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Apache Attack Helicopter improving for the next century

By Skip Vaughn

The Apache attack helicopter turned 25 years old in August, but the project office team isn't resting on its laurels.

The current fielded version, "A" model Apache, concluded a 12-year production run in November 1996 and is undergoing modifications to improve reliability and performance. The "A" model will be in the fleet until 2008.

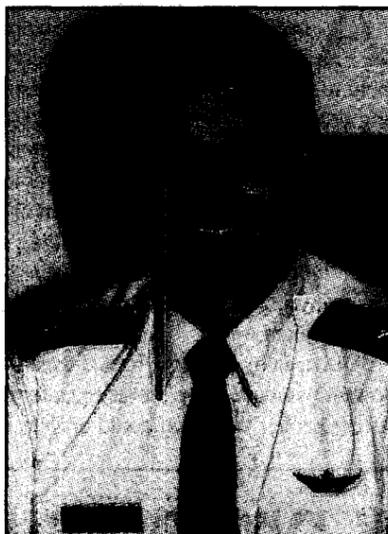
"We have the Delta model, Apache 'D' also called Apache Longbow," Col. Stephen Kee, the Apache project manager, said. "There are modifications made to improve the man-machine interface, to improve situational awareness. So all 'A' models are converting to 'D' models."

About half of the Apache Project Office, under the Program Executive Office for Aviation, has moved from St. Louis to renovated building 5681. The remainder is expected to move

here by Sept. 30. The project office has 79 civilians and 13 military members. It is augmented by about 50 collocated workers from the Aviation and Missile Command, and about 60 contractor people.

"One of the things about Apache is that we that work on the Apache program are focused solely on Apaches and the soldier in the field. Whether the person is actually in the PM shop or a contractor, those organizational differences blur as we focus on support to the soldier in the field," Kee, the project manager since 1995, said. "It also affects how we deal with our (foreign military sales) countries because we view those countries as members of the Apache family."

Apache is fielded to seven countries— including six foreign military sales customers, and one direct sale. The FMS countries include Saudi Arabia, United Arab Emirates, Israel, Egypt, Greece, and the Netherlands. The United Kingdom is buying



KEE

Apache directly.

On Aug. 12, 1972 it was announced that a new attack helicopter would be built; and that program was originally known as the Advanced Attack Helicopter. That program became the Apache.

The three main contractors include Boeing, the aircraft and systems integrator; General Electric, which builds

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FIRST AND FOREMOST— The first pre-production AH-64D Apache Longbow for the U.S. Army lifts off at the former McDonnell Douglas (now Boeing) Helicopter Systems facility in Mesa, Ariz. The Apache Longbow, the world's most advanced combat helicopter, is in production.

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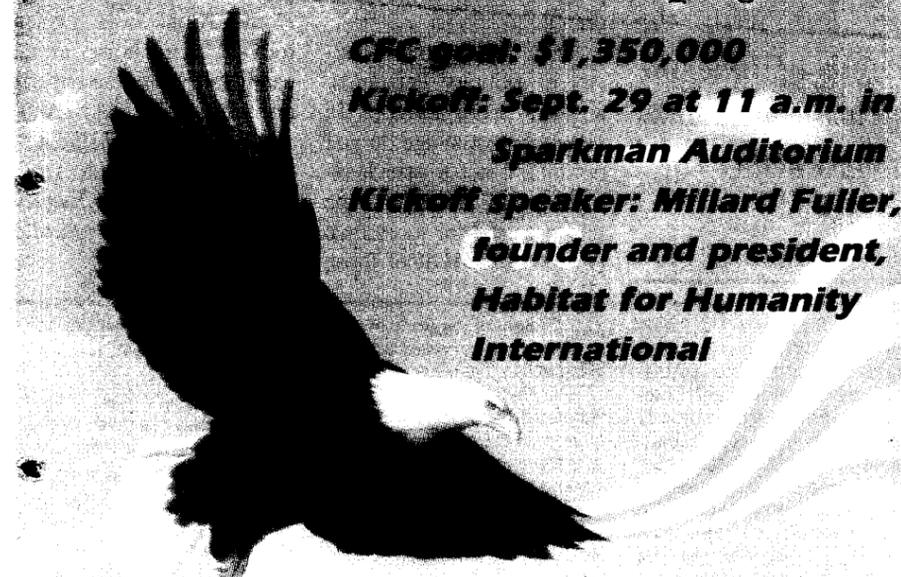
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New Command Operations Center begins around the clock service

By Dale James

The way to win battles, Confederate general Nathan Bedford Forrest is reported to have opined, is to "get there firstest with the mostest."

Times change, and Norbert Lutz would update the general's pithy observation to include the caveat "make sure you have enough spare parts or you may not get there at all."

Lutz is chief of the Integrated Materiel Management Center's analysis and sustainment team — "the readiness team," to those in the know.

The team compiles monthly readiness reports and manages safety and support operations for a wide variety of missile and aviation systems.

"We ensure that all the bits and pieces are being delivered in a timely manner,"

explained Lutz. "We've been doing that for missiles for a very long time — not only for Patriot, but for a whole bunch of systems. And now we do it for aviation, as well."

It's a big job. And with the melding of the Army's aviation and missile commands into a single unit, AMCOM, the job has gotten even bigger.

To handle the increased load, AMCOM has established a 24-hour Command Operations Center (COC). Operation of the COC rests with Lutz and his readiness team. The COC monitors current status, current requirements and who's doing what about it for each system under its jurisdiction.

And if a system breaks down, anywhere in the world, the COC swings into action to get it back up in a timely and expeditious manner.

"We're the 1-800 number you call to say, 'Mr. AMCOM, I've got a problem,'" Lutz said.

The new COC is expected to be fully operational by the end of this month. For the future, Lutz envisions an "amalgamation" of the responsibilities of the COC and the readiness team.

He estimates that once the COC is fully integrated into his team's operations, 75 percent of its workload will revolve around logistics — "knowing where the pieces are and how many do we have."

"Historically," Lutz said, "the push has been to field systems as quickly as possible. Concurrent delivery of spares has traditionally lagged behind."

Often, the problem is not so much a lack of spare parts as it is a lack of the

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Letters To The Editor

Recreation upkeep

I read with interest your article titled "Redstone Golf Course undergoes facelift starting in November through fall 1998" in the Sept. 3 *Redstone Rocket*. Once again, money and effort are being spent on either building a new golf course or upgrading an existing one. Money and effort have been spent on the Carroll D. Hudson Recreation Area on the Tennessee which has received a very impressive upgrade over the past several years. My question: When is the Easter Posey Recreation Area (formerly the Military Recreation Area) going to receive some much deserved/needed attention? Specifically, the boat dock. Be aware of loose boards and exposed nails. Be careful when your boat comes in contact with the dock; not all the rubber bumpers are there. Be careful using the steps leading from the dock to the road (not the steps leading to the picnic area); you don't know what might be lurking underneath the overgrown grass and weeds. My family uses this dock exclusively to launch onto the Tennessee River. It is not crowded and has the best boat launch ramp around. I am all for upgrading any facility which provides much needed recreation; however, it appears some areas receive all the attention while others are totally ignored.

Kelly Glosson

(Editor's note: Redstone Arsenal Support Activity provided the following response. "Thank you for allowing us the opportunity to address plans for the Easter Posey Recreation Area.

"The Golf Course, like the Bowling Center, the Flying Activity, and the Officers Club are nonappropriated fund activities. That is, they do not receive taxpayer dollars to

operate. They must be self-sufficient and must generate enough income to cover their expenses and fund future improvement projects.

"On the other hand, there are many installation activities like the recreation areas that are funded with money appropriated (taxpayer dollars) by Congress. Unfortunately, the continuing decline in appropriated funding has not permitted us to accomplish plans as desired.

"However, the boat dock at the Easter Posey Recreation Area has been identified as requiring replacement. Currently, this project, along with additional upgrades to adjacent facilities, is awaiting funding. Minor repairs, hampered by flooding conditions, continue to exist, and efforts are being taken to correct these situations.")

Fire safety

As a federal firefighter at Redstone Arsenal, I have had the great privilege of helping provide fire protection to the greatest people in the world who help to protect and defend our great nation. The firefighting profession is one of the most stressful occupations in the United States. We work a 24-hour shift and are off 24 hours; and during our shift we never know what we may be called to do. Our job mainly involves waiting for something bad to happen and making sure we are ready when it does. We never know when the bell rings if it is the real thing or a false alarm. We cannot ever afford to let our guard down.

Downsizing has now forced the Fire Department to its lowest personnel levels ever for a total of 45 people; and after October that level could drop to below 40 people.

Redstone Arsenal Fire and Emergency Services firefighters are extremely dedicated to protecting lives and property and millions of dollars have been saved this year because of quick response and aggressive fire attack performed on countless small fires that could have become large fires if not for the dedication of the Arsenal's fire protection personnel. The fire department is responsible for fire prevention, fire protection, hazardous materials response, emergency medical first response, and the operation of base 911 system. As we have grown smaller, our mission has grown larger.

The main purpose of this letter is to stress to everyone the importance of fire safety and following the fire safety regulations—because we will need all the help we can get in preventing and fighting fires as our strength drops. For any who have never worn a set of firefighting gear and a 40 pound breathing apparatus, it is not an easy way to make a living; and with less help to pull the line, it is even harder so please everyone help by paying attention to fire safety.

Name withheld by request

Special escorts

My husband and I would like to thank all of the military personnel who provided one-on-one escort service at the fair Wednesday (Sept. 10) for our special children. And we would especially like to thank SFC Terry Stines of D Company for making this a fun day for our son Shane.

Pat Whitworth

Home alone policy protects children on Army posts

By Anne Sellmansberger

WASHINGTON—Remember the movie Home Alone? How 8-year-old Kevin was left behind when his family flew to Paris for Christmas? Remember the hilarious scenes during which the ingenious young Kevin thwarted the burglars by tarring the basement stairs and throwing paint cans? And weren't you pleased with the happy ending?

Not all home-alone endings are happy; some can be tragic.

Children who come home to unsupervised surroundings are vulnerable. For example:

- Homicide is the third leading cause of death for 5-14 year-olds
- Every 5 minutes, a child is arrested for a violent crime
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- Every day 1,200,000 latchkey children go home to a house in which there is a gun.

Now the Army is working to prevent these situations. By Sept. 1, all Army installations must have a written home-alone policy identifying the ages and circumstances under which a child younger than 12 can be left at home without adult supervision.

Local commanders are responsible for the development of the policy which must meet local needs based on demographics and risk factors. A common sense approach to implementation and enforcement is required as is consistency with local laws and ordinances.

The home-alone policy must include out-of-school time (such as school vacations) for school children. It may seem that children spend most of their time in school, but, in reality, school only consumes 20 percent of their hours. Young children need constant supervision, while school children need and desire some independence.

With more freedom

Redstone Arsenal has a policy regarding unattended children. According to a February 1995 memo from the staff judge advocate office, "Normally, children under 10 years of age will not be left unattended in motor vehicles, in family quarters, or at recreation areas without proper supervision. Normally, children under 12 years of age will not be allowed to babysit a younger child. If violations of these guidelines are reported to the Family Advocacy Case Review Committee, the committee will consider all circumstances surrounding the incident, including age of the child(ren), maturity of the child(ren), emergency instructions left with the child(ren), and the length of time the child(ren) was (were) left unattended or as a babysitter in determining whether child neglect occurred."

— Editor

comes more responsibility, and some children aren't ready for the amount of freedom they're given. Parents must continuously balance the child's desire for independence with parental safety and well-being.

Installations that already have a written home-alone policy often used a multi-disciplinary team to develop it: school-age services, youth services, parent advisory council, child development services, family advocacy, housing personnel, and the provost marshal. This approach involves the whole community and ensures a policy that reflects local factors. Depending on those local factors, the program can include children up to age 15.

In the 1995 Sample Survey of Military Personnel, soldiers were asked, "In general, at what age do you consider it safe to start leaving a child alone at home unsupervised for more than two hours?" Half of those

responding agreed on the age of 13. But if that child left alone is supervising a second child, the majority of soldiers said the age should increase to 15.

Installation school-age services and youth services programs can support the commander's home-alone policy by offering activities that are fun, affordable, and recreational for all children in first through sixth grades. School ages services and youth services programs don't duplicate each other, but do offer a range of hours and days available to meet the needs of all families.

While the Army is doing all it can to help, one important fact remains: safeguarding children is a parental responsibility. Home Alone was just a movie; being home alone can be a frightening experience for a child. (Arnews)

(Editor's note: Sellmansberger is with the U.S. Army Community and Family Support Center Public Affairs Office.)

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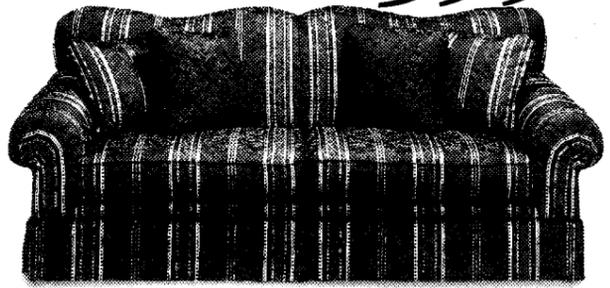
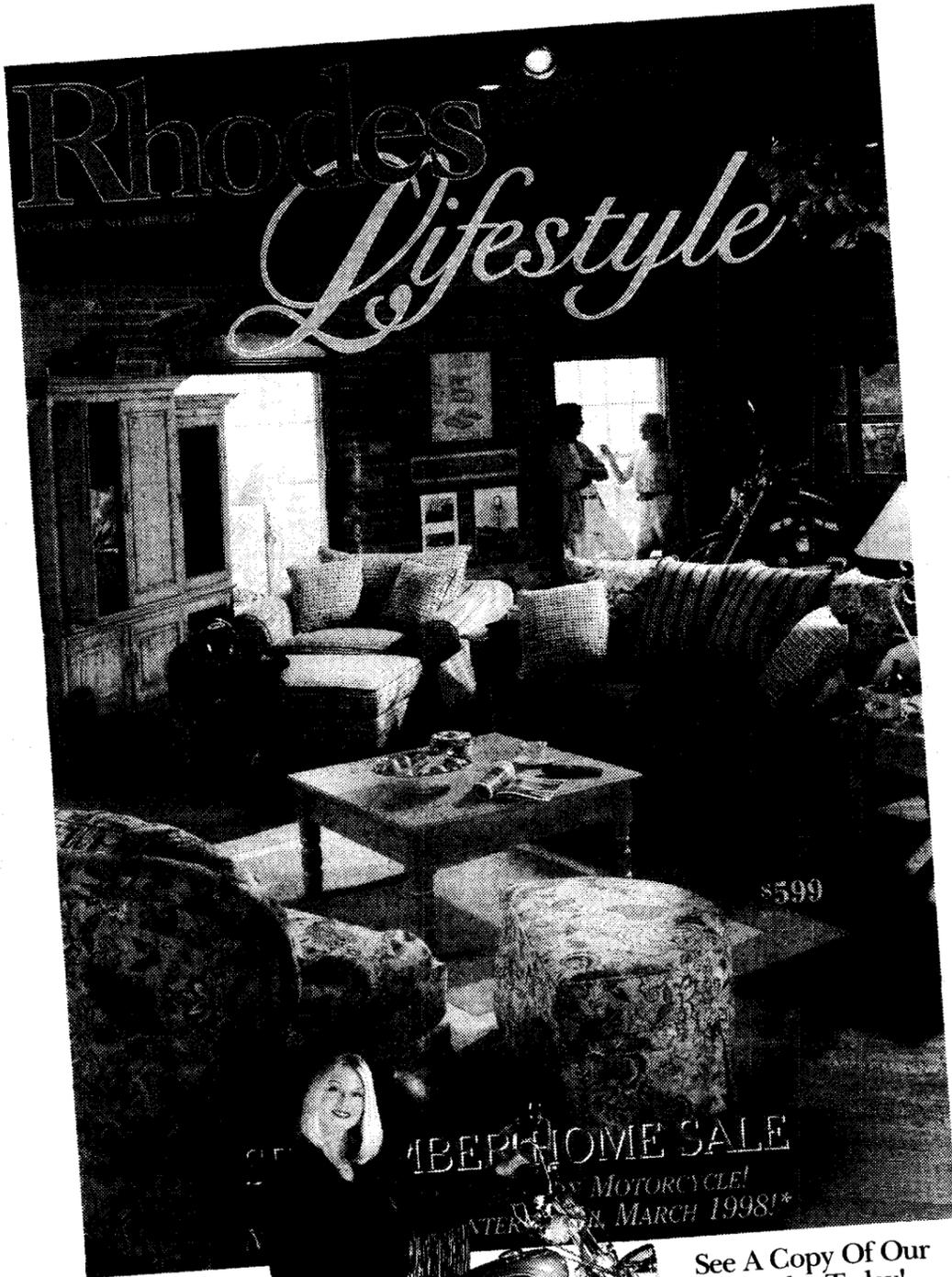
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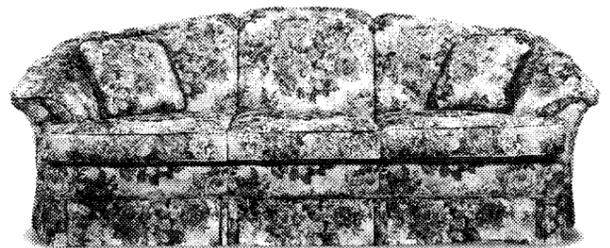
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Redstone computer team helping students get on-line

By Lionel Green

A team of Redstone Arsenal civilians and contractors is helping local educators learn about the Internet. The training is free for the educators but later could mean big bucks for them, their students and their schools in an Internet contest called ThinkQuest.

Robert D. Brown, webmaster for Aviation and Missile Command, and the rest of Team Redstone On-Line are actively involved in the training. They volunteer their time and hold workshops to teach educators advanced Internet skills.

"What the government is doing through our Think Quest support is we're helping to teach the (educators) how to develop World Wide Web sites," Brown said. "We went to Lee High School here in Huntsville last year and conducted a workshop."

At the workshop, Redstone developers and Lee educators discussed different ideas for Web projects and designs.

"Then, we had (the educators) come out on the Arsenal for a Saturday," Brown said. "Our developers volunteered a Saturday of their time to put on a workshop. We sat down

and did a hands-on training, and (the educators) went back and worked with their students."

This past June, Brown and Claus Martel of the Historical Office held an Internet workshop in Gadsden at the request of Dr. David Asbury, director of magnet schools for Gadsden City Schools. Asbury said about 15 teachers attended the workshop and received continuing education credit.

"What we provide from the government is consultation and advice and training," Brown said.

Asbury appreciated the free workshop, adding that it sparked more interest in the ThinkQuest contest.

"We've got some folks real excited from the workshop," he said. "We're very open to doing some things in the future (with Redstone)." Asbury noted that the school is looking for students and teachers to possibly compete in the upcoming ThinkQuest competition.

ThinkQuest is a contest for students ages 12-18. Two or three students form a team to compete in building Web pages which help educate other students of the same age. The student teams are coached by teachers, and the teams are sponsored by schools. Teams submitting the best Web

pages win college scholarships for student members and cash prizes for their coaches and schools. Scholarships up to \$25,000 and cash prizes up to \$5,000 are awarded. The prize money is provided by major corporate sponsors.

Brown said Redstone became involved with ThinkQuest last year when former post commander Maj. Gen. James Link received a request for support from a Huntsville City Schools coordinator.

Redstone support to the schools is expected to continue in the future.

"We are moving into the virtual reality world this next year," Brown said. "We plan to conduct a workshop to teach the educators how to create virtual reality shots."

The ThinkQuest contest is not the first student project of Team Redstone On-Line. The team is also hosting the Web site for the U.S. Army Teen Panel here.

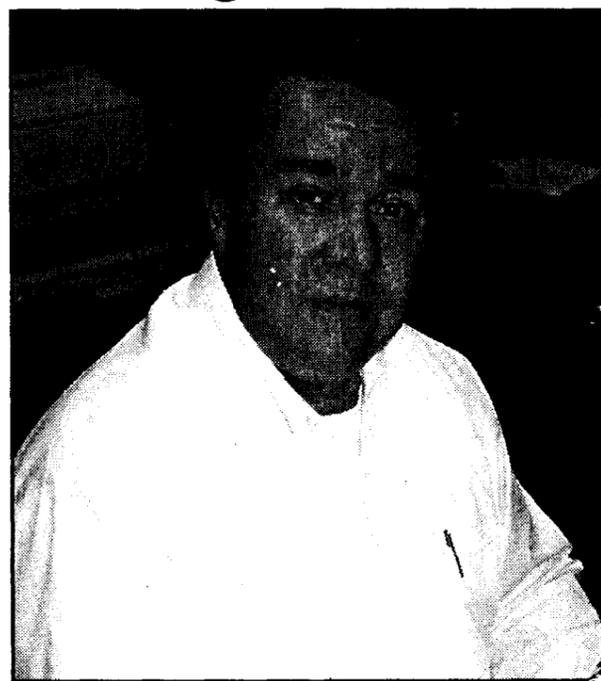
"This allows us to set up communication between north Alabama high school students and students at Pearl Harbor, Guam, Germany," Brown said, adding that this helps local ThinkQuest teams. "That was something that the high schools really had a concern with. How do (they) find

other students that want to compete?"

By using the teen Web site, Brown said local students are able to identify other teams around the world, like the Army teams in Germany and the Pacific.

By sharing its knowledge, Team Redstone On-Line helps students and provides volunteer training and consultation at no cost to educators. The result: Educators and students gain some valuable knowledge about a booming technological trend. But what does Team Redstone On-Line gain from the relationship with the schools?

"One of the keys to the Web is to get a creative view from the user's standpoint," Brown said. "By going out and talking to people that aren't real technical but they use the Web, we are able to really see how to develop simple, easy-to-use Web sites."



BROWN

"Also, we feel like we're helping the high school students prepare for their careers. They may even choose the government for a career. We feel like this is probably the first contact a lot of the high school students have with a government individual. It may encourage them to enlist in the military or have civilian careers."

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Day at fair a big success for special folks and escorts

By Shari Greene

Each year Redstone soldiers help make a day extra special for some special children and adults in Huntsville.

Special Persons Day at the Northeast Alabama State Fair has been sponsored by Huntsville Jaycees for the past 21 years. The fair opened its doors to special people and their escorts Sept. 10 for a free day of fun and food.

Army Community Service's Exceptional Family Member Program, the 832nd Ordnance Battalion, HHC 59th Ordnance Brigade, HHC AMCOM, civilians from SSDC, Motorola, and NASA worked with the local Jaycees to provide escorts.

The morning started out rather overcast but changed into a beautiful day. Soldiers arrived at the fairgrounds very serious and military in bearing but changed quickly into excited and willing participants as they began greeting the children and adults. There was a seemingly endless line of buses from various schools and centers in the Huntsville area with passengers just waiting for a chance to be with a soldier. Many soldiers brought their rank insignias to immediately pin on the children so they could be honorary soldiers for the day. That was definitely a winning idea which brought giggles and smiles from the kids.

Once the children and adults were paired with escorts— some brave soldiers volunteered to take more than one when it became obvious there were more children and adults than soldiers — the group quickly headed to the fair midway to enjoy rides, popcorn and juice. Lines formed quickly at the more popular rides such as the merry-go-round and the kiddie rollercoaster. Those

children in wheelchairs were not to be stopped from going on the rides; and it was heartwarming to watch soldiers carry these children from their chairs to the ride.

"I'm having a good time and it's great to help kids like Tina Thompson from Chapman Elementary," Pvt. Scott Fuchs said. "Tina probably doesn't get to do this as often as she would like."

Celeste Bogosian, mother of one of the children, said "We've just moved here with the St. Louis group and my daughter, Elizabeth, who attends Academy for Arts and Academics, is having so many new experiences. I really appreciate the support of the military community and the giving of their time to assist these kids."

Civilians were also a big part of the day. Phil Palmer, volunteer coordinator for SSDC and his crew, David Bissell, Sonya Payne and Simone Philson, served drinks to everyone— not an easy job considering there were more than 1,000 children and adults.

"The Army is great and we couldn't do it without them," police officer Ben Jennings, a member of the Opportunity Center board, said.

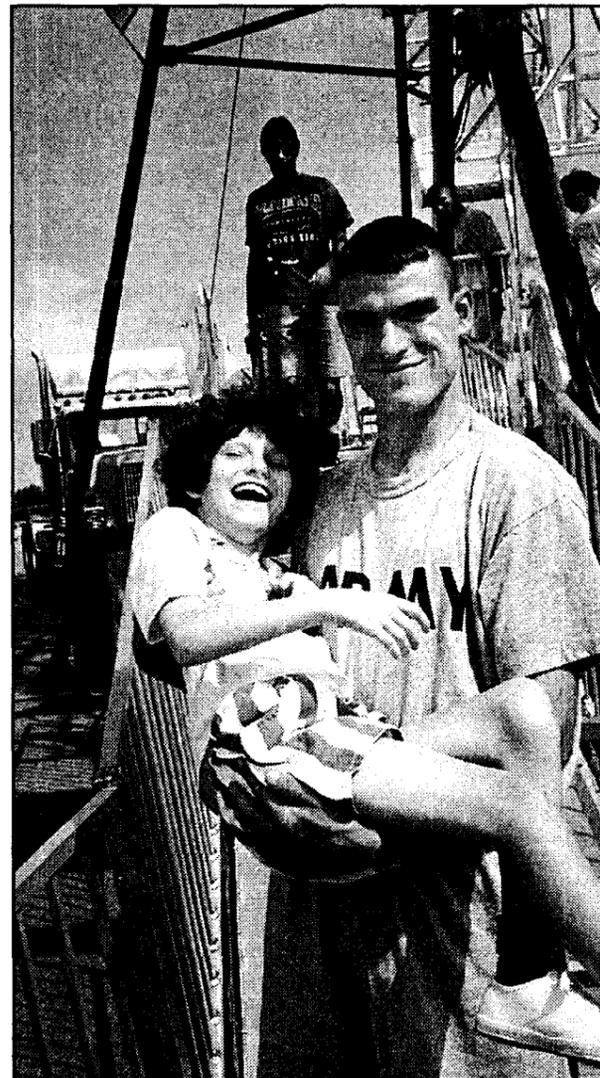
"This is a very stimulating experience for our children. They can feel the rides and hear the different sounds," Carla Smith, a teacher with the Alabama Institute for the Deaf and Blind, said.

Virginia Dempsey, manager of ACS' Exceptional Family Member Program, appreciated the support from the soldier escorts. "Once again, I thank the soldiers and all who came



MERRY GO ROUND— Pvt. Ehlen Robles, of C Company, 832nd Ordnance Battalion, is all smiles with Tosian Olugbode, 9, of Riverton Elementary School.

out in support of this event," not have been possible she said. "This day would without them and command



GIVING A LIFT— Ryan Payton is escorted by Pvt. Steven Hinkle, one of the many soldiers who helped wheelchair-bound children on and off the rides.

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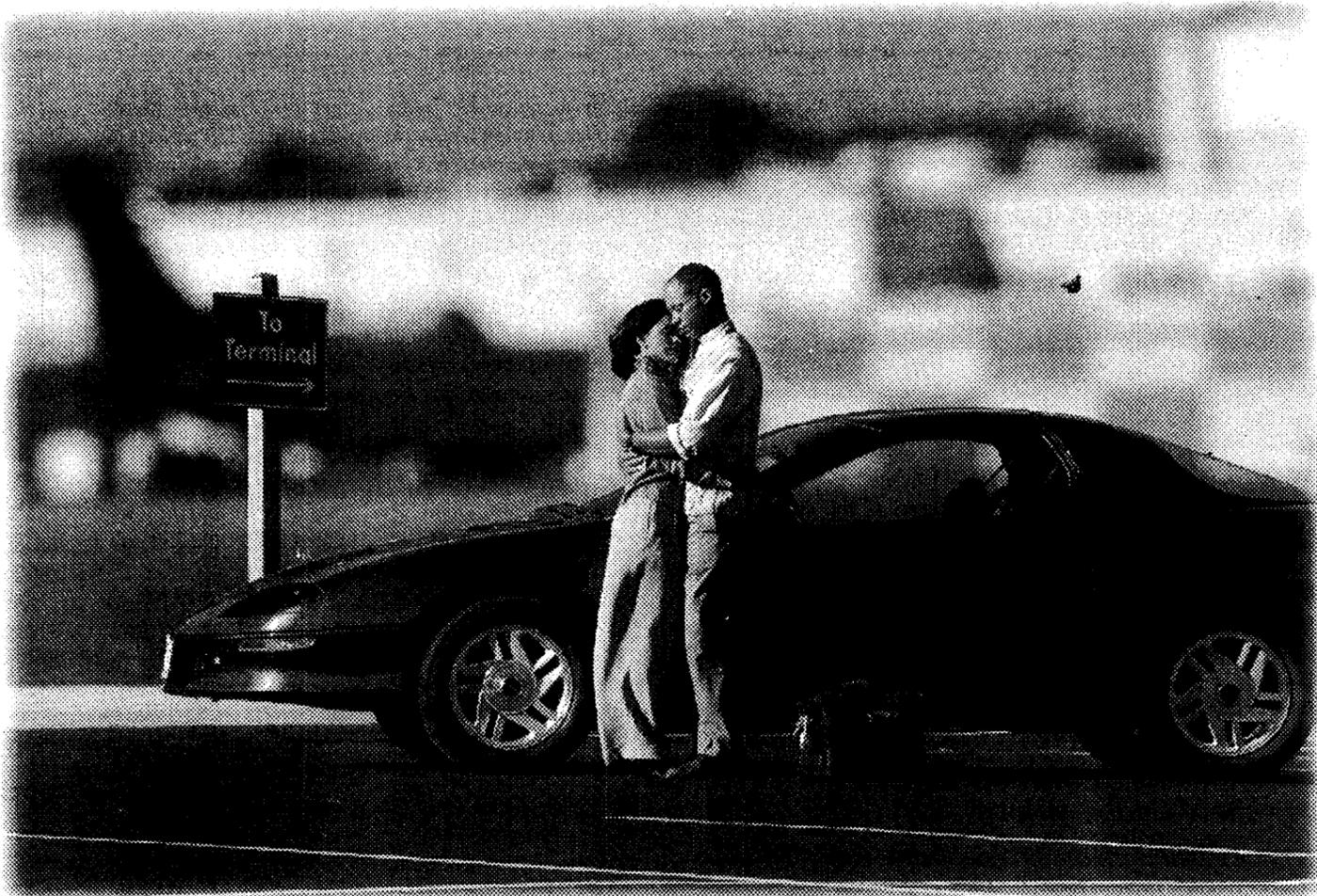
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Former airline pilot describes fiery 1989 crash at Safety Stand Down Day

By Dale James

No matter where Al Haynes speaks, the reaction is always the same.

As soon as he is introduced — before he ever utters his first word — audiences across the country rise to their feet to applaud this unassuming former airline pilot.

The reaction was no different when Haynes addressed an audience of several hundred during AMCOM Safety Stand Down Day 1997 last week.

Haynes, whose proudest achievements include being married to the same woman for 38 years and volunteering as a Little League umpire for 27 years, admits he found such applause

unsettling at first.

But now, after more than eight years, he has learned to accept it without becoming overwhelmed by emotion.

Still, after the applause finally dies down, he pointedly begins each speech by saying, "All of us who had anything to do with Flight 232 thank you."

Haynes was captain of United Airlines Flight 232 when it crashed near Sioux City, Iowa, on July 19, 1989, killing 112 people. That 184 people survived the fiery crash is a tribute to the skill and training of Haynes and his crew and the literally hundreds of emergency response personnel from 40 surrounding communities.

The first indication of trouble came when a tremendous explosion rocked the plane one hour after taking off from Denver airport.

Haynes had flown for United more than 25 years and never experienced an engine failure. When Flight 232's number two engine exploded, the sound was so loud it could be heard on the ground 37,000 feet below.

Almost immediately, Haynes' co-pilot, who had been at the controls when the explosion occurred, made what Haynes describes as "the attention-getting statement of the day":

"Al, I can't control the plane."

Recalled Haynes, "That's when I said the dumbest thing I've ever said in my life. I said, 'I've got it, Bill.' I found out he was right. The plane was not responding."

The crew quickly discovered that the explosion had disabled all three of the plane's hydraulic systems. Without hydraulics, there was no way to steer the plane, no way to slow the plane's speed and no brakes.

Haynes later learned that

engineers calculated the chances of all three hydraulic systems being disabled simultaneously as roughly "a billion to one."

But, he added, "Murphy's law caught up with us that day."

Airlines have established an exhaustive list of standard operating procedures to follow for every conceivable circumstance an aircraft might encounter during a flight. But Haynes' crew found no such SOP for flying an aircraft which has experienced a total hydraulic failure.

That's because, prior to Flight 232, it was believed to be impossible.

At approximately 3:16 p.m. the crew notified Minneapolis Air Traffic Control Center that the number two engine had failed and the aircraft was marginally controllable.

Air traffic controllers quickly cleared all other traffic on Flight 232's radio frequency and alerted emergency response crews on

the ground.

Eventually, the rescue operation would involve more than 150 emergency medical technicians, 35 ambulances and two National Guard units, as well as numerous police and fire units and multiple emergency management associations. It was a mammoth improvised operation hastily assembled in less than an hour.

Two years after the crash, Haynes met the air traffic controller who helped talk Flight 232 down that day.

"He told me he had transferred from his previous duty station because it was too stressful," Haynes said dryly. "He also told me he didn't think we were going to make it."

In the cockpit that day, the crew of Flight 232 was beginning to have some serious doubts of its own.

Without hydraulics, the only way the crew could control the pitch of the plane was by increasing and

decreasing power to the remaining two engines. Their approach to the small municipal airfield which had been cleared for them at Sioux City was made even more difficult by the fact the plane could execute only right turns.

Under normal conditions, a DC-10 lands at a ground speed of 130 miles per hour; with no way to slow the aircraft, Flight 232 touched down at roughly 250 miles an hour.

The impact of the landing broke the landing gear. The plane skidded to a halt in a cornfield beside the runway and came to rest upside down. Smoke and fire from the 33,000 pounds of fuel the plane still carried belched toward the sky.

Haynes credits the quick actions of the cabin crew, none of whom had ever prepared a cabin for an emergency landing before, with minimizing the number of fatalities.

"Whenever I meet a sur-

See PILOT on page 22

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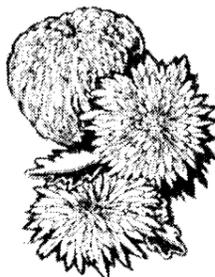
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Ex-Army safety director stresses risk management

By Dale James

When in 1990 Maj. Gen. Clyde Hennies learned his next tour of duty would be as head of the U.S. Army Safety Center and director of safety at Fort Rucker, he had no illusions about it being a career-enhancing assignment.

"Back then," recalled Hennies, "the Army paid lip-service to safety, but nobody did much about it."

But Hennies, one of the keynote speakers at last week's AMCOM Safety Stand Down Day, had learned from his father to throw himself wholeheartedly into the task at hand, whatever that task might be. So he rolled up his sleeves and went to work.

What he found astounded him.

Job-related accidents to its civilian workforce alone were costing the Army roughly \$600,000 in compensation and medical claims each and every working day.

And because compensation claims can extend over a span of years, no one could really be sure what the exact future costs would be.

"At the time, we didn't even know what our total workers compensation bill was," Hennies said. "The problem was so big, we didn't even have our arms around it."

Because the Army does not budget for accidents, those costs impact a wide range of other activities.

"Can you imagine trying to explain to Congress about line item number forty-seven — \$250 million for accidents?" asked Hennies incredulously. "They'd go ballistic on us."

Having quantified the extent of the problem as best he could, Hennies next set about attacking the root of the problem: the hazardous conditions that lead to accidents.

It was a tough sell. Said Hennies, "We were dealing with four-star generals in many cases, and they didn't always want to hear what we had to say. That's because we had to tell him, first, that the baby was ugly, and, second, that the baby looked just like him."

Hennies said the biggest challenge he faced as safety director was overcoming the tendency on the part of some commanders to throw safety out the window when confronted with real-world conditions.

"We have to get off this notion that tough training equates with having accidents," he said. "There is no excuse for losing a sol-

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dier in training."

When Hennies and his team looked closely at those areas where accidents occurred most frequently, they made some interesting discoveries.

"We found we were making the same dumb mistakes year after year — only different people were making them. Where standards existed at all, they were sel-

dom adhered to," he said.

To increase safety awareness and reduce accidents, Hennies devised a proactive risk-management approach, which consists of identifying and controlling potential hazards before they can cause an accident.

The results have been immensely satisfying for Hennies. Job-related accidents have declined steady-

ly. "Basically," he said, "we are the safest Army in our history — much better than 10 years ago."

But much remains to be done.

"The thought of losing soldiers or civilians to accidents is unacceptable to me," Hennies said. "Let it be from combat or old age after a long and rewarding career."

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Soldiers take to the field for their annual training exercise



RECON MISSION— Soldiers assigned to D Company spend Sept. 6 in the field practicing their soldiering skills. Each team was led through various scenarios and graded.

By Kathy Harkleroad

It's that time of year again when soldiers in the various companies assigned to the Arsenal take to the field and put their soldiering skills to the test. Soldiers in D Company did their annual training at the Ammunition Supply Point Sept. 6 and reviewed 18 different skills.

"All of the soldiers review these skills throughout the year," Capt. Gene Warren, the company commander, said. "This is when we put those skills to the test." While the soldiers teach these skills to their students in the classroom, this exercise gives them practical

experiences.

"The STX (Situational Training Exercise) is planned by a core of soldiers, and everyone in the company participates. As each station is visited and each scenario is played out, a grader evaluates their performances and each situation is discussed," Warren said.

Many of the soldiers within the company look forward to the STX's and look at it as a time to practice skills they don't use much while stationed on the Arsenal. "We don't have a chance to go and play war," one soldier said. "This exercise gives the opportunity to do just that. We are exposed to all



PREVENTING SHOCK— SSgt. Clifford March practices his CTT skills of first aid on a dummy during the annual STX. Here he loosens the boots on the practice dummy while making sure it's in the correct position.

kinds of situations we don't see in the classroom."

Another soldier said while the STX's are hard to do on the weekends, he wished they were longer timewise. "I would love to see an STX where we had to spend the night

and could do additional things. This is just not enough time; you don't get the full effect."

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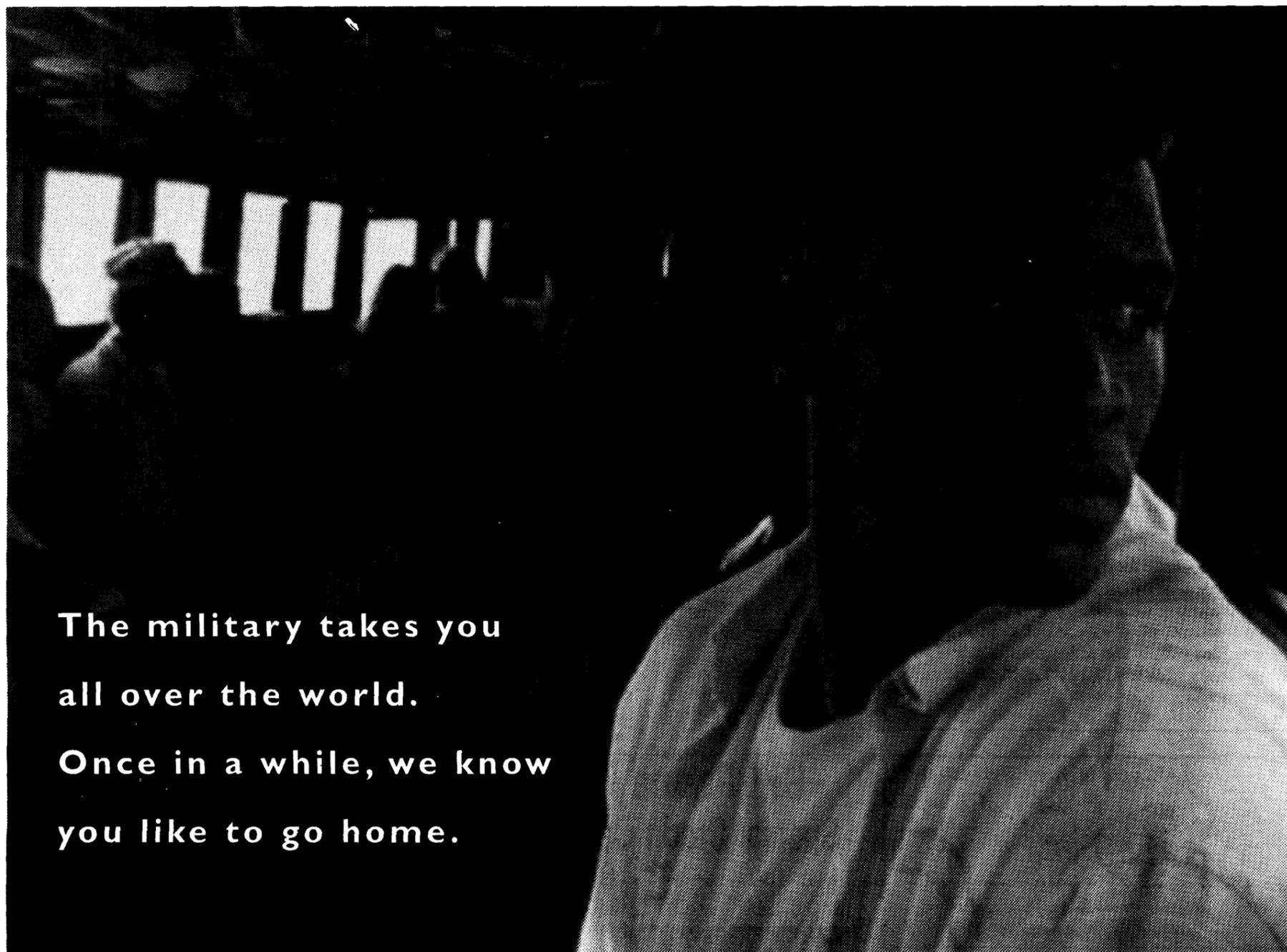
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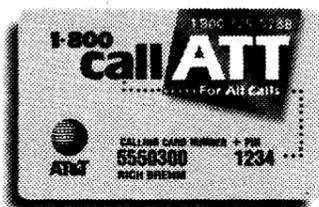
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COZART

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"I was in the top 10 percent of my major field — education — in my graduating class in college and became an intern based on my scholastic standing," Cozart said. "I was one of the first AMC interns to earn an outstanding performance rating."

Cozart came to ATCOM, formerly TSARCOM, as a contract specialist in 1976. There, she became involved with the EEO program. She was assigned to a special task group by Gen. Richard Thompson to assist in black male class complaints.

"I was recognized for special achievement in this field during detail as an EEO specialist, particularly in maintaining objectivity when dealing with people problems. This was paramount in the successful accomplishment of the command's affirmative action goals," Cozart said.

She was named chief of the ATCOM Equal Employment Office in January 1980.

HHC AMCOM receives donation for community work at commissary

By Skip Vaughn

The unit fund at HHC AMCOM got a little richer Thursday because of its work in the community.

Headquarters and Headquarters Company, AMCOM received a \$460 check from J.T.M. Provisions Company Inc., an Ohio-based manufacturer of frozen meat products for the commissary. This represents proceeds from a J.T.M. fundraiser cookout held June 28 in front of the commissary.

Two volunteers from HHC AMCOM helped cook and serve the ribs and hamburgers.

"Another example of 'Consistent goodness leads to greatness,'" Capt. James Davis, commander of HHC AMCOM, said, referring to the unit motto.

Ken Chastain, grocery manager at the commissary, and James Burchfield,



UNIT FUND— Participating in the HHC AMCOM check presentation are, from left, Chastain, Davis, Wiley, Burchfield; SSgt. James DeCourley, operations sergeant; and Sgt. Felicia Sewell, assistant supply sergeant and a cookout volunteer.

deputy commissary officer, presented the check to the unit Thursday afternoon.

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If your child eats between meals, remember that snacks should be low in sugar. In-between-meal treats such as candy, cookies, ice cream, sugared chewing gum and sweet drinks may play havoc with a child's teeth. Bacteria which are normally present in the mouth combine with sugar to form acids - acids which attack tooth enamel. Eventually, it causes cavities.

When sweets are eaten between meals there is more apt to be a chance for cavities to develop, since the child will probably not brush right after - before acids have a chance to form. Some tooth-worthy snacks for children are: apples, oranges, bananas, plums, peaches, fruit juices, milk and cheese. The greater distance between sweet junk foods and teeth, the better.

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LOGSA commander learned tolerance the hard way

By Skip Vaughn

It's been more than two decades but Col. Ronald Hyatte still shakes his head and smiles at the memory.

Hyatte, the commander of the Logistics Support Activity, remembers being the brunt of jokes from his classmates while attending the Infantry Officers Advanced Course at Fort Benning, Ga., in 1975. He was an Officer Candidate School graduate, but back then you had to apply for a Regular Army appointment. So, he was a Reserve Infantry officer who applied for an RA slot; and got an offer to become a Regular Army officer in the Ordnance Corps rather than Infantry.

Hyatte accepted the offer and became the only Ordnance officer in a 200-member class of Infantry officers. He wore the Ordnance insignia for the last three and a half months of the nine-month course.

"My classmates really ribbed me about being a CSS (combat service support) officer, my combat arms buddies," he recalled.

That experience taught him a lesson. "Tolerance," he said, "because I was harassed daily by fellow students and faculty."

Hyatte made the right choice. Twenty-two years

later, he's still in the Army and a full colonel. He served as deputy director of LOGSA for a year until becoming the activity's commander in August with the retirement of director Billie Turmenne.

"I think it's a great assignment for me. I'm very happy and honored to be given the position. Very challenging job," he said.

"Basically I hope to prepare LOGSA to support the Army into the 21st century, to structure the organization and create an atmosphere that will allow the employees of LOGSA to be able to adjust and deal with the changes that the Department of Army faces in the future," Hyatte said.

LOGSA, under the Army Materiel Command, provides logistics support worldwide. Its support ranges from acquisition policy to direct support of the soldier in the field through the logistics assistant program. "We are also the wholesale, retail, data integrators for the Army," Hyatte said. "We're the organization where wholesale and retail logistics information come together. We store it and format it so it can be used by other Army elements."

His organization has about 704 people, including

60 military, worldwide. These include members in Korea, Europe, Alaska, Hawaii, most continental U.S. installations, and currently deployed in Bosnia. LOGSA has about 500 people at Redstone.

Hyatte, 49, was born in Ft. Walton Beach, Fla., and grew up traveling the world as an Army family member. His father, James, served 26 years in the Army before retiring in 1973 as a first sergeant. James and Ruth Hyatte now reside in Colorado Springs, Colo.

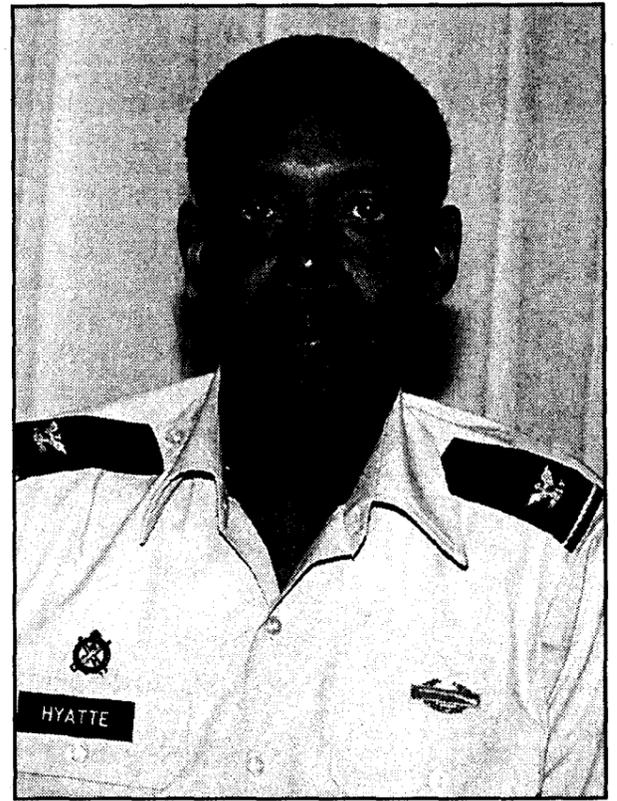
Hyatte entered the Army as an enlisted soldier in 1967, graduated from Officer Candidate School in 1970, and served as an Infantry platoon leader in Vietnam. He received a bachelor's degree in busi-

ness administration in 1975 from the University of Albuquerque, and a master's in management in 1985 from Webster University, St. Louis. Hyatte was commander of Logistics Support Element- Far East, based in Seoul, Korea, from 1994-96 before coming to Redstone in August 1996.

He and his wife, Martha, have a daughter, Deidre. Deidre and her husband, Steve Joffe, reside in Colorado Springs.

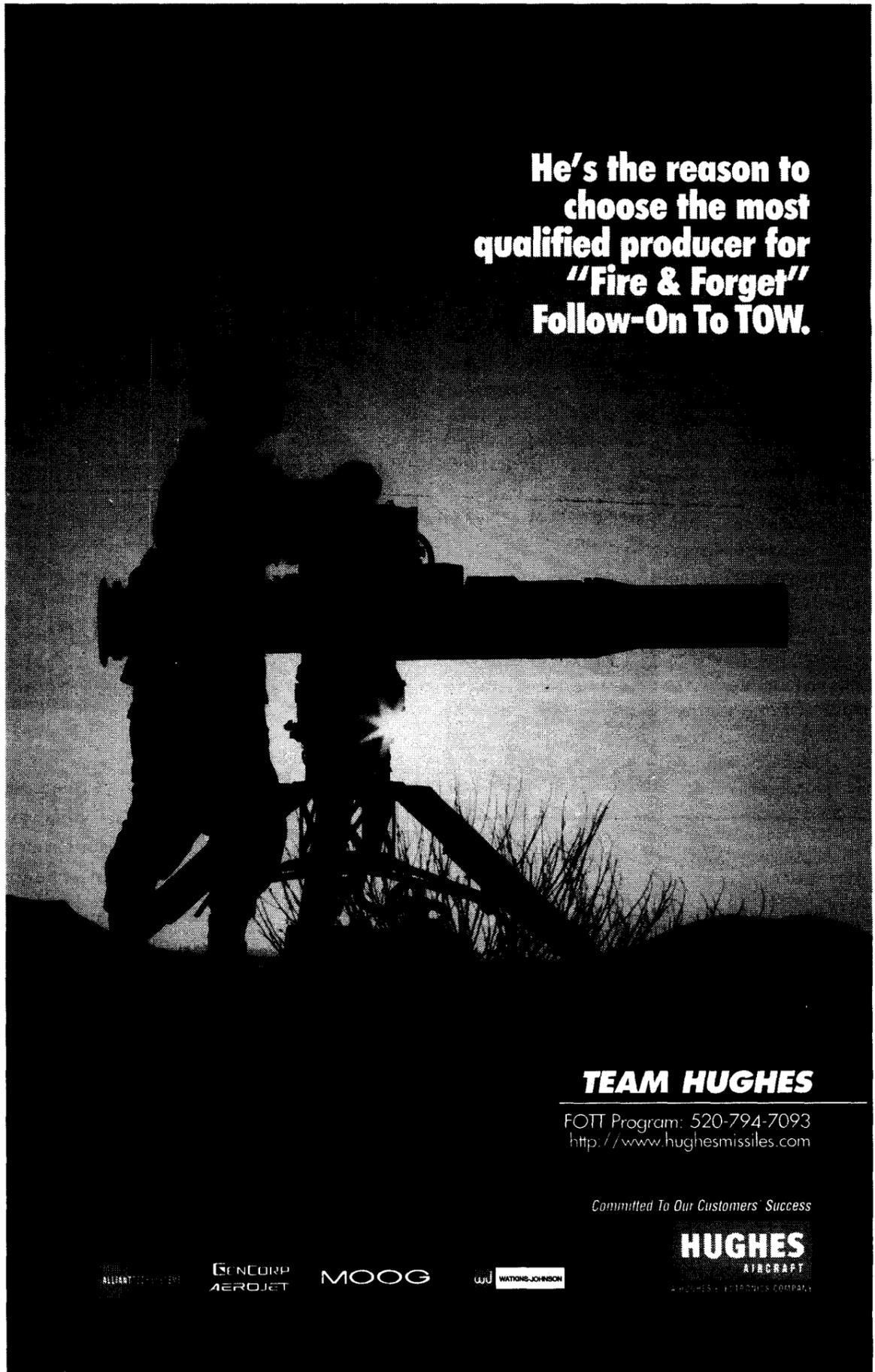
Hyatte's hobbies include playing softball, basketball, and fishing.

"I'm happy to be a member of Team Redstone and it's my hope to strengthen the relationship between LOGSA and the many other members of the Redstone community," he said.



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Back to School Bash a real smash at Youth Center here

By Heather Douglas

Youth Services kicked off the school year with a fun-filled Back to School Bash, Sept. 5 which attracted a crowd of more than 200 at the Youth Center.

Charles Suddler, Youth Center employee, organized this event. "It is a great chance for Redstone Arsenal children to meet other children and it is a fantastic way for the parents to network with other parents in the community," he said.

The evenings activities included soccer games, sand volleyball, pool tournaments, board games, 3-point basketball shootouts, and dance contests. Win-

ners of the various contests received prizes; and the grand prize winner was Forsha Pope.

Lt. Col. Herman Thomas and Maj Dan Voscudo thought the bash was "great for the kids" and shared the sentiment of many others who wish to have regular "bashes" at the Youth Center.

"The Youth Services staff was very well organized and the kids really enjoyed the activities that were planned for them," Sgt. Maj. Frank Hyatt said.

Teen-ager Roberto Clemente summed up his enthusiasm with a popular slang: "This bash is the

bomb!"

The event would not have been possible without the volunteers. Suddler said he would like to thank the following individuals for their contributions: Barbara Dumas, Marian Caudle, Lynn Higbee, Russell Lights, Taunya Hendricks, Kyong Hyatt, Betty Abbou, Patty Marrero and Hazel Gelpi. He also thanks the disc jockey who made the dance contests so much fun, Sam Nieves; and the parent volunteers: Sgt Clifford March, Larita March and Letha Jones.

Suddler said there will be a big "End of the School Year bash" in '98.



POOL TOURNAMENT— Youngsters participate in a pool tournament during the Back to School Bash.

(Editor's note: Douglas specialist for the Director of Family Activities.) is the former advertising manager of Community and

Missile maintenance work stays in-house after contract study

Army civilian personnel were Sept. 10 declared the winners of a three-year, \$3.17 million contract to perform missile maintenance functions here, announced officials from the Redstone Arsenal Support Activity.

The announcement followed a detailed cost comparison analysis to determine whether to keep RASA's missile maintenance functions in-house or to contract out for the work. The analysis concluded that the government personnel could perform the work more economically than the commercial bidder. As a result, 18 Army civilian personnel will continue to per-

form missile maintenance for the Ordnance Missile and Munitions Center and School and the Redstone Technical Test Center.

Following a similar competition in 1985, RASA contracted out for most of the Arsenal's blue-collar work. Today, approximately 75 percent of Redstone Arsenal's base operations functions are performed by contractors.

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EFOGM team discusses training during conference on post

By Sharion Menefee

The Enhanced Fiber Optic Guided Missile Project Management Office, Logistics Division, held a Logistics Conference on Sept. 10 at the Program Executive Office headquarters.

The conference brought together representatives from the Dismounted Battlespace Battle Lab, U.S. Army Infantry School, XVIII Airborne Corps, Fort Bragg, N.C., and Aviation and Missile Command functional organizations.

It provided attendees the status of the EFOGM logistics program with primary focus being the training development effort to support the operator/crew training at XVIII Airborne Corps, second quarter of fiscal 1998, and logistics support for the Rapid Force Projection Initiative advanced concept technology demonstration, fourth quarter of fiscal '98, at Fort Benning, Ga.

Available at the conference was a display portraying the EFOGM acquisition program. Selected EFOGM hardware, such as the battle command computer, gunners console, missile assembly mass simulator, and a mockup of the EFOGM fire unit were displayed to aid in the familiarization of EFOGM system equipment.

During the conference Ray Sellers, chief of EFOGM test branch, showed a video of the "Slug 2" missile firing, conducted Sept. 5 at Test Area 1. The pur-

pose of this firing was to demonstrate inertial measurement unit integration and performance, downlink communication over the fiber optic cable, and wing and fin deployment. The firing achieved its test objectives.

The EFOGM is an advanced technology demonstration and is part of the Rapid Force Projection Initiative "system of systems" composed of hunters and killers. The EFOGM capability will be a "killer" element of the composite "hunter/standoff killer" concept identified in the RFPI. The acquisition strategy provides for the development of EFOGM hardware to participate in the RFPI advanced concept technology demonstration and a two-year extended user evaluation, beginning in fourth quarter fiscal '99. The prime contractor for the EFOGM system is the Raytheon Company.

The EFOGM is a fiber optic guided missile system capable of selectively engaging and defeating high value targets primarily consisting of threat armored combat vehicles, hovering/moving rotary wing aircraft, and other high value ground targets beyond, or masked from the line of sight of direct fire weapons and share, as required, in the attack of enemy forces in the direct fire battle. The system operates in day/night and adverse weather and can engage targets at a minimum of 1.0 kilometers

and maximum of 15 kilometers. The system will provide increased lethality, survivability and deployability to early entry forces.

The EFOGM Company is designated as A/511 Parachute Infantry Regiment. The EFOGM Company is scheduled for activation Oct. 1 at Fort Bragg.

Col. Roy Millar is the EFOGM project manager. The EFOGM logistics divi-

See EFOGM on page 24



CONFERENCE ATTENDEES— In front row, from left, are SFC Michael Baumgartner, Steve Potts, Nancy Hopper, Frances Ruiz, Sharion Menefee, Jack Sanders, Thomas Ross, Pete Cox, George McFarley, 1st Lt. Mark Warden, Maj. Ed Jozwiak, Maj. Dwayne Morton, and Phil Maughan. In back row, from left, are Maj. Fred Mullins, James Tylman, Terry Dixon, Frank Boner, Robert Bergman, Jerry Dyer, Dan Belk, Scotty Brier, Tony Adams, Eric Pistorius, John Hieber, Phil Bare, Dan Smith, Melvin Harris, Dave Boulden and Bill Thomas.

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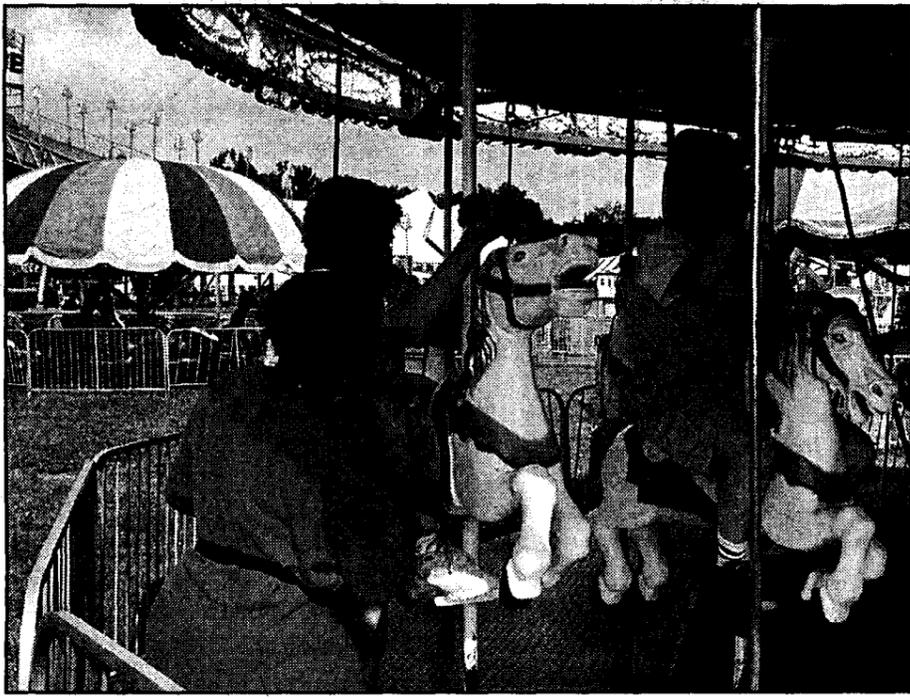
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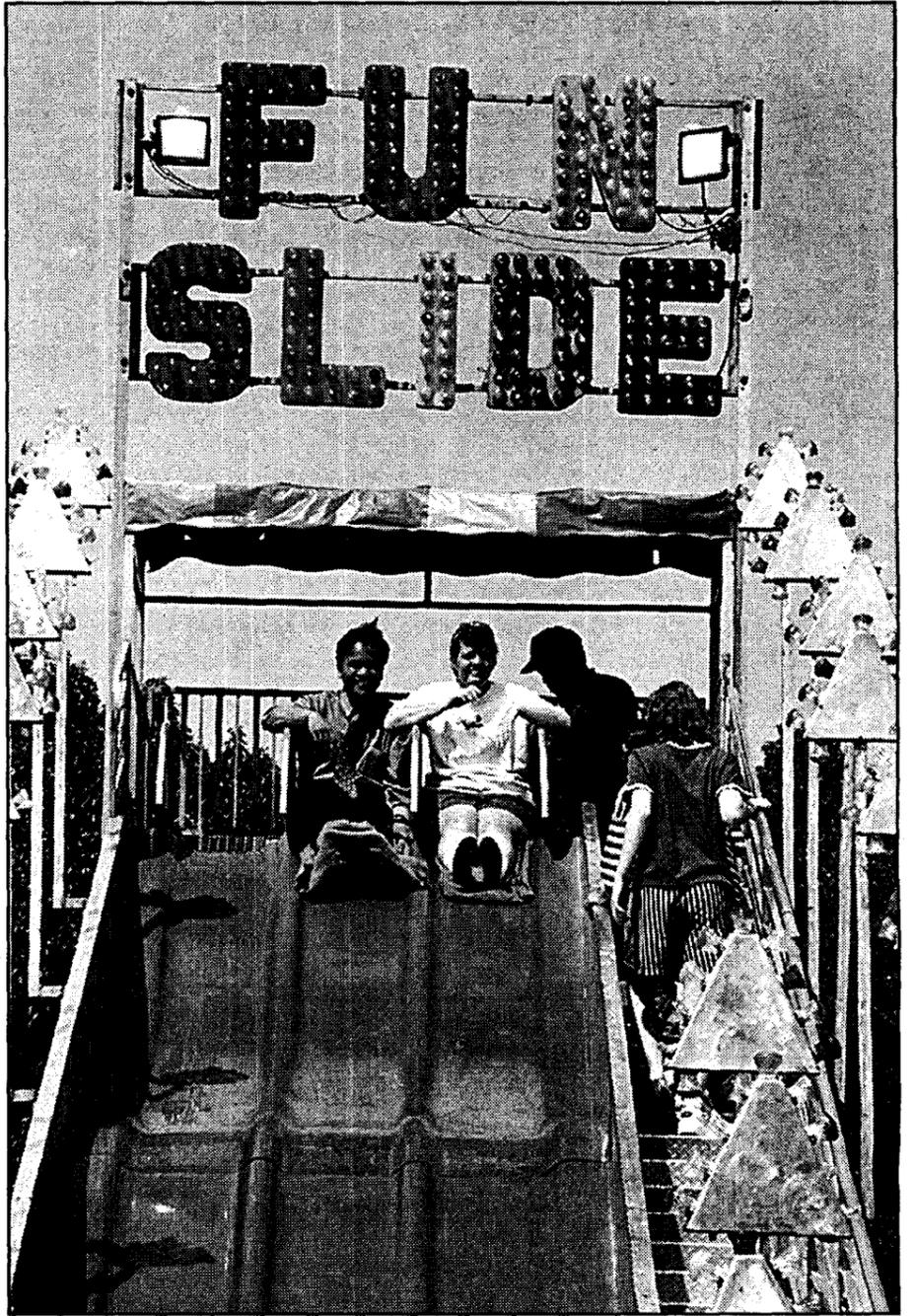


HORSING AROUND— Edye Cartwright of the Volunteers of America gives one of her folks a boost on the merry-go-round.



TAKING A SPIN— Folks from the Volunteers of America get set to take a spin on one of the 20 carnival rides at Oktoberfest.

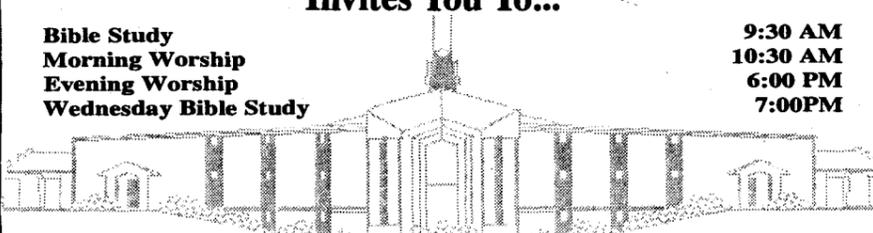
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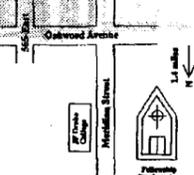
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visitors on opening day

By Lionel Green

About 50 people enjoyed the rides and food at Redstone Arsenal's third annual Oktoberfest a little earlier than everyone else.

A two-hour block of time was set aside for some extra special folks the afternoon before the family festival opened to the public Sept. 11. The festival ran through Sept. 14 at the parade field.

Local groups from the Volunteers of America and the Opportunity Center spent the afternoon riding roller coasters and

merry-go-rounds and eating hot dogs under a bright, sunny sky.

"They're enjoying themselves," Edge Cartwright of VOA said about her group of special needs people. "They like all the rides. This is like community training and community leisure. They love getting out in public."

Sheila Grimm of the Opportunity Center agreed that the day was exciting for her special needs folks as well.

"It's just a wonderful opportunity for them to experience," she said.



MERRY-GO-ROUND— Folks from the Opportunity Center enjoy riding the horses at Oktoberfest.

GREETING — In photo at right, one of the participants expresses his enjoyment while previewing the weekend event.



ROCK AND ROLL— Folks from the Opportunity Center get ready for takeoff on the Rock and Roll ride.

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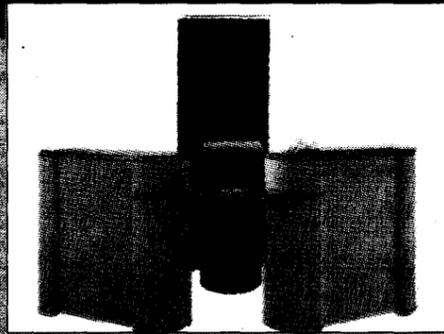
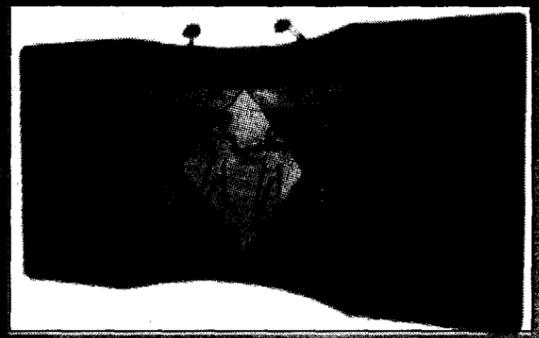
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Waters becomes headquarters company commander in Illinois

GRANITE CITY, Ill.— Capt. Gregory S. Waters succeeded Capt. Debra A. Hanneman as the Charles Melvin Price Support Center Headquarters Company commander in the change of command ceremony Aug. 20.

Hanneman received the Meritorious Service Medal for her outstanding achievement and service as Headquarters Company commander. She maintained 100 percent property accountability and carefully managed the transfer of their Personnel Service Center and Light Detachment to Redstone Arsenal. Also, she developed outstanding company training and physical fitness programs. Her next assignment is at Fort Sill, Okla., as the installation adjutant general officer. There, she will receive a promotion to the rank of major.

Born in Saginaw, Mich., on Oct. 15, 1969, Waters graduated from the Army Reserve Officer Training Corps at Evangel College of Springfield, Mo. There he was a Distinguished Military Student, a member of Pershing Rifles and a Distinguished Military Graduate. He graduated cum laude with a bachelor of arts degree in biblical studies.

Upon commissioning as a second lieutenant, Air Defense Artillery, he attended the Air Defense Officers' Basic Course and the Forward Area Air Defense Officers' Course at Fort Bliss, Texas. Then he graduated from the Battalion Motor Officers' Course at Fort Knox, Ky.

He wed Amy Sission of Troy, Mo. They traveled to Schofield Barracks, Hawaii, where his first assignment was Product Improved Vulcan Air Defense System platoon leader with the 1st Battalion, 62nd Air Defense Artillery, 25th Infantry Division (Light). Waters underwent two Joint Readiness Training Center rotations at Fort Chaffee, Ark., while serving as a platoon leader. His platoon set a new Army record for gunnery against the MQM-107 Streaker Target Drone. He then graduated from the U.S. Army, Hawaii Air Assault School. Following an assignment as assistant battalion supply and logistics officer, Waters served as assistant division protocol officer, 25th Infantry Division (Light) and U.S. Army, Hawaii. He partook in the first Peace Enforcement rotation at the Joint Readiness Training Center, Fort Polk, La.

Waters graduated fourth in his class at the Adjutant Generals Corps Officers' Advanced Course at Fort Benjamin Harrison, Ind. Immediately following this, he served as the adjutant, U.S. Army Recruiting Battalion-St. Louis, Mo. His awards and decorations include the Military Outstanding Volunteer Service Medal, Army Achievement Medal, Army Commendation Medal with one oak leaf cluster, Air Assault Badge and Basic Parachutist Badge. He is currently a master of arts candidate at California State University-Dominguez Hills. He and his spouse will live on post.

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Road work scheduled near Sparkman Center Friday

Some road work is planned Friday afternoon on the east side of the Sparkman Center.

Weather permitting, workers will open a new section of road between Martin and Patton; and that section should be in use Monday morning, Sept. 22. If it rains Friday, the work will be rescheduled to Sept. 22 to open the section Sept. 23.

"We're going to open that new section of road; so you don't have to go up to the

stop sign any more on the east side of Sparkman Center," Joe Davis, chief of master planning division in the Directorate of Environmental Management and Planning, said.

During the road work, both lanes will be closed and there will be a detour to the Sparkman Center. This is planned for after lunch— after morning rush hour — so most traffic probably won't be affected Friday.

Walker tapped for undersecretary position by President Clinton

WASHINGTON— President Clinton announced his intention to nominate Robert Michael Walker of Smithville, Tenn., to be the undersecretary of the Army.

Walker is currently assistant secretary of the Army for Installations, Logistics and Environment. In May of this year, he was named by Secretary of the Army Togo D. West, Jr. to be service acquisition executive. Walker oversees more than 100 Army installations worldwide, and more than \$200

billion in facilities, equipment and supplies.

Since becoming assistant secretary in March 1994, Walker has also been responsible for managing the Department of Defense's support to disasters.

Walker will replace the outgoing Joe R. Reeder, who announced his resignation Aug. 26 after four years as undersecretary. Walker

served as a staff member for 25 years on Capitol Hill, working as both national security and appropriations adviser to former Senator and now U.S. Ambassador to China, Jim Sasser.

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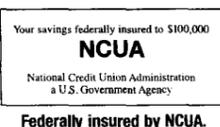
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Sports & Recreation

Lady golfers have feast of a time at annual invitational tourney

The Redstone Arsenal Ladies Golf Association held its annual Invitational Golf Tournament, Sept. 3. It was a perfect day, with flags flying and Miss Piggy—yes, Miss Piggy—roaming the golf course. She even managed to have her photo taken with each participant.

There were 96 participants from 20 Alabama Ladies Golf Associations. As usual the Redstone Arsenal gentlemen golfers assisted as spotters, cart loaders and drink specialists to make this a classy event that Miss Piggy could be proud of. Marie Maksimowski, chairwoman for the event, surprised everyone with honey baked hams for the tournament prizes. (Miss Piggy was still running around the golf course safe, though.) Dee Thonus and Fran Sullivan were in charge of "special piggy" effects. Betty Butler was chairwoman of the pre-tournament breakfast which got everyone off to a good start.

The following players were winners:

- Tami Green, from Pikeville Country Club, won the tournament championship.
- 1st Flight winners—first low gross, Tami Green, Pikeville Country Club;

second low gross, Jody Terek, Redstone Arsenal; first low net, Marian Deppensmith, Valley Hill Country Club; and second low net, Geneva Saint, Plantation Point Country Club.

- 2nd Flight winners—first low gross, Elsie Hobbs, Waynesboro Country Club; second low gross, Elke Mullin, Redstone Arsenal; first low net, Reita Nicholas, Cherokee Ridge Country Club; and second low net, Mavis Hill, Fort Benning.

- 3rd Flight winners—first low gross, Margaret Labbe, Valley Hill Country Club; second low gross, Joy McGuire, Redstone Arsenal; first low net, Elaine Owen, Redstone Arsenal; and second low net, Sid Ellis, Valley Hill Country Club.

- 4th Flight winners—first low gross, Doris Knapper, Franklin Country Club; second low gross, Joan Arnold, Redstone Arsenal; first low net, Lorena Childers, Florence Country Club; and second low net, Dottie Cento, Cherokee Ridge Country Club.

- 5th Flight winners—first low gross, Millie Moore, Redstone Arsenal; second low gross, Linda Thompson, Redstone Arsenal; first low net, Marina

Jarvis, Redstone Arsenal; and second low net, Myrna Gardner, Valley Hill Country Club.

- 6th Flight winners—first low gross, Janis Jacobs, Redstone Arsenal; second low gross, Betty Hosier, Valley Hill Country Club; first low net, Debra Plate, Redstone Arsenal; and second low net, Shirley Hanson, Hampton Cove.

- 7th Flight winners—first low gross, Barbara Howard, Florence Country Club; second low gross, Beverly Van Oostrum, Redstone Arsenal; first low net, Diane Whitaker, Cherokee Ridge Country Club; and second low net, Pauline Robertson, Valley Hill Country Club.

- 8th Flight winners—first low gross, Sachiko Sidhu, Florence Country Club; second low gross, Barbara Hockenberry, Redstone Arsenal; first low net, Mary Walker, Cherokee



WINNING GOLFERS— From left are Tami Green, tournament champion; and other 1st flight winners Geneva Saint, Marian Deppensmith and Jody Terek.

Ridge Country Club; and second low net, Chris Beard, Magnolia Country Club.

- 9th Flight winners—first low gross, Kathy Morrison, Redstone Arsenal; second low gross, Margaret King, Cherokee Ridge Country Club; first low net, Lucille Johnson, Redstone Arsenal; and second low

net, Beverly Payne, Redstone Arsenal.

- 10th Flight winners—first low gross, Becky Gailard, Redstone Arsenal; second low gross, Kimiko

Lutz, Redstone Arsenal; first low net, Pat White, Redstone Arsenal; and second low net, Judy Harbin,

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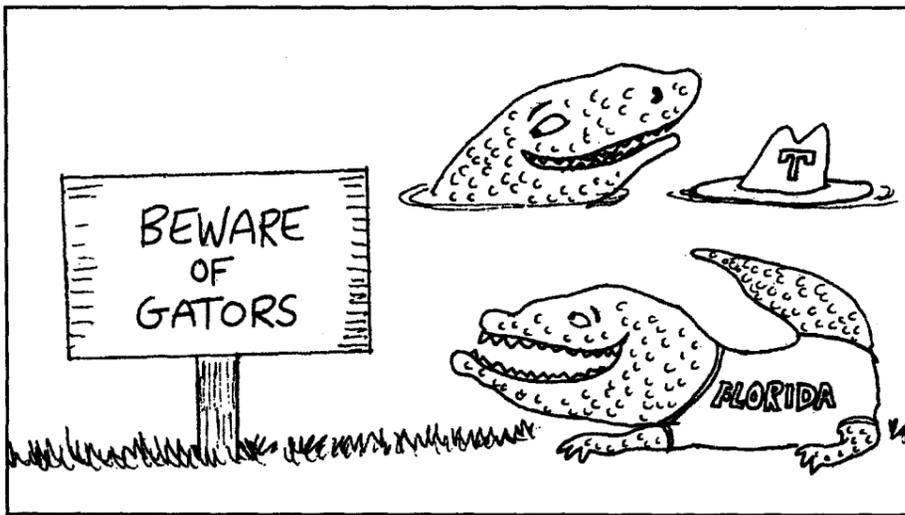
Sports & Recreation

Florida Gators should survive visit from Tennessee Volunteers

By Skip Vaughn

Here are Skip's Picks for selected college football games this week:

- Tennessee at Florida—**Fla.**
- Auburn at Louisiana State—**LSU**
- Nebraska at Washington—**Nebraska**
- Arkansas at Alabama—**Bama**
- Ala. A&M at Miss. Valley St.—**A&M**
- Texas A&M-Kingsville at North Ala.—**UNA**
- Jacksonville St. at Ala. Birmingham—**UAB**
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• Army at Duke—**Army**

• Baylor at Michigan—**Mich.**

• Boston College at Rutgers—**BC**

• Oklahoma at California—**Calif.**

• Kansas at Cincinnati—**Kan.**

• Florida State at Clemson—**FSU**

• Fresno State at Oregon—**Oregon**

• Ga. Tech at Wake Forest—**Tech**

• Wash. St. at Illinois—**Wash. St.**

• Iowa at Iowa St.—**Iowa**

• Penn State at Louisville—**PS**

• North Carolina at Maryland—**NC**

• Minnesota at Memphis—**Memphis**

• Miami at Pittsburgh—**Miami**

• Michigan St. at Notre Dame—**ND**

• Missouri at Tulsa—**Tulsa**

• Navy at Southern Methodist—**Navy**

• Rice at Northwestern—**N'western**

• Stanford at Oregon St.—**Stanford**

• San Diego St. at Wisconsin—**Wis.**

• Nevada at Southern Miss—**SM**

• SW Louisiana at Texas A&M—**Tex. A&M**

• Tulane at Syracuse—**Syracuse**

• Virginia Tech at Temple—**Va. Tech**

• Texas-El Paso at Utah—**Utah**

• San Jose St. at Wyoming—**Wyo.**

MWR highlights...

Morale, welfare and recreation activities include the following:

- **Turkey shoot**— A turkey shoot will be held Oct. 11; cost is \$3 per shot; prizes awarded; can bring your own gun or one will be provided.

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- **Relocation assistance**— If you need information to help you adjust, Army Community Service can provide assistance. Call

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right spare parts in the right place.

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To minimize downtime, the COC places systems facing such critical shortages under "intensive management."

"At present, we are acutely managing several systems," Lutz said.

The Army has responded to today's downsizing and budget pressures by moving toward a "just in time" spare parts operation.

Said Lutz, "It's our job to make sure 'just in time' doesn't turn out to mean 'too late.' Our goal is to have zero slack in the system."

Lutz and his team are nearing that goal. The former MICOM consistently maintained a readiness rating in the 95th percentile for the past decade.

"That," Lutz pointed out, "is extremely good when you think of all the systems we have supported and the conditions under which we have supported them."

The establishment of a round-the-clock COC should go a long way toward maintaining that level of performance.

While Lutz is obviously proud of his team's achievements, he is quick to share the credit for those high ratings. He likened the operation of the COC to that of a performance by a symphony orchestra.

"We're like the conductor," he said. "We may lead, but there's an awful lot of orchestra behind us."

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vivor from Flight 232, I always ask them one thing: how'd things go back there?" Haynes said. "They all say the same thing, that the cabin crew did an outstanding job."

One of the most widely publicized photos from the crash is of a National Guard soldier walking away from the wreckage and carrying an infant in his arms. The infant was later dubbed "Baby Spencer."

Speaking for the survivors of Flight 232, Haynes said, "When we look at that photo, we don't see two people at all. We look at that National Guardsman and we see the 1,000 people whose training and cooperation prepared them to respond.

"We don't see just Baby Spencer, we see all 296 passengers and crew of flight 232."

Human error suspected in fatal Fort Bragg chopper crash during routine mission

FORT BRAGG, N.C.— Human error was the apparent cause of the UH-60L Black Hawk helicopter crash that occurred here July 8, resulting in the death of eight 82nd Airborne Division soldiers.

Investigators concluded that the aircraft speed, altitude, gross weight and the atmospheric conditions caused a descent while executing a right turn in a steep bank. This resulted in a rotor blade striking a tree.

No mechanical defects were discovered which might have caused the crash. The weather was excellent and not a contributing factor.

The pilot-in-command was experienced, and the crew had flown a mission with the same helicopter earlier

in the day, and had performed all pre-flight inspections with normal results. The helicopter was conducting its second flight of the day, a routine photo-reconnaissance mission, when the accident occurred.

It was not possible for the investigators to determine which of the two pilots on board was flying at the time of the accident.

All evidence indicated that the crash occurred very quickly and that there was little time to react to the emergency. No distress call was relayed to the range control flight center, and the last contact with the helicopter was a routine message. The first rescue personnel on the scene reported that the helicopter was

engulfed in flames.

As a result of the investigation, the unit will conduct a safety stand-down to complete refresher training, and a review of flight regulations.

A memorial service was held July 15 for the soldiers killed in the accident. Those soldiers include 1st Lt. Timothy K. Alspach, 39; Chief Warrant Officer Michael D. Pannell, 28; Chief Warrant Officer Brad J. Ronan, 26; SSgt. Leslie W. Martin, 30; SSgt. Loren R. Woodrow, 26; Sgt. Thomas J. Fenton, 22; Spec. Jack T. Tucker, 25; and, Spec. Angela E. Niedermayer, 20. (Arnews)

(Editor's note: From an 82nd Airborne Division Public Affairs news release.)



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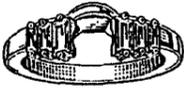
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Rehearsals...

Lee Deal, left, and Gayl Miller participate in rehearsals for the "Second Samuel" play at Theatre 'Round the Corner. Miller, assistant director for the play, is a budget analyst for RDEC's

Weapons Sciences Directorate. Second Samuel, a southern comedy, is being performed Sept. 5-27. For tickets and information, call 539-7529.

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Mary Breeden 876-5397.

• **Job fair**— A free Army Community Service job fair will be held 9 a.m. to 1 p.m. Oct. 9 at the Sparkman Auditorium. This is a great opportunity for family members of active and retired military, DoD civilians and veterans. For more information, call Debra Jefferson 876-0446.

• **Mega bingo**— Sept. 27 at the Challenger. Over \$25,000 in cash prizes to be awarded. Call 837-0750 for more details.

• **Golf tournament**— The Pineapple Open will be held Oct. 18 at Redstone Golf Course. Four person scramble; entry fees for RSA course members \$37, non-members \$50; prizes awarded. This third annual golf tournament is sponsored by the Officer and Civilian Women's Club. The deadline for entry is Oct. 3, so call Linda Leonard for details at 890-0771.

• **Bowling lanes**— Fall leagues are forming at Rocket Lanes. These include Monday night- Officers Mixed; Tuesday night- RASA Mixed; Wednesday night- IMMC Mixed; Thursday morning- Ladies; Thursday night- LOGSA Mixed; Friday morning- Officers' Wives; Friday night- Mixed; Saturday morning- Youth League; and Sunday night- Mixed. For more information, call Rocket Lanes 876-6634.

• **Automotive Skills Center**— Located at 3617 Entac Circle, this is a complete hands-on automotive center which is open to the entire community Wednesday-Sunday. For more information on services provided, call 955-7727.

• **Soldatenstube German Restaurant**— Serving authentic German cuisine every Thursday-Saturday with dinner reservations required. Also lunch special is offered each Thursday from 10:30 a.m.-1 p.m.; no reservations required. For more information or to make reservations, call 881-5181 or 830-2582.

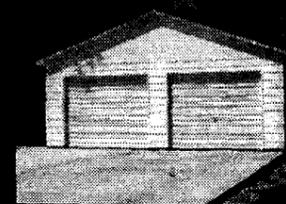
• **Outdoor storage available**— Outdoor Recreation still has storage spaces available for boats, RVs, etc; up to 19 feet-\$7/month; 20 feet & up-\$9/month. Call Missy at 876-4868.

• **Quick Shot Bingo**— Only \$1 per sealed game card; you could instantly win up to \$1,000. Game cards available only at Golf Course, JOC, Flying Activity, Sparkman Cafeteria and Post Restaurant Fund cafeterias. For more information, call Ann Hudson 837-0750 or one of the Quick Shot Bingo locations.

• **Leisure Travel**— Carlson-Wagonlit's leisure travel operation is temporarily located alongside the official travel office in building 111. The telephone number is 880-8158.

• **Officers Club**— Call 830-2582 for information on membership.

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sion includes Tony Adams, assistant program manager for logistics and training; Sharion Menefee and Steve Potts, logistics management specialists; and Frances Ruiz, secretary. Joe Harkey, of Nichols Research, provides support services; and SFC Michael Baumgartner supports

Logistics providing user perspective on logistics matters. The Raytheon Company logisticians include James Tylman, lead logistician; Frank Boner, Scotty Brier, Pete Cox, Terry Dixon, Melvin Harris, Charlie Mitchell, Connie Seymour, Dan Smith and Pat Yim.

(Editor's note: Menefee is a logistics management specialist at EFOGM Project Management Office.)



MISS PIGGY— Posing with Miss Piggy are, from left, Marianna McCoy, Gloria Cupples, Betty Butler and Ann Means.

GOLF

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Teri Pines Country Club.
 • 11th Flight winners— first low gross, Freeda Jones, Florence Country Club; second low gross, Cecelia Edwards, Cherokee Ridge Country Club; first low net, Neria Nelson, Cane Creek, Fort McClellan; and second low net, Joyce Williams, Florence Country

Club.

• 12th Flight winners— first low gross, Betty Butler, Redstone Arsenal; second low gross, Betty Davis, Redstone Arsenal; first low net, Ann Means, Redstone Arsenal; and second low net, Eileen Lewis, Valley Hill Country Club.
 • Longest drive awards went to Beverly Van Oost- rum of Redstone Arsenal, and Reita Nicholas of

Cherokee Ridge Country Club.

• Longest putt award went to Elsie Hobbs of Waynes- boro Country Club.
 • Closest to the pin awards went to Sachiko Sidhu of Florence Country Club, Diane Knight of Rolling Greens Country Club, Myrna Gardner of Valley Hill Country Club, and Marina Jarvis of Redstone Arsenal.

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Announcements

Quarterly retirement ceremony— The Quarterly Retirement Review for Oct. 23 has been changed to Oct. 29 at 4 p.m. at the post parade field. Rehearsal will be Oct. 28 at 7:15 a.m. at the parade field. For more information, call SFC Walter Jones of Support Operations 842-2500.

Speakers bureau— If any AMCOM/PEO/AVRDEC/SA MD employee would like to join the AMCOM Public Affairs Office Speakers Bureau, please call Margaret Banish-Donaldson, DSN 788-0558 or commercial (205) 842-0558. We are looking for volunteer speakers who are ready to talk to grade or high schools, colleges/universities, civic groups/organizations, etc., about the Army, their work, travels, experiences and/or hobbies.

Montgomery GI bill— Public Law 104-275, enacted Oct. 9, 1996, authorizes Veterans Education Assistance Program (VEAP) participants who were on active duty Oct. 9,

1996 the opportunity to convert to the Montgomery GI Bill. A participant has been defined as anyone with a VEAP account balance greater than zero on Oct. 9, 1996. An extensive effort is under way to notify each eligible soldier. In addition to multiple methods of notification, leave and earnings statements from March to September will contain a message to soldiers in an effort to find all eligible personnel prior to the expiration of this opportunity Oct. 8. Anyone believing they meet the aforementioned criteria should report to the Army Education Center, building 3222 any Monday through Friday from 7:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. for information. Failure to enroll in the Montgomery GI Bill by Oct. 8 will forfeit all claims to this opportunity in the future. "There will be no exceptions," a prepared release from the Education Center said. "Hurry! There is less than 60 days remaining to take advantage of this opportunity."

CWF council/Jam tickets— The Civilian Welfare

Fund Council is offering advance tickets to Big Spring Jam, Sept. 26-28 at \$15 for a weekend pass. Tickets will be sold at the gate for \$10 for each night, so this is a savings of \$15. You can get your tickets at the Rustic Lodge from 9 a.m. to 1 p.m. Monday through Friday or by contacting any of the following CWF Council members: Debbie Bearden, building 112, room 220; Steve Fisher, building 5300; Mary Ann Meyer-Schuck, building 5687;

Rachael Remey, SSDC on Wynn Drive; Jim Bowne, building 5300, room 5145; Winslow Hill, building 5300, room 5465; Cheryl Youngmans, building 5307; Maxine Goff, building 5307; Gary Bell, building 4488, room A220; Jean Evans, building 5300, fifth floor; Calvin Boone, building 4488, room A227; Pat Daily, building 5250, room A234; Jane Greer, building 5302, room 23W132; or Donald Cook, building 7611, room

315. "Your Civilian Welfare Fund Council is proud to bring the Big Spring Corporate Ticket Program to the Redstone civilian community," a prepared release said. "Only checks can be accepted for payment and should be made out to CWF." For more information call Mildred White, CWF fund manager, 955-6739 from 9 a.m. to 1 p.m. Monday through Friday.

Family Housing Fall Carport/Yard Sale is scheduled for Oct. 4 and 5 from 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. each day. This is a great opportunity for some of us to dispose of those things we no longer need and for others to pick up a bargain. Successful shopping and selling to all.

Child safety— Blockbuster Video and the Madison Recreation Center will be offering

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Carport/yard sale— The

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the engine; and a joint venture between Lockheed Martin and Northrop Grumman which manufactures the radar and missile.

Kee is no stranger to the Huntsville area. He served in the Space and Strategic Defense Command here from 1991-94. He was named the Army's product manager of the year in fiscal 1993 while serving as SSDC's product manager for the Hypervelocity Launcher Program. Since joining Apache in 1995, Kee was selected as the project manager of the year for fiscal 1996.

"I'm quite happy to be back in the Huntsville area and to once again be a member of Team Redstone," he said. "Based on my time spent here as a member of the Space and Strategic Defense Command, I'm well aware of the quality and dedication of the work force and of the support provided to the military by the surrounding communities. Everyone that works for me has expressed their favorable impressions of the Huntsville area."

Other leaders of the project office include Gary Nenner, the deputy project manager; Lt. Col. John Burke, product manager for Longbow fire control radar; Lt. Col. Don Huff, product manager for "A" model; Lt. Col. Rick Ryles, product manager for "D" model; Ron Nemeth, who heads Apache security assistance support office; Steve Snackenber, technical division; Dick Ordway, logistics division; and Bill Redmond, business division.

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ation Department will be offering a free video recording of your child for emergency purposes. Records the child's mannerisms, voice and appearance. Sessions are scheduled 7-9 p.m. Sept. 18 and 1-5 p.m. Sept. 21 at Dublin Park. For more information, call 772-9300.

Flu shots—Huntsville Hospital will give flu shots 7-9 p.m. Oct. 16 and 7-9 p.m. Nov. 5 at Dublin Park, 8324 Old Madison Pike in Madison. Cost is \$5.

Hunter orientation—A mandatory Hunter Safety Orientation will be held 4:30-6 p.m. at the Recreation Center, building 3711 on the following dates: Sept. 25, Oct. 2, Oct. 16, Oct. 30 and Nov. 13. All individuals are required to attend this class or by computer before they will be allowed to purchase a permit to hunt on Redstone Arsenal. The orientation is also available at all Learning Resource Centers on computer. Please call in advance to ensure availability of terminals. For hours and locations, call 876-9416.

Retiree Update—Cost is too prohibitive for continued publishing of the semiannual Retiree Update and mailing to the 30,000 retirees within the north Alabama, Tennessee, Georgia and Mississippi area, according to Phil Fredrich, retirement services officer for AMCOM. The purpose of the Retiree Update is to keep the

retirees in the area supported by the AMCOM Retirement Services Office informed of subjects concerning their well-being. They now have the opportunity to view the AMCOM Retiree Update on the AMCOM homepage on the Internet. It should be updated monthly. The address is http://www.redstone.army.mil/rso/retiree_update.html. "If you have a friend who is a retiree, irregardless of service, and does not have Internet access, a copy of the Retiree Update will be provided at the AMCOM Retirement Services Office, building 3708, Redstone Arsenal," Fredrich said.

Job search workshops—If you are considering looking for employment in the civilian sector, start preparing now for the Oct. 9 Job Fair. To assist you, Army Community Service will conduct job search workshops Sept. 23 from 9-11 a.m., and Sept. 18 and 25 from 1-3 p.m. The workshops will briefly cover civilian resume preparation, job application tips, and interview techniques. The workshops will be held at ACS, building 3491 on Honest John Road. Seating is limited so call Debra Jefferson 876-5397 to register.

Air defenders—Alabama Chapter of the Air Defense Artillery Association will hold its annual dinner dance Sept. 20 at the Officers Club. Social begins at 6 p.m., and dinner will be served at 7. Lt. Gen. David Heebner, assistant vice chief of staff, U.S. Army, is

scheduled speaker. Cost for members and their guests is \$27 per person; for non-members, \$37 per person or \$64 per couple. For more information, call Linda Crutcher 722-4260.

Redstone soldier/NCO of year—The Redstone Arsenal NCO and Soldier of the Year Appreciation Luncheon will be held Thursday at 11 a.m. in the Officers Club. This year's luncheon offers a choice of beef stroganoff with noodles or fried chicken with mashed potatoes. Each entree is accompanied by a vegetable, dinner roll, and drink (water, iced tea, coffee, etc.) and ends with dessert. The cost for the luncheon is \$7. A vegetable plate option is also available for the same price. For more information or to purchase tickets, call the following: SFC McLean 842-2277 (832nd Ordnance Battalion representative); SSgt. Harris 876-1101 (HHC AMCOM representative); Sgt. Zemcik 876-2598 (59th Ordnance Brigade representative); or Sgt. Harjo 955-9005 (HHC AMCOM representative).

Base supply center—The AIDB Base Supply Center, building 8022, will be closed for year-end inventory Sept. 29-30. This is a change for those accustomed to the store closing for the entire week. Also, effective Oct. 1, all memorandums to set up new base supply accounts or to allocate additional funds, must be sent to Finance and Accounting. All correspondence should be directed to the attention of Pam

Hunt or Elaine Cahill at building 8027. This change in procedure will ensure that the funds issued will be committed to the various accounts. For more information, or to find out what the new base supply store has to offer, call 876-4011.

Saturn plant tour—The Tennessee Valley Chapter of the International Society of Logistics (SOLE) had to postpone its Sept. 12 trip to Spring Hill, Tenn., due to lack of participation. Those who did register are still registered for the rescheduled tour Oct. 31. Call now for reservations. The tour will cover the Saturn production facilities, lunch, and a briefing on innovative Saturn logistics. Participants will be bused to the plant, stopping for breakfast en route. The departure time will be 7:30 a.m., and the group will return by about 4:30 p.m. Cost is \$75 per person. The first 30 people who make reservations will be able to attend. No shows at departure time will not have their fee refunded; so if cancellation is necessary, it must be made by Oct. 24. For more information or to register call Keith Dicken, vice chair for training, 837-4482.

Beginning experience—Beginning Experience, a peer ministry for divorced, widowed and separated persons, is offer-

ing a weekend program that helps put a closure on the past in order to start a new beginning in life. The schedule is 7 p.m. Friday, Sept. 19 to 4 p.m. Sunday, Sept. 21 at St. Bernard's Conference & Hospitality Center, Cullman. For more information, call 837-8375.

Javalinas unite—Texas A&M University Kingsville (formerly Texas A&I University) and friends are invited to participate in a tailgate party for the Sept. 20 University of North Alabama football game in Florence. For more information, call Wally 881-7314 or Luis 882-7084. For game and ticket information, call UNA Athletic Department (205) 765-5466.

Civil air patrol—The Civil Air Patrol meets Tuesday evenings at 7 at Grace Presbyterian Church, 5555 Wall Triana Highway, Madison. For information call Gene Carnes 722-0072.

Fall craft show—Northeast Alabama Craftmen Association will have its annual fall craft show Sept. 19-21 at the Von Braun Center, new south hall. Times are 9 a.m. to 7 p.m. Friday and Saturday; and noon to 5 p.m. Sunday. Admission is free.

PX news—The Post Exchange will have a grand

opening of Toyland from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. Saturday. "Look for many events to make this a special day for the entire family," a prepared release said. Activities include visits from Garfield, Cat in the Hat, Brother and Sister Berenstain Bears. There will also be balloons, candy, and face painting. Register to win a \$50 prize certificate toward any toy purchase of \$50 or more. "We are offering a great selection of toys—be the first to see them," the release said.

Acquisition work force—Headquarters, Department of the Army will accept applications for the Army Acquisition Corps (AAC) competitive development group year-group 1998. All GS-13s who are members of the Army Acquisition Corps or who have been designated as Corps-eligible may apply through Nov. 3. On Dec. 1, HQDA will convene a selection board to select 25 candidates for the program. This program will provide participants a mix of training, education, and career-broadening experiences. The program will fill specific individual development needs and assist participants in attaining the Army Acquisition Corps Quality Achievement Factors, making them more competitive for acquisition leadership positions at the GS-14 level and higher. For more information

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Astronomical society— Von Braun Astronomical Society will hold a program, titled "Fall Skies: See the Universe

from Your Back Yard," at 7:30 p.m. Saturday at the planetarium in Monte Sano State Park. VBAS members are admitted free with a membership card. Cost is \$2 for ages 12 and up, \$1 for ages 6-11; and children 5 and under are admitted free. For more information, call

Mitzi Adams 464-0945.

Genetics program— A program on "Molecular Genetics into the 21st Century," with speaker Dr. Bob Zahorchak of Research Genetics Inc., will be held 11:30 a.m. Thursday at the

Huntsville/Madison County Chamber of Commerce, 225 Church St. Admission is free. Sponsors include the North Alabama Chapter of the World Future Society, the Education Directorate of the Huntsville Association of Technical Societies (HATS), and the Chamber

of Commerce Small Business Development Center. For more information, call Les Johnson 544-0614.

Transition workshop— The Military Personnel Office is sponsoring a three-day Transition Assistance Workshop,

Sept. 23-25 in building 3433, room 145. The workshop is mandatory for all military personnel leaving the service within the next 180 days unless they have attended a previous

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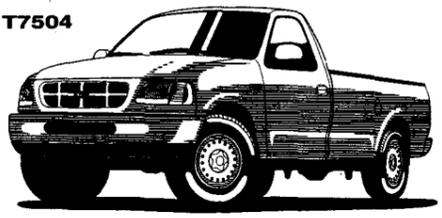
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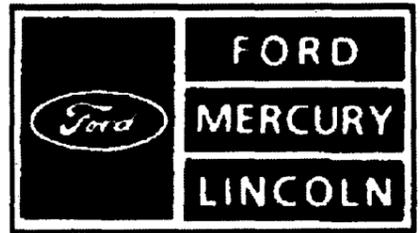
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Continued from page 27 workshop. These workshops are available to all branches of service including National Guard and Reserves. DoD civilians, military retirees, veterans and spouses of all are also encouraged to attend. Seating is limited so you must register to attend. To register call Jeannie Sharpe 955-6490.

Chronic fatigue group — The Chronic Fatigue Syndrome/Fibromyalgia Support Group of Huntsville will meet 2-4 p.m. Saturday at the Blackwell Medical Tower at the corner of Gallatin and Sivley. For more information, call 534-4741.

ACS education committee — The Army Community Service (ACS) Education Committee will meet at noon Sept. 24 at ACS, building 3491. It is helpful to call in advance concerning problem areas that need to be put on the agenda. Any parent interested in the educational needs of their child is invited. This meeting is open to everyone. For more information, call Virginia Dempsey 876-5397.

Retired officers — The Retired Officers Association will hold its monthly meeting at 11 a.m. Sept. 24 at the Officers Club. Scheduled speaker is Col. Thad Mauldin of the U.S. Space and Rocket Center. For more information call William L. Kelly, retired chief

warrant officer, 881-2323.

Surplus sale — An auction of government surplus property will be held 8 a.m. Sept. 26 at the Defense Reutilization and Marketing Office (DRMO), 7405 Warehouse Road, Redstone Arsenal. Property inspection and pre-bid submission is scheduled 8 a.m. until 3 p.m. Sept. 23-24, and 8-noon Sept. 25. Methods of bidding are: faxed, hand-carried, mailed and verbal. Catalogs are available by polling the fax number 876-9634. To view material for the auction and to submit bids, report to building 7415. For more information, call Elizabeth Couch 842-9474 or Donna Davis 842-2570.

Transition assistance — The Military Personnel Office operates a Transition Center for military personnel leaving the service (all branches of service) for ETS, retirement or other reasons. Transition assistance is also provided to military retirees, veterans, DoD civilians, spouses and children (18 and older) of all categories. Services include transition/career/job counseling and computers are available for use in writing resumes, practice interviewing, job searches in America's Job Bank, the Transition Bulletin Board, the Internet and a multitude of other job references on the Internet. Resume and other user friendly software are already loaded

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Logistics society — International Society of Logistics (Society of Logistics Engineers) will hold a luncheon 11:30 a.m. to 1 p.m. Sept. 23 at Madison Square Holiday Inn. Norm Myers, chapter chair, is to install new officers and present chapter awards. Cost is \$8.50 for members, \$9.50 for non-members. For reservations call Ken McFetridge 864-8606, Louise Cooper 955-7492 or Jim SchAAF 922-5159 by 4 p.m. Friday.

Tennessee Valley Toastmasters — Tennessee Valley Toastmasters Club meets the first and third Thursday at Morrison's Cafeteria in Madison Square Mall at 7 p.m. For more information, call Noel Donlin 859-0034 or Anne Hughes 881-8707.

Toastmasters International — Redstone Toastmasters Club meets Tuesday evenings at 6 in Morrison's

Cafeteria, conference room in Madison Square Mall. Mason-Dixon Toastmasters Club meets Monday evenings at 6:30 at Shoney's conference room on South Memorial Parkway.

Alcoholics anonymous — Redstone Arsenal Group of Alcoholics Anonymous meets each Wednesday at noon and Friday at 5:15 p.m. in room 11 of the Bicentennial Chapel.

TRADOC IG visit — A team from the Training and Doctrine Command Inspector General's Office will conduct an assessment Oct. 6-9 of the Ordnance Missile and Munitions Center and School. The assessment team will conduct sensing sessions and interviews with soldiers and civilians at Redstone Arsenal. The team will conduct two open sessions, where anyone can come in and talk with the TRADOC IG on Oct. 7 from noon-12:55 and from 5-6 p.m. in building 3301, room 111. The TRADOC IG will also conduct sensing sessions with family members and retirees Oct. 7 from 5-6 p.m. Any family members and retirees interested in attending these sensing sessions should call MSgt. Vickery of the OMMCS IG's office 842-6850.

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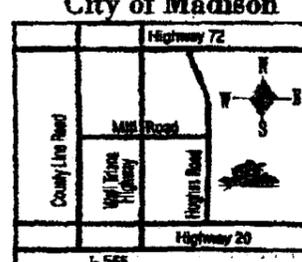


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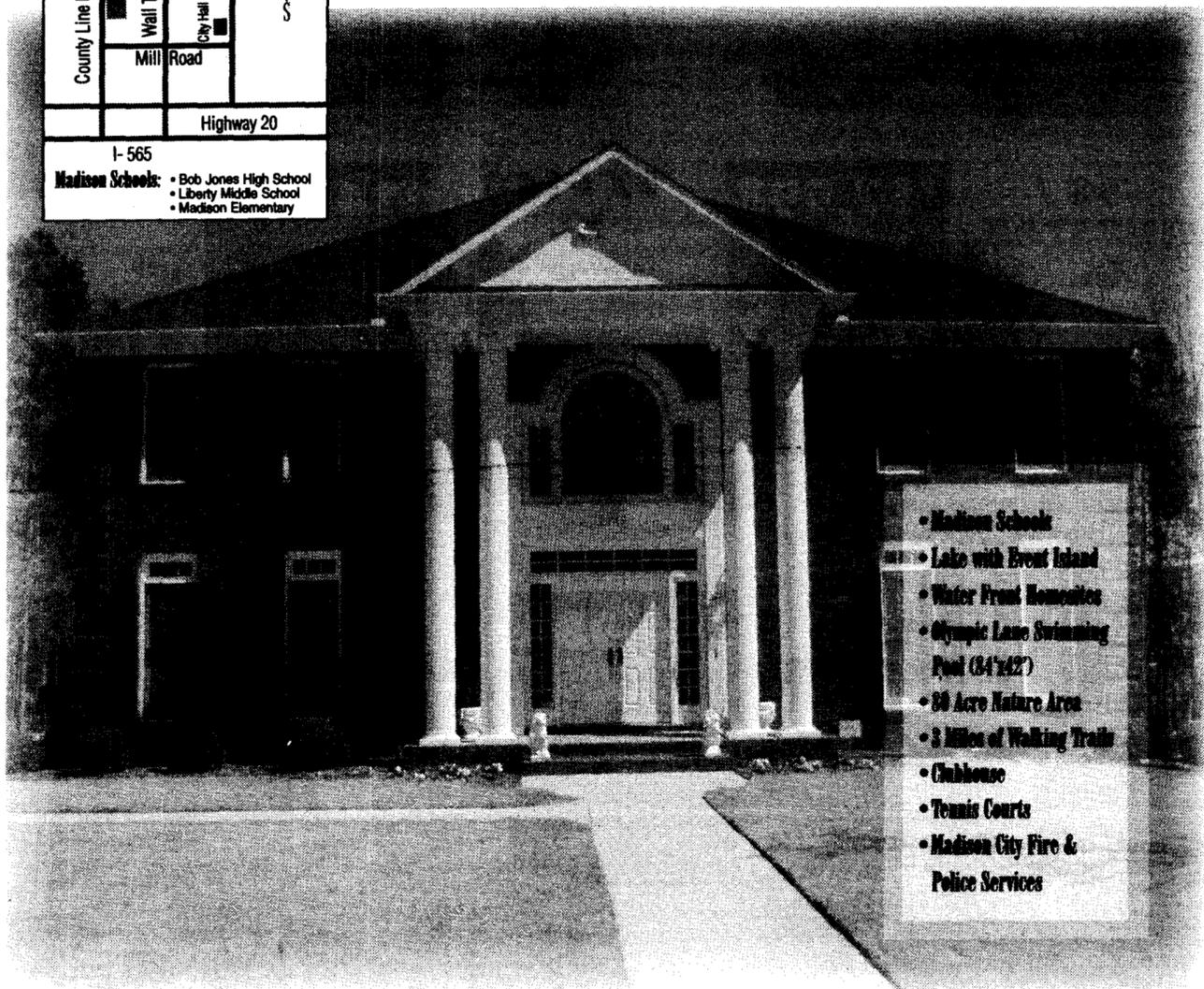
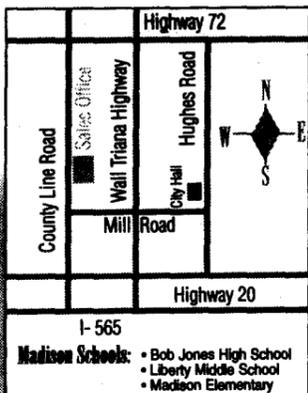
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