

Class 70-05 Pins On Wings Tomorrow

Highest Medal Winner Speaks To Graduates

An address by a winner of the Congressional Medal of Honor will highlight graduation ceremonies tomorrow of Class 70-05 at the base theater.

Lt. Col. Bernard F. Fisher, presently assigned as operations officer with the 87th Fighter Interceptor Squadron, Duluth International Airport, Minn., was awarded the nation's highest honor for serving with bravery above and beyond the call of duty in actions in Southeast Asia. (See story this page.)

Sixty-seven students, including 59 Air Force officers, 6 Marines and 2 Danish cadets, will be awarded pilot wings with activities slated to begin at 10 a.m.

The graduates are:

Captains Stanley J. Buczak and Paul M. Miller II, 1st Lieutenants Daniel H. Heath and Daniel E. Pettyjohn, 2nd Lieutenants Carl A. Anderson, Chester W. Arnold Jr., Richard B. Badgley, James F. Barnette, and Lawrence M. Beach. Also, 2nd Lieutenant Donald R. Benson Jr., Steven H. Blair, Thomas M. Brown Jr., Robert A. Chamberlain, William T. Cheairs III, James B. Crawford III, John M. D'Angelo, Thomas J. Davis, William P. Dedrick, John L. Downs, Pickens N. Freeman Jr., Lucien P. Gabrick Jr., Stephen H. Geiger, Don R. Gieseke, Robert J. Gilday, Jark L. Goodman Jr., Merwin S. Hall II, John A. Hauswirth, Charles D. Honea and James L. Hull.

Others are 2nd Lieutenants Owen E. Jensen, Phillip N. Kelley, Terry J. Klungseith, Charles G. Laver, George B. Lawley Jr., Buddy G. May Jr., Amos L. McAllister, Thomas S. McGowan, Christopher A. Mealy, James D. Miller Jr., Donald S. Mitchell, Dennis W. Mosley, Robert W. Muir, Tommy E. Neel, John M. Noonan, James G. Peters, Robert I. Plant, William P. Rusher and Richard A. Sachitano.

Also, Chandler A. Sharon, Jr., Michael R. Smith, Bryan R. Spykerman, Edward J. Stapleton, Michael L. Sweeney, John S. Tymczyszyn, Michael Voss, Lewis J. Wheeler, James L. Wilkinson, Dennis P. Williams and Thomas F. Yuhas.

U.S. Marine Corps officer graduating are 1st Lieutenants Bruce B. Byrum, Michael D. Fleming, Lawrence K. Kelley, Jon W. Morrow, Maurice J. Sowell Jr., and 2nd Lt. James P. Walsh Jr. Royal Dutch Air Force graduates are A/C Sved L. Jensen A/C Leif B. Petersen.

1505 Tan Uniform Again In Season

Personnel are reminded that Sunday ends the mandatory period for wearing winter uniform combinations and 1505 uniform combinations are authorized when weather permits.

Also, according to an Air Force News Service release, sun helmets with the work utility uniform, have been approved where prescribed by the installation commander.

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Promotion Flow Brings Stripes To 26 Reesites

Twenty-six Reesites will be part of 12,349 Air Force enlisted men adding another stripe Sunday in what the Air Force Times termed the largest promotion month since the last strength cuts were ordered.

Reese airmen scheduled for promotion are:

To SMSgt.
James W. Stafford, 2063rd Communications Squadron.

To MSgt.
Warren A. Spanyard, Charles E. Stroud, 3500th Organizational Maintenance Squadron.

To TSgt.
J. H. Gable III, Reserve Officers Training Corps, Texas Tech University; Robert J. Jacobson, 3500th Pilot Training Wing.

To SSgt.
Horace O. Bedsale, Clayburn R. Danforth and Lyle J. Hortman Jr., 3500th PTW; Richard M. Bratton, 3500th OMS; Edd H. McGough, 3500th Field Maintenance Squadron; Richard MacKenzie, 3500th Air Base Group.

To Sgt.
Michael G. Abbott and M. O. Killion III, 3500th USAF Hospital; Charles L. Grand, Duane J. Ortiz, Victor W. Parmley and Larry D. Ryals, 3500th ABG; Tyler S. Gee, Freder J. Kreuzberg, David Suchodolski and Darrel G. Tucker, 3500th PTW; Michael P. Hogan, William L. Kovar Jr., Ronald D. McKenzie, Robert L. Payne Jr. and William Strickland, 3500th OMS.

According to an Air Force News Service release, March quotas for enlisted promotions are 692 more than granted in February and include the last of the selections to master sergeant carried over from the previous promotion cycle.

Authority also was forwarded for 681 officer boosts. These consist of 280 to major, 267 to lieutenant colonel and 134 to colonel. Included in the list announced earlier is Capt. Pratt D. Ash-
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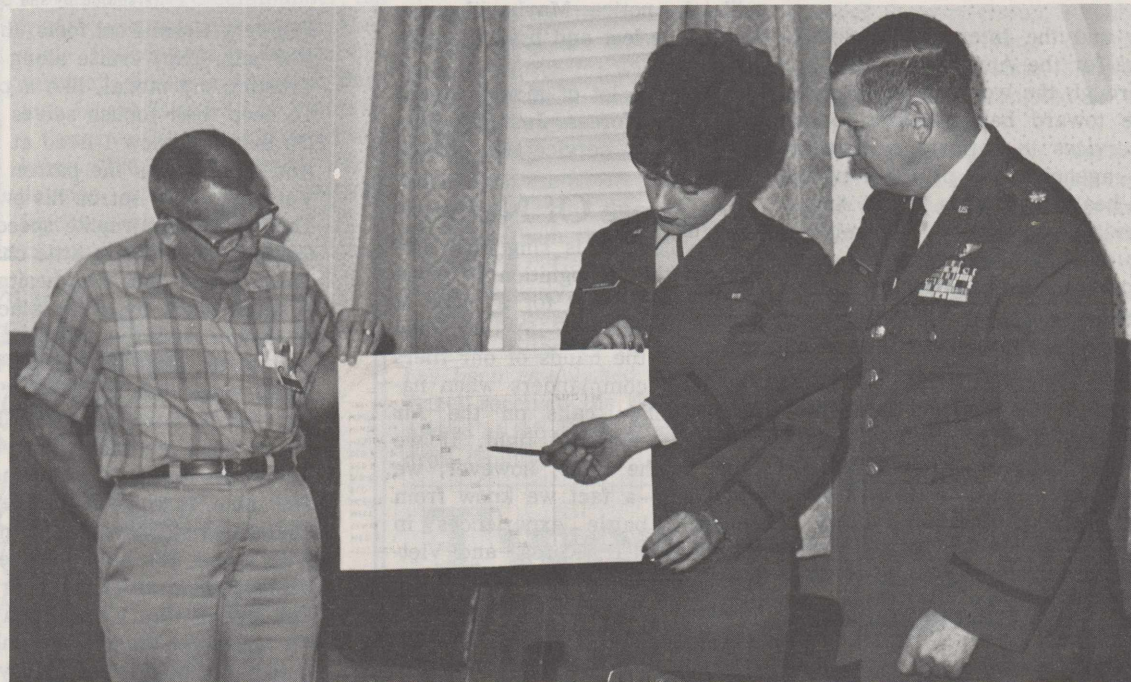
Later This Year

DCO Change Made Known

Reese AFB is due a new deputy commander for Operations later this year, replacing the present DCO, Col. Victor J. Fraley, who is due to attend Air War College at Maxwell AFB, Ala.

The new DCO will be Col. Victor E. Bocquin, currently serving as chief, Pilot Training Division, DCS/Personnel, Headquarters, USAF. Colonel Bocquin is a 1967 graduate of the Air War College and a 1959 graduate of the Air Command and Staff School, also at Maxwell AFB. He is a veteran of 27 years of service and returned from a tour in the Republic of Vietnam in February, 1969.

The announcement of the change was made during the Feb. 17 wing staff meeting.



CAMPAIGN BRIEFING—Lt. Col. Harold W. Hosack, chief, Personnel Division, at right, briefs unit representatives on the 1970 fund raising campaign for the National Health Agencies and International Services Agencies currently underway at Reese AFB. Holding the chart for Colonel Hosack are 1st Lt. Maryann Crenna, chief, Administrative Division, and Roland Sullender, maintenance analysis section. (U.S. Air Force Photo)

Participation Sought

Dual Fund Drive Opens In Month-Long Campaign

The 14th annual National Health Agencies and International Service Agencies fund drive will begin at Reese AFB Monday. The drive will carry through April 15 with 100 per cent participation of the base the object of the drive.

Campaign chairman at Reese is Lt. Col. Harold W. Hosack, chief, Personnel Division. He will be aided by representatives from all units on the base.

In announcing the campaign, Col. Clyde J. Morganti, wing commander, said: "With 100 per cent participation and really generous giving, we can make this our most successful campaign. The research, information and community service programs of the voluntary National Health Agencies deserve full support by all of us. Through the International Service Agencies, we help millions of people around the world in their daily struggle against hunger, sickness and human misery."

Each contributor will receive informational material about the agencies and he will be able to specify the amount of his gift he wants agencies of his choice to receive. The health organizations participating in this area are:

The National Society for the Prevention of Blindness, United

Cerebral Palsy Association, The American Cancer Society, The American Heart Association (Heart Fund), The Arthritis Foundation, Muscular Dystrophy Association of America, The National Association for Mental Health, The National Association for Retarded Children, The National Cystic Fibrosis Research Foundation, The National Foun-

ation—March of Dimes, The National Kidney Foundation, The National Multiple Sclerosis Foundation and The National Easter Seal Society for Crippled Children and Adults.

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Medal Of Honor Winner To Speak

Graduates Receive Treat

The graduation speaker for Class 70-05 tomorrow, Lt. Col. Bernard F. Fisher, is a former Navy man who later turned to the Air Force and became one of its most decorated heroes of the Vietnam War.

Colonel Fisher entered the Navy V-6 program in 1945 and was discharged in 1946. He was commissioned through the Reserve Officer Training Corps program upon graduation from the University of Utah in 1951. He took flight training at Marana, Ariz., Moody AFB, Ga., and Tyndall AFB, Fla. A series of overseas and U.S. assignments followed until he volunteered to

fly the McDonnell-Douglas A1E

Skyraider in Vietnam in July, 1965.

He was assigned to the 1st Air Commando Squadron at Pleiku, Republic of Vietnam. In March, 1966 he received nationwide publicity—and subsequently the nation's highest combat decoration—when he risked his life to save the life of a fellow pilot during the battle of Ashau Valley, landing his aircraft amidst heavy enemy fire to pick-up the downed pilot.

On Jan. 19, 1967 he was presented the Congressional Medal of Honor by President Lyndon B. Johnson in ceremonies at the White House.

In addition to the Medal of

Honor, Colonel Fisher's decorations include the Silver Star Medal, Distinguished Flying Cross, Air Medal with eight Oak Leaf Clusters, Combat Readiness Medal, American Defense Service Medal, World War II Victory Medal, American Campaign Medal, National Defense Services Medal, Armed Forces Expedition Medal, Vietnamese Service Medal, Air Force Longevity Service Award Ribbon and Small Arms Marksmanship Ribbon, Vietnamese Cross of Gallantry with Silver Bar and Bronze Palm and Meritorious Service Award.

COMMANDER'S COMMENTS...



Col. Clyde J. Morganti
Wing Commander

Full Participation Urged In Drive

By Col. Clyde J. Morganti
Wing Commander

The annual drive for funds to support the National Health Agencies and International Service Agencies begins Monday at Reese AFB. This campaign has my wholehearted support and we are hoping for 100 per cent participation on the base.

The Secretary of Defense, The Honorable Melvin R. Laird, in his memorandum to the secretaries of the military departments, quoted in part below, encourages support of these worthy organizations.

"The National Health Agencies and the International Service Agencies perform important services for the American people and for the people of other nations. Through the work of the National Health Agencies, progress is made toward better health for all as a result of medical research, services to patients, and public and professional education. These agencies are partners of the Government in the effort to improve health standards for all Americans. Through the International Service Agencies, we help millions of people around the world in their daily struggle against hunger, sickness and human misery. Our support of these agencies advances the case of human dignity and freedom."

The Secretary of the Air Force, The Honorable Robert C. Seamans Jr., adds this indorsement:

"Millions of people all over the world are engaged in a struggle for survival on a day-to-day basis. They are helped by the National Health Agencies which combat disease through medical research as well as on a personal basis, and by International Services Agencies which extended a helping hand to millions of persons in underdeveloped countries as they strive to live useful and productive lives. By supporting the 1970 fund appeals of these agencies, you insure a brighter future for many people who are greatly in need."

The enthusiastic and generous response to past appeals by Reese personnel will again be greatly appreciated. The campaign is conducted on a voluntary giving basis—the free response of an individual to an appeal which gives him full knowledge of the human needs involved and encourages him to contribute in relation to his financial ability and his responsibility as a good citizen.

Nickels, Dimes Make Difference In Utilities

Time was when you could tell if a military unit was leaving its ights on too long by the amount of kerosene used. When you wondered if water was wasted all you had to do was look in a metal drum. A mechanic couldn't imagine losing a wrench because he probably wouldn't get another one.

But in today's "society of abundance" it is hard to identify wasted resources. A person in the barracks can leave a light and a radio on and few people will take notice. Maybe it's easy to replace lost and broken equipment.

It costs a lot of money to run our armed forces. Just ask Congress. But servicemen should

want to save as much money as possible. This is where you come in. By conserving resources and supplies, you can wage a successful war on waste. As a supervisor, you must instill this concern in your personnel. As an individual, you must work toward the most economical operation possible.

Perhaps saving nickels and dimes doesn't impress you. But a few nickels and dimes saved weekly by each serviceman adds up quickly. Keep that in mind when you use utilities, supplies and equipment. Remember, the tax dollar you save will be your own. (Reprinted in part from Wing Spread, PACAF). (AFPS)

St. Christopher's Complaint

(Prepared by the USAF Chaplain Board)

I'm very tired. Pool fools, they look to me
For help. They cruise along at eighty-three,
Trusting my medal, like a potent charm,
To keep their foolish selves secure from harm.
Do they not know I lived at slower pace
And Hubert was the patron of the chase?
Yet they try to outrun his swiftest arrow,
They drive at turnpike speed on crooked, narrow,
Country lanes where little children play,
These gentle ones who hesitate to slay
A small black fly. They place their children's lives
In danger, risk the safety of their wives;
And speed, as to outrun the secret, still,
Small voice that whispers, "Man, thou shalt not kill."
I'm weary, Lord, watching Thy careless sons,
Please send me back where the deep torrent runs
And I can ford it in my own slow way.
Tell them, in voice of thunder, not to say,
"Saint Christopher, protect me," and go mad
With speed. It's hard to face a grieving Dad.
I'll help them all—hot rod or Cadillac—
For love of Him I bore upon my back.
I'll try to get them home unhurt, alive—
If they but hold it under fifty-five.

(By Margaret M. Hickey)

Quote Of Note

"I believe it is singularly important that recognition be given to a requirement for a piece of fine equipment (F-15) that must be put in the hands of our fliers and field commanders when national policy calls on the Air Force to fly—and fight. If we fight in the skies, however, we must win—a fact we know from our air battle experiences in World War II, Korea, and Vietnam. The objective should be clear—a fighter with support quality for close-in maneuvering combat, with the effective weapons need to defeat the enemy". (Brig. Gen. Benjamin N. Bellis, deputy for F-15, Air Force Systems Command, Washington, Feb. 6). (AFNS)

Full Blown Tragedy

LSD: Worth The Price?

A sugar cube spiced with a microgram of LSD is a full blown tragedy waiting to be swallowed.

It is waiting for a young man who seeks a few hours of escape from reality. Or the thrill of biting the forbidden fruit. Or the approval of his "friends."

For whatever reason, there is usually someone willing to take a trip to destruction. Destruction is the ultimate end of the LSD trip, and only the fortunate avoid that tragedy.

Medical authorities who have studied the drug have noted several alarming indications:

Results are unpredictable. A perfectly stable individual can

have a bad trip. Many users of LSD have been permanently institutionalized. In short, a single bad trip can result in permanent mental damage. This can occur on the first trip or any trip thereafter.

Possible birth defects. Studies of demale LSD users reveal an increased number of birth defects among their children. Laboratory experiments have proven that LSD can derange genetic structures in cells that govern reproduction.

Possible violence during the trip. A person under the influence of LSD is insane during the trip. In that state, he can harm him-

self or other persons present.

Flashback effect. In many documented cases, persons who have used the drug have had a recurring trip long after the last drug-induced trip ended. This flashback trip can occur at any time without the need of a dose. It can happend while driving, during duty hours, or at any time.

Unfortunately, science has learned very little about the drug. Only a few effects are known. Virtually nothing has been discovered about how the drug actually works.

The price of the drug cannot be measured in dollars. It can be more accurately measured by its own dangerous effects. It can be measured in the fear of the user. Fear of insanity, birth defects, violence or flashbacks. Fear of being discovered as a user. The drug, then, becomes a new and greater problem to the user.

The sugar cube spiced with LSD is waiting. Are you willing to pay the price? (ATCPS)

Don't Miss Out On Medical Benefits Through CHAMPUS

By MSgt. Robert A. Gregorio
As a military family, do you know what you are entitled to under the Civilian Health and Medical Program of the Uniformed Services (CHAMPUS)? Many military families are missing out on medical benefits because they are unaware of their rights under this program.

This program applies to dependents of members in all Uniformed Services — including the Commissioned Corps of the Pub-

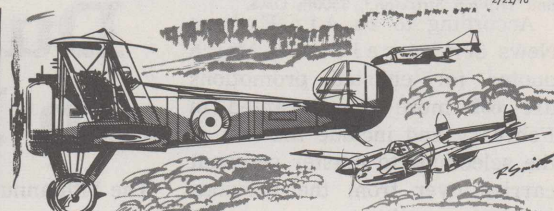
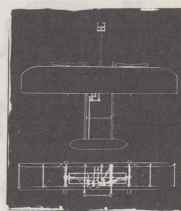
lic Health Service and the Environmental Science Services Administration. Also, retired members and their dependents and dependents of deceased members.

The basic purpose of CHAMPUS is to provide civilian medical care when such is not available in military medical facilities. This care falls under two different plans for payment, one is for outpatient care and the other is for inpatient care.

For detailed information about the two plans within the CHAMPUS program, a Department of Defense pamphlet is available at the hospital. Any questions you have concerning your eligibility under this program may be referred to the two CHAMPUS advisors who are available at the hospital registrar's office, ext. 2521.



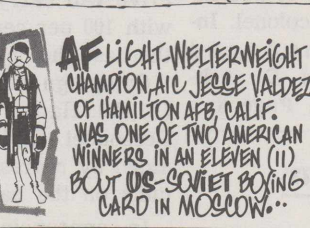
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FLYERS BY VINTAGE AND MODERN AIRCRAFT HIGHLIGHT AF PARTICIPATION IN 60th ANNIVERSARY OF FIRST MILITARY FLIGHT AT FT. SAM HOUSTON, TEX., MARCH 1. FLIGHT LASTED SEVEN (7) MINUTES...



AF CIVIL ENGINEERING NCO OF THE YEAR IS TAC'S MSOT. ELMER WIENECKE NELLIS AFB, NEV.



AF LIGHT-WEIGHT CHAMPION AIR JESSE VALDEZ OF HAMILTON AFB, CALIF. WAS ONE OF TWO AMERICAN WINNERS IN AN ELEVEN (11) BOAT US-SOVIET BOXING CARD IN MOSCOW...



AFC AIR TRAFFIC CONTROLLERS HANDLED MORE THAN 4 MILLION TAKE-OFFS & LANDINGS IN '69 IN VIETNAM—THE 'BEST AIRSPACE IN THE WORLD!'



20th TACTICAL AIR SUPPORT SQUADRON AT DA NANG AWARDED PRESIDENTIAL UNIT CITATION FOR HEROISM...

Sign Those Tax Returns

(An AFNS Editorial)

Federal income tax returns, like wills, contracts and other legal documents, must be signed to be complete.

The Internal Revenue Service reports that thousands of taxpayers forget to sign their returns each year. This can be particularly frustrating to those anxiously awaiting refunds.

On joint returns, both husband and wife must sign the return. Each share legal responsibility.

Signature of the taxpayer is necessary even if the return has been prepared by someone else. The taxpayer, not the preparer, is responsible for the accuracy of the return, according to IRS officials.

Unsigned returns are sent back to the taxpayers for completion. An exception to this rule is a joint return where the husband is a serviceman serving in a combat zone, such as Southeast Asia. In that case, the wife should

sign the return. In place of the husband's signature, "Combat Zone" should be entered.

Returning from the combat zone, servicemen are required to file a return within 180 days.

Deadline for other returns is April 15. Take another look at the return before sending it in. Make certain it is signed, that the social security number is entered and accurate, that the W-2 form is affixed and that the arithmetic checks.

Spookettes Speak

By Mrs. Charles Thomas
Members of A Flight held a pot luck supper at the home of Maj. and Mrs. Jim Hennigar Feb. 20. Guests bid farewell to Capt. and Mrs. William Gradinger who have been assigned to Columbus AFB, Miss., and to Capt. and Mrs. Charles Givens who have been reassigned to check section.

lowed by a student-sponsored steak supper at the community house with the instructors and their wives as guests.

Top Recruiter Receives DSM

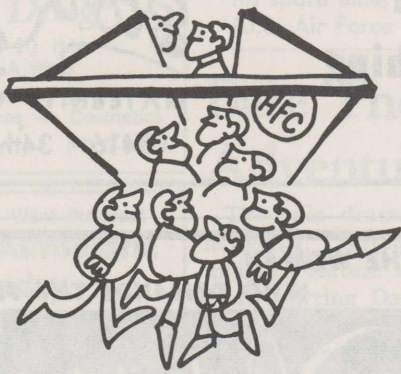
HQ. ATC (ATCPS)— Brig. Gen. Charles W. Carson Jr., commander of the U.S. Air Force Recruiting Service, Randolph AFB, Tex., received the Distinguished Service Medal during ceremonies at Air Training Command headquarters recently.

Presented by Lt. Gen. Sam Maddux Jr., ATC commander, the medal recognized General Carson's "exceptionally meritorious service" during a 17-month duty tour in the Republic of Vietnam.

General Carson was cited for helping the Vietnamese Air Force develop into a largely self-sufficient combat service.

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Talon Talk

By 1st Lt. Wayne M. Schnell
Three instructor pilots from the 3500th Pilot Training Squadron have recently been ordered to Turkey. However, it is doubtful that orders would be necessary to get them to go.

The three pilots, Captains Wayne E. Griffith, Joseph G. Schad and William K. Sheppard, were chosen to ferry three Northrop F-5 Freedom Fighters to Turkey and to return to Reese where they will relate their "war" stories to the troops left behind. They are slated to leave in early March for Williams AFB, Ariz., to check out in the F-5 Freedom Fighters. Once proficient, they will take the great northern route to Greenland, England, France and then to Turkey. We wish them the best of luck.

Second Lt. Gene E. Eckel of C Flight recently returned from his 24-hour honeymoon with his bride, Pamela. Although no connection has been established, Lieutenant Eckel received the Golden Boob Award at the 3501st Student Squadron dining-in.

If a certain Air Force second lieutenant does not stop trying to get taxi instructions from the whole world, he will find himself in the Navy where 242.0 is the only frequency. The Navy has expressed interest in this troop, but the Air Force claims they still need him. His instructor pilot has testified that this Talon driver will soon be broken of the habit. The newest addition to the squadron family is Sgt. Robert L. Madden who comes from the 12th Combat Support Group, Republic of Vietnam. Claiming Washington as his home state, Sergeant Madden will be assigned to the dispatch section.

After receiving their block of aircraft, Class 70-06 has been faced with the reality of survival school and has decided to practice first aid and other cold-weather survival techniques at Ruidoso, N.M. The proposed trip had not been undertaken by press time, but there are either a lot more skiers in Class 70-06 by now or a lot more would-be skiers in Class 70-07.

Pinkies Pantry Patter

By 2nd Lt. David A. Ortmann
Class 71-05 Information Officer
Class 71-05 has decided that the aviation physiology program was most surely concocted to boost a pilot's confidence.

First of all, we were enlightened about a few minor discomforts facing men who fly. For example: hypoxia, hyperventilation, the bends, the chokes, paresthesia, and autokinesis, coriolis illusion, the leans, redout, motion sickness, oculogravic illusion and blackout.

Also, we learned the various methods of ejecting unsuccessfully from the plane in case we are still able: nose-low attitude, less than 120 knots indicated air speed and lower than 100, 200, 2,000 or 10,000 feet (depending on the circumstances). A good rule of thumb is that for best, unsuccessful results, the slower and lower, the better.

If fate has us surviving the ejection, then frostbite, parachute opening shock and general equipment malfunction get a shot at us.

Finally, not to overlook even the remotest possibility, we are given a survival course that teaches us how to live on any kind of terrain, anyplace for about a 100 years or so until we are rescued.

Gentlemen, let's go fly!

Tweety Topics



By Capt. Gerald T. E. "Speedy" Gonzalez

First Lt. Roger W. Strandburg is B Flight's newest instructor pilot. Lieutenant Strandburg says he comes from a small town "somewhere in the vicinity of New York." Welcome to him and his wife Sara.

Capt. Norm Hartley and his wife Ann are in the process of leaving B Flight and the squadron for the shadowy corridors of the 3500th Pilot Training Squadron. Captain Hartley is presently attending ground school in the Northrop T-38 Talon with one of the student classes. The students' only complaint: "Why is it that RCAF captains attending T-38 classes never come to PT?"

Meritorious Achievements

A Flight and E Flight have recently soloed their first students in Class 71-04. A Flight's boastful student and speechless instructor:

1st Lt. James R. Bartelma and Capt. Bill Waterson. The E Flight counterparts were: 2nd Lt. Deane G. Booker and Capt. Mick Gayer.

The 3501st Pilot Training Squadron was recently awarded the Reese AFB Commander's Ground Safety Award for the fourth quarter of 1969. "Leave the driving to us . . . !"

Mentioned In Passing

Mary, Mary is no longer coming . . . Leave March 20 open however as A Girl Could Get Lucky (at the Hayloft Dinner Theater?) . . . Captain Sandy Babos was the last column's quote-worthy individual . . . Squadron's quote-worthy for this column: "How goes it?" . . .

Whose literary work appears on page 34 of the March-April issue of the New Mexico magazine?

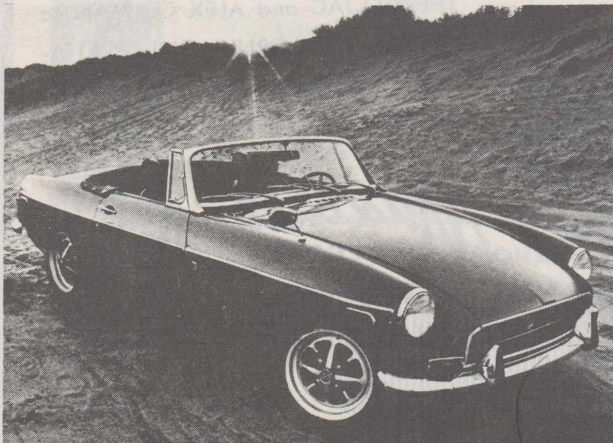
BE SAFE — NOT SORRY

Devillette Drivel

By Mrs. Marvin Eichmeier
The check section and operations section of the 3501st Pilot Training Squadron hosted a farewell party for Capt. and Mrs. Frank J. Hanley Jr. at the home of Lt. Col. and Mrs. William E. Moore Feb. 20. The group congregated in mass to a local club after dinner.

Also the check and operations section wives are making plans for their salad luncheon in honor of Mrs. Robert Walton. The luncheon will take place at the home of Mrs. Jimmy Smith, Wednesday at 2 p.m.

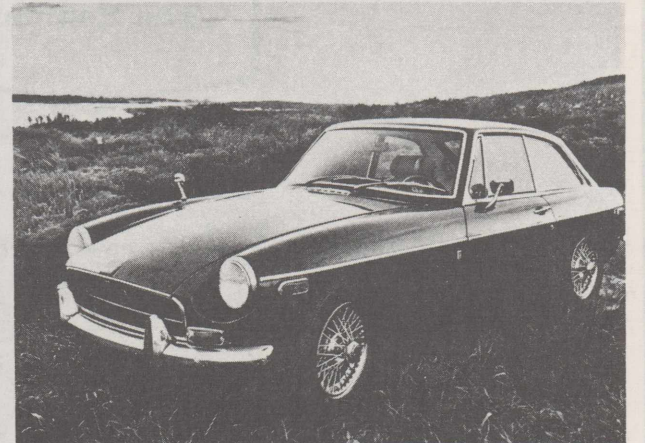
Overseas Motors Corporation Presents The 1970 MG Imports



1970 CHANGES on the popular MGB sports car include an all-new, all-black recessed grille, new mag-style wheels, a two-piece rear bumper, new washable vinyl reclining seats with improved head restraints, a leather covered steering wheel and more durable carpeting material. Radial ply tires are standard equipment and wire wheels are available as options. The MGB has a 1.8 litre, four cylinder, 92 hp engine and fully synchromesh four speed transmission. It is the best selling imported sports car in the U.S.



NEW STYLING FEATURES give the 1970 MG Midget a racy look. The black, recessed grille is all-new. The front bumper is sculptured and the rear bumper is two piece. A flat black stripe below the door sills from front to rear wheel well adds a distinctive touch. The steering wheel is leather covered for a surer grip and the new seats have improved head restraints. Mag-style wheels are standard equipment as are radial ply tires. Wire wheels shown here, are optional. The nimble Midget measures 137.6 in. overall and has a twin carburetor 62 hp engine.



THE MGB/GT fastback sports tourer for 1970 has a new recessed, black grille, split rear bumpers, chrome finish tail pipe, new seats with improved head restraints and a leather covered steering wheel. Radial ply tires and mag-style wheels are standard equipment. Chrome wire wheels, shown here, are optional. The car's slanted rear deck opens up for convenient access to the commodious luggage space behind the front seats. The MGB/GT is manufactured by British Leyland Motors, England's largest auto maker and is sold locally at OVERSEAS MOTORS CORP.

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OWC Monthly Luncheon Set For Thursday

By Mrs. George P. Swanson
Publicity Chairman

The Officers Wives Club monthly luncheon will be noon Thursday in the Officers Open Mess. Hostesses for the luncheon will be student's wives of Class 71-03.

Co-chairman for the luncheon are Mrs. William Parsons and Mrs. Edward Prasse. Senior hostess is Mrs. Richard Deschenaux of officer training section.

"What Have You Got To Lose" is the theme of the luncheon. In order for wives to find out what and where they may lose, a demonstrator from a local health spa will be the guest.

The Officers Wives Club singing group, The Skylarks, welcome any Officers Wives Club members who enjoy singing. Members who wish to work with the group toward their spring concert in May are urged to call Mrs. Isaac Copeland, 885-4396. The Skylarks meet every Monday evening, 8 p.m. in the Eagle Room of the Officers Open Mess.

Sergeant's Spouse Honored By Wives

Mrs. Bruce Anderson has been chosen the NCO Wives Club Member of the Month for March.

Mrs. Anderson has been a member of the NCO Wives Club for two years. In those two years she has served as assistant treasurer, welfare chairman, corresponding secretary and recording secretary—and most important, a faithful worker. She is also a member of the Red Cross Volunteer workers. Her hobby is sewing.

Mrs. Anderson and her husband, Sgt. Bruce Anderson, have two sons, Scott, 4, and Mike, 1.



VOLUNTEERS BRIEFED—Mrs. Marie Buck, (center) assistant coordinator for Family Services at Reese AFB, gives an office briefing to two new volunteer workers at the Family Service Center. At right is Mrs. Roger G. Stratford and at left is Mrs. David W. Waldron. New volunteers are always in demand at the center. (U.S. Air Force Photo)

Jimmy Heap And Band Play Tonight At NCO Open Mess

What is billed as one of the outstanding country and western show and dance bands in the Southwest, Jimmy Heap and his band, will appear at the NCO Open Mess tonight.

Jimmy Heap and his band are no strangers to country and western fans in military clubs. The Jimmy Heap Show features comic Ken Idaho.

An admission charge of \$1 per person is being charged for the show.

Open mess officials expect a

record crowd for the show and are urging members to obtain tickets early. They are being sold on a first-come-first-served basis at the cashiers offices at the open mess. No reservations will be taken. Music will be from 9 p.m. to 1 a.m.

There will be a special dinner served in the dining room that evening. The menu reads as follows: lobster thermador, del monico potatoes, salad, vegetables, rolls, coffee or iced tea. Price is \$1.25 per plate.

NCOWC Receives Kiddie Game Day

By Mrs. Wayne Upshaw
Publicity Chairman

The Reese AFB NCO Wives Club has voted to continue kiddies game day at the NCO Open Mess on the first and third Sundays of each month beginning at 2 p.m. The first session is scheduled Sunday.

The NCOWC will hold its March board meeting 7:30 p.m. Monday at the Family Services Center.

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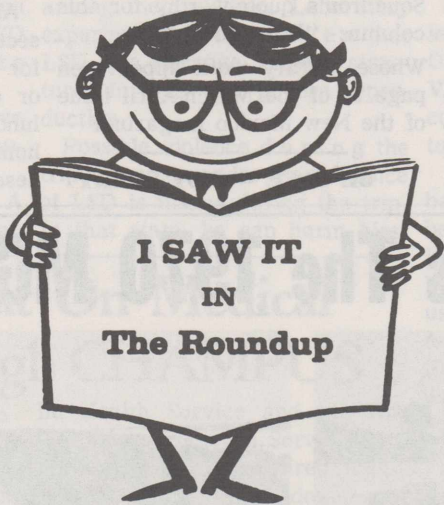
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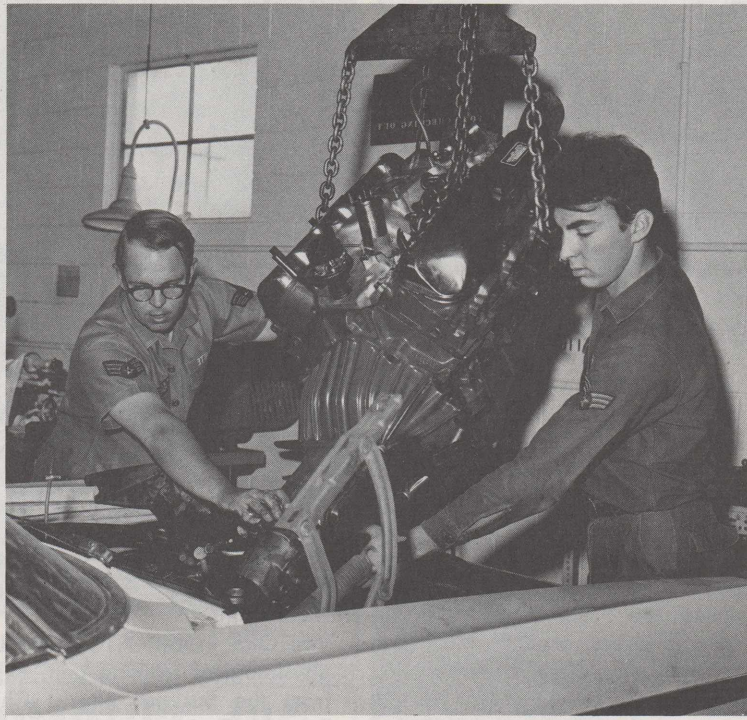
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HOBBY SHOP—Some projects at the auto hobby shop are very ambitious. In this one, Sgt. Dennis L. McLaughlin, left, Civil Engineering Division, and Sgt. Arthur D. White of the auto hobby shop replace an engine Sergeant McLaughlin completely overhauled while using the equipment of the shop in his spare time, saving himself a considerable amount of money. (U.S. Air Force Photo By Sgt. David L. Blenkhorn)

Base Theater Bill Features Adventurous Drama, Comedies

The epic drama of England's hero-king, "Alfred the Great" is tonight's feature at the base theater. Starring David Hemmings, Michael York and Prunella Ransome, the movie is suggested for mature audiences.

The adventures of a burro, a boy and a mountain lion hunter are featured in "Brightly of the Grand Canyon" as tomorrow's matinee. Suggested for general audiences, the movie stars Joseph Cotten, Dick Foran and Pat Conway.

"Who's Got The Black Box?" is slated for tomorrow at the theater. The suspense drama features Jean Seberg, Maurice Ronet and Christian Marquand and is suggested for mature audiences.

Zero Mostell and Gene Wilder star in Sunday's movie, "The Producers." The movie is suggested for mature audiences.

TAKE PRIDE IN YOUR UNIFORM

A small Italian village struggles with the well-disciplined Nazis for the possession of the town's wine supply in Wednesday's and Thursday's feature, "The Secret of Santa Vittoria." The warm, suspenseful and, at times, hilarious movie stars Anthony Quinn, Virna Lisi, Hardy Kruger and Sergio Franchi and is suggested for mature audiences.

MOVIE RATINGS FOR PARENTS AND YOUNG PEOPLE

The objective of the ratings is to inform parents about the suitability of movie content for viewing by their children.

- G** ALL AGES ADMITTED
General Audiences
 - GP** ALL AGES ADMITTED
Parental Guidance Suggested
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- ALL G, GP AND R FILMS RECEIVE THIS SEAL OF THE MOTION PICTURE CODE OF SELF-REGULATION

World Prayer Day March 6

World Day of Prayer will be observed at Reese AFB at 10 a.m. March 6 with a joint service involving Reesites and the Church Women United of Lubbock in the base chapel. The service will include a service of prayer and witness.

Leaders for the service will be Chaplain (Captain) Clyde F. Pressley Jr., Chaplain (Major) John Collins, the Reverend Lyman Wood and Miss Suzanne Benton.

The World Day of Prayer is celebrated on the first Friday of March with fellow Christians in more than 130 countries.

The theme for this year's program is "Take Courage". The theme was chosen and developed by a housewife from Egypt, a social worker from Guyana, a teacher from India, a church worker from the Philippines and was chaired by a woman in the United States.

The World Day of Prayer program is a significant expression of lay women.

A nursery will be provided at the base nursery for military and

at St. John United Methodist Church.

The World Day of Prayer committee is headed by Mrs. Clyde J. Pressley Jr.

Church Services For This Sunday

- Catholic Services**
 Sunday Mass
 10 a.m. and 12:15 p.m.
 Saturday Mass 5:30 p.m.
 Confraternity of Christian Doctrine—11 a.m.
- Protestant Services**
 General Protestant Worship
 9 and 11 a.m., 6 p.m.
 Sunday School—9:45 a.m.
 Protestant Youth of Chapel Program—6:30 p.m.
 (All activities are held in the base chapel or adjacent chapel support facility.)
- Jewish Services**
 All Jewish personnel are invited to attend services at the Congregation Shaareth Israel, 1706 23rd St., Lubbock, Tex. Services begin at 8 p.m. each Friday evening.

Mathis Service Club Forming Guitar Group, Little Theater

Personnel who are interested in forming a singing guitar group are invited to bring their guitar to the Mathis Service Club Sunday at 7:30 p.m.

The Reese Little Theater is in the planning stage now.

An organizational meeting will be held Thursday, 7:30 p.m. at the Club. All interested persons are urged to attend.

Other activities this week include:

Today — Ceramics, 9:30 a.m. to 7:30 p.m.; table games, 7:30 p.m.

Tomorrow — Table tennis tourney, 3 p.m.; basketball games on television, 3 p.m.

ATC Representative Named

HQ. ATC (ATCPS)— Col. Howard E. Dey, Air Training Command director of Security Police, will represent the command at a U.S. Air Force-sponsored Security Police training conference at Lackland AFB, Tex., March 9-12.

Sunday — Coffee call and shuffleboard tourney, 2 p.m.; pool tourney for monthly trophy, 3 p.m.; airmen's guitar hour, 7:30 p.m.

Monday — Ceramics, 9:30 a.m.; game night, 8 p.m.

Tuesday — Pinochle, 7:30 p.m.
 Wednesday — License plate issuance, 9 a.m. to 3 p.m.; Protestant Men of the Chapel, 7 p.m.; ceramics, 7:30 p.m.

Thursday — License plate issuance, 9 a.m. to 3 p.m.; free chess instructions, 7:30 p.m.

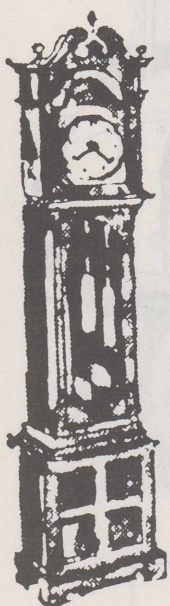
Pay Record Check Slated Next Week

A finance team from Sheppard AFB, Tex., will be at the NCO Open Mess Monday and Tuesday to conduct a military pay record review.

Pay statements will be available Monday, 8:30 a.m. to noon and 1 to 4 p.m., and Tuesday, 8:30 a.m. to noon.



COOKIE SALE—Three Reese AFB girl scouts moved in on Col. Clyde J. Morganti, wing commander, Feb. 20 to sell him the first box of cookies to be sold during the Girl Scout cookie sale being conducted throughout the base today. With Colonel Morganti are Peggy Kalmes, 11, Lori Rodeffer, 11, and Helen Zoch, 9. (U.S. Air Force Photo By Sgt. David L. Blenkhorn)



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10-Year-Old Makes Appeal For Wing Insignia

Young AF Supporter Requests Cloth Patch

A 10-year-old boy in New Jersey has sent out an appeal for a cloth patch worn on the chest of student pilots.

In a letter addressed to the commanding officer of the 3500th Pilot Training Wing, Mike Cheeseman, 12, Grove St., Glassboro, N.J. writes:

"Dear Sir: The reason I am writing to you at this time is that you or one of your officers under your command would or could

send me a cloth patch from your training wing. I have been collecting patches for the better part of a year. I am 10 years old and in the 5th grade.

"Sir, my family and I are very proud of what the Air Force has done in our past wars and the one we are now involved in. My father was a member of the Air Force for four years, 1951-1955. I cannot express the love I have for this country as I am sure

dedicated men like yourself cannot.

"I hope that you can send me some information about your wing and about yourself. God bless you and the men under your command and much luck to all of you in our careers. Your friend, Mike Cheeseman. P.S. Hope that we can all meet someday."

Anyone having a cloth wing patch they would like to send this young Air Force supporter may send it direct, or drop it by the Information Office, building 815, from where it will be forwarded along with the requested literature.



VISITORS TOUR—A1C Jerry L. Stephens, assigned to the physiological training unit, explains the ejection seat to visitors from the Buckner Baptist Children's Home who toured base Feb. 21. Trying out the seat is Stephen Gregory, 11. (U.S. Air Force Photo By Sgt. Michael Wissman)



THIRTY YEARS—W. H. Smith, base commissary civilian worker, receives a 30-year service certificate and pin from Col. Victor J. Fraley, deputy commander for Operations Feb. 20 at wing headquarters. Ten others received 20-year awards and another 10 received 10-year awards. (U.S. Air Force Photo By Sgt. David L. Blenkhorn)

Civilian Workers Recognized For Years Of Federal Service

An award for 30 years of Government service was awarded Feb. 20 to W. H. Smith, base commissary. A score of others received 20-year and 10-year awards respectively.

The awards were presented in the lobby of wing headquarters by Col. Victor J. Fraley, deputy commander for Operations.

Receiving 20-year awards were: Ralph E. Denney, Robert L. Evans, Herminio E. Lara, Clifford L. Robinson, Charles B. Shipman Jr., Edgkar M. Davis, Ronald F. Thompson, Arthur Lewis, Joseph L. Burnett and Mary M. Thomas.

Receiving 10-year awards were: Stella M. Davis, Cleone M. Hamaker, Alfred A. Brockopp, William E. Wells, William D.

Holder, Robert R. Williamson, William J. Droll, Sisco A. Purdy, Maye T. Huckabee and Melverdie S. Jones.

Panel Examines Use Of WAPS

LACKLAND AFB, Tex. (ATCPS) — Would the Weighted Airman Promotion System (WAPS) be effective in determining promotions to senior and chief master sergeants?

That question has been tackled by the Air Force Human Resources Laboratory, Lackland Military Training Center, at congressional request.

Three methods of inquiry are being employed in search of the answer: specifically-tasks panels to study the project; surveys from airmen in the grades affected; and recommendations from senior non-commissioned officer promotion board members.

Three panels, each consisting of six colonels and six chief master sergeants from bases around the world, were assigned to the project in January.

Surveys were sent out to the field to be completed by master through chief master sergeants, and their supervisors, for "grass roots" thinking on promotion systems.

The third input into the project will consist of recommendations from noncommissioned officer promotion board members.

Results will be collected and analyzed in April or May with subsequent recommendations made to Air Force headquarters.

Special Services Becomes Division

A major change has been announced concerning the structure of Reese AFB that moves Personnel Services from under the Personnel Division to a division in its own right known as Special Services Division.

With the change, the NCO Open Mess, previously under Personnel Division, becomes a part of Special Services Division and the education office, previously a part of personnel services, now is directly under the Personnel Division.

Effective date of the change was Monday. Heading the new Special Services Division is Maj. Charles C. Gaylord, who headed the unit before.

Air Force Seeks Non-Coms For Duty In Computer Field

HQ. ATC (ATCPS)— The Air Force is seeking qualified non-commissioned officers to fill vacancies in the computer field.

Shortages exist in Air Force Speciality Code (AFSC) 685XO, Data Processing Machine Operator, and AFSC 687XO, Programing Specialist.

In order to qualify, volunteers must:

Be in the staff to master sergeant rank spread.

Have at least seven but not more than 16 years service.

Have scored a 60 or better in the General category of the Airman Qualifying Examination.

Possess a Control AFSC listed as a balanced or resource specialty on Attachment 1 to Air Force Manual 39-4 .

Additionally, volunteers must score at least 71 on the Elec-

tronic Data Processing Test for entry into course 3ABR..8730, or 57 for course A3BR6530.

Those selected will attend technical school at the Sheppard Technical Training Center, Sheppard AFB, Tex.

For detailed information, interested Air Training Command NCOs should contact the formal training section of their local Consolidated Base Personnel Office.

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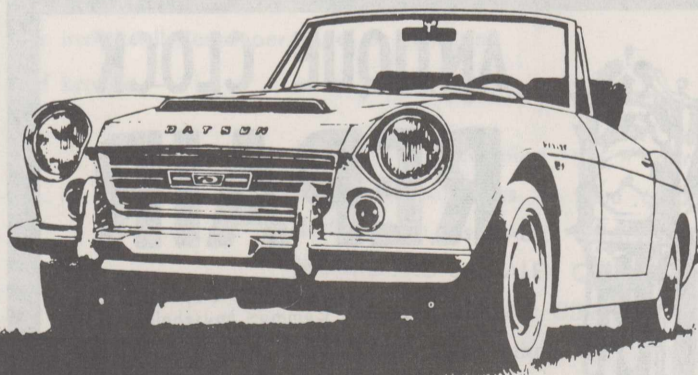
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RECEIVES TROPHIES—TSgt. Howard Lofland, coach of the Reese Rattler basketball team, holds the Consolation Trophy and Sportsmanship Plaque won by the Rattlers at the Veterans of Foreign Wars Invitational Basketball Tournament played last weekend at Spur, Tex. See story below. (U.S. Air Force Photo)

Rattlers Gain Consolation Win At Spur Invitational Tourney

The Reese Rattler basketball team closed out its season last weekend, winning the consolation bracket of the Spur (Tex.) Veterans of Foreign Wars Invitational Basketball Tournament, and being awarded the coveted Sportsmanship Plaque.

Reese lost its opening game Feb. 19 to the eventual winners of the tournament, Lubbock Parks and Recreation, by a score of 84-82. The game was declared the

best of the tournament, with Reese losing it on a last second basket.

Reese came through Feb. 20 with a 77-62 win over T&D Sporting Goods of Lubbock, and won the consolation bracket Saturday with a 63-51 win over Post (Tex.)

It marked the final action of the season for the Rattlers as they turned in their uniforms Tuesday.

Supply Strong In Intramural Bowl League

Supply continues to strengthen its lead in the Reese AFB Intramural Bowling Tournament. Hospital became Supply's latest victim, losing 3-1 in last week's action.

Air Base Group moved into second place by virtue of a 4-0 sweep over FMS, which fell to third. AFCS won 4-0 over Weather and Cecil Dunn bested OMS, 3-1. Standings are as follows:

TEAM	W	L
Supply	62	30
ABG	56	36
FMS	55	37
OMS	49½	42½
AFCS	39½	52½
Weather	37	55
Hospital	35	57
Cecil Dunn	34	58

Jerry Beck recorded the high individual series, 623 pins. Cliff Hatmaker rolled the high game—233 pins. Beck was right behind with a 232 game.

Bowlers To Vie For ATC Spots

Reese Lanes will sponsor a roll-off next month to determine who will represent Reese AFB in the ATC Bowling Tournament scheduled for Chanute AFB, Ill., May 5-9.

The roll-off will be conducted Mar. 7-8, 14-15 and 21-22—all weekends. There will be six games each day starting at 1 p.m. for a total of 24 games. The contestants rolling high will be picked for the ATC team.

For further information contact Al VanDusen, 885-2640 or duty phone 2455, or call Reese Lanes, ext. 2504.

Intramural Volleyball Standings

Air Base Group and Class 71-04 are undefeated and leading in the Reese AFB Intramural Volleyball League after the initial week of play.

The standings through Feb. 20 are as follows:

TEAM	W	L
Air Base Group	2	0
Class 71-04	2	0
3500th PTS	3	1
3501st PTS	2	2
OMS	1	1
Supply	1	1
Students #1	1	1
Class 71-03	0	2
Class 71-02	0	2
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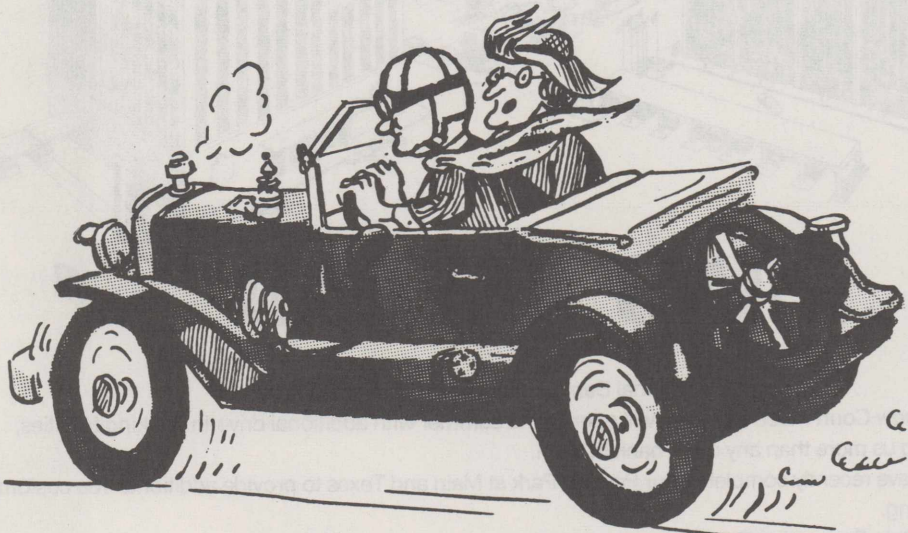
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Academy Graduate Earns Praise From Squadron

Capt. Stephen H. Lawrence has been selected as Instructor Pilot of the Month for January by the 3501st Pilot Training Squadron.

Assigned to A Flight, Captain Lawrence also acts as flight scheduling officer, matching syllabus and flying time requirements, training continuity and individual student needs for maximum effect. In addition, he has

recently completed training as a senior runway supervisory unit controller.

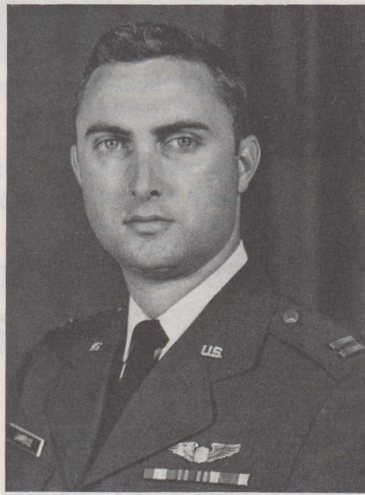
According to Lt. Col. William E. Moore, 3501st PTS commander, "Captain Lawrence is rated among the very finest of his contemporaries, both as an officer and as an instructor pilot. His understanding, patience and devotion to his job have often meant

success to many students learning to fly under his instruction. He is directly responsible for instilling a professional attitude which favorably influences career progression and future value to the Air Force.

"Captain Lawrence's willing attitude, competence and dedication to duty have contributed significantly to the Air Training Command mission," Colonel Moore concluded.

A native of Houston, Captain Lawrence attended Rice University and the U.S. Air Force Academy, graduating with a bachelor of science degree in engineering science. He was graduated from Purdue University, Lafayette, Ind., with a master of science degree in astronautical engineering.

Captain Lawrence and his wife, Lynda, have one daughter, Elena, 2.



Capt. Stephen H. Lawrence

Officials Clarify Classifications For Assignments In Thailand

WASHINGTON (AFNS) — Air Force consolidated base personnel offices have been instructed to insure that all personnel destined for assignment in Thailand fully understand the length of the duty tour they will serve.

In September the Air Force deleted the 24-month "accompanied by dependents" tour in Thailand, except for those personnel stationed in the Don Muang RTAFB whose tour was extended from 12 to 18 months. Normal tour length at other bases in Thailand is 12 months.

Married personnel scheduled for assignment to Don Muang RTAFB have the option of serving either a 24-month accompanied tour or an 18-month unaccompanied tour, if they are entitled to transportation of de-

pendents at Government expense.

Personnel officials report that more than half of the airmen arriving at Don Muang RTAFB since the September tour policy change have been unaware of the extended length of the unaccompanied tour.

This has created some personal hardships. Personnel, unaware they will incur 18 months' family separation, have elected the "all others" tour and exhausted their transportation entitlements by moving their dependents and household goods to a designated location in the United States.

Approval of dependents travel to Thailand rests with the commander, U.S. Military Assistance Command, Thailand.

Promotions . . .

(Continued From Page 1) worth, slated for promotion to major Sunday.

The enlisted quotas call for 706 promotions to master sergeant, 297 more than were made in February. The quota exhausts 408 selections from the fiscal year

1970A list which were programmed to be completed in November. Each of these airmen will be given a Nov. 1, 1969, date of rank to insure future promotion consideration on an equitable basis with their contemporaries.

Also effective March 1 will be 298 promotions to master from the FY 1970B list which includes 1,198 selections. Air Force officials expressed hope that these selections along with 1,011 others named on a supplemental selection list to master will be effected by the end of the cycle in May.

The balance of the March 1 quotas call for 71 promotions to chief; 155 to senior; 828 to tech; 1,913 to staff; and 8,676 to sergeant. Except for staff, each of the quotas is larger than in February figures.

Carryovers from 1969 continue in promotions to senior and chief. The March quotas leave 1,106 on the list for senior and 290 to chief. Further back on the waiting list are 1970 selections of 1,345 to senior and 687 to chief.

Each of the carryover selections to the supergrades from the 1969 list receive a Dec. 1, 1969, date of rank.

License Plates Again On Sale At Reese AFB

Reesites will have their last chance to purchase 1970 vehicle license plates Wednesday and Thursday at the Mathis Service Club when deputies from the Lubbock County Tax Collectors-Assessors Office will set up shop from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m.

Vehicles must bear the new 1970 plates when operating on streets and highways after midnight, April 1, or the owner will be ticketed.

Those persons wishing to purchase the 1970 license plates at Wednesday's and Thursday's sale must have had their vehicles registered in the state of Texas during 1969 and have the necessary papers. These include proof of ownership through the pre-registration papers or title to the vehicle and the copy of the 1969 receipt for their license plates. All others must go to the Lubbock County Courthouse for registration.

Tax officials have asked registrants to bring enough cash to cover the cost of the plates. The maximum weights and cost of such are as follows: Up to 3,500 pounds—\$12.30; 4,500 pounds—\$22.30; 6,000 pounds—\$30.30; and \$5.30 for all motorcycles. Fees for trailers depend on the weight of the trailer.

ATC Small Business Specialists Named

HQ. ATC (ATCPS) — Two civilian employees have been designated Air Force Small Business specialists at Air Training Command headquarters.

Glenn P. Ramsey and James E. Venuto received Air Force certificates of appointment from Col. W. D. Wilkinson, ATC Procurement director, at ceremonies here.

There is a small business specialist at each ATC base, officials here said.



EGRESS TRAINING—Three members of the Texas Department of Public Safety are briefed of the proper egress methods by TSgt. Kenneth L. Molloy, Detachment 4295 Field Training Detachment, during egress training for members of the police department Feb. 20. The officers, from left, are Sergeant Thurman Keller, Lieutenant James A. Mason and Captain Furman C. Carpenter. (U.S. Air Force Photo)

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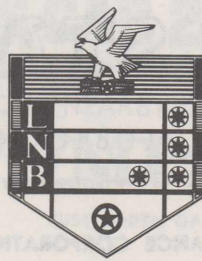
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Our new Court Place Complex will open in the summer with additional drive-in banking facilities, giving us more than any other bank in town.

We have recently completed our Parking Park at Main and Texas to provide additional free customer parking.

Our Data Processing Center has moved into new, larger quarters and additional equipment is being installed.

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