



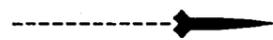
"As weapons get more expensive,



we have to find ways of making them cheaper . . . "

The Rocket

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Raised Rough Team's Future Bright

Missile R&D is not a one man show, but the one man more closely identified with Army missile R&D than any other leaves next week. Getting used to Redstone without John McDaniel is going to be a tough adjustment for a great many people.

The man least concerned about the potential problem his departure may cause, however, is Dr. McDaniel himself.

The reason: the R&D organization he built from scratch was "raised rough" and can take care of itself.

That's one of many candid observations he made in a recent interview that tells a great deal about the man...and the organization he put together.

There will be many stories told about both in the next few days. Typically, he tells them best...

"I think the future here is really bright. With the people here now and the leadership of General Charles Means, MIRADCOM is in good shape and will continue to expand. I am confident the people will survive the reorganizing trauma, will tighten their belts a notch or two, and move out," he said.

"My people are tough. They don't get discouraged. They will handle the piddling problems we have now. I see nothing but continued expansion."

The Arsenal and Huntsville have changed a bit since that February morning in 1942 when a gaunt Alabamian standing 6-5 and weighing some 135 pounds came to town looking for a job.

"I had been teaching school in Lafayette, Georgia," McDaniel recalled, "when I read in the Chattanooga paper there were some job openings here at the Arsenal. Population of Huntsville was about ten to twelve thousand.

"I came down by the Russell Erskine hotel. There was a tire place there that had converted into triple decker bunks for a dollar a night and that is where I spent my first night.

"Early next morning I moved on down across the railroad tracks across from Joe Adams' warehouse, got my hair cut at a barber shop there and asked directions to the Arsenal. I came down Rideout, which wasn't paved then, and found the place."

Dr. McDaniel leaves "the place" this month, some 35 and a half years later still 6-5 but no longer at 135 pounds. He walks out with the same jaunty step and the folksy wit that is his trademark.

"I have signed a three-year contract with Hughes Aircraft as a consultant," he said, "but I won't be leaving Huntsville permanently. I'm keeping my house...my son John is moving into it...I'm keeping my dogs, my health food store and my real estate business. My son Mark has his law office on Madison Street and I want to buy a place there for my base of operations."

"I have too many ties here to leave, too many people and friends, too many unsolved problems. One of my main interests is getting industry for Huntsville and I'm going to stay on that job."

How did John McDaniel move up the ladder to become the top civilian here and one of the most powerful, best known civilians throughout the Army?

He leaned back in his chair, chewed on an unlit pipe, and reflected.

"I come from a conservative background," he said. "when I finished high school in Marion County, my folks had a big to-do at my granddaddy's house. They took

up twenty dollars and my mother sewed the money in my pocket so I couldn't get it, put my clothes in a pillow case and sent me off to school hitchhiking."

"I begged for food and worked for everything I got. I was sixteen then. In terms of Maslow's hierarchy of needs, I was number one. I was hungry."

"I have always been grateful to a lot of people for a lot of things, otherwise I couldn't have made it. After going through that, many of the problems that came my way later didn't seem to be real problems at all."

Beyond all else, he was goal oriented.

"I always set my sights way ahead and shot out there," he said, pointing off in the distance.

"I'm also a positive thinker. I don't worry. I don't look back. I have little tolerance with a person who says he's depressed. I feel if you can beat yourself out of that paper bag, you can beat your way out of any paper bag."

"I never sit around, remorseful about a mistake I've made, or something I did. You can't do R&D that way. You've got to keep charging."

McDaniel removed the pipe from his mouth and laughed.

"I guess the way to really describe me is to say I stay one jump ahead of the hounds."

"I love people and I'm very human but when I have people dragging, not working as part of the team, I lose my patience. Then I'm rough, I use profanity, and I'm not above firing them.

"One of my supergrades, when he first came to work for me, asked what the working hours were. I told: 'If I call you in the morning and you're not there, you're late. If I call you in the afternoon and you're not there, you left early.'

"That's a lot of guidance to give a man isn't it?" he asked. "What I was trying to

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Army Soldier Stats Down

DoD officials recently released Army active duty strength figures as of April 30, 1977. There were 97,847 officers, 675,299 enlisted and 3,868 U.S. Military Academy cadets on duty then for a total of 777,014. The end strength authorized by Congress for this period was 789,000.

As of March 31, 1977, the Army National Guard had an end strength of 371,447 and the Army Reserve 904,733 for a total of 1,276,180 in the Army Reserve Components.

With the exception of January 1976, the April strength of 777,014 is the lowest for the Active Army since the years between WWII and the Korean War. There was a total of 593,167 soldiers on active duty June 30, 1950; this swelled to 1,531,744 on the same date in 1951.

In the years between 1950 and 1977, the average Active strength was 967,966 soldiers.

The following gives the strength of the Active Army by pay grade as of April 30:

General of the Army	.....1
General	.....9
Lt. Gen.	.....33

Maj. Gen.	.....181
Brig. Gen.	.....225
Colonel	.....4,631
Lt. Col.	.....11,317
Major	.....16,888
Captain	.....30,056
1st Lt.	.....10,072
2nd Lt.	.....11,312
CWO-4	.....1,323
CWO-3	.....3,270
CWO-2	.....5,758
WO-1	.....2,771
E-9	.....3,733
E-8	.....12,628
E-7	.....45,576
E-6	.....71,377
E-5	.....113,999
E-4	.....182,984
E-3	.....90,582
E-2	.....101,090
E-1	.....53,330

The report also included the number of women serving on active duty as of April 30, 1977. The total of 50,919 included 5,472

women officers and 45,447 enlisted women. This is the largest number to serve on active duty since July 31, 1945, when 152,954 women were wearing Army uniforms. The peak strength for women was May 31, 1945 during WWII when there were 62,775 officers and 93,095 enlisted for a total of 155,870.

As of March 31, 1977, there was a total of 1,143,444 Army dependents. The dependent breakout looks like this:

Spouses	.....415,457
Children	.....643,036
Parents	.....58,803
Other relatives residing in the same household	.....26,148

The majority of these dependents are living in the United States and U.S. Territories as indicated:

Continental United States	.....991,276
Alaska	.....10,331
Hawaii	.....13,452
United States Territories	.....5,587

The remaining 122,798 dependents are residing in foreign countries.

Plant Tour Set

The North Alabama Chapter, American Society of Metals, will tour the Reynolds Metal Company's Wire, Rod and Bar plant at Listerhill, Ala., on Thursday, September 22. The tour begins at 5:30 at Gate 5.

Dinner will be at the Riverbluff Restaurant in Sheffield, followed by a question and answer session with Reynolds personnel.

LANDMARK WINS NATIONAL AWARD



Bob Brooks, vice president of Landmark Gallery of Homes, receives the first place Gallery of Homes Relocation contest award from Mrs. Jackie LaSalata, national relocation director for the network that last year helped 27,500 families moving from one city to another find homes.

The Rocket

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Sheriff Submits Not Guilty Plea

BIRMINGHAM — Madison County Sheriff Dave Headrick pleaded not guilty Monday when arraigned in federal court on a charge of violating the civil rights of a soldier stationed at Redstone Arsenal.

Trial on the federal charge was set for the period November 7 through November 18. Conviction on the charge carries a maximum penalty of a year in jail.

The sheriff was indicted earlier this month after a federal grand jury heard evidence collected by the Federal Bureau of Investigation

The case resulted from an incident in Huntsville night spot in June. Three Redstone soldiers said the sheriff had them taken to the Madison County jail after a scrap with a go-go dancer at Underground Huntsville.

Once at the jail, the soldiers said, two of them were beaten, one by a sheriff's deputy and the other by the sheriff himself. The federal indictment charged Headrick specifically with violating the civil rights of Anthony Squeglia of Dracut, Mass., a soldier assigned to the U.S. Army Missile Materiel Readiness Command.

Any Blood Today

The Red Cross Bloodmobile will make its regular monthly stop at the Recreation Center on Patton Road today. No appointments are needed for this call. Everyone eligible is urged to donate today.

Other stops at individual buildings this month are Bldg. 7442 on September 22, Safeguard Bldg. 4505 on September 30. Appointments are needed during this calls.

To make one, contact the Blood Program Coordinator of the particular building.



Specialist Petrey and BG Roddy

Soldier-of-Month

Specialist 4 Bennie W. Petrey, an MMCS student in the Pershing electronic technician course, was presented Post Soldier of the Month awards by Brig. Gen. Patrick M. Roddy, Deputy MIRCOCOM Commander.

Selection for the honor is made by a board of command sergeants major based on appearance and knowledge of military subjects, current events and world affairs.

Petrey, 22, is the son of Thelma Wynn of Daniels, West Virginia and the late James

Petrey. He entered the Army in September 1972 and took basic training at Ft. Jackson, S.C. Petrey attended Morrison R. Waite High School, Toledo, Ohio.

As Post Soldier of the Month, Petrey received a \$25 savings bond from MIRCOCOM along with a letter of appreciation from the commanding general and a \$25 check from the USAMMCS commandant. He also received a three-day pass and a weekend stay in the city of Huntsville from the Huntsville Chamber of Commerce.

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The Army Missile Research and Development Command Friday awarded competitive contracts to Boeing Aerospace Co., Seattle, Wash., and Vought Corp., Dallas, Tex. for development of the Army's new General Support Rocket System.

Boeing received approximately \$34 million and Vought approximately \$30 million to design, build, test and demonstrate free flight artillery rocket systems of their own design.

Following a competitive 29-month program of fabrication and testing, the Army will select one contractor for final qualifications and initial production.

Colonel Barrie P Masters, GSRS Project Manager said the contract awards "...are the culmination of two and a half years of program planning, proving system feasibility, and teamwork.

"A lot of people have done an outstanding job," Colonel Masters said, praising the close cooperation and efforts of both government and contractor agencies.

The Army solicited bids from approximately 31 sources. Boeing and Vought were selected by a team which included MIRADCOM, the Materiel Readiness Command, Armament Research and Development Command, Ballistic Research Laboratory, Harry Diamond Laboratories, Training and Doctrine Command, Tank Automotive Research and Development Command, and other Army agencies concerned with GSRS development.

Boeing is teamed with Thiokol Corporation's Huntsville Division which will design and develop a solid propellant propulsion system and the Teledyne Systems Company of Northridge, Calif., which is responsible for the Boeing system fire control unit.

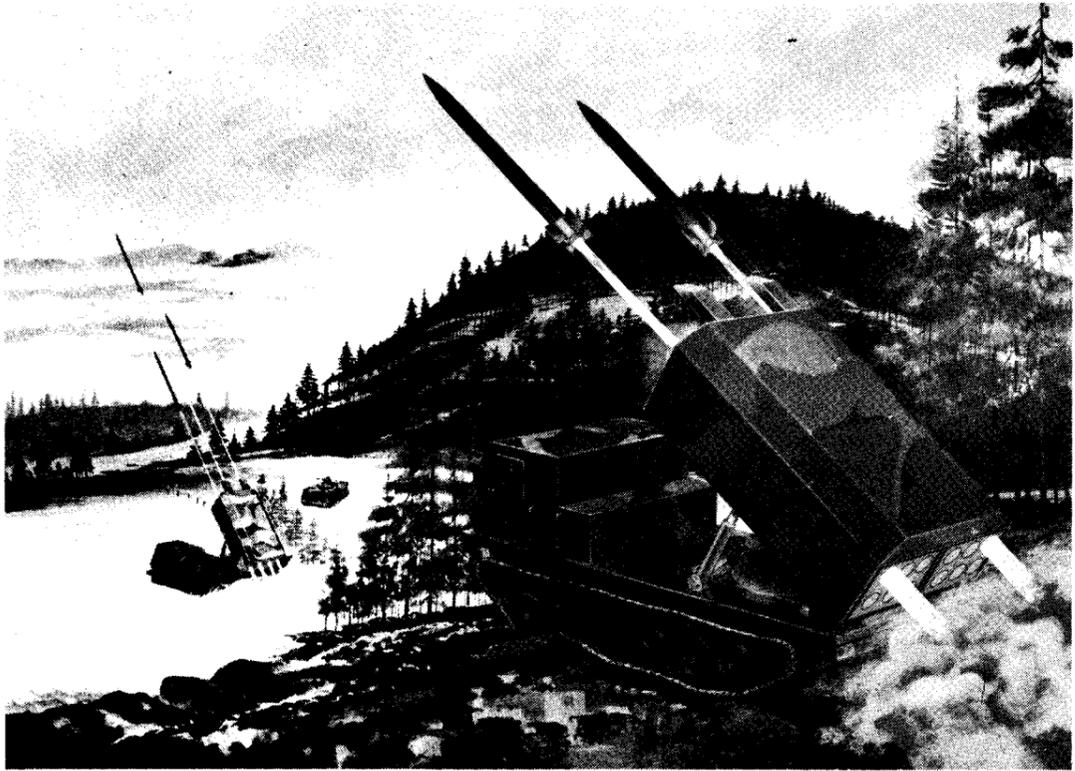
Vought is teamed with Atlantic Research Corp., of Gainesville, VA which is developing the solid propellant rocket system and Bendix Corp of Teterboro, NJ., which is responsible for their fire control unit.

Earlier, the Army awarded contracts to FMC of San Jose, Calif, for development of a self-propelled carrier vehicle and to Harry Diamond Laboratories for the rocket warhead fuzing system to be utilized by both contractors.

The Army plans to field GSRS in the early 1980s.

GSRS will be a low cost, rugged, reliable artillery rocket system that can be emplaced quickly and deliver a high volume of fire. The system will be mounted on a highly mobile, full tracked vehicle that will carry 12 rockets which can be fired singly or in rapid ripples.

The self propelled weapons carrier is a modification of the Army's new Infantry Fighting Vehicle which will give GSRS



cross country speed comparable with the Army's new XM-1 tank, enabling GSRS to be an integral part of the combined arms team.

"This weapon will provide a non-nuclear, rapid, indirect fire capability to supplement

cannon artillery when targets such as artillery, troops and light material appear on the battlefield rapidly and in great quantities", Colonel Masters said. "It will have growth potential for development of an indirect fire, heavy armor defeating capability. We have nothing in the field like it."

Range of the rocket will be more than 30 kilometers (18 miles).

Advantages of GSRS are its mobility, manpower savings and massive firepower. For example, one GSRS launcher can provide firepower equivalent to 27 eight inch howitzers against certain targets, yet requires only a three man crew.

MIRADCOM's Procurement and Production Directorate, headed by Colonel Bobby Hiland, negotiated the contract for the Army. William B. Sevey is the contracting officer.

Nuclear Waste Management

The Huntsville Section of the American Society for Quality Control will begin its 1977-78 program tomorrow night with a dinner and speech.

R. D. Hammond of Rockwell Hartford Operations, Richland, Washington, will discuss "Nuclear Waste Management."

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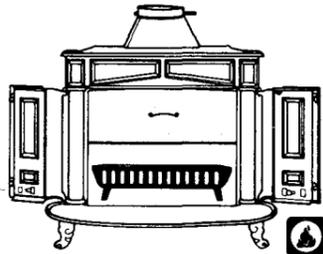
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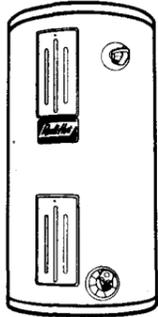
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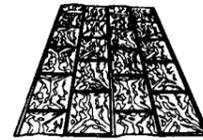
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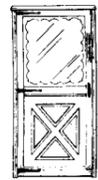
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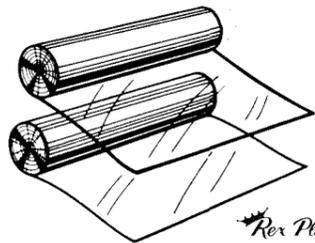
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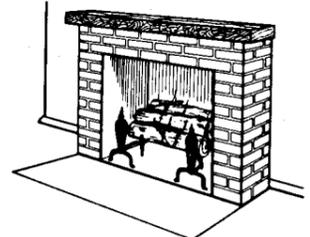


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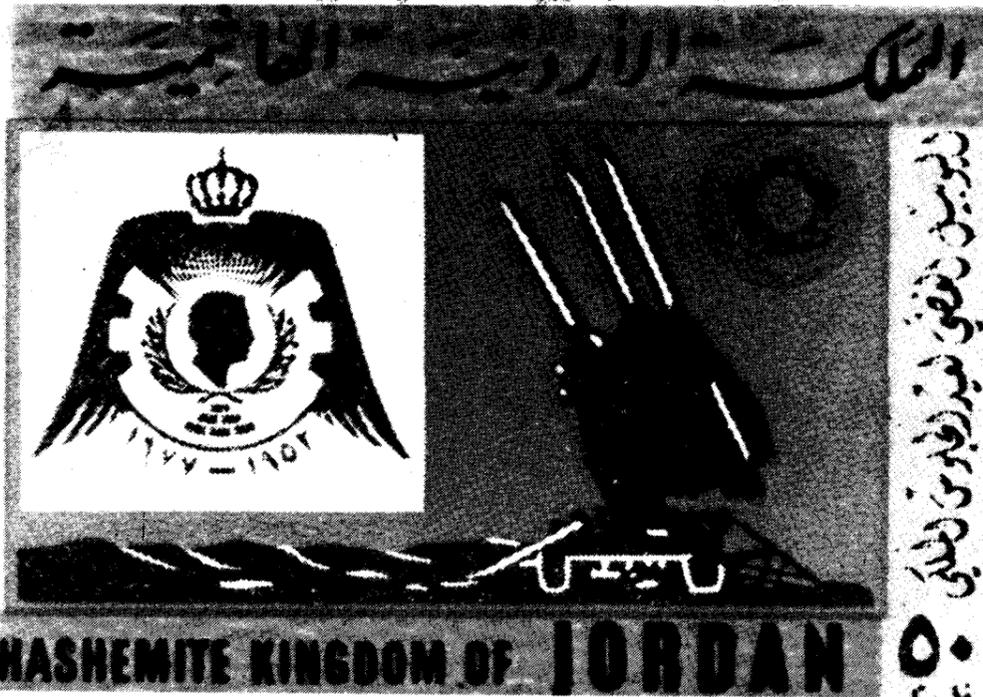
The FAAR course was moved here from Ft. Huachuca, Ariz., along with all the system's major equipment -- the Identification, Friend or Foe radar. The system is used in conjunction with the Vulcan Chaparral, Shillelagh and Redeye systems, also taught at the school. FAAR contacts low flying aircraft and sends the information to the Vulcan and Chaparral stations in the field, alerting them of the aircrafts' approach.

The 14 weeks and four days course provides students instruction on direct and general support repair of FAAR. One class is presently in process, and another class begins today. Fourteen authorized instructors are being sought to teach the course; six are presently teaching.

Sergeant First Class Authur Newcomer, noncommissioned officer-in-charge of the new FAAR system explained why the course was moved here: "FAAR use to be a signal system. Then it was changed to ordnance. Most all ordnance and radar systems are taught here or at Aberdeen. The Vulcan and Chaparral are taught here and the FAAR is used in conjunction with these systems. The Vulcan system MOS is a prerequisite for the FAAR system training."

According to Newcomer the new course was a welcome asset to the school with no trouble in finding space for the equipment, but he added, the difficulty right now is in getting the authorized 14 slots for the instructors and then finding the office space for them."

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SILVER JUBILEE STAMP — A series of commemorative stamps issued in Jordan features a range of achievements under the present government. An armed forces stamp includes a battery of Hawk missiles representing military achievement.

Other stamps feature advancements in such areas as education, agriculture, communication satellites, etc. The series is a single issue through this year only. The one photographed was brought into the Hawk office by Joe Norris, Chief, Product Assurance and Test Div.

Raised Rough Team

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tell the man was do what it takes to run his job. That gave him all the flexibility in the world."

The Guin, Alabama, native didn't start at the top. His first job here, at Huntsville Arsenal, a World War II predecessor to the Arsenal of today, involved processing clothing in a warehouse. His salary: \$6.24 a day.

"Working for the chemical corps, meant you had to wear impregnated underwear, long handles, and shoes and my first job was to put the material on the shoes and clothing. We wore gas masks all the time

then," he said.

Huntsville Arsenal made toxic chemicals - poison gas - and McDaniel worked with all of it: lewisite, phosgene, white phosphorous, mustard...

"I've still got the mustard scars to prove it," he said, showing brown scars on his wrists where protective sleeves sometimes slipped up.

Although McDaniel had a degree in chemistry, he quickly learned that a chemist used a wheelbarrow and shovel and other manual tools of the trade.

"It was practical chemistry—there was

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no theory," he chuckled, recalling long hours shoveling sulfur into tanks for mixing with ethylene gas and chloride to make sulfur mono-chloride which went into mustard gas.

In 1944 he went into the Navy for a two year hitch spent, for the most part, going to school.

"I managed to make a high score on the IQ test they gave me and when you do that in the Navy, you go to school forever." He taught for a time in Texas, teaching navigation and showing pilots how to handle sophisticated equipment.

When he came back in 1946, production had stopped, the arsenal was being placed on standby.

"I lived on the post then, in Splinter Village, and drove a pickup truck. We used pure grain alcohol, about two hundred proof, as a coolant for the chemical reactors and one of the chief entertainments for employees was to find ways to dip out a gallon or so. They could mix it with half

"I always set my sights way ahead and shot out there."

water or coke and still have a hundred proof.

"It was potent stuff."

In 1949, the Army decided to combine Huntsville and neighboring Redstone arsenals and centralize its missile and rocket work here. That decision brought Dr. Wernher von Braun and his rocket team from Ft. Bliss, to Redstone in 1950.

By then McDaniel had been reclassified as an electrical engineer.

"I enjoyed working with Dr. Von Braun and his people and I liked their approach to problems. They spent a good deal of time with their heads down on their desks, working, thinking," McDaniel laughed. "One of the first contacts I had with them was on a problem with Nike Ajax. When the booster ignited, the shock was going through the skin and upsetting the autopilot. All of them were there, I gave them the problem, an impulse loading problem, like hitting the back of the missile with a big hammer, and they gave me an approach, which I could not afford. I didn't have that much time.

"I went to White Sands, hung up the Nike Ajax on two pieces of Bungie cord, calculated the acceleration at a hundred and some g's and hit the back of the missile with a lead ball until I got the right acceleration. I discovered that a piece of mahogany would solve the problem and I suppose the Nike Ajax used the mahogany ring between the booster and missile to damp out the shock until the very end.

"That was one of my first guided missile fixes."

McDaniel made a decision about that time that was to launch his rise in civil service.

"I was doing reasonably well," he recalled, "but my wife, Johnnie, began asking me why I didn't start thinking about management. They seemed to make more money. So I moved over the management side of the house. After that, I did well.

"I moved to the top level at GS 18, once I got away from technical work to people problems. I think it's because I relate to people better than I do test tubes. I've always thought the way to handle people problems is to have all the time in the world to talk to a man or woman, never appear to be busy.

"In 1960, I hired Helen Gawreluk as my secretary and that's been a very important

part of my career. You can't underestimate the importance of that decision."

McDaniel today is acclaimed and recognized throughout the Army as a management expert. He has lectured and written many articles on the subject. What's the secret?

"Give people a lot of autonomy," he emphasizes. "They've got to recognize that there is a soft, yet firm grip on them. They must know they can go for help because if you don't do anything, you might as well not be the boss. But if you do anything to stop the innovation or creativity of that man or woman, then you have taken away from your total capability.

"The secret of how much autonomy you can give them varies from individual to individual.

"I think I know R and D management better than anybody," McDaniel said, "and I know it hinges on the dignity with which you treat people."

For what would Dr. John L. McDaniel most like to be remembered?

"For the organization I've built and for the facilities. I built a laboratory and a simulation facility and I built a team for one thousand to twelve hundred engineers to work on and they are good ones. That's a pretty big monument isn't it? But I can't really separate what I did from the team effort.

"There is just no way I can say that Mac did anything because if I hadn't had all this help I couldn't have done anything."

When the Von Braun Team shifted to NASA in 1960, some 4,000 Army civilians and \$100 million in R&D facilities went with them. Dr. McDaniel started almost from scratch to rebuild the Army R&D team. He had a few quonset huts in tin village for his laboratory and little else.

"So I began, by forming a team of about twenty key people. I put together that strong team and without exception, they have done outstanding work. As a matter of fact, I'm one of the first members of the

"I have an open door policy . . ."

team to leave. We were the poor cousins, quonset huts and no air conditioning."

He chuckled.

"I made them wear coats and ties and you should have heard them. They sweated and they bitched but I told them, 'don't look like a tramp, look like somebody.' That's all I had to offer them. When you had nothing, you had to look like something.

"I've had to manage for the most part with scarce resources and I've had to turn down a lot of people who wanted this and that and still build a team but I think I've built a team that will last forever. It came up rough and knows what it is not to get everything needed."

One of the highlights he remembers was getting McMorrow Laboratories; and the Advanced Simulation Facility.

"I made many trips to Washington and got plenty of help from Milton Cummings and Congressman Bob Jones. They did more for me than any other individuals I've ever known. Mr. Cummings would go to Washington and sit with me. We just about saw President Kennedy before we got the facility. In fact, if we hadn't gotten it the next day, we were going to see Kennedy. That was the level Cummings worked at.

"Getting approval for that facility was a highlight because it is one of the most modern facilities in the world."

What are the most immediate problems confronting Redstone?

"We have not stabilized from the last

perturbations of reorganizing, not the way I'd like," McDaniel said. "I don't mean stable to the extent you sit down and do nothing. I'm talking about the anxieties and fears of the people. I would like to have stayed longer. I could have done some things there but so can other people, and do them just as well.

"I have an open door policy where anybody can come in and bring a personal problem without coming through or even telling his boss. Now I may not solve their problem but I make them feel better while they've got it.

"They know they can talk to me—somebody to unload on. That's the thing they will miss and I will miss."

"Give people a lot of autonomy."

Elsewhere, he cited the high energy laser technology here as having great potential but "...we're not moving as fast as I'd like to see it. I'd like to put more times there." Another big area requiring attention is free flight rockets, in his judgement.

"As weapons get more expensive, we have to find ways to make them cheaper or we can't afford them."

Discussing his retirement, McDaniel said several factors influenced his decision to leave.

"I feel MIRADCOM is in excellent hands under General Means. He's one of the finest officers I've known, he's a leader, he's interested in people and their problems, and he's technically competent.

"You know, I'm kind of egotistical. When asked who can take my place, I say nobody can take my place. It would take several people to replace me," he laughed. "Everybody should have that attitude.

"But there's no doubt, we have an outstanding leader.

"Mam's health is not good and this will give me a chance to spend more time with her. We'll get an apartment in Los Angeles and I'll be able to go home for lunch. My kids have college educations now...Willie just got his degree...Mark's a lawyer, Bonnie's working on her PhD in mathematics, John is successful in business and plans to be a politician. They're all doing well. So Willie, Mama and I will settle in that city and see what happens.

"I thought after all these years, I had to quit sometime so it might as well be now. And another thing, I began to find I had been over the problems before. They weren't new anymore."

Looking to the future, McDaniel said he might teach after his three year stint with Hughes; write a book on handling problems and the decision making process; or go into the defense department. "I have had some people talking to me about that already," he said.

One thing he won't do is retire.

"I have all the elements around me for retirement," he said, "a house, a dog, boat, kids educated and all the ingredients of a man who should hang it up. But I will never hang it up. Never. I want to work fifty or sixty hours a week.

"I jog in the morning, I jog at night, I'm active, Mama is a health food nut, I call her; she keeps my blood pressure down, my cholesterol down, tries to keep my gut down but feeds too good for that. So I plan to keep going."

Speaking of going, he had come a long way since that cold February day in 1942.

"You do that by working, don't you. Work, and a hell of a lot of energy. You have to be healthy, you have to go without eating a few meals, sleeping too much and you have to be tremendously motivated. Tremendously motivated!" he said.

Managers for Hawk, Stinger

Whittaker, DeFatta Named



DeFatta



Whittaker

The Army has assigned some familiar faces to new places.

Colonel Vincent P. DeFatta and Colonel Howard C. Whittaker, both serving at Redstone since 1974, have just assumed key new roles.

Colonel Whittaker has just been named Hawk Project Manager, succeeding Brig. Gen. Patrick M. Roddy who is now the Deputy Commander of the Readiness Command. Colonel DeFatta has been named Stinger Project Manager Replacing Colonel David E. Green who has retired.

Successors to Whittaker, former Chaparral-FAAR Project Manager, and DeFatta, former High Energy Laser Systems Project Manager, have not been officially named.

A native of Baltimore, Whittaker is a graduate of the U.S. Military Academy and holds a Master's in Education from

Boston University. He also is a graduate of the Command and General Staff College and the Army War College.

Prior to becoming Chaparral-FAAR Project Manager in 1975, Whittaker served for nearly a year as Kuwait Project Manager.

DeFatta has enjoyed a diverse background.

Since coming here in 1974 as special assistant to the Lance Project Manager, he has served as Chief of the Advanced Systems Concepts Office, then Project Manager for High Energy Laser Stinger.

A native of Shreveport, La., DeFatta is a graduate of Spring Hill College in Mobile, Ala., with a BS in Chemistry and holds a Master's in Physics from the University of Tennessee. He also is a graduate of the Command and General Staff College and the Army War College.

Family Housing Gets Big Boost

(ARNEWS) — The organization which has responsibility for military housing has been revamped, according to officials in the office of the Chief of Engineers.

The move will provide more responsive support in bachelor, family and recreational housing, say the officials. Organized as the

Housing Division, the new office is now part of the Facilities Engineering Directorate of the Corps of Engineers.

The new division will serve as the principal Army agent in administering housing policy. It will also survey and determine Army housing requirements, formulate maintenance

policies, and set policy for construction of new housing units.

Military family housing for FY 1978 will be getting a substantial boost. The FY 78 appropriation request is for more than \$1,451 billion an increase of \$147.1 million over the FY 1977 figure. The appropriation dollar figure is for overall DOD

Extra Week

Some Army National Guard units will undergo three weeks of annual training next year instead of the usual two weeks.

Units eligible for the program are those which have short deployment times and those affiliated with active component units as "roundout" forces. "Roundout" forces train with their active counterparts, and would actually become a part of the active unit upon mobilization.

The three-week AT program is expected to substantially boost combat readiness. (ARNEWS)

Sir Slob

The Redstone Little Theater will present "Sir Slob and the Princess" on Sept. 30 and Oct. 1 and 2 at 8:15 p.m. and at 2:30 p.m. on Oct. 2 in Bldg. 3745 on Corporal Road.

This is a children's play, a slightly fractured fairy tale that tell how a ne'er-do-well kitchen scullion wins the hand of the beautiful and unpredictable Princess Rosebud.

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Re-up No Longer Automatic in Army

Staying in the Army after the enlistment is no longer an easy task. The boom is being lowered on those soldiers who perform on a mediocre level.

Several changes in reenlistment and related regulations have tightened the grip on all reenlistment. Soldiers who do not meet specific requirements on weight, education, and other areas are beginning to feel the pinch, and in some cases, being denied reenlistment.

Sergeant First Class Dean Britt, MIRCOM career counselor, and Sergeant First Class Tim Patterson, MMCS career counselor, said the Army is definitely getting touch on re-ups.

One of the major and most publicized changes has come about in recent months in the area of weight control. According to Britt, soldiers run the risk of a bar to reenlistment if they fail to meet Army weight standards.

"If you don't meet the height and weight requirements as prescribed in AR 600-A, you are not eligible for reenlistment," he explained. "Not only is the Department of the Army getting strict on overweight soldiers, but so are local commanders."

Britt explained that should a soldier at reenlistment time be overweight, he can be granted a six-month extension of his current enlistment in order to meet the requirements. At the end of that time should he fail to be the prescribed weight, he then may be barred from reenlisting.

Overweight isn't the only thing that can bar reenlistment, Article 15's can also cause heartburn, especially among first termers.

If a first termer has one or more Article 15's, he cannot automatically reenlist," Britt explained. "If it shows up on the computer that a soldier has had one or more Article 15's, then a phone call is made to DA for approval of his reenlistment. If DA denies him reenlistment, he has no recourse than to get out when his term of service is over."

Another problem that faces the first termer is overstrength MOS's. An overstrength MOS is one that has more people holding it than there are slots available. If a first termer requests reenlistment, a check is made on his MOS to find out if it is overstrength, understrength, or balanced. If a soldier's MOS is overstrengthed, then he must choose another MOS.

"First termers in overstrength MOS's must meet the requirements for MOS of choice providing it has a vacancy and it is not overstrength," explained Patterson.

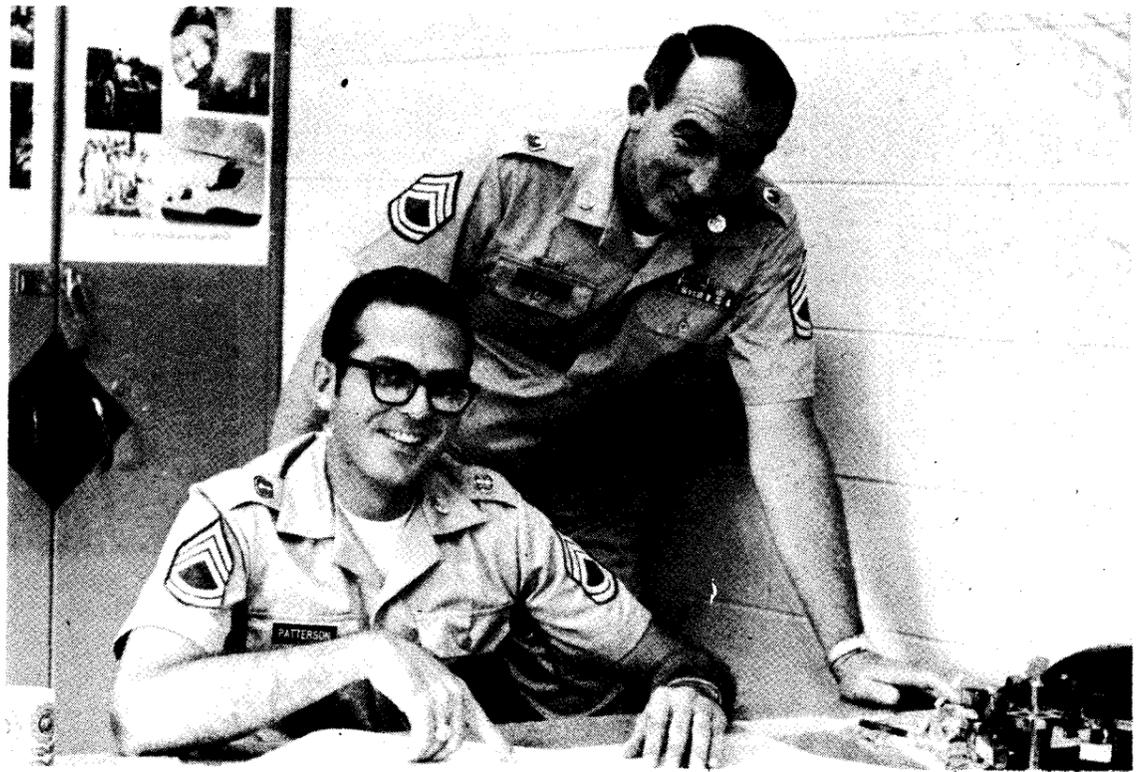
Patterson explained that female first termers face yet another obstacle when MOS overstrength is checked. "A female first termer cannot reenlist in an MOS if it is listed as being overstrength in women. This does not apply however, to those women who are on career status," he said.

Career soldiers do not have to reenlist out of their MOS despite overstrengths," he continued. "However, the option is open to do so."

Once a soldier gets over these hurdles in the race to reenlistment, he must face yet another one—that of education. Fortunately the education requirements rarely impede soldiers who wish to stay in.

Both career counselors agreed that few are denied reenlistment due to lack of education, as most soldiers meet the requirements of 10th grade education, a high school diploma or a certified GED test.

One factor that many soldiers fail to realize when they contemplate reenlistment



Sergeants First Class Tim Patterson and Dean Britt discuss reenlistment problems in the combined Mircom and

MMCS Reenlistment Office, located in building 3440.

is time in grade. The Army has set guidelines for a soldier's time in grade under the Qualitative Management Program (QMP).

An E-3 may remain in the Army only for five years, if he does not get promoted during that time. An E-4 may stay in for 10 years, an E-5 13 years, and an E-6 20 years.

Should a soldier's enlistment take him past the time in grade cut off time, he will be allowed to complete that enlistment.

"If you have an E-4 with 2½ years of service and he wants to reenlist, if he is on the promotion list to E-5 he will be allowed to reenlist for a maximum of 4 years," said Britt.

Both men said that the Army is very selective in who they reenlist. Britt summed it up, "Every effort should be made to let soldiers know that retention in the Army is not a right but a privilege—a privilege that must be earned."

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FEW Hears Haisten



Guest speaker for a dinner meeting of the North Alabama Chapter of FEW tomorrow evening at the Officers Club will be Florette Haisten, Director of Public Relations and Societal Factors, UAH Autocheck. The meeting starts at 6:30.

Haisten will be speaking on "Goal Conscious...You have to have a strategy."

She is associated with several community activities including the Heart Fund drive, North Alabama Legislative Council, AAUW, and Alabama Highway Safety Leaders. She also helped organize "Woman Health", an organization to upgrade women's health in Alabama.

Visitors are welcome to the meeting. For reservations, which must be made by noon today, call Ossie Neblett, 881-2012 or Dean McPherson at 876-7702. Cost of the dinner is \$4.75.

Local Firms Get Orders

The Readiness Command spent more than half a million dollars in August with Huntsville firms for supplies and services in support of Army missile programs at Redstone.

An additional \$30,000 went to companies in nearby cities.

Contracts for missile systems and related equipment ran to more than \$68 million awarded by the Research and Development Command. MIRCOC contracts totaled in excess of \$40 million.

Five Man Tank Crews

WASHINGTON (ARNEWS) — The Army is adding fifth crew member to existing tank crews.

During FY 78, the additional tankers will be assigned to selected units in Europe and FORSCOM for

Office, medical, laboratory, and building supplies were among the support items purchased.

Contracts and awards were executed by the Procurement and Production Directorates in the two commands.

an evaluation of the new program.

Officials say each of the extra crewmen will be trained in all aspects of the tank to which they are assigned. Training will take place on a rotating basis to develop proficiency in gunnery, communications, driving, and commanding.

A major advantage of the program would be the provision of an extra crew member, ready to fill any position in the tank under either peace- or war-time conditions without any "break-in" time.

PX Prices Could Be Increased

WASHINGTON (Arnews) — The General Accounting Office says that Military Exchange store prices could be increased and still be 16-18 percent below commercial prices.

In a report to the Senate Appropriations Committee, GAO said PX prices could be increased 7 percent to yield

greater profits for supporting morale, welfare, and recreation activities.

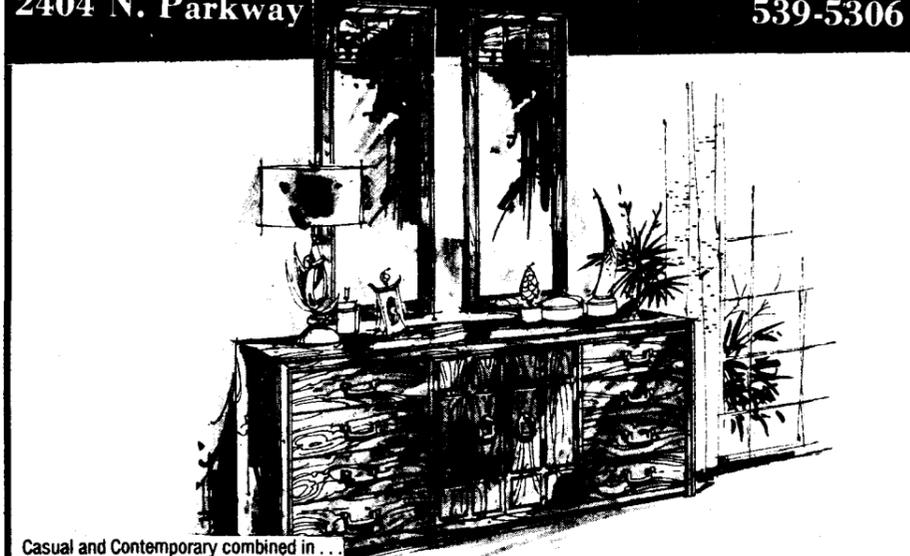
According to GAO, the government annually spends \$600 million subsidizing military exchanges, clubs, and recreation facilities. It recommends shifting more costs from taxpayers to the

users of the activities, through across the board price increases in all nonappropriated fund resale activities.

DoD officials are now reviewing GAO's recommendation, which would require Congressional approval if accepted by the military.

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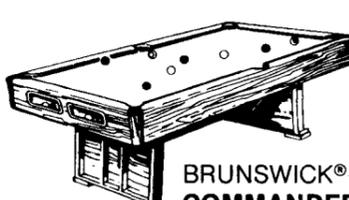
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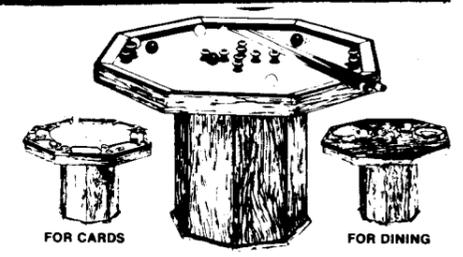
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CFC Kickoff Set for Monday

Major General George Turnmeyer will deliver the keynote on Monday morning when some 20,000 Federal employees at Redstone and throughout the Huntsville area join forces for their annual crusade in support of local, national and international welfare and social service agencies.

The Commander of the Missile Readiness Command will be the principal speaker at the traditional kick off rally opening the 1978 Federal Combined Campaign at the Rocket Auditorium.

Drive officials and organizational solicitors for the six-week drive will be in attendance at the assembly. Joining Turnmeyer on the speaker's stand will be representatives of the three main recipient agencies, the United Way of Madison County, the National Health Agencies and the International Service Agencies.

The kickoff program, emceed by Frank DuVall, will also include the official CFC film for the year and the Butler High School band.

The visiting dignitaries are expected to express personal thanks for the outstanding response in the area last fall and to point out the need for continued voluntary support for their humanitarian work.

Turnmeyer's talk will set the tempo for a campaign to further the outstanding record of generous giving that has marked each of the previous drives.

Last year Federal employees in the Huntsville area responded to the appeal with cash donations and payroll deduction authorizations totaling \$508,000. It marked

the ninth consecutive year in which the contributions exceeded a half million dollars.

Lloyd Lively is serving his second year as Area Campaign Coordinator and DuVall is directing the campaign for the Research and Development Command. Lee Watson is chairman of the Readiness Command's effort.

Lively said the drive will be conducted over a six-week period ending November 4. However, he said he anticipated the person-to-person canvass would be concluded a week or two before that.

Each person will be solicited by a fellow employee and asked to make a contribution to the overall campaign or to designate a gift for the specific agency of the giver's choice.

The solicitor will outline the payroll deduction option whereby the donor pledges a specific amount to the campaign with the pledge being paid through regular payroll deductions throughout 1978.

Designated contributions go directly to the agency named by the contributor while undesignated pledges and donations are turned over to recipient agencies according to a prearranged schedule.

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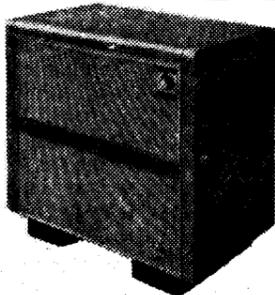
(ARNEWS) -- Most 'early outs' are out, say DA personnel staffers.

All Army personnel, both officer and enlisted, who have incurred service obligations, to include promotion lock-ins, should be prepared to serve the full obligation prior to separation.

In recent years a liberal waiver policy has been in effect as the Army decreased in size. But from now on, unqualified resignations, retirement applications and requests for release from active duty which involve the waiver of a service obligation must be fully documented say the staffers.

Generally, waivers granted will be based on documented hardships which did not exist at the time the obligation was incurred and which will be helped by the service member's separation from active duty.

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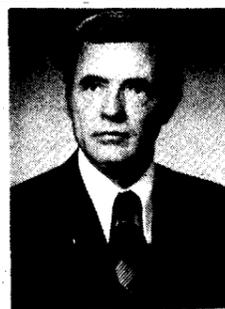
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MARTIN: "Return to Boggy Creek" ... A Huntsville produced movie, and it's a good one ... Rated G.
TRANSLUX BLUE: "Murder By Death" ... I don't like Truman Capote. He gives me the itch, but this is a funny movie ... Rated PG.
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UNIVERSITY CINEMA IV: "Silver Streak" ... If Richard Pryor wants to be bussed somewhere, I'll drive the bus! ... Rated PG.
WESTBURY I: "I Never Promised You A Rose Garden" ... A meaningful title. A good movie. Kathy Quinlan should be a nominee. Rated R.
WESTBURY II: "MacArthur" ... Ah! MY MOVIE! I've seen it 5 times! I loved General MacArthur. I love this movie ... Rated PG.

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"Moving With Dudley"

"I am an incurable romantic who doesn't want to be cured"

"BIG M ACRES" is not a sub-division, but a planned community. But here is the important point ... Dudley Powell, Sr. is doing the planning! A man who has built 176 houses in Huntsville, 37 large commercial buildings, was president of a chain of department stores, the John Gerber Company, in Memphis, Tennessee, the smallest of which had more square footage than any department store in Huntsville. While he was president of the John Gerber Department Stores, the company had a \$3,000,000.00 fire in the downtown store. Dudley Powell, Sr., along with my brother, Edwin Powell, personally rebuilt the downtown store after people said it could never be done. In fact, in the next years ahead, the company made the greatest profits in the history of the stores, on less operating expenses, producing the greatest net profits ever derived by the company. No other planned community has Dudley Powell, Sr. doing the planning. The way you predict future performance is by past performance! Lots on "BIG M ACRES," presented by Dudley Powell, Sr., are a good investment!

CONGRATULATIONS TO ALABAMA AND AUBURN ON THEIR WINS!!!

"ONWARD CHRISTIANS!" ... by Dudley Powell, Jr. Now, don't anyone think I've lost my senses. I'm not comparing myself to Clark Gable, but just using him as an example. You'll remember in "Gone With The Wind," after being against idealism, "Rhett Butler" chose to "stand with those brave men when they make their last stand." Well, CHRISTIANS, the ones of you who fought the lions with your bare hands in ancient coliseums, the ones of you who were burned at the stake, still proclaiming your faith, those of you who are fighting to preserve the family unit, fighting Communism, alcoholism and the disintegration of Holy wedlock, this unlikely ally joins your ranks! Oh, I have never been against you, but a few days ago I saw the cross of Jesus Christ, lying in the mud, on the front pages of newspapers throughout the land, and I didn't like the sight! IT HURTS MY HEART! So you won't think I am a hypocrite, I'll admit that there are a lot of things about me that don't fit the description of a good Christian. I've been like a child, playing outside a strong fort, not worried about the fort because I knew that it was well defended, knowing that I could run to safety, taking my children with me when I wanted to. But when I see the fort under attack I must come in to its protection, and its protection, in truth, are the loving arms of Jesus Christ, our Lord and Saviour. I'll also admit that I'm a hell of a long way from perfect, but it has suddenly gotten through this thick head of mine that that's why Jesus Christ was sent down to Earth anyway! If I was perfect, if you were perfect, we wouldn't have needed Him! Let ALL CHRISTIANS, Church of Christ, Catholics, Methodist, Baptist, ALL CHRISTIANS, stop arguing over silly, trite, ridiculous things like how many Angels can stand on a pinhead, and get on with the business at hand, which is testifying to the love of Jesus Christ! It is my opinion that if Jesus were to come back today, He would lash people who said you had to belong to one denomination, rather than the other, in order to go to Heaven! I believe He would lash them, just as He did the money changers in the temple! And I'm not saying that Jewish people are wrong. They love the Bible too, especially the Old Testament. One thing

LANDMARK GALLERY OF HOMES number one! But this is only part of the good news. The other part is the fact that LANDMARK GALLERY OF HOMES is opening yet another office on Mastin Lake Road. This will give them two offices in North Huntsville, while most real estate firms don't seem to care enough to have one! You will be hearing more about the brand new North Huntsville LANDMARK from Cindy "Sam" Brown in a feature article in the very near future. I will leave you with this thought for now ... If LANDMARK GALLERY OF HOMES is number one in the nation, what does that make them in Huntsville?!

CHRISTIAN ART TOURS, LTD ... by Suzy. After the ridiculous article in last week's paper, Sept. 5th, it is comforting to go to CHRISTIAN ART TOURS, LTD., at 4721 University Drive, West, and quietly view the beautiful paintings on display there. Paintings depicting the very things that we, as Christians, believe in. Paintings that are all religious in subject matter. Paintings that the artists rendered on canvas, after thoroughly studying the Bible. I firmly believe that CHRISTIAN ART TOURS, LTD. and their inspiring collection of art will help to enforce our feelings about the TRUTH. Yes, all of you who believe the Bible, there IS A GOD, JESUS CHRIST IS DIVINE, and may GOD have mercy on the souls of you who doubt ...

BETTY G'S FASHIONS ... by BETTY G'S friend, Suzy. BETTY "G" and I have been friends for a long time now, so I certainly feel qualified to write about her! To the "outsider," one would never guess that this beautiful, bubbling Lady is an excellent cook, a real "homebody," a friend in need, a gracious hostess to those who walk through her door and, one who is wise, well beyond her years! But more about that later. BETTY "G" has informed me that she bought too many FALL blouses this time, so, for the balance of this week, 100 of them will go for HALF PRICE! Also, she has a whole rack of evening wear, with values up to \$85.00, going for ONLY \$10.00, \$15.00 and \$20.00! Another good buy, a LARGE group of pant suits at 30% off! AND, there's more! Having studied art herself, BETTY "G" has long appreciated the nationally known photographer, ART GORE, and has a group of his pictures, now at 20% off! In my opinion, BETTY G'S FASHIONS has the most beautiful and complete selection of clothes and accessories in the whole world! I buy all of my clothes there, and I'm asked EVERY day, "Where did you get that outfit?" My reply is, as BETTY "G" would put it, "But where else, 'Dahling,' BETTY G'S, of course!" BETTY G'S FASHIONS, in the North Memorial Plaza Shopping Center ...

SERVICE MASTER ... by Suzy. Did you ever walk into your home after a wedding, reception, or a week of visiting relatives, (all fun things, but MESSY), and just about throw up your hands and walk right back out? I have. I just couldn't seem to get past that "stand and look at it and wonder where to start first" stage though! Where to start? What to do first? Drag out the old vacuum cleaner, the mop, the broom, the dust cloths, the window cleaner, the furniture polish, the repair kit, (mine consists of a hammer and a screwdriver), and all that stuff that just makes you want to cry! Well, go ahead and CRY, and then call on help from Mr. Skip Minor, of SERVICE MASTER! He's a nice man who knows and understands how we women feel when we're faced with a situation such as the ones described above. He may even pat you on the shoulder and say, "There, there, I know" ... VERY comforting, I promise you! He and his staff are "Angels in Disguise," and at your SERVICE, MASTER! Call SERVICE MASTER, 621 Meridian Street, 536-5334.

readers can tell already, the place is Montgomery. Now, on to "THE BEST" in town! As I walk in, I'm greeted by the friendly smile and conversation of the beautiful little hostess, Donna, while being overwhelmed by the atmosphere. A pleasant cross of "turn of the century" and "contemporary," and the mob of FRIENDS you've never met before! You guessed it, T.P. CROCKMIER'S — Montgomery, right off I-85 North, the Eastern By-Pass. As I sat "down" to the bar, (it is sunken), "Mr. Quick," (the bartender, Bobby), gave me super service on drinks, and Joe Bryant, assistant manager, though very busy, had time to welcome me there. But, all through a super meal, I felt strange, even though I was served by the "Dothan Belle," Ramona, and had hoards of friendly conversation with other CROCKMIER members, Kathi and Elaine, more drinks, music, and a long talk with the sweet, witty and intelligent "FIRST WOMAN PRESIDENT TO BE," (presently Hostess and college student), Donna Doan, (who has MY vote), I was still longing for something else, but couldn't imagine WHAT? More about Montgomery later, but now ... When I got back to Huntsville, I realized WHAT I had been longing for. It hit me like a ton of bricks! Like the old song goes, "There's No Place Like Home!" and "HOME" for Bud is "Angel Face," Patrick Wu, Mike Kelly, Cindy ... all of the folks at T.P. CROCKMIER'S, Huntsville! As nice as it was in Montgomery, T.P. CROCKMIER'S in our home town just can't be beat! Food, drinks, atmosphere, and most important of all, FOLKS! Go by THE PLACE, T.P. CROCKMIER'S, any day of the week. You won't find a BETTER place anywhere! See ya tomorrow at 5 ... P.S. Montgomery was nice, but I'm glad to be HOME!

VIKI-ROSE CERAMICS & GIFTS ... by "Sam." Viki Pont & Rose Brandon reminded me of something I'm not prepared to think about yet ... Christmas! Yes, the holiday season is too close for comfort. But Viki & Rose of VIKI-ROSE CERAMICS & GIFTS can help solve the problem. They can make personalized gifts for all occasions, or they'll be happy to teach you to do it yourself. What better way to show you care?! But don't wait 'til the last minute! Gift giving time is closer than you may realize! Viki & Rose of VIKI-ROSE CERAMICS & GIFTS will be glad to help YOU. VIKI-ROSE CERAMICS & GIFTS is located at 4216 Oakwood Ave. N.W., right behind the Steak Barn.

RUBY TUESDAYS ... by Suzy. Welcome back to our column, Steve Ennis and RUBY TUESDAYS! We're happy to have you aboard, and happy to spread the word! RUBY TUESDAYS, now under the sole management of Mr. Steve Ennis, has had a "face-lift" and is a super place to go to have fun, listen to good music, chat with friends and dance to your heart's delight! Some of my friends and I, including Mary Jo and Mary Ann from Memphis, stopped by there last Saturday night and, though I wasn't surprised, Mary Jo and Mary Ann were! They just didn't think a "small" town like Huntsville would have a cozy, comfortable, delightful place like RUBY TUESDAYS! Well, I guess I showed them! Steve Ennis is a super host, and greets everyone who comes in with a smile and a genuine welcome to his place. We had a wonderful time, and look forward to going again soon!!!

WIXC RADIO ... by Suzy, 11:40 on your dial! Not SUZY, WIXC! If anyone should know about "New Kids," I should! Well, I think you've all heard about the "New Kid In Town" by now, but it you haven't, you should! Coming to you from Fayetteville, Tennessee, WIXC RADIO has increased it's power to come in loud and clear, right here in Huntsville

Boeing, Lockheed Vought Split Study Contract

The Army's Ballistic Missile Defense Systems Command has awarded contracts totalling nearly \$15 million to three companies for the first phase of the Homing Overlay Experiment in its Systems Technology Program.

The Boeing Co., Seattle, Washington; Lockheed Missiles and Space Co., Sunnyvale, California; and the Vought Corporation, Dallas, Texas, each received an approximately \$500,000 firm fixed-price contract for a seven-month study to define the configuration of an experimental interceptor and the management and technical efforts required to develop it.

The HOE is aimed at resolving key technical issues that would be involved in developing interceptor missiles to operate above atmosphere as "overlays" to defensive systems operating at lower altitudes. Such interceptors could be used as the first tier of defense to reduce the number of attacking missiles that the lower altitude systems would have to contend with.

In the second phase of the Experiment, one of the three contractors will be selected to develop and provide the HOE interceptor for integration into the flight experiment, which includes the Systems Technology radar and data processing test facility already in operation at Kwajalein Missile Range in the Marshall Islands.

Another objective of the HOE is to reduce the development and deployment lead times this type of interceptor requires.

The contractors selected will work with the McDonnell Douglas Astronautics Company, the system integration contractor for the Systems Technology Program.

The Systems Technology Program is designed to investigate and evaluate a variety of potential BMD systems which are adaptable to defending a variety of national high value targets. The program is focused on solutions to key technical issues that would be involved in developing such systems.

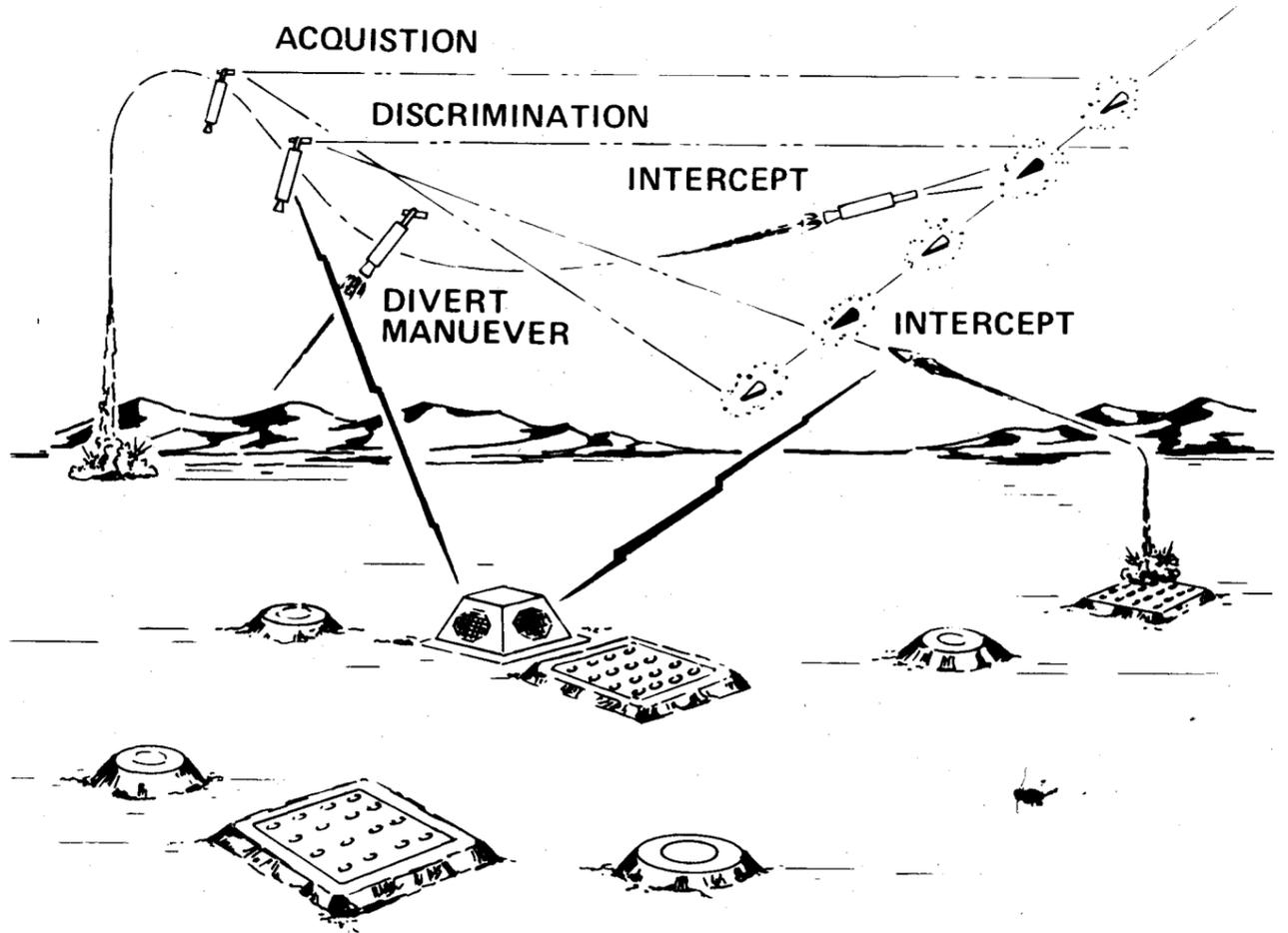
Estimators Meet

The National Estimating Society will meet Monday, September 26, at the Ramada Inn.

Humboldt C. Mandell, manager of Resources Management, LBJ Space Flight Center, will speak on "Shuttle Cost Estimating."

Reservations may be made by calling Barbara Saunders at 883-2900.

HOMING OVERLAY CONCEPT (Overlay to Defense of ICBMs)



HOMING OVERLAY CONCEPT—This artist's concept shows how the experimental interceptor that is to be defined and developed in the BMD Systems Command's Homing Overlay Experiment could function as a complementary "overlay" above a BMD system designed to function at a lower altitude, and thereby reduce the number of attacking missiles the defense system has to contend with. This concept shows the interceptor acting as an "overlay" to a hypothetical BMD system designed to defend fixed-base ICBMs. It is launched from the ground to high altitude, locates the group of attacking missiles (acquisition), determines which among them is a real warhead (discrimination), and flies out to intercept its chosen target (divert maneuver), reducing the stress on the ground-based system. (OFFICIAL U. S. ARMY PHOTO).

AUSA Hears Gen. Guthrie

General John R. Guthrie, commander of the Army Materiel Development and Readiness Command, will speak at the Sept. 29 meeting of the Tennessee Valley chapter of AUSA. The dinner meeting will be held in the Officers' Club beginning at 6:45.

General Guthrie will participate in the MIRCOM change of command ceremony and the retirement of MG George D. Turnmeyer the morning of Sept. 30 before making an official visit to MIRADCOM for the remainder of the day.

Tickets for the AUSA meeting are \$5.50 and are available from Betty Whitman at 6-4414.

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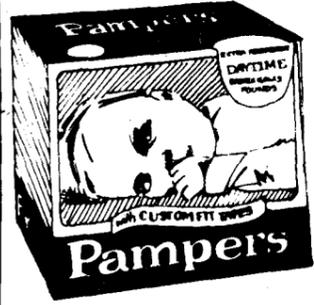
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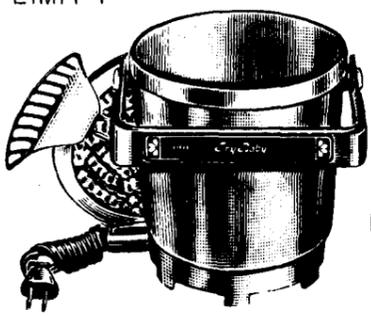
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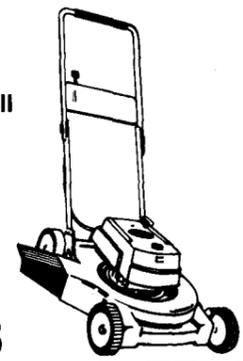
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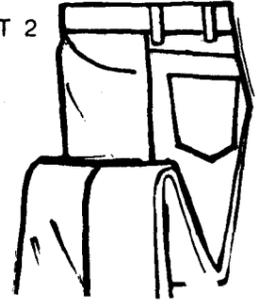
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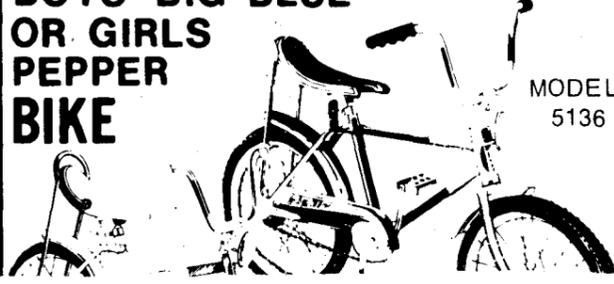
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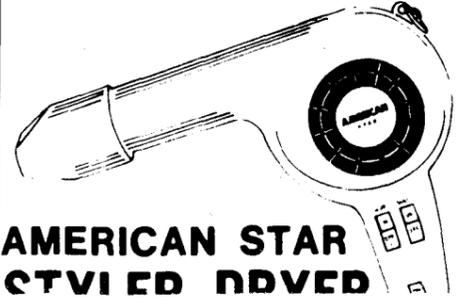
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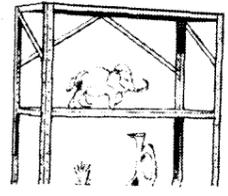
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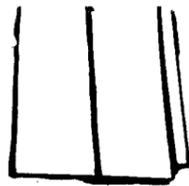


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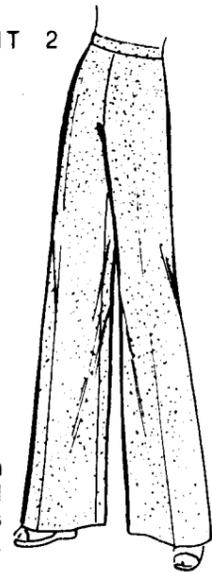


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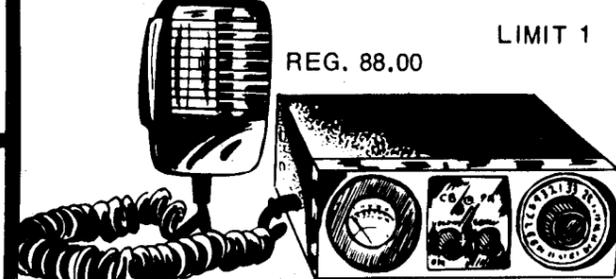


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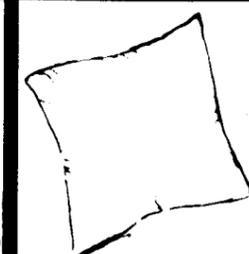
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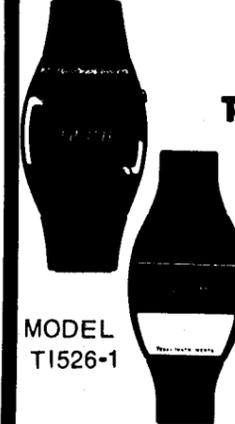
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- c. Comb your hair
- d. Wave to the MP

or do any of those other fun things Redstone drivers do, that you have entered a military installation where driving can be very different from a city street.

Each Army post has its own peculiarities. They can trap the unwary or unthinking driver. Redstone is no exception.

This fourth in a series on driving safety will concentrate on the unusual regulations and situations here on post. Military commanders and safety personnel alike hope that better awareness of these potentially dangerous conditions will help turn the accident rate down, a new and different direction.

—Gates. The first thing one encounters when entering Redstone is a gate in the middle of the road. Most drivers manage to avoid hitting it or the guard station. There have been those who could not.

During regular business hours all eight of Redstone's perimeter, or border, gates are open to traffic. One of these, Gate 8, remains open around the clock to provide access for on-post residents.

The gates are often manned by at least one MP. An MP has the authority to stop traffic entering or leaving the arsenal. For this reason, speed limits at and near the gates are substantially lower than those for the rest of the roadway. Any driver passing through a gate should be prepared to yield and pull over if so ordered.

Several areas and buildings on Redstone are accessible only through internal gates. These are usually manned by civilian guards, but otherwise rules are the same as at perimeter gates.

At night, switch to parking lights as you approach a gate to avoid blinding the guard.

—Reversible lanes. Some arsenal roads have reversible lanes to carry additional traffic during morning and evening rush periods.

From 7 to 8:15 AM, the center lane of Patton Road in the MMCS area is one-way south, while from 4 until 5 PM, it reverses to one-way north. During the rest of the day it serves as a left-turn lane. In the same periods, both lanes of Martin Road become one-way in, mornings, or out, afternoons, between Whitesburg Drive and the Patton Road overpass.

Many drivers ignore the reversal of Patton Road's center lane in the afternoon and continue to try to use it as a left-turn lane. This results in serious and potentially dangerous traffic tie-ups until northbound traffic is well-established.

Lanes marked by overhead red "X" lights are being used by traffic from the opposite direction. Stay out of them.

—Special right-of-way. There are unusual right-of-way situations on any military base.

An example on Redstone is the busy intersection of Martin-Rideout Roads, a four-way crossing with a three-way stop. The southbound lane of Rideout always has right-of-way over all other traffic. When Rideout South is clear, traffic in the other lanes is expected to yield to the vehicle on the extreme right, as in any other multiple-stop situation. With one side of the intersection missing from this formula, confusion and false starts often result.



ALL STOP! Even without traffic lights or signs, pedestrians still have the right-of-way on Redstone when using marked crosswalks.

Another unusual situation, but one less confusing, is the Redstone-Patton intersection. At this three-way intersection, the northbound lane of Patton must yield to all other traffic, including left turns from southbound Patton onto Redstone.

Some parking lots, the one at MIRCOCOM Headquarters, for example, have unusual set-ups. Cars leaving the area in front of the building have right-of-way when turning into adjacent service roads. Drivers on these roads sometimes forget or ignore this right-of-way, even in the face of yield signs.

—Special vehicles. For those who have not had the experience, driving a tactical vehicle such as a tank, personnel carrier, or missile transporter is a full-time task made no easier by extremely restricted visibility. The guy driving the next one you meet on the road may not be able to see you. You can dispute the right-of-way with him if you want to, but you'll lose the argument every time. Stay well clear of anything large and painted olive drab.

—Pedestrians. Though often ignored off-post, pedestrian rights are strictly observed on Redstone. Pedestrians within a marked crosswalk or walking on the left side of the road in areas without sidewalks have right-of-way. Also, all traffic must yield to troops marching in formation at any time.

—Permits, inspection, and safety. All vehicles regularly driven and parked on Redstone must be issued and display a

driving permit sticker issued by the Provost Marshal's office. This sticker registers and identifies a vehicle as the legitimate transportation of Redstone personnel.

Regular driving on Redstone, as in many states, requires an annual safety inspection. Inspection forms are available from the Provost Marshal, where they are returned after being completed and signed. Driving privileges of persons who fail to have their cars inspected can be suspended.

—Implied consent. People who drive on Redstone grant implied consent, by their presence on post, to be given tests for alcohol or drug intoxication. Refusal to take these tests when requested by authorized personnel results in an automatic six months' revocation of all post driving privileges.

—Penalties. Fines for violation of Redstone driving regulations range from \$5 to \$50. When a ticket is issued, the recipient is also given an envelope in which to mail the fine. If he desires a hearing, a form attached to the envelope is enclosed and mailed, and a hearing date in the Federal Magistrate's Court will be set.

Redstone has a driver point system. Any driver who accumulates more than 12 points in 12 consecutive months, or 18 points in 24 consecutive months will have his privileges suspended for not less than six months. Serious offenses on the part of military personnel can result in courts-martial, while civilians can be tried in Federal court.

Next week, actual Redstone accident hotspots, their causes, and defense against them will be presented.

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LANDMARK GALLERY OF HOMES IS NUMBER ONE IN THE NATION! ... by Dudley Powell, Jr. Yes, of all the Gallery of Homes in the nation, LANDMARK GALLERY OF HOMES was awarded the trophy for being Number One recently at a convention in Canada. Ms. Elaine Troup must be turning cartwheels, because as Re-location Coordinator for LANDMARK GALLERY OF HOMES, she helped make this prestigious award possible. Now, let me tell you how LANDMARK continues to train such superior personnel. From 167 recent applicants, all but 57 were eliminated. Of the 57, only 15 made the final "trimming!" Those lucky 15 are receiving 76 hours of training before they make their first supervised sales presentation. This is the kind of training that made

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Finally, a professional personnel placement firm! "Sam" says, if you're looking for a job, or you aren't happy with the job you now have, let Mr. Louis Brackeen, Jr. of P.A.N. PERSONNEL CONSULTANTS help you! I had a very pleasant visit with Mr. Brackeen recently, and was highly impressed with his high standards and his professionalism. He guarantees the job he finds for you, or he will find you another, or refund your fee. He treats each case individually, with placements based on merit. And, Mr. Employer, Louis Brackeen screens all applicants for you. Many of his placements have worked their way up into management, and they know they can rely on him for the very best in applicants. Mr. Brackeen doesn't specialize in any particular field, but is most anxious to have an inventory of good people, such as office workers, beginners, secretaries, and persons, male or female, who are interested in management trainee programs. Stop by P.A.N. PERSONNEL CONSULTANTS at 904 Bob Wallace Ave., Suite 128, and let Louis Brackeen, Jr. HELP!

CB WAREHOUSE ... by "Sam." I could easily become a CB nut! Johnny Wilson of CB WAREHOUSE is so enthusiastic, it's contagious! He has a few 23 channel CB's left for as low as \$39.00. And at CB WAREHOUSE, you get more for your money. They have a full service department, and they INSTALL what they sell! Discount stores don't! Worried about theft? Johnny tells me since the price of CB's has dropped, so has theft. That's logical! If you're still worried, they can install a remote mounted unit in your trunk, with the "mike" and controls inside. Or get one you can take inside with you at night! Still worried?! Johnny has the answer! A Police Scanner by SBE. You'll be right on top of the action! Stop by CB WAREHOUSE at 2034-B North Memorial Parkway, and let Johnny Wilson, the friendly resident CB nut, help you!

FOODS FOR LIFE ... by "Sam." I continue to be amazed at the knowledge possessed by Mr. Patterson & Mrs. Leibacher of FOODS FOR LIFE. They really know their "stuff!" And right now, in addition to the knowledge so kindly shared, they're offering the Healthy Hair Vitamins for only \$5.88. Also, you can buy one bottle of Vitamin-E by EDL in 200 or 400 IU for the regular price & get the second at half price. Dietic brand Vitamin E ... 2 for the price of one. If you're on a diet, and who isn't, FOODS FOR LIFE has the Natures Bounty diet plan for \$14.95, Rich Life at \$17.95, & Natur Slim for only \$19.95. They also have the pre-digested liquid protein used in The Last Chance Diet as recommended by Dr. Linn in recent magazine articles. They even have blenders, water distillers, and yogurt makers! Want to look prettier? Try the Koscot line of cosmetics with a mink oil base. FOODS FOR LIFE has it all!

WADE'S CYCLE CENTER ... by Suzy. BMW's and MOTTO GUZZI's! That's a part of what Jeannie WADE'S CYCLE CENTER is all about! Just a part though, because there's lots going on there. If you're INTO cycling, but don't really know everything there is to know about it, then you must visit with Jeannie and Harry Wade. They've been into cycling for years and years, and in the cycling BUSINESS for five years. At WADE'S CYCLE CENTER, you'll find a complete selection of cycling gear, a parts department that won't let you down, and personal advice about any and everything you'd care to ask about motorcycles! I have learned a lot about motorcycles from Jeannie and Harry, including the SAFE way to ride, and I suggest and recommend that you go by today to WADE'S CYCLE CENTER, 3805 Governors Drive, and let Jeannie and Harry "Show and Tell" YOU the reason for owning a BMW or MOTTO GUZZI, or BOTH!

Reply to "AN ADMITTED UNKNOWN CRITIC," (AND WE KNOW WHO YOU ARE!) ... Please do not assume that all Southerners are not familiar with great literature. Many of the great authors produced by this country have been Southerners. I also want to comment that Mark Twain, or Samuel Langhorne Clemens, if you prefer, never wrote a thesis! While I lived in Europe I attended a six weeks special study group at Stratford-on-Avon, in Warwickshire, the birthplace of William Shakespeare, to study his works and take parts in his plays. There were 250 applicants, and I was one of 25 selected. In other words, what I am telling you is, "There are more things in heaven and earth, Horatio, than are dreamt of in your philosophy." I would also like to comment on your misspelling, and the fact that you misquoted Shakespeare. The correct quotation is: "The Lady doth protest too much, me thinks." "A little learning is a dangerous thing, drink deep, or taste not the Pierian Spring."

NIGHT LIFE, "DOWN SOUTH" ... by Bud. I recently went on a tour of "Southern Night"-life in one of our neighboring cities, visiting many places of interest such as "The Coaches' Corner," the "Desperado's," the "Ramada Inn" and the "Holiday Inn Downtown." As many of you

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TOM SHARP TIRE SERVICE ... by Suzy. You've heard of "wheeler-dealers" ... Well, TOM SHARP isn't one, so to speak, but he does deal in wheels! And, besides all that, he's a VERY nice man! As Uncle Dudley keeps saying about TOM SHARP TIRE SERVICE, "If You've Got A Wheel, We've Got A Deal." I've been to all three of the TOM SHARP locations, and I've finally found out the difference between a WHEEL and a TIRE! Not only that, but I've watched the men working on cars, (on those things that take the cars high up in the air), and they really do a good job!! In no time at all, you can have your tires rotated, spin-balanced, aligned ... but before all that stuff, get your tires "trued." Better to be safe than sorry, I always say, and to keep your TIRES and WHEELS safe, go to TOM SHARP TIRE SERVICE today!! P.S. I AM learning, aren't I, Mr. SHARP??? TOM SHARP, and UNIROYAL TIRES ...

TERRY'S PIZZA ... by Suzys' kids. Now, an 8 and 6 year old has never written commercial ads for The Entertainment Preview, but they are so convincing in their love for TERRY'S PIZZA that I just have to tell it to ya'll like they tell it to me! So, here goes! Tiger: "Mamma, let's have PIZZA tonight." Angie: "Yeah Mommie, let's have PIZZA!" Tiger: "I want a LARGE, (now, remember, he's only 8), pepperoni, mushroom and extra cheese!" Angie: "I don't. I just want pepperoni and cheese!" (At this point I'd like to say that each time we have TERRY'S PIZZA, I have to argue with Tiger about his eyes being too big for his stomach, which they are, but by golly, I do believe he COULD eat a large one if I'd let him!) Anyway, that's the gist of the conversation with my little ones every time PIZZA is mentioned, and when it IS mentioned, they'll settle for nothing less than TERRY'S!

JOLLY GREEN THUMB ... by "Sam." "Brighten the corner where you are!" Drab old winter is just around the corner, and to me, that's just plain depressing! But the JOLLY GREEN THUMB has the solution to the winter blahs ... bring the outdoors IN! You'll find a great big greenhouse full of the most beautiful green plants in Huntsville. There are small plants you can raise for yourself, and there are BIG plants that are perfect in any decor. Be kind to them, feed them ... JOLLY GREEN THUMB has plant food, too ... and plant lights, and planters that hang, or stand, beautiful pottery and macrame ... you name it, they've got it all at the JOLLY GREEN THUMB! Lovely miniature roses for only \$3.59 that would brighten any corner where you are! Stop by JOLLY GREEN THUMB at 202 Governors Drive. They'll be happy to help you.

What is it about women that is so exciting to me? I've never really understood it myself, but ever since I was a kid in grammar school I was always fascinated by red-heads and blonds, with emphasis on the red-heads. Little red-headed girls that had freckles fascinated me even more than the ones who didn't. I like classic red-heads as well. Arlene Dahl, Rhonda Fleming...and always been fascinated by blond women. I've even done research on how and where blonds originated from. It's a little known fact that all blond genes came from the Nordic countries. There's no evidence that there ever were any blonds, except those who migrated from that part of the country. Vikings, Germans, Norwegians, Swedes...there have been such classic ladies that come from this part of the world that it would do no good to try to recap them all. It's also a known fact among genealogists that blonds and red-heads are slowly disappearing because of the fact that genes are dominant and, generally speaking, when they marry someone with dark hair they have either none, or less children with blond or red hair than the previous generation. The Vikings, of course, were a famous blond group, and Iceland as a whole is almost a whole country of blonds! Also it is a fact that when blonds marry blonds, or red-heads marry red-heads, which by the way, is very unusual...red-headed men and women usually don't like each other. But when it happens, the odds are in their favor, in this case, to produce red-headed or blond children with blue eyes, than ever before. Nordic people and their descendants have always been fascinating to Uncle Dudley. It's not that Uncle Dudley doesn't like girls with black hair, brown hair, brunettes and all of the other colors...It's just that there's this extra fascination with the Nordic people and their descendants. The Entertainment Preview selects as the BEST song of the year the "Theme Music from Star Wars." Number two, "The Spy Who Loved Me," and unquestionably the WORST song of the decade, "The Best Of My Love."

The opinions expressed herein are those of Dudley Powell, Jr. and staff

Club Opens Up

All soldiers in grades E-1 through E-9 are now eligible to utilize the facilities at the main NCO Open Mess.

In effect since Sept. 16, the ruling allows all grades full use of club facilities. However, those personnel in grades E-1 through E-3 will not be allowed check cashing privileges.

Those in grades E-3 and below will still purchase their club cards through the NCO Club Annex, and the dues will remain two dollars a month. Soldiers who are under the legal drinking age for Alabama will have their club cards stamped as minors, and will only be allowed to purchase beer at the club.

Previous to this, only E-4's and above were authorized to use the main club facilities, however, due to minimum space and facilities at the annex, all enlisted soldiers are now authorized use of the main club.

House Painting

Exterior painting of family housing on Redstone is continuing with those in the 400 to 1400 area recently completed, those in the 1200 to 1300 area now being painted, and painting of older quarters on Bomford Drive, the RASA headquarters area and one house on Buxton Road to be painted soon.

Wherry units will soon be painted and will also receive new gutters, and housing on Ripley, Wadsworth and Bomford Drives will have the siding re-stained, the trim painted and new gutters installed this Fall.

Facilities Engineer personnel said, however, that all painting in progress during October will cease November 1, and

Army Examines Women's Role

(ARNEWS) — The Army is re-looking at the combat environment and the woman's role in that environment. Army officials recently discussed a number of studies involving women soldiers and their role in today's Army.

The Army wants to bring more qualified women into the service an official said, but the service is not sure how many women will be ultimately recruited.

The Army intends to increase the number of women recruits over the next two years, requiring DA to continue a series of studies on how best to employ the women. Additionally, staffers feel that the two year study period will allow women already in the Army to advance and not be clustered in the lower grades.

The projected strength of enlisted women in the Army is 50,400 by the end of FY 79 and that figure is expected to increase. "In any event, it is safe to say that we do not see a reduction or even a leveling in the numbers of women coming into the Army in the immediate future," said one official.

There are presently eight studies being conducted by the Army to determine possible future roles of women:

o Definition of the Direct Combat Role. The Army is looking for a new definition of "direct combat." Major Army Commands

resume about March 15 next year depending on weather conditions.

Other work to be done is repair and staining of cedar siding in the 400 to 1400 area, and in the 1400 area, balcony flooring will be waterproofed.

When all projects are completed, the exterior of all family housing units will have been freshly painted in the last year and a half.

have submitted comments which will be studied by DA.

o ADMINCEN Evaluation. This evaluation is being conducted to determine the percentage of women that could be used in all Army units. Units will be evaluated by MOS and grade and the results are expected at DA on Mar. 1, 1978.

o MAX WAC Test. Conducted to determine the effectiveness of varying the percentage of women soldiers assigned to selected Category II and III TOE units. The test will assess the ability of the unit to perform its mission under field conditions. The testing portion of MAX WAC has been completed and analysis of the test results is underway.

o REFORGER 77 (REFWAC 77). Conducted to determine the impact women have on a unit mission during deployment and operations during extended field conditions. REFWAC 77 is an extension of the MAX WAC concept and the results are expected at DA on Mar. 1, 1978.

o Comparative Data Collection. Conducted by personnel centers and Deputy Chief of Staff, Personnel to determine lost and nonproductive time of men versus women.

o Attrition Analysis. This analysis will determine the number of women leaving "nontraditional" (vehicle driver, missile repair, etc.) for "traditional" MOSs such as administrative, medical, and clerical.

o Cost Analysis. Presently being developed to determine the difference in cost of men versus women. This analysis will cover all aspects of Army life such as training, housing, clothing, etc., from initial entry through a 20-year career to retirement.

o Physical Fitness Standards. This study is designed to establish standards appropriate for all MOSs and condition anticipated in the field environment.

Officials said that at present, 92 percent of the MOSs are open to women but as a result of the studies underway, this figure might increase.

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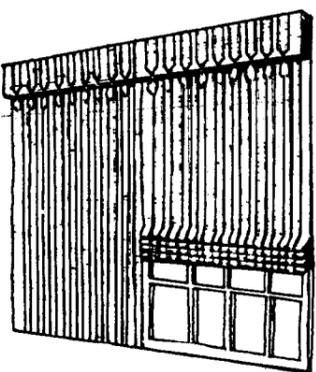
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RSA Women Boost AUSA

A special women's group has been formed within the Tennessee Valley Chapter of AUSA and will try to expand membership among women.

The effort was kicked off recently in a meeting attended by 51 women representing women in the Army, government civilian employees and women from the community.

Dr. Julian Kobler, president of the Tennessee Valley Chapter, and Col. Harvey C. Day Jr., membership chairman, spoke to the group and encouraged their effort.

Eileen Hallock, chairman of the drive, said she plans a "Women in Action" committee to promote chapter activities such as scholarships, seminars, style shows, luncheons with prominent guest speakers and other activities of interest to women.

According to Hallock, the woman who signs up the most new AUSA members will be recognized as "Ms AUSA" and will receive prizes.

The next meeting of Women in Action will be Friday, October 7 starting at 1 in Rm. A-200, Bldg. 5250.

E-5, E-6 Promotion Zones Changed

(ARNEWS) — DA Officials have announced changes in zones of promotion to E-5 and E-6 that became effective September 1.

Due to the time necessary to compile promotion statistics from the field and forward them to MILPERCEN, the changeover from Secondary Zone to the Primary Zone has been extended by three months.

- E-5s on a promotion list as of June 30, 1977, with a basic Active Service Date of June 30, 1971 or earlier are eligible for promotion to E-6 in the Primary Zone if they meet the MOS cut-off score.

- E-5s on a promotion list as of June 30, 1977, with a BASD of July 1, 1971 or later are eligible for promotion to E-6 in the Secondary Zone if they equal or exceed the MOS cut-off score.

- E-4s on a promotion list as of June 30, 1977, with a BASD of September 30, 1974 or earlier are eligible for promotion in the Primary Zone to E-5 if they meet the MOS cut-off score.

- E-4s on a promotion list as of June 30, 1977, and having a BASD of October 1, 1974 or later are eligible for promotion to E-5 in the Secondary Zone if they meet the MOS cut-off score.

Soldiers in the Secondary Zone for promotion to E-6 will be administratively transferred to the Primary Zone on the first day of the month that they complete the required active service shown below:

If during the month of	the soldier has the listed months of active service	he or she is eligible for promotion in Primary Zone
Jun. 77	72 (BASD Jun. 30, 71)	Sep. 1, 77
Jul. 77	72 (BASD Jul. 31, 71)	Oct. 1, 77
Aug. 77	72 (BASD Aug. 31, 71)	Nov. 1, 77
Sep. 77	72 (BASD Sep. 30, 71)	Dec. 1, 77
Oct. 77	73 (BASD Sep. 30, 71)	Jan. 1, 78
Nov. 77	74 (BASD Sep. 30, 71)	Feb. 1, 78
Dec. 77	75 (BASD Sep. 30, 71)	Mar. 1, 78
Jan. 78	76 (BASD Sep. 30, 71)	Apr. 1, 78
Feb. 78	77 (BASD Sep. 30, 71)	May 1, 78
Mar. 78	78 (BASD Sep. 30, 71)	Jun. 1, 78
Apr. 78	79 (BASD Sep. 30, 71)	Jul. 1, 78
May 78	80 (BASD Sep. 30, 71)	Aug. 1, 78
Jun. 78	81 (BASD Sep. 30, 71)	Sep. 1, 78
Jul. 78	81 (BASD Oct. 30, 71)	Oct. 1, 78

Officials added that soldiers whose names are being transferred to the Primary Zone will remain in Secondary Zone status during the three-month transfer period. After the soldier becomes eligible in the Primary Zone, he or she will only be promoted from the Primary Zone.

In the case of E-4s in the Secondary Zone for promotion to E-5, they will be administratively transferred to the Primary Zone on the first day of the month that they complete 33 months of active service.

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PX Opening on Friday

Formal opening of the new Redstone Post Exchange complex is set for Friday when Maj. Gen. George E. Turnmeyer, MIRCOCOM Commander, assisted by Brig. Gen. Duane H. Stubbs, Deputy Commander of the Army Air Force Exchange Service, will cut the ribbon at the new building located just off Vincent Drive near the Goss Road intersection.

The building covers 65,000 square feet consolidating under one roof a number of Exchange branches. Included will be the main retail sales store, the beauty, optical, flower, barber, watch repair, dry cleaning,

and tailor shops. A Snack Bar will be a new feature as well as a Shopette to be open daily and stocked with convenience foods.

Don Emmons, Redstone Exchange manager, said the expanded space in the new building permits a much wider selection of goods than could be stocked in the smaller retail store.

Construction on the new Exchange complex began a year ago under a contract to Bryson Construction Co., Decatur, and was funded from operating profits of the PX, a non-appropriated fund activity. Size of the building is determined by the number of authorized patrons in the community.



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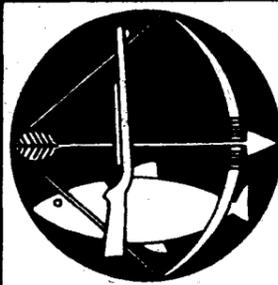
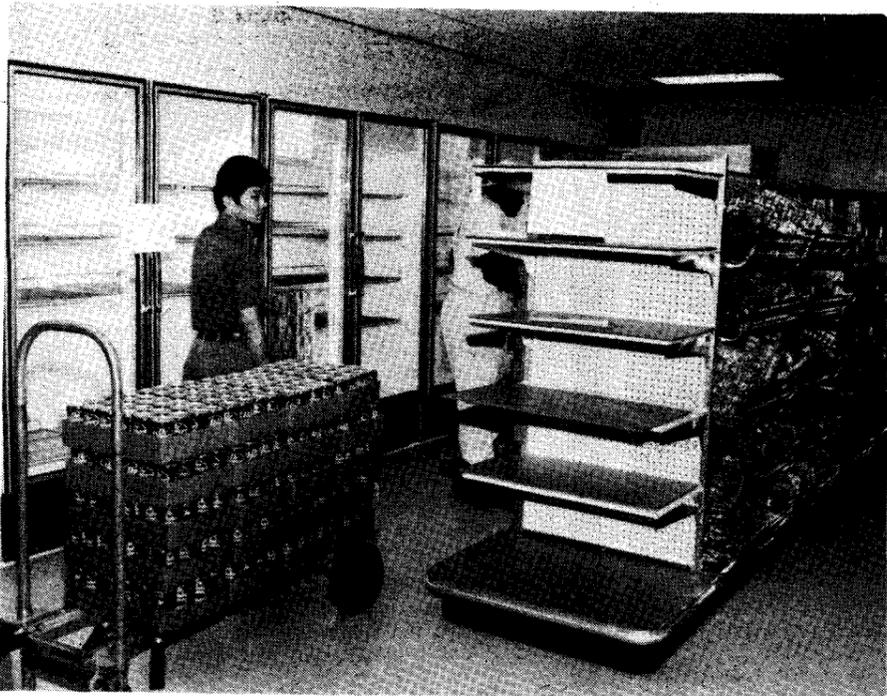


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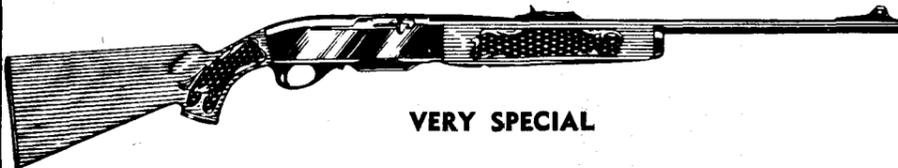


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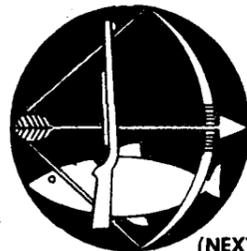
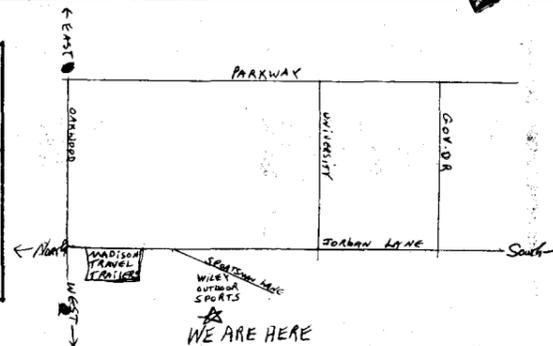
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Uniform Change Time Near

It's that time of year again. The weather turns cooler, leaves change color and soldiers at Redstone change uniforms.

On Monday, October 17, all soldiers here will begin wearing their winter uniforms. This means minor changes of the current uniforms for some, and major outfit overhauls for others.

Those soldiers who wear the fatigue uniform will start wearing their shirt

sleeves rolled down. Commanders can authorize rolled up sleeves temporarily should the temperature rise.

For those individuals whose duty assignment requires the Class A greens uniform, there are some variations.

The men will wear their AG 44 wool greens and lightweight greens with the tan poplin shirt. Don't forget to put on the tie.

Women have a few more variations in which to choose. They too will be wearing either the wool or lightweight AG 44 skirt and coat. The new white blouse or the tan blouses can be worn with this uniform.

Those women who were issued the tan shirts are still authorized to wear them, even though they are no longer being issued.

Another new uniform on the scene for women is the green pantsuit. All stripes, patches and other insignia that are worn on the AG 44 uniform are to be worn the same way on the pantsuit. The green pantsuit is acceptable for wear in place of the Class A greens. Blouses that are worn with the AG 44 uniforms are not authorized for wear with the pantsuit, except as a summer uniform. Instead, a light green knit turtle-neck overblouse should be worn during the winter uniform months.

It would be a good idea for all soldiers who will be changing uniforms to insure that they are in good repair, and all stripes and patches are correct. Get them in for cleaning and other repairs now, and beat the rush.

COL Increase

(ARNEWS)—DA civilian employees who are retiring or are considering retirement in the near future should be aware of a September 1 cost-of-living increase, say Civil Service Commission officials. The increase is 4.3 percent, according to the officials.

The law requires a comparative annuity computation based on service and average salary as of the day before the effective date of the last previous cost-of-living increase. For example, if an employee retired not later than August 31, 1977, but after the March 1, 1977 COL increase and the annuity becomes effective on or before September 1, a comparative annuity computation is made as follows:

0 The annuity rate as of Feb. 28, 1977 will be used, but sick leave will be computed through the actual date of separation. The March 1 COL increase of 4.8 percent will be added to the figure.

0 The annuity rate payable as of the actual date of separation will be computed. The employee will receive the higher of the two rates.

An employee who retires with an annuity commencing after Sept. 1, 1977, will be eligible for the higher annuity rate based on the two methods of computation, using the 4.3 percent increase if the first method of computation is used.

CSC officials say the annuities of employees already in a retired status will be automatically increased by 4.3 percent. The increase will show up in the October 1977 checks, which pay the annuity for September.

Integrated Optics

Dr. Carl M. Verber will present "An Introduction to Integrated Optics," at a general interest seminar here Monday, September 26.

The seminar, sponsored by the Physical Sciences Directorate, will be held in Room 114 of Building 7770, starting at 2:30.

Dr. Verber is currently the leader of the Optics Group at the Battelle Columbus Laboratories. In his presentation he will review the current status of integrated optics with the emphasis on data processing capabilities.

Drive Underway

Arab's United Way Campaign was kicked off for 1978 last Thursday. Jane Burke, Drive Chairman, announced at a breakfast meeting this year's goal of \$30,000, will support 19 agencies in Arab and Marshall County.

Arab residents employed at Redstone should designate Agency 410 on their United Way pledge cards if they want their donations to go to their home area.

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• 5045 KYLE LANE, NW — Cute contemporary rancher on large corner lot. 3 bedrooms, 1 1/2 baths, Great Room with beamed cathedral ceiling, c/air. Many extras. Priced to sell fast at \$28,500.00.

• 709 LILY FLAGG, SE — Large colonial 2-story. 4 large bedrooms, 2 1/2 baths, formal dining room, family room w/fireplace, inside laundry, side entry double garage. Like-new fully carpeted. Many extras. Don't miss this beautiful home at only \$61,250.00.

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• 3220 BUTTREY, NW — Neat rancher on corner lot offers 3 bedrooms, 1 1/2 baths, Great room with cathedral ceiling, country kitchen, c/air, carpet double garage. Less than 1 year old. Better hurry!

• 506 OWENS, SE — Brick two-story in Blossomwood school district. 4 bedrooms, 3 baths, den and 2 fireplaces. Many custom features. Low \$80's.

• 809 LOUIS DRIVE, SE — Nice brick tri-level, fireplace, living room, dining room, den, rec room, 3 bedrooms, new kitchen, lots of storage. Detached workshop and playroom or potential living area. A very good buy!

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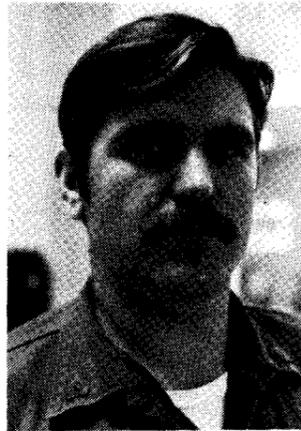
KROOP TALK

QUESTION: What types of newspaper stories

interest you most, and why?

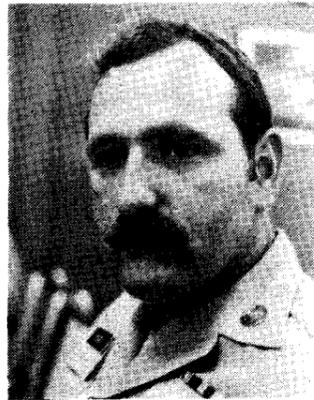


Pvt. Benito Irizarry, 4th S.C.—
 “International events because I want to know what’s going on in the world and what’s effecting me; then the comics. I like the comics for more or less the opposite reason I read the international events, to forget and get my mind off things.”



Spec. 4 Ronald Brewer, MP Co.—
 “I’m interested in sports. I enjoy playing baseball and football. Right now I enjoy reading the sports section on the pennant races.”

Sgt. Bill Dixon, Mircom—
 “Aviation news stories interest me most because I’m in aviation. I’m a private pilot. More people should be aware of the opportunities available in aviation.”



Spec. 4 Rachel Dixon, Meddac—
 “Basically, I keep up with what’s happening in world affairs. Right now the hot issue is the Panama Canal. Political news and current news around Huntsville interest me also. I’m sort of a sports fanatic too. I keep up with the sports. I enjoy recipe articles and what’s happening in the world of cooking, because I like to cook.”



Spec. 5 Keith Brown, 7th S.C.—
 “I guess I like military events; articles that keep me aware of the government and interesting things the United States does or is involved in. I like all sorts of news events—anything that keeps me up to date on what’s going on around the world.”



Pvt. Anthony Holtzapple, 8th S.C.—
 “Just regular news articles and politics I guess. Politics are so crazy. I like to see what they’re doing these days.”



Spec. 5 Morgan Sutton, Jr., Co. A—
 “Articles about world affairs, sports and art. World affairs because I like to see how people are getting along in the world. Sports because I box, wrestle and play football for the company. The Army has a good sports program which gives a person a chance to excel and develop leadership. My goal is to make it to the next Olympics in boxing. I like art because I like creating things. If you have a talent to do something and you don’t use it you’re being disobedient to your creator.”



Spec. 6 Rod Brimhall, Co. B—
 “National news stories because people in the Armed Forces are away from home so much. It would give them an opportunity to find out what’s going on at home. It’s sort of hard to get your hometown newspaper when you’re away from home.”



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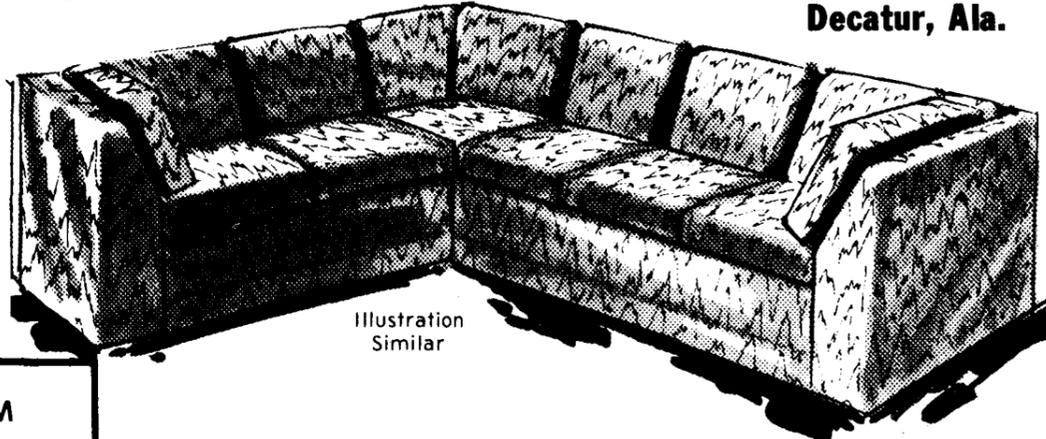


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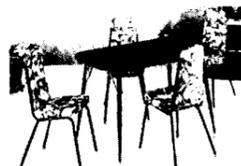


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Because of that killer instinct at the plate, Captain Randy Hoerth of Meddac was named most valuable player of this year's post softball team. Hoerth, the Rockets third baseman this season, was one of Redstone's most consistent hitters and finest fielders all season long. Although no official statistics were kept, it is estimated that he averaged about one homer per game and hit in the mid to upper 400's. When he slumped at the plate, which was rare, he more than made up for it with an exceptional glove and throwing arm at third.

The 33-year-old optometrist also had his finest season here in four years of play, and the MVP award was his first major individual award. He credits his coach, Whitey Mallory, for much of his success. He said, "In the beginning of the season, I asked Whitey whether to poke and place the ball, or whether to take the big swing. He told me to take the full swing. So I changed my style from a spray hitter to a pull hitter."

Indeed, Coach Mallory's advice was right. The new style of hitting complimented the muscular, 5 feet 10, 200-pound slugger perfectly. With the quick, short

stroke swing, which is similar to Henry Aaron's or Jimmy Rice's, Hoerth became one of Redstone's best long ball threats, and a big rbi man also.

Though he had a great season, Hoerth made it clear that he wasn't the only player in the running for the trophy. "I know I'm using an old cliché, but there are at least a other guys deserving," said the modest North Dakota native. "I'm sure it's disappointing to them not to get the award."

Before the TRADOC Softball Tournament at Ft. Benning a few weeks ago, it was a toss up as to who would take the coveted award. Many team members, such as left fielder Jay Johnson, short fielder Bill Gaffney, shortstop Johnny Chandler, center fielder Jeff Dixon, and first baseman Tony Patillo, were also having outstanding seasons. But it was Hoerth's clutch play that kept the Rockets, who finished fourth in a field of thirteen, in the tournament, and it was obvious he was Redstone's most valuable player. In the four games Redstone played at Ft. Benning, Hoerth hit three homers, drove in thirteen runners, scored nine times, and fielded in gold glove form.

Hoerth, if he is here next year, will again be playing for the Rockets, and he'll try to retain his MVP title. But next year, Coach Mallory will not be here, and Hoerth feels the team is losing it's most important component. "He was the heart of our team," said the big third sacker. "Morale was always up when he was around. He was a player's coach."

But even when Coach Mallory is not here, his presence will endure through his players, especially in the hitting of Randy Hoerth.

On Kidsworld

Beth Harris of Huntsville is scheduled to appear this Saturday in a segment of the children's news program, "Kidsworld" The segment was shot around her Little League baseball team, on which she became one of the first girls in the nation to break into a formerly all-male sport.

Beth's father, Tommy Harris, a MIRADCOM engineer, is the author of a book concerning his daughter's sports activities.

"Kidsworld" is broadcast locally on WHNT-TV, Channel 19.

RSA Knights Down Boys Club, 27-7

The Junior Pee Wee Division (80 pound limit) Redstone Knights opened their football season last Tuesday with a thundering ground attack that overwhelmed the Huntsville Boys Club, 27 - 7.

The Knights gained 181 yards on 37 play scoring four touchdowns while holding the Boys Club to 47 yards and a single six-pointer.

Running back Duane Nuby led the offensive charge as he carried the ball ten times for 108 yards, scoring three touchdowns.

Michael Blann rambled for 33 yards in 12 carries and added the fourth t.d. the point after.

Chad Kimel quarterbacked the Redstone attack and ran the ball 12 times for 37 yards, adding a pair of points on keeper plays.

The Knights return to action Monday, September 26, against the Northern Bulldogs and have a rematch with the Boys Club on October 3. Both games start at 6 at the field on Goss Road gridiron. Admission is free.

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Football Schedule

Army Golfers Win

(ARNEWS) — Army golfers swept the top three honors in the 1977 Worldwide Interservice Golf Championships at Long Beach, Calif. in late August. The championship was captured by Private Al Morton of Fort Stewart with an even par 288. SP5 James Benning completed the 72-hole event at 289. Defending Champion SSgt. Walt Morgan, of Hawaii, placed third with 292. Benning, shot a three under 69 to grab the third round lead, two strokes ahead of both Morton and Morgan. As the Army contenders moved ahead of other Service rivals, Morton came back to slip past Benning with a par 72 and a one-stroke tourney victory.



WEDNESDAY OFFICERS

Last Week
 Exasperators - 6—Swingers - 2
 Bushwackers - 6—Black Jacks - 2
 Leathernecks - 6—Lucky Strikes - 2
 Meddac - 6—Strike Outs - 2
 Kuwait Keglers - 6—School Brigade - 2

Standings	Pts
Leathernecks	14
Bushwackers	12
Lucky Strikes	10
Exasperators	10
Meddac	10
Strike Outs	8
School Brigade	6
Kuwait Keglers	4
Swingers	4
Black Jacks	2

High Rollers
 McNamera 569, (224); Bofenkamp 546, (209); Wienburg 536; Mattern 527; Messenger 520; Marine 514; Townley 513; Ogozalek 509.

Tonite
6:00 Co. B vs. 7th SC
7:15 Co. A vs. Mircom
8:30 Marines vs. 291st MP
Thursday
6:00 7th SC vs. Meddac
7:15 4th SC vs. Raytheon
8:30 8th SC vs. 5th SC
Monday
6:00 Co. B. vs. Co. A
7:15 Meddac vs. Mircom
8:30 Co. C vs. 8th SC
Tuesday
6:00 6th SC vs. 95th SVC
7:15 5th SC vs. Raytheon
8:30 Co. A vs. Meddac

Bowling

AMC League

Standings	Pts
Rolling Rocks	7
Lily Flagg	7
Hi-Rollers	6
Spares	4
Bombers	4
T-Birds	4
Cadillacs	3
Hughes TOW	3
Hawks	2
Gallery	0

Last Wednesday
 Rollers - 4—Bombers - 0
 T-Birds - 4—Gallery - 0
 Lily Flagg - 3—Spares - 1
 Rockets - 3—Cadillacs - 1
 Hughes - 3—Hawks - 1

Hats Off Department
 Russ Alcott, 574; Johnny Helland, 566 (222); Bob Brand, 556; Herschel Ousztz, 541 (224); Bob Hinson, 537; Cort Shepherd, 537; Ken Champagne, 535 (211); Reggie McLaney, 532.

Annual Fall Tourney

IT'S THAT TIME OF YEAR AGAIN—Members of Company A's flag football team practicing last week. The company level football season started this week.

The Ballistic Missile Defense Systems Command will sponsor their annual Fall Golf Tournament on Friday, September 30 at the Redstone Golf Course. The tournament is open to all present and past employees of the Ballistic Missile Defense Program

and all contractor personnel who have permanent BMD-SCOM badges.

The entrance fee for the tournament is \$8.00 (prize fee \$4.50 and green fee \$3.50) for non-members of RSA Golf Course and \$4.50 or members.

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Lots offered for sale fronting Highway 72 are A-1, B-2, A-3, B-4, C-5. Each lot fronts 50' on Highway 72 and is 258' to 288' deep. There is a utility easement at the back of these lots. These are all level lots with all utilities available and are the most valuable commercial lots left in Athens.

Lots A-6, B7, C-8 front Jefferson Street across from Burger Chef. The lots front from 50' to 60 on Jefferson Street and are 200' deep. Lot C-8 has a utility easement along the north side. These are all excellent lots for any commercial business.

WE WILL OFFER THE LOTS SEPARATELY, IN COMBINATIONS, AND AS A WHOLE; HIGHEST PRICE WILL DETERMINE SALE.

It has been rumored in Athens that Jefferson Street will be extended two miles through the Industrial Park and come out at the Co-op. If this is done, this will be one of the most valuable corners anyone could own.

TERMS: 25% down sale day, balance on or before 30 days.

SALE NO. 2

SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 24 AT 1:33 7/16 P.M.

FINE 24 ACRE FARM IN THE WHITEHEAD COMMUNITY OF LAUDERDALE COUNTY, ALABAMA, 1½ MILES NW OF BETTY ANN HIGHWAY, 6½ MILES NW OF ROGERSVILLE, 2½ MILES EAST OF HIGHWAY 101 AT KINGTOWN, 6¼ MILES SE OF LEXINGTON.

FROM ROGERSVILLE, GO WEST ON HIGHWAY 72 FOR 2½ MILES, TURN NORTH ON LAUDERDALE CO. #58, GO 4 MILES TO WHITEHEAD COMMUNITY, TURN WEST ON LAUDERDALE CO. #76, GO 1¼ MILES, TURN NORTH ON COUNTY PAVED ROAD, GO ¼ MILE TO PROPERTY; BELONGING TO DR. CARL H. JONES. FOLLOW SIGNS AND ARROWS.

This fine 24 acre farm has a large frame country home located on a beautiful, well-landscaped site with large oak trees. The home consists of 6 rooms, hall, concrete front porch and attic. It has two chimneys — one with fireplace, one with flue. Other improvements consist of large stock barn, smokehouse, chicken house and well. The land is level to rolling with the open land now in soybeans.

FARM WILL BE OFFERED IN 7 TRACTS, IN COMBINATIONS, AND AS A WHOLE; HIGHEST PRICE WILL DETERMINE SALE.

TRACTS 1-4: Each consists of .58 acre fronting 120' on blacktop road and 210' deep. These tracts are level to rolling, with some of the nicest building sites to be found in this community.

TRACT NO. 5: Consists of .99+ acre fronting 180' on county road. On this tract is the country home consisting of three bedrooms, living room, kitchen, bath, hall and large attic that could be made into another room. This tract is all level and has beautiful shade trees and shrubbery. Also on this tract are several of the outbuildings.

TRACT NO. 6: Consists of 6+ acres, with large barn and well for an abundance of water. Well now furnishes water to the home on Tract 5, and purchaser of Tract 5 will be given equal water rights. The tract is level to rolling and fronts 218' on county road and has a beautiful place to build.

TRACT NO. 7: Consists of 14.68+ acres, fronting 703' on county road. It is level to rolling and is now cultivated in soybeans. This tract has several nice homesites.

This farm has everything a person could want, so be sure to attend this sale and get the tract or tracts of your choice. It is located in a fine community and in a fine fishing area of Alabama, not far from Joe Wheeler State Park.

TERMS: 25% down sale day, balance on or before 30 days.

POSSESSION: Tracts 1-4 — As soon as crops are gathered; Tract 5 — On or before 30 days house is now rented for \$100 per month; Tract 6 — With delivery of deed; Tract 7 — As soon as crops are gathered.

Beginning at 12:00 Noon FREE Brunswick Stew will be served on the grounds of Sale No. 2.

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\$70's & UP

RACE FOR SPACE? Not in this four — bedroom home with beautiful living room, dining room, eat-in kitchen, large den with fireplace, 3 baths, and double garage. And because it's brick, up keep is at a minimum. The location is ideal. (C7702) 533-1490.

BIG & BEAUTIFUL — With a million dollar view is available in Jones Valley. This executive two-story offers all the amenities of gracious living and a private place for every member of the family, 3360 sq. ft. of living, dining, den, rec room and study. Not to mention 4 bedrooms, 2 1/2 baths, double heating system. A must on your viewing list. (W926) 883-1200.

FABULOUS FLEMING HILLS is the location. Perfect is the home if you need a 4 BR Rancher w/Den and Rec. Room loaded with goodies such as fireplace, wet bar, double ovens, bookcases, work shop, and yummy decor. Private Patio area. Lovely Landscaping. Must see. \$70's (M7742)

If you are looking for an Executive home in NW Huntsville, here is one you don't want to miss. This 4 bedroom home is located on a beautiful 1 acre plus lot with many trees. Here are just a few features. Large foyer, sunken living room, very formal dining room, eat-in kitchen, oversized double car garage, den with raised hearth fireplace, oval shaped patio with B-B-Q, storm shelter, welcome lites & much, much more. By appointment only. (MC1105) 533-1490

PERFECT IN ALL RESPECTS ... is our new listing at 407 Nunn Dr., S.E. The location is ideal, the view magnificent and the style and decor is most appealing. This beautiful four bedroom rancher is the ultimate for an active family. Features include den with built in bar, huge rec room, 18x36 Spartan pool with cabana room and privacy fence, and the back yard is big enough for the kids to play football. There's not another house like it on the market at any price. \$99,500. (N-4007) 883-1200

THE HOME HAS EVERYTHING — This custom-built home by present owners is located in excellent neighborhood convenient to schools and ready to occupy? 3240 sq. ft. of livable area offers 5 bedrooms plus study, formal living and dining 16' marble foyer huge den with fireplace built-in gun rack and bookshelves, country kitchen, breakfast room, 3 baths (2 with marble vanities), inside laundry and hobby area, oversized double garage, 24x16 redwood deck overlooking private wooded lot that's almost an acre. (\$8904) 883-1200

MT. CHARRON ESTATES — This magnificent new home offers the finest of everything for the discriminating taste of those who appreciate top quality — elegant entry foyer with crystal chandelier large living room dining room with bay window and crystal chandelier deluxe kitchen with bay window, five large bedrooms with huge master suite, three full baths, large rec room, two fireplaces and double garage. Reasonably priced in the eighties. (2102) 533-1490

SPACIOUS CORNER BEAUTY — Over 3000 sq. ft. of living space on a beautiful corner lot with many fruit trees and privacy shrubs, 4 bedrooms, 2 1/2 baths, den plus downstairs rec room. Huge kitchen and breakfast room, 190 sq. ft. storage room. Extra well built and priced to sell. \$75,000. (G7118) 883-1200.

WHY NOT MOVE UP — Want your investment to appreciate while you're enjoying it everyday? Then move into this upper brick home in the SE with all the conveniences and amenities a home can afford. The outstanding lot in a prime location is ideal for playing or gardening, and only minutes from schools and downtown. Take time to check this one out. (C7702)

MARTHA DRIVE S.E. — Real nice 4 bedroom, 2 1/2 baths, formal dining, study, 2 fireplaces, den, rec room, inside laundry, deck & patio, storm windows, double garage. Large wooded lot (M7105)

A TRULY REMARKABLE HOME — This 4 bedroom Spanish Rancher is remarkable home situated in the middle of Jones Valley. Features include, Thermo Pane Window, Custom Finish wood thru-out, Exceptionally Large Bedroom, Formal Living & Dining Room, Special Features in the Kitchen, Separate Breakfast Room & much more in this 4400 S.E. (W-923) 533-1490

TAX SHELTER for horse lovers — Here is what you've been waiting for! 90 acres, 10x48 stable with 19 stalls, tack room, wash room, office, 2 ponds, fenced and cross fenced, fence, 45 acres cleared, beautiful building sites, 3 bedroom house, 5 bedroom mobile home, excellent tax shelter. \$88,000 (Rt. #1 UG) 883-1200

BROWNS CREEK On the Water — This 3100 sq. ft. cedar and brick 4 Frame offers den w/stone fireplace plus rec room and study. Formal living, very large formal dining, built-in kitchen, sunny breakfast room, huge loft master suite with circular staircase, 2 other bedrooms. Situated on 2 1/2 lovely acres. Boat house with electric lift. Large cedar 2 car garage and separate cedar workshop. 883-1200

ATHENS, AL. — Custom-built 2800 sq. ft. 2 year old home situated on 9 beautiful acres. Brick & cedar construction, home features 3 huge bedrooms, large living room, separate informal dining, tremendous den with fireplace, heated & furnished separate garage plus 18 x 24 cedar barn. Many custom extras. \$89,900. 30 additional developed acres available. For more information and an appointment to see this lovely country home.

TWICKENHAM DISTRICT — Spacious two-story brick home, beautiful setting on 2 acre lot near downtown 4 bedrooms, large living and dining rooms, sun parlor, enclosed sleeping porch, laundry room, six fireplaces & six porches, central heating, large attic & basement, 10' ceilings throughout, needs only decorating and some remodeling work completed. \$89,900. (L402) 533-1490

FANTASTIC — Hobbs Island Rd. — Located on 4.3 acres of beautiful land with a pond. This huge (5252 sq. ft.) all brick basement rancher has so very much to offer and yet is very close to South Huntsville. Very large entry, large living room, large dining room, large den with fireplace, huge rec room, 4 bedrooms, 3 baths, parlor downstairs, plus kitchen downstairs, inside utility room, patio covered, double garage, ideal for people with antiques who need large rooms. By appointment only. \$120,000.

SETTING HIGH ATOP MONTE SANO on 2.6 acres overlooking a beautiful valley is a large log cabin complete with screened porch, parlor, kitchen, bedrooms, bath, and servants quarters. Formerly used as a summer home and lodge, this property represents life as it was lived yesterday. Cabin, servants quarters, and 2.6 acres for \$107,000. (MSB) 883-1200

HORSES, SOYBEANS, 40 ACRES — This huge two story home features 4 bedrooms, 2 1/2 baths, den with fireplace, formal living room, music room, closets galore. Home measures 2750 sq. ft., finished and another 1000 sq. ft. ready to complete. Orchard, strawberries, outstanding property, offered at \$110,000. Additional 40 acres offered at \$800/acre. (CTR) 883-1200

ON THE LAKE — On the main channel, on a beautiful huge lot with 150 ft. of waterfront and free 2 slip boathouse, deep water, and pier. This beautiful basement rancher is ideally suited for the corporations get-away place. Home features 2 complete living units — upstairs is 3 bedrooms with kingsize master, 2 baths, breakfast room, den with fireplace, garage, closets galore, central vacuum system, summer porch, downstairs is 2 bedroom study, workshop, 1 bath, kitchen, and garage. All of this in chain link fenced security patrolled area with remote control gate. Exclusively offered at \$162,500. (SK) 883-1200

24 ACRE HORSE FARM — Horse lovers let's go look at this 24 acre horse farm featuring 7 horse stables, hay barn, 1 1/2 acre stocked pond, dog kennel and dog run, sandy bottom, all weather creek. Home features 3 bedrooms, 2 baths, den with fireplace, rec room, formal living and dining rooms, huge country kitchen with brick wall, inside laundry. Offered at \$95,350.

\$60's

TWICKENHAM AREA — This early Victorian home offers the best of the old and new. Authentic remodeling and a fully built-in modern kitchen and breakfast room, 3 bedrooms and 3 baths. Salarium and large utility room, 5 fireplaces, living room and study. Central heat and air. Must see. \$60,000. (R515)

BRENTWOOD LANE-MADISON Super A Frame — Perfectly set on a huge wooded and isolated 1 1/2 acre lot. Plush living room with fireplace and chimney exposed thru ceiling, 2 bedroom upper level ... 2 on lower. Deck and Balconies all around house also has 1200 ft. basement. Total price \$69,500. 533-1490.

APARTMENT COMPLEX — Southwest — Eight united in 3 bldgs. Seven units furnished. Return \$720 monthly now — can increase to \$880. Located off Governors & Parkway intersection close to several factories. Total price \$60,000. owner will finance with 1/3 down at 7%. (20165) 533-1490

NEARING COMPLETION IN THE TREES — is this beautiful Tudor tri-level featuring 4 bedrooms, 2 baths, den with fireplace, hobby room or 5th bedroom, formal living & dining rooms. A must before you buy. Offered at \$65,900. (10309A) 883-1200

ROOM FOR A LARGE FAMILY — in a super size brick basement rancher 5 bedrooms, 2 1/2 baths, den with fireplace, living & dining, rec room, eat-in kitchen, rear entry double garage. Storm windows & doors, power vent fan. Fenced yard. 5 years new. \$66,500. (512B) 883-1200

SINGING THE BLUES — The sellers hate to leave Huntsville and this SPECIAL 2 story on the Golf course. But it's a happy tune for you — In ground Spartan Pool; completely fenced back yard. A serene view of golf course and mountain tops. Four bedrooms, den with fireplace and built-in bookcases on each side. Modern kitchen features lazy susan corner cabinet & recessed lighting. 3anity baths. Better not wait to call! \$66,250. (LF 724) 883-1200

PICKY! PICKY! If you fall into this category then this gorgeous 4 bedroom, 2 1/2 bath two-story home of about 2500 sq. ft. of beautifully decorated living area would suit you to a "T" since it is in "mint condition" and on a large well-landscaped lot. Country living in the city. (2106M) 883-1200

MADISON — Big (approx. 2800 sq. ft.) brick rancher on almost 2 acre lot. Large octagonal — sunken living room is the hub of this beautiful home. 3 big bedrooms, 2 baths, den inside laundry, extra large kitchen with lots of closets (G-Madison) 533-1490

HEY COUNTRY LOVERS! You can own a colonial home in the city (over 100 yrs. old) featuring 4 BR's, large living room w/fireplace, formal dining room, country kitchen, 2 baths, four car garage, basement. See the home full day located 2802 Winchester Road NW — Near Pulaski Pike. (WR2802) 533-1490

ROCKMONT-ON-CARDESSA High above lake Guntersville rests a home of unique dimensions and character. A modified A-Frame, its three levels feature 4 bedrooms, 3 baths 28x24 Great Room w/high ceiling, masonry fireplace, luxurious, fully equipped eat-in kitchen, and loads of storage. A full width deck perfectly complements its setting on 2.1 acres of immaculately kept grounds featuring 600' of road frontage and intensely natural landscaping. It is pleasantly close (but not too close) to schools, shopping, Turners, Marine, Public docks, Guntersville and Huntsville. Asking \$66,900. We'll throw in its "Million Dollar View" of the lake below for absolutely nothing. (CL) 883-1200

FOR ALL SEASONS — This year around home on the water at lovely Point of Pines. 4 year old home offers great room, built-in kitchen, 3 large bedrooms, central heat/air. Pier with 2 slip boat house and attached screened-in porch. Many extras. Must see. \$62,500. 883-1200.

\$50's

NEARLY NEW AND CONVENIENT TO EVERYTHING. This beautiful Big 1 1/2 acre plus lot with many trees covered lot on a hillside 4 bedrooms, large den with a fireplace. See this one soon. (4003WE) 533-1490.

PRIVACY ON A CUL-DE-SAC + This cedar and brick tri-level is nestled on a tree covered professionally landscaped lot with a private back yard. Features 4 spacious bedrooms, 2 1/2 wallpapered baths, living and dining, eat in kitchen with bay window. Freshly painted inside and out, humidifier, storm windows, brick patio, smoke detector. Large 24 X 28 two garage and 12 X 25 workshop. \$52,500. (11327D) 883-1200.

DOWNSTAIRS APARTMENT — This basement rancher located in Grissom School area offers 3 bedrooms upstairs, living room, dining room, eat-in kitchen, fireplace, double garage, inside laundry, 1 bedroom down, extra kitchen area, bath down. Situated on lovely wooded lot. (8814V) 883-1200

FAMILY PLACE — Where all the family can enjoy life every minute you're home. Has everything you'd desire including 4 bedrooms, den, 2 1/2 baths, nice deck + patio, private back yard with fruit trees. 2557 sq. ft. of living area plus many extra features too numerous to mention. Located on cul de sac and ready for immediate occupancy. (W1921 Greenwood) 883-1200.

GUNTERSVILLE LAKE — Holiday Shores — Authentic reconstructed 170 yr. old log house on 3 water front lots — 270 ft. Two hand cut limestone fireplaces and foundation. Cedar roof, hardwood floors, mature pine trees. Sand sandy beach. \$53,900. 883-1200.

NEW LISTING — East Limestone County Road. This almost new brick rancher, which is located on 1 1/2 acres, has many attractive features: large den with exposed beams and fireplace, very nice eat in kitchen, three spacious bedrooms, two extra nice baths, inside laundry room suitable for sewing room also, fenced in yard, and three-car garage. A good buy at \$52,900.

AFTERNOON DELIGHT — Come home early and relax in this beautiful acre lot with trees. This lovely 3 bedroom, 2 bath, paneled den/corridor home is a wish come true! It features a bay window, large corner lot. If you purchase this home located at 8705 Louis Dr., S.E. \$52,500. (8705L) 533-1490

UNIQUE FLOOR PLAN — on this well maintained brick rancher. Master bedroom, foyer and living room open on to huge quarry tile covered patio. 3 bedrooms, 2 1/2 baths, den, fireplace, breakfast room. Large tree studded lot. \$59,200. (8103W) 883-1200

CAMELOT CONTEMPORARY — two story Western cedar with mansard roof featuring 4 bedrooms, 2 1/2 baths, den with fireplace, double garage, huge covered patio. Over 2,000 sq. ft. of heated floor space for only \$56,500. (Q12016) 883-1200

HERE IT IS — lovely two story home in beautiful Fox Run. one year old and immaculate featuring 4 bedrooms, 2 1/2 baths, den with cathedral ceiling, fireplace and bookshelves, lovely wallpaper, nice drapes, fenced back yard, double garage. Offered at \$59,900 (2513W) 883-1200

CONTEMPORARY CHARMER — just painted inside and out and completely recarpeted is our new listing at 11010 Salmon. Features include 4 bedrooms, 1 1/2 baths, living room, dining room, den, large corner lot, large corner lot and 18 ft. above ground swimming pool. 2015 sq. ft. for only \$53,500 (11010S) 883-1200

DUTCH COLONIALS — Tri-level, paint has just dried, we're ready and proud to show. Lovely wallpaper in the foyer, eat in kitchen and 2 baths. Champagne colored carpeting in living and separate dining room. Den with stone fireplace, 3 large bedrooms, BONUS HOBBIY ROOM, large corner lot \$50,500 (12085) 883-1200

ON WEATHERLY MOUNTAIN ON A HUGE TREE COVERED LOT ... rests this immaculate brick rancher featuring 3 bedrooms, 2 1/2 baths, den with fireplace, formal living room, eat in kitchen, double garage, only \$52,000. (11010H) 883-1200

827 HORSESHOE TRAIL — Charming 3 yr. old tri-level in an outstanding neighborhood convenient to schools, shopping and recreation. Features 4 bedrooms, 2 1/2 bathrooms, decorated baths, den with fireplace, L-shaped living and dining, foyer, eat in kitchen, inside laundry room, large two car garage. \$54,570. 883-1200.

THE PRIVACY HERE IS SO BEAUTIFUL! The woods behind and the valley and mountains in front. Just the beginning of all the many amenities in this home. An address to be proud of ... it offers 2740 sq. ft. of living area. Spacious rooms — three bedrooms, three baths, fireplace and snack bar in rec room. Living room large enough for GRAND PIANO. Large kitchen and breakfast area — if you need 4 bedrooms the rec room offers the possibility of a 4th bedroom. Call and see for yourself. (G7108) \$59,900. 883-1200.

SAN RAMON — A two story you don't want to miss. Over 2400 sq. ft. featuring four bedrooms and two baths upstairs, foyer, living room, dining room, kitchen, den with fireplace ————— a huge separate REC ROOM for the kids. (1008 SR) 883-1200

NEAR GRISSOM HIGH SCHOOL in Bailey Cove Estates. This traditional 2-story home features foyer, living room, dining room, den with fireplace, eat-in kitchen, huge rec room with bay window, four bedrooms and 2 1/2 baths. (1008S)

THREE POOLS—"Pool" number one—is a 16x32 Spartan in your own back yard. "Pool" number two—play pool in the 20x25 rec room. "Pool" number three—forget about the car pool because the kids can walk to Grissom from this immaculate four bedroom brick rancher with 1 1/2 baths, large den with fireplace, lovely kitchen with breakfast bar, and many other fine features that you'll have to see for yourself. (1010C) 883-1200

TREES, FERNS & FLOWERS — abound on this fantastic 25 x 38 ft. private patio. Gorgeous corner lot with lots of trees. 2557 sq. ft. 4 bedroom home with "bonus room." \$57,900. (2000W) 883-1200

FOX RUN — HAS A NEW TWO STORY COLONIAL THAT FEATURES FOUR BEDROOMS, 2 1/2 baths, den, living room, dining room, formal living, eat-in kitchen, inside utility room, double garage. Priced at \$53,500. (13022C) 883-1200

GOOD COMMERCIAL INVESTMENT on Oakwood Ave. Large home, 3 bedroom, in good condition suitable for renovation to office use. Lot is 60 x 331 and would be suitable for use to build office complex, retail store ETC. (0-306) 533-1490

\$40's

ONE-OF-A-KIND, a truly unique contemporary home, featuring a stunning 3 sided fireplace, cathedral beamed ceilings, 3 bedrooms, 2 baths, den, real knotty pine cabinets, and a gorgeous free shaded lot. \$46,800 on new loan. (4204G) 883-1200

LOW EQUITY, S.E. — This large like new 4 bedroom rancher is in walking distance to Weatherly and Grissom schools. Den plus living room, eat in/built-in kitchen, Large 2 car garage, fenced yard. \$16,500. Equity and \$23,99 total payment. What more could you ask for? Call for an appointment. (W2013) 883-1200

WHITESBURG ESTATES — Spacious corner lot — Quiet neighborhood — Foyer, sunken living room, dining room, den with fireplace, 3 bedrooms, 2 baths, eat in kitchen, workshop off garage. Low \$40's. (R2209) 533-1490.

GREAT LOCATION — Reasonably priced in the mid 40's is this attractive 4 bedroom split-level with living room, dining room, den, double garage & nicely landscaped fenced yard. (3106M) 533-1490

VERY NICE FOUR BEDROOM home in one of Huntsville's finest and most convenient neighborhoods, located just north of Drake on Briarwood, this home has living room, dining room, large eat-in kitchen, 2 baths, extra large garage. Solid 6 panel doors and solid cabinets in kitchen. Tree covered lot on hill. \$46,500. (B2706) 881-1200.

SNUG AS A BUG — Is what you can be this winter sitting in front of your fireplace in this lovely den. A great wife-saver kitchen that she'll love — even has a bar. Four nice bedrooms, 2 1/2 baths. Completely carpeted, central heat/air. Double car garage. Equity only \$8,780. VA and FHA financing available. (CP6215) 533-1490

803 FORREST HEIGHTS DRIVE — In the serenity of this large tree-studded lot, you will find a pretty freshly painted split-level home which boasts 1940 square feet of well decorated living area with three bedrooms, 1 1/2 baths, large dining room, and a great kitchen with all the extras. Located in a prestigious "walk to Weatherly School and Southeast Y" neighborhood and ready for immediate occupancy. 883-1200

EXCELLENT SOUTHEAST LOCATION — Here's the one you've been waiting for. Huge corner lot with lots of street appeal. Home features fantastic den with bookshelves, 3 large bedrooms, 2 tile baths, large formal living and dining rooms, huge kitchen with tremendous storage capacity, breakfast room, covered carport, patio area, fenced back yard, storm windows and doors. Offered at \$49,900. (CT12101) 883-1200

ENJOY THE COUNTRY LIFE IN THE CITY — This lovely 1 1/2 acre lot with a beautiful brick house located in Huntsville is both convenient to the Mall and ideal for an extremely large garden. The split-foyer home features 4 bedrooms, 2 baths, spacious living room, eat-in kitchen/dining room combination, a very large den and a double garage. All this in a quiet neighborhood. \$42,200. (PG3706)

LIVIED IN THE TWICKENHAM HISTORICAL DISTRICT, you'll find this lovely two story Victorian home from another area. In restored condition, it should make an excellent investment as well as a thrilling home. \$42,000. (407 E)

ARAB — Large brick and frame rancher located on 1 acre wooded lot. Three bedrooms, 2 baths, beautiful den with rock fireplace. \$40,425. 753-2295

BIG TREES ON A CORNER LOT — and the impressive brick rancher goes with it. If you want quality in a home, you'll find it throughout in this one. Large den with fireplace, formal living room, and dining room, super large modern country kitchen, large master bedroom, double garage. NICE! \$41,000 (\$100L) 533-1490

LOVELY ROCK FIREPLACE — See this home today featuring large den, 3 bedrooms, 1 1/2 baths, and country kitchen. 1260 sq. ft. of unfinished basement. Lee school district (G2421). 533-1490.

EXPECT THE UNEXPECTED — in these quality new homes from Homestead Builders. You'll marvel at new ideas, new concepts, new style appeal and all the unique style of living that's long overdue. Two models ready for immediate possession. Mid \$40's. 883-1200.

NEAR RESEARCH PARK & UAH — This lovely custom built brick rancher located in McThornhorn Acres will suit you if you work at the Arsenal, Research Park, or UAH. Features include four bedrooms (one could serve as den) plus study or sewing room, formal living and dining, eat-in kitchen, 2 1/2 baths, central heat and air, 12 x 20 workshop, storm windows and doors, smoke detector and many other nice features. Priced low 40's. (W-1007) 883-1200.

QUIET, PLEASE — 5 bedrooms ought to help! Spread out and separate the kids. Huge country kitchen for mealtime gatherings. Good size den for evening activities. Extra 12 x 22 heated and cooled hobby workshop. Home in very fine condition. Walk to Chaffee Elem. (9031C) \$47,500 883-1200

SOMETHING DIFFERENT — is being built in Fox Run by Homestead Builders. These unique floor plans offer total livability with no wasted space. Features include patio with fireplace, lei dining room, eat in kitchen, inside laundry, 3 bedrooms, 1 1/2 baths, fully carpeted and tastefully decorated. Another nice feature is the garage workshop arrangement and courtyard, fenced for your privacy. Priced at \$45,900. (14015MB) 883-1200

2504 GENEVERE AVE., S.E. — This immaculate home on a wooded lot features 3 bedrooms, 1 1/2 baths, living room dining room combination, large paneled den, inside laundry, large eat-in kitchen. This super clean home can be yours for under \$55,000 equity 883-1200.

\$30's

KING SIZE COMFORT — This split foyer has four bedrooms, 2 full baths, large living room, eat in kitchen, dining room with doors opening on redwood deck. Tremendous den, inside laundry, central heat/air. Double car garage with workshop area. Lovely fenced yard with beautiful mature trees. 2100 sq. ft. of great living area for only \$38,400. (PP2919) 533-1490

BRAND NEW! Cedar rancher features 3 bedrooms, 2 baths, large den with stone fireplace, separate living room, kitchen with breakfast area, are built-ins and pantry, inside laundry, carpets, throughout, central heat and air, nice use of wallpaper. Builder will pay closing costs. \$31,900. (MS3422) 533-1490

6514 MARSH AVE. — Sherwood park — Brick rancher super sharp — like new. Three large bedrooms — 2 baths, den area. Central heat and air. New compressor and new roof. Priced below market value at \$34,800. (5614M) 533-1490

NEW CEDAR RANCHER — 3 bedrooms, 1 1/2 baths, living room, den with stone fireplace, central heat and air, beautiful carpet and wallpaper. \$30,900. (14002G) 883-1200

GREENTHUMB SPECIAL — If you enjoy raising your own plants, this contemporary oriental rancher is just for you. This tastefully decorated house is built around one in-door glassed in greenhouse, with sky light for year round growing. Incidentally this home has 3 bedrooms, 2 baths, "L" shaped, living/dining room and spacious eat-in kitchen. Call today (DC-2708) 533-1490

\$5,568 EQUITY IN SOUTHWEST — JUST LISTED this immaculate home featuring 3 bedrooms, formal living and dining, large den, enclosed garage, central heat and air, fenced yard, lovely deck and patio. Lovely bar off den, new dishwasher, beautiful drapes — plus lots of storage. Total prmts. \$244.52. (S4025) 883-1200.

SOUTHWEST SECTION — \$30,900 for this sparkling new 3 bedroom home in Sandhurst Park. These homes offer quality construction, professional decorating and very functional floor plans for much less than you would expect to pay anywhere in the south end of town. Large den with stone fireplace for family living, built-in kitchen large enough to eat in, 1 1/2 baths, carpeted, inside laundry. (14010G) 883-1200.

BRIGHT AS SUNSHINE — is the best way to describe this brand new 3 bedroom rancher. By purchasing now, you'll be ready to enjoy the winter nites ahead when you lounge in front of the beautiful stone fireplace in den. Other nice features include color coordinated wallpaper and carpets, 2 baths, central heat and air, inside laundry, plus much more. Priced \$30,900. (G14004) 883-1200.

DOLL HOUSE — 3 bedrooms, 2 baths, den with woodburning stone fireplace, precious kitchen with built-ins — lovely use of carpeting and wallpaper. Brand new and only \$30,900. (14008G) 883-1200

GET STARTED — in this brand new adorable rancher in a nice southwestern neighborhood which boasts 1274 sq. ft. of beautifully decorated and comfortable living area complete with 3 bedrooms, 1 1/2 baths, den with lovely stone fireplace, eat-in kitchen with popular white appliances including dishwasher, and central heat and air. Minimum down, payments like rent, and no closing costs. (14006G) 883-1200.

403 NO. EDMONTON CR. — \$31,500 — Total price for this very clean and roomy split foyer. Huge kitchen w/custom built cabinets, 3 BR's up and one isolated downstairs. Large den 2 baths, central heat & air, garage. Nice exterior appearance fenced yard. Will consider trade. 533-1490.

SAFE FOR CHILDREN — sparkling clean 3 BR brick rancher with lovely free shaded yard within walking distance to school. Living, dining, kitchen, den, 2 baths, and double garage complete this lovely home. (5010P) 533-1490.

3603 AYERS — Nice fireplace in huge den - very attractive split foyer home on just a super lot. Large kitchen w/cerpt, 2 1/2 baths, large garage/work area down stairs. Nice Deck off kitchen. Total Price \$35,000 will consider trade. (3603A) 533-1490

NEAR THE ARSENAL — Here is a very nice 3 bedroom STONE Rancher near Redstone Arsenal, with 2100 S.F. and a Detached Garage. Features Include Entry Foyer, Living Room & Dining Room, Den & 1 1/2 Bath's & Large Country Kitchen. (D-3704) 533-1490

CREATED TO ENJOY ... The interior of our pleasant new listing in Fleming Meadows will delight your family. Features are 3 bedrooms, 2 baths, living/dining combination, really plush den and rec room, eat-in kitchen, and inside utilities. Any family would enjoy this ranch style home. Why not yours. Be the first to call. (816G) \$38,500. 883-1200

MOUNTAIN GAP — Three bedroom, 1 1/2 bath home with living room w/beams, den/kitchen combination, single rear entry garage. Fenced back yard. Walk to school. \$6,900. (314MG) 883-1200.

PEACEFUL COUNTRY LIVING — This rancher sits on a 1 acre lot N.W. of Huntsville, with possible chance to buy more land behind this property. Inside are 3 bedrooms, 1 1/2 baths; living room; spacious family room/kitchen combination containing plenty of cabinet space; and a utility room large enough for your washer, dryer and a freezer. Behind the house is an 11 x 30 workshop that is insulated and has 220 outlet. (A.R.T.) 533-1490.

A SELECT BUY ... Sherwood Park's finest 4 bedroom Rancher. Special features include plush carpeting, 2 vanity baths, large eat-in kitchen with all built-ins, paneled den, double rear entry carport. \$36,500. We'll trade on this one.

ARAB — This nice brick rancher is located on over an acre lot with mature apple trees, city water. Living room, large family room, 3 bedrooms, 2 baths, eat-in kitchen, large laundry room, porch. \$34,000. 1-753-2295

ARAB — Brick rancher features large living room, cozy den, 3 large bedrooms, 2 full baths, large laundry room. Single garage. \$35,000. Extra finished bldg. 621 sq. ft. could be office. 1-753-2295

JUST LISTED — MADISON — This ever popular sized Rancher offers 3 bedrooms, 1 1/2 baths, paneled dining room/den combination and rec room. Freshly painted, this home is sharp. \$33,500 on new loan on equity. (4095) 883-1200

ONE YEAR OLD — 3 bedroom home on quiet circle, 1 1/2 baths, inside utility room, living/dining combination and den. Large double carport with big storage area. (3102-JC) 533-1490.

SPACIOUS 4 BEDROOM, two — story home; large kitchen — dining combination, paneled den, laundry room, 2 baths, garage, nice fenced yard with fruit trees; walk to school; total price \$33,000. (13602) 533-1490.

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4005 TROY SWASEY — Nice and clean, brick rancher — 3 BR's, 1