

## Report From Washington

The Navy has announced continuation during 1951 of its Reserve Officer Candidate (ROC) program in accredited universities, colleges and junior colleges.

The Army has moved to correct an erroneous report that ski troop veterans are being sought for duty with the 10th Mountain Division at Camp Carson, Colo. No provisions have been made to enlist or re-enlist former members of the Division, as previously reported.

The Air Force announces temporary promotions of 2,912 officers, including 743 lieutenant colonels elevated to full colonel with date of rank fixed as January 19, 1951. A total of 2,169 lieutenants were promoted to temporary captain's grade, effective January 16, 1951, from selections made last August. A further increment of captains is expected on or about March 1.

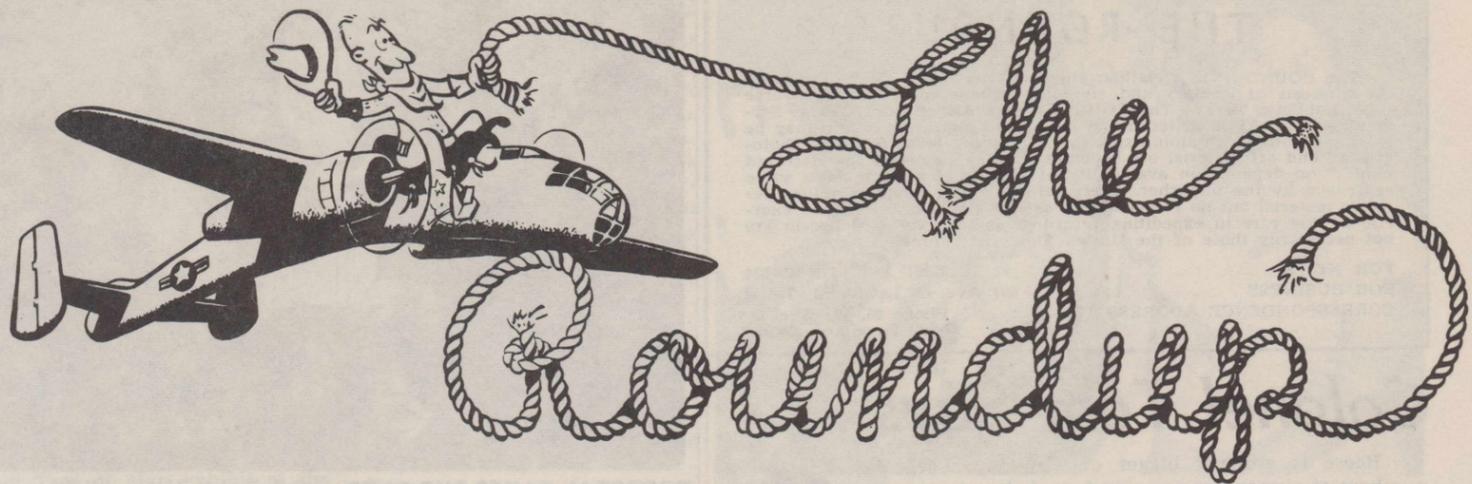
The use of the designations "USNR" and "USMC" rather than "USNR" and "USMCR" by Reserve personnel on active duty (other than training duty) has been authorized by the Secretary of the Navy where such use is consistent with existing laws and regulations. The new order is intended to give suitable recognition of the status of personnel of the Reserve contingents by requiring the minimum amount of differentiation between Regular and Reserve personnel. In matters such as personnel records, pay records and clothing accounts the status of individuals shall continue to be indicated by the designation of "USNR" and "USMCR."

### Reserve Officers to Mobilize at Reese In Near Future

Officer mobilization assignees with the 3500th Pilot Training Wing at Reese AFB will be ordered into active military service at Reese for four days, exclusive of travel time, for the purpose of physical examination, processing and classification, it was announced Monday. The orders will be sent out in approximately two weeks and each assignee will be given ten days prior notice.

This announcement was made with the explanation that most of these officers are to be placed on an active duty basis. Conjecture was that they will be used as instructors in a broadened Air Force training program.

Those affected by the order are civilian reservists who have been taking weekly training drills at RAFB. The number was not released by the Air Force, but it was understood several dozen men in the area will be affected.



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**HAVE A SEE-GAR CAP'N** — Ten "rank-happy" ex-lieutenants happily pass around the cigars at the Reese Air Force Base Post Exchange to celebrate their recent promotions to captain. Shown exchanging El Ropos are, left to right, Captains James O. Umphries, Clarence W. Tripp, LeRoy P. Hansen, Howard V. Cassells, Katherine I. McDonald, Douglas L. Clevenger, Charles C. Hodges, Harvey L. Wharton, Frank H. Kirkendall, and Thaddeus S. Baggaley. Passing out the smokes elsewhere when the picture was made were recent promotees Capt. Robert M. Beall and Capt. Frank P. Klotz, Jr. Captain McDonald, an Air Force nurse, sets a good example by passing up the foul weeds and donating some cold cash instead to the March of Dimes campaign. (Air Force Photo)

### Civilian Restaurant Opens; At South End of Flight Line

Last Monday morning saw the first coffee 'n sinkers go across the counter to a cold and hungry crowd as civilian and military personnel along the south end of the flight line welcomed the opening of the new and conveniently located Civilian Post Restaurant.

The restaurant is open from 0730 until 1700 hours five days a week and offers, besides coffee and pastry, sandwiches, soups, chili, and short orders. A regular lunch will be added to the menu

as soon as facilities permit.

A long-awaited project of Reese civilian personnel, the eatery was made possible through grants by the National Civilian Welfare Association and the RA-FB Carnival Fund Council. The hard workers who established and now maintain the restaurant are council members Edwin Guillotte, E. J. Dresser, Mary Luckett, Cullie Caine and Sgt. Roy Endsley. President of the Post Restaurant council is Millard Gorum.

Don Jones serves as Civilian Post Restaurant Officer and Mrs. Hilda Mack, manager, is the smiling lady behind the cash register.

### Hospitalization Plan Has Been Reopened

The Blue Cross-Blue Shield hospitalization plan has been reopened to all base personnel, Maj. Dean B. Brown, Wing Insurance officer, announced this week. Any Reese airmen desiring the hospitalization plan for their dependents are advised that applications must be submitted before 15 February, to be effective 1 March.

Previously, anyone desiring the policy was required to make application within 30 days of arrival on this base. With the plan now open to all personnel, anyone desiring it is asked to contact Major Brown, Wing Headquarters building.

## New T-28's Get Here; More Slated to Arrive

Reese Air Force base received two new training planes Saturday, the first of their allotment of 94T-28's, the new Air force advanced trainers.

The new trainers were design-

ed by North American Aviation to replace the faithful T-6 "Texans" which has seen service since the beginning of World War II.

The new planes were ferried from the North American plant at Los Angeles International airport by Capt. Edward H. Patterson and Capt. Carl M. Hagle who landed at Reese at 0900 and 1000 hours, 24 January.

The T-28 will be used in training aviation cadets at Reese as soon as sufficient numbers of them are on hand and instructor personnel "Checked out." Several instructors have gone from here to Craig AFB, Ala., and to Vance AFB, Okla., for checks in the new aircraft. Others will be sent until the necessary number are familiar with the operation of the new aircraft.

The T-28, which already has become known as a "crew chief's airplane" because of its compactness and accessibility, has a span 94 T-28's, the new Air force ad of 40 ft. 21 in., length 32 ft., 6 in., height 12 ft., 9 in. Its power plant is rated at 800 horsepower and its maximum speed more than 280 miles per hour. It is capable of takeoff with a gross weight of 6,000 pounds, has a service ceiling of more than 20,000 feet. and a rate of climb of 2,570 feet per minute. Range is approximately 1,000 miles. Since it is designed for training purposes, the plane carries no bomb load or armament. Its tricycle landing gear gives it an added safety element.

### 22,300 Promotions Due AF in Feb.

WASHINGTON (AFPS) — A total of 22,400 promotions will be available for Air Force enlisted personnel in February, according to the monthly quota authorization recently released by USAF Headquarters. The February allotment shows an increase of 664 over the January quota.

Corporals get the biggest break in the February authorization, with 12,000 boosts to sergeants grade permitted. Figures for the upper grades are as follows: staff sergeant, 6,000; technical, 2,800; master sergeant, 1,500.

The Air Force also announced a "probable" reduction in time-in-grade requirements for promotion to become effective soon.

### Sweetheart Dance to Be Held February 8

A Sweet Heart Dance will be held on 8 February 1951 at the Service Club. Each squadron will select a girl to enter the contest. The contest is to choose the Sweetheart of Reese Air Force base. The first prize is \$10.

## 4 Die in Auto Accidents Near RAFB Within 3-Day Period

### Sergeant Gaspard Killed Instantly

Staff Sgt. Lawrence J. Gaspard, 25, a radio mechanic of the 3502nd was killed instantly last Saturday when he was struck by a car as he crossed the Levelland highway 10 miles west of Lubbock at the entrance to Reese Air Force Base.

Sergeant Gaspard had alighted from a car on the north side of the highway at its intersection with War road No. 5 and was crossing to the small grocery store on the opposite side when he was struck by a 1950 Oldsmobile. Witnesses told patrolmen that Gaspard was watching a car approaching from the east and apparently did not notice the other car until an instant before he was hit.

His body was shipped overland Tuesday for burial at Crowley, La. He is survived by his wife and two young daughters, all of

### Victim Dies in Base Hospital Tuesday

Buford Bradley, 27, a Reese AFB civilian employee, died Tuesday morning from injuries sustained in an automobile crash Monday afternoon that had already claimed two dead.

Killed instantly in the wreck on a farm road three miles south of Reese AFB were J. W. Kenney, 70, of Ropesville, and his wife, 64.

Bradley died at the Reese hospital, never having recovered consciousness after he was brought in from the accident. He had been employed in the field maintenance section since coming from Barksdale to Reese with the reactivation of this base in 1949.

whom live at Carlisle, and his father, Isaac Gaspard of Guydan, La.



**A QUICK CUP** — Among the first to sample the coffee at the opening this week of the Civilian Post Restaurant were, left to right, Don Jones, Post Restaurant Officer, Major Dean Brown, W. W. Seal, and Debs Hensley, Civilian Personnel Officer. The restaurant metes out the java, plus short orders, to both military and civilian personnel who work near the south end of the flight line.

## THE ROUNDUP

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## Colonel Tom Says . . .

Reese is growing bigger day by day. Large numbers of airmen are arriving from indoctrination centers and before the next month is ended a number of Reserve officers who are now mobilization trainees will be ordered to active duty here.

The officers have had previous training and will be ready for the work assigned them, but most of the airmen have had only an abbreviated basic training course, and will be assigned as on-the-job trainees.

The majority of these men are young, very young in comparison with you who started your Air Force careers at the beginning of World War II or before. They will be our future Air Force. The more thoroughly they are indoctrinated into their jobs, the better our base, the Air Training Command, and our Air Force will become.

This puts an obligation upon the "old-timers" here . . . to set the example which the newcomers will be expected to follow.

Let's all work together to make them welcome, happy and efficient!

THOMAS J. BARRETT  
Colonel, USAF  
Commanding



## KADET KORRAL

This Saturday morning, all classes with the exception of 51-A will march in a parade; the occasion is the change of command—the old Group Staff class 51-A will be replaced by the new men of class 51-B who will command the Cadet Group for the next six weeks. The men of 51-A have been taking their three day X-countries for the past week and so far no one has failed to return safely. Class rings are beginning to appear around the area, and the Pratt and Whitney miniature wings in their little boxes are beginning to clutter up the mail room again. All of which heralds the coming of Graduation—of course, there is the matter of final instrument checks to be passed, but 51-A will come through.

A large number of 51-B have soloed out in the B-25's. Lee Siems was out chasing T-6's around the pattern Monday and panicked some of the fledging birdmen in 51-Dawg, in their "Terrible Half-Dozens'."

Mr. O'Connor may be able to fly the big bird, but there's some question as to how he'll fare if he ever has to rely on his trusty .45—how low a score can you get, Bill?

Last week (unfortunately for Baker, it was the day before physicals) the Cadet Club had a movie. It was the movie of the SMU-Ohio State football game, and showing the film was Mr. "Rusty" Russell Jr., coach of the SMU team. Mr. Russell gave a very interesting talk, and answered any and all questions about football and SMU Co-ed's. As an added attraction beer was ten cents and drinks half price.

In case anyone hasn't heard, long hair is out of fashion, (by order of Captain Bradley). Also for those who were planning to participate in the mass expedition to Amarillo next week, Tom Sterling wants to say that the Bowling Tournament is over and the girls have gone home. Various comments have been passed along relative to the new P. T. Program; several men are becoming newly aware of many long-unused muscles which seem to be making themselves felt.

Dr. Waring, Dr. Tede, Dr. Sullivan, and Dr. Sperling are in the process of setting up shop in competition with the dispensary. Anyone with colds, sore throats, or associated respiratory diseases is cordially invited to visit their office. Hours are 7 to 9:30 P. M.

Any men still interested in assignment as Military Attache to Tibet (where polygamy still flourishes) please note: All applications (30 copies) will be addressed to Tibetan Commissar, Peking 14, China.

This has sure been a lean month, what with only half pay—when George Stingel hasn't any money, nobody has any. How do you manage it, George?

51-C has started a new game over at the Cadet Club on Saturday nights. They call it Pony Express—It's a little like Post Office, only more horsin' around.

There have been many comments during the past week about the Cadet Mess, and the most noteworthy fact is that they have all been very favorable. Our sincere thanks to the cooks for a thankless job well done.

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**CORPORAL TAKES THE CAKE** — Cpl. Roy E. Nelson, right, was all smiles after winning Mrs. Carmine Luce's pretty Valentine Cake as door prize at the base-wide fellowship supper held in the Chapel Annex the evening of 24 January. Major Maurice R. Holt, wing chaplain, left, announced the lucky number. The supper was sponsored by the Ladies Christian Fellowship and the Ladies Sodality, the two ladies' organizations of the base chapel.

## Management Analysis Sect. Budgets, Appraises Spending

(Editor's note: In last week's Roundup we presented an explanation of the Reports Section. This week's article deals with the Wing Comptroller and his connection with the Management Analysis Section.)

Do you know that it cost us (we taxpayers) in the last 12 months over 11 million dollars to pay everyone's salary and buy the materials and supplies that you use in the operation of Reese Air Force base? Well, it has cost that and it will probably cost us about 2 million dollars more or 13 million dollars to operate Reese Air Force base in the next 12 months. We think that you will agree that 13 million dollars is a lot of anyone's money. One of the jobs of the Management Analysis Section is to determine that good business

and financial practices are being used in order that Reese can perform its mission effectively with the lowest possible costs. We must be certain that our mission product (cadets) is the best in the Air Force.

An equally important phase of the Management Analysis Section is budgeting. Captain Showers, the Budget Officer, is the person who must justify to our command headquarters the need that Reese Air Force base will have for the estimated 13 million dollars mentioned before. Almost anything we do here on the base costs money in the form of men, supplies, materials, etc. Before we can take action to initiate a new program, hire civilian personnel, purchase local supplies or materials, etc., Captain Showers must determine if we can afford it.

Perhaps you, no matter where you work, know of a place where Reese can cut costs without hindering our mission. Let us know. Perhaps it will be enough to buy one more F-80. We can use it—you know where.

## Book Blurbs

**MR. FIXIT** by Popular Mechanics

Prepared by the staff of experts of Popular Mechanics magazine, who have been supplying helpful advice to millions of householders for many years, this ready-reference encyclopedia is crammed with easy-to-follow directions and more than a thousand step-by-step photographs, diagrams, and drawings showing how to make your home more attractive and comfortable.

The editors of Popular Mechanics tell you all you need to know about inside home maintenance and improvements, from how to build shelves, hang and frame a door, and install a hardwood floor, right through building your own home freezer unit. Painting, decorating, and finishing are described in complete can't-go-wrong detail. The section on electricity and plumbing explains the fundamentals of wiring in the home, gives you tips on keeping electrical servants happy, installing and servicing fluorescent lights as well as how to make other basic electrical and plumbing repairs. The scores of heating and insulation hints will do much to make your home warmer and lower your fuel bill considerably.

Every aspect of outside home maintenance and the care of the lawn and garden is explained in exactitude. If you want to build a fence or a garden fireplace, landscape your grounds with evergreens, start a garden, build a new roof, or improve your home and land in countless ways, you will be amazed how easy it will be with the help of this book. Base library has a copy.

## Ladies Meet Monday, Thu.

The Ladies Christian Fellowship of Reese Air Force Base will have their Executive Committee Meeting Monday, 5 February 1951, in the Chapel, at 1300 Hours.

The regular monthly meeting will be 8 February 1951, at 1300 Hours in the Chapel Annex. A luncheon will be served by Circles 2 and 4. All Protestant Ladies of Reese Air Force Base are cordially invited to attend this luncheon and join this organization.

There is a free nursery, sponsored by this group, for all meetings of the Ladies Christian Fellowship and Sunday morning Worship Services. It is well equipped and attended by Mrs. Willie Mae Hale in the Chapel Annex.

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This is a fight you cannot keep out of, whether you like it or not. Heaven is not given to those who merely wish to be there. It is the reward of doing battle, and for emerging victoriously. If your temptations are great, your opportunity for glory is great. Do not be a coward. Since you cannot be tempted even slightly without the permission of God, every temptation is a compliment to your courage and virtue. The force of a temptation, in fact, is Heaven's estimate of your strength and alertness.

No temptation leaves you the same. Either you are weaker because you have succumbed, or you are stronger because you have conquered. Some savages, for example, the natives of the Sandwich Islands, believe that the strength and valor of the enemies they kill pass into themselves. So does the strength of the temptation slain by you pass into your soul. The greater the temptation, the greater the increase in virtue that comes from resisting it.

Make good use, then of your temptations. They may easily be true blessings from which you derive great spiritual benefit. Nothing makes Satan fume and rage more than to behold the temptation which he has carefully prepared turned by you into an increase of virtue and wisdom and merit, and thus be employed as a means of drawing closer to God.

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**WHOSE ANCESTORS?** — The Family Tree of Man exhibit at the Texas Tech Museum seems to have Pfc. Dick McCune a bit incredulous about his forebearers. The lifesize model heads represent left to right, (excluding the one in uniform) the Pithecanthropus and Neanderthal men as conceived by scientists. The exhibit shown above is part of a collection representing the earliest civilizations known to exist on the North American continent. Other exhibits depict Indian life and the early history of the settling of the South Plains area. Servicemen are invited to visit the museum on the Tech campus and also attend the Sunday Twilight Music Hours and the Audobon Screen Tours. A schedule of museum events is posted in the service club.

## Training Command To Receive First Shock Of AF Expansion

"The first shock of Air Force Expansion will be felt by the Air Training Command," General Nathan F. Twining, Vice Chief of Staff of the United States Air Force, told Major General Robert W. Harper and his Staff at Headquarters, Air Training Command (ATRC).

General Twining made a flying visit to Scott AFB, Thursday, (December 21) to confer with General Harper, commanding general of the ATRC on some of the training problems the Air Force faces in the expansion from 68 to 95 groups, as recently authorized by Congress.

His visit to Scott was the first visit to a major command headquarters since General Twining assumed his position as Vice Chief of Staff under General Hoyt S. Vandenberg, in October, 1950.

"The biggest job the Air Force has today is training the men necessary to bring the Air Force strength up to 95 groups. This is the job of Air Training Command, General Twining said.

President Truman recently authorized the Air Force to expand its ceiling strength from approximately 600,000 men and 68 groups to approximately 900,000 and 95 groups.

After a briefing from General Harper and his staff, General Twining expressed satisfaction on Air Training Command's plans

## Drivers Tests Will Be Given at RAFB

Two patrolmen from the Department of Public Safety will come out to Reese next Thursday to give exams for Texas drivers licenses. They will conduct the tests at the Base Drivers School, Bldg. T-90, from 0900 to 1700 hours.

Thirty-five Texas Driving Handbooks containing road rules for safe driving are available at the Ground Safety Office, Bldg. T-61.

Also, on the 7 and 8 February a ground safety film, titled "The Last Date," will be shown in the base theater.

for accomplishing its tremendous job. He conveyed to all personnel of Air Training Command "General Vandenberg's thanks for a job well done and best wishes for the New Year."

## Fire Dept. Fights Penney Store Blaze

Two pumper trucks, two crash trucks and approximately 35 firemen from Reese Air Force Base answered a call for help in fighting a fire in the J. C. Penney Company store in Lubbock Tuesday night. Fire Chief Stewart reported later that he was very much pleased with the way his men, including those who were off-duty at the time, responded to the call for help and for the excellent work they did, especially since the length of their fire fighting experience ranged from an average of three years for the airmen to five for the civilians. Reese firemen remained on the job approximately three and one-half hours and were credited with preventing the spread of flames to nearby buildings.

## AROUND REESE

1st Lt. Conrad J. Lindemann, Assistant Personnel Officer, is attending a 15-day Classification and Assignment Officers retraining course at Lowry Air Force Base, Colorado.

Capt. George V. Wendling, Reese reserve coordinator, spent two days this week at Training Command headquarters where he attended a conference pertaining to the recall program.

Among those leaving soon to attend school are Pfc. Yancy B. West, Pfc. Henry G. Keller, Jr., Pfc. Audrey J. Blissett, and Pfc. Russell A. Lippman of Hq. and Hq. Sq. PTW, and Cpl. Jack C. Hutchinson of the 3502nd Maint. Sq. West will go to Chanute AFB for an 18-week Aircraft Welder course, Keller to Lowry to begin a Tabulating Machine Operator's school; Bliss and Lippman go to Lowry to train as Budget, Fiscal and Cost clerks, and Hutchinson will take an Airplane Hydraulics Mechanics course at Chanute.

## NCO Club Notes

Comes Friday and we play bingo again—consolation tonight is \$250.00.—Somebody was to win and it might as well be me or you. . . . Tomorrow, Saturday night, your club will present Bill Klingman's band. . . . Better come early and get a good seat. Sunday is juke box nite and Monday is Open House—Tuesday the ballroom will be reserved for the 3501st Squadron party. Wednesday night of course will find Mr. Lindsey calling 'em while all you people square off and dance 'em. Thursday is Open House again.

For all you guys and gals that like to hear bells ring and see lights flash, Sgt. Goins has informed me that in the very near future the club will install several pinball machines for your pleasure. Among them will be a shooting gallery and a shuffleboard. To avoid the machines becoming a pall on the members there will be a complete turnover every ninety days.

Wanta take this opportunity to thank all you people that came to the Ladies Auxiliary bingo party and made it such an overwhelming success. Your contributions went a long way toward making the March of Dimes drive a success.

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CALANDAR OF EVENTS

- 2 February thru 9 February  
2 FEBRUARY—Stag Night. Music by George Thompson, organist, featuring Rose Marie, 1930 to 2330. Free Chicken-in-the-Basket served to members only at 2000.  
3 FEBRUARY—Dinner and Cocktail music by George Thompson and Rose Marie, 1800 to 2100. Come as you are Dance (Old Clothes, Informal Attire, Western Garb or Uniform). Music by the Base Orchestra. Dancing from 2100 to 0100.  
4 FEBRUARY — Buffet Supper, 1830 to 2000. Music by George Thompson and Rose Marie, 1700 to 1900 and 2000 to 2300.  
5 FEBRUARY—Open house. Music by George Thompson and Rose Marie, 2030 to 2330.  
6 FEBRUARY—Bingo Night. Selection Bingo and door prize. Cash Jackpot drawing for members and their dependants only —Member or dependant must be present to win. Game starts at 2030.  
7 FEBRUARY—Women's Club Luncheon and business meeting, 1300. Cocktail and dinner music by George Thompson and Rose Marie, 1930 to 2330.  
8 FEBRUARY—Poker Night.  
9 FEBRUARY—Open house.

## Organ, Vocalist Go To Officers

The Officers Club welcomes Rose Marie, George Thompson and a Hammond Organ the 1st through 5th, and the 7th of February.

This amazing duo or should we say trio has performed before thousands of Servicemen through USO and Special Services. They had the honor of performing at the White House during one of the Roosevelt's receptions. In short, they are well known and well respected in military circles.

Their act consists of playing Hit Parade tunes, then traveling down the memory road of music. A large part of their repertoire is supplied by requests from the audience.

Rose Marie is a charming songstress who's subtlety of song is greatly enhanced by her warm personality and shrewd showmanship. George Thompson caresses the keys of the organ with such dexterity that it has been said that Mr. Hammond built the organ especially for him.

This is more than just an act; it's bringing Broadway to Reese.

## Base Theater

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Sun., Mon., 4, 5 February

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Newsreel

Tuesday, 6 February

BEDTIME FOR BONZO

Ronald Reagan - Diana Lynn

Armed Forces Screen Report

Wednesday, 7 February

THE MATING SEASON

Gene Tierney - John Lund

Miriam Hopkins

Noveltoon

Thursday, 8 February

TEA FOR TWO

Doris Day - Gordon MacRae

Newsreel

Friday, 9 February

VENDETTA

Faith Domergue

Newsreel

Terrytoon

Saturday, 10 February

BOWERY BATTALION

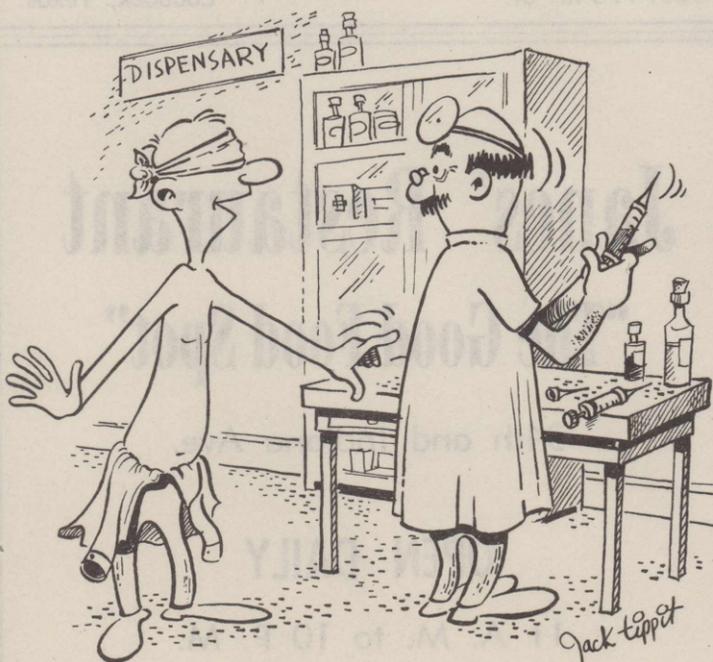
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## Bowling Alleys in Full Operation; League Competition Starts in Feb.

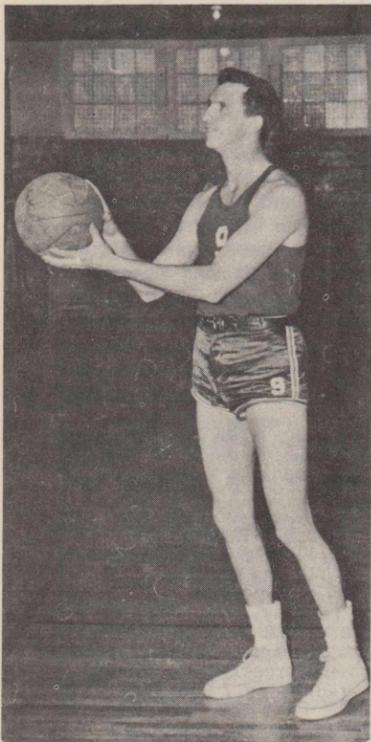
The new bowling alley recently opened at Reese is now operating on a full schedule. The alleys are open each weekday 1700-2300, Saturdays and Sundays 1300-2300.

At the present time, the alleys are being used each afternoon by the various squadrons for practice in preparation for the coming league play. S/Sgt. Ernest Lewis, manager of the bowling alley, states that league play will get under way sometime in February,

and that the alleys will be used on Mondays, Wednesdays, and Fridays for league play. All other evenings, including Saturdays and Sundays will feature open bowling.

The new bowling alley is equipped to afford the finest in bowling equipment. Whether you bowl, or are just a spectator, the Reese bowling alley will give you many hours of enjoyment.

### Meet the Rattler



New punch has been added to the Rattler lineup with the addition of 6' 2" Bill Blew in the forward position. Bill hails from Oklahoma City, Okla., where he played basketball for Classen High and Oklahoma University. An expert ball handler and set-shot artist, Blew should prove a definite asset to the Rattlers in the remaining games and tournament.

## Vance Leads in I-S Basketball League

The Vance Enidaires all but sewed up the title in the Northern division of the Inter-Service Basketball League with a double victory over the Reese Rattlers.

Reese, hampered by injuries in the first game, were completely outclassed. Vance took an early lead, and coasted to a 69-38 victory.

The Rattlers came back the following evening and put up a good fight, but Vance was not to be topped, winning the game 58-46. Denham was high man for the Enidaires with 23 points, followed by Whaley and Kaminsky with 19 and 11 points respectively. Neil Beard topped the Rattlers with 14 markers.

The victories gave Vance a season record of 16-1, and Reese a 14-4 record. Reese handed Vance their only defeat, earlier in the season.

## Schedule of Games

5 February—  
'01st Maint vs '02 Maint—1800 hrs  
3500th Sup vs Cadets 'A'—1900 hrs  
Plt Tng Gp vs Cadets 'B'—2000 hrs  
6 February—  
Section I vs Install Sq—1800 hrs  
Mtr Veh Sq vs Fire Dept—1900 hrs  
Section II vs Food Sv Sq—2000 hrs  
7 February—  
M&S Gp vs Air Base Gp—1800 hrs  
Plt Tng Wg vs '02 Maint—1900 hrs  
Stu Officers vs Cadets 'A'—2000 hrs

### Attention—All Personnel

Two agents of the Bureau of Internal Revenue will be at the Wing Legal Office, 0815 hours to 1700 hours on February 5 and 6 for the purpose of aiding Military and Civilian Personnel of Reese Air Force Base, Texas in the completion of their 1950 Income Tax Return. Income Tax forms will be available at that time. Each person must have his statement of earnings, Form W-2, at the time he requests assistance and any other papers or documents necessary to complete his return.

## Weekly Squadron Basketball Results, 3501st Leading

3501st downed a battling ABGp five Monday morning 42-35. '01st jumped off to an early lead, being ahead 19-5 at the end of the first quarter, and stretching that lead to 30-10 at the halftime. ABGp turned on the heat in the second half, but were unable to overcome '01st.

J. Lopez and Dalton Touchett, Rattler ace, lead the victors with 14 and 10 points respectively. Bill Ballard dropped in 12 for ABGp, followed by R. Englebretson with 8.

Hq Sq. PTW took a 26-16 decision over Food Sv Monday evening. Speck added 7 points for PTW and Rosa lead with 5 for Food Sv.

In the other game of the double bill, Sup Sq downed the Fire Department in a fast moving game 54-40. Travis was the big gun for Sup with 25 points, while Gavin contributed 14 for the Fire Dept.

In Tuesday nights action, Mtr Veh Sq defeated Install Sq 25-15. Diekoff was high scorer for Mtr Veh Sq with 8 points, while Bibbs lead Installations with 6.

Cadet "B" trounced Section II by a score of 53-28. Welles dropped in 20 points for the Cadets, and Hawn added 9 for Sect. II.

In the same evening 3502nd downed Cadets "A" in a closely fought contest, 32-25. Neil Beard, Rattler ace, lead the victors with 12 points. Langham was high for the Cadets with 8.

A powerful ABGp five came from behind Wednesday evening to take a 51-48 overtime decision from the league leading PTWg. R. Englebretson sparked the winners with 16 points, while Albritton lead the losers with 15.

In the same evening the Fire Department trounced the Student Officers 41-20.

In the final game, M&S smothered Food Sv 39-16. Foster lead the victors with 13 points.

## Hagle, McKinney Pace Handballers

Capt. Carl M. Hagle and Sgt. Charles McKinney are currently setting the pace in the Pyramid Handball Tournament being held at the Base Gym. In the runner-up positions are Capt. Robert Englebretson and Capt. James O. Umphries and Maj. Seidel M. Stephens and Capt. John M. Sorenson.

The purpose of the pyramid type tournament is to encourage more interest in handball. From the pyramid chart, a challenging team can find out what other teams are interested in playing handball, and where they can be contacted to make arrangements for a game.

The ultimate goal of the pyramid tournament is to gain the top position on the pyramid, and therefore become the top team of the base.

All persons interested in entering the tournament are urged to contact Sgt. McKinney at 282, or to see him personally at the base gym.

## Raincoat Deadline Set For AF Officers, EM

Washington (AFPS) — After March 1 Air Force officers no longer will be permitted to wear Army-type raincoats with blue uniforms. Airmen may continue to do so at least until Dec. 31.

Previous instructions had allowed officers and airmen to wear any authorized Army-type raincoat when it was raining.

## Reese Loses to Famous House of David Team

The Reese Rattlers bowed to a powerful House of David five Monday evening before a capacity audience in the new Levelland High gym. The Rattlers took an early lead in the first five minutes, going ahead 6-2. David came back to take a 20-14 first quarter lead, stretching that to 32-18 as the halftime gun went off. The Rattlers came back



in the second half, but were never able to overcome the long lead held by David, the game ending 55-48.

A delighted audience watched the antics of Gatzek of David, combined with his teammates as they performed various acts, such as the old football play, and put on a display of tricky passing. Reese, however, put on a show all their own. Very much in the favor of the crowd, Sylvester Muse and Dalton Touchett showed expert prowess in ball handling and floor-work. The entire Rattler crew were playing heads-up ball, and were by no means outclassed by the professional House of David quintet, proven by the fact that David did no real clowning till the last three minutes. On last year's tour, David had a seasons' record of 137 wins against 17 losses.

Neil Beard was the high scorer for the Rattlers, dropping in 15 points, followed by Touchett with 10. Smikle lead the winners with 18.

REESE (48)

	G	FT	T
Touchett	5	0	10
Lopez, J.	1	1	3
Foster	1	0	2
Muse	4	1	9
Knight	1	0	2
Beard	8	1	17
Cox	1	2	4
Wells	0	1	1
	21	6	48

### HOUSE OF DAVID (55)

	G	FT	T
Kast	1	0	2
Tibbitts, W.	3	0	6
Martin	3	0	6
Smikle	8	2	18
Craig	2	1	5
Gatzek	4	0	8
Tibbitts, G.	5	0	10
	26	3	55

### SQUADRON STANDINGS

	Won	Lost
1. 3501st	3	0
2. 3502nd	2	0
3. Cadets "A"	1	0
4. PTW	5	1
5. ABGp	3	1
6. Supply	3	1
7. M & S	3	1
8. Section I	2	1
9. Air Police	1	1
10. Mtr Veh Sq	1	1
11. Student Off	1	2
12. PTGp	1	2
13. Fire Dept.	2	3
14. Cadets "B"	0	2
15. Section II	0	3
16. Install	0	4
17. Food Sv	0	5

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