

**CENSUS TAKER**—SMSgt. Elmer C. Martin Jr., Personnel sergeant major, wears his census commissioner's hat as he prepares to take the base census this weekend. See story below. (U.S. Air Force Photo)



Church Services Highlight

## Reese Stands Ready For Easter Activities

Religious services Sunday will climax week-long Easter activities that saw Reesites engaged in a variety of holiday projects.

Conclusion of Catholic Holy Week observance begins today with Catholic Liturgy at 3 p.m. and confession, 4 to 5 p.m. Saturday confessions tomorrow

will be from 3:30 to 5 p.m. and Catholic Liturgy (Easter Vigil) begins at 7 p.m. Sunday mass will be held at 10 a.m. and 12:15 p.m.

Protestants are invited to attend Good Friday worship service at noon today in the base chapel. Protestants are also re-

minded of the Easter Sunrise Service at the chapel, 6:30 a.m. Sunday, followed by a Sunrise Breakfast at the NCO Mess, 7:30 a.m. Regular Sunday worship services will be held at 9 and 11 a.m.

Other activities around the base include an Easter egg hunt sponsored by the Youth Center. Scheduled for 1:30 p.m. Sunday, the hunt is for all dependent children ages 1 through 10. Fuzie the Bunny will entertain children prior to the hunt.

The eggs will be hidden in the field north of the wing commander's house and south of the hos-

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**BOILING EGGS**—Airmen prepare to boil another several hundred eggs in preparation for an Easter egg hunt, 2 p.m. tomorrow at Maxey Park. Eggs in the foreground are just part of the thousands of eggs boiled in cooperation with the city-sponsored event. Assisting in the project was, from left to right, Sgt. John E. Matthews, Information Division; A1C Edward Budney and A1C Danny Young, 3500th Supply Squadron. See story above. (U.S. Air Force Photo)

## Census Taker Goes To Work

The 19th decennial census of the United States will be held Wednesday. Designated by law in 1790, the census will count every American alive on that day.

Also included in the census are foreign nationals studying, working in the United States as well as persons who die and babies born on that day.

The law requires that census questions be answered truthfully and to the best of one's knowledge. The public has always cooperated with the census and very few people have ever been fined by the courts for failure to cooperate. No one has ever been jailed.

Each residence in Reese Village and Reese Trailer Park will receive an envelope between to-

day and Monday. The envelope contains the census form addressed to that household together with a yellow instruction sheet and a brown, post-paid return envelope. The address will bear no name. Four out of every five households will receive the short census form, and the fifth household will receive the longer form. Reesites living in town will receive the forms through the mail with separate instructions attached.

All forms are to be filled out and mailed in the return envelope on Wednesday. Census workers will check addresses of returned forms against the master address list and will make personal visits to those addresses from which no forms are returned. Follow-up work will begin about one week after the census day.

When all addresses have been accounted for and all forms completed and returned, they will be shipped to the Census Bureau where processing of the data will begin.

The base census project officer for Reese Village and Reese Trailer Park is SMSgt. Elmer C. Martin, Personnel Division, building T-1, ext. 2346 or 2223.

The base census project officer will appoint a census supervisor for each of the bachelor residence buildings on base. The supervisors will be furnished appropriate questionnaires for use in their respective buildings. On Wednesday, these supervisors will distribute a census questionnaire to each person residing in their respective building and will insure it is properly completed.

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### Contest Applicants May Now Apply

Entries are being taken in the office of *The Roundup*, building 815, to determine the Miss or Mrs. Armed Forces Day, 1970 at Reese AFB.

The contest is open to all families — active duty, civilian or dependents of any military or civilian worker at Reese. Names may be submitted by the applicant or a representative.

Along with the name and other vital statistics of the applicant, a picture must be included which will be used in the judging. The readers themselves will pick out the winner from among the finalists.

## 21 Reesites Raise Rank

Twenty-one Reesites, including two officers, are slated to advance in rank April 1 as a result of latest promotion names released by personnel officials.

Maj. Forrest B. Fenn, 3501st Pilot Training Squadron, will be promoted to lieutenant colonel while Capt. Robert B. Cocke Jr., 3500th Pilot Training Squadron, is scheduled to be promoted to major.

Enlisted promotions include:

To SSgt.

C. S. Castleman Jr., Bobby H. Edwards and Stanley D. Mierzwa, 3500th Organizational Maintenance Squadron; Timothy P. Chilcutt, 3501st Student Squadron; Serigo R. Diaz, 3500th USAF Hospital Squadron; and Donald E. Wallace, 3500th Pilot Training Wing.

To Sgt.

Bruce M. Camp, Stephen D. Miller, and George W. Smitherman, 3500th OMS; Clifford Colley, Roger B. Deatherage, Richard J. Gizzie, James E. Meiers, Daniel L. Williams and David L. Ylitalo, 3500th Air Base Group; Franklin W. Cordery, Stephen E. Marchant, and George A. Pena, 3500th USAF Hospital Squadron; Mark Punzo, 3500th PTW.

A sub-committee of the Reese AFB Traffic Coordinating Group has recommended a locally-developed Safe Driver Recognition Program for Reese AFB.

Under the plan, drivers will be cited for safe driving and be recognized through such media as *The Roundup* and *Daily Bulletin*. The sub-committee recommended Security Police, unit safety officers and non-commissioned officers-in-charge, unit commanders and first sergeants as the agencies to identify and cite safe drivers. However, they limited the actual stopping of vehicles for this purpose to the Security Police. Others would take down the vehicle until it is parked. In either case, the driver exercising safe-driving habits would be issued a Safe Driving Certificate on the spot and his name recorded for further recognition.

The sub-committee also noted

that the act indicating a safe driver is a judgment factor by the individual authorized to issue the citation. The safe driving certificates would be issued only on Reese AFB, including Reese Village.

Also discussed was a possible dinner at either the Officers or NCO Open Messes for one of the winners each month.

The program would encompass both government and private motor vehicle operators.

The sub-committee is made up of Lt. Col. Harold W. Hosack, chief, Personnel Division, chairman; Maj. Albin E. Chovanec, staff judge advocate; 2nd Lt. David E. Roberts, 3500th USAF Hospital Squadron commander; and SMSgt. Herbert L. Byrd, Security Police Division.

### Inspections Due To Start Soon In Village Area

Residents of Reese Village and Reese Trailer Park are reminded that inspections will start soon and now is the time to start preparing lawns and grounds.

According to Capt. Vincent P. Murphy, chief, Services Division, the inspections will begin 9 a.m. April 6.

Some hints for preparing areas for inspection include: roll up hoses when not in use; care for backyard in the same manner as the front yard; eliminate all grass and weeds in sidewalks; and store lawn mowers, bicycles and such in storage sheds or back of house rather than in front.

## Safety Program Planned

# FOR THE COMMANDER

'There Is A Way' Applicable To All



Col. Clyde J. Morganti Wing Commander

By Maj. Fred A. Luke  
Chief, Standardization/Evaluation Division

"There is a way" is a well-known maxim that has been made even more famous by pilots and crews of the Vietnam conflict. The principle of having a way to accomplish a given task is applicable to the professional airman anywhere in the world. Of course, the way to accomplish the task is by using established standardized procedures. Checklists are as applicable to accomplishing a job on the ground as they are to airborne operations.



Standardization represents a large part of our life, because it is the best way to do the job. The proper procedure must encompass all aspects of safety as well as efficiency. Departures from proper procedures, whether it be a ground operation or a lapse in cockpit discipline, can lead to a disaster. Many of us are engaged in flying high-performance aircraft where the rapid sequence of events require rapid decisions and more decisive action than is associated with other occupations. Inadequate crew action, whether it be on the part of a technician or inspector on the ground, or on the part of an aircrew, continues to be one of our most serious compromises of safety. Being in too big a hurry to get the job done has often resulted in getting the job done in less than a satisfactory manner. It is becoming increasingly important for us to observe proper procedures; for as our knowledge and technology increases, so does the cost of equipment. And as the cost of equipment increases, the cost of human error increases proportionately.

We must know our job well enough to understand why each step of the checklist is necessary, and the repercussions or malfunctions that may result if the proper procedure is not used. If it is our professional belief that there is a better way to get the job done, then it is also our responsibility to initiate action to bring the proposed method to the attention of the responsible authority.

Prevention of injuries and the loss of lives and equipment is well worth the effort of following standardized procedures.

## Job Is Complex And Demanding

# Auditor Is No Villain Wearing A Black Hat

(Staff Editorial)

To many people the term "auditor" conjures up visions of dark-garbed and beady-eyed investigators sweeping in from out of the fog to locate the error in the bank's bookkeeping. The auditor must certainly be the villain in the black hat.

But have you talked with an Air Force auditor lately? You may be surprised. You'll probably find him to be most human and reasonable, the type of person you'd like for a next door neighbor.

If his brow is furrowed with an anxious frown, it's because his job is one of the most complex and demanding in the Air Force. He has to understand all of the implications of Air Force management at all levels. He must be aware of hundreds of regulations and directives. He must be familiar with all of the current and proposed information systems and know enough computer programming to track data through the most sophisticated equipment.

### Must Have Working Knowledge

He must possess vast working knowledge and stand ready to jump into any problem area on request and find a solution to the problem.

Where do those requests come from? They may originate at any

level from the Secretary of Defense or the Air Staff, from the major command or the base commander. Let's take an example from Vietnam.

The Air Staff was concerned about the reliability of the S-133 report, "Survival Radios and Beacons." The resident auditor received a request on April 28 to validate the report by reconciliation to organizational records and assets on hand. Auditors performed the validation at nine of the ten bases. By May 12, only 15 days later, nine reports of audit were issued to the local commanders and a consolidated report was issued to 7th Air Force. The net effect of the audit was to identify more than 2,700 of these critical radios and beacons that had not been reported.

### Another Case In Point

Now let's look at a case at the other end of the spectrum. At an arctic air base, a tie-up of local funds was of definite concern to the base commander. The supply system was not working as it should. The problem was solved when the auditor found the trouble in base supply's data processing system. Time and money were saved.

Today's auditor can no longer be visualized as the narrow specialist he once was. He has grown in experience and training as his audit role expanded from simply checking for compliance with prescribed financial procedures to appraising complete management processes. His responsibility embraces total resource management.

The auditor's position as an independent reviewer gives him a different perspective from which he can spot the flaws in the system.

### Independent View Of Problem

As one base commander said recently: "The resident auditor views our problems with a clarity which is unobtainable by those of us who live with the 'trees' everyday. He gives me an independent and objective view of the operations and systems through which we manage our resources to accomplish our objectives. Audit reports are a valuable

management tool. They receive my personal attention."

Perhaps you have overlooked the skills available to you in the resident auditor's office. There is a lot of expertise in his organization. Your resident auditor is Bob W. Sims. He and his staff (consisting of 1st Lt. Ronald White, Sgt. Raley Smith and Mrs. Dorothy Bloomfield) are located in bldg. 454. Why not give him a call on extension 2423 and get acquainted.

To answer our original question—does he wear a black hat? Look closely and you'll find that it's very much like hundreds of others on your base, the same dependable Air Force blue!

## Capsule Law

# Fines Are Not Deductible As Tax Expenses

(An AFNS Feature)

Hurrying to a business appointment, a motorist is arrested for speeding. Is the amount of the resulting fine deductible on the income tax return as a "business expense?"

No. While the law recognizes "ordinary and necessary" expenses in doing business, courts usually will not recognize law-breaking as ordinary and necessary.

If such deductions were allowed, the law would be imposing a penalty with one hand and "taking the sting" out of the penalty with the other.

However, a violation of law might involve other expenses, besides the fine itself, that can be legitimate deductions.

For example, a businessman was found guilty of mail fraud. On his next tax return, he claimed a deduction for the legal expenses he had incurred in defending himself. Tax officials objected to the deduction, saying he never would have had these expenses if he had not broken the law. But the court allowed the deduction.

## On The Line

# Easter History Given

By Chaplain (Lt. Col.) Isaac M. Copeland Jr. Base Chaplain

Jesus Christ is risen! He is alive! He is life eternal! Christians glory in the Easter fact, "Dominus Vivit," the Lord liveth! This is the Christian faith: Jesus Christ conquered death and brought life and immortality to the human soul.

Christians celebrate the Easter Occasion on the first Sunday after the date of the full moon that occurs on or after March 21. The method of determining when Easter Sunday will occur is governed by the decision made by the Council of Nicaea in A.D. 325. Easter always comes between March 21 and the 25th day of April. The majority of the events on the calendar of the Christian Year are determined by the date of Easter. Christianity has its most significant meaning in that which Easter represents. The resurrection of Christ on Sunday gave a special meaning to every Sunday as "a little Easter" and gave the occasion for the remembrance of the resurrection life.

Christians think of Easter as the chief source of their spiritual power. Easter makes clear the fact that the horror and disaster of Black Friday lasted only a few hours. The risen Christ is alive and is to the end of unending eternity sitting at the right hand

of God reigning triumphant in victory over the cross and the grave. Here is change, complete and more or less sudden, from sadness to joy. The power of the resurrection is cause for thankful and exultant expressions of joy.

Christians think of Easter as the fellowship of faith. Faith in Christ makes possible a new life. As we steadfastly hope to be like the Christ, we obtain a clear vision of the goal and reinforced reason for making it a reality. The goal is victory over sin and death with a confident faith that says with St. Paul: "Thanks be to God who giveth us the victory through our Lord Jesus Christ."

Christians believe the statement

from the Scriptures: "Now is Christ risen from the dead, and become the first fruits of them that slept. Alleluia: for the Lord God omnipotent reigneth. Let us be glad and rejoice and give honor to him." This is the Christian faith.

The outlook in the world may seem desperately dark. Sin is rampant. Unbelief is brazen. Godless systems hold the majority of the human race in hopeless bondage. The weapons of science threaten mankind with destruction. Is there any hope? No—except that Jesus Christ lives! The outlook is bright when one lives in the reality of the living Christ!

# Check For Tax Advantages Offered Servicemen By IRS

(An AFNS Feature)

The Internal Revenue Service provides significant tax advantages for military personnel who have served in Vietnam. All compensation received for active service by warrant officers and enlisted men, and up to \$500 of compensation for active service as a commissioned officer, is excluded for Federal income tax purposes for any month during any part of which such member served in the Vietnam combat zone.

The same exclusions are granted the member who was hospitalized anywhere as a result of wounds, disease, or injury incurred while serving in the Vietnam combat zone, and received pay for such periods of hospitalization. Additionally, when reenlistment occurs in a month dur-

ing any part of which a member served in a combat zone, the reenlistment bonus may be excluded from the gross income of the recipient.

The excluded pay should already be deducted on the W-2 form so care should be taken that it is not deducted a second time from the tax return. The combat zone exclusion also applies to personnel traveling on leave in aircraft and ships which pass through or make a stop in the combat zone.

Servicemen in Vietnam do not have to file a Federal income tax return until 180 days after leaving the area. However, a wife may file a joint return without the serviceman's signature by indicating in his signature space that he is in Vietnam.

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**EASTER BUNNY**—Last week's snows afforded these three students of Class 70-07 a chance to pass away the time building a snow bunny in the bachelor officers quarters area between buildings 833 and 835. From the left clockwise are Second Lieutenants Robert C. Furr, Gene E. Lanier and Robert F. Graf.

**Defense Asks Housing Funds**

WASHINGTON (AFNS) — The Department of Defense has asked Congress for more than \$2 billion for military construction at 260 installations in the United States and overseas in Fiscal Year 1971. Included is \$809 million for military family housing. Construction of new family housing units accounts for \$196 million of this total for 8,000 units. The balance represents continuing requirements necessary for maintenance and operation, improvements to existing quarters, leasing costs, and payments of principal and interest on mortgage obligations. Broken out by service, Air Force is programmed for \$267,280,000 of the total military construction with \$223,422,000 earmarked for bases in the United States.

**Office Of Aerospace Research Merges With Systems Command**

WASHINGTON (AFNS) — The Office of Aerospace Research, the primary basic research organization of the Air Force, will be merged with Air Force Systems Command by July 1, Air Force officials stated.

The objective of the merger is to achieve a closer working relationship between OAR's laboratories, the command's technical divisions and AFSC laboratories. This will permit all Air Force-sponsored research to be conducted with maximum awareness of present and future operational problems.

Headquartered at neighboring Arlington, Va., OAR was established as a separate operating agency of the Air Force on April 1, 1961. Since Aug. 1, 1969, the organization has been commanded by Brig. Gen. Harvey W. Eddy.

Research is accomplished in OAR laboratories through research contracts and grants with colleges, universities and private industry. OAR offices in Brussels and Rio de Janeiro monitor research contracts abroad.

As Department of Defense manager for the aerospace research program, OAR approves programs and allocates payload space on sounding rockets, deep space probes and satellites. OAR conducts the research balloon program for the Air Force and is the largest user of research balloons in the world today.

Through the use of giant telescopes, OAR's Sacramento Peak Observatory, N.M., is a leading facility for conducting solar research.

Details of the planned merger are still being worked out. Additional information will be announced later.

**Kuhfeld Award To Outstanding Academy JAG**

WASHINGTON (AFNS) — Maj. Peter D. Newhouse, assistant staff judge advocate at the Air Force Academy, has been named winner of the Albert M. Kuhfeld Award as the Air Force's outstanding young JAG of 1969.

Presentation of the award is scheduled to be made by Secretary of the Air Force Robert C. Seamans Jr., at the Pentagon on April 10.

A graduate of Ohio State, Major Newhouse entered the Air Force in 1960. He was assigned to the Air Force Academy in 1967 as an instructor in the Department of Law. He was promoted to assistant professor on Jan. 1, 1969.

Major Newhouse was appointed director of the basic law course at the start of the present school term. To accommodate changes and evolvments of the law, locally prepared law textbooks and notebooks were revised under his guidance.

Major Newhouse served at McChord AFB, Wash., and Hickam AFB, Hawaii, before his assignment to the Academy.

Established in 1965 to honor Maj. Gen. Albert M. Kuhfeld, Air Force JAG from 1962-65, the Kuhfeld Award recognizes accomplishments of young lawyers in the Air Force. Eligibility is limited to JAGs on active duty who are not more than 35 years of age. Selection is made by a board of senior JAGs.

**Census . . .**

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The completed questionnaires from the bachelor quarters will be collected Thursday from each person residing in the quarters and delivered to the base census project officer. Time required for completion of the census questionnaire for persons residing in bachelor-type quarters is approximately three to five minutes. The base census project officer for those quarters is CWO William Hoggatt, Personnel Division, ext. 2642 or 2499.

**Keesler Registers First**  
KEESLER AFB, Miss. (ATC-PS) — SSgt. Mary A. Curry is the first Woman in the Air Force (WAF) to graduate from Keesler's postal and courier operations course.

**Activities . . .**

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pital parking lot. Reese Boy Scouts and representatives of the Officers Wives Club will assist with the hunt. In case of inclement weather, the activities will be moved to the Youth Center.

Reesites are also invited to participate in a city-wide Easter egg hunt sponsored by the City Parks and Recreation Department. More than 18,000 eggs were donated by KSEL Radio and Television and were boiled by Reese personnel in the wing dining hall facilities. Helping with the boiling were A1C Danny Young, A1C Gregory Beys, A1C Edward Budney and A1C Danny Haagenon, all of the 3500th Supply Squadron, and Sgt. John E. Matthews, Information Division.

The eggs were dyed by 14 members of the NCO Wives Club at MacKenzie Park Party House. Slated to get underway at 2 p.m. tomorrow, the hunt will be held at Maxey Park, 23rd Street and Quaker Avenue.

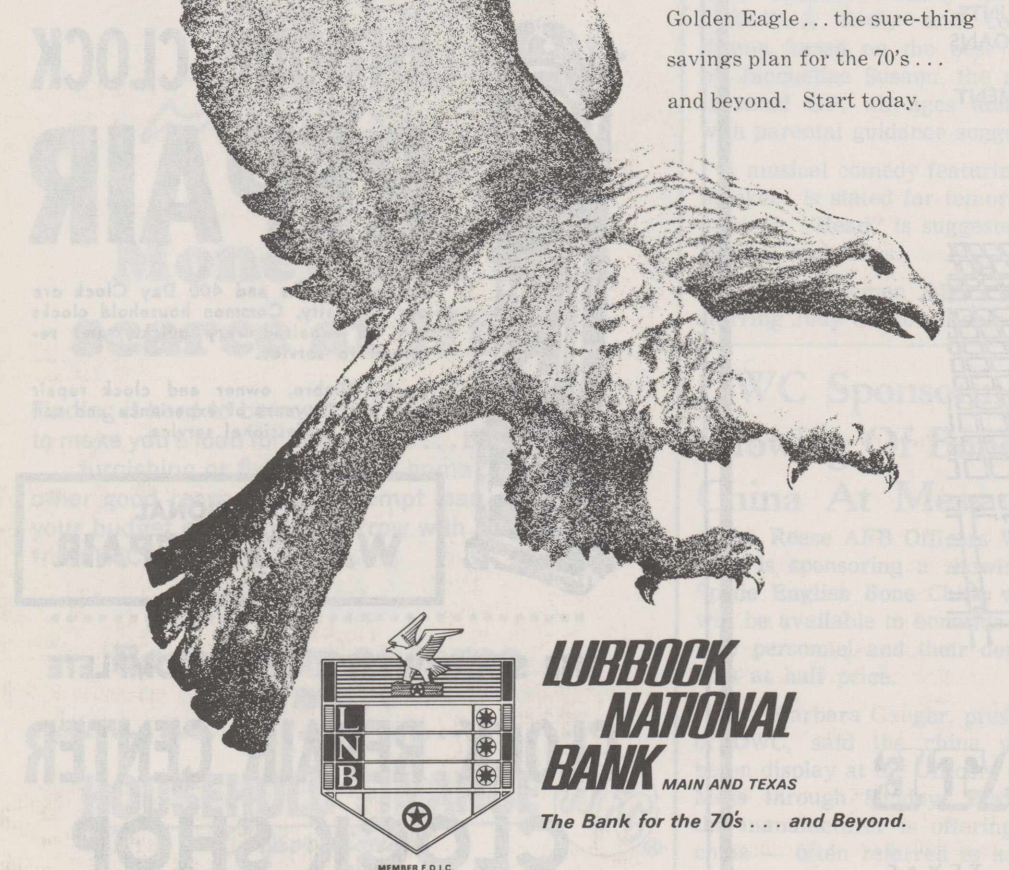
Finally, the Officers Open Mess will present an Easter Sunday Brunch 9 a.m. to 1:30 p.m. at the mess. The menu will include scrambled eggs with chives, choice of ham, bacon or sausage, home fried potatoes, home made biscuits with whipped honey and butter, assorted turnovers, chilled orange juice or tomato juice, and coffee or tea. Charge for the brunch will be \$1.

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# Wives Host Activities

By Mrs. George Swanson  
Publicity Chairman

The Officers Wives Club monthly luncheon will be Thursday noon in the Officers Open Mess. This luncheon will be guest day, and all members are encouraged to bring their friends. The NCO Wives Club board of governors will be our guests at this luncheon.

April Showers is the theme of the luncheon hosted by the wives of the 3500th Pilot Training Squadron. Mrs. Kyle Redwine is senior hostess with help on decorations from Mrs. Marvin Costephens and Mrs. Earl Hallum, menu by Mrs. William Aycock, and Mrs. Gerald Hammer, and door prizes provided by Mrs. David Curran.

The program for the luncheon will be a viewing of slides belonging to Lt. Col. Albert Martin concerning his work with native children in Thailand. In order for Colonel Martin to encourage these children to accept medical aid he gave them hard candies which he had shipped to him from the United States. Mrs. Martin will show the slides of her husband and his work with the children.

### Spring Fling Set

Plans are underway for the May 2 Hawaiian Spring Fling sponsored by the Officers Wives

Club under the direction of Mrs. Marvin Eichmeier. Anyone interested in working with the skit committee can call Mrs. Eichmeier, 795-5716, or Mrs. Pratt Ashworth, 799-4964. Decorations are in the able hands of Mrs. Earl Roberts, table; Mrs. K. Campbell, hall; and Mrs. Jack Vrettos, dining room. All members are encouraged to help make this party a success, so call any one of these gals with ideas or offers of assistance.

Mrs. Carl Franklin has announced that there will be an organizational meeting for Reese Ladies Golf Association in the golf clubhouse April 7 at 9 a.m. Donuts and coffee will be served.

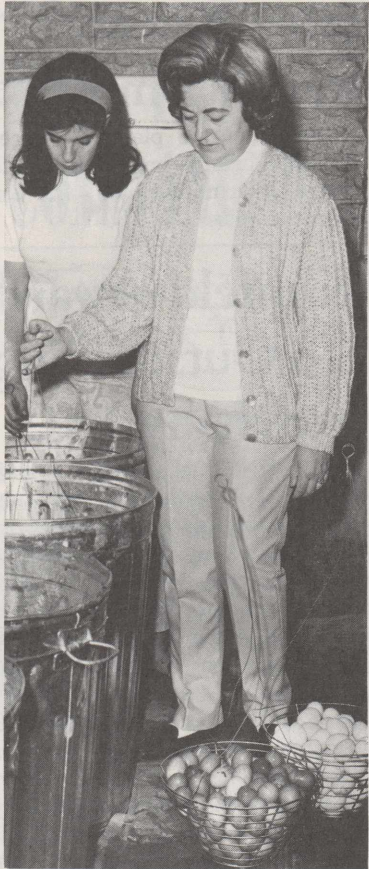
### DCO Wives Plan Coffee

Wives of the Deputy Commander of Operations group held a coffee at the home of Mrs. Wayne Ballantyne where they stuffed envelopes with Easter Seals for the Lubbock County Easter Seal Society. Over 1,000 envelopes were stuffed and mailed.

The Officers Wives Club bowling league can always use substitutes. Call Mrs. John Francis, 799-6297 if you are interested in bowling with the league on Friday mornings, 9:30, at Oakwood Lanes.

Officers Wives Club bridge, un-

der the direction of Mrs. David Curran was held March 19 in the Eagle Room of the Officers Open Mess. Mrs. David Curran and Mrs. William Kalbfleisch won first place. Mrs. John Elliff and Mrs. Walter Connally took second place, and Mrs. Ronald Gauger and Mrs. David Barnett won third place and the prize for slam. Fourth place was claimed by Mrs. John Tompkins and Mrs. Robert Chamberlain.



**EGG DYEING**—Mrs. Gary Persinger, left, and Mrs. Charles Ratliff, right, dunk part of more than 18,000 eggs they helped dye March 21. Fourteen members of the NCO Wives Club worked on the eggs which are to be used in a city-wide Easter egg hunt tomorrow. See story page one. (U.S. Air Force Photo)

## Publicity Chairman Glows In Family Services Spotlight

Family Services spotlight falls this week on the publicity chairman, Mrs. Marvin Eichmeier.

Mrs. Eichmeier has been publicity chairman since October, working more than 175 hours to put her grand total to more than 400 hours. She has written more than 20 articles for the base newspaper as well as two feature articles for The Lubbock Avalanche-Journal. Under Mrs. Eich-

meier's guidance, the first Family Services newsletter was published, a new file card reference system was started and the scrapbook was kept up to date.

Mrs. Eichmeier and her husband, Capt. Marvin Eichmeier of the 3501st Pilot Training Squadron, have four children. Her hobbies include crafts, ceramics and sewing.



Mrs. Marvin Eichmeier

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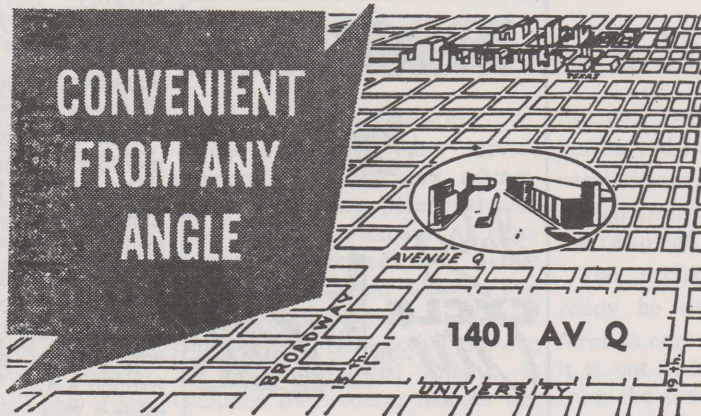
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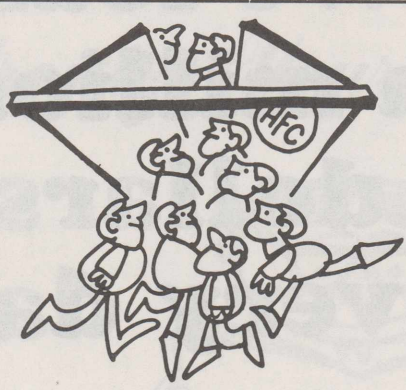
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**TOURING GROUP**—Cheryl Lee and the Carter Brothers are the headline attraction at the NCO Open Mess tomorrow night. An admission price of 50 cents is being charged with a special dinner served in the dining room beginning at 7 p.m.

**Club Provides Games, Crafts**

Today — Ceramics, 9:30 a.m. and 7:30 p.m.; table games, 7:30 p.m.  
Wednesday — Men of the Church, 7 p.m.; ceramics, 7:30 p.m.  
Thursday — Table games, card playing, 7 p.m.  
Friday — Ceramics, 9:30 a.m.; game night, 8 p.m.  
Saturday — Pinochle, jam session, 7:30 p.m.

**NCO Wives Club Sets Kiddies Day**

**By Mrs. Marvin Helms  
Publicity Chairman**  
The NCO Wives Club will sponsor kiddies game day 2 p.m. Sunday in the ballroom of the NCO Open Mess. Prizes will be offered, and a chance to win a \$25 U. S. Savings Bond. The games are open to the children of officers and enlisted personnel stationed at Reese.

The NCO Wives Club will hold its board meeting 7:30 p.m. April 6 at the Family Service Center.

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**Major Commands Ready Nominees**

WASHINGTON (AFNS)—Major commands and separate operating agencies have been invited to submit nominees for consideration by Air Force in selecting 12 Outstanding Airmen for 1970.

The program, with some modifications, continues recognition of the enlisted force in conjunction with the Air Force Association. The 12 airmen will be guests at AFA's annual convention in Washington Sept. 20-23.

Unlike previous years when command representatives attended the convention, an Air Force board will select the 12 airmen who best contributed to the mission and the image of the Air Force during the previous year. Each of these 12 will be awarded the Air Force Outstanding Airman Ribbon.

In announcing the revised program to the field, Lt. Gen. John W. Carpenter III, Air Force assistant vice chief of staff, said the changes will "make the program more equitable and manageable."

Beginning in Fiscal Year 1971, the number of nominations will be allocated to major commands in relative proportion to assigned enlisted strength. A change in AFA convention plans made it inappropriate to implement the restructured program this year, General Carpenter said. Several commands have already selected outstanding airmen for 1970, using previous criteria.

Added emphasis was placed on this year's criteria to honor airmen specifically for achievement or service during the past 12 months. Commands also were instructed to select only those nominees who indicate they intend to continue their Air Force careers for a minimum of two years.

Commands were asked to name their nominees by May 15. Final

Air Force selections are expected to be named in June.

Guidelines suggested in selecting nominees seek to increase emphasis on individual achievement, regardless of command affiliation. Some of these are:

Job knowledge or leadership qualities applied to a specific Air Force problem or combat situation, or development of new techniques which resulted in significantly increased mission effectiveness during the preceding 12 months.

Significant self-improvement through off-duty schooling, achievement in professional or cultural societies or associations, development of creative abilities, etc., within the preceding 12 months.

Leadership in social, cultural or religious activities in the military and/or civilian community which, tangibly or intangibly, contributed to community or group welfare, morale or status within the preceding 12 months.

Any other accomplishment within the preceding 12 months which by its nature or results distinguishes the airman from others of equal or higher grade.

**Mary Ann Helms Named NCOWC Member Of Month**

Mrs. Marvin R. Helms has been chosen Member of the Month for March by the NCO Wives Club.

Mrs. Helms has been a member of the club for the past two and a half years. During this time she has been a very active and helpful member. Serving first on the board of governors for 18 months after joining the club, she then served as entertainment chairman, on the welfare committee — in charge of convalescent home visits, as the NCOWC base exchange representative and as member at large. Currently, she serves as publicity chairman and is once again on the board of governors.

Mrs. Helms, her husband, SSgt. Marvin R. Helms, and their two sons, Mark 5, and Christopher, 3, live at 210 George St., Reese Village. The Helms' main civic function is working with the Lubbock County Welfare Department as foster parents. Mrs. Helms also is a volunteer with Family Services where she has held several posts.

Sergeant Helms has been in the service for 8½ years and is currently assigned to the 3500th Pilot Training Wing Command Post as disaster preparedness NCO. Before coming to Reese, he served a tour of duty in the Republic of Vietnam.

Mrs. Helms' hobbies include sewing, needlework and collecting antiques.



Mrs. Marvin Helms

**Base Theater Marquee Boasts Colorful Adventures, Dramas**

Susan Hayward, Patty Duke and Barbara Perkins are featured in tonight's movie at the base theater, "Valley Of The Dolls." A lively and colorful drama based on the best seller by Jacqueline Susann, the movie is rated GP, all ages admitted with parental guidance suggested.

A musical comedy featuring the Monkees is slated for tomorrow's matinee. "Head" is suggested for general audiences.

"Two Gentlemen Sharing", starring Judy Geeson, Robin Phil-

**OWC Sponsoring Showing Of Bone China At Mess**

The Reese AFB Officers Wives Club is sponsoring a showing of Spode English Bone China which will be available to bonafide military personnel and their dependents at half price.

Mrs. Barbara Gauger, president of OWC, said the china would be on display at the Officers Open Mess through Sunday. She said the manufacturer is offering the china — often referred to as the Cadillac of china—at half price to holders of military identification cards under a special military offer. The display includes the top 20 patterns of Spode.

lips and Hal Frederick, is tomorrow's evening feature. A film of contrasts, it is suggested for restricted audiences.

Woody Allen's "Take the Money and Run" will be Sunday's movie. Starring Woody Allen and Janet Margolin, the feature is a comical spoof on a life of crime. The show is rated GP, all ages admitted with parental guidance suggested.

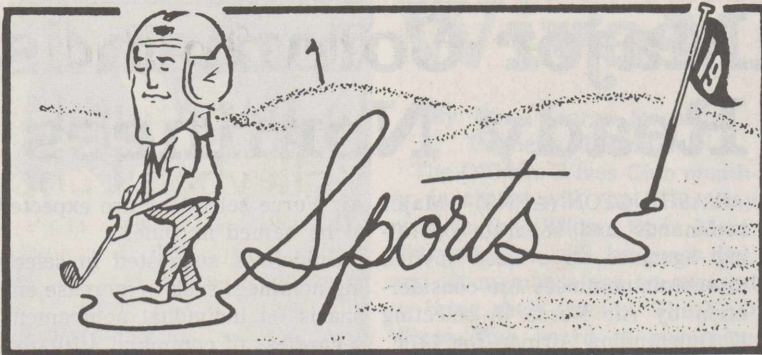
An adventure drama starring Mark Lester, John Mills and Sylvia Syms, "Run Wild, Run Free" is scheduled Tuesday at the theater. The movie is rated for general audiences.

Steve McQueen stars in Wednesday's and Thursday's feature, "The Reivers." Taken from William Faulkner's Pulitzer Prize-winning novel, the movie concerns a rascal who joins with two companions on an adventurous and hilarious journey toward Memphis in a vintage 1905 Winton Flyer. The movie is rated GP.

**Officers Open Mess**

The Don Caldwell Quintet entertains tonight, flight suit night, at the Officers Open Mess. Tomorrow night will be juke box night at the mess.

Members are reminded of the Easter Sunday brunch, 9 a.m. to 1:30 p.m., and game night every Wednesday beginning at 7 p.m.



By Jim Comeaux

A hearty good luck to the Reese AFB volley ball team which leaves Sunday for Sheppard AFB, Tex. and the Air Training Command Volleyball Championships being played there next week.

Despite a somewhat disappointing showing in a recent invitational tournament here at Reese, competent observers feel that Reese has a good chance to bring the ATC championship home. Wayne Benesch and Fernando Gallardo are the best spike men in the business, while Bob Sheets adds a definite touch of class. Others expected to carry a big load are Joe Kelsoe, John Dice, Larry DePriest, and Carey Page. The team is coached by Wilbert Robertson.

Whatever the outcome, the base sends with them its best wishes for success.

### Golf Course News

The golf course driving range opened Sunday under the operation of Dick Davis, a familiar figure around the Reese golf course. (See story page 7.)

The Reese Golf Council remembers last year when hundreds of balls were lost during the first month's operation. The council members—and others—are going to be especially watchful this year so as to not repeat that loss. A timely warning—don't get caught with range balls in your possession.

### Around The Course

Two important golf groups are getting organized at Reese AFB. The first of two organizational meetings is scheduled Wednesday at the golf course clubhouse 11 a.m. Wednesday to firm up plans for the Summer Intramural Golf League at Reese. All organizations planning to enter a team this summer are being asked to send a representative to the meeting.

And, the Ladies Golf Association will hold its initial meeting of the year April 7, also at the golf course clubhouse for the purpose of electing officers and holding a business meeting firming up plans for the association's future. Coffee and donuts will be served. The prime-mover again this year is Mrs. Edith Franklin, an avid golfer, who has asked that ALL women golfers—wives of officers and enlisted personnel—turn out and participate this year. The association offers women an excellent opportunity to socialize, get exercise and learn golf all at the same time.

### Marshalling Is Paying Off

The policing of the golf course by marshals (members of the Reese Golf Council) on weekends has only been in effect for two weeks, but already it has paid off in small ways.

The first week's policing uncovered two small deficiencies which were corrected by the marshals without hurting anyone's feelings. One man placed his golf bag on the green, while the other instance saw three men playing out of two golf bags. Certainly no big thing either of them, but it represented a step in the right direction. Also, the inquiries as to how play was going at last shows the golfers that the Golf Council is concerned, and the presence of the marshals probably prevented other infractions. It is a definite step in the right direction.



TEEN OFFICERS—New officers in the Teen Club talk with Mrs. Jo Alford, far right, during the club's installation banquet March 21. Mrs. Alford was the guest speaker for the banquet. The new officers are, from left to right, Frank Singleton, president; Robbie Harbison, sergeant-at-arms; Cindy Arbergast, secretary; and Steve LuMaye, vice president. (U.S. Air Force Photo)

## Two Tourneys Set This Year At Golf Course

Two golf tournaments were nailed down, and a third set tentatively at Reese AFB by Ken McGuire, Reese golf pro, at the area meeting of the West Texas Professional Golfers Association in March.

Mr. McGuire obtained the dates of June 5, 6 and 7 for the highly prestigious Reese Invitational Golf Tournament, which annually draws some of the top golfers in the area. The other tournament definitely set on the agenda is a pro-am tournament set for May 8.

It was learned at press time that the tournament committee would recommend to the Golf Council that the Reese Invitational be made into a partnership affair upon the recommendation of Mr. McGuire. Details of the tournament were being worked out, and they are expected to be presented in next week's issue of The Roundup.

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**New Power Plant Installed**  
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## ATC Sports Meet At Lowry

HQ. ATC (ATCPS) —The 1970 Air Training Command Lifetime Sports Championships will be held at Lowry AFB, Colo., April 19-24.

Competition is slated in table tennis, badminton, squash and handball.

Table tennis will be conducted as a round-robin tournament. One point will be awarded for each two out of three game sets won in both singles and doubles.

Badminton, squash and handball will be played under double-elimination rules.

Each base may enter a three-man team in each event, ATC sports and recreation officials said.

Championship and runner up awards will be made to individuals in each event. Points will also be awarded towards the ATC Commander's Trophy in sports and recreation.



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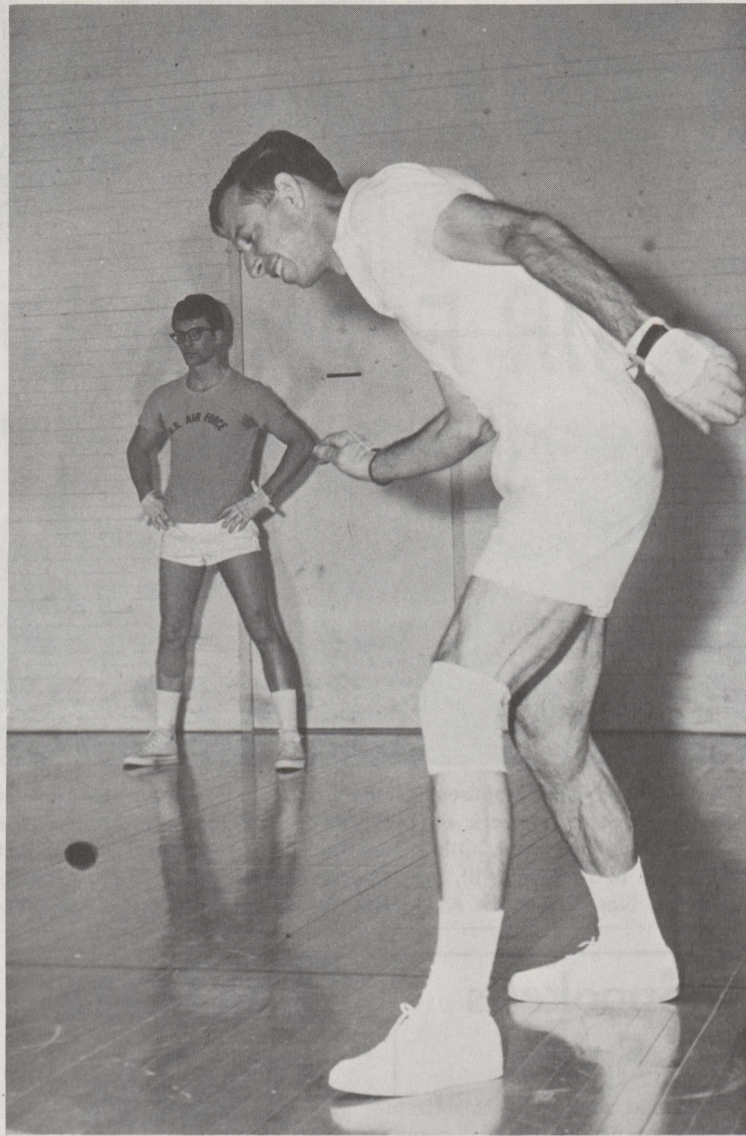
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NEW CHAMP—David Barnett, right foreground, is the new singles handball champion at Reese AFB after defeating Greg Danielson, left rear, in the singles matches Tuesday at the base gym. See story below. (U.S. Air Force Photo)

**Barnett Wins Handball Singles**

David R. Barnett, flight test section, won the Reese AFB handball singles championship Tuesday by defeating Greg Danielson, 3501st Student Squadron, in straight sets, 21-5, 21-10.

As a result, Barnett will represent the base in the Air Training Command handball tournament

scheduled at Lowry AFB Colo., next month. He will also team with Norman Hull as Reese's representatives in the doubles event.

Barnett was the 1962 ATC runner-up and is last year's United Kingdom Service handball champion.

**Play To End In Intramural Volleyball Loop**

This was the last week of play in the Reese AFB Intramural Volleyball Tournament. The results were not all in at The Roundup's deadline, but Air Base Group held onto its lead through last week's play.

The standings through last week were as follows:

TEAM	W	L
Air Base Group	10	2
3501st PTS	14	4
3500th PTS	10	6
Class 71-02	9	5
Class 71-03	7	5
Students #1	7	7
OMS	5	9
Supply	5	9
Class 71-04	5	11
Comm. Sq.	0	14

With the end of intramural play this week, the base team will depart Sunday for Sheppard AFB, Tex. and the Air Training Command Volleyball Championships scheduled there next week.

**Driving Range In Business**

The golf course driving range opened this weekend and is scheduled to remain open through the summer months.

Operating the range this year under contract with the central base fund council is Dick Davis, operator of Kirshner Nursery of Carlisle, Tex.

Just as last year, a bucket of balls will cost patrons 35 cents.

Hours of operation are tentatively set for noon (11:30 a.m. to 1 p.m.), Tuesday through Friday, all day Saturday and on holidays, and from noon to closing time on Sunday.

**Over The Hill Gang To Play Active Duty Golfers April 4**

The April golf tournament at Reese golf course will see a head-to-head match between active duty golfers and a group of retirees known as "The Over The Hill Gang" on April 4.

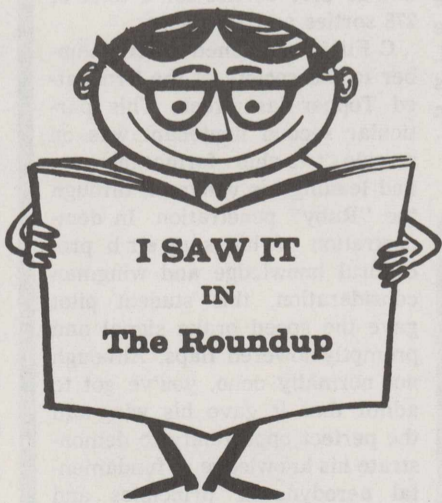
The active duty group will be

captained by Maj. Charles C. Gaylord, while the retirees will have Tony Laurie planning the strategy. Each will pick eight members for their respective teams and four foursomes made up—two from each team—to play matches using adjusted handicaps. The team scoring the most number of points will be declared the winner. The losing team will be obliged to purchase predetermined refreshments.

**Little League Field Rules**

Little League baseball fields must continue to be locked and children must not be allowed to play on them until the season begins. This will be enforced by Security Police.

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# Tweety Topics

By Capt. Gerald T. E. Gonzalez

The squadron's newest personnel addition is A1C Johnnie Bryant who recently began working in the dispatch section. He's just back from a tour in Southeast Asia and is here at Reese AFB accompanied by his wife Clarice and 6-month old son Johnnie. The Bryants are from Minnesota.

Despite the threat of our usual spring snow, the squadron party was well attended. The food was good and the evening's performance of "A Girl Could Get Lucky" was briskly and ably done. Several awards and recognitions were made during the course of the evening. Among the recipients were: Capt. "Denny" Boesen and Capt. "Woody" Wood receiving their Doctor's certificates—awarded for having flown over 1,300 hours of instruction with students. Maj. Bob Walton, Capt. "Skinman" Skinner and Capt. "Norm" Hartley were all awarded their Master's certificates for having flown over 800 hours of instruction with students.

Everyone is sighing and catching their breath now that our local standboard inspection is complete — Lt. Col. William E. Moore is currently the squadron's breath-holding record-holder—one week lasting from March 17 until March 24 . . . Capt. "John" Agnew has not communicated with anyone since Saturday. Anyone knowing of his whereabouts please contact the A Flight commander Capt. Bill Waterson . . . Capt. "Milt" Deerr was the last column's quote-worthy individual . . . Squadron's noteworthy quote for this column: ". . . and how much do you weigh?"

## Pinkies Pantry Patter

Weather has plagued the somewhat green but eager T-41 aces of Class 71-06. Gusty and variable winds have hampered formation flight while poor visibility has curtailed target practice. However, Mother Nature cannot discourage men so high in spirit.

Some of the men have directed their determination from precision flying to precision ground operations. As a result the more seasoned pilots are now able to keep all three wheels on the pavement while taxiing. At times the nose wheel even nears the yellow center line.

A few of the more creative men have been experimenting with variations on somewhat antiquated procedures. The latest was an attempted weed landing which the instructor considered too advanced for the present stage of training. The student was politely urged to use the runway only a few feet away.

Only three of the students have completed their first solo mission. Last week's cold front prevented a half dozen more from doing the same. However, the remainder of the class progressed on schedule so that nearly all the students are ready for that first big hurdle.

All in all things are progressing smoothly at Lubbock Municipal with only a few irate instructors and one or possibly two terrified commercial pilots.



**DOCK WINNERS**—Members of the Dock of the Month award in the 3500th Organizational Maintenance Squadron work on a Northrop T-38 Talon in building P-82 March 16. Dock chief is TSgt. Fred Schulz, far right. Other members are (from left to right) A1C Bruce Camp (in the aircraft), A1C Roy B. Thompson III, Sgt. Charles Schech, A1C Alan C. Sancibrain and SSgt. Raymond Buchanan. Not pictured is A1C Keith W. Kirkland. (U.S. Air Force Photo)

## Spooketts Speak

We should realize by this time that the March snows are going to ruin at least some of our best laid plans.

The regular squadron coffee fell on one of those foul-weather days this month, so we tried again on March 18, and gathered the clan to make additional plans for the Officers Wives Club luncheon to be held in April. Hard at work are the committees for the luncheon: decorations chaired by Mrs. Marvin Cosstephens and Mrs. Earl Hallum; menu, Mrs. Gerald Hammer and Mrs. William Aycock; door prizes, Mrs. David Curran.

Thanks goes to G Flight for doing double duty. They prepared a gourmet salad luncheon for the coffee which was cancelled. The salads were subsequently disposed of by a group of hungry people at the home of Mrs. John Nagle. G Flight came through again with cookies, coffee and cake.

D Flight wins the "Squadron Social Butterfly Award for the week." Their students entertained the instructors and their wives at the dinner Friday the 13th (lucky for them!) at the community center.

## Talon Talk

By 1st Lt. Wayne M. Schnell

Remember the squadron party? Well, it was a complete success, especially for the self-appointed jailers. They spent three-fourths of the night throwing half the party into jail.

Another success was the new-found talents of Crew's Follies, who put on a drama of the Old West. For an encore, a well known lieutenant colonel was almost strung up in true western fashion. To top off the evening, the instructor pilots who are slated for bigger and better things with new assignments were given squadron mugs to remind them of their Talon driving days. They were Lt. Col. Jesse B. Williams, Maj. Ray D. Leach, Capt. Gerald E. Copher, Capt. Newton I. Carpenter, Capt. Virgil W. Johnson, Capt. John W. Stewart and 1st Lt. Jerry W. Edwards.

The 3500th Pilot Training Squadron would like to welcome three new instructor pilots to the squadron. Maj. Richard E. Wood, a native of Westport, Ind., comes to the great white rocket from an



assignment in McDonnell-Douglas F-4 Phantom IIs.

Capt. Frank B. Clark Jr., from North Carolina, will join the squadron as soon as he completes pilot instructor training. His last assignment was with the 309th Tactical Fighter Squadron flying the North American F-100 Super-sabre. Last, but not least, is 1st Lt. Albert L. Broyles who is a true Lubbockite. He graduated from Vance AFB, Tex., undergraduate pilot training and, after pilot instructor training, will return to Reese and his home town to put student pilots through their paces.

The Talon squadron broke all of its old records March 18. Previously, the most sorties flown in any one day was 251 including both student and crew requirement training (SRT) sorties. On March 18, trying to make up for all the time lost to weather, the squadron flew 258 student sorties and 20 CRT sorties for a total of 278 sorties and 356 hours.

C Flight welcomed a new member to the society of the Truncated Topper last week. This particular second lieutenant was on a solo two-ship formation ride and leading his wingman through the "Ruby" penetration. In demonstration of his superb procedural knowledge and wingman consideration, this student pilot gave the speed brake signal and promptly lowered flaps. Although not normally done, you've got to admit that it gave his wingman the perfect opportunity to demonstrate his knowledge of fundamental aerodynamic principles and fast reflexes.

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