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\$83.5 Million In Patriot PEP Award

The Army has awarded approximately \$83.5 million to Raytheon Company of Bedford, Mass., for production plans for the Army's Patriot Air Defense System.

Under the Producibility Engineering and Planning (PEP) contract, Raytheon will develop a manufacturing data package, design special tooling and test equipment, and perform all tasks necessary to make the orderly transition from engineering development into production.

Work under the three year award is to be performed at Raytheon facilities in Andover, Bedford, Waltham and Wayland, Mass.; and at Martin Marietta Aerospace in Orlando, Fla.

Major General Oliver D. Street, III is the Army's Patriot Project Manager in Huntsville Research Park.

Patriot, being developed to replace both Hawk and Nike Hercules missiles, will be the cornerstone of field Army air defense against medium to high altitude targets in the sophisticated, highly technical land warfare environment predicted for the 1980s and beyond.

The highly mobile, all weather Patriot will feature a high kill probability, fast reaction time, and be able to handle saturation attacks against maneuvering targets in an intense countermeasures environment.



I'M THE DRIVER — The children in this fire engine full of happy faces all say they want to be fire fighters when they grow up. In the meantime, they should know about fire prevention and safety, because about half the people

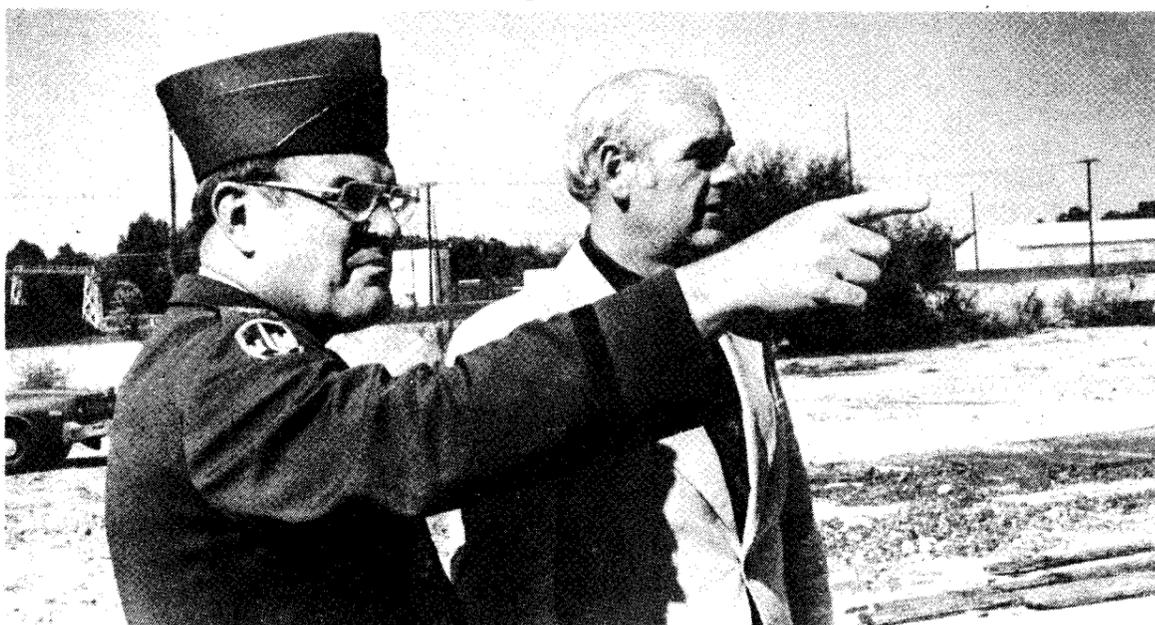
injured in fire are children, fire inspector Larry Dowdy said. Post fire fighters visited the chapel children's center in connection with fire prevention week.

Negotiating the contract for the Army was MIRADCOM's Procurement and Production Directorate, headed by Col. Bobby Hiland.

Raytheon is Patriot prime contractor and

Martin is the principal subcontractor for the missile. Thiokol Corporation is subcontractor to Martin for the propulsion system.

Ditches, Basins At DDT Area



ON SITE — Colonel Frank A. Jones and Paul Hancock, Redstone Facilities Engineer, study drainage patterns in the contaminated area.

The Army's project manager for installation restoration Colonel Frank A. Jones Jr., spent Friday here with Facilities Engineer officials working up a series of measures to divert drainage from the DDT-contaminated area off Mills Road.

The temporary measures, which include extensive ditching to channel storm runoff from the site and settling basins to trap DDT that may be washed from the contaminated earth, are being proposed to the Environmental Protection Agency in keeping with an agreement reached October 11 at a meeting at EPA regional headquarters in Atlanta.

In consultation with the U.S. Food and Drug Administration, the Tennessee Valley Authority and the State of Alabama, the Army and EPA agreed to a five-point plan that includes the following:

--This week, the Army will submit to EPA and the State a schedule of temporary

(See 'DDT Area', page 19)

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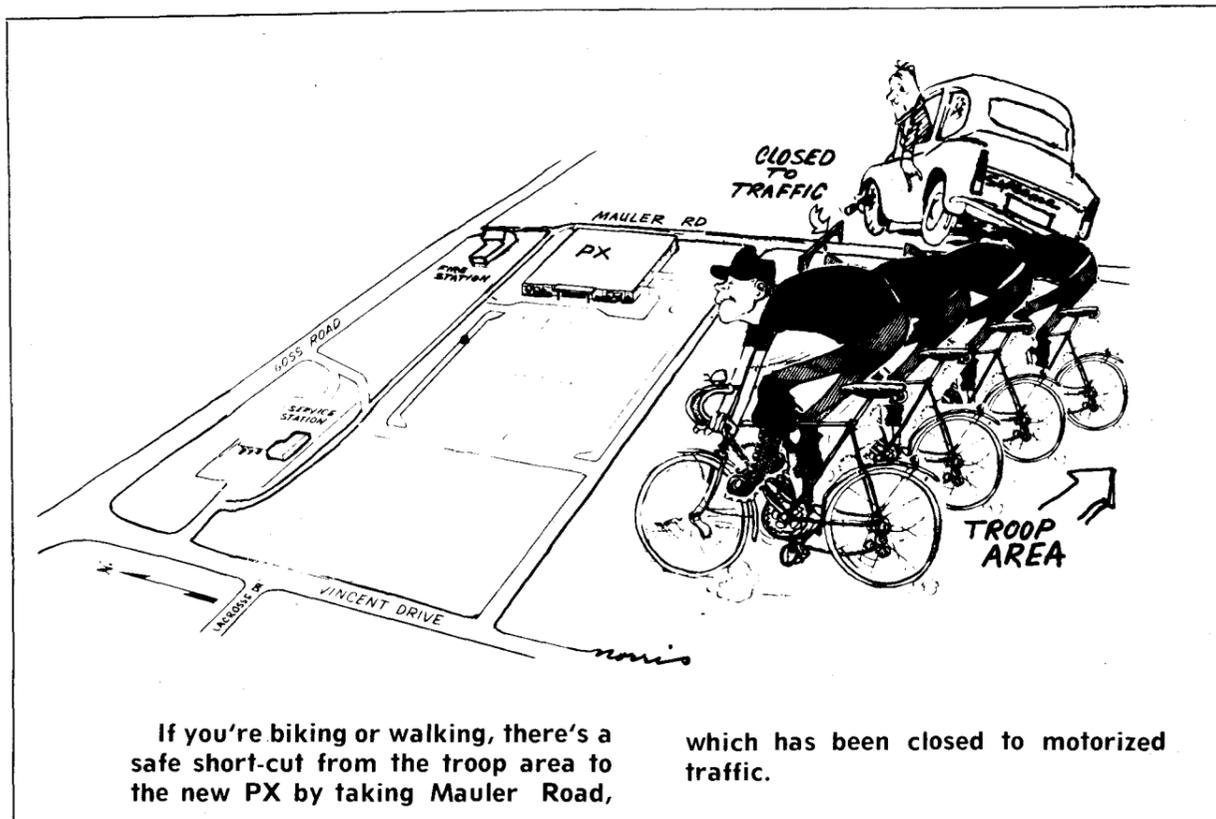
Design Standards To Include Women

Everyone knows that women soldiers now drive trucks, operate radios and repair weapon systems, but few know that the Engineering Laboratory and the Human Engineering Laboratory Detachment here at MIRADCOM help make it all possible.

The Engineering Standards and Data Systems Division of the System Engineering and Product Improvement Directorate is preparing activity for human engineering design standards for military systems, equipment and facilities used by the three services. These standards assure that equipment design conforms to the capabilities and limitations of those who will operate and maintain it. Formerly these standards were based almost exclusively upon the characteristics of men.

The growing number of women soldiers and their participation in nearly all aspects of Army activity has changed that. MIRADCOM now prepares design standards compatible with the physical characteristics of both men and women.

Jerry Chaikin, chief of the HEL Detachment, says that "The fullest possible participation of women in the Army can only be attained if design of systems and equipment they are expected to operate and maintain



If you're biking or walking, there's a safe short-cut from the troop area to the new PX by taking Mauler Road,

which has been closed to motorized traffic.

are configured for use by both men and women. MIRADCOM, therefore, is a key participant in facilitating this process by incorporating provisions for female military personnel into the design standards used by the three services."

MIRADCOM first prepared for publication condensed anthropometry tables for women and general requirements for their use in 1974. More detailed design

data followed in 1975, and in 1976 dimensional workspace requirements compatible with characteristics of military women were established.

Currently the Human Engineering Laboratory Detachment here is analyzing results of a recent anthropometric survey conducted by Natick Laboratory. It will incorporate this new data into existing design standards.

Old Guard Seeks Few Good Troops

"The Old Guard," the 3d United States Infantry, is looking for qualified soldiers for assignment as members of the Army's official ceremonial unit. The unit was established in 1784, and is one of the oldest active infantry units in the U.S. Army. Stationed at Ft. Myer, Va., The Old Guard has a proud heritage.

Besides providing security for the nation's capital in times of civil disturbance or national emergency, The Old Guard is also responsible for military ceremonies in the Washington, D.C. area. Members of The Old Guard are trained for ceremonial as well as infantry and security missions.

The Old Guard's specialty units include: The Old Guard Fife and Drum Corps; Sentinels at the Tomb of the Unknown Soldier; The Caisson Platoon; The Continental Color Guard; The U.S. Army Drill Team and the Commander-in-Chief's Guard, all of which are well-known throughout the country.

Not everyone can qualify. Being accepted as a member of The Old Guard is an honor. Army personnel desiring to become

Soldiers Win Praise

The Missile and Munitions Center and School received a letter from the Huntsville Jaycees, last week praising the soldiers who participated in the "Exceptional Individuals Day" at the Northeast Alabama State Fair.

Addressed to the Commandant, Colonel Edwin A. Rudd, and signed by Michael D. Prince, project chairman for the event, the letter read:

"On behalf of the Huntsville Jaycees, I would like to thank the men of the United States Army Missile and Munitions Center and School for making the "Exceptional Individuals Day at the Fair" a tremendous suc-

cess. Without the support of the Army, this project would not be possible. There is no other organization in this area that we could confidently call upon to handle this affair.

"Your continuing support has given the handicapped children of Huntsville and surrounding areas a day they will long remember. I am sure it was a most rewarding day for your men, and a day they will not soon forget. We deeply appreciate the outstanding job performed by your men.

"If the Huntsville Jaycees can assist you in any way, please call upon us."

members must be at least 5'10" and not more than 6'4" tall, have a high school diploma or equivalent, have a score of 100 or more in the appropriate aptitude area of the ASVAB, and must possess a record which indicates good potential for a White House Duty Assess Clearance.

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64C10, 71L20, 71Q20, 71R20, 73D20, 76Y10, 81E20, 84B20, 94B20, 94B30, 94B40, 02S20, or 00E40, and having at least 16 months remaining on active duty, can obtain information about assignment to The Old Guard by calling CPT Cullinan or SFC Dent at Autovon 222-2731, 32 or 202-692-2731, 32 or by writing to Headquarters, 3d US Infantry (The Old Guard), ATTN: Public Relations Office, Fort Myer, Va. 22211.

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Viper Sight Trials At Simulation Facility

Squinting down the barrel, the soldier aims his rocket launcher at the tank, a mere silhouette against the dusky horizon, and gently caresses the trigger.

Instead of the familiar rocket roar, however, a finger of light darts out and illuminates the tank. The soldier has scored a hit.

Missile Research and Development Command researchers have repeated this scene more than a thousand times—not on Redstone's well equipped missile ranges, but indoors, inside the Advanced Simulation Facility, MIRADCOM's new \$40 million test facility that can simulate environments that affect a missile's flight.

In these tests an Army-industry team is looking at several sights that might be used with the Army's new Viper tank killer under low, light level conditions.

SFC Billy McKeith, Army weapons expert assigned to the Dragon and Viper Project Offices, and 13 infantry soldiers from Fort Benning, Ga., have just concluded several days at Redstone evaluating potential Viper sights, tracking and simulating tank firings, at a variety of ranges and light conditions ranging from dusk to dawn to starlight.

The Viper development team is now studying the data prior to selecting a sight.

Also participating in the tests with the soldiers were Bob Brown, Viper Project Office; Lee Kilbourn and Bill Phillips, Advanced Simulation Facility; John Chipser and Dominic Giordana, Human Engineering Laboratories; William Hill and



McKeith 'sights' in on tank.

Lowell Johnson, General Dynamics, Viper prime contractor.

During tests, the model tank moved back and forth across the terrain model in the facility's Electro Optical Simulation System. Soldiers, using approximately six different sight combinations, tracked the tank against two backgrounds—foliage and sky—at different ranges and light conditions.

Attached to the Viper launcher was a 35mm camera. When soldiers pushed the firing button, it triggered an infrared strobe that illuminated the target, and recorded the data on film.

In addition to selecting a sight, the Army

is interested in comparing simulated tests here with actual field tests conducted earlier at Aberdeen Proving Ground, Md.

Ability of the Advanced Simulation Facility to simulate—and repeat—the desired test scenario enables the Army to collect in hours test data that might take months under actual conditions.

Viper is the Army's new light anti-tank weapon now in engineering development that is substantially more powerful, accurate and effective than its predecessor, the M-72 LAW. Compact and shoulder-fired from a throwaway case that serves as launcher, Viper will weigh less than 3.2 kilograms (7 pounds).

Col. Wiggs Heads Maintenance Dir.

Col. Jimmy D. Wiggs is the new head of the MIRCOC Maintenance and Engineering Directorate, succeeding Col. Harvey C. Day who is now the MIRCOC Chief of Staff.

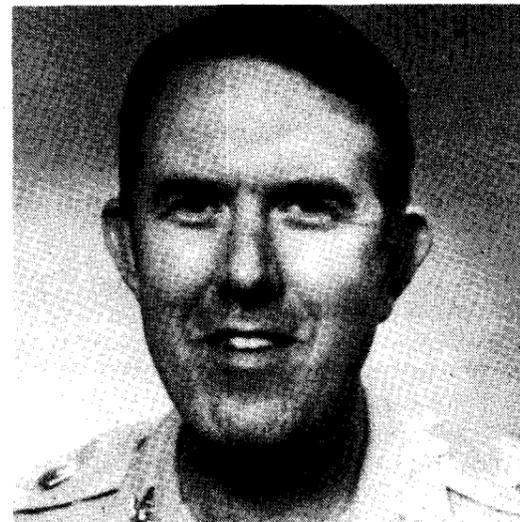
Before he came to Redstone early this month, Wiggs was at Headquarters, Army Readiness Region V, Ft. Sheridan, Ill. where he supervised the training readiness of Reserve and National Guard units over a five state area.

He considers his work in logistics with Headquarters, CINCPAC in Hawaii, and the Safeguard ABM program at White Sands Missile Range, N.M. as being among the key recent assignments. He has also had

R&D and field assignments with the Corporal, Sergeant and Redstone missile systems. His overseas tours were in Germany, Canada and Thailand as well as Hawaii.

A native of Oklahoma and a 1955 graduate of Oklahoma State University with a bachelors degree in arts and sciences, Wiggs also has a masters degree in management from Washington University, St. Louis.

A 1958 graduate of the Army Ordnance Guided Missile School here at Redstone, Wiggs said that his present assignment fulfilled a career goal he established more than 18 years ago.



WIGGS

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Yesterday's Price Today!

original owner must sell this delightful brick rancher on a lovely wooded lot. Special features being: 3 bedrooms, living room, cheerful eat-in kitchen with 2 ovens, large family room with fireplace and built-in bookcases. 2 baths, inside laundry, fenced yard and garage. All this for only \$29,700. Excellent condition.

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Campaign Passes Half-way Point

The Combined Federal Campaign in the Huntsville Area has passed the half-way mark of its six-weeks drive with almost \$350,000 already in the bank.

CFC reports chairman Joe Farrell listed contributions totaling \$348,612.65 received with the participation at 37 per cent in his report through October 14.

Payroll deduction authorizations accounted for \$293,855.55 with the remaining \$54,757.10 received through cash donations. The gifts were received from 5,525 Federal employees and military personnel in the area.

The Marshall Space Flight Center is showing the way for the 37 reporting agencies with contributions totaling \$126,371.67. MIRCOM reported donations totaling \$100,084.20 while MIRADCOM has reached \$68,117.02.

The first organization to complete the drive was the Defense Contract Administration Service where all 48 of the assigned personnel have contributed to a total donation of \$818.

"At the end of the first reporting period,

MMCS Gets Calibration Training Mission

The U.S. Army Missile and Munitions Center and School at Redstone Arsenal, Ala., assumed responsibility for training and combat development of the Army's calibration mission, formerly administered by the U.S. Army Ordnance and Chemical Center and School at Aberdeen Proving Ground, Md., Oct. 1.

The shift of responsibilities was directed by the U.S. Army Training and Doctrine Command and centralizes Army



Progress Report

COMBINED FEDERAL CAMPAIGN

(As of October 14)

Payroll Deductions	\$293,855.00
Cash & Checks	54,757.00
Total Funds	348,612.00
Total Participants	5,525.00
Average Gift	\$63.10



which ended Oct. 7, the Missile and Munitions Center and School had contributed \$22,911.92 in the Combined Federal Campaign," said Al Metzger, MMCS campaign chairman.

However, he could not say what percentage of the assigned goal the figure represented. This year, the campaign's progress is not being charted on a billboard-sized thermometer. Nor are the companies

and directorates competing for the honor of highest dollar per man, or highest percentage of contributors.

Metzger explained, "The thrust is to make sure that everyone is aware of the campaign, that they know which agencies it supports, and they have an opportunity to participate, either by check, cash or payroll deduction."

Calibration activities at Redstone Arsenal. Both the U.S. Army Metrology and Calibration Center and the 95th Service Company (Calibration) have been headquartered here for some time.

The new responsibilities are divided between two USAMMCS directorates. The Directorate of Combat Developments is now responsible for calibration doctrine, field manuals, studies, materiel development, test and evaluation of calibration

materiel and other related functions.

The Directorate of Training Developments now monitor training of calibration specialists (MOS 35H), calibration technicians (Warrant Officer MOS 250A) conducted at Lowry Air Force Base, Colo., under a tri-service agreement, as well as nonresident training developments. Their responsibilities will also include development of Soldiers Manuals and Skill Qualification Tests.

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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. 20 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 1/2 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. (L-402) 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

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APARTMENT COMPLEX - Southwest - Eight units in 3 bldgs. Units furnished. Return \$720 monthly now - can increase to \$800. Located off Governors & Parkway intersection close to several schools. Total \$100,000, owner will finance with 1/2 down at 7%. (2016S) 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. (10309AC) 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 ventilator. Fenced yard. 5 years new. \$66,500. (512B) 883-1200

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

ROCKMONT-ON-CARDESSA High above lake Guntersville, rest of lake dimensions and character. A modified A-Frame. Its features include 4 bedrooms, 3 baths 28x24 Great Room with a massive full 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 front footage and intensely natural landscaping. It is pleasantly close (but not too close) to schools, shopping, dining, recreation. Public docks, Guntersville and Huntsville. Asking \$64,900. 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, a 4 year old home offers great room, built in kitchen, 3 large bedrooms, central heat/air. Pier with 2 slip boat house and attached screen eat in porch. Many extras. Must see. \$62,500. 883-1200.

WESTBURY - Just listed this all brick two level home with 4 spacious bedrooms, 2 1/2 baths, large den, living and dining rooms, eat-in kitchen, 2 car side entry garage. Immediate occupancy. \$34,900. (5629W) 883-1200

7827 HORSESHOE TRAIL - Charming 3 yr. old tri-level in an outstanding neighborhood convenient to schools, shopping and recreation. Features 4 bedrooms, 2 1/2 tastefully 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.

PAINT ROCK VALLEY - Beautifully 40 acre farm with extra nice 3 bedroom brick rancher, includes large living room, den, fully equipped kitchen, 2 baths, central heating & cooling, covered patio; excellent land good for pasture of farming; creek at rear or property, total price \$59,750. 533-1490.

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

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RIVERBEND CONDOMINIUM - GUNTERSVILLE - Super nice condominium with great lake frontage & view. Two BR's (Master - Large LR has door to Deck! Plus carpet and drapes. Central Heat & Air. Will trade for house in Huntsville. 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

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

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.

BRICK RANCHER - Well kept home located on corner lot. Featuring entry foyer, separate living room, dining room, den and 2 baths. This home has a double finished garage, inside laundry room with sink and a large 16x43 patio. (E-2203) 533-1490

NEVER PAINT AGAIN - with maintenance free vinyl siding on this 3 bedroom rancher in Madison. It's situated on lovely tree covered corner lot with large fenced back yard. Other features include large eat-in kitchen, huge living room, separate dining, new roof, plus lots of storage. Priced low \$30's. (H-602) 883-1200

\$18.50 SQ. FT. IN SHERWOOD PARK? Only if you're first to see it. 4 BR, huge family room, kitchen/dining combination, 2 1/2 baths, inside utility. What a buy! (M3614) \$39,950. 533-1490

DOGWOOD VALLEY - Approximately 70% completed - Buy now, finish yourself and save. Great room, nice kitchen, 3 BR's - (Huge MBR isolated) 2 baths, DBL garage. 1 1/4 acre wooded corner lot. Deck most material needed to finish are included in this \$33,000 total & as is price. 533-1490

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\$40's

CLOSE IN COUNTRY LIVING - Quiet neighborhood, just northeast of Huntsville - lovely 1 w/cr lot with 3 Bdrm. Rancher. 2 full baths, sunken den w/FP. Inside laundry, eat-in kitchen, dining room combo, detached large dbl. garage with combination workshop. Ideal for large garden. Must see to appreciate! (6105T) 533-1490

WILLOW PARK ESTATES - Beautiful lot that's over a half acre surrounds this nice 2 story home features separate living and dining rooms, den with fireplace, double garage. 4 bedrooms, 2 1/2 baths. \$49,900. (W10012) 883-1200

NORTH WEST SPECIAL - Drive by today and view this 3 BR, 2 bath home, featuring large paneled den with rock wall/fireplace. This home has a full unfinished basement. You will be impressed with the redwood deck overlooking fenced back yard. (G-2421) 533-1490

"REFRESHINGLY ROOMY" - Begin by finding this one-level home in a very convenient and desirable south location. Walk in the arched entry way for summer or winter enjoyment followed by a large foyer that leads you through a separate living room and dining room. Well lighted modern kitchen, den, secluded master bedroom suite plus 2 others. 2 baths, fireplace, inside laundry. Double car garage also has entry from archway. The back yard is fenced plus it has a privacy fence around the covered patio. This isn't all - Call and see the rest. \$49,900. (B2010)

WALK TO WEATHERLY ELEMENTARY SCHOOL - from this nicely decorated 4 bedroom, 1 1/2 bath brick rancher on large level lot with some trees. Ready for immediate occupancy. (8008N) 883-1200.

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WOODVALE ESTATES - livable tri-level on wooded lot. Four large bedrooms, 2 1/2 baths, large eat-in kitchen overlooking den. Pretty patio area in fenced back yard. Lovely yard for this well-kept home. Just listed. \$49,000. C12108.

SPACE, SPACE, and more SPACE - 2955 sq. ft. in all (which includes heated and cooled, but unfinished, 12 x 22 workshop and 12 x 14 laundry room). Five bedrooms, 2 baths, extra large COUNTRY KITCHEN. Very good condition with much new carpeting! Only \$46,950 for SPACE galore. 9031C 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 \$237.39 total payment. What more could you ask for? Call for an appointment. (W2013) 883-1200

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.

7702 CARLTON DR - PARKWAY ESTATES - Very appealing home on shaded lot in excellent SW neighborhood. Over 2100 ft. 4 nice bedrooms (Master BR large) den and rec. rooms clean & tastefully decorated extensive use of wallpaper. Elec. FP w/heaterator. Priced below market value at \$44,800 will consider trade. (7702C) 533-1490

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. (PG706)

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, master bedroom, double garage. NICE! \$41,000. (5100L) 533-1490

EXPECT THE UNEXPECTED - In these quality new homes from Homestead Builders. You'll marvel at new ideas, new concepts, new street appeal and a unique style of living that's long overdue. Two models ready for immediate possession. Mid \$40's. 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 parlor with fireplace, leisure 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

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BASEMENT RANCHER THAT'S BIG & ROOMY. Beautiful brick home that's perfect for the large family that will love a rec. room, family room, den & workshop. 4 bedrooms, 2 baths. \$53,000. (C4013) 533-1490

FLEMING HILLS, SW. over 2,300 sq. ft. for only \$55,900. Three full-level Dutch Colonial brick home on lovely landscaped lot. Four extra large bedrooms, 3 baths, huge den with fireplace, spacious country kitchen. Fully carpeted over hardwoods. Exceptional buy on quiet dead-end street. (7704T) 883-1200.

NEARLY NEW AND CONVENIENT TO EVERYTHING. This beautiful big tri-level home sits high on a free covered lot on a hillside 4 bedrooms, large den with a fireplace. See this one soon. (4003WE) 533-1490

MADISON - Very neat 4 bedroom rancher on a large lot. Fenced back yard with garden spot, double garage. Den with fireplace. See this one soon on Rainbow Dr. 533-1490.

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 and 1 1/2 bath down. Situated on lovely wooded lot. (8812-VV) 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 Wrewood) 883-1200.

GUNTSVILLE LAKE - Holiday Shores - Authentic resort situated 1700' of log house with front lot. 2700 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 on this beautiful acre lot with trees. This lovely 3 bedroom, 2 bath, paneled den w/fireplace home is a wish come true! You will have peace, comfort & location when 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

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NATURE LOT - This is a better than new tri-level just listed in the Southeast. Living room has french doors and custom drapes. Bright den with wood burning fireplace. Five bedrooms or four and a study, 3 baths, large inside utility. Only 2 years old. New model sells for \$59,300. Compare with this one for \$57,500. MC11319

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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 (M3422) 533-1490

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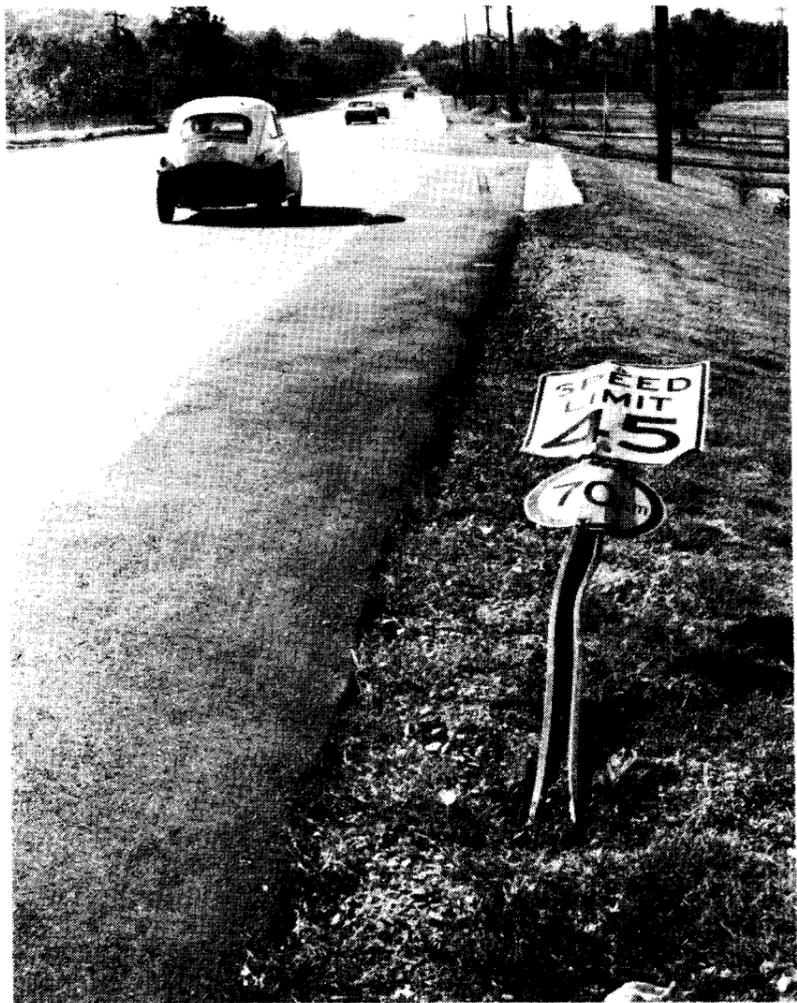
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At press time police were seeking at least two individuals reportedly seen fleeing from the 2½ ton truck which was found laying on its side on Sanders Road just off Whitesburg Dr. A Huntsville Police Department spokeswoman said occupants of the truck fled from the scene and their identities were not known.

It appeared the truck, which reportedly was stolen in Huntsville traveled west on Martin Road from Whitesburg, swerving from lane-to-lane to wipe out signs on both road shoulders. It crashed a barrier at gate 1, striking down several signs before turning around and proceeding east back out the gate, knocking down more signs until finally overturning. Military Police found the truck abandoned. Two signs on Whitesburg Drive were knocked over.

No estimate of the cost of the damaged signs was available.

Investigation continues by Military Police and the Huntsville Police Department.



Army Equipment Shortage Reaches Critical Stage

Soldier, the next time you lose a wrench from an Army tool kit you better be prepared to pay for it.

Army losses in clothing, hand tools and other equipment, turned up by a recent four-month inspection ran to \$118.5 million.

The Army is taking immediate action to correct inventory procedures and cut future shortages and that includes making personnel pay for negligent losses.

According to the Army Inspector General, LTG Marvin D. Fuller, missing materiel did not include weapons. About 65 percent of the un-accounted for items were clothing, tool and component parts. Fuller said that theft probably accounted for 5 percent of the losses, the remainder was due to poor inventory procedures and bad management practices developed during the Vietnam War by soldiers who did not have to account for lost equipment.

The inspection covered 118 company-size units, four divisions overseas and 15 installations in the United States. No DARCOM installations or activities were included in the inspections.

The Army is telling commanders to first determine what mandatory and discretionary tools and components their units should have, then they must develop a

positive means to ensure continuous control of them.

Tools, the Army recognizes, are easy to lose as many as the same ones soldiers could use to fix their cars, motorcycles, or home appliances, then don't get back to the shop after being "borrowed". In addition, some individuals using Army tools are simple careless with them.

To establish controls, commanders and supervisors must assign, by hand receipt, every set, kit and chest in the unit to a specific individual. Basic issue items and troop installed items as well as every tool and component in a unit is to be included.

The Army says that when a soldier signs for a jeep he should also sign a hand receipt for every component that goes with it.

DA policy on accountability of components is being changed to simplify procedures and increase strictness.

Maintaining supply discipline is another step in strict control. For instance, before tools are put away at the end of each duty day, each individual to whom tools are assigned should make sure that all tools used that day are returned to their proper place. No one should leave the unit area until all tools and components have been secured.

Although it is not a Department of Army requirement, it is recommended that responsible individuals make a complete inventory once a week and supervisors conduct inventories no less than once a month.

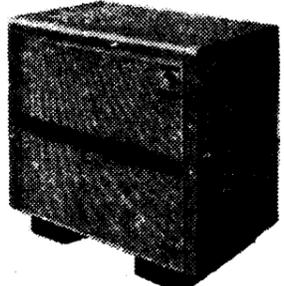
Commanders have three ways of replacing tools when the loss is the fault of the individual to whom the tools were assigned.

—The commander may sign an authorization for the individual to purchase the exact replacement at the post self-service supply store when the individual admits fault.

—Officers, civilians and enlisted personnel may pay cash for the tool and sign a cash collection voucher when fault for loss is agreed to. Enlisted personnel have the option of signing a statement of charges so that the cost of the mission items can be deducted directly from their pay. Both the cash collection and statement of charges methods are for losses totaling \$250 or less.

—For any loss where fault is not admitted, a report of survey is initiated. This involves an investigation which establishes whether cash liability should be assessed against an individual.

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from the center toured the calibrations company last week, observing the three levels of traceability in the accuracy of Army calibrations. The tour is an annual affair.

E6 Board Meets

A DA promotion board will pick E6s to go up or out when it convenes in January.

All E6s with a date of rank of Nov. 30, 1973 or earlier will be considered for primary zone. E6s with a date of rank after Nov. 30, 1973 through Sept. 30, 1975 will be considered for promotion in the secondary zone.

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Word Processing Coming In Future

Word processing is on its way to Redstone.

Word processing producing typewritten documents and communications more efficiently through the use of systematic procedures, automated office equipment, communication devices, and trained personnel.

determine the advantages of using automatic typing and dictation equipment, said Stamper, although they are not required to do so at this time.

The colonel also noted that a recent DA letter announces that organizations with word processing equipment leased or rented in 1972 or earlier

than with manual or electric typewriters. Our work force has been reduced in recent years, and by going to word processing we will be able to get more productivity out of the people we now have, than if we retain the old equipment and techniques."

Not a Typist Pool

Colonel Stamper said that word processing is misunderstood by some. "People have two hangups about it," he said. "Because it entails the grouping of equipment and personnel, some consider the word processing system to be a typing pool. This is an old wive's tale.

This is very sophisticated equipment, and requires trained workers. Office chiefs will still have their own typing capabilities under their control, and the system will be within easy access of the office, within walking distance in the same building.

"Some fear that processing will cause reductions in the work force. This is not the case. It will simply allow us to get more out of the same people, and should not be looked upon as a people replacer."

Some office managers fear that word processing will raise the average grade in their offices. When asked if this would happen, Stamper said that "I can't speculate at this time on what would happen. We'll have to wait until the positions are structured and

classified." The colonel did emphasize that clerical workers removed from an office and placed in a word processing center will still be considered a member of that office. Only if their position is upgraded would the office's average grade be affected.

Automatic Corrections

Dorothea (Dottie) McClendon, a management analyst here, named some of the advantages of word processing equipment. Many machines are computerized. Some have viewing screens which facilitate proofreading, and errors can be corrected automatically. The machines also have a form of information retrieval system which allows original copies to be automatically retyped, and reformatted if necessary. Thus offices which do much repeat typing, especially with minor changes from copy to copy, would greatly benefit from use of word processing machines.

"This equipment gives us first-time keystroke capture," said McClendon. "With it we could, for example, take a technical report, carry the information to logistics, put it into a technical manual, and send it to MMCS, without ever having to rekeyboard it."

Word processing equipment would also be timesavers for the generators of copy, said McClendon. For example, they could prepare their original work with dictation machines six times faster

than they can handwrite it. Dictation is also easier for the typist to transcribe than a handwritten original.

Many machines also have a files retrieval system which makes immediately available up-to-date data necessary for managerial decision-making.

McClendon emphasized that word processing means not only equipment, but also trained personnel and new work procedures. Word processing equipment must be grouped for maximum efficiency, and this means some reorganization of the conventional office structure, with secretarial tasks divided into document production and administrative functions. Fewer clerical workers will be in offices; instead they will be grouped in word processing centers.

Costs Will Double

"Office administration is one of the highest costs in any activity," said McClendon. "Secretarial costs are expected to double from

be free to do other things."

As one management expert recently wrote, "Word processing is now part of our way of life as a society." Louis Jackson, head of Redstone's Records Management Office, the local approving authority for word processing proposals, said that the response has been enthusiastic. The Directorate for International Logistics is currently establishing a word processing center, to open in late November, and MIRADCOM, MMCS, Missile Intelligence, the Maintenance & Engineering Directorate, and the Military Personnel Division are all working on proposals.

An instructional team from The Adjutant General's office will be here the week of November 28 to brief top-level management and to conduct a three-day seminar for management analysts or other representatives of primary organizational elements.

'It will allow us to get more work out of the same people, and should not be looked upon as a people replacer.'

1970 to 1980. In some offices, because of antiquated procedures and equipment, the work isn't getting done.

People are so busy retyping that a lot of things are going by the board. With the establishment of word processing centers, secretaries involved in administrative support will

The team will provide instruction and guidance on how to evaluate the need for word processing equipment and to prepare proposals justifying that need.

Organizations will be contracted by the Records Management Office and allocated spaces in the seminar.

'The advantages are mind-boggling . . . It will allow us to get more productivity from workers.'

According to Colonel Archie L. Stamper, Director of Personnel Training and Force Development for MIRCOCOM, recent regulations reveal that the Army is committed to use of modern word processing systems where they will be more efficient than conventional methods of producing typewritten copy or than outmoded word processing equipment.

Offices should review their administrative functions to

must by the end of the year either terminate the lease, purchase the equipment, or, preferably, replace it with newer, more sophisticated word processing equipment at a lower rental or at a higher rental offset by subsequent savings.

The advantages of word processing are "mind-boggling," said Stamper. "In essence, it will allow us to get more productivity from our present workers

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New Military Pay Scale

(See BAQ, BAS Tables on next page)

Junior Enlisted

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E-1	397.50			
E-2	443.10			
E-3	460.20	485.40	504.90	525.00

Mid-Grade Non-Commissioned Officers

Pay Grade	Under 2	Over 2	3	4	6	8	10	12	14	16	18
E-4	478.50	505.20	534.90	576.60	599.40						
E-5	498.00	541.80	568.20	592.80	631.50	657.30	683.70	708.60	721.80		
E-6				671.10	696.00	721.80	748.20	786.90	811.50	837.30	850.20

Senior Non-Commissioned Officers

Pay Grade	Over 10	12	14	16	18	20	22	26
E-7	837.30	863.70	902.70	928.20	954.30	966.60	1031.70	1159.80
E-8		1018.50	1044.90	1069.20	1095.60	1159.80	1289.40	
E-9			1154.10	1176.90	1239.00	1359.00		

Warrant Officers

Pay Grade	Under 2	Over 2	3	4	6	8	10	12	14	16	18	20	22	26
W-1	654.30	750.30	750.30	812.70	849.30	886.20	922.20	960.60	996.60	1033.50	1069.50	1107.90		
W-2				874.20	922.20	972.90	1009.60	1046.40	1082.70	1120.50	1157.10	1193.70	1242.00	
W-3								1168.80	1206.00	1242.00	1280.40	1329.90	1378.20	1427.10
W-4									1427.10	1464.60	1512.90	1563.30	1684.60	

Commissioned Officers - Company Grade

Pay Grade	Under 2	Over 2	3	4	6	8	10	12	14
O-1	732.90	762.90	922.20						
O-2	844.20	922.20	1107.90	1145.10	1168.80				
O-3	968.40	1082.70	1157.10	1280.40	1341.60	1390.20	1464.60	1537.50	1575.30

Commissioned Officers - Field Grade

Pay Grade	6	8	10	12	14	16	18	20	22	26
O-4	1376.20	1439.70	1537.50	1624.20	1698.60	1772.40	1821.90			
O-5					1797.30	1932.30	2043.30	2104.80	2178.60	
O-6							2277.60	2326.00	2462.10	2670.00

Commissioned Officers with over Four Years Active Enlisted Service

Pay Grade	4	6	8	10	12	14
O-1	922.20	984.90	1021.50	1050.40	1095.30	1145.10
O-2	1145.10	1168.80	1206.00	1268.40	1317.30	1353.30
O-3	1280.40	1341.60	1390.20	1464.60	1537.50	1599.30

General Officers

Pay Grade	20	22	26
O-7	3039.00		
O-8	3360.30	3495.00	
O-9		3618.00	3876.60
O-10			4393.80

NOTE: Basic pay is limited to 3958.20 by Level V of the Executive Schedule.

Parish Retires, Dobson New Engineer



PARISH

Colonel John V. Parish, Jr., Huntsville Division Engineer for over two years, will retire from the Army at the end of this month with over 27 years of active commissioned service.

A member of the Huntsville Division since August 1974, Colonel Parish initially served as Deputy Engineer until July 1975 when he became Division Engineer.

Prior to the Huntsville Division Colonel Parish served as Executive Director of Civil Works, and as Memphis District Engineer as well as a number of other key assignments in the United States and abroad, including Germany, United Arab Republic, Vietnam, Italy, and the Panama Canal Zone.

Colonel Parish, a former Marine Corps enlisted man, was commissioned following graduation from the United States Military Academy in 1950.

Parish has accepted a position with Department of Transportation and will be working on the new high-speed rail service system to be installed between Washington, and Boston.

Colonel Dale E. Dobson, Deputy Division Engineer since April 1976, will succeed Colonel Parish.

Dobson joined the Division following a two-year tour with the Staff and Faculty of the Armed Forces Staff College. He previously served in various command and staff positions throughout the United States and overseas to include tours in Korea, Libya, Japan, Vietnam, and Greenland.

A graduate of Iowa State University with



DOBSON

a B.S. in Civil Engineering, he also has earned an M.S. in Civil Engineering from the Missouri School of Mines. He is a graduate of the Command and Staff College, the Armed Forces Staff College and the Army War College.

He is a registered Profession Engineer in the State of Missouri.

New Monthly Quarters, Subsistence Rates

(Pay Tables on page 12)

Pay Grade	Without Dependents		With Dependents
	Full Rate ¹	Partial Rate ²	
	Commissioned Officers		
0-10	\$339.30	\$50.70	\$424.20
0-9	339.30	50.70	424.20
0-8	339.30	50.70	424.20
0-7	339.30	50.70	424.20
0-6	304.50	39.60	371.40
0-5	280.80	33.00	338.10
0-4	249.80	26.70	301.80
0-3	219.90	22.20	271.20
0-2	190.80	17.70	241.50
0-1	148.80	13.20	193.80
	Warrant Officers		
W-4	\$240.90	\$25.20	\$290.70
W-3	214.80	20.70	264.60

	186.90	15.90	237.30
W-2			
W-1	168.60	13.80	218.40
	Enlisted Members		
E-9	\$181.80	\$18.60	\$255.60
E-8	167.40	15.30	236.40
E-7	142.50	12.00	219.90
E-6	129.30	9.90	202.20
E-5	124.20	8.70	185.70
E-4	109.80	8.10	163.50
E-3	98.10	7.80	142.50
E-2	86.70	7.20	142.50
E-1	81.90	6.90	142.50

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THE MUSIC MAKERS..by Dudley Powell, Jr. That's just what they were..they made music! A gut bustin', mind bogglin', skin tinglin' desire to make music! I'm talking about the musicians that started "Ragtime" and "Jazz" in this country, beginning about 1900. First in New Orleans, then other cities like St. Louis, Chicago, Mobile, Memphis..generally moving "Up The Lazy River". These people played on spoons, wash boards, "juice" harps, wire stretched up and down a broom, waxed paper wrapped around combs, bugles without the benefit of valves, and old bent up bugles at that! Now folks, these people just weren't alarmed or disturbed when the electric power went off. You see, the music was in their hearts, not in kilowatt hours! They didn't start out their musical careers with \$2500.00 electric guitars or \$1500.00 snare drums..They started their career with whatever they could lay their hands on, and earned the money playing these crude instruments to later buy the expensive ones. You want to know why we aren't producing any good Broadway plays anymore? Well, Brother, you just look at the training ground!

better doesn't mean a Dodge will cost you more." While we were talking, a proof of the point walked up on two legs, in the person of Mr. Carl Ballard. He told us he had a 65 Dodge pick-up truck that the odometer had been around 2 or 3 times, a '67 Chrysler engineered Plymouth with 150,000 miles on it, and a Chrysler with 190,000 miles before any inside work was done on the motor. Now that reliability and efficiency have come back in vogue, I suggest you get with the Company that never dropped these traits..Dodge, engineered by Chrysler, the finest engineers in the world..HUNTSVILLE DODGE on Wheeler Ave.

T.P. CROCKMIER'S..by "Uncle Dudley". I had lunch with a friend, Al Bowling, an out of town guest, and Dudley Powell, III at T.P. CROCKMIER'S. Example of T.P. CROCKMIER'S hospitality..during lunch, a waiter inadvertently filled our guests' scotch and water with more water, a source of irritation to our guest. Quick as a wink, Patrick Wu was there with a new scotch and water, and at no extra charge. An old Confucius saying, which goes.."One should not pour water into a scotch and water that already has water." Seriously now, we RECOMMEND T.P. CROCKMIER'S to you, for the best in dining and FUN! PREDICTION..by Dudley Powell, Jr. The University of Alabama will BEAT Tennessee by a margin of 12 points...

"BIG M ACRES" is the PLANNED COMMUNITY by Dudley Powell, Sr. Lots are moving briskly on "BIG M ACRES". "BIG M ACRES" is not building houses. Each owner has his own house built to his custom made plan..just another reason why you won't move away from it all..to find it all followed you!

MASON JEWELERS..by Dudley Powell, Jr. In last week's write-up about MASON JEWELERS, we heard from many of their customers that have been customers for years. Let me reiterate ..traditions in the truest sense cannot be made in a year or two in the jewelry business. Like jewelry itself, a jewelry store must be polished and perfected! At MASON JEWELERS, they are mighty close to perfection when it comes to service, merchandise, and replenishing china and silver after the initial purchase. MASON JEWELERS has an EXCELLENT Bridal service for you to select from. Good News!..They are now having a sale at MASON JEWELERS..

"Sam" Says...Happy 20th Anniversary to the LANDMARK GALLERY OF HOMES! The Motto at LANDMARK is "We Bring People Home", and that's exactly what they've been doing since 1957, when Eula Brooks started LANDMARK with a portable chair and typing table in one room of her apartment, where she lived and acted as unit apartment manager. In 1965, she built the Landmark Building on Bob Wallace Avenue, with five sales counselors. Mrs. Brooks joined the Gallery of Homes in 1972. LANDMARK GALLERY OF HOMES now has a total of 45 licensed salespersons, and 15 more who will be licensed by the end of the year. From one room, twenty years ago, to four plush offices to serve you..at Jordan Lane, Mastin Lake Road, Drake Avenue, and Bailey Cove Rd., in Willowbrook Shopping Center. LANDMARK GALLERY OF HOMES is there to serve you with professional real estate counselors. We, The Entertainment Preview, and Powell Advertising salute you, LANDMARK GALLERY OF HOMES, for TWENTY YEARS of professional service to the community!

"Sam" Says..don't forget to attend the "Open House", at COUNTRY HOME FLORIST, on Nov. 5 & 6. The hours on Nov. 5 are from 8:00

least..What about the beautiful elderly people and shut-in's? We all grow old, but that doesn't mean our minds cease to function! Take a little time..spend a few minutes talking to them..show them you care. So many of them are left in homes, sometimes going for YEARS without having a single visitor! How unforgivable! Because they're in a home is no reason to FORGET them! I've visited homes and seen "old" people reach out, literally, just to touch you as you walk by, begging to be kissed, crying for attention! It would break your heart! Put YOURSELF in their place, as you most certainly will be some day, confined to a wheelchair or bed, with no one to care. Our world has come to the point of NOT CARING, and you see the results! Greed, selfishness, lust, crimes of all dimensions! Not happiness and fulfillment, but an unhappy mass of thoughtless, meaningless NOBODIES! Open your eyes, WORLD, and see what is going on around you! Let's join forces and PROVE that we CARE! WHO CARES?..I DO!

"Sam" Says..CARPETS UNLIMITED is exactly what the name implies! Don Lee, of CARPETS UNLIMITED, has a HUGE selection of carpet by Alden Mills, Patcraft, DeSoto, M&M, and Queen Carpets. In the vinyl floor covering he has Armstrong, GAF, Congoleum and Mannington, in many styles to choose from. Don has been in the carpet business for 2½ years here in Huntsville, and opened a CARPETS UNLIMITED in Scottsboro in January of this year. This is no fly-by-night business! Don Lee and his staff at CARPETS UNLIMITED know what they're doing. They'll be happy to help you choose the floor covering, whether it's carpet or vinyl, that will best suit your needs, and recommend the proper pad for your carpet. Stop by CARPETS UNLIMITED at 1025 Meridian St., and let friendly Don Lee help you with your selection. Don runs a different special every week! This week, his "special" is a new son, Jeffrey Ryan! Congratulations!

SHELBY COLE'S MOBILE HOMES..by "Sam". Gorgeous is the word for the '78 model mobile homes! The Sunshine Mobile Homes are so roomy, I actually got lost in one! With three bedrooms, 2 full baths, separate dining rooms and an all electric kitchen, you just couldn't ask for more in a home. And how about a woodburning fireplace? You can have that, along with any decor you choose. We all know the price of housing these days is high, and yet we all yearn for a home of our own. If you haven't been in a mobile home in a few years, you're in for a pleasant surprise! With sturdy construction and truly elegant interior design, the mobile homes at SHELBY COLE'S MOBILE HOMES offer you an alternative to the high cost of living. Stop by SHELBY COLE'S MOBILE HOMES, at 3501 S. Memorial Parkway, and take a look at all the fine mobile homes. I promise, you'll find one JUST RIGHT for you! DATELINE: RUBY TUESDAY'S. Easily by a mile, the most exciting Disco in town is R.T.'S. Steve Ennis has created an image that is imitated by other discos, but there is ONLY ONE R.T.'S..New Year's Eve parties on the first Tuesday of each month, "Happy Hour and a Half" seven nights a week, and Steve, what's this I hear about one of Hugh Hefners' Bunnies paying you guys a visit the other night? She said someone recommended RUBY TUESDAY'S to her in Memphis, so she had to check it out while in town. Now folks, if they know about RUBY TUESDAY'S in Memphis, you should know that RUBY TUESDAY'S is the BEST Disco going..

THE COTTAGE CUPBOARD..by "Sam". I really can't think of

...he plays his grand piano 8 hours a week...maybe. And I can tell you that, even though the grand piano costs more and sounds better, the man playing it won't learn as much in 8 hours a week as 8 hours a day! Only "COPRA", gathered in the old way, is any good!

"Sam" Says...Finally! A beauty salon that stays up to date on current trends! That's CHARLOTTE'S CLIP'N CURL! Charlotte Christian has been in the beauty business for six years, with five years in Virginia Beach, and in Huntsville since July of '76, and Charlotte believes in training, training, and re-training! Charlotte is a professional, and has a great group working with her at CHARLOTTE'S CLIP'N CURL, such as Gertrude Watson, who keeps them organized, as well as Lisa Bentley Fanning, Bobbie Goodwin, Jenny Davis, Martha Bowlin, Louise Spray, and I found my own Janice Denton! All of these girls are good! I had the pleasure of spending the day with them on Sept. 19, when they had one of their regular in-salon training sessions with the award winning Greg Colpo and Charles Collier, of "C. Charles and B. Collins Coiffures" in Atlanta. Greg and Charles trained each of the girls in the latest in styling, frosting, coloring and perms, and the results were dazzling! Pin curls are back and, with the right taper cut, the styles are gorgeous! In November, the girls will be going to Winston-Salem, N.C., for a show and training session. Quality trained professionals with years of experience, using Redken products, and staying up to date on the latest in styles and hair care...what more could you want?! Located at 813 Wellman Ave., in the Five Points area, CHARLOTTE'S CLIP'N CURL is open from 8:00 A.M. 'til 6:00 P.M., Wednesday thru Saturday. And Men, they'll be glad to style your hair too! If you want to look fantastic, let Charlotte and her girls bring YOU up to date!

AAA EQUIPMENT & RENT ALL. Why buy a "Six-Pack" when you can buy a CASE...? A Case Tractor, that is, from AAA RENT ALL. Right now they are having a sale on Case Tractors, you can purchase one for only \$50.00 above dealer cost. You see, Case is now painting all of their tractors a different color, and Mr. Frank Dawson, owner of AAA RENT ALL, has been ordered by Case Tractor Co. to clear the premises of all the tractors with the old colors, and last years models, and the Company is participating with AAA RENT ALL in this clearance sale. Everything from large garden tractors to small ones will be sold in this complete clearance sale, to make room for next years models! AAA EQUIPMENT & RENT ALL, the Company that sells, as well as rents. VALLEY TRANSMISSION CO..by "Sam". Ladies, if you're anything like I am, you know very little about your car, except when to fill it up! And for you and me, it's nice to know there's a man here in Huntsville who is not only honest and reliable, but knows all about keeping "Bessie" in top working condition! That man is Stan Hall, of VALLEY TRANSMISSIONS, at 2221 S. Memorial Pkwy., next door to Boots Restaurant. He prefers that you get several estimates, and then bring your car to him. He'll do a good job, and save you money as well. He'll road test your car and give you an estimate, free of charge. For \$12.00, he'll tune-up your transmission, which should be done every 12,000 miles. That \$12.00 may save you hundreds in the long run! Stan also works on imports. Regardless of what kind of car you have, if your car needs it, Stan and his staff at VALLEY TRANSMISSIONS can do it! By the way, Stan still has 2,000 square feet of showroom space for rent in his building. If you've been looking for a prime location, call Stan at 534-1664. He's there from 7:30 A.M. 'til 9:00 P.M. on Monday, and from 7:30 A.M. 'til 6:00 P.M., Tuesday through Friday. Incidentally, Stan is interested in hiring a first class mechanic.

WIXC RADIO..by Dudley Powell, Jr. Dana Harmon, of WIXC RADIO, and I were having a good laugh the other day..Back several years ago when I had the "Rolling Bull Store" for Big M Farms, I brought a 2,000 pound bull, that would barely fit through the door, into the radio station! He was halter broken, and could be led around like a puppy dog. Dana Harmon and WIXC RADIO have come a long way since then! Dana is a leading businessman in both Fayetteville and Huntsville. WIXC RADIO now has 5,000 watts of power, and reaches Huntsville with ease, covering a wide area of Metro Huntsville that very few stations reach. I suggest to the people of Huntsville that you listen to the "Country-Politan" sounds of WIXC for the best in modern country music, and to do as "Uncle Dudley" does for the Powell Advertising clients..buy spots on WIXC RADIO! It's where the people are! Why not let Powell Advertising produce spots for you on WIXC RADIO? Call us at 536-1504, and let us explain how it won't cost you any extra for doing your spots...

DATELINE: HUNTSVILLE DODGE, Wheeler Ave., by Dudley Powell, Jr. Mr. Hughes wants to correct a mis-conception in some people's minds, and that is, you can buy a Ford or Chevrolet cheaper than you can buy a Chrysler engineered Dodge. "Just because OUR product is

There will be refreshments served, free carnations for the ladies, and door prizes given each hour! You don't have to be present to win...just register while you're there. We'll be there, and hope to see you too! You'll see the most beautiful selection of holiday arrangements available anywhere...the floral designers at COUNTRY HOME FLORIST are professional, and that's reflected in their work. Right now, you'll find a lovely selection of centerpieces for Halloween and Thanksgiving, in both cut and dried flowers, not to mention the festive Christmas arrangements! For gifts, you'll find a wide selection of small items for teacher, up to larger items in wicker and brass. COUNTRY HOME FLORIST, the one stop gift and floral shop, located at 2011 Sparkman Drive.

SERVICE MASTER..by Diane. The Entertainment Preview met at our house the other night to watch the "Elvis Special", and to celebrate the NEW, CLEAN LOOK that was a DIRECT result of SERVICE MASTER, having given our home a complete cleaning from TOP to BOTTOM. This was accomplished by turning everything over to SERVICE MASTER and having them do all the work, which included polishing dirty ole silver, cleaning paneling in every room, washing chandeliers, cleaning windows, dry cleaning sofas, chairs, carpets, etc. It was like having ten "Mr. Cleans" come over and do ALL the work for you! To get these same results in your home or office, we suggest you call SERVICE MASTER today!

YOUNG LIFE..by Dudley Powell, III. I had some of the best times of my life in YOUNG LIFE. For those of you who don't know, it is a Christian organization for young people where they meet every week and take trips. What more could you say about these people? But I have to say more! I went to YOUNG LIFE all through High School, and now my sister, Kathy, is going. YOUNG LIFE has clubs, as they call it, in almost all city High Schools. The fellowship and the sense of belonging to an organization like this is a GREAT feeling! I want to thank YOUNG LIFE for all the great times I had with them!...

We are pleased to announce that LUTHER'S MUFFLER SHOP, just off University Dr., has just signed a 12 month contract with The Entertainment Preview. LUTHER'S is right next to RIC'S SPEED SHOP and right behind Frank Dawson's AAA RENT-ALL, both clients of ours. By the way, Luther will have to do 369 muffler jobs to pay for his new sign outside that he's so proud of! We're happy that these three sponsors, through comparing notes and the results they have gotten, all chose The Entertainment Preview. We recommend all three from personal experience.

INTRODUCTION TO SUZY'S ARTICLE..by Dudley Powell, Jr. Suzy has written another great article. It has been a source of great irritation to me for some time that certain Government agencies have designed pill bottles that older heart patients cannot open to get their medication, to make up for the fact that some parents refuse to directly supervise their children, or have competent people do it. There's just no way the world can be made safe for babies and young children to roam and prowl without loving supervision. People who own swimming pools are forced to go to ridiculous extremes because people do not know where their children are! We must learn the lesson again that the government laws cannot replace a Mother's and Father's love and attention, and ability to look out for their own children.

WHO CARES ABOUT THE FOLLOWING?..I DO!..by Suzy. For the child who is left alone while Mom or Dad run out on a short errand, only to find, upon returning, that the child has been badly hurt, or killed, because they thought nothing could happen in just a "few minutes". It happens every day and will continue to happen because parents don't think! Children are curious and will investigate the "no-no's" while their parents are away, such as fire, electric wires and plug-ins, knives, guns, medicines and poisons and sometimes an unlocked door which, as we have found, welcomes "sick minds" to enter. How COULD you leave them ALONE, when you know these things happen?? What about the teenaged girl, still in high school, who is working at night to help with the family income, and hasn't transportation to get to and from work? How many times have you read where a young girl was raped, murdered, or just disappeared from the face of the earth? Often, yes. Just be sure that you KNOW where she is, that she's safe, and has a way home from work! How about those who are facing surgery, or the young woman about to have her first child? WHO CARES what they're going through? I've been there, and I know how they feel. Just to have someone to comfort and assure them that everything will be alright means a lot. A loving parent, spouse, child, friend, and of course, the always "on-the-job" minister of God..all add to the comfort, and lessen the anxieties of those who are fearful of what the outcome may be. Last, but certainly not

THE COTTAGE CUPBOARD, at Woolco Shopping Center. Now, I'm not just saying that because we represent them. I'm saying it because I mean it! Breakfast is my favorite meal, and I sometimes get the urge for eggs with all the trimmings at 11:00 P.M.! When I do, Bob and I hop in the car and rush to THE COTTAGE CUPBOARD. Their food is absolutely delicious! The lunches at COTTAGE CUPBOARD cannot be beat for both quality and price, and they're serving tamales again, too! And pinto beans..and corn bread! For dinner, try sinking your teeth into a tender, juicy steak, cooked just the way you like it, with all the trimmings. Seafood? Try the shrimp! Come to think of it, Bob, how about taking me to THE COTTAGE CUPBOARD for dinner tonight! They're open from 6:00 A.M. 'til Midnight every day, and from 8:00 A.M. 'til 1:00 P.M. for breakfast on Sunday.

COMPTON'S ANTIQUES..by Dudley Powell, Jr. When we entered his shop, the first thing we noticed were five old antique clocks, all in working condition. He explained to us that the oldest clock was made in 1860, and was pendulated by weights, rather than springs. I was brought up in the historical district of Huntsville in a home full of antiques. My Grandmother, Lula Powell, wrote the book "Antiquing For Fun and Profit", so believe me, when Cindy and I entered the shop of Lincoln Compton, of COMPTON'S ANTIQUES, we felt at home. I have heard Mother speak of Gladys Compton many times. In fact, I learned Mr. Compton assisted my Grandmother in writing her book! Many homes in the historical district have antiques from COMPTON'S. He is located in Meridianville. Just go north on the Parkway, past Byer's Nursery about 2 1/2 miles. Mr. Compton's business is on the left, across from Meridianville High School. Mr. Compton has been in business 17 years and is very serious about preserving the past. You will enjoy a visit to Meridianville, as we did. The Entertainment Preview says a hearty hello to Pat Patton, the DJ at The Fogcutter...from all of us and Geronimo..we salute you!

CHRISTIAN ART TOURS, LTD..by "Sam". Are you an art buff? Or do you just enjoy looking at beautiful things? Either way, CHRISTIAN ART TOURS, LTD., located at 4721 University Drive across from Woolco Shopping Center, should be on your agenda. There you'll find fourteen of the most beautiful works of art available for viewing anywhere. These paintings all depict familiar scenes from the Bible, and reflect the artists point of view. Regardless of your religious affiliation, you'll find these works to be inspirational. The famous "Creation of Man" absolutely held me spellbound, and I was amazed to find the other fourteen works equally as beautiful. Stop by CHRISTIAN ART TOURS, LTD. anytime Monday through Friday, from 8:00 A.M. 'til 5:00 P.M., and see these paintings. You'll feel better!

THE CROSS AND CROWN BOOK SHOP..by Elaine. Located at 2113 Whitesburg Dr., THE CROSS AND CROWN BOOK SHOP is the place for special gifts. They carry non-denominational books by "Charismatic", among many others. You'll also find unique religious jewelry in silver and gold, leather bound books, and a wide assortment of beautiful cards with inspirational messages for all occasions. Most important, you'll find 8 track tapes of The New Testament. Stop by THE CROSS AND CROWN BOOK SHOP, where "Honest" is the motto, and you always leave with a smile. A delightful, inspiring place to shop!

LISTEN TO THE PAST SPEAK..by Dudley Powell, Jr. If you want to be sad sometime, walk through some of the old New Orleans cemeteries. There are whole sections that represent deaths from the yellow fever epidemic, caused by mosquito bites. This was during the time of canal digging, when a very large group of Chinese workers were brought in to dig these canals. Up to 90% of these workers died of this dreaded disease. Some of New Orleans' most prominent families were also victims. I came across a family plot where mother, daughter and son had died at the same time..then 35 years later, the father joined them. Some of the inscriptions, put on the stones by the survivors of their loved ones, reach through the years and tell us how those left behind by the fever had suffered the loss of so many dear to them. Some lost their entire families and many close friends. There is much to gain from knowledge and experience, but as much again from close observation and sensitivity to the suffering of others, whether it be the suffering of today, or yesteryear. New Orleans is a beautiful and historic city, and we recommend that you see something other than the strip joints and neon light districts. New Orleans has so much more to offer, including over 300 years of history. If you let them, these years and the people who lived them will speak to you. They will tell you of their happiness, their joy, and yes, even their suffering.

The Entertainment Preview will appear in the "Advertiser-Gleem," Guntersville, beginning Jan., 1978! !

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

6th Unable To Slow Big 5th

Company football standings in the eastern conference widened last week as the 5th Student Company won another, while the western conference race tightened up thanks to a Meddac loss.

The 5th Students, who have been nothing short of amazing this season, won their sixth straight game without a loss by crushing the 6th Student Company 20-0. The 5th, led by quarterback Joseph Twine, put across two touchdowns in the first half on a 15-yard run by Wayne Folk, and a three-yard carry by Twine. Twine also passed to Stephen Cook for two extra points after the first touchdown, and the dauntless 5th led 14-0 at the half.

The 5th added some insurance points in the last half on a 12-yard touchdown pass Twine drilled to Jon Thompson waiting in the end zone.

The 5th's offense has been impressive all season long, scoring 118 points in just six games, but their defense has been even tougher. So far this season, they haven't allowed any opponent to score, or even seriously threaten. The other teams already know that the 5th will be the team to beat in the play-offs, less than four weeks away.

The 8th Student Company moved into second place in the east, going ahead of idle Charlie Company, by winning twice. The 8th first won by edging the 6th S.C. 6-0 on a 64-yard touchdown run by Richard Banks. The 8th Students gained another shut-out victory and ran their season mark to 4-2 by sneaking past Raytheon 1-0 on sudden death penetration. Raytheon, now 1-4, remained in 5th place after the loss.

A major upset occurred on the west side when sixth place Company B handed first place Meddac their first loss this season, beating them 12-0. Bravo Company speedster Ralph Glapion scored both touchdowns, one in each half, on a pair of 42-yard carries. Meddac's record fell to 4-1 after the loss.

The Docs bounced back nicely after the loss, staying one game in front of the 291st MP's, by slipping past the Marines 8-6. David Broadus made the only Meddac touchdown on a brilliant 84-yard run, and Mark Wilson added the bonus points on a two-yard rush. The Marines touchdown came on a 37-yard carry by halfback Andreela Washington.

The 291st MP's failed to tie Meddac for the western conference lead after splitting a pair of hard fought games. The Cops were successful in their first outing, edging the 7th Student Company 8-6. Quarterback Jeffery Richards' perfect strike to Don Jones accounted for the MP touchdown, and his conversion pass to Steve Oglesby won the game. The 7th scored on a 41-yard run by Bob Triplett.

The Policemen played Company A later in the week and found out that the good guys in white hats don't always win. Alpha soundly thumped the Cops by a score of 12-0, thanks to a solid defense, a 16-yard TD carry by Cornelius Williams, and a 90-yard kick-off return by hot rod Johnny Chandler. Company A, now 3-4, remained in fourth place.

The 7th S.C., in third place, mashed B Company 22-8 to keep its winning percentage at .500. Bill Quin, Jerry Robinson, and Bob Keeper all made touchdowns for the 7th, and Bruce Davenport contributed four points in conversion plays. Kenneth Ellis scored the lone B Company touchdown.

The Marines, who have played much better than their record indicates, won their second game against three losses by shutting out Mircom 12-0. Andreela Washington was again the big man for the Leathernecks as he scored twice, once in each half, first on a 17-yard run, and later he pushed his way across on a two-yard rush. Washington established himself as one of the stars in the league by carrying more than three touchdowns last week.

STANDINGS

	East				
	W	L	PCT.	PF	PA
5th SC	6	0	1.000	118	0
8th SC	4	2	.667	22	32
Co. C	3	2	.600	44	54
4th SC	2	3	.400	26	18
Raytheon	1	4	.200	12	42
6th SC	0	5	.000	0	74

	West				
	W	L	PCT.	PF	PA
Meddac	5	1	.833	62	32
291st MP	4	2	.667	64	52
7th SC	4	4	.500	49	35
Co. A	3	4	.429	52	58
Marines	2	3	.400	45	29
Co. B	2	4	.333	32	54
Mircom	1	4	.200	24	70

Last Weeks Games

8th SC 6, 6th SC 0	5th SC 20, 6th SC 0
Marines 12, Mircom 0	Co. A 12, 291st MP 0
291st MP 8, 7th SC 6	Meddac 8, Marines 6
Co. B 12, Meddac 0	7th SC 22, Co. B 8
8th SC 1, Raytheon 0	

GAMES THIS WEEK

Tonight		Thursday	
6:00 Co. A vs. Co. B		6:00 7th SC vs. Marines	
7:15 8th SC vs. Co. C		7:15 Meddac vs. Co. A	
8:30 Raytheon vs. 5th SC		8:30 6th SC vs. Raytheon	
Monday		Tuesday	
Veterans Day NO GAMES SCHEDULED		6:00 Co. C vs. 4th SC	
		7:15 Mircom vs. 291st MP	
		8:30 Co. B vs. Marines	

Arsenal Youths Still Unbeaten

The Redstone Knights of the JR. Pee Wee football division gained their fourth victory, to remain undefeated, when they beat the Northern Bulldogs, 12-0, last Thursday.

The powerful Knight offense racked up 244 yards on 31 plays and scored two touchdowns. The stubborn defensive lineup allowed the Bulldogs only 77 yards.

Running backs Duane Nuby, Michael Blann, Earl Forbes, and John Liddy were led in the offensive charge by Quarterback Chad Kimel. Kimel ran the ball nine times for 111 yards, scored one touchdown, and completed a pass to Christopher Meeker for a gain of 12 yards.

The Knights will try to extend their string Monday, October 31, at the Redstone field on Goss Road. Admission is free.

Coach Needed

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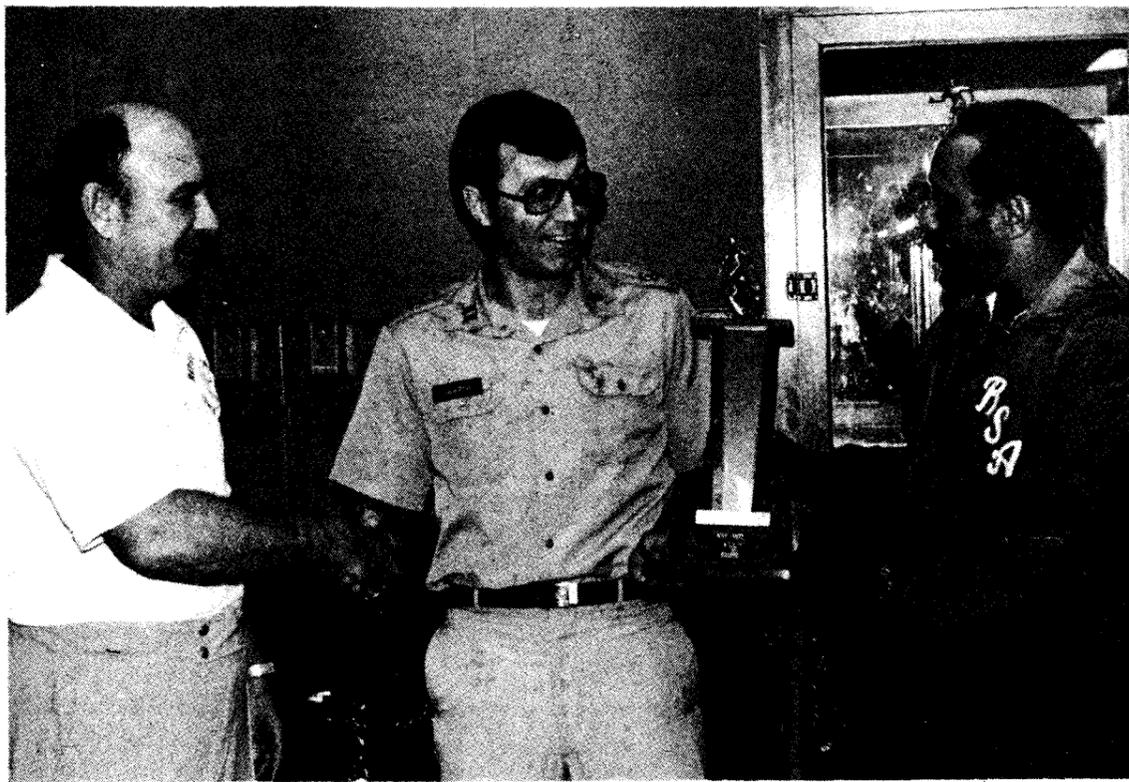
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TOP SLUGGER — The Post Softball team's best player this season, Randy Hoerth of Meddac, accepts the 1977 Most valuable player award from acting sports director Irv

Lyles (right) and congratulations from softball coach Whitey Mallory (left) in a ceremony at the Post Gym.

Hunters Bag 3 Deer; Wardens Bag 3 Hunters

Score at the end of the first two days of the hunting season:

Hunters: three deer.

Game Wardens: three hunters.

Arsenal hunting moved into high gear this past weekend with the opening of the bow season for deer and firearms hunts for rabbit and squirrel season.

Bowhunters claimed three deer Saturday, a doe and two bucks.

Arsenal game wardens were busy all weekend.

Saturday they took into custody and turned over to an Alabama warden civilian bow hunting in a restricted area who had neither the required Arsenal hunting permit nor a state hunting license in possession.

Sunday the wardens pinched hunters in a boat near Civilian Recreation Area. In the boat, the wardens found three dead ducks. The state duck season does not open until December 7.



AMC League

	Pts
Bombers	18
Lily Flag	16
Hi-Rollers	14½
T-Birds	13
Spares	13
Rolling Rocks	13
Cadillacs	11
Hughes TOW	10
The Hawks	10
The Gallery	1½

Last Wednesday

Rocks 4 — Hawks 0
Hi-Rollers 2½ — Gallery 1½
Bombers 3 — Spares 1
Lily Flag 3 — T-Birds 1
Cadillacs 3 — Hughes 1

High Shooters

Joe Bodner, 588; Cort Shepherd, 566; Bill Walker, 564; Bob Hinson, 558; Bob Brand, 544; Chuck Sloan, 541; Dewey Clyburn, 532; Johnny Helland, 530; Al Meisner, 530.

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Reba's Enterprises	19½	4½
S.C.I.	18	6
CPI Cachet	15	9
Misfits	15	9
Clowns	10	14
CPI Aziza	10	14
CPI Aviance	10	14
Outhouse Lounge	9½	14½
CPI Windsong	8	16
Lee Way	5	19

Last Week

Misfits 4 — Aziza 0
Windsong 4 — Clowns 0
Cachet 3 — Lee Way 1
SCI 3 — Aviance 1
Reba's 3½ — Outhouse ½

Top Scorers

Ernie Pace, 593; Jessie Partridge, 590 (235); Tom Piziali, 570 (224); Jimmy Tate, 551; Vern Benson, 548; Jerry Cutcher, 524.

Metals Society Meets

The North Alabama Chapter of the American Society for Metals will meet on Thursday evening, October 20, at the A&A Bar B-Q Ranch in Madison.

Guest speaker for the monthly chapter meeting will be Dr. Maurice A. H. Howes, director of metals research at the Illinois Institute of Technology.

Dr. Howes will discuss squeeze casting, the new manufacturing technology, a hybrid of conventional casting and forging techniques, that saves material and energy by producing a part close to the required finish dimensions.

Reservations for the dinner-meeting may be made with Haywood Dedman at 876-3464.

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The length of a service school or service schools and the service obligation required after course completion are: 30-32 weeks, 25 months; 33-36, 26; 37-40, 27; 41-45, 28; 46-50, 29; 51-55, 30; 56-60, 31; 61-65, 32; 66-70, 33; 71-75, 34; 76-80, 35. Courses running 81 or more weeks will require the full service obligation of 36 months.

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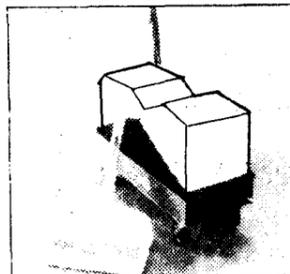
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Interested ladies who were not contacted by the telephone committee may call Doris Brocato (837-7553) for reservations. Reservation deadline is noon, Oct. 20.

Accountants Meet

The regular monthly meeting of the North Alabama Chapter, Association of Government Accountants is scheduled for Thursday evening, October 20, at Michael's Restaurant.

Guest speaker will be Robert Harris, a Decatur attorney who formerly served in the Alabama Senate.

Reservations may be made with Dorothy Jenkins at 876-2107 or 881-8934.

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DDT Area

(From front page)

measures to contain DDT wastes on the 60 acre contaminated site from spreading into surrounding land and streams.

-A preliminary schedule of measures proposing long-term solutions to the problem will be submitted by November 11.

-EPA on request will make available activated charcoal filters for treating water draining from the site.

-The Army has accepted from TVA an offer of assistance in finding solutions to the problem.

-EPA will coordinate a quality assurance program for extensive testing of samples so a more precise determination can be made of where DDT is present and in what amounts.

A topographic survey is in progress at the site of the former DDT manufacturing plant, while Facilities Engineer crews are clearing vegetation from the site in preparation for rerouting drainage in the area.

The Army plan is to divert surface

drainage coming into the area, seal off known beds of contamination where DDT settled into the ground during manufacturing operation, retain contaminated runoff in settling basins and possibly filter it.

The Army proposes cutting diversion ditches on the perimeter of the contaminated site that will carry incoming surface drainage directly into Huntsville Spring Branch, and installing settling basins in the existing drainage ditch through the site.

The basins will be formed by damming the ditch near the point it enters Huntsville Spring Branch and will allow DDT that may be in water coming off the site to settle out before it enters the receiving stream. An engineering evaluation is being made of filtering systems which will be installed at the foot of the basins if necessary.

The diversion ditches, which will channel drainage to the east and southwest, are scheduled to be completed by November 5, weather permitting, with the retention dams and settling basins expected to be ready by November 19.

Extensive water, soil and sediment sampling is planned at the site over the next year or more to help identify contaminated

zones, whether DDT is escaping from them and the extent to which contamination exists in streams that drain the area. These tests may dictate changes in approach.

Decontamination specialists from the Aberdeen Proving Ground-based installation restoration project office arrived here October 3 to study the problem and recommend solutions. The project manager said last week that a project plan of long-term solutions is being devised.

Researchers from the project office are conducting a records search and interviews to determine if problems from contamination exist beyond that already known.

DDT contamination is thought to exist in three areas, two landfills where it was buried, and at the former manufacturing site. None of the areas is eroded badly, leaving some indication that the main source of contamination is the stream bed of Huntsville Spring Branch and possibly of Indian Creek which it joins before emptying into the Tennessee River at Traina.

Fish collected there in July were found in tests by the Army to contain high levels of DDT. After reviewing the test data EPA made a public announcement that fish from the river in the area of Redstone Arsenal should not be eaten.



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The LTD is a light weight hand held designator for designating area targets and provides target hand off capability for laser tracker equipped aircraft.

The project office is conducting a month-long contest to name the equipment and will award \$25 cash for each name selected.

Names submitted should fall into one of two categories: action nouns used for field artillery weapons, such as Peacemaker, Destroyer, Killer, etc.; or words descriptive of the function of the equipment, such as Blazer, Flashlight, Road Runner, etc.

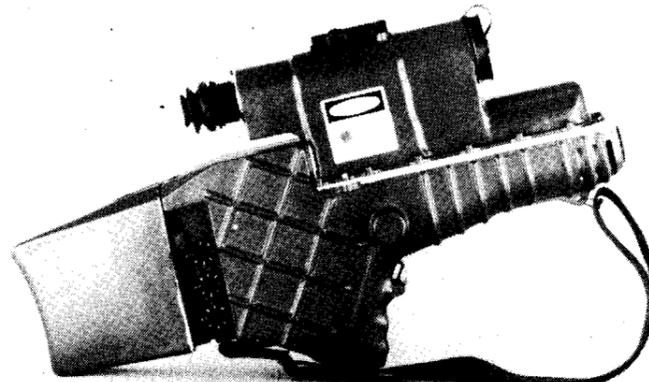
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'Women in Action' Group Forms

"Women in Action" a new group planning events and programs of special interest to women is being formed under the sponsorship of the Tennessee Valley Chapter of the AUSA.

The drive to sign up at least 1,000 women kicks off Friday at 10 a.m. in the Rocket auditorium. Eileen Hallock, who got the idea for the new group and sold it to the AUSA board, hopes that women, those serving in the Army, those who work for it as civilian employees and those from the community who may be interested, will fill the place up.

She sees the new group as a unit within AUSA that will bring a whole new dimension to the organization. A unit of AUSA members, for example, that will have programs and do things of special interest to women.

If all of this sounds vaguely familiar, you're right. Hallock and AUSA got together on about the same premise several years ago. Women, hundreds of them responded and joined AUSA.

"Once the women are members of AUSA, however, they found, to be frank, that AUSA didn't quite know what to do with them," Hallock recalls.

"Oh, we were made to feel welcome and we went to the regular AUSA programs, but to be honest about it, the regular AUSA

programs didn't have much appeal to women. Mostly the speakers discuss military and technical subjects, and that's fine, but we were looking for something more."

All that will not happen this time out, Hallock, says because she agreed to get the ball rolling for "Women in Action" with a very specific understanding with the AUSA Board of Directors. The understanding was that the group would be allowed and encouraged to organize special programs and events that would appeal directly to women.

Dr. Julian Kobler, president of the Tennessee Valley Chapter of AUSA and an enthusiastic backer of the idea, says "the sky is the limit" for the new group.

Hallock sees the project as a way of building closer ties between women in the civilian communities near the Arsenal, those who live there and work on the arsenal, and the growing number of female soldiers now serving at Redstone.

The kickoff meeting will feature female soldiers and speakers prepared to discuss and answer questions about AUSA and "Women in Action".

And Hallock adds: "It's not just for women, either, we are not closing the doors to men."

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The Great Pumpkin comes to Northwest Huntsville on Saturday, October 22nd, beginning at 10:00 A.M. at their offices at 2417 MASTIN LAKE RD. N.W. and 2652 JORDAN LANE, N.W.

Free pumpkins will be given away while they last, and COFFEE and HOT CIDER will be served. A pumpkin carving and decorating contest will be held with categories for children under twelve and for children between the ages of twelve and sixteen. Three prizes will be awarded in each category . . . 25 SILVER DOLLARS to the first prize winners, 15 SILVER DOLLARS to the second prize winners, and FIVE SILVER DOLLARS to the third prize winners. The event will also include a special pumpkin give-away and decorating contest for senior citizens.

All pumpkins entered in the contest must be returned to the West and North Gallery to be photographed by 6:00 P.M. Friday, October 28th. Winners will be posted in the Gallery window and notified by telephone.

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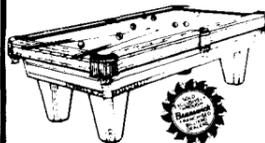
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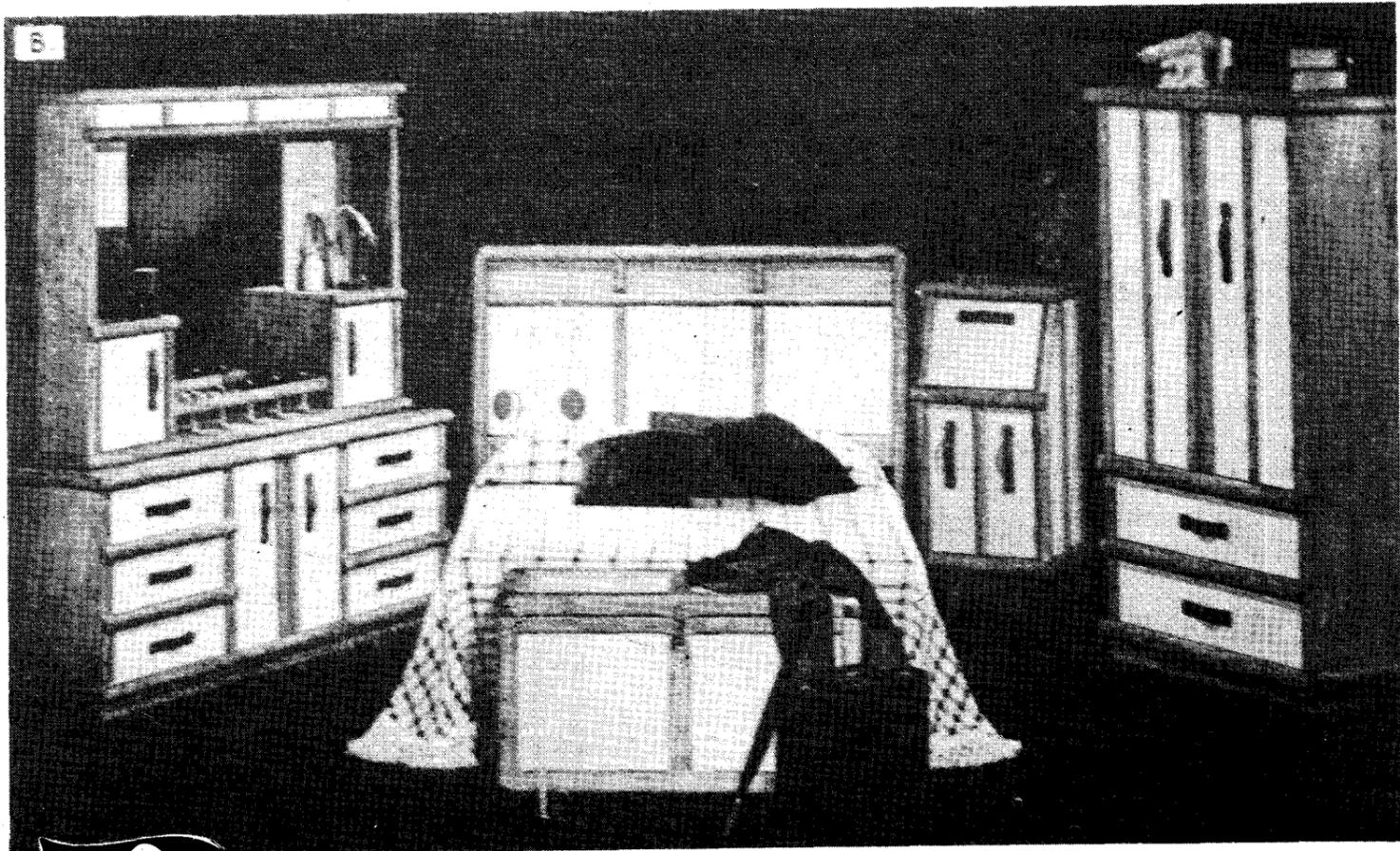
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Army Committed to Full Readiness

(ARNEWS) — The Army's leadership and management goals and its support to national defense have been spelled out by Secretary of the Army Clifford Alexander, Jr. and Army Chief of Staff Gen. Bernard Rogers.

In a 13-page statement, the Army's top civilian and military leaders reaffirmed the Army's commitment to national defense through the combined efforts of the Active Army, The Army National Guard, Army Reserve and civilian employees.

The statement sets forth the Army's broad aims dealing with readiness, human goals, material, strategic deployment, future development and management. It is the intention of the Army to narrow the gap between peacetime training and wartime realities, according to the leaders.

'COME AS YOU ARE'

The Army's leadership commits the Force to full readiness, stating that "Units will be ready, equipment on hand and operable, soldiers fit and trained, leaders and led confident of their abilities. Our units will be ready to 'come as they are' should war begin with little warning."

The Readiness Goal stresses the importance of maintaining cooperation with European and Asian allies through deterrence of aggression by staying ready to fight wars of varying intensity.

"The effectiveness of the Army can be measured by its ability to mobilize quickly and deploy tailored forces to any area with the necessary support," according to the policy statement.

Training goals are to be achieved by units striving for high standards, improved training techniques and cost-conscious operations, the policy directs.

FIND AND KEEP

The "People" Goal is stated as the intent to "Provide the Total Army with highly effective and morally responsible military and civilian personnel capable of performing reliably in war; provide quality of life support for our soldiers and their families and require from them reciprocal dedication to service."

The Army will be dedicated to recruiting and retaining good people, a task that is the responsibility of the "Total Army Team." Providing equal opportunity, respect for human rights, quality of life awareness, good leadership and recognition of people are the key to the Army's strength and effectiveness, the policy states.

Emphasizing the need to eliminate shortages in the supply system and encourage proper maintenance, the document expresses a commitment to standardized equipment for allies, continued development of equipment and improved materials.

Strategically, Army Goals call for establishing a program "to review and improve existing deployment plans. Deploying forces will be tailored and make the best use of lift provided by the other services. Unit plans and operating procedures will be reviewed and rehearsed so that we can meet or better our minimum deployment times."

FOCUS ON FUTURE

Citing a requirement for improved fighting techniques in the first 60 days of a war, the document promises development and acquisition of new weapons and equipment needed by 1985.

Future efforts will focus on lightweight and practical equipment, energy conserving fuels and equipment and full chemical and biological defense, with improved cooperation between commanders and the research and development community, according to the Army chiefs' policies.

More efficient use of manpower, improved training of reserve components and continuing program evaluation are some of the key management goals called for in the policy statement.

The two senior Army leaders said the goals they have established for the Army are "the objectives towards which the Army strives and the principles upon which the Army rests."

Old Photos Sought

In January the 20th anniversary of the launch of Explorer will be recognized. The Public Affairs Office is looking for photos taken during that historic event—especially those which may have been taken during the Huntsville celebration.

If you have such photographs or movie film which might be copied for use, please contact the Public Affairs Office at 876-1400.

Change Affects Potential Retirees, Some E9s

Soldiers scheduled to retire and E9s serving overseas are affected by recent changes in personnel policy.

Soldiers who receive assignment instructions for an unaccompanied overseas tour on or after Jan. 1, 1978 will be required to serve at least five-sixths or 12 months of the tour, whichever is longer, before retiring. Soldiers currently service overseas or with orders before Jan. 1 are not affected by the change.

Also effective Jan. 1 is a requirement for E9s serving overseas to have retirements cleared by DA prior to field approval. Applications may be submitted eight months in

advance of requested retirement date.

Military Personnel Center has also established a system of providing written acknowledgement of alerts

for assignments for soldiers with 19½ years service. The system provides for application for retirement in lieu of reassignment. (ARNEWS)

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Stranger things have happened, and it will never be published in "Ripleys-Believe It or Not", but the circumstances surrounding the military careers of one couple at Redstone are a bit unusual.

Staff Sergeant Artis Wallace and his wife, Specialist 5 Pam Wallace, were married in 1974, and for a short time were stationed at different installations. But since Artis was transferred from Ft. Lee, Va., and Pam from Ft. Eustis, Va., they have been stationed together in Korea and now at Redstone.

That's not so unusual, couples being stationed together happens frequently in the Army now. What is different about the Wallace's is since leaving the Virginia forts, they have not only been stationed on the same installations at the same time, but they worked together in the same offices—even though they have different military occupational specialties.

The multi-skilled Artis, who is the Second Battalion Personnel Services NCO, and Pam, the 2nd Battalion Legal Clerk, both work at 2nd Battalion headquarters—their desks only a few feet apart. It was much the same in Korea.

"It was really great when we got to Korea and found out we were going to work in the same office," explained Pam. "When it was

time for us to go, we were afraid the Army was going to split us up. Then we both got orders to Redstone, what luck! But working in the same office again, the chances of that happening again weren't very high."

"The Army is doing a fantastic job putting couples together," said Artis. "This system is a lot better than the old one."

The Wallaces work together closely and professionally at 2nd Battalion, ribbing and teasing each other occasionally, but also helping each other when possible. Past experience has helped them to become more efficient.

"We've turned into a pretty good team," Artis boasted.

A question one must ask himself about the Wallaces is, "Does it ever get sickening to work with your spouse all day?"

"No," said Artis, "it's kind of fun."

"Yes," retorted Pam, "when he misses a lunch date. But besides that, I agree with him. We're a team."

The husband-wife team is nothing new in the Wallace family—it's a tradition. Artis has a command sergeant major brother at Ft. Sam Houston, Texas who is married to a major, and another brother in the Air Force who is married to a A.F. Reserve lieutenant. Pam has a brother in the Army who is married to a captain.

Maybe that will get in Ripleys!



Mail Early, Avoid Christmas Rush

(ARNEWS) — Suggested dates for mailing Christmas parcels to soldiers overseas in time for the holidays have been announced.

At press time, Turkey's ban against incoming parcel mail was still in force, although the Turkish government has temporarily lifted the ban for service

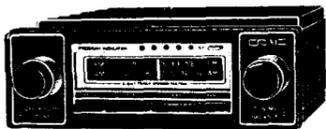
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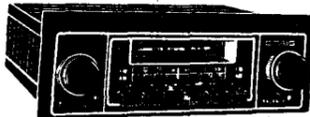
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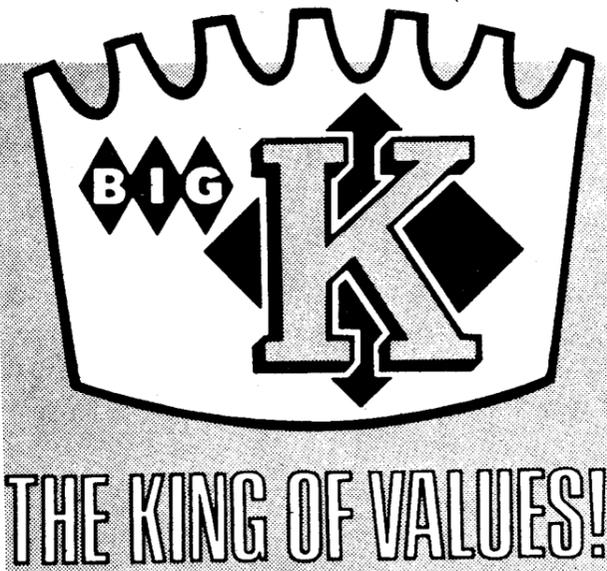
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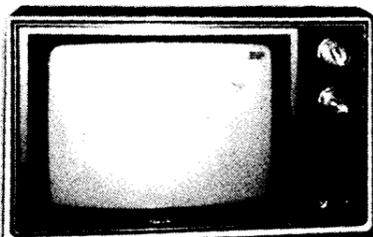
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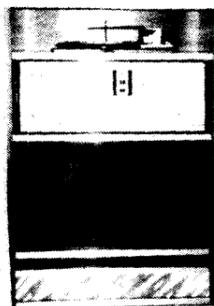
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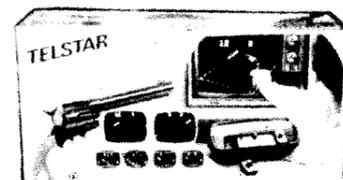
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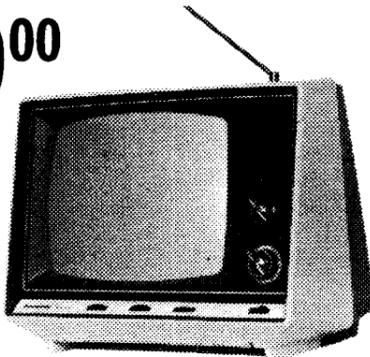
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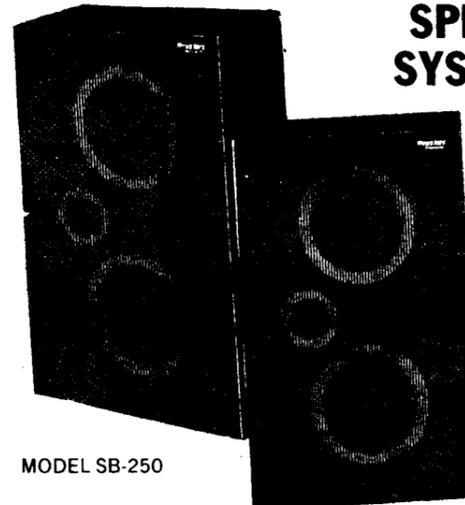
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A Department of Army selection board has selected two officers of the Missile and Munitions Center and School for promotion to colonel.

The Director of Evaluation, Lieutenant Colonel Thomas W. Littlejohn, and the Executive Officer, Lieutenant Colonel

Sumner J. Denmark, were the only MMCS officers considered for the first time and both were selected.

A career ordnance officer, Ammunition Plant. Before

Littlejohn joined MMCS in July after attending the Army War College at Carlisle Barracks, Pa. He holds a Master's Degree in Education from the University of Virginia and a Bachelors Degree in Agricultural Engineering from Clemson College, S.C.

Littlejohn has commanded ordnance companies in Germany and Korea, as well as the Milan (Tenn.) Army

attending the War College, he served with the DA Inspector General in Washington.

His decorations include the Bronze Star Medal, the Meritorious Service Medal with two Oak Leaf Clusters and the Army Commendation Medal.

A former commander of First and Second Battalions, School Brigade, Denmark came to Redstone from the Army Military Personnel Center, Alexandria, Va.

He is a distinguished military graduate of the University of Georgia, where he received a Bachelors Degree in Chemistry. Denmark has attended both the Command and General Staff College at Ft. Leavenworth, and the Armed Forces Staff College at Norfolk, Va.

His decorations include the Bronze Star Medal, the Meritorious Service Medal, the Joint Services Commendation Medal, the Army Commendation Medal with one Oak Leaf Cluster, the Vietnam Campaign Medal with three Bonze Stars and the Vietnam Service Medal.



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Associate Degree

(ARNEWS) — Soldiers can now earn an associate degree in management or general studies under a program sponsored by the Servicemen's Opportunity College beginning this fall.

College credit for military schooling and experience and transfer of credit between 32 colleges are available under the SOC Associate Degree Program.

The program, for example, gives seven credit hours to an 11B10 (Infantryman) and additional credit for higher skill levels. When the soldier is transferred to another major installation, his credits are transferred to a participating institution, allowing his education to continue uninterrupted.

Credit is also given to soldiers for successful completion of College Level Examination Program, U.S. Armed Forces Institute and Defense Activity for Non-Traditional Educational Support courses.

An associates degree is available by completing a maximum of 65 semester hours. No more than 15 semester hours need to be completed by attending on-campus courses.

Tuition assistance, financing 75 percent of education costs, is available through education centers and 100 percent financing is available to qualified GI Bill recipients.

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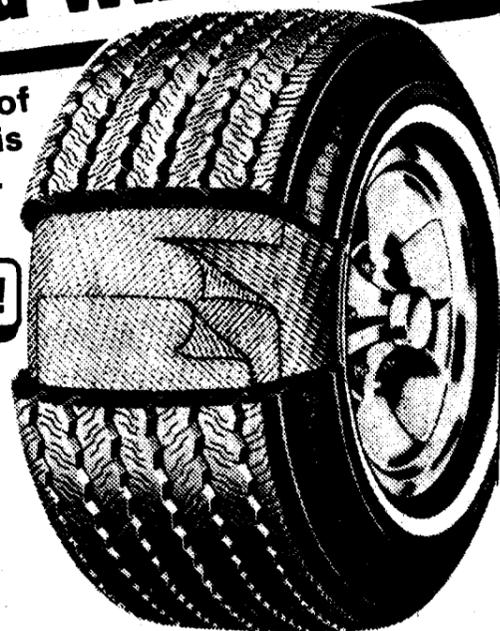
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Society Honors RSA Engineer

Woodrow A. Williams, a MIRADCOM research electronics engineer, received the Distinguished Society Service Award from the Instrument Society of America. Williams received a certificate and plaque for his years of outstanding service to the society at an Honors and Awards luncheon in Niagara Falls.

He has been a member of the Huntsville Section since 1967, and has served as President, Vice President, Secretary, and Society Alternate Delegate.



WILLIAMS

He has acted as Executive Editor, Technical Editor, and Circulation Manager for ISASCOPE, the Section's monthly newsletter. He was also the Section's Instrumentation Technology correspondent.

From 1973 to 1975 Williams served as Publicity Director for the District III Southeast Conference and Exhibit. He was also a member of the Society Advisory Committee from 1974 through 1977, and has been a member of the Standards Review Board since 1976.

Williams is a Senior Member of the Institute of Electrical and Electronics Engineers and is listed in editions of "Who's Who in the South and Southwest," "Men of Achievement," and "International Who's Who of Intellectuals."

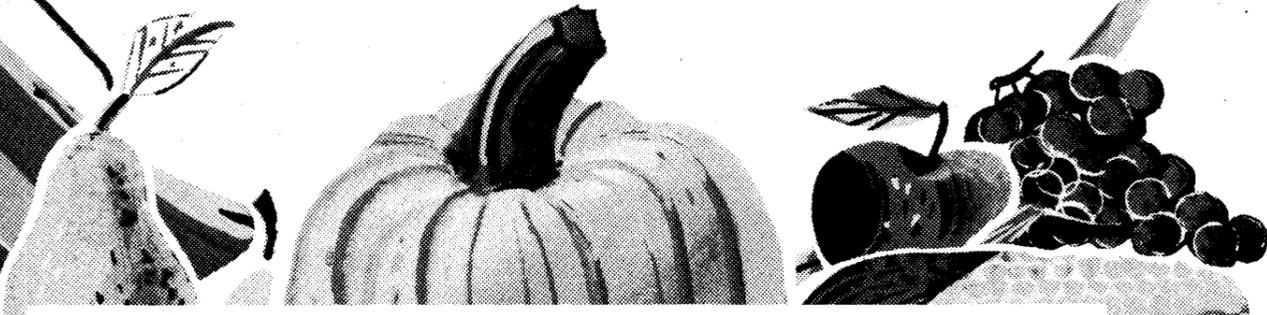
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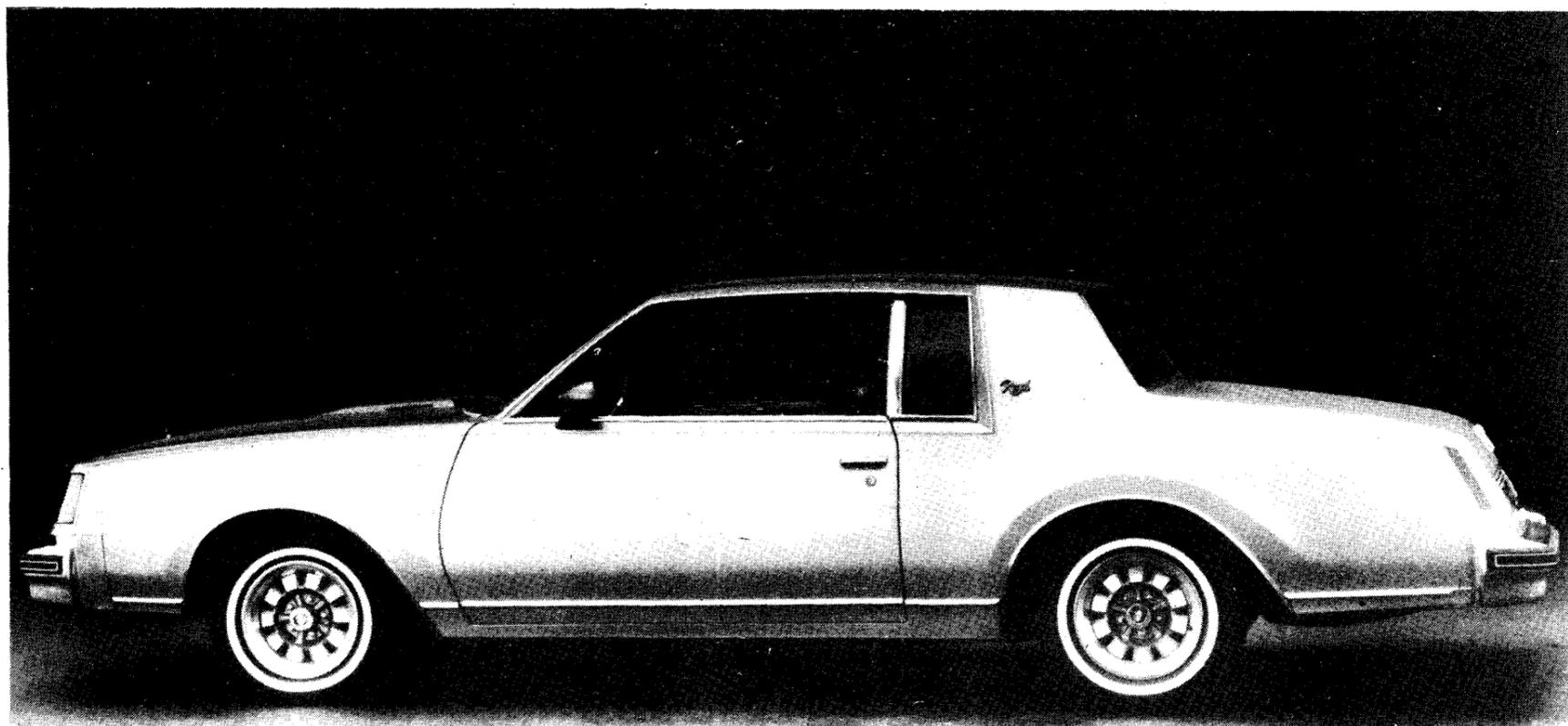
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