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DISCUSS ARMED FORCES DAY PLANS—Gene Morgan, second from left, chairman of Huntsville's Armed Forces Day, talks over plans for the observance with Mayor Joe Davis, left, Madison County Commissioner's Court, Chairman James Record, right, and Maj. F. T. Morano of Redstone Arsenal. In addition to having Governor Albert P. Brewer here for the annual parade Open House will be held at the Army Missile Display Area on Redstone Arsenal Saturday afternoon.

Gov. Brewer Schedules Armed Forces Day Here

Gov. Albert P. Brewer will be an honored guest as the community observes its traditional Armed Forces Day with ceremonies on Saturday, May 17.

The Governor and his party have planned their arrival to make it possible for him to participate in the annual Armed Forces Day parade in downtown Huntsville which is scheduled to begin at 9 a.m.

He will join local civilian and military officials in reviewing the parade from a stand on the Court House Square.

This year's parade, the first since 1967, will include several newer Army missiles not previously shown to the public locally. A large contingent of troops from Redstone Arsenal, many local bands and other community units are planned.

Gov. Brewer will leave Huntsville shortly after the parade in order to keep other Armed Forces Day commitments elsewhere in the state.

A dual feature of the local Armed Forces Day activities will be an open house Saturday afternoon at the U.S. Army Missile Display area on Redstone Arsenal near the intersection of Bob Wallace Avenue and Patton Rd. The program will include band concerts; missile demonstrations; a special exhibition by the 20th Special Forces, a unit of the Alabama National Guard; and a display of enemy weapons captured in Vietnam.

Physicists Will Present Papers In Washington

Two Army Missile Command research physicists will attend a meeting of the American Physical Society next week to present papers on their work.

Dr. Thomas G. Roberts and Dr. Howard J. Foster, both of the Physical Sciences Laboratory of the Command's Research and Engineering Directorate, will attend the four day meeting in Washington starting April 28.

Dr. Roberts is performing theoretical and experimental research on the interaction between high current relativistic electron streams and ionized mediums.

Dr. Foster is performing magnetic resonance studies utilizing the phenomena of nuclear magnetic, quadruple and electron spin resonances as probes for the study of material characteristics as well as the resonance phenomena.

McMorrow Laboratories To Receive New Wing

Bids will be received on May 22 at the U. S. Army Corps of Engineers district office in Mobile for construction of a large addition to the Army Missile Command's Francis J. McMorrow Laboratories, a complex of laboratories and offices which houses most of the Command's Research and Engineering Directorate.

Surplus Sale Set May 6

A spot bid sale on surplus Federally owned property will be held at Redstone Arsenal on May 6.

Included in the sale will be bunks, mattresses, cars, lockers, metal containers which are ideal for watering troughs, bicycles and other items. The sale is open to anyone and inspection of the items is possible from 8 a.m. until 3:30 p.m. weekdays only from April 30 to the day of the sale.

The sale will be held in Building 7407 starting at 9 a.m. It will be conducted by the Property Disposal Division of the Army Missile Command Arsenal Support Directorate for the Atlanta Defense Surplus Sales Office.

Nike Hercules Modification Kits Cost \$2.5 Million

The Army Missile Command has awarded \$2.5 million to the Western Electric Company of New York City to produce improved modification kits for the Army's Nike Hercules air defense guided missile system.

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

Now deployed around key areas in both 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, under Col. Morris W. Pettit, Project Manager.

The contract was negotiated by the Command's Procurement and Production Directorate.

The new wing is to be built on east of the high bay area of the existing building. Also included in the plans is a new parking lot across Jungerman Road from the addition.

Plans call for completion of construction by early 1971.

The addition will serve as an advanced concepts development facility, where entire missile systems will be proven out through the use of mathematical models and hybrid computers without the necessity of building prototypes.

The new facility will be a concrete, steel and masonry structure with masonry and protected steel siding. It will be three stories high and will contain more than 75,000 square feet of floor space. Special features will include raised floor systems and an hydraulic elevator.

The contract has been set aside for award to a small business concern in the interest of assuring such firms a fair share of Government business.

THIOKOL GETS TOW CONTRACT

John H. Goodloe, General Manager, Thiokol Chemical Corporation-Huntsville Division, recently announced receipt of a contract in excess of \$250,000 from Chrysler Corporation-Huntsville Space Operations for work on the TOW missile.

The two-phase contract covers (1), flight motor assembly and testing and (2), missile assembly and delivery of the TOW missile. Work will be done at Thiokol's Huntsville Division.

Chrysler Corporation-Huntsville Space Operations is an alternate producer for the TOW Missile System under contract to the U.S. Army Missile Command, Lt. Col. R. W. Huntzinger, Project Manager.

Black Selected To Study Under Sloan Fellowship

For the fifth consecutive year an Army Missile Command employee has been awarded an Alfred P. Sloan Fellowship for a year of graduate study at the Massachusetts Institute of Technology.

Robert O. Black, Chief of the Systems Performance Analysis Division of the Product Assurance and Test Management Office, is the only Department of Army civilian named for the coveted award in this year's class. He will leave Redstone in June.

In being selected by MIT from a group of exceptionally able executives of government agencies and private industry in this country and several foreign nations, Black follows the lead set by William V. Gudaitis in the 1965-66

class.

William A. Davis was a member of the next class and he was followed in successive years by Edward B. Dobbins and Hoyt Harris, who is completing his Fellowship this spring.

The Sloan Fellowship provides for a year's study at MIT, leading to a Master of Science degree in Management. The program consists of special courses with senior members of the MIT faculty, supplemented by a program of field visits and management seminars in which the Sloan Fellows have an opportunity to meet outstanding leaders in business and government, here and abroad.

A finalist in the 1968 balloting (See FELLOWSHIP on Page 3)



WELCOME TO THE GROUP—William Gudaitis, deputy to the Hawk Project Manager at the Army Missile Command, is first in line to congratulate William O. Black, following the latter's selection as a Sloan Fellow for a year of graduate study at Massachusetts Institute of Technology. Two more former winners of the coveted scholarship await their turn to add their best wishes. They are William A. Davis, (left) a former Missile Command employee who is now with the Nike-X Development Office, and Edward Dobbins, of the Research and Engineering Directorate. Hoyt Harris of the SAM-D Project Office is completing work at MIT under a Fellowship awarded him last year.

The Redstone Rocket

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Rocket Ruminations

The loss of honest and industrious men's lives cannot be valued at any price.
—William Bradford

Opportunity Knocks

Due to an initial shortage of policemen and the ever increasing growth, in size and population, of our major cities there is still a critical need for law enforcement personnel throughout the country.

In an effort to help relieve this shortage the Department of Defense has instituted a continuing program of assisting civilian police agencies in bringing their forces up to strength. Under it, servicemen who receive a firm employment or training offer from a legally constituted City, County, State, or Federal Government law enforcement agency can be released up to 90 days earlier than their scheduled separation dates.

Under this program officials of police agencies may interview and examine prospective candidates at military installations, but servicemen also are encouraged to make direct arrangements with any qualified police agency of their choice.

The program is open only to those assigned in the continental United States. However, anyone who is assigned overseas and is interested in becoming a police officer can contact any police agency for employment details but he cannot apply for early release until he has completed his obligated overseas tour.

If you are interested in serving on a particular force such as the one in your hometown, you should write to the police agency where you are seeking employment, requesting additional information. Those interested in working for a Federal law enforcement agency should contact their educational officer for additional information.

If you apply for employment as a police officer you can expect to be asked to complete a detailed application form, take a written examination, undergo a physical examination, and participate in a personal interview with police officials.

Your service will assist in this processing by providing physical examination and written test facilities.

Once you have received a firm offer of employment or notice of training, you should contact your personnel officer who will assist you in applying for early separation. However, you cannot apply earlier than 180 days before your scheduled date of separation.

Remember, you must make application for early release. And in order to do so you must have a firm offer of employment from an authorized police agency. Above all, make sure that you have been counseled concerning fraudulent separation, for a mistake now could follow you the rest of your life. (AFPS)



SYMPOSIUM AT REDSTONE—Discussing a fabrication process during a recent symposium at the Army Missile Command are representatives of the Battelle Memorial Institute of Columbus, Ohio, and the Missile Command. From left are Paul J. Gribshover and A. M. Sabroff of the Battelle Institute and Will Lewis and D. I. Graham of the Command's Structure and Mechanics Laboratory. At the symposium on Materials and Fabrication Processes, Battelle personnel discussed the state of the art of fabrication processes applicable to missile systems and their components.

On Armed Forces Day let us remember our gallant soldiers. General W. C. Westmoreland, Army chief of staff, has said, "In more than a hundred faraway lands, they are showing purpose and dedication in defending American ideals. They are performing in the

best traditions of America under circumstances both difficult and complex. They are exhibiting compassion, good will and understanding. Our soldiers are fighters with stamina, resourcefulness and courage."

ZERO DEFECTS CORNER



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Pledging continued support and personal dedication to the objectives of the Zero Defects program, Maj. Gen. Charles W. Eifler presented Excellence in Performance awards to seven Missile Command employees at the semi-annual awards ceremony last Friday.

The Commanding General of the Army Missile Command commented briefly on the high standard of performance maintained by each of the employees, relating each to the overall mission of the Command. He congratulated them for their past record and called on them to encourage increased application of the aims of the program throughout their own work areas.

The Directorate of Support Operations provided three of the EIP winners with two more being employees of the Supply and Maintenance Directorate. The Research and Engineering Directorate and the Metrology Lab were each represented by one winner.

An eighth winner of the coveted Excellence in Performance award is an employee of the Hawk System Field Office in Andover, Mass., and was not able to attend the ceremony.

She is, however, planning to accompany the other award winners on a trip to Cape Kennedy next month.

Ann Yaghmoorian has the honor of being the first off-post employee of the Missile Command cited by the Zero Defects program council. A secretary, she was the ZD Employee of the Month for March of this year.

A dedicated Federal employee for over 21 years, Miss Yaghmoorian was selected for the EIP award in recognition of her near-perfect performance in the accomplishment of the administrative functions of the Field Office.

She is credited by the Field Office chief with surpassing the accepted Zero Defects levels in every phase of her assigned duties.

Another monthly award winner, CW2 William Jones, and Carl McCranie, an education specialist, are the Supply and Maintenance Directorate employees selected for the Excellence in Performance awards.

Jones is assigned to the National Maintenance Point with the responsibility for monitoring the relocation and major updating of Nike Hercules systems worldwide.

He was named the Employee of the Month for last December after having completed a 13-month period during which he updated 425 pages of various records without the necessity for a change in scheduled programs.

McCranie serves as program manager of the new equipment training phase for all Defense systems. His responsibility includes the providing of technical direction and for the determination of dollar requirements for the training effort.

Through skillful direction, McCranie was able to reveal the utilization of excessive manhours in the contractor work-cost proposal. His submission of study proposals resulted in more effective manpower utilization and the elimination of considerable gold plating.

The Research and Engineering Directorate representative on the honor list is Cleves Howell, chief of the Quality and Reliability Engineering Branch of the Test and Reliability Evaluation Lab.

Howell was cited for his exceptional direction of the Zero Defects program throughout the many components of the R&E Directorate. Through his enthusiastic efforts, the Directorate has compiled a record that stands as a model for the entire Command.

An accounting technician in the Finance and Accounting Center, Mrs. Eula Epperson is also a former Employee of the Month, having been selected for the award in January of this year.

She is assigned to the Operating Agency Accounts Office and has the responsibility for receiving, controlling and distributing 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 accepted rate.

William Deering, a writer-editor, is the near-perfect employee of the Metrology and Calibration Center selected for an Excellence in Performance award.

formance award.

He is assigned to the Electronic Procedures Section where he receives correspondence of a complex nature from all Commands and activities that submit calibration requirements. Over the course of twelve-months prior to the award, Deering was credited with compiling a 99.90 efficiency rating.

A second military member of the Command honored was SP4 Walter Sullivan, a Hawk Pulse Radar repairman in the Maintenance Support Division of the Support Operations Directorate.

Sullivan is responsible for performing all phases of maintenance on the Hawk Pulse Acquisition Radar and over a recent three-month period, had no rejected work. Over the same time period he repaired 40 Doppler Tracking units for the Hawk radar with a zero rejection rate.

An electronic technician in the same division, Henry Roberson is another double winner having won the Employee of the Month citation for April.

Roberson performs the full range of maintenance on extremely complex computation and data processing equipment located in the Data Analysis Section of the Test and Reliability Evaluation Laboratory.

His citation covered a twelve-month period during which his equipment processed an average of 216,000 data points without an error that could be attributed to a machine malfunction.

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FAREWELL TEA—Parishioners of the Redstone Arsenal Post Chapel and the Chapel Staff held a tea honoring Chaplain (Col.) and Mrs. Allen G. Dillon. The Chaplain plans to retire soon. The event was in the social room of the Post Chapel. Left to right are: Army Materiel Deputy Command Chaplain (Lt. Col.) Homer G. Benton (making the presentation); Mrs. Anne Mae Hilliard, Mrs. Dillon's mother; Mrs. and Chaplain Dillon. The AMC plaque is the Chaplaincy Seal executed in bronze. A second plaque from the local parish contains insignia of local commands.

Tea Honors Retiring Chaplain Here

A farewell tea was held on Sunday, in the social hall of the Post Chapel honoring Chaplain (Col.) and Mrs. Allen G. Dillon prior to his retirement from the Army.

Approximately 300 members of the various congregations called to say good-by to the Dillons before

Destination Saturday Will Be Hidden Valley

On Saturday morning, the Service Club will sponsor a tour to Hidden Valley Ranch on Dug Hill Road.

The bus will leave the Service Club at 9 a.m. and return at approximately 4 p.m.

Enlisted men planning to make the trip should register at the Service Club.

After an hour of horseback riding at the ranch, the group will board the bus for Monte Sano State Park for a picnic lunch. After several hours of exploring and sight-seeing at the park, the next stop will be the Mall for shopping.

they leave Redstone Arsenal for their permanent residence in Seminole, Fla.

Chaplain Dillon has served as an Army Chaplain for over 25 years. He is one of the two Army Chaplains representing the Salvation Army. His tours of duty have included the European Theater of Operation, HQ Second U.S. Army, Ft. Meade, Md. and varied Army posts through the Continental United States. Chaplain Dillon was assigned Staff Chaplain Redstone Arsenal in July 1968. Mrs. Dillon

is a native of Tuscaloosa.

The Chaplains' Seal executed in bronze and made into a plaque was given to Chaplain Dillon by Chaplain (LTC) Homer G. Benton, Assistant Staff Chaplain, Army Materiel Command in recognition of Chaplain Dillon's years of dedicated service.

Chaplain (MAJ) Rene A. Belanger presented Chaplain Dillon with a plaque from local commands.

A guest book with the signatures of the people attending was given to Mrs. Dillon as a keepsake.

FELLOWSHIP

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for the Arthur S. Flemming Award, for outstanding young men in the government service, Black has carved a brilliant career with the Missile Command over the past 14 years.

He was a distinguished military graduate of the University of Oklahoma in 1955 and was assigned to Redstone soon after being commissioned. Black was released from active service in 1957 and spent a year with the Minneapolis Honeywell Co. as a production engineer prior to returning to the Arsenal in a civilian capacity in May 1958.

Since that time he has been cited on numerous occasions for

his contributions in system performance studies and for the development of a computer model that realistically simulates the impact of logistics support and the reliability of a deployed missile system.

In addition to being the first Missile Command nominee for the Flemming Award, Black was the recipient of the Meritorious Civilian Service Award and the exceptional civilian service award.

A native of Oklahoma City, Black is married to the former Louella Mae Black of the same city. They are the parents of three school-age sons.

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Project Managers Among Students Away This Week

Three of the Missile Command's Project Managers are included on the weekly off-post training report. Joining them are 28 Department of Army civilians who left their normal duty stations this week to embark upon advanced courses of study in their career fields.

The three Officers, Col. James Miller, of SAM-D, Col. John Covert, Redeye, and LTC Robert Huntzinger, of TOW, are attending the Project Manager's Procurement Seminar at the Army Logistics Management Center, Ft. Lee, Va.

All of the local personnel were selected for the training under the Command's career development program administered by the Training and Development Division of Civilian Personnel.

They will spend up to three weeks at government schools, contractor facilities and leading colleges located in six states and the District of Columbia.

Six of the civilians are spending the week at the Ft. Lee facility in addition to the officers. Malcolm Shelton (Metrology) is enrolled for the Test and Evaluation course and Adrian Watson (Chaparral) is studying Effective Briefing Techniques.

Completing the Ft. Lee contingent are, Gerald Jamieson (Hawk), Luther Krewson (S&M), James Ellis (DASO) and James Fowler (P&P). They are in the Executive Systems Development class.

J. L. Vickers (P&P) and Ernest Beard (DASO) are at Rock Island, Ill., for study at the Management Engineering Training Agency.

The former is enrolled for Sampling Procedures for Reliability Testing and the latter is taking Standard Time Data.

Franklin Holmes (DASO) is in Baltimore for Personnel Management Assistance with the Deputy Chief of Staff for Personnel, and Don Steele (P&P) is taking the Procurement Refresher course with the Naval Materiel Command in Washington.

Edwin Larson (S&M) is in Ohio for the Data Manager's course at Wright-Patterson AFB, while

George Russell and Walter Brooks (P&P) are at the same place for Industrial Property Administration.

Kenneth Blythe (SAFSCOM) and J. P. Mondres (Metrology) are studying Radiological Safety at the Chemical School, Ft. McClellan, Ala., and Chester McWhorter (SAFSCOM) is taking Configuration Management at Georgia Tech in Atlanta.

Another trio are at the Sandia Base in New Mexico this week for the advance orientation on Nuclear Weapons. They are, Toby Craft and Wilton Fowler (Msl Intel), and Charles Smith (SAFSCOM).

Completing the list are nine civilians who are taking courses of study at the IBM facility in Huntsville, in applications of the 360 system.

George Breeding (SAFLOG) is taking a course in connection with NAPALM and Glen Carter (MEMCS) is enrolled for System 360 OS Language Interface.

The others are participating in an introductory class of the system for DP Management. They are: Herbert Parker, Dean Popkins, and Charles Colvard (DASO), and James Smith, Bruce Garrett, William Meads and David Nichols (Mgt. Sci).

Sodality To Present Scholarship

The Catholic Sodality of Our Lady Queen of All Saints will meet Friday following the 9 a.m. Mass in the Post Chapel Social Room.

The Sodality will present the scholarship to Jane Rega, winner of the annual essay contest. Miss Rega plans to enroll at Spring Hill College in Mobile next Fall.

New Sodality officers will be elected to serve for the coming year during the meeting. All Catholic women are being urged to attend the meeting and help elect new leaders for the group.

Positions Available To Medical Technologists

The Interagency Board of U. S. Civil Service Examiners is now accepting applications for medical technologist, GS-7 and GS-9, to fill vacancies as they occur in Federal agencies in North Alabama. The starting salary for grade GS-7 is \$6,981 a year and for grade GS-9, \$8,462 a year.

To qualify for these positions, applicants must show the required amounts of appropriate education, training and experience as specified in the published announcement. No written test is required. Applications will be accepted until further notice.

Interested persons can get a copy of the announcement and application forms by contacting the Federal Job Information Center, 806 Governors Drive, S.W., Huntsville.



ATTEND BENEFIT—The Night on Bourbon Street benefit sponsored Saturday night by the Redstone Officers Wives Club at the Open Mess was a gala of games, dancing to Jimmy Blackburn's orchestra, and a buffet supper. At Supper (above) are Brig. Gen. Robert P. Young and Brig. Gen. and Mrs. I. O. Drewry. Bottom: Mrs. Thomas D. Bledsoe, Jr., and Mrs. Paul B. Schuppener admire the replica setting built by members of the Wives Club. Mrs. Bledsoe was a member of the committee which was headed by Mrs. George H. McBride, honorary chairman, and Mrs. Robert A. Schmiedel, general chairman. Proceeds will go to selected charities.



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Smith Nears Completion Of Doctoral Dissertation

An Army Missile Command engineer, Troy A. Smith, is nearing completion of his doctoral dissertation at the University of Michigan under a Secretary of the Army's Research and Study Fellowship.

The Fellowship is designed to enable outstanding career civilians to spend up to 12 months in full-time study and research in connection with a specified project. Study can be in residence at any institute of higher learning in the U.S., abroad, or in some comparable educational or research activity.

Smith's fellowship study, for a period of eight months, is on the response of shell sections of missiles being subjected to blast loadings in the atmosphere.

Smith is currently back at the Missile Command to program research he has performed at the University of Michigan.

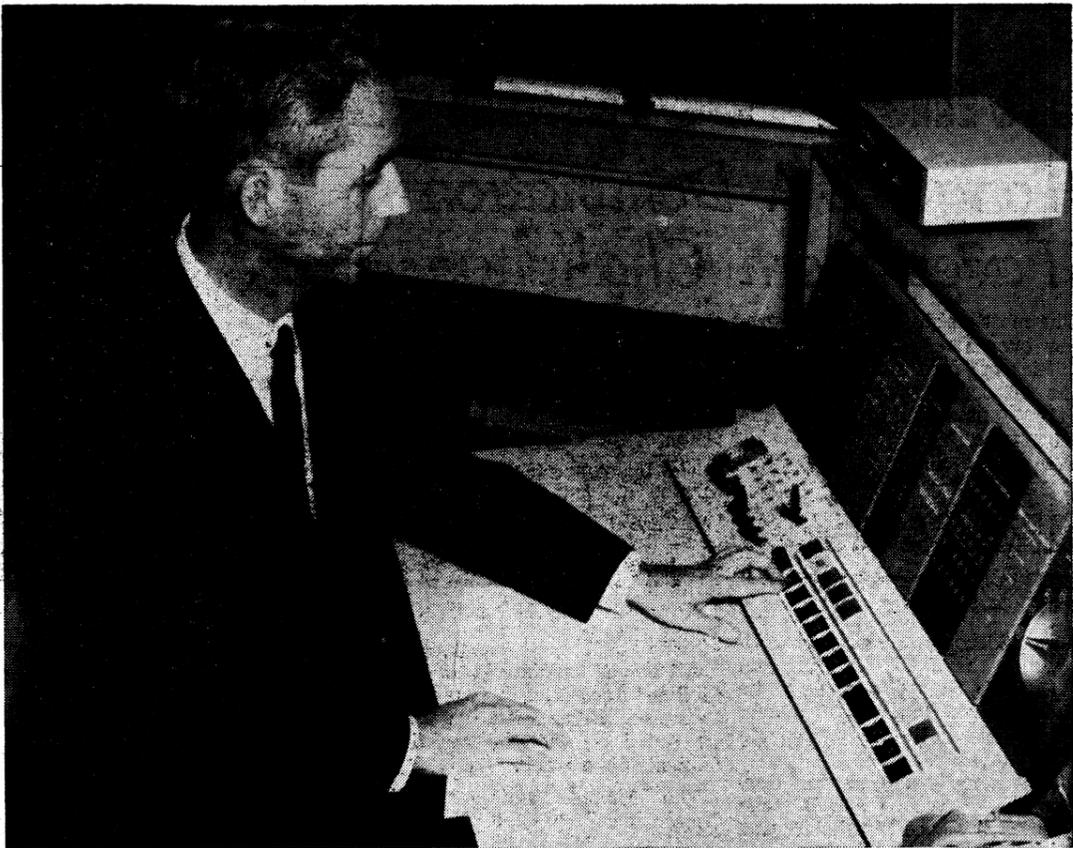
Smith, who has completed all other requirements for a doctor-

ate in engineering from the University of Michigan, expects to complete his dissertation in August of this year.

As an engineer in the Structures and Mechanics Laboratory of the Command's Research and Engineering Directorate, Smith's work involves research on new techniques of structural analysis for missile structures under the influence of adverse environmental conditions. Several of the reports on technical work and theoretical development have been published.

He is listed in "Who's Who in the South and Southwest," the "Dictionary of International Biography" and "World Who's Who in Commerce and Industry."

A registered professional engineer in Virginia since 1948, and in Alabama since 1959, he is an associate member of the Society of the Sigma Chi (theoretical and applied research), and a member of the Society of American Military Engineers.



ON ARMY FELLOWSHIP—Troy A. Smith of the Army Missile Command's Structures and Mechanics Laboratory, is completing his dissertation under a Secretary of the Army Research and Study Fellowship. He is doing his doctoral work at the University of Michigan.

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Junior Girl Scout Troop 369 held a Court of Honor Friday night at the Girl Scout Hut with four girls attaining full accreditation as Junior Girl Scouts.

Valerie Erdman, Gloria Brooks, Roberta Silver and Margaret Brooks received Sign of the Star badges and Margaret Brooks was also presented the Sign of the Arrow. One hundred nine badges were earned by 26 girls, altogether.

Parents attended the ceremonies and joined the Open House which followed.

Mrs. W. R. Kimmins, Girl Scout Neighborhood Chairman, made the presentations.

In 1827 Army officers were lent to the founders of the Baltimore and Ohio Railroad to initiate its construction. This was to become the first link in the Nation's great rail communications chain.

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The Medal of Honor, the Nation's highest award for valor, was established by the 37th Congress on July 12, 1862.

Mrs. Zeman's Suggestion Nets \$500

Mrs. Samuel Zeman, better known to library users in the Supply and Maintenance Directorate as Nora, earned a bonus \$500 for an accepted suggestion and eased the life of librarians who use the Military Publications U. S. Army Equipment Index of Modification Work Orders.

The first publication of the pamphlet as a separate book was distributed without a numerical listing of the work orders—each of which is referred to by a number as well as the system to which it pertains.

Mrs. Zeman anticipated hours

of library research each time someone wished to see a modification work order, or a modification of the original modification.

In the next printing, the work orders were listed numerically making it possible for the librarian to make marginal notes if the modification is modified or superseded by another modification work order.

The pamphlet is most used by the Supply and Maintenance Directorate's staff, but is also an item which Research and Development and Procurement and Production staff members sometimes use.

Mrs. Zeman began working at

the Arsenal 16 years ago, first in Budget and Fiscal, later in the Army Rocket and Guided Missile Agency Library.

She transferred to the Army Ballistic Missile Agency in 1960 to establish a library in Field Support Operations. When the Army Missile Command was established, she became chief of the Supply and Maintenance Directorate's library, the position she currently holds. The literature in this library houses Army Technical Manuals, technical bulletins, military specifications and other items most useful to the S and M personnel, but sometimes borrowed by other libraries on post.

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The most ambitious softball program ever lined up at Redstone will kick off next Monday evening when 16 organizations open play in the Civilian Welfare Fund Slo-pitch league.

All of the major Missile Com-

mand organizations are represented in the league along with teams from the Safeguard Systems Command, the Safeguard Logistics Command and the Huntsville Division of the Corps of Engineers.

The teams are tentatively scheduled to play 30 games apiece for two complete rounds. The winners of the two rounds will play off for the league championship and the right to represent the CWF in a series with the Marshall Space Flight Center.

All games will be played at the Civilian Recreation Area on the Tennessee River with two games scheduled on each of two fields, four nights a week.

The Finance and Accounting Center has dominated the league for the last three years and completed the 1968 season without a loss in 32 games.

Charley Sneed is the league president and Don Woods was elected vice-president. Greg Bogue will serve as chairman for scheduling and publicity and Stan Jones will handle the officiating arrangements.

CAROL SACCUZZO WINS AT GOLF

Carol Saccuazo, a first-year golfer with the Redstone Officers Wives Club Golf Group, won the 18-hole low net tournament among the members on the Arsenal course last Wednesday.

In the same group, Marian Depensmith was second and Blanche Kaiser and Grace Wachslar tied for third.

Among the nine-hole group who played to beat the Pro Larry Wilige, eight scored with handicap under his scratch game. They are: Elizabeth Barnett, Alma Hendley, Sue Huffman, Florence Tier, Jane Cook, Joanne Blalock, Jean Cobb and Ginny Bowers. Helen Churan stroked the least putts.

Reba's Challenge For Supply Lead

Only one civilian bowling league is still in action and the extra six weeks that the S&M League is bowling is becoming more of a concern to one of the twelve quintets every week, due to a late season slump.

The Renegades almost ran away from the field during the first two rounds in posting a ten point lead. But the third round has been an entirely different story as the high-scoring Rens have only been able to win 14 points in nine weeks with their lead dwindling to a single point.

To make matters even worse the season-long leaders face the prospect of meeting the second place Reba Bowling Apparel team twice in the remaining three weeks of the schedule.

Last week it was the Baker Realtors that turned on the Rens and took three out of four while Reba's were taking the Dragons by a similar count.

Seth McCracken proved to be the real thorn in the Realtor attack with a 172, 234, 198 report

Late Season Rush Nets MMCS Title

Led by Wally Cox's 548 scratch series, the Miscues clinched first place in the MMCS Ammunition Department Bowling League on the next to last night of the Wednesday Night League.

Bill MacGray, the league's high average bowler (171), paced the Milstrippers with a mid-season surge that at one time threatened to make the race a runaway. But the Miscues with Wes Brooks, Joe Anyon, and Bob Embry in addition to Cox rushed to the top in the last four weeks of the season.

Gary Phillips guided the second placers to their win with a 579 and D. B. Smith added a 543. Bill Thompson shot a 556 for the Dragons.

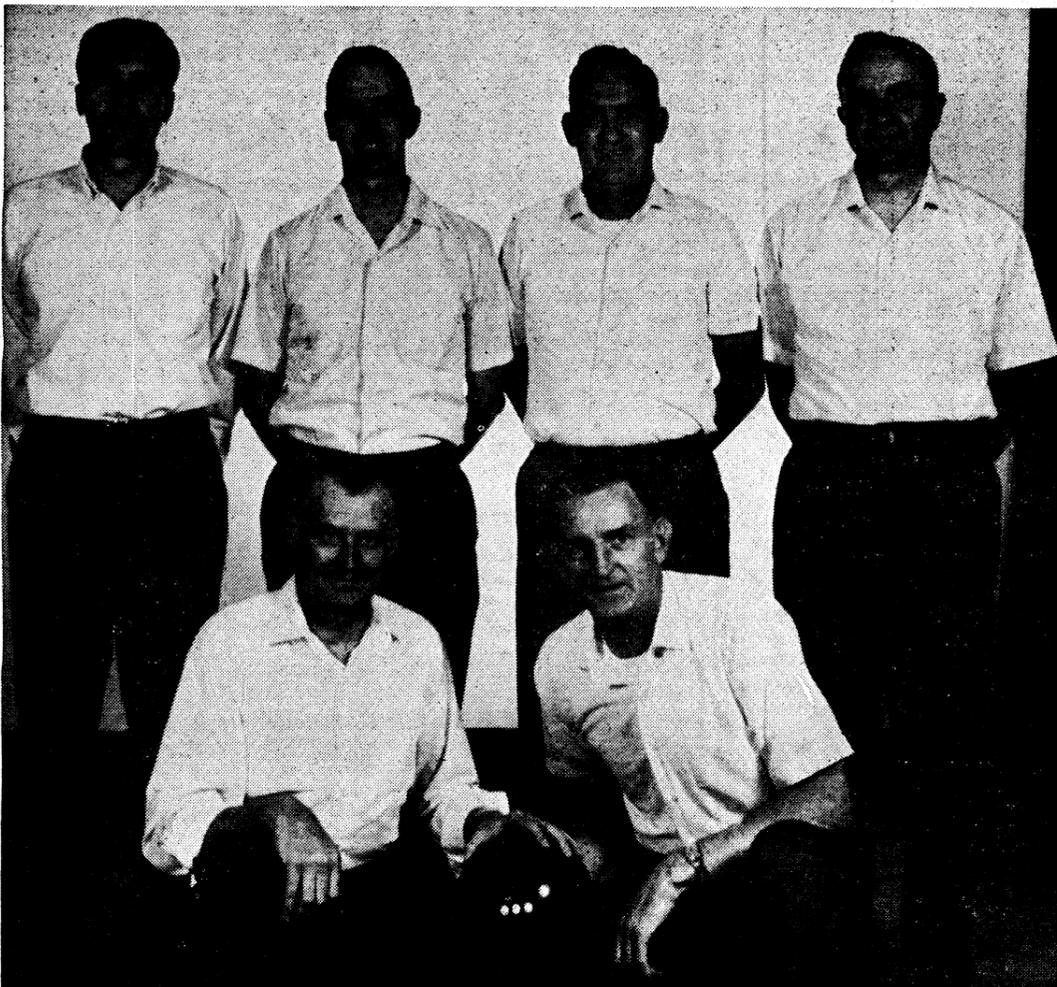
The All-Sports won three from the Chiefs as Chet Wysocki shot a 598 and Mel Webb hit for 556 while Les Alkenburg was the big Chief with 544.

Lily Flagg was a three-time winner against the Crackers with Fred Washington showing the way with 555, the Auto Center swept Tad's and the Bushwhackers won three out of four from the Pin Busters.

The 3-man, 8-team league had five different teams in first place at one time or another during the 30-week season. The Miscues forced the Milstrippers, league leaders for most of the season, to settle for second place by taking 3 of 4 games from them to increase their lead to 4½ games with 4 games left in the season.

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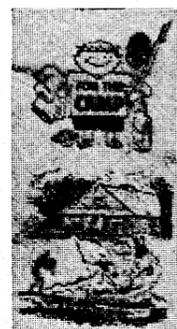
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Teams from Safeguard and the Marshall Space Flight Center will provide opposition for the Missile Command in the second week of play in the Huntsville Women's Industrial Softball league next week.

The strong MICOM ten will take on Safeguard in a Tuesday evening contest and will battle the MARS team on Friday. Both games are scheduled for 6:30 at the Boeing Co. field in Research Park.

The Civilian Welfare Fund-sponsored team opened league play last night with the Computer Science Corp., as their first opposition. Ten teams are competing in the league this year with MICOM expected to be one of the favorites.

Manager Sid Douglas, of the MICOM team, feels he has a much stronger team than the one that finished third in a six-team league last year.

Douglas said that he has eight players back from last year and has added several outstanding local softball players to his roster. Gladys Hill will do most of the pitching again this year and Barbara Furlough is expected to be back at her right field post.

Another returnee, Helen Smith, is moving from shortstop to the other side of the keystone to make room for Sara Fisk. The rest of the infield will probably find Frances Bogue at first and Glenda Kidd at the far corner.

Kathy Leeth, Ruth Crisp and Beverly Cramer will open the season at the other outfield posts while Pat Shipp handles the other end of the battery.

Douglas, who is being assisted by Greg Bogue and Dwayne Kidd, two



BARBARA FURLOUGH

veteran performers in the CWF league, said that several more experienced players are available and will see considerable service. The manager included Barbara

Two Brother Teams Are On Graduation Roster

Two sets of brothers—one from the other side of the world—were graduated from the Army Missile and Munitions Center and School on Redstone Arsenal Friday.

Among the class of 140 to attend the weekly commencement, representing 14 areas of training, were Staff Sgt. Suk Bae Ra and SFC Dong Hwan Ra from Korea and PFC's Paul and Jimmy Pannell from Memphis, Tenn.

Thirteen men were recognized for academic achievements, five of them receiving special awards from the Association of the U. S. Army for attaining a grade average of over 96.

Guest speaker for the event was Col. J. L. Keown, commanding officer of the school brigade to which the students have been assigned during their schooling at MMCS.

Sgts. Ra spent 10 weeks learning to maintain the Nike missile's launcher control and now return home with six other classmates to apply the techniques in their Korean Army duty.

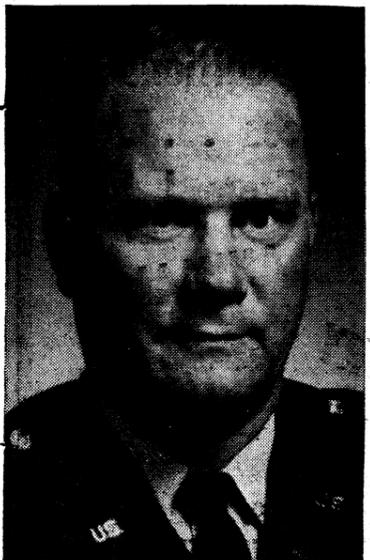
The Pannells enlisted together last May for their 32-week course, and came to MMCS after completing basic training in the same unit at Ft. Campbell, Ky., last summer. Both graduates of Treadwell High School in Memphis, Paul is 27 and Jimmy 20.

AUSA recognition from the Tennessee Valley Chapter president, Brig. Gen. Robert Spragins, (Ret.) went to 1st Lt. Stephen Conary, 97.3 in ammunition officer; Cpl. Douglas Sanger, 99.7 in ammunition records; PFC Robert Blair, 96.4 in Nike launcher control; PFC Joseph Bellesorte, 97.1 in Sergeant firing set; and Pvt. John Fennell, 98.6 in ammunition storage.

Others acknowledged as honor students for scoring the highest in their respective courses included 2nd Lt. Randall Sellers, missile maintenance officer; Master Sgt. Walter Meyer of Germany, ballistic missile maintenance; Marine Sgt. Robert Ballinger, Hawk maintenance technician; SP4 Jimmy Lloyd, Hawk missile and launcher; SP4 Timothy Burke, Nike radar and simulator; PFC Thomas Ex, Hawk radar; and PFC Claude Saliers, Pershing digital equipment.

In his speech, Col. Keown both thanked and congratulated the men on their conduct as soldiers and students which makes for the excellent "appearance, attitude, morale and esprit" at MMCS.

Col. Keown urged each man to continue the learning process, for an inquiring mind helps avoid the monotony. By continuing to improve one's self, he added, the soldier's unit will benefit from more than just his technical know-how.



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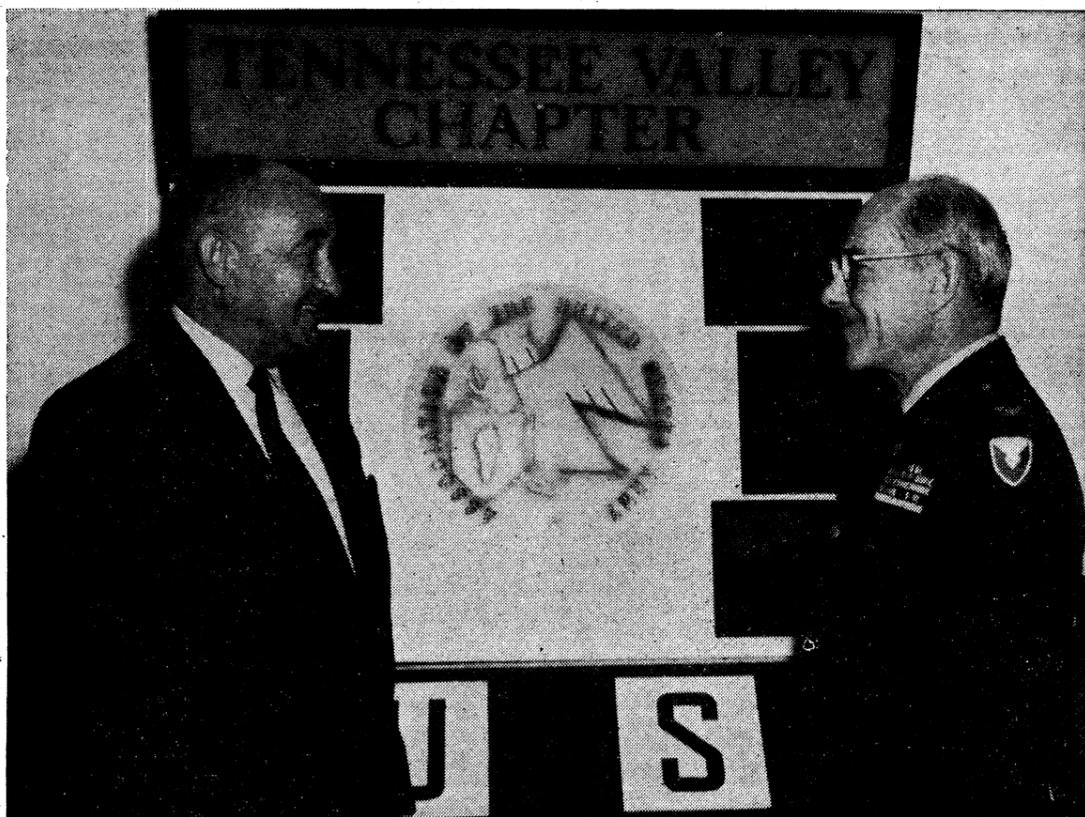
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AUSA MEMBERSHIP CAMPAIGN IS THE SUBJECT—Everett Brouillette (left), President, American Federation of Government Employees, Local No. 1858, discusses the annual membership campaign of the Tennessee Valley Chapter, Association of the U.S. Army, with Col. S. H. Abernathy, executive chairman of the campaign for the Army Missile Command. In a statement to all members of AFGE Lodge No. 1858 made public this week, Brouillette urged all union members "to lend their support to this fine organization."

AFGE Endorses AUSA's Membership Campaign

The Redstone Arsenal portion of the annual membership campaign of the Tennessee Valley Chapter, Association of the U. S. Army, has received a boost from Lodge No. 1858 of the American Federation of Government Employees.

In a message to all members of AFGE Lodge No. 1858, Everett Brouillette, President, said:

"The Association of the United States Army (AUSA) is conducting its annual membership drive. All union members are urged to lend their support to this fine organization.

"AUSA promotes greater recognition of the United States Army by fostering public understanding and support of its programs. We, as union members and employees of the Army, are benefitted by this activity, and our job security is improved.

"I ask that you join with all employees of the Missile Command in endorsing the membership drive so that the objectives may be achieved and our union position strengthened thereby."

Dennis Garrison, National Vice President for the AFGE Fifth Region, said he concurred 100 per cent in Brouillette's endorsement

of AUSA and urged all Department of the Army civilian employees to carefully consider the benefits of membership in the organizations.

Meanwhile results of the first week of active solicitation for AUSA members among major local Army elements were beginning to come in to the campaign coordinator, William P. Burnett, as follows:

Total members, 1,530, of which 226 were new members, 279 renewals, and 1,025 are current valid members.

The Missile Command with Col. S. H. Abernathy executive chairman and Bruce T. MacIvreen assistant, reported total members at 1,034. Of this number 122 were new members, 216 renewals, and 696 current valid members.

The Safeguard System Command with Col. J. W. Walters executive chairman and Maj. Murton Y. Glant assistant, reported total members at 256. Of this number 34 were new members, 33 renewals and 189 current valid members.

The Missile & Munitions Center & School with Donald C. Maliskey executive chairman and Sgt. Maj. William P. Ansick assist-

ant, reported total members at 118. Of this number 24 were new members, 12 renewals and 82 current valid members.

The Safeguard Logistics Command with Neal E. Roberts executive chairman and Lt. Col. Kaye Gooch assistant, reported total members at 98. Of this number 39 were new members, 11 renewals and 48 current valid members.

The Army Corps of Engineers, Huntsville Division, with Charles Mendenhall executive chairman and Lt. Col. Stephen D. Falkenburg assistant, reported total members at 24, with 7 new members, 7 renewals and 10 current valid members.

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ACCEPTS BOUQUET—Col. John R. Henderson, Assistant Commandant at MMCS, presents Mrs. Carrie Smith with the floral arrangement at a luncheon in the Officers' Club for the secretaries of the MMCS Headquarters building. The MMCS ladies were honored by their bosses during National Secretary Week. Mrs. Smith is the secretary in the missile school's information office.



AWARDS PLAQUE—SGM R. G. White (second from left) receives a plaque from Major E. F. McBee (second from right), Commanding Officer of School Brigade's 2nd Battalion, on behalf of the officers and enlisted men of the battalion. SGM White, former Battalion Sergeant Major, moves to the Food Services Division at School Brigade Headquarters. Command SGM O'Day Fontenot, Jr., the new 2nd Battalion CSM, and Col. J. L. Keown (right) watch as Maj. McBee makes the presentation.



RE-UP—First Sergeant Clinton Florian takes his oath of reenlistment from 3rd Battalion Co, Captain J. L. Osborn. "Top" signed up for three more years and will have completed 21 years of active duty in July. He is presently the First Sergeant of the 9th ETC.

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NAMES IN THE NEWS

by SP5 Ted Beattie

German Air Force Captain Klaus Bollmann arrived at MMCS last week to assume the duties as chief interpreter for the German Air force students. He replaces Lieutenant Wilfried Elter who returned to Germany in mid-March after completing a two-year tour at MMCS.

Capt. Bollmann spent four years

as a Pershing Battery Commander in Wutpental and Teveren, Germany before being assigned to Redstone Arsenal. The 11-year Air Force veteran and his wife, who are presently residing in Huntsville, will be assigned to MMCS for the next two years.

It's been a busy week for Capt. Bollmann. Thursday he was invited to the mayor's office where Huntsville Mayor Joe Davis presented him with a Certificate of Honorary Citizenship. Monday night he traveled to Athens, Ala., and spoke to the Athens Exchange Club in the Tourway Inn. He presented the club with an interesting talk on German customs and traditions.

The ladies had their week too, at MMCS. The school's secretaries were treated to lunch by their bosses at various restaurants around town. The period of April 20-26 was Secretary's Week across the nation.

On Friday morning a group of 42 MMCS secretaries were taken on a tour of the mock Vietnam training village. The ladies were treated to a demonstration which included booby-trap explosions, punji stakes and other Vietnam terror tactics.

The secretaries in the MMCS Headquarters building were taken to lunch at the Officers' Club Wednesday noon. Col. John R. Henderson, Assistant Commandant, presented Mrs. Carrie Smith (our secretary in the Information Office) with the table's floral arrangement.

REENLISTMENT NEWS—Soon

after James Grainger took over his new duties as Career Counselor for School Brigade's 3rd Battalion he picked up his first reenlistment. During his first week on the job, SSG Grainger had the 9th ETC's first sergeant taking the oath. 1SGT Clinton Florian signed up for three more years. "Top" will have completed 21 years of active duty in July.

BATTALION HAPPENINGS — 3rd Battalion seems to be dominating play in the American League volleyball competition. CPT Rodman's 6th ETC whipped the 8th ETC to take over sole possession of first place. Regular season play concludes next week with the in-

ter-league tournament to follow. Command Sergeant Major O'Day Fontenot, Jr., moved into the CSM slot at the 2nd Battalion, SGM R. G. White, the former Battalion sergeant major, moves to School Brigade Headquarters as the NCOIC of the Food Services Division.

CSM Fontenot comes to MMCS directly from Vietnam where he was assigned to Headquarters, 4th Battalion, 60th Artillery Brigade. The 21-year Army veteran is a native of Elberton, Ga.

SGM White received a plaque on behalf of the officers and enlisted men of the 2nd Battalion for his outstanding performance of duty.

In the 7th ETC Captain Horace R. Crowe was handed the guidon as

he assumed command of the student enlisted company. Lt. M. Mistrot ended his time in service as he turned over the CO's duties of the 7th.

AWARDS—SSG Lorenzo Flowers returned from Ft. McClellan, Ala., after graduating from the NCO Academy. SSG Flowers graduated third in his class and received a Certificate of Achievement from CSM Bob L. Williams of the Infantry School at Ft. Benning, Ga.

SGT. George W. Bremer won Instructor of the Month honors in the Combat Support Missile Division of the Land Combat Department. SGT. Bremer is assigned to D Company.

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Lt. Col. Frederick H. Niedermeyer was awarded the Bronze Star Medal (Third Oak Leaf Cluster) for service with the First Infantry Division in Vietnam from September 1967 to August 1968. According to the citation, Lt. Col. Niedermeyer "consistently manifested exemplary professionalism and initiative in obtaining outstanding results."

Maj. Charles B. Brinkley, Jr. also received the Bronze Star Medal for service in Vietnam. He was cited for "rapid assessment and solution of numerous problems" which greatly contributed to "allied effectiveness against a determined and aggressive enemy" during duty with the 87th Engineer

Battalion (Construction) from August 1967 to August 1968.

The Army Commendation Medal was awarded to Lt. Col. Floyd B. Lyerla for exceptionally meritorious service at the U. S. Army Infantry School, Fort Benning, Ga. from August 1966 to June 1968. In receiving the award, Lt. Col. Lyerla was specifically commended for the development of supplemental programmed instructional texts for the school's course in radio repair.

The men received the awards in ceremonies during Gen. Underwood's visit to Huntsville and Redstone Arsenal last week.

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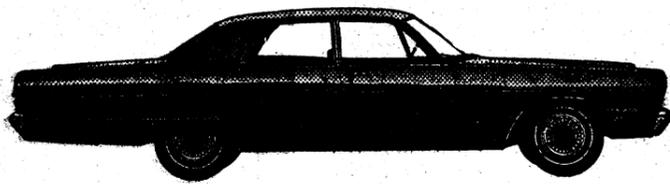
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April 30, 1969

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Modern television techniques and equipment have been a part of the U. S. Army since the early 1950s. One of the oldest units in the history of Army television is the Army Materiel Command's Mobile Television Detachment, based at Tobyhanna Army Depot.

This group of "moving television control rooms" came to Tobyhanna from the Army Pictorial Center at Long Island City, N. Y., in September 1965, and became a separate command under AMC's Directorate for Installations and Services.

Taking over the "old depot area" compound for its enlisted men, officers, and civilians totaling 100 men and women, the detachment began performing mobile

television, supply, testing and evaluating functions for AMC. Its three mobile teams carry more than \$1 million worth of up-to-date television equipment.

The detachment is often called to support a field demonstration with closed circuit television systems and microwave relays, such as the test firing of the 105mm howitzer and miniguns with silencing devices last fall at Rock Island Arsenal in Illinois. This demonstration was viewed by the Army Chief of Staff, and other high level Department of Army officials.

Several other field demonstrations were supported with closed circuit television at Aberdeen Proving Ground, Md., and the U. S. Army War College, Carlisle, Pa.



BOLIVIAN VISITS REDSTONE—General Alfredo Ovando Candia (right), Bolivia's top military official, salutes the color guard during honor ceremonies at Redstone Army Airfield. With the Bolivian Commander-in-Chief are Maj. Gen. Charles W. Eifler (left), Commanding General of the Army Missile Command, and military escort, Lt. Thomas Corneil. General Ovando visited Redstone recently as guest of the Department of Army.



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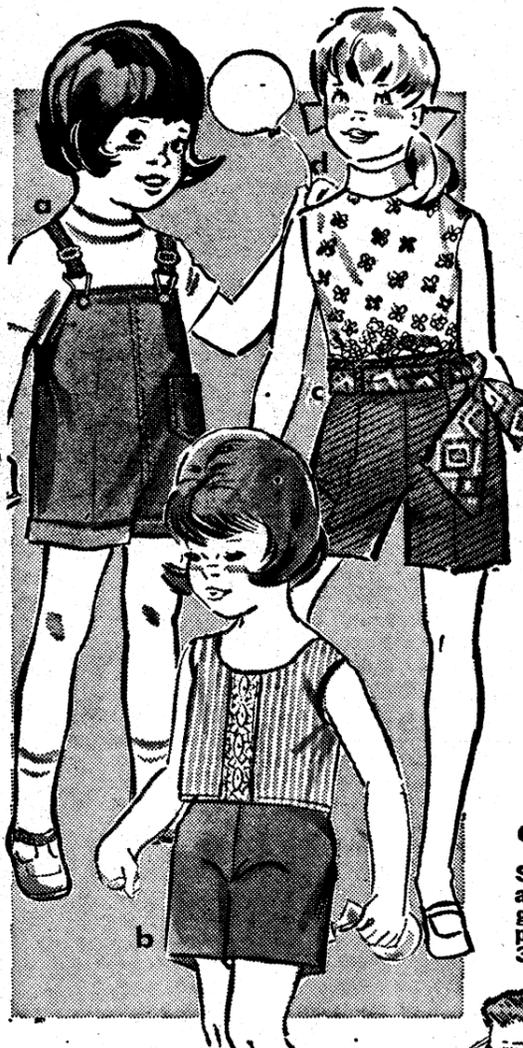

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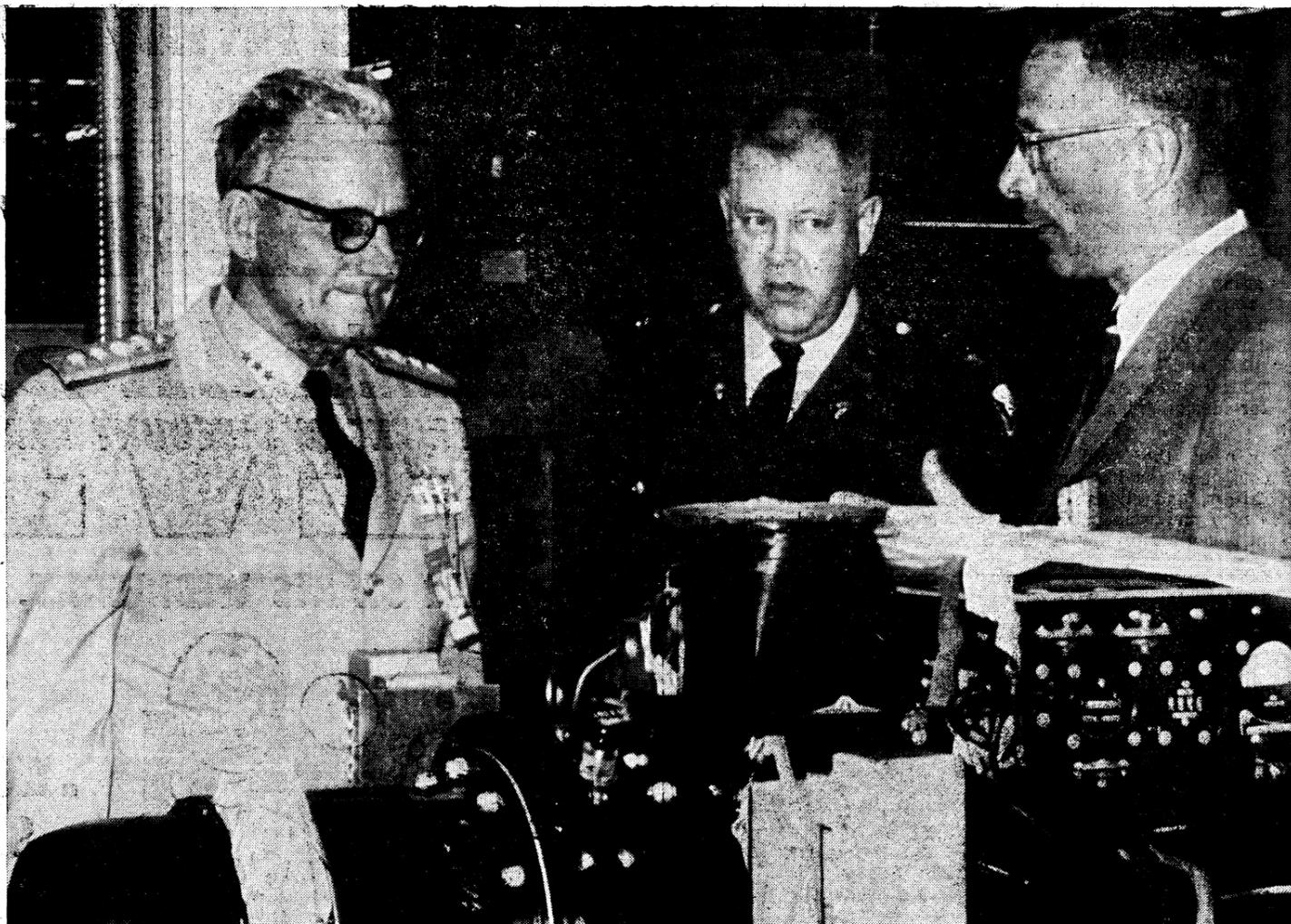
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Yates, Wade To Attend Out of State Conferences

Two employees of the Army Missile Command's Research and Engineering Directorate will be attending out-of-state conferences this week and in May.

Jack R. Wade, Preservation-Packaging Specialist, will attend the American Ordnance Association meeting at Colorado Springs, Colo., from April 29-May 1. Wade will present a paper on "Packaging of the Chaparral Missile."

Attending the First Annual Houston Conference on Systems Circuitry and Computer Applications at the University of Houston, Houston, Texas, May 22-23, will be Robert F. Yates, an aerospace engineer. Yates will present a paper called "A New Approach to Azimuth Direction Determination."



SUBJECT IS PERSHING—Discussing a gas turbine engine for the power station of the Pershing 1-A missile system are, left to right, Vice Admiral Kleber S. Masterson, senior member of the Weapons Systems Evaluation Group, Colonel Edwin A. Rudd, Pershing Project Manager for the Army Missile Command, and Nicholas D.

DePasquale, Pershing Program Director for Martin Marietta Corporation, prime contractor for the Pershing system. Members of the Defense Department group toured the Orlando (Florida) Defense facility April 15.

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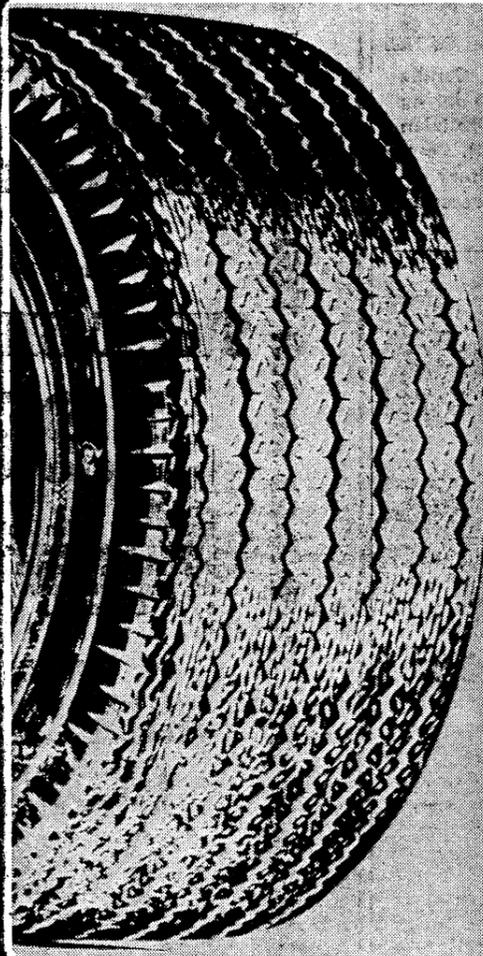
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McElroy, Two Others Show Art In Nashville, Tenn.

Three illustrators from the Army Missile Command, Troy McElroy, chief of Drafting Documentation for the Supply and Maintenance Directorate, and Don Davis and Bill Higgins of the Research and Engineering Directorate, participated in an art show at the Hillsboro Shopping Center in Nashville, Tenn., last weekend. Earlier Rocket items have covered Davis and Higgins.

McElroy, a transplanted Floridian, studied art in Birmingham at Gulf States.

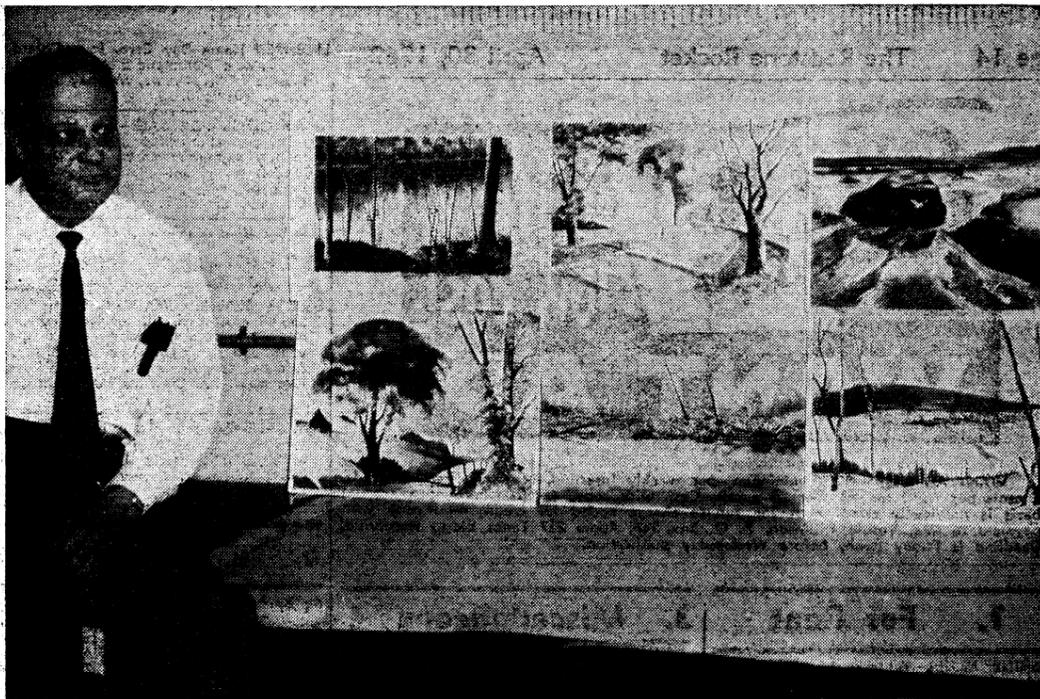
He has been in technical illustration work for 15 years, the past nine at the Missile Command. Recording scenery in tempura and

water colors, (a recently embraced painting media), and portraits in oil, gives McElroy a chance to relax and use his imagination in a manner technical illustrations of nuts, bolts and screws cannot satisfy.

The latter items, however, probably helped him to meet another challenge — building electronic equipment such as his color television set. Every new field is a challenge to McElroy. His summer project is rebuilding a boat.

The McElroy's live in Decatur, and many of the scenes he paints are inspired by the countryside around Decatur—both in the farming community and on the local waterways.

There is one paint brush McElroy prefers not to wield—the one that covers the exterior of his house.



WATERCOLOR EXHIBIT—Troy McElroy, artist and chief of the Technical Documentation Drafting Section of the Supply and Maintenance Directorate, displays some of the water color scenes he has exhibited in the Hillsboro Sidewalk Art Show in Nashville.

Board Announces CS Jobs For Typist, Stenographer

Applications for typists and stenographers are now being accepted by the Interagency Board for employment in North Alabama. The annual announcement for these positions was issued on April 22, and will remain open until further notice.

The majority of these positions are with Federal agencies in Anniston, Birmingham, Huntsville and Tuscaloosa; however, some vacancies may occur in other cities in North Alabama. The starting salary for typist is \$81 a week and for stenographer, \$88 a week.

To qualify for these positions, all applicants must pass a written test, performance test, and have specified amounts of experience and/or education. The minimum requirement is six months of appropriate experience or a high school diploma. High school students who expect to graduate within nine months may apply now to take the written test.

The Interagency Board encourages the use of proficiency certificates issued by accredited schools and approved organizations as evidence of proficiency in typing or stenography. Applicants submitting this certificate will be required to take the written test only.

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Summer jobs will not be filled through this examination announcement. However, both career-conditional and temporary appointments will be made. All persons who are available for temporary appointment are urged to apply.

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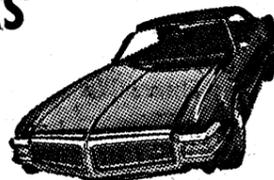
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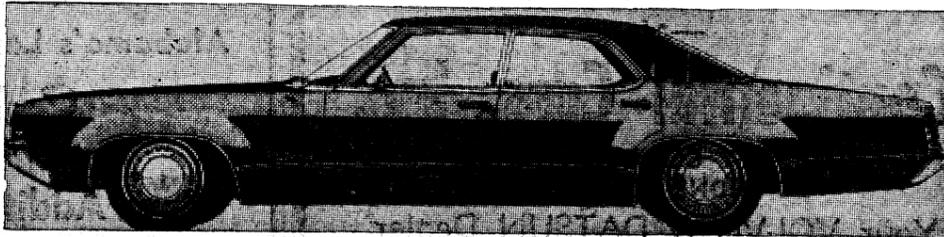
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SHOW DIRECTOR—SP4 Edward C. Robinson, who recently returned from a tour of duty in Korea, will direct a two-part production entitled "Alive and in Color News". The show will be held at the Redstone Service Club May 4, at 8 p.m.

Robinson Will Direct Two-Part Production

A group of soldiers will present a two-part production at the Redstone Service Club May 4, at 8 p.m.

The production is called "Alive and in Color News" and is produced and directed by SP4 Edward C. Robinson. The first half of the two-part production, a simulation of the TV program "Laugh-In", will be a satire on current events and TV commercials. The second part of the show will be a musical, featuring professional musicians and go-go dancers.

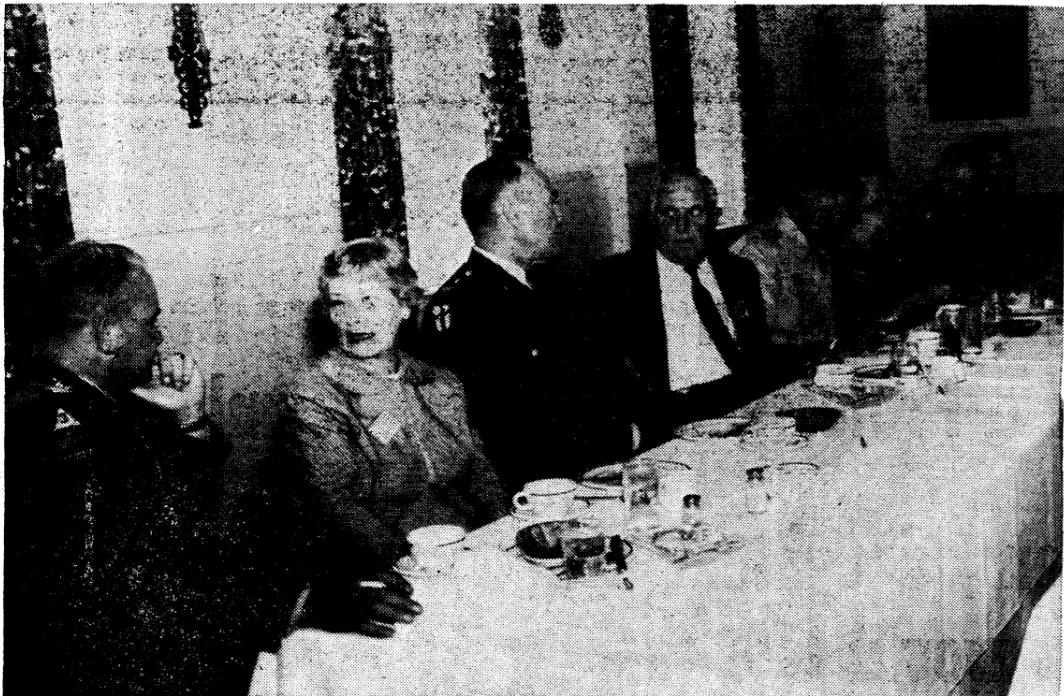
All members of the cast are in the U. S. Army with the exception

of Tongluan Pengcansri, a student at MMCS representing the Royal Thai Army, and the female members of the cast. Besides director Robinson, the other members of the cast are former soldier of the month Walt Krueger, Ed Herpin, James Allen, Ralph Allen, Ken Griggs, Jack Edwards, and Charles Fair. No production would be complete without go-go dancers and a female singer; so this show will have both.

The director, SP4 Robinson, has an illustrious background in military performances. He received a

trophy and award for the best performance by an individual in the USA Pacific Command in 1968, won second place honors in Army-wide competition, and received a trophy in a group participation sketch in the Pacific Entertainment Competition Finals. As a result of his performances, Robinson was given a chance to organize a tour show of Japan, Thailand, and Vietnam which took him to all parts of these countries.

The cast guarantees a good show and promises to 'sock it to 'em', "Alive and in Color."



AT LUNCH—Members of the Overseas Press Club from New York City were hosted by the Army Missile and Munitions Center and School during their four-day visit to Huntsville and Redstone Arsenal. The OPC members were guests of the school at a luncheon Monday noon at the Officers' Club. Seated (from left to right): Col. J. L. Keown, Rhea Clyman, Col. John Henderson, Joe Peters, Col. Paul Schuppener (MMCS Commandant), Mary Hornaday, Col. N. L. Holland, and Col. T. D. Bledsoe.

Missile & Munitions School Hosts Overseas Press Club

Members of the Overseas Press Club of New York were hosted by the Army Missile and Munitions Center and School on a four-day tour of Redstone Arsenal, and Huntsville Sunday through Wednesday.

After touring MMCS Monday morning, some 15 OPC members visited the Army Missile Command, Marshall Space Flight Center, the Brown's Ferry Nuclear Plant, and Huntsville's Industrial Park.

Their social schedule included a cocktail party and dinner with the Huntsville Press Club Sunday night and a luncheon hosted by South Central Bell Wednesday in the Carriage Inn.

During their tour of MMCS, the veteran newsmen and women examined training for repairmen of the Nike and Pershing missile sys-

tem.

The Army's latest instructional devices, from closed circuit television to programmed teaching, were demonstrated to the members of the press when they visited the MMCS Missile Components Department and Television Department.

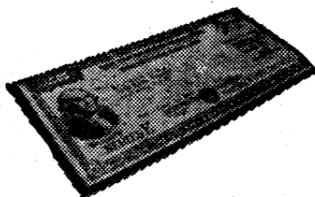
The journalists, including representatives of McGraw-Hill World News, U. S. News and World Report, and the Christian Science Monitor, saw a laser demonstration and viewed Army missile hardware during their tour of MICOM Monday afternoon which was concluded by an interview with Maj. Gen. Charles W. Eifler.

Tuesday's agenda started at MSFC, where OPC members met Dr. Wernher von Braun and toured the orbital workshop area, the neutral buoyancy simulator, and

the static test area. That afternoon they left Huntsville for a tour of the Brown's Ferry TVA project.

Wednesday saw them back in Huntsville for a tour of Research Park and IBM and a call on Huntsville Mayor Joe Davis.

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ITEM 14 (Arab) — Lot 3, Block 3, Barnard Subdivision (120'x 159' on 2nd St., N.E.) Appraisal \$1,800.

ITEM 15 (Arab) — Lot 13, Block 1, Spring Valley Subdivision, (110'x171' on 4th St., N.E.) Appraisal \$2,000.

ITEM 16 (Arab) — Lot 1, Block 2, Spring Valley Subdivision, (119'x160' on 13th Ave., N.E.) Appraisal \$1,000.

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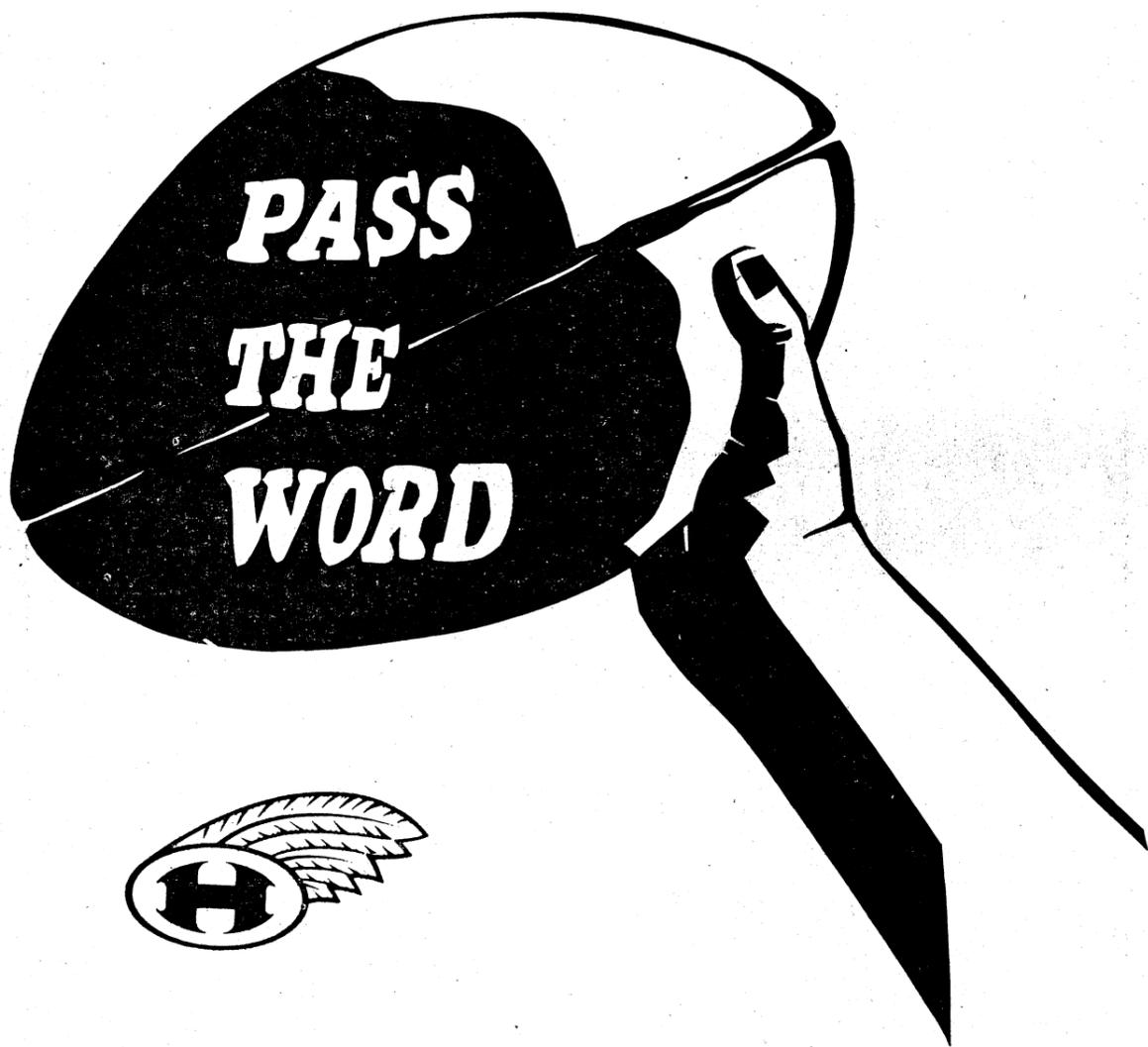
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