

Elementary School To Be Started For Reese Children

The opening date of an elementary school on the base to teach children of the first grade will be released in the near future, Lieutenant Thornley C. Carey, base AI&E officer, announced this week. The proposed location of the school will be in the Kindergarten building.

The decision to open the school was made because of the number of Reese children who will be six years of age in the coming school year but will not be so until after the Texas school season starts. Texas law says that a child must be six years of age to start school and thus unless the child was eligible before school starts, he must wait another year before starting to school.

In an effort to eliminate the year of waiting for Reese children, it was decided to start the school. While nothing is guaranteed as to the child entering second grade upon completing the first, inquiries of local school superintendents have received favorable replies.

Parents interested in sending their children to the base school should register them at the AI&E office. A initial fee of \$10.00 will be required and the tuition will cost \$10.00 per month which will cover the cost of the books. Transportation to and from the school will be furnished.

A certified teacher will be hired to run the school which must have a minimum of 15 students to begin with.

Managing Editor Of Roundup Is Back Recruiting

The former managing editor of the Reese Roundup, S/Sgt. Paul W. Holley, has been transferred to recruiting duty in the Kentucky-Ohio Recruiting District from where he came when reported to the 3500th PTW in August 1949.

Sergeant Holley, a native of Toledo, Ohio, enlisted in the service in 1942 and served as a combat infantryman in the ETO for ten months, six of them as a POW in a German prison camp. He returned to the states in July 1945 and after spending a PQW convalescent furlough in Florida and some time in a General Hospital, he was discharged in December 1945 and reenlisted at the same time for the Air Force.

Since that time he has been with Recruiting Service until assigned to Barksdale late in August.

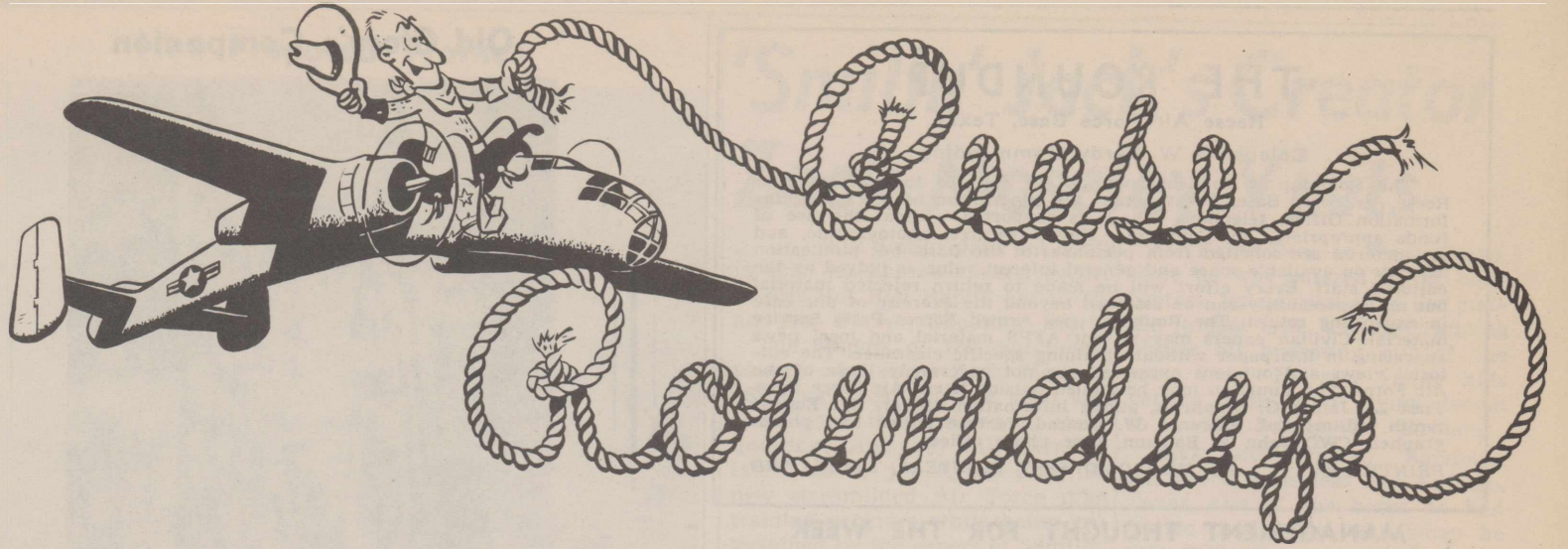


Prior to his enlistment he attended the University of Toledo for two years as journalism student.

Sergeant Holley was the first editor of the Reese Roundup when it was started in October, 1949 and after his assignment to Public Information School in February 1950 the duties were taken over by Sgt. Eugene Smith.

NOTICE!

All military personnel Inter-Texas Tech must contact the office in attending classes at I & E office, Bldg. T-421, prior to noon tomorrow. Personnel interested in taking any high school subjects on the base during off-duty hours this coming semester should contact the I & E office prior to 1200 hours on 2 September.



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Ol'st Takes Crown

Softball Champions Of 1950



Having been turned back in all of their bids for a base championship, the 3501st Maint. Squadron finally comes through with the base softball championship. Members of the winning team include, first row (l. to r.) Major Oliver S. McAfee, squadron commander, T/Sgt. Clinton E. Ambrose, Cpl. Joseph Frigenti, T/Sgt. Eugene Alford, Cpl. Dalton Touchette, Cpl. Joseph L. Lopez, and Cpl. Clarence Kovalski. In the second row are (l. to r.) Sgt. Roy L. Ketchum, Sgt. Kenneth J. Wycoff, Cpl. Marion J. Garlington, M/Sgt. Bailey E. Shrum, M/Sgt. Otho K. McReynolds, T/Sgt. Jewel L. Stracener, and T/Sgt. Gilbert E. Lawrence. Not in the picture is T/Sgt. Herbert S. Kelley.

(Photo By Cpl. Massie)

1950 Aid Society Goal Of \$1750 Is Surpassed By More Than \$1000

The final figures in the recent Air Force Aid Society Fund Raising Campaign at Reese have been released and show that the military and civilian personnel of the base donated \$2768.43 to the Aid Society, topping their goal of \$1750.00 by \$1018.73.

In a letter of commendation, Colonel George W. Pardy, Base commander, stated that all organizations are to be commended for their participation as reflected by the percentage of participation on the tabulation. The civilian personnel are to be particularly cited for their participation in the campaign although they are not eligible for the benefits of the Society.

The engineers of the 809th Engineer Aviation Battalion are to be commended also for their participation in view of the fact that there are no Air Force personnel assigned thereto, although Army personnel assigned or attached to the Air Force are eligible for assistance.

The final figures on contributions by other than military personnel show the civilian personnel contributed \$156.00; the Reserve "Mobilization" Officers, \$38.00; Noncommissioned Officer's Club, \$75.00; Ladies Auxilliary of the NCO Club, \$43.75; Women's Club, \$104.75; Lubbock VFW, \$100.00; and Lubbock American Legion, \$100.00.

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3501st Maintenance Squadron Wins 1950 Softball Championship After Beating Pilot Training Group

The 3501st A softball team captured the base softball crown Monday afternoon, 14 August, when it downed the fighting Hq. Sq. PTG team 8-3. During the five game play-offs, the American League champions won three and dropped one.

Behind the four-hit pitching of Cpl. Dalton Touchette Monday, the 3501st A team came from behind and overpowered the PTG aggregation. Starting with a bang, PTG's Miller rapped out a double, followed by a walk and an error to net PTG a two run lead in the first inning.

In the next inning Shrum of the 3501st banged a line drive over second base for a single but was left stranded. PTG was held scoreless and hitless.

The 3501st broke the ice in the top of the third when Hagan dropped Touchette's smashing fly to center, allowing him to score. Consecutive singles by Frigenti, Lopez, Kovalski, and Ketchum brought in two more runs. In the bottom of the third Smith of PTG grounded out the short and Bradley and Miller struck out.

Capt. Bradley set the 3501st down in order in the top of the fourth. Then PTG whittled down the 3501st's one run lead when Edwards knocked a single to right and scored on an error by Shrum, the right fielder. This was the last time PTG threatened.

Two walks, a single to center by Kovalski, and Lawrence's thirteenth homerun of the season broke the 3-3 tie and gave the

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Reese Airmen Are Promoted To Staff And Sgt.

Approximately 28 airmen of the Air Base Maintenance and Supply, Pilot Training, and Medical Groups were promoted to the grade of staff sergeant, sergeant, and corporal in promotion orders recently released by the Adjutant's Office.

The new staff sergeants in the Air Base Group are Claud N. Gingles, Jerome H. Honey, Otha V. Newman, Robert S. Schultz, George P. Troster, and Theodore J. Youker. Sergeant Mario J. Tedesco of Headquarters Squadron, PTW was also promoted.

Those promoted to staff sergeant in the Maintenance and Supply Group, and Medical Group were, Roy T. Clemens, Lavelle Kile, John A. Knight, Edward Mason and Joseph H. Mead. Clavin Joyner and Hugh D. Reid were the medical personnel promoted.

The new sergeants are James

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Officer Promotion Data Is Released

USAF Headquarters recently announced a program for consideration of approximately 5000 officers for temporary promotion to the grades of Captain and First Lieutenant. This is the initial step in adjusting the grades of personnel on active duty to those of Reserve officers now being recalled.

All Reserve and Air National Guard officers serving on extended active duty as first lieutenants who hold a captain's grade in their Reserve component are eligible for promotion to captain along with all other officers serving as first lieutenants whose date of initial appointment in that grade was prior to March 1, 1946 and who served at least 12 months on active duty as a first lieutenant prior to June 30, 1947.

This eligibility criteria is designed to provide these officers fair and equitable consideration with their contemporaries who possess Reserve and Air National Guard appointments in the grade of Captain.

All Reserve or Air National Guard first lieutenants serving on active duty as second lieutenants are eligible for promotion. Major

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Regular AF Board Meets



Brigadier General Charles H. Caldwell, (center), CG Lowry AFB, discusses a cadet's merits with members of the Air Force Board convening at Reese to select aviation cadets for Regular Air Force Commissions. Other board members include 1st Lt. Robert C. Cronk, Hq. ATRC; Lt. Col. John E. Haessler, Hq. USAF; Col. Eugene B. Fletcher, Hq. ATRC; General Caldwell; Col. James K. Johnson, Ellington; and Lt. Col. Harold F. Funsche, Scott.

(Photo By Cpl. Conrad)

THE ROUNDUP

Reese Air Force Base, Texas

Colonel G. W. Pardy, Commanding

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MANAGEMENT THOUGHT FOR THE WEEK

"Patience is a necessary ingredient of genius."

KADET KORRAL

RODS AND CONES

No one is any happier than I now that 50-E is through with their night flying. At best channelling the Baker two-bits about the sky in the day time requires the ambidexterous use of two hands . . . with the problem complicated at night when you can't even see your flashlight. However, excepting bent engine mounts, buckled landing gears, aged instructors, and much weeping and gnashing of teeth, the night phase passed uneventfully enough.

There was one minor incident that aroused a great deal of criticism and I might add lacking the minimum in understanding. People have laughingly questioned why I was over Clovis on a round-robin to Dallas and Austin. For those really interested, I was slightly off course . . . and for the wise guys, is it all impossible that I might have friends up there?

ADD ITEM

I've got the straight poop concerning that '25 that clobbered into the overrun last week and I might not have joined in the laughter if the tower hadn't cleared the landing aircraft for a 180 back to the ramp.

O'TEMPORA O'MORES

Billee Johnson had a birthday cocktail party and the scientific application of shaving lotion and shoe polish indicated that it was going to be a very fashionable one indeed. I was told that ye olde Olds Penthouse "Rocket Room" rocked in merriment and conviviality . . . until the fashion bowl ran dry. What really happened Nick . . . and why so many road-mapped eyes?

Floyd Heberling is really confronted with a problem . . . his instructor asked him after a rather lengthy and involved explanation on let-down procedures, . . . "got any questions?" No sooner does Floyd get his hand up when the room is suddenly full of a thundering, "not paying any attention, eh?"

And then when told to cut a ship out of the pattern on six approaches, Floyd attempted to cut it out the seventh time when without warning his headset started rocking in its carbon stack vainly fashioning a . . . "whatcha trying to do . . . kill us?" Oh well.

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Learned in class that drunkenness can be likened to hypoxia . . . in that alcohol burns up the O2 in the blood cells before it can reach the tissues preventing the system from obtaining its necessary quota of pO2. So, Luke, Mace, Thurman, and Moose ran a clinically controlled experiment to determine if the classroom agrees with practice. They all meant well but passed out before any of the characteristics of hypoxia could be observed. Anyway . . . who ever heard of building an altitude chamber out of beer cans? Reese if you read, rock your tower . . .

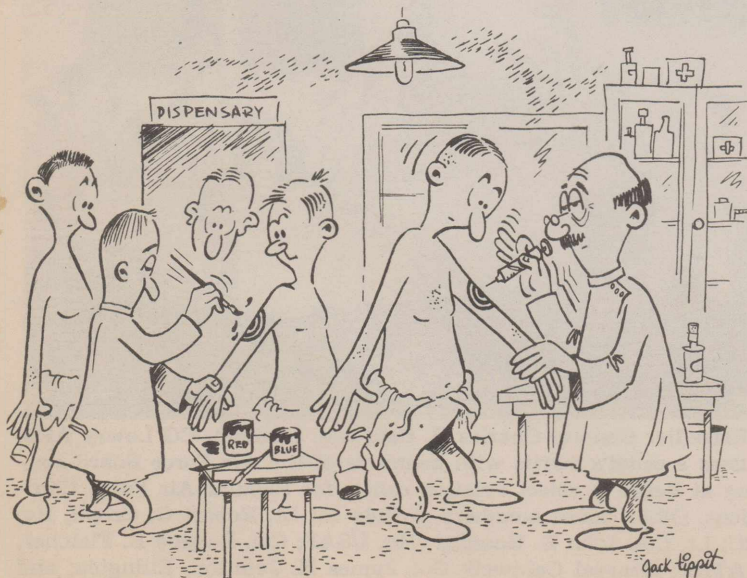
Plan Huge Benefit For Disabled Vets

New York (AFPS)—A mammoth benefit performance, "The Garden Of Stars," featuring outstanding personalities in all branches of show business, will climax the current Disabled

American Veterans' fund-raising campaign on September 20, in Madison Square Garden.

According to a recent announcement, Gov. Thomas E. Dewey will serve as honorary chairman of the all-star show. All funds realized from the sale of tickets will be used by the Disabled American Veterans to aid handicapped veterans regardless of race, color or creed.

Tippitons



Old Glory's Companion



"Old Glory" proudly reposes beside the new flag of Reese Air Force Base in the new flag stand that was recently constructed by personnel of Base Shops. Both the base flag and the holder have the winged boot insignia of Reese on them. The holder itself is constructed from polished airplane aluminum and has a polished wood base.

(Photo By Cpl. Conrad)

Red Cross Director Is Transferred To Army

Mr. Clifford L. Gibbs, base Red Cross director, is being transferred to Fort Hood, Killeen, Texas on the 28 of August, according to information released recently. He is being replaced by Mr. Herb Allbright who is coming to Reese from Biggs Air Force Base, El Paso, Texas where he is field director.

The first field director at Reese since its reactivation in October of 1949, Mr. Gibbs began operations in the rear of the Post Office building on Monday, 17 October 1949 after coming to Reese from Smoky Hill Air Force Base, Salina, Kansas, which had been recently inactivated.

A graduate of Texas Technological College, Mr. Gibbs has been connected with the Red Cross for eight years as a field director on military installations. Some stations he served at were Scott Air Force Base, Illinois; Fort Sill, Oklahoma; and Pyote Air Force Base, Texas.

In an interview Mr. Gibbs stated "I have never enjoyed an assignment more than the one I have had at Reese."

ATRC Chaplains Hold Conference At Lowry AFB

The Air Force's casualty assistance program, now the responsibility of its Air Chaplains, was the dominant topic during the recent three-day conference at Lowry AFB, Colorado which Chaplain Jared A. Walker, wing chaplain, and chaplains from seventeen other Training Command bases and Headquarters, USAF attended.

Chief of Air Force Chaplains (Major General) Charles I. Carpenter stressed the great needs in the program, especially in the light of the Korean action, in his remarks to the conferences.

Under the casualty assistance program each chaplain will inform personnel with respect to their personal affairs, aiding in bringing vital papers up-to-date for protection of the individual, his family, and dependents.

Chaplain (Colonel) Glenn J. Witherspoon, ATRC chaplain, cited the vital importance of religious expression for the young men and women in the Air Force today; and of Major General Robert W. Harper's, ATRC commanding general, desire that all personnel be acquainted with this opportunity.



Clifford L. Gibbs

NEW FIELD DAY

A Field Day Festival, which is expected to be even bigger and better than the successful track meet held 4 and 5 August, is presently being planned and organized for October.

Major Albert H. Schneider is chairman of the planning committee. He is assisted by Maj. Samuel S. Williamson, Maj. Clarence L. Lollar, Maj. Seidel M. Stephens, Capt. Ramon R. Melton, and 1st Lt. Arthur J. Knudsen.

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.

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

"Your Chapel"

With each passing year we read that the Bible is the leading best seller of all books, which is an excellent thing. However, although it tops other books in sales—how does it stack up with other books as to how much of it is read. I think the following behooves us to read it more diligently.

The Bible contains the word of God, the state of man, the way of salvation, the doom of sinners, and the happiness of believers. Its doctrines are holy, its precepts are binding, and its histories are true.

It is the traveler's map, the pilgrim's staff, the soldier's sword, and the Christian's charter. Here paradise is restored, Heaven opened, and the gates of hell disclosed.

Therefore, it should fill the memory, rule the heart, and guide the feet. It is a mine of wealth, a paradise of glory, and a river of pleasure. It involves the highest responsibilities, will reward the greatest labors and condemn all who trifle with its contents. Read it to be wise, believe it to be safe, and practice it to be holy. It contains light to direct your paths, food to support you, and comfort to cheer you.

No other book ever printed has so much to offer anyone who will dare to read it and live by it.

JARED A. WALKER
Chaplain (Capt.) USAF
Wing Chaplain

France Gets U.S. Ships

Philadelphia (AFPS)—The strength of the French navy was increased when two U. S. Navy destroyer escorts were transferred to France during recent ceremonies at the Naval Shipyard here. The tri-color of France was raised on board the 1,240-ton vessels Samuel S. Miles and Riddle, both veterans of World War II.

Chaplains Hold Conference



Chaplain (Colonel) Glenn J. Witherspoon, right, holds an informal discussion with a few of the Training Command Chaplains attending the recent chaplains conference at Lowry Air Force Base, Colorado. The other chaplains include, (l. to r.), Lt. Col. James M. Becker, Chanute AFB; Major. Foster B. Perry, Randolph; Capt. Jared A. Walker, Reese; Maj. William S. Boice, Perrin; Capt. Melvin R. Miller, Connally, and Maj. George F. Gaertner, Ellington.

(USAF Photo)

IG Corner

Q. Under present conditions can an airman be paid for accrued leave upon discharge for immediate reenlistment or for reenlistment for indefinite period?

A. No. Unused leave must be carried forward. Travel pay will not be paid pending decision of Comptroller General. (Ref: TWX EM A-3519 ATRC).

Q. At what times are withholding statements (Form W-2) prepared for military personnel?

A. Immediately after payment has been completed in December of each year, or when pay record is closed out because of separation, retirement, relief from active duty, or transfers between departments. Form W-2 will be furnished to all personnel prior to 1 February of each year (Ref: AFR 173-100).

Q. Is any classified military information authorized to be made public through press releases, etc.?

A. The clear text of cryptographed messages will never be released verbatim, but will be carefully paraphrased before being released to the public unless messages have been transmitted in a cryptosystem not requiring such protection and are marked to indicate that they may be handled as correspondence of similar classification. In addition, appropriate declassification action will be accomplished before release. (Ref: AFR 205-1, par 6g.)

Reserve Airman Is Recalled To AD

The first inactive reserve airman called to active duty at Reese Air Force Base was S/Sgt. Charles G. Braun. He was assigned to the 3500th Maintenance and Supply Group as a clerk typist on 21 August.

Previous to his recall Sergeant Braun was a city fireman in his hometown of Belleville, Illinois. His wife and two children, Merry Margaret, 6; and Charles John, 2; still live there.

Sergeant Braun, after serving four years with the Air Force during World War II, said he was surprised Sunday morning, 6 August, when he received a telegram from 10th Air Force Headquarters at Selfridge AFB, Michigan, which read:

"By direction of the president you are ordered to active military service for a period of one year unless sooner relieved therefrom effective 16 August 50. . . and will proceed from your home to Chanute AFB, Illinois. . . for necessary processing."

Two days after the telegram, he received a registered letter which further stated that he would be assigned to duty with the 3500th Pilot Training Wing at Reese Air Force Base, Texas.

During his previous tour of service Sergeant Braun was stationed at Barksdale AFB from January '45 to March '45.

Aid Society—

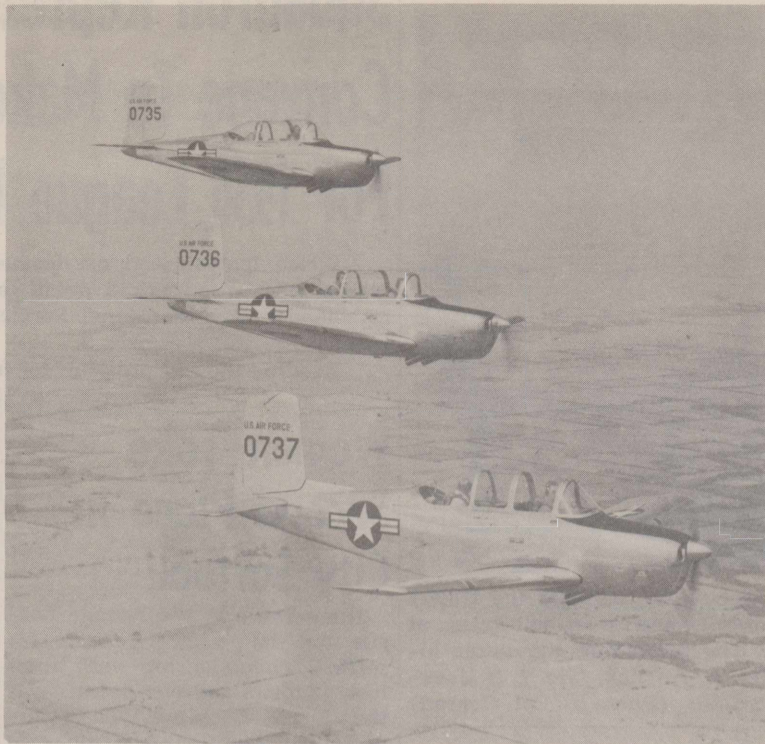
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The bingo game at the Service Club netted \$50.00 for the Society.

The organizations contributing and their amounts are as follows:

Hq. Sq. PTW	95%	\$206.50
514 AF Band	83	30.50
Hq. Sq. ABG	97	118.50
3500th Air Police	100	79.00
Food Service	100	126.00
Installation	100	177.00
Hq. Sq. M&S	100	110.00
3501st Maint.	83	158.00
3502nd Maint.	100	137.93
3505th Maint.	100	34.00
Mtr. Veh	87	141.00
Supply Sq.	96	119.00
Hq. Sq. PTG	100	73.50
3500th Tng Sq. Mil	100	21.00
3501st Tng Sq. (Fly)	100	219.00
Avn Cadets & Stu. Off.	100	206.00
3500th Medical Gq.	55	75.00
809th Engineers	42	52.00

New Proposed Trainer



Geometric precision (check those vertical fins with a straight edge) is caught by a Beech Aircraft Corporation photographer on a demonstration flight of the Beechcraft YT-34 basic pilot trainer, just before delivery to the USAF for evaluation tests at Randolph Air Force Base, Texas. Cruising speed and service ceiling -167 MPH and 21,300 feet are considered outstanding for aircraft in the 220 horsepower field. The YT-34 is certified by the CAA for aerobatics.

(Beechcraft Photo)

'Izaak Waltons' Have Little Luck On Trip

Armed with fly rods, casting rods, and of course old reliable cane poles, fourteen eager RAFB fishermen boarded a C-47 in the early Saturday dawn, 19 August, for Salt Plains Lake, near Enid, Oklahoma.

At 0715 hours, two hours after the take-off, the plane landed at Jet, Oklahoma. The auxiliary landing strip was only a mile from the water, and as soon as the plane was secured they boarded a waiting truck for a quick ride to the lake.

The scenery was pretty with green grass, trees, brush and wild flowers growing along the wayside. The truck stopped at a large dam, with the men whipping out their equipment and taking up fishing positions on it and along the bank. However, two of the group, Cpl. Clarence Conrad and Cpl. Raymond Stambeck, decided to try their luck from a boat.

Cpl. Robert L. Geer, a photography school graduate, became over engrossed in his picture taking technique and made a big splash when he fell in and went for an unscheduled swim. He must have scared the fish pretty badly for all but a few of them resisted the choicest lures and bait.

Reese Airmen—

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Air Force Commanders are being delegated authority to promote qualified officers who meet this criteria.

Air Force commanders must submit the names of all eligible officers considered for promotion to Captain to Headquarters, USAF for final approval. Promotions will be made in accordance with Air Force requirements.

Officer Promotion—

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S. Bower and Robert L. LaRue in Headquarters Squadron PTW; Richard H. Doxsee, David W. Frame, James H. Henderson, and Donald L. Herbig of the 514 AF Band; Eugene Carey of the Pilot Training Group, Michael J. Dunn, Harold C. Howard, Daniel W. McNair, Homer D. Roberson, Allen C. Smith of Air Base Grup; and Richard A. Adams and Robert H. Hoffman of the Medical Group

The new corporals include PFC Paul J. Webb of the 514th AF Band and PFC Jaye D. Folkers of the Medical Group.

'Smilin' Jack's Creator Zack Moseley Visits

. . . . Will Smilin' Jack get home in time for Sable's blessed event?

Will Hot Rod Happy get to fly an Air Force "Shooting Star"?

The readers of 180 odd newspapers who carry Zack Moseley's "Smilin' Jack" cartoon strip will soon learn the answers to these questions. And they will learn the latest about jet flying and the new streamlined Air Force pilot training program while being entertained by the capers of "Smilin' Jack" and a bevy of curvaceous sirens.

Zack says it all started back in 1916 when an event—almost as exciting as his recent jet ride—occurred on the family ranch near Hickory, Oklahoma.

A sputtering Curtiss Jenny from Kelly Field made a forced landing on the ranch. The begoggled and helmeted army pilot who stepped out was Zack's first model. This sketch by a 10 year old boy could be called the start of the big-time cartoon production which reaches a combined newspaper circulation of 180 newspapers.

Zack flew for 18-months with the anti-submarine patrol of the Air Force off the Florida coast during the war. Next as a Civil Air Patrol in Commander for the State of Florida, he became a very good friend of Major General Robert W. "Bob" Harper, now commander of the giant Air Force Training Command.

General "Bob" has a fine training organization. His eight pilot training bases employ the lessons learned in combat and through years of flying experience in training 3,000 pilots a year. Thousands of technicians in other fields are trained each year at his other nine bases, but it was the pilot program that worried General "Bob".

Because Zack talks their language, is painstakingly accurate in technical details, and because he "roots for 'em and plugs for 'em," the General knew that Zack has developed a following of untold thousands of flying fans. He also knew that the strip has helped recruit "Wacs" and "Waves" during the war.

It was just last January that General Harper asked his old friend if he would visit some pilot training bases to see if he could work some background material into his strip which would help publicize the new cadet program.

This was what led up to a trip that this veteran of 29-years flying calls "the high point of my life."

Zack's first stop was Connally

Air Force Base at Waco, Texas. Here he was amazed to see helicopters, liaison planes of the puddle jumper type, and fast training planes all operating out of the same field. He saw young kids getting their first flying lesson in a 550 horsepower airplane.

Zack later visited Randolph Air Force Base near San Antonio, Texas, one of the bases he had visited during the war when he was gathering material for the series he did on "Stretch" Martin, Smilin' Jack's brother, who became an Air Force pilot. (Zack's real brother, who is now his assistant flew A-20's during the war.)

If Zack had ever had doubts about "Smilin' Jack's" popularity among Air Force pilots, he would have forgotten them on his recent trip. He met the same set of questions at every group.

"What will happen to 'Hot Rod'?" "When are you going to show the full face of 'Downwing' Jackson?" "Where do you get your models for such cute li'l deicers as Supersonic Sable, Miss Guided Missile, and jet-propelled Jato?"

It was at Williams Air Force Base (Willie Air Patch as it is known to jet pilots) that Zack had what he calls the greatest flying experience of his 20 years of flying.

Zack called his wife Betty at their home in Florida and described his jet ride soon after landed.

"From San Antonio we flew to Willie Air Patch, the jet fighter school near Phoenix, Arizona. I got an hour of instruction in a two place F-80 (T-33) Lockheed "Shooting Star" jet fighter. After about ten minutes instruction, the instructor turned the controls over to me and let me do shol rolls at 400 miles an hour, and then we did a number of other jet acrobatics including loops and clover leaves. It wasn't what you would expect at all."

Zack visited other bases—Nellis at Las Vegas, Nevada where cadets get pre-graduation training in F-51 "Mustangs" and Reese at Lubbock, Texas, where they fly B-25 "Mitchell" bombers, but it was the jets at Williams that impressed him.

Zack is jealously guarding the secrets of his future continuity, but it's a safe bet that his readers will soon be puzzling the meaning of such jet jargon as "and there I was fat and flute happy at about 30 angels thinks to muscle stretchers and the mice."

Where's The Big Ones?



Fishing enthusiasts who got mostly mosquito bites during last Saturday's fishing trip to Salt Plains Lake are, left to right, PFC Robert L. Gear, Cpl. John H. Badgett, Cpl. M. L. Pearrow, PFC Marvin Payton, Sgt. Bill C. Wright, Cpl. Raymond D. Stambeck, Lt. F. P. Klotz, Sgt. C. J. MacDonald, Sgt. R. M. Elliott, Lt. A. J. Knudsen, M/Sgt D. V. Hamm and Cpl. Evans P. Cook. (Photo by Cpl. Conrad)

MOVIES

Saturday, 26 August

JUNGLE STAMPEDE
Native Cast
TRIPLE TROUBLE
Leo Gorcey—Bowery Boys

Sun. & Mon., 27-28 August
RIGHT CROSS (M)
June Allyson—Dick Powell
Honey Harvester—Cartoon
Newsreel

Tuesday, 29 August
A LIFE OF HER OWN (M)
Lana Turner—Ray Milland
The Perils of Pearl
Pureheart—Cartoon

Wednesday, 30 August
PROWL CAR
Mark Stevens—Edmond
O'Brien
King of The Jockeys—
World of Sports
Giddyap—Jolly Frolic Cartoon

Thursday, 31 August
HIGH LONESOME
John Barrymore Jr.—
Lois Butler
Salute To Duke Ellington—
Musical—Newsreel

Friday, 1 September
BUNCO SQUAD
Robert Sterling—Joan Dickens
Fun At The Zoo—Special
Trap Happy Porky—Cratoon
Newsreel

Saturday, 2 September
BORDER TREASURE
Tim Holt—Jane Nigh
ONLY HEART BANDITS
Dorothy Patrick—
Robert Rockwell

Sunday & Mon., 3-4 Sept.
DESERT HAWK
Yvonne DeCarlo—
Richard Greene
Armed Forces Screen Report
Newsreel

Tuesday, 5 September
THE SLEEPING CITY (M)
Richard Conte—Coleen Gray
Dog Gone South—Cartoon
Champion of Tomorrow—
Sports Parade

Wednesday, 6 September
FLYING TIGERS
John Wayne—John Carroll
The Gorilla Hunt—Cartoon

Thursday, 7 September
SADDLE TRAMP
Joel McCrea—Wanda Hendrix
Oh, My Nerves—Comedy
Newsreel

Friday, 8 September
COUNTY FAIR
Rory Calhoun—Jane Nigh
Heart Trouble—Cartoon
Newsreel

Reese Radio Programs

KCDB

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

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

Reesettes Present Trophy



Colonel George W. Pardy, base commander, admires the trophy given him by members of the Reesettes, women's softball team, at the base gym Wednesday, 22 August. The presenting committee includes (l. to r.) Mrs. C. A. Twiner, Mrs. A. A. Dick, Mrs. L. B. Jackson, Mrs. E. J. Bosko, and Colonel Pardy. (Photo by Cpl. Conrad)

Rattlers Beat Amherst Team In Sunday Game

3501st Wins—

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3501st a four run edge at the end of the fifth. In the sixth a single by Ambrose was good for a run of Bradley's error. There was no score in the seventh inning.

During the season's contests the 3501st team won 19 and lost two. The team, called The Pleasant Valley Eagles, also played in the Roosevelt League, which is composed of neighboring town teams. It placed first in the league with 45 wins and no defeats.

The season's batting averages for the team in both leagues is as follows:

Name	AB.	H.	AV.
Ambrose	65	30	462
Frigenti	142	62	437
Alford	69	25	363
Lawrence	156	56	359
Lope	124	44	355
Ketchum	85	30	353
Kavolski	94	33	351
Stracener	72	25	347
Wycoff	96	33	344
Touchette	89	30	337
Shrum	48	16	333
Kelly	125	41	328
Total	1238	452	341

St. Joseph, Mo. (AFPS)—Someone stole the cornerstone of the old jail. The stone was 12 inches square and three inches thick. It had been on display in the sheriff's office.

Softball Runner-Ups



Runners-Up for the base softball championship was the team from the Pilot Training Group. They include (l. to r. first row) Cpl. Robert Jabon, S/Sgt. Leason Dale, Sgt. George E. Diggs, S/Sgt. Lloyd C. Vandiver, and Captain Clyde W. Bradley, Jr. In the second row are S/Sgt. Frederick G. Edwards, Cpt. Claude R. Hagen, Cpl. Albert Byer, T/Sgt. Woodrow Smith, and Sgt. Homer C. Miller. Players not in the picture were M/Sgt. Woodrow Miller, and PFC Samuel L. Hart. (Photo By Cpl. Massie)

Squadron Representatives Convene To Make Arrangements For 1950 League Football Play

Touch football and pre-league basketball plans for the coming season were discussed in detail last Tuesday morning by squadron commanders and Personnel Service officials at the ABG conference room.

Heading the fall program for intramural athletics was touch football competition, which starts on Monday, 25 September. It was decided to have one league composed of one team from each squadron. The teams will play a round robin and then have play-offs between the top four contenders.

All games will start at 1600 hours, and if a squadron fails to have its six-man team on the field by 1615 hours it will lose on forfeit. Since there are four touch football fields on the base it is expected that an many as eight teams will play a night, with each team playing on the average of two games a week.

The length of the games will be the same as last year. There'll be 40 minutes for the game, which will have four ten minute quarters. Five minutes will be allowed between halves, two minutes between quarters, and one minute for time-outs.

Tennis shoes are the only type of footwear that will be worn, else someone may be injured with cleats. Also, all games will be two-hand touch.

Major Irwin L. Ungerleider, chairman of the meeting, stated: "We hope to have it all run off and everything completed by Thanksgiving, so that the players will be free to go out for basketball."

A "warm-up" pre-season basketball league was suggested by 1st Lt. Conrad J. Lindemann, CO of Hq. Sq. PTW, and was heartily approved. Any squadron team interested in participating in a pre-season league should make its intention known to the gym by 1 November.

The warmup league will hold its games before Christmas, with regular league play getting under way after Christmas vacation. The early practice games are expected to whip some good squadron teams into shape and at the same time provide a choice of skilled hoopsters for the base basketball team.

Members of the base team, however, will not be allowed to play on squadron teams.

recent years, especially around Dallas where a fast ball league is organized. This weekend there's a fast ball tournament at San Angelo, Texas.

Superior, Wis. (AFPS) — A Douglas County farmer, who was trying to dig up a stubborn stump, unearthed a 1920 touring car. The car was buried nine feet deep.

Women Take Second Place In City Softball

Runners-up in the Femme League for the Lubbock women's softball championship with thirteen victories and two defeats was the Reese Reesettes. The team presented their season's trophy to Col. George W. Pardy, base commander, last Tuesday afternoon at the base gym. It will be displayed in the base headquarter's trophy case.

In the league play-offs against the Thomas Trinkets on 14 and 15 August the Reesettes came out on the short end of the score both times, 11 to 5 and 9 to 4.

Cpl. Wayne L. Cox coached the Reesettes. The team members were Miss Jean Franklin and Mesdames Yvonne Boska, Marie Twiner, Lucille Wenzlick, Mary Derbonne, Nellis Mae Hale, Mary Renfro, Betty Shrum, Mary Chaffin, Ann Wolfe, Chris Dick, Jackson and Rowell.

New Type Baseball Experiment Will Be Held In Lubbock

The 3501st A Maint. team, which won the base softball championship, will take part in a "fast ball" experiment with a local team next Tuesday, Wednesday, and Thursday evenings at MacKenzie park, it was revealed this week by M/Sgt. O. K. McReynolds, team manager.

The experiment will test both player and spectator reaction to the fast growing sport in Lubbock. Fast ball is a cross between softball and baseball. The ball measures eleven inches in diameter, which is just about half the difference between a softball and baseball.

In fast ball the batter may use either a baseball or softball bat. The bases are set back five feet and the pitcher stands 48 feet from the batter. Also, when delivering the ball the pitcher is not allowed to raise his elbow above his shoulder.

Fast ball has gained considerable popularity in Texas during

Yer Saaaafe!



M/Sgt. Woodrow S. Miller leaps into the air to catch an infield throw to tag Cpl. Joseph Frigenti as he slides into home safely. This action occurred in the final game for the base championship which the 3501st Maint. Sq. won. Calling the balls and strikes in the background is S/Sgt. E. L. Lewis. (Photo by Cpl. Massie)

Service Club

SATURDAY, 26 Aug.—Open house.

SUNDAY, 27 Aug.—Bus leaves for Buffalo Lakes recreation Area, 1330 hours. Return trip at 1900 hours. Swim, Hike, Picnic, Dance. Open house at club.

MONDAY, 28 Aug.—Dance for Negro airmen, 2030 hours featuring Dixieland Combo in person.

TUESDAY, 29 Aug.—Stag Airmen's bingo.

WEDNESDAY, 30 Aug.—Open house. Make use of your new record room.

THURSDAY, 31 Aug.—Open house.

FRIDAY, 1 Sept.—Family Night Bingo. Featuring the new surprise "clock bingo."

SATURDAY, 2 Sept.—Open house.

SUNDAY, 3 Sept.—Bus for Buffalo Lakes. Leaves at 1330 hours. Return trip at 1900 hours.

MONDAY, 4 Sept.—Juke-box dance for Negro airmen at 2030 hours.

TUESDAY, 5 Sept.—Stag bingo-prizes. 2015 hours.

WEDNESDAY, 6 Sept.—Open house.

THURSDAY, 7 Sept.—Dance featuring LSO Hubbettes, 2100 hours. Base Dance Band playing.

FRIDAY, 8 Sept.—Family Night Bingo. Big prizes and surprises.