

## REPORT . . .

### From Washington

By Armed Forces Press Service

A recent survey of Regular Air Force officers indicates that the average officer has 7.5 years of active Federal commissioned service; the average pilot has 7.7 years of active Federal commissioned service; the average other rated officer has 6.2 years, and the average non-rated officer has 7.4 years.

The Air Force has completed an arrangement with the University

of Dayton, Ohio, under which 400 officers and airmen of Wright-Patterson AFB will enroll in off-duty university courses this fall, as a phase of "Operation Bootstrap," the Air Force's educational program.

The Tactical Air Force is to be strengthened immediately to permit intensified Army-Air Force training in air transportability.

"A Pocket Guide to Germany," is one of a series of booklets being published by the Armed Forces Information and Education Division for the use of personnel assigned to Germany. Similar guides for Japan, Alaska Hawaii, and Caribbean and Mediterranean areas are scheduled.

Navy Secretary Francis P. Matthews is observing the first anniversary of his appointment. He was sworn in May 24, 1949.

The Marine Corps has 30,000 officers and men ready for combat "immediately," according to a recent statement of Gen. Clifton B. Cates, Marine Corps Commandant.

For the third consecutive year, the all-Marine Track and Field Meet will be held at Butler Stadium, Quantico, Va., June 16 and 17.

In line with the USAF policy that assigns to the Military Air Transport Service primary responsibility for training transport crews, the Medium Transport Transition Unit at Great Falls, AFB, Montana, will be reactivated on June 12. It will provide an eight-weeks course for co-pilots and a four-weeks course for airplane commanders.

## He-Man Style Show Added Attraction At Scout Benefit

A he-man style show sponsored by the Ladies Auxiliary of the NCO Club will be held in connection with a Spaghetti and Meatball dinner at the Club on 12 June at 1900 hours.

Proceeds will be used to send First Class Scouts Glen Matula and Billy Shumati from RAFB to Valley Forge, Pa., for the National Scout Jamboree to be held this month.

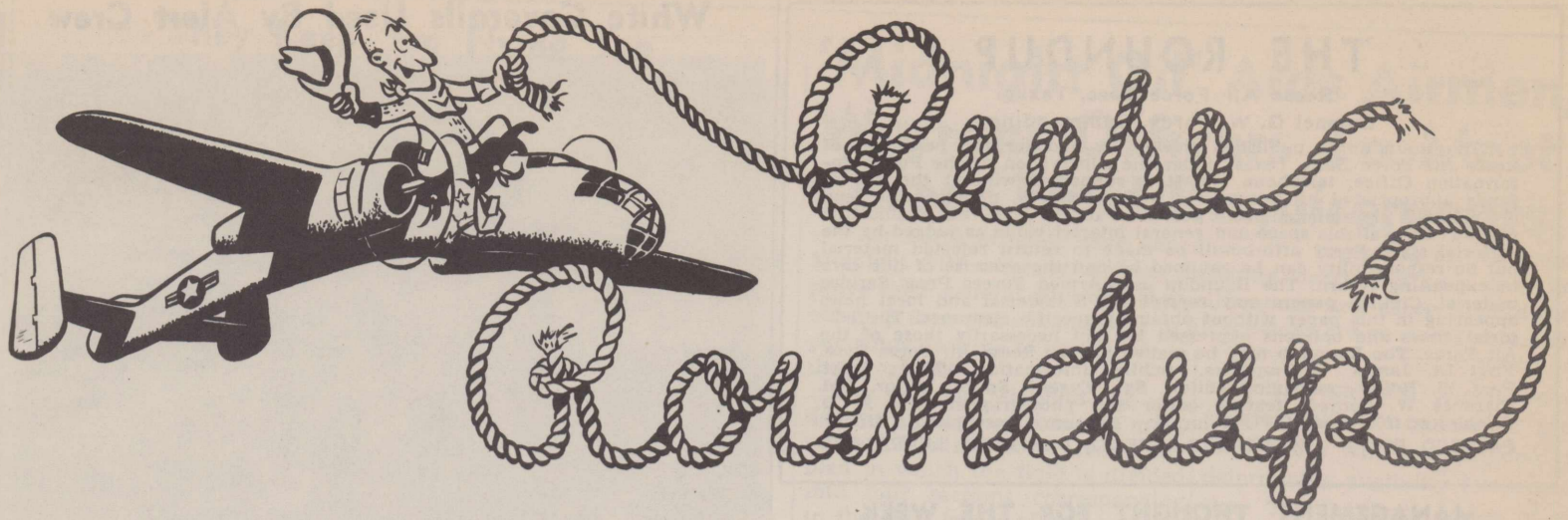
Tickets for the style show and dinner are \$1.00 each, children under 14 years, 50c. Tickets can be procured from Mrs. Johnnie Peters at the Air Force Exchange or from the scouts of Troop 17 and must be purchased before the time of the dinner.

The two boys are outstanding scouts of Troop 17 and were selected to attend the National Jamboree because of the abilities and leadership in the local scouting program.

They with forty thousand other scouts from the United States will gather at a historical Valley Forge to dedicate themselves anew to the principles for which General Washington and his Army fought for in the War of Independence.

This year's Boy Scout Jamboree is dedicated to "Strengthening the Arm of Liberty," deepening the the scouts patriotism and increasing their respect for the ideals on which this country was founded.

In addition to visiting Valley Forge, the two young scouts will also visit many of the "Shrines of Freedom" in and around Philadelphia.

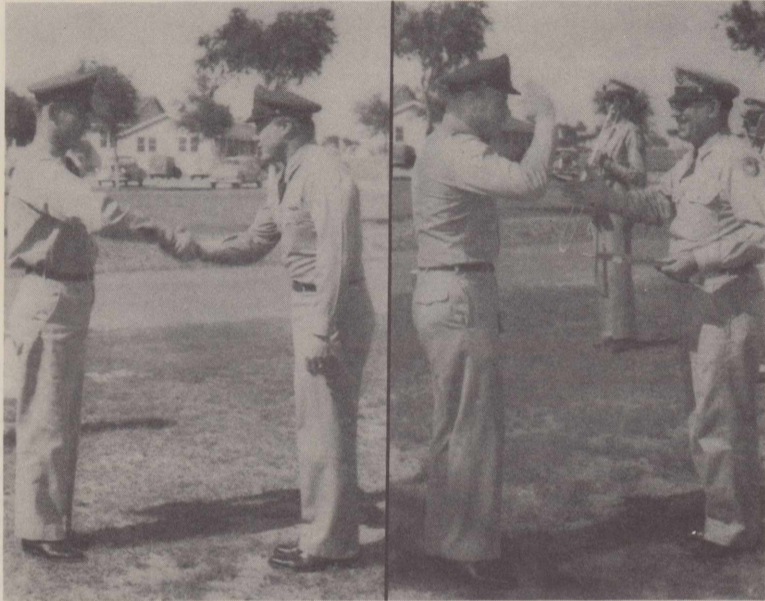


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## Achievement Certificates



Major Samuel S. Williamson and CWO Carmine Luce received Certificates of Achievement for work done in promoting Reese AFB. The awards were given at a formal retreat ceremony last Friday.

(Photo by Cpl. Conrad)

## 63,000 Study Under 'Operation Bootstrap' In Spring Semester

More than 63,000 Air Force officers and airmen participated in the spring semester of "Operation Bootstrap," the USAF program providing for the off-duty educational advancement of its personnel.

Because of the response to Bootstrap, USAF Headquarters has enlarged the scope of the educational program to include permanent Warrant Officers, as well as the Regular USAF officers, in its provision for full-time final semester study at a university or college for the purpose of obtaining a degree. The officers and Warrant Officers will attend the schools on temporary duty assignment.

Separate from this program, which is entirely for academic advancement, a new program "Operation Midnight Oil" to assist airmen and Warrant Officer in improving their general educational qualifications has been established. These career courses are a part of the U. S. Armed Forces Institute curriculum, and course of study is supervised by Information and Education officers.

Named "Operation Bootstrap" on 23 December 1949, the program developed the then-existent educational opportunities provided by the Air Force for its

personnel. As of 31 March 1950, more than 40 civilian colleges and universities were cooperating with USAF in the program. Additional colleges will participate as soon as arrangements are completed for courses of study and credits to be allowed.

During the last quarter of 1949, 19.2 per cent of the total strength of the Air Force participated in the education program. This percentage was increased during the spring semester to 21.6 per cent.

Lieutenant Colonel Harry C. Echoff, chief of the USAF Information and Education Branch, has been instrumental in developing the Bootstrap and Midnight Oil programs.

## Cigarette Starts Fire In Container

A cigarette carelessly thrown in a waste basket started a blaze Monday morning a 0945 hours in Building T-841, one of the buildings used by Company A of the 809th Engineers, now on detached service here.

The base fire department answered the call at 0945 and had the blaze extinguished by 0946. No damage was reported to the building or its contents.

The fire was discovered by PFC Billy E. Porter and reported by Captain George A. Patrick, Company Commander.

## Major Williamson, Chief Warrant Officer Luce Are Presented With Certificates Of Achievement

At formal retreat ceremonies held last Friday, Colonel George H. Blase, wing executive officer, in the absence of Colonel George W. Pardy, base commander, presented Major Samuel S. Williamson, Jr., and Chief Warrant Officer, Carmine Luce with Certificates of Achievement.

## Reese Lake Will Be Developed As Area For Recreation

The Reese Air Installation Officer, Lt. Col. Charles V. Eld, announced recently that the small lake adjacent to the Levelland Highway would be converted into a recreation area for Reese personnel and their dependents in the near future.

The plans now being drawn up, call for boating facilities, a barbecue pit, and picnic benches. The golf course now under construction will border two sides of the lake.

No swimming will be permitted because of the condition of the banks surrounding the lake.

Many people have conceived the erroneous idea that the water in the lake is impure. Colonel Eld refuted this statement by saying that the water is very pure and while it does not have the qualities of a mountain stream, it is safe for anyone to drink and no ill effects will be suffered.

To make sure of its pureness, the water has been highly oxygenated and chlorine has been introduced to kill any existing germs.

As far as fishing in the lake is concerned, Colonel Eld stated that the rising and falling of the lake level has caused the growth of fish, placed in the lake, to be arrested, however some are in the eight to ten feet deep water.

Major Williamson was presented his certificate in recognition of outstanding work as Project Officer for the base on the recent Armed Forces Day celebration in Lubbock.

Chief Warrant Officer Luce's certificate was awarded for outstanding and highly superior work which he has done as director of the band.

In the letter accompanying Major Williamson's certificate Colonel Pardy wrote:

"This Certificate of Achievement is presented in grateful acknowledgement and appreciation of the highly superior work which you did for us and the Air Force and surrounding communities as project officer on the joint Lubbock committee for arrangements and management of the first Armed Force Day Program held here 22nd May 1950."

In the letter the Colonel also expressed his appreciation to the Officers who capably assisted Major Williamson on the project; Captain Clyde W. Bradley Jr., Lieutenants Stephen C. Frost, Maxwell J. Ihrig, James O. Umphries and Ross H. Weatherford.

To Mr. Luce, Colonel Pardy wrote:

"This Certificate of Achievement is presented in grateful acknowledgement and appreciation for the consistently outstanding and continuous highly superior work which you have done in behalf of this command, ATRC and USAF as director of the Reese AFB Band since I assumed command of the 35000th PTW at Barksdale AFB in July 1949.

## Lawn Furniture For Hospital Patients



Shown trying out the new lawn furniture at the station hospital are the nurses and some of the patients. They include Capt. Freida E. Keso, 1st. Lt. Helen L. Kinder, 1st. Lt. Anne H. Eney, Miss Nancy P. Williams. Cpl. Robert C. Kind, Cpl. Clarence E. Burnside, and Miss Wanda W. Squyres.

(Photo by Cpl. Conrad)

## THE ROUNDUP

Reese Air Force Base, Texas  
Colonel G. W. Pardy, Commanding

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### MANAGEMENT THOUGHT FOR THE WEEK

"What you have to say, may be said. But, if it is published, would it be read? Think before you speak!"

## KADET KORRAL

### WELL SCATTERED

Reese sand was taken to the far corners of the UNITED STATES by our cross country fliers of CLASS 50-C this past week. Most of them have nearly completed their flying at dear old Reese and after a few more hours, will just sit back and relax, awaiting that big day when they will step off the stage with their wings.

Mr. Yonich thinks he should change his preference for duty and put down Florida instead. He says the Colonels have very nice daughters down in that neck of the woods.

Rattler sure is burned up!! No one in 50-C asked him to accompany them on their cross-country. Far as we know, 50-B treated him much better than that. Seems as though they at least took him along on their trip to Randolph.

### CLASS 50-D

Dick Bruss is keeping the 50-D tradition of busting up airplanes alive. Seems when Dick makes a hard landing he doesn't just make the mixtures bounce back, but breaks off the pitot tube as well. He and his instructor made it back from Clovis safely with the aid of an accompanying plane who flew formation with them right to their round-out. You can have our share of flying without a pitot tube Dick, for we feel our flying is hazardous enough with everything working.

Our traveling boys of 50-D are now spending their hard money by renting cars on the weekends. We wonder if the owners realize the risk they are taking. What if one of these so called flyboys should try to make like a bird and try to take off?

### SLUGGERS

Under the leadership of Bob Brinkman, Squadron A's ball team swamped the Maintenance Squadron team with a staggering eleven to one victory. With a start like this they may prove to be a big success. We will be rooting for you at future games and may they continue to be victories.

### CLASS 50-E

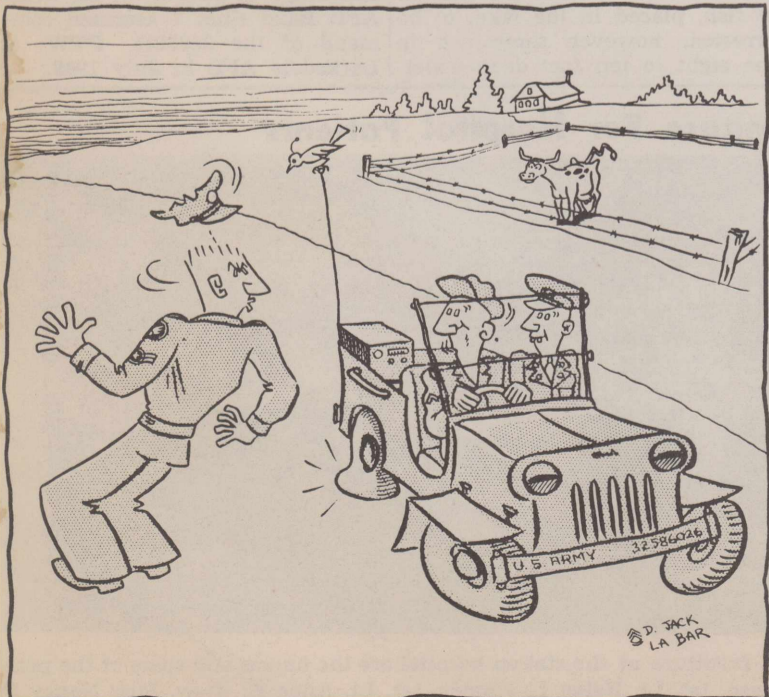
50-E "Eager" (So they call themselves and yet to be proven), is finally getting into the swing of things and realizing that model building is one of the best ways to spend free time at Reese.

"Spider" Davidson is spinning dreams of himself in his new model F-80. Too bad all of that fighter material was sent to multies. He should be real hot when he gets to the single engine phase in the Baker Two-fives.

"Moore" Meadows just released to the press the fact that he will try out his radio controlled job this weekend. He says this hop will be a free flight without the aid of the radio. Sure hope it will survive, for we will all be eagerly awaiting the flight in the future when the radio is hooked up.

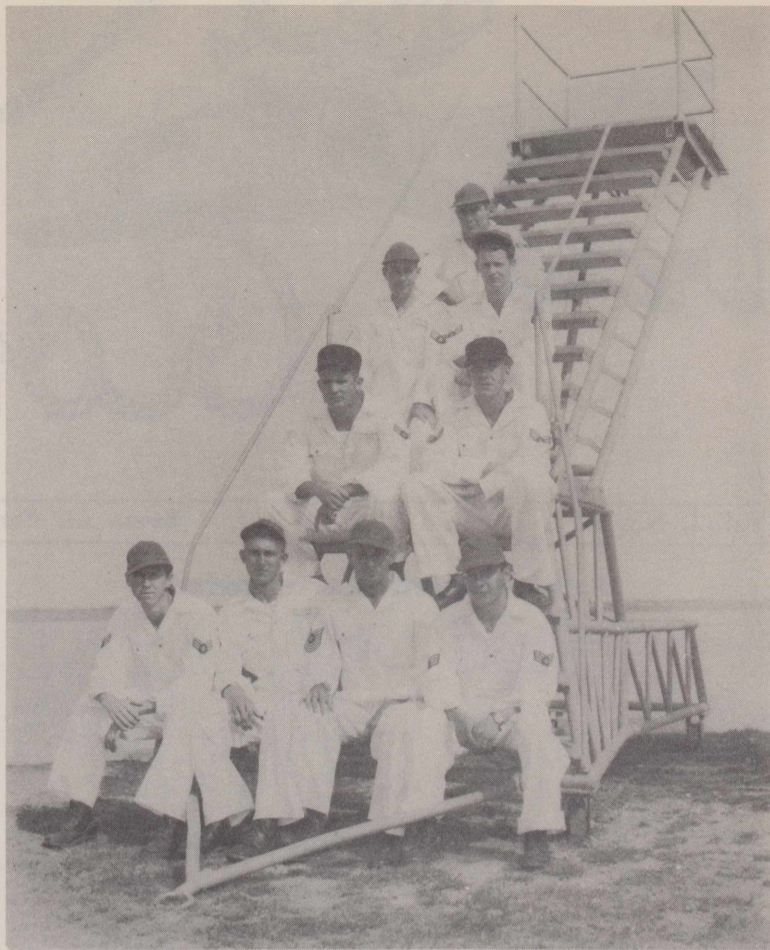
If a cadet is seen going around the area with his eyes out of focus, it must be a 50-E man. They are now just starting that phase of training that we all eagerly looked forward to. Instruments in the six. Cheer up boys, we all went through that and it wasn't too bad. We still claim that Levelland has the habit of moving when one is trying to get a radio fix on it, and would appreciate it if you would tell us if you have the same trouble.

### Laff-O-Gram



"Oh, Mister Airman, would you mind blowing up that rear tire, puh-leeze?"

## White Coveralls Used By Alert Crew



Proudly displaying their new white coveralls in which they meet incoming transient aircraft are the members of the Reese Alert Crew. They are (l. to r. 1st step) Sgt. Robert Hazelwood, Cpl. George Boland, M/Sgt. Henderson Manning (crewchief), and Sgt. Edward Cambrio. Those on the second step are Cpl. Edward Pitts and Sgt. George R. Lucas. Third step, Sgt. James Curry and Sgt. Gordon Hyde. On the top step is Sgt. J. C. Garrett. (Photo by Cpl. Conrad)

## White Coveralls Give Alert Men New Look

Perhaps you've noticed the men in white coveralls around the base lately and perhaps thought that the medics or the cooks were on the loose when all the time they were members of the alert crew on the flight line, who service all incoming transient aircraft.

The white coveralls were worn here for the first time at the arrival of the Chilean president, Gabriel Gonzalez Videla, and they were also used for General Bradley's arrival.

The white coveralls had been planned for use only when VIP's (very important persons) planes were coming in to land at Reese but it turned out to be such a good idea that they are now used daily.

Master Sergeant Henderson Manning is crew chief of the nine man alert crew. Other crew members include Sgt. Jesse Curry, Sgt. Gordon Hyde, Sgt. J. C. Garrett, Cpl. George Boland, and Cpl. Edward Pitts.

The men are all members of Hq, and Hq. Squadron, Maintenance and Supply Group.

## Awards Time Limit Is Extended To '51

The Director of Military Personnel, USAF, recently announced that the enactment of Public Law 501 has permitted the consideration of recommendations for decorations for services performed while on active duty or serving with the military forces of the United States during the period between 7 December 1941 and 2 September 1945, provided written recommendations are submitted between 3 May 1950 and 2 May 1951.

The current requirements for the awards and the authority for making them remain the same as prescribed under present regulations.

All recommendations based upon the period described will be addressed to Headquarter, United States Air Force, Director of Military Personnel, Washington 25, D. C.

## Blood Donors Are Needed For Red Cross Blood Bank

Clifford Gibbs, Red Cross director here, announced that blood donors are urgently needed to replenish the blood bank of the Lubbock Red Cross chapter. All types of blood are needed and military and civilian personnel who wish to donate blood can register with Mr. Gibbs at Bldg. T-281, where the base Red Cross office is located.

Blood received from donors is furnished to hospitals in the area who call upon the bank for help provided no charge is made to the patient for the donation.

The services of the blood bank are available at all hours with an attendant on duty to take care of emergency calls as they arise.

"In the past," Mr. Gibbs said, "the response to our appeals for blood donors has been most gratifying."

As soon as a donor gives his blood to the bank it is placed in a refrigeration unit at the local chapter where it is kept for 21 days. If at the end of that time it is not used it is converted to plasma and other by-products of the life giving fluid which scientists have developed and are used by surgeons in performing operations.

Donors who desire to go directly to the Lubbock chapter to donate their blood can do so on Mondays and Thursdays at 1630 hours. The chapter is located at 1513 Avenue K.

Moses Lake, AFB Washington, will soon be renamed Larson AFB, in honor of Major Donald A. Larson, who lost his life in World War II.

## Devine Services

**PROTESTANT**—Regular Sunday services; Adult Sunday School at 1000 hours and Morning Worship at 1100 hours, Base Chapel. Children's Sunday School in Chapel Annex Bldg. T-31 at 1000 hours. Prayer and Bible study on Wednesday at 2000 hours.

**PROTESTANT CHOIR PRACTICE**—Every Wednesday evening at 1900 hours in Base Chapel. Junior Choir practice every Monday at 1630 hours in Base Chapel.

**CATHOLIC**—Sunday Mass at 0900 and 1215 hours, Base Chapel. Weekdays; Mass at 0720 hours. Confessions before all masses and Saturdays, 1900-2000 hours. Evening devotions on Tuesday at 1930 hours.

**CHAPLAINS**—Capt. Jared A. Walker (Protestant), and 1st Lt. Frank J. Gilchrist (Catholic).

## "Your Chapel"

### "CHOOSING THE BEST OFFERED"

Any intelligent American given the choice between a dime, a quarter and a five dollar bill would immediately choose the five dollar bill. Knowing the value of money we would have no other choice to make to better ourselves financially. We call that worldly wisdom.

Yet in the matter of faith we are strongly inconsistent. We say to take the five dollar bill is good business. The same is true when we are offered a choice of life. We have a choice of either living an evil life, or a lukewarm life of commitment to God or living the wholehearted life of surrender to the will of God. How many of us are satisfied with only a dime or quarter's worth of life. Very few seem to want to take the whole five dollars worth of life.

A Missionary returning to this land was shocked at our lukewarm acceptance of the will of God. He saw men turning down the best to accept something inferior. It is strange to me that only takes place where the Church and God are concerned for people will not accept anything less than the best in business.

Jesus did not plaster Galilean billboards with such advertising slogans as "Accept only superior quality, get Christianity today." However, He left no doubt that what He had to offer—more abundant life—was the best to be had at any price.

In the business world we are free to choose the best we can find. So it is in our spiritual life, we are created in the image of God, free agents, and the choice is distinctly ours. We cannot send someone else out to get that abundant life for us, we are the only ones that can do it. If that be the case, then why must we continue to accept an inferior way of life?

Through our Lord, the best is available in more abundant living. Let us then, as in business, never be satisfied with less than the best in our living of life. We call that Spiritual Wisdom.

JARED A. WALKER  
Captain, USAF  
Wing Chaplain

## Two Majors Will Go To Maxwell AFB

The executive officer of the Air Base Group Maj. Russell W. Betts, Jr. and the commander of the Supply Squadron, Maj. Benjamin H. Shiffrin have been assigned to the Air Command and Staff School at Maxwell AFB Ala, the adjutant's office announced this week.

Both officers were stationed with the 3500th PTW prior to its removal from Barksdale AFB, Louisiana.

## AROUND REESE

Congratulations are in order to the following with the arrival of new "fledgling's in their homes: Lieutenant and Mrs. Charles F. Sheridan, son; Aviation Cadet and Mrs. Edward Higgins, daughter; Lieutenant and Mrs. Arthur Knudsen, daughter; and Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Shattuck, son, father is a civilian employee here.

Father Frank J. Gilchrist, Catholic chaplain, announced that next Sunday is the monthly communion Sunday for members of the Holy Name Society. Immediately after mass breakfast will be served the members at the NCO Club. Members will receive communion in a body at the nine o'clock mass.

The Special Merchandise Ordering Department in the Thrift Shop Building is open each Monday and Friday from 1000 to 1600 hours. At the present time military personnel can order through the catalogue; stoves, refrigerators, washing machines, ironers, steel kitchen cabinets, lawn equipment, sewing machines and a large selection of furniture at a savings. Stop in and look at the catalogue, there might be something in it you need.

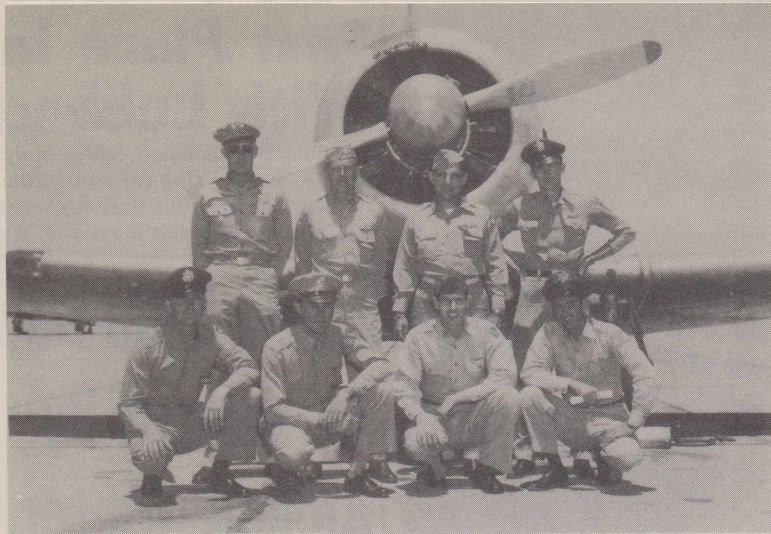
PFC Franklin D. Tribble, recently joined the Public Information Section as a staff writer for the Roundup. Prior to coming to the Roundup, he was with the 3500th Medical Group.

With hot weather here Personnel Services has arranged for bus transportation through the courtesy of the Motor Pool to take military personnel and their dependents to MacKenzie State Park for a refreshing dip in the swimming pool. On Saturdays and Sundays, the bus will leave the Service Club at 1300 hours and return to the base at 1600 hours. Next Tuesday night a bus will leave the Club at 1830 Hours and return from MacKenzie Park at 2115.

With due apologies to its readers, the staff regrets that they tried to change the course of history by overlooking the caption above last week's pic of D-Day which should have read 6 June 1944 instead of 6 June 1945, as it appeared.

The driver on the bus from town said that a Reese Airmen left his bags in the private vehicle of another driver for the company when he gave him a lift. Seems while the driver made a stop on business, the airmen left the car without taking his bags which were in the rear deck. If

## They Keep 'Em Flying Too



These flying instructors are members of Section I, flight 1, and they include (l. to r. 1st row) Capt. Robert S. Buckley, Capt. James S. Gleinser, 1st Lt. Glenn M. Sanford, and 1st Lt. Robert A. Tusken. Those in the second row include (l. to r.) 1st Lt. Claudie L. McDonald, 1st Lt. Harold W. Tinley, Capt. David T. Corts, and 1st Lt. Clement M. Latimer. (Photo by Cpl. Conrad)

## 514th AF Band Is Making A Name

Reese has been very fortunate in having one of the top musical aggregations in the Air Force. Under the direction of CWO Carmine Luce, the 514th AF Band, has been making a name for itself from

The Air Force Band of today is a very versatile organization, and its list of jobs run something like a miniature employment agency. The duties include furnishing music for parades, retreat ceremonies, radio broadcasts, symphony concerts, meeting VIP's and furnishing dance music for dances held on the base.

The history of the band dates back to early in the war when it was organized at Lincoln Army Airfield, Lincoln, Nebraska where it remained until January, 1946 when it was shipped to Barksdale. That is when M/Sgt. Presley R. Wood, now first sergeant of the band, joined it.

CWO Kurt E. Linden was band master from its arrival in January until October of 1946 when the present band master CWO Luce took over.

The 36 piece band has a weekly schedule that calls for two practice sessions daily, two hours weekly for concert rehearsals, seven hours of individual instruction, and two hours of miscellaneous training.

Most of the arranging for the band is done by M/Sgt. Charles L. Simmons, Jr., who joined the band in 1946, shortly after Ser-

said airman reads this he can recover his bags by checking with Paul, the driver of the town to base bus.

geant Wood. He also leads the 12 piece dance band.

Very proud of the men in his band, Mr. Luce made the statement that he would match his band against any in the Air Force and that the 514th would come out on top.

More than seven of the bandsmen play more than one instrument and Mr. Luce plays them all except two or three so than the band is well rounded out with enough flexibility to handle almost any arrangement.

Lt. Col. George S. Howard, Chief of Bands, USAF, and his executive officer, Major Beckett, have rated the 514th among the top in the Air Force field bands.

## Can a Bird Fly Before Hatched?

Santa Ana, Calif. (AFPS) — Many a pilot has boasted he could set his plane down without breaking an egg. But few ever have proved the point.

Now there's a marine pilot who can. And he's about as surprised as anyone at his feat. In fact the incident also proved another thing—that a bird can fly before it's been hatched.

It's like this. After Col. W. H. Miller, USMC, set his transport down at the Marine Corps Air Station, El Toro, following a round trip flight to San Diego, crewmen noticed a sparrow perched on the propeller blade. Then they saw another bird.

Closer inspection disclosed the birds' nest—complete with egg—on top of No. 14 cylinder. It was partially protected from the slipstream by a half-inch "lead" line. The birds' home was made of straw, medical gauze, aircraft safety wire, cord, and small pieces of marine dungarees.

## "WILL YOU BE NEXT?"

Reese AFB Vehicle Accident Statistics	
Days Since Last Fatality (Private Vehicle)	33
Days Since Last Reported Private Vehicle Accident	5
Days Since Last Reported Government Vehicle Accident	22
Fatalities (Private Vehicle) This Year	2
Vehicle Injuries (1 January 1950 thru 31 May)	21
Vehicle Injuries To Date In June	5

**SPEED KILLS, TAKE IT EASY**

## 'Midnight Oil' Aids Airmen, Warrant Officers To Meet Career Field Requirements

Air Force officials have announced the beginning of "Operation Midnight Oil" whereby airmen, including warrant officers, may improve their general educational qualifications in a career field during off-duty time and commanders in all echelons are encouraged to assist personnel desiring to participate in the program.

The program Midnight Oil, under the guidance of base AI and E officers, is based on a career study plan in which the field is divided into four sections corresponding to the skill levels of basic career courses. The level will be determined by the I and E officer after a conference with the airman in question and his study will begin from there.

A higher level of skill will be added only after all essential courses in lower skill levels have been completed.

A course will be marked completed whenever within the description of that course, it is passed (or already has been passed) successfully with an accredited civilian educational institution or with USAFI.

The definition for the term "career courses" has been established as courses of instruction in general education that are closely related to career fields and are selected from the United States Armed Forces Institute Catalog or from the "List of Courses Offered by Cooperating Colleges and Universities through USAFI." (AFM 34-7).

"Basic Courses" has been defined as courses included in the "Lists of General Educational Courses Basic to Airman Career Fields" published as attachments to AFR 35-405, with the course titles in each list divided into four groups or skill levels: Superintendent (CWO and WO); Supervisor or Technician (pay grades E7 and E6); Senior (E5 and E4); and Apprentice or Helper (E3, E2, and E1). The course titles progress upward within each skill level in each list and the essential course in each list are capitalized.

Not included in a list of basic courses but recommended for the individual airman by the I and E Officer to the airman, are the fundamental courses. A fundamental course will be designated essential if it is a prerequisite for any basic course.

The base AI and E Officer, Lieut. Thornley C. Carey, has requested that any airman desiring to participate in "Operation Midnight Oil" to contact the base AI and E Office, where the necessary forms will be filled out and copies placed in the airman's personal file.

Successful completion of career courses will improve the airman's professional qualifications in his career field and will provide general educational background for attendance at service

schools. Successful completion of courses will not guarantee promotion but will be considered in determining eligibility for promotion. The duplicate copies of all career study plans will be made readily available to classification and promotion boards.

The following list of basic career courses is now available at the Base AI and E Office, Bldg. T-21, and the others will be available within the next month or so. Those on hand include: Intelligence Career Field, Photomapping, Photographic, Weather, Air Traffic Control and Warning, Communications Operations, Radio and Radar Maintenance, Armmed Missile Guidance, Armament System, Armmed Training Devices Maintenance, and Wire Maintenance,

## ATRC Newspapers Are Commended

Major General Charles I. Carpenter, Chief of Chaplains, USAF, recently commended the Air Training Command and newspapers of bases in the command, for their work in support of the base chaplains and religious activities.

Chaplain Carpenter stated in his letter, "Upon request, this office receives copies of most of the newspapers published in the Air Force. These are forwarded to us by the chaplains, and we have been pleased with the space given to Air Force religious news and chaplain announcements. However, we have been especially pleased with the splendid coverage of chaplains and religious news given in the newspapers of the Air Training Command."

In support of Chaplain Carpenter's statement the chaplains here, Capt. Jared A. Walker, and 1st Lt. Frank J. Gilchrist, sent the following letter to the Public Information Officer, "We chaplains at Reese would like to join with our Chief of AF Chaplains, Chap. (Major Gen) Charles I. Carpenter in expressing our appreciation to the staff of the Reese "Roundup" for the wholehearted cooperation they have given us in our publicity for the chapel.

So may we join hands with Chaplain Carpenter in saying "thanks" to the "Roundup" for the wonderful job you are doing. We deeply appreciate all of your efforts."

## Special Order Shop Open



Mrs. Jo Weatherford (standing left), former chairman; Mrs. Mazie Buckley (seated), present chairman of the Special Orders Committee of the Women's Club, and Mrs. Audrey Owen, assistant chairman, look over some catalogs displaying some of the merchandise that can now be ordered through that department. (Photo by Cpl. Conrad)

## No Excuse Sir!



There is very little doubt that an atomic bomb could cause as much damage to this automobile shown after a recent collision in which base personnel were injured. Play safe and stay safe!

## NCO Club

TONIGHT, 9 June—Bingo at 2030 hours. \$25 door prize.  
 SATURDAY, 10 June—Dance at 2000 hours. Music by Burl Hubbard.  
 SUNDAY, 11 June—Dance at 2000 hours. Music by Bailey Ireland  
 MONDAY, 12 June—NCO Ladies Auxiliary Meeting.  
 TUESDAY, 13 June—Open house.  
 WEDNESDAY, 14 June—Dance at 2000 hours. Music by base orchestra.  
 THURSDAY, 15 June—Open house.  
 Free coffee on Saturday and Sunday mornings from 0700 until 1100 hours.

## Officers Club

TONIGHT, 9 June—Open house and music by Pee Wee Cole Trio.  
 SATURDAY, 10 June—Informal dinner dance at 2100 hours. music by Lloyd Alsup's Orch. and Pee Wee Cole Trio.  
 SUNDAY, 11 June—Music and Buffet Dinner 1800-2000 hours. 1700-1900 hours.  
 MONDAY, 12 June—Open house.  
 TUESDAY, 13 June—Open house.  
 WEDNESDAY, 14 June—Women's Club Spotters Coffee.  
 THURSDAY, 15 June—Open house.

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## Service Club

TONIGHT, 9 June—Skating party at Playmor Ring, transportation leaves Service Club at 1930 hours.  
 SATURDAY, 10 June—Bus at 1300 hours for swim at McKenzie State Park, return trip at 1600 hours.  
 SUNDAY, 11 June—Bus at 1300 hours for swim at McKenzie State Park, return trip at 1600 hours.  
 MONDAY, 12 June—Transportation at 1915 hours for Beginners dancing class.  
 TUESDAY, 13 June—Game night.  
 WEDNESDAY, 14 June—Bingo, prizes at 2015 hours.  
 THURSDAY, 15 June—Informal dance at 2030 hours, music by the Base Orchestra.

## MOVIES

Tonight, 9 June

**THAT MIDNIGHT KISS**  
 Mario Lanza-Kathryn Grayson  
 Newsreel

Saturday, 10 June  
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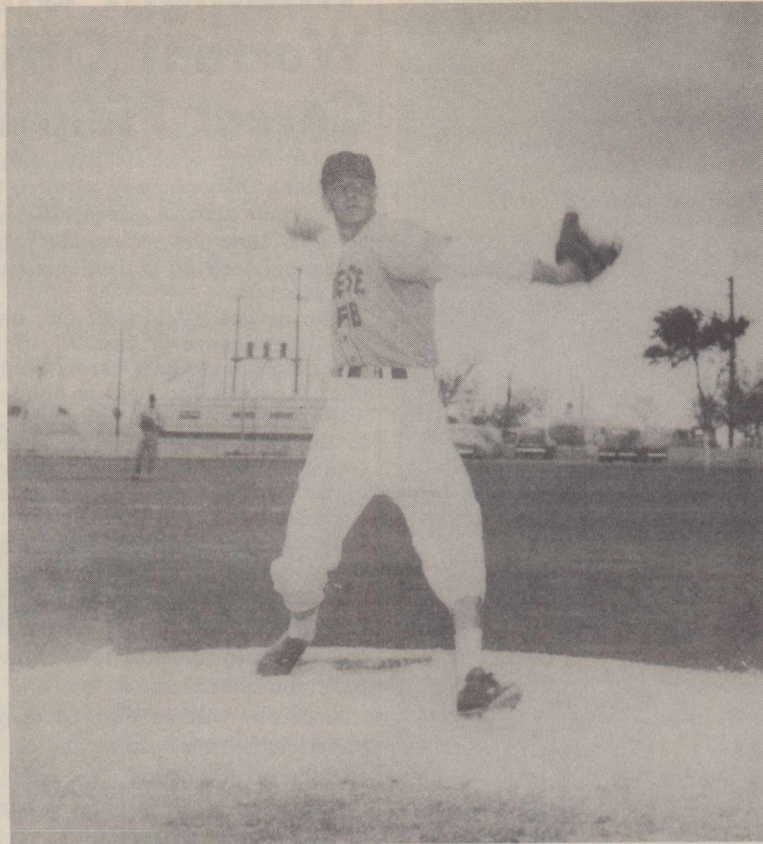
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## One For The Batter



Cpl. Dale White winds up to heave one at the batter during Saturday's game with Levelland. White gave up one hit to gain his first victory of the season. (Photo by Cpl. King)

## Reese Nine Defeats Levelland 4-1, White Pitches One-Hit Ball

The Reese baseball team, behind the one hit pitching of Cpl. Dale White, defeated the Levelland Refiners 4 to 1 in a low scoring game played Saturday, 3 June at 1400 hours at the baseball diamond on the base.

In their second game, the members of the team defeated the Republic Exploration nine 16-4 and went on to trounce the Forrest Lumber team 22-2 in the third game.

Last Friday, 2 June, the base team again came through, defeating an ever challenging VFW team 9-6 after coming from behind in the sixth inning when the score was 6-1.

With Reese at bat, Wright singled, advanced to third on Carey's infield out. Bradley walked and on the next pitch started for second to set up a double steal, stopping half way between first and second. A trap play was begun which allowed Wright to steal home. Bradley broke for second, the VFW shortstop blocked the base resulting in a collision between both players. In the confusion the ball was dropped allowing the runner to reach second safely. A brawl between the two players immediately began and was in full swing as umpires and spectators poured on the scene. Apologies were said and play was resumed.

Toms grounded third to first advancing Bradley to third. Edwards then pounded a double scoring Bradley. Successive hits by Baird, H. Miller and Biesenback along with a wild pitch saw a total of six runs come in to put Reese in front 7-6.

In the bottom of the sixth inning a VFW rally was halted when with one out, the next batter flied out to Wright in centerfield who immediately threw home to prevent the runner on third from scoring. Toms whipped the ball to Edwards at third who caught the runner for a successful double play.

Reese scored two more runs in the top of the seventh and went on to hold the VFW's in the bottom of the seventh. Biesenback was the winning pitcher.

Miami, Fla. (AFPS)—Lilly McCoy accused Harold Eugene Adkins of stealing \$40. When the trial came up, however, she asked to withdraw the charges because she had fallen in love and married Harold while seeking the return of her money. Judge Ben C. Willard dismissed the case.

## 3501st Nine Racks 20 Wins To Date

The 3501st Eagles, playing both independent and league softball games, have a skein of 20 victories racked up so far and no defeats. Playing games where they can find them, the Eagles are currently one of the hottest teams on the base.

Sparked by the pitching of Cpl. Dalton Touchette and T/Sgt. J. S. Stracener, who have 15-0 and 5-0 records respectively, the majority of the 16 men on the team are batting well over .300. Cpl. J. J. Frigenti is leading the team with a .515 batting average, 25 runs scored, and 10 stolen bases. T/Sgt. G. E. Lawrence is second with .459, 6 home runs, and 22 runs batted in.

Touchette's pitching record stands at 15 wins with no losses, 1 no-hit, no-run game, 31 strikeouts, six walks, and 16 hits. Stracener has 5 wins, no losses, 23 hits, 22 strikeouts, and 9 walks.

M/Sgt. O. K. McReynolds who coaches the team, stated that they are ready to play any team on the base or off-base who wants to play them.

## Base Softball Nine Shares First Place In Arc League With Lubbock VFW Team

The base softball team, under the direction of Capt. C. W. Bradley, Jr., is now tied for first place in the Arc League in Lubbock after recovering from its first and only loss to the Lubbock Dusters 15-6. All games are being played at MacKenzie State Park at 1930 and 2045 base.

## Track, Field Day Announced By Athletic Officer

The base athletic officer, Lieutenant A. J. Knudsen, recently announced that a track and field day will be held at Reese in the very near future with the events to be held in the athletic area now being constructed at the rear of the base gymnasium.

The field day has been planned so that each squadron will have a chance to enter a team and trophies will be given for the winning teams and the individual winners.

Work on the track and jumping pits, is rapidly nearing completion and Squadrons should be able to schedule practice periods after the first of the week.

Reese will have one of the two tracks in the Lubbock area the other one being at Texas Tech. Due to the non-availability of cinders for the track it will only have a dirt surfacing, which Tech officials say, has worked out satisfactorily.

The athletic office is preparing a list of the events to be held and will send them out to the squadrons on the base and as far as awards are concerned, prizes will be given to the 1st and 2nd place winners in each event and 1st, 2nd, and 3rd, place medals given to the high point men for the day. First and 2nd place trophies will be given to the squadrons with the greatest number of points.

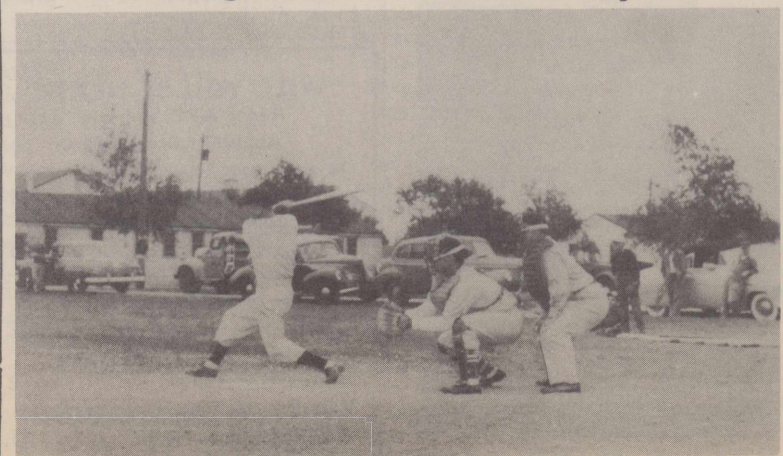
Lieutenant Knudsen also stated that a number of inquiries have been received concerning the forming of a base team for golf and tennis to play teams from and at other bases. All interested personnel are urged to contact the athletic office.



Overheard in a small town.  
 "What do you natives do for amusement around here?"  
 "Hunt and drink."  
 "What do you hunt?"  
 "Drink."

Nurse: "I'll have you know I'm marrying an officer and a gentleman."  
 Patient: "You can't do that. It's bigamy."

## Long Gone And Far Away



Spence (batting) drives a long single, scoring his teammate Elkins with the lone run for Levelland in Saturday's game played at the base baseball diamond. Catching for Reese is Maier and Lewis umpiring. (Photo by Cpl. King)

White struck out four batters and gave up five walks in gaining his first victory of the season. His opponent Maroney ended the gamewith six strike-outs and four walks after relieving Railey who had pitched for the first four innings and had given up one walk and pitched three of the strike-outs.

Bisi was the sparkplug of the Reese team, getting two walks and scoring both times. Elkins scored the lone run for the Levelland team on a single hit by Spense. Elkins had got on base via a walk.

The only extra base hit of the game came in the fourth inning when Counts hit a long triple and stole home after Bisi was walked the second time.

Bob Bishop, team manager stated that plans have been worked out and are up for approval to have games at the base diamond on Saturday and Tuesday afternoons at 1400 hours.

He also stated that the base team will be entered in the Train-in Command baseball tournament to be held at Randolph AFB, starting on the 24th of July.

League standings for the Arc League as of Sunday are:

TEAM	W	L
RAFB	3	1
VFW	3	1
Lubbock Auto	2	1
Pioneer Church	2	1
Dusters	2	2
Republic Exp.	1	3
Rhodes Brothers	1	3
Anderson-Young	0	2

The Reese team will play the Lubbock Auto's tonight at 2045 at McKenzie Park.

The batting averages as of Monday for the base softball team are:

1st. Lt. Stephen Frost	.714
M/Sgt. Theodore R. Carey	.636
Sgt. Neal H. Beard	.545
Capt. Clyde W. Bradley	.500
S/Sgt. Frederick C. Edwards	.500
M/Sgt. Tom E. Toms	.500
S/Sgt. Johnnie L. Black	.500
M/Sgt. Woodrow S. Miller	.462
Sgt. William C. Wright	.400
Sgt. Homer C. Miller	.273
Cpl. Auburn L. Biesenback	.222
Team Average	.477

## Male Cockroaches

Medford, Mass. (AFPS)—Kenneth D. Roeder of Tufts College physiology department, wants all the male cockroaches he can get for nerve impulses research for the Army Medical Corps. "No female ones, though," he said. "They're too fat."

Pen Argyl, Pa. (AFPS)—Herbert Kelske of Merrick, N. Y., swerved his trailer-truck to avoid hitting a dog. The vehicle snapped off a power pole cutting off the town's electricity for four hours.

## Walker Outshoots Reese Skeet Team

The Reese Skeet Shooting Team, under the direction of Major Clarence L. Lollar, traveled to Walker AFB, New Mexico on 26 May to hold a shoot and lost the shoot by the close margin of ten points. The final score was 472x500 for Walker and 462x500 for Reese.

The individual scores for the Reese team were Major Lollar's 96x100, 96x100 for Lt. Col. Galen B. Price, 95x100 for T/Sgt. John B. Parks, 90x100 for Maj. Stanley D. Kline, and 88x100 for T/Sgt. Lilborn B. Jackson.

The Reese team travels to Vance AFB, Oklahoma today to hold a match with the base team there.