

ANNUAL INSPECTION SHOWS STRONG, WEAK AREAS

HQ. ATC (ATCPS) — "Prepare for Inspection," a familiar military command, will be the order of the day at Reese AFB for five days when a team from the Inspector General's office, Headquarters Air Training Command, conducts an annual general inspection from Sept. 26 to Sept. 30.

ATC's annual inspection provides an overall evaluation of the effectiveness and efficiency of the installation's management systems. Basic reason for the inspection is to assist all elements in the development of the most efficient training possible.

The command inspection sys-

tem is designed to determine the efficiency of command operations, and to place proper emphasis on those matters most vitally affecting the performance of assigned missions.

Lt. Gen. Sam Maddux, Jr., ATC commander, has emphasized that the inspector general's mission is to assist commanders in determining the status of their commands.

General Maddux stressed that the reported findings of the inspection team enable commanders to take prompt action to eliminate existing problems which detract from the performance of the

installation's mission. He said these findings must be fully utilized in taking corrective actions.

Col. Jack W. Saunders, ATC inspector general, said every assigned officer, airman and civilian contributes to the final results of the inspection . . . either positively or negatively.

He emphasized that personal appearance, bearing, individual conduct and living conditions as well as job performance reflect on the total effectiveness of a base.

ATC's inspector general pointed out that although only major functional or organizational areas are rated during the annual in-

spection, all elements within each area contribute to the overall rating, which may be "excellent," "satisfactory," "marginal" or "unsatisfactory," according to team findings. He said individual activities, practices and procedures may be rated in the same manner by specific findings in the report.

Colonel Saunders added: "The advantage of having an impartial group of highly qualified inspectors for the yearly evaluation is realized both in the factual and objective findings they record."

"The advice and guidance provided individual supervisors should assist in the improvement of local practices and pro-

cedures, and provide information about those which have been used successfully at other bases."

The inspection team will present its findings to Col. Ernest T. Cragg, wing commander and his staff prior to leaving the base. Returning to ATC Headquarters, the team will brief General Maddux and his staff on its report, including corrective actions required at the base.

Unscheduled follow-up inspections will be made by the Inspector General as required to determine the status of corrective actions taken on reported deficiencies.

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181 WIN SAFE DRIVER AWARDS

Eight hundred eleven years of safe driving of Government vehicles by Reese personnel has been recognized in presentation of Safe Driver awards.

Ten of the 181 drivers recognized have 10 or more years behind the wheel without a reportable accident. One has 14 years accident-free driving, two have 12 years, two 11 years and five 10 years. Presentation of awards was by Col. Ernest T. Cragg, wing commander, in ceremonies in his office.

TSgt. James E. Birdwell of the motor pool has the longest recognized record — 14 years. The sergeant has just returned to Reese after four years as driver for Gen. Dean P. Struther, commander of NORAD. Three years were spent at the Pentagon and the past 15 months at Colorado Springs. The general in the Pentagon was U.S. representative to NATO. Sergeant Birdwell's passengers included Vice President Hubert Humphrey, Gen. Curtis LeMay while he was chief of staff, and "many, many other generals and foreign dignitaries." The sergeant left Reese in 1962 for Pentagon duty, returning recently for another tour here.

Twelve-year records are held by SSgt. James W. Davis of Air Base Group and SMSgt. Clinton Taylor of Organizational Maintenance. Boasting 11 years records are Joe S. Mangum, ABG civilian, and TSgt. Burl D. McCullough of Organizational Maintenance. Ten-year records are held by MSgt. James Drew, SSgt. Franklin D. Cruise and SSgt. James H. Burgess, ABG; Wilbur W. Briant, Supply civilian; and TSgt. Jesse D. Thomas, Fighter Interceptor Squadron.

Awards for less than 10 years safe driving were made by immediate supervisors and unit commanders. Included were 24 men with one year with accident, 19 with two years, 35 with three years, 26 with four years, 25 with five years, 13 with six years, 13 with seven years, six with eight years and 10 with nine years accident-free service.

Air Force military and civilian personnel whose duties involve the regular operation of Air Force motor vehicles are eligible for Safe Driver Awards. This included personnel whose principal duty is operating an Air Force motor vehicle and personnel engaged in activities requiring incidental operation of an Air Force vehicle for less than 25 per cent of their on-duty time.

Eligibles must possess an operator's ID card, have operated a Government vehicle regularly, have not been guilty of a moving traffic violation and have not been at fault as a driver of Government or private vehicle in case of accident.

Military personnel must be "very good airmen" and civilians must have satisfactory or better ratings.



YEARS OF SAFETY—TSgt. James E. Birdwell receives a Safe Driver Award card from Col. Ernest T. Cragg, wing commander, for 14 years of Government vehicle driving without a reportable accident. He was one of 181 Reese drivers recognized and had the longest safe driving record of all.

Captain White Recommended For Top Instructor In ATC

Capt. Donald D. White, most prolific public speaker of Reese and winner of the instructor of the month last September, has been nominated by the base for selection as the Air Training Command's Outstanding Instructor of the Year.

The captain during the past year has spoken to 33 organizations, with an audience of 6,745 persons. He has discussed, in the main, Vietnam and his service there prior to coming to Reese last summer. His talks have been to civic and church groups, at schools and elsewhere.

Captain White, the letter recommending him stated, "has proven on a daily basis, that he represents the well-rounded Air Force officer in all phases of career development."

He was credited with a contagious attitude to produce good pilots which has spread to others, with an affable personality and keen sense of humor.

The letter also said his patience and understanding have caused weak students to reach high levels of proficiency.

The captain also was credited with aiding in development of Lubbock teenagers through service as Scoutmaster of Troop 500 in Lubbock. He also was praised for service as choir president, Sunday School teacher and committee president of boys' activities in his church.

Attention in the letter also was (See CAPTAIN, Page 3)



CAPTAIN WHITE

College Announces Registration Days

LEVELLAND — South Plains College will begin its ninth year of operation with classes beginning Sept. 19. All indications point toward another record year.

Registration will continue for one week this fall coming to a close on Sept. 23.

General Maddux Voices Pleasure For Dedication

"As the U.S. Air Force observes its 19th anniversary as a separate branch of the armed services, I want to express my personal congratulations to all its members and especially to those in Air Training Command for the contributions made toward helping the Air Force achieve its accomplishments during this time.

"ATC has done an outstanding

job of providing the highly keep the Air Force the mightiest aerospace force in the world. However, the task of training people has changed in complexity over the past 19 years. During this time, our nations has entered an era of technological development which has presented the greatest training challenge we have ever faced.

"The fact that this challenge of advancing technology has been met is a tribute to the skill and dedication of the men and women of ATC. I know you will continue to accomplish your mission in the future as successfully as you have in the past." — Lt. Gen. Sam Maddux Jr., commander, Air Training Command.

Club Functions Mark Birthday Of Air Force

An NCO dining in tonight and a wing-ding Saturday night in the Officers Open Mess will highlight celebration of the 19th anniversary of the Air Force as a separate military organization.

The Air Force came into being Sept. 18, 1947, and throughout the world this weekend observances will be held on installations.

Col. Ernest T. Cragg, wing commander, will speak at the NCO dining-in, which starts at 6 p.m. today in the NCO Open Mess. A capacity crowd is expected.

CMSgt. James T. Hare is to serve as president of the mess for the dining-in. CMSgt. Charles Darnelle has been project officer.

Recognized will be 39 NCOs who have 19 years of service. Their names will be read and a toast is planned for their continued success.

Recognized will be CMSgt. Richard A. Adams; SMSgt. Lee W. Owens; and Master Sergeants Raymond W. Brammer, Donald W. Carleton, Billy D. Dade, John K. Dennis, Earl W. Flatman, Earl W. Humphrey, Arthur L. Mackey, William E. Maupin, Richard E. Oliver Jr., James P. Qualls, Bob L. Skinner, Herbert G. Smallwood and J. R. Wadkins.

Also recognized will be Technical Sergeants Charles A. Ashcraft, Richard A. Biltz, Jessie L. Camper, Juddie B. Eastman, William A. Morris, Donald K. Mulder, Harry E. Murray, Michael A. Oniell, Aubrey W. Pope, Lonnie L. Reed, William F. Shoemaker, Jennings W. Snider, Melvin Stanfield, Billy D. Stewart, Tadeusz Urbanowicz, Donald K. Wallman and Arthur G. Worrell; and Staff Sergeants David Chandler, Jasper H. Joiner, Galen J. Moore, Patrick L. Pryor, Lloyd A. Selk, Francis W. Vosefski and Thomas E. Whitworth.

The quarterly wing-ding will start at 7 p.m. in the Officers' Open Mess, with the deputy commander for operations organization as sponsor. All personnel with Officers' Club privileges, including civilians, and their ladies are invited.

A buffet supper will start the evening, with barbecued chicken and beef, curried lobster and rice, au gratin potatoes and other "goodies" on the menu.

At 10 p.m. the program features the formalities celebrating the 19th birthday of the Air Force and skits presented by the 3500th and 3501st Pilot Training Squadrons.

During the evening dancing music will be presented by Bernie (See Birthday, Page 3)

Additional Airmen Sought For AECF

WASHINGTON (AFNS) —The Air Force is seeking additional applications for the Airman Education and Commissioning Program. Particularly desired are applicants for entry into academic fields of aeronautical, astronautical, civil, and electrical engineering; electronic data processing; meteorology; photographic instrumentation; and precision photography.

Students Gain Higher Ranks Early In 1967

First Lt. Larry E. Morris reported for undergraduate pilot training at Reese last Tuesday and found he was on his way to becoming a captain.

He was notified of his selection for promotion with effective date in March. He is from Thomson, Ga., and has been in service four years. He entered pilot training from duty with a weather unit at Vandenberg AFB, Calif. The lieutenant was commissioned through Air Force ROTC at Georgia Tech.

Two other student officers also have been notified of selection for promotion to captain. They are First Lieutenants Frank G. Stone III and John D. Mize, both members of Class 67-H.

Lieutenant Stone, from West Warwick, R.I., entered service in October 1961 and entered training from a Military Airlift Command unit at Dover AFB, Del. He is a navigator who served a year in Southeast Asia. He will become a captain in May.

Lieutenant Mize, from Shreveport, La., entered service in 1962 and was commissioned through Officer Training School. He was on recruiting duty prior to entering pilot training in June. The lieutenant is a graduate of Northwestern State College in Louisiana. His promotion date is in late spring.

Colorado Springs Company Awarded Paint Contract

The John Bowman Painting Company of Colorado Springs has been awarded a \$10,636 contract for exterior painting of 42 buildings at Reese, some with metal siding, some of concrete block construction and others listed as temporary wooden buildings.

The contract was awarded at a letting at which bids from eight firms were opened. Twenty-two firms were sent specifications at their request.

The Colorado Springs firm presently is completing a \$68,000 contract for painting the exterior of 76 Reese buildings and the interiors of some. It will begin its new contract without delay.

System Reinstated

The appointment system for the 3500th USAF Hospital will be reinstated Sept. 26. All appointments will be made by telephone, and may be made two weeks in advance, Lt. Col. Paul Stagg, director of medical services, states.

Appointments may be made by calling Extensions 337, 357 or 720. All patients except emergencies will obtain an appointment in order to see a physician.

FOR THE COMMANDER

Medicare Aid At Hand

By Lt. Col. Paul A. Stagg
Director, Medical Services



The Dependents' Medicare Program provides medical care for eligible dependents of members of the uniformed services. This care in either military or civilian hospitals at a reduced cost is a privilege and right provided by law.

The law says that wives, children, and dependent husbands of members of the uniformed services on active duty longer than 30 days, are eligible for care from civilian and uniformed services facilities. Dependents in this category who reside with their sponsors must obtain medical care from service facilities if available. Dependents who are residing apart from their sponsors may choose between civilian medical facilities and service medical facilities. However, this program does not cover every type of medical care.

This program provides medical care for you at your Air Force Hospital here at Reese AFB. If the medical care you need is not available, authorized care from civilian sources will be provided. First, though, you must contact this hospital to determine whether the required care can be provided at a nearby military hospital. If it cannot, a "Non-Availability Statement" will be issued. (Normally this contact would be through your Air Force physician.) This "Non-Availability Statement" does not authorize medical care, nor does it guarantee payment by the government. It serves only as evidence that the necessary care is not available from a reasonably accessible uniformed services medical facility.

When requesting civilian medical care, first ask your civilian physician if he will accept you as a patient under the Medicare Program. If he will, and you have your "Non-Availability Statement," you will not be expected to pay for medical care covered under the program except for certain minimal charges. These charges are listed in AFR 168-9, and also in the Dependents' Medical Care Pamphlet, available at this Hospital in the Registrar's Office.

The Medicare Program covers most inpatient care. Out-patient care is covered only in certain circumstances connected with maternity care, tests and treatments before and after hospitalization, and emergency treatment of injuries which do not require hospitalization.

Dependents who reside apart from their sponsor do not need a "Non-Availability Statement." The statement submitted by your physician and hospital to collect their fees from the government must indicate that you are residing apart from your sponsor.

More detailed information is available in AFP 168-1-1, Dependents' Medical Care Program. Copies are available at our Registrar's Office.

Chief Commends Troop

"Nineteen years ago, when the U.S. Air Force became a separate service, few persons could have foreseen the degree to which the security and welfare of a Free World would become dependent upon aerospace power.

"During these 19 years, we have made dramatic strides in aerospace technology and service management. We also have maintained a powerful strategic deterrent and are meeting the demanding challenge of helping to counter aggression in Southeast Asia.

"In addition, we have performed humanitarian services in earthquakes, floods and other disasters. All of this has required extra effort and sacrifice from Air Force personnel and their families during the last year as in the years past.

"The dedication of Air Force personnel to their assigned tasks in performing these missions is an inspiration and source of pride to all their fellow citizens. I commend and congratulate each of you on this anniversary occasion." — Gen. John P. McConnell, Air Force chief of staff.

Overseas Savings Draw 10 Per Cent

WASHINGTON (AFNS) — Servicemen in overseas assignments begin earning 10 per cent interest on savings deposited with the Government Sept. 1.

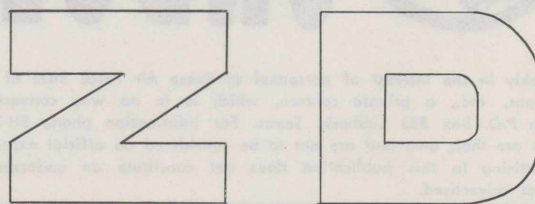
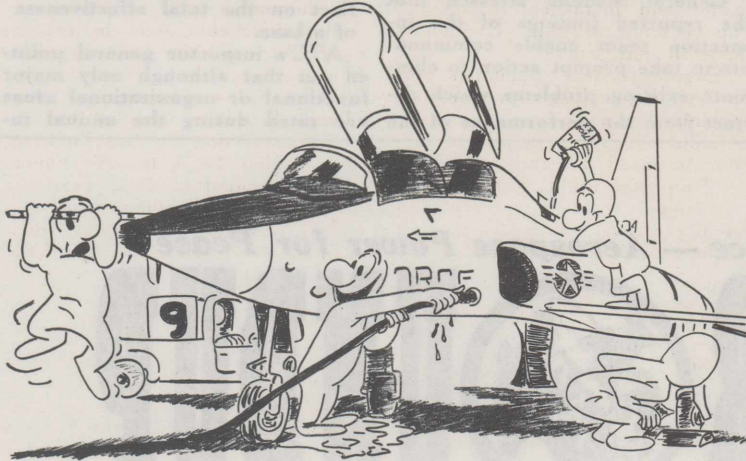
The Servicemen's Savings Deposit Program, open to both officers and enlisted men on foreign duty, is designed to replace the Soldiers', Sailors' and Airmen's Savings Deposit Program and reduce spending of U.S. dollars overseas.

Airmen holding deposits under the present program will continue to draw interest at 4 per cent until termination of their enlistments. This procedure will eventually end the program which has slowly been losing depositors in the face of higher interest savings plans.

Airmen overseas who are enrolled in the present program as well as those in the United States who are transferred overseas before the end of their enlistment, will receive the 10 per cent interest rate.

Participants in the new savings plan may deposit as little as \$5 or a maximum sum equal to his monthly unallotted pay and allowances. The 10 per cent interest rate will be paid quarterly on deposits up to \$10,000.

TEAMWORK for ZERO DEFECTS



Capt. Frederick Volker

Proposals Offered By 11 Approved

Management improvement suggestions submitted by seven civilians and four military personnel have been approved by the Reese incentive awards committee. Cash awards totaling \$250 have been authorized.

Robert H. Holland of Field Maintenance suggested repair of T-38 rudder actuator end cap wear to bring a technical order change and annual savings of \$3,239.57 in manhours and materials here. A cash award of \$165 was approved.

Suggestions Certificates went to Capt. E. S. Anderson for proposing repair of canopy to improve Officers' Open Mess service and an OD quarters telephone which gave more convenience to the Officer of the Day.

First Lt. Glenn M. MacDonald suggested additional flight room reading materials and stag bar parking signs which brought Suggestions Certificates to him.

CMSgt. Richard A. Adams received \$15 for suggesting a master file of medical technical letters which increased efficiency. Air Training Command has partially approved the proposal.

TSgt. Franklin F. Fish proposed a base map for new arrivals which assisted these personnel. He received a certificate.

Ruel G. Nugent received \$15 for intangible savings resulting from a suggestion for access holes to underground pipes in Reese Village.

An award of \$15 went to Archie M. Grimes for proposing local manufacture of connecting clamp tool which brings an annual savings.

Donald R. Webster was awarded \$25 for his suggestion for use of a general purpose detail card which provides faster service.

Nathan C. Mosley received \$15 for suggesting sanitary fill safety stands which improved safety practices.

Eleanor B. Dobkins was awarded a Suggestion Certificate for a proposal to erect street signs as a safety measure.

Item Reduction Leads To Saving

Annual savings of \$15,400 in the Cost Reduction Program have been effected at Reese through reduction in authorized items which were not needed to carry out the mission.

Surveys were made to determine what was needed and used, with day-to-day re-evaluation made. Joint utilization was stressed and re-distribution was made in many instances.

Thirteen line items of equipment were reduced in authorization, allowing re-distribution to Air Force activities have requirements for them.

The savings were validated by the resident auditor.

Loyalty Cited By Secretary

"The Air Force celebrates its 19th anniversary as a separate service on Sept. 18, 1966. On that occasion our men and women may look back with pride and satisfaction upon the part they have played for nearly two decades in helping to deter general war and to defeat lesser threats to the national security. To achieve these magnificent objectives, you have kept pace with the greatest technological revolution in history and, simultaneously, maintained a high state of readiness over unprecedented periods of time.

"Today you are demonstrating your courage, competence and dedication once more in Vietnam. Tomorrow you will face new challenges, as the need for ever-improving aerospace defenses stretches into the future.

"At this historic milestone in our history, it is most appropriate to remember, with gratitude and reverence, the sacrifices of Air Force members who have given their lives that free men may continue to be free. It is a fitting time, as well, to rededicate ourselves to the demanding task of carrying on their fight for freedom." — HAROLD BROWN, Secretary of the Air Force.

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Flying Safety Officer Named

Capt. Richard J. Scott, squadron leader of the 3500th Pilot Training Squadron, has assumed duty as flying safety officer at Reese, stepping into the slot left vacant when Capt. Andre A. Deshaies became chief of the safety division.

Captain Scott has been assigned to the 3500th PTS since April 1963, when he came to Reese from a fighter interceptor squadron in Alaska. He has been an instructor pilot more than three years.

The captain, from Mackinaw, Ill., is a former student of the University of Alaska who has been in service 12 years. He was commissioned through aviation cadet training.

Officers Learn Of Safety Laws

Reese Air Policemen are being schooled on Texas traffic laws and responsibilities of drivers and law enforcement officers.

In three sessions, one Thursday and others Tuesday and Wednesday, Sgt. Fred Marshall of the Texas Department of Public Safety, is discussing with the Air Policemen various angles and low enforcement and traffic laws. He is stressing traffic safety, driver and officer responsibilities and Texas law.

The program was planned in efforts to reduce accidents on highways and at Reese.

CAPTAIN ASSIGNED

Capt. Jerry D. Chandler, recently returned from Germany, has been assigned to the 3500th Pilot Training Squadron as an instructor pilot in T-38s. He is a graduate of Southern Methodist University, commissioned through Air Force ROTC.

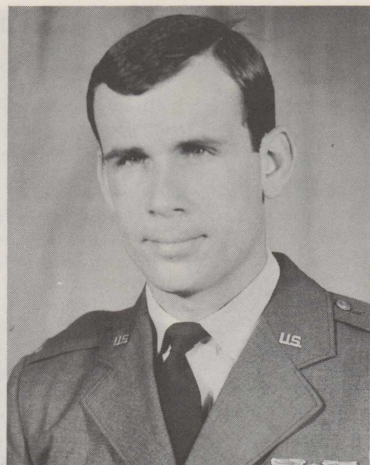
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LIEUTENANT NEHLIG

Young Officer Earns Honors

Outstanding work with students and ability to pass evaluation tests with high grades has won for 1st Lt. Steven F. Nehlig selection as instructor pilot of the month for August in the 3500th Pilot Training Squadron.

A letter recommending him pointed out that he qualified as an instructor pilot in the minimum time and on subsequent evaluations made extremely high grades. It also said his grade books are without error and are maintaining in an outstanding manner.

The lieutenant also was praised for unusually fine briefings, debriefings and mission planning and for bringing all his students to above-average status.

Lieutenant Nehlig also was credited with performing additional duties as scheduling officer and data processing scheduling officer in an outstanding manner.

Workshop Study Of ZD Planned

WRIGHT - PATTERSON AFB, Ohio (AFNS) — All major commands will participate in a series of Air Force Zero Defects workshops to be conducted during November - December by the Air Force Logistics Command. Plans call for a workshop at each three AFLC air materiel areas — Oklahoma City, Okla., Sacramento, Calif., and Warner Robins, Georgia.

Running from two to three days each, the workshops will provide for exchange of ideas and training in the administration and promotion of employee motivational type programs.

MEDICAL UNIT MOVES

CLARK AB, Philippines (AFNS) — Negotiations have been completed with the Philippine government for transfer of the Air Force's 5th Epidemiological Flight from Clark AB to downtown Manila.

Captain White

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called to the fact that he is a frequent high school athletic official as a member of the Southwest Football and Basketball Officials Association.

"Captain White has proven himself to be an exceptionally well qualified public speaker and, drawing on the experience of his recent year in Vietnam, he has developed a series of lectures which he delivers regularly to area, civic, church and school organizations," the recommendation letter stated.

"Captain White's performance has been outstanding and the fact that one individual has been able to accomplish so much in so many different fields is highly commendable," Col. Ernest T. Cragg, Reese wing commander, advised ATC.

"His speaking engagements and his church and Boy Scout participation occur during off-duty time which causes hardship to Captain White by taking him away from his family, but he never refuses a request and correspondingly serves as a reliable, responsible representative of the base."

Captain White, 32, is a graduate of Lubbock High School and of Texas Tech, where he lettered in football and majored in industrial engineering. In service since 1957, he received his commission through Air Force ROTC and his pilot wings through training at Webb AFB, Big Spring.

Birthday . . .

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Howe and his Quartet and the Ted Trapp combo.

Dress for the evening will be coat and tie for men and suitable attire for the ladies. Club decorations are to accentuate the Air Force birthday.

Each organization will have reserved tables throughout the night.

As an added incentive, Happy Hours will be from 6 to 7 p.m.

Ten Reese officers are listed with 19 years service. They are Maj. Lewis J. Cowart, Capt. Grover C. Crocker, Capt. Walter L. Haug, Capt. Walter M. Jenkins, Maj. Joe G. Leewright, Capt. Erwin R. Ostic, Capt. Ronald V. Slagel Jr., Maj. L. K. Springer, Capt. Franz W. Stauffer and Lt. Col. Claude W. Turner.

Reese has been an active installation of the Air Force 17 years of the 19 the service has been a separate organization.

Its mission has been to train pilots for every major command. Reese opened in January 1942 and operated until Dec. 31, 1945, as Lubbock Army Air Field. It was reactivated in October 1949. The installation has produced almost 16,000 qualified pilots, some of whom have risen to high positions in the Air Force.

Top Airman Wins Chamber Awards

A1C Arthur L. Behney, Reese airman of the month for August, late last week received recognition from the City of Lubbock and the Lubbock Chamber of Commerce.

He was made an honorary citizen of the city in ceremonies at a city commission meeting, with Mayor W. D. Rogers making the presentation.

David Bates, vice president of the First National Bank and member of the Chamber of Commerce Armed Forces Committee, in a separate ceremony presented awards from Lubbock merchants.

Behney became an honorary member of the chamber and was given use of a new Plymouth automobile for a weekend, the gift of the Fenner Tubbs Company. Airman Behney, who becomes a staff sergeant Oct. 1, received two dinners at Bruce's Aztec Inn, two tickets to the Lubbock Theatre Center play, "Gypsy," and a pair of tickets to the Texas Tech-University of Texas football game Sept. 24.

Teen Club Plans Saturday Dance

Saturday evening the teen club will dance to the music of the "Chaparrills" from 8 to 11 p.m. at the youth center. All youth ages 13 to 18 are invited if military dependent.

The youth center announces that on Oct. 1 all dances will be 50c per person plus required membership in the youth center.



COMMENDED—SSgt. Edward A. Walters of the Communications Squadron receives an Air Force Commendation Medal from Col. Charles U. Bromback, Western Communications Region commander, as Capt. Russell C. Buol, squadron commander, looks on. The sergeant earned the award at Clark Air Base, the Philippines. He was cited for preparing administrative materials and briefing administrative personnel in advance "in order to preclude problems in administrative services."

Rotarians Honor Sergeant's Child

Marshall L. Jones, 18-month old adopted son of SSgt. and Mrs. Marshall E. Jones, members of the Reese family, represented the Lubbock Cerebral Palsy Clinic (Avenue N and 34th) at the Levelland Rotary noon luncheon Wednesday in the Pioneer Hotel in Lubbock.

Little Marshall, adopted from the American University hospital in Beirut, Lebanon when he was 18 days old, exemplified the fine work of the Clinic when he attended the luncheon with his parents.

The palsy-stricken boy, having taken hours of physical therapy treatments at the Clinic, is beginning to show signs of improvement. He has experienced stiffened muscles and lack of coordination since birth.

Businessmen who attended the

luncheon contributed generously to the Cerebral Palsy cause at the annual Rotary Club Fund Drive meeting.

The sergeant and his wife have three children of their own, all girls: Wilma, age 11; Susan 9 and Janet 6.

Sergeant Jones is a T-38 aircraft technician.

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Softball

The intramural softball tournament scheduled Sept. 13-18 has been canceled.

The NCO Club is the site for tomorrow's intramural softball banquet scheduled to start at 6:30 p.m. Guest speaker for the event will be Col. Ernest T. Cragg, wing commander. Master of ceremonies will be Capt. LaVerne H. Neuhaus, chief of the information division.

A buffet-type fried chicken dinner will be served and a band will provide the dance music.

Various trophy presentations will be made at the banquet.

SCHOOL TO SHIFT
HOMESTEAD AFB, Fla. (AFNS) — Tactical Air Command's Sea Survival School will move here from Langley AFB, Va., this fall. Classroom studies will take place here while all the water portion of the school training will be conducted at a nearby site.

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CENTER AIDED—The Reese Officers Wives Club donated \$125 to the Milam's Training Center in Lubbock for purchase of a tape recorder to be used for music, teaching of speech and entertainment of the children. Here Mrs. Dwight Moody, OWC president (center) presents the check to A. R. Soderstrom, center executive director, as Mrs. Tom Walker, OWC welfare chairman, and Scott Andrews and Lyn Woodell look on.

OWC Schedules Thursday Bridge

The Officers Wives Club will hold party bridge at 1 p.m. Thursday in the Officers' Open

Mess with 100-point bonuses going to members arriving on time. Reservations are necessary and must be made by Tuesday noon with Mrs. Jan Andre, bridge chairman, 885-2684, or Mrs. Bill Singleton, SW 9-4011.

The September board meeting of the club is scheduled for 9:30 a.m. Thursday in the Open Mess. Mrs. Dwight Moody, past president of the OWC, hosted a luncheon, at the Open Mess Wednesday noon. Her guests were members of the board of directors and committee chairmen who served with her during her term of office.

ASSISTANCE AVAILABLE
WASHINGTON (AFNS) — Air Force members bound for duty overseas are advised to remind dependents that free legal advice is available to them through the Air Force legal assistance offices, maintained at all major bases.

Sleep At Night—Not In Flight (TOPS)

Mrs. Sergeant Sez . . .

By Janie Harmon

Numerous members and 10 guests attended a social sponsored by the NCO Wives Club Tuesday night in the NCO Open Mess.

Games were played with Winnie Keathley, Eona Flatman, Annette Skraggs, Mary Helmick, Cecelia Kurschinske, Shirley Smith, Sheila Loughrey, Shirley Scruggs, Janie Harmon, Ann McDonald and Nancy Michalkiewicz as winner. A special prize went to Darlene Main.

NCO wives not now members of the NCO Wives Club are urged to come out and join. If there are questions to answer calls may be made to Louise Ward, 885-4300, or Betty Morris, 885-4503.

Club Activities

Mathis Service Club
TODAY— Mrs. Emogene Murray instructs ceramics, 9:30 a.m. and 7:30 p.m.; Film showing, 6:30 p.m.

SATURDAY — Free art fun with Eve Strauss, 2:30 p.m.; Pool tournament, 5 p.m.; Small Games (evening).

SUNDAY — Carlsbad Caverns Tour: Bus leaves service Club at 7:30 a.m.; Designer Craftsman Workshop and Coffee Call, 2:30 p.m.; Films 7:30 p.m.

MONDAY — Las Vegas game night, 8 p.m.

TUESDAY — Free Learn-to-do-it Leathercraft Instruction, 7 p.m.

WEDNESDAY — Cancer Workshop, 10 a.m.; Ceramic Class, 7:30 p.m.

THURSDAY — Dance Time with the "Roberts" starting 8:30 p.m.

See the new fall T.V. shows in color at the Service Club.

Are your entries ready for the Designer - Craftsman Contest? There is still time to prepare an entry. The deadline isn't until Oct. 7.

NCO Open Mess

TODAY — NCO Dining In . . . The Club will be closed for normal business 6 to 9 p.m. After the Dining In open for business as usual, Guy Brooks and his Combo will play for dancing, 9 p.m. to 1 a.m.

SATURDAY — Guy Brooks and his Combo again will play dancing

SUNDAY — Attend the Church of your choice and then come by the Club for a Roast Pork Loin Dinner, 11:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m.

MONDAY — Happy hour.

TUESDAY — Happy hour.

WEDNESDAY — Corned Beef and Cabbage Dinner. Game night.

THURSDAY — Game night.

FRIDAY — Game night.

SATURDAY — "The Ghost and Mr. Chicken," Don Knotts, family.

SUNDAY — "Marco the Magnificent," Horst Buchholz, mature.

TUESDAY — "Up to His Ears," Jean-Paul Belmondo, mature.

WEDNESDAY — "A Man Called Adam," Sammy Davis, mature.

THURSDAY — "Ambush Bay," Hugh O'Brian, mature.

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TOPS IN TENNIS—Second Lt. James D. Mynar, 3501st Student Squadron, receives tennis trophy from Col. William C. Sipes Jr., base commander, in presentations in the base gym Tuesday. Lieutenant Mynar earned his singles crown late in June by defeating A2C Robert Rockhold in straight sets, 6-2, 6-4. First Lt. William McLean and Rockhold were presented trophies as the tennis doubles champions.

Lowry Office Wins Honors In ATC

HQ. ATC (ATCPS) — The Base Procurement Office at Lowry AFB, Colo., has been selected as the Air Training Command entry in the 1966 competition for the Air Base Procurement Award.

This is the second consecutive year that the Lowry office has received the command-level nomination. The office is currently under the direction of Maj. Marion H. Shoop.

The annual base procurement award program is sponsored by, and is under the direction of, the Air Force Logistics Command (AFLC). The purpose of the program is to promote greater effectiveness, efficiency and economy in the procurement of supplies and

services by recognizing the outstanding Continental United States procurement activity.

Tinker Unit Wins Watch Dog Trophy

TINKER AFB, Okla. (AFNS) — The Air Force Logistics Command's Oklahoma Air Materiel Area has received the Air Force Redistribution and Marketing Watch Dog Trophy for its outstanding job of "implementing Department of Defense policy of effective utilization, conservation and merchandising of Government property."

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POWERFUL AIR FORCE OBSERVING 19th BIRTHDAY

WASHINGTON (AFNS) —The United States Air Force observes its 19th anniversary as a separate service Sunday.

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Operating daily over Communist-menaced lands of Southeast Asia, Air Force members are part of the U.S. team committed to bringing freedom of political choice to the citizens of South Vietnam.

And they are meeting the test of combat with the same will to get the job done as aviators of other years gave to the tasks imposed by two world wars and the Korean War.

As a result of the increased demands of the Communist-inspired war in Vietnam, each of the 20 Air Force major commands and separate operating agencies has increased its support of combat operations.

On June 18, 1965, Strategic Air Command Boeing B-52 Stratofortress bombers began high-altitude raids from the

Western Pacific against Viet Cong supply depots and troop concentrations.

Tactical air units, flying fighter-bomber and reconnaissance missions stepped up air strikes to a current rate of more than 6,000 a month.

Airlift operations were increased by the Military Airlift Command and intratheater forces of the Pacific Air Command's Seventh Air Force.

Engineers and specialists from the Air Force Logistics Command organized special supply lines and established supply depots to meet the increased demands.

The Air Training Command increased training quotas and schedules to train flight and other support technicians.

Special air warfare research and development work was accelerated to meet the need for special equipment.

The Tactical Air Command accelerated the growth and readiness of its fighter, air assault, reconnaissance and special air warfare forces.

In the United States, Air National Guard and Air Force Reserve units supporting MAC flew more than 100 missions monthly in direct support of the effort on the other side of the world.

In every field of activity — operations, logistics, research and development and communications — the Air Force responded to meet the demands.

But Southeast Asia is not the only responsibility of the Air Force.

Under the direction of Air Force Secretary Harold Brown, who succeeded Eugene Zuckert in October 1965, the Air Force has continued to strengthen its operational capabilities.

Plans are under way for a manned orbiting laboratory to test man's ability to work in space.

SAC's first Minuteman II is operational at Grand Forks AFB, N.D.

The Air Force is developing the C-5A super transport to increase airlift mobility.

Flight testing on the General Dynamics F-111 variable-wing aircraft continues. The aircraft is planned for use by Tactical Air Command units as a fighter and by the Strategic Air Command as a bomber.

The first Lockheed SR-71 Mach three strategic reconnaissance aircraft is assigned to SAC's 4200th Strategic Reconnaissance Wing at Beale AFB, Calif.

The Air Force continues development of the YF-12A. This interceptor has already exceeded 2,000 miles per hour at altitudes in excess of 70,000 feet and holds nine world flight speed and altitude records.

The North American Air Defense Command is operating in its new combat operations center in Cheyenne Mountain, Colo.

An Air Force Titan III-C rocket boosted eight satellites into

perfect orbit in the nation's first step toward creating a global military communications satellite system.

Each action, in its own way aids the nation in deterring enemy aggression.

Additionally, the Air Force helps to prevent general war with its strategic missiles and aircraft — its aerospace defense missiles and aircraft — reconnaissance aircraft — and its strategic and tactical airlift. But of greater importance than the aircraft and missiles are the members of the Air Force who are experts in all phases of to-

day's aerospace activities.

The Air Force is a big organization. As an instrument of national policy, its operations are worldwide.

Air Force people and weapon systems are positioned on more than 190 major installations in the United States and 124 friendly countries.

There are approximately one and one-half million people directly involved in doing the Air Force job. This includes active duty officers — air men — civilians and members of the Air Reserve Forces.

VOTERS ARE URGED TO HAVE SAY EARLY

Reese personnel with permanent residence in the many states are being urged this week to cast absentee ballots as soon as possible.

The Air Force is anxious that all voters express their preference in the fall elections and have opportunity to vote in person or by mail.

September 28 has been designated as Armed Forces Voters Day and that date will terminate the Air Force voting campaign.

Voting officers have been assigned in each unit to provide information and to assist with sending applications for absentee ballots. Each is equipped with information on requirements for absentee voting in each state and

have proper forms for filing such applications.

Special effort is being made to assure that all military personnel going to Vietnam vote. Emphasis is being placed on the fact that Air Force men in Vietnam voice their opinions at the polls by voting while working to bring the vote to people of Vietnam.

Voting officers at Reese include 1st Lt. John L. Kreideweis, Air Base Group; Capt. Thomas J. Davies, Field Maintenance; Capt. Larry A. Clever, Organizational Maintenance; 1st Lt. Charles T. Carney, Supply; Capt. Robert J. Brandt, 3500th Pilot Training Squadron; 1st Lt. Ross F. Early, 3501st PTS; 1st Lt. John B. Peterson, Student Squadron; 2nd Lt. Michael Gherardini, Hospital; 1st Lt. Joe D. M. Hendrix, Communication; SSgt. Dale D. James, Fighter Interceptor Squadron; MSgt. LeRoy Bradford, Field Training Detachment; 1st Lt. John L. Benyak, Management Engineering Detachment; 1st Lt. Jeffrey D. Knezel, Resident Auditor; Capt. Von M. Liebernecht, Rescue Detachment; and Capt. William H. Johnson, Weather Detachment.

Most states require the application for absentee ballot be received 30 to 45 days prior to the election. Personnel are being urged to see a voting officer without delay.

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Junior Olympic and Bicycle Rodeo Trophies Awarded To Reese Youths

At presentation ceremonies in the Youth Center Monday night, Col. William C. Sipes Jr., base commander, presented trophies to Junior Olympic and Bicycle Rodeo winners.

The award for the best all-around youth athlete was presented to Pat Kennedy. Bob Waltrip received the honor as the best athlete exhibiting the most cooperation to the youth program.

Physical fitness trophies were presented to the following girls: Linda Martin, Donna Martin, and Carol Flatman. Male recipients were David Goldfein, Stephen Goldfein, Phillip Scruggs, and Pat Kennedy.

In field and track girl's division, Patricia Oxedine, Sherie Morton, Donna Gerds, and Patty Costello received trophies. In the boy's division trophy winners were Philip Byrom, Larry Grady, and Pat Kennedy.

Swimming trophies were awarded to Cathy Deshaies, Donna Martin, Janet Lawson, Carey Lawson, David Snyder, and Bob Waltrip.

In the bowling phase of the

Junior Olympics, trophies were presented to Steve Goldfein, Betty and Patty Costello, Betty Boddie, Linda Slagel, Pat Kennedy, Roger and Fernie Tamblin.

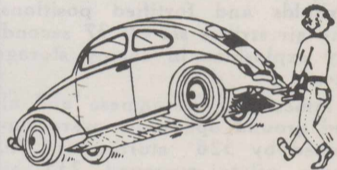
Bicycle rodeo champions receiving trophies were Bridget Gibbons, Donna Martin, Bill Gibbons, Bill Humphries, Michael Gibbons, and Jim Johnston.

Master of ceremonies was Edwin L. Hall, youth center director. MSgt. E. C. Martin Jr. announced the names of trophy recipients assisted by James Avery, assistant chief of personnel services.

Coach T. W. Byrom and team were presented a trophy for being the champs in Lubbock's Iddy-Biddy YMCA basketball league.

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TROPHY AWARDED—A2C Noel Shelby Hickam (right) accepts a trophy as winner in the base photo contest, which was judged Sunday. The judge, Hans Christian Aasted of Denmark, makes the presentation.



BEST PHOTO WINNER—Hans Christian Aasted (left) of Denmark presented a trophy to A2C Maurice McGuyer for winning in the black and white group of the annual Reese photo contest.

Airmen Win Photo Contest Trophies

A2C Noel Shelby Hickam and A2C Maurice McGuyer were named winners of the best of show entries in the annual Reese photo contest at Mathis Service Club.

Airman Hickam, assigned to the club, won on pictures for babies and children in the color transparencies group.

Airman McGuyer of the photo lab carried off top honors in the animals and pets category of the black and white photographs class.

More than 50 entries were made in the contest, which was judged by Hans Christian Aasted, member of the Royal Danish Photographers Society, Copenhagen, Denmark. The judge is visiting in Lubbock.

The entries were on display in the service club Sunday. Entries in each of the 14 categories were sent forward to Air Training Command, to compete against similar entries from each of the other ATC bases.

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★ ★ USAF VIETNAM BATTLE REPORT ★ ★

Communist resupply routes and storage facilities in North Vietnam were hit by Air Force pilots during the week ending Sept. 2, while pilots in South Vietnam concentrated on enemy troop areas and fortifications.

Air Force pilots continued their interdiction of North Vietnamese resupply routes and storage facilities during the week.

In raids on routes and rail lines, Air Force crews cut roads in 163 places and rails in 11. In other strikes along routes of travel, pilots destroyed or damaged 120 trucks, 190 convoy staging areas, 68 bridges, 65 barges, 38 causeways, 18 fords, 6 ferry complexes and 4 rail cars.

More than 139 buildings were destroyed or damaged by Air Force crews in strikes on 68 supply storage areas and 24 military camps.

Forty petroleum, oil and lubricant dumps and one ammo storage area were hit. Pilots triggered more than 113 secondary explosions and 150 fires during the strikes — most of which were against targets in the southern panhandle of North Vietnam.

Moderate to heavy anti-aircraft fire was encountered by most flights. Twenty-two of the anti-aircraft sites were destroyed or damaged. Two Air Force aircraft were downed Sept. 1. Both crews are listed as missing in action.

On 1,613 strike sorties, Air Force fighter-bomber pilots in South Vietnam attacked enemy strongholds with nearly 2,000 tons of ordnance.

Destroyed or damaged were 1,840 structures, 91 bunkers, 35 sampans and numerous trenches, foxholds and fortified positions. The air strikes set off 37 secondary explosions in enemy storage sites.

American, Vietnamese and allied ground operations were supported by 526 sorties as Air Force pilots averaged 235 air strikes per day, hitting enemy targets with 5,600 bombs of various sizes, 2,800 rockets and 500,000 rounds of ammunition.

A Lifetime Can Be Spent Misreading An Altimeter (TOPS)



RADAR BOMBING—Flying under radar control with a Douglas B-66 Destroyer, Republic F-105 Thunderchief pilots bomb a military target through low clouds over the southern panhandle of North Vietnam. Air Force pilots use radar to locate and bomb targets at night or in poor weather.



ATC in SOUTHEAST ASIA

(Editor's Note: The following release was compiled from information furnished by 1st Lt. Dave Bradley of Reese and MSgt. Cliff Johnson of Chanute, the Air Training Command information team currently on TDY in Southeast Asia to report on ATC activities in support of the U.S. Air Force in SEA.)

HQ. ATC (ATCPS) — A pair of young U.S. Air Force pararescue airmen, using the talents learned through training provided by Air Training Command, are earning high praise for their lifesaving efforts in South Vietnam. The two are A2C Allen R.

Stanek and A2C David A. Carl, members of Detachment 9 of the 38th Aerospace Rescue and Recovery Squadron which operated out of Pleiku AB. The 38th flies helicopter rescue missions in the central highlands of Vietnam.

The two young airmen are adept at their duties of jumping to give medical aid to wounded men, if needed, and helping hoist victims into the hovering choppers, all under the continuous threat of enemy fire. Between February and August this year, Airman Carl had 13 "saves" and Airman Stanek 12.

The careers of the two airmen have been largely in parallel since they entered the Air Force in early 1965. They trained together in jump school, survival school, medical technician training, scuba diving, mountain climbing and pararescue transition. They parted company only to learn the art of airborne fire fighting, with Airman Stanek going to Moody AFB, Ga., and Airman Carl to Shaw AFB, S.C.

Communications Commander Pays Visit To Reese

Col. Charles U. Brombach, Western Communications Regions Commander (AFCS) arrived at Reese a week ago Thursday for a staff visit to the 2053 Communications Squadron.

Upon his arrival, the Colonel was greeted by Col. Ernest T. Cragg, wing commander. After a brief discussion Colonel Brombach and Colonel Cragg, the visitors were escorted to the 2053rd Squadron area where the colonel presented the Air Force Commendation Medal to SSgt. Edward A. Walters of the squadron.

Following the presentation, Capt. Russell C. Buol and 1st Lt. Joe Hendrix conducted a briefing on base and squadron missions. Colonel Brombach and Captain Buol toured AFCS facilities for the remainder of the afternoon.

During the evening, Colonel Brombach and his staff officers and 2053rd Squadron. Officers and their wives attended a social hour at Captain Buol's home.

Colonel Brombach's staff included CWD Albert J. Seargeant, Orval M. Orman and SSgt. Bruce R. Whitely.

Comptroller Starts New Duties In ATC

HQ. ATC (ATCPS) — Col. Jerome P. Dufour has been named deputy chief of staff, Comptroller, Air Training Command, by Lt. Gen. Sam Maddux Jr., ATC commander, following the retirement of Brig. Gen. George H. Krieger.

Colonel Dufour, who has been assistant ATC comptroller for more than a year, was formerly the director of Management Analysis, Comptroller of the Air Force at the Pentagon, Washington, D.C.

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