

Thrift Shop Proven As Double Goldmine

Walking through the open double doors of the Community Thrift Shop, the visitor is pleasantly surprised. Instead of the dark, crowded, confused atmosphere usually characterizing a "used goods" store, one finds here a light, pleasant arrangement of tables, shelves and racks, on which are placed the assorted items for sale.

Clothing for adults, home furnishings, apparel for youngsters of every age and size at amazingly low prices—sleeper or overalls, just a dime; a doll at 75 cents, and hundreds of other items are equally underpriced.

The Thrift Shop, located at the south end of the building which lies between Barracks No. 1 and the Station Restaurant Building, is operated by the Women's Auxiliary of the Commissioned Officers Mess. Its purposes are purely philanthropic—all funds received from sale of goods is devoted to gifts to Navy Relief, the United Fund, Little League, the school's Science Fair, and to other similar helping agencies.

The Thrift Shop is truly a dual gold mine—it provides double service to all residents. It serves as a goods depository for those leaving the area, or for others who have items no longer needed. It offers used merchandise, clean and in good condition, to the entire community.

Functioning the year around, the Thrift Shop is open each Tuesday morning from 9 to 11 and each Thursday evening from 7 to 9.

More than 1,000 families bring items to the Shop. More than 5,000 buyers annually browse through the wares. "People don't like to throw out valuable goods," says Marge Ashbrook, chairman, "just because they are a little used. So they give them to us. Thus, the Thrift Shop is a great help to everyone—the giver, the buyer and those agencies who receive a portion of the proceeds."

Navy Wives Sponsor Tea



SPONSOR HONORS—Pictured with the officers of the Navy Wives Club is Louise Curtis, the organization's sponsor, at the Sponsor's Tea held last week. Standing (l. to r.): are: Lenore Meyers, Recording Secretary; Shirley Brawley, Chaplain; and Marvel Dowling, Treasurer. Seated (l. to r.): are: Shirley Campbell, Corresponding Secretary; Arlene Eggett, President; and Mrs. Curtis.

Note to Wherry Tenants

Capt. T. J. Dumont, Public Works Officer, reports that many calls regarding the operation and upkeep of the Wherry Area have been received by Station organizations such as the Safety Division and Housing Office.

All Wherry housing residents are reminded that questions concerning street repairs, lighting improvements and home safety features within Desert Park should be directed to the Palomar Management Corporation. The Housing Project Manager responsible for all matters pertaining to property maintenance and tenant morale can be reached at Ridgecrest 8-4331.

Community Council Elects Two Directors

Two new directors were elected at the July 14 meeting of the China Lake Community Council.

Howard A. Auld, 204-B Dobb Road, will represent Precinct 2. Mr. Auld is a Planner and Estimator for the Public Works Department and has been at NOTS for 15 years. Tim F. Daniels, 310 Toro, an ordnance man with 4 1/2 years on the Station, will represent Wherry Housing, Precinct 2.

Persons living in these two precincts who wish to bring problems to the attention of the Community Council are asked to contact these new representatives.

Switzer Circle Traffic Urged to Slow Down

China Lake motorists are cautioned to slow down to 10 miles per hour on entering and driving through Switzer Circle by Cdr. R. N. Vohorn, Safety Officer.

This safety precaution should continue until congestion caused by the heavy duty equipment employed in the renovation project at the Circle has been removed.

New Dorn Electricity To Be Shut Off Sunday

Electric power will be shut off in all the new dorms on Blandy, Bard and Parsons from 6 a.m. to 2 p.m. next Sunday, July 26, due to the removal of power lines at Switzer Circle.

As part of the beautification program of the Circle, the clutter of poles will be replaced by one master pole, and flood lights and sprinkler systems will be installed.

Supervisors . . .

(Continued from Page 1) Supervisors Association received its charter in June, 1948, their money-raising projects permitted them to contribute a \$1,000 scholarship to be given to the outstanding apprentice each year.

The emphasis of the new board will be directed toward increasing the efficiency of the supervisory force, cooperate and assist in the coordination of all matters, and promote the social, intellectual and material welfare of the members.

Personnel eligible for membership who desire additional information may contact President Bill Danley at 53-B Rodman, Ext. 73242.

Love is a short word, but it contains everything.

Local Kids Collect 38 Awards at District Swim Meet at Edwards

Scoring more points than any other area team participating, Indian Wells Valley youngsters captured 19 first-place and 21 second-place wins at the East Kern County District Swim Meet held at Edwards AFB, July 17. Other areas within the District represented included Mojave, Edwards and Boron. The Kern County Finals are being held today in Bakersfield at the City College Pool.

The local team is sponsored by the Indian Wells Valley Recreation Council. Accompanying the swimmers to last week's match were Dick Chatterton, team coach; Carol Chatterton, team manager; Hazel Campbell and Virginia Beresford.



SCIENCE-MINDED—Nearly 200 China Lake youngsters are enrolled in science classes offered by the Summer School program. With their fathers, scientists and engineers, it's small wonder that local students are becoming more and more science minded. Ralph Krafve, instructor, presents a brief summary of science to each of his classes using films, simple experiments, vocabulary exercises and other classroom aids.

New Personnel Influx Influences Housing Lag

Due to the influx of new professional personnel reporting aboard, and with fewer houses than usual available for assignment during this period, it has been necessary for the Station to provide a limited number of temporary quarters to these people while they wait for permanent quarters for which they are eligible.

These temporary assignments will not adversely affect employees on the housing list. Prior to the expiration of the present housing list, houses now being used for temporary quarters will be offered to eligible personnel for occupancy as soon as they are vacated.

NOTS Meets Phoenix In Radio-Chess Clash

The Indian Wells Valley Amateur Radio Club and the China Lake Chess Club will combine their talents next Sunday, July 26, when the Chess Club will play a radio match with the Encanto Chess Club of Phoenix, Ariz.

Ten games will be played simultaneously with the moves radioed back and forth.

The event will be held from 12:30 to 4 p.m. in the Radio Club quarters behind the old Station Restaurant building.

Participants or spectators will be welcome at this unique event.



DRAMA DUO—Joan Leipnik (as Dona Ana) and Phil Marsh (Don Juan) are pictured as they will soon appear in the concert reading of Shaw's "Don Juan in Hell". They may be seen August 3 and 4 at the Community Center at 8:30 p.m. Others in the cast are Ed Romero and Langthorne Sykes. Tickets may be purchased at the door or from members of the China Lake Players.

Babe Ruth All-Stars Whipped in First Game

Babe Ruth League All-Stars suffered a 11-3 defeat at the hands of the Antelope Valley All-Stars in last Saturday's first game of the Valley Division's All-Star tournament.

The Antelope Valley team, a powerful ball club, will now play in Newhall tomorrow in the second game of the Division championship.

Health Insurance Plan

Applications are still being accepted for Group Health Insurance from all NOTS employees. Information regarding this policy may be had by contacting Peggy MacLise, Ext. 71528, or by personal interview between 10 a.m. and 2 p.m. each working day in the Housing Building. The insurance plan has been found to be highly satisfactory since accident or hospitalization costs are paid from the first dollar charged.

PANEL DISCUSSION NOTS FUTURE As determined by BuOrd, BuAer Reorganization Tuesday, July 28 Community Center 8 p.m. EVERYONE WELCOME



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China Lake Elementary Schools Relate Pre-Registration, Pupil Placement Plans

Preliminary registration and pupil-placement plans were announced by Harold E. Pierce, Assistant Superintendent of Schools, this week. All youngsters who will attend kindergarten through the eighth grade this year in the China Lake Schools are affected by Mr. Pierce's statements.

Registration of kindergarten children and new pupils to the district in grades one through eight will be conducted from August 3 through 14, inclusive, in the main office of the present Burroughs School from 9-11:30 a.m. and 12:30-3:30 p.m. each day during the two-week period.

Parents are urged to register their children before the August 14 deadline in order to insure proper school placement.

Proof of date of birth is essential to enroll kindergarten children and all first grade children who did not attend kindergarten in the China Lake schools during the 1958-59 school year. Admissible evidence includes a birth certificate, duly attested baptismal certificate, or a passport. Parents who do not possess birth certificates should initiate requests for them from the county in which the child was born.

However, if verification of birth, as listed above, is not available, an affidavit of the parent or guardian, legally executed by a notary public, will be accepted. Affidavit forms are available in the main office of the present Burroughs School.

All children new to the District in grades two through eight must present, at time of registration, promotion cards or report cards denoting grade level placement before assignment to school classes can be completed.

Parents of children who plan to be away from the Station during the registration period should contact the Station during the registration period.

Family Service Plans Open Member Meet; Noted Speaker Slated

Frieda Burnside, noted social worker and Special Field Consultant for the Family Service Association of America, will address the Desert Area Family Service Open Membership Meeting to be held at 8 p.m. next Monday, July 27, at the Community Center. Mrs. Burnside will speak on "The High Cost of Unhappy Living."

The speaker has had extensive education and experience in the field of mental health and family problems. Her present position was created on the basis of a Rockefeller Brothers grant to Family Service Association of America for the purpose of serving communities where there has been planning of family service agencies or where such toward the establishment of family services have been recently instituted.

Monday night's meeting is the first of several similar sessions planned by the local Agency to bring informative and authoritative speakers before the general membership. All residents of the Indian Wells Valley interested in family social service and mental health programs are invited to attend the meeting.

Memberships in the Desert Area Family Service Agency are accepted at any time. Annual memberships are \$5; however, memberships for the balance of 1959 may be obtained for \$2.50. Anyone wishing to become a member may do so at the Open Membership meeting, or by calling at the Agency Office, Room 529, Station Hospital.

Turnout Law Enforced

Vacationists who will be taking trips into the mountains of California this summer are being reminded by the California Highway Patrol that the new "turnout law" will be strictly enforced wherever appropriate signs have been posted.

Revised Utility Rate to Reduce Rental Charges

Current adjustments for utilities charges for housing units under the jurisdiction of the U. S. Naval Ordnance Test Station have been approved and will result in a reduction in total rental charge to most tenants effective August 1, 1959.

Directives incorporated into the Bureau of Yards and Docks Navy Housing Manual require all Station Commanders to review and adjust utilities rates once a year. This does not affect Wherry Housing tenants.

The directives set up specific rules to be followed in computing comparable rates to be charged for utilities. These rules specify that utilities rates must meet the "best local rate" and must recover the government cost of supplying the utilities to the housing units.

The factor most responsible for this downward trend in charges was improved operating efficiency. The steam system was operated at a lower cost for maintenance materials and labor. The steam rate resulting from this economy has been favorable. It is 18 per cent less than the previous rate. Water costs have also shown some reduction.

The installation of natural gas lines has resulted in a decrease in utilities costs to the housing units supplied with it. The rate for sewage disposal was increased because of larger maintenance charges against the system. Due to the fact that the quantity chargeable to each housing unit is small, the overall increase to the tenants for sewage is kept to a minimum.

A revised copy of the new rental and utility rates has been mailed to all tenants as an enclosure to NOTS Instruction 111014C.

BPW Luncheon Club Formation Launched

An organizational meeting was held last Tuesday, July 21, in the Community Center to acquaint working women with the objectives of the National Federation of Business and Professional Women's Clubs, Inc.

A China Lake Luncheon Club is being sponsored by the Kern Desert BPW Club to accommodate working women unable to participate in the evening functions of the sponsoring club.

Prospective members present at the meeting elected BevAnne Ross as temporary chairman and Beverly O'Neill as temporary secretary of the future club.

A Nominating Committee was appointed by the temporary chairman consisting of Edith Haley, chairman, and Dora Laughlin. The By-laws Committee appointed consists of Deleta Munn, chairman, Dorothy Vandaveer, and Dorothy Jackson.

Further business and committee reports will be heard at a luncheon meeting set for Tuesday, August 4, at 11:30 a.m. in the Mojave Room of the club.

Interested persons who were unable to attend the organizational meeting last Tuesday may contact Clara Iorillo, telephone committee chairman, for reservations at the August 4 luncheon.

UCLA Refunds Here

Refund checks for personnel who have successfully completed UCLA Spring courses in 1959 are available in the Education Office, Room 1004, Michelson Laboratory.

Supervisors Assn. Aims Goal for Coming Year

Installation ceremonies were conducted at The Hideaway in Ridgecrest on June 11 for the 1959-60 board of directors of the Supervisors Association, Local No. 28, of the National Association of Supervisors, Department of Defense.

Newly elected officers were: William Danley, president; Art Senn, vice-president; Guy Porter, secretary; Sam Treat, 3-year director; Floyd Maxwell, 2-year director; Cheever Evans, sergeant-at-arms; and James Cashore, historian. The

A few days after the new board's installation, they were granted an interview with Capt. Hollister to orient the Commander with the Association's purposes and goals for the coming year.

In his acceptance speech, President Danley pledged to devote his efforts and those of the Association to promote better communication between line management and Station management, and to concentrate on increasing the membership in order to obtain a more accurate overall perspective of Station supervisory problems.

Eligibility for men or women supervisors in the Supervisors Association requires that they be classified at the GS-6 level on up, including Station Commanders and Technical Directors, or at the leading man level and up in the per diem classification. Approximately 500 employees at NOTS are eligible for membership.

Some of the worthwhile community projects that the Supervisors Association have either sponsored or supported in the past were Armed Forces Day fiestas; carnivals; the television booster on Laurel Mountain; Schoeffel Field; provided landscaping in the community; and one year they collected \$11,000 for the March of Dimes. This successful drive put NOTS in the lead that year over all other Navy installations in the nation.

During earlier years after the (Continued on Page 4)

Panel members will be H. G. Wilson, Associate Technical Director; Capt. H. B. Hahn, Executive Officer; Cdr. Donald E. Bruce, Experimental Officer; Russell Bjorklund, Head, Central Staff, and Robert N. Anderson, Head, Personnel and Community Relations Department. Ed Jones, Associate Head of Staff for Management, will moderate the discussion.

Other aspects of the proposal made by the "Report of the Committee on Reorganization of the Department of Navy" (Frankie Report) will be discussed, also.

The public is invited to hear the panel discussion, to begin at 8 p.m.



SUPERVISORS ASSN. OFFICERS—Newly elected directors of the Supervisors Association, Local No. 28, are shown at installation ceremonies last month. Shown in front row (l. to r.): are: Guy Porter, secretary; William Danley, president; Art Senn, vice-president; and Cheever Evans, sergeant-at-arms. In back row (l. to r.): are: Sam Treat, 3-year director; Floyd Maxwell, 2-year director; and Jim Cashore, historian. Treasurer Ed Minshew, and 1-year director Manny Turse are absent.

Anyone May Request Adult Education Classes

Provisions for establishing new Adult Education Classes are included in the regulations of the Kern County Union High School District. Adults desiring a new class may present a petition containing 25 names to the Adult Education Office in the Training Building at 91 Halsey. If approved by the Board of Trustees, the class will be established. All members enrolling must be at least 18 years of age.

Classes which have been previously taught here are not considered as "new" classes and will be offered without petition if there appears to be a reasonable demand. Petition forms are available in the Adult Education Office. Further information may be had by calling Ext. 72015.

Marines, Sailors Fight Olancha Forest Fire

Under the leadership of Inyo County Rangers, 53 NOTS Marines and Sailors, assisted in fighting a fire at Mt. Olancha, 55 miles from the Station caused by the crash of a NOTS radio-controlled drone aircraft at 10 a.m. last Thursday. The fire was listed as "under control" on Saturday, July 18.

Led by Staff Sergeants Angelo Rainaldi and Floyd Osborne, the 35 men from the Marine Barracks, and the 18 Sailors from NOTS Division, led by Sterling W. Martin, SFP3, were in the fire area for four days. A portion of these men left NOTS Thursday, followed by others the next day. Some returned to the Station Sunday night, while others did not return until Monday.



CHAMPS OF YESTERYEAR—The Station's 1948 Championship Baseball Team will play this year's Engineering Department nine at the Beer Hut Diamond tomorrow night. Many of the men pictured above with their trophy will return to NOTS for this Old-Timers game. Shown (l. to r.): First row—Terry Haycock, bat boy; John Dragovich; Bev. Cass; Bill (Rabbit) Cummings; Bob Hicks, and Grant Gorman, manager. Second row—Captain Kirten, Zeke Simenic, Harold Brewer, Ralph

Gorman, Bill Bessee, Andy Anderson, Bob Kochman, Tom Short Ty Blair and Lt. Caslow. The Engineers stand third in the Station's Intra-natural play. Festivities will begin at 8 p.m. with the Marine Color Guard opening the ceremonies. Everyone is invited to this game which may prove to be an outstanding softball exhibition. There is no admission charge. There will be plenty of refreshments and early comers are promised the best seats.

COMING EVENTS

Valley Wells Swim Party
A free swim party, to be held at Valley Wells, near Trona, on Tuesday, July 28, is being sponsored by the Engineering Department. Those going should bring their own picnic lunch, but soft drinks, ice cream, etc., are available there. Meet at the pool for a refreshing dip at 8:30 before eating.

ASPA Panel
The reorganization of the Bureau of Ordnance and Aeronautics as it will affect NOTS will be discussed by a five-man panel of NOTS representatives at 8 p.m. in the Community Center on Tuesday, July 28. The American Society for Public Administration is sponsoring the discussion.

Unitarians
The Unitarian Fellowship of Indian Wells Valley will meet at the Anchorage at 8 p.m. on Sunday, July 26. Dr. William Shaw will present a tape in which several college students relate their philosophies of life, and Dr. Shaw will comment thereon from the standpoint of a parent.

Technical Lecture
Dr. Marcel P. Wennkens, Senior Oceanographer at the University of Washington, Seattle, will discuss "Properties of Water Masses on the West Coast of the United States," at 1 p.m. today, in Conference Room A. Michelson Laboratory. This will be a discussion of the characteristics of several of the water masses observed on the Pacific Coast—oceans are divided into masses with definite boundaries and distinguished from one another by differences in physical, chemical and biological characteristics at a given time.

Mt. Whitney Trip
All Junior Professionals and summer employees who wish to make the "Whitney Portal Trip" sponsored by the Recreation Committee for junior personnel, are urged to make their reservations immediately with C. M. Dyne, Ext. 71739. The trip will be made Aug. 8. More information may be obtained from the above number.

June Animal Activities

Table with 2 columns: Activity and Count. Includes Strays released to owners, Destroyed at owner's request, Given away, etc.

Cats

Table with 2 columns: Activity and Count. Includes Picked up and destroyed, Destroyed at owner's request, Total cats, Fines (13).



ENOUGH IS TOO MUCH—Gorging that good homemade ice cream and cake served at last Tuesday's Community Church Ice Cream Social wreaked havoc with these two clowns ("Curly" Powell and "Cec" Wade). Nearly 1,000 residents attended the affair again this year, netting approximately \$300 for the Women's Guild missionary projects.

Softball Schedule and Standings. Includes dates for MCGMTU vs. Clippers, CPO Club vs. Engr., etc. Also includes a list of team members and their statistics.

Rocketeer Deadlines
News, Tuesday, 4:30 p.m.
Photos, Tuesday, 11:30 a.m.

What's Doing IN RECREATION

By Jean Cox, Recreation Director
"Mr. Clarinet," Buddy De Franco, and his sextette are all set for a swingin' session at the Community Center tonight, Friday. Tickets may be purchased at the door. Admission will be \$1.00 for men, ladies free. All adult Station personnel are invited.

This will be the musical event of the year as Buddy De Franco is known as one of the world's greatest jazz clarinetists. He was first-place winner of the Down Beat and Metronome polls for 11 consecutive years. Dancing starts at 9 p.m. Better be on time if you want a ring-side seat at this famous band's first appearance at China Lake.

Disneyland Winner
The Recreation Director was notified last week that a Station resident, Jimmie Leola Vaughn, had been selected for the Magic Kingdom Club "Family of the Month." This means that she and her immediate family will be guests of the Disneyland Hotel, the Gourmet Restaurants and Disneyland Park for a weekend of fun and entertainment. Congratulations, Jimmie.

Each month three families are selected from among Magic Kingdom members for this award. Membership in the Magic Kingdom Club entitles you to discount rates at Disneyland and makes you eligible for this award. Membership cards are available at the Community Center counter Monday through Fridays, from 12 to 5 p.m.

Discount Tickets
In addition to the regular Disneyland membership cards and Marineland reduced price certificates, the following discount tickets are now available at the Community Center:

Pacific Ocean Park coupons which may be exchanged at the Park box office for ticket books. Prices of these books are: Children, \$2.40 (\$3 actual value); Juniors (age 12 through 17) \$2.60 (\$3.25 actual cash value); adults, \$2.95 (\$3.75 actual cash value); children under 3 admitted free. These P.O.P. special discount books include admission, the thrilling Super Sea Circus, a \$2.50 script book with tickets for rides. Of course, admission to the fabulous Neptune's Kingdom, the Enchanted Forest, the submarine U.S.S. Nautilus, and band concerts is also included.

Los Angeles Home Show runs from July 16 through July 28. This year, instead of showing at the Pan Pacific, it will be the first show at the new Los Angeles Sports Arena. Featured this year are a \$10,000,000 Flower Show and giant stage show starring Liberace, Mickey Rooney and Billy Eckstine. Show hours are daily from 12:30 p.m. to 11:30 p.m. Regular admission, \$1.50; your admission, \$1, with the pink employee discount ticket. Children under 12 years of age, 50 cents; children under 5 years of age admitted free.

Marineland Stage and Aqua Show "Starlight Spectacular" exchange certificates enable you to save 50 cents on each \$2.50 ticket in the reserved section. The show is held nightly except Monday at 9 p.m. The reduced rates will be good for all performances through Aug. 9.

As previously announced, exchange certificates are also available for the Hollywood Bowl, Pilgrimage Theater, Ascot Stadium, Piramag and Saugus Stadium. For further information contact Ann Seitz, Ext. 72010, Monday through Friday.

RAFT Club News
Be sure to make tomorrow night, Saturday, July 25, your special RAFT Club night. This is the "Summer Mardi Gras" and Birthday Party Dance. "The Constellations" are playing in the outdoor dance pavilion, and refreshments will be served on the grass area of the Club. Special dance entertainment is planned. Make this date a must. You'll have fun, and so will your date, or just come stag. There will be plenty of dance games and prizes, and a special floor show. Dance time is from 8:30 p.m. to 11:30 p.m., with the show at 10:30 p.m. August 6 is the date for the Hayride, only a few more members

News From Pasadena

Supply Subjects Get Weekly Study

The initial session of a Supply Department training course took place at NOTS Pasadena on Monday, July 20. Under the direction of Cdr. Harry J. Hicks, Jr., Assistant to Director of Supply, the course will cover such subjects as cost, price and profit analysis in contract negotiation, and contract administration.

Technical personnel who have responsibility of administering project funds may be interested in attending some or all of the classes which are scheduled to be held once a week for several weeks. Clint Weaver, Ext. 49, may be contacted for details.

Personnel Statistics

Promotions
P1901—Jeannine A. Wolfe from Clerk-Stenographer, GS-5 in P805 to Clerk-Stenographer, GS-4 in P1901.
P258—Richard A. Lovelace from Equipment Specialist, GS-7, to Supervisory Equipment Specialist (General), GS-8.
P808—William D. Squire from Supervisory Electronic Scientist, GS-12 to GS-13; Rodger A. Rotter from Electronic Scientist, GS-9, to Electronic Scientist (Instrumentation), GS-11; and Averil M. Hanna from Machinist (Experimental) to Head, Experimental Machinist, at Morris Dam.

Engineer Teaches Art

Herb Summers, engineer in P805, has, since March, been conducting a weekly art class composed of NOTS Pasadena employees. At first the group held their meetings on-Station after working hours but for the summer have switched to the Eaton Canyon County Park.

Instruction so far has included the fundamentals of drawing—working with charcoal—but Herb says now his pupils are ready to start on fundamentals of painting and they will work with oils on still life, landscape and portraits.

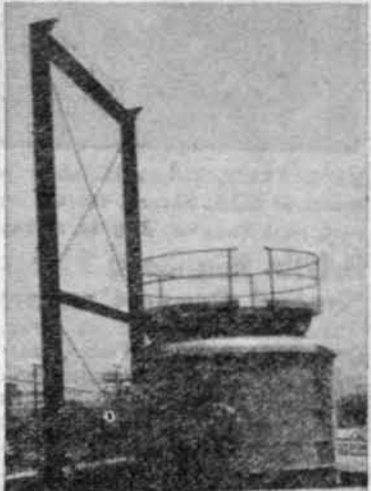
Pasadena Deadline

Pasadena deadline for news and day, 4:30 p.m.

The best way to bring up children is to let them down occasionally.

\$200,000 Test Facility Nears Completion at Foothill Plant

Nearing completion at Foothill is a new \$200,000 model tank facility. Located in Building 5, it will be under the direction of the Underwater Ordnance Department, Propulsion Division.



NEW MODEL TANK—Towering over the roof of Building 5 is part of the new model tank. Employees won't have this view long, though, as the tank is scheduled to be closed. When complete, the overall height of the facility will be equivalent to a five-story building.

Huge trucks rolled into the plant late last week carrying sections of the test tank. For several weeks, construction crews had been at work inside Building 5 preparing the area and removing the equivalent of one story of dirt 12 feet in diameter to make way for the new facility.

When finished, the tank, completely enclosed in a light-tight room, will tower above the building. The overall height will be equivalent to a five-story building. The pressure tank itself will be 41 feet from bottom to top, with many windows and port holes allowing for inside photography.

Continuously filtered, the tank will have ultra-violet radiation to eliminate algae. There will be two monorails—one overhead and the other going into a side door near the top.

The test tank will facilitate a saving of many thousands of dollars to the Government by providing tests at a minimum cost. Better test data will also be provided with the results known sooner.

The new facility is scheduled for operation the middle of August.

Promotional Opportunities...

Machinist (Experimental), P804A, duty station Morris Dam. Manufacture special parts and assemblies used in experimental testing of gas generators, propulsion systems, prime movers, test vehicles, and components. Work consists of all types of machine tool, bench and assembly operations and includes precision machining, fitting of parts, working with a wide variety of metals and alloys. Incumbent will work from verbal instructions, rough sketches or blue prints. Must be a journeyman machinist. Contact Nora Hanley, Ext. 103.

Mechanical Engineer (Ordnance), GS-12, PD 24143, Code P8092. Responsible for all mechanical aspects of product engineering and productivity studies on specific underwater missiles. Designs necessary changes in air frame and correlates resulting changes with other parts of missiles including the torpedo, depth charges and rocket motor. Establishes environmental testing requirements for missiles. Contact Nora Hanley, Ext. 103.

Engineering Draftsman (General), GS-6 (Two Vacancies), PD Nos. 36164 and 36164-1, Code P7111. Prepares drawings regarding drafting techniques and a practical knowledge of engineering drafting methods and procedures. Work involves structural, civil, electrical and mechanical drawings concerning buildings, elevations, piers, motors, generators, control and distribution systems, gas holers, hydraulic systems, etc. Contact Dorothy Seaman, Ext. 103.



ADMINISTRATION SEMINAR—Discussing administrative philosophy of NOTS with USC School of Public Administration professor and students are George Pollak (l), Deputy for Administration, and Ray Harrison (r), Acting Head, Personnel Division. The meeting took place at NOTS Pasadena last Friday.

Promotional Opportunities

Only persons currently employed on this Station may apply for the following positions, and up-to-date Forms 58 should be submitted when applying.
Secretary (Dkt.), GS-318-4, PD 31740, Code 4552. Incumbent is branch secretary in the Development Engineering Branch, Process Development Division, Propulsion Development Department, and duties include personal and telephone contacts, reviewing and composing correspondence, obtaining and preparing information, writing minutes of meetings and retaining, filing, etc.

Ordnance (A&E Tech), \$2.58 p/h, 1st Step, Code 3551. Located in AOC, Aircraft Range Division, Aircraft Range Operations Branch, "C" Special Test Range. It is desirable for applicants to have experience in static fitting of guided missiles and general familiarity with ordnance work as associated with tests conducted in aircraft ranges. This work involves night firing, and the individual must be able to spot and plot impacts under those conditions (night time). The employee will assist in the recovery and identification of expended ammunition.

Engineering Draftsman, GS-918-7, PD 33184-7, Code 3552. The incumbent of this position is an Engineering Draftsman, GS-7. His organizational title is that of "Project D-Draftman." This position is one of two or three equivalent positions in the Drafting Section. The incumbent is directly under the Head, Drafting Section, in Engineering Design and Service Branch, Aircraft Range Division, Aviation Ordnance Department.

Housing Manager, GS-117-7, PD 18053, Code 653. As Assistant to the Housing Manager, duties include assisting in the direction of Housing Division operations and maintaining community housing relations.

Fiscal Accounting Clerk, GS-321-4, PD 18053, Code 175. This position entails duties as the reception and correspondence center for the offices of the Disbursing Officer and Head, Disbursing Division, as well as writing and auditing reports, filing, and fiscal accounting.

Physicist (Mechanical), GS-1310-11, PD 31737, Code 4533. This position is that of Physicist located in the Analysis Branch, Test and Evaluation Division, Propulsion Development Department, and duties include analysis, programming and problem solving by computer, and reporting.

Refrigeration and Air Conditioning Mechanic, \$2.76 p/h, 1st Step, Code 4533. Installs, maintains, and repairs refrigerating and air-conditioning equipment and components. File applications for above positions with Assistant Secy, Personnel Bldg., Room 25, Ext. 72723 by July 31.
Mechanical Engineer (Ord.), GS-11, PD 26700Am 1, Code 4034. Responsible for the design, development, testing and evaluation of weapons.
Safety Inspector GS-7, PD 17183, Code

YIPPEE! He's in the chips! His Benny Sugg was adopted! Navy Incentive Award Program