,000 copies have been published making it one of the best sellers of all time. It has been translated into more than a dozen languages. In Russia it is used to teach English to school children.

This stage version dramatized by Adele Thane with an "all star cast" of local young people promises to be one of the highlights of the theatrical scene in Huntsville this year. The ages of the cast range from 10 to 18 and the entire technical production of the show has been done by teenagers. Mike Mojher designed the elaborate set. Sam Hunter, Tech-

nical Director, heads a staff of young people who have constructed a set which promises to be full of surprises from the opening curtain to closing curtain.

In addition to the four performances in Huntsville on Oct. 1 and 2, it will also be presented in Decatur on Oct. 8 as the first in a series of Junior Programs sponsored by the Decatur Junior Service League. Two years ago Fantasy toured "Mystery at the Old Fort" to Decatur.

Principal characters include Michi Knowe as Dorothy, Steve Bonnist as the Scarecrow, Branko Medenica as the Tin Woodman, Craig Reinhart as the Cowardly Lion and Anne Brigham as Toto.

Season tickets are on sale now through Sept. 30 at the Temporary Civic Arts Center, 311 West Clinton Ave., Huntsville from 9 to 5 daily. Prices are \$2.00 for all children through high school age and \$3.50 for adults. All seats are reserved. The other plays to be presented this season are Little Women on Dec. 3 and 4 and Arthur and His Magic Sword on Feb. 4 and 5.

All performances are at Huntsville High School Auditorium and

## Retired Wives Have Fall Luncheon, Play Canasta

The Retired Officers Wives Bridge and Canasta Group met Sept. 20 for a Harvest luncheon and card competition.

Among the 16 tables of bridge players, winner was Mrs. Robert Smith with Mrs. Harvey Sorenson second and Mrs. James T. Murphy third.

Two tables of Canasta produced Mrs. Marvin J. Cooley as winner

## MRS. BULL WINS AT PARTY BRIDGE

Six tables of players attended the Thursday bridge session sponsored by the Redstone Officers Wives Club at the Open Mess last week.

Winner was Mrs. J. T. Bull with second place taken by Mrs. Charles Shields and third by Mrs. C. E. Holloway. Mrs. Walter Thomas coordinates reservations to play with the group. Her phone is 881-8851.

curtain times are Saturdays at 10:30 a.m., 2:30 p.m., 7:30 p.m., and Sundays at 2:30 p.m.

## NCO Wives To Hold Coffee October 11 At Officers Mess

Volunteers for the Army Community Services Program at Redstone Arsenal are planning a social morning for wives of enlisted men serving overseas or elsewhere in the United States.

Wives of enlisted men serving elsewhere will be guests of the and Mrs. Marvin M. Chunnally second.

All told, 70 people attended the luncheon.

NCO Wives Club at a Coffee Oct. 11 from 9:30 to 11:30 a.m. at the Redstone Officers Open Mess.

Mrs. Charles E. Dye, whose husband is an instructor at the U. S. Army Missile and Munitions Center and School, is coordinating between the NCO Wives Club and those whose husbands are overseas.

Mrs. Dye has sent letters of invitation to all the wives in the Redstone Arsenal area she has on her list from the Army Community Services Office, but she is sure there are other wives who would be welcome if they would contact her by calling 536-4636.

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## TOASTMISTRESS HOLDS GUEST NIGHT WED.

Guest night was observed at the Huntsville Toastmistress Club's meeting on Wednesday evening at the Russel Erskine Hotel, with Mrs. Roy Glass, Mrs. Erik Fris, Mrs. Enoch Sparks, Mrs. Norman Moore, Mrs. Donald C. Walton, and Miss Mooneyan Early present as guests.

Mrs. Noel Donlin presided. During dinner, Mrs. James Linton presented table topics asking members to portray famous persons with descriptions and having the listeners guess the identity from the descriptions. Mrs. Wayne Gough was voted best topic speaker.

Plans for the Founder's Day meeting on Oct. 19 were announced. This will be a joint meeting with the Rocket City and Alaunt Toastmistress Clubs. A public relations program is planned.

Miss Nell Curtis served as toastmistress and presented the program following the theme, "You can Be Better Than You Are." Speaking on the program were Mrs. Ralph A. Holmes, Jr. with her autobiography; Mrs. R. D. Hamberlain with an extemporaneous speech entitled, "Self Image"; Miss Dolli Wiginton speaking extemporaneously on "Trim the 'ick'"; and Mrs. R. P. Hearn giving a reading on protocol. Miss Wiginton was named best speaker. The next meeting will be Oct. 11 at the Russel Erskine Hotel. The program will be a debate.

## Bridge Championship at Stake In Huntsville

The Seventh Annual Space Capital Bridge Championships will be held Sept. 30, Oct. 1 and 2 at the Huntsville Carriage Inn Motor Hotel with a program of seven major events under the sanction and direction of the American Contract Bridge League. Last year's annual tournament attracted players from throughout the south for a total of 351 tables.

The first scheduled event will begin at 2:00 p.m. on Friday afternoon. In addition to the major events, a novice game is scheduled for 8:00 p.m. on both Friday and Saturday nights for inexperienced players who prefer not to compete against the more seasoned players.

Entertainment during the tournament will include refreshments and music for dancing Saturday night and dinner on Saturday and Friday evenings.

For further information and partnership arrangements, the tournament Chairman, Mr. R. A. alone, may be contacted at 881-23.

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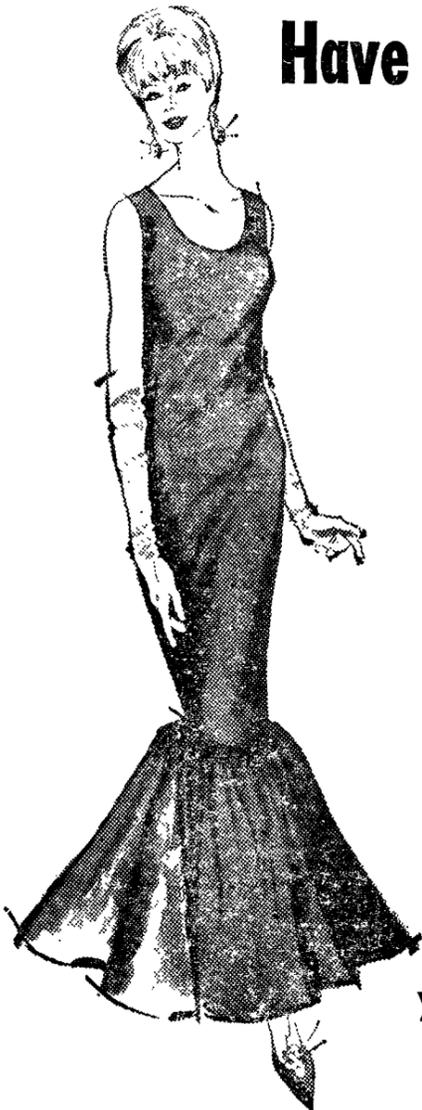
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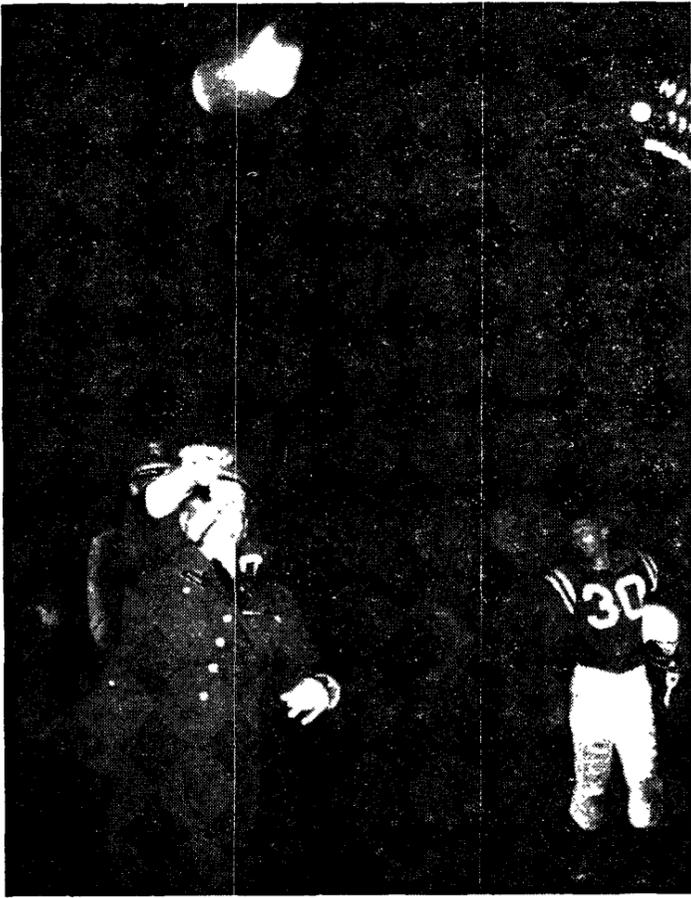


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# SPORTS



**GETS SEASON STARTED**—Col. J. L. McKeown, Student Troop Commander at the Missile and Munitions School, fires a scoring pass to get the Unit Level football season underway. Football is returning to the Unit Level schedule this year after being dropped a year ago. Games will be played primarily on Saturday night and Sunday afternoon due to work schedules at the School, where most of the players are assigned.



**WINNERS ALL**—Pictured are the trophy winners of the Missile and Munitions Center and School's swimming meet at the Arsenal last Saturday. Top row, from left: Trent Harrison (1st ETC) Richard Killian (4th ETC), Peter Barankl (3rd ETC), Linwood Riggs (4th ETC) Peter Armstrong (3rd ETC), Paul Adler (3rd ETC), Dennis Loehndorf (3rd ETC) and Mike Carlton (4th ETC). Bottom row: Malcolm Megaw (4th ETC), Lt. Tom McDonald (coach, 4th ETC), Gene Hamilton (2nd ETC), and Wayne Vieira (4th ETC.)

McGaw Leads Way . . .

## 4th ETC Wins MMCS Swim Title

### Ann Wiener Tops In Ladies' Loop

The top individual effort went for naught in the Tuesday Morning Ladies bowling league last week when the Hopefuls were the victims of a clean sweep dealt out by the Rare Spares despite a 540 by Ann Wiener.

The win propelled the Spares into the league lead by a single point over the Tipsters. The second placers took three out of four from the Splatter Pins with Doris Pound leading the way with a 502.

Virginia Payne fired a 220 game to give the Pins the margin for their only win.

The Queen Pins took three out of four from the Angels and the Bowling Bags split with the Do Nothings in other matches last week.

Following the torrid pace set by Malcolm Megaw, the 4th ETC listed Training Company swam to team honors in the Missile and Munitions Center and School swimming meet last Saturday.

Megaw won the 50-meter free-style and 50-meter backstroke to capture individual swimming honors and was anchor man on the winning 200-meter relay team.

The 2nd ETC finished second in the meet scored on the point system, with three, two, and one awarded for first, second and third place finishes respectively.

Seventy men from the 1st, 2nd, 3rd, 4th, 6th and 7th ETC's took part in the six-event meet.

Other winners were Trent Harrison of the 1st ETC who topped the field in the 50 meter breast stroke and Wayne Vieira, (4th ETC) who won the 50-meter butterfly event with a speedy time of 30 seconds.

Peter Barankl (backstroke) Peter Armstrong (breast-stroke) Dennis Loendorf (butterfly) and Paul Adler (free-style) led the 3rd ETC to

victory in the 200 meter medley relay.

Col. I. L. Keown, Student Troop Commander, presented the trophies to the first and second place companies and to the individual winners.

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### Hubs Knock Rounders Off Unbeaten Path

The unbeaten ranks in the MMCS Officers bowling league was cut in half last week as the Black Jacks kept rolling along but the Rounders were being forced to settle for three out of four.

The Jacks put four of their five bowlers in the 500 class in rolling a 2811 total to take all four points from the Squirrel Hill Mob. The Rounders saw their winning streak snapped by the Hubs.

In other matches the Swags took

### VESS WINS AT GOLF

Kat Vess won the Blind Bogey competition among the Golf Group sponsored by the Redstone Officers Wives Club at the Arsenal Course last Wednesday.

Second place was a tie between Martha Napper and Betty Mc Combs.

three from the Bad Gnus and the Satellites had the same winning margin against the Rocket Rollers.

Tom De Loach set the Black Jack pace with a 555, Ron Parker felled 518 maples. Hank Meinke collected 513 and George Earle hit for 507.

Top individual honors for the week went to Al Leonard of the Rounders. Al shot a 234 middle game and ended the evening with a 582 total.

Jerry Whittaker led the Swags to their win with a 536 and Hugh George was the top Satellite gunner with a 512 set.

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# Hubco Bowlers Tough But Team Only Splits

Some place along the line, the Huntsville Brick and Tile bowling team seems to have lost the formula for winning the league championship in the Supply Management league.

After grabbing the league title five years in a row, the Tilers have opened the new season with an even split in two straight matches despite having the top individual game and series each week.

Two weeks ago Tom Lindsay got the season going with a 267 game and a 623 series and last week D. B. Smith had his night with a 255 game and a 628 set. But like the opening night, Hubco was only able to win two out of four from the 7 Up five. Billy Tippins added a 555 to the Hubco attack.

The Pin Busters had even less luck in the same league when they were only able to win a single point despite Howard Lee's 619 Honor Roll count. Lee put together games 200, 212 and 207, but the Debuggers won three points as Cecil Bunch tossed a 563 total that included a 223 game.

The three wins enabled the Debuggers to claim a share of the league lead with Lily Flagg and the Auto Center. Each has won seven out of eight.

Joe Williams equalled the Bunch total for Pearsall Flowers in a 3 to 1 win over the All Sports Trophies. The latter team got a 558 from Chet Wysocki and a 551 from Mel Webb.

Individual heroics were a little thin in the AMC and Field Services Leagues last week with only three scores over 550 coming out of the two leagues.

Two of them were pitted against each other in the AMC as Oliver Patrick fired a 558 for the Maulers and Hal Jackson had

a 555 for the Skippers.

Three of the four AMC matches ended in sweeps with the Ramblers, Lancers and Panthers taking the measure of the Alley Cats, TOW Boys and Stars respectively.

The Panthers made the most noise with a 1018 game and a 2951 total, as George Johnson set the pace with a 540. Howard Helmick had the same for the Skippers.

The Expeditors were even tougher in the Field Services League when they shot a 1103 single game and a 3054 series in winning all four from the Crackers. The Guided Muscles took over their familiar top spot with a sweep over Loeb Barbecue and Bramblets dealt out a sweep to the Keglers.

Ed Leahy set the individual pace for the league with a 555 and Tom Gannon was next in line with a 544.

## Judo Training Class Starts In October

The Redstone Judo Club has arranged for a new course of instruction for all military personnel and their dependents starting Oct. 10.

The program will include a comprehensive study of Judo and will continue for a three-month period. Students may continue on with an advanced course at the completion of the initial class.

High motivation and excellent attendance are the only prerequisites for the class and all applicants should register by Oct. 1 at building 5414. Applications will be accepted on Tuesday and Thursday evenings starting at 4:45, and on Saturday morning starting at 10:30.

For further information call:

## WEEKEND DOUBLE BILL SLATED IN UNIT FOOTBALL

Another pair of outstanding games are on tap for this weekend when the four teams of the Unit Level Football league get together for their second round of games on the Patton Road gridiron.

The Bulldogs tangle with the Bombers in the Saturday evening game starting at 7:30 and the Hawks meet the Arapahos in a Sunday afternoon affair set for 2:00.

Over 500 spectators were on hand for each of the first round games and they were treated to a pair of exceptionally well played and hard fought encounters.

The Bulldogs and the Hawks fought to a 6-6 tie in the opener while the Arapahos turned in the first win of the season with an 18-8 decision from the Bombers on Sunday.

## Wheezers Drop Point But Hold Onto Lead

Although they suffered the loss of a point for the first time, the Wheezers continued to roll along in the A-B-C Officers bowling league by taking the other three points in their match with the War Hawks.

Jim Bochnowski led the leaders to their win with a 535 which was also good for the league's best individual total of the week. Tom Wilkerson helped the cause along with a 516.

Dave Urbel was just two pins behind Bochnowski in leading the Black Jacks to three wins from Saturn whose Carl Bayer tossed a 517.

The Hopefuls won all four from

Lt. W. T. Nicholson, at 877-3530 (duty) or 536-7861 (home), and MSG H. W. Decker at 877-3458 (duty) or 877-4576 (home).

## Arsenal Personnel Get Special Rates For Game

The Huntsville Rockets Professional Football Association has designated this Saturday's game with Jacksonville as Redstone Arsenal Night and announced special rates for Arsenal personnel for the game.

The local Rockets defeated the visitors in an earlier game in

the Florida city, 15-14, and will be out to make it two in a row over the powerful invaders. The two North America football League eleven's will meet at the Huntsville Stadium with the kickoff slated for 8:00.

Civilian personnel at the Arsenal will be admitted to the game at the special rate of \$2.50. Tickets for this game and all future games on the Rocket schedule will be available to active duty military, retired personnel, and their bona fide dependents at the previously announced price of \$1.50 per ticket.

Reduced price tickets went on sale Monday at the following locations: Sington's Sporting Goods, Dyess and Hibbett Sporting Goods, Bill's Men's Wear (3 locations), Taylor's Drug (3 locations), Andan News and the House of Guns, all in Huntsville, and at Lane's Sporting Goods in Decatur.

All pre-game tickets will go off sale at 6 p.m., prior to the game, including the special RSA personnel tickets. Prices at the game will be \$4.00 for adults and \$1.50 for students.

## Military Bowlers Miss Honor Roll

Mike Hamer and Jerry Wiener took turns at setting the individual pace as the STC Bowling league completed the first two weeks of their season. C Company No. 1 raced off to the team leadership with consecutive sweeps.

Hamer got the season rolling with a 597 for Hqs No. 1 and Wiener grabbed the laurels last week by firing a 588 for Company A.

The C Company five took all four points from 4th ETC on opening night and came back to dole out the same treatment to the 3rd ETC a week later. B Company No. 1 and C Company No. 2 are close behind with seven wins out of eight.

The latter quintet shot a 2831 team total last week as Jim Trump knocked over 553 maples and Ron Patton was the top B Company gunner with a 578 that included a 226 game.

Nike FMTE shot the top team game, a 1047, with B Company tossing a 1044 for one of their wins.

The Pin splitters and the Lucky Strikes scored a sweep over the Mixers. The sweep boosted the Strikes into second place, two and a half points off the pace of the Wheezers.

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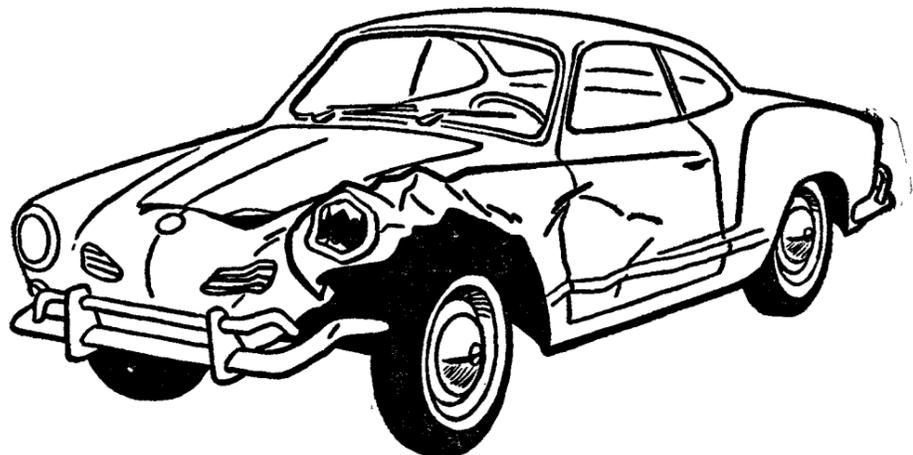
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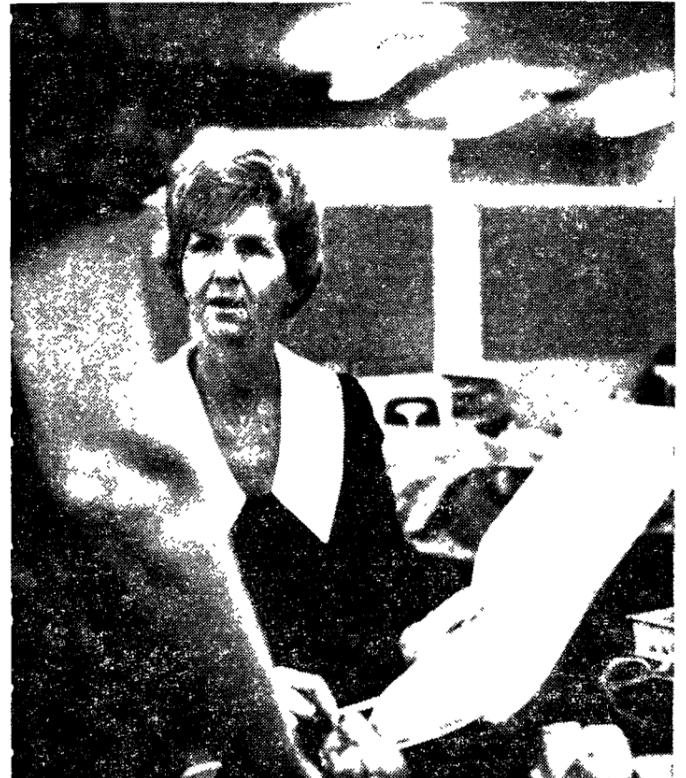
# Achievement Award Winners For Zero Defects



**ACHIEVEMENT**—Dora L. Hewlett of Huntsville studied secretarial science at Oakwood College. Now she works in the U. S. Army Missile Support Command's Patent Center. She received an achievement award for typing an average of nine and one quarter patent applications per month compared to a standard requirement of seven.



**PEMARS ACCOUNTING**—Jerry Williams studied accounting during his two years in the Army and last year became a member of the Finance and Accounting Division staff for the Missile Command. A native of Arab, Williams recently was named the Division's most valuable employee of the month. He received a Zero Defects Achievement Award at the ceremonies Tuesday for processing accounting documents through the mechanized system for PERMARS—a matter of 1,220 line items in July with a .004 per cent error rate.



**EDITOR**—Vivian L. Oldham, a resident of Fayetteville, Tenn., commutes to her job in the Supply and Maintenance Directorate. She has been working at the Army Missile Command for the past five years. During the Zero Defects countdown last year, she performed a Zero Defects personal program in editing 22 comprehensive calibration procedures made up of part numbers, nomenclatures, references and narrative instructions. The procedures contributed significantly to the effectiveness of the Army Metrology and Calibration Center teams engaged in field operations.



**BON VOYAGE**—Doris T. Privett has been at the Missile Command since she graduated from Woodville High School in 1958. Miss Privett doesn't travel for the government, but she has ample opportunity to bid others bon voyage. She is credited with processing 1836 travel orders over a ten month period with three per cent errors which her bosses state is a significant improvement in effective management of Procurement and Production Directorate travel operations.



One year ago personnel from the U. S. Army Missile Command—more than 10,000 in all—gathered in the Huntsville football stadium to kick off our Zero Defects program.

The anniversary of that date came two weeks ago, marked appropriately by the dedication of a major new facility—the John M. Cone Laboratories—dedicated to the Zero Defects philosophy in all aspects of measurement and calibration.

Yesterday MICOM personnel rededicated themselves to the Zero Defects philosophy with a first anniversary meeting in the Rocket auditorium.

Highlight of the event was the presentation of achievement awards to the seven civilians pictured on this page in recognition of their performance on the job by Maj. Gen. John G. Zierdt.

Others recognized at the ceremony were persons who received cash awards for winning entries in the recent Zero Defects poster contest. They included:

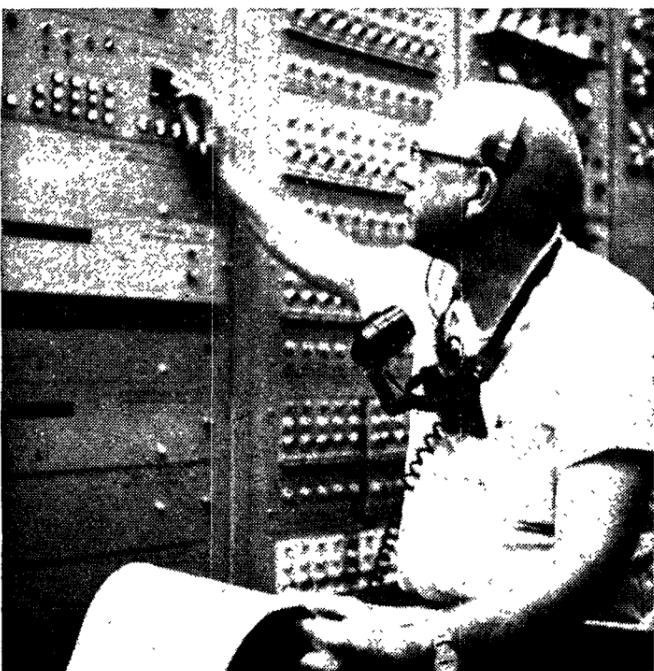
Lee R. Coppett, Provost Marshall Division; CW3 Jack F. Ray, Hawk Project Office, who submitted two winning entries; Adelio Lopes and Ira B. Humphrey, both of the Procurement and Production Directorate; Maritza T. Hamilton, Finance and Accounting Division, and Robert G. Provost, Management Sciences.

Also receiving cash awards for poster ideas were 1st Lt. Donald H. Esry, Supply and Maintenance Directorate; Charles L. Lewis, Research and Development Directorate; B. R. LuQuire, S&M, and Raymond I. Strickland, R&D.

An achievement award also went to David H. Torrance, a student at the University Center in Huntsville who was a finalist in the Zero Defects achievement program while on active duty at the U. S. Army Hospital at Redstone Arsenal. Torrance completed his active duty last month.



**DEVELOPS ACCURATE METHOD**—Lloyd Woodham of Albertville had his own radio and television repair service before he joined the Research and Development Directorate at the Army Missile Command. Woodham investigated causes of a 50 per cent reject rate on printed circuit boards and came up with a dye process which was fast and accurate in pinpointing skips in circuitry. He reduced rejection to less than five per cent.

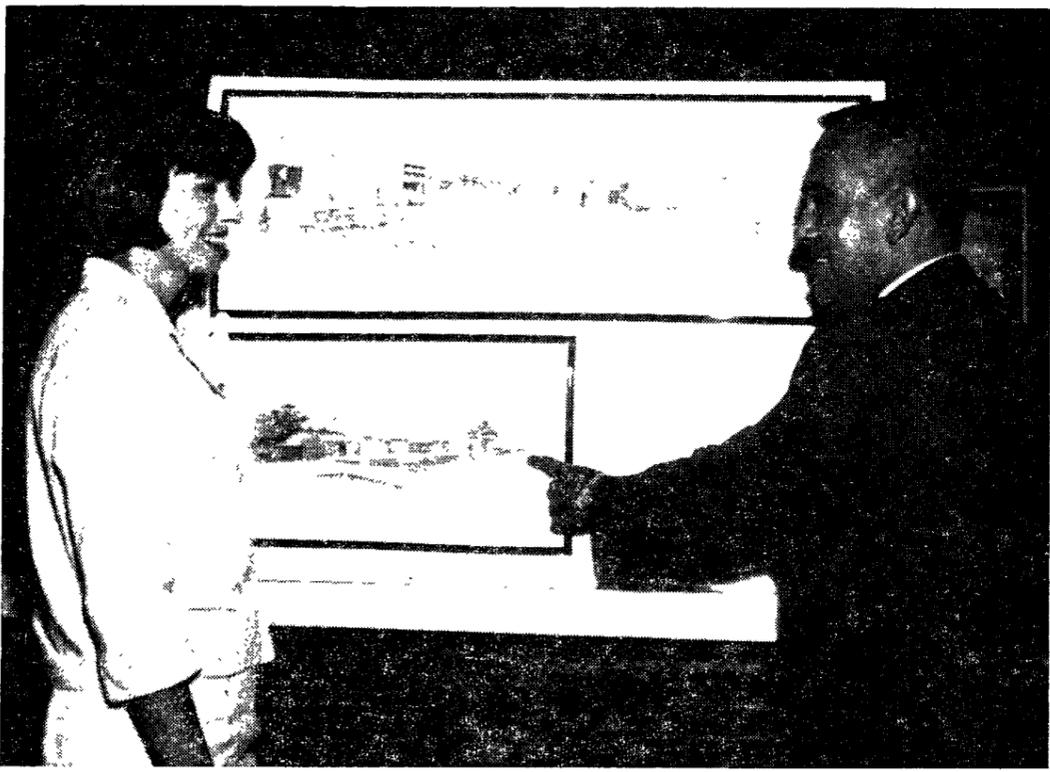


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**STATISTICIAN**—Thalma Meek hasn't stood still on the job, for in the Procurement and Production Directorate where she is now she has developed complex statistical information relating to special studies and surveys—with Zero Defects. Miss Meek is from Jackson, Tenn., and has worked for the Government in Washington, D. C., and other Continental United States locations. She joined the staff here in 1956.





INSIDE AND OUTSIDE OF NEW NCO CLUB—MSG John R. Kaylor and Mrs. Robert Bullock look over artist concepts of the new Redstone Arsenal NCO Club which will be constructed by McAlister and McQuinn Construction Company of Huntsville. Sergeant Kaylor is president of the Redstone Arsenal NCO Club and Mrs. Bullock is the wife of SFC Robert Bullock who is a member of the Club's Board of Governors.

## Huntsville Firm To Build Redstone Arsenal NCO Club

A contract for construction of the new Non-Commissioned Officers Open Mess at Redstone Arsenal was signed Wednesday with McAlister and McQuinn Construction Company of Huntsville, the low bidder. The contract will be approximately \$369,000 which is to be paid from NCO Club funds. Target date for completion of a new building is about six months. Furnishings and equipment for the new club are presently being studied.

Contract for the new structure is being administered by the Purchasing and Contracting Division, U. S. Army Missile Support Command.

There will be more than 20,000 square feet of space in the new club, almost double the 12,000 square feet in the clubhouse which burned last week. Features of the new building will include a spacious main ballroom and dining room, a lounge and area available for private parties. With a seating capacity of approximately 1,000 persons the new club will overlook the city of Huntsville through bay windows in the main ballroom. The single floor building will be at a lower level from the main parking area. Although not included in present construction plans, there will be space for facilities such as outside patios and a swimming pool when funds are available.

Club President MSG John R. Kaylor said that the new kitchen facilities in the Club will contain the latest in equipment and that maintenance and cleaning problems will be considerably reduced.

SFC John G. Watson, Jr., Club Secretary and Manager, has announced that the new Club will have a package store and barber-shop. The new building will be completely air-conditioned and indirect lighting will be a feature.

## ELEVEN COMPLETE WORK METHODS TRAINING CLASS

A short graduation ceremony on Friday morning will close the second session of the special Work Methods and Standards training course offered this year by the Management Science and Data Processing Office.

Included in the class are five employees of the Supply and Maintenance directorate, two Picatinny Arsenal personnel who came here for the training, and four management intern trainees assigned to Management Sciences.

The purpose of the class, taught by Robert Provost and Ben Davis, of the Management Science office, is to develop an effective management tool for controlling men, machines and materials. It is a five-

week course.

It is designed to provide the student with an application of the basic elements of work measurement. Included in the course agenda is a study of the principles of methods improvement to cover the flow of work, man activities, and man-machine relationships.

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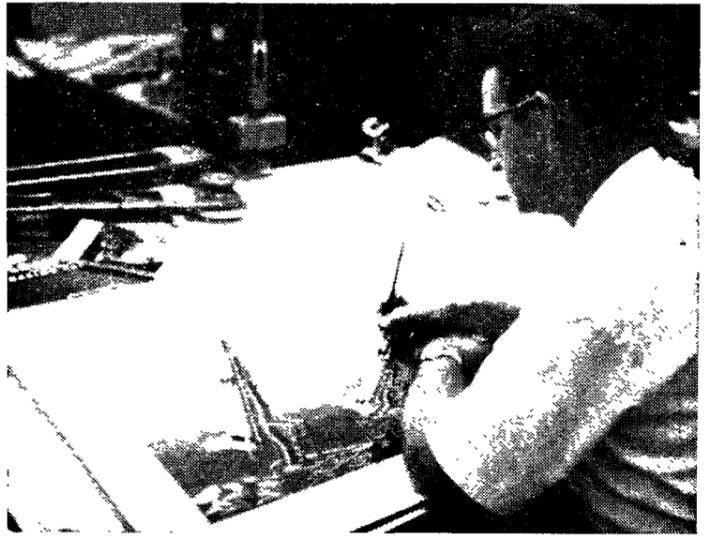
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Wisconsin — Must be received by Election Day.  
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 Guam — Must be received in time to be delivered before Election Day.  
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 South Dakota — Must be received by Election Day.  
 Federal postcards for requesting an absentee ballot are available from unit voting officers and in the office of the Staff Judge Advocate, Bldg. 5250.



JIM HOLDER

## Local Artist Featured In Film About Huntsville

A Huntsville artist was the star this past week when camera crews came to the city to film supporting scenes for a national television release.

Jim Holder, member of the board of directors of the Huntsville Art League and Museum Association, was filmed in sequences with other Art League painters and at work on Redstone Arsenal.

A graduate of the Famous Artists School, Westport, Conn., Holder was selected by the school to be featured in a film about its program. The film will star Norman Rockwell, noted artist.

Scenes filmed in a two-day shooting schedule in Huntsville included an outdoor painting demonstration by members of the Art League's Painters' Workshop on the grounds of Burritt Museum, Monte Sano.

Holder is founder of the evening painters' group and has been Art League workshop chairman for the past three years. He is also a talented photographer and has expended much of his camera skill on behalf of the League.

A former weekly newspaper owner, Holder decided late in his career that he wanted to devote full time to art. In 1961 he moved to Huntsville and began work at the Arsenal. He is now a technical illustrator in the publications section of the S&M Directorate.

Holder and his wife, Winona, also an artist, live at 508 Graycroft Dr., Huntsville. They have one son, an electrical engineer.

A print of the film is scheduled for showing in the Painters' workshop as soon as available. National release is expected about the first of the year.

## Movie Schedule

### Theater No. 1

WED.-THURS., Sept. 28-29  
 "Irma LaDouce" (M)  
 FRIDAY, Sept. 30  
 "Up to His Ears" (M-YP)  
 SATURDAY, Oct., 1  
 "A Man Called Adam" (M)  
 SUN.-MON., Oct. 2-3.  
 "Spinout" (F)  
 INCREASED ADMISSION: adults 50c, children 25c.  
 TUESDAY, Oct., 4  
 "Birds Do It" (F)  
 Two shows nightly at 6:00 and 8:30 p.m. Saturday matinee at 1:00 p.m. Sunday matinee at 2:00 p.m.

### Theater No. 2

WEDNESDAY, Sept. 28  
 "A Man Called Adam" (M)  
 FRIDAY, Sept. 30  
 "Spinout" (F)  
 INCREASED ADMISSION: adults 50c, children 25c.  
 SATURDAY, Oct. 1  
 "Birds Do It" (F)  
 SUNDAY, Oct. 2  
 "The Agony and the Ecstasy" (F)  
 INCREASED ADMISSION: adults 50c, children 25c.  
 TUESDAY, Oct. 4  
 "The Sleeping Car Murder" (M)  
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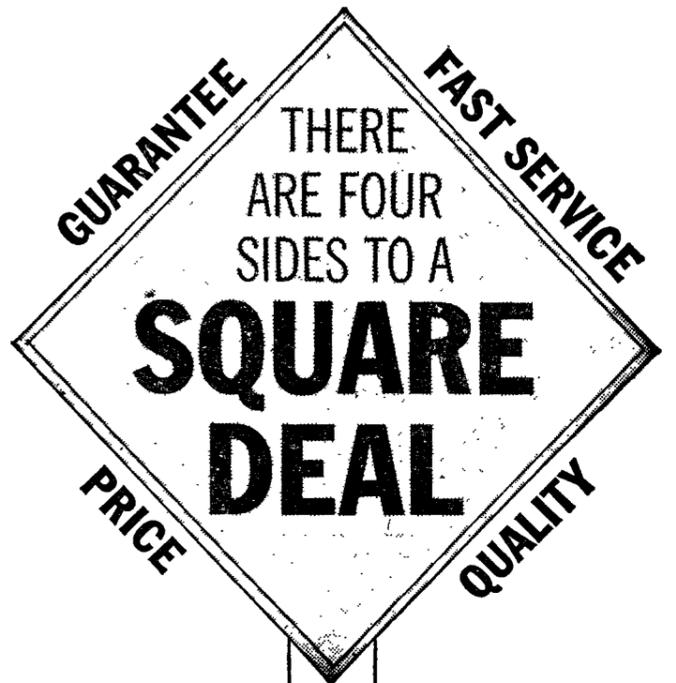
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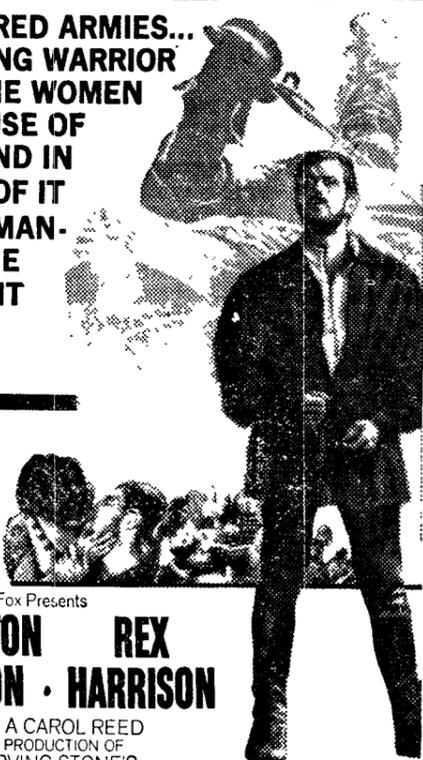
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**MISSILE CONTRACTORS, TAKE NOTE**—These young ladies in the Army Missile Command Procurement and Production Directorate are hard at work putting together between 200 and 250 procurement packages for the first Missile Command Procurement Fair set for Oct. 5 at Redstone Arsenal. The packages, representing \$1.5 million worth of business for both large and small businesses who are qualified suppliers and manufacturers of Army missile components and related equipment. The package contains all the information a contractor needs to offer a bid or proposal. Left to right are Mrs. Shelby Sparks, Mrs. Mary Larkin, Mrs. Judy Brown and Miss Alice Ward.

## Col. Burr, Third Army Addresses Graduates

Col. Wesley H. Burr, Information Officer, Third United States Army, Fort McPherson, Ga., praised the Army's educational programs during a talk to 104 graduates of the Missile & Munitions Center & School Friday.

Col. Burr, guest speaker for the exercises, cited a report "Classrooms in the Military", published by the Bureau of Teachers College, Columbia University that stated the armed forces spend more money on education than all academic institution combined and provide one of the most comprehensive and advanced educational programs in the world.

To the 12 foreign graduates of three countries he commented, "We hope that when you return to your homeland, you will carry with you not only the knowledge and experience you sought in coming here, but many pleasant memories of your stay here at the Missile School as well."

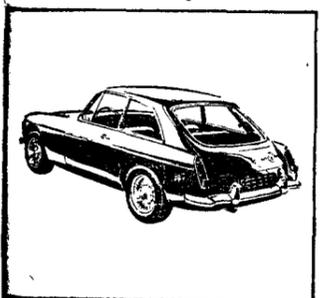
Col. Burr asked the graduates to think about what the Army expected of them and passed on one word which answered that question. In his opinion, "the best way to remember the answer would be to remember the word, DARE,

and Enterprise." The guest speaker presented diplomas to all graduates and awarded Honor Graduate Certificates to: 2LT William R. Edwards, 1LT Wolfgang Gardelegen (Germany), PFC Richard L. Pestinger, PFC Niels Hansen (Denmark), PFC Robert J. Friend, PFC Felix R. Lesmerises and PVT William S. Covington.

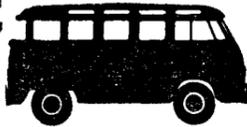
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# Recreation Association Elects New Officers, Plans German Party

S. R. (Rex) Luna, assigned to the publications division of Supply and maintenance Directorate, has been elected president of Redstone Recreation Association for the coming year. Luna, who is an officer in several civic organizations, has been active in RRA for

six years, and has been public relations director for the group three years.

Other officers elected at the Board of Directors' meeting Tuesday, Sept. 20, include Alfred J. Finzel MSFC Executive Vice President; Joseph A. Aschauer, Missile

Support Command, Overseas Vice President; W. F. (Bill) Beierle, Nike X Office, Domestic Vice President; Tom Foster, Shillelagh Office, Local Activities Vice President; and Lorant Pallos, MSFC, Treasurer.

Redstone Recreation Association has a membership of over 800 families, and provides the members with group tours to foreign lands at reduced rates. The club also holds parties periodically for the members and guests.

The next party is an "Oktoberfest" buffet dinner and dance at the Sheraton Motor Inn on Friday,

Oct. 28. Persons interested in buying tickets for the dinner dance, are asked to call 539-4009. A German menu will be served, and music will be by Alf Pederson's "Rathskeller Combo."

Among the tours already being formed for the coming year, are

overseas flights to Europe and the far East, a Bahamas trip, a West Indies cruise, a Mexico trip, and several domestic activities, including foreign language classes. Membership information is also available at the secretary's office at the above number.



**HELPING SANTA**—Maj. Gen. John G. Zierdt (center) Commanding General of the U. S. Army Missile Command and Redstone Arsenal, cuts a ribbon to officially open Toyland at the Arsenal. His assistants are the son and daughter of the Post Exchange Manager, Jimmy, 4, and Wendy, 5, Adair. Lending moral support are presidents of the wives clubs on post: Mrs. M. W. Pettit representing the officers and Mrs. James Kyle representing the NCOs. Toyland is located in Splinter Village. Turn left at the MP Guard Gate near the Civilian Personnel Office gate.

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# Discussions On TOW On October Schedule

Military and industrial agencies developing the Army's TOW Helicopter Armament Subsystem will meet at the U. S. Army Missile Command here next week to discuss design of prototype system hardware.

Col. Nelson A. Lindstrand, Jr., Project Manager for all aircraft weaponization at the Army Materiel Command in Washington, heads visiting dignitaries for the Design Characteristics Review, being hosted for the first time by the Missile Command. Among attendees will be representatives from most of the Army agencies concerned with the TOW helicopter program, Hughes Aircraft Company which is the prime contractor and the Combat Developments Command.

Brig. Gen. E. I. Donley, Deputy Commanding General for Land Combat Systems, will greet conferees that morning. Later, the group will conduct an extensive program review and will make recommendations on design concepts.

Called the XM-26, the Aircraft Armament Subsystem will replace

the M-22 Subsystem now deployed with Army troops.

Col. Cyril D. Sterner, Commodity Manager for Land Combat Systems, manages the XM-26 program for the Missile Command



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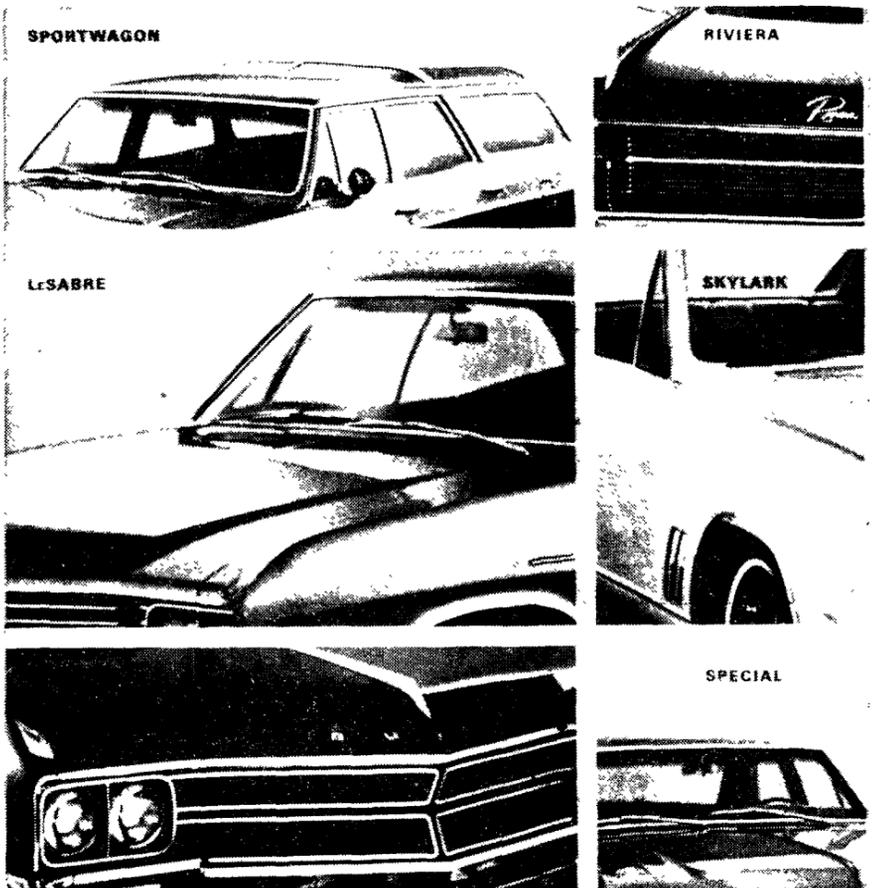
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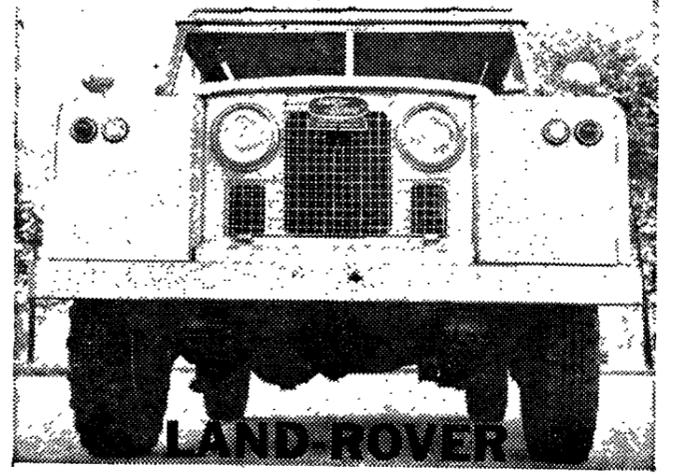
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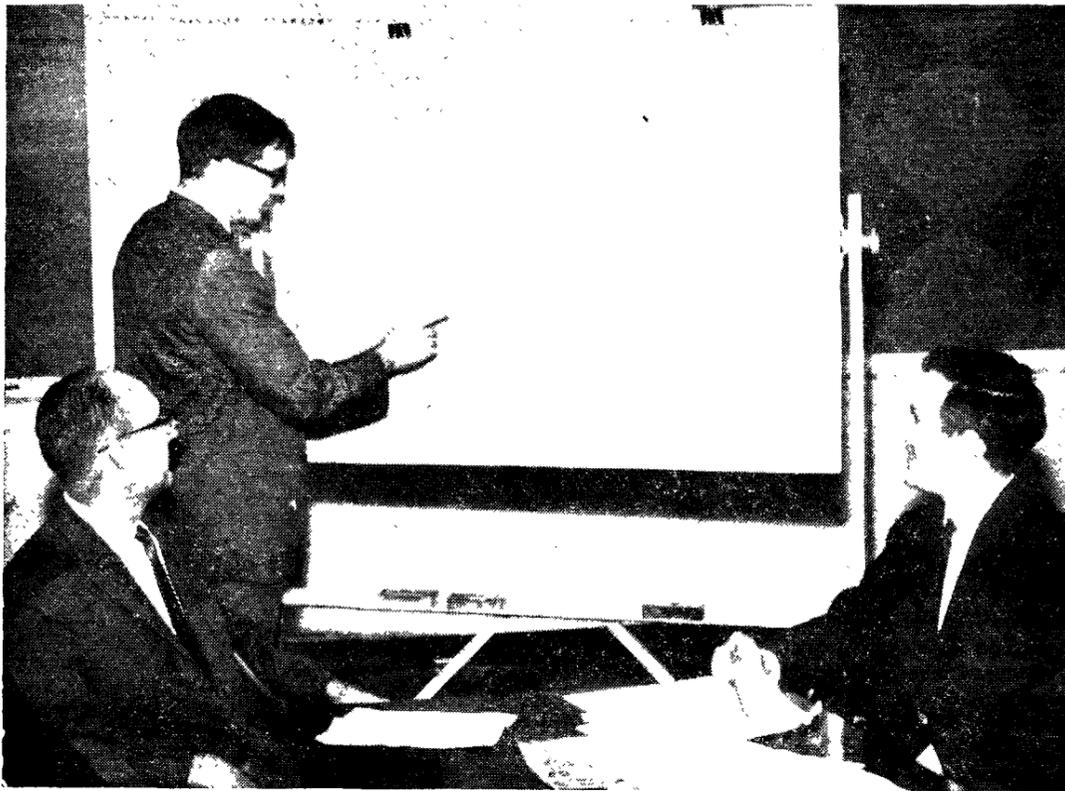
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(AFNB)



VISITORS FROM DOWN UNDER—The principal research scientist for the Australian Defense Scientific Service, David George Strahle (right), visited Research and Development Directorate laboratories at the U. S. Army Missile Command recently. Here, in the Future Missile System Division, John M. Whitaker explains to him the ballistic trajectory of a missile. Looking on is Robert R. Orr, also of the Future Missile System Division.

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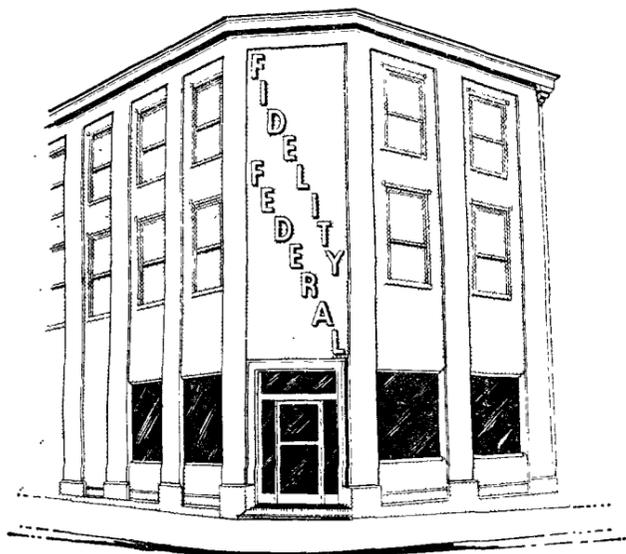
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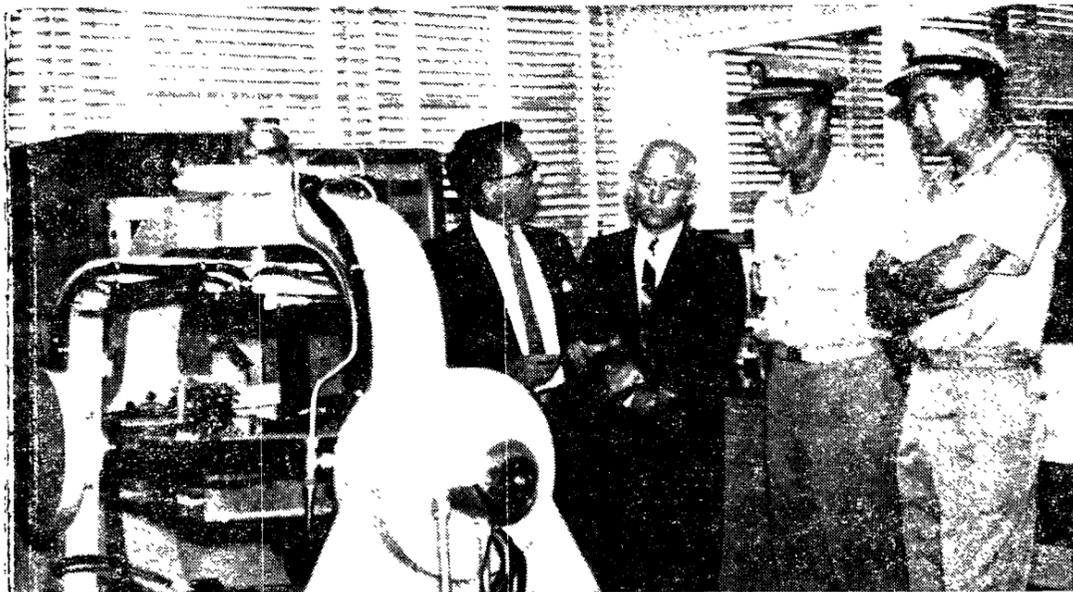
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**NAVY OFFICERS AT REDSTONE**—Two Navy officers assigned to the Army-Navy SAM-D Project Office at the U.S. Army Missile Command on Redstone Arsenal, Captain William A. Arthur and Commander Harmon C. Penny, recently toured laboratories of the Research and Development Directorate. Here, in the Army Inertial Guidance and Control Laboratory, Director Jess B. Huff (left) explains to them operation of a flight simulator. Looking on is Harry F. Vincent, Project Director, Research and Development Directorate. SAM-D is a missile system under development for use in battlefield, fleet and continental air defense.

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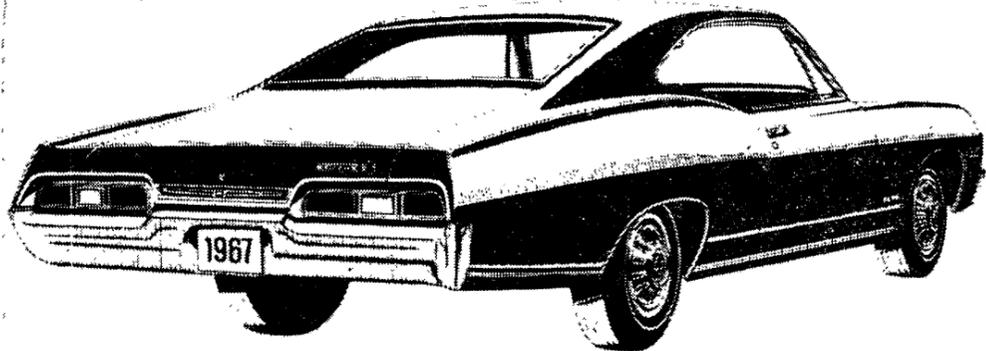
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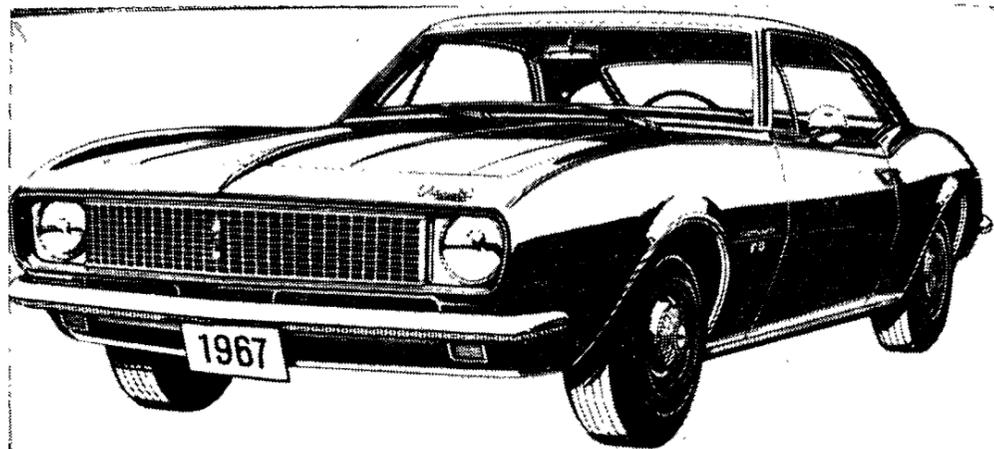
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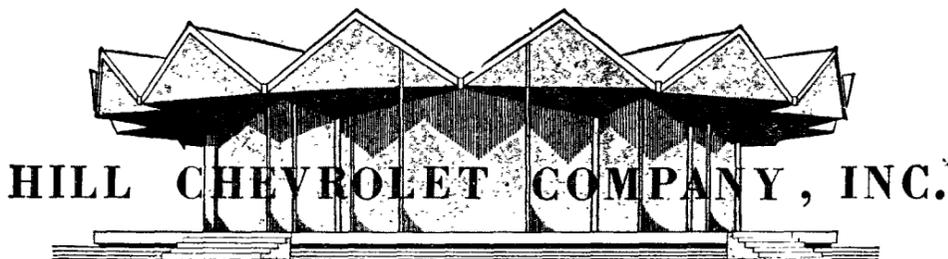


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