

# Whetmore Band Here Feb. 12 for CPO Military Ball



THE FABULOUS Jimmie Whetmore 13-piece band, renowned for its sweet and swing dance rhythms, will be the featured attraction, Sat. Feb. 12, at the Chief Petty Officers' 11th Annual Military Ball, China Lake. C. W. Spragle, AOCM, chairman of the affair, and J. A. Jordan, AQC, club manager,

promise a gala evening of unparalleled cuisine and entertainment for members and their guests. Elaborate decorations for the CPO Club are being arranged by a committee headed by Mrs. Wm. G. Foote, president of the CPO Wives Club. ComNOTS and major Station commands are honored guests.

## Season's Fourth Concert Here Tue. Featuring Soprano Marni Nixon, Voice of Many Silver Screen Stars

China Lake concert goers are in for a double treat of not only seeing a native Californian, the comely Marni Nixon, but hearing the voice which has been heard by countless millions, apparently emanating from the mouths of glamour queens of the screen at 8:15 Tuesday evening at the Station Theatre. Concert patrons will hear her in works from Handel, Brahms, Chausson, Poulenc, Mozart, Gluck, and Leonard Bernstein. Her accompanist will be Natalie Limonick. The Altadena-born, russet-haired, blue-eyed, lissome soprano was the voice of Audrey Hepburn in the song, "I Could Have Danced All Night," in the movie version of "My Fair



MARNI NIXON . . . voice of the stars

Lady," also Natalie Wood's in "West Side Story," Janet Leigh's in "Pepe," and Deborah Kerr's in the "King and I." Miss Nixon's screen contracts stipulated that she was never — but never — to reveal that hers was the voice of the stars. Marni didn't tattle, but the stars did. Deborah Kerr was probably the first. When she was making "The King and I," she had herself photographed with Marni and gave amusing stor-

## 'La Boheme' Has China Lake Debut At Theater, Feb. 11

The Kern County Music Educators Association is sponsoring a student's version of Puccini's most beloved opera, "La Boheme." It will be presented by the Pacific Coast Opera Company on Friday, February 11, 1966, from 4 to 5:15 p.m., at the Station Theatre.

Pacific West Coast Opera is a touring company made up of young professional West Coast singers. The company presented the adult version of "La Boheme" here during the China Lake concert series last season.

Their major aim is to familiarize and endear opera to all Americans, particularly young people. Their performances are given in English, and the emphasis is on both good music and good theater.

Tickets are being sold by the Music Parents Club of China Lake, the Ridgecrest P.T.A., the Trona Parents Club and the Inyokern Parents Club, at each local school, until sold out.

ies to the press about "her voice."

Studio moguls trembled on their thrones, but the public (which knew all about dubbing anyway) liked Deborah all the better.

Nevertheless, Marni was still under the oath of secrecy when she signed up to do the singing for Audrey Hepburn in "My Fair Lady."

A child violinist, a teenage actress at the Pasadena Playhouse, a graduate of the Roger Wagner Chorale, an astonishing musician, an acclaimed comedienne in operas by Mozart and Richard Strauss, a sought-after soloist, and a noted interpreter of Igor Stravinsky's vocal works, are among her many accomplishments.

Carrying off the "sweepstakes award" as a youngster by singing the "Blue Danube" at the Pomona Fair turned her to the entertainment field.

She has appeared with leading symphony orchestras throughout the nation and has sung the role of Gilda in "Rigoletto," Suzanna in the "Marriage of Figaro," Adina in "Elixir of Love."

New York music reviewers have raved over her clear diction, warmth of her voice, and her clear penetrating tones, floating an octave above the staff.

She is married to Ernest Gould, whose movie scores have included "Exodus,"

# SHOWBOAT

FRIDAY FEBRUARY 4  
"SANDS OF THE KALAHARI" (119 Min.)  
Stuart Whitman, Stanley Baker, Susannah York  
7 p.m.

(Adventure in Color) Five airline passengers are stranded by an air crash in a SW African desert. Their attempt to survive in the rock hills and effect a rescue is hindered by the aspect of human behavior. What would you have done? (Adult.)

SATURDAY FEBRUARY 5  
—MATINEE—  
"GLORY" (100 Min.)  
Margaret O'Brien  
1 p.m.  
SHORT: "Mickey's Delayed Date" (7 Min.)  
"Gunfighters No. 10" (16 Min.)  
—EVENING—  
"MC LINTOCK" (127 Min.)  
John Wayne, Maureen O'Hara  
7 p.m.

(Western/Comedy in Color) When a wife who has been separated from her husband returns to ask for divorce, she finds a pretty widow housekeeper has been hired. This ignites her jealous-love flame and the fun or mayhem begins. Here's John and Maureen at their best. . . two fiery tempers and a gleam in their eyes. (Adults, youth and children.)

SUNDAY-MONDAY FEBRUARY 6-7  
"MUSIC MAN" (151 Min.)  
Robert Preston, Shirley Jones, Paul Ford  
7 p.m.

(Musical in Color) Meredith Wilson's 76 Trombones backgrounds the tale of traveling salesman city slicker who organizes a small town boy's band by hoodwinking the townfolk. A classic hit that's a joy to see and top a toe to. (Adults, youth and children.)

TUESDAY FEBRUARY 8  
MARNI NIXON CONCERT  
8:15 p.m.

WEDNESDAY FEBRUARY 9  
"RETURN FROM THE ASHES"  
Maximilian Schell, Samantha Eggar  
7 p.m.

(Mystery) The return to Paris of a Nazi concentration camp victim, believed dead, sets the scene for intrigue, suspense and murder as she, her step-daughter and husband are gripped in a shocking plot. Ultra-exciting climax! (Adult.)  
SHORT: "Pink Ice" (A Pink Panther) (7 Min.)

THURSDAY FEBRUARY 10  
"GYPSY" (143 Min.)  
Natalie Wood, Rosalind Russell  
7 p.m.

(Drama/Music in Color) The rollicking story of a mother's determination to make her daughter a stage star. And she does—as Natalie portrays the famed Gypsy Rose Lee, Queen of the strippers! All the triumph, heartbreaks and laughs that go on behind the scenes of burlesque. A not to be missed classic for ADULTS.

FRIDAY FEBRUARY 11  
Music Parents Club Presents  
Student's Version of Puccini's "LA BOHEME"  
4 p.m.  
Students thru College 50 cents  
Adults \$1.00

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# Army Officer-Researcher Is Station's First



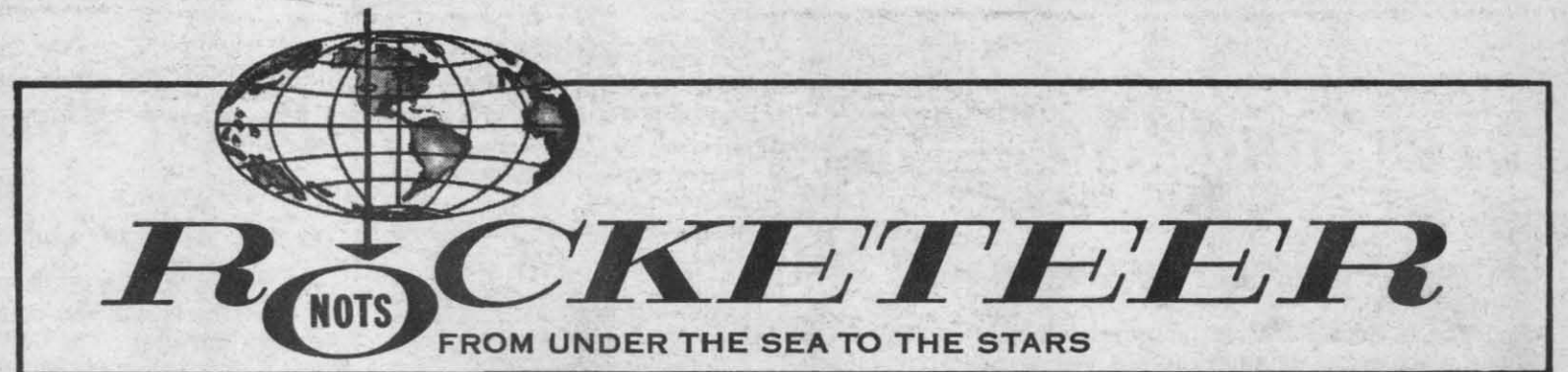
1st LT. JAMES T. COBB, JR.

The U.S. Army has dispatched heavy artillery to the support of research and development work at NOTS' Earth and Planetary Sciences Division, Code 50, in the person of 1st Lt. James T. Cobb, Jr. a Ph.D. in chemical engineering from Cincinnati Ohio.

The first Army officer in the Station's history to be given a regular assignment to its scientific labors, Lt. Cobb will be working with the division's civilian scientists in its weather modification studies. He and his wife Lana Jo have taken residence in their new home at 312-A McIntire.

Lt. Cobb won his S.B. after four undergraduate years at the Massachusetts Institute of Technology, where he completed ROTC training. Upon taking his commission in June, 1960, he did graduate work at Purdue University at West Lafayette, Ind. for his M.S. and Ph.D. degrees, where he met and married his wife. Before his assignment to NOTS, he had completed the Army's Chemical Officers Basic Course at Ft. McClellan, Alabama.

His arrival at NOTS makes Lt. Cobb the second Army officer to be regularly assigned here. LCol. Richard S. Clark's assignment as Army Liaison Officer in November, 1963, was a first for the Station.



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# Meritorious Award Honors Weapons Development Man



HONORED FOR SERVICE—Earl G. Loomis, Code 401 program manager, has Meritorious Civil Service Award emblem pinned to his lapel by Capt. John I. Hardy, ComNOTS.

The 30-year career employee was cited for his zealous dedication and outstanding service to his Department, the Station, and the Navy. He entered Federal Service in 1935.

## Earl G. Loomis Cited for Service Rendered Station

Earl G. Loomis, program manager with the Weapons Development Department, has joined that elite group of Station employees who hold the coveted Meritorious Civil Service Award.

He was presented the significant award emblem and certificate by Station Commander Capt. John I. Hardy last Friday. The award, the highest the Station Commander can grant and the third highest issued by the Navy Department, cited Loomis for his outstanding service in the contractual aspects of program management in his department, the Station, and the Navy.

In addition, the 30-year career employee drew praise for his zealous dedication, and extraordinary performance which resulted in savings in money, time, and project manpower.

Born in Ellery, N.Y., and a graduate of Jamestown High School, Loomis attended the Dobe School of Engineering in Chicago and Loyola University in Los Angeles.

He began his Federal Service career with the U.S. Treasury Department Los Angeles in November of 1935. He had risen to regional procurement (Continued on Page 5)

## CROSSWORD PUZZLE

Crossword puzzle grid with clues for Across and Down. Includes a small word search grid at the top right.

## Rug Club Plans Active Calendar

The Indian Wells Valley Rug Club marks its tenth anniversary this year, and has marked the event with a calendar of activities, including an Open House later this year.

The art of hooking and braiding rugs established itself in the Valley first in a recreation class, whose members later formed the Club. They meet each Wednesday from 9:30 a.m. to 1:30 p.m. in Chapel Annex No. 4, across from the

NOTS Housing Office. Ridgecrest participants not working on Station may obtain passes at the main gate.

Club members displayed their work at the fair in Ridgecrest, and now hold an annual display at their Open House.

Newly elected officers for the Club in 1966 include Marge Hammett, treasurer; Norma Mitterling, secretary and Betty Burfeindt, instructor and supply chairman.

Form for placing a stamp, with fields for 'From', 'TO', and a 'PLACE STAMP HERE' box.



THIRTY YEAR MAN—E. P. (Manny) Turse, left, is congratulated on completion of 30 years of Federal Service by Dr. G. W. (Bill) Leonard, Code 45 Head. See story, Page 7.

## 'Woman of Year' Honor Goes To Mrs. Ida Martin

China Lake-Ridgecrest's "Woman of the Year" for 1966 is Mrs. Ida Martin, Western Union manager and businesswoman of Ridgecrest, announced Wardna Abernathy, president of the China Lake Business and Professional Women's Club.

Mrs. Martin was chosen by the club's members for her service to the community, including assistance to young people of the valley through her employment agency. She is also head of a telephone answering service, is a Notary Public, furnishes a Xeroxing service, and supplies a bookkeeping and tax service in Ridgecrest.

Active in civic affairs since her high school teaching days in Rapid City, South Dakota, (Continued on Page 5)



'WOMAN OF THE YEAR' — Ida Martin, right, receives "Woman of the Year" certificate from Wardna Abernathy, China Lake BPW Luncheon Club president.

CHAPLAIN'S MESSAGE

'Yes' and 'No'

By ROBERT W. ODELL, Senior Chaplain



John D. Rockefeller, Jr., appropriately once remarked "that giving is the secret of a healthy life. Not necessarily money but whatever a man has of encouragement and sympathy and understanding." It does make a difference what we say and what we do. "Yes" is such a quick and small word with a large meaning and implication.

"Your methods of cultivation are hopelessly out of date," said the youthful agricultural college graduate to the old farmer. "Why, I'd be astonished if you even got 10 lbs. of apples from that tree." "So would I," replied the farmer "It's a pear tree." Our "yeses" best include thought, faith, depth and practicality. Do yours? The old aversion to "yes" men still holds but individuals who mean and say "yes" are needed too. YES—to great causes; YES—to continuing needs; YES—to human heartbeats! By the same token, "no" is also a fast and furious word with an increasing significance and involvement.

One day Bob Hope played a round of golf with Arnold Palmer. At the 19th hole, Hope said "Arnold, what do you think of my game?" Palmer shrugged and replied "Oh, I suppose it's all right but I still prefer golf!"

Many of us prefer to play the game of life, by saying "NO", by the grace of God, to prejudice, "NO" to jealousy, "NO" to avarice and the like. The integrity to do and say "yes" or "no" to predicaments is ever so important.

What is your answer?

By giving direct encouragement, sympathy and understanding in our relationships with each other, God becomes more real and present in our lives. Let's try it!

MEET Your Councilman

This is the eighth in a series offered by the Rocketeer to better acquaint residents with China Lake Community Council precinct representatives.



JOE M. DORGAN

Joe M. Dorgan brings with him to the China Lake Community Council a record heavy with service to the community, including two years as the Council's treasurer.

Joe has been at NOTS for eight years as a mathematician, and now works for Aviation Ordnance Department's Aircraft Projects Division, Data Reduction Branch. He has served on the Community Council for the last three years, and was reelected for Precinct 5, November 2, 1965.

Among his recent duties on the Council have been chairman of the Ways and Means Committee, chairman of the "World Around Us" lecture series committee and chairman of 1964's Christmas Decorating Contest activity.

Joe is a native of El Paso, Texas, and brought with him to China Lake a B.S. in mathematics from Texas Western College of the University of Texas. His wife Ann and their daughter Carrie, 20 months, lose him occasionally to the golf links, but can bank on other of his hours at home with his coin collection.

Dr. Carl Austin Will Speak to Pebble Pups

Dr. Carl Austin will speak to the IWW Pebble Pups about "Mining on the Moon" an interesting non-technical talk for February's regular meeting at Vieweg School auditorium, Monday, Feb. 7th, from 5 to 6 p.m. Dr. Austin, a member of the Steering Committee of the Working Group on Extraterrestrial Resources, chairman of the Committee on Indigenous Lunar Power Sources, and author of several papers on the use of Lunar raw materials, will explain (1) why we want to mine on the moon, (2) what we need to find and use, and (3) how we will go about doing these things.

Although the lecture will be designed to stimulate the interest of youngsters of the Valley Pebble Pups age group, parents and any other interested persons are cordially invited to attend.

'DESERT PHILOSOPHER'

Desert Potpourri

By "POP" LOFINCK



THE COLT VERSUS THE SMITH AND WESSON

It has been said the Colt sixshooter along with the Dutch oven won the west. The Colt won for three reasons: One, the name "Colt" was a perfect name for a gun to appeal to the wild west. Two, a perfect trademark for western appeal—a colt rearing up on its hind legs ready to fight. Three, a perfect slogan for advertising—"The Peacemaker." Which shows the sales power of the right name, the right trademark, and the right slogan.

In the meanwhile, Smith and Wesson were making a better sixshooter with a long smooth trigger pull. Smith and Wesson could have grabbed the slogan "Peacemaker"—but they didn't. Smith and Wesson parts were machined so close that a few grains of sand might cause a jam or malfunction.

The old Colt sixshooter had a tendency toward a herky-jerky trigger pull. The gunfighters corrected or compromised that condition by sawing off the triggers, filing the hammer spur smooth and thumbing it. I mention this comparison because the subject is controversial. I should get a lot of letters both endorsing my views or condemning them.

Colt developed the .45 semi-automatic for the Armed Forces which was and still is the best automatic by far.

CAMP COOKING WITH A DUTCH OVEN

It has been said that the skillet killed more early pioneers than anything else. On account of eating fried food all the time. That may have been true of the new arrivals for a while. But they soon learned from the prospectors, trappers and range cowpokes. The old timers either broiled over an open fire or in a kettle hung from a cross stock or a Dutch oven.

The Dutch oven helped to win the west. They are made in several sizes. It's an iron kettle with a rimmed lid or cover for holding burning coals.

You dig a hole in the ground—build a fire in the hole—put all your food in the kettle—shovel the coals out—put the kettle in the hole and cover it with coals and dirt. When you return to camp your food has been cooked slow and perfectly—especially the meat—with all the flavors blended together.

START SAVING THOSE EMPTY BEER BOTTLES

Earle E. Buie, columnist for the San Bernardino Sun, reports that the Adolph Coors Co., one of the major brewers of the 11 western states, in acting to discourage beer drinkers from littering the highways with empty bottles, is now offering a penny for each empty bottle.

Buie states that the redemption figure of a penny a bottle seems like small potatoes and may be ignored by those thoughtless consumers who throw bottles out of their cars.

But a penny a bottle is not a petty expense in the beer distributing industry. One firm alone will distribute 12,000,000 bottles alone in San Bernardino County, Buie says.

Now, if the brewers would start paying a premium for the return of beer cans, maybe we could keep our California highways comparatively clean.

GOOD CAMPING AT DARWIN SPRING

Speaking of good camping places, Darwin Spring, below Darwin Falls in "Darwin Wash," has long been a fine place. Plenty of water, even for a shower bath, and cool in summer.

Parentetically "Darwin Wash" is a deep narrow canyon, at least the lower half is, and "Christmas Canyon" is a wide shallow wash. Names and words get confused. So what?

Recent rains have raised havoc with the campground at Darwin Spring but you can still drive within a half a mile of it, then walk up toward the spring and waterfall. See the picture below of what the last rain did to the Darwin Spring campground.

Don't worry about the road. It will come back again. Odd about rains and desert roads. A hard rain will often ruin a good road. Conversely, a slow drizzle or intermittent showers will make a bad road good by washing mud in between the rocks and filling the ruts.



WASHOUT—Once passable road at Darwin Falls Canyon shows the work a heavy rain can do in just a short time. On the other hand, light or intermittent rain can smooth out a ragged roadbed.

BOWLING NEWS

By Dick Stine  
Phone FR 5-5411

PREMIER LEAGUE

Robin Fuller of Mercury Movers rolled games of 232-206-171 for a series of 609 to give his team a 1023 series. Earl Roby of Desert Playhouse rolled games of 223-226-189 to give his team a 2812 series. Joe Kokosenski rolled games of 232-258-178 for a fine 668 series.

TWENTY-FOUR CLUB

Lil Galovic of Cornelius Shoe Store and Addie McDonald of Millies Party Shop tied for high game of 199 while Mary Clark of Cornelius Shoe Store rolled a 548 series to give her team a 713 game and a 1913 series. The Jelly Rolls are in first place by three games over Cornelius Shoe Store.

MIDWAY LEAGUE

The team members of the Playboys rolled a 863 game while Nolos team members rolled a 2537 series. Shirley Bangerted rolled a 208 game while Bob Blaine shot a 549 series. The Nolos are in first place, Apes are in second, and CPO is in third place.

MIXED FOURSOME LEAGUE

Dan Zurn of the Garbage Buckets rolled a 253 game to give his team a 707 game and a 2042 series while Mike Hurska rolled a 617 series with a game of 248. Patty Maxwell rolled a 199 game and Lucy Young recorded a 502 series.

RESULTS OF FAMILY TWOSOME TOURNAMENT

Prep Division first place went to Jim Runchy and Earle Roby for a 814 series, while Pamela Phillips and Vern Logue won first place for their 757 series. In the Major Division first place went to Don Harvey and Fred Dalpiaz for their fine 1283 series. There will be more information next week.

20 LANGUAGES OFFERED

The United States Armed Forces Institute (USAFI) offers more than 20 courses in spoken foreign languages.

Code 45 Defeats VX-5, 90-59; NAF Holds Lead in League Play

This week found only two teams in action, Code 45 and VX-5, as the Intramural Basketball League season draws to a close.

NOTS and Aero Science scheduled for the first frame in the double header failed to show. At press time it was still not learned if the two will meet.

NAF has posted a 9-won, 1-loss season record, Aero Science is in second place with an 8-won, 2-loss record, Code 45 moved up to third place Tuesday night by downing VX-5, 90 to 59, which gives them a 4-won, 6-loss for the season, NOTS has a 3-won, 7-loss, and VX-5 a 2-won, 8-loss.

In last Tuesday night's game, the range Code 45 cagers overpowered the VX-5 sailors in the second half to win 90 to 59.

At half-time the sailors were short only 12 points, but the strong Propulsion men wore them down.

VX-5 was short of two of their squad due to the All-Stars play in Long Beach.

Barry was high man for Code 45 with 26 points, while Ball had 21, Murrell 20, Kenney 10, and Raef 8.

VX-5's high scorer was Aldaz with 20 points while Russell counted for 14, Mehrman, Hootman, and Pfifer collected 8 each, Myer and Hurley garnered 4 each.

68 NAF, NOTS 53 January 25

In the first game of the doubleheader last Tuesday evening NOTS took an early 16 to 0 lead before NAF could get on the score board. NAF's Howard Kelley and Mike Barnes teamed up, with Kelley dropping points in from mid-floor and Barnes from under the basket to set the score at half-time, 37 to 29 in their favor.

The NOTS quintet was hampered by the injury of Frank Bonislowski in the first half.

In the second half Kelley rounded out his 22 points for the evening while McCullough and Bradley collected 10 each. Others who picked up points

to down the NOTS quintet, 68 to 53, were Bradley with 9, Westley, 7, Darrell Johnson, 4, Lee, 2, Upton, 2, and Stuart, 2.

Kuhar was high scorer for NOTS with 17 points, while Patterson collected 15, Gist, 8, Gingell, 5, Bonislowski, 4, and Cook, 4.

70 Aero Science, 60 Code 45 January 25

In the second game of last Tuesday's doubleheader Code 45's big Bob Berry and Doug Kinney led the attack to set the half-time score 40 points in their favor to 30 for Aero Science.

Aero Science regained the lead in the closing minutes of the second half with Gary Jacobs sinking 15 points in quick succession to set the final score, 70 to 60 in their favor.

High point man for Aero Science was Gary Jacobs who collected 23 points while Ted Lane racked up 17, Roger Short, 16, Jeffris, 6, Allen, 6.

Doug Kinney was high man for Code 45 with 20 points while Berry sank 19, Ball, 10, Murrell, 6, Simecka, 3.

Manny Turse Rounds Out 30

Code 45's E. P. (Manny) Turse, the only supervisor in Navy Civil Service to have 23 consecutive supervisory accident free years, rounded out three decades of Federal Service this week.

Eighteen of those years have been at China Lake.

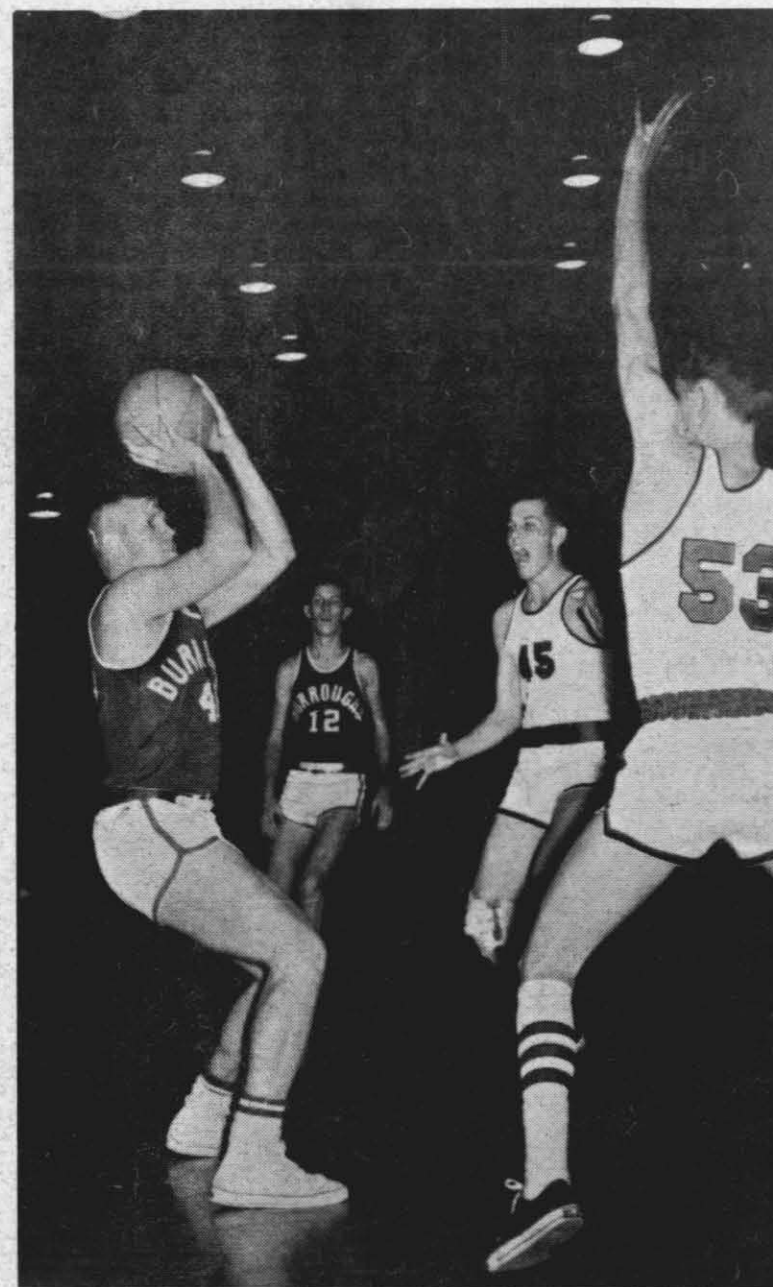
Following graduation from New Jersey's Camden County Vocational Trade School in 1929, Manny embarked on his machinist apprenticeship with the New York Shipbuilding Company of Camden.

In 1935 he began his Federal Service career with the Philadelphia Navy Yard. He transferred to the Long Beach Naval Shipyard in 1944, and came to China Lake in 1948.

He worked for Public Works from 1948 to 1953, then transferred to the Engineering Dept. In 1963, Manny joined Propulsion Development Dept.



JUNIOR ARCHERY CHAMPS—Winners of the 15th annual China Lake Junior Archery Tournament (kneeling, l-r) are Ricky Elbrader and Steven Zellmer. Standing (l-r) are Derek Cooper, David Richie, Gregg Ritchie, and Eddie Arsenault. Tourney is sponsored by Joe Stone.



—Photo by Mike Taylor

BHS CAGE ACTION—Steve Metcalf shoots for two points in the Burros-Victor Valley game last Friday. Victor Valley won 74 to 59. Burros won Saturday night's rematch with J. F. Kennedy High School of Barstow, 83-65.

Basketball Standings

Team	Won	Lost
NAF	9	1
Aero Science	8	2
Code 45	4	9
NOTS	3	7
VX-5	2	8

77,000 GIVEN AID  
During 1965 a monthly average of 77,000 servicemen and women were given aid by the Red Cross.  
Services to the armed forces and veterans accounted for the Red Cross' largest single money expenditure in 1965, a total of \$39,090,221.



MAIL TOURNEY WINNERS—Students of Joe Stone hold trophies won in Teen Mail Archery Tourney competition with other youngsters throughout the U.S. and Australia.

Front row (l-r) are Benny Lee, Karen Holdson, Jeannette Stone, Randy Stedman. Back row (l-r) Joey Stone, Craig Bartlett, Pat Clark, and Cliff Ward.

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DIVINE SERVICES

Christian Science (Chapel Annex)—  
Morning Service—11 a.m.  
Sunday School—9:30 a.m.

Protestant—(All Faith Chapel)—  
Morning Worship—8:30 and 11 a.m.  
Sunday School—9:30 a.m., Chapel Annexes 1, 2, 3, 4 (Dorms 5, 6, 7, 8) located opposite Station Restaurant.

Roman Catholic (All Faith Chapel)—  
Holy Mass—7, 9:30 a.m., and 12:30 p.m. Sunday,  
6 a.m., Monday through Friday; 8:30 a.m., Saturday.

Confessions—8 to 8:25 a.m., 6 to 8:30 p.m., Saturday; Thursday before First Friday, 4 to 5:30 p.m.

NOTS Jewish Services (East Wing All Faith Chapel)—8 p.m. every first and third Friday.

Sabbath School—10 a.m. to noon, every first and third Saturday.

Unitarian Fellowship (Chapel Annex No. 95, 85 King Ave.)

Fellowship Meeting—Sundays, 7:30 p.m.  
Sunday School—10:45-11:45 a.m.  
(Chapel Annexes Nos. 1 and 2.)

# Torpedo Development Div. Men Honored

## NOTS Pasadena

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### Achievements of Many Hi-Lited At All-Hands Division Ceremony

#### Tech Officer Appears on TV



ON THE AIR—Cdr. H. H. Schleuning, Jr., Technical Officer, is interviewed by Susie Gluck of the "Federal Executive Board" show. The 15-minute program was aired on Channel 13 last Monday during which time Cdr. Schleuning talked about the Naval Ordnance Test Station's mission, its laboratories and ranges, and some of the programs. A short film was included which showed in action CURV, Deep Jeep, ASROC, and Polaris.

#### League Shifts Like Paris Romances

By Ray Hanson  
The Quiet Five, who had pretty much dominated the NOTS Wednesday night bowling league (and had, in fact, supplied much of the interest), have fallen.  
They were victims of a face-to-face confrontation with the previously second-place AstroNOTS, whose consistency has been improving in recent weeks.  
Going into the 19th week of play, the AstroNOTS stood at

46 wins, 26 losses, while the Quiet Five had a record of 45-27.  
It should be remembered, however, that position shuffles in this league occur as frequently as romances in Paris, and should be taken lightly. If any team is to dig in and win it all, then this writer has to pick the Quiet Five.  
High score for the 18th week are as follows: team series, Pin Folk, 2962; team game, AstroNOTS, 1002; men's series, Gary Drage, 675; men's game, Phil Foster, 281; women's series, Pris Springer, 616; and women's game, Kathy Stanier, 223.

#### Passing Mourned Of Ex-Employees

Word reached the Station this week of the death of two former employees, Karl Branch and Samuel Ryckman.  
Branch was employed here from 1950 to 1962. At the time of his retirement he was Head Stockman in Supply.  
He passed away on January 17 with internment at Mount View Cemetery in Altadena.  
Survivors include his wife, Margaret, of 1101 Marengo, South Pasadena; a son Karl Jr. and three grand children of Semi, Calif.  
Ryckman, 72, passed away on January 5 after an extended illness, with internment at Rose Hills, Whittier.  
He had been with NOTS during 1950-1958 and was Supervisor of the Industrial Manufacturing group in Supply at the time of his retirement.  
Survivors include his wife, Ruth, of 9045 E. Longdon, Temple City.



TWENTY-YEAR PINS — D. J. Wilcox (l), Head, Underwater Ordnance Department, presents service emblems representing one century of service to men of the Torpedo Development Division. Left to right, they are: Raymond E. Karp, P80204; Robert N.

Hollister, P8027; and Riley B. White, P8023. White also received recognition for 20 years of service at NOTS. Also receiving 20-year federal service pins but not present were Robert G. Austad and Robert T. Simeral, both of P8027.



TORPEDO MEN LAUDED—Men of the Torpedo Development Division, UOD, receive awards from C. G. Beatty (r), Division Head. Recipients (l-r) are: Stephen M. Valihora, Electronic Engineer, P8023, Superior Accomplishment; Robert W. Shaddock, Mechanical Engineer, P8027, Superior Accomplishment; Teruo T. Hino, Mechanical Engineer,

P8027, Superior Accomplishment; and Harold W. Thompson, P8027, recognition on completion of 20 years of federal service, all at NOTS, and also an additional patent award. The SA awards all honor individual efforts of the recipients which played an important role in the success of a major torpedo program of the Station.



GROUP ACHIEVEMENT — For outstanding contributions in maintaining a major torpedo program development schedule under difficult circumstances, a Group Superior Achievement Award is presented by Branch Head M. O. Heinrich (right) to (2nd from l-r) John H. Hughes, Kirk R. Moore, and Michael A. Santeramo. Not present is William B. Harper. Hughes also received a NOTS ten-year pin. All are Electronic Mechanics in the Torpedo Operations Branch, Torpedo Development Division. Waiting to add their congratulations (l-r) are Arnold B. Livingstone, Shop Engineer, and Frederick R. Nebelius, Shop Supervisor. The men were lauded for their effort which reflects on the overall recognition of the Station's effort toward the success of the program.

## PROMOTIONAL OPPORTUNITIES

**Inspector (Machined Parts) A or B, Code 5512**—As an A Inspector, performs difficult inspection of any kind, at any inspection station. As a B Inspector, performs moderately difficult inspections, using various methods on ordnance components and assemblies during the course of manufacture or assembly. One position only.

**Supervisory General Engineer, GS-13, Code 3525, 13943 Am 1**—Incumbent is branch head of the Systems Electronic Branch. In addition to administrative and supervisory duties he is responsible for the design, prototype development, test and production support of several different weapons test sets, principally for the Sidewinder and Shrike weapons. Incumbent is charged with maintaining an airborne telemetry systems capability to support the weapons system responsibilities of the Division and other Departments. Also has tasks of maintaining HERO and RFI design test and evaluation group for design assistance to Station development Departments.

**File applications for above with Loretta Dudley, Bldg. 34, Room 34, Ph. 71471.**  
**Secretary (Typing) GS-5, PD 230099, Code 306**—The position is that of Division secretary in Instrument Operations Division. Responsibilities are those of secretarial and clerical duties associated with the operation of the Division; preparing, handling and channeling all types of correspondence and reports, personnel actions and security matters of a clerical nature, and miscellaneous office management.

**Secretary (DMT) GS-5, Code 3008**—This position is Secretary to the Infrared Countermeasures Group. Applicants must be experienced at preparing correspondence and must be able to work under the pressure of tight schedules. They must also be interested in learning and establishing new, specialized procedures relating to the varied activities of the group.

**Mathematician or Physicist, GS-11 or GS-12, Code 3008**—This position is located in the Infrared Countermeasures Group. The incumbent supervises processing of data in infrared countermeasures evaluations. Will apply knowledge of mathematics and optical physics to originate analysis procedures. Professional desired with experience in numerical analysis, computer programming, and familiarity with principles of optics and of electronic measuring instruments.

**File applications for above with Joan Lines, Bldg. 34, Room 34, Ph. 71514.**  
**Accounts Maintenance Clerk, GS-5-S, Code 1761**—Position is located in the Property Accounting Unit, Accounting Division of Central Staff. Incumbent will maintain the plant property accounts, audit documents and prepare financial reports. Must have two years specialized experience in accounting, clerical and inventory management procedures.

**Clark (Typing), GS-301-5, Code 7513**—Position is located in the Printing and Reproduction Branch Office, Technical Information Department. The incumbent serves as secretary for the Branch Head, compiles and prepares data for special administrative reports and special projects. Knowledge of printing and reproduction processes is essential. Must be a qualified typist.

**File applications for above with Sherry Scherer, Bldg. 34, Room 26, Ph. 71577.**  
**Ordnance Learner (Ammunition and Explosives), WB-05, \$2.79 to \$3.03 p/h, Code 255**—As a trainee, performs simple and repetitive manual and mechanical tasks in assembling, disassembling and loading ammunition and explosives and in receiving, stowing and shipping same.

**Contract Assistant, GS-7, PD 525001, Code 252**—Administers contracts assigned to NOTS for technical equipment and systems in support of major weapons systems and research programs, analyzes procurements, develops justification data, etc.  
**Qualifications:** Three years' general experience which has provided general background and knowledge of contracts, negotiations, contract administration; plus one year in work specifically related to large-scale, complex contracts.  
**Stockman, \$2.91 to \$3.15 per hour, Code 256**—Is responsible for and performs all work operations in a designated receiving, shipping, or storage area in connection with the physical receipt, storage, preservation, and issuance of supplies, receives, checks, stores, counts and assembles supplies of all kinds in accordance with established procedures and methods. Normally directs the work of Warehousemen regularly assigned to the area and any High Lift Truck Operators or Laborers as required. Directs the work of Warehousemen engaged in the physical inventory of stock.

**Clerk (Stenography), GS-5, PD 525009, Code 237**—As secretary to Head, Control Division, provides secretarial services for Division personnel; collects, analyzes and presents a wide range of information covering all supply areas; performs stenographic work; and prepares charts & reports.  
**Qualifications:** Two and one half years' experience in typing, stenographic or general clerical work plus six months specialized secretarial work. Applicants must possess and be prepared to demonstrate stenography skills.

**File applications with Sandra Craig, Bldg. 34, Room 26, Ph. 72676.**  
**Engineering Technician (Mech), GS-7, 9, or 11, Code 4041**—Position located in Physics Branch, Astronautics Division. Design, fabrication, testing, and evaluation of components and systems for Division projects. Work areas include radiometry, sounding rockets, inertial guidance, control systems, underwater technology. Initial emphasis on guidance and underwater technology. Basic knowledge of mechanical engineering principles, machining, and construction-assembly techniques required. Must have experience in inspection, testing, evaluation, and assembling precision mechanical components. Basic knowledge of math and physics required.

**General or Mechanical Engineer, GS-13, or 14, Code 4041**—Branch Head, position responsible for design and development of advanced underwater personnel capsules, hulls, propulsion and environmental systems and other sub-systems for small, manned submarines. Involves use of advanced materials including glass, titanium, and high-strength steels. Incumbent will have continuing responsibility from conceptual design and prototype development, through field testing and certification of the designs. Will involve the development of some special test facilities. Supervision and development of Junior engineers constitutes an important part of the duties.  
**Qualifications:** Must have a degree in engineering with three years progressively responsible engineering experience. At least one year must be specialized in the branch of engineering for which application is being made at a level of difficulty equivalent to that of the lower grade.

**Mechanical Engineer, GS-9, 11, 12, Code 4041**—Position is located in Weapons Development Department. Incumbent will be responsible for the design and development of advanced underwater personnel capsules, hulls, propulsion and environmental systems and other sub-systems for small manned submarines.  
**Qualifications:** A degree in Engineering is required as well as one to three years experience in a related field. At least one year specialized experience at the next lower grade.

**Electronics Engineer, GS-12, 13, Code 4053**—The incumbent is a senior engineer responsible for the analysis and design of electronic subsystems for target detection acquisition systems.  
**Qualifications:** Must have a degree in Engineering. Applicants with experience in the design of analog and digital circuitry and automatic control systems are desired.

**Fight Dynamics Analyst, GS-11, 12, 13, Code 4055**—Conducts analysis of current and proposed weapon systems including analog and/or digital simulation techniques. Applicant should have experience in the field of missile flight dynamics and be able to formulate and analyze mathematical representations of the system components. Interpretation of telemetry and metric camera flight test data is required for correlation of predicted and actual performance characteristics.  
**Qualifications:** Degree in Engineering is required. Practical knowledge in the areas of mechanics, dynamics, electronics, optics and infrared technology is desired.

**File applications for above with Sandi Craig, Bldg. 34, Room 26, Ph. 72676. Deadline for filing is Feb. 11.**  
**COMPETITIVE EXAMS**  
The Board of U. S. Civil Service Examiners, Eleventh Naval District, announces examinations to establish registers for Ordnancemen (Ammunition & Explosives-Test), Annc. No. SF-20-5 (66) and Powerplant Controlman, Annc. No. SF-20-6 (66) for filling such vacancies as they occur at the U. S. Naval Ordnance Test Station, China Lake, Calif.

A Standard Form 57 should be filed with the Civil Service Representative, U. S. Naval Ordnance Test Station, China Lake, Calif. Applications will be accepted until further notice.

#### Man and Wife Team To Address ASPA

Sydney and Beatrice Rome, a husband and wife team with Ph.D.'s in philosophy from Harvard, will be the featured speakers at the 11:30 a.m. luncheon meeting of ASPA in the Executive Dining Room on Friday, Feb. 11.  
Both are members of the Research Directorate at the Systems Development Corp.,

Santa Monica. They have been at SDG for nine years. Both are former College of William and Mary faculty members.  
Their address will concern policy formation in such large formal groups as a military command, government bureau, university or industrial combination — as simulated on a digital computer.

## Engineering Service Awards



20 YEARS AT NOTS—Earning 20-Year NOTS Pins in Engineering Dept. are (l-r) William P. Koontz, Robert H. Moore, Jack V. Neffew

and Reba C. Ward, receiving pins from John L. Cox, Assoc. Department Head. Reba Ward also received 20-Year Federal Service Pin.

#### Lone Pine Novelist To Speak Tuesday at WACOM Luncheon

Lone Pine novelist Evelyn Eaton will be the featured speaker at the WACOM luncheon on Tuesday, Feb. 8, in the Executive Dining Room.  
In addition to being a novelist, Miss Eaton is curator of the Lone Pine Draco Art Gallery and one of the organizers of the Alabama Hills Amphitheatre where five concerts were held last summer.  
A social hour from noon to 1 p.m. will precede the luncheon. Reservations should be made with Doris Valitchka, Ext. 73762.

#### Blue Cross Ins. Agent To Visit Station Wed.

Norman R. Smith, Blue Cross Representative from Bakersfield, will be aboard the Station on Wednesday, Feb. 9, at the Community Center from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m., according to Austin E. Ross, Employee Management Relations Head.

#### NOTS Officials To Take Part In Kernville CofC Installation

At formal installation ceremonies of Kernville Chamber of Commerce this evening, NOTS Associate Technical Director Haskell G. Wilson will be principal speaker. Installing officer will be Supply Director Capt. P. W. Jeffrey.  
Scene of the event will be Ewing's-on-the-Kern at 7:30 p.m. Many guests and visitors from China Lake and Ridgecrest are expected to attend the installation of the Kernville chamber's first woman president, Mrs. Ellen Sharpe.  
The president-elect is also general chairman of this year's 10th annual Whiskey Flat Days in Kernville, February 17 to 20. This is Mrs. Sharpe's second year of service as coordinating chairman of the popular old-time celebration.  
**Mutual Interests**  
Theme of Wilson's address to the chamber and its guests will be mutual interests of China Lake-Indian Wells Valley people and the townspeople of

Kernville and the valley bordering Isabella Lake.  
From the sleepy old valley by the river that NOTS old-timers remember, the Kern River Valley has grown into a thriving, busy recreation and residential area. Tourism alone brought \$14 million revenue last year. Building permits issued for the area amounted to more than \$3 million worth of construction, most of it residential.  
The Kernville chamber is active in promoting sound business growth as well as attracting tourist dollars to its town. Plans are reaching final stages now for construction of a community center to accommodate civic functions and youth activities. This project will be financed by funds dedicated from proceeds of the annual Whiskey Flat Days celebrations.  
**Hijinks To Follow**  
At the conclusion of the formal ceremonies, guests will witness an event with true old-time flavor when candidates for the office of Honorary Mayor of Whiskey Flat appear to formally launch their campaigns.  
This political race generates high-spirited politicking, all in the spirit of fun, throughout the Kern River valley. It's a fund-raising project with votes bought to support wild campaign platforms. The incumbent Honorary Mayor promised last year to build a bridge on the Kern River lengthwise from Kernville to Bakersfield.  
County Supervisor and Mrs. Leroy Jackson with other officials from the County and the Board of Trade will be among guests at the chamber event.



15 YEAR SAFETY AWARD—Robert E. Shaw's 15 years of accident-free supervision with Public Works are lauded as Capt. John I. Hardy, ComNOTS, presents him with a safety award signed by Secretary of the Navy Paul H. Nitze. The award to Shaw, quartermaster in the Electrical Shop, points up the safety consciousness of the men who work for him.

**\$150 BILLION IN BONDS**  
Since May 1941, more than 150 billion dollars in Series E and H Savings Bonds has been sold to American citizens. Of this amount about 100 billion has been redeemed.

### Price Elected To National Office

Edward W. Price, Head of the Aerothermochemistry Group, Research Dept., was elected to a three-year term as technical director-at-large of the American Institute of Aeronautics and Astronautics at the third



E. W. PRICE  
... AIAA director-at-large

annual Aerospace Sciences meeting in New York last week.

In addition to serving as a member of the Board of Directors of the 33,000 member AIAA, Price continues on an earlier assignment as a member of the Institute's Technical Activities Committee, which plans the technical conference of the Institute.

In this latter capacity, Price is the principal adviser of the Institute in the area of chemical propulsion. He was the founding president of the China Lake Section of the AIAA.

Price is also active in the government-chartered Interagency Chemical Rocket Propulsion Group. He serves as chairman of the Solid Propellant Combustion Working Group coordinating Navy, Army, Air Force and NASA activities in solid propellant combustion research.



**WORK EXPERIENCE STUDENTS**—Burroughs' students who will participate in the '66 Work Experience Program (front row, l-r) are Robert Paisano, Mark Archer, Carolyn Cadle, Dorinda Burden, Mary Tadevich, Kitty Norris, Cathy Highborg, Gwen Eriksen, Elaine Roney, Joy Skidmore, Pan Fojt. Second row (l-r) G. Hobson, Mark Connelly, Chen Coulter, Pete Andersen, Jim Viellenave, Don Duckworth, John Beach,

Gary Maxwell, Peter Werback, Kerry Hise, Pat Heddell. Third row (l-r) Mike Corral, Mike Leonard, Bruce Auld, Larry Dale, Dan Skaar, James Kline, Eric Lundstrom, Frank Kelley, Robert Snyder, Larry Robison, Ralph Colclasure. Fourth row (l-r) Mike Taylor, Roy Shults, Steve Hunsaker, Mike Mitchell, Andrew Werback, Richard Johnson, Steve Williams, Don Fisher, Bill Bischel, Al Celestine, Alan Fry.

### Air Taxi Service Effective Monday

An air taxi service from the Inyokern Airport to the Los Angeles International Airport will be inaugurated here Monday by Trojanaire for Station employees on official travel on a Monday through Friday basis, the Command Administration Dept. announced today.

Trojanaire will operate three round trip flights Monday through Friday using a six-place Aero Commander.

**Must Make Reservations**  
Station employees on official travel must make prior reservations with the Travel and Transportation Branch, Code 8517.

Flight schedules are listed as follows:

**Southbound Inyokern to LA**  
Flight 11—Leaves Inyokern at 7:30 a.m. and arrives at LA International at 8:15 a.m.

Flight 21—Leaves Inyokern at 11:15 a.m. and arrives at LA International at 12-Noon.

Flight 31—Leaves Inyokern at 6:15 p.m. and arrives at LA International at 7 p.m.

**Northbound LA to Inyokern**  
Flight 10—Leaves LA International at 6:15 a.m. and arrives at Inyokern at 7 a.m.

Flight 20—Leaves LA International at 10 a.m. and arrives at Inyokern at 10:45 a.m.

Flight 30—Leaves LA at 5 p.m. and arrives at Inyokern at 5:45 p.m.

### Make Reservations Now for Chem. Soc. Feb. 14 Dinner Meet

Local members of the Mojave Desert Section of the American Chemical Society are urged to make their dinner reservations now for the meeting to be held in Trona at 7 p.m. on Monday, Feb. 14.

Dr. Donald S. Noyce, professor of chemistry at UC, will be the principal speaker.

Dinner reservations should be made with Dr. Wayne E. Thun, China Lake, Ext. 72831.

### FIRST ELECTION

The first national election in the U.S. was held Jan. 7, 1789.

### 46 Students Start 1966 Work Experience Program

By MIKE E. TAYLOR  
Work Experience Student

The tenth annual Work Experience Program sponsored by NOTS and Burroughs High School got under-way Monday at 3 p.m. as the 46 participating students met their sponsors at the Community Center.

The 25 student sponsors are Carl Austin, Jim Crump, Marvin Backman, Henry Browne, Arnold Nielson, Wayne Carpenter, Gerry Whitnack, Kirk Odencrantz, of the Research Dept.

Floyd Kinder, Leroy Marquadt, June Nelson and Amy Griffin of the Test Dept. Marvyn James and Melvin Keith of Weapons Development. Joe Adler and Lee Stiles of AOD.

Joe Latimer of Weapons Planning. Roy Conover and Bob Weakley of the Engineering Dept. Kit Skaar of the Safety Dept. Fred Richards of the Rocketeer. Alama Cowan of Command Administration.

Joe Doucette, Alice Day, and Dean Hewitt of the Personnel Dept.

Personnel assisting Burroughs' WEP Coordinator Lloyd Richardson in the on-Station coordination of the program are Bob Glen of Weapons Planning in the clerical area, Dr. Ronald Henry of the Research Department in science and math areas, William E. Davis of the Aviation Ordnance Department in the administrative area, and Earl Ellington of the Engineering Department in the vocational area.

Departments to which the students have been assigned are listed below:

The Rocketeer Office (Code 0032)—Mike Taylor.

Weapons Planning (Code 12)—Roy Shults, operations research.

Safety Department (Code 20)—Mark Connelly.

Test Department (Code 30)—William Bischel and Don Duckworth, physics; Pat Heddell and Catherine Highborg, applied math; and Kathy Norris, clerical.

Aviation Ordnance (Code 35)—Elaine Roney, applied physics; Ralph Colclasure, electronics; and Carolyn Cadle, clerical.

Weapons Development (Code 40)—Steve Hunsaker, Peter Werbach, and John Beach, mechanical drawing; Eric Lundstrom, Andrew Werbach and Don Fisher, electronics; Pan Fojt, mathematics; and John Guth, physics and math.

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### Social Security Rep. At Community Center Wednesday, Feb. 9

All China Lakers with questions about Social Security provisions may contact a representative from the Administration here next Wednesday, February 9.

He will be available for consultation at the Community Center from 8:30 a.m. to 11:40 a.m.



**NEGOTIATE AGREEMENT** — Members of the IWB Metal Trades Council and Station negotiating committee members pose with Capt. J. I. Hardy following the signing of the second annual written agreement between the Council and the Station. Front row (l-r) are Don Fuller, Council financial secretary; Charles Nilsen, IAM & AW rep.; Leonard Lopez, IAM & AW Grand Lodge rep.; Capt. Hardy, Harley Tillitt,

negotiating chairman; and Ed Shaw. Back row (l-r) are Ray Harrison, Larry Thurm, Council president; Malcolm W. Davis, IBEW president; Basil Young, SMWIA president; Joe Lechner, Council recording secretary; and Capt. Paul Jeffrey. Agreement will be forwarded to Chief of BuWeps for final approval. The Council represents all non-supervisory per diems at China Lake on working conditions.

### Earl G. Loomis Cited for Service

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officer for the Los Angeles area when in September of 1942 he was called up as a lieutenant commander by the Navy.

His first assignment was as assistant to the Supply Officer, Navy Supply Depot, San Diego. In June of 1943 he was named executive officer of the Navy Purchasing Office at Los Angeles.

In October of 1945 he was promoted to the grade of commander and assigned Officer in Charge of the Navy's Los Angeles Purchasing Office.

He held the post until January of 1952 when he left the service to work as a consultant to Dr. Emery Ellis at NOTS Pasadena.

**Came to China Lake '53**  
In September of 1953, Loomis transferred to China Lake as a program manager with the Rocket Development Department (now the Weapons

Development Department) under Harold H. Patton.

He married his Jamestown High School sweetheart, Bernice B. Smith, on Oct. 15, 1914. "And she's been my sweetheart for all these 52 years," Loomis proudly says.

They have a married son, Roger, a graduate of Occidental College and a retired Marine fighter pilot. Like his father, Roger is also a program manager, but with Aerojet in Sacramento.

They both take pride in telling of their four grandchildren, two boys and two girls.

Particularly Roger Jr., the eldest, who is attending an English Form Six School, the equivalent of a junior high, in Cyprus.

### Credit Union Announces New Manager Hired

The NOTS Federal Credit Union has engaged the services of a new manager, Henry H. Wair, Board of Directors president, announced at the 18th annual membership meeting held in the Community Center Monday evening.

The new manager will be Jesse E. Goza, a former Marine who was stationed here in 1957. He is expected to assume his new duties on approximately Feb. 15, Wair reported.

Goza fills the vacancy left by Ken Martin, who resigned last fall after 13½ years of managing the local Credit Union.

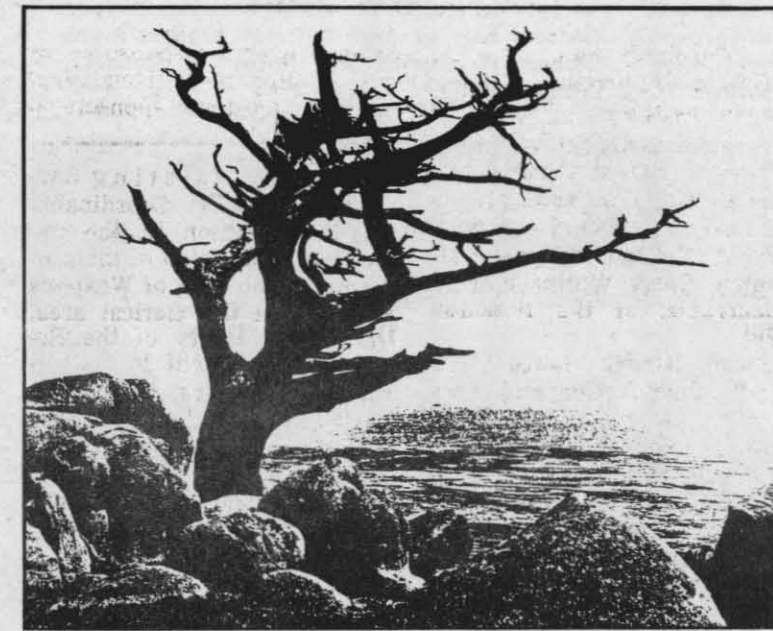
The new manager comes to China Lake from the post of asst. manager of the Kern County School Employees Federal Credit Union in Bakersfield.

**Four Re-Elected**  
Re-elected to the Board of Directors at the annual meeting were R. C. (Bob) Holloway, R. W. (Dick) Hitt, Capt. Paul Jeffrey, for two-year terms, and Cdr. Martin M. Manger for a one-year term.

Re-elected to the Credit Committee were Raymond B. Becker, Robert J. McClary for two-year terms, and Chief Eugene Rossellini for a one-year term.



**NAVY RELIEF PINS AWARDED** — Smiles are in order as Capt. John I. Hardy presents a 600-hour pin to Evelyn Bowen; Chaplain R. W. Odell presents 600-hour pin to Mary Jeffrey; and Phyllis Yount pins Wendy Nash with a 100-hour pin.



**PRINT-OF-THE-MONTH** selected by members of the China Lake Photographic Society and made by Bill Fettkether, shows "Monterey Cypress" rendered in a striking line technique. Fettkether made an intermediate Kodalith positive transparency from his Rolleiflex negative in order to drop out middle tones. A final contrast negative was made for projection printing. Salon group meets Wed., Feb. 9, 7:30 p.m. at 361 McIntire, and invites anyone to bring prints for critique.

### Station Panel To Participate In Program Tuesday

A four-member panel of Station officials will participate in a public program to be held at the Ridgecrest County Building, 230 West Ridgecrest Blvd., on Tuesday, Feb. 8, at 8 p.m.

The panel composed of Capt. Leon Grabowsky, Ray Harrison, Joe Doucette, and Harold Metcalf, will discuss a wide range of topics, including employment policies, opportunities and prospects, and will answer questions on these and related subjects.

Panel members were Station representatives at the 1965 Equal Employment Opportunities Area Conference and constitute the Station's equal employment policy making authority.

The meeting is being sponsored by the IWV Branch of the NAACP.

### WEP Students Honor Goes To Mrs. Ida Martin

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Research Department (Code 50)—Peter Anderson and Shirley Wilson, physics; Bruce Auld, geology; Al Celestine and Chen Coulter, mathematics; Kerry Hise and James Kline, organic chemistry; and Robert Snyder, electrochemistry.

Engineering Department (Code 55)—Robert Paisano, Mike Mitchell, Lawrence Dale and Richard Johnson, machine shop; Frances Kelly, electronics; James Villenave, polymer chemistry; and Mary Tadevich, clerical.

Personnel Department (Code 65)—Joy Skidmore and Steve Williams, administration; and Gwen Eriksen clerical.

Public Works (Code 70)—Larru Robison and Gary Maxwell, wood shop; Mike Leonard and Mark Archer, auto shop; Alan Fry, machine shop, and

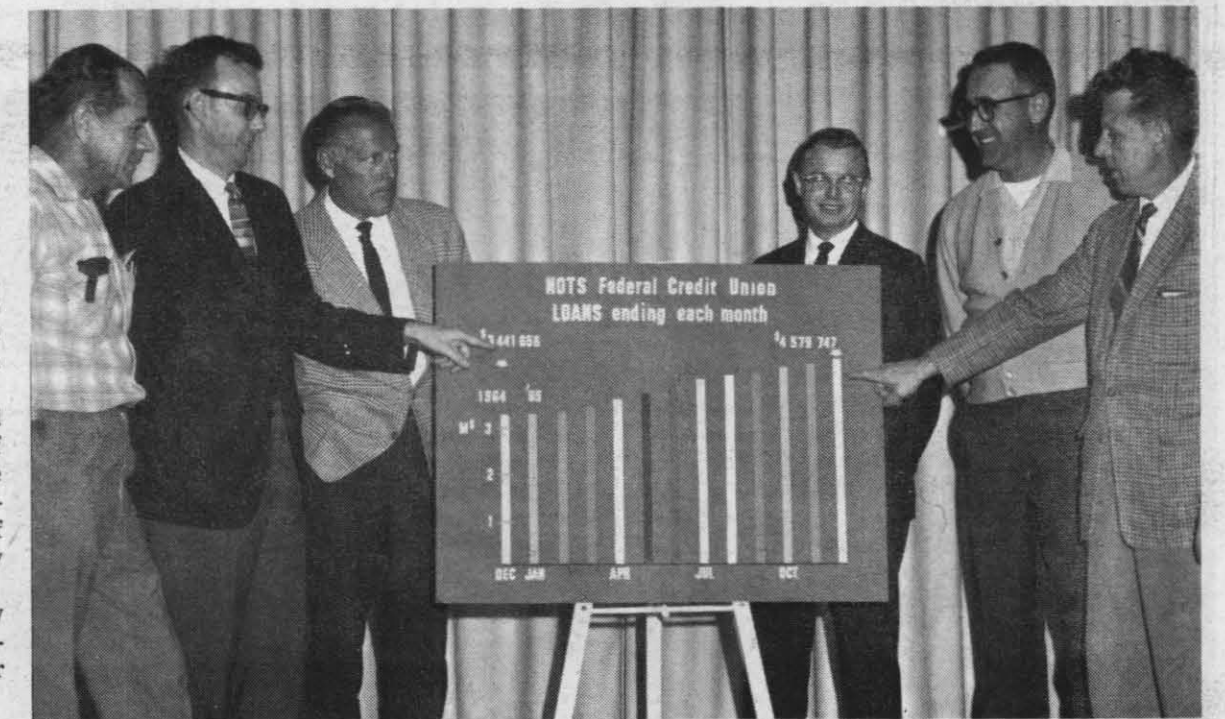
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Mrs. Martin was a founder of the Business and Professional Women's Club, the first president of the Altrusans, and works closely with the NOTS Chaplain's office in assistance to stranded unfortunates in the valley.

Her activities are recognized in 1964's "Who's Who of American Women" and will be included in the 1965-66 publication of the "Dictionary of International Biography," now in its third edition.

Mrs. Martin's name will now go into consideration for district, and perhaps, state honor as "Woman of the Year."

Mike Corral, refrigeration. Command Administration. (Code 85)—Dorinda Burden, clerical.



**CREDIT COMMITTEE**—Hard working (they met 104 times in '65) Credit Committee members of the NOTS Federal Credit Union point out loan figures. Left to right are Al Kowalski and Bob McKenzie, Credit Com-

mittee; Warren Stelmiller and Bruce Wertberger, Supervisory Committee; Chief Eugene Rossellini and Ray Becker, Credit Committee chairman. In '65 the committee reviewed 4,372 loans.