

# The Redstone Rocket

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## Dr. Hallowes Reappointed To Army Research Council

Dr. John P. Hallowes, Jr., Director of the Army Missile Command's Physical Sciences Laboratory, Research and Engineering Directorate, has been reappointed as a member of the Army Research Council by acting Assistant Secretary of the Army Charles L. Poor.

Dr. Hallowes was first appointed to the Council in January, 1968; his reappointment was effective Jan. 1, 1969.

The Council is made up of eleven prominent scientists, engineers or research executives from the Army's research and development community.

It was established in 1964 to assist in developing policy, plans and programs for Army research and exploratory development. Members of the Council also conduct studies, represent the Army on scientific committees, and attend scientific symposia and meetings of significance to the Army.

As Director of the Physical Science Laboratory, Dr. Hallowes is responsible for research projects in the physical, engineering, and chemical sciences, which include the fields of reentry physics, plasma physics, optical spectroscopy, solid state physics, mathematics, solid mechanics, nuclear physics aerophysics, and control dynamics



DR. HALLOWES

## Missile Command Buys Year-Wheel

The Army Missile Command started the new year all set to get the proper date on its checks. One of the small purchases during December was for an item called a yearwheel, 1969, for a check signing machine.

This was a \$6.75 purchase, and just one of hundreds of orders and contracts issued during the past month totaling more than \$23 million.

The year-wheel came from a Huntsville business concern as did approximately \$410,000 worth of other material used to maintain operations at the Missile Command.

Goods and services covered by the awards include a wide variety of office and laboratory supplies, equipment maintenance, repairs, food, laundry and technical literature.

These awards do not include those for a million dollars or more which go for procurement of missile systems and related equipment.

The Missile Command Procurement and Production Directorate negotiated the contracts and awards.

## Sergeant Major Of Army Will Be AUSA Speaker At January 16 Meeting

Sgt. Maj. George W. Dunaway, Sergeant Major of the U.S. Army, will be principal speaker during a winter meeting of the Tennessee Valley Chapter, Association of the U.S. Army on the evening of Jan. 16.



Sgt. Maj. George W. Dunaway

The meeting will be held in the Redstone Arsenal Non-commissioned Officers Open Mess beginning at 6:30 p.m.

Sgt. Maj. Dunaway was named to the top enlisted post in the Army last September. He succeeded Sergeant Major William O. Wooldridge who was the first enlisted man named as direct liaison between field troops and the Army Chief of Staff.

Wooldridge addressed the local AUSA chapter last January.

Sgt. Maj. Dunaway is a two times veteran of the Vietnam War.

He was with the 5th Special Forces group in Vietnam and, after a short time in the United States, returned with the 101st Airborne Division.

The 46-year-old top enlisted man of the Army has spent a major (See SGT-MAJOR on Page 3)

## Civilians Continue To Seek Advancement In Careers

Forty-nine Redstone civilians are starting the new year by attending career development training sessions at government schools, contractor facilities and leading universities in nine states and the District of Columbia.

They will spend periods up to twelve weeks in the classroom work that is made available to local personnel under the Command's career development program administered by the Training and Development Division of Civilian Personnel.

Over a third of the locals went to Ft. Lee, Va., for advance career training at the Army's Logistics Management Center.

Of these, William Waller, of the Pershing Project Office, will spend 12 weeks at the Virginia installation along with four employees of the Supply and Maintenance Directorate for the Logistics Management course. The S&M personnel are William Moody, Lloyd Malone, Eddie Carter and Billy Tankersley.

Laura Webb and Roy Sullivan

## Nike Hercules Contract Runs \$6.95 Million

The Army Missile Command has awarded a contract of \$6.95 million to the Western Electric Company for engineering services on the Nike Hercules missile system during Fiscal Year 1969.

Work under the contract will be performed at Burlington, N.C.

Now deployed around key areas in the United States and overseas, Nike Hercules has proven successful in tests against high performance aircraft at a variety of altitudes and has successfully intercepted short range ballistic missiles.

The Nike Hercules program is managed by the Army Missile Command at Redstone Arsenal under Col. Morris W. Pettit, project manager. Contract negotiations were conducted by the Command's Procurement and Production Directorate.

(S&M) are enrolled for the Inventory Management course, F. V. Dellapiana (P&P) is studying Quality Control Management while Guy McCombs (Lance) and John Wiodarski (TOW) are attending classes in Modern Analytic Techniques for Executive Decision Making.

Seven employees of the Procurement and Production Directorate complete the Ft. Lee list. They will spend five weeks there for the Procurement Management course. In this group are William McRae, Billie Hill, John Cox, Nancy DeWard, D. W. Murphy, Basil Cobb and Eddie Hyatt.

Five others left for Rock Island, Ill., for training at the Army Management Engineering Training Agency. Of these, James Hargrove (S&M) is enrolled for PERT/COST, and Aaron Tribble (P&P) for Quality Assurance. Both courses are one week in length.

The other three are attending the two-week Top Management Seminar. They are Gerald Jamieson (Hawk), William Black (Ch Counsel) and Charles Cox (Prod Assurance).

Another quintet of Redstone personnel went to Ft. Benjamin Harrison, Ind., for advance training at the Army Finance School. Included are Joe Brindley (SENS-COM) who is studying Techniques of Review and Analysis, and Raymond Hughes (DASO) in Military Accounting.

Christos Cassimus and James Bachus (C&DP) along with James Huggins (SENSCOM) will be at the Indiana installation for six weeks for the AMC Comptroller-ship course.

Orvis Mumford (C&DP) is studying Operations Research at the Army's Management School, Ft. Belvoir, Va., and John Corpening (AMCC) is at the Ordnance School, Aberdeen Proving Ground, Md., for Physical Standards.

Richard Turner (DASO) is spending six weeks at Ft. Lee, Va., for Commissary Management at the Quartermaster School while Robert Whitley (TOW) and Allan Platt (Dragon) will be at Wright-Patterson AFB, Ohio, for ten weeks for the Weapon Systems Management (See CIVILIANS on Page 3)

## Pershing 1-A About To Undergo New Series Of Improved Equipment Tests

The Army's Pershing 1-A missile system is scheduled to undergo a strenuous two-month workout in an Initial Production Test at Aberdeen Proving Ground, Md., starting in early January.

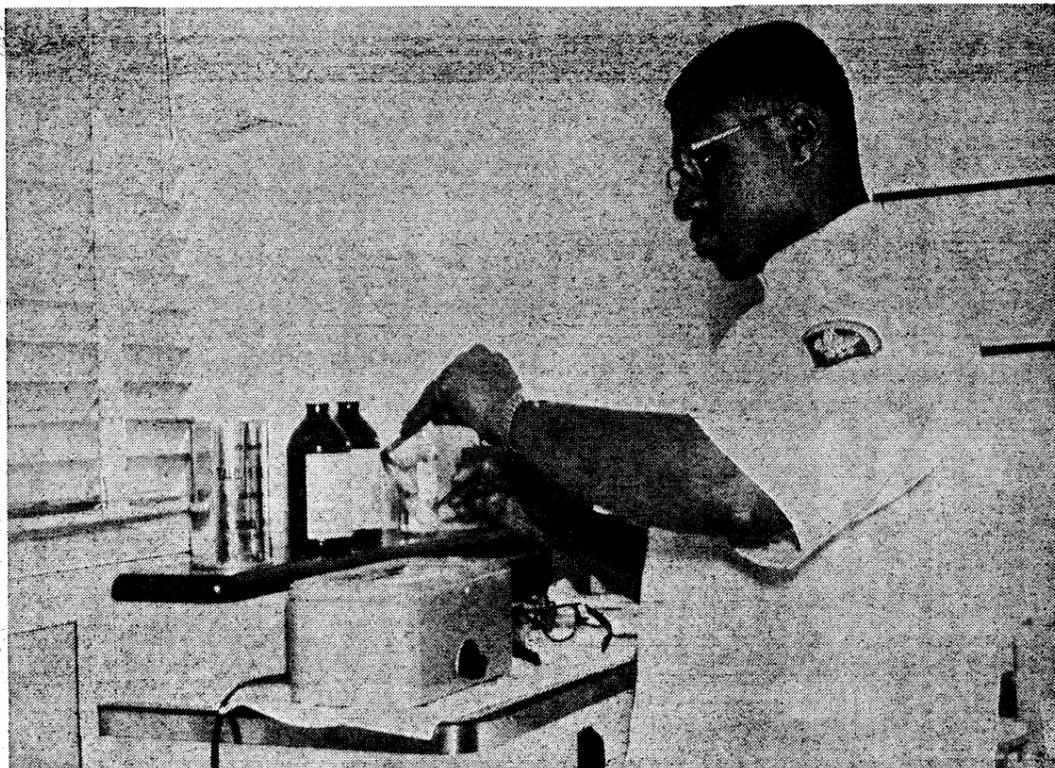
Included in the testing will be the newly-designed, fast-reacting erector-launcher; the improved programmer/test station; a new control vehicle called the battery control central; a new system components test station; the new M656-family of wheeled vehicles which will transport the system; and other items of second generation ground support equipment which make up the P 1-A system.

Under direction of the U. S. Army Test and Evaluation Command, the updated surface-to-surface system will be put through its paces under a variety of simulated combat and environmental conditions, and in all its modes of operation. Col. Edwin A. Rudd is Pershing Project Manager at the U. S. Army Missile Command.

The tests are expected to result in orderly and prompt release of new equipment of proven quality for field use. A test team of artillerymen from Fort Sill, Okla., and civilian technicians from White Sands Missile Range, N. M., will conduct the testing. Included is a

P 1-A firing platoon formed from Pershing troop elements stationed at Fort Sill. A portion of the test team is currently undergoing an equipment proof test/test team preparation exercise on the system at the Martin-Marietta Corp. facility in Orlando, Fla. Martin-Marietta serves as prime contractor for Pershing.

Upon completion of the Aberdeen tests, the team and equipment will return to the Orlando facility for additional environmental tests in the Martin-Marietta environmental chamber. Subsequently, test team personnel will (See PERSHING on Page 3)



REDSTONE SOLDIER OF THE MONTH—Sp/5 Ronald H. Wiggins, shown at work in the Out-Patient Clinic of the U. S. Army Hospital won top soldier honors at Redstone Arsenal. He and his wife, Judy, were entertained in Huntsville by the Chamber of Commerce in conjunction with his honors. Sp/5 Wiggins is a medical technician in the eye clinic, where he gives basic screening eye examinations, orders prescriptions and fits patients with new glasses. He is a graduate of Fayetteville State College, Fayetteville, Ga., with a BS degree in social sciences. He and his wife make their home in Huntsville.

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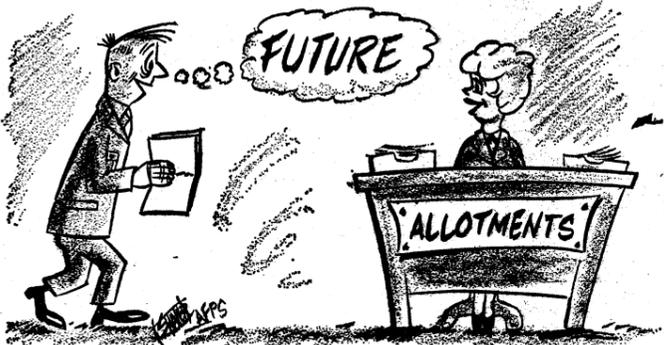
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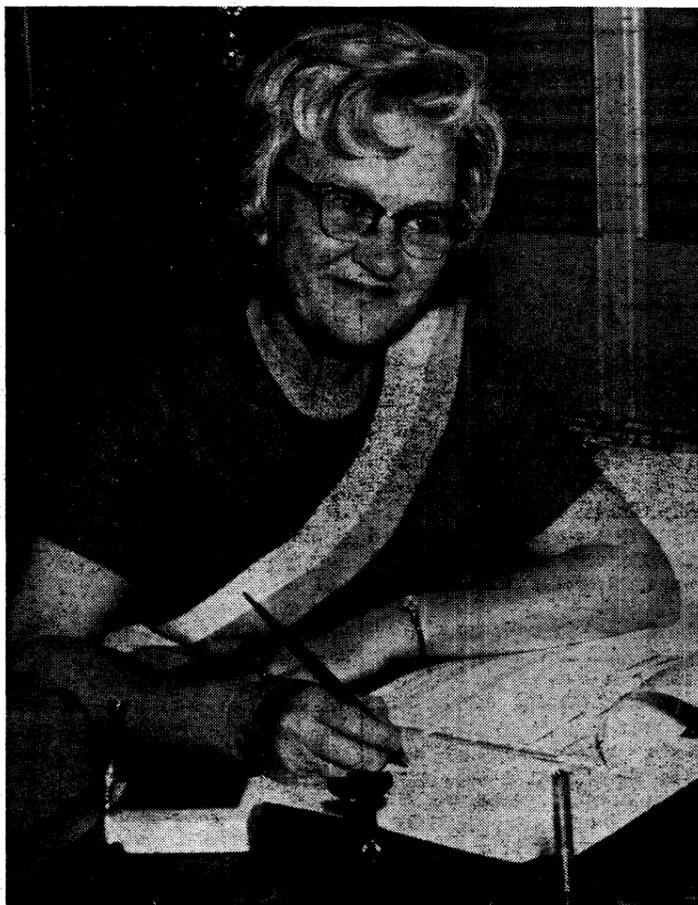
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## ZERO DEFECTS CORNER



MRS. EULA EPPERSON

An accounting technician whose ten-year Federal career has been marked by a continuous striving for improvement has been honored by being named the Missile Command's Employee of the Month for January.

Eula Epperson was named for the monthly citation by the Zero Defects Program Council in competition with several other MICOM employees who have performed their individual assignments in near perfect manner over an extended period of time.

The selection of Mrs. Epperson gives the Finance and Accounting Center its third Employee of the Month in the last six months.

Assigned to the Operating Agency Accounts Office, she is responsible for receiving, controlling and distributing of funds to allottees. Her duties entail the accounting for program and budget data, as well as the consolidation of financial data for reporting to local and higher echelons.

Mrs. Epperson is credited by her supervisor with performing every facet of her assignment with an error rate that is far below the expected rate. Her accounting records always reflect accurate and timely status of program and funds and are available for management well within the accepted time frames.

After having been employed by various commercial firms in accounting work, the Decatur resident began her Federal employment with the Missile Command as a voucher examiner in 1958. Her initiative and high standards of workmanship has led to Mrs. Epperson's advancement to her present position.



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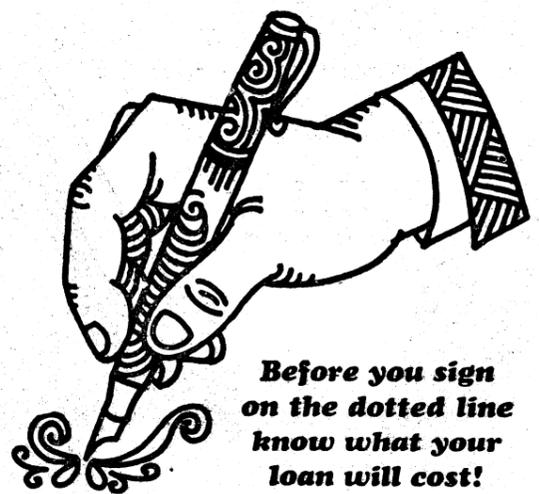
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**BEST MESS**—SFC J. B. Deason, Mess Steward at the Missile and Munitions Center and School's Mess 1, accepts the Connelly Award presented by Col. J. N. Jean, Director of the Missile Command's Arsenal Support Operations Directorate on behalf of the Food Service Executive Association. The Award was initiated in FY 69 and named for a past president of the association, Phillip A. Connelly. The competition is world-wide. Mess 1, the Arsenal's representative, is in competition with other Army Messes in Third Army at present. The results of this competition will not be known until mid-January.



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# Cleere Receives Meritorious Award Before Retirement From Government

The superior managerial qualities of a veteran Army logistician were recognized here last week when Maj. Gen. Charles W. Eifler presented the Meritorious Civilian Service award to Joe C. Cleere, a special assistant to the Director of Supply and Maintenance.

Cleere is retiring from the Federal Service this week closing out a career spanning 31 years.

The Commanding General cited Cleere for his outstanding achievements over an eight-year period during which he served as Deputy Chief of the National Inventory Control Point.

In presenting the second highest civilian award to Cleere, Gen. Eifler said that his managerial competence, "clearly exceeded the high standards expected for this executive position."

The native of Florence has been especially outstanding for the soundness of his evaluations of

extremely complex problems such as the direct supply support system for Vietnam.

Cleere began his Federal career with a four-year enlistment in the Navy. He attended business college after being released from active duty and entered civil service in 1941 at Brookley Air Force Base.

He remained at the Mobile installation, except for a two-year tour in the Navy during World War II, and transferred to Memphis Air Force Depot in 1949.

At Memphis Cleere was progressively promoted through the ranks to Chief of Requirements and Materiel Control and in 1960 he transferred to Redstone to accept a position as Supply Management Officer for the Army Rocket and Guided Missile Agency.

He was named Assistant Director for Supply Operations in the Supply and Maintenance Directorate in 1963 and became Deputy Director for the NICP the following year.

During his tenure as Deputy Chief the NICP faced a series of challenging problems that had a direct impact on national defense.

His response to the logistical support requirements generated by the Cuban Crisis of 1962 and more recently in Vietnam is credited with contributing greatly to the materiel readiness and the ability of troop units to function properly.

In each instance the Missile Command has been widely rec-



JOE C. CLEERE

ognized by field commanders for its sustained high quality and outstanding reaction.

## Reserve Officers Schedule General As Guest Speaker

The Commanding General of the 75th Maneuver Area Command will be the guest speaker at the Jan. 17 meeting of the Reserve Officers' Association at the Redstone Officers Open Mess.

He is Maj. Gen. Felix A. Davis. His topic will be the Maneuver Area Command.

Reservations for the 6:30 p.m. meeting are being handled by Elmer Hargis, 842-2585; Pete Redding, 536-1376; J. G. Goodwin, 876-9606; R. J. Janasek, 837-4000, ext. 2906 and Martin Phillips, 536-3301.

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portion of his 28-year military career in airborne activities. He holds numerous U.S. and foreign awards and decorations, among them the Master Parachutists' Badge.

Another feature of the January AUSA meeting will be the recognition of local Department of Army civilian employees who have served 30 days or more of volunteer duty in Vietnam.

This is a continuing program of the Tennessee Valley Chapter inaugurated last year. The following civilian employees known to be eligible for the award, and who have not yet received it, are being invited to the meeting as guests of the chapter:

Earl L. Bracey, Richard D. Martin, Bill D. Williams, George M. Burchfield, Edgar V. Boyer, Billy A. Brewer, Melvin R. Webb, Harwood C. Hayles, John Creech, Ben F. Wensinger, Harold Martin, Reginald Parks, and John J. Rega.

If there are others who have served 30 days or more continuous volunteer duty in Vietnam and who have not received the AUSA award, they are requested to telephone their names and addresses to the Missile Command Information Office, 876-1500.

All members of the Tennessee Valley Chapter and their guests are cordially invited to the January meeting. Dress is informal for civilians, greens for military.

Tickets may be obtained from the following:

Brig. Gen. R. B. Spragins (USA Ret.), Walter F. Eigenbrod, William P. Burnett, Charles F. Owens, Col. Donald C. Maliskey, Joe Payne, Karl Woltersdorf, K. W. Slayden, Paul K. Schaeppi, Tom G. Thrasher, Clinton Grace, C. C. Lee, G. S.

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course at the Management Center.

Three S&M employees will stay at Redstone for courses of study at the Missile School. James Brandt is enrolled for the 14-week course on High Power Illuminator Radar, while Joseph Hoover and James Rose are taking a two-week course, Theory and Applications — Chaparral Missile System.

Eugene Beeckler and William Goodman (SENSCOM) are in the Nation's Capital for study at the Naval Materiel Command. The former is taking work in Incentive Contracting while the later is attending the Procurement Executive Refresher course.

Three others are taking courses offered by the Civil Service Commission. Russell Gambill is at Charlottesville, Va., to attend the Federal Executive Institute and Howard Crumrine (S&M) and Vaughn Davidson (MMCS) went to Berkeley, Calif., for Administration of Public Policy.

Syracuse, N.Y., is the destination of Stanley Hawkins and Roy Moorman (MMCS) where they are studying Nike Hercules HIPAR Anti-Jam Improvements at the General Electric facility.

The remaining five Redstone civilians are spending the week in Norman, Okla., for Ethics and Public Responsibility at the University of Oklahoma.

They are Ray Stanley, Thomas Whittle and Jere Ducote (R&D), John Peters (P&P) and Charles Cockrell (SAM-D).

Moshkoff, W. T. Weissinger;

Dr. Frederick S. Schultz, Sgt. Maj. John W. Monger, Sgt. Maj. William P. Ansick, Col. R. J. Bennett, Joe S. Peters, Col. George F. Gregg, Col. J. N. Jean, John Hatch, Harris Mitchell and Lt. Col. S. D. Falkenbury, Jr.

### PERSHING

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rejoin their parent organizations.

Pershing 1-A, mounted on wheeled vehicles, is scheduled eventually to replace the current equipment which operates from tracked carriers. The original system has been in Europe since 1964 where it is presently deployed in a nuclear deterrent role in support of NATO.

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**SCENES AT RECEPTION**—At the traditional New Year's Day military reception, the Commanding General of the Army Missile Command, Maj. Gen. Charles W. Eifler and Mrs. Eifler greet Dr. (Maj.) Richard J. Clement. The Deputy Commanding General for Air Defense, Brig. Gen. George W. McBride and Mrs. McBride receive Chaplain (Maj.) Rene A. Belanger. Also in the receiving line greeting the British Liaison Officer to the Missile Command Lt. Col. C. R. Locke and Mrs. Locke, are Col. and Mrs. C. D. Sterner. The Colonel is the Deputy to the Commanding General for Land Combat Systems. Approximately 500 guests attended the event.

## Double Ring, Double Wedding Is Last In 1968 At Redstone Arsenal Chapel

The last wedding of the year performed in Redstone Arsenal's Post Chapel was a double wed-

ding, double ring ceremony in which two sisters married two military men, Dec. 30.

Maj. R. A. Belanger, Catholic Chaplain, officiated.

The sisters are Patricia Dianne and Nikki Kay Elliott, daughters of Mr. and Mrs. Robert F. Elliott, 2901 Azalea Road, Huntsville.

Patricia's husband is Marine Cpl. Douglas LeRoy Robinson of Cherry Point, N.C., and Helena, Montana. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Richard C. Robinson.

Nikki is the bride of Army SP4 Jimmy Coleman Hughes, son of

son, Brad Andrew, Dec. 24.

SSG and Mrs. Theodor J. Eilts, daughter, Alexandra, Dec. 27, 1968;

SGT and Mrs. Bodo K. Kabierschke, daughter, Yvonne Magrete, Dec. 28, 1968;

PFC and Mrs. Richard E. Miller, son, Todd Edward, Dec. 29, 1968;

PFC and Mrs. Jimmy W. Mathis, daughter, Edith Christain, Jan. 2, 1969.

Mr. and Mrs. James Hughes, Jr. SP4 Hughes, now stationed with the 4th Bn, 62d Artillery, Ft. Bliss, was born at Ft. Campbell, Ky.

Three Elliott brothers participated in the ceremony, two serving as best men and one gave his sister, Nikki, in marriage. Patricia was given away by her father.

The girl's maids of honor were Miss Toni M. Ketman and Miss Gilda Darlene Lyon.

Mrs. Robert G. Ficke, organist, played the wedding processional and recessional.

## Wives Plan Fabrics Show And Coffee

The Officers Wives Club will sponsor a Coffee at the Redstone Arsenal Officers Open Mess Tuesday, Jan. 14, at 10 a.m.

A short program will feature interesting fabrics and a demonstration of uses for them. Wives of officers assigned in the Procurement and Production Directorate will be in charge of the semi-an-

### ENGINEERS TO MEET

John D. Beal, Jr., Chairman of the Ethics and Practices Committee, Northeast Alabama Chapter Professional Engineers, will moderate a panel of four engineers at the chapter dinner meeting tomorrow.

Professional engineer panelists Lewis C. Pattillo, C. E. Hammett, David H. James, and Albert S. Graham will discuss "Ethics and Professional Practices" at Michaels Restaurant, Jolly Inn. All engineers are invited to the open meeting to learn details of the ethics codes and the state registration laws. Forrest Brown, PE, 837-0437 or 876-2753, will take reservations.

## Upcoming Events At Service Club

Two special events are planned at the Service Club this weekend for Enlisted Men at Redstone Arsenal.

A tour of Huntsville on Saturday, January 11, will interest new personnel at the Arsenal. The sightseeing trip will include downtown Huntsville, the Madison County Court House, the observation deck of the City Hall and the City Library. The tour bus will leave the Service Club at 10 o'clock Saturday morning and return at approximately 4:30.

Sunday, Jan. 12, Tani and her Variety Group will present a stage show at the Service Club. Paul's Combo, featuring Ann Stewart, vocalist and a barber shop quartet will be new acts. Other members of the cast will be Linda, the regular Go Go Girl and Tani with her dance of the Isles.

Curtain time is 8 o'clock Sunday night.

## New Arrivals

SP4 and Mrs. Dewey A. Clyburn, son, Thomas Allen, Dec. 19.

Pvt. and Mrs. Robert L. Durham, son, Thomas Robert, Dec. 20.

SSG and Mrs. Leagrant Badgett, twins, daughter, Letitia Dariene, son, Charles Sherman, Dec. 23.

SP5 and Mrs. Alexander E. Michailoff, son, Gregory Neil, Dec. 23.

SFC and Mrs. Alfred W. Doane, daughter, Ave Marie, Dec. 20.

SP4 and Mrs. Clarence W. Jeffreys, son, Mikel Wayne, Dec. 23.

SP5 and Mrs. Donald Ray Luna, daughter, Anna Michelle, Dec. 23.

PFC and Mrs. Auburn Lemon, Jr., son, Auburn III, Dec. 24.

SSG and Mrs. Milton D. Robertson, son, Milton Drew Jr., Dec. 24.

WO1 and Mrs. Clifton A. Ross,

nual Coffee. Mrs. S. C. Holmes is the general chairman.

Reservations deadline is noon Friday and cancellations at noon Monday. Handling reservations will be Mrs. J. R. Daily, 837-3717; Mrs. E. J. Hill, 837-0405; Mrs. Fred Sunderman, 837-5095 and Mrs. S. R. Silnes, 837-6596; cancellations, Mrs. C. J. Tuel, 837-5114.

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# 1968 Brought Number Of Firsts In Missilry

Missiles, research and development and people shared headlines at the Army Missile Command in 1968.

MICOM's little Tow missile was big in the news with a production go-ahead announced December and a starring role for Tow in demonstrations at the U. S. 7th Army Training Center at Grafenwoehr, Germany. In May, Tow missiles carried live warheads in successful test firings at Redstone Arsenal after undergoing grueling environmental tests.

Tank-eating Dragons roamed a Redstone range in July with the first manned firing of the Dragon antitank weapon system, and production began this year on the weapon system.

Pershing continued to make news in March with the first flight tests of Pershing 1-A from Hueco Range, Ft. Bliss, Texas, into a target area on White Sands Missile Range.

A few months later, Pershing missiles were successfully launched from the new ground support equipment at Gilson Butte, Utah, as part of annual service practice tests.

Lance with a modified feed system, met all test objectives at White Sands Missile Range in October, and shoulder-fired Redeye achieved an extremely high reliability rating in final environmental tests at Ft. Greely, Alaska, in temperatures dipping minus 40° F.

A senior citizen of the missile family, the Nike-Hercules air defense system, celebrated the tenth anniversary of its fielding in June.

First troop firings of Shillelagh guided missiles by an operational unit of the U. S. Army were conducted in May at Ft. Riley, Kansas. More than 100 missiles were fired in less than a week as part of a troop training program.

The importance of industry to the Missile Command was emphasized in May when the largest Procurement Fair ever scheduled by the Command was held. Approximately 550 procurement packages valued at \$2 million were examined by visiting contractors.

Missile Command exhibits abounded in 1968. Among them: —Representation in a military exhibit presented by the U. S. Army at the Chicago Museum of Science and Industry in March.

—Permanent exhibits in the new Army Missile Display Area.

—Exhibits in the Association of the U. S. Army display in Washington, D. C.

The Missile Command will also have permanent exhibits in the Alabama Space Science Exhibit Center, to be the most complete missile and space vehicle exhibit center in the country. Ground-breaking ceremonies were held this year for the Center which will be constructed on land deeded to the state by the Army on the north boundary of Redstone Arsenal.

Among organizational changes seen this year at Redstone Arsenal were transfer of the Redstone Army Hospital to operational control of the Continental Army Command in September and establishment of the U. S. Army Sentinel Logistics Command in Huntsville.

Research and development continued at the Missile Command in 1968:

—Production was ordered on Forward Area Alerting Radar (FAAR), a highly mobile radar system to serve as the early warning "eyes" of the Army's Chaparral/Vulcan and Redeye air defense systems in forward battle areas.

—A major breakthrough in solid rocket propulsion technology came with development of a new class of solid propellant additives.

—Tests were concluded and design verified on a new laser gyroscope, called a Laser Angular Rate Sensor.

Initial production tests began during the year on the Chaparral surface-to-surface missile system at Ft. Bliss, Texas, and test sites were selected for initial production tests of the Self-Propelled Hawk Air Defense Missile System.

The first Sergeant launching from a new NATO firing range took place during annual service practice on the island of Crete in

the Mediterranean.

Delivery of the first automatic electric test equipment for in-the-field troubleshooting and repair of Army surface-to-surface missile systems was made by Radio Corporation of America (RCA)—called Land Combat Support System (LSCC).

Conferences of all kinds are a necessity in an organization as large and complex as the Missile Command.

Among those headlined in 1968: The International Logistics Management Conference, held in June at the Missile Command, headed by G. B. Russell, Deputy Assistant Secretary of the Army for Installations and Logistics and Maj. Gen. T. H. Lipscomb, Army Materiel Command.

Top scientific advisors to the president gathered at the Missile Command in March for a two-day conference to discuss Army missiles and future requirements.

Important visitors to the Missile Command during the past year included Alabama's Senator-elect James B. Allen, and Gen. Frank S. Besson, Jr., Commanding General, Army Materiel Command, Washington, D. C.

The success of an organization in reaching its goals depends largely on the quality of its members. Among outstanding employees recognized at the Missile Command in 1968 were:

—Hoyt Harris, Deputy Director, Systems Engineering Division, SAM-D, awarded a 1968 Sloan Fellowship at the Massachusetts Institute of Technology.

—Harry F. Vincent, Project Director of Research and Development Directorate, awarded an Exceptional Civilian Service Award, highest award the Department of the Army can bestow on a civilian employee.

—David Stanbrough, management analyst in the Management Science and Data Systems Office, awarded the Career Education Award for the 1968-1969 academic year in national competition.

—Lewis L. Aycock, Missile Command Finance and Accounting Officer and Howard W. Crumrine, Supply and Maintenance Directorate, each presented the Meritorious Civilian Service Award, the Army's second highest civilian award.

—Horace Lowers, Command Chief Engineer, and Robert O.

Black of the Product Assurance and Test Management Office, each received the Army's Exceptional Civilian Service Awards, and Earl Ray Edmondson, Deputy Shillelagh Project Manager, was awarded the Meritorious Civilian Service Award.

New members of the 1968 Missile Command team are making their mark. New signal-callers include:

—Brig. Gen. George H. McBride, succeeding Brig. Gen. Clarence C. Harvey, Jr., who retired in July, as Deputy Commanding General for Air Defense Systems.

—Lt. Col. Robert J. Proudfoot, named Project Manager of the Shillelagh Project Office, replacing Col. Spencer R. Baen, reassigned to Germany.

—Chaplain (Col.) Allen G. Dillon, who succeeded Chaplain (Lt. Col.) John P. Kirkland as Post Chaplain of the Missile Command.

—William Guidaitis, named acting deputy, Hawk Project Office.

Assuming duties as Commanding Officer and Post Surgeon of the Army Hospital at Redstone Arsenal following its transfer to the Continental Army Command was Col. Ernest M. Bralley, Jr.

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## Rens Show Heels To S&M Rivals

Eleven of the twelve Supply and Maintenance League quintets have their work cut out for them when they return to the Starlite Lanes this week to resume their weekly assault on the maple ten pins.

They will be out to see if something can't be done about cutting the Renegades down to size and give the league a tighter championship race.

The Rens widened their lead to a full nine points just before the holiday break by taking three of four from the Pin Busters while the second place Reba Bowling Apparel five was being blanked by the Chiefs.

Ray Barter just missed his fourth Honor Roll count of the season with a 594 in pacing the leaders to their win. George Foster chipped in with a 567 and Bob Adams chopped down 552 more. Dave Tyler picked up Bowler of the Week honors in the losing cause with a handicapped total of 651.

D. B. Smith shot a 591 and Tom Lindsay shot for 558 but it wasn't enough to stave off the shutout for Reba's when Les Alkenburg set a 576 pace for the Chiefs.

Garland Kinslow shot the lone Honor Roll count of the evening with a 601 as the Baker Realtors took all four from the All-Sports Jesse Partridge tossed in a 554 for the winners while Chet Wysocki topped the Sportsmen with 559.

Walt Young shot a 579 as the Auto Center blanked the Dragons and Fred Washington hit for 543 to get Lily Flag a split with Tad's.

In the final match the Bushwhackers won three from the Cracker Jacks behind the 590 lead of Buck Roberson. The Bushwhacker ace got most of his mileage from a 255 middle game.

## CWF BASKETBALL

### How They Stand

|                   | W | L |
|-------------------|---|---|
| ICO               | 5 | 0 |
| Engineering QA    | 5 | 1 |
| Metrology Lab     | 5 | 1 |
| Msl. Intelligence | 4 | 1 |
| Fin & Acct        | 3 | 1 |
| Data Processing   | 4 | 2 |
| G&C Lab           | 2 | 3 |
| Proc & Prod       | 2 | 3 |
| SAM-D             | 1 | 4 |
| Corps of Engrs    | 1 | 5 |
| Sentinel          | 0 | 5 |
| Sup & Maint       | 0 | 6 |

### Leading Scorers

|                | G | Pts. | Ave. |
|----------------|---|------|------|
| Bogue, ICO     | 5 | 130  | 26.0 |
| Dooley, G&C    | 4 | 115  | 28.7 |
| Rice, Metrol   | 6 | 115  | 19.2 |
| Lee, Metrol    | 6 | 112  | 18.7 |
| Wood, QA       | 6 | 91   | 15.2 |
| Winterburn, QA | 5 | 87   | 17.4 |
| Agee, F&A      | 4 | 80   | 20.0 |
| Fitzgerald, CE | 6 | 76   | 12.7 |
| Lassiter, S&M  | 6 | 76   | 12.7 |
| Franklin, F&A  | 4 | 71   | 17.5 |



**FLAG FOOTBALL RULERS**—D Company captured the 1968 championship of the School Brigade flag football league by winning eleven out of twelve games. The team members are shown at a recent awards ceremony held at the Missile School. They are, front row, left to right; SP5 John Carter, SP5 Ben Harter, SP5 John

Moody, SP5 Elijah Bossie and SP4 Silas Gerald. In the back row are, SP5 Earl Alspach, SP5 Rodney Veech, SSGT Adolpho Salazar (coach), SP4 Harry Umfleet, SP5 Kerry Steeno and SP5 Roger DeVole.

## Resume Schedule—

# Metrology Lab Battles ICO Cagers

The Metrology Lab cagers will be out to tighten the CWF basketball league race when they return to action on Friday evening with a battle against the unbeaten ICO quintet at the Joe Bradley School gym.

The Metrology-ICO duel is the last game on the three-game card. Missile Intelligence goes against Supply and Maintenance in the

opener followed by a clash between the Corps of Engineers and Engineering QA.

The league resumed action last night with a triple header at the Scruggs Street Community Center following a two-week holiday lay-off.

ICO gave little indication of slowing down in their final pre-Christmas test when they demolished S & M under a 95-59 barrage. Procurement and Production eked out a 47-44 win over the Corps of Engineers and Missile

Intelligence out-scraped Data Processing for a 55-48 decision.

All five ICO starters scored in double figures as the league leaders raced to a 59-32 half time lead and then coasted home.

Greg Bogue took over the individual scoring lead with a 32-point outburst and Jim Bunnell shot for 16 more. Jerry Mullinax collected 15, Dennis Vaughn got 14 and Bob Hubbard fired 11. Bob Lassiter topped S & M with 20 and Dave Thornberry got 17 more.

P & P battled the Engineers on

almost even terms during the first half with neither team being able to hit with any degree of consistency. The winners took a 19-17 lead into the intermission with a last second goal.

Jerry Williams led the balanced P & P attack with 10 points while Bill Fitzgerald was collecting 18 in the losing cause.

MID got off to a fast start in their bout with Data Processing and led 29-14 half way through. The Processors started hitting in the final period but by that time it was too late.

Don Powell led the MID scoring with 17 and Bob Bradburn collected 10. Vic Arnold topped DPO with 14 and Al Maddox got 12 more.

## UNIT LEVEL BASKETBALL

### American League

|                 | W | L |
|-----------------|---|---|
| 9th ETC         | 3 | 0 |
| Missile Command | 2 | 0 |
| 2nd ETC         | 3 | 1 |
| 1st-4th ETC     | 2 | 1 |
| HHC/SOC         | 2 | 2 |
| 6th ETC         | 2 | 2 |
| 200th Ordnance  | 1 | 3 |
| A Company       | 1 | 4 |
| C Company       | 0 | 4 |

### National League

|                  |   |   |
|------------------|---|---|
| 291st MP Company | 3 | 0 |
| D Company        | 2 | 0 |
| 5th-7th ETC      | 2 | 1 |
| 249th Ordnance   | 2 | 2 |
| 8th ETC          | 1 | 2 |
| Marines          | 1 | 2 |
| B Company        | 1 | 3 |
| 522nd Ordnance   | 0 | 1 |
| 3rd ETC          | 0 | 1 |

### This Week's Schedule

**Tonite**  
6:00—Marines vs. B Co.  
7:00—C Co. vs. 9th ETC  
8:00—3rd ETC vs. 522nd Ord.

**Thursday**  
6:00—522nd Ord. vs. 8th ETC  
7:00—HHC/SOC vs. 6th ETC

**Friday**  
6:00—MPs vs. D Co.  
7:00—MICOM vs. 2nd ETC  
8:00—3rd ETC vs. 8th ETC

**Monday, Jan. 13**  
6:00—5th-7th ETC vs. D Co.  
7:00—9th ETC vs. 1st-4th ETC

**Tuesday, Jan. 14**  
6:00—Marines vs. 3rd ETC  
7:00—A Co. vs. 6th ETC

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**POSTHUMOUS AWARD**—Maj. Gen. Charles W. Eifer, Commanding General of the U.S. Army Missile Command, presents Mr. and Mrs. Edwin R. Lewter of Harvest, Ala., the Silver Star awarded posthumously to their son, Sp/4 Stanley R. Lewter. At right is their daughter Catherine. Sp/4 Lewter was cited for "... gallantry in action against an enemy force in Vietnam." Among other medals he won are the Air Medal, Purple Heart, Good Conduct Medal, Vietnamese Service Medal, National Defense Service Medal and Vietnamese Campaign Ribbon.

**Marty Allen Helps Wounded Serviceman**



Photo by Ted Deffeyes, 4th U.S. Army Photo Facility, Fort Sam Houston, Tex.

This is a typical scene from Marty Allen's entertainment tour of military hospitals in 1968. Here he chats with servicemen at Brooke General Hospital, San Antonio, Texas.

Comedian (Hello Dere!) Marty Allen will give a post-holiday boost to wounded GIs in January. He will repeat his successful "Operation Hello Dere" entertainment tour of American military hospitals across the country. Allen's wit is magic in the hospital wards. One look at his fuzzy hairstyle and the men start laughing.

New this year is a program to distribute gifts to the wounded servicemen in Military Hospitals throughout the United States. "Give a Wounded Serviceman a Lift with a Gift" is Marty's supermarket and grocery store campaign. The stores are providing space for collection bins during December. Anyone who wants to cheer a serviceman with a book or record (that's what the men would like to have most) may deposit them in the gift bins at independent grocery and chain stores.

Leo S. Singer, president of the Miracle White Company in Chicago, is this year's tour director and chairman. The company will underwrite the expenses for the military hospital tour and will also give a free quart bottle of Miracle White Super Cleaner to those who slip a self-addressed stamped envelope in their gift bundle.

Marty, a World War II Air Force veteran, says he knows from experience what entertainment means to troops away from home. "Laughter in a hospital ward can often do more than wonder drugs!" he says.

His "Give a Lift with a Gift" campaign is an off-shoot of his nightclub acts, where he always asks his audience to send books or records to American servicemen in hospitals.

Books, records, playing cards, stationery and games are all great gifts for men recuperating in military hospitals, says Marty.

**Land Combat Support Systems Award \$6.1 Million Contract For Equipment**

The U.S. Army Missile Command has awarded a \$6,127,000 contract to RCA for automatic test equipment that provides rapid detection of malfunctions for specified components of designated Land Combat tactical missile systems under field combat conditions.

The contract calls for seven Land Combat Support Systems (LCSS) to serve in the field to support the guidance and control elements of the Shillelagh and TOW weapons. The Army also plans to extend LCSS to other surface-to-surface missiles such as Dragon and Lance.

The LCSS units will be delivered to the U.S. Army Missile Command by RCA's Aerospace Systems Division, Burlington, Mass., over the next 16 months. Lt. Col. Frank A. Matthews is LCSS Product Manager for the Missile Command.

The automatic test system consists of two shelters, each transportable by standard Army truck, ship or aircraft, plus a trailer mounted power generator. This enables it to be positioned in the field near the weapons it serves, regardless of location.

LCSS can pinpoint a problem in a complex electronic or electro-optical component in an average of

35 minutes as contrasted to several hours when manual checkout means are used. One shelter contains the test equipment and the second provides additional repair and storage space.

To test a component, the operator connects it to LCSS, selects the proper program, which is stored on tape, and activates the system. Fault isolation to the replaceable part level proceeds automatically and malfunctions are identified by a printed message such as "Transistor Q-2 Faulty-Replace."

In evaluations to date, the system has proven itself able to detect and pinpoint malfunctions to the replaceable part level with better than 95 per cent accuracy.

LCSS's use of computer type techniques increases both speed and reliability in testing over manual methods and reduces the amount of training required for personnel who conduct the checkouts, Mr. McAllister said. Effectiveness of the weapons systems LCSS supports is thus enhanced and economy results since equipment that otherwise might have to be discarded in the field can be returned to full operational status with minimum delay, he added.

In addition to field use, LCSS is suited to depot operations for supporting complete overhaul and refurbishment of missile systems.

LCSS also can test itself to isolate its own malfunctions, minimizing maintenance required for it and increasing its availability to support missile equipment.

When completed, the new contract will bring to 29 the number of LCSS units produced for the Army by RCA. Seven earlier mod-

els were research and development versions, while later sets already are in use in the United States for field support of the Shillelagh tactical missile system. Deployment of LCSS outside the United States is expected soon.

LCSS is the outgrowth of more than a decade of joint Army-RCA research which has demonstrated the feasibility of automatic testing and the desirability of using a single test set to support several types of weapons systems.

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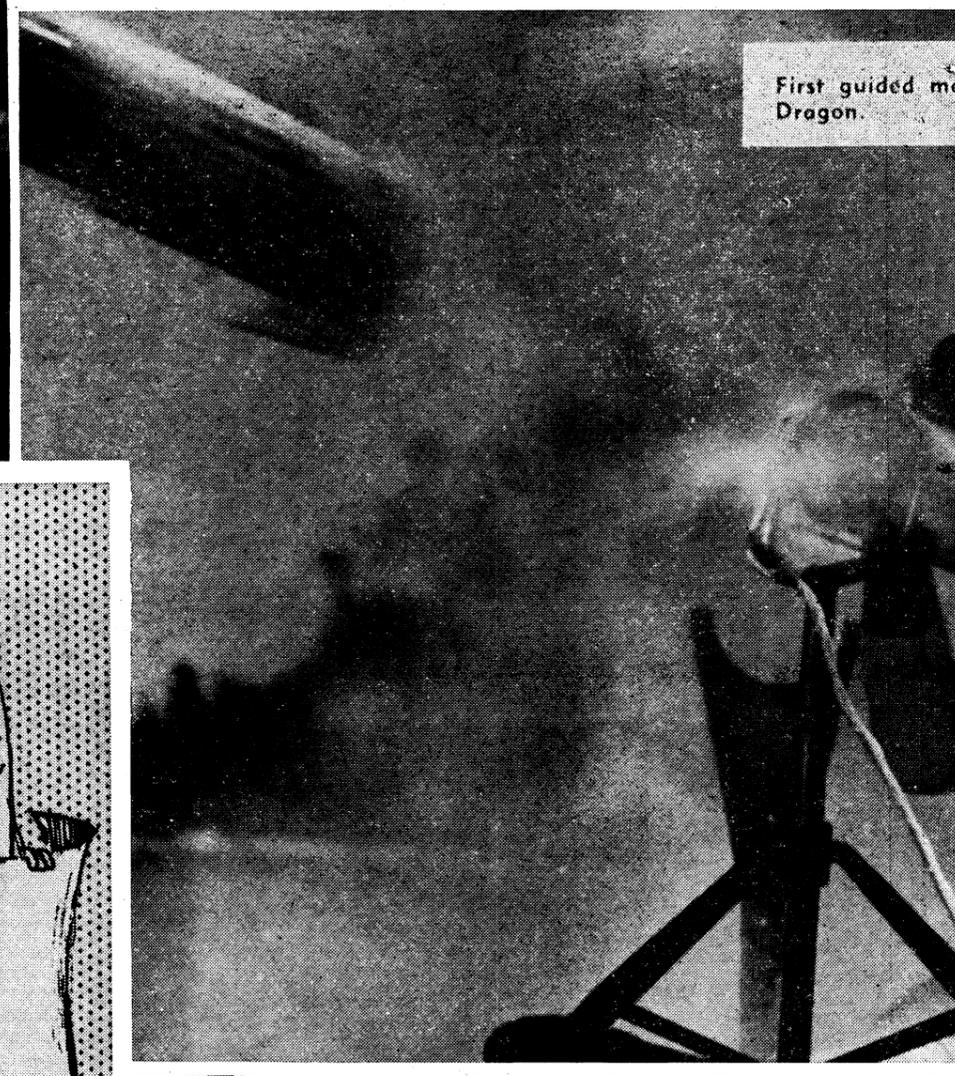
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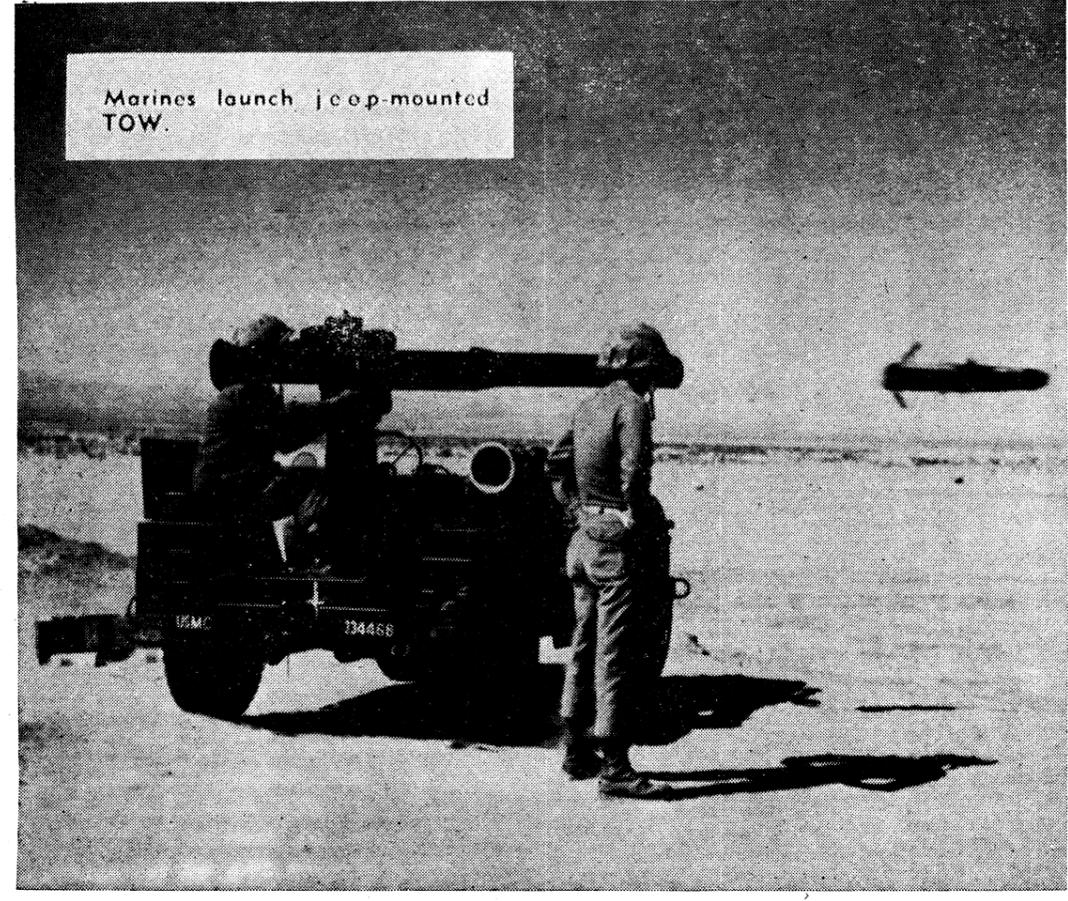
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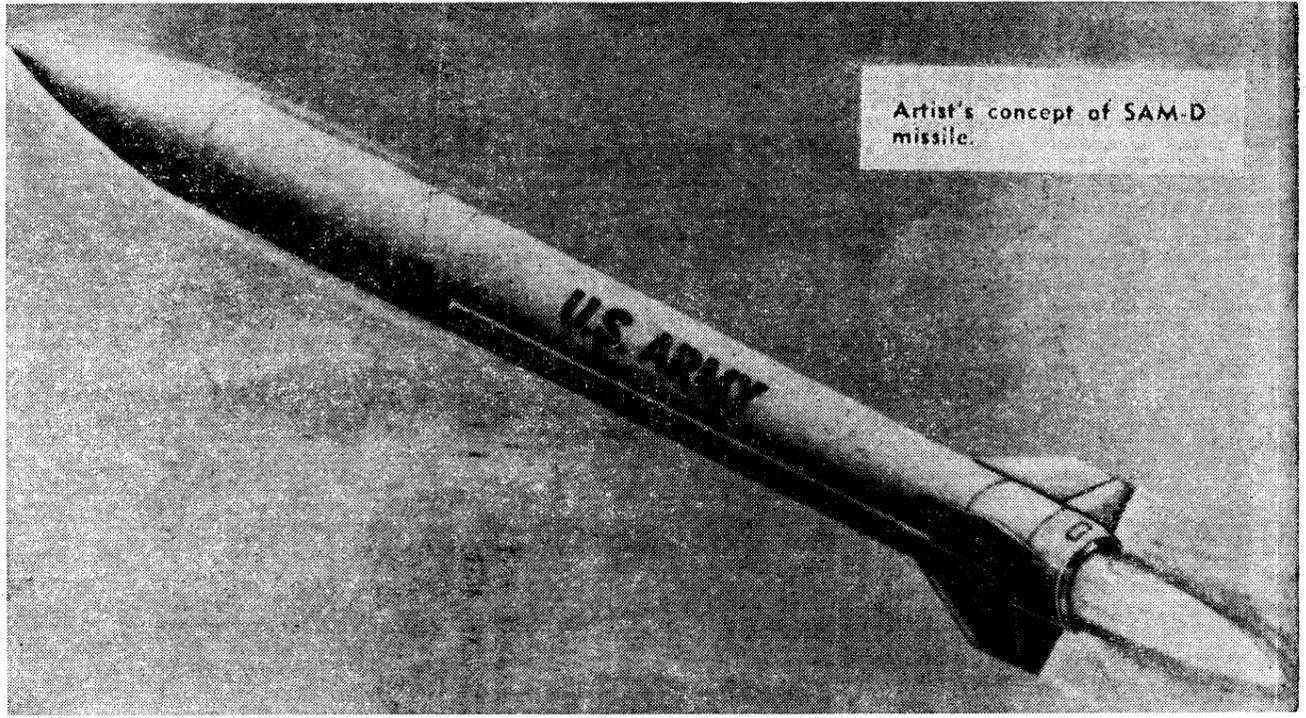


Sergeant launches Mediterranean



Marines launch jeep-mounted TOW.

# Pictorial Highlights Of 1968 At Redstone Arsenal



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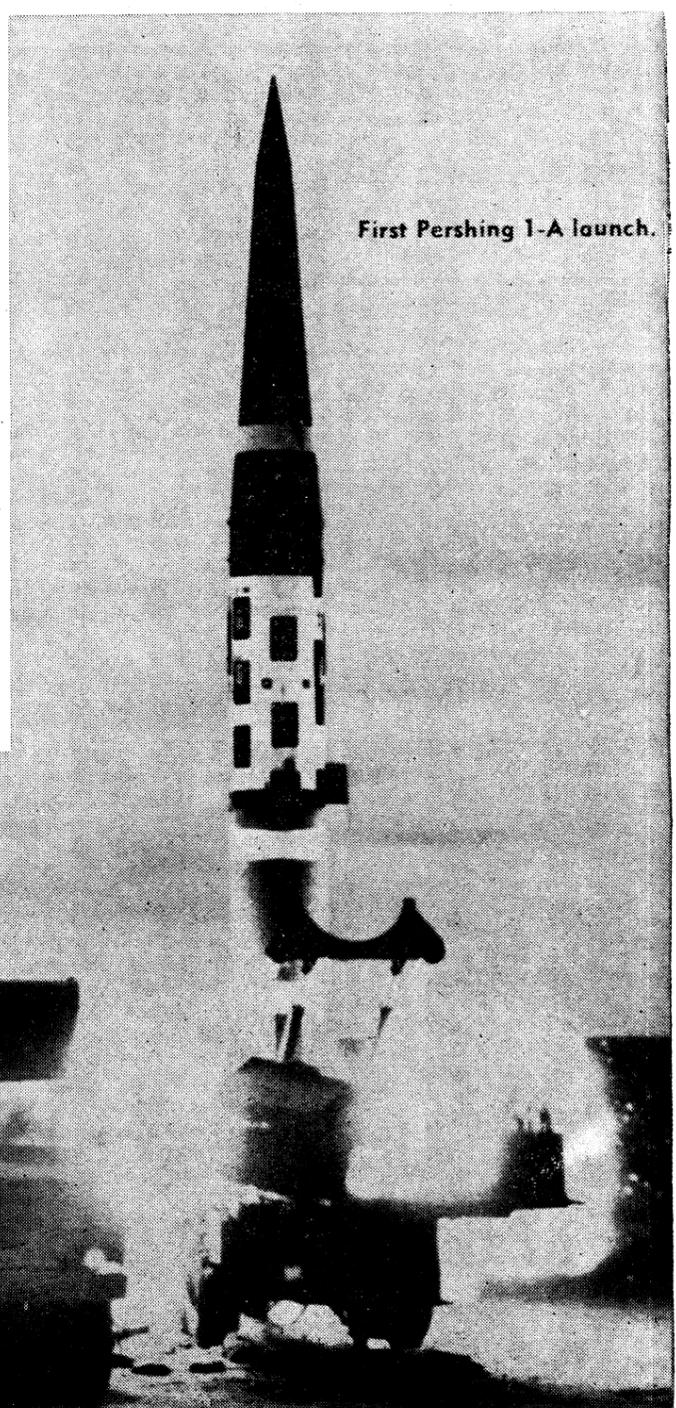
Sentinel Logistics Command activated in Huntsville.



Nike-Hercules observes tenth anniversary of deployment.



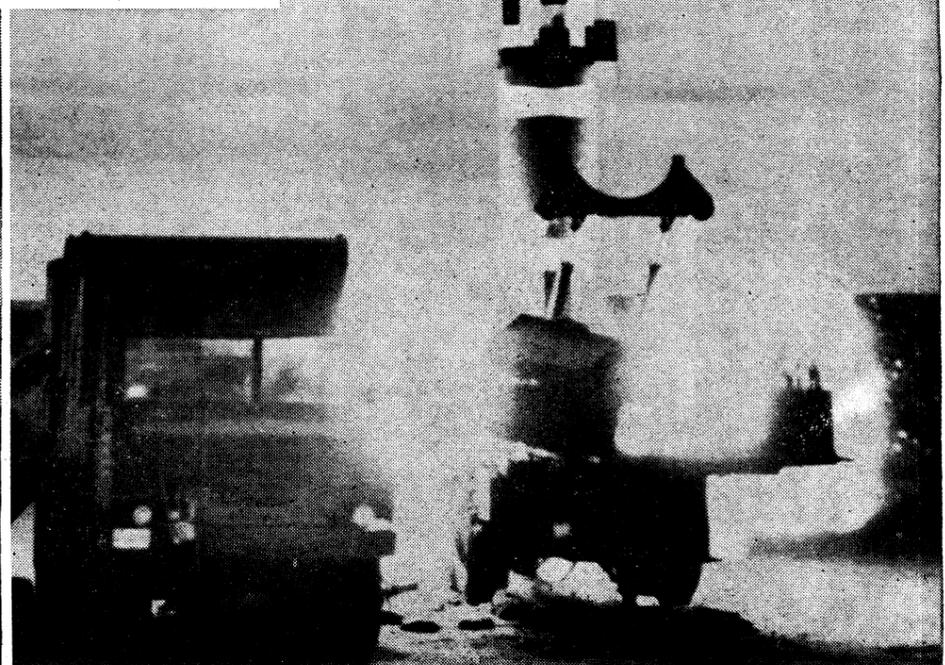
Lt. Gen. Alfred D. Starbird visits Sentinel Systems Command.



First Pershing 1-A launch.



Nike-X Development Office established.





CARTOONS OF HIGHLIGHTS of his service with the Huntsville Division of the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers amuse Colonel George A. Rebh (right) his wife and Brigadier General R. P. Young at farewell coffee for the Rebh's in the division offices. Colonel Rebh, first deputy division engineer of the Huntsville Division, left Friday (20 December) for service in Vietnam.

## Col. Rebh Receives New Assignment

Col. George A. Rebh, Deputy Division Engineer of the Huntsville Division, US Army Corps of Engineers, left the division Friday for service in Vietnam.

Col. Rebh was one of the first people assigned to the Huntsville Division when it was established in October, 1967, to manage design and construction of facilities for the Sentinel Ballistic Missile Defense System.

In his new assignment he will be deputy commander of the 18th Engineer Brigade. He will report to Vietnam in mid-January.

Col. Rebh is a graduate of the

United States Military Academy, and served in World War II as an engineer unit commander in Europe. After the war he was selected to attend Oxford University in England as a Rhodes Scholar. At Oxford he earned bachelors and masters degrees in politics, philosophy and economics.

In subsequent assignments he has served with the Manhattan Engineer District, which developed the atomic bomb, as an associate professor at West Point, and in command and staff assignments in the United States, the Far East, and Europe. He joined the Huntsville Division from Tulsa, Okla., where he was District Engineer of the U.S. Army Engineer District, Tulsa.

He is a graduate of the US Army Command and General Staff College and the Industrial College of the Armed Forces.

## AMC Scientist Wins Top Medal For Night Device

An Army Materiel Command scientist has won the Army's highest medal for civilian employees and a \$5,000 award for his leading role in developing a group of revolutionary new night vision devices which turn darkness into daylight for U. S. Armed Forces.

The honors for "Exceptional Civilian Service" were bestowed upon 44-year-old Dr. Robert Swern Wiseman of Ft. Monmouth, N. J., by Army Vice Chief of Staff General Bruce Palmer during a ceremony in the Pentagon Thursday, December 19.

The new night vision devices, which make it easier to detect enemy forces moving under cover of darkness, have been used by U. S. troops in Vietnam for more than a year and are considered a major factor in our military effectiveness there.

The night vision devices, which somewhat resemble regular telescopes, range from hand-held scopes to larger sights for crew-served weapons. Fundamentally different from other kinds of surveillance equipment, including radar and infrared, they amplify some 40,000 times moonlight, star shine, and even faint skyglow.

The night vision program was carried out in the Army Elec-

## Theater Schedules

WEDNESDAY, Jan. 8 — "Who's Minding the Mint?"(M)

THURSDAY-FRIDAY, Jan. 9-10 —

tronics Command's Combat Surveillance, Night Vision and Target Acquisition Laboratories at Ft. Monmouth, under the direction of Dr. Wiseman. He has subsequently been serving as Deputy for Laboratories of AMC's Electronics Command, which has seven research and development activities.

"Yours, Mine and Ours"(G)

SATURDAY, Jan. 11 — "The Devil's Bride"(G)

SUNDAY-MONDAY, Jan. 12-13 — "Buona Sera, Mrs. Campbell"(M)

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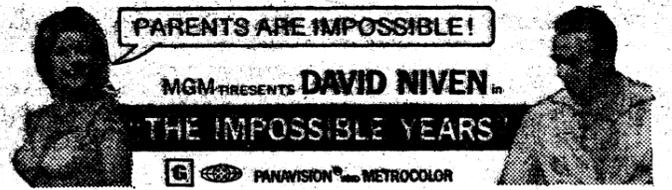
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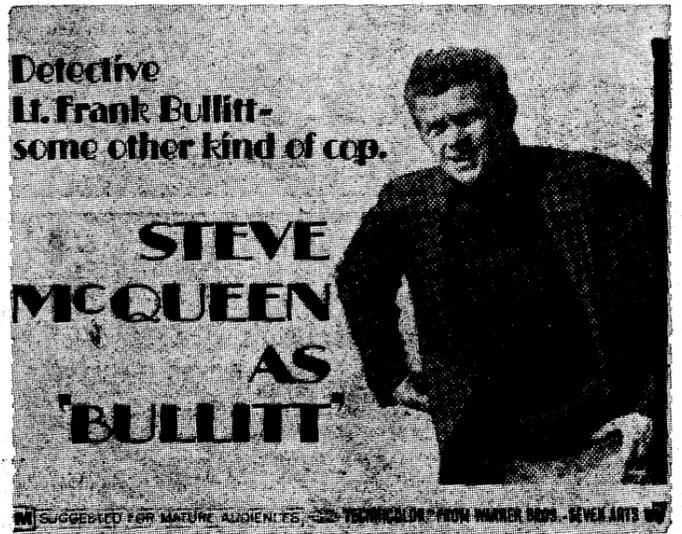
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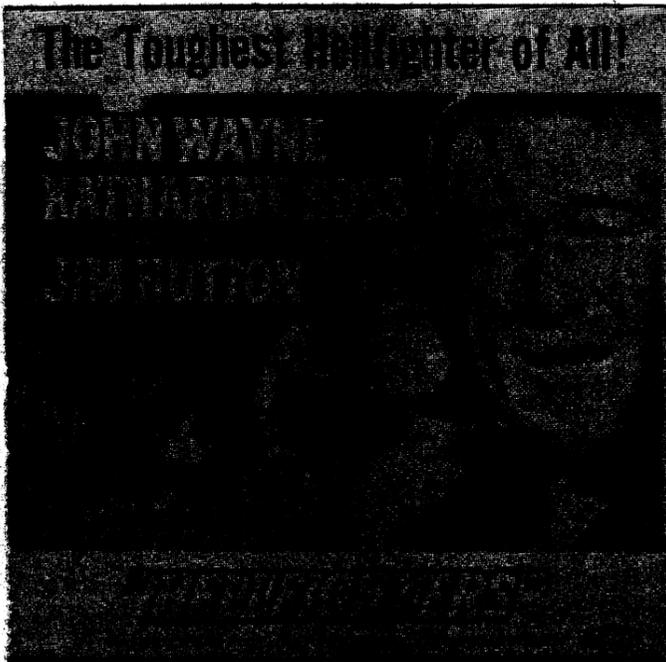
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**STRANGE BIRD**—Col. Warden R. Kimmins displays the Bald Eagle replica presented during the year-end promotion to his present rank. Mrs. Kimmins stands back admiringly.

## Eagle Finds New Roost During Promotion Rite

Col. Warden R. Kimmins' best present this Christmas was a blue and white latex bald eagle with paper wings. The present came from Col. Paul B. Schuppener, Commandant of the Army Missile and Munitions Center and School, and signified Col. Kimmins' promotion from Lt. Col. to his present rank which has the insignia of silver eagles. Col. Kimmins has been inspector general of MMCS since the office was created in August this year.

His office serves as a clearing house for complaints by soldiers and civilians at the center and school.

Col. Kimmins has 25 years of service with a varied background in the Ordnance Corps including assignments in Germany twice and Korea. He graduated in 1940 from Linsly Institute of Technology in his hometown of Wheeling, W. Va. with a degree in electrical engineering.

His wife, Rita, and all eight Kimmins children, whose ages range from 24 to 7, were at the promotion ceremony.

## Management Course To Be Held On A&M Campus Soon

A special training program for managers, the first of its kind in the South, will be held on the campus of Alabama A&M College Jan. 26-31.

Called the Penn State Management Development Program, the five-day study program has been developed in the past several years by the College of Business Administration of Pennsylvania State University.

Three visiting professors will conduct the program: Dr. Earl Strong, Penn State University, program director; Dr. Edmond H. Curcuro, University of Connecticut; and Dr. John F. Mee, Indiana University.

Ben T. Davis, director of Alabama A&M College's career advisory and placement service, will be assistant program director.

Dr. Wernher von Braun, director of the NASA-Marshall Space Flight Center, calls the program "a unique opportunity for Huntsville industries to help their managers learn more of the new concepts and innovations developed for sound space age management."

Maj. Gen. Charles W. Eifler, commanding general of the Army Missile Command at Redstone Arsenal, says "this is the type of program that benefits both the man who participates and the organization for which he works. It's a double dividend that cannot be praised too highly."

The Management Development Program will provide intensive

study in several management subjects. Lectures, demonstrations, examples, case presentations, problem solving sessions, and discussions will be used in the program.

Dr. Strong's special subject will be management philosophy; Dr. Curcuro will devote two lectures to management processes; and Dr. Mee will concentrate on management policy and on factors in good organization.

Huntsville industries and businesses are invited to make application for employees in middle and top management who are responsible for determining company policies and who have advancement abilities. Attendance will be limited to 40 enrollees.

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**PINNED FOR VIETNAM SERVICE**—Douglas W. Holt, Civilian Personnel Staff, (left) and Harry D. Kirby, Logistics Staff, talk with Col. J. N. Jean, Director, Arsenal Support Operations, about the award of a silver pin the men earned for six months service in Vietnam.



**VIETNAM RETURNEES**—Three members of the Civilian Personnel Office staff and a member of the Safety Office in the Directorate of Arsenal Support Operations were awarded gold pins and medals for serving one year or more in Vietnam. Standing (left to right) are: Thomas P. Browne, Safety; Edgar V. Boyer, and Robert L. Hall. Seated is Earl L. Bracey. Gold pins are awarded for nine months of service and the medal is added for a full year. Col. J. N. Jean made the presentations.

**COMMENDATION MEDALS**  
Six men at the U.S. Army Missile Command were presented Army Commendation Medals in December.

Maj. Gregory T. Ogden and SP4 Douglas A. Wise received the basic medals and Capt. David R. Shafir earned an Oak Leaf Cluster on his medal.

CW James E. Jacobs and SSG Edward D. Jordan were presented basic medals and Lt. Col. Pedro Cordero-Lopez earned a second Oak Leaf Cluster.

## FUNERAL SERVICE AT POST CHAPEL FOR SFC McNEIL

A funeral for Sfc. John J. McNeil, 33, who was operations sergeant for the 522nd Ordnance Company of the Army Missile and Munitions Center and School, was held Friday in the Post Chapel, with Maj. Rene A. Belanger officiating.

Burial was to be in Arlington National Cemetery.

Sfc. McNeil, who died Dec. 30 after a short illness, was a native of Massachusetts and a resident of Triple A Trailer Ranch, Madison, Ala. A veteran of Korea and Vietnam, he was awarded the Joint Services Commendation Medal for his service in Vietnam.

Survivors are his widow, Fusako; two daughters, Jean and Helen; and a brother, Bernard J. McNeil of New York City.

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**COST REDUCTION FLAG**—Maj. Gen. Charles W. Eifler (left) accepts a cost reduction flag from Gen. Frank S. Besson, Jr., Commanding General of the U.S. Army Materiel Command in recent ceremonies at Aberdeen Proving Ground. The flag, one of 30 presented to installations that helped the Materiel Command save \$250 million in fiscal year 1968, was presented at ceremonies at Aberdeen Proving Ground during a two-day forum on Cost Reduction and Management Improvement. More than 150 individual awards were made for ingenuity which was instrumental in reducing costs.

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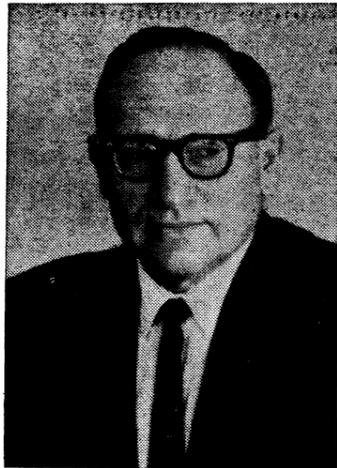
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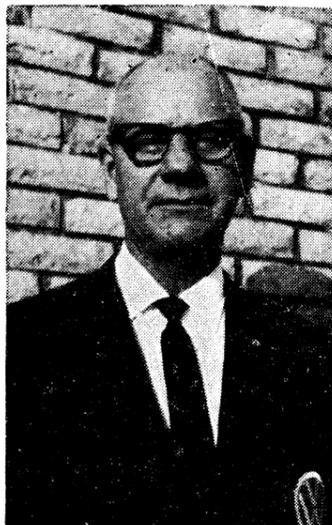
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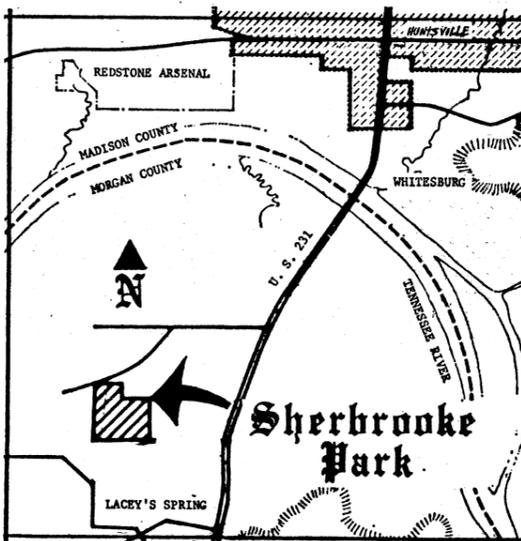
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**FIRST RE-UP**—As the clock registers the new year at one past midnight Jan. 1, Sfc. Haskell Hunt (right) became the first soldier known in the U.S. Army to reenlist in 1969. Administering the oath is Col. Paul B. Schuppener (center), while career counsellor Staff Sgt. James Hutton witnesses.

## SFC Hunt Strives To Be First On 1969 Re-Up List

There are a lot of ways to bring in the new year and Sfc Haskell E. Hunt of nearby Arab chose to swear it in.

In doing so, he became the first soldier reported in the U. S. Army to reenlist in 1969. At precisely one minute past midnight on Jan. 1, Sgt. Hunt took the oath from Col. Paul B. Schuppener, com-

mandant of the Army Missile and Munitions Center and School (MMCS) here where Hunt has been assigned the past two years.

As his family and MMCS career counsellor Staff Sgt. James R. Hutton witnessed, the 23-year veteran accepted his fourth term of service dating from a 1942 World War II beginning. Sgt. Hunt looks

back on six years in Germany during two separate stays and a tour in Korea.

He departs for Long Binh, Vietnam, later this month to serve with the 68th Medical Group as a mess steward, the same duty he has held in all five dining halls at MMCS.

During his Army career Sgt. Hunt has earned the Expert Infantryman's Badge, Good Conduct Medal (4th award), National Defense Service Medal with oak leaf cluster, WWII victory medal, and occupation ribbons for Europe and the Far East.

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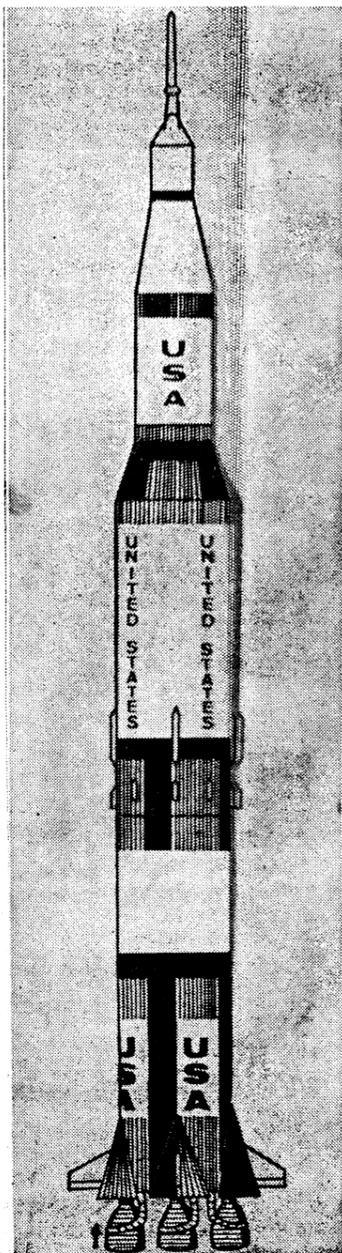
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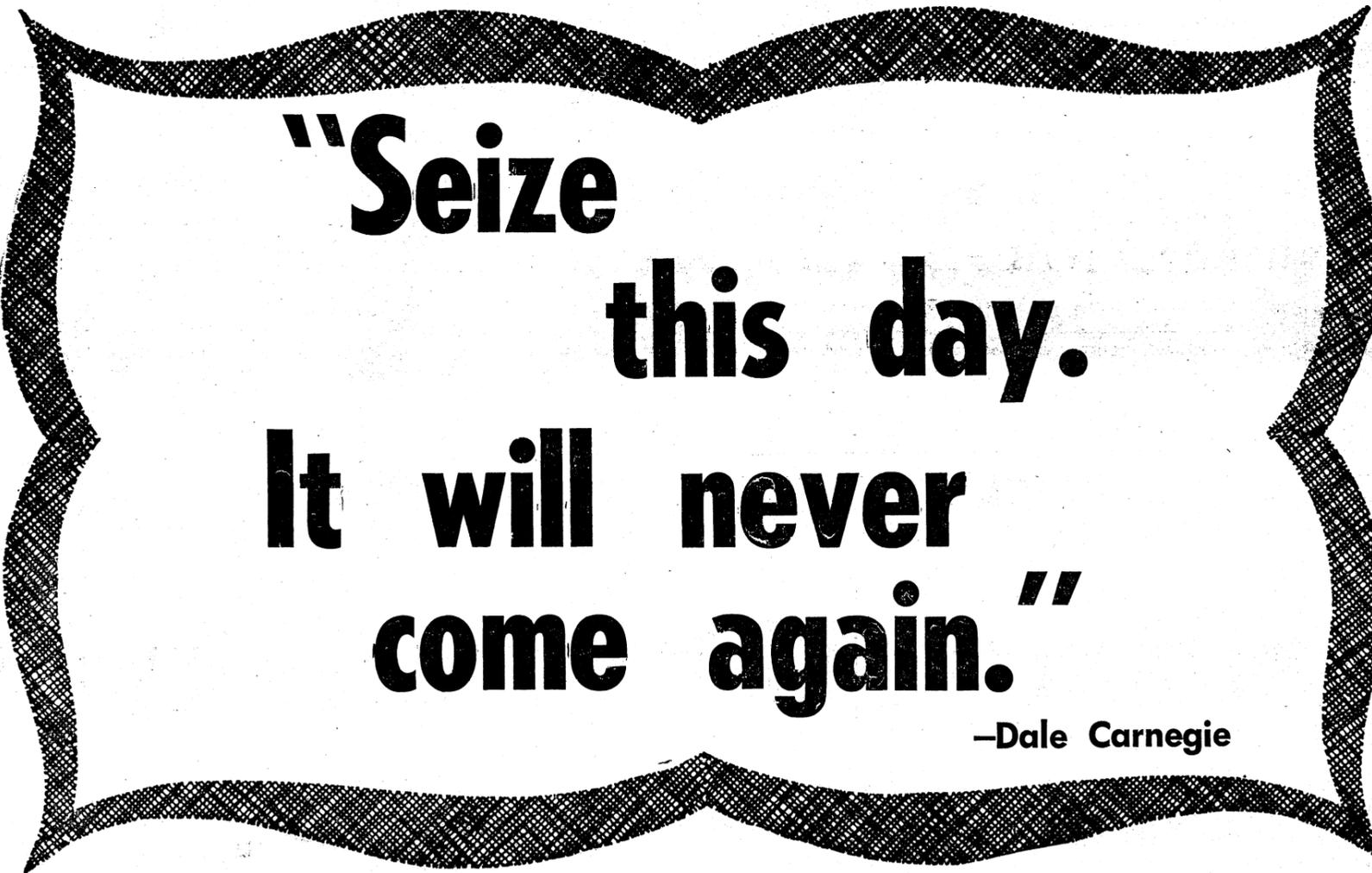
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