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CFC OFF TO FAST START



PACE SETTER—The 227th Ordnance Detachment at the Army Missile and Munitions Center and School is the first military unit to achieve 100% participation in the 1968 Combined Federal Campaign—all by payroll deduction. At left, Col. Paul B. Schuppener, MMCS Commandant, congratulates 1st Lt. Charles E. King, 227th CO, and 2nd Lt. Joseph Dolejsi (right) ammunition renovation officer who initiated the effort that found the detachment's two officers and 42 enlisted personnel averaging contributions of \$12 each. Organized only 10 days ago, the 227th reached full participation in the first five days of the CFC drive.

Two Units Finish Drive Before First Week Ends: Comptroller, 227th Ord

A predominantly civilian organization and one that is entirely military showed the way last week for the fastest start that Redstone personnel have ever made in the annual fund raising drive of the Combined Federal Campaign.

The Comptroller and Director of Programs Office and the 227th Ordnance Detachment earned the honor of being the first 100 per cent organizations as Army personnel at the Arsenal responded to the annual appeal with first week contributions totaling \$112,757.

Cash donations and payroll deduction authorizations totaling \$41,313 were received from personnel of the Marshall Space Flight Center bringing the total amount raised to date to \$154,070.

The donations made by approximately a third of the personnel

assigned to Army agencies, represent the largest amount ever collected at the Arsenal during a week for the CFC.

Last year Arsenal personnel opened their drive with first week contributions of slightly less than \$100,000. The total gift to local, national and international fund raising agencies by Department of Army personnel after five weeks was \$281,000.

Highly elated with his first weekly report, the drive chairman, Al LaGrone, commented, "This proves quite conclusively that Redstone personnel are in favor of the payroll deduction method of donating to the yearly appeal."

Over 80 per cent of the first week contributions were made through payroll deduction authorizations with cash gifts totaling \$21,303.

Abner McNaron, area chairman for the Comptroller's Office, made his first weekly report his final report with each of the 109 assigned personnel listed as participants. This is the second straight year that McNaron has reported 100 per cent participation in the first week of the campaign.

The 227th Ordnance Detachment of the Missile School became the first military organization to attain 100 per cent status when each of the two officers and 42 enlisted personnel returned their pledges to Lt. Joseph Dolejsi.

Col. Paul Schuppener, MMCS Commandant, congratulated the newly formed unit for their accomplishment and said that the "total of \$528 raised was a cause for particular pride." The detachment's newly assigned commandant (See CFC DRIVE on Page 3)

ABM Sites To Be Named As Construction Begins

Fifteen to 20 sites employing elements of the U.S. Army's Nike-X system will be built throughout the United States in the next six years according to information released by the Department of Defense late last week on the

last week that the estimated cost of the deployed system was five billion dollars. The Defense Department later told newsmen that annual operating costs of the deployed system would be about \$500 million.

The system to be deployed as protection against a possible missile attack from China will include the Spartan and Sprint missiles, Perimeter Acquisition and Missile Site Radars and associated data processing equipment.

Defense said the Multi Function Array Radar (MAR) of the Nike-X system would be deployed but that research and development work on it, and all other elements of Nike-X, would continue.

Information on numbers of missiles and radars to be deployed, their location and unit cost is classified at this time. Defense said some information might be re-

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Chinese-oriented antiballistic missile system (ABM) ordered into production by Secretary McNamara.

Defense said production would begin during FY 68 and said \$529 million was already available to initiate the program. Estimate of the FY funding to continue production was about one billion dollars. Defense also said the R&D effort on the Nike-X would continue at about its current funding level, in excess of \$400 million annually. Secretary McNamara said earlier

Gen. Eifler Congratulates Cost Cutters

Not too many people receive a personal visit, a cash award, praise and a handshake from the boss, all in the same day.

But these were the honors accorded five Army employees at Redstone Arsenal who were singled out last week during Cost Reduction Week for their ideas on

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Army Recovers Pershing

A U. S. Army recovery team, assisted by the Mexican Government and Mexican ranchers, has recovered parts of the Pershing missile that overshot its target on Sept. 12 and landed just over the border.

With the return of missile parts, the search has now been concluded. Final recovery efforts were centered in an area about seven miles within Mexico where previous helicopter search had found the impact zone.

School Adds Television Course To Curriculum

Educational authorities from Department of the Army and the Continental Army Command are attending a trial run here this week of an unusual five-day course in educational television that is to be added to the curriculum of the Army Missile and Munitions Center and School next month.

It is known as the Television Application Course, and its objective is to train military and civilian supervisors throughout the 26 schools of the Continental Army Command how to make the most effective use of educational television in military training. It is

the first such course to be offered by the Army.

The Continental Army Command asked the Missile and Munitions Center and School to formulate and offer the new course because of the Redstone Arsenal institution's nine years of pioneering in the use of video techniques in military training. Since September of 1958, MMCS has become a television production center for several other Continental Army schools and has sent mobile production units to produce video-taped lessons for use by a number of other Army

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NETHERLANDERS SEE TOW—Maj. Richard Rogers (far right) briefs top military officials from the Royal Netherlands Army on the TOW missile system during their visit to the Army Missile Command earlier this week. Left to right are Gen. Frans van der Veen, Chief of Staff and Commander, Land Forces, Royal Netherlands Army; Col. James N. Lothrop, TOW Project Manager; Col. Edward J. Kloos, Chief Army Section, Headquarters Military Assistance Advisory Group (Netherlands); Lt. Gen. Leonardus Wilhelmus Cornelis Adank, Quartermaster General, RLNA; and Maj. Rogers, special assistant to the TOW Project Manager.

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Rocket Ruminations

A dinner lubricates business. —William Scott

Three From Rohm And Haas Will Present Papers In Ohio

Dr. Kenneth E. Johnson, W. E. Hill, and Royland D. Shoultz, chemists with the Redstone Research Laboratories of Rohm and Haas Company, will present papers before the **Propellant Ingredients Synthesis Conference** sponsored by the Interagency Chemical Rocket Propulsion Group at Battelle Memorial Institute in Columbus, Ohio, Oct. 3-5. The nationwide propellant industry will be represented.

Dr. Johnson, a Huntsville native,

received his PhD in physical organic chemistry from Iowa State University in 1959 and was a research associate at California Institute of Technology before joining Rohm and Haas in July 1959. He is married to the former Betty Rutland, also of Huntsville. The Johnsons have four children and reside at 3800 Kenwood Drive.

Mr. Hill, who joined the Redstone-based research team of Rohm and Haas in December 1965, received a B. S. in chemistry from Florida State University in 1963 and an M. S. in chemistry from F. S. U. in 1965. The Hills reside at 313 Mountain Gap Road.

Shoultz has been associated with Redstone Research Laboratories since he received his B. S. in chemistry from the University of Alabama in May 1960. A native of Lawley, Alabama, Mr. Shoultz now resides with his family in Arab.

The Rohm and Haas Laboratories operate under the direction of the Research and Development Directorate of the U. S. Army Missile Command.



COL. POTTLE HONORED—Col. Arthur F. Pottle, Jr., grins broadly as Mrs. Pottle accepts his certificate for the Bronze Star Medal, Third Oak Leaf Cluster, in a ceremony at the U. S. Army Missile Command. Commanding General Charles W. Eifler does the honors. The citation read that "... he distinguished himself by outstanding meritorious service in connection with ground operations against a hostile force in the Republic of Vietnam during the period April 17, 1967 to May 16, 1967." Col. Pottle is Lance Project Manager at the Missile Command.



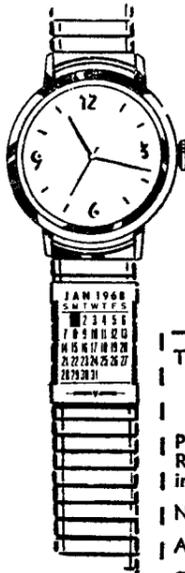
30 YEAR SOLDIER RETIRES—An Army Commendation Medal with 1st Oak Leaf cluster was awarded to SFC Robert C. Handy by Maj. Gen. Charles W. Eifler, Commanding General of the U. S. Army Missile Command, capping a 30-year career for SFC Handy. Mrs. Handy watches the presentation approvingly. Robert B. and Jo Ann Handy also watched their father receive the honor. Sgt. Handy, who entered the Army in October, 1936, is from Chicago, Ill. However, he will be making his home in Huntsville.

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GENERAL

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how to do a better job—and do it as less cost.

Maj. Gen. Charles W. Eifler, Commanding General of the Army Missile Command, personally presented awards to them in their immediate work areas and praised them for their efforts.

Honored were Faye Larmon, Charles Lorenz, Charlie Chaplin, and George Mitchell, all of the Missile Command's Arsenal Support Operations Directorate; and Alvin Reid, Research and Development Directorate.

"It gives me a lot of pleasure to visit you where you work and to thank you for the fine job you're doing," Gen. Eifler told them.

Listed with their cost-cutting ideas and the estimated cost savings for the coming fiscal year, are: Faye Larmon, for a suggestion resulting in the consolidation of two sets of files in the Receipt and Expediting Unit, eliminating time, effort, filing material and space required in maintaining the separate files, \$6,600; Alvin Reid, for suggesting the fabrication of adapters for use on 70mm cameras in the Test and Reliability Evaluation Laboratory to give the careras a larger variety of lenses, \$6,760; Charles Lorenz and Charlie Chaplin who shared an award for a suggestion which resulted in the materials used in installing intercom boxes being changed to eliminate those which are not used in regular telephone installation, \$9,829; and George Mitchell, for constructing a plywood paper rack with casters for carrying paper from the Power Paper Cutter to the Small Press Room of the Reproduction Division, \$7,166.

Lt. Col. Ivy Is New IG

Lt. Col. James M. Ivy IV has returned to Redstone Arsenal as the Inspector General. He was stationed here from June 1959 to Sept. 1961 with the Army Rocket and Guided Missile Agency.

Meantime he has been stationed at Green River Utah, at White Sands Missile Range and in Vietnam with the 4th Infantry Division which trained at Ft. Lewis, Wash.

He has also served at two posts in France: the 1st Logistic Command at Poitiers for one year and at the Ordnance Support Control Agency at Orleans for two years.

He is a graduate from the A and M College of Texas who entered the Army in July 1952. The Colonel is married to the former Miss Elizabeth Hall, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Hall of St. Cloud, Minn. They have three children, James V, Cynthia and John. The colonel's mother, Mrs. Garnett S. Ivy, lives in San Antonio, Tex.

AWARDS TO THREE

Three awards were made to military and civilian personnel of the Army Missile & Munitions Center & School in a ceremony Friday in the office of new MMCS Commandant, Col. Paul B. Schuppener.

They were: 1/Lt. James C. Nix, Jr., (Bronze Star); Willis W. Deerman, (outstanding performance rating), and John W. McCulloch, (20 year service certificate & pin).

PROFESSIONAL ENGINEERS

Jerry A. Lankford of the Computation Center, Richard A. Hersam and Franklin D. Towery of Nike-X and Bob G. Neale and Jimmy Ray Sandlin of the Research and Development Directorate are now registered professional engineers with the State Board of Registration for Professional Engineers and Land Surveyors.

Harvest Ball Ticket Sale Begins Mon.

Salesmen who will have tickets for the fifth annual Harvest Ball have been named by the ticket coordinator, Lt. Tim Radigan, aide-de-camp to Brig. Gen. Clarence C. Harvey, Jr. Mrs. Harvey is honorary chairman for the ball.

Lt. Radigan said the tickets will be ready Monday morning from the following: Fred Babes, Missile Command Headquarters, LTC Kenneth Johnson, Land Combat Systems, Bldg. 5250; Capt. Paul Ricca, Research and Development Direc-

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schools, including the Command and General Staff College.

Col. Paul B. Schuppener, new commandant of MMCS, officially welcomed the first students at the trial session that began Monday. They will hold a critique of the trial classes later this week and suggest improvements.

Col. Schuppener said the course is based on the belief that television will never supplant live teachers but can become one of their most valuable training aids. The course will seek to acquaint Army educators with a systems engineering approach to training under which television can be carefully blended into tested classroom procedures so as to take full advantage of the unusual capabilities of the video medium in quickly training soldiers to become highly proficient in their military occupational specialties.

Attending the trial session are: Col. William Huff and Dr. Joseph H. Kanner of Department of the Army headquarters in Washington; Thomas J. Dolan, educational advisor at the Continental Army Command in Fort Monroe, Va.; Miss Kay-Lyn Pratt, also of Fort Monroe; Maurice A. Kimble and Lt. Col. Margaret M. Jebb of the Army Engineer School at Fort Belvoir, Va.; Lt. Col. W. Pantan of the Infantry School at Fort Benning, Ga.; Maj. Howard R. Myrick of the Command and General Staff School at Fort Leavenworth, Kansas; Maj. R. Smith of the Artillery and Missile School at Fort Sill, Okla.; Capt. Hugh T. Morgan of the Armor Training Center at Fort Knox, Ky.; and Thomas Carr of the Aviation School at Fort Rucker, Ala.

The first formal course will begin here on Oct. 16th with about 20 students in the initial class. Other classes will be held during the next few months for some 200 Army educators.

ABM SITES

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leased in the future as site acquisition and construction makes specific locations apparent to a potential enemy.

Award of a production contract is anticipated in about six months. Defense said acquisition and construction will begin simultaneously with production.

Although specific deployment information remains classified, Defense said the 15-20 batteries to be deployed would include sites in the internal continental United States, on both coasts, in Hawaii and in Alaska.

It is assumed that major contractors now participating in the R&D programs will be part of the production team to be headed by Western Electric Company, system prime contractor.

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torate, Bldg. 4505; Lt. Richard Fletcher, Procurement and Production Directorate, Bldg. 4488; Capt. John Haag, Supply and Maintenance Directorate; Maj. Robert Wesson, Missile Intelligence Directorate; Lt. Ralph Friss, Arsenal Support Operations Directorate, 7101; Lt. Franklin Cochran at the Reception Desk of the Missile and Munitions Center and School headquarters; Lt. Robert Gaines, Nike-X Project; and LTC Lowell Pyle, NASA Bldg. 4201.

CFC DRIVE

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ing Officer, Lt. Charles King, arrived just in time to receive the congratulations for the men of his new command.

The only other reporting agency to reach 100 per cent during the opening week was the Office of the Commanding General with an assigned strength of 13.

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Res & Dev—William Lindberg	1,230	364	30
DASO—J. C. McKinney	3,814	1,000	26
Air Defense—Fred Sayers	475	41	9
Sup & Maint—Joseph Coffman	1,734	590	34
Msl Intell—Thomas Anderson	142	75	53
Nike-X—Paul Phillips	345	180	52
Thiokol Corp.—J. B. Galloway	836	406	49
Tot. Army	12,782	4,231	33
MSFC	6,528	1,364	21

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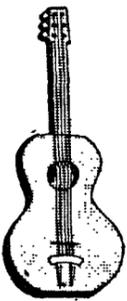
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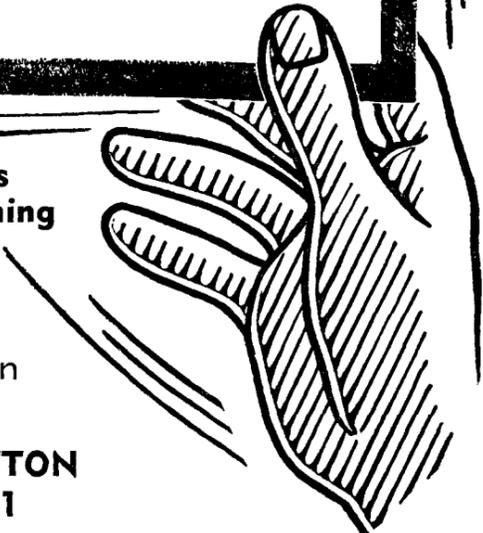
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Fifteen girls received their caps as JANGOS (Junior Army Navy Guild Organization) during ceremonies Sunday afternoon in the Redstone Post Chapel. They compose the fourth class to graduate at Redstone.

In order to earn the caps, the girls had spent at least 100 hours in training as nurses aides at medical facilities on the Arsenal. This includes 24 hours of class time and 74 hours in the wards.

Joan Accardi, Redstone JANGO president, was mistress of ceremonies. She gave a history of the Guild during opening remarks.

The invocation was given by Chaplain (Maj.) John C. Zwiers, and Col. Robert Van Wert spoke on JANGO accomplishments at the Arsenal. Mrs. John Mumford furnished organ music for the ceremonies.

Mrs. William McHugh and Mrs. William Knopka are the JANGO sponsors.

The caps were presented by Maj. Georgia Hasler, chief of Nursing Services at the Post Hospital.

The new JANGOS are Heidi Bergmann, Nancy Holmes, Nancy and Bobby Van Wert, Cindy Twitchell, Mike Shuput, Alice Henderson, Amanda Whittemore, Lynne Pearson, Cindy Knapp, Faye Bearden, Ginny Dineley, Jeanette Hooker, Betty Vaughn and Patty Kelly.

BRIDGE COMPETITION

Monday night bridge competition has picked up. Last week at the Redstone Officers Open Mess, ten tables were in play.

Winners for the men were M. F. Gatwood and C. M. McBrearty in that order. Winners for the women were Mrs. Eloise Newell and Mrs. F. W. Dill.



JANGOS ALL—Receiving their caps as full-fledged JANGOS (Junior Army Navy Guild Organization) at Redstone Arsenal are, left to right, front row, Bobby Van Wert, corresponding secretary; Amanda Whittemore, recording secretary; Mike Shuput, sergeant-at-arms; and Cindy Twitchell, treasurer. In the middle row, left to right are: Nancy Van Wert, Cynthia Knapp, Faye Bearden,

Lynne Pearson, and Nancy Holmes, and in the back row are Jeanette Hooker, Heidi Bergmann, Patty Kelly, Ginny Dineley, and Betty Vaughn. One member of the group, who is also vice president, Alice Henderson, was absent for the photo. The girls received their caps on completion of training as nurses aides. The ceremony was Sunday afternoon in the Post Chapel at Redstone.

BIRTHDAY PARTY

A birthday party honoring enlisted men having birthdays in September and October will be held at the Service Club Sunday at 7 p.m.

In addition to the traditional birthday cake, games and gifts, a soldier talent show will be held. Enlisted men interested in performing at the party are requested to contact the Program Director of the club.



QUALIFIED BABY SITTERS—Karla VanAuken and Dennis Griffin received from Col. J. N. Jean, Director, Arsenal Support Operations Directorate, certificates for completion of the Emergency Care Baby Sitting Course. They represent 24 Arsenal teen-age youth who received training in reaction to emergencies which may arise while on the job.

NEW BABYSITTER ROSTER IS READY

Twenty-four Arsenal teenagers received certificates for completion of an Emergency Care Baby Sitting Course.

The youth who completed the course learned such items as how to react to fire, crank calls and

medical emergencies. Instructors were W. W. Klieber, Fire Marshal; Sgt. Colin Matthews, Provost Marshal Office; LTC R. J. Gale, Post Surgeon; and John Harwell, Safety Office. The course is a program of the Joint Activity Council.

Recipients of the certificates include Nancy Allen, Brenda Brochu, Dennis Griffin, Claire Hamilton, Linda Harrison, Robbin Krueger, Janet Messervy, Steven Messervy,

Sherry Monroe, Diane McCombs, Sara McHugh, Pam Neal, Cheri Nickelson, Veronica Phillips, Mary Potter, Charlotte Raleigh, Roger Raleigh, Denise Ramirez, Patty Ready, Kate Redmon, David Richards, Karen Richards, Deborah Thomley, Karla VanAuken.

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Excerpts From Secretary McNamara Speech

Secretary of Defense Robert S. McNamara in a major policy statement last week, revealed that the United States will deploy an anti-ballistic missile (ABM) system to provide protection against the threat posed by Red China.

The decision is bound to have an effect on Army activities at Redstone Arsenal and certainly upon the Nike-X Project Office here which manages the development program for the nation's only ABM system that is ready to be deployed.

Many other people at Redstone, however, have contributed to the development of the Nike-X and other ABM concepts explored over the years by both the Army and Defense Department. Because of this great local interest, the ROCKET today reprints excerpts from Mr. McNamara's September 18 speech.

"We do not want a nuclear arms race with the Soviet Union—primarily because the action-reaction phenomenon makes it foolish and futile. But if the only way to prevent the Soviet Union from obtaining first strike capability over us is to engage in such a race, the United States possess in ample abundance the resources, the technology, and the will to run faster in that race for whatever distance is required.

"But what we would much prefer to do is to come to a realistic and reasonably riskless agreement with the Soviet Union, which would effectively prevent such an arms race . . . Since we now each possess a deterrent in excess of our individual needs, both of our nations would benefit from a properly safe-guarded agreement first to limit, and later to reduce, both our offensive and defensive strategic nuclear forces . . .

Soviet ABM

"The Soviets are now deploying an ABM system. If we react to this deployment intelligently, we have no reason for alarm. The system does not impose any threat to our ability to penetrate and inflict massive and unacceptable damage on the Soviet Union . . .

"Now let me come to the issue that has received so much attention recently: the question of whether or not we should deploy an ABM system against the Soviet

nuclear threat . . . This is not in any sense a new issue.

"While we have substantially improved our technology in the field, it is important to understand that none of the systems at the present or foreseeable state of the art would provide an impenetrable shield over the United States. Were such a shield possible, we would certainly want it and we would certainly build it . . .

"It has been alleged that we are opposed to deploying a large scale ABM system because it would carry the heavy price tag of \$40 billion . . . If we could build and deploy a genuinely impenetrable shield over the United States, we would be willing to spend not \$40 billion, but any reasonable multiple of that amount that was necessary . . .

"There is clearly no point, however in spending \$40 billion if it is not going to buy us a significant improvement in our security . . . Every ABM system that is now feasible involves firing defensive missiles at incoming offensive warheads in order to destroy them. But what many commentators overlook is that any such system can rather obviously be defeated by an enemy simply sending more offensive warheads, or dummy warheads, than there are defensive missiles capable of disposing of them.

ACTION-REACTION

"And this is the whole crux of the nuclear action-reaction phenomenon. Were we to deploy a heavy ABM system throughout the United States, the Soviets would clearly be strongly motivated to so increase their offensive capability as to cancel out our defensive advantage.

"It is futile for each of us to spend \$4 billion, \$40 billion or \$400 billion—and at the end of all the spending, and at the end of all the effort, to be relatively at the same point of balance on the security scale that we are now . . .

"Should they elect to do so (turn a modest ABM deployment into a massive one), we have both the lead time and the technology available to so increase both the quality and quantity of our offensive strategic forces—with particu-

lar attention to highly reliable penetration aids—that their expensive defensive efforts will give them no edge in the nuclear balance whatever . . .

"There is no point whatever in our responding by going into a massive ABM deployment to protect our population, when such a system would be ineffective against a sophisticated Soviet offense.

RED CHINA THREAT

"It is important to distinguish between an ABM system designed to protect against a Soviet attack on our cities and ABM systems which have other objectives.

"One of the other uses of an ABM system which we should seriously consider is the greater protection of our strategic offensive forces.

"Another is in relation to the emerging nuclear capability of Communist China.

"There is evidence that the Chinese are devoting very substantial resources to the development of both nuclear warheads and missile delivery systems . . . It seems likely that China's basic motivation in developing a strategic nuclear capability is an attempt to provide a basis for threatening her neighbors and to clothe herself with the dubious prestige that the world pays to nuclear weaponry . . .

"We possess now, and will continue to possess for as far ahead as we can foresee, an overwhelming first strike capability with respect to China. And despite the shrill and raucous propaganda directed at her own people that 'the atomic bomb is a paper tiger', there is ample evidence that China well appreciates the destructive power of nuclear weapons . . .

"Is there any possibility then, that by the mid-1970' China might become so incautious as to attempt a nuclear attack on the United States or our allies. It would be insane and suicidal for her to do so, but one can conceive conditions under which China might miscalculate. We wish to reduce such possibilities to a minimum . . . There are marginal grounds for conclusion that a light deployment of U. S. ABMs against this possibility is prudent.

ABM COST

"The system would be relatively inexpensive—preliminary estimates place the cost at about \$5 billion—and would have a much higher degree of reliability against a Chinese attack, than the much more massive and complicated system that some have recommended against a possible Soviet attack.

"Moreover, such an ABM deployment designed against a possible Chinese attack would have a number of other advantages. It would provide an additional indication to Asians that we intend to deter

China from nuclear blackmail, and thus would contribute toward our goal of discouraging nuclear weapon proliferation among the present non-nuclear countries.

"Further, the Chinese-oriented ABM deployment would enable us to add—as a concurrent benefit—a further defense of our Minuteman sites against Soviet attack, which means that at modest cost we would, in fact, be adding even greater effectiveness to our offensive missile force and avoiding a much more costly expansion of that force.

"Finally, such a reasonably, reliable ABM system would add protection of our population against the improbable but possible accidental launch of an ICBM by any one of the nuclear powers.

DEPLOYMENT DECISION

"After a detailed review of all these considerations, we have decided to go forward with this Chinese-oriented ABM deployment, and we will begin actual production of such a system at the end of this year.

"In reaching this decision, I want to emphasize that it contains two possible dangers—and we should guard carefully against each.

"The first danger is that we may psychologically lapse into the old over-simplification about the adequacy of nuclear power. The simple truth is that nuclear weapons can serve to deter only a narrow range of threats. This ABM deployment will strengthen our defensive posture—and will enhance the effectiveness of our land-based ICBM offensive forces. But the independent nations of Asia must realize that these benefits are no substitute for their maintaining, and where necessary, strengthening, their own conventional forces in order to deal with the more likely threats to security of the region.

"The second danger is also psychological. There is a kind of mad momentum intrinsic to the development of all new nuclear weaponry. If a weapon system works—and works well—there is strong pressure from many directions to procure and deploy the weapon out of all proportion to the prudent level required.

"The danger is deploying this relatively light and reliable Chinese-oriented ABM system is going to be that pressures will develop to expand it into a heavy Soviet-oriented ABM system.

"We must resist that temptation firmly—not because we can for a moment relax our vigilance against a possible Soviet first strike, but precisely because our greatest deterrent against such a strike is not a massive, costly, but highly penetrable ABM shield, but rather a fully credible offensive assured destruction capability.

"The so-called heavy ABM shield—at the present state of technology—would in effect be no adequate shield at all against a Soviet attack, but rather a strong inducement for the Soviets to vastly increase their own offensive forces. That, as I have pointed out, would make it necessary for us to respond in turn—and so the arms race would rush hopelessly on to no sensible purpose on either side.

"Let me emphasize—and I cannot do so too strongly—that our decision to go ahead with a limited ABM deployment in no way indicates that we feel an agreement with the Soviet Union on the limitation of strategic nuclear offensive and defensive forces is any the less urgent or desirable . . .

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Marauders Meet Rockets In Gridiron Feature

Victors Of First Week's Games Clash On Saturday

The MICOM Marauders and the Third Battalion Rockets turned in victories last week end as the Redstone unit level football league opened with a pair of games before packed stands at the Arsenal gridiron on Patton Road.

The Marauders took the measure of the First Battalion Raiders in the seasonal opener on Friday, 15-8, and the Rockets mauled the Second Battalion Bombers, 34-6, on Saturday.

The two winners will be out to settle their differences when they tangle this Saturday night following a Friday evening encounter between the Raiders and the Unit Training Command Humpers. All games are scheduled for 7:00 p.m. kickoffs.

Stymied by 165 yards in penalties, the Marauders got their attack rolling once in each half while their defense prevented the Raiders from moving forward until the final two minutes of the game.

The two teams battled on fairly even terms in the first period with the officials being the big ground gainers. Every time the Marauders started to move they were detected.

After battling on fairly even terms through the opening quarter, the Marauders scored following a 67-yard sustained drive with Gary Krouse going over guard for seven yards and the first score. Danny Kinsella converted to make the score 7-0.

The ensuing kickoff was fumbled into the end zone with the Raider runner caught before he could get out of the zone for a safety.

Monty Montgomery capped another Marauder march in the third quarter with a 15-yard burst over tackle for the other score midway in the third period.

The Raiders, after having been limited to a single first down over three periods, finally put together another one of their own with a pair that were stepped off by the officials to score on the last play of the game.

The Rockets went to work early on the Bombers, scoring a pair of six-pointers in the opening quarter and another in the second to take a 21-0 lead at the half. The winners added single scores in each of the last two periods while the Bombers were finally able to score midway in the final quarter.

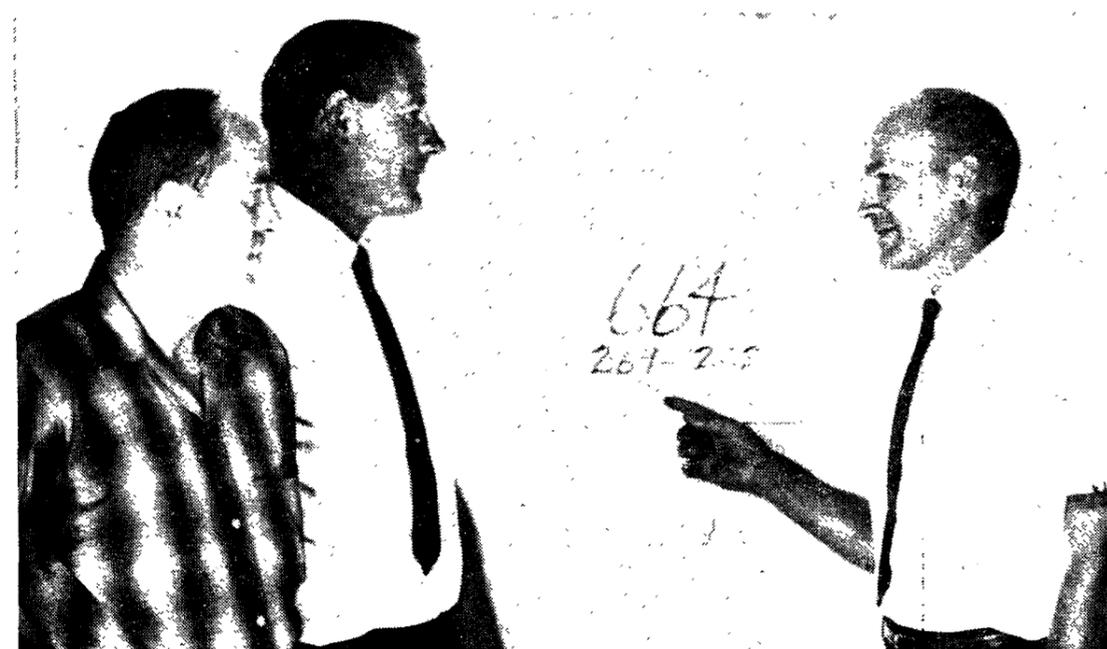
Jim Melton scored a pair of touchdowns for the Rockets and picked up a total of 125 yards for 15 carries. Chuck Buckley and Rudy Pavelisch assisted Melton in the ball carrying chores and each scored once.

Walt Brandon accounted for the fifth touchdown after taking an aerial from Dick Jordan to complete a 54-yard play. Jordan completed half of his ten passing attempts and directed the Rocket offense.

Jim Shaw led the defensive charge of the Rocket defenders that kept the Bombers from mounting any kind of a sustained drive until later in the game.



SOFTBALL RULERS—Reassignments and leave cut heavily into the Military Police softball team but the players that remain gathered at the Company day room recently to receive the awards for their championship season. The MPs won 21 out of 22 games for the regular season title and added the post season crown by downing the 522nd Ordnance in the tourney finals. 1st Lt. Sidney Barnes, the Company Commander, and the First Sergeant, William Carroll, flank the team trophy at the front while Brad Jolley holds the most valuable player trophy he won as catcher for the Police. The front row of players are, left to right, Dan Kinsella, Jolley, Jerry Griggs and Bob Havertape. In the rear are, Matt Croughan, Dennis Mank, Jarwes Nayman, Ben Shelton and Tom Williams, the team manager. Team members not available include, Jim Sanford, who left for Vietnam in the closing days of the season, Doris Chatman, Jack Dobrinick, Rick Bailey, Larry Lockmiller, Art Alexander, and Creekmore Williams.



ALMOST PERFECT—Gary Phillips took time out last week to show a couple of his rivals how close he came to rolling a perfect game in the Supply Management League. He had a string of eight straight strikes to open the middle game of his set only to have the ten pin hang despite a perfect hit in the ninth frame. However, Gary's 269 game and 664 total put him at the head of the class among the civilian bowlers for the season. Mel Webb (left) and Bob Hubbard didn't do so bad themselves with 602 and 621, respectively. Webb's team mate, Fred Stewart, fired the fourth Honor Roll count of the evening, a 627.

Stubborn Ten Pin Ends Hopes For Perfect Game

Strikes, and plenty of them, was the order of day when the Supply Management League met for their weekly maple mauling session at the Starlite Lanes last week. But two nites later the Field Services and AMC leagues were apparently operating under a different set of orders.

At least by the time they went to work at the Parkway and Playmor Lanes, respectively, the pins were out of the mood and just wouldn't go down 'like they're supposed to'.

Four of the Management bowlers crashed the Honor Roll with Gary Phillips showing the way for Fred Stewart, Bob Hubbard and Mel Webb. Five more scores over 550 went in the books.

The Field Services loop produced a pair of over 550 counts while the AMC had to be content with a high of 546.

Phillips warmed up with a 193 and then opened his middle game with eight straight perfect strikes only to have a stubborn ten pin hang on another pocket hit in the ninth frame. He settled for 269 and then closed out with a 202 for a rousing 664 total, best of the year in the three civilian leagues.

D. B. Smith chipped in with a 584 and Dan Chepkas had 544 as the Huntsville Brick and Tile five blasted a 3111 total. Their middle game of 1140 included 1039 scratch.

Stewart and Webb closed out with back-to-back 235s in claiming spots on the honor list with 627 and 603 respectively. It was the second consecutive week that Stewart has passed the magic figure.

Hubbard got off to a 233 start and completed his set with a 621

as the Ramblers made it seven out of eight, but still dropped into second place, a half point behind HUBCO. Joe Medders helped the Rambler cause with a 245 game and a 527 total while Joe Williams upset 558 maples for the losing Lily Flagg combine.

Team No. 6 scored the only sweep of the evening as Tom Palmer upended 568 sticks and Bill Caudle turned in a 554 effort as Auto Center won a trio.

Fred Stewart came back to lead the Field Services League individuals when his 578 outdistanced a 574 turned in by Jerry Cutchner.

The latter got more mileage out of his efforts, however, as the Washouts were scoring one of the three league sweeps. Stewart's total paced the Guided Muscles to a split. The Crackers grabbed the league lead with three out of four while the Expenditers and the Chiefs scored the other sweeps.

The Voyalers rolled their way into the AMC lead by sweeping the Tigers as George Huffman grabbed league individual honors with a 546. Dick Gill led the T-Birds to a sweep over the Stars.

Hiatt Upset As Net Meet Opens

Irv Kellogg got off to a fast start in the opening round of the Missile Command tennis tournament last week by the No. 2 seed, Joe Hiatt, was rudely bounced out of further contention before he had a chance to get warmed up.

The CWF-sponsored meet is being contested among the 16 players of the MICOM ladder climaxing a very successful first season of play in Huntsville Industrial League competition.

The Arsenal Netters won five of six team matches this summer and took runner up honors of the B Division of the HITL.

Kellogg ended the season at the top of the ladder and was seeded

No. 1 for the meet. In his first match he proved his position with a 6-0, 6-2 win over George Elrod.

Hiatt took the first game from Chuck McBrearty, but that is as far as he got with McBrearty charging back for a 3-6, 8-6, 6-2 victory. Tom Grubbs (No. 4) took out John Eikenberry, 3-6, 8-6, 6-2, while the match between Gary Brown and Jim Patterson had not been played at press time.

Jim Daily heads the pairings for the B Division of the tournament and is pitted against Jerry Pitts in the opening round. Hal Peterson eliminated Jim Hendricks, 6-4, 6-2, and Gordy Lakso took care of Roy Welch, 6-0, 6-2.

The final match in B Division pits Larry Jones against Y. C. Whitlock.

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WHO SAID FOOTBALL WAS JUST FOR BOYS?—There are just about as many girls as boys involved in the Redstone football activity in the Huntsville Parks and Playground league this fall. Each of the teams has its very own set of cheerleaders who will be taking part in each game during the season. They may not have to knock heads all evening, but according to Mrs. Marie Powell, their director, the girls are just as much a part of the game as the boys. "And you better believe," she added, "these girls have spent a lot of time practicing their maneuvers and they really do a good job." All of the boys and girls participating in the youth football program are children of military personnel stationed at the Arsenal.



MION MENETTE BLACK PEARL—That's the name under which Maj. Georgia Hasler's black miniature poodle is registered. However, she answers to the name of Minnie Pearl, and appropriately, she won the ribbon and trophy in Nashville, Tenn., where she was entered in the obedience training show. Minnie Pearl was making her debut as a show dog. She placed third in Novice Class A with 125 points.



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Gen. Eifler Presents Zero Defects Awards

Pledging his support of and personal dedication to the Army Missile Command Zero Defects Program, Maj. Gen. Charles W. Eifler presented awards Monday morning to eight employees for Excellence-in-Performance (EIP), and to 12 winners of the Zero Defect Poster Contest.

"Their achievements have set the example for all of us, including myself," Gen. Eifler said in making the presentations.

Outlining three general goals for the Command, Gen. Eifler said that the ZD program goals should emphasize work accuracy, better use of work time, as well as close alignment with normal management objectives such as safety, security, welfare and the house-keeping business of the Command.

"Zero Defects starts from the top down, not from the bottom," said the General, "but I can only set the overall goals." To accomplish these goals, he emphasized, the support of every individual in the Command is needed. Supervisors, he said, must set defined achievement goals in support of organizational goals, and ask individual workers to set individual goals.

Receiving EIP awards were: Maurice Bahan, William Bass, Thomas Lovelady, James Miller, and SP4 David Lambert, of the Research and Development Directorate; Mrs. Bobbie Beck, Hawk Project Office; Mrs. Bonnie Elkins, Finance and Accounting Center;

and Mrs. Willie Wallace, Consolidated Supply Division.

Winners of the ZD Poster Contest were: Murphy L. Stolz, Jr., Charles L. Lewis, Jacob L. Gregory, Donald R. Davis, and Francis W. Duvall, of the Research and Development Directorate; Carroll N. Bowman and 1Lt. Harold N. Olsen, Procurement and Production Directorate; William C. Edwards, Jr., John W. Norris, and Herbert W. Floyd, Arsenal Support Operations Directorate; William B. Wilson, Air Defense Control and Coordination System Office; and William C. Fleming, Nike-X Project Office.



EIP WINNERS—Zero Defects Excellence-in-Performance (EIP) Awards were presented by Maj. Gen. Charles W. Eifler on Monday to: (left to right, front) James Miller, Mrs. Willie Wallace, Thomas Lovelady, and SP-4 David Lambert, and (left to right, rear), Mrs. Bonnie Elkins, Mrs. Bobbie Beck, William Bass, and Maurice Bahan.

Capt. Collins Heads Military Personnel

Capt. Lloyd C. Collins is the newly assigned Military personnel officer in the office of the Chief of Personnel and Training at the Army Missile Command.

The Captain transferred from Detroit Arsenal where he was assigned as Adjutant and Personnel Officer.

His family remained in Grand Rapids, Mich.

Capt. Collins entered the Army in 1947 and took his basic training in his native state at Ft. Knox, Ky. He received his commission

in 1953.

His overseas tours have all been in the Far East—Korea, Japan and Vietnam. A former Airborne soldier, the Captain is a graduate from the Adjutant General School at Ft. Benjamin Harrison, Indiana.

His hobbies will help him fill his time away from his family. One of his first acts was to acquire two beagles when he arrived in anticipation of the hunting season. He also likes fishing and photography.

SAME MEETING

The Society of American Military Engineers had their first meeting of the year Thursday at the Redstone Officers Open Mess.

Deputy Commander, Land Combat Systems, was the principal speaker. He talked about "Trends in Missile Testing."

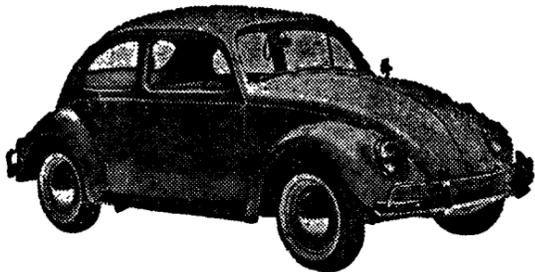
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Slated at the Sheraton Motor Inn, Huntsville, the show will draw an expected 2,000 viewers from a three-state area and will be opened by Glenn Hearn, Mayor of Huntsville.

"More than 30 industries will display reproductive equipment," said Wallace R. Phillips, Chairman of Chapter 21, Tennessee Valley and an employee of the Army Missile Command's Reproduction Division located in the Arsenal Support Operations Directorate.

"Reproduction equipment and processes which will be seen include electrostatics, offset presses, drafting equipment, office copiers, photographic equipment, typesetters, films, chemicals, microfilm equipment, papers, foils, and other items related to the field."

Officers who assisted Wallace in establishing the show include Claude K. Brown, first Vice Chairman and employee of Marshall Space Flight Center; George F. Tansey, chairman of registration committee and employee of General Electric; Bruce K. Gurgess, chairman of exhibits committee and employee of RCA; Chuck A. Lane, vice chairman of finance committee and employee of RCA; and Laurence B. Campbell, chairman of program committee and employee of MSFC.

Reliability Group Meets At Research Park September 28

The Reliability Professional Group, Huntsville Section, IEEE will hold its September meeting in the Research Park facilities of IBM located on Sparkman Drive tomorrow at 7:30 p.m.

Ed Massey, IBM, will speak on Assurance in Metal Oxide Semiconductor (MOS) Technology. The talk will include the results of recent qualification testing of MOS types having wide application in military and aerospace programs. Actual devices will be available to demonstrate the points of the talk.

Massey is a leads parts engineer at IBM, Huntsville Facility. He is a graduate of the University of Alabama.

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Most military calibration specialists are assigned to a military field office instead of having the opportunity to work under laboratory conditions where new equipment training procedures and policies are tested and approved. The men here express appreciation to be able to expand their knowledge and background at this level.

TWO SCIENTISTS

The Center has two enlisted men working in metrology, one stationed here and the other at the University of Pennsylvania in Philadelphia. The man at Redstone is studying a new automated calibration system which is the forerunner of a new generation of equipment. The man in Philadelphia is the only man the Army has assigned to research laser metrology.

Knowledge of electronics, a current passport, muscles of a stevedore, a cast iron stomach, and familiarity with standards of calibration are the package each mili-

tary man assigned to a calibration specialist group carries. The three-to-five man quick reaction team supports an Army unit anywhere in the world when other on the spot teams are not available.

Technical knowledge is gained first through schooling. When the individual learns the theory he is ready to work on the equipment in the field.

Equipment tests are made to assure that measurements meet acceptance standards. Nor is all the work performed under laboratory conditions.

KEEP BAG PACKED

The majority of the men here are assigned in the laboratories. Whether men are assigned to a laboratory or not, they find it a good idea to keep a bag packed. Field trips come often, seldom to the same site twice.

These trips are the reason for the cast iron stomachs. Lt. Col. Peter L. Horne, the Chief of the Center, remembers when he assigned a team from his European headquarters to service a number of sites. They took off from Germany, landed and worked in Spain, then travelled to Greece, Turkey, Iran and Italy. Variety is in the spice jars of the cooks as well as the ingredients at hand in the contrasting geographical regions.

Mobile vans provide shop conditions, but when a team is assigned to island hop in the Pacific, for instance, the van is imprac-

tical and they carry the test equipment modules aboard planes themselves. The team members prefer to handle the delicate electronics items rather than trust to professional baggage messengers. That's where the muscle is necessary.

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Col. Horne agrees with his men. He says that if one remembers what happens to his bags on an airline, he is bound to understand the viewpoint of men who guard their equipment with intrepidity. On one flight from the U. S. to Greenland, he recalls, the plane on which the calibration team was travelling lost power. Baggage and mail went over the side. When it came time to throw out the calibration equipment, the airmen found the calibration specialists sitting on the cases. The equipment and the team landed safely at Thule.

FEW CALIBRATION SPECIALISTS

The school for calibration specialists is located at Aberdeen Proving Ground, Md. The field is small and most of the 400 men who are in it for awhile achieve a first name basis with one another.

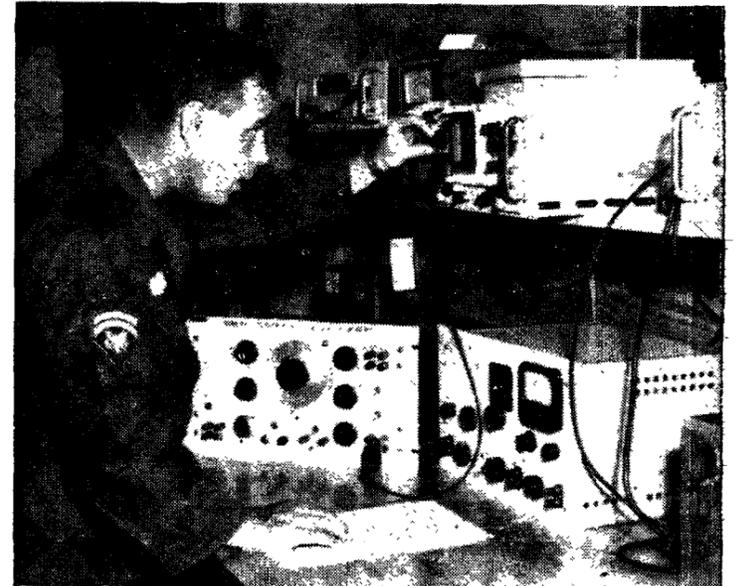
Since the basic tool is a knowledge of electronics, people who enter calibration usually are drawn from three sources: special weapons, missilery, or the Signal Corps. At present the recruiting effort is leaving a trail like a jet on a non-stop ocean hop.

Another prerequisite is flexibility. One day a team may be at a United States depot and the next assignment might take them to South America, Africa or some other remote global site. When a man in the Army enters the calibration field as his primary assignment, he is cross trained to be an across-the-board technician in all phases of calibration: electronics, physical measurements, and electromagnetic standards. In addition, as an enlisted man climbs the ladder through the ranks to senior

noncom status, he becomes acquainted with the field of administration, and learns the policy and procedures which must be followed. Without this knowledge, he can flunk his proficiency test and forfeit the \$100 extra pay that these

men ordinarily draw.

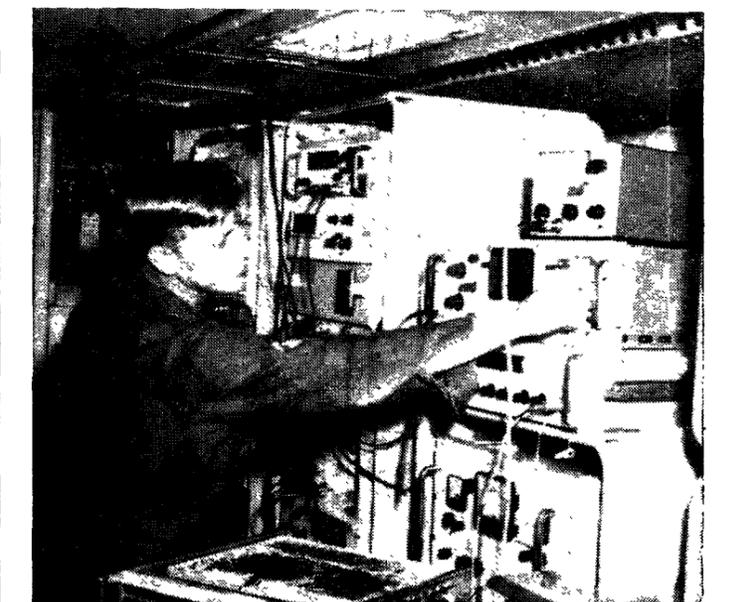
Stations may vary, but the equipment for testing doesn't. The field is open. A man with advanced electronics knowledge may apply through personnel channels for calibration trainings.



PROCEDURES IMPERATIVE—One of the main jobs of the technicians in the Army Metrology and Calibration Center is to assure that equipment test procedures to be used in the field are workable. Sp6 Claude Brice of San Francisco is working with a servomotor analyzer on which the manufacturer's procedures are not accurate enough to meet Army standards. He is developing a procedure that is accurate.



GET READY TO LOAD—Mobile equipment test modules are delicate instruments which metrology and calibration specialists prefer to handle themselves rather than trust to professional movers. Sp6 Vernon Hill of Marianna, Fla., a former Ordnance specialist, and Sp5 Lloyd Lucien, of New Orleans, a former missileman, lift down an equipment test module which has a shipping cover on it. The module below has the cover removed. The modules can be stacked in any needed sequence in the field.



FLEXIBILITY—The Army is flexible. Metrology is an exacting science, but the men who practice as technicians find a van fits as comfortably as a laboratory into an equipment calibration program. Sp5 Joseph March of Kingsley, Iowa was in the Signal Corps before he transferred to metrology and calibration. His microwave van is in use in conjunction with the Standards laboratory now located in Bankhead Hall at Redstone Arsenal, to perform maintenance and equipment evaluation.

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Personnel Administrators Hold First '67-'68 Meet

The Huntsville Chapter of the Society for Personnel Administration held its first regular meeting of the 1967-1968 year on Tuesday, Sept. 19 at seven o'clock, in the Redstone Officers Open Mess. Leroy Osborn, Chapter President, presided.

Guest Speaker, Grove Webster, Director of Personnel, NASA, Washington, D. C., was introduced by Program Chairman, Charles Motley.

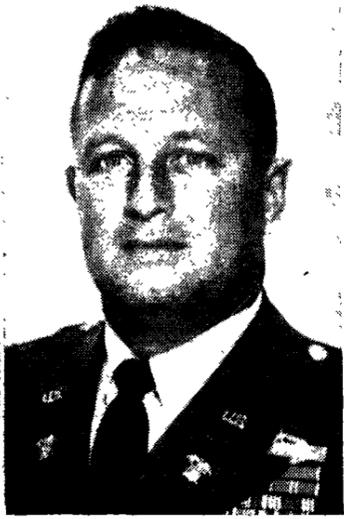
Webster discussed aims and objectives of SPA, comparing those at the national level and at the local level and pointing out some of the areas of possible variance between the two. He called at-

ention to three general objectives of SPA: to encourage training, study, and research; to foster improved Personnel Administration; and to stimulate and encourage interchange of ideas toward sharpening goals.

Webster then opened the floor for discussion.

The next regular meeting will

WINNER of the ARADCOM Commander's trophy for the "Outstanding Nike Hercules Firing Battery in the Short Notice Annual Practice" was Battery C, 251st Artillery of the California National Guard. The battery, in the Los Angeles Defense, is commanded by Capt. Howard Christ.



SPEAKER — A much decorated Army veteran of World War II, Korea and Vietnam will be guest speaker at graduation ceremonies of the Missile and Munitions Center and School Friday. Lt. Col. Thomas H. Stone, Jr., whose awards include the Legion of Merit and the Bronze Star, will speak to 121 soldiers from Denmark, Germany and the U. S. Army and Marine Corps. Stone, who is from Richmond, Va., is presently at the Quartermaster School. Ft. Lee, Va., where he is chief of the Combat Services Support Branch, Supply Career Department. Graduation ceremonies Friday will begin at 9:30 a.m. in Post Theater No. 1.

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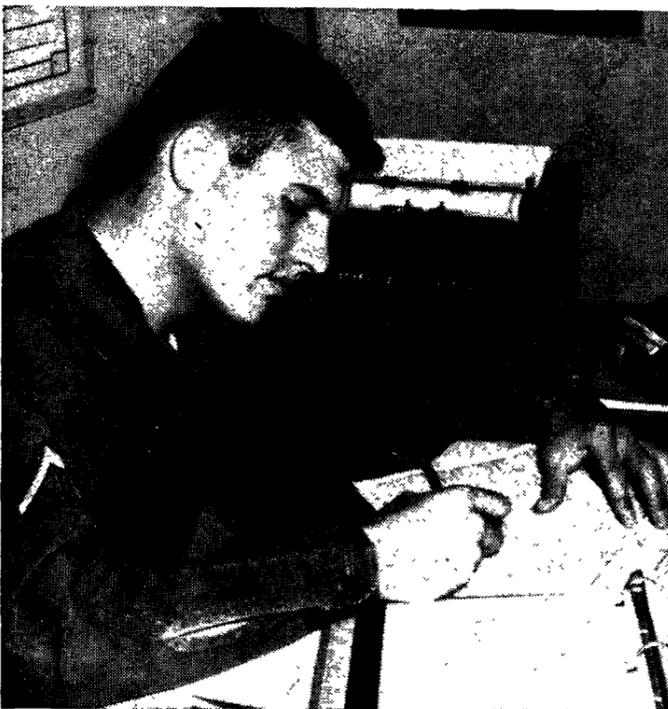
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The registers will be used to fill anticipated vacancies for Boiler Operators, starting salary \$2.46 to \$2.56 an hour; Steam Operating Engineers, \$2.72 to \$2.91 an hour; Bindery Workers, \$2.33 to \$2.56 an hour; and Railroad Brakemen; \$2.59 to \$2.74 an hour.

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For information about experience and training requirements and for application forms, contact the Interagency Board of U. S. Civil Service Examiners, 860 Governors Drive, S. W., Huntsville, Alabama, 35801.



REDSTONE SOLDIER OF THE MONTH—PFC Ronald S. Mensik has been selected as Redstone Arsenal's Soldier of the Month for August. He received honors by Col. Anders O. Wiklund, Acting Director, Arsenal Support Operations Directorate. Through sponsorship of the Huntsville-Madison County Chamber of Commerce, he will be further honored with activities in the community this weekend. PFC Mensik, who is a clerk in the 291st MP Company, is from Chicago, and is a graduate of Xavier University, Cincinnati.

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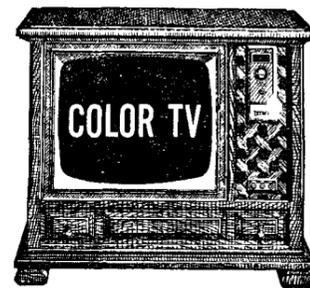
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Savings Bond Solicitors To Hold Recognition Lunch

Some 350 to 400 Arsenal personnel will represent the Army's entire Military and civilian population next Wednesday when they gather at the Officers Open Mess on Wednesday for the annual Savings Bond recognition luncheon.

Those attending the noon affair are the organizational solicitors who have played such an important role in maintaining an almost perfect rate of participation in the Savings Bond program at Redstone for the fourth consecutive year.

The purpose of the luncheon, according to Lt. Col. M. A. Jones, chairman of the MICOM Savings Bond Executive committee, is to spread the recognition that has been gained by the outstanding local program around to the people and organizations that have made it possible.

Maj. Gen. Charles W. Eifler, Commanding General of the Army Missile Command, will be the principal speaker at the luncheon. Also scheduled for brief talks are Raphael Morvant, the regional director of the U. S. Savings Bond Division, and Oscar Drake, the Alabama director.

Glen Johnson, the national director of the Savings Bond Division, will head an imposing list of national, state and local dignitaries who have been invited to attend the affair.

The Treasury Department offi-

cial will present service stars to five MICOM organizations and three elements of the Army Missile and Munitions Center and School. The stars will be attached to Minuteman Flags already flying at the Arsenal representing continued excellence in the program.

The Minuteman Flag is awarded to organizations of 1,000 or more personnel when 90 per cent of the assigned personnel participate in the Savings Bond program. Each star represents an additional year of participation above the minimum requirement.

The four large MICOM directorates and the Missile School headquarters will receive a third star while MICOM headquarters is now eligible to attach a second service star to their Minuteman Flag.

Two MMCS elements, the Directorate of Individual Training and the School Troop Command, won

their Minuteman Flag last year and have now qualified for their first star.

Gen. Eifler will accept the service star on behalf of the personnel of the MICOM headquarters while the Commandant of the Missile School and the Directorate heads will represent their respective organizations for the presentation.

The Supply and Maintenance Directorate tops all Arsenal organizations (1,000 or more personnel) with 98 percent participation. Close behind are the Procurement and Production, and Research Development Directorates, each with 95 percent of their personnel listed as regular purchasers of Savings Bonds through the payroll deduction plan.

Ninety-four percent of those assigned to the Arsenal Support Operations Directorate are bond buyers as are 93 percent of the MICOM headquarters unit personnel.

Together they give the Missile Command a 94.1 rate of participation while the Missile School is 92 percent. The Nike-X Project Office has 91 per cent participation.

Two Taking Graduate Study Work

Two employees of the Research and Development Directorate joined the growing list of Missile Command personnel who have been selected to pursue graduate level study in their career fields at leading universities.

Edward Herbert and Phillip Ormsby left this week for the University of California in Los Angeles and Georgia Tech respectively, bringing to 25 the number of MICOM personnel who are presently attending graduate school in various parts of the country.

Approval for their advanced study leading to a graduate degree is made through the Command's career development program administered by the Training and Development Division of Civilian Personnel.

Herbert is enrolled in the Col-

THURSDAY BRIDGE

At Bridge Thursday, sponsored by the Redstone Arsenal Officers Wives Club, Mrs. James E. Gibbs was the winner with Mrs. S. C. Brown second and Mrs. Robert Newell third. Mrs. Paul L. Scholl was low.

There were seven tables in play at the Redstone Officers Open Mess. Coordinator to play with the group is Mrs. Robert Allgeier.

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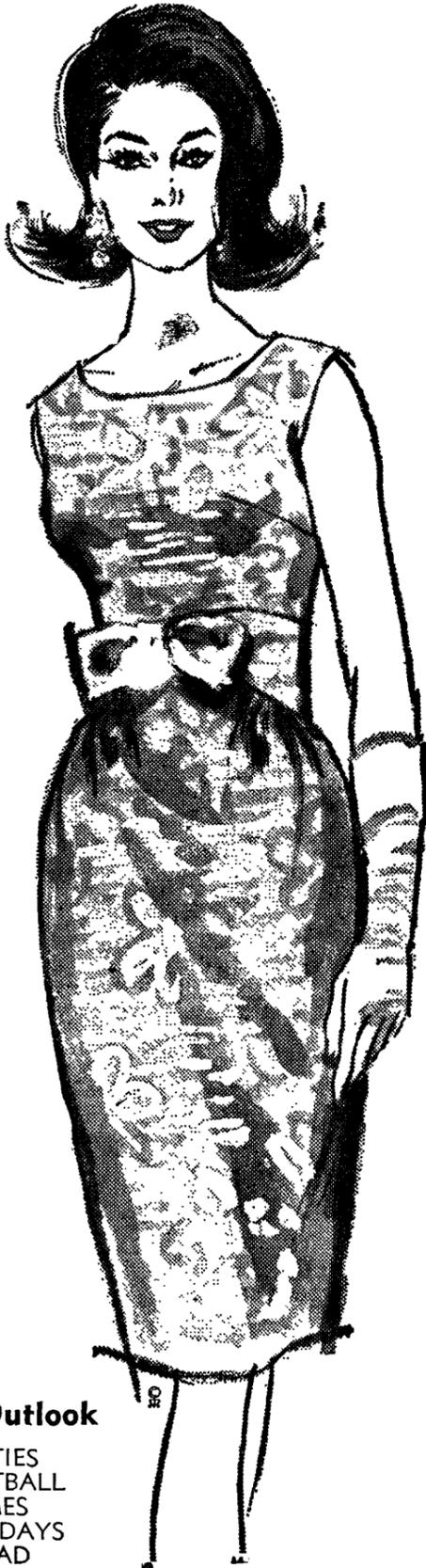
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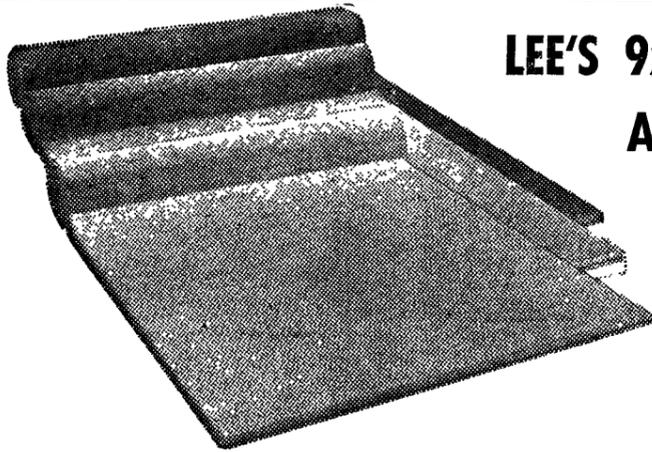
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COMPLETES COURSE—Mrs. Mary H. Spencer receives a certificate which represents 59 hours of home study on a Data Processing extension course she completed recently. The course was from the U. S. Army Adjutant General School, Fort Benjamin Harrison, Ind. and was offered in four parts. Col. S. C. Holmes, head of the Army Missile Command Procurement and Production Directorate, presented the certificate. Mrs. Spencer is employed as a computer programmer in the Machine Operations Branch, ADPS Division of P&P.



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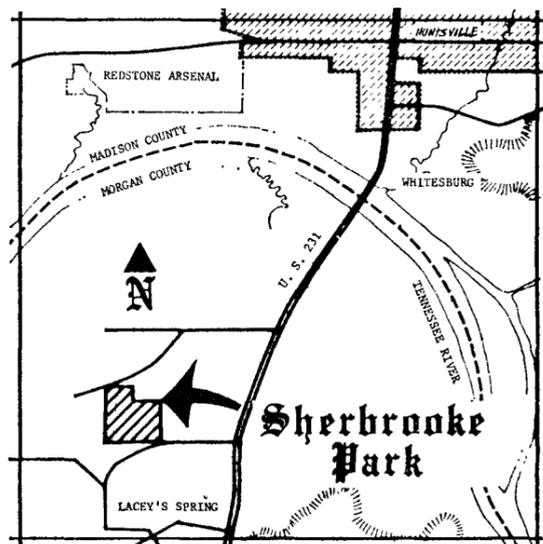
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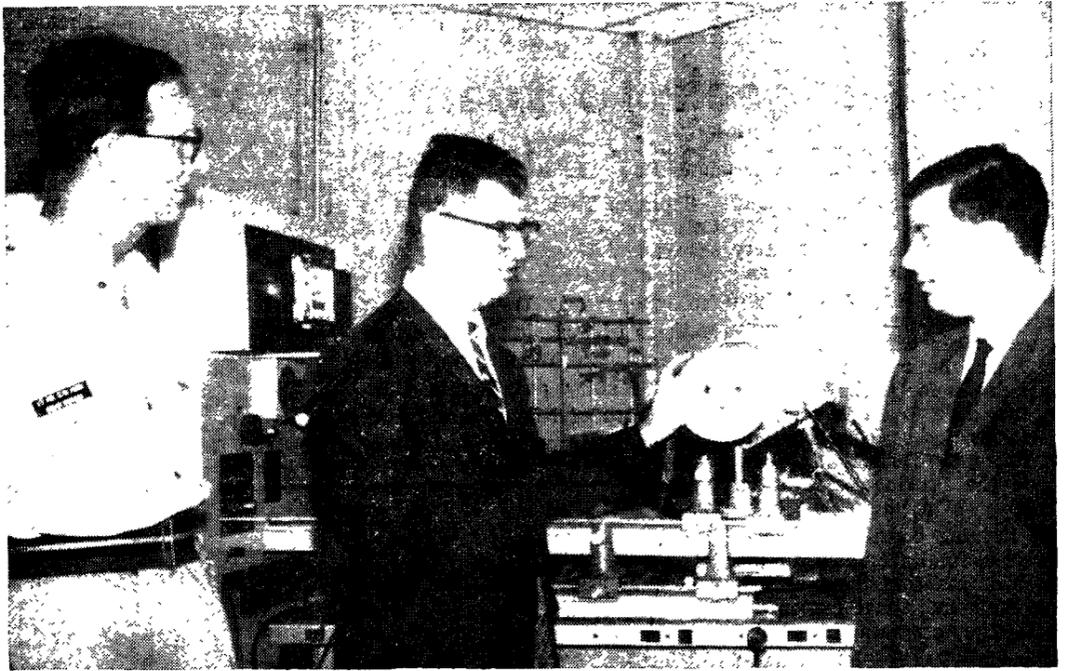
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| Coldspot Window Air Conditioner | Maytag Automatic Washer, (model 1142B) |
| Silverstone TV set—Console | 18" portable Electric Fan |
| Breakfast set—Table and 4 chairs | 2 two door metal Storage Cabinet |
| 2 Early American style matching End Tables | Upholstered Bedroom Chair |
| Electric Dehumidifier | 3 piece Bed-room Suite (double bed, vanity, chest) |
| Early American style Upholstered seat Arm Chair | Bath Scales |
| Waffle Iron | 2 portable Clothes Racks |
| Early American style Arm Chair Rocker | 3 plastic Clothes Bags |
| Florence 4 Burner Gas Range | Card Table |
| Metal Post Lamp—floor to ceiling | 2 portable Electric Heaters |
| Electric Can Opener | Portable Vacuum Cleaner |
| Metal Desk with side return—(4 drawers in all) | Garden Tools |
| 2 Night Stand Lamps | Fostoria Electric Iron |
| IBM Electric Typewriter model 11-Elite Type | Metal Wheelbarrow |
| Oldsmobile 88 Holiday Coupe—1962 Model—41,000 miles—Original Owner CAR—Power Brakes and Power Steering. | Aluminum Yard Lounge Chair |
| | Coldspot Upright Freezer (recent model) |
| | Metal Ironing Board |

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\$1.1 Million Goes For Nike Hercules Klystron Tubes

The U. S. Army has awarded a \$1,181,395 contract to General Electric Company for producing klystron tubes to be used in the Nike Hercules air defense guided

missile system.

Work under the contract will be performed at the company's plant at Schenectady, N.Y.

Nike Hercules is the United States' primary high altitude air defense weapon. In tests it has proven successful against high performance aircraft at a variety of altitudes and has successfully intercepted short range ballistic missiles.

The Hercules system is managed

by the U. S. Army Missile Command, under Col. M. W. Pettit, Project Manager. Negotiating the contract for the Army was the Missile Command's Procurement and Production Directorate.

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FRIDAY, SEPT. 29 at 10:33½ a.m.

3 BIG CAR WASHES

- One in Decatur, Alabama ● Two In Huntsville, Alabama
- Selling Equipment and Leases Belonging to The Whiz Associates to Dissolve the Corporation.

ALL 3 MONEY MAKERS

2. Selling at 10:33½ A.M. The Complete Sofspira CAR WASH LOCATED IN DECATUR, ALABAMA, IN THE DECATUR SHOPPING CENTER TWO BLOCKS OFF HIGHWAY 31 AT THE INTERSECTION OF EIGHTH AVENUE AND 11th STREET, JOINING THE FIRESTONE STORE AND BRUNO FOOD MARKET.

This Unit 2 in the Decatur Shopping Center is one of the nicest locations you will find anywhere for a car wash. It consists of one 4 Bay Sofspira Building, 4 Bay Pumping Unit and Controls, 105-10A Water Softener, Model B-197 AO Smith Water Heater, Vacuum Cleaners with Controls, Duo Coin Changer—Series 900—Maximum Security, Sign with Flasher, Group of Spare Parts, and an Air Compressor. This Unit 2 will pay the owner approximately \$1,200 gross per month and for a nominal fee could be converted into an automatic car wash with very little work. The large, completely paved lot is leased for \$250 per month with two years on the original lease. A new lease of five years with an option of five more years can be obtained. We will sell the complete unit and the lease as one sale. It will not be sold separately, but as a going business. It is a money maker now and with a little more management could be one of the top money producing small investments a man could find anywhere. This investment cost around \$30,000 to install and we will sell it at 10:33½ A.M. on the premises in Decatur, Alabama, for your price. Your bid will be our bid. So don't fail to attend this auction. \$25 given away absolutely free.

3. At Auction Friday, September 29 at 1:33-2/3 P.M. The Car Wash NO. 3 LOCATED AT 110 WEATHERLY ROAD, HUNTSVILLE, ALABAMA. TURN EAST OFF PARKWAY, LOCATED JUST ACROSS FROM HAYSLAND SQUARE SHOPPING CENTER.

Unit No. 3 consists of a 4 Bay Sofspira Building, a 4 Bay Pumping Unit with Controls, 105-10A Water Softener, Model B-197 AO Smith Water Heater, Vacuum Cleaner with Controls, Duo Coin Changer—Series 900—Maximum Security, Spare Parts including a spare Tank Assembly and an Air Compressor. This location has a lease of five years with two years remaining on the first lease, with two 5 year options available. The lot is large 300 x 300, so that another business could be put in here. The lease is for \$250 per month with three months or \$750 already paid on this lease. This operation has been grossing from \$900 to \$1,000 per month. This is a top location for this business or any other business you may want to use it for. The equipment is in excellent condition. This is also a \$30,000 investment. You can buy this lease and equipment at your bid, so don't fail to attend this auction sale at 1:33 P.M. on the premises in Huntsville, Alabama. \$25 given away absolutely free.

1. At Auction Friday, September 29 At 3:27-3/4 P.M. The Car Wash NO. 1 LOCATED AT THE CORNER OF LONG AVENUE AND TRIANA BOULEVARD ONE BLOCK NORTH OF BOB WALLACE AVENUE AND TRIANA BOULEVARD INTERSECTION.

This Unit No. 1 is only one block off Bob Wallace on Triana and is in an A-1 location on a large lot. The equipment consists of a 4 Bay Sofspira Building, 4 Bay Pumping Unit and Controls, 105-10A Water Softener, Model B-197 AO Smith Water Heater, Vacuum Cleaners with Controls, Duo Coin Changer—Series 900—Maximum Security, all kinds of Spare Parts, Sign and Air Compressor. The lease is \$200 per month with one year on the original lease and has an option for two 5 year leases on the property. The rent of \$200 per month has been paid six months in advance which amounts to \$1,200. The purchaser will have about six months without paying any rent. This location has been grossing from \$1,200 to \$1,400 per month. All equipment in all three locations is in excellent condition. \$25 given away absolutely free.

ALL THREE LOCATIONS

are going businesses and are in operation now. The only reason for selling is due to the fact that the Whiz Associates is selling to dissolve this corporation. If you are looking for three well established businesses with not much overhead, be sure to attend this auction sale.

IF A PERSON WOULD LIKE ONE, TWO OR THREE OF THESE LOCATIONS, BE SURE TO READ THE CIRCULAR AND ATTEND EACH SALE. THERE WILL BE \$25 GIVEN AWAY ABSOLUTELY FREE AT EACH SALE.

The sale of each location will consist of all equipment at each station plus the lease that will be transferred to the new owner.

TERMS:

25% down Sale Day, Balance on or before 30 days.

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Sale Schedule

Unit No. 2 Decatur, Ala. 10:33½ A.M. — Decatur Shopping Center.
Unit No. 3 Huntsville, Ala. — 1:33-2/3 P.M. 110 Weatherly Road.
Unit No. 1 Huntsville, Ala. — 3:27¾ P.M. Long Avenue and Triana Blvd.

For further information, contact Robert W. Teal, President Code 205-536-5359 Huntsville, Ala. or

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Careerists Seek To Learn More About Their Business

Forty-seven Missile Command and Nike-X personnel have been selected for attendance at military schools, contractor facilities and reading colleges where they will take training courses in connection with their career fields.

They will be away from their normal duties for periods ranging from two days to 16 weeks with the classes being conducted in eight states, the District of Columbia and the Province of Ontario, Canada.

The training courses are made available to local personnel for the purpose of assisting them in bettering their individual career potential. The program is administered by the Training and Development Division of Civilian Personnel.

Twelve of the local personnel, all employees of the Supply and Maintenance Directorate, will not have to leave the Arsenal for their advanced training. They will spend six weeks at the Missile and Munitions Center and School where they are enrolled for the Nike Target Simulator course.

In this group are Melvon Arwood, Dixon Weaver, Paul Stephan, Francis Mooney, Howard Frey, James Hennessy, Perry Fairchild, James Culbert, Lawrence Aaron, Winford Belue, Tommy Barton and James Masten.

Another large group is the eight locals who left this week for Rock Island, Ill., for training at the Army Management Engineering Agency.

Mary Seelbinder (P & P) and James Davis (Mgt Sc) are taking Design and Analysis of Experiments, Johnnie Cooper (DASO) is enrolled for Introduction to ADP Systems, and Marvin Barber (DASO) is studying Management Statistics.

James Humphries (Nike-X) and James Wallress (MMCS) are attending the Seminar for Middle Managers, James Braswell (P & P) is taking Statistical Quality Control and John Neely (DASO) is a member of the Systems and Procedures Analysis class.

Two officers and two civilians left for Ft. Lee, Va., for a five week course in Procurement Management at the Army Logistics Management Center. They are Lt. Norman Dimson, Lt. Richard Hanson and Carl Ricceri (all of P & P) and Frank Pope (Chief Council).

Reginald Parks (R & D) and Russell Brown (DASO) are taking the Industrial Safety program at the AMC Field Safety Agency, Charlestown, Ind., and Jon Spane (Nike-X) is spending three weeks at Ft. Benning, Ga., for the Nuclear Weapons Employment course.

James Armstrong (DASO) is studying Financial Management at the Army Finance School, Ft. Benjamin Harrison, Ind., while Robert Clark (DASO) and Bobbie Jennings (S & M) are at the same school for Techniques of Review and Analysis.

The School of Systems and Logistics at Wright-Patterson AFB, Ohio, is the destination of Wallace Jeffrey (Hawk) and Zane Phillips (P & P). They will be there for two weeks for a course in Cost Reimbursement Incentive Contracting.

Another six locals are engaged in training programs with the Navy equally divided between the Naval Material Command installations at Norfolk, Va., and Washington, D.C.

William Jones (Nike-X) is at the Norfolk facility for Cost Price Analysis along with Martha Sperr and Edward Hahn (both of P & P). Billy O'Neil (P & P), John Garvin (DASO), and John Lynch (Chief Council) are in Washington for the Procurement Executive Refresher.

Sherman Tate (R & D) went to Columbus, Ohio, for a class in Research and Development Programming at Battelle Institute, Elmo McKinney (Hawk) is studying Methods of Teaching at American University in Washington, while Robert Manley and Marvin Lemmons (both of Nike-X) are taking American Science and Technology

at the University of Oklahoma. Bernard Alley (R & D) is attending the Particle Characterization Conference at the Industrial Division of Colter Electronic, Melrose Park, Ill. James Vinson (Chief Counsel) is present for the 7th Institute on Government Contracts in Dallas, Tex., and Walter Murphree (Chief Counsel) is attending the 2nd Southern Federal Tax Institute in Atlanta.

Completing the list are Millard Jernigan and Billy Jennings, both of the Metrology and Calibration Center. They are in Smith Falls, Ont., Canada, for a three-day course in Precision Measurements offered by Guideline Instruments.

TWO TO MAKE PRESENTATION AT NORAD, OLD CROW MEETING

Two members of the Advanced Sensors Laboratory at the Army Missile Command will make presentations at the ninth annual jointly sponsored North American Air Defense Command and the Association of Old Crows Conference in Washington, D. C. this week. (Sept. 26, 27, 28).

Lloyd W. Root, Jr., the Laboratory Chief, and Floyd M. Belrose will present a paper on "Capability of Threat Air Defense Systems." Both United States and Canadian scientists and military

men are scheduled to attend. The meeting will open with a welcome by Gen. Joyce B. James, Deputy Chief of Staff, Communications, Electronics, NORAD. At the banquet sponsored by the Old Crows, Lt. Gen. Jack C. Catton, U. S. Air Force will be the principal speaker.

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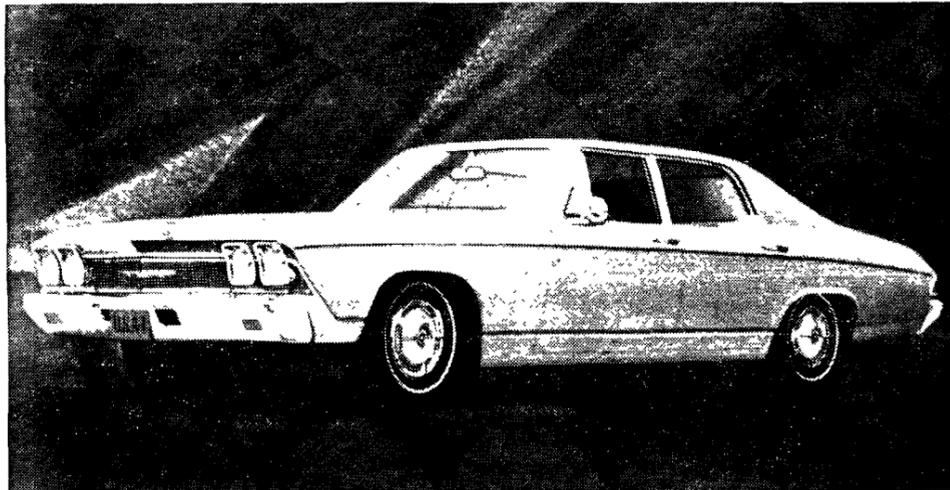
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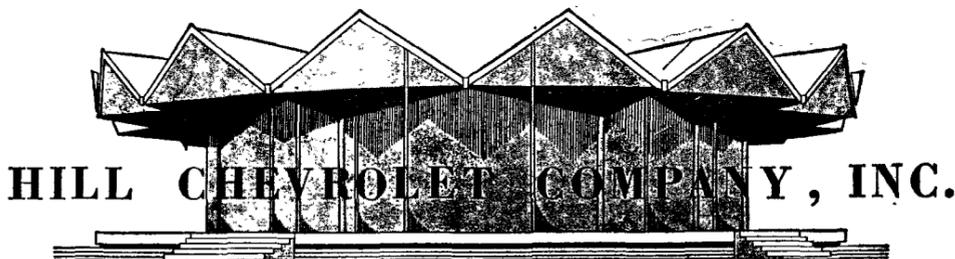
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