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Instructors win praise

Three first lieutenants, all from Flight 1, have been announced as instructors-of-the-month for latter months of 1958.

Named for September was 1st Lt. Ralph D. Erwin, for October 1st Lt. David H. Reiner, and for November 1st Lt. Ray G. Thompson. Each has been awarded a cigarette lighter engraved with his name and the squadron insignia, a letter of commendation from the squadron Commander, Lt. Col. Charles M. Lyons, and a certificate of merit.

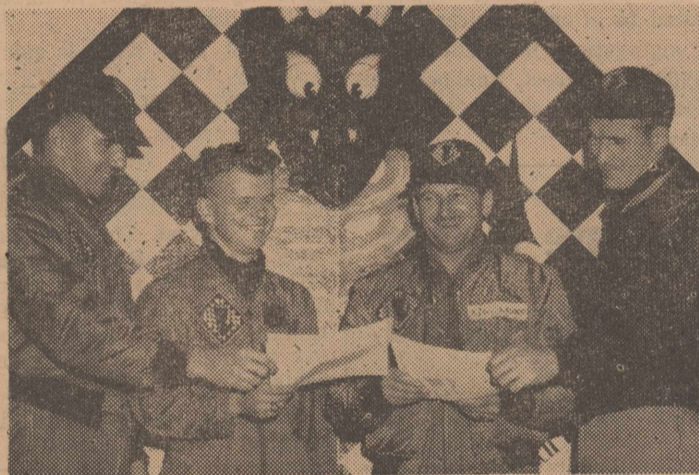
Lieutenant Erwin's record showed major contribution to setting up jet training, service as flight in-service and collateral officer, and initiative in setting up the squadron snack bar and constructing training aids. He scored 92 on the 60-4 written examination and had total flying

time of 41 hours, 30 minutes.

Lieutenant Reiner was credited with teaching other than his own students in an emergency, with serving as flight military training officer, and with directing the cadet drum and bugle corps. His daily flying

average was 3 hours, 5 minutes.

Lieutenant Thompson had 52 hours total flying time. He was credited with serving as flying briefing officer, with aiding in setting up jet flying, and with giving many extra hours to duty as element leader.



BEST TEACHERS—Standing before their squadron Dust Devil emblem, three instructors of the month in the 3501st Pilot Training squadron, appear pleased as they look over certificates of merit given them by their commander, Lt. Col. Charles M. Lyons. Left to right are 1st Lt. Ralph Erwin, 1st Lt. David H. Reiner, Colonel Lyons, and 1st Lt. Ray G. Thompson. (Photo by Fontaine)

Briefing to add to OCS, cadets scheduled here

A meeting intended to benefit the aviation cadet and officer candidate programs has been scheduled for 1 p.m. next Wednesday in Classroom 8 of Building T-815.

Lt. Col. Robert L. Velde, wing personnel officer, will brief interested and qualified candidates for cadet and OSC training on method of application.

"In recent weeks it has been brought out that there is little or no backlog in the aviation cadet and OCS program," the colonel said. "This means that qualified personnel who apply and are accepted may enter without the usual long waiting period."

He said a group of especially well qualified individuals will be asked to attend the Wednesday meeting, but any interested airmen are encouraged to attend.

ATC Short Story contest program announced; cash awards planned

Air Training Command headquarters has announced a preliminary Short Story contest for all organized military personnel and Reese plans wholehearted cooperation.

Entries will be prepared and submitted in accordance with rules of the contest set out in AFR 34-10, it was stated. Individual authors are to submit their manuscripts to the base librarian on or before May 1.

The three prize-winning stories at each base will be forwarded to ATC. Each base librarian will be furnished the original manuscript, together with two suitably produced copies of equal eligibility and

two completed entry blanks.

In ATC the Welfare Fund is providing cash prizes, \$200 for first place, \$150 for second, \$100 for third, and \$25 for each of first, second, and third honorable mentions.

Appropriate prizes for the three winning stories in the preliminary contests at bases will be awarded. Reese officials expect to complete plans soon.

The ATC prize money is in addition to cash offered by USAF, Helen K. Fuller, Reese librarian pointed out.

"Now is the opportunity to get in on a chance to win some real money," she commented.

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Air National Guard team to aid in Reese open house ending era

The Colorado Air National Guard's flying team, "The Minute Men," will present a 20-minute demonstration of F-86 precision aerobatic maneuvers Saturday morning, January 24, during Reese's open house.

The Minute Men will begin their performance at 11:05 a.m. They will follow demonstrations of the twin-jet T-37 trainer, piloted by Capt. Robert Fogg, Air Force test pilot assigned to Cessna Aviation corporation, and of the F-100 jet fighter, piloted by Bob Hoover, North American Aviation corporation test pilot.

Reese is holding the open house in conjunction with the "end-of-an-era" in Air Training Command's pilot training program.

With the graduation of the

last class of B-25 students on January 24, all basic multi-engine pilot instruction will terminate; the B-25 will be replaced by the T-33 single-engine jet trainer.

The flying team is scheduled to arrive over Lubbock at 3 p.m., January 23. The five-ship team, flying tight formation, will pass over Lubbock streaming smoke.

Some of the maneuvers they will perform during the air show will include the attention pass, diamond loop, change-over loop, solo four-point roll, diamond roll, change-over roll, corkscrew, bomb burst, the five-ship loop, the five-ship roll and the echelon roll.

The Minute Men team is the oldest precision group still flying, dating back to the summer of 1948.

Formed and led by the then major, now colonel, Walter E. Williams, it started with the F-51s, was disbanded in 1951 when the Colorado Air National Guard was called up for the Korean conflict, and was reorganized with the F-80 jets after cessation of hostilities.

In addition to the open house and flying maneuvers, next weekend will be marked by a Thursday night B-25 Farewell dinner, graduation of Class 59-E, a wing review, a Friday dinner, and unveiling of a B-25 on permanent display near the main entrance gate.

Addressing the dinner, to be attended by Lubbock dignitaries, will be Gen. Thomas D. White, Air Force Chief of Staff. Delivering the graduate address will be Lt. Gen. Frederic H. Smith, Jr. ATC commander. Brig. Gen. Sam Maddux, Jr., ATC inspector general, is to speak at the farewell dinner.

Cadet Wolpert honor student in ATC's 59-E

Aviation Cadet Donald G. Wolpert of Reese has been selected as the Outstanding Graduate of Air Training command in Class 59-E and will be honored at graduation of his class January 24.

Cadet Wolpert, from Wabash, Ind., was designated on the basis of highest grades in academic, military, and flying study in ATC for his class. He will be presented the Daughters of American Colonists award at the graduation.

He is a 1952 graduate of Wabash, Ind., high school and a 1956 graduate of Purdue university, where he majored in electrical engineering.

General speaker at B-25 dinner

Members of the M&S group, officers and airmen, are staging a "Farewell to the B-25" party starting at 7:30 p.m., next Thursday, it was announced this week.

Brig. Gen. Sam Maddux, Jr., ATC inspector general, will speak at the dinner, with a dance to follow.

The get-together, in the NCO club, will be open to officers, airmen, and civilians, with other guests, M/Sgt. Dallas Tourtelot, a sponsor, said. Reservations should be made this weekend with Maj. Clarence Fox, Extension 349, or the sergeant, Extension 664.

Meeting scheduled for Kansas alumni

Irvin Youngbert, secretary of the Kansas University endowment fund, will speak at the annual dinner of the Kansas Alumni club of Midland at the Elks club in Midland the night of January 31, with Reese alumni of Kansas invited. Cocktails are at 6 p.m.

Tickets may be purchased at the door or by writing Norris Requist, 900 V&J Tower, Midland.

Former captains at Reese given rank of major

Four captains formerly stationed at Reese have been designated for promotion to major this year. They are Rudolph Kiss, former wing adjutant; Leo D. Putt, former squadron adjutant; Edward M. Baetge, former hospital supply officer; and Frank G. Barnes, former installations operations officer. Air Training Command was allotted 61 promotions to captains of the 1170 in the Air Force. No present Reese captain was elevated.

New release plan begun here; personnel quality checked

By CWO Roy L. Vaughan

A NEW AIRMAN EARLY RELEASE program has just been received. Major changes are immediate release of per-

sonnel who are scheduled for normal separation during FY 59 and who do not intend to re-enlist and release of certain categories of personnel surplus to Unit Manning Document

authorizations. Personnel are being interviewed and scheduled for separation and physical examination at the present time. It is anticipated that all personnel will be separated by

January 31.

QUALITY CONTROL OF NCOs and airmen is receiving a great deal of emphasis at USAF headquarters. Planned actions to effectively adminis-

ter and control the qualities of all enlisted personnel include testing, more strict classification action, and reduction of personnel who fail to obtain See NEW RELEASE, page 5

Scale of Soul Harmony

By Chaplain Willis L. Stowers

(Continued from last week)

The sixth tone in music is a minor and partakes of the sympathetic and compassionate. In soul harmony we call it brotherly kindness. One of the most important elements in human life is this minor tone. A sympathetic attitude toward our fellow man, that tender, gentle feeling which manifests itself in little acts of kindness, what a heaven there is in the little word sympathy. "Brethren, if a man be overtaken in a fault, thou who are spiritual restore such a one in the spirit of meekness. Considering thyself lest thou also be tempted, we that are strong ought to bear the infirmities of the weak and not to please ourselves."

Pity is where we stand off and say I am sorry for you but cannot help you. Sympathy is where you rush up and put your shoulder under the burden and help another bear it.

The Priest and the Levite had pity for the poor Jew robbed and beaten on the road to Jericho. But, it remained for the Samaritan to show brotherly kindness, get down from his beast, bind up the wounds, put the sufferer upon his beast, carrying him to the inn.

It is the minor tone, not the major tone, that we need in our lives. When charity stands on the street corner and sounds the trumpet it becomes hypocrisy. But, when it quietly gives, it lends to the Lord. It starts music in the hearts. Have you ever considered how much of the melody in Christ's heart was produced in the minor tone. He went about doing good. He entered into the sorrows and lightened the burdens of people. He lived much of His life that way. He had no press agent to publish his good deeds. He had no broadcasting stations to publish his good tidings, but his gentleness made him great, and the world finds in him the concrete expression of the heart's ideal.

(To be continued)

Eight first aids marked on base

Eight first aid injuries, all to military personnel and five involving the ankle and foot, were recorded at Reese last week, Joe Lopez, ground safety director, said Thursday.

An airman sprained an ankle playing basketball, another sprained an ankle in a fall, and a third suffered a sprained ankle when he stepped on a rock.

An airman received a punctured foot when a board with nails in it dropped on his foot; another received a mashed toe when a mower bed dropped.

An NCO was socked in the nose by an airman he was loading into a motor vehicle. An NCO was burned in the ear by jet fuel which dropped on it. An airman sprained his back while mopping.

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Confessions: Sunday, 8:30 a.m. and noon; Saturday, 7 p.m.

Children's Confessions: Saturday, 10 and 11 a.m.

Catechism Classes: Wednesday, 2:30 p.m. in the annex.

PROTESTANT:

Bible School: Sunday, 9:30 a.m. for all ages.

Airman Discussion Group: Sunday, 9:45 a.m., Service club.

Worship Service: Sunday, 11 a.m.

Youth Fellowship: Sunday, 6 p.m. in annex.

Evening Service: Sunday, 7:30 p.m.

Noonday Devotions: Monday through Friday, 12:40 to 12:50 p.m.

Choir Rehearsal: Thursday, 7:30 p.m.

JEWISH:

All Jewish personnel are invited to attend services at the Congregation Shaareth Israel, 1706 23rd street, Lubbock. Services being at 8 p.m. each Friday night.

On-base classes being organized for next period

Enrollments for classes in English and algebra for next semester are being received in the base education office in T-421. Classes will start the week of January 26, with exact dates to be announced later.

Classes on the base will be offered in Review English, first and second semesters, and in beginning algebra, first and second semester. Classes are to meet once a week for three hours.

Military personnel are required to fill out an application blank for each USAFI study class in which they enroll. Each class must have 15 or more students.

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Retirement brings thought

Another veteran of the Bataan Death March has left the service, with retirement of M/Sgt. Gibson Davidson here. We who take great pleasure in seeking the spotlight with real and imagined suffering can take a lesson from these men of the March, those who hesitate most of the time to talk about their suffering. Just a thought of the Marches also should eliminate cruelty of any kind from our actions, forever and in all places.

Reese takes the spotlight

Reese AFB next weekend again will have the national spotlight on it as the end of an era is observed. The Chief of Staff of the Air Force, Commander of Air Training Command, and several other military dignitaries will be on hand, along with civilians of high places.

Open house will be observed as a part of the observance marking conclusion of use of the B-25 as a pilot training aircraft.

Reese will be in the spotlight and "on the spot." But it again will fulfill its highest obligation, no doubt. It will again prove a credit to the Air Force.

Junior officers given new duties

Six junior officers at Reese are being re-assigned to duties at other bases.

First Lt. Fred Kelly is going to Lowry AFB in February as operations officer.

Re-assigned as co-pilots of B-52 aircraft are 1st Lts. Robert F. Fornia and Thomas S. Crouch and 2nd Lts. Andrew Detroi and John T. Belveal. They will receive academic instruction at McConnell AFB, survival training at Stead AFB, and flying training at Castle AFB, prior to receiving permanent assignments.

First Lt. Richard Dutnell is being sent to Harlingen AFB.

A/1C James G. MacFadden of M&S is being sent to Keesler to begin the course of aircraft radio maintenance technician.

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—woman to woman—

By Mrs. James M. Shankles

The monthly OWC tea scheduled for next Thursday has been cancelled due to graduation.

A newcomer's coffee for class 59-H and new permanent party members was held in the Phantasy Room last Tuesday. After coffee, the group moved into the TV room for its meeting. Mrs. Edward Pallette was chairman of the event, assisted by Mmes. P. H. Mercer and Howard Geddes. Mrs. Harold L. Stratton presided and Mrs. Dwain A. Rockie presented the welcoming address. Mrs. Wynn L. Church was chosen Class 59-H's representative.

The monthly bridge and canasta party was held in the Officers Club Thursday. Mrs. Ron Kibler was bridge chairman and she was assisted by Mrs. Calvin A. Baird, senior hostess.

Junior hostesses were Mmes. James C. Hale, Robert E. Dinwiddle, Earl Sharp and Norman S. Cole.

Mrs. Robert Bosman, a new resident of Reese Village, was given a neighborhood coffee Tuesday by Mrs. Edward P. Miller in the latter's home to introduce the newcomer to the Village.

Also, on Tuesday, Mrs. Daniel M. Johnson gave a surprise kitchen and linen shower for Mrs. Richard B. Corbin, recently married.

Mrs. James Singleton was hon-

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ored with a baby shower Monday by Mmes. Carlos Gonzales, Wallace Girling, Gerald Morrow, and Calvin Stoner. The event was held in Mrs. Gonzales' home.

Kelley Ann O'Shea, daughter of Capt. and Mrs. John O'Shea was christened in St. Elizabeth's in Lubbock last Sunday, January 11. The O'Sheas held a party in their home after.

Capt. and Mrs. Harold L. Stratton hosted a chow mein supper at their home Friday evening. Guests were Lt. Col. and Mrs. Oliver Mays, Capt. and Mrs. Norman L. Welch, and 2nd Lt. and Mrs. Patrick Harrington.

Obedience class registration set

Dog obedience class registration will be conducted 7 p.m. today at the service club. Actual training classes will be conducted at 5 p.m. each Thursday at building T-453.

"The dog training class will teach you how to make a better pet of your dog. You will learn how to teach him to stay off the sofa or to stop barking at your command. These things and many more can be learned by attending the Service Club, sponsored dog training classes" CWO William Bartels, dog trainer, stated.

Saturday dance on club schedule

The "big" attraction at the Officers Club this week is the Saturday evening dance, with Jack Fuller, his orchestra, and Michelle doing the vocal honors. Tonight from 5 to 6:30 p.m. its Happy hour with free pizza.

Graduation dinner dance for class 59-E will be held Thursday evening.

Lindsay orchestra to play Thursday

Merl Lindsay and his Jubilee band, formerly with the Red Foley show, will appear at the Service Club dance Thursday night. Also on the program will be a floor show, Mrs. Daphne A. Hargett, club director, announced.

Tonight at the club it will be Championship pool and cards, while tomorrow is open house. Special games will be Monday evening starting at 8 p.m. Leathercraft classes will be conducted from 7:30 to 9:30 Tuesday evening. And there will be a Hula-Hoop contest Wednesday night starting at 6 p.m.

Reese PTA to see film on teaching

A film on teaching of school children will highlight the monthly meeting of the Reese PTA at 8 p.m. Monday in the school cafeteria. A business meeting will precede the film and a social hour is to follow.

Gross income of \$1,054.75 and net income of \$977.43 has been reported for the fall festival held in November, Maj. Richard Conn, PTA president, reported. The profit will be used for various purposes beneficial to the school.

New captains host party on Saturday

Newly appointed captains at Reese will be hosts at a party Saturday night from 7 to 10 p.m. in the Officers club, with all permanent party officers and their ladies invited.

Hosts, captains or soon-to-be, will be Gordon J. Freeman, Donald S. Knierim, Robert D. McCall, Robert W. Rankin, Alwyn G. Abernathy, Joe B. Davis, William M. Johannsen, Carwin J. Pomeroy, James R. Singleton, Edgar D. Smith, and Donald L. Tarver.

A/3C Andrew J. Posusny has been assigned to the Reese Air Police, after completing basic training at Lackland AFB.

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Mrs Boyd made president of revamped Wives club

Mrs. Milton T. Boyd was elected president of the NCO Wives club at a special reorganization meeting Monday in the NCO club. She succeeds Mrs. Jack Reese, who presided.

Mrs. Archie Thomas was named vice president, Mrs. Don D. Pike treasurer, Mrs. Herbert C. Craig assistant treasurer, Mrs. Jack Brandt recording secretary, and Mrs. James E. Ross corresponding secretary.

Elected to the board of governors were Mmes. William Pomeroy, Claud B. Rushing, John Gardner, and Darrell Spangler.

The officers will be installed at the next meeting, January 26, in the NCO club couples room. Future meetings will be at 1:30 p.m. the second and fourth Mondays of each month.

Advisers are Col. Harold T. Babb, Lt. Col. Homer L. Parsons, Sr., M/Sgt. Edward Crump,

and M/Sgt. James E. Riley.

New members enrolled at the reorganization meeting were Mmes. Donald E. Reynolds, Robert N. Winingder, Craig, James Harvey, John L. diAugustino, William B. Parsons, Douglas R. Duckett, Pike, Walter R. Billings, Crump, Paul O. Robison, Ross, and Gardner.

Hancock musicians will play dance

Saturday night will be western dance night at the NCO club, with music by Tommy Hancock and the Roadside playboys.

Tommy Hancock will also play for tonight's dance following special games. Other events on the agenda are, Buddy hour with half priced drinks from 12:15 to 1:15 p.m.

Sunday afternoon starting at 2 p.m. it will be kiddies games, and Wednesday evening is Buddy hour again from 5:15 to 6:15 p.m.



Teen club ...

By Cathy Hermann

The Teenage club's council held a meeting last Monday and decided that the teen officers should stay in office six months, instead of three.

The next Teenage party will be a skating party and will be on January 31. It will be given by the teenage council consisting of Mrs. Richard D. Conn, Mrs. Claude B. Rushing, 1st Lt. Richard K. Mattox, Mrs. Willis Stowers, and Mrs. Raymond E. Hermann.

Each parent will receive a sheet of rules, and should see that the children obey the rules.

A/2C Guenther H. Bahms, just returned from overseas, has been assigned to as motorized ground equipment operator in the Transportation squadron.

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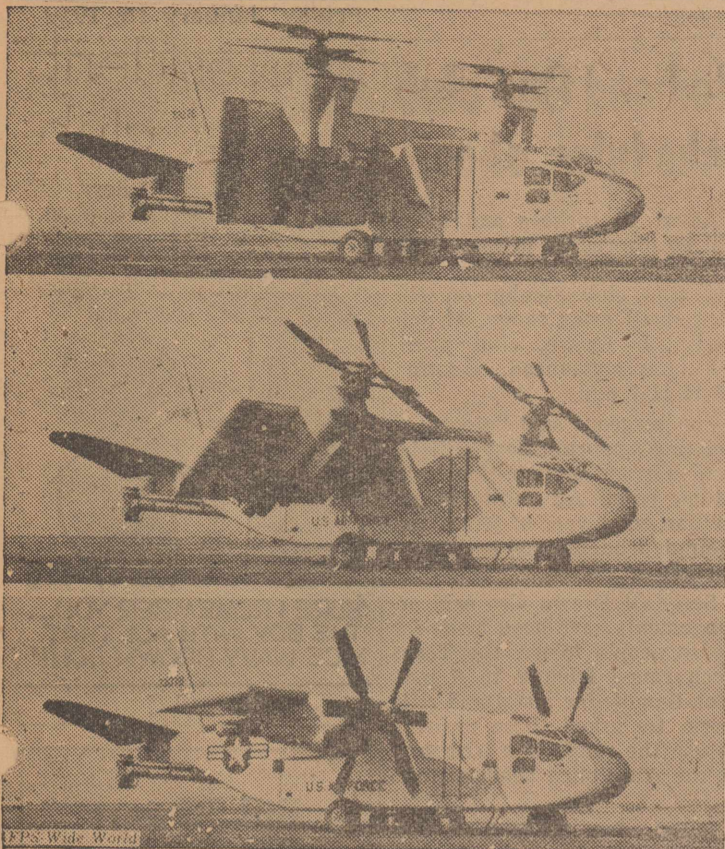
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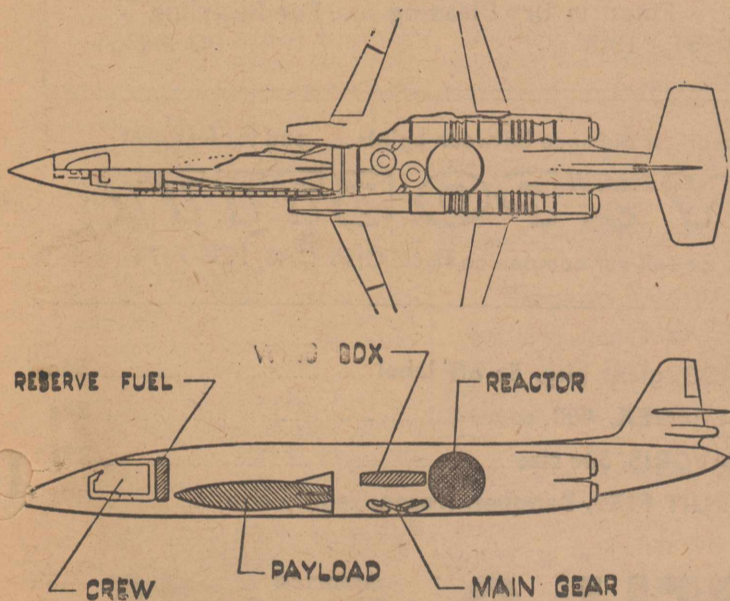
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TILT—Under development by the Hiller Aircraft Corp. for the Air Force, the X-18 tilt-wing research transport is able to take off vertically or conventionally. Wing positions for various takeoffs are shown as follows: vertical (top), short runway (middle) and conventional.



A-POWERED BOMBER—This artist's sketch depicts a possible U.S. atomic-powered bomber as conceived by Lockheed Aircraft Corp. engineers in June 1957. The nuclear reactor would furnish heat to the turbojet engines. Reserve fuel would be used when reactor fails.

—NEW RELEASE Georgian with more than 20 years in service new group commander

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proficiency level commensurate with their grade. Unit commanders have been asked to indoctrinate all military personnel on the provisions of this program.

ANNUAL RECORDS REVIEW for all military personnel is of extreme importance to the individual concerned. In each instance as his records are checked, all entries should be verified as correct from available documents or personal 201 files when information is questionable. Only through the efforts of individuals concerned, will the most effective records maintenance result. It is the individual's responsibility to insure that his records are accurate and current at time of annual records review.

REVIEW OF AIRMAN PERFORMANCE REPORTS show that some individuals are being deprived of Performance Reports due to lack of notification of change in reporting official. The loss of any one report can be the deciding factor in future promotions or assignments. Unit commanders and supervisors have been asked to take note of the detrimental effect of such oversights.

AFR 39-8, AIRMAN UTILIZATION and On-the-Job Retraining, just republished, gives a complete, compact view of the requirements for utilization and training. Attachment 1 to this regulation shows each supervisor and commander exactly which individuals may be considered of retraining. This regulation serves as an excellent guide in determining surplus personnel who will be interviewed for formal retraining in technical school courses.

THIRTY-TWO MASTER SERGEANTS have been recommended by the Wing Commander to the ATC headquarters selection board for promotion to grade of Senior Master Sergeant. Maj Erceal V. Doty was in ATC headquarters last week as a board member to participate in the selection of master sergeants for promotion. Final selection of personnel will be completed on or about February 15. Promotion orders will be published on March 1 by the Commander, Air Training Command.

—ATC

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Prospective contestants were asked to inquire at the base library, T-421, for rules and books to help them complete prize-winning stories.

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A native of Rockyface, Ga., with almost 21 years on active duty, Col. Harold T. Babb has become commander of the Air Base group at Reese.

He came to the base from the Foreign Service Institute in the

a year later. He was an observer until entering flying and bombardier school at San Angelo in July, 1941. As squadron commander and deputy group commander, he flew 35 missions in B-24 aircraft in Italy and returned to San Angelo in December, 1944, as training squadron commander. He later was air inspector of the base.

He served two and a half years in Panama, attended command staff school, served briefly at Offut AFB in SAC, and then became tactical adviser to the Republic of Korea. He returned to the states and to Purdue in January, 1954.

He holds many decorations, including the DFC with clusters, Bronze Star, Air Medal with three oak leaf clusters, French Croix de Guerre with palm, and Korean Ulchi. He is a command pilot with almost 4700 flying hours.

Colonel Babb and his wife live at 115 Andrews drive. They have a daughter in New York.



COLONEL BABB

State department at Washington and previously was professor of air science at Purdue university for three years.

Colonel Babb was graduated from Barry college, Ga., and taught school less than a year when he entered cadet training in February, 1938; graduating

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Hospital, 3500th PTS leaders in cage league

The first round of the intramural basketball league got under way Monday evening at the base gym. Monday action saw the 3500th PTS get off to a good start, defeating Hospital, 48-35, and '02nd downing ABG,

48-35. In Tuesday night play M&S won over '05th, 50-53, while '01st PTS defeated PTG, 52-17. Play-offs will continue at 7 p.m. each night until January 21, with the championship game starting at 8 p.m. on the 21st.

Tryouts slated

Tryouts for places on the base pistol team will be held next Tuesday from 9 to 11 a.m. and 1 to 4 p.m. on the base range. Interested persons should talk with M/Sgt. Berlin J. Brown, small arms supervisor in the Air Police headquarters.

A/IC Nial E. Harrison of Installations has been re-assigned to England.

A/IC Allen J. Brady of Installations has been re-assigned to duty with the Allied Forces in Southern Europe.

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Officers League

The Flight 2 Mohawks took charge of the organized Officer Bowling league this week, with 14 teams competing. Interest was high, officers made known.

The Mohawks took the lead with a 4-0 victory, high series, and high game. They rolled a 2353 series and 807 game. First Lt. Ronald Tingley of the team hit a 628 series and 237 game.

Five teams moved into second spot with 3-1 record.

Base Bowling

The Personnel Services will sponsor a bowling tournament for military personnel at Reese on March 14, 15, 21, and 22 1959, at the Base Bowling Alley.

Winners will represent Reese in the Northern District (ATC) bowling tournament at Sheppard AFB, April 3 and 4.

Entries must be submitted on Disposition Form to personnel Services by Tuesday noon, March 10. Squardons may enter one team with a maximum of six participants.

Officer assigned

Second Lt. Thomas O. Tuttle, recent graduate of supply school at Amarillo AFB, has been re-assigned as supply officer in the Reese M&S group. He is a 1958 graduate of Cornell university, where he majored in industrial and labor relations, lettered in golf and squash, and directed a singing group called "Cayuga's Waiters."

Rod and Gun club schedules shoot

About 20 turkeys and hams will be offered as prizes at the turkey shoot of the Reese Rod and Gun club Sunday on the base small arms range, M/Sgt. Berlin J. Brown, club president, has announced. Shooting starts at 1 p.m.

The sergeant said "plenty of shooting opportunities" will be available and ammunition is to be on hand. All military and civilian employees of Reese and their dependents are invited to participate.

Sergeant Brown also said arrangements have been made for Reese people to use the Texas Tech range from 2 to 6 p.m. each Sunday for pistol and rifle work. He asked those desiring to use the range talk with him at the Air Police headquarters.

S/Sgt. Joe S. Morton, formerly assigned to a Pacific task force, has been assigned to the Pilot Training group adjutant section.



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Bataan death march veteran ends Air Force career; served 22 years

M/Sgt. Gibson O. Davidson, a veteran of the Bataan death march and of years in Japanese prison camps, retired from the Air Force at Reese December 31 after a military career that spanned nearly 22 years.

In a brief ceremony, Lt. Col. Homer L. Parsons, Air Base Group commander, read the sergeant a letter of commendation from Col. DRoss Ellis, Reese commander, and Maj. Erceal V. Doty, commander, 3500th Transportation squadron, presented him with his retirement certificate.

The retired veteran first entered the Army at Fort Meyer, Va., in April 1937. At that time, the post was commanded by Col. Jonathan M. Wainwright.

In 1940, Davidson re-enlisted for the Philippine Islands and was assigned to Fort Drum, a battleship-shaped island in Manila Bay. During the Bataan-Cor-

regidor battles, Davidson was captured by the Japanese in April, 1942.

Describing the four-day march to Camp O'Donnell, the sergeant stated that "we were allowed one rest stop and one cup of rice during the journey. There was very little water, not enough to go around, and if any of the prisoners dropped from exhaustion, they were shot."

Sergeant Returns

M/Sgt. Thomas J. Hoover, returning from duty in Iceland has become first sergeant of Transportation squadron.

Lump-sum payments to Air Corps Reserve officers and Reservists involuntarily released to inactive duty after five years or more of continuous active duty are subject to federal income tax.

Party sponsors thanked

Reese personnel who assisted with the Christmas entertainment of 84 orphans have the thanks of the home from which they came.

"In humility and on behalf of 84 homeless children and a very grateful staff, it gives me pleasure to convey thanks to the officers, cadets, enlisted men, and civilians of Reese Air Force Base," John B. White, superintendent of the Children's Home of Lubbock, wrote Col. DRoss Ellis, base commander.

"It would be a gross understatement to say that the children enjoyed the kindness expressed by thoughtful gifts to each child and the beautiful Westinghouse television set for our Youth Center.

"In fine tribute to the men of the United States Air Force, some 35 of your officers and cadets gave of their time to act as chaperones for the warm event.

"As the Air Force carried our children away from the Officers Club our children echoed their own tribute by singing 'for they are eJolly Good Fellows.' The happy smiles on the faces of those present told a story that cannot be written in this letter.

"Special commendation should go to Lieutenant Richard W. Krueger for a wonderful job as planning officer for the second year in a row."

The children were guests of Reese on December 20, the 84 being brought from their home for a base tour, a dinner in the Officers Club, and distribution of gifts by Santa Claus.

Military and civilian personnel contributed funds which went for individual gifts for each child and a TV set for the home.

Officers and cadets of the Pilot Training group served as guides in "Daddy-for-a-Day," in which each guide was made responsible for one of more child.

Lieutenant Krueger was project officer, supported by Maj. Roland E. Lane, Jr., and other officers and cadets.

Serving as "daddies" were Capt. Wesley E. Fowler, Jr., Marvin G. Ouren, Jr., and Bernard C. Jones; 1st Lts. Walter Gjersvold, Brien Ward and Richard J. Bono; and 2nd Lts. Jack King, William Roach, Wynn Church, Warren C. Jennings, and William Anderson of the 3500th Pilot Training squadron.

From the 3501st PTS were 1st Lts. Richard D. "Santa" Erwin and William D. McAllister; 2nd Lts. Thomas Domingues, Jr., Richard A. Tokarz, Willard R. Morris, Victor Holtgrewe, Gerald G. Hannah, and Robert Little; and Cadets David

Hodges, Peter Gamage, Francis Sloan, and James Learmonth.

Assisting from the Military Training section were Capt. William A. Bryan, Jr., and 1st Lts. Albert F. Opper, William D. McWilliams, 111, and James K. McPherson.

Re-enlistees given new opportunities

Recruiters have been given an additional recruiting tool as USAF headquarters earmarked an additional 1,125 tech school slots in 11 courses for re-enlistees who had not passed the 90-day break-in-service rule.

Eligible are airmen first, second, and third class who satisfy the standard entrance requirements laid out for each course.

Additional courses announced by ECI

ECI has activated five new correspondence courses. They are photographic technician, communications center special-

More enrollments asked for class

Additional enrollments are asked for the Gray Lady instruction class scheduled for January 19, 20, and 21 in the base hospital, Mrs. Frederick Shriner, instructor, said Thursday.

She said considerable interest had been shown by wives of officers and dairmen, but additional registrations will be "highly acceptable." Enrollment may be made and information obtained by calling Mrs. Shriner, extension 3331 in Reese Village.

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T/Sgt. Clifton T. Groombridge, re-assigned from Turkey, has begun commissary duty here.

A/1C Timoteo Castro, just back from Germany, is a new administrative clerk in Air Base group.

S/Sgt. William Kovalchuk, recently re-assigned from Honolulu, is a new administrative clerk in M&S headquarters.

A/1C Maurice J. Zammit, recently returned from England, has been assigned to the Transportation squadron here.

A/1C Donald S. Hornbrook of Transportation has been re-assigned to Sheppard AFB to attend the course on aircraft mechanic, jet bomber over two engines, PCS.

A/1C Richard Tafoya of M&S has been re-assigned to Sheppard AFB to enroll in the jet aircraft mechanics course.

Goes to Morocco

M/Sgt. Albert J. Logan of M&S is enroute to Morocco for duty with a fighter interceptor squadron.

Armed Forces allowance for subsistence and for quarters are not reported as federal taxable income.



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Altered career, training plans praised by former sergeant

A former Reese NCO, S/Sgt. Wesley D. Curry, Jr., this week reported for further training in the missile field at Pinecastle AFB, Fla., stating he was greatly enthused by his new activity.

The sergeant was assigned to the wing personnel section from November, 1952, until he left Reese for schooling in the guided missile system analysis field last September.

"I feel that soon I will be contributing more than ever to airpower by re-training into the missiles field, and I wouldn't trade this experience for anything I have had in the service so far."

Sergeant Curry, one of nine outstanding graduates in his class, received basic missile

training at Lowry AFB, Colo., and visited Reese while enroute to Florida for five-level training. Then he said he hopes for seven-level training and advanced instruction at Holloman AFB, N. Mex.

He said the Lowry course was not too difficult, that instructors were very good, and training aids excellent.

Photo contest program told

The ATC Photography Contest will be conducted April 1. Winning entries in this contest will be entered in the World-Wide photography contest.

Base level contest will be held at Reese, and the winners of the Reese contest will be entered in the Air Training Command Level Contest.

The deadline for entering the Reese Contest is March 10. Entry blanks may be obtained at the photo hobby shop. Judges for base level will be announced at a later date.

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Scientific training of officers stressed in M&S group briefing

Efforts to further interest in scientific training of officers through the Air Force Institute of Technology continued this week as officers of the M&S group were briefed on the program by Lt. Col. Robert L. Velde, wing personnel officer.

The colonel stressed advantages of available technical training and pointed out that the Air Force badly needs more scientists. He urged that interested officers seek evaluation of their educational background in order to learn eligibility for further study.

The colonel also asked that officers seeking evaluation or applying for AFIT training advise his office so that adequate records may be kept. He has briefed most officers of the M&S, Air Base, and Pilot Training groups in the action to secure enrollment in AFIT courses.

Lubbock leaders given jet flights

Four Lubbock chamber of commerce officials Saturday were taken on T-33 orientation rides at Reese, in conjunction with observance of the end of conventional aircraft pilot training.

The men, David Bates, Jim Crook, Neil Wright, and Roy Davis, said they were highly pleased by the flight.

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Completes Course

Capt. James E. Holland, Reese flight commander, has completed the T-33 jet qualification course at Randolph AFB. He is a senior pilot with 2,800 flying hours and has been in service since 1941. He flew B-26s in Europe during World War II and later was in the Berlin airlift.

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Lieutenant given Turkey assignment

First Lt. Harold R. Holmes, assistant staff judge advocate for Reese, has received re-assignment orders and is leaving for duty in Turkey. He has been here since June, 1957.

His replacement, 1st Lt. Donald F. Arnts, is on duty here. Lieutenant Arnts, from North Tonawanda, N. Y., came into service last fall. He is a law graduate of the University of South Carolina.

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The new standard is not related to physical qualification for flying training and the present academy curriculum will not be changed by it, base personnel officers were told.

The new physical standard will be used in processing all candidates seeking admission to the class entering the academy next June. The surgeon general

will distribute information world-wide soon, it was said.

The announcement of the new standard came as examination of candidates was started. Tests have been set up for January 19, and for February 2 and 15, and March 2, 9, 16, and 30. An additional date will be selected for April, if needed.

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By the end of October, 1958, the number of non-coms who completed a retraining course totaled 7,263. Broken down, the picture reads like this: master sergeants, 730; tech sergeants, 2,593; staff sergeants, 3,940. Most of these new technicians entered the radar, missile, armament, and aircraft and engine maintenance fields.

Large numbers of Reese personnel have begun or completed training in new fields, their retraining trend following that of the Air Force as a whole. Interviews for 60 additional NCOs desiring to retrain started on the base this week.

To date, more than 15,050 applications for retraining have been approved in the Air Force, the largest number, 6,720, being staff sergeants who made up about 62 percent of the 10,928 non-coms okayed for school. Under NCO inputs are masters, 1,034 (nine percent), and techs, 3,175 (29 percent).

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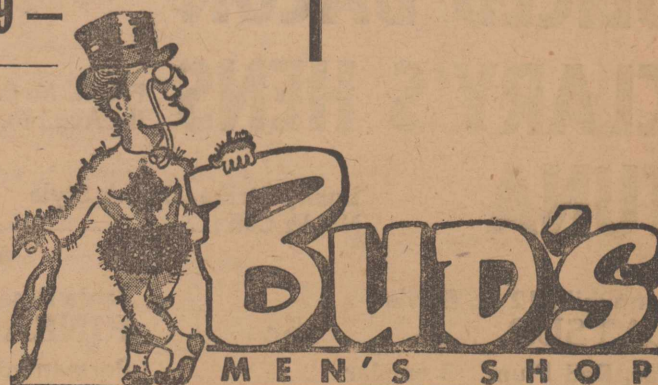
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