



RECEIVES HONORABLE MENTION—Mrs. Sena Kokosenski, Head Sales Clerk of the NWC Navy Exchange, is presented a plaque by Capt. M. R. Etheridge, NWC Commander, signifying an Honorable Mention award won by Mrs. Kokosenski in the Christmas Interior Display and Visual Merchandising Contest for 1969, staged yearly by the Navy Resale System Office. Mrs. Kokosenski submitted a photo of her display in Group 1 Category of the contest which is designed to stimulate interest in effective visual merchandising and to encourage the accomplishment of attractive Christmas Displays.

Military Clubs Weekend Fare Offers Variety

This coming weekend is loaded with entertainment for members of the four clubs on the Center, beginning with "The Ginger Mede Show" at the Jolly Roger, Friday, April 17, beginning at 9 p.m. until 1:30 a.m. According to Jim Moore, all members and guests are cordially invited to attend.

The Commissioned Officers' Mess will feature the annual WACOM dinner-dance, featuring "The Blue Mist," Saturday, April 18. Dinner will be served in the Executive Dining Room from 6 p.m. until 9 p.m. Tickets for the dance may be purchased at the door. Entertainment will be from 9 p.m. until 1:30 a.m.

The Paul Riley Combo will entertain at the Chief Petty Officers' Club, Saturday, April 18, when the CPO will hold "Nuthouse Night." Crazy Bartenders and Drifty Waitresses will be on hand to serve members and guests.

Cap Prentice, manager of the CPO Club, advises all those who attend to bring a "Sense of Humor," or stay home.

The Club Chaparral will feature "The Sooners," a Country and Western group April 17, from 9 p.m. until 1:30 a.m., and on Saturday, April 18, the "Chain of Fools," a rock group, will entertain members and guests from 9 p.m. until 1:30 a.m.

Tax Board Rep Says No Need To Re-Submit

Last minute taxpayers who failed to take advantage of the ten percent discount offered by the state for filing tax forms on time need not submit new forms in order to be credited for the reduction.

According to the Franchise Tax Board representative who visited the Center last week, the deduction will automatically be credited the wage earner when his form is checked in Sacramento.

Filing new forms will only add to what will be some very anxious moments at the Franchise tax board and is really not necessary.



SHOWBOAT IS COMING—Colorful costumes and beautiful music will captivate audiences who attend the Theatre 27, Desert Campus production of "Show Boat," scheduled to be performed April 17, 18, 24 and 25 in the Burroughs Multipurpose Room. Curtain time is slated for 8:15 p.m. In this scene, townspeople surround one of the Show Boat's stars, Julie, portrayed by Jeanne Gritton, 2nd from right, on the levee. The townspeople are portrayed by: Stephanie Latimer, left; Randy Carson, back; and DeeDee Danielsen.

SHOWBOAT

MOVIE RATINGS FOR PARENTS AND YOUNG PEOPLE

The objective of the ratings is to inform parents about the suitability of movie content for viewing by their children.

G ALL AGES ADMITTED
General Audiences

GP ALL AGES ADMITTED
Parental Guidance Suggested

R RESTRICTED
Under 17 requires accompanying Parent or Adult Guardian

X NO ONE UNDER 17 ADMITTED
(Age limit may vary in certain areas)

ALL G, GP, R, AND X FILMS RECEIVE THIS SEAL OF THE MOTION PICTURE CODE OF SELF-REGULATION

(Comedy) Faithful butler turns super-crook to support his once-wealthy employer, but a new, very pretty secretary almost upsets the plan. (GP)
Shorts: "London Derrier" (7 Min.)
"Prehistorical Hare" (7 Min.)

SUNDAY-MONDAY APRIL 19-20
"THE MADWOMAN OF CHAILLOTT" (132 Min.)
Katherine Hepburn, Charles Boyer
7:00 P.M.
(Fantasy/Comedy) An aged eccentric learns that a group of men plan to destroy Paris. She devises a plan, together with her equally eccentric friends, to rid the city of the evil men. The world had changed, but it could not conquer her. (G)

TUESDAY-WEDNESDAY APRIL 21-22
"BANDOLERO" (106 Min.)
James Stewart, Raquel Welch, Dean Martin
7:00 P.M.
(Western) An action-loaded story of two brothers, who fought on opposite sides in the Civil War, and their escapades of bank robbing and kidnapping. Raquel, the reluctant prisoner, falls for Dino. (GP)
Short: "Out and Out Roul" (7 Min.)

THURSDAY-FRIDAY APRIL 23-24
"THE RAIN PEOPLE" (101 Min.)
James Caan, Shirley Knight
7:00 P.M.
(Drama) A discontented housewife unable to face responsibilities runs away on an aimless drive across the U.S. She picks up a hitchhiker, a brain-damaged ex-football player, whom she can't seem to get rid of. (R)
Short: "A Taste of Catnip" (7 Min.)

FRIDAY APRIL 17
"BETTER A WIDOW" (102 Min.)
Vivien Leigh, Peter McEnery
7:00 P.M.
(Comedy/Drama) Beautiful Vivien Leigh as the undefiled daughter of a brother of the Mafia in Sicily, who has betrothed her to a member. Vivien falls in love with a British engineer who arrives to build an oil refinery. (GP)
Short: "Looney Goony" (7 Min.)

SATURDAY APRIL 18
—MATINEE—
"VALLEY OF MYSTERY" (93 Min.)
Richard Egan
1:00 P.M.
Shorts: "Hook, Line and Stinker" (7 Min.)
"Frank & Jessie James" (No. 8, 13 Min.)
—EVENING—
"FITZWILLY" (95 Min.)
Dick Van Dyke, Barbara Feldon
7:00 P.M.

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MILESTONE MEMENTO—Cdr. Wayne Stephens, Commanding Officer of VA-146, NAS Lemoore, (l) receives a Shrike Missile model from W. B. Porter, Shrike Program Manager, following the recent launching by Stephens of the 1,000th Shrike missile over NWC Ranges. The event occurred during VA-146's Shrike training session at the Center. Cdr. Stephens, who had flown his A7E from NAS Lemoore, for the training mission, was requested to land at China Lake upon launching the round to receive congratulations and the memento.

Wildflower Show Opens Next Weekend At NWC

The Naval Weapons Center will roll out the welcome mat next weekend, April 25 and 26, for the 24th annual Indian Wells Valley Wildflower Festival to be staged at the China Lake Community Center.

Mrs. Melvin R. Etheridge, wife of the Center's Commander and general chairman of the show, extends an invitation to all local residents and guests to visit the Festival on Saturday from 1 p.m. to 10 p.m., and on Sunday from 10 a.m. to 8 p.m.

This year's spectacular floral exhibit, which is being sponsored by the Women's Auxiliary of the Commissioned Officers' Mess, promises to be outstanding with more than 150 wildflower varieties on display. Desert paintings provided by local artists will enhance the huge bouquets of wild blossoms. Individual specimens will be displayed along with both their common and botanical names. Photographs and a slide show illustrating some of the flower varieties for which the Indian Wells Valley area is noted will supplement the live flower displays.

A number of hobby clubs and the Maturango Museum will augment the Wildflower Festival with their exhibits of artifacts, reptiles, rocks and gems and staged desert scenes. Background music will be "live," furnished by local musicians. There is no admission charge to the Wildflower Festival.

The annual wildflower shows held at the Naval Weapons Center are considered the third largest attraction in Indian Wells Valley, approximating the popularity of Armed Forces Day and the Desert Empire Fair.

Each year a visitor registration is conducted in the Community Center lobby during the show and last year more than 2,000 visitors registered their attendance at the Wildflower Festival. Among the visitors to the 1969 Wildflower Festival were members of the Santa Barbara Botanical Gardens who attend the flower show in a chartered bus. Their comments on the event were highly complimentary.

Dr. William B. Brierly, viewed the flower show last year while visiting the Center on official business, and he was so impressed with the wildflower variety that he obtained specimens from the show for pressing and forwarding to the Clark University Herbarium at Worcester, Massachusetts, where he taught formerly. Visitors from several hundred miles away frequent the annual flower show as evidenced by the Los Angelean who was awarded the door prize—a tinted photograph of the Bristlecone Pine. Again this year, a Bristlecone Pine tinted photograph will be given as the door prize.

The efforts of many committees, clubs, and individuals are required to bring together the many facets of the desert's natural spectacular beauty to create an attraction as significant as the Wildflower Festival—one that is both educational and appealing to human aesthetics.

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Adm. Moorer Appointed Joint Chiefs' Chairman

President Nixon Also Names VAdm. Elmo Zumwalt As CNO

On Tuesday, April 14, President Richard M. Nixon named Admiral Thomas H. Moorer, currently Chief of Naval Operations, to be the next Chairman of the Joint Chiefs of Staff. In a concurrent move, the President also appointed VAdm. Elmo R. Zumwalt, Jr., now COMNAVFORV, to the coveted position soon to be vacated by Admiral Moorer. Both actions will be effective as of July 2.

In a message to all hands, dated April 15, Secretary of the Navy John Chafee remarked of the appointments—"I know you share my pride in this well-deserved recognition of Admiral Moorer and the Navy. Our congratulations and support go with him into this new office of tremendous importance to the nation.

"... Admiral Zumwalt is presently serving as Commander, Naval Forces, Viet Nam, and is exceptionally qualified to lead the Navy at this particular time. In this period of changing strategic concepts and technology, Admiral Zumwalt has the necessary imagination, energy and planning ability to meet the challenges we will be facing.

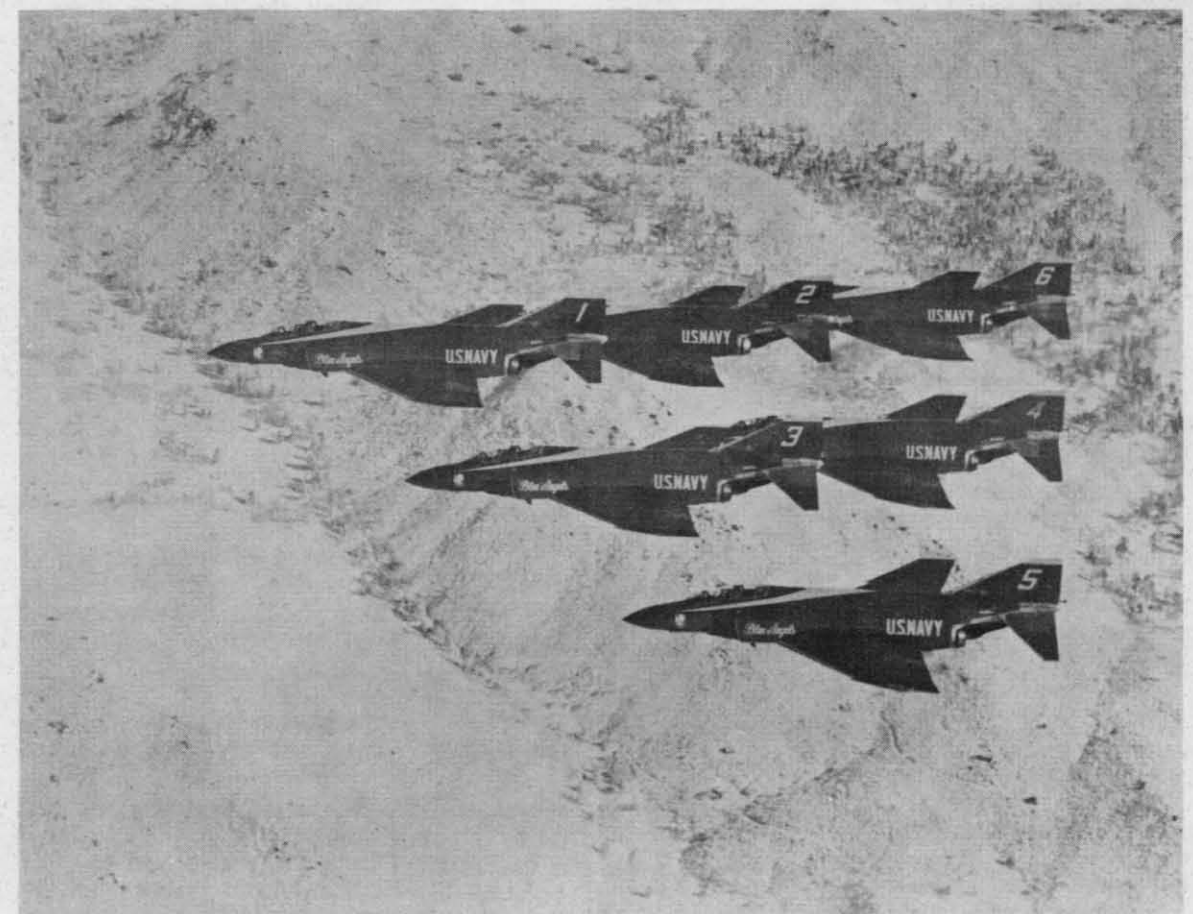
"In a time of changing attitudes in our youth, he will be the most youthful CNO in history and one who has proved himself a true leader."

Notwithstanding the significance of the announcement with respect to the increased confidence of the Administration in the role of Navy in military affairs, the appointment



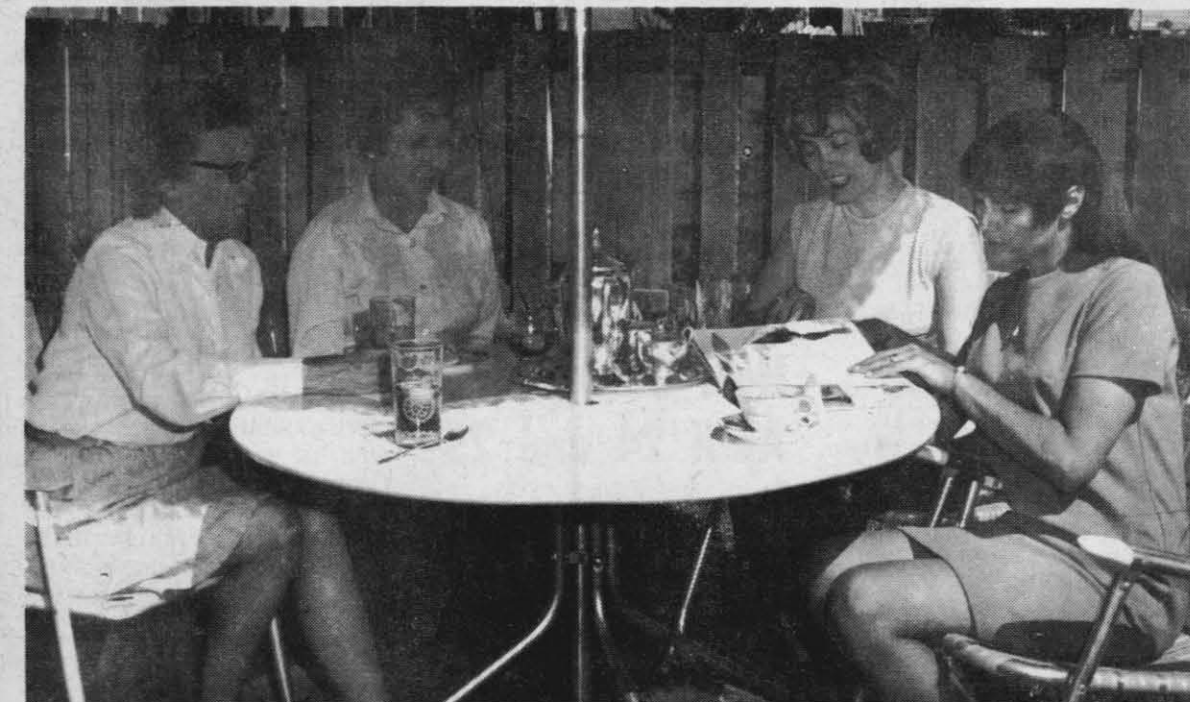
ADM. T. H. MOORER, CNO (above) and **VADM. Elmo Zumwalt, Jr., COMNAVFORV**, have been named new JCS Chairman and CNO respectively pending Senate approval effective 2 July. The announcement was made this week by President Nixon.

A 1933 graduate of the U.S. Naval Academy, he is currently (Continued on Page 3)



ARMED FORCES' DAY FEATURE—The Blue Angels, the Navy's Crack Flight Demonstration Team, will be on hand May 9 at NAF to participate in this year's Armed Forces Day celebration. The annual event,

which has been moved up a week to take advantage of the Blue Angel availability is being co-ordinated by elements of VX-5 under the leadership of Cdr. Barr Stevenson. For details and plans, see page 3.



DANCE COMMITTEE—WACOM members pool their ideas for a decor to carry out the "Desert Bloom" motif at their annual semi-formal spring dance to be held in the Commissioned Officers' Mess tonight at 9 p.m. Seated, (l-r) are: Joan Ellefson; Phyllis Wair, publicity chairman; Mary East; and Anne Waters, dance chairman.

CHAPLAIN'S MESSAGE

Zeman Heruteinu

By Student Rabbi Robert Klensin



The Jewish holiday of Passover is also known as "Zeman Heruteinu," the Season of Our Freedom. Each year, for the past hundred generations the story of the Exodus has been retold in Jewish homes.

The mere repeating of events in the lives of distant ancestors thousands of years ago, however, is likely to mean little in the life of the modern man. It is recognized in the Bible itself that in good times we are likely to forget what it was like to slaves and thus have no feeling for those who are oppressed.

We are told in Deuteronomy 8, "When you have eaten your fill, and have built fine houses to live in and your silver and gold have increased, and everything you own has prospered, beware lest your heart grow haughty and you forget the Lord your God - who freed you from the land of Egypt, the house of bondage."

Therefore, in the words of the Passover service, "In every generation each man should look on himself as if he came forth out of Egypt." If one feels oneself to have been personally redeemed from slavery, the effect can be enormous. Only in this way can one truly begin to feel empathy for those who are today oppressed.

The Bible tells us that we must be concerned with minorities in our midst and with those less fortunate than ourselves, for "we were slaves in the land of Egypt."

The message of Passover is a universal one. The holiday speaks today for all peoples who are still subjected to any form of domination and are still denied the basic rights and liberties which are man's due. The cry "let my people go" which was first heard in Egypt has re-echoed round the world and is uttered by all those whose lives have been darkened by oppression.

The Jew in America today lives in a land where he is free, but this is not the case with all Jews. Every fourth Jew alive today lives in the Soviet Union. These Jews are denied the means of maintaining their heritage and religious, cultural and social experience that would give meaning and dignity to their identities as Jews. They are harshly discriminated against in education and employment. They are subjected to an ingrained popular anti-semitism, fed by constant official propaganda.

Of Passover, as Jews we are especially cognizant of the spiritual strangulation faced by our brothers in the Soviet Union. On Passover, as we feel ourselves to have been redeemed from slavery in Egypt, we are reminded that we can not be silent while our fellow Jews in the Soviet Union, as well as other peoples throughout the world, are yet oppressed.

Through the centuries the story of the Exodus from Egypt has inspired men and nations to work and pray, and if need be, to fight for freedom. The yearly message of Passover will remain a vital living one as long as there is anyone who is not allowed to be free.

CENTER LIBRARY LISTS NEW BOOKS

A complete list of new books is available in the library.

- Fiction
Arnow—Weedkiller's Daughter.
Bellow—Mr. Sammler's Planet.
Bissell—Julia Harrington.
Bulatovic—Hero on a Donkey.
Caldwell—Weather Shelter.

Non-Fiction

- Beatty—The Human Factor.
Bell—What Shall We Do Tomorrow?
Bosworth—My Love Affair with the Navy.
Campbell—Marching Without Banners.
Eskenazi—Hockey.

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DIVINE SERVICES

Protestant (All-Faith Chapel)—
Morning Worship—10:00 a.m.
Sunday School—8:30 a.m. Chapel Annexes 1, 2, 4 (Dorma 5, 6, 8) located opposite Center Restaurant.
Thursday—Service at 5:00 p.m. (Organ Prelude at 4:45 p.m.)

Roman Catholic (All-Faith Chapel)—
Holy Mass—7, 8:30 and 11:15 a.m. Sunday.

Daily Mass—11:30 a.m. in Blessed Sacrament Chapel. Saturday, 8:30 a.m.

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

NWC 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 95, 95 King Ave.)—Sundays, 7:30 p.m.

PROMOTIONAL OPPORTUNITIES

Employees are encouraged to apply for the positions listed below. Current applications (SF-171) or Standard Form 58 bringing your work history up-to-date should be forwarded as described below. The fact that positions are advertised here does not preclude the use of other means to fill these positions. 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 without favoritism based on personal relationships or patronage.

The vacancies listed below are effective from 17 to 24 April 1970.

Administrative Officer, GS-9 or 11, Code 4030—This vacancy is located in the Air-to-Surface Weapons Division. The Division Administrative Officer is the Division Head's primary consultant for administrative matters. He is responsible for advising and assisting in all of the administrative functions of the Division including all aspects of personnel, procurement, planning and implementation, workload and resource planning, budgeting and fiscal matters, reporting goals, facilities, management analysis, and general administrative services. Minimum Qualification Requirements: Three years general experience and two years specialized for GS-9; and three years general experience and three years specialized for GS-11. Specialized experience is experience in administrative, supervisory, managerial, professional or technical work which provided the applicant an opportunity to acquire a knowledge of management principles, practices, methods and techniques and an understanding of the needs and problems of administering public programs. Job Relevant Criteria and/or Potential: Applicants with a Bachelors Degree or higher will be given preference. This position has advancement potential to the GS-12 level based on incumbent's ability to fulfill job requirements.

File applications for above with June Chipp, Bldg. 34, Rm. 26, phone 2676.

Safety Assistant, GS-01B-02 or -07, PD No. 185001, (1 vacancy), Code 225—Duties include examining and licensing of government vehicle operators, classroom instruction of enlisted personnel in the driver improvement course, vehicle accident investigation and traffic engineering. Minimum Qualification Requirements: Three years of general experience which required the ability to deal effectively with individuals and groups and included responsibility for ensuring observance of the rules of safety rules and measures as specified in...

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Mother - Daughter PWOC Banquet Features Clothes

In a "first" for Indian Wells Valley, the Broadway Store of Bakersfield will furnish 50 ensembles for a fashion show to be featured at the annual Mother-Daughter Banquet sponsored by the Protestant Women of the Chapel (PWOC). The Fashion Show-Banquet will be held at 6:00 p.m., Tuesday, May 7, at the China Lake Community Center.

Tickets for the event will go on sale this week and may be obtained from PWOC Circle members; from the Chapel Office; from Ann Seitz at the Community Center; or from Marilyn Viers, ticket chairman. Ticket sales end May 4.

The menu will feature stuffed baked chicken and will be catered by the Commissioned Officers' Mess. Adult dinners will be \$2.75 and dinners for children, ages 12 and under, will be \$1.75.

Fashions shown will extend from the toddler age to the age of mature woman. A special junior boutique for the petit woman will be featured also. Coiffures will be by "Senns", and make-up will be prepared by Fashion Twenty-Fran Powell and Shirley Cobb are co-chairman.

The banquet is open to all Valley residents and their guests.

Catholic Fashion Show May 3



FASHION SHOW—Karen Craney (r), models a dress which will be given to some lucky person who attends the "Patterns of Spring" fashion show, sponsored by the Social Committee of the Catholic Congregation. The showing will be held May 3 in the East Wing of the All Faith Chapel at 1:30 p.m., and will feature 22 models wearing home-styled ensembles. Mrs. Ethel Ritchie works on a similar dress.

Kern County Art Show At NWC This Weekend

The NWC Community Center will be the scene of the Area show of the 22nd annual Kern County Art Festival, Saturday and Sunday, April 18 and 19. Hours for the showing will be from 2 p.m. to 8 p.m. on Saturday, and from 11 a.m. to 7 p.m. on Sunday.

The competition is divided into four major categories for ribbon awards. These are: Elementary; High School; Junior High School; and Adult Amateur. Entry stickers, which were mailed after application blanks were submitted, must be on the back of all paintings entered in the competition. Winners of first-place blue ribbons advance to Kern County competition on May 2 in Bakersfield, where they will compete with other blue ribbon winners from the other 10 areas in the County.

In addition to Blue Ribbons for first place, other ribbons to be awarded include: red, second place; white, third; yellow, fourth; and green, honorable mention. A sweepstakes ribbon will be awarded to the work in each of the four divisions which the judges deem the best of the blue ribbon winners.

The Desert Art League, local sponsors of the show, have added a number of attractions for public interest. The social

Fund Committee Reports Booster Budget Record

Approximately two years ago, the TV Booster fund drive was reactivated.

The purpose was to collect money to pay for the replacement of the old equipment that was then being used in the TV Booster system. A further goal was to obtain money for boosting additional channels, namely 23 and 29 from Bakersfield, and 28 from Los Angeles.

The basic idea was this: as enough money was obtained to refurbish a single channel, equipment would be purchased and installed on one of the channels. The rationale behind the idea was that improved reception on the improved channel(s) would stimulate interest in the fund drive and bring it to a speedy, successful conclusion.

Unfortunately, delays in equipment delivery and attendant technical problems delayed the full improvement until nearly a year after the fund drive started.

Also, the new equipment was used on those stations which had the best of the old equipment. Thus, the improvement was less apparent than it would have been had, say channel 12 been redone. The result was that the fund drive staggered to a halt and died.

The current financial status is as follows:

Total collected, \$25,720; equipment purchased, \$20,410; installation costs, \$504; administrative expense, \$684; present net worth, \$4,122.

The new equipment was used on channels 4, 7, 9, and 11. Channels 2, 5, and 13 are still being operated on old equipment. Upkeep on the booster system cost the NWC Recreation Fund approximately \$3,600 in fiscal year 1969. This was about 1.1% of the total budget. Costs for the first six months of fiscal year 1970 were about \$1200. This is a very low cost (about 15 cents per person per year) for the service we receive.

Future information will discuss the present condition and plans for future development of our TV Booster system.



LWV OFFICERS—New officers of the Indian Wells Valley League of Women Voters, elected recently during a local convention pose for a photograph at a meeting at the COM. They are, left to right: Wila Schaniel, Chairman of the Nominating Committee; Lorraine McClung, member, Nominating Committee;

Martha Pena, 2-year Board Director; Judith Gill, Treasurer; Patricia Lloyd, 2nd Vice-President; and Phyllis Wise, President, who is presently serving a two-year term. The ladies also voted to study mental health problems during the coming year, as well as continue a study of local school systems.



CANCER DRESSING STATION—Ladies of the local Desert Holly Chapter No. 558, Order of the Eastern Star, meet once a month for a Cancer Dressing Station, sponsored by the Chapter. Cancer dressing stations were begun in 1957 by the Order of the Eastern Star, and now number 122 throughout Calif-

ornia. The dressings are made according to American Cancer Society specifications and are sent to the Society in San Bernardino, unless there is a need for them in the Indian Wells Valley area. Last year, Chapters in California made 1,056,603 dressings. Mrs. Edith Haley is chairman of the group.

One Assessment Waived, One Due Announces GEBA-CLMAS' Mason

Larry Mason, secretary-treasurer of the Government Employees Benefit Association and the China Lake Mutual Aid Society, has announced that Assessments Nos. 205-132 are waived for the death of member Noel Cragin. Mr. Cragin, age 64, was employed as a model maker in Code 5534. He succumbed to a heart attack at the Ridgecrest Community Hospital on Tuesday.

Another assessment No. 206-133 is due for the death of Priscilla Cole who died late Tuesday at the Center Dispensary. She had been employed in Code 3012 as an engineer-technician since 1955.

Mason advises that Section 4 under Article III of the by-laws states that: "Any member who may be retired under the U.S. Retirement Act, or under a Medical Retirement, may re-tain his or her membership... Any member who terminates employment from the Center

and is not under any status of retirement, will automatically be dropped from the roll at the occurrence of the next collectible assessment. It will be the responsibility of the retired member to keep the secretary-treasurer informed of his or her address."

Girl Scouts To Hold Garage Sale April 24 and 25

Girl Scout Troop No. 148 will hold a garage sale at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Richard Boyd, 717 Ticonderoga on the Center, from 9 a.m. to 6 p.m. each day, April 24 and 25.

Proceeds from the sale will be used to purchase Girl Scout equipment for local troops.

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an organized safety program. Applicants will have to pass the FSEE before being qualified to fill this vacancy. File applications for the above with Carole Cadle, Bldg. 34, Rm. 26, ext. 2925/2676.

The Naval Construction Battalion Center, Port Huene, California extends area of consideration of Wage Grade Supervisory Examination for General Foreman II Stockman, Announcement No. NCBC-IVA-1270, issued 3 April 1970. Place of employment is the Naval Construction Battalion Center, Port Huene, California, and the area of consideration is extended to include the Eleventh Naval District, Career or Career-Conditional employees of the Navy or Marine Corps should file Application Card Form 4155-AB and Standard Form 171 with the Director, Industrial Relations Division (Code 12C11), Naval Construction Battalion Center, Port Huene, Calif. 93041, not later than the close of business on 24 April 1970. Applicants must clearly indicate on their application forms the title of the examination for which application is made. Option: Applicants may use a previous score attained on the written test (Test 605 and 606) provided it was the same test as the one now prescribed. A copy of Notice of Rating which shows previous score must be submitted.

Supervisory Clerk, GS-301-06, PD No. 2912/AmI, (1 vacancy), Code 7506—The position is that of assistant to the Head, Distribution Staff, Technical Information Department. The major duties are to 1) coordinate distribution lists, 2) create and maintain lists, master cards and plates, 3) supervise Distribution Staff employees. Minimum Qualification Requirements: One year of general experience in progressively responsible general office clerical and two and a half years specialized experience in clerical experience which involves maintaining and coordinating distribution systems. Job Relevant Criteria: 1) Ability to supervise, 2) experience in dealing with distribution systems.

Clerk (Typing), GS-301-05, (1 vacancy), Code 7506—The position is that of Clerk (Typing) in the Distribution Staff, Technical Information Department. The major duties are to handle requests for supplemental distributions, coordinate distribution lists and maintain master records. Minimum Qualification Requirements: One year of general experience in progressively responsible general office clerical and two years of specialized experience in clerical experience which involves maintaining and coordinating distribution systems. Job Relevant Criteria: Experience in dealing with distribution systems.

File applications for the above with Carole Cadle, Bldg. 34, Rm. 26. Clerk (Typing), GS-301-3 or -4, PD No. 817007, Code 172—Incumbent acts as clerk for Financial Analysis Division. Duties include typing of financial and other reports, maintaining files, and performing general clerical duties as required. Minimum Qualification Requirements: GS-3; Completion of high school plus one year general experience; GS-4; the above plus a year specialized experience. Job Relevant Criteria and/or Selective Placement Criteria: Prefer some experience in the budget or finance area. Advancement Potential: GS-3 may advance to GS-4. File application for the above with Sue Prosslowicz, Bldg. 34, Rm. 28, ext. 2577.

Tour Readied By Garden Club

The Oasis Garden Club of Indian Wells Valley will conduct a tour of Ridgecrest and China Lake gardens on April 23, beginning with a 9:00 a.m. membership coffee at the home of Mrs. Charles Woods, 55-A Stroop, China Lake. Coffee will be served till noon and the garden tour will be open to the public from 9:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m.

An original oil painting by Norma Smith, a Boron artist who has won awards in Kern County competitions, will be displayed at the coffee. The desert scene painting will be awarded to the winner in June, after a touring other garden clubs of the Desert Empire District.

Brochures and garden tour tags will be available from club members or at the Woods' residence on the day of the tour. Donations are \$1.00.



AWARD OF MERIT—James "Danny" Dandurand, (c), received an Award of Merit from R. C. Nelson, (r), of United Air Lines, for the work JAMTO continually does in aiding air travelers. A recent example concerned Mrs. E. Hiergessell, a house guest of Cdr. S. S. Bates, Head, Command Administration Department, when she missed connections to China Lake due to a late flight. Dandurand, who heads the JAMTO office, was in Los Angeles International Airport and heard of Mrs. Hiergessell's plight. He volunteered to bring the stranded passenger to China Lake in his automobile that same evening. Capt. J. K. McConeghy, Jr., NWC Executive Officer, congratulates Dandurand.



BURROS VARSITY—The Burroughs High School varsity baseball squad, who have a 3 and 3 record in Golden League competition, will meet Quartz Hill Saturday, April 18, at

Schoeffel Field, with game time slated for 10 a.m. Above, Danny Mercado, Burroughs pitcher, shows his style against Victor Valley in a recent game at Schoeffel Field.



ACE-TV Wins Premiere Title On Final Night

Mounting a charge reminiscent of the one that overtook San Juan Hill, Ace TV caught and passed Boyd's Auto Parts on the final day of the season to win the 1970 Premier League by a scant 1 1/2 points. Boyd's, who led the league the last half of the season, fell behind after two games, but came back bravely in the final game to haul within 1 point of taking all the marbles. Ace TV won 11 points to Boyd's 9.

Other final standings for the year are as follows:
AV Trophy, third; Ridgecrest Lanes, fourth; China Lake Navy, fifth; Tom's Place, sixth; Starlite Room, seventh; Mercury Movers, eighth; Kirkpatrick's Carpets, ninth; and Team No. 10, tenth.

Season's Highs
Ace TV shot the year's high series, blasting the pins for a 3007 total. Ridgecrest Lanes took second and third with 2950 and 2939. Kirkpatrick's Carpets' 1045 stood up for high team game. Boyd's Auto took second with 1032 and Ridgecrest Lanes had a 1027 for third.

Thad Brightwell won high series, rolling a 702 in mid-season. He was followed by Bryan Schuetze's 672 and Jack Brown's 662. Bill Tenan had the high individual game, a 257 effort, followed by Jim Peck's 256 and George Barker's 254.

Brightwell also set the high average for the year with 192, and Earle Roby averaged 190 on the season.

Monday Nite Scratch
Scores for the night of April 6 included a 591 by Neola Crimmins, who put together single games of 201-211-179, and Betty Kirwin's 577, which included games of 178-245-154.

Other fine scores for the night: Royce Dowd, 171-214-173-558; Erma Erickson, 203 and 554; Sue Haack, 518; Mary Jane Clark, 217 and 518; and Vivian Dalpiaz, 203-500.

On April 13, Jeanne Crom led the league with a 541 series, which included a 216 game. Shirley Hartman rolled 202 and 539 for second high.

Myrtle Snyder had a 212 single game enroute to a 517 series, followed by Mary Jane Clark, who fired a 210 and 510.

Dorene McDermott had a single effort of 205 and a three-game set of 509, and Sallie Stephenson shot 202 and 504.

Supply Dept. Mixed
The Outcasts rolled 968, and the Alley Cats 2763 to lead team scoring April 12. Ernie Diede had a 588 and Jim Poore a 584 to lead the male scoring, while Bonnie Harkey shot a 506 and Mary Jane Clark a 181 to head the ladies.

Ken McGrath had a 222 single game.

Desert League
Ron Lindemann rolled a nice 642 series, including games of 245 and 225, to lead the scoring on April 9. John Ito was close on his heels, hitting 604 on the strength of a 254 game.

Jerry Whitnack recorded a 279 single game, and Alton Cutsinger a 257.

Friday Mixed

Ray Freascher rolled a 618 series, highlighted by a 247 and a 226 Friday, April 10, to lead the male scoring. Jim Ball was close behind, rolling 202 and 244 toward a 612 total.

Other fine scores over the past two weeks: Doug Driscoll, 240; Bob Owens, 223; Bob Hooper, 212-200; Sam Schoenhals, 200-202; Vern White, 219; Dick Tolkmitt, 212; Jim Netzer, 214; Dan Branson, 226, and Allen Smith, 204-223 and a 605.

Female bowlers were led by Neola Crimmins' 545, which included a 203 game. Wilma Johnson rolled 221 enroute to a 540 series.

Other good scores on the distaff side of the ledger: Alice Cutsinger, 531; Erma Erickson, 210 and 537; Darlene Herbstreit, 518; Cynthia Schoenhals, 509, and Donna Tolkmitt, 500, her first.

Jeanne Crom rolled 213 and 201 for a 562 the following week, and Carolyn Smith hit 203.

The China Lake Bowl has scheduled a special six-game mixed doubles Bowl-A-Thon, set for Friday, May 8, and Monday, May 11. Starting time both nights is 6:30 p.m.

Entry fee for the Bowl-A-Thon is \$15 per couple and all revenue will go to the prize fund, after line fees.

For more information, contact the China Lake Bowl, 3471. According to Fred Dalpiaz, Manager of the Bowl, Military Wives Summer League is now being formed.

Ladies who wish to participate in the league, are asked to call Sue Reynolds (446-6024) or Marion Nichols (446-6050).

Judo Teams To Compete at BHS

Judo teams from Edwards AFB, Palmdale, Lancaster, Barstow, and single entrants from Southern Nevada and San Bernardino are expected to converge at the Burroughs High School gymnasium April 19 for the AAU Junior and Senior Judo Tournament, hosted by the China Lake Judo Club.

According to Margaret Gulick, an instructor at Burroughs High School, and president of the China Lake Judo Club, competition will begin with the Junior divisions at 1 p.m.

The tournament is part of a series of scheduled tournaments, planned to take place monthly in the areas previously mentioned.

VAdm. Zumwalt, the new Chief of Naval Operations, became the Navy's youngest Rear Admiral on June 2, 1965 at the age of 44. A 1962 graduate of the Naval Academy, his more notable assignments in recent years have included a tour as ComCrudesFlot 7, Director of CNO's System Analysis Group, and his present

job, Commander, U.S. Naval Forces, Vietnam.

Replaces Wheeler
Adm. Moorcer replaces Army General Earle G. Wheeler in the top military post, who is retiring after an unprecedented six years as Chairman of the Joint Chiefs.

Other members of the top military advisory panel to the Pentagon and the President John D. Ryan; Marine Corps Commandant, General Leonard F. Chapman, Jr.; and Army General William C. Westmoreland, who was formerly the Commander of U.S. Forces in Vietnam.

May Armed Forces' Day To Feature Blue Angels

It's official! The Navy's Blue Angels flight demonstration team will highlight the Armed Forces Day celebration at the Naval Weapons Center, China Lake, on Saturday, May 9.

Although Armed Forces Day will be celebrated elsewhere on May 16, the annual event will be held at China Lake a week early to take advantage of the availability of the Flight Demonstration Team.

"We received confirmation from the Blue Angels last week. They'll perform their entire program at our air show," said Cdr. Barr Stevenson of Air Test and Evaluation Squadron Five, the overall coordinator.

The Blue Angels, composed of six of the world's finest pilots (five Naval aviators and one Marine), are famed for their unmatched aerial precision. They do not perform "stunts," however, only maneuvers used by American pilots in actual combat.

Although the Blue Angels will be the feature attraction of the celebration, this year's presentation promises to be one of the finest in China Lake history.

NWC's gates will open to visitors on Saturday at 7:30 a.m. and will remain open until 4:30 p.m. on that date. All during the day, visitors will be able to see the NWC Weapons Exhibit, Maturango Museum, and films of the mission of the Center and the Navy.

The gates at Naval Air Facility's Armitage Field will open to visitors at 8:30 a.m. for the Air Show and Firepower Demonstration that is scheduled to begin at 9:30.

Participating in the show will be pilots from NAF and Airtevron Five, who will take part in the firepower, flight

maneuver, and helicopter demonstrations prior to the Blue Angels' performance.

Also on the program is a special performance involving antique aircraft from all over Southern California which will be flown by their owners; a parachute demonstration by the China Lake Skydiving Club; and a firing of the Army's Chaparral surface-to-air missile.

"Because of China Lake's isolation, our air show and firepower demonstration are perhaps the finest and most explosive in the nation," said Stevenson.

After the completion of the air show, visitors will have an opportunity to talk with the pilots and take an on-the-ground look at America's air arm, from antique bi-planes to the workhorses of World War II, up to and including the most modern high-performance jets.

Mainside Activity
Meanwhile, the afternoon activities mainside begin with the opening of the Safety Exhibit at noon in the Safety Building.

At 12:30 p.m. Michelson Laboratory opens to visitors. Named for Nobel Prize winner Dr. Albert Michelson, the lab is the hub of the NWC technical complex. Over ten million dollars worth of laboratory equipment and shop spaces are housed within the confines of this laboratory.

The station's Schoeffel Field has again been chosen as the site for the Boy Scouts' annual Apollo Exposition. The exposition will begin at 2 p.m.

Ample parking and refreshment facilities will be available on the station, and visitors will receive an official program and map as they enter the main gate.

Security Police Division Urges Cooperation In Anti-Crime Fight

Records of the China Lake Security Police Division indicate the incidence of crime on the Center over the past 12 months to be on the upswing. Specifically, the occurrence of misdemeanors has risen by 14 percent and felonies have increased by nine percent.

According to LCdr. Cummings, head of the NWC Police Division, the situation would improve significantly if residents of the Center were to orient themselves to the invitation of crime to prospective offenders by employing physical means of protecting themselves and by being ever alert



LAW SCHOOL—Eleven officers from the Light Attack Weapons School at Lemoore attended firsthand briefings on the latest in Navy attack weapons April 6 and 7 at NWC, and toured facilities on the Center. The presentations at China Lake included briefings on new weapons at Michelson Lab, use of the weapons from a pilot's standpoint at NAF, and updating on the latest evaluations and aircraft tactical manual discussions at

VX-5 The two-day school was organized by Lt. Glenn E. Fant, Jr., front row, right, Project Officer for the Weapons Development Department, and by LCdr. George Strohsahl, Fleet Liaison Officer at VX-5. Capt. H. D. Parode, front row, 2nd from right, Assistant Technical Officer, welcomed the group and introduced the film, "Highlights of Naval Weapons Center Programs."

—Photo by PH2 D. E. Hart

Fifth Consecutive Award Won By Public Works

For the fifth consecutive year, the Transportation Division of the NWC Public Works Department, has earned the coveted National Safety Council Safe Driving Award.

To earn this honor, NWC competed with other government agencies in the greater Los Angeles area which have requirements for operating between 50,000 and 100,000 miles per month.

NWC's Transportation Division placed first against more than 700 entrants, achieving a record of over 625,000 miles driven with only one accident in fiscal year 1968-1969.

Without a doubt, this accomplishment by the Transportation Division was highly instrumental in the reduction of accident figures for 1969 over 1968.

According to the 1969 Annual Traffic Accident Report which was compiled by E. J. "Billie" Hise of the NWC Safety Department, Center government vehicles were involved in 10 fewer accidents than in 1968, and total property damage was reduced by more than 50 percent over the previous year.

In addition, NWC suffered no fatalities in 1969 from military off-duty accidents, as compared to three fatalities in 1968.

There were no disabling injuries from traffic accidents in which government vehicles were involved during 1969, as compared to a previous 4-year average of 1.25 lost-time disabling injuries, according to the record.

Military off-duty accidents aboard the Center showed a reduction in lost-time injuries by one-half over 1968.

The number of reportable accidents in 1968 (26), led to an average of 263,735 miles per accident, at a cost of \$156.10 per 100,000 miles. The 1969 figures showed 370,904 miles per accident, at a cost of \$62.32 damage per 100,000 miles for 14 reportable accidents. A reportable government vehicle accident is one which involves a government vehicle operated by either a civilian or military driver in the line of duty, that results

in damage of \$100 or more, or a personal injury).

A breakdown of government vehicle accidents for 1969 shows, in addition to the above figures, an increase in the total number of government vehicles in use from 801 (1968) to 817 (1969). The previous four year average was 856.

The total cost of damage, both vehicle and property, in 1968 was \$10,771, which included \$6,036 government damage, and \$4,735 private. The figures for 1969 were reduced by more than 50 per cent: \$3,672 government; and \$888 private, for a total of \$4,560. The previous four year average was \$5,920 government and \$2,165 private for a total average of 8,146.

Driver Training
Another factor which must be considered in the reduction figures of accidents by military personnel is that of a 16-hour driver training course required by OPNAV 5100.10. In 1969, 362 persons took the course, as compared to 339 in 1968.

Seventy-nine military men at NWC completed the motorcycle safety course, (consisting of a four-hour class on the problems and control of motorcycles and defensive riding techniques), compared to 68 in 1968.

An interesting note is that the safety record was compiled despite the fact that more drivers were licensed in 1969 on the Center than the previous year.

According to K. S. Skaar, Head, Safety Department, the improvement shown by the government vehicle accident data is due to the effort and increased interest shown by drivers at NWC, and those who supervise drivers on the Center. In some instances, he stated, supervisors have had to depend on personnel who have had only a minimum of driving experience. The care taken by the supervisor to ensure that a man is sufficiently trained and qualified for his driving job, Skaar believes, is often the deciding factor in whether or not an accident occurs.



NEW ARRIVAL—Lt(jg). Janice Lee Hopkey arrived aboard the Center recently to serve as a Nurse in the Center Dispensary. Nurse Hopkey is a graduate of the University of Iowa where she received a BS in Nursing. She entered the Navy in November, 1966, in the Nurse Candidate Program, and received her commission in December, 1967. The Alexander, Iowa native served as a staff Nurse at the U.S. Naval Hospital, San Diego, prior to coming to China Lake.

Social Security Rep. At Community Center Wednesday, April 22

All employees with questions about Social Security provisions may contact a representative from the Administration here Wednesday, April 22.

He will be at the Community Center from 8:30 to 11:00 a.m., and is available for consultation.



Softball, Golf Deadlines Near

The deadline for entries in intramural softball and intramural golf is now less than two weeks away. Entries close May 1.

"We've already received entries from a number of teams, but we're hoping for a few more," stated Special Services athletic director Ray Gier. "Softball, in particular, is one of the biggest sports around here," he added.

Softball teams are limited to a 17-man roster, which should include managers and coaches. Season play starts

May 18.

Golf squads are to consist of four players and two alternates. The full-handicap matches will begin May 12.

Players are not required to be from the same department, however, all members of the team must be either military or civilian employees of NWC.

Little League Softball Game

Officials of the China Lake Little League will play their Ridgecrest counterparts in a softball game tonight, beginning at 7:30 p.m., at Reardon Field. The teams, composed of team managers and members of the boards of directors of the two local Little Leagues, will compete against one another in what Bob Larrabee, president of the Ridgecrest Little League, describes as a "fun-raising," rather than a "fund-raising," event.

All residents of the local area are invited to attend.

SPECIAL SERVICES CALENDAR

- April 12-18—National Library Week
- April 18-19—Partners' Best Ball Match Play Tournament (Golf Course)
- April 18-19—Art Festival (Community Center)
- April 20—Desert Ceramic Club Show (Community Center)
- April 25-26—Wildflower Show (Community Center)
- April 25-26—MDISL Bowling (R. Irwin)
- April 30—Utah Symphony Concert (Theater)
- May 1—Softball and Golf Registration Deadline

VOLLEYBALL STANDINGS

Team	Won	Lost
Hatchetmen	20	1
Redbirds	19	2
Snort	13	8
B-B's	7	14
Low Orders	7	14
Ding-A-Lings	5	16
Critters	1	20

THE SCHEDULE
Tuesday, April 21
6:00—Snorts vs. B-B's
7:00—Low Orders vs. Ding-A-Lings
8:00—Critters vs. Hatchedmen
Wednesday, April 22
6:00—Redbirds vs. Ding-A-Lings
7:00—Snorts vs. Hatchedmen
8:00—Low Orders vs. Critters.



PUBLIC SCHOOL WEEK—Officials from China Lake, Ridgecrest, and Indian Wells Valley schools met April 9 at the Burroughs High School Administrative Office to sign a proclamation declaring April 20 to April 25 "Public Schools Week." They are front row, left to right: Mrs. Ruth Lewis, Superintendent of Indian Wells Valley schools; Capt. M. R. Ethridge, NWC Command-

School Observes Environment Day

Observance of Environment Day, part of a nationwide program supported by conservationist groups across the country, will be conducted at Burroughs High School on April 22.

The day-long event, which is being coordinated by William Mayne, will feature lectures and film presentations by local experts in the fields of water resources, public health prob-

lems and other topics of an environmental nature.

The program will be staged for local students during the day, and a special program has been arranged for other interested persons at the high school from 7:30 to 10 p.m. in the evening.

In addition to the planned assembly, special "topic rooms" will be set up for information purposes. Each room

will concentrate on a single facet of concern, and will be manned by individuals competent in that subject area. In addition, films and relevant literature will be available to illustrate concepts.

Other community participation in Environment Day will include the use of information booths at various locations throughout the area, and the use of the Environment Day theme in other special projects.

Indio Student Named Area Science Cruiser

Brion S. Pearson, a Junior from Indio High School, was selected as the Navy Science Cruiser winner at the Inland Science Fair held at the National Date Festival Grounds in Indio April 2. The exhibit, his fifth year's entry in Science Fairs, was based on original research done by him on the effect of air pollutants on lung tissue.

John D. Dumont from Alta Loma High School was named Alternate Science Cruiser. His exhibit was "Wizard III: Digital Computer." This exhibit also won first place in the Mathematics and Computers section in the Senior Division.

Pearson's entry also garnered the chemistry section of the U.S. Army Awards; first award from Association of Medical Laboratory Technologists; first place from American Chemical Society; and the Alternate Senior Fair Sweepstakes Award. In his research, six mice were exposed to a heavy concentration of ozone (a principal air pollutant) for 18 hours. Examination of their lungs showed significantly reduced ability of tissue to produce lipids which are essential in the normal functioning of the lungs.

Later this spring, Pearson (or his alternate) will be the guest of the Navy—along with other regional Science Fair winners—at a week-long "cruise" visit to Navy ships and shore activities, including research laboratories, in the San Diego area.

The awards were presented by Cdr. D. D. Lambert, Commanding Officer of the Reserve Training Center, San Bernardino, in behalf of the Office of Naval Research, sponsoring activity for the Navy.

First Place

Cindy K. French, of Alta Loma High School, with her exhibit, "Application of Fuel Cell Power Derived from Bio-and Hydrox Systems," was selected as First Place Winner in the Senior Division in the Naval Weapons Center Corona Annex Special Awards at the Inland Science Fair.

Cindy's fuel cells lit a 1.3 amp lamp, and powered a model boat motor.

The Hydrox cell produced 5 volts of continuous electrical power.

She was presented a \$100 Savings Bond by Cdr. C. D. Brown in behalf of the NWC Corona employees during the presentations ceremonies at the National Date Festival grounds the evening of April 2nd.

Kathy J. Green, a ninth grader from Redlands, was named first place winner in the Junior Division. Her exhibit, demonstrating the mathematical law of probability as related to Mendel's law of heredity, was titled, "The Role of Luck in Life." She earned a \$50 Savings Bond.

Second place in the Senior Division good for \$50 Bond, was won by Greg A. Hawley from John North High School, Riverside with his demonstration of the driving power of ions. A positively charged grid located above discharge points attracted the negative ions. The thrust developed as they jumped the gap was measured with a balance scale.

Steven W. Webert with his design of a pick-proof lock won second place and a \$25 Savings Bond, in the Junior Division. A photo electric cell embedded in the center of a wooden door was used as the sensitive control element. A transparent plastic strip with a carefully calibrated density factor at the tip is the required key. Not enough, or too much light will not activate the solenoid.

The Savings Bonds were purchased with money from voluntary contributions of the Navy research laboratory employees.

Additional Certificates of Merit were presented to David L. Denemeyer of Redlands for "Magnetic Effects in Semiconductors;" Robert F. Babcock, San Bernardino for "Does your Gravel Ravel?" David E. Tension, from Big Bear, "Flame Electric-Sound Transducer;" Scott M. Elliot from Palm Desert, "Thermodynamics;" Alan D. Brown of Jurupa, "What is Atomic Energy?" Paul F. Mendoza of Indio, "Aerial Photography;" and George W. Thomas of Letha Raney Jr. High, Corona, "Water Filtration."

'Green Blackboard' Presentation At All-Faith Chapel

"The Green Blackboard," a play concerned with the learning pressures with which children of today are confronted, will be presented Saturday, April 18, in the East Wing of the All Faith Chapel by the Plays for Living of Southern California. Curtain time is at 8 p.m.

The presentation, which is sponsored by the Protestant Women of the Chapel, will be produced in the form of dilemmas, to be followed by discussions on pertinent points. The audience will follow the actions of the players to the inevitable "confrontation."

A discussion period will follow in which members of the audience will write their own "endings" and in the process come to their own insight and understanding.

Plays for Living is a non-profit, voluntary organization, sponsored by the Family Services of Los Angeles, and is composed of professional actors and directors, who donate their time, talent and service to present dramas which might help clarify issues relevant to various communities.

A freewill offering will be taken to help defray the expenses of bringing this troupe to Indian Wells Valley.

Newcomers Club Plans Picnic

The Newcomers Club will hold a get-acquainted picnic at Ridgecrest City Park on Sunday, April 19 from 1:30 p.m. on, announced Mrs. T. N. Sally, publicity chairman. Families are asked to bring their own picnic lunch. Anyone with appropriate sports equipment is invited to bring it.

All Newcomers, as well as long-time residents, are cordially invited.

WACOM Fashion Show Another Success!

Officers' Wives 'Turn-On' To Latest Styles

With sound effects and a record turn-out of members and guests, the sensation of taking-off in a fully-loaded Boeing 747 passenger jet describes the atmosphere at the fashion show luncheon sponsored by the Women's Auxiliary of the Commissioned Officers' Mess on Tuesday at the Officers' Club.

Time literally flew as fifty-eight stylish costumes were modeled against the backdrop of a jet passenger plane, carrying out the theme of the show—"Flights to Fashion." WACOM rolled out the red carpet on the parade riser leading to the jet, complete with stanchions. Narrations by Ann Gilmer emanated from an airline ticket booth as the twelve models disembarked from the jet to begin their procession down the "gangplank."

Accompanied by jet take-off sound effects, flight destinations were announced when each category of style was featured, such as: flight to New York City, dressy; flight to Florida, long pants; flight to New Orleans, dresses; flight to Jamaica, shorts and shifts; and flight to Hawaii, bathing suits.

Hemline Advice

In line with the advice of such fashion experts as Ruey S. Messenger, mini's and micro's led the local fashion parade—complemented by the just-a-b-o-v-e-t-h-e-k-n-e-e length dress. Miss Messenger, director of publicity, public relations and fashions for Garfinkel's Department Store in Washington, D.C., said, as quoted in the Federal Times, "Fashion, if it's good fashion, should be a reflection of the life a woman leads—hence this gives her freedom to wear a mini, a micro, a midi or a maxi... suit your hemline to your mood."

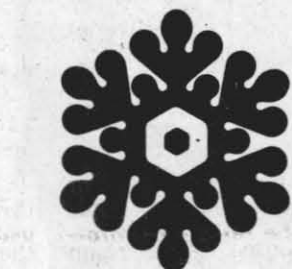
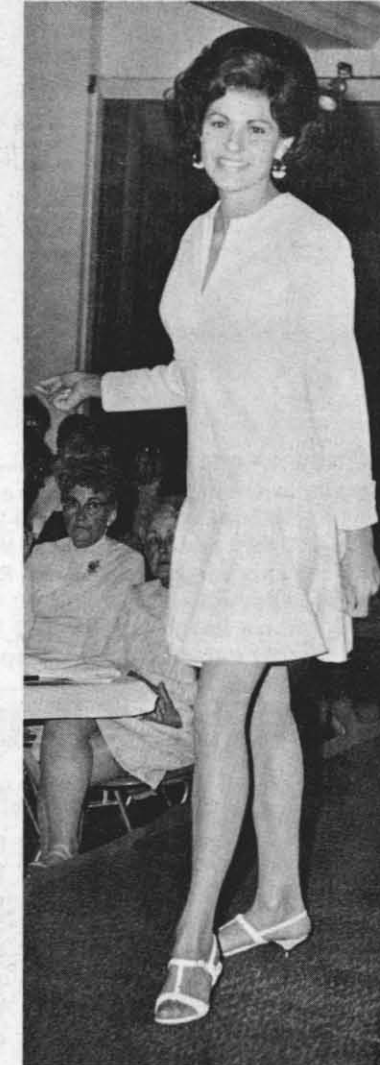
The travel wardrobes were modeled by Barbara Crater, Paulette Moore, Shirley Stephenson, Ida Davis, Sara Jauchler, Clare Gilbertson, Mary Gilbert, Val Baker, Eve Fritz, Doris Valitchka, Jackie Renne and Sharri Freitag.

A skit in which the first-prize ensembles were modeled by Alice Wenzel and Sherri La-Pierre concluded the show. The models presented the ensembles to the winner by "stripping" them off piece-by-piece in a dignified "mock burlesque" conducted from just inside the plane's doorway.

Door Prizes

Shirley Dewing won the first door prize, a stunning red, white and blue two-piece Butte knit ensemble of dress and jacket, and a dacron Tami blue and white slack set, including a pair of shoes, necklace, scarf and purse—all donated by WACOM.

Other door prizes, furnished by Delta Air Lines, were won by Elsie Santangelo, flight bag; Elsie Wieseke, garment bag; Mary Jeffers, flight bag, and Gertrude Vanderbeck, garment bag. Delta Air Lines also provided the table decor of airline napkins, mini airplanes and cookbooks, travel posters, matches, and a booklet of travel tips.



ABOVE—Ann Gilmer narrated the show from a ticket booth and models disembarked from their "flights" down an aircraft gangway.

LEFT—Clare Gilbertson moves out on the runway with a new fashion item from Mary Sue's and Cornelius Shoe Stores of Ridgecrest. Other models shown on this page are (clockwise from bottom left) Paulette Moore, Sharri Freitag, Val Baker, and Mary Gilbert.

LEFT—Shirley Dewing, wife of Capt. L. A. Dewing, NAF C.O., poses prettily with two outfits she won as door prizes. FAR LEFT—Special Guest Danny Dandurand, who represented the airlines, took a bow during the festivities. Ida Davis and Doris Valitchka co-chaired the event.

Burros' Band Shows Southland 'How'



FIRST PLACE WINNERS—The Burroughs High School Marching Band, shown above, took first place in the fourteenth annual San Bernardino County Sheriff's Parade on Sunday, April 12, in conjunction with the 55th National Orange Show. The band, majorettes and banner girls, under the direction of

Band director Russell J. Parker, competed with high school bands from all over California and were judged on their marching, showmanship and musical selection. The band's next performance will be at the annual spring concert to be held on June 5 at the station theater.