

The first national holiday proclaimed by a President of the United States, Thanksgiving Day, is a uniquely American observance.

This year, we mark the holiday on the anniversary of that first national observance on Nov. 26, 1789. As we look back to that day, we are inspired by the achievements of so many Americans who have made our country the great defender of freedom to people everywhere and who have inspired us to pass the torch of liberty forward from one generation to the next.

It was fitting that the great general and statesman who led us to victory in the revolutionary war was chosen to fill that first Presidency of our nation. It is equally fitting that among those credited with creating and preserving the American spirit that has thrived since the days of General Washington are the men and women of our armed forces.

I look ahead to the decade of the eighties as a period of renewal and reaffirmation of our national spirit.

To each member of our military forces, I say, thank you - from me and from a grateful nation — for the spirit and strength you represent as we face the challenges of the future. It is through a strong, well-equipped, and dedicated military force that America will reclaim its traditional image and its role of leadership in the world.

Nancy and I send each of you our personal wishes for a happy and bountiful Thanksgiving Day.

Sincerely, Ronald Reagan

Thanksgiving is that very special occasion on which, traditionally, families join together to give thanks for an abundance of blessings.

For you, the nation's men and women in uniform, this reunion is not always possible. Your commitment to our country's security often requires duties far from home and loved ones.

This year's observance of Thanksgiving finds our nation at peace. For that all Americans can be proud — and thankful. Yet, the peace we know today has not come easily.

We are mindful of the pilgrims' labors and sacrifices in our country's early years. Their qualities of teamwork and dedication 36 years ago are relevant to each of us today. Over the years, our armed forces have been at the forefront, protecting the liberties unique to our land.

On behalf of the members of the Joint Chiefs of Staff, I wish each of you, and your families, a happy Thanksgiving and continued enjoyment of the blessings we are privileged to share.

David C. Jones, General, USAF

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Thanksgiving: What's it all about



Chap. (Lt. Col.) Philip E. Grimmett

by Chap. (Lt. Col.) Philip E. Grimmett installation chaplain

Thanksgiving is always a significant time. It is a time of national reflection on the goodness of God and a time of celebration among families on a very individual basis.

At the same time it is significant in a corporate sense for all Americans wherever they may find themselves on Thanksgiving, for it is a holiday that is rooted deep in the heritage and tradition of our nation. History tells us that it was President George Washington who issued the first Presidential Thanksgiving proclamation in 1789, strangely enough not in commemoration of the Pilgrim act of Thanksgiving, but rather in honor of the new constitution.

It was President Abraham Lincoln who first established Thanksgiving Day as we celebrate it now and it was finalized by President Franklin Delano Roosevelt. It truly is a holiday as old as our nation. However, it is a concept that is older than that.

Many attribute our Thanksgiving Day to the Pilgrims of Plymouth Rock in 1621, but their act of Thanksgiving came from the Hebrew and Christian religions that place gratitude and thanks to God as first and foremost in a meaningful life. A meaningful life for individual and nation. It also puts our material life in proper perspective.

A Muslim proverb from the religion of Islam gives some insight into this perspective. It states: "Who so craves wealth is like a man who drinks sea water; the more he drinks, the more he increases his thirst, and he ceases not to drink until he perishes".

We are a nation of individuals who are blessed materially by the standards of the world. That blessing carries with it the awesome responsibility of using it wisely and carefully. Also it carries with it the awesome obligation of offering our gratitude to the creator who has given it to us in the first place. The spiritual quality that will keep us from destroying ourselves in our material abundance.

On Thanksgiving Day we will celebrate the holiday in many different ways throughout our land. For some it will be witnessing collegiate and professional athletes participating in some of the rivalries that abound on the football fields of our land. Some will gather at the old homestead and reminisce with family and friends. Some of us will have the opportunity to witness some of the spectacular parades, either in person or on TV, that are held in some of the cities of our nation.

But all of those things, as good and enjoyable as they may be, are all material and in many ways superficial. We need then to realize the possibility of a true Thanksgiving, the real reason for gratitude, the thanking of God for a bountiful life.

May this Thanksgiving be the most memorable one that we have ever celebrated by enhancing the spiritual qualities of the holiday without the temptations of our material blessings clouding the issue. Let us then thank God for all the blessings that are ours and may it be a real Thanksgiving in the truest sense of the word.

Vet services cautions Thanksgiving chefs

by Capt. Steven L. Peterson chief, veterinary public health

Foodborne illness is one of the most prevalent communicable diseases in the United States.

Many of the foods responsible for these outbreaks are those common to the holiday season; dressings, gravies, egg and meat salads, shellfish, cream filled pastry, and improperly cooked and refrigerated turkey and ham. It would then seem appropriate that as this season approaches we take a few moments to review some methods by which we may minimize this potentially serious illness.

Some recommendations to prevent a spoiled holiday are:

Frozen turkey should be moved to the chill compartment of the refrigerator about three days prior to the holiday to defrost. Do not defrost meat or poultry items at room temperature or immerse them in water.

The internal compartment of a turkey should never be filled with dressing until the fowl is completely thawed.

To avoid overcooking some por-

tions of the turkey, while at the same time adequately cooking the stuffing, it is advised that the turkey and dressing be cooked separately.

The cooking temperature of the turkey should reach 165° in the thickest part of the breast to insure thorough cooking. Use of a meat thermometer between the first and second ribs is recommended.

Never allow food ingredients to remain in the 45-140° range for-more than four hours during stages of preparation, holding and serving.

Never refrigerate cooked whole turkey for overnight storage without first deboning and slicing it. Pieces should be refrigerated in small enough portions to cool rapidly and thoroughly.

Leftover stuffing should be removed from the turkey and refrigerated as soon as possible after serving.

In preparation oif giblet gravy, cooked giblets should remain under refrigeration before being added to the gravy.

These recommendations are designed to increase your awareness and help assure a healthy holiday season.

New tax shelter encourages retirement savings

· Office of the staff judge advocate

Starting Jan. 1, 1982, military members and civil service workers can take advantage of a tax shelter which allows individuals to save for their retirement years on a tax-free basis. half. The penalty for early withdrawal is a forfeiture of 10 percent plus tax owed. You must stop contributing to the account by age 70 and a half and must withdraw everything by the age of

You can establish any number of these accounts; you can switch your money from one account to another; you can even hold your money for up to 60 days while switching it from one account to another. If you hold the money for more than 60 days, it will be treated as withdrawn.

Beginning next year, an individual may save up to \$2,000 a year in a savings institution, or may invest a like amount in stocks or mutual funds. The amount invested each year is treated as an immediate tax deduction which will reduce your tax bill for that year. The money invested also draws tax-free interest for the period it's in the account.

If you are married, you and your spouse may save up to \$2,250 per year. If your spouse works, the two of you together may invest up to \$4,000 annually.

There are several restrictions on this plan. You cannot withdraw your money until age 59 and a

your life expectancy (about age 78). The penalty for not withdrawing at that age is a forfeiture of 50 percent of the interest accrued each year thereafter.

Investments in gold and precious metals, art, stamps and "collectibles" are not allowed.

You may not borrow from the account or use it as collateral. If you borrow money from the account or use some of it as collateral, that amount will be treated as withdrawn and you will have to pay a penalty plus tax.

In addition, all of the account is taxable when you do withdraw it after age 59 and a half - this might put you in a high tax bracket during those years. If you die before withdrawal, the account may go to your spouse tax free of federal estate taxes. The same goes for a bequest to other beneficiaries as long as it's paid to them over at least a 36 month period.

An IRA is not for everyone - it is not for those individuals who might need the investment for an emergency before age 59 and a half. However, there are real tax advantages available for certain people. Analyze your situation and consider the IRA alternative. Application forms are available at savings and investment institutions.

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WE HAVE MADE it through another Management Effectiveness Inspection and I'm happy to report that the vast majority of Reese's organizations came through with flying colors.

I want to extend my personal thanks for all the time and effort that made these results possible. Those areas that were marked for needed improvements should get on it right away. Remember, the purpose of these inspections is not just to give everybody a good scare, but to allow us to recognize our deficiencies and correct them.

THERE HAVE BEEN some rumors that Friday will be a stand-down day. Sorry to dash any hopes, but these rumors are simply not true. Much as I would like to give everybody a long weekend, flying requirements dictate that we must be here. So, if you intend to take Friday off, make sure to get leave papers filed today.

WE HAD A caller recently who was angry about the length of time it takes to get off base at the close of the duty day. Although some of the problem is caused simply by congestion, too many cars and too little road, I imagine the caller was directly addressing those days on which the gates are closed for short periods of time.

These closures are a result of problems with new alarm systems at the commissary and BX. When they go off, as they have done quite a bit recently, it is necessary to treat them as the real thing and close the base.

A CONCERNED parent whose child spends time in the base child care center called to say she did not agree with new rules allowing "anybody in the nursery." Her concern was the ratio of children to employees and the care that could be given under crowded conditions.

First of all, new rules initiated at the center do not allow "anybody" in. Those children who do not have the necessary shots, or who appear to be sick, will not be admitted. As far as ratios go, provisions for overflow include calling in additional employees if ratios get too high. Contingency plans for meeting space requirements in the event of a full house also exist.

Making advanced reservations whenever possible will help them reach this goal.

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Several Reese units distinguished themselves with high ratings during last week's Management Effectiveness Inspection by receiving ratings

They included the judge advocate, life support, the airspace branch and both the 35th and 54th Flying Training Squadrons and the 64th Student Squadron.

Under the Deputy Commander for Resources several sections received good ratings. Supply management and procedures branch, material management, supply systems, and fuels management headed the list, followed by the budget branch, supplies contracting branch and the systems management branch.

Organizational Maintenance squadron received a high rating overall in addition to three of its individual sections: T-37 and T-38 flightline support and the inspec-

In Field Maintenance the avionics branch and aerospace systems branch received above

Central base administration and two of its auxiallary sections; publication management and documentation management joined the list of exceptional per-

Reese's suggestion program and professional military education program were also ranked Larry D. Akin, Jr.

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high.

Security police distinguished themselves overall. led by the operations and administration and reports sections. Family housing management and housing supply were also singled out for positive comment.

The recreation services branch and the officers' club were named in the report for their exceptional performance, as were the command post and combat arms training and maintenance.

Rounding out the list of top sections was 64th Air Base Group headquarters squadron section, which received the highest marks of any unit on base.

Several individuals were also singled out by the inspectors as professional performers. They were:

Captains

Thomas H. Dollahite, Jr. Alva L. Fincher Harry J. Hodges, III Robert J. Lines, Jr.

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Hard workers

A1C Melvin Britt, security police, was recently named airman of the month. Britt is responsible for various duties including flight line and main gate security. Along with Britt, 2nd Lt. Jackie L. Lopez, commander 64th Air Base Group headquarters squadron section, was recently selected as junior officer of the quarter.

Toys For Tots drive underway at Reese

Reese's Toys for Tots drive, part of the Lubbock Marine Corps' annual campaign, got underway here last week.

The drive is designed to provide Christmas joy for needy children through the collection of new, unwrapped toys. The toys are donated unwrapped so that the gifts can be sorted into categories by age and gender for appropriate distribution.

According to SrA. Kelly Donohue, project officer for this year's drive, there will be six drop sites in major locations throughout the base and individual drop sites within all units.

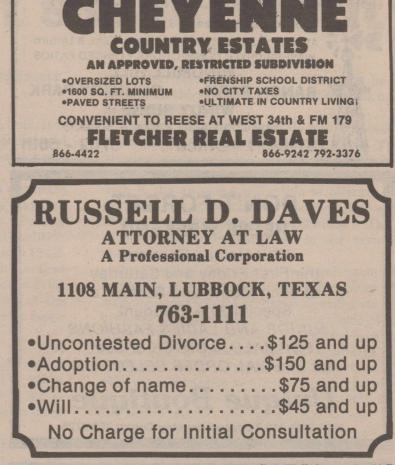
This year's campaign is striving for new toys but used items that can be repaired are also needed. All toys donated during the annual drive will be distributed to needy children in the Lubbcok area.

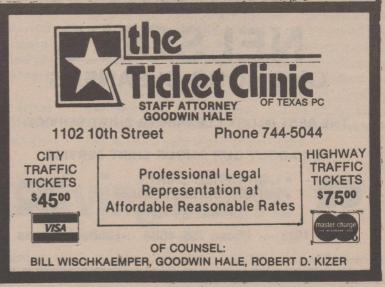
This year the base goal is to collect between 500 to 600 toys before Dec. 18. There is no price range on the toys.

year's drive, there will be six For more information on the drop sites in major locations drive or to find unit represen-

tatives, contact Donohue at Ext.







Frenship menu

BREAKFAST Monday Orange Juice Black-Eyed Peas Pear Half Milk

Individual Cereal Milka

Tuesday Grape Juice Cheese Toast Milk

Wednesday Apple Juice Sweet Rice Milk

Thursday Grape Juice Donut Milk

Friday Orange Juice Sausage Patty Toast and Jelly Milk

LUNCH Monday Chili Mac Hot Roll (1) **Tuesday** Barbeque Weiners Hot Roll (1) Corn Plums Milk

Wednesday Taco with Meat Sauce Pinto beans Tossed Salad Apricot Cobbler Milk

Thursday Chicken-Fried Steak, Gravy Hot Roll (1) Mashed Potatoes Green Beans Milk

Friday Hamburger with Catsup Lettuce, Tomato Onion, Pickle French Fries Milk

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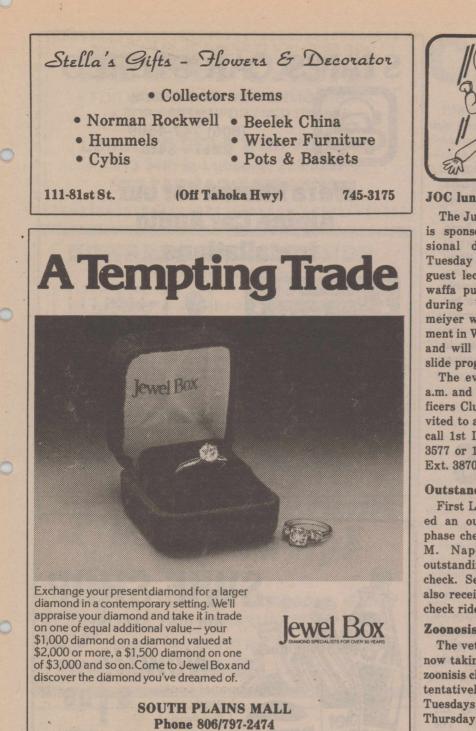
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This year at Reese, all units are

invited to have a Christmas card

JOC luncheon

The Junior Officers Committee is sponsoring a special professional development luncheon Tuesday which will feature a guest lecturer who was a Luftwaffa public information officer during WWII. Fritz Jakobsmeiyer will speak of his involvement in WWII as PIO cameraman and will show news reels and a slide program.

The event will begin at 11:30 a.m. and end at 1 p.m. at the Officers Club. All personnel are invited to attend. For reservations call 1st Lt. Daryl Smith at Ext. 3577 or 1st Lt. Jean Huggins at Ext. 3870.

Outstanding!

First Lt. Jeff A. Manor received an outstanding on his midphase check and 2nd Lt. William M. Napolitano received an outstanding on his final contact check. Second Lt. Weldon Lee also received the top rating on a check ride.

Zoonosis clinic

The vetrinary services office is now taking appointments for the zoonisis clinic. Clinic hours will be tentatively from 1 to 3:30 p.m. on Tuesdays and 8:30 to 11 a.m. on Thursdays.

Congratulations!

TSgt. and Mrs. Bruce Kumler announce the birth of a son weighing seven pounds, eleven ounces at 9:16 p.m. on Nov. 2.

display in the median on Main Street between the rear of the main gate and building 800. The display is limited to a four foot by eight foot non-electric greeting. Divisions and above are invited to participate. Prizes will be awarded as follows: first place \$100, second \$50, and third \$25 for displays.

Christmas card lane

Greeting card spaces will be assigned and must be in place no later than noon Dec. 15 to be eligible for prizes. Anyone wishing to participate, please contact Capt. Fox, 3672; Capt. Herron, 3614; 2nd Lt. Lopez, 3715; or 2nd Lt. Vargas, 3309.

Holiday hours

The following hours are for the package store for December: Dec. 1-12, noon to 9 p.m.; Dec. 13-23, noon to 10 p.m.; Dec. 24, 11 a.m. - 6 p.m.; Dec. 25, closed; Dec. 26-30. noon to 7 p.m.; Dec. 21, 11 a.m. to 8 p.m. and Jan. 1-3, noon to 5 p.m.

Sure-Pay

Sure-Pay, also known as directdeposit and check to bank, has proven to be a 99.44/100 percent effective. There are still military personnel (slightly under 20 percent) at Reese without the Sure-Pay advantage. Military personnel at Reese are often tasked with mobility and TDYs. Often these people leave on pay day and do not see their hard earned money because the post office was closed, or they left before they could pick up their check. Sure-Pay is designed to help the military member with immediate access to their money in cases of emergencies. No one has suffered from participation in the Sure-Pay system. Visit or call the accounting and finance office, military pay section for more information.

New hours

Accounting and finance hours are as follows: Monday through Friday, cashier 8:30 a.m. to 4 p.m., military pay and travel, 8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m., appointment only service, 4:30 to 6 p.m. and emergency payments will continue to be made on a 24-hour

Chapel news

The Reese chapel is again collecting canned goods to help those in need for Christmas. Bring items to the chapel on Sundays or during duty hours.

Donations needed

The Women of the Chapel are collecting items for the Lubbock Women's Shelter for abused women. Items such as make-up, pefumes, hand lotion, nylons, etc. would be appreciated. Donations will be wrapped by chapel personnel. Donations may be taken to the chapel.

Orientation session

On Tuesday and Dec. 2, a special "Behind the Lines" orientation will be held for all spouses of military personnel. There is no other orientation given on base that is as informative for spouses to gain more knowledge on such topics as why husbands or wives receive specific assignments or legal assistance within the military.

The presentation is for both officer and enlisted spouses. However, each will be held on separate days since some of the information that will be covered will vary, including promotion systems and effectiveness or performance reports.

For officer spouses the briefing will be held Dec. 1 and for enlisted spouses the session will be on Dec. 2.

The orientation for all will be held at the base chapel beginning at 9 a.m.

Road construction

The south side of Main Street between wing headquarters and the main gate will be closed because of construction, and the north side will be one-way out between 4:30 and 5:30 0p.m.

Travel vouchers

The Office of Special Investigations is reviewing travel vouchers for possible inflated meal costs by travelers to high cost areas. They state that new cases, referred at the rate of about 10 per month, show that TDY travelers bought low cost meals, but claimed inflated reimbursements.

In order to lessen the possibility of fraudulent travel vouchers

basis.

Santa's helpers

Any personnel wishing to fill in for Santa Claus at the base exchange should contact 885-4581. The rate of pay will be \$4.05 per hour, costume will be furnished. This is a temporary full-time position for the month of December.

a receipt for any meal that seems doubtful/inflated will be requested from the traveler. In all cases wherein meal costs, \$15 or more, a receipt will be required before settlement. To facilitate processing it is advised that traveler's retain all receipts for meals.

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Dual jobs

TSgt. Rusty Hamer and Sgt. Edward W. Donnelly, members of the Third Combat Group, Tinker AFB, Okla., work dual positions. Both have been disbursed to Reese to work at the 1958 Communications Division as Air Traffic controlers. Their duties not only include working at Reese but they also serve as combat crew qualified specialists who can be deployed anywhere in the world at a moments notice. (Courtesy Photo)

Air traffic controllers provide dual service

At a moments notice TSgt. Rusty A. Hamer and Sgt. Edward W. Donnelly, both assigned to Reese's 1958th Communications Squadron, can be packed and ready to be deployed anywhere in the world.

Hamer and Donnelly belong to an elite group of air traffic controllers who are assigned to the Third Combat Communications Group, Tinker AFB, Okla. There are approximately 50 personnel in the group who are specially trained to be able to, at a moments notice, set up a selfsufficiient communications base that can be run on generators for up to 30 days without outside assistance.

While dispersed at Reese, they augment the flight facilities section to maintain the highest possible proficiency in air traffic control in supporting the mission of the Third CCG. The Third CCG's missin is being prepared to deploy personnel, mobile/transportable navigational aids, air traffic control towers/radars, communications-electronicsservices, and special purpose communication-electronic systems in support of USAF worldwide requirements. At the present time, the 'Third' has air traffic controllers deployed at Ramstein AB, Germany; England

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out of 110 days," commented Hamer, then added, "during this time I spent 89 days at the Chicago Midway Airport to help during the air traffic controller strike."

Donnelly also went to Chicago "on Aug. 3 both Hammer and myself were called at 7 p.m. by Tinker and we were told to get packed and be ready to go. Time and destination was unknown at that moment," said Donnelly.

another call informed us that we were going to Chicago to help during the controller strike. At 5 a.m. we were on a C-130 heading for Chicago."

Some of their assignments, according to Hamer, are not easy. "We were once sent to Perry, Okla, where we were performing exercises and we had to set up our communications base in the middle of no-where. Setting up tents, eating C-rations and sleeping on cots, we performed our mission; which was living in fuel conditions," said Hamer.

Donnelly added that at times it is hard for both married and single personnel who have to leave their families and homes with only a few hours notice. "Sometimes I would have a refrigerator full of food and I

"I've been home only one week watch my home," said Donnelly.

Hamer said that it is hard on his wife who may have made plans then all has to be cancelled. "It's hard for her at times but she understands that this is all a part of my job," said Hamer.

Donnelly has been away 121 days so far this year. The shortest notice he has received is when he had just returned from special training courses at Tinker. "I had returned to Reese Donnelly contiued, "at 2 a.m. around noon on a Saturday and on Sunday at 6 p.m. I was called and informed I would be going on another assignment that evening. I was also told to be prepared to be gone for six months," stated Donnelly.

> Hamer and Donnelly recently returned from Tinker AFB, Okla., where they received extensive training in tactical air base construction, chemical warfare, base security, first aid, aircraft loading, camouflage, and convoy procedures. Presently, they are assigned to Reese ground control approach facility, providing radar approaches and other air traffic services to the 64th Flying Training Wing.



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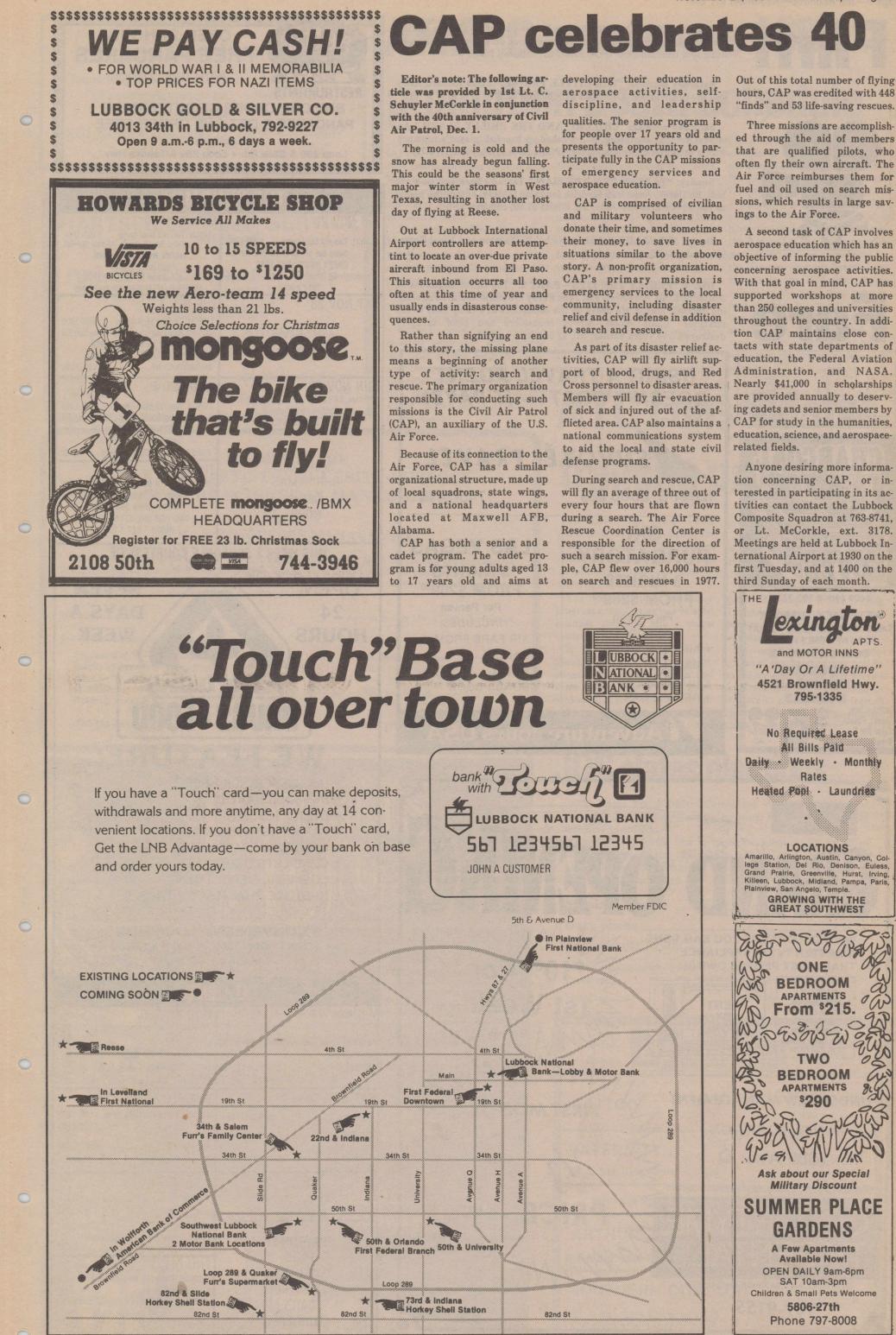
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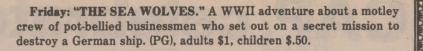
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Saturday matinee: "THE LITTLE PRINCE." Stars Richard Kiley and Steven Warner. (G), adults \$1, children \$.50.

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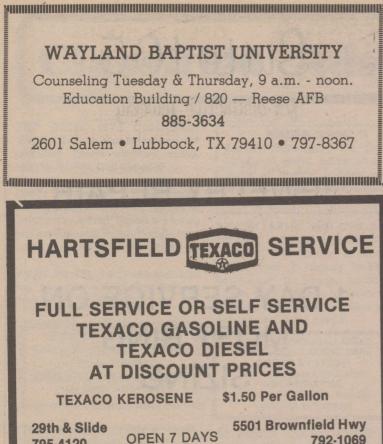
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AFMPC announces 1982 promotion board schedule

RANDOLPH AFB, Texas (AFNS)-The promotion selec- will meet Jan. 18 and the 5- and tion board schedule for the first 7-year regular appointment board half of calendar year 1982 has will convene March 22. been announced by officials at the Air Force Manpower and Person- set for April 5 and the major nel Center here.

Management Act transition onel will meet during the second board is scheduled Jan. 4. The half of the calendar year and is special board will consider for tentatively planned for July 26. permanent promotion to the next higher regular grade regular capbefore who were not selected.

Boards considering senior enlisted personnel will include the chief master sergeant highyear tenure waiver board Jan. 11; the chief master sergeant selection board March 1; and the senior master sergeant selection board May 10.

The captain selection board

The colonel selection board is selection board June 21. The The Defense Officer Personnel selection board for lieutenant col-

Field-grade promotion boards- those for major, lieutetains and majors evaluated once nant colonel and colonel-are planned early enough in the calendar year to permit confirmation before adjournment of Congress. This ensures enough officers are promoted to meet Air

Force needs. The wait for congressional confirmation of the promotion selectees could mean a few months' delay for promotions from the lists to begin.

Eligibility criteria for scheduled boards will be announced at a later date. For planning purposes, the last half of the 1978 accession year group will be considered by the January captain board. Line officers in the 1971 year group will enter the promotion zone as new eligibles for major; the 1967 line year group will enter the promotion zone for lieutenant colonel; and the 1962 line year group will enter the promotion zone for colonel.

ATC consolidates training program

(ATCNS) - A new, con- Laughlin and Reese AFBs, Texas. solidated training program, After qualification, the canwhich Air Training Command of- didates were then sent to Ranficials say will save the Air Force dolph to begin pilot instructor \$1 million per year, has begun at training. Randolph AFB, Texas.

The new T-38 pilot instructor program consolidates two related training programs into a single course.

In the past, T-38 instructor pilot candidates from other major commands were qualified in the Talon during a pre-PIT program conducted at five ATC bases: Columbus AFB, Miss.; Vance AFB, Okla.; Williams AFB, Ariz.; and

Under the consolidated program, Randolph's 560th Flying Training Squadron will conduct both the qualification and pilot instructor training phases.

By combining the two programs at one base, money will be saved by eliminating four sorties per student and the additional instructor pilots and aircraft maintenance required to support those sorties.

JOC slates elections

The Reese Junior Officer Committee will hold elections for new officers during the Tuesday meeting. All junior officers are welcome to attend.

Anyone who would like to nominate someone for an office should fill out the following portion and send it to 64ABG/DPMA/13. Absentee votes will not be accepted. Send in no later than Thursday.

Nominee's name Duty phone ____ Squadron/Off sym ____



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AFAS loans change

Eligibility rules and costs of the Air Force Aid Society's Arnold and Brown student loan programs have been modified by new legislation governing the Guaranteed Student Loan program. That legislation was signed into law by the President on Aug. 13, 1981.

The most significant change in the Guaranteed Student Loan program will be in the way family income will effect eligibility after Oct. 1. If the adjusted gross in-"omes of the student's family is 30,000 or less, the student will utomatically be eligible for assistance as before. Adjusted gross income will include parent's income if the student is a dependent, the student's income, and the spouse's income if the student is married. Social Security and veteran's student benefits must also be included.

If the adjusted gross income is

more than \$30,000, the student's family is expected to contribute to the cost of payment of educational costs. In this case, the student will qualify only to the extent of the student's "unmet need" as determined by the school. "Unmet need" is defined as the estimated cost of attendance less an "expected family contribution" plus any other estimated student financial assistance reasonably available to the student.

The school is to calculate the "expected family contribution" according to procedures to be established by the Secretary of Education. Congress has reserved to itself the power of veto over these procedures if either house does not like them. That means that until the Congress reconvenes in September the final details of these procedures will not be known. General Seith,

Director AFAS, today expressed hope that the new procedures will take account of such matters as number of dependents in the family; and special circumstances such as illness, disability, dependent parents, etc.

Borrowing students are now required to pay a one-time origination fee of five percent of the amount borrowed. The fee will be deducted from the amount borrowed at the time of disbursement.

In other changes to the law, the old category of "independent students" has now been abolished. All undergraduate students will be authorized to borrow up to \$2500 per year to a cumulative total of \$12,500. Graduate and professional students will be authorized to borrow a total of \$5000 a year to a total of \$25,000. counting both undergraduate and graduate loans.

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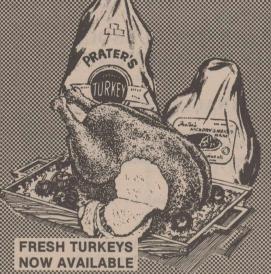
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President designates National Family Week

WASHINGTON (AFNS)-National Family Week, Nov. 22-28, has been proclaimed by President Ronald Reagan to honor the "basic unit of our society, the

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"National Family Week is a

heart of our free democracy.'

The family "provides love, acceptance, guidance, support and instruction to the individual. Community values and goals that give america strength also take root in the home," the proclamation reads.

time to be thankful for the family as a national heritage and resource. It is a time to recommit ourselves to the concept of the family -- a concept that must withstand the trends of lifestyle and legislation."









Reese slates

Sixteen high school basketball teams will battle for divisional Division. titles in the seventh Annual Reese Christmas Classic Dec. 17-19.

The Christmas Classic, which matches some of the top prep teams from Texas and New Mexico, features nearly non-stop action from 10 a.m. to 10 p.m. every day of the tournament. Each of the sixteen teams will play three games.

The Classic field will be divided into two divisions. The larger schools will compete for the President's trophy and the smaller schools will compete for the Commander's Trophy.

This year, neither division will have a defending champion as El base gymnasium with the first Paso Andress will remain at game of the day beginning at 10 home and Dimmitt, the Com- a.m. and games beginning every mander's Trophy Division cham- 90 minutes thereafter until eight pions in 1980, will step up to com- games have been completed.

pete for the President's Trophy

The field for the President's Trophy will consist of Amarillo, Big Spring, El Paso Bowie, Canyon, Lubbock Coronado, Dimmitt, Midland Lee and Morton.

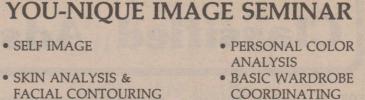
Those who will compete for the Commander's Trophy are Childress, Clyde, Denver City, Kermit, Lorenzo, Lubbock Christian, Slaton and Tahoka.

According to Maj. Dave Meier, project officer for this year's Classic, the experts see no cleancut favorite in the President's Trophy Division. "Fans will see some strong, evenly matched teams in the Commander's Trophy Division," Meiers stated. All games will be played in the

On Dec. 17, Olympic-style opening ceremonies featuring the participating teams, the Reese color guard, and the New Deal High School band will begin at 9:30 a.m.



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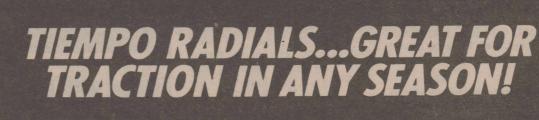


Gym patrons

All personnel who have personal belongings in the large ticipating in the youth center aclockers at the base gym have to tivities sports program will meet remove them by Dec. 13 so the lockers can be used for the 7:30 p.m. Officers for the youth Christmas Classic basketball tournament on Dec. 17-19. Personnel can leave their belongings in the small lockers. the Classic from Dec. 17-19.

Youth center

All parents with children parat the youth center on Dec. 3 at







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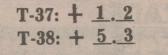
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activities Booster Club will be elected. It is necessary for all parents who wish to have their children continue to participate in The gym will be closed during the youth sports program to attend this meeting.



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