

REPORT . . . From Washington By Armed Forces Press Service

The Air Force has designed a new flight cap in the shade 84 blue of the new uniform. The new cap is patterned after the garrison cap.

The Air Force has announced changes in the designations of two important bases. Moses Lake AFB, Washington, will be known as Larson AFB in honor of Maj. Donald A. Larson, who lost his life in action in World War II. Victorville AFB, Calif., will be renamed George AFB in honor of Brig. Gen. Harold H. George who died in an accident in the South Pacific Theater in 1942.

Veterans who are legal residents of the state of Pennsylvania must file applications for payment of the Pennsylvania state bonus by July 1 in order to be eligible. Veterans who are delaying filing in order to secure necessary official papers are advised to submit incomplete applications immediately. Incomplete applications will be held in a suspense file until supporting documents are available.

The Air Force will issue a new identification card for officers and airmen about September 1, 1950. It will replace the old Army WD AGO Form 65. The new cards will be designated DD Form 2AF.

Over 15,000 persons attended the second annual Navy Relief Society Carnival at Pearl Harbor, T.H., in May, and enabled the carnival to show a net profit of \$20,150.

The Army Engineers' Research and Development Laboratories, Fort Belvoir, Va., are testing a new portable lithographic offset press for printing maps in the field.

Reserve Officers Participate Fully In Training Program

More than 90 Reserve officers on Mobilization Assignments have reported to Reese for two week tours of active duty since the base's reactivation, officials of the Reserve Section announced this week.

The reservists have come to Reese from as close as Lubbock and as far away as Illinois. When the 3500th PTW was stationed at Barksdale AFB, Louisiana, reservists from Louisiana, Arkansas, and eastern Texas were assigned there for training.

With the removal of the 3500th PTW to Lubbock, Texas, these reservists remained attached to the wing for their yearly two week tours of duty.

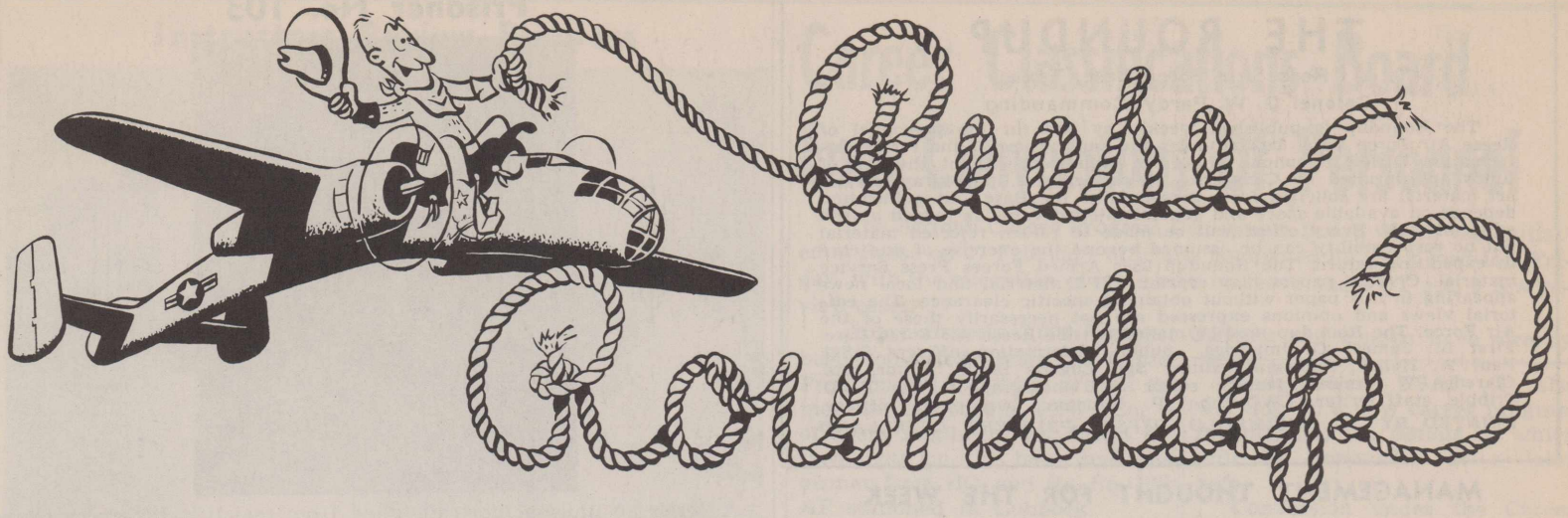
M/Sgt. Larry Halpern, administrative supervisor for the Reserve section, stated that the tours of duty are scheduled throughout the year although most of them are during the summer period. He also stated that the program has gotten to the point where participation is at a maximum.

The reserve section, under the direction of Capt. F.W. Hilbert, handles the records of 154 reservists ranging from colonels to second lieutenants with 96 rated pilots, 15 holding other ratings, and 43 non-rated personnel. The break down by ranks show that 3 are colonels, 12 majors, 42 captains, 68 first lieutenants, and 20 second lieutenants.

Recruiting Requests Being Accepted Now

Recruiting duty applications are again being accepted and processed by the base recruiting office, Bldg. T-821, it was announced this week.

The mandatory and desirable qualifications applicable to recruiting salesmanship and administrative duties are contained in AFR 35-41 and Wing Letter 342 subject recruiting, dated 22 March 50.



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"I Do Solemnly Swear . . ."



Solemnly twenty-six members of Class 50-C arose and took their oath of office as commissioned officers and pilots in the Air Force last Friday morning at the base theater during graduation ceremonies.

(Photo by Cpl. Conrad)

Quartermaster Laundry Service At Walker AFB To Be Extended To Military Personnel Of Reese

The Quartermaster section of Reese announced this week that an agreement had been reached between Reese and Walker AFB, Roswell, New Mexico for the use of the laundry facilities located at Walker by military personnel stationed at Reese. The first shipment will go on 5 July.

The agreement was made subject to the conditions that Reese would furnish the transportation of the laundry, arrange a pickup and delivery schedule, and handle the collection of laundry charges and maintain rosters of personnel using the Walker facilities.

Under the agreement, each squadron will maintain a laundry roster and each airman using the facilities will fill out a QM Laundry List, giving information concerning his laundry mark, date of sending, name (printed), organization, Reese AFB, and list of articles sent.

The prices for QM Laundry Service are established by Chief of Staff, Headquarters, USAF and the present prices will be a flat monthly rate of \$2.00 per month, and a \$0.70 for single bundles. However the single bundle rate applies to those sending laundry near the last of the month after just arriving in the organization. Others will pay the flat rate.

The number of pieces to be sent weekly will not total more than 26 and no more than three khaki shirts and three khaki trousers in each bundle. Civilian shirts and slacks will be processed also but will cost more, at extra charge. Bundles will not be processed if laundry slips are not legible or is missing from the bundle.

Buy Tickets Now For Dining Hall Improvement Raffle

Graduation Speaker Informs New Pilots Of Obligations

"Many Europeans do not like the U. S. as a nation or as individuals," declared Wes Izzard editor-in-chief of the Amarillo Globe-News, at cadet graduation exercises for class 50-C last Friday in the base theater.

Mr. Izzard's talk, which was heard by the graduating class and 600 spectators, was based on his personal observations during a recent trip through Europe.

The European dislike of the U. S., he pointed out, is to a great extent due to the fact that nobody likes a "rich uncle" who gives money, then tells how to spend it.

The U. S., he added, has frequently been inconsistent in its dealings with foreign nations. He referred to the recent Berlin air lift as a magnificent event, then contrasted it with recent negotiations for release of Robert Vogeler with the U. S. diplomats "haggling like a fishmonger" over the release of an American businessman.

He concluded his remarks to the graduating class with the advice that "Your problem is representing your country to the best of your ability wherever you go."

Airmen To Purchase Own Clothing Under New Regulations Set Up By Air Force To Improve Old Methods

The Reese Clothing Sales Store, as provided for in recent AF Regulations, will begin operation on Saturday, 1 July in Bldg. T-536, the Quartermaster warehouse, Lieut. A. T. Adams, Jr., officer in charge announced Monday.

Plans have been drawn and approved to remodel the building, Lieutenant Adams stated, and work will begin in the very near future to turn the building into a showplace that will rival some of the best in the city.

Plans call for clothing display racks, display cases, fitting booths, linoleum paving and walls covered and painted, he also added.

In the meantime the store hours will be limited, because of shortage of clothing which is expected in at any time, and because of the remodeling to begin soon.

Under present AF Regulations there will be four ways to acquire clothing from the sales store: 1. Cash. 2. Initial clothing allowance, 3. Gratuitous replacement. 4. Health and appearance.

Airmen will be given \$4.20 each month to purchase clothing from sales store to keep authorized items in shape. Shoe repairs will also be paid out of this amount. The repairs will be carried out by Base Shops on a cost basis.

Airmen on their second enlistment will receive \$5.70 per month, this applies to the 37th month of service either way.

Each airman will be required to keep his authorized allowance of clothing in the full amount and

Reese To Retire Two Sergeants On End Of The Month

Two Reese AFB master sergeants having forty-three years of continuous service with the Air Force retired today.

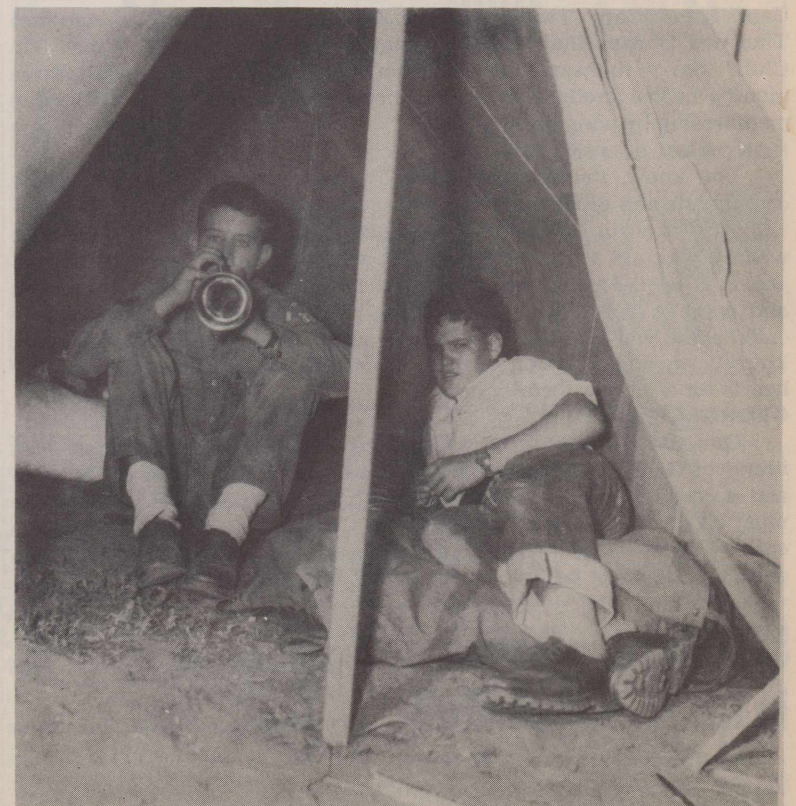


M-Sgt. Smith

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Another Herbert Clark?



Star Scout Sidney Tinnin of Troop 33, Ralls, Texas, entertains his buddy Jack Earl, Life Scout of Troop 86, Seminole, Texas, with a few Cornet solos during the Scout encampment here last weekend.

(Photo by Cpl. Conrad)

THE ROUNDUP

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Colonel G. W. Pardy, Commanding

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MANAGEMENT THOUGHT FOR THE WEEK

You have a wonderful excuse for your failure, but the modern world pays cash only for success.

KADET KORRAL

WELCOME

Welcome 50-F to Reese Air Force Base. We of Class 50-D and 50-E wish to extend to each of you the hospitality of this field and hope that you'll find this last phase of your pilot training exciting and rewarding . . . in the satisfaction of piloting the B-25 and in the comradeship of the Cadet Group. Irrespective of where you took your Basic Training, you'll discover that Reese is enriched in its own traditions and color . . . the result of the conglomeration of traditions and customs from all over the world. Lot's of luck 50-F in your flying careers.

SOCIOLOGY

It's been mighty quiet around the Cadet Area recently . . . could be that 50-D is still adjusting themselves to the inevitable problem of class struggle; the separation of the first class from the proletariat. Could be too that the gages are precipitating the usual amount of weeping and knashing of teeth now that they've entered into the instrument phase of B-25 training. Tell me, when the compass card swings to the left and the needle to the right, which engine is out? (remember now, you're on partial panel).

INSOMNIA

Night time connotes to the average individual rest, entertainment, necking parties and sleep . . . but not to those responsible for the scheduling and check out of class 50-E in night flying. Though he never said it aloud, I could read it in the haggard face and road-mapped eyes of my instructor that he distrusted us and his good judgement in agreeing to ride in that back seat while his four laughing idiots joked about the time they did Immelmans and Slow Rolls when it was so dark that you couldn't see the dust blowing over Texas. Ted Mace obviously tired of doing rolls at traffic altitude and tried one from a bounce on final. Later, Ted told me that he would have done it too, if his instructor hadn't played party pooper. Yeah Ted, I just can't understand why they take such a dim view . . . especially when it's such swell sport.

INTERVIEW

We always hear of men assigned to Reese for pilot training who never wanted it that way; who felt that they were fighter material and as such a loss to the Air Force for failing to notice their dormant talents. But such was not the case with Greg Gregory. Somewhere along the line he was included on the wrong shipping list and found himself at Williams AFB, Arizona. He howled and carried on so that the AF was finally convinced that it had made a mistake. The result? Well Greg is here at Reese now and very very happy. (The foregoing is a paid political announcement.) Don't worry Greg, you'll get more single engine time here than you would at Willie . . . surely, that should make you feel better.

THE HUMAN FAUCET

" . . . but Reese Tower, I did get a wing tip, I did, I did."
"Roger 813 hold your present position . . . looked O.K. from here but will send a man out to check."

That is the VHF transmission that started the Tower Officer, Capt. Kline, Capt. Tyrell, and the Flying Safety Officer to convince Thurman Dobyns that he didn't qualify for the "I Got a Wing Tip Club." Sorry to hear that Thurman ole' boy, but you've still three months before graduation and perhaps you can still earn distinctive membership by winging in a B-25.

HONORABLE MENTION

You know, I've always reserved a soft spot in my heart for the crew chiefs and ground crews who service our airplanes and who practically wait on us hand and foot on the flying line. There isn't a time when I take off, turn final, or go on a cross country, that I don't pat you men on the back. All of us in the Cadet Group owe a lot to you and want to tell you about it. There aren't many ways in which we could show you our appreciation but all of us who rely on your skill, know-how, and devotion to duty, thank you from the bottom of our hearts for a job masterfully done.

GEORGIA PEACHES

Our own Lt. Knight and beautiful Mrs. Knight made their own brand of Georgia sunshine on the 21st of June. Her name is Deborah and according to the articulated descriptions of her proud father, she must be a rare Georgia Peach indeed. Congratulations Lt. Knight, the entire Cadet Group shares your happiness and wish to extend to you and the Mrs. many happy returns of the day.

LSO To Give Dance In Amer. Legion Hall

The Lubbock Service Organization is sponsoring a dance at the American Legion Hall, 910 Texas Avenue on Saturday, 1 July. The LSO Hubettes will be present for dancing partners and

refreshments will be served. Dancing hours will be from 2100 to 2400 hours.

Plans were also announced for a picnic on the fourth of July at 1900 hours at the party house in MacKenzie State Park. Those interested in going should sign up at the Service Club by Monday night.

Prisoner No. 103



Here's an unusual portrait taken from real life. It's every bit as realistic as those three and one-half years T/Sgt. John P. Baskin, section chief of Wing Training, struggled to keep alive as a Jap POW. The photo was taken in Japan and kept on file to identify him had he escaped. When he was liberated he took it from the files.

(Photo by a Jap)

'Bad Baskin' Of Bataan Is Stationed At Reese

"Bad Baskin of Bataan," veteran of the fall of Corregidor, the Death March, and numerous prison camps, is none other than Reese's own T/Sgt. John P. Baskin, section chief of Wing Training.

Sergeant Baskin, like approximately fifty-seven other former POW's at Reese, has been notified that he will soon receive a government compensation check. As a Jap prisoner for three and one-half years, he expects to get \$1250—a dollar per day as a POW.

Far-off Bataan, with its steaming jungles and Banzai-crazed Japs is now but a memory to Sgt. Baskin—but a poignant memory to say the least.

His story began December 18, 1937, when he joined the infantry at Harmony, Arkansas. In July '39 he transferred to the Air Force and went overseas in Nov '41 with the 27th Bombardment Group. His outfit landed at Manila and went to Fort McKinley, the Filipino Scouts' home base.

"War started 18 days after we got there but we didn't have any planes, so we were made provisional infantry. We were attached to an Army infantry outfit and saw continuous service in the front lines.

"Then on 24 December 41 our outfit boarded a transport and were taken as far as Corregidor on the Bataan side. We fought there with the infantry until Bataan fell.

"We were taken prisoners on 8 April 42 and immediately were forced at bayonet and saber points to start the Death March from Bataan to San Fernando, central part of the main island of Luzon. There we were put in the Camp O'Donnel concentration camp, where we lived in grass huts. The huts had bamboo floors, grass tops, no bedding, and plenty of fleas, lice, mosquitos, and big red ants which made life miserable.

"We didn't stay there too long, thank God. Fifty to sixty men a day died there. Dysentery and malnutrition were the causes of the high death rate. There were some doctors but no medicine."

About a month later he went to Tayabas in the southern part of the Luzon peninsula, where the

prisoners lived without any shelter at all in a river bed surrounded by dense jungle.

"We didn't try to escape there—there was no place to go," sergeant continued. Besides, if one escaped, nine men in his squad would be shot down in retaliation. The Japs worked the prisoners till they dropped building roads with wheelbarrows and picks. We stayed there about three months."

From there he went to Bilibid Prison in Manila, where he received treatment for the chronic malaria which he had contracted while working in the mosquito-infested jungles. He stayed there 11 months before being sent to the Cabannatuan Prison, which is located near Clark Field. During his year and one-half confinement there he worked on 600 acre farm.

Then he was sent to another concentration camp in the Southern part of the main island of Honshu, Japan. He worked in a shipyard there about a year until 15 September 45, when he was liberated.

"B-29's came over twice a week and dropped food, clothing, and all the medical supplies we needed but we didn't have any direct contact with Americans until a month after the war was over. The Red Cross were the first to contact us," he added.

"We went back to Yokahama on a train, caught a C-46 to Okinawa, went to Manila on a B-24, and came via boat to San Francisco, leaving all our memories behind us."

Divine Services

PROTESTANT—Regular Sunday services; Adult Sunday School at 1000 hours and Morning Worship at 1100 hours, Base Chapel. Children's Sunday School in Chapel Annex Bldg. T-31 at 1000 hours. Prayer and Bible study on Wednesday at 2000 hours.

PROTESTANT CHOIR PRACTICE—Every Wednesday evening at 1900 hours in Base Chapel. Junior Choir practice every Monday at 1630 hours in Base Chapel.

CATHOLIC—Sunday Mass at 0900 and 1215 hours, Base Chapel. Weekdays; Mass at 0730 hours. Confessions before all masses and Saturdays, 1900-2000 hours. Evening devotions on Tuesday at 1930 hours.

CATHOLIC CHOIR PRACTICE—Each Friday evening at 1830 hours in Base Chapel.

CHAPLAINS—Capt. Jared A. Walker (Protestant), and 1st Lt. Frank J. Gilchrist (Catholic).

"Your Chapel"

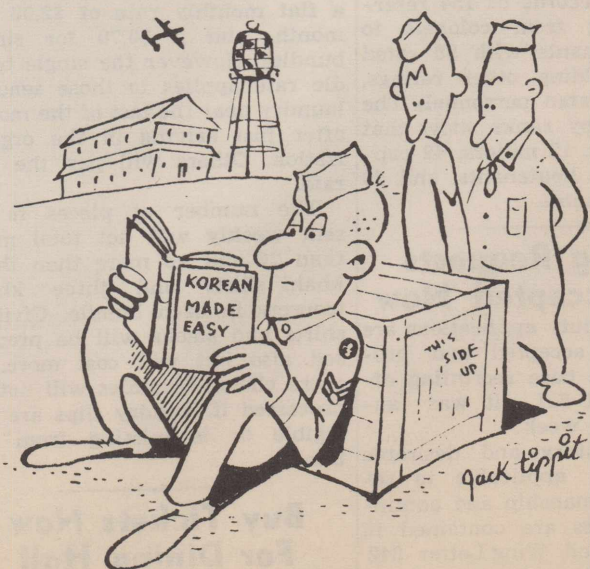
Independence From Tyranny.

On Tuesday we in America celebrate the anniversary of our Independence. In 1776 on the 4th of July men from countries where their religious, civil and personal rights had been curbed banded together to put into action a new concept of human liberty. They conceived the notion that man created by God, has certain natural human rights. They died for the right to exercise that freedom and those rights. They set up a constitution that was to guarantee and protect those rights for all posterity. The concept and the execution of their dream was an innovation in human government. The birth pangs of that little federation were many and severe. We feel them today as they were felt 174 years ago. When we are concerned with human rights we will always face problems bought on by those who feel differently about our rights.

The Chaplain looks upon this celebration with an idea that many of us have forgotten, at least in our way of life one of the principals in this Declaration of Independence was a very important Person in the minds and hearts of our founding Fathers. Unlike the United Nations who have bypassed the Creator the men who founded our way of government recognized the existence of the Creator and provided that men should be free to worship Him in their own way. They did not advocate freedom from worship but rather freedom to worship in the way we desired.

Those who have forgotten that there is a God endanger our way of life. Human rights and the liberty for which our fathers and course have fought and died is God-given right. To protect that liberty it would seem wise to worship as is His due the Creator who breathed into human beings that sense of right and desire for exercise of free choice.

Tippitons



WILL YOU BE NEXT? Reese AFB Vehicle Accident Statistics

Days Since last fatality	54
(Private Vehicle)	
Days Since Last Reported Private Vehicle Accident	4
Days Since Last Reported Government Vehicle Accident	12
Fatalities (Private Vehicle) This Year	2
Vehicle Injuries (15 Jan 50 thru 31 May 50)	21
Vehicle Injuries To Date In June	6

**SPEED KILLS,
TAKE IT EASY**

AROUND REESE

Cigars and Candy are being exchanged at Reese for congratulations as S/Sgt. and Mrs. Russell Wenzlick and Capt. and Mrs. Maxwell V. Judas announced the birth of daughters on Friday and a son was born to S/Sgt. and Mrs. C. D. Smith on the same date. Saturday was the birth date of T/Sgt. and Mrs. Otto Brusewski's son and Sunday was the birth date for Major and Mrs. Samuel S. Williamson's daughter.

Clayton, New Mexico will be the scene of the dedication exercises of the Clayton Air Park and fliers from West Texas and New Mexico are invited to attend the Flier's Free Breakfast at 0800 hours at the Air Park. The airpark's swimming pool and gun club traps will be in operation. Pilots are requested to bring their own tie-downs.

In a late news release, 1st Lt. and Mrs. E. F. Hewitt announced the birth of a daughter Wednesday.

The base golf team will go to Lackland AFB, San Antonio, to play in the Training Command Golf Tournament of 17, 18, 19, 20 and 21 July. The tourney will be played at the Fort Sam Houston Golf Course.

IG Corner

Q. Who has authority to order Bad Conduct Discharges?

A. Only a General or Special Courts-Martial has authority to impose this type of discharge. (Ref: AFR 30-18)

Q. Can military personnel convicted by civil courts be discharged from the service?

A. Yes. AFR 39-22 states, "It will be the general policy to discharge an individual because of conviction by civil court, who was convicted of a criminal offense during his term of AF service." Certain exceptions are granted for inductees under the Selective Service Act of 1948.

Q. Providing a guard loses a prisoner, does he serve the unexpired sentence of the prisoner?

A. No. AR 600-375 does not state that the guard will serve the sentence. However, the guard may be tried for neglect of duty and serve his own sentence under AW 73.

Q. May privately owned vehicles be driven to Alaska?

A. Yes, providing provisions of Alaska Air Command letter 35-6 are complied with.

Q. Why are airmen utilized as KP's in the Officer's Mess?

A. The Officers' Mess is a Field Ration Mess, therefore authorizing the use of airmen for KP. (Ref AR 210-10).

Q. When will a swimming pool be constructed at Reese AFB?

A. As soon as funds arrive the swimming pool will be started. It has priority No. 1, however plans are still at ATRC for full approval of the funds. Contracts have to be let after the funds do arrive. Target date is not set due to above conditions.

Good Conduct Medal Awarded To Airmen

The Good Conduct Medal, for periods ranging from January 1946 to March 1950, was recently awarded to seven airmen of the 3501st Maintenance Squadron.

The seven airmen receiving the medal included M/Sgt. Thomas V. Matthews, T/Sgt. Leroy G. Gregory, T/Sgt. Walter Van Dyck S/Sgt. William E. Kaby, S/Sgt. Lenord M. Sochotsky, Sgt. Paul S. Joliet, and Sgt. Kenneth J. Wycoff.

Instructors Review Progress



Flight B flying instructors of Section I, Operations, pay close attention as Capt. Eldon L. Davis, flight commander, reviews the student progress chart. The TB-25 instructors are (l. to r.) 1st Lt. Charles H. Parsons, 1st Lt. Carl R. Cannop, Capt. Davis, 1st Lt. James E. Haggar, and 1st Lt. Charles R. Greene.

Independence Day Celebrates 174th Anniversary Of Nation

When, in the course of human events, it becomes necessary for one people to dissolve the political bands which have connected them with another, and to assume among the powers of the earth, the separate and equal station to which the Laws of Nature and of Nature's God entitle them, a decent respect to the opinions of mankind requires that they should declare the causes which impel them to the separation.

With these words, the first paragraph of the Declaration of Independence, the United States began its career as a sovereign nation on 4 July, 1776.

The streets of Philadelphia, throughout the entire day, were filled with throngs of people who had their eyes glued to the doors of the State House where the Continental Congress was meeting to act on Richard Henry Lee's

resolution of 7 June, 1776, "That these United Colonies are, and of right ought to be free, and independent states."

The people knew that the debate was coming to a head and that a declaration of complete independence was forthcoming. Some were not prepared to go so far and some had doubts.

About two in the afternoon the door opened and a voice was heard to cry "It has passed!"

An old bellman waiting in the belfry caught a signal from a boy sentinel who was shouting "Ring! Ring!" The now famous Liberty Bell proclaimed to all the world the words engraven on its rim: "Proclaim Liberty throughout the land unto all the inhabitants thereof."

AF Secretary Urges Air Force Adherence To Ground Safety

In a recent letter to all Air Force Bases concerning the Ground Safety Program, the Secretary of the Air Force, Thomas K. Finletter, said, "I wish to reaffirm the established Air Force policy relative to management control and economy with a view to insuring the utmost in defense for each tax dollar spent. Unnecessary losses of manpower and materiel from accidents represent a direct drain of our resources detrimental to planned economy.

I believe the losses due to accidents can be significantly reduced in keeping with the existing policy of good management.

It is my intention that the Air Force continue to maintain its program for accident prevention without retrenchment, to reduce accident losses to a minimum. In this respect, I wish to call the attention of all personnel to the fact that accident prevention is an integral part of operational efficiency in the use of men and equipment. Active support of the Ground Safety Program, in my opinion, will materially assist in reducing unnecessary losses thereby contributing to the fulfillment of our defense mission.

Reese Radio Programs KCBD

1590 On Your Dial
"WINGS OVER LUBBOCK"
1800 Hours Every Sunday

KFYO

1340 On Your Dial
"PROWASH FROM REESE"
1645 Hours Every Saturday

M-Sgt. Retires

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They are M/Sgt. Norman Fain and M/Sgt. Dave Smith. Sergeant Fain was foreman at the base shops and a member of the 3505th Maintenance Sq. Sergeant Smith was maintenance and Hangar Chief in charge of the supply, propeller, instrument, and electric shops of the 3501st maintenance Sq.

Sergeant Smith has been with the 3500th PTW since February '46. During the war he served in Australia and New Guinea with the 348th Fighter Group.

He is married and has four children, two boys and two girls. His family's now living, in Shreveport, La., but he says they plan to move to Bedford, Massachusetts, where he will go into the used car business.

Sergeant Fain has been in the Air Force twenty years, serving in all the enlisted grades from private to master sergeant and attaining his present grade on 17 Nov. '41. During World War II he served overseas for 21 months in the China-Burma-India Theater of operations.

Colonel George W. Pardy, Wing Commander, complimented Sgt. Fain on his devotion to duty as follows:

"Throughout his entire service Sergeant Fain has conducted himself in such a manner as to bring credit to the Air Force and himself. By his loyalty and unselfish devotion to duty, he has set an example worthy of the highest traditions of the United States Air Force."

Career Classifications Board Ends Conversions Of Personnel

The Airman Career Program Conversion Board which was initiated at Reese on 27 February officially completed its work load last Friday, with the exception of some men on leave and TDY and a few review cases.

Approximately 2,000 Warrant Officers and airmen have already been converted under the Career Program. Of this total are all the men in the 3500th PTW, Co. A of 809th Engineers, all AACCS detachments on the base, and five airmen from HQ. and Hq. Sq. 12th AF stationed in Lubbock.

At the present time airmen are still classified under the old system of MOS's: The new Air Force specialties which were awarded by the board and entered on the airman's Form 20 have not gone into effect yet. This is due to the fact that the date of the change-over, which will be Air Force wide, has not yet been announced by Hq. USAF.

Airmen To Purchase

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in serviceable condition and when an article is needed from the Sales Store, a clothing request store, and receipt form will be filled out at the store, where items purchased will be entered thereon, thus providing a control on excess buying of clothing by airmen for uses other than military.

The store will hand everything in regular personal items of military clothing. Recently fatigues, raincoats, barrack bags, and field jackets were again made an item of personal equipment instead of organizational property as they had been formerly.

Lieutenant Adams will head the store and T/Sgt. J. H. Rogers will be NCOIC. Cpl. Sam Catroppa will be the store's cashier.

Headquarters USAF is also working on a new career program for officers, the details of which will be announced at a later date.

"Conversion under the Career Program will just be routine from now on," stated T/Sgt. Clyde Mouchett, career guidance supervisor. "Airmen will be classified at bases so we'll just carry on and continue their classification here."

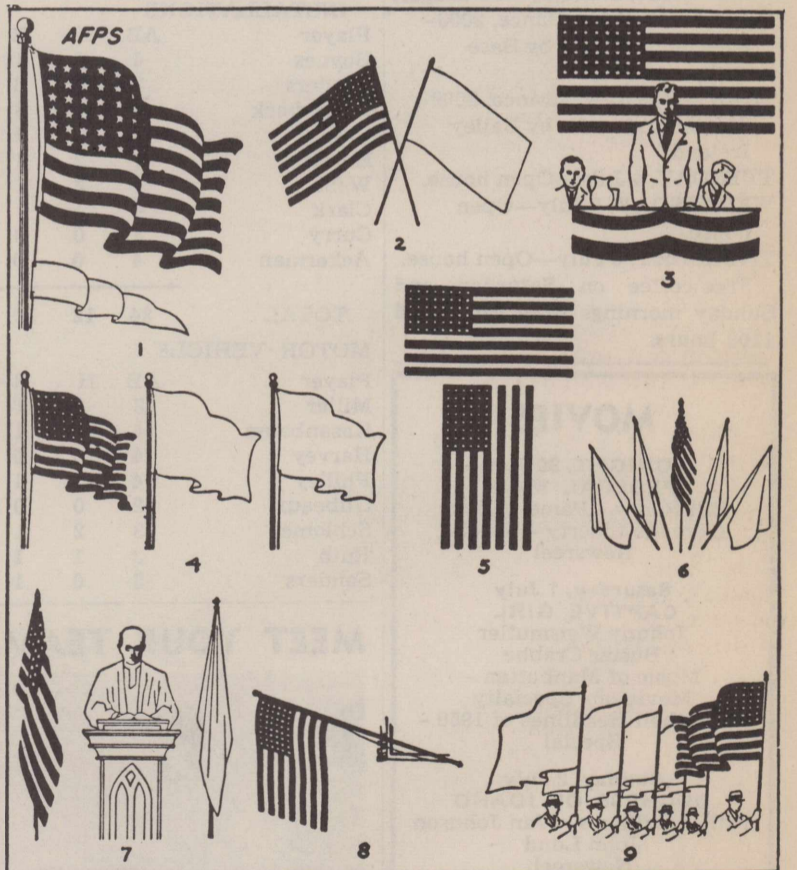
The Conversion Board will continue meeting at Bldg. 823 when necessary, but the personnel will return to the Wing Classification Office in Headquarters and resume their former duties.

Sergeant Mouchett pointed out that the Airman's Career Program is designed to give the Air Force a better system of classification, promotion, assignments and expansion in emergency.

"It opens the door of opportunity for a man with initiative to get ahead," he continued. "Formerly, the Tables of Distribution and squadron overages restrained an airman from getting ahead, through no fault of his own."

"Under the Career Program promotions will be made on an equal, competitive basis throughout the Air Force. Qualifying tests will be used to ascertain the airman's degree of skill and eligibility for promotion. These tests, however, are now being formulated and will be made available as the Career Program gets in full swing."

How to Display the Flag



1 When flags of states or cities or pennants of societies are flown on the same halyard with the flag of the United States of America, the latter should always be at the peak. When flown from adjacent staffs the flag of the United States should be hoisted first and lowered last.

2 When displayed with another flag against a wall from crossed staffs, the flag of the United States should be on the right (the flag's own right), and its staff should be in front of the staff of the other flag.

3 When used on a speaker's platform, whether indoors or out, the flag should never be reduced to the role of a mere decoration by being tied into knots or draped over the stand. For this purpose bunting should be used. The flag, if displayed, should be either on a staff or secured to the wall or back curtain behind the speaker with the union to the flag's right.

4 When flags of two or more nations are displayed together they should be flown from separate staffs of the same height and the flags should be of approximately equal size.

5 When the flag is displayed in a manner other than by being flown from a staff, it should be displayed flat, whether indoors or out. When displayed either horizontally or vertically against a wall, the union should be

uppermost and to the flag's own right, that is, to the observer's left.

6 Whenever a number of flags of states or cities or pennants of societies are to be arranged in a group and displayed from staffs with the flag of the United States the latter should be placed at the center of that group and on a staff slightly higher than any of the others.

7 When the flag is displayed in the body of the church, it should be from a staff placed in the position of honor at the congregation's right as they face the clergyman. The service flag, the state flag or other flag should be at the left of the congregation. If in the chancel or on the platform, the flag of the United States should be placed on the clergyman's right as he faces the congregation and the other flags at his left.

8 When the flag is displayed from a staff projecting horizontally or at an angle from the window sill, balcony or front of a building, the union of the flag should go to the peak of the staff (unless the flag is to be displayed at half-staff).

9 Whenever the flag of the United States is carried in a procession in company with other flags, it should occupy a position in front of the center of the line of flags or on the right of, the marching line.

Field Day Planned For July

Officers Club

TONIGHT, 30 June—Pee Wee Cole Trio, 2000 hours to 2230. Return engagement by popular demand.

SATURDAY, July —Pee Wee Cole Trio 2000-2100 hours. Informal dinner. Music by Burl Hubbard Trio playing intermittently with band from 2100 until midnight.

SUNDAY, 2 July—Free Martinis and Manhattans in Fantasy Room 1700-1800 hours. Buffet supper, 1800-2000 hours.

MONDAY, 3 July — Tea Dance 1600-2000 hours. Music by base orchestra. Informal wear.

TUESDAY, 4 July—Open house Try a refreshing "Moscow Mule" in the Fantasy Room.

WEDNESDAY, 5 July—Women's Club Luncheon. Business meeting and election of officers 1300 hours. Open house for members, guests, Lubbock Lions' Club, 1700-2300 hours.

THURSDAY, 6 July—Open house for club members, guests, and Kiwanis Club of Lubbock, 1700-2300.

FRIDAY, 7 July—Terrific floor show. Hawaiian Nights Review Cabaret style, dancing 2100-0100 hours. Wear appropriate costumes. Dinner from 2000 to 2200 hours. Make dinner reservations early. They have priority over tap tables.

NCO Club

TONIGHT, 30 June—Bingo, 2030, \$25 door prize. \$50 membership drawing.

SATURDAY, 1 July—Dance 2000-2400 hours, music by Ted Crager.

SUNDAY, 2 July—Dance, 2000-2300 hours, music by Base orchestra.

MONDAY, 3 July—Dance, 2000-2300 hours, music by Bailey Ireland.

TUESDAY, 4 July—Open house.

WEDNESDAY, 5 July—Open house.

THURSDAY, 6 July—Open house. Free coffee on Saturday and Sunday mornings from 0700 until 1100 hours.

MOVIES

TONIGHT, 30 June
FEDERAL MAN
Bill Henry - Pamela Blake
Give Me Liberty - Special
Newsreel

Saturday, 1 July
CAPTIVE GIRL
Johnny Weismuller
Buster Crabbe
Music of Manhattan -
Movietone Specialty
Basketball Headlines of 1950 -
Special

Sunday, 2 July
DUCHESS OF IDAHO
Esther Williams - Van Johnson
John Lund
Newsreel

Monday, 3 July
ARMORED CAR ROBBERY
Charles McGraw-Adele Jergens
Cactus Caravan - Musical
Western
Newsreel

Tuesday, 4 July
OCEAN DRIVE (M)
Edmund Drive - Joanne Dru
All Abir-r-r-d - Cartoon

Wednesday, 5 July
IF THIS BE SIN (M)
Myrna Loy - Peggy Cummins
Richard Greene
His X Marks The Spot -
Comedy Favorite
Winning Form - Sports Review

Thursday, 6 July
THE CRISIS (M)
Cary Grant - Jose Ferrer
Newsreel

Surprise Bunt



A quick bunt was laid down the third base line Monday afternoon by T/Sgt. Mervin W. Rapp of the 3502nd Maint. Sq. softball team. His team, however, bowed to Air Installation's softball team, 7-4. Sgt. Collis Clark of Installations is doing the catching while M/Sgt. Theodore Carey calls the plays.

(Photo by Cpl. Conrad)

Air Installation Team Defeats Motor Vehicle Wednesday, 11-5

Cpl. A. L. Biesenback pitched and batted the Air Installations Softball Team to an 11-5 victory Wednesday over the Motor Vehicle Squadron. He got three hits, including a homerun in the first inning, and drove in three runs. He gave up two bases on balls and registered eleven strikeouts.

The two homeruns of the game were hit by Biesenback and Harrell his teammate.

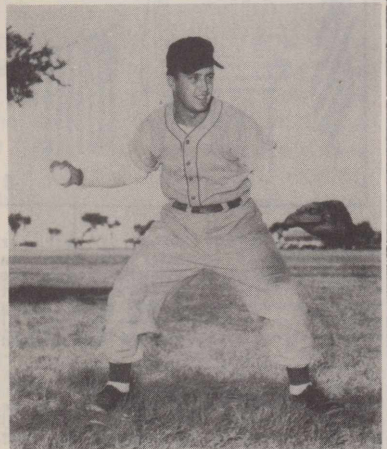
The losing pitcher was S/Sgt. C. E. Schlomer who gave up twelve hits and issued three free passes. Schlomer also paced the team in hitting with two hits in three official times a bat.

Box scores for the game were:

INSTALLATIONS				
Player	AB	H	R	
Boynes	4	1	1	
Sanders	3	2	3	
Beisenback	4	3	3	
Rowe	4	1	1	
Harell	4	2	1	
Webb	4	2	1	
Clark	4	1	1	
Curry	3	0	0	
Ackerman	4	0	0	
TOTAL	34	12	11	

MOTOR VEHICLE				
Player	AB	H	R	
Miller	3	0	1	
Kasanbaum	4	1	1	
Harvey	4	0	0	
Philly	4	1	1	
Gilbeaux	2	0	0	
Schlomer	3	2	1	
Ruth	3	1	1	
Sanders	3	0	1	

MEET YOUR TEAM



Shortstop for Reese Rattlers is Pvt. Gene Bisi of the 809th Engineer Aviation Battalion. Bisi hails from Brooklyn, New York where he played third base for the Brooklyn Comets. With seven years of baseball playing, the 19 year old shortstop, is a mainstay for the base team. He attended Brooklyn Automotive High School where he also played baseball.

Green	3	0	0
TOTALS	29	6	5

Softball Standings

The official squadron softball standings as of Tuesday night, 27 June are:

NATIONAL LEAGUE			
SQUADRON	Wins	Losses	
PTG	9	0	
Supply	6	4	
ABG	5	3	
3501B	5	5	
Cadet B	5	5	
Section I	4	6	
Engineers	2	7	
Band	2	8	

AMERICAN LEAGUE			
SQUADRON	Wins	Losses	
3501A	9	0	
Installation	7	2	
Mtr. Veh.	5	4	
3502nd	5	4	
Medics	3	5	
PTW	4	5	
M and S	3	6	
Cadets A	3	6	
3505	1	8	

Service Club

TONIGHT, 30 June—Bus at 1915 hours for swim at MacKenzie State Park. Return trip at 2130 hours.

SATURDAY, 1 July—Open house 1300-2300. Bus at 1300 hours for swim at MacKenzie State Park. Return trip at 1600 hours.

SUNDAY, 2 July—Open house, 1300-2300 hours. Bus at 1300 hours for swim at MacKenzie State Park. Return trip at 1600 hours.

MONDAY, 3 July—Bus at 1300 hours for swim at MacKenzie State Park. Return trip at 1600 hours.

TUESDAY, 4 July—Bus at 1300 hours for swim at MacKenzie State Park. Return trip at 1600 hours.

WEDNESDAY, 5 July—Bingo at 2015 hours. Prizes.

THURSDAY, 6 July—Informal dance at 2030 hours. LSO Hubettes.

All Squadrons To Participate In Events Scheduled For 28th and 29th

The date for the Track and Field Day to be held at Reese has been set for the 28th and 29th of July, Lieutenant A. J. Knudsen, Personnel Services Officer, announced this week. All squadrons on the base are expected to have teams or personnel participating in the event.

Friday, 28 July, will be a half-holiday and the first of the track events will be run in the afternoon. Saturday morning, beginning at about 0830 the finals will be run off and the awards given to the victors. A baseball game has been planned for Saturday afternoon.

Lieutenant Knudsen also announced the events to be held. They include, the 100 yd. Dash, 220, 440, 880, 880 Relay, Mile Run, Shotput, Discus, High Jump, Broad Jump, and Pole Vault. The hurdles will not be run.

Squadrons have been urged to get their personnel out on the track to get in top shape for the coming event.

Awards will be given to the first and second place winners in each event and first, second and third place medals will be given to the high point men for the day. First and second place trophies will be given to the squadrons with the highest number of points.

Six Men Cop Places On Base Golf Team After Eliminations

The Base Golf Team was picked last Saturday, 24 June, after an elimination tourney in which the best golfers from the base participated. Those winning places on the team were Capt. H. C. Showers, T/Sgt. K. E. Abel, Capt. M. V. Judas, M/Sgt. Leo Hess, Capt. J. T. McElroy, and Maj. Steed Roundtree.

Captain Showers, Sergeant Abel, Captain Judas, and Sergeant Hess will go to Williams AFB, Arizona to participate in the Williams Invitational meet scheduled for 7, 8, and 9 July.

Base Softball Teams Hold On In Lubbock

The Reese Reesers and Reesettes were holding their own in Lubbock Softball according to standings as of Monday. Both are in second place in their respective leagues, the Arc and Femme.

The league standings as of Monday are:

ARC LEAGUE			
Teams	Wins	Losses	
VFW	10	1	
RAFB	8	3	
Dusters	6	5	
Republic Explor.	6	6	
Lubbock Auto.	5	6	
Rhodes Bros.	5	7	
Anderson-Young	2	8	
Pioneer Methodists	2	8	

FEMME LEAGUE			
Teams	Wins	Losses	
Thomas Trinkets	3	0	
Reesettes	2	1	
Stars	2	2	
South Side Bandits	1	2	
Valdez	0	3	

Reese Officer Goes To Abilene To Shoot With City Gun Club

The commander of Section I, Major Clarence L. Lollar went to Abilene, Texas as a member of the Lubbock Gun Club for the shoot held there last week. He was high man for Lubbock with 97x100.

The Lubbock team took second place in the five man team competition with 458x500. The Dallas team won the match with 472x-500.

Major Lollar was runnerup in the doubles shooting and he and his partner won the two man team shoot.

Mrs. Anne Martin of San Antonio took the high over-all average for the two day shoot with 99x100.

Ball Team Receives New Name, One Win And One Defeat

The Reese Rattlers dropped one game and added another scalp to their victory skein in games played last week at the base and in Spring Lake, Texas. They dropped the first game to Spring Lake by a count of 13 to 8 and defeated Smyer, Texas by the score of 18-7.

Banks and Washington hit four-baggers for the Spring Lake nine who were given nine hits by Reed and Remson the losing pitchers. Dick the winning hurler registered nine strike-outs and six bases on balls while giving up twelve hits.

In the Smyer Game, played Sunday, 25 June at the base diamond, Counts paced the Rattlers to victory with three hits for four official times at bat. Maier and Crabtree hit home runs for the Rattlers.

Evers was the winning pitcher giving up seven hits and three bases on balls. His opponent Charte gave up nine hits before being replaced by Johnson in the Sixth inning who allowed five hits before he was sent to the showers. The three Smyer pitchers allowed a total of 17 hits and eight bases on balls to the Rattlers.

The name of the Team was changed to the Rattlers after a conference with team officials and players and thus from now on they will be referred to as the Reese Rattlers.

Reese Base Ball Schedule			
Dickens, Texas	There	1 July	2030
Dickens, Texas	Here	2 July	1500
Sandlin Brothers Grocery	Lubbock (24th & Q)	4 July	1500
Turkey, Texas	There	9 July	1500
Sundown, Texas	There	11 July	2030
Lubbock Black Hubbers - Rosenthal Field		17 July	2000