

# FLORIDA FIRM BIDS LOW FOR PHASE I TRAINING

The Bell Flying Service, Inc., of Pensacola, Fla., was apparent low bidder for contract training of Reese undergraduate pilot training students in opening of bids Monday in the office of Maj. Joseph V. Sullivan, Reese procurement officer.

The firm quoted \$15.90 per hour for training students and

\$749.83 for rebuilding aircraft engines for a total contract of \$257,158.16.

Bell Flying also was low bidder on a previous bid opening February 28 at Reese, at that time quoting \$10.90 per hour for instruction. However, new bids were asked by the U.S. Air Force.

Bell, which plans to use the

Lubbock Municipal Airport for its training work, has stated it wishes to provide instruction at all eight of the Air Training Command undergraduate pilot training bases. Bids had been opened at seven of the bases Monday afternoon and the firm was apparent low bidder at each.

Second low bidder at Reese was

Marland and McPherson of Los Animas, Colo., which presently is conducting the Phase I primary pilot training for Reese student at Abernathy Municipal Airport. The firm quoted \$17.80 per hour and \$850 for engine repair for a total of \$287,880.

The Brownfield Flyers, Inc., of Brownfield was third low with a

bid of \$17.90 and \$1,000 for each engine rebuilding, with a total contract of \$291,240.

The new contract will extend from June 1, 1966, to Sept. 15, 1967, and annual bids will be taken. Reese students complete 30 hours of training under the civilian contract, using T-41 propeller-driven aircraft owned by the Air Force and leased to the contractor.

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### AERO CLUB WINS FAA AWARD

The Reese Aero Club is receiving the Federal Aviation Agency flight safety award for completing 1965 with an accident-free record. FAA Administrator William F. McKee presented the certificate to a representative of Air Training Command last week and it was expected to reach here this week.

The Reese Aero Club members in 1965 flew 1,693.6 hours without accident, averaging 133.3 hours per month. It grew from 79 members at the end of 1964 to 137 in 1965 and presently has 155 members.

Club memberships are open to all active and retired servicemen and their families. Capt. Jerry Gibson is Reese Aero Club president.

The flight safety awards were presented for the first time last year as a part of a joint Air Force-FAA effort to promote general aviation safety by recognizing Air Force aero clubs which experienced no accidents or incidents during the year.

Air Force aero clubs during 1965 had the lowest number of accidents since they began operating in 1958. Thirty-six Air Force clubs are receiving the FAA safety award.

Improvements in the clubs' operational safety were attributed mainly to centralized club management and the efforts of individual commanders to provide more effective direction and guidance of club activities.

Eighty-five aero clubs operated during 1965 with approximately 9,200 members. In 193,000 flying hours in 459 light aircraft, the clubs had 35 accidents. In 1964, 47 accidents were recorded.

Other factors cited in improved safety among the clubs were use of full-time civilian club manager-instructors, establishment of revised Air Force regulatory standards concerning operations, maintenance and training and greater participation in club operations by senior Air Force pilots.

### Communications

#### NCO Ends Duty

TSgt. Walter Zarzeck, stationed with the 2053rd Communications Squadron at Reese since January 1964, retired March 31, after more than 20 years service. He came to Reese from England.

The sergeant earned several decorations, including the Medal For Humane Action, Distinguished Unit Citation and Asiatic-Pacific Campaign Medal.

His wife, son and daughter live at Stoke-on-Trent, England and he is joining them there.

#### Board Sets May 9 To Screen Pilots

WASHINGTON (AFNS) —The Air Force will convene its annual central flight status selection board May 9 to screen rated pilots and navigator/observers not performing aircrew duties for retention or suspension from flying status.

Few officers are likely to lose their flying rating, however. Only those who possess "unsatisfactory or obviously marginal rated potential" will be suspended, the Air Force said.



CLEAN-UP CREW—Reese Cub Scouts gather for practice for gathering up trash next week during the annual Spring Clean-Up campaign here. Assembled at the truck which they will use to pick up trash are James Coy, Michael Vosefski, Karl Mulder, Kenneth Bailey, John Hollywood and Charles Coy.

### Missile Development Officer Named Speaker For Dining-In

Maj. David S. Kahne, chief of the operations office of the test track directorate of the Air Force Missile Development Center at Holloman Air Force Base, N. Mex., will be speaker at the dining-in of the deputy commander for operations at Reese the night of April 16 in the Reese officers open mess.

The major, former student of Oklahoma State University and the University of Wyoming, has served in many capacities for the Air Force. He is a native of Montevista, Colo., and earned pilot wings at Ellington Field, Houston, Tex., Columbia Field of the Army in South Carolina and at Gulfport, Miss.

He served with a combat bomber group in England during World War II and was in a Pacific ferrying unit. In 1951 he served Air Training Command as a T-29 navigator training pilot, later moving to Little Rock AFB to fly KC-97 refueling aircraft. For a time he was an instructor pilot at Vance AFB moving two and a half years ago to his present duty at Holloman.

Major Kahne has more than 4,000 flying hours in 11 different types of aircraft. He has been a pilot, personnel officer, student, director of academic training, director of military training, assistant flight commander, operations officer and flying officer. He is married and has two children.

The dining-in is scheduled for 7:30 p.m. with the summer mess dress as proper attire.

### Ingenuity Nets Tangible Saving

RANDOLPH AFB (ATCPS) — Russel S. Waid, a small parts rework operator leader with the 3514th Field Maintenance Squadron, used his ingenuity to effect a tangible validated saving under the Cost Reduction Program here.

Waid invented a device to test T-38 afterburner nozzle actuators that netted savings in excess of \$6,000 during the second quarter of Fiscal Year 1966 for Randolph alone. The device will help realize even greater savings since it has been adopted for command-wide use.

### Service Encourages Acceptance of SGLI

WASHINGTON (AFNS) —The Air Force is encouraging members to accept the automatic coverage provided by the Servicemen's Group Life Insurance by eliminating the requirement that airmen initially entering the Air Force sign an SGLI statement. The certificate may be executed only by those members wishing to make a change such as reduction or declination of coverage, designation of a specific beneficiary or election of a particular mode of settlement, the Air Force said.

### SCHOOLS ARE SUPPLIERS

Pilot and navigator trainees are products of the Air Force ROTC program and Officer Training School. Enlisted men may enter the program after completion of college degrees through the Air Force's Airman Education and Commissioning program.

The Reese library will hold two open houses next week as it joins in observance of National Library Week. Open house will be from 9 to 10:30 a.m. Tuesday and Friday.

Reese personnel are invited to visit the library during the week of April 17 to 23 and to join others at an open house in which coffee and cookies will be served to those viewing the book exhibits.

Free paper bound books will be given visitors all week, Mrs. Helen K. Fuller, librarian, has announced.

There will be three drawings

### Reese Residents Counseled To Assemble, Remove Trash During 1966 Clean-Up Week

Next week has been designated as the Annual Base Spring Clean-Up Week at Reese and all family housing occupants and base personnel are being urged by Lt. Col. A. J. Collins, base fire marshal, to do their spring cleaning during the week.

"A complete survey of homes and shops should be made during the week, April 17 through 23, and all unnecessary paper, wood, boxes, rags and other items not re-usable should be removed and disposed of," said the colonel. "Particular emphasis should be placed on outside areas around the home for dead grass, wood and other debris."

The base fire department, along with Cub Scouts and Sparkies, will make trash pick-ups throughout the base housing area Saturday. Another special trash pick-up will be conducted on the base Monday.

"In order to insure that all trash is picked up, it should be placed in or near trash cans," Colonel Collins stated. "If trash cans are full, please put excessive trash in boxes or other containers to prevent it from being scattered by the wind."

"You are asked to clean up today so we may have a fire-safe home tomorrow."

### 'Make Do' Made Theme Of ATC Buyers' Meeting

HQ. ATC (ATCPS) — "Making the most of available resources" was the general theme of the recent Air Training Command base-level Procurement Conference held at ATC headquarters.

The three-day meeting was attended by representatives from Air Force headquarters and several of the major commands as well as ATC officials and representatives from all ATC bases. Representing Reese AFB were Maj. Joseph V. Sullivan, chief of procurement, and William M. Weeks, chief of the services procurement branch.

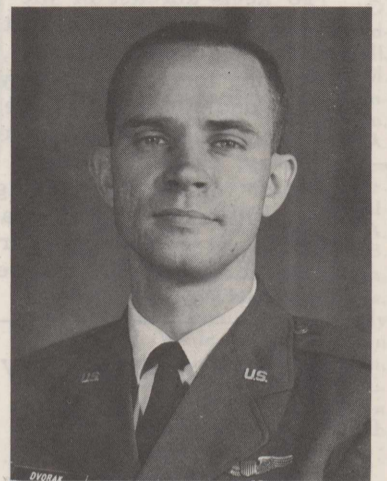
Lt. Gen. William W. Momyer, ATC Commander, welcomed the conferees. During his remarks the general stressed the need for reliance on the knowledge and experience of the technical representatives of contracting officers.

Practically every facet of procurement was covered during the conference—even to the problems of civil engineers, labor relations, Defense Supply Agency procurement, mechanization and Procurement personnel manning.

### Arnold Air Society Honors Astronauts

DALLAS (AFNS) — Air Force astronauts Lt. Col. Edward H. White II and Lt. Col. James A. McDivitt were awarded the Arnold Air Society's John F. Kennedy Award for outstanding contributions to space research and development here this week.

The society, an honorary professional group of the Air Force Reserve Officers Training Corps, honored the two space fliers for their four-day, 62 orbit Gemini 4 flight last June 3-7.



CAPTAIN DVORAK

### Captain Wins Month's Honor

Performance of a variety of duties in a professional manner won Capt. Paul L. Dvorak selection as instructor pilot of the month for March in the 3500th Pilot Training Squadron.

The captain, his letter of recommendation stated, has been at Reese a short time but has approached his job with enthusiasm and industry. He was credited with conscientious work in producing good students, including outstanding briefings, clear and simple in-flight presentations and planning for maximum student practice on each flight.

Captain Dvorak also was praised for excellent grade books and grade slips and for detailed attention to keeping nearly 200 publications accurate and up-to-date as flight publications officer.

"Captain Dvorak is an exceptionally cooperative individual who has perfected the art of getting along with people," stated Lt. Col. Raymond A. Sofaly, his squadron commander. "His personal moral attitude and conduct are of the highest order and set an outstanding example for all officers. He has gained the highest respect and cooperation of his associates and is extremely valuable to this organization."

The captain, from Richmond, Va., is a 1955 graduate of the University of Richmond where he was commissioned through Air Force ROTC. In service 10 years, he previously served with the Tactical Air Command, Military Airlift Command and Pacific Air Force.

### RECRUITS TRAINED

Basic military training for the Air Force is conducted for all new officers and all airmen at Lackland Military Training Center, Lackland AFB. An officer indoctrination course for newly assigned doctors is conducted at Gunter AFB.

## BOOK EXHIBITS, OPEN HOUSES MARK LIBRARY WEEK PROGRAM

for books, one for each open house and a third for attendance during the week.

For the attendance book, personnel may register each time they visit the library during the week. The books to be given away, are "Treasury of the Familiar," a book of poems edited by Woods; "Shakespeare's Complete Works," edited by Rockwell Kent; and "Fare-Exchange," recipes from around the world compiled by Dorothy Allen Gray, Mrs. Fuller stated.

The National Library Week Committee at Reese is conducting

an essay contest for the fifth and sixth grades in Reese Elementary School. The essay will be on the National Library Week theme: "Know What You're Talking About — Read and Keep Growing — Read, Read, Read!"

The fifth grade boy writing the best essay will receive "Treasure Island" and the girl compiling the best essay will get "Five Little Peppers and How They Grew."

"King Arthur and His Knights" will go to the sixth grade boy writing the best essay and "Little Women" to the girl turning in the best essay.

# Commander's Comments...

By COL. DUDLEY E. FAVER  
Wing Commander



April 17 through April 23 is National Library Week. Our Air Force Library, while a midget among city giants, is nevertheless as vitally concerned.

Today, the world is a complex mess. There is opposition not only between ideologies, but also within ideologies. The very existence of man, his personal freedom and human dignity, as preserved within Western Democracy, are the prime targets of the opposing ideology, modern communism. Whether it be Soviet or Chinese variety, each seeks to destroy the basic rights of man and to install a system of total subservience of the individual to the State.

To keep abreast of the world situation on the side of Western Democracy, we must constantly keep informed. Our library is a fountain of ideas, facts and general information just waiting for you to drink your fill and add to your education and understanding of Western Democracy and the principles on which it was founded.

Today, as never before, reading plays an increasingly important role in the shaping of the opinions and achievements of Americans. It is vital to our country's progress. So, I urge you all to heed this year's slogan, "KEEP GROWING—READ, READ, READ," and enjoy the facilities and services of your Air Force Library.

## Air Force Academy Prep School Offers Opportunity For Airmen

AIR FORCE ACADEMY, Colo. (ATCPS) — Airmen between the ages of 17 and 21 who have hopes of becoming career Air Force officers are offered a rare opportunity through the Air Force Academy Preparatory School.

The Prep School, as it's commonly known, was established to provide academic and physical preparation for Academy entrance exams to qualified cadet applicants. Since the first class graduated in 1962, a total of 281 former regular airmen have received Academy appointments after com-

pleting Prep School.

Application procedures are contained in Air Force Regulation 53-14 and interested airmen are reminded that the application deadline for this year is May 31. High school transcripts must be submitted with applications.

Additional information may be obtained from local airman opportunity project officers or through local Education Services Offices. Airmen may also write directly to: The Registrar, Air Force Academy, Colo. 80840.

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## ON THE LINE

By Chaplain John L. Mann

The other day I attended a weather briefing for one of the student flights. After the briefing, Maj. Thomas Varble, the flight commander, commented on the necessity of watching the prevailing winds. He told of the time some instructor pilots and students were making rough landings. The approaches were fine. But a few feet off the ground, the planes suddenly dropped down, causing a hard ground contact.

No one could figure out why the pilots were having so much trouble with landings. They all were landing according to the very latest wind report. Then the reason was discovered. At a specific height the wind was at a certain velocity, but when the pilot dropped a few feet the wind velocity was much less. The lack of head winds caused the planes to drop suddenly. When the pilots compensated for the lack of head winds, the landings improved.

It seems our human inclination is to drift with the prevailing winds of life. We take the path of least resistance. But people, like airplanes, flop in a vacuum. Only as we meet life head on do we have the "lift" to cope with it and to creatively utilize this gift of time and talent of which we are stewards.

This means you must know the wind direction of life, and what effect they will have upon you. A lax morality, irresponsibility, failure to consider which direction

your life is going, no respect for discipline or persons, living only for the moment with no thought about consequences, results, or tomorrow—these are characteristic of persons who go with the winds.

And when their life approaches ground level, when sooner or later they are faced with the truth of what their life has been and is, many of them flop and hit hard.

It is a wise man who knows where the winds of life will carry him, and who is cautious of their direction.

## Foreign Students Inspect Caverns

A dozen Reese students from foreign countries joined members of the Texas Tech Cosmopolitan Club in a trip to Carlsbad Caverns. The Reeseites included undergraduate pilot training students and enlisted personnel assigned here for on-the-job training.

The Reese and Tech students left downtown Lubbock by special bus at 6:30 a.m. Tuesday and returned late in the day after walking through the caverns and inspecting the rare natural beauty.

Capt. Joseph Breen was in charge of the foreign students from the base.

### CONTRACTS LET

ANDREWS AFB, Md. (AFNS) — Contracts totaling more than \$41 million have been awarded three engine manufacturers for development of a vectored-thrust cruise propulsion system (lift-cruise engine), Air Force Systems Command announced.

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## Aero Club Chatter

(By 1st Lt. Arlene Greisch)

Nineteen hours is what it took for 1st Lt. Steve Dean to fly our new 1966 Cessna-150 from Mather AFB to Reese. This new Cessna is equipped with a 360 channel Mark XII radio and is a notable addition to our club facilities. This airplane is already out on a cross-country to New Hampshire.

We've recently purchased a brand new Mark XII-A radio for the Skyhawk and by transferring the Skyhawk's radio to another Cessna 150 we have better quality radio equipment on all aircraft.

Our dinner meeting was a great success with an attendance of more than 86 members and guests. Col. Richard A. Steele was our guest speaker and briefed us on the club's outstanding advances and improvements. He made a comparison of the Club's position now with that of December 1964.

Our membership of 155 is second only to Keesler's 175 as the largest in Air Training Command. Congratulations to our new soloists go to 2nd Lt. Mike Cavanaugh and John Ensley.

Congratulations also are in order for 1st Lt. James Liller who received his commercial rating and for 1st Lt. Arlene Greisch who received her private pilot's license.

Our next meeting will be April 25 in the Aero Club building.

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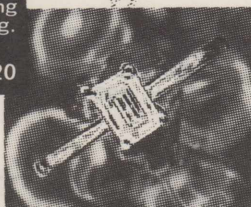


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THREE MESQUITEERS—A standing ovation by the crowd upon the XB-70's first appearance at the Air Force Association convention turned to cheers on landing as Lt. Col. Fitzhugh Fulton (left) and Al White (right), appeared from the cockpit wearing black 1-gallon cowboy hats. With them was Capt. Neil Graff (center) Reese pilot who flew chase for the XB-70.

### Captain Gains Appreciation Of Crew For Helping XB-70

Capt. Neil Graff, chief of officer training at Reese, this week received thanks of XB-70 officials for his aid in presenting the XB-70 demonstration during the annual Air Force Association convention late in March.

In the demonstration TB-50 aircraft provide primary chase but one of these intended for use at Dallas was unable to come to the convention because of commitments at Edwards AFB, Calif. Captain Graff joined with a Reese T-38 as a chase plane.

Riding with him was Maj. Jerome Witty, formerly stationed at Reese as a test pilot. The major requested the captain provide the demonstration aid.

The major reported the T-38

was in position to cover an emergency landing at Reese, Webb, Amarillo or Dyess AFBs.

"This was a valuable service and was appreciated by Col. Joseph Cotton, the XB-70 test force director, and Lt. Col. Fitzhugh Fulton, Al White, the XB-70 crew, and myself," wrote Major Witty.

The major, then a captain, was stationed at Reese from 1953 through 1957 and attended Texas Tech from 1957 to 1959 during which he flew Reese aircraft. He served here as flight test officer, quality control officer and maintenance control scheduling officer. He presently is deputy director of the XB-70 joint test force at Edwards AFB.

### Medical School Commences Move

SHEPPARD AFB (ATCPS) — The U.S. Air Force Medical Service School opened its first class here April 6 with 13 students entering in the Diet Supervisor Course.

Opening of the class marked the first phase—other than advance echelon work — in the school's move to Sheppard from Gunter, AFB, Ala.

Other classes are to be phased in throughout the year until all 43 courses offered by the school are contained in the mission structure here. The next class to be opened at Sheppard was the Medical Administration Supervisor Course which started April 13.

### Marksmen Earn Expert Ribbons

The Small Arms Expert Marksmanship Ribbon has been awarded to additional Reese men, following qualification.

Recipients include SMSgt. William E. Johnson, MSgt. Orville L. Lowry, MSgt. Harry W. Martin, Technical Sergeants Charles C. Conner, Roy E. Erwin, Elmer G. Grantham, James H. Hopwood, Charles R. King, Donald K. Mulder, Daniel T. Robinett, John K. Smith, Tadeusz Urbanowicz and Russell E. Weaver, and Staff Sergeants Eugene Christi, James W. Davis, James R. Denison, O'Neal Fox, Gene P. Hanks, Charley Hicks, James E. Jackson and James D. Lint.

Other winners were Airmen First Class Francis N. Barron, Clayton L. Bentley, John E. Bishop, Banie N. Boyce, John D. Carroll, Darwin H. Cambron, Edward A. Harrah, Leon B. Harrell, Howard N. McDaniel, Arthur M. Rawcliffe, John E. Raymond, Ronald E. Snyder, James H. Wiseman, Rogelio Zapata Jr., and Harlow A. Zelmer, Airmen Second Class John T. Alfrey Jr., Richard G. Bartow, George E. Cooper, Luis Delgado, Mac E. Fike, Brent A. Fines, Robert S. Harry, Joseph B. Hewitt III, Harry R. Lobaugh, Larry A. Mason, Charles B. Shue, Julian Subia, Justin R. Tweedy and Billy J. Waddell, and Airmen Third Class Ralph U. Anderson, William P. Fertig, Robert L. Lander, Robert E. Mestrez, John P. Ostrowski, Dennis D. Schwab and Denny G. Taylor.

### Students' Wives Aid Girls Town

The wives of Class 67-A members are sponsoring a clothing drive for Girls Town, located on a farm near Whiteface.

The wives say they will welcome all contributions of girls' clothing from infant wear to older girls. Clothing can be taken to the homes of Paulette Lehman, 309 George Street; Maribeth Figgins, 314 Harmon Drive; Karen Vogl, 5110 46th Street, Lubbock; Marty Nelson, Apt. 27, 2607 Slide Road, Lubbock; or Bonnie Wotring, C-6 Reese Trailer Park.

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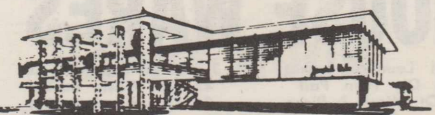
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## Service Plans Orientation

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Each session will be held from 9 a.m. to 11:45 a.m., and to complete the course, both sessions must be attended.

Emphasis will be placed on the present situation in Southeast Asia and the most critical areas associated with the individual's personal affairs. These include the record of emergency data; financial planning; emergency leave procedure; survivor benefits; and overseas processing.

Each area will be handled separately at the orientation and question and answer periods will be held.

All wives are urged to attend, and certificates will be awarded to those completing the course.

## Children Win Prizes In Easter Egg Hunt

The annual Reese Easter Egg hunt attracted approximately 700 children Sunday and it took only a few minutes for them to find 5,500 eggs hidden on the baseball field.

Prizes went to one child in each of the five age groups who found a special hidden egg. Winners of the large stuffed bunnies were James Scherbring, Chris Shafer, Julie Vanek, Denise Levesque and Keith Byrom.

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**HONOR GRADUATES**—Four members of Class 66-D in the Reese Airman Development Course were recognized as honor graduates on graduation. They are shown (left to right), all airmen third class, James E. Miles, Renny H. Porthelon, Aaron R. Maule and Robert W.

Mansour. The graduation speaker, Maj. L. K. Springer, pointed out that material secured from the course should form a sound foundation on which the airmen might build an outstanding Air Force career.

## Club Activities Mrs. Sergeant Sez . . .

**Mathis Service Club**  
TODAY — Ceramic instruction, 9:30 a.m., 7:30 p.m.—Films and popcorn, 7:30 p.m.

SATURDAY — Indoor and outdoor tournaments (all day)

SUNDAY — Coffee and hobby craft fun, 2:30 p.m.

MONDAY — Win an oscar at our Premier Game Night, 8 p.m.—View Oscar Awards on TV (late closing)

TUESDAY — Table Games, 7:30 p.m.

WEDNESDAY — Cancer workshop, 10 a.m. Ceramics without instruction, 9:30 a.m.

THURSDAY — Dance time with The Incrowds, 8:30-11:30 p.m.

## OWC Sets Monday Newcomer Coffee

A hail and farewell coffee will be held by the Officers Wives Club at 10 a.m. Monday in the Officers' open mess. All newcomers are invited to attend and all club members are being urged to participate.

Hostesses will be wives of the deputy commander for operations organization with Mrs. Victor Mahr as senior hostess.

Mrs. Constantine Pappas, membership chairman, states she is anxious for a large turn-out of newcomers.

## Woman's Club Plans Talk On Decorating

Virginia Stanton, former party editor of House Beautiful, will speak on "Decorating with a Flair" at 10 a.m. Wednesday in the Lubbock Municipal auditorium. The lecture will be sponsored by the Lubbock Women's Club, with Reese women invited to purchase tickets. Proceeds from the talk will help provide a scholarship in home economics at Texas Tech.

Trudy Koscielnny was chosen Queen of the Club during the Mardi Gras observance. She will reign for six months.

The annual Easter party for children was held April 10 with a fine turn-out.

The Wives Club held its business meeting Tuesday.

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### Six Teams Enter Golfers' League

Six golf teams had representatives at the Reese Clubhouse April 12 for the purpose of forming league play which started Thursday.

The representatives present were from the Supply Squadron, Hospital Squadron, Communications Squadron, Field Maintenance and Air Base Group. Both Air Base Group I and II were represented. The by-laws were discussed and were accepted in the first meeting.

League play will continue through September.

In the first day's activities, Communications Squadron was scheduled to play against Air Base Group II, Supply against Field Maintenance and Hospital against Air Base Group I.



**CHILDREN'S DENTAL HEALTH WEEK**—During the Reese Children's Dental Health Week, all children of the Reese Elementary School have received oral hygiene instruction, free gifts, toothbrush kits, dental examinations and fluoride treatments and have had their teeth cleaned. Here some of the youngsters inspect their kits as Lt. Col. William E. Ayres, chief of dental services, and Maj. Richard A. Henry Jr., dental officer, look on. Saturday the same program will be held for younger children and children attending other schools. The program is being held in the dental clinic from 8 a.m. until noon.

### Reese Golf Season Opens; Tourneys Programmed For Trio Of Rank Areas

The Reese golf season gets underway Saturday and Sunday when tournament play opens for airmen. Another tournament is planned for NCO's April 30-May 1.

The tournament, which is for airmen in grades airman basic through airman first class, will start with 18 holes April 16. Another 18 holes are scheduled for April 17.

The tournament for NCO's will be 36 holes with 18 being played April 30 and 18 on May 1.

Players will play with full handicaps and in flights according to handicap. There will be no entry fees and trophies are to be pre-

sented to the winner of each flight.

A final tournament is planned for permanent party officers, student officers and a play off between the winners of the airman's, NCO's and officers.

In other golf programs, a tournament will be held April 23-24 to qualify a team to represent Reese at the Lackland Invitational. Eighteen holes will be played each day. There will be no entry fee and players will be divided into flights according to their handicap.

The Reese team will consist of the six low scratch shooters in the open division, three in the senior division, and a commander's division to include base commanders, deputy commanders and group commanders. Play at Lackland will be 36 holes May 7 and 8. Play is open to all military personnel assigned or attached to Reese AFB.

All interested parties may sign up for the tournaments on the roster in the pro-shop.

### Bowlers Seeking Places On Team

The remaining base bowling roll-offs will be held at Reese lanes April 16-17 and April 23-24 to qualify Reese bowlers for nomination for the ATC bowling team. The ATC team will compete in the USAF Worldwide Bowling Tournament at Wright-Patterson AFB, May 23-27.

The six top scorers in the roll-offs will represent Reese in competition between area bases. The high scorers from the April 9-10 roll-off, after 12 games, is A3C Mike Earl with 2328 pins, SSgt. Bill Rutledge with 2253 and SSgt. Don Crowl with 2237.

Interested personnel should call gym officials or bowling lane personnel to sign up for the remaining roll-offs.

### Badminton Tourney Scheduled April 25

The base badminton championships are scheduled for April 25-29 at the base gymnasium.

Personnel interested in participating in the tournament should see gym officials prior to noon, April 25.

The athletic department will furnish equipment for participants.

### Intramural Softball Clinic Is Scheduled

An intramural softball officials clinic will be conducted at the base gymnasium beginning April 18 at 5 p.m. The clinic will be conducted through April 29.

Persons interested in the clinic should sign up prior to noon, April 18.

All officials must attend the clinic and coaches are invited to attend.

### Squash Tournament Starts This Week

The base squash tournament will be held at the base gymnasium April 15-25, state athletic department officials.

The tournament will consist of both singles and doubles. Partners in doubles must be from the same squadron.

The deadline for entering the tournament is noon today. Personnel interested in competing should contact gym officials.

### Rattlers Meet Tech Varsity Saturday; Cooper Best Hitter

The Reese Rattlers baseball team will meet the Texas Tech varsity at 1:30 p.m. Saturday on the Tech diamond with the Rattlers seeking revenge for a previous defeat. Saturday, April 23, the Rattlers go to Webb AFB for a doubleheader.

After six games this year, the Reese team has shown many good attributes, says Coach John Kreideweis. George Cooper leads hitters with a .450 batting average on nine hits in 20 times to the plate. Kreideweis is second with a .350 average, including a double and home run in 20 appearances at the plate. Jim Liller is hitting .294.

considered good in the type of competition they operate, the coach stated.

Liller, as a pitcher, has an earned run average of .000. Kreideweis has 1.59 and Fred Olmsted 3.46. Opponents have an earned run average of 3.53. Opponents have a .326 batting average against Reese.

### Handball Tourney Enters Final Stage

The base handball championships are drawing to an end with only two participants in each bracket.

In the losing bracket, Capt. LaVerne H. Neuhaus and Capt. James E. Jarrett are trying to make a comeback to win the tournament over two undefeated participants, 1st Lt. Evan C. Funk and Capt. Gary R. Jones.

The winner of the Funk-Jones match will play the winner of the losers bracket.

The USAF Recruiting Service was established in 1954 when it was separated from the joint Army-Air Force Recruiting Service.

The Rattlers will go to Liberal, Kans., June 17-19 to meet the Liberal Bee-Jays, second place winner in the National Baseball Congress national tournament last season. The Bee-Jays are composed of college diamond stars. The Rattlers will play three games in Liberal.

As a team, the Rattlers are hitting .246, with 45 hits in 183 times at bat.

The Rattlers are fielding .909.

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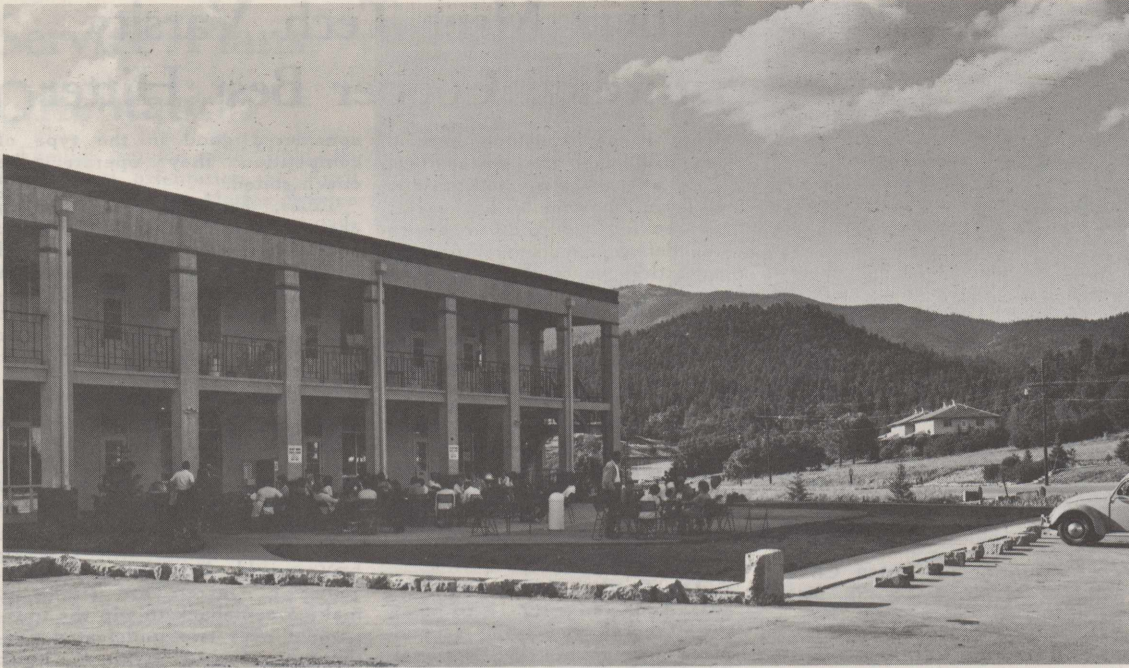
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## Protestant Spiritual Life Conference Scheduled In June

(From The Chapel)

If the United States Government were to offer you the opportunity to spend a few days in the mountains at minimum cost and free leave time, you probably would think there was a catch some place. It does (the Government, that is) and there's not (a catch, that is).

Glorieta time is here again, the Protestant Spiritual Life Conference for officers, airmen and dependents. The time is June 4 to 8. It is five days of new environment, good food, recreation, study, meditation, inspiration and fellowship.

It is a time you can expand your waistline (good food), exercise your lungs (walking and mountain climbing), and deepen the currents of inner life through

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Air Force Republic F-105 Thunderchief, McDonnell F-4C Phantom and Martin B-57 Canberra pilots concentrated attacks

on routes of travel, staging areas and road traffic in air action over North Vietnam last week.

They were the first strikes in the North since mid-October for Canberra aircrews.

As heavy cloud cover obscured most of the North during the week, the majority of pilots dropped their bombs from high altitude under radar control.

In South Vietnam, close air support by Air Force fighter-bomber pilots was credited with routing North Vietnamese soldiers who attacked a company of the U.S. Army's 1st Cavalry Division (Airmobile) about 45 miles southwest of Pleiku.

"I think the tactical air support pushed them right out of the area," said Army 2nd Lt.

Danny Kapica of New Britain, Conn.

"That was what really saved our skins."

Enemy forces caught the cavalry unit in the open just before dark. The soldiers were pinned down by a heavy barrage of small arms and automatic weapons fire.

Throughout the night, Air Force Douglas A-1E Skyraider pilots attacked enemy positions under the light of flares with bombs and rockets.

The North Vietnamese troops withdrew just before dawn, leaving behind 15 dead.

Boeing B-52 Stratofortress crews poured tons of bombs on insurgent positions in the South in nine strikes at scattered points throughout the country.

On March 28, Stratofortress crews made their closest strike to Saigon when they destroyed a Viet Cong mine factory 19 miles from the capital.

Tactical fighter pilots attacked Viet Cong troops, camps, river shipping, fortified positions and supply locations with 1,360 sorties, using more than 6,000 bombs, and 2,800 2.75-inch rockets.

On night missions, Air Force pilots flew some 60 flare-drop sorties in Douglas AC-47 Dragonships and Fairchild C-123 Providers, dropping 1,200 flares in support of friendly ground troops.

### LOG 2,000TH SORTIE

Pilots of the 416th Tactical Fighter Squadron, the Silver Knights of Tan Son Nhut AB, have completed 2,000 combat sorties against the Viet Cong.

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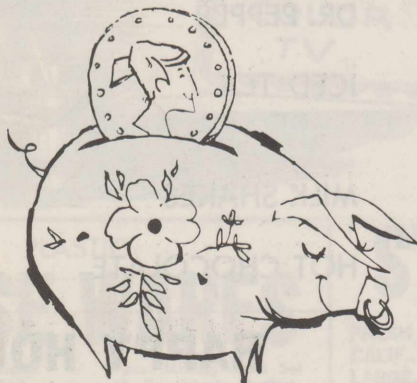
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