

Station Hospital Unit Featured As BuMed Celebrates 115th Year

During the period August 30 to September 3 the Navy Bureau of Medicine and Surgery observes its 115th anniversary. BuMed is the only Bureau still retaining its original name as established by Congress in 1842.

Sept. 6 Is Deadline For Lawn Requests

Residents are reminded that only one week remains to submit requests for lawn improvement materials to the Public Works Department Greenhouse, Ext. 72936.

At the present time, there is no definite schedule planned for distribution of these materials after fulfilling the requests submitted by the September 6 deadline.

Materials requested during the coming week may be picked up according to the following schedule:

Residents living on streets beginning with:

- A-G Monday, Sept. 23
 - H-M Tuesday, Sept. 24
 - N-S Wednesday, Sept. 25
 - T-Z Thursday, Sept. 26
 - Stragglers Friday, Sept. 27
- Unless other arrangements are made, no materials will be reserved after Friday, September 27.

Professional Exams For Technicians Due

Station employees currently occupying Engineering Technician positions will have the opportunity to establish professional qualifications in an Engineering Equivalent Examination to be given in the near future. This non-competitive examination has special significance for all Engineering Technicians in view of the scheduled reclassification of such positions as indicated in NOTS Notice 12155 of August 1, 1957.

Applicants should file a 5000AB card with the Receptionist, Personnel Department, on or before September 10, 1957. Time and place of the written test will be announced at a later date.

Labor Day Hours For Navy Exchange

All Navy Exchange facilities will be closed next Monday, September 2, in observance of Labor Day except the following:
Station Restaurant
7 a.m. to 1 p.m.
Community Center Dining Room
5 to 9:30 p.m.
Community Center Coffee Shop
5 to 11 p.m.

GEBA Assessments Nos. 19, 20 Now Due

K. T. Faust, secretary-treasurer of the Government Employees Benefit Association, has returned from annual leave and is now accepting payments on assessments 19 and 20. Assessment 19 was due the first week in July because of the death of Harry R. Scott, gardener in Public Works Department.

Assessment 20 is now due and payable because of the recent death of Al Cushion, employee in the Safety Division of the Command Administration Department.

Payments of \$1.10 each assessment should be mailed to K. T. Faust, 210-B Halsey, China Lake.

List Adult Evening Classes Dropped

Due to lack of enrollment, some of the adult evening classes offered in the Bakersfield College and Burroughs Evening High School program for next fall have been dropped, according to Wilbur Shortt, coordinator of Adult Education.

Bakersfield College
Classes to be dropped from the tentative schedule offered earlier in the Bakersfield College list of courses are as follows: Engineering 23; English 15; Math 2; and Psychology 33.

Burroughs Evening High School
Evening high school classes to be dropped are as follows: Aeronautics; Electronics (second semester); Metalshop (general); Public Speaking; Sheetmetal Layout; and Short-hand (advanced).

In 1821 the first site for a Navy hospital was acquired in Washington, D.C. Our own Station Hospital was completed in 1946.

In maintaining the health and rendering medical services for Military and Civilian personnel on the Station and Pasadena Annex requires a large staff. Captain H. L. Anderson, Medical Officer, heads the Medical Department, with a staff of three doctors, four Navy nurses, three dental officers, five dental corpsmen, one medical service corps officer, and thirty-four hospital corpsmen.

The Medical Department also operates three metropolitan-type ambulances and three field-type ambulances.
To emphasize the work done by the Medical Department a quick glance at statistics covering services performed for last year will reveal that it was most active in maintaining and improving the health of all NOTS personnel.

The following services were performed for the military and their dependents:

	Military Dependents
Flight Physicals	115
Other Physicals	684
Limited Physicals	1,686
Screening Exams	1,291
Immunizations	2,748
X-Rays	782
Pharmacy Issues	967
Laboratory Exams	2,811

Figures of the total treatments rendered in one year by the Station Hospital reveal an impressive record of activity for the Medical Department.

Treatments in the Out Patient Department were: Civilian, 16,021; Military, 4,593; Dependents, 7,536. Complete physical examinations were: Civilian, 1,003; Military, 885; Dependents, 54. Physiotherapy treatments totalled 950. Prescriptions filled were: In Patient, 680; Out Patient, 5,441. Military dental patients totalled 2,540. Patients admitted to the Hospital were: Military, 399; Dependents and others, 311. Obstetrical cases totalled about 123. A total of 5,122 X-rays were given.

Exper. Officer . . .

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gree in aeronautical engineering, and since then he has served with the Bureau of Ordnance and aboard the carriers BOXER and PRINCETON.

Cdr. Hardy has been at NOTS since November 1954. Following a temporary indoctrination tour in San Diego, he will report to the USS PRINCETON in November as Executive Officer.

Burros Football . . .

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and Jim Powers, center or guard. Burroughs High is now a member of the Golden League, which includes Palmdale, Victor Valley, Barstow and Burroughs, with the local school the smallest of the group.

Football Schedule

Team	Place	Time	Date
North Bakersfield	Away	8 p.m.	Sept. 20
Lone Pine	Home	8 p.m.	Sept. 27
Bishop	Away	2 p.m.	Oct. 5
Shafter	Home	2 p.m.	Oct. 12
Open			Oct. 18
Victor Valley	Home	8 p.m.	Oct. 25
Barstow	Away	8 p.m.	Nov. 1
Palmdale	Home	8 p.m.	Nov. 8
Trona	Home	2 p.m.	Nov. 16

Gems of Wisdom

After all is said and done, usually more is said than done.
Success begins with a fellow's will.

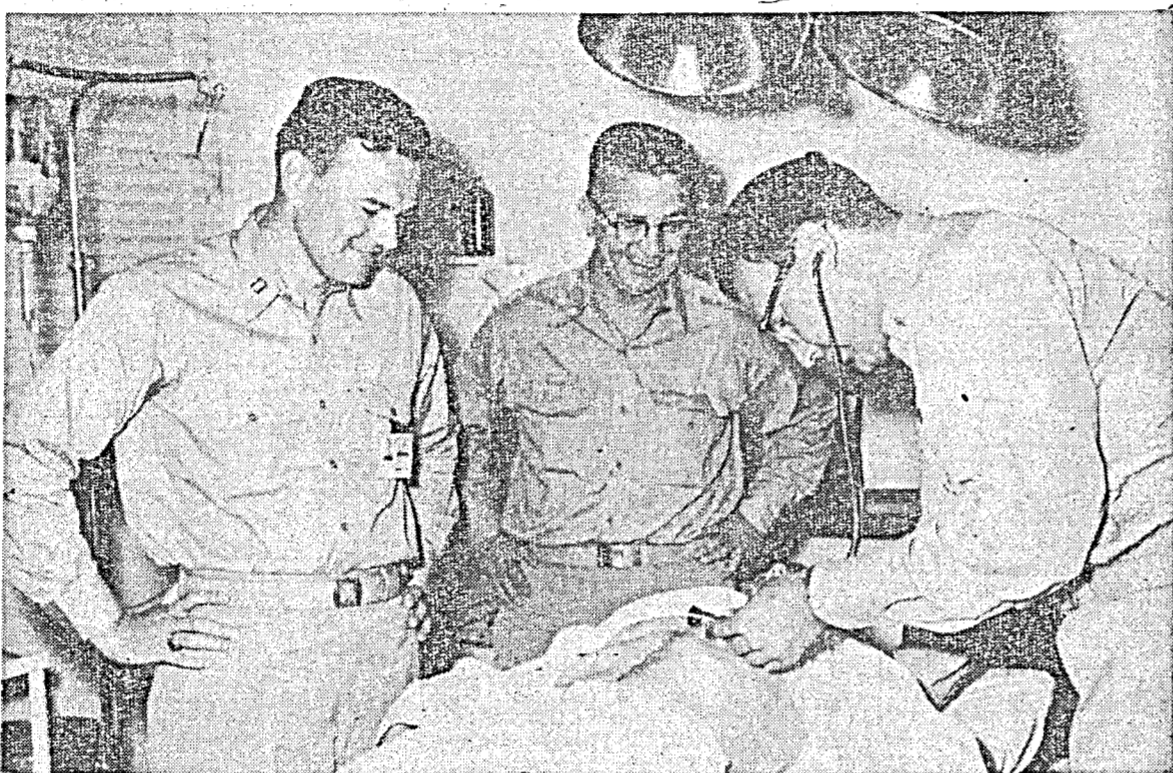
Misfortune can take away nothing but what good fortune gave us.

Thrift Shop Opens Sept. 3

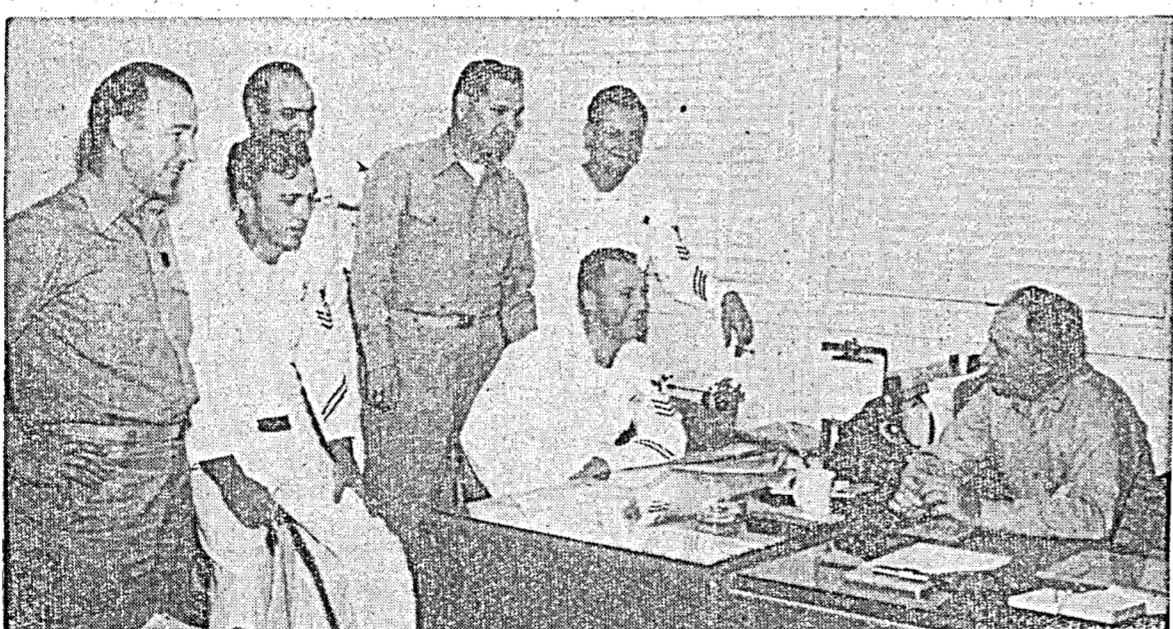
A "one cent" sale will feature the reopening of the Thrift Shop next Tuesday, September 3, at 7 p.m. The Thrift Shop, which has been closed during the month of August, will be open from 7 to 9 p.m. each Tuesday and Thursday of the week.



HOW'M I DOIN', DOC?—Hopeful patient Kenneth D. Land, AD2, thinks he can go home soon. Attendants (l. to r.) are: Capt. Hubert L. Anderson, LCdr. Ann Cossie, and Lt. June E. Unruh.



HEY, THAT TICKLES—The Medical Staff uses a cold stethoscope on a patient undergoing a physical exam. Medical Officers (l. to r.) are: Lt. Phil A. Webb, Cdr. John B. McAdams, Lt. Sam C. Colachis.



BRIEFING—Military personnel are given outline of administrative and clinical duties for the month by Lt. J. M. DeAtley. Shown (l. to r.) are: Wilfred Perry HMC; Billy Spaur, HMI; Arnold Franz, HMI; James Tarpley, HMC; and Melvin Wright, HMI. Seated are: Carroll Pettit, HMI and Lt. DeAtley.



A RARE CASE—The Dental staff at the Station Hospital peers into the mouth of a patient with a dental problem. Dental Officers (l. to r.) are: Lt. Paul Bradford, Capt. Robert Millard, and Lt. William Argue. The Dental Corps celebrates its 45th anniversary this month.



UNDER SECNAV VISITS NOTS—The Honorable W. B. Franke, recently appointed Under Secretary of the Navy, arrives at NAF during an orientation tour of IIND activities. Shown (l. to r.) are: RADM. C. C. Hartman, Commandant of IIND, who accompanied him; Dr. Wm. B. McLean, Station Technical Director; Hon. W. B. Franke; and Capt. F. A. Chenault, Executive Officer.

NAF Gets F8U Crusader Jet: Navy's Fastest

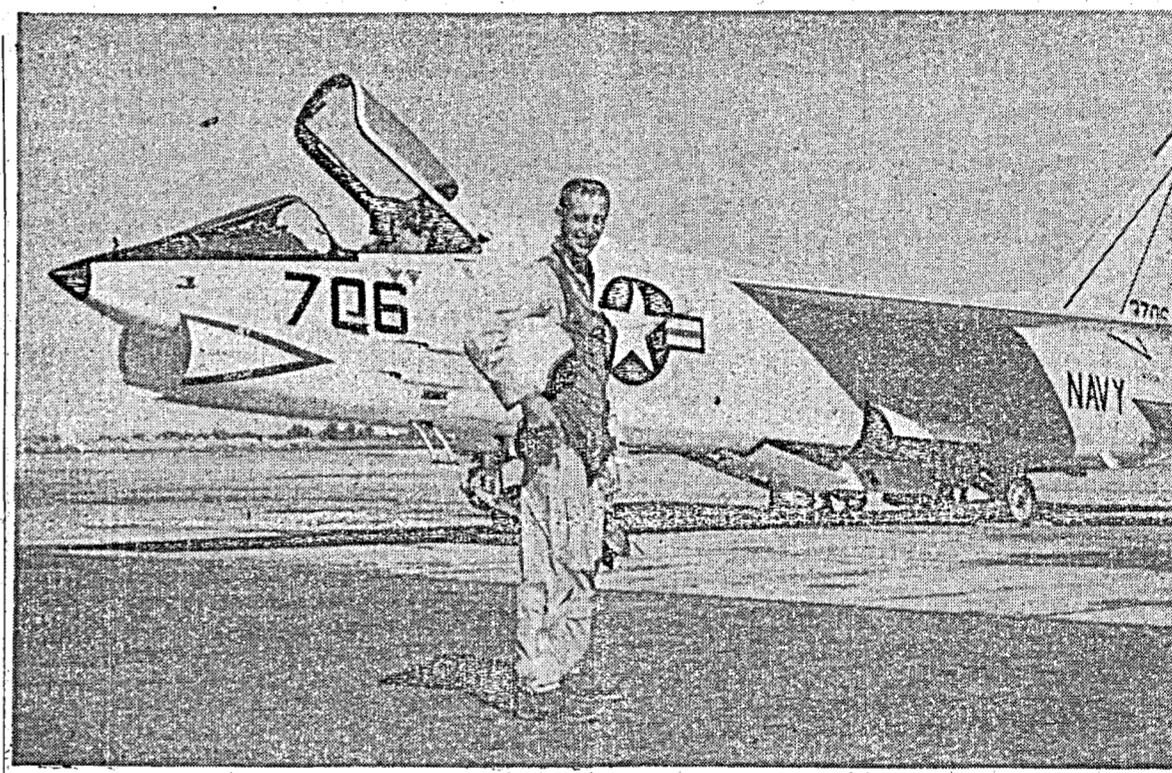
Three hours and twenty-three minutes is not very long. An ordinary person might walk twelve or thirteen miles in that time, or drive 120. Yet it took just that long for Chance Vought's F8U Crusader, piloted by Maj. John Glenn, USMC, to fly from Southern California to New York City, 2,460 miles away.

Commander Selden N. May, officer-in-charge of GMU-61, recently ferried one of these hot new F8U's from Dallas to China Lake to become part of the Naval Air Facility's jet flight line. Coincidentally, the Crusader that Cdr. May brought to NAF is one of the two aircraft that were scheduled to take part in the recent coast-to-coast record hop. LCdr. Charles Demmler started out as backup pilot for Major Glenn in this same aircraft with an eye on setting the record himself, but he was forced to drop out when refueling gear was damaged in an attempted hookup near Grants, New Mexico. Needless to say, the damage was repaired before it was brought to NAF.

While checking out in the Crusader at Chance Vought's Dallas plant, Cdr. May joined the 1,000-mile-an-hour club. At NAF the new Crusader will be incorporated in the SIDEWINDER project.

The coast-to-coast flight gave the Crusader its second official speed record. The first was made right above NOTS last year when Cdr. Duke Windsor set the national speed record of 1,015 miles-an-hour to win the Thompson Trophy.

The 1,000 mph Crusader sided with the deadly air-to-air SIDEWINDER should make a pretty potent combination.



NAF GETS CRUSADER—Cdr. Selden May, commanding officer of GMU-61, gets set to go aloft in Vought's Dallas plant to NAF. The 1,000 mph-plus F8U-1, the world's fastest Navy fighter. Cdr. May ferried the sleek, supersonic jet from Chance Vought's Dallas plant to NAF. The 1,000 mph-plus fighter will be used in the Sidewinder program.

Labor Day Brings Long Week-End

Monday, September 2, is Labor Day and will be observed as an official holiday at NOTS. All shops and offices will be closed, except for employees needed for maintenance of security and required services.

Employees will be paid for the holiday in accordance with regulations.

Station management urges all employees to drive carefully during the three-day holiday week-end which each year takes a traffic toll.

Command Change Set Next Friday

Formal change of command ceremonies will be held next Friday morning at 8:30 in front of the Administration building when Captain William W. Hollister, USN, assumes command of the Station, relieving Captain Frederick L. Ashworth, USN.

The colorful traditional ceremonies will mark the eighth such event to take place at the Station since it was established November 8, 1943. Capt. Hollister will be the ninth Naval Officer to command the Station. Details of the event and photographs will appear in a future issue of the Rocketeer.

New Experimental Officer for NOTS

Commander Donald E. Bruce, USN, will succeed Commander John I. Hardy, USN, as Experimental Officer on the Staff of the Command next Tuesday. Cdr. Hardy has been Experimental Officer since July 1955, and prior to that he served as Assistant Experimental Officer.

Cdr. Bruce reports from the staff of ComAirPac, where he was Special Weapons Officer. A native of Springfield, Ohio, he graduated from the U.S. Naval Academy in 1940 and received his wings in 1943 at Pensacola. Since then he has served as executive officer and commanding officer of several attack and bomber squadrons. In 1947, Cdr. Bruce received a masters degree from the University of Michigan. (Continued on Page 4)

NOTS Civic Concert Association, Inc. Announces Program for 1957-58 Season

"Good seats are available in all price ranges," announced K. H. Robinson, president of the NOTS Civic Concert Association, Inc., as the fall sales campaign for the 1957-58 series opened. During the month of September season tickets for the five concert series will be sold at \$12, \$10, and \$8, with a few \$5 seats remaining for students and enlisted personnel. All concerts will be held at the Station Theatre.

In arranging the 1957-58 series, the board of directors of the association have taken into consideration the particular tastes of this community as revealed by polls of the membership, and accordingly will present the following renowned artists:
Blanche Thebom will open the series on October 7. Miss Thebom, a Hurok artist, is a major member of the Metropolitan Opera, and has appeared on radio and television programs as well as at many European music festivals. She is probably best known for her torrid characterization of Carmen which won her an ovation at the Met last year. She will repeat that role at the Met this year, and will appear also in Aida, Tales of Hoffman, Cosi Fan Tutti and Boris Gudounov.

Leonard Pennario, eminent young American pianist, will make a return engagement at NOTS on December 3. A dynamic performer, he has appeared with virtually all of the top symphonic organizations in this country, has achieved fame and honors with recital tours here and in Europe, and is a top recording artist for Capitol Records. One of his recent recordings for Capitol, piano music of Lecuona and Albeniz, caused Hi-Fi magazine to comment: "Spares none of the ideal forces at his command . . . percussive bite in proper measure, supple restraint when needed, strongly punctuated rhythms when called for."

The Paganini Quartet is composed of Henri Temianka, first violin, Gustave Rosseels, second violin, Charles Foidart, viola, and Lucien Laporte, cello, and will appear here on January 7. The Quartet takes its name from the instruments it uses—all made by Stradivarius and at one time owned by the virtuoso, Paganini. The members of the Quartet are of Belgium. (Continued on Page 2)



PUTTING IN her bid for queen of the Indian Wells Valley United Fund is Annie Majors, 18-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Majors. Golf scores look like telephone numbers when Annie caddies.

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Concert Series...

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gian origin, and they first appeared in this country as a group in 1946 in the Beethoven Cycle in six concerts at the Library of Congress in Washington, D.C. Since that time, they have made their name synonymous with good chamber music in their recitals.

The Robert Jeffrey Theatre Ballet, appearing February 4, is a young group of eight performers organized in 1956, and headed by Robert Jeffrey who is already acclaimed in the United States and Europe as the foremost ballet choreographer. Three young American dancers are the leading performers of the company: Beatrice Tompkins, Gerald Arpino and Glen Tetley. TV fans will readily spot Mr. Tetley, who has danced on nearly all the major video venues. He has also been featured in opera ballet, in Broadway musicals and in concert dance here and in Europe. Beatrice Tompkins has toured the United States and Europe as a soloist with the Ballet Russe de Monte Carlo and with the New York City Ballet. Gerald Arpino is another veteran of TV and Broadway musicals. Choreography and staging of the program has been done by Seattle-born Robert Jeffrey. His ballet productions for the American Ballet Theatre, for the Ballets Rambert of London, his choreography for musicals and for the NBC Television Opera Theatre have marked him as one of the leading newcomers to the dance.

Jussi Bjoerling, reigning tenor at the Metropolitan Opera, is an international star in the truest sense. He is the only star at the Met who sings regularly at Covent Garden, La Scala in Milan, the Paris Opera, the Royal Opera in Stockholm and at San Carlo in Naples. In quality his voice is of such wide range of color that he can sing in the lighter music of La Boheme and Rigoletto or the heavier roles of Monico in Il Traviatore or Rhadames in Aida. Few tenors of the present time have such a range—both of voice and of characterization. His appearance on May 1 will provide a climactic end to the series.

For tickets and further information, contact Mrs. Ivar Highberg, 507 Essex Circle, China Lake, Ext. 724112; Captain C. K. Phillips, 500 Lexington, China Lake, Ext. 71550; Mrs. Gilbert J. Plain, Rademaker View, Ridgecrest, phone 85381; or Mrs. Francis F. Cronyn, Pioneer Point, Trona, phone 3711.

The Civic Concert Association has planned a new series of radio programs featuring concert music to be broadcast in the near future over radio station KRKS in Ridgecrest.

O'Meara, Anderson Get Burros Ready for Tough Grid Schedule

According to Coach Rod O'Meara, this is one of those years where football prospects are difficult to predict. The season's record could be good or it could easily be very mediocre.

Around a nucleus of six returning lettermen, O'Meara and assistant coach Wes Anderson must mold a team capable of meeting one of the most difficult schedules. Burroughs High School has ever faced. One of the bright spots is the fact that sixteen lettermen from last year's championship "B" team will be coming up to the varsity. Though inexperienced in varsity competition, if these boys can come through with the performances of which they are capable, the season could be successful.

The returning varsity lettermen include: Bill Davis, guard and 1st string All-League in 1956; John Oney, guard, honorable mention All-League; Gary Koehler, fullback and 2nd string All-League in 1955 and '56; John Waddell, wingback; Bill Oakes, center; and Doug Chartier, guard. Returning varsity reserves are tackles Ron Croxton and Jim Anderson.

Grade School Bus Schedule

Transportation for elementary school pupils is operated under policies determined by the China Lake Elementary Board of Trustees. State law does not compel districts to transport children, but it outlines the conditions under which districts can obtain state funds for transportation.

In operational practice, the China Lake Elementary Schools will provide transportation for all elementary pupils, kindergarten through eighth grade, living in the Desert Park (Wherry Housing) area.

The following schedule will be in operation Tuesday, September 3, for elementary pupils eligible for transportation, except for kindergarten children. The kindergarten bus schedule will begin on September 4 because of the staggered first day kindergarten session during which parents are invited to attend a one-hour meeting with their child.

Morning Schedule

Seventh and Eighth Grade Pupils to Burroughs
Bus No. 1 and Bus No. 14—7:30 a.m.
These busses will pick up all seventh and eighth grade pupils. Pick-up points will be at the Wherry Office; the corner of Nadeau and Dorado; and the corner of Sandora and Dorado.

Kindergarten, First and Second Grades to Richmond School
Bus No. 11—8 a.m.
This bus will pick up all Wherry children assigned to Richmond School. Pick-up points will be on Toro Street, northeast of its intersection with Prospect; and at the corner of Toro and Searles Street.

All Vieweg School Pupils
Bus No. 1 and Bus No. 11—8 a.m.
These busses will make shuttle runs to Vieweg School between 7:50 and 8:30 a.m. carrying all Vieweg School pupils. Pick-up point will be the corner of Prospect and Toro Streets. It is suggested that parents encourage the older pupils to take early shuttle runs.

Wherry Pupils Return from Morning Kindergartens
Bus No. 1—11:30 a.m.
This bus will start at Richmond School, pick up morning kindergarten children there, continue to Vieweg School and pick up kindergarten children there, and return them to the corner of Prospect and Toro Streets.



SUMMER CONSULTANTS—Spending their second summer as consultants for the Station are Prof. Gabriel G. Skitek (left) and Prof. Frank H. Conrad, both of Missouri School of Mines. Prof. Skitek is with Weapons Development Dept. and Prof. Conrad is with P. & E.

Registration Begins Next Week For UCLA Extension Program

Registration for the fall semester of the UCLA Graduate and Extension Program on the Station will be held from September 3-20. Students may register in Room 1066, Michelson Laboratory, each working day from 9 a.m. to 1 p.m. for classes scheduled to begin the week of September 16.

In order to speed up registration procedures, early enrollment is encouraged. Registration fees are payable at the time of registration, but employees who pass technical and administrative courses successfully, with a grade of C or better, are eligible for 100 cent tuition refunds at the conclusion of the course. Textbooks may be purchased in the Education Office.

The titles, meeting times and places, units of credit, fees, and instructors for the fall semester courses are listed below:

- Engineering 102D, Introduction to Mechanical Vibrations: Monday, Wednesday—6:30 to 8 p.m.; Room 20108, Michelson Lab; 3 units; fee \$30. Instructor: Mr. Mayfield.
- Engineering 121, Engineering Aerodynamics: Tuesday, Thursday—6:30 to 8 p.m.; Room 1013, Michelson Laboratory; 3 units; fee \$30. Instructor: Mr. Van Alken.
- Engineering 181A, Linear System Solutions by Transform Methods: Tuesday, Thursday—4:30 to 6 p.m.; Room 2067, Michelson Lab; 3 units; fee \$30. Instructor: Mr. McClung.
- Engineering 181D, Analog Computations: Tuesday, Thursday—6:30 to 8 p.m.; Room 20108, Michelson Lab; 3 units; fee \$30. Instructor: Mr. McClung.
- Engineering 200A, Analytical Methods of Engineering: Monday, Wednesday—4:30 to 6 p.m.; Room 2067, Michelson Laboratory; 3 units; fee \$30. Instructor: Mr. Thorne.
- Engineering 299, Research in Engineering: 1 unit; fee \$12. Instructor, time and place to be arranged.
- Mathematics 122A, Advanced Engineering Mathematics: Tuesday, Thursday—4:30 to 5:30 p.m.; Room 2001, Michelson Lab; 2 units; fee \$20. Instructor: Mr. Strand.
- Mathematics 122A, Advanced Calculus: Tuesday, Thursday—6:30 to 8 p.m.; Room 2067, Michelson Lab; 3 units; fee \$30. Instructor: Mrs. Maxfield.
- Mathematics 131A, Statistics: Monday, Wednesday—4:30 to 6 p.m.; Room 1013, Michelson Lab; 3 units; fee \$30. Instructor: Mr. Clemans.
- Mathematics 226A, Topology: Tuesday, Thursday—4:30 to 6 p.m.; Room 1013, Michelson Lab; 3 units; fee \$30. Instructor: Mr. Ward.
- Mathematics 242A, Functions of a Real Variable: Monday, Wednesday—4:30 to 6 p.m.; Room 20108, Michelson Lab; 3 units; fee \$30. Instructor: Mr. Selfridge.
- Chemistry 110A, Physical Chemistry: Monday, Wednesday—6:30 to 8 p.m.; Room 1013, Michelson Lab; 3 units; fee \$30. Instructor: Mr. Heller.
- Chemistry 132, X-Rays and Crystal Structure: Tuesday, Thursday—6:30 to 7:30 p.m.; Room 2001, Michelson Lab; 2 units; fee \$20. Instructor: Mr. Bryden.
- Physics 121, Atomic Physics: Tuesday, Thursday—4:30 to 6 p.m.; Room 20108, Michelson Lab; 3 units; fee \$30. Instructor: Mr. Plain.
- Physics 199, Seminar in Atmospheric Physics: Monday, Wednesday—8 to 9:30 p.m.; Room 20108, Michelson Lab; 3 units; fee \$30. Instructor: Mr. St. Amant.
- Economics 140, Introduction to Statistical Methods: Tuesday, Thursday—6:30 to 8 p.m.; Room 213, Training Building; 3 units; fee \$30. Instructor: Mr. Harvey.
- Education XL147, Audio-Visual Education: Monday, 7 to 10 p.m.—plus one Saturday field trip; Audio-Visual Hut No. 64, Burroughs; 3 units; fee \$30. Instructor: Mr. Clark.
- Education X304AB, Methods of Teaching Science in the Elementary School: Friday, 7 to 10 p.m.; Saturday, 8 to 11 a.m.; Science Hut No. 63; Burroughs Junior High School; 3 units; fee \$20. Instructor: Mr. Brubaker.
- Psychology X181A, Applied Human Relations: Tuesday, Thursday—4:30 to 6 p.m.; Room 213, Training Building; 3 units; fee \$30. Instructor: Mr. Milburn.

At 6:30 p.m. the American Flag will be presented under military escort, followed by a welcoming address by W. V. Lager, Master of the Masonic Lodge. George Adam will give the introductory address after which the choral group of Job's Daughters will present musical selections under the direction of Catherine Holmes.

The principle speaker of the evening is Sandy Witt of China Lake, a Burroughs High student who has distinguished herself in oratorical contests, and who is the 1957 representative for Girls State in Sacramento.

At the close of the program, K. W. Westcott, vice principal of Burroughs, will introduce Peter Vicens, this year's foreign exchange student from Spain. This will be an excellent opportunity for all to see Peter, as an example of the efforts to promote better understanding among nations of the world.

Neall Strand Earns Master's Degree by Extension Studies

Otto Neall Strand, a mathematician in the Test Department, has just received word from UCLA that he has completed all the requirements for the M.A. in Mathematics. Strand is the first recipient of a master's degree in Mathematics on the basis of work completed exclusively at China Lake.

Strand entered the Station's Graduate Program in the spring of 1951. This spring he passed the language and comprehensive examinations, and just recently submitted his master's thesis to the Department of Mathematics, entitled "Transient Temperatures in Multiple-Layer Cylindrical Shells." The paper was written under the guidance of Dr. C. J. Thorne of Research Department, who served as one of the members of Strand's review committee.

This fall, Neall Strand will be the instructor for Mathematics 110A, Advanced Engineering Mathematics in the UCLA Graduate and Extension Program. Mathematics 110A is a required course for the B.S. degree in Engineering at UCLA and a prerequisite to a number of upper-division courses in the engineering curriculum.

Intramural Golf Standings
National League

GMU-25 No. 1	Won	Lost
NAF No. 1	18 1/2	8 1/2
GMU No. 1	17	11
NOTS	13 1/2	14 1/2
Mar. Bks.	13 1/2	14 1/2
Hospital No. 1	12	23 1/2
American League	11 1/2	22 1/2
GMU-61	18	6
WV-2	16 1/2	3 1/2
CFO	16 1/2	8 1/2
NAF No. 2	15 1/2	16 1/2
GMU No. 2	7	13
GMU-25 No. 2	5	15
Hospital No. 2	5	15

Public Invited to Review Constitution Next Wednesday
A meeting to refresh the public on the meaning and importance of the United States Constitution will be held at 6:30 p.m. Wednesday, September 4, at the Masonic Hall on the Inyokern Road.

The meeting is intended as an observance of the 170th anniversary of the signing of the Constitution which took place on September 17, 1787. The observance is two weeks before the actual anniversary because of other commitments.

What's Doing IN RECREATION

By Madge Hucek

More things to do this Labor Day weekend! Everyone will be heading Bishop way for the annual "Homecoming, Rodeo, and Tri-County Fair." Local Piute Indians parade in full costume on 31 August, as well as mounted divisions and floats. Hal Campbell's "Millionaires" will be playing for dancing all three days so dig out your boots and fancy western clothes and we'll see you there!

California State Fair
This weekend also is the opening of the State Fair in Sacramento. If you are headin' Frisco way don't miss this one. We have folders and programs for your convenience, but no discount tickets.

Apple Valley Pow-Wow
If it's just a one-day trek you want, the center of dude-ranch activity will be at Apple Valley. They have the Navajo Indians and western-costumed riders parading in their annual rodeo event. A free barbecue will be held beneath the Joshua trees in this very picturesque spot.

Long Beach Regatta
And if it's the beach for you, stop by Alamitos Bay in Long Beach where sailboats will compete for honors. Alamitos Bay with its new marina is becoming one of the yachting centers of the coast.

Santa Monica Festival
"Miss Bay Beach" reigns over the aquatic program in Santa Monica. This program includes rugged paddleboard races, ocean water swim and a parade of kiddies in costume. It's the beach city's seventh annual festival and there's excitement every minute on this beautiful beach.

Square Dance Club
There will be another Beginners Square Dance Class for adults commencing September 25th. The class is sponsored by the Cactus Squares and is always a popular one. All adults are invited to come enjoy these evenings learning to dance. You bump into more interesting people that way. More detailed information will be given prior to the starting of classes. To assure yourself a spot in this popular dance program, call Jim or Inez Deatley, Ext. 77742.

Discount Tickets
A brand new record breaking musical comedy has been added to our list of legitimate theatre plays called "Rosalinda." We have complimentary tickets for this fresh, zestful production full of good singing and lively comedy.

Ski Club

An informal gathering of members and prospective members of NOTS Ski Club will be held next Wednesday, September 4, in the Community Center at 5 p.m.

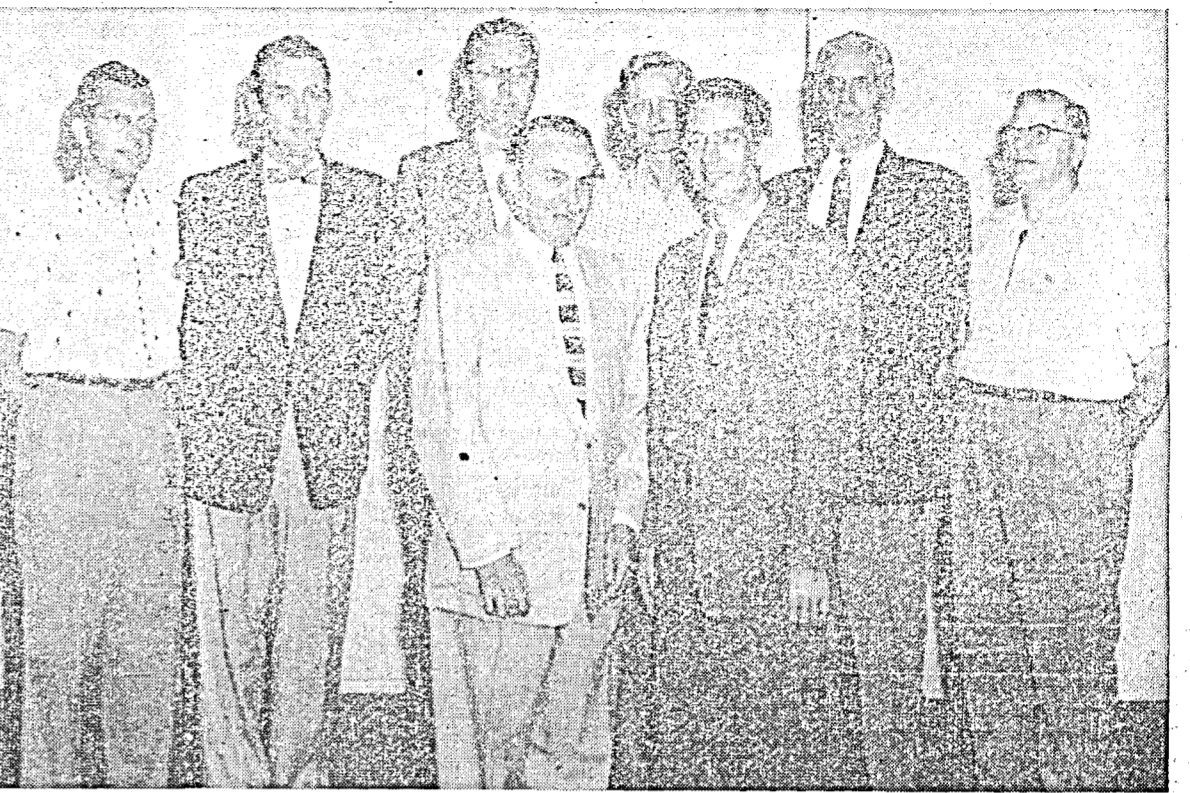
Navy Wives Club

Navy Wives Club members are holding a Tupperware Party next Thursday, September 5, at 1:30 p.m. in the Anchorage. The public is invited.

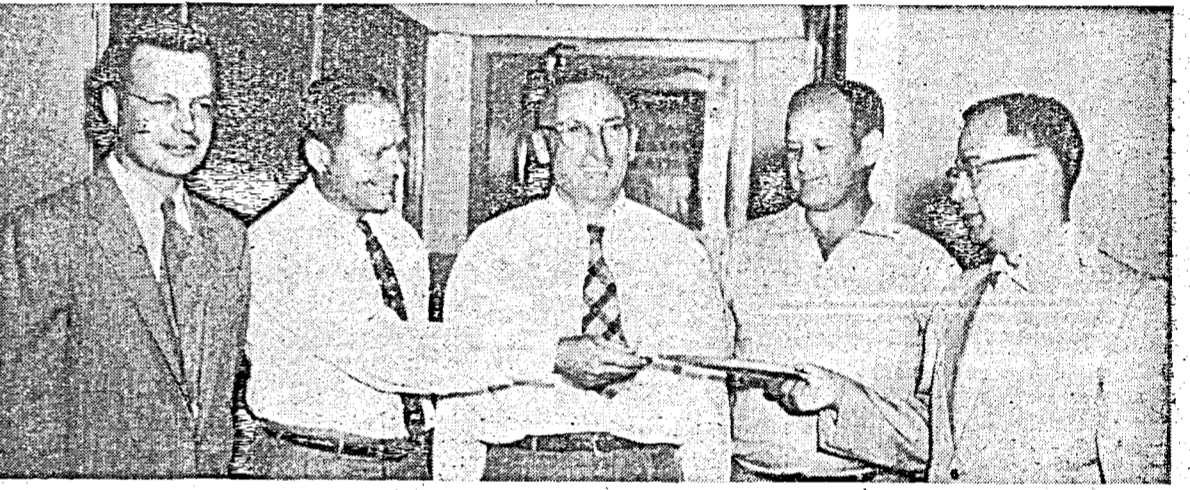
Local Film Society Announces Program

The China Lake Film Society has announced the showing of eight motion pictures on its 1957 fall calendar, opening September 11-12 with "The Private Life of Henry VIII" starring Charles Laughton and Elsa Lanchester.

News from Pasadena



EMCO CHAIRMEN—In the foreground, Herb Howard (right), past chairman, is shown with Leo Brennan who will serve as EMCO chairman for the next year. Unit chairman for the next year (back row, l. to r.) are: Roman Curtis, Frank Masterson, Don Williams, Isabel Owen (vice-chairman), Willy Hillmer, and Leslie Oldreth. Not present are Robert Graf and D. Calvano.



SUPERIOR ACCOMPLISHMENT AWARDS—Pictured at superior accomplishment award ceremonies in UOD's Propulsion Division (l. to r.) are: D. J. Wilcox, Head of UOD; awardees Carl D. Runge, \$200; Paul C. Roberts, \$300; Henry T. Yerby, \$300; and Dr. J. L. Jones, Head of Propulsion Division. Also present at the ceremonies were branch heads and many co-workers of the awardees.

Awards Presented To Three In Propulsion Division Ceremonies

Superior accomplishment awards totalling \$800 were presented to three men at ceremonies in UOD's Propulsion Division. Paul C. Roberts and Henry T. Yerby each received \$300 and Carl D. Runge received \$200. Dr. J. L. Jones, Head of Propulsion Division, and D. J. Wilcox, UOD Head, presented the awards.

Carl D. Runge, a power plant engineer in the turbomachinery branch, earned the award for the period September 1956 to March 1957 for maintaining a high level of performance in the test and evaluation of solid propellants and engines for torpedo propulsion.

Henry T. Yerby's award, covering the period October 1956 to March 1957, was based on sustained above dynamic and hydrodynamic problems on missiles.

Paul C. Roberts, a design engineer in the turbomachinery branch, earned the award for his almost single-handed design of a research torpedo, and for the coordination of practically the entire division during the design of a power plant. The award covers the period from July 1956 to March 1957.

Visit Your Navy During September

The following ships will hold open house in the Los Angeles-Long Beach area during September:

Ship	Sept.
USS CAVALIER, Attack Transport	Aug. 31-Sept. 1
USS PT DEFIANCE, Dock Landing Ship	7-8
USS ST. PAUL, Heavy Cruiser	14-15
USS LYMAN K. SWENSON and USS BLACK, Destroyers	21-22
USS WILKINSON, Destroyer Leader	28-29

Winter Bowling Starts
NOTS winter league bowling gets underway on Wednesday night, September 4, according to Lyle J. Emerick, chairman of the league.

Don't laugh at the man who has fallen; when there are slippery places ahead.

Annex Vacancies

Supervisory General Engineer, GS-12. Position is in the product engineering branch, Product Engineering Division, Underwater Ordnance Department. Incumbent will be responsible for planning and designing all test facilities, special equipment, and the supporting installations necessary to complete the development and research programs assigned by BuOrd to UOD and to assist outside agencies requesting specific research and development work related to underwater ordnance. His supervisory and technical control over the facilities section which includes planning, design and analysis of civil and structural facilities, mechanical test equipment, torpedo launching and their installation, review and guidance pertaining to A & E contracts and the Public Works Department, and report writing.