

SANTA'S IN TOWN-Santa will be in town in Ridgecrest over the next two weekends to take orders from those who have been good this year. Above, Delite Griffith, an employee of Community National Bank takes advantage of the opportunity to tell Santa what her desires are. Santa is scheduled to be at the Midway Shopping Center in Ridgecrest tonight from 5 to 8 p.m. On Saturday, he can be found across from Miller's on Ridgecrest Blvd. from 10 a.m. to 12 noon; in the parking lot of the Community National Bank from 2 to 3 p. m.; and in front of Western Auto from 3:45 to 5 p.m.



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# SHOWBOAT

#### NEW RATING PROCEDURES

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DECEMBER 12 FRIDAY "THE GREAT BANK ROBBERY" (96 Min.) Zero Mostel, Kim Novak, Clint Walker 7:30 P.M.

nedy/Western) A slow prairie train in 1884 is held up by an unusual gang of bandits who make off with a cargo of gold, while pious Zero and tambourinist lead the passengers in singing. Part of the gang robs a bank in a nearby town and Texas Ranger (Clint Walker) tracks them down. Amusing Western spoof. \*(M) \*\*(A, MY)

Short: "Boston Waucky" (7 Min.)

SATURDAY DECEMBER 13 -MATINEE-WHITE AND THREE STOOGES'

(107 Min.) 1:00 P.M. Shorts: "Music Mice-tro" (7 Min.) adian Mounted" (No. 2, 13 Min.)

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"HOT ROD ACTION" (71 Min.) Documentary Sports Racing 7:30 P.M.

mentary) National Drags and World Championships in Oklahoma, etc. . . . Craig Breedlove and Art Arfons, and their attempts to break and set new land world speed records are just a part of the automotive racing featuring most of the top ranked racing car drivers in the world. It's TOPS in Drag Racing. \*\*(A, Y, C) Short: "Winter Sports—Italian Style" (15 Min.)

#### SUNDAY-MONDAY DECEMBER 14-15 "ICE STATION ZEBRA" (147 Min.) Hudson, Ernest Borgnine, Jim Brown, Lloyd Nolan

7:30 P.M. (Action/Drama) Captain Hudson of the Navy's nuclear sub USS Tigerfish is

sent on a mission to the North Pole weather station when communication is cut off, with a British Intelligence officer and his Russian colleague. \*\*(A, Y, MC)

DECEMBER 16 TUESDAY "TRUE GRIT" (120 Min.) Wayne, Glen Campbell, Kim

Darby, Jeremy Slate 7:30 P.M.

(Western) Amusing satiric Western. A demined 14-year-old (Kim Darby) attempts to track down her father's murderer. U.S. Marshall Wayne helps to accomplish their mission. \*(G) \*\*(A, Y)

DECEMBER 17 WEDNESDAY BAKERSFIELD COLLEGE CHOIR PRESENTATION

"SOUTHERN STAR" (106 Min.) George Segal, Ursula Andress, Orson

Welles 7:30 P.M.

(Comedy/Adventure) The Southern Star is a gigantic diamond. Comedy and adventure over the theft of the diamond with Orson Welles, who steals the show. \*(M) \*\*(A, MY)

Short: "Impossible Possum" (7 Min.)

The Naval Air Facility officers' wives will offer a free Christmas gift wrapping service again this year for active duty military personnel.

The service will be now through the 20th at the Toyland Exchange on the Cen-

Hours for the free Christ mas gift wrapping service are: Monday through Friday, 11 a.m. to 1 p.m.; Thursday at 4:30 p.m. to 6:30 p. m., and Saturday from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m.

Friday, December 12, 1969



TO APPEAR AT CHAPARRAL-The "Shirelles," Internationally known vocal group, will appear at the Club Chaparral Saturday, December 20. The group will present two floor shows during the course of the evening. There will be music from 9 p.m. until 2 a.m. for dancing. The Shirelles have sold more than 4 million records, including "Soldier Boy," and "Teasin' Me." Tickets, priced at \$2.50, are on sale at the Club Chaparral.

### **Motorcycle Field Meet Features Races And 'Cycling Safety Tips**

Community Council, the Safety spring in the contests. Department, and various motorcycle clubs, including the Sandblasters, Gypsy Wheels and Desert Dwellers, will begin tomorrow morning at 9 a.m. at Satellite Lake south of the Archery Range, on South Lauritsen Road.

The Council has stated that many fun events are planned including boot races, slow

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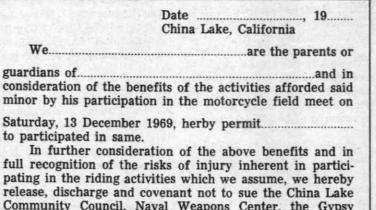
The Mortorcycle Field Meet, especially urged to attend in co-sponsored by the China Lake order to cheer on their off-

> According to Kenneth Austerman, Council Representative, no riders will be allowed to participate in this meet without signing a release form, or without wearing proper safety clothing and a helmet.

Persons under 21 years of age must obtain the signatures of both parents. A release for those attending the meet, form is printed below for the convenience of ROCKETEER races, egg races, and others. readers who plan to take part Parents of young riders are in tomorrow's Field Meet.

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pating in the riding activities which we assume, we hereby release, discharge and covenant not to sue the China Lake Community Council, Naval Weapons Center, the Gypsy Wheels, the Sand Blasters, and Desert Dwellers Clubs and each and all of their agents, members and employees from or for any liability whatever to said minor resulting from or in any manner arising out of any injury or damage

which may be sustained by the said minor ... on account of his (her) participation in the motorcycle field meet or in the transportation in connection therewith.

Signed this ...day of. 19.

Signature of Parent or Guardian

Signature of Parent or Guardian

Witness.

NOTE: You are requested to sign the waiver form in order that the persons concerned may engage in the above activity. These activities are all voluntary on the part of the above person and a signed waiver form is one of the conditions necessary before participation.

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### **Jeanne Robcke** NWC's "Military Wife' Candidate

Astonishment and amazement only partially describe the reaction of the surprised, but modest, Jeanne Mottram Robcke when she learned of her nomination as NWC's candidate for the Military Wife of the Year Competition. Mrs. Robcke is the wife of Cdr. J. H. "Jake" Robcke (Executive Officer of the Naval Air Facility at China Lake.

The annual contest, which is sponsored by Harrell International, Inc.,-a world-wide marketing firm based in Westport, Connecticut and producer of the Art Linkletter show-is part of an annual search by that Company for the one service wife whose actions epitomize the real and important contributions being made by military wives in improving people-to-people relationships



#### JEANNE ROBCKE

wherever they are stationed. Final selection for each service will be made at the Washington level by a panel of senior officer and NCO wives, coordinated by the wife of the chief of staff of each service. Each of the five military services will conduct their own contest, determine their own preliminary contest structure and determine the individual who best represents that ser-

#### Linkletter to Film

After the five service selections have been finalized, a tour will be made by television's Art Linkletter to the locales of the various winners. There he will stage his show, based on his famous "House Party" format and will film the finalists doing the things that brought them recognition. All winners and their husbands will be flown to Washington, D. C. where they will be honored at various social functions and press interviews, culminating in a formal awards ceremony dinner at which the Military Wife of The Year 1970 will be announced. Hollywood personalities will introduce each candidate for the top award and the films taken of her during Linkletter's tour will be shown as part of a

special televised program. The winning Military Wife of The Year will receive an allexpense paid trip to Hollywood as Art Linkletter's guest, visit congressmen, senators and other Washington dignitaries, and make a personal appearance tour across the U.S., where she will have the opportunity to tell her story and that of fore women's groups.

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# **NAF'S Bill Tenan Captures Top Bluejacket Award For December**

### Legal Yeoman Native Ohioan, **Avid Bowler**

YN1 William N. Tenan, Jr., who works as a Legal Yeoman at NAF, has been chosen "Bluejacket of the Month" for December. Tenan was selected for the high degree of efficiency he brings to his duties, his military bearing, and his attitude which reflects pride in his job and in the U.S. Navy.

Although born in Zanesville, Ohio, Tenan calls Cuyahoga Falls, Ohio, his home. Cuyahoga Falls is also the birthplace of his wife, Pamela, whom Bill met when he was a letter-carrier in that city.

#### Legal Yeoman

The 27-year old Tenan graduated from Stow High School, in Stow, Ohio. He attended YN "A" School and the U.S. Naval Justice School in the Navy.

Tenan finds his job as a legal Yeoman interesting and challenging. It is his plan to continue with this work during his Navy career.

Tenan's duties involve assisting the Legal Officer in drafting charges and specifications for Captain's Mast and courtmartials. In addition he records and transcribes records of military courtmartials.

Tenan stated in an interview that "There are so many facets to my work that are of interest to me, that I feel the job is one of contribution to myself and to my Command."

When asked of a specific incident of an unusual nature which stood out in his mind Tenan remembered the first court-martial he worked on, prior to attending U.S. Justice School. "The record turned out to be over 100 pages long," he groaned, "and the court trial lasted over 11 hours."

An interesting side note to his occupation, he stated, is that he often advises people on tax matters. "We also answer legal questions that persons might have, such as advising individuals of their legal rights on civil matters," he commented.

#### **Avid Bowler**

The December Bluejacket is an avid bowler and golfer. He is presently averaging near 180 in various leagues at the China Lake Bowl, and is a 17-handicapper at the Golf Club.

Since his arrival at China Lake, Tenan has competed in many military bowling tournaments, including the Las Vegas Military Invitational, the Inter-Service Tournament at Vandenberg AFB, and the MCRD Invitational, at the Frontier Lanes

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BOTH WINNERS-YN1 William M. Tenan, Jr., (r), "Bluejacket of the Month" for December, and his wife Pamela, dis- NWC. Tenan is a Legal Yeoman at NAF, play the ceramic stein that won Pamela and an avid bowler and golfer.

Military Ceramic Show held recently at

### **Theater Features All-Hands Meeting**

Employees and military per- members of a panel which in- city of Ridgecrest just south sonnel of the China Lake com- cluded: Dr. T. S. Amlie, NWC of the Wherry housing area. plex of the Naval Weapons Cen- Technical Director; Capt. J. K. The contractor, the Apollo Deter were given an opportunity to talk informally with the top tive Officer: H. G. Wilson, Depbrass of the community at a recent all-hands meeting which was held at the Center theater on Friday, December 5.

The meeting, which was conducted in two sessions in order to accommodate as many personnel as possible, was opened the American military commun- by a statement by Capt. Etherity on TV panels, to the press, idge, NWC Commander, which and in guest appearances be- described the scope of the subject material to be covered and he, in turn, introduced other

McConeghy, Jr., NWC Execuuty Technical Director; and John Emery, President of the China Lake Community Council Board of Directors. A question and answer session was held following the talks by the principals.

At the meeting, Capt. Etheridge announced that a contractor had been selected to build new homes and a shopping center on the 106-acre plot of land that has been annexed to the

velopment Co. of Santa Ana, is scheduled to begin building within a nine-month period.

Also, at the meeting, Capt. Etheridge discussed the impact of the planned consolidation of Corona with China Lake. The Commander pointed out that with the limited space now available at China Lake, it is quite possible that some of the groups now associated with the Corona Laboratories will be moved to other areas in South- in San Diego.

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#### CHAPLAIN'S MESSAGE

## "I Like Me"

#### CHAPLAIN JAMES HOGAN

Once upon a time the Greeks told a story about a youth named Narcissus who fell in love with his own image reflected in a pool of water. Since a reflection in water is, to put it mildly, somewhat insubstantial, poor Narcissus had a bit of trouble getting hold of himself, whereupon he pined away and died. Fittingly enough he then changed into a flower which is known, not unexpectedly, as a narcissus.

Such excessive fascination with oneself is hardly to be recommended, and for the most part we don't. In fact, at the opposite pole we find Scripture telling us that life's deepest meaning is found in love of God and neighbor-a going out of ourselves for the sake of others. To be unselfish means literally to be more concerned about the needs of others than our own.

Nothing could be more true; yet the injunction to love our neighbor as ourselves can easily be misunderstood if we neglect the final two words of that familiar phrase. If I ought to love my neighbor as myself then the obvious intent is that I really ought to love myself. This creates an apparent dilemma, since much less turn into a flower.

The contradiction is not inherent, however, God simply wants no one wants to pine away and die as a result of self-fascination me to accept myself as I am, to realize my own worth and dignity. In short, if God loves me as I am, I can't be all bad. More than that, God made me to be unique-no one else can be me and no one else can take my place in fulfilling my unique purpose in the life God gave me. If God made me to be so special, I can take delight in being myself and in being alive. And once I truly like myself, it's amazing how interested I can be in those around me.

Evidently there's a big difference between self-fascination and self-love. The one closes me in on myself, the other gives me freedom, security, inner strength, so that I can go out to others Knowing that I am lovable gives me a capacity to love; in likeing myself it becomes easy to like you.

All things considered, that's not a bad arrangement.



RECENT ARRIVAL PROMOTED-Vera L. Sherer (c), who arrived in September to take up duties as anesthetist at the Center Dispensary, was provoted to Commander last week. The ceremonies were held in the office of the Medical Officer, Capt. G. W. Jauchler (I) and Cdr. E. G. Graves (r), Senior Nurse, assisted in the ceremony.

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DIVINE SERVICES

Protestant (All-Faith Chapel)-Morning Worship-9:50 a.m. Sunday School-8:30 a.m., Chapel An-nexes 1, 2, 4 (Dorms 5, 6, 8) located opposite Center Restaurant. Thursday-Service at 5:00 p.m. (Organ

Daily Mass-11:30 a.m. in Blessed Sac-

NWC Jewish Services (East Wing All-Faith

first and third Saturday.

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### PROMOTIONAL **OPPORTUNITIES**

Employees are encouraged to apply or the positions listed below. Current pplications (SF-171) or Standard Form 58 bringing your work history up-to date should be forwarded as described below. The fact that positions are ad vertised here does not preclude the use f other means to fill these position Part of the ranking process of those rated as basically qualified will be a supervisory appraisal form that will be sent to the employees present and most recent previous supervisor. Selection shall be made without discrimination for any non-merit reason and withou favoritism based on personal relation ships or patronage.

The vocancies listed below are effective

from 12 to 19 December 1969. Supply Clerk (Typing), GS-2005-03 or 04, PD No. 6925016/PD No. 6925009, Code 2575 - The incumbent is responsible for maintaining files of advance copies of inspection reports, invoices and requisitions for use by the receiving section and material inspection section to check and inspect incoming material. The incumbent responsible for identifying incoming mate rial, matching it to the appropriate documents in the open order file and moving it for delivery and payment. Minimum Quali fication Requirements: GS-3 level: One yea of general experience. GS-4 level: One year of general experience and one year specialized experience. General experience is clerical or office work of any kind which has demonstrated the ability to perform satisfactorily at the grade level of the position. Specialized experience is supply work or closely related activities: (a which has required the applicant to acquire and apply knowledge of the rules, regulations, procedures and program requirements of one or more areas of a supply system; and (b) which has demonstrated the applicant's ability to perform at the level of position to be filled.

Visual Information Specialist (Printed Ma terial), GS-1084-12, PD No. 6975005, Code 7512-The major responsibilities of the position include the planning of general format and the design of special Center publications. The printed material is primarily llustrative in nature with supporting text. The information disseminated is often in the form of abstract ideas rather than factual reporting. Major duties are: planning general format, preparing the compreher sive plan and preparing or supervising the preparation of camera-ready reproduction. Minimum Qualification Requirements: Three years of general experience in administraive, professional, technical or other responsible work that has been concerned with the visual communication of informa tion or with the application of the principles of artistic design; three years of specialized experience concerned with plan ning the preparation and use of photo graphs, illustrations, drawings and other rtwork that has demonstrated (1) the ability to communicate information through the use of visual materials, (2) a knowledge of e principles of artistic design and display, (3) the ability to apply these principles to the field of visual information, and (4) a knowledge of the characteristics of the various means of communicating information visually. A four-year college course leading to a bachelor's degree in art, art history, design, visual communication or related fields in a college or university of recognized standing may be substituted for the three years of general experience. Job Relevant Criteria: The incumbent must have sound training and experience in the planning and designing of publications, in scheduling, fluctuating work loads and in supervision of illustrators and cameramer dvancement Potential: None. File applications for the above with Car-

ole Cadle, Bldg. 34, Rm. 26, X-71648. Voucher Examiner, GS-540-3, Code 1765 -Duties as trainee, are to process for disbursements for travel and other types of claims (advances, refunds, witness claims, llowances, etc.); review and prepare answers to NRFC audits; and advise and assist claimants in completing claims. Typing ability required. Minimum Qcalification Requirements: GS-3: 1 year of general experience obtained in the performance of clerical duties in any area of work. Advancemen Potential: GS-3 may advance to GS-4.

File application for the above with Su Prasolowicz, Bldg. 34, Rm. 28, ext. 71577. Electronics Engineer, GS-5, 7, 9, 11, or 12, Code 300302-This position is located in the Frequency Coordination Group, Systems Deelopment Department. The incumbent will perform electronic engineering related to radio frequency monitoring/surveillance analyzing, direction finding equipment and systems. He will prepare technical recom mendations for the assignment of radio compatibility studies as related to the assignment and utilization of radio frequen frequencies, and perform electromagnet cies. The incumbent will review Center requisitions for transmitting and receiving equipment, and assist in the preparation and review of frequency allocation requests. He will determine sources of radio frequency interference and provide technical assistance for its elimination or reduction. will install, modify, adjust, calibrate

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### **Bakersfield College Choir Christmas Concert Monday**

Friday, December 12, 1969

The narrator's role will be

taken by Alan C. Kubik, music

and drama teacher at Bur-

roughs High School. The fea-

tured soloist will be Wayne

Carpenter, an employee of the

Naval Weapons Center whose

two previous appearances in

community productions were

last year's performance of "The

Messiah" and the two broadway

shows "Camelot" and "Briga-

will consist of members of the

Burroughs High School Band

and the organ and piano ac-

companiment will be provided

by Mrs. Werback and Mrs. Hee-

The conductor, Russell Park-

er, is a newcomer to the area

and will be directing the Desert

Campus Choir in performance

Mr. Parker is a graduate of

Arizona State University and is

presently employed as an in-

structor in music at Burroughs

High School, where he is in

charge of the Concert Choir,

Mixed Chorus, Varsity Band

and Orchestra. Prior to his

arrival last August, he taught

music at Boron High School for

A reception is scheduled im-

mediately following the concert

in the East Wing of the Chapel

to which the public is cordially

invited. All non-residents of

China Lake will be granted ac-

cess to the Center through both

the past three years.

gates for this concert.

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The brass ensemble

The Bakersfield College Des- the customary recitative pasert Campus Choir, under the sages usually sung by the Evandirection of Russell Parker, gelists. will present a free Christmas Concert next Monday evening, December 15, at 8 p.m. in the All-Faith Chapel.

Sponsored by the Associated Students of the Desert Campus, the concert will feature two major contemporary choral works.

The first offering, entitled "Beat! Beat! Drums!", is a musical setting of Walt Whitman's poem "Drum Taps" by Howard Hanson, an American composer and conductor who has for many years served as director of the famed Eastman School of Music.

In his poem, Whitman expresses the tensions and excitement of the year 1861, during which American life was shaken to its foundations by the War between the States. This turmoil is dramatically represented by the loud, incessant beat of military drums.

#### **Christmas Story**

The second and more lengthy composition is "The Christmas Story," a modern cantata by the young American composer, Ron Nelson, who is presently Assistant Professor of Music at Brown University.

This work was completed in December of 1958 and has enjoyed considerable popularity ever since. It is scored for a mixed choir, brass ensemble, baritone soloist, and narrator. The narrator takes the place of



CHAPLAIN GETS BRIEFING—Mrs. Vernice Putnam outlines the abbreviated Navy Relief Course to Chaplain H. A. Mac-Neill at the beginning of classes which were held last week at the Center. Mrs. Putnam, who presented the abbreviated Navy Relief Course, is the Navy Relief Executive Secretary from Long Beach.





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A large number of the students, some 268, had not previously earned any units. There are 303 students that have between 1 and 29 units, 172 students with 30 to 74 units, and 106 with 75 to 100 units. Women students outnumber

Students are attending the Lamb—Your Heart and How to Desert Campus from such dis-Live with It. tant areas as Mountain Mesa, Moore-Invention, Discovery, Randsburg and Johannesburg. and Creativity. However, four cities provide Pearson-The Case Against most of the students enrolled Congress. at the Desert Campus. They Rothenstein-Linocuts and are China Lake (501), Ridge-Woodcuts.

Prelude at 4:45 p.m.)

Roman Catholic (All-Faith Chapel)-

Holy Mass-7, 8:30, and 11 a.m. Sunday.

rament Chapel. Saturday, 8:30 a.m. Confessions—7 to 8 p.m. Saturday, and 8 to 8:25 a.m. Sunday.

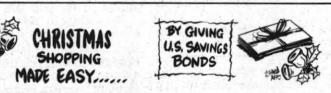
Chapel)-8 p.m. every first and third

Sabbath School-10 a.m. to noon, every

King Ave.)-Sundays, 7:30 p.m.

Friday, December 12, 1969

Riley (I-r) prepare for the "Christmas Gig," a bowling tournament sponsored by the China Lake Youth Center and the Ridgecrest-China Lake Junior Bowling Association, which will be held December 20 (and December 21 if entries are substantial) at the China Lake Bowl. The tourney is open to all youths in the area ages 7 to 18. It will be a handicap affair and handicaps are pre-figured according to age groups for those who do not have an established average. Entry fees vary for AJBC members, Youth Center members and youths not a member of either organization. For further information, contact Jeanne Crom, 375-9626, or Jean Boulden, 375-



### **BC Desert Campus Daytime Enrollment At All-Time High**

Jones, there are more day stu- yokern (15). dents attending the Desert than ever before in the history

"This semester," said Jones, "there has been a 30 per cent uates. increase in the number of day students at the college. This as compared to 138 last semes-

The increase in day students was cited as being especially significant because they more closely typify the average col-lege student body than do night students which is one factor reflecting the growth and stability of the Desert Campus. Another important enrollment statistic is that the average Desert Campus student is getting younger by 1.5 years each school year. At present, to 10 per cent increase in the ment of the Club.

dents, 920 remained after Oct. cing.

the men by a margin of 541 to Dixon-My Life and Prophe-452, a difference of 89,

According to Dean Richard crest (317), Trona (51) and In-

Some 522 students have pre-Campus of Bakersfield College viously attended Bakersfield College or the Desert Campus. Of the total enrollment, 751 students are high school grad-

"Next fall," stated Dean Jones, "we anticipate an even fall, we have 173 day students greater growth in enrollment. The total enrollment will probably exceed 1,000 and we will expect more students from Trona and other outlying areas."

### Montoya's Gents **Play For Dance** At Chief's Club

"Montova's Gents" will appear for a dance at the Chief the average age is 29.5 years. Petty Officer's Club Saturday, Also, the number of units December 13, from 9 p.m. until students are taking is in- 1 a.m., according to an ancreasing. There has been a 9 nouncement from the manage-

total hours students are carry- Chief Dukeshire would like to invite all Club members and The total enrollment at the their guests to attend Saturday college this fall has reached night, first for dinner, and then the 993 mark. Of these stu- for an evening of fun and dan-

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### All Officers And WO's Invited To ROA Yule Party Dec. 17

All commissioned and warrant officers who have served or are serving in any of the seven federal services are invited to the Christmas party of the Indian Wells Valley Chapter of the Retired Officers Association, to be held at the Commissioned Officers Mess, China Lake, on Wednesday night. December 17. Spouses are also welcome.

Although all the monthly meetings of the chapter are social in nature, starting with an optional "attitude adjustment hour." followed by 7:30 p.m. dinner ordered from the menu, the holiday event will be characterized by the absence of any business at all, and by the collecting of Christmas presents for needy children of the area from those who attend.

It is recommended that packages be marked on the outside designating whether the contents are earmarked for a boy, a girl, or both, and the approximate age group. Cash is very acceptable in lieu of a festively wrapped toy or article of clothing. All gifts will be delivered to Chaplain Harold MacNeill's office for distribution before Christmas.

Since this is the last meeting of the administrative year, it is suggested that any eligible officers intending to affiliate for 1970 pay their local dues of three dollars now, and so

### **Desert College Construction Is OK'd By Council**

The California Coordinating Council for Higher Education has approved the construction of Desert College at Ridgecrest, accoding to a report to the Kern Junior College District Board of Trustees by Dr. Edward Simonsen, December

The Coordinating Council has the responsibility for approving new campuses for all public higher education in California, including the University of California, state colleges, an community colleges.

The Council authorization came after a presentation in behalf of the Desert College made by Superintendent Simonsen. Support for the college was also given by the Board of Governors of the California Community Colleges.

"The motion which authorized the campus was made by Robert Tuck, seconded by Charles F. Horne, Jr., public representatives, and approved unanimously by the Coordinating Council," Dr. Simonsen said.

This authorization was the last major hurdle for the Ridgecrest campus, which is scheduled to open during the school vear, 1972-73.

The Superintendent also said that the District has applied to the Bureau of Land Management for an appropriate site for the campus and that the architectural firms of Frapwell and Ghezzi of Bakersfield, and Caudill-Rowlett-Scott of Houston, Texas, are developing the plans for this \$2.7 million facility. Financial support for this project is scheduled to come from federal, state and local sources.

qualify to vote on officers and governing boards for the coming year at the January meet-

The nominating committee, headed by First Vice-president Dwight Atkinson, would like to see representatives of all seven federal services among the executives. To hold elected office, the member must be actually retired from the Army, Navy, Air Force, Marine Corps, Coast Guard, Coast and Geodetic Survey, or the Public Health Service, or the reserves of any of these. However, Associate Members - those now on active duty or honorably separated from any of the above services short of retirement time-may fill appointed billets, such as public relations officer, legal officer, chaplain,

### Santa Claus To Visit Kids At Child Care Center

Santa Claus will visit the ESB Child Care Center "Drop In Nursery" at Nimitz and Lauritsen Streets on Wednesday, December 17. Festivities will start at 2:30 p.m.

Cookies, which the children have helped to bake, will be served, followed by the singing of Christmas carols while the children wait the arrival of St. Nick which is scheduled for 3 p.m. After Santa has gathered the information he needs for filling Christmas orders, a pinata-breaking will climax the party.

Regular "drop-in" rates of 50 cents per hour for the first child and 25 cents per hour for each additional child will be charged, plus 25 cents per child for refreshments.

All children between the ages of three months and 12 years of age are welcome to attend the Christmas party. The Center is open to dependents of both military and civilian personnel on a regular and "drop-in" basis.

Mrs. Shirley Sims, manager, suggests that parents call 446-2961 to make reservations for the Christmas party as early possible



ASSISTANT TECHNICAL OFFICER-LCdr. William W. Poole, Jr., a native of Hawthorne, Nevada, recently arrived on the Center to assume the duties of Assistant Technical Officer, for Surface Weapons Systems. LCdr. Poole and his wife Helen have one son, Eric, 18. The Pooles reside at 605-B Lexington. Poole has won the Bronze Star, Navy Commendation, Navy Unit and Army Unit decorations.

### Beat Inc. At **Club Chaparral This Weekend**

Mike Weinberg, manager of the Club Chaparral, has announced that the "Beat Incorporated" will return to the local night spot December 12 and 13, to play for local club-goers.

Weinberg suggests that all those planning to attend come early for dinner and stay for dancing, which will be from 9 p.m. to 1:30 a.m. All Club nembers and guests are invit-

Weinberg also reminds military stationed at NWC that the "Shirelles," popular singing group, will present two floor shows at the Club Chaparral on December 20.

Weinberg stated that this floor show is open to all military over 21 years of age, as well as club members and their guests

Tickets may be purchased at the Club.



**TECHNICAL DIRECTOR RECEIVES 20-YR. PIN-At this** week's Department Head's meeting, Dr. Thomas S. Amlie, Technical Director of the Naval Weapons Center, was presented a 20-year Federal Service Pin by Capt. M. R. Etheridge, Center Commander.

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# Win 16 1/2 From Ace-TV

Tom's Place continued their charge toward first place in the Premier League Monday night as they took league-leading Ace TV for 16½ points. In recent weeks the fired up team of Ev Yelland, Elmer Davis, Bill King, Jim "Tiger" Peck and Fred Dalpiaz have bettered their position in the league by four standings, from eighth to fourth.

This past Monday night they fired the high series, a 2828 effort, and rolled 1000 even to take high game honors. Anchor man Fred Dalpiaz was high man in the individual spotlight, shooting 202 - 245 and 189 for a 636 series.

Sam Schoenhals shot 241 and 617 to take second place for the night. Other fine games of note: George Bowles, 221 and 608; Ray Freascher and Jack Herbstreit, 223; Maury Coleman, 226; Benny Whiteside, 211; Roger McCollough, 213; Ev Yelland, 209; Tom Short, 206 and 203; George Barker, 210; Jack Lindsey, 205; and Gordy Zurn, 204.

Standings are listed at the bottom of this page.

Military Ball & Chain The "Unpredictables," staffed by Dick Bauers, Gladys Bauers, Larry Dewing, Shirley Dewing, and Jim Kincheloe, shot a 782 for high team game Wednesday, December 3. This fivesome also combined three good scores for a 2255 series, also high in the league for the night.

Jim Kincheloe was the high male bowler, shooting a 203 enroute to a 584 series. Sallie Stephenson was high for the ladies, hitting a 199 and a 524 series

NAF vs. VX-5

A match game between bowlers of NAF and a group of keglers from VX-5 was held December 6 at the China Lake Bowl with VX-5 winning the contest by 178 pins. Bob Tegowski was the high scorer in the six-game match, firing an 1137 total, a 189 average.

Sam Harris had the high game, a 259 effort. The two military units plan to have another match in the near future.

#### Bantams

Sherry Ray, adult advisor and secretary of the Bantam League, reports that David Schad was high for the boys with a 429 series. Gary Kuzmin shot a 176 to lead individual game scores.

On the distaff side, Sheilah Simmons led both game and series categories with a 157 and a 427 series.

Thursday Aft. Trio

The If'ns shot a 589 to record high game for the league December 4, and in the doing racked up a 1634 series to lead that department as well.

Doreen McDermott's 611 was high series for the ladies (handicap), shooting a 521 scratch effort. High scratch games were rolled by Sallie Stephenson, a 206, and Mrs. McDermott. 203.

The Bowlaholics are in first place in the league, followed

closely by the Grandma's. Desert League

Kiwanis was the big shooters December 4, rolling an 1156 (handicap) game, enroute to a

3156 (handicap) series. Hal Moore, of the Kiwanis team, shot 187-236-224 for a 647 series. He was followed by John Dowd, of the Road Runners, who hit 203-228-189 for a 620 effort.

Midway League The Chillers took all four points last Tuesday night, strengthening their slim 2-point lead over the Mixers. The Chillers' record is 45 won and 15 lost, while the Mixers have won 43 and lost 17.

Jim Cooke was the big gun, knocking down the pins for a 234 total, followed closely by John Ito, 226, and Al Clodfelter, 222.

Bob Tegowski had the high series for the evening, a 637 effort. By Nelson fired a 600.

#### **Prep League**

Youngsters, aged 7 to 9, who bowl in the Prep League at the China Lake Bowl on Saturday afternoons, banged out some more good scores this past week. Linda Jeffris, secretary, reports the following totals.

Victor Wiggins, 101 and 126; Jim Ito, 125; Kim McNew, 102 and 116; Michael Chartier, 108; David Furstenberg, 108; Lee Wolfe, 108; Tony Pfau, 110; Rhonda Baker, 106; Amy Petach, 104; Kenny Manning, 102; Paul Covert, 101; and Russell Pruell, 104. Kenny Lindsteadt picked up a 2-7 split.

Young Tony Pfau, 9 years old, is carrying the high average in the league, a 108!

#### PREMIER LEAGUE

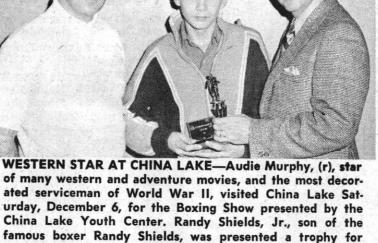
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| AV Trophy  | 150                   | 130                   |  |
| Tom's Place  | 148                   | 132                   |  |
| C. L. Navy   | 147                   | 133                   |  |
| R/C Lanes  | 145.5                 | 134.5                 |  |
| Starlite Room  | 131                   | 149                   |  |
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**Holiday Books On Hand At Center Library** 

The Center Library, which serves military personnel attached to the Naval Weapons Center and all civilians employed by the Center regardless of where they live, invites all to have a happy Holiday Season by making use of the books and pamphlets on Christmas which are available at the Library.

Decorations, menus, songs for family singing, and stories of customs in other countries are included in the collection. The Center Library is open

from 1 to 9 p.m., Monday through Friday, and from 2 to 9 p.m., Saturday and Sunday.



defeating Jimmy Annos, a local boxer, fighting in the Junior Division. Marty Denkin, Youth Center Director, and promoter of the show, looks on. Denkin reported that Kenny Willis, Jr., who is new at the fight game, held Tony Balasteros, a 60 lb. division boxer with a 58-2 record, to a draw. The boy's father, Kenny Willis, Sr., won his fight with a third round KO over Mike Reynolds from England, and Wayne (Fireman) Blowers, beat Rick Mc-Carthin, from the L. A. area, by a KO in 3 rounds.

### Youth Center Will Sponsor Five **Basketball Leagues For NWC Boys**

The China Lake Youth Activities Center will sponsor five basketball leagues, for boys ages eight through 18, whose parents are employees of the Naval Weapons Center. Eligibility for the teams shall be as stated in the Youth Center policies.

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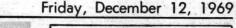
The leagues and their age groups are: Pee-Wee League, for boys 8 and 9 years old; Midget League, 10 and 11: Intermediate League, 12 and 13; Junior League, 14 and 15; and the Senior League, for boys 16 through 18.

Boys presently playing for **Burroughs High School will not**  be eligible for the Leagues.

**Registration began December** 8 and will continue through December 24. All boys who register, regardless of ability, will be placed on a team. The Youth Center emphasizes that this is strictly a training program for recreation purposes, and all boys will play during the season, in every game, except for disciplinary reasons.

The championships will be determined in a tournament to be held at the conclusion of the regular season.

For further information, contact the Youth Center, Ext. 72909



### **Miller Ski Film** To Be Shown At **Ski Club Meeting** The next meeting of the

China Lake Ski Club will be held in the Community Center December 16, beginning at 7:30 p.m.

After a short business meeting, the Warren Miller ski film "Ski the Wild Mountain," will be shown.

The meeting will conclude with an informal Christmas party at which punch and cookies will be served.

This meeting will present the last opportunity for old members to renew their membership without paying an initation fee. New members are invited to attend.

For further information, contact Paul Escallier, Extension 9233, or at 446-5277.



NEW OFFICER AT VX-5 -Lt.(jg) Sam B. Stanifer recently reported for duty with VX-5 from VAQ-130 at NAS Alameda. A native of Altus, Oklahoma. he was awarded a B.S. degree in physics from Northeastern Oklahoma State College. He entered the Navy in June of 1966 and received his commission under the Aviation Officer Candidate program. Mr. Stanifer, his wife Helen, and daughter, Barbara Ann, live at 307-A Groves aboard the Center.

### **Assigned Risk** Insurance Is Recommended

According to recent information, military drivers under the age of 25, or over that age with a poor driving record, are probably paying too much money for their auto insurance.

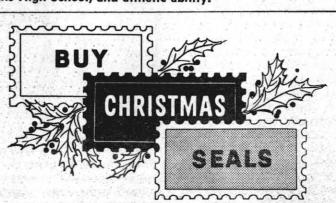
The information suggests that military drivers in those two categories should look into "assigned risk" insurance coverage. Not only does this type of insurance cost less, but it is also recommended by the Department of Defense.

Assigned risk insurance is "assigned" by the state to major participation companies. Most of the companies involved are among the largest and most reputable in the business world. These companies take turns in accepting "assigned risks" at set rates.

Most automobile insurance agents resist writing assigned risk policies, the article went on to say, because the commission rate on these policies is low. The policies often substituted for single drivers under 25 costs more and usually contain restrictions which make them in violation of Navy rules. for obtaining a base sticker.



KELLY AWARD WINNER-Kerm Jackson, winner of the coveted Kelly Award, is congratulated by BHS Varsity Football coach Bruce Bernhardi in front of the Kelly Award memorial at the local high school. The award is given each year to one outstanding senior on the varsity team in memory of Robert Kelly, who was killed in an automobile accident just prior to graduation in 1947. The candidate is chosen for his academic ability; citizenship; contribution to Buroughs High School; and athletic ability.



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### **EEO Executive Order Spells Out Affirmative Action For Managers**

managers for affirmative action to achieve equality of opportunity in Federal employment. ert E. Hampton, Chairman of the U. S. Civil Service Commission, at a recent meeting in Washington, D.C. with key Federal officials having EEO program responsibilities.

"We have opened the doors of job opportunity to many people to whom they have been closed," Mr. Hampton said. "We have tapped a potential for public service that had all too often been left untapped. Now, the most challenging aspect of the job remains."

At Lower Levels A large percentage of minority employees and women are

concentrated at the lower levels of the Federal Service, Mr. Hampton noted. "We cannot afford to leave languishing at the entry levels of the job structure any employee who has the will and the ability to move upward - especially those who are there because of social deprivation, discrimination, and economic disadvantage."

The new program will emphasize "helping the employee who wants to move up, and who has the potential for upward mobility, to get the preparation and training he needs in order to compete on an equal footing," he said.

"This is the essence of real equal opportunity, and it is the main thrust of the President's new directions for the equal employment opportunity program," he added.

"We have clearly not done all that can be done to assure the understanding and cooperation of everyone whose wholehearted support is essential to full program success." Steps must now be taken to assure that every employee who has a responsibility for managing

For the first time in an Ex- "our precious human resources ecutive Order, the President of is aware of his role in equal the United States has detailed employment opportunity and the responsibilities of his top knows how to carry it out," the CSC Chairman emphasized.

"Our overall program will be a credible program, because it This was pointed out by Rob- will be an honest program. It will not dwell on numbers. It will follow through on what it promises and it will make no unrealistic offerings in response to unfounded criticism." Need To Intensify Efforts

The Chairman cited a need to continue and intensify efforts which attract increasing numbers of minority group applicants to professional entry levels; and the need to work in close harmony with the educational systems and institutions on which agencies depend for the preparatory training these young people must have.

Pointing out the need for a more sophisticated data base for evaluative and diagnostic purpose, Mr. Hampton noted that under new procedures, lain's Office at All Faith Chap-Federal agencies will be auth- el has coordinated the collecorized to maintain on ADP tion of gifts of food and money equipment, current statistical for our 'Needy Neighbors' of information on minority group the China Lake, Ridgecrest and employment. The new data Invokern area. With the growth maintenance system will be an of the community beyond the adjunct to an improved agency influence of the All Faith Chapevaluation plan that will furn- el, it has seemed prudent to exish comprehensive data for the tend this project and bring in periodic information and per- the churches and organizations sonal attention of the Presi- of the greater-community. dent, Mr. Hampton stated.

new directions in EEO, the Office, Ext. 71793 or to the Reverend and Mrs. Fred Straththem presuppose a partnership dee of the Community Metho-dist Church, telephones 375relationship among Directors of EEO, Directors of Personnel, and other agency officials; and between the Civil Service Com- and coordinated by Mr. William

mission and agencies." tunity is not a Civil Service of the Kiwanis Club of Ridge-Commission program. It is the crest. moral responsibility of every American as recognized by our Constitution and the President," Mr. Hampton said.



NEW PETTY OFFICERS AT VX-5-Capt. C. W. Fritz, C. O. of VX-5 (r), congratulates three of his men following advancement ceremonies held in his office recently. Those advanced to Petty Officer, Third Class, are (I-r) YN3 Don Davia, AMS3 George Scott and DP3 William Caraway.

### **Chaplain's Office Coordinates** 'Needy Neighbors' Yule Program

For many years, the Chap-

tions are included in plans for Bresident's The names of Receipt 1005. The names of Receipt 1005. The names of Receipt 1005. Bors may be submitted to Mrs. Helen Schoss of the Chaplain's Office, Ext. 71793 or to the 7434 or 375-8639.

This effort will be screened B. Porter, Chairman of the Sup-"Equal employment oppor- port of Churches Committee

This year's over-all effort is

supported by the churches whose clergy are members of the Indian Wells Valley Ministerial Fellowship.

Section 9021 of the State Education Act prohibits the solicitation of gifts from school children. However, voluntary contributions may be made by the school children and left at the All Faith Chapel Office. Or if feasible, word will be passed where the children may leave such gifts.

Ladies from the Ridgecrest and Inyokern Churches and from the Inter-Faith Council of the All Faith Chapel will pack the Christmas baskets on Monday and Tuesday, December 22 and 23.

In the past it has been the custom for some departments to contribute to this project in lieu of the exchange of Christmas cards. One department has already contributed this year making their gift in lieu of a Department Party.

### Legal Yeoman **At NAF Chosen** Dec. 'Bluejacket'

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Tenan rolled the high series in the Military Summer League of this year and carried the high average in that league He was a member of the NAF team which won the Midway League last winter.

Bill took second low net in the EDEN Classic Golf Tournament and competed on the second place team in Intramural Golf League.

An interesting item is that this month's "Bluejacket" was chosen "Sailor of the Month" while serving with Heavy Attack Squadron Two, Detachment Foxtrot, on board the USS Ranger, his previous assignment before reporting aboard the Naval Weapons Center in 1968.

Pamela Tenan is a contented wife. She loves the desert with all its sunshine, and she is especially proud of her husband. In short, "Things are right with me," she said.

Pamela, who attended the Patricia Stevens Finishing School for one year, as a secretarial major, attended Cuyahoga Falls High School in her home town.

She is happy to be a service wife. Although she really enjoys the China Lake area, she stated she also liked Whidbey Island, Washington. "Every thing up there seemed like it should be on a picture post card," she remembered. The only thing she misses about Ohio, she recalled, is the change of seasons.

#### Ceramicist

Pamela is also a bowler, taught by husband Bill. But her main hobby is ceramics. She recently tied for a first-place ribbon in the Stains Division of the Military Ceramic Show held at the NWC Ceramic Shop.

It is her intention to enter more competitions, including some out of the local area. Her mother was a ceramacist, she said, and perhaps it was inevitable that she, too, take up the hobby

Pamela and Bill have two cats. "One thinks he is a dog, and the other is a little backward," Pamela laughed. "The dog-cat retrieves, and chases other dogs, and ignores cats. while the little one doesn't do anything. Really, absolutely nothing. Just sleeps all day."

Pamela wasn't too surprised when informed of her hus band's singular honor. "He's a wonderful person," she said. "A happy person. Happy in his job and with his life. He gets up in the morning singing and dancing, and he usually keeps that mood all day."

Bill and Pamela Tenan reside at 232 Dorado St., in Desert Park.

### Christmas Issue

The December 19 issue of THE ROCKETEER will be the final publication of 1969. Organizations wishing to publicize holiday happenings are urged to get the information in early to THE ROCKETEER office in order to give the staff time to plan their annual Christmas issue. The first issue of 1970 will be on January 9.

### **CFC Contributions Reach \$62,007 Result Of 'Exceptional' Keymen**

bined Federal Campaign pushed the total to \$62,007, exceeding last year's returns by \$7,814. William R. Hattabaugh. campaign chairman, reported the final figures for the fund drive this week, including the breakdown of contributions to the various CFC agencies.

Hattabaugh credits the success of this year's campaign largely to the assignment of "exceptionally motivated individuals for the role of keymen in their organizations."

Fifty-seven percent of NWC personnel participated in the campaign, a gain of 9 percent over last year. Payroll deductions accounted for 73 percent of the contributions. The average gift per contributor was \$21.45; the average payroll deduction pledge was \$34.75.

Indian Wells Valley United Fund agencies will receive 62.9 percent of the funds, \$39,036. National Health Agencies will receive \$17,420, and International Service Agencies, \$5,551.

Contributors designated specific agencies for 41 percent of the funds. They named the IWV United Fund for \$963; American Red Cross for \$753; Boy Scouts of America, \$1795;

Campership Welfare Fund, \$328; Children's Hospital of Los Angeles, \$1495; Desert Area Emergency Relief, \$407; Desert Counseling Clinic, \$1639; Girl Scouts, \$781; IWV Council for Retarded Children, \$1625; Indigent Patient Fund. \$235; Salvation Army, \$2660; USO \$333.

National Health Agencies as a group were designated for \$848; American Cancer Society, \$4,142; American Heart Association, \$2,062; Crippled Chil-dren's Society, \$897; Muscular Dystrophy Association, \$449; National Association for Mental Health, \$281; National Foundation (March of Dimes). \$598; National Multiple Sclerosis Society, \$425; Society for the Prevention of Blindness, \$204.

The ISA was named for \$240: American-Korean Foundation, \$93; CARE, \$1060; Planned Parenthood-World Population, \$458; Project HOPE, \$586.



DENKIN GIVEN SCOUT AWARD-Martin S. Denkin, Director of the China Lake Youth Center, was presented a Certificate of Appreciation by Explorer Post 813 for Denkin's outstanding work with the youth in the Indian Wells Valley. Dan Krausman, (r) President of Post 813, presents the award to Denkin, (I). Denkin was also voted an honorary member of Post 813 by its members.

# Late donations to the Com-

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### Jeanne Robcke ...

#### (Continued from Page 1) **Contest Qualifications**

Qualifications established by Harrell International require that the candidate be a military wife active in her club's community service activities. She must have made note-worthy contributions to the improvement of people-to-people relations in the military and civilian communities, and she must be poised and sufficiently articulate to be able to tell the American military community's story.

This is the first year that the Naval Weapons Center has entered a candidate in the threeyear-old contest. Previously, the contest was limited to military wives' clubs in specified areas-the European Theater in 1967, the Far East in 1968, and the United States in 1969. This year, wives clubs throughout the world were invited to submit their candidate for the coveted title of Military Wife of the Year 1970.

#### **Early Military Career**

Jeanne's military career started earlier than most service wives-which gave her an initial insight into the ways of the service. She entered the Navy as an Apprentice Seaman on January 17, 1945 at her home town of Milwaukee, Wisconsin. In the Navy she received her medical training at Hunter College in New York and at the Naval Hospital in Bethesda. Maryland and saw active duty at the Naval Hospital, Oakland, California.

#### **Key Figure**

Mrs. Robcke's organizational service activities have included: the highest position in local Navy Relief Societies-Chairman of Volunteer Women at NAS, North Island, Calif., for three years and Chairman of Interviewers and Chairman of Volunteer Women at China Lake for four years. She has conducted numerous abbreviated classes for the Navy Relief Society at NAS, North Island, and at NWC, China Lake, and has recruited other volunteers.

At China Lake she has also served as Vice President of the Women's Auxiliary of the Commissioned Officers' Mess and as dance chairman, and she has been a member of the WACOM

GIRL SCOUTS TOUR NAF-Girl Scouts of Troop 64, led by

Mrs. Virginia Johnson, r cently toured the facilities and the

radar tower at the Naval Air Facility. John Johnson, Code

3575, describes the static aircraft and missile display to the

girls during the tour.

### Board of Directors for four

vears. **Highest Award** She was given the Certificate

of Service and Meritorious Service Pin-the Navy Relief Society's highest award for volunteer service-in May 1965, and the ceremonies were shown later on a San Diego TV station. The awards were given for "exceptionally outstanding volunteer service to the Navy Relief Society since 1957 with the Hampton Roads Auxiliary and the San Diego Auxiliary". RAdm. W. H. Price, then president of the San Diego Navy Relief Society, stated in his letter of appreciation at that time: "Her exceptional organizational ability and leadership were strongly demonstrated in the transitional period when the office was being set up as a Branch Plan II . . . she gave unselfishly of her time in handling the many details involved. in recruiting and training new volunteers and at the same time carried on her duties as a senior interviewer, all of which she accomplished in a most exemplary manner. Her wealth of experience, devotion and sincere interest in the welfare of the serviceman and his family has contributed greatly to the fine record of the Auxiliary.

#### Local Community Service

From 1959 - 1962 when husband "Jake" was attached to VX-5 on a previous tour, Jeanne worked with the local American Red Cross as a social welfare aide. Also, during that period, she and Kathy Schroeder, wife of the then Commanding Officer of VX-5, started the ball rolling to organize the local chapter of Navy Relief (Navy Relief was then being handled by the chaplain's office).

In the course of two duty tours at China Lake, Mrs. Robcke has been a member of the Wildflower Festival Committee, making a total of seven years as a lolunteer with that organization. Currently, Jeanne is serving as the local Chairman of Vounteer Women for the China Lake Branch of Navy Relief, and also serves as a Gray Lady with the local Red Cross.

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Street," as the photo is called, was taken by Ken Markel, Code 5524, a member of the China Lake Photographic Society, in the Fall of 1966. The camera used was a Pentax with a F1.8 50mm lens, shot at F8 at 1/125th of a second on Panatomic X film. The next meeting of the CLPS will be Thursday, December 18. All persons interested are invited to attend. Meetings are held at the Clubhouse, 361 Mc-Intire, beginning at 7:30 p.m.

### Dr. Norman Shapiro To Speak On Drug Abuse At Murray School

A leading Psychiatrist will chiatry degree at the UCLA share his views of drug abuse School of Medicine, Department with local residents on Wednesday, December 17th, at 7:30 p.m. at the Murray School Cafetorium when the Desert Counseling Clinic sponsors Dr. Norman Shapiro, M. D., who will talk on "A Psychiatrist Looks at Drug Abuse."

Dr. Shapiro has a special interest in community psychiatry, focusing on drug abuse and how the community can counteract the problem, and he has published several papers on the subject.

He received his medical education at the University of IIlinois, served in the Navy's Medical Corps from 1960 to 1962, and as a Post Doctoral NIMH Fellow in Social and Community Psychiatry he obtained his Master of Social Psy- tend this presentation.

of Psychiatry.

For the past two years Dr. Shapiro has been a Teaching Fellow at the UCLA Department of Psychiatry. Presently, he is on the Attending Staffs at Memorial Hospital, Culver City, and Westwood Hospital, Los Angeles, and is Medical Director at Bay Cities Mental Health Center and at Westwood United Church Mental Health Clinic. Also, he is Director of Psychiatric Services of Los Angeles Psychiatric Service Center and of the Benjamin Rush Center. Recently he was appointed Consultant to the Family Service Bureau of Antelope Valley.

The public is invited to at-

### **PWOC To Hold Annual Yule** Luncheon In Chapel East Wing

nual Christmas luncheon meeting at 12 noon, Tuesday, December 16, in the East Wing of the Chapel.

At the meeting Mrs. Charles Bramlett of San Bernardino will review "A Christmas Fantasy: Raphael, the Herald Angel" by David Appel and Merle Hudson.

Long active in San Bernardino community activities, Mrs. Bramlett has been on the YW-CA Board for 12 years; a member of the President's Council on Youth and Children; Women's Club Board; and the Community Hospital Auxiliary. A graduate of the University of Redlands, she also has been a teacher.

the Chapel will hold their an- presentation, there will be a itself. short business meeting, including the election of officers for the coming year. Nursery care for pre-school children will be provided at the Chapel Nursery facilities.

Those attending are asked to bring a personal woman's gift which will be sent to mission projects and canned goods for Christmas baskets for home mission projects.

Reservations are to be made by calling Mrs. Harold Cook at 446-4334, or Mrs. C. J. Renne at 446-2426 before Monday, December 15.



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### Corona, Housing FY70, Topics Of **All-Hands Meeting**

(Continued from Page 1) ern California. rather than brought to China Lake. Also, he related that a few units have already or are now in the process of being moved to the China

Lake area. Dr. T. S. Amlie, NWC Technical Director, discussed briefly the budget forecast for the months ahead. He mentioned that all agencies are feeling the pinch from current activities in the Department of Defense.

He also said that he felt that the personnel at NWC would be better motivated to make use of their creative skills, now that they would have to work with increasingly less funds. He also discussed plans that he is now considering to reorganize the thrust of technical personnel of the Center toward a more meaningful R & D effort "the way it used to be."

Capt. John K. McConeghy, Jr., NWC Executive Officer, discussed current plans to improve some of the existing dwellings now used by Center employees. He said that although the Center did not get all of the funds it requested for this plan, some work will be done in the very near future. "Hack" Wilson, Deputy NWC

Technical Director, discussed future billet allowances for the Center and mentioned that due to the funding picture, the use of part time and temporary personnel would be sharply limited. He also said that the Center is currently in the process. of examining various Department missions in an effort to re-channel some of these to accommodate personnel whose tasks will be dissolved due to cutbacks in various technical programs. He seemed to give assurance to all that this activity can be accomplished with a minimum of hardship on the personnel affected.

John Emery, President of the Board of Directors of the China Lake Community Council, took the opportunity to explain to the packed house the function of the Council body. He also described current programs and disclosed that the residents of the Indian Wells Valley could soon look forward to relay-reception of 3 UHF channels

At the conclusion of the two sessions, Capt. M. R. Etheridge, ider, related that he was very pleased with the results of the "meeting" approach. Currently, he is planning to conduct more such gatherings of a similar nature in The Protestant Women of Preceding Mrs. Bramlett's the future as the need presents

### Annual Code 45 **Christmas Party** December 18

Employees of Code 45 will get together for their annual Christmas Party December 18 at the Community Center, beginning at 7 p.m., and lasting until 12:30 a.m.

The theme of this year's party will be "Moon Landing." All employees of the Code, their wives, and guests, are cordially invited to celebrate Christmas with their friends and co-workers.

652, Phone 72657. Plans & Pr for Series GS-322-3. File application with Maria Coleman, Cor-



RE-ENLISTS-Capt. C. W. Fritz, C. O. of VX-5 (r), congratulates First Class Petty Officer Henry P. Walker after recent enlistment ceremonies held in the Skipper's office. Petty Officer Walker, whose specialty is Aviation Structural Mechanics (Hydraulics) joined the Navy in June 1954 and has now re-enlisted for four more years. He reported to VX-5 in October 1966 from VX-94 embarked aboard the carrier U.S.S. Enterprise. Mr. Walker is from Louisville, Kentucky. He and his wife, Martha, have two children, David and Ann and live at 107 Carricart Street, Ridgecrest, Calif.

### **Promotional Opportunities**

candidate must demonstrate that he pos-

sesses the aptitudes, interests and personal

characteristics considered necessary to dis-

charge fully the responsibilities of a super-

visor. The general duties of this position

are: to ensure the maintenance of order

and enforcement of laws; to control the ac-

tions of persons in their relationship to

one another through supervision and man-

agement of a Police Watch, consisting of

subordinate Policeman, Guards and Clerk-

Typists; to conduct preliminary investiga-

tions, to make arrests and to submit proper

reports regarding complaints received and

unusual incidents which occur. The incumb-

ent is subject to watch rotation under no-

tification from Supervision. Minimum Qual-

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experience which includes at least 6 months

difficulty comparable to that of the next

lower grade or one year of supervisory

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parable to the second lower grade in the

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position is located in the Weapons Con-

tainer Design Branch, Engineering Depart-

ment. The incumbent will perform Secre-

tarial Duties for Branch Personnel as fol-

lows: Preparation of reports, memoranda,

official letters, administrative and statistical

forms and the appropriate filing and main-

tenance of records. Other duties include

receiving official visitors, screening tele-

phone calls, and distributing the mail.

Quick response requirements of the Branch

may require the incumbent to establish

secretarial workload priorities when the

Branch Head is absent. Minimum Qualifica-

tion Requirements: 1 year of general cleri-

cal experience as defined in Civil Service

File above applications with Pat Gaunt

Bldg. 34, Rm. 34, Phone 71514.

ole Cadle, Bldg. 34, Rm. 26, X-71648.

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operate, and test radio receiving, transmitting, direction finding, analyzing, and other equipment used in frequency surveillance and analysis. Minimum Qualification Requirements: Consistent with grade level, the applicant must have a sound technical knowledge and background in electronic principles and theory. He must have had a minimum of one year's progressive experience at the next lower arade level. Job Relevant Criteria: Wide basic knowledge and engineering experience with radio communication, telemetry, radar, microwave, command control, and other transmitting or receiving equipment used at the Center. Advancement Potential: The top grade level for this position is GS-12. File applications for above with Joan M.

MacIntosh, Bldg. 34, Rm. 34, Ph. 71471. Shop Planner (Public Works), JD No. 240-5. WD-47052-35 (11), Code 704-The Shop Planner will process all Shop Orders, Job Orders for his shops; order standard and non-standard equipment and write Inter-

Shop Orders for prefabrication by other shops. In order to accomplish this, on receiving Job Orders or Shop Orders, the Shop Planner will check the jobs for material and see that all material necessary to do the work requested is in stock. If the material is not in stock, the Shop Planner will order such material as needed and when received will notify the craft or shop supervisor that the material has been received. Minimum Qualification Requirements: Qualified candidates must have obtained iourneyman status in one of the metal trades, Machinist, Machinist (Maintenance), Welder, Sheetmetal, Structural Iron Worker, Boiler Maker and Blacksmith. Applicants will be rated by the appropriate J-Element standard in accordance with the Civil Service Commissions X-118C. A register of eligibles will be established on the basis of this announcement and will remain in effect not to exceed one (1) year. File application with Betty Geiser, Code

Clerk-Typist, GS-322-3, Fuze Department, Center Corona Laboratories, Corona, California 91720-The incumbent performs clerical duties for the Plans & Programs Staff such as the preparation of reports, memorandums, official letters, administrative and statistical forms and the appropriate filing and maintenance of records. Minimum Qualification Requirements: A. One year of appropriate experience or, B. education and/or experience as allowable in X-118,

ona. Non-local Merit Promotion Opportunity General Foreman I (Fuel Operations), Anouncement No. MCASET-70-1, issued 3 Decomber 1969-Career and Career-Conditional employees of the Eleventh Naval District. Voluntary application from qualified Navy and Marine Corps employees outside the area of consideration will be accepted Application SF-171 and answers to Supplemental Questions (can be obtained in personnel at reception counter) must be submitted to Civilian Personnel Office, Marine Corps Air Station, El Toro (Santa Ana). California 92709 (Code 1C3), no later than 17 December 1969. NOTE: Application SF-171 should show name, title and exact address for immediate supervisor and second leve! supervisor, and include information about awards earned by candidate or employees under his supervision

Supervisory Policemon, GS-083-07, PD No. 284013-4, Code 843-Temporary promotion The may lead to permanent assignment.

ROCKETEER

### Lt. Lewis, Bruce And Rusciolelli **Elected To COM Advisory Group**

elected to the Commissioned tions to the Commanding Offi-Officers' Mess Advisory Group and Dick Rusciolelli and Wally Bruce were elected to serve in place of William Hattabaugh and Major W. Stein, in an election of Advisory Group officers held recently by members of the COM/EDR

The Advisory Group of the COM/EDR is composed of: six members elected at large by the authorized patrons of the COM/EDR, at least one of which is a Commissioned Officer and at least one of which is a civilian NWC employee; two Commissioned Officers, one from VX-5 and one from NAF, who are appointed by their respective Commanders; three civilian members of the Executive Dining Room Committee of the Employee Services Board; and a representative of WA-COM, nominated by that organization.

Three of the six elected members are elected each year and serve two years.

In addition to these 12 voting members the Advisory Group also includes five nonvoting ex-officio members: the NWC Executive Officer, Capt. J. K. McConeghy Jr.; the NWC Legal Officer, Lt. L. W. Campbell; the COM liaison Officer, Cdr. W. R. Guffy; the ESB Business Manager; and the COM/ EDR Manager, Jack Roberts.

Chairman for the Group currently is Bob Rowntree who was elected to complete LCdr. Doug McCrimmon's term of office when McCrimmon left in June. The Chairmanship is a one year term, elected each January.

The Advisory Group meets on the third Monday of each month. Club members are welcome to attend all meetings of the Group, and may enter into the Advisory Group's deliberations. Any member wishing to bring up a topic of discussion at the meetings is asked to first notify the Chairman of the subject they wish to dis-CUSS.

#### Duties

The duties of the Club Advisory Group, as stated in the **BUPERS Manual for Messes** Ashore, is to act in an advisory capacity to the Commanding Officer, and not, as a group, engage in any management or operational duties. In addition, the Group observes the overoperation of the Mess in

Lt. Jack T. Lewis was re- order to make recommendacer for its improvement. The Advisory Group is also to be consulted by the management of the Mess on any expenditures that are not routine.

In addition to the above duties, the Regulations of the Commissioned Officers Mess identify a specific set of duties for the Advisory Group related to approval of EDR membership applications, conduct of membership checks, and enforcement of delinquent account procedures. These duties are performed by the ESB/ EDR Committee members acting as the Membership Committee of the Advisory Group.

The Advisory Group is not empowered to act in response to problems or complaints of the membership — the proper route for a member with a problem is to take his complaint to the Club Manager and then to the COM Liaison Officer (Cdr. Guffy) and the ESB Business Manager.

### **Stannous Flouride Treatment Offered** At Dental Dept.

The Dental Department of NWC, China Lake, will administer the Navy three-agent stannous flouride treatment to military and retired military dependent children, six (6) years of age and older, during the period December 22 through January 2, 1970.

The three-agent stannous fluoride application consists of a polishing with a paste rubbed over the teeth with a small rubber cup, a topical liquid which is rubbed over the teeth by a cotton swab and the third and most important step of this treatment is daily toothbrushing after every meal.

NWC Notice 6620 has been mailed to all active duty personnel. Anyone not receiving this notice may obtain one by coming to the appointment desk of the Dental Cilnic in the Station Hospital.

Complete instructions are included in the notice.

The Dental Department urges all qualified personnel to take advantage of this outstanding decay preventative treatment



NEW ARRIVAL AT NWC-Lt. Joan M. Goodberlet arrived last week for duty at the Center Dispensary where she will be General Staff Nurse. She comes from the Naval Hospital at Long Beach; prior duty was at the Naval Hospital, Guam, M.I. A native of Rochester, New York, she is a graduate of St. Mary's Hospital School of Nursing in Rochester, was commissioned in December 1963 and entered the Naval Service in January 1964. Her hobbies are music and photography.



Capt. M. R. Etheridge Capt. L. A. Dewing and Capt C. W. Fritz will snare the spotlight at the annual Traf fic Safety Program at the Center Theatre on Monday December 15, 1969. The safety of military and civilian personnel who will be driv ing during the holidays will be the theme of the program. An unusual and award winning Air Force traffic safety film, "The Long Weekend: the Odds Get Shorter," will be shown.

The program will be given wice, at 10 a.m. and 1 p.m., n order to accommodate as many persons as possible.

All hands are encouraged to attend. Any member of the community who is interested is also welcome.

### Vaughn Parrish To 'Call' For **Cactus Squares** Mr. Vaughn Parrish, well-

known caller of Boulder, Colorado, will "call" for the Cactus Squares on Saturday evening, December 13, at the Murray School Cafetorium. Dancing will begin at 8 p.m., and refreshments will be served, announced John Lytle, publicity chairman

Mr. Parrish, nationally acclaimed for his calling, has been on tour since August. He has been the instructor of square dancing at the University of Colorado at Boulder in the past, and he has called for many years at the Lighted Lantern atop Lookout Mountain at Golden, Colorado, and annually makes tours from coast to coast. A fine evening of dancing is promised to all.



**BENNY SUGGS AWARD—Seven employees** of Public Works were recently awarded Beneficial Suggestions Certificates including a cash award, for suggestions made through the "Benny Sugg" program. They are, I to r, Claude E. Tavernier, Code 70422; John J.

Harven, Code 70414; Henry W. Miller, Code 70451; Clarence E. Miller, Code 70414; Clarence G. Johnson, Code 70452; Richard O. Morgan, Code 70451; and Henry M. Linsea, Code 70431.

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