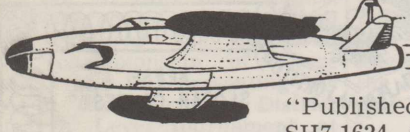
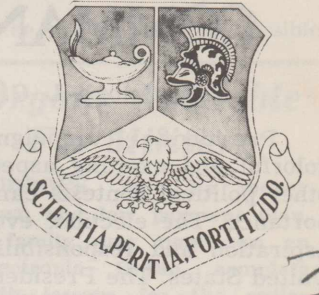


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## Reese Slogan Contest Gets Underway

**AIR TRAINING COMMAND**  
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JAMES E. BRIGGS, Lieutenant General, USAF  
Commander, Air Training Command

COMMENDED—Reese has been commended for its part in the Air Force drive to build a football stadium for the Air Force Academy.

The certificate shown here has been received by Col. L. C. Hess, base commander. The base drive was directed by Maj. Richard Condrick.

## Everyone Urged To Compete For ROUNDUP Cash Prize

Reese Air Force Base needs a slogan. And it's going to get one. On Page 2 is printed a contest entry blank and all people of the base — military, civilians, dependents, and those attached — are urged to submit a slogan which best tells the mission of Reese.

The Roundup is offering a crisp, new \$10 to the person submitting the best slogan, one which will be posted at the main gate, at the intersection of War Highway 5 and Texas State Highway 116, and elsewhere.

The contest blank is adapted from the one used in the Air Training Command Motto Contest, closed a couple of weeks ago. Adaptation from mottos suggested by Reese people might well serve the base.

One Reese airman suggested: "ATC, training experts for the Aerospace Age," in the ATC contest. He said Thursday he will propose: "Reese AFB, training pilots for the Aerospace Age," for the Reese slogan. It might be the winner.

The rules for the Reese Slogan Contest are simple. Any person may use the entry blank on Page 2, provided he or she is regularly assigned to the base. Persons on TDY are not eligible.

The suggested slogan must tell the base mission. It must be 10 words or less. It must be in the Office of Information by 4 p.m.

on Friday, Aug. 5. That's just two weeks from today.

Entries will be judged by a board of judges, and its decision is final. The \$10 bill will be presented the winner just as quickly as the judges decide.

These slogans will be submitted late today:

- "Training pilots to preserve the peace."
- "Producing proficient pilots for Aerospace."
- "Producing proficient pilots for peace."
- "Training proficient pilots is our mission."
- "Pilots for peace is our mission."

A lot of people ought to do better than that. Everyone is invited to try.

THE PRIZE, \$10. THE DEADLINE: 4 p.m., Friday, Aug. 5. THE PLACE: Office of Information, Building T-121.

## Base Plays Host

### To Visiting Scouts

Reese AFB played luncheon host to 494 Boy Scouts and Explorer Scouts of the Rio Grande Valley Tuesday as the boys and their leaders moved toward the annual Boy Scout Jamboree in Colorado Springs, opening Friday.

The delegations left their homes Monday morning by bus and spent Monday night at Goodfellow AFB, San Angelo. They traveled to Amarillo AFB Tuesday afternoon to spend the night before completing their journey to Colorado Springs, where they will camp on the borders of the Air Force Academy grounds.

Visiting Reese for lunch were 161 boys and leaders from the Rio Grande Council, with headquarters in Harlingen. Coming from the Gulf Coast Council, with headquarters at Corpus Christi, were 333 scouts and leaders. A dozen counties were represented among the visitors.

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## Weathermen Here Assist National Study

The Reese Weather unit has been called upon to expand study of the national weather picture, especially as it involves "Killer Tornado."

For several weeks, Maj. Jack E. Turner, commander of Detachment 17, 8th Weather Group, revealed, the detachment has been gathering radar meteorological photography for the Air Research Division, Weather Radar Branch, of the Geophysics Research Directorate at Great Blue Hill, Milton, Mass. The New England organization is working closely with the Massachusetts Institute of Technology.

Continuous automatic photography of severe thunderstorms and tornadic activity in the Southwest is being taken 24 hours a day by special request of Dr. Edwin Kessler, III, of the Great Blue Hills Research Center.

A special camera and camera device has been installed on a weather radar PPI scope at Reese, in addition to the Polaroid camera used by the detachment for taking weather radar pictures. Film is sent regularly to New England.

The radar equipment used by Detachment 17 reaches out to 300 miles effectively in all directions and picks up and photographs severe weather phenomena.

Major Turner said the Air Force Research people will be able, through photographs, to see the conception, incubation and mature stages of the vicious storms created on and near the South Plains, spawning ground of the tornado. Photography is intensified in April, May and June.

The Air Force researchers, he added, will be able to see the movement, determine intensities, pinpoint hail areas, note the tremendous wind shear, and learn much more about "Killer Tornado." The research will perpetuate prog-

### ress of the "In-exact Science" weather forecasting.

Major Turner has just received a letter of commendation from the Convair Aircraft Corp. for his part in aiding the Air Force-Industry Accident Investigating

Board in its study of the B-58 Hustler crash near Ralls in June.

Detachment 17 at Reese maintains a staff of six qualified weather forecasters who are adept in the science of radar meteorology.

## Reese Helicopter Performed Heroic Rescue Of Brownfield Blast Victim

People of the Texas South Plains will be talking for a long time about the spectacular Reese helicopter rescue of a Brownfield man hanging from a window of a burning grain elevator shaft Tuesday evening. The man hung from the window more than two hours before being rescued.

Explosion and fire ripped the Goodpasture elevator at Brownfield shortly before 5 p.m. Tuesday. Phillip Reeves, an employee of the elevator company, trapped high in the elevator by the blast, crawled through a window and hung on.

Firemen tried to push ladders to him. A call for help was made to Reese and a helicopter, piloted by 1st Lt. Joseph Herr with crew, took off immediately after Col. L. C. Hess, base commander, took the call.

Lieutenant Herr, pilot of the first helicopter, encountered difficulty and had to land.

Captain Keaver Holley, III, took off in another H-21 with crew. Aboard were Capt. William Threlkeld, a doctor, and SSgt. James Holloway.

Reeves continued to call for help.

"I can't hang on much longer." People from the 4,000 below called encouragement.

Captain Holley maneuvered close to the elevator and Don Ethington of Brownfield was lowered on a hydraulic hoist by Sergeant Holloway, manipulating the hydraulic equipment. Smoke was dense. Captain Holley inched his helicopter closer . . . closer . . . closer.

Ethington grasped the burned and weakened Reeves. He swung

loose. The sergeant helped him swing free and hoisted him up as he clutched the rescued man. The whirlybird landed safely amid shouts and cheers.

Ethington, a former steeplejack, shrugged off praise, saying a job had to be done.

Captain Holley returned to the base to ask calmly "what happened."

"I couldn't pay much attention to the hoisting operation," he said. "I had to keep a steady hand on the throttle and watch the RPM. We had trouble judging our height in the passes before we finally made the rescue. I had a little wind to assist me." It wasn't his first rescue under perilous conditions.

Sergeant Holloway said smoke and heat hampered the rescue. He said his nerves were on edge but there was no slip.

Throughout all rescue activity, Capt. Ira Espe, officer-of-the-day, was in contact with the scene by telephone. He also coordinated helicopter activity with aircraft in the air between Reese and Brownfield.

Fifteen minutes after the rescue, the "whole header just toppled over." Without the helicopter the rescue could not have been made.

## Trio Honored As 61-A Ends

### Training Here

Three members of Class 61-A were honored today at graduation exercises for the class in the base theater. The event followed a wing review.

Receiving the Daughters of American Colonist Award as Outstanding Graduate of Air Training Command was 2nd Lt. Errol L. Johnstad of Milwaukee, Wis., selected for achievement in flying, academic and military training in primary and basic pilot training. The award was made by Mrs. J. J. VanPelt of Lubbock, member of the DAC. Lieutenant Johnstad is a member of the Air National Guard.

Awarded the Commander's Trophy as highest ranking student (See TRIO, Page 2)



HUNGRY!—Three hungry Boy Scouts from Harlingen make short work of the lunch given them Tuesday noon in the Reese AFB dining hall. Lined up behind them are others of the 494 Rio Grande Valley Boy Scouts and Explorer Scouts who were guests of the base while enroute to the annual National Boy Scout Jamboree at Colorado Springs. (Photo by Swiderek)

## From The COMMANDER'S DESK

By Colonel L. C. Hess, Base Commander

Presidential campaigns undoubtedly provide the most colorful and exciting aspects of American political life. No other political contests can match them in glamour and importance. The election, every four years, involves the hope, aspiration and responsibility of every voting citizen of the United States. The President and vice president of the United States are the only public officials owing their tenure to all the voters of the nation.

This year the election takes on special significance with participation for the first time of voters in two new states. The national electorate is increased by over a quarter million voters in Alaska and Hawaii.

As in past years, military voters are encouraged to take part in local, state and national elections. To help eligible Air Force members obtain the proper forms from their home states, voting officers have been appointed in each squadron. They have information on each state's registration, types of election scheduled, and names of local agencies from which absentee ballots may be requested.

Requesting an absentee ballot doesn't cost a cent. It takes but a few minutes to fill in the form and have your signature certified by a commissioned officer.

Nothing could be more simple or important. Check with your voting officer NOW so that you can take part in this year's election.

## Living Within Income 'Must'

"Annual income 20 pounds, annual expenditure 19, 6, result happiness. Annual income 20 pounds, expenditures 20 pounds, zero six, result misery."

That's the way Mr. Micawber in Charles Dickens' "David Copperfield" put this business of family budgeting. Translate his theory into the American language and it says the same thing: if you make \$50 a week and spend \$51, look out!

Air Force people are on what is called a "fixed income." Barring an act of Congress, the pay scale stays in the same pattern month after month. Every family man in the service is presumed to have good sense about this business of home finances. No matter what grade or rank he may hold, it is necessary that he live within his income. The trouble begins when he starts to pile up debts that he sees he cannot meet.

A survey of family problems in the Air Force reveals that finances head the list — every time. As the bill collectors start closing in, happiness goes out the window. It is true that there are times when unforeseen expenses may put the Air Force man in a bind. The wise man works this off in time and begins over again. The foolish fellow piles up more and more debts and then holds his arms wide in despair and says, "I'm in so deep, I can never get straightened out again!" He becomes easy bait for the high-interest "easy loan" outfits.

If a man does not know the value of a dollar before his marriage or if the girl of his dreams has no budget sense, they had better spend a little time learning about finances before they make their trip to the altar. It is a cinch that if they have to learn the facts of life about money after the wedding, it will be the difficult and unhappy way.

## Trio Honored . . .

(Continued from Page 1)

dent officer was 2nd Lt. Robin M. Kozelka of Springfield, Ill., member of the first graduating class from the Air Force Academy. Presentation was by Col. L. C. Hess, base commander.

The Commander's Trophy for former aviation cadets went to 2nd Lt. Ronald M. Canter of Akron, Ohio. Colonel Hess also made the presentation.

Lieutenants Johnstad and Canter also were recognized as Distinguished Graduates for achievement as aviation cadets in all phases of training.

Class 61-A included four student officers, all members of the first graduating Class of the Air Force Academy, and 22 aviation cadets who were commissioned today. Also graduating were a German officer, four German

cadets, and two cadets from Ethiopia.

Dr. William Pearce, head of the history department and associate dean of the graduate school at Texas Tech, was the graduation speaker. He was introduced by Colonel Hess, who also presented wings and diplomas to graduates.

Lieutenant Col. Charles M. Lyons, Pilot Training Group executive officer, was master-of-ceremonies. First Lt. Robert Aflerbach, military training instructor, gave the oath of office to newly commissioned cadets, and Lt. Col. Charles W. Sawyer, Pilot Training Group commander, awarded certificates to Distinguished Graduates. Chaplain Jerry L. Rice gave the invocation and benediction and the Amarillo AFB band provided music.

## Christian Doesn't Dread Growing Old If Aging With God

By Chaplain George J. Worner  
The young want to be old and the aged seek youth and to forestall the aging process because they think that they will not longer be attractive.

The thoughts that lead one to such a negative view are very depressing. Rather, one should see the unfolding challenges and depth of understanding creativity that come with advancing years.

With each passing year we can use the judgments and values that we continue to acquire. Our appreciation for the contributions that others leave make for our health and happiness. Our admiration and love for God acquires depth and better understandings as we grow older. Each of these thoughts point out the positive nature of growing old.

Growing old should always mean for the Christian growing up to greater heights of faith and love. Growing old is more than a physiological change. It involves the mental and spiritual. With this view we move forward with a sense of awe and of urgency that we make our life count on the side of righteousness, faith, love, and the will of God.

The wrinkles on our faces are purely physical and add dignity to an appearance. The wrinkles that are allowed to develop on the soul by not keeping it vital and active are horrible indeed.

The grandest aging of all is growing old with God.

## Church School May Extend Christianity Throughout Family

By Chaplain Jerry L. Rice  
The Daily Vacation Church School for Reese children will be held from 9 a.m. until noon from August 1 to 13 in the Chapel facilities. All parents are urged to register their children in the School.

Vacation Church Schools have been conducted for many years and will be conducted for many years to come, as long as there are dedicated men and women to give time and service.

It is a great honor and a privilege to be able to teach these young people. But one of the major values of Vacation Church School is far-reaching, since its purpose is to serve not only the children, but their families, some of whom have never known what Christian living can be or mean.

This is accomplished by their children's attendance and introduction to Christian education through the intensified study made possible by this training period. Often-times, their families are united in a church as a result.

The remarkable aspect is the growth of interest on the part of young teenagers. It is a most encouraging sign of the upswing in Christian living among our youth, the adult Christian leaders of tomorrow.

## Club Emphasizes Sewing Service

The free sewing service offered unmarried military personnel was re-emphasized this week at the Mathis Service Club.

Volunteers sew on buttons, repair seams and tears, and perform other work from 8 to 10 p.m. each Thursday. Clothing may be brought in between 2 and 8 p.m. and may be picked up the next day. There is no charge.


The club tonight features competitive game tournaments and Saturday the Chef's Club meets at 4 p.m. Sunday is open house from 11 a.m. until 2 p.m., and Monday special games start at 8 p.m.

The chess club meets at 6 p.m. each Tuesday, with the floral design class at 8 p.m. The Slim-nastic class is held each Wednesday at 10 a.m. and a pinochle tournament at 7 p.m.

The "Tornadoes" will provide music for dancing at 8:30 p.m. Thursday, and a ping-pong tournament and square dancing are scheduled for next Friday night.

## OFFICER ASSIGNED

First Lt. Robert J. Moroney, recently assigned to Laredo AFB, has reported for duty at Reese. He has been in service 10 years and spent three years overseas.



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## Slogan Badly Needed

Hundreds of nationally known high-selling products are known and recognized because of slogans identified with them. The average American makes many purchases daily of items he knows because of the slogan.

Advertising men constantly are searching for a phrase which they can use to make products better known and sales increase. Slogans make products better known.

Reese needs a slogan, one which identifies it quickly and easily, one which will tell its mission and increase interest in its activities.

Reese people are urged to submit suggested slogans without delay. A cash prize is offered. An entry coupon is found on this page. It is the duty, as well as the opportunity, of everyone on the base to submit his or her ideas.

Base people proposed more than 200 mottos for Air Training Command in a contest closed two weeks ago. More than that total should be proposed for the base. Time is short. Everyone should act immediately.

USE THE COUPON NOW!

## Maintenance Men

## Leave For Course

## In T-37 Operation

Actions to enlarge the base mission took a major step forward today as 10 maintenance men left the base to attend T-37 maintenance training courses. Four went to Bartow Air Base and six to Graham Air Base, both primary pilot training bases in Florida.

By next spring Reese will be one of six Pilot Training Centers in Air Training Command. The new Air Force consolidated Pilot Training Program will allow a student to receive all his training at one base. The program replaces the previous system of pre-flight, primary and basic schools at three different locations.

Reese, as a result, will train its students not only in the T-33's used in basic pilot training, but also in T-37's used at primary pilot training bases. The maintenance men leaving today, all military persons, will become familiar with work to be done on the T-37. Ten more M&S men will start the T-37 maintenance course on August 13, four going to Graham and six to Bainbridge AB, Ga., another primary pilot training base.

Two officers will leave Aug. 15 for flight test familiarization training. Plans call for other Reese people to train in T-37 work during the fall. Some will be specialists in electronics, hydraulics, and other fields.

Plans also call for supervisory pilot training personnel to attend training in methods and procedures used presently at primary pilot training schools which will be closed by spring.

Reese has been receiving additional T-33 aircraft from Graham AB and Moody AFB for use in the expanded training program here. Arriving since July 1 have been 29 T-birds.

## 5-IN-1 REGULATION

The Air Force has combined five related regulations into one to produce a single 53-page document governing separation or release of officers and warrant officers from extended active duty. The regulation, AFR 36-12, contains new material and gives instructions in realignment of the Separation Designation Number system.

## Board To Select

## New Captain List

A selection board will meet in USAF headquarters about Sept. 19 to select and recommend officers for permanent promotion to captain in the regular Air Force.

Up for consideration will be permanent grade first lieutenants with dates of rank prior to Jan. 1, 1958. Although there is no complete list of eligibles available now, it is estimated about 2,006 will be considered, including a dozen from Reese.

The board will use the fully qualified method of selection, which means that officers in the zone of eligibility will compete according to standards set by the board.

## ADC TAKES OVER

Sondrestrom and Thule Air Bases, Greenland, long under operational control of SAC, became Air Defense Command bases July 1. The changeover has been under study a long time.

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VICTORY SMILES—Heroes of the M&S softball team, winner of the base tournament, smile with glee after the final game. Left to right are TSgt. Lew Hefner, winning pitcher; A2C Gary Harrison, relief pitcher who threw one ball; MSgt. Leroy Hanes, who turned a probable opponent hit into the final double play; and A3C Walt Koshinski, who banged two homers over the fence in the 10-2 win. (See story on sports page.)

## M&S Wins Softball Tourney

Scoring 40 runs in 4 games, the powerhouse M&S softball team captured the Squadron Level championship of Reese Tuesday and is representing the base in the Northern District Squadron Level tournament at Perrin AFB this weekend.

The M&S nine started its journey to the championship with a 23-3 win over Air Base Group. Then it upset the 3502nd Flight Line Maintenance Squadron, 3-0. It dropped a 5-4 game to the Hospital and then turned around to win the title, 10-2, aided by two home runs by A3C Walter Koshinski over the left field fence.

A Tuesday morning game was required to decide the winner. Hospital stayed tough until the last game. It out-powered PTG, 9-8, and scraped by PTW also, 9-8. Then it whipped the '02nd, 6-2, and upset M&S, 5-4, forcing the tournament into extra time.

M&S unveiled its relief pitcher, TSgt. Lew Hefner, as a starter in the final encounter and big Lew got by until near the close. However, weakened by a temporary illness, he lost his control in the final seventh inning and walked four consecutive batters.

A2C Gary Harrison came in to pitch one ball and end the game. Ruiz rifled the pitch toward third base, but MSgt. Leroy Hanes snared it on his shoe-tops and stepped on third to double Fields and end the game.

In other tourney games PTW out-lasted the Civil Engineers, 19-18; the '02nd won by forfeit from PTG and then whipped ABG, 15-3.

The Intramural Softball League play has been resumed and will

continue until league and base champions are named. An all-star team also will be selected later from the league to represent the base in the ATC tournament play.

## Gun Club Schedules Sunday Trap Shoot

The Reese Rod and Gun Club will hold its monthly trap shoot on the base firing range, starting at 1:30 p.m. Sunday. All Reese people may compete in events or come out for practice for the hunting season.

A1C William E. Allen, winner of the Gun Club trophy for June, has issued a challenge to all club members to compete for the trophy.

Ammunition for Sunday's shoot will be available and extra guns will be on hand.

Plans call for a junior event, provided there are sufficient entries.

## Golf Notes

By A1C Curtis Blue

The 3501st PTS won the first half of the Intramural Summer Golf league, followed in order by ABG, 3500th PTS, 3505th FMS, PTW, M&S, 3502nd Maintenance, Air Police, AACs, Civil Engineering, and Hospital.

The second half of intramural golf began Tuesday.

In the Officers' Wives Club Scotch foursome last Sunday Col. L. C. Hess and Mrs. Kenneth McGuire carded the low net and Major McGuire and Mrs. H. R. Wright placed second. The low putt was won by the teams of Maj. Bruce McCall and Mrs. Hess, and Maj. Frederick Shriner and Mrs. Quinn Oldaker.

Next Sunday the OWC will have a blind hole tournament, followed by a steak barbecue.

### INSPECTION SCHEDULE

An inspection in ranks of the lower three grades of airman at Reese is scheduled for 8 a.m., Saturday, July 30. A clothing inspection for the same airmen will follow in the squadrons.

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## Reese Boys Lead Team To Victory

Vic Correll and Phil Johnson of the Reese family led the Southwest Pony league all-stars into the Lubbock city finals Tuesday night as the Southwest defeated the Northern All-Stars, 11-9.

Correll contributed a two-run homer in the first inning and pushed across the 10th and untieing run in the sixth inning. In addition, he caught a good game.

Johnson pitched all the way and was in trouble only once, in the sixth when the Northerners scored five runs. He also singled and scored three runs.

The game was before an overflow crowd in Maxey park. Don Coleman of the Northerners rose up for the second year to taunt Reese players. Last year he pitched the Northern Little League all-stars to a 21-0 victory over the Reese all-stars, allowing but one hit. Tuesday night he started as Pony league pitcher and blasted two home runs, accounting for four runs.

## Bowling Results

### Mixed Couples League

The team of Capt. and Mrs. Gordon Freeman and 1st Lt. and Mrs. Howard Geddes continued in first place of the Officers Mixed Couples Bowling League this week, hold a 26 won, 10 lost record after Wednesday night's play.

Tied for second were the teams of Maj. and Mrs. Alex Goodkin-Capt. and Mrs. John Erdmann and Capt. and Mrs. Vernon Repose - 1st Lt. and Mrs. Howard Henson. Each had won 24½, lost 11½.

The quartet of 1st Lieutenants and Mmes, Richard Corbin and Daniel Johnson rolled high series of 1,892, while 1st Lt. and Mrs. William McAllister, 1st Lt. Charles Schaufler and Mrs. Orpha Mecseji hit 1,842.

A new high team game for the season was rolled by 1st Lt. and Mrs. Maurice Wachtel, Mrs. Bobby Johnson, and 1st Lt. William Dean, a 712.

High series for men was rolled by Capt. William Richardson, 567, with Lieutenant Schaufler second at 560. The lieutenant hit a 244 high game for second high of the season, trailed by Captain Richardson, 212.

Mrs. Jeannie Johnson rolled a 445 high series for women, with Peggy Wachtel and Laverne Miller tied at 443. Mrs. Wachtel had a 194 high game, with Mrs. Johnson second at 172.

### Rio Grande Classic

Reese bowlers carried off some of the top money in the Rio Grande Classic Bowling last week end in Albuquerque. First Lt. Dick Corbin, teamed with Julie Hartmen of Amarillo, took first place in the ragtime doubles, rolling 1,303. First Lt. Ronald Tingley and partner took fourth with 1,293, and Lieutenant and Mrs. Corbin hit 1,237.

## Golf Team Meeting Sheppard Six Here

The Reese golf team this afternoon was to play the Sheppard AFB team, weather permitting, on the course here. Six players from Sheppard were to offer competition.

Representing Reese were to be Capt. William E. Alison, Maj. Joe Setnor, Capt. William Reece, 2nd Lt. Jerry Daley, 1st Lt. Robert Bosman, and SSgt. Chuck Shobe.

Reese also has scheduled a match here next Friday afternoon against the Canon AFB team.

### HOURS EXTENDED

The base commissary has extended hours of operation on Wednesday until 7 p.m. On its first Wednesday to remain open longer last week it marked a good business.

## Little League Resumes Play

The Reese Little League returns to action Monday night after a week's halt to permit the all-stars to compete in a tournament. The Braves are in the lead with 8 wins, 2 losses, trailed by the Dodgers on a 5-6 record and the Red Sox, 3-8.

The Sox and Braves meet Monday evening, the Dodgers and Sox Tuesday, and the Braves and Dodgers Thursday. All games are at 7:30 p. m.

The schedule calls for each team to have played 22 games by the end of August. Rained out games will be cancelled and the team with the best percentage at the end of the season will be declared the winner. Tie games will be played off when possible.

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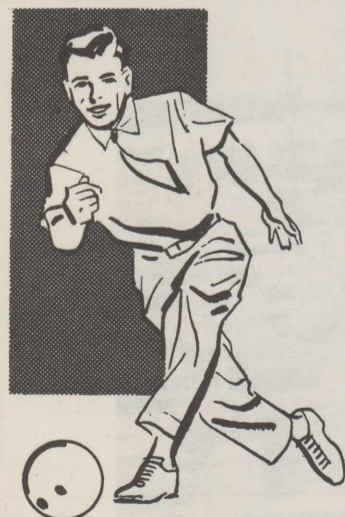
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## Woman's Chatter

**By Mrs. Patrick F. Durning**

We hope that everyone will remember to "Go Hawaiian" tonight at the "Hilo Hattie" party at the Officers' Club.

Farewell parties have been prominent in recent events, however, coffees and showers are still high in the activity column.

Mrs. Ronald Kibler recently hosted a luncheon honoring Mrs. Robert Foster, whose husband will soon report for overseas duty.

A dinner hosted by Mrs. Jimmie Lou Johns at the Officers' Club also honored travel-bound Mrs. Foster.

A farewell bridge was held on Wednesday at the home of Mrs. Ernest Bedke honoring Mrs. Gerald Hannah. She is leaving soon with her husband, who will be attending school. Co-hostesses for the bridge were Mes. Donald Patch and Ernest Bedke.

Mrs. Luther Nall was honored at a baby shower recently at the home of Mrs. Robert Hill. Flight 4 wives attended the morning event. The Nalls will soon depart for San Antonio, where he has been reassigned.

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Mmes. George Goodell and R. L. Rorabaugh recently entertained guests at a patio party held by the Officers' Club pool. Honored was Mrs. Carwin Pomeroy, whose husband has received an assignment to England.

Flight 6 wives recently honored Mrs. Antonio Lopez with a farewell party.

July 19 held a surprise for Mrs. Julius Canterbury. Flight 3 wives held a coffee and baby shower for her at the home of Mrs. Carlyle Wheeler. Two new members were welcome to the flight.

Plans for the upcoming OWC luncheon were discussed at a coffee held by wives of the Air Base

Group.

Wives of members of Flight 7 met Wednesday at a coffee to plan the next 3500th PTS wives' luncheon.

Mrs. Carlyle Wheeler entertained friends of her son, Keith, at a birthday party recently in his honor.

### Mrs. Sergeant Sez:

**By Mrs. William K. Freeman**  
SMSgt. and Mrs. John K. Norred attended a family reunion in Hot Springs, Ark., last week.

SSgt. and Mrs. Robert Smith have as their houseguest the sergeant's mother from Findley, Ohio.

Mrs. Pat Hinkle has returned from visiting her parents in England.

NCO's returning from vacations this week were TSgt. and Mrs. Don Parker, TSgt. and Mrs. J. C. Whitney, and SSgt. and Mrs. Herbert Hamilton.

The NCO Wives Club council met Tuesday at the home of Mrs. Curtis Blue.

TSgt. and Mrs. Whitney spent the weekend in San Antonio.

SSgt. and Mrs. Floyd McCraw returned last week from California.

### Aerospace Events

JULY 23 - 1948, MATS was ordered to establish an Airlift Task Force with headquarters in Germany for the relief of Berlin.

JULY 24 - 1917, The first great air appropriation (\$640,000,000) authorized the Aviation Section to expand to 9,989 officers and 87,083 enlisted men.

JULY 25 - 1909, Louis Bliot of France became the first person to fly across the English channel.

JULY 25 - 1944, Over 2,400 bombers attacked German positions in front of the American lines at St. Lo over a three-hour period.

JULY 26 - 1947, President Truman signed the Armed Forces Unification Act, creating a Department of the Air Force, coequal with the Army and Navy.

JULY 26 - 1954, Lt. Gen. Hubert R. Harmon was appointed the first superintendent of the Air Force Academy.

JULY 28 - 1917, The first American Aero Squadron arrived in the American Expeditionary Forces, docking at Liverpool.

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BOY:

Stephen Charles, to Capt. and Mrs. Charles W. Brown, July 2.  
John Joseph, to A1C and Mrs. Richard H. Baker, July 8.  
John Charles, Jr., to A1C and Mrs. John C. Stumpf, July 11.

GIRL:

Cathy Diane, to SSgt. and Mrs. Edgar V. Watts, July 1.  
Barbara Dell, to A1C and Mrs. Hans H. VonDebschitz, July 1.  
Linda Jean, to A1C and Mrs. Zane A. Clark, July 11.

## Large Crowd Seen For Hattie's Show

A large crowd is expected to see the Hilo Hattie Hawaiian Revue tonight, Officers' Club officials said Thursday. Many reservations have been made for dinner, dancing and other entertainment.

Hilo Hattie, world-known entertainer, will present her revue at 11 p.m., featuring musicians, island girl dancers, a knife and fire dancer, and herself in action and in story-telling.

The reservation dinner will feature suckling pig, red snapper, barbecue chicken, poi, island salad, and baked bananas.

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### INSTRUCTOR ASSIGNED

Second Lt. Harry L. Kumlin, graduate of Vance, who recently completed BIS at Craig, has begun new duty as instructor pilot here. An all-around athlete in high school at McAlester, Minn., he has been in service four and a half years.

### REASSIGNED

First Lt. Donald F. Arnts, assistant judge advocate, has been reassigned to a fighter group at Niagara Falls Municipal Airport, reporting July 31.

### OPTOMETRIST ARRIVES

First Lt. Ronald D. Kinion, former Mt. Vernon, Wash., optometrist, has arrived at the Reese Hospital as optometrist. He has been in service three years and spent a tour in Alaska.

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