Schedule Of College Drama Class Announced

Pat Schwarzbach, instructor of speech and drama at the Desert Campus of Bakersfield College, has announced the schedule of events for Theater 27, the class that produces the plays each year for the college.

The first offering will be Lewis Carroll's "Alice in Wonderland," slated for production in the fall. This program will be directed strictly toward children, Mrs. Schwarzbach pointed out.

Then at mid-year, the college will sponsor a Shakespearean festival. The show produced for the festival will be "Midsummer Night's Dream."

The spring production will be Gilbert and Sullivan's "The Mikado.

"In addition," Mrs. Schwarzbach said, "the class will put together an entry in the Bakersfield One-Act Drama Festival. and also will produce some student-directed one-act plays."

Bicycle Club To **Meet On Tuesday**

The Indian Wells Valley Bicycle Club will meet Tuesday at 7:30 p.m. in Room N-57 on the Burroughs High School campus.

All interested bicyclists are urged to attend the meeting and bring their bicycles, as pictures will be taken.

Plans for laying out a road course for a Criterion bicycle race will be discussed by those present at the meeting.

Since its formation earlier this year, the Bicycle Club has had an active program of family bike rides on-Center, an Inyokern pancake breakfast, and other activities to take advantage of the fun and exercise obtained through

Radioman Seaman Elizabeth

Vass was assigned to the NWC

operator. Her arrival followed

closely on the heels of Navywide

distribution of a message from

Adm. E. R. Zumwalt, Jr., Chief of

Naval Operations, who urged all

hands to "actively work together in

order that we may more equitably

include women in our one-Navy

A graduate of the University of

Arkansas, where she majored in

history, RMSN Vass enlisted in the

Navy this past January. After

basic training and a month's at-

tendance at Radioman School at

Bainbridge, Md., the native of

Rosswell, N.M., was sent here for

her first tour of duty during her

She reported for duty at NWC

Communications just three days

following receipt of Z-gram 116,

which outlined the CNO's views on

equal rights and opportunities for

"My position with respect to

women in the Navy is that they

have historically played a

significant role in the ac-

complishment of our Naval

mission," the message from

four year enlistment.

women in the Navy.

concept."



SCOUTING AWARDS PRESENTED—Four China Lake residents whose involvement in the Desert District Boy Scout program recently earned them the coveted Arrowhead Award are shown with the certificates that accompanied this prized insignia. They are (I.-r.) Herb Guest, Floyd Wegley, Beverly Bruce and Chief C. E. Bruce. The Bruces have been active in Cub Scouting and conducting Cub Scout Roundtable sessions, while Guest has participated principally in the Explorer program and Wegley has lent his time and talent as an adult leader of programs for both Cub Scouts and Boy Scouts. The presentations were made by Leon Nelson, Desert District Scout executive, during a meeting held at

PROMOTIONAL OPPORTUNITIES

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Electronics Engineer, GS-855-11 or 12, or Physicist, GS-1310-11 or 12, PD No. 7240175, Code 4012—The incumbent performs and monitors reliability engineering tasks on infrared and TV guided missile systems. Prepares sections development program plans involving reliability, maintainability and quality assurance. Job Relevant Criteria: Requires experience in reliability engineering or quality assurance. Performance of worst case analysis on electronic circuits and failure modes of electronic parts is desirable. Experience in proper use of electronic parts in complex circuits and a working knowledge of avy drawings and specifications format is desirable. Minimum Qualification Requirements: As defined in CSC Handbook X-118.

Elizabeth Sodergren, Bldg. 34, Rm. 206, Ph.

JD No. 142-1, Code 70764 - Performs semiskilled work in connection with the routine maintenance and servicing of automotive

WELCOME ABOARD-Capt. D. W. Alderton, NWC Deputy Com-

mander, extended a welcome last week to Radioman Seaman

Elizabeth Vass, whose arrival for regular duty at the Message

Center marked the first break in many years from the practice of

having only male enlisted personnel assigned to China Lake.

Minimum Qualification Requirements: Rating will be on the basis of the appropriate J-Elements Standard in accordance with the CSC Handbook X-118C.

File applications and supplemental ex perience forms for above with Donna J. Janes, Code 657, Bldg. 34, Rm. 210, Ph. 2393.

Travel Clerk GS-2132-03, PD No. 185013, Code 8517 — This is a trainee position. Duties include arranging travel by a variety of routes and carriers, screens travel requests and travel orders, estimates per diem, mileage and transporation costs, etc. Job Relevant Criteria: Ability to type, but not required to be qualified typist, ability to meet and dea with the public. Minimum Qualification Requirements: As outlined in X-118. Advancement Potential: Travel Clerk GS-5. Electronics Technician GS-856-7-8-9, PD No.

930016, Code 5713-Incumbent will be a member of group charged with acquisition, storage, and presentation of frequency and time division multiplex telemetry data systems on the Center's Aircraft Ranges. Principal duty station will be T-Pad. Ground station experience desirable. Minimun Qualification Relevant Criteria: Skill in data handling and analog presentation. Must work directly with technical reports to present information on the

department's technical programs and facilities. Incumbent assures that manuscripts are suitable for publication in terms of **Enlisted Woman Assigned Duty** organization, format, grammar, spelling, punctuation, abbreviations, verification of references, and correct use of symbols Assures material to be published has been At NWC Communications Office reviewed and concurred in. Minimum Qualification Requirements: One year of general clerical experience plus one year of The Naval Weapons Center's Adm. Zumwalt stated. "However, "We must be in position to utilize specialized experience for the GS-4 and two years of specialized for the GS-5 in the type of first regular duty enlisted woman I believe we can do far more than women's talents to help us achieve work shown above. Job Relevant Criteria: in recent years arrived here last we have in the past in according the size Navy we need under an all Experience in copy editing and typing rechnical reports for publications is desired. women equal opportunity to volunteer force environment and Experience with IBM magnetic tape selectric contribute their extensive talents still maintain the sea-shore typewriter required and experience with IBM and to achieve full professional rotation goals for all Naval percomposer desirable. Advancement Potential To the GS-6 level. Message Center as a teletype status," the message continued. sonnel towards which we have File applications for above with Linda Adm. Zumwalt also pointed out been working."

Grossman, Rm. 204, Bldg. 34, Ph. 2925. that "the imminence of an all The CNO noted that he expects, Physicist, GS-1310; Electronics Engineer GS-855; Electrical Engineer, GS-850; or volunteer force has heightened the in the near future, to have the Mechanical Engineer, GS-830-9, 11, 12 or 13, importance of women as a vital authority to utilize officer and Code 35014, one position — Position is in the NWC Optical Countermeasures Coordination personnel resource," and added: enlisted women on board ships. background in area of missile guidance or optics. Work will include but is not limited to technical liaison with on and off Center activities working on IR and EO seekers and countermeasures, analysis of present and possible future guidance and detection devices for susceptibility to countermeasures; development of general guidelines and sulting in the general area. Job Relevant Criteria: Must have experience in optical design or missile guidance development on IR

book X-118.

File above applications with Liz Sodergren, Bidg. 34, Rm. 206, Ph 2676.

measurement. Minimum Qualification

Childers, Code 657, Rm 212, Ph. 2514. Clerk-Typist, GS-322-4, PD No. 7245095, Code 4565 — This position is located in the Warhead Analysis Branch, Conventional Weapons Divi sion of the Propulsion Development Department. Incumbent provides secretarial type assistance to the branch head and clerical assistance to the branch staff, as needed Incumbent has complete responsibility for planning, setting up and maintaining files and records, receiving and distributing mail for the branch. Incumbent types correspondence, letters, memos, technical reports and studies. Duties include typing, timekeeping, and travel orders. Job Relevant Criteria: Must be a qualified typist. Demonstrated telephone reception skills and experience typing administrative and technical subject matter

technical film reports, slide presentations,

photographic booklets, illustrations and

Magnetic Card Selectric Typewriter operation experience is desirable. Minimum Qualifica tion Requirements: As defined in CSC Handound out a swingin' fun film. (PG)
"CURED DUCK" (7 Min.) Editorial Clerk, GS-1087-4 or 5, PD No 7245094, Code 4551 — This position is located in THURS. & FRI. "PATTON" (110 Min.) the Documentation Branch, Engineering Division, Propulsion Development Depart ment. The function of this branch is to provide

George C. Scott, Karl Malden humiliation by a personal DON'T MISS! (PG)

movies for next week are as

Tuesday, Aug. 22 — "Invisible Boy," and an MGM cartoon.

Wednesday, Aug. 23 - "Won-

and a Walt Disney cartoon. Admission is free to Youth

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MOVIE RATINGS nform parents about the suitability of that state. (G) - ALL AGES ADMITTED

PG) - ALL AGES ADMITTED Parental Guidance Sugges
(R) - RESTRICTED Under 17 requires accompany ing Parent or Adult Guardian

"BIG JAKE" (106 Min.) John Wayne, Richard Boone,

Maureen O'Hara (Western) Big Jake was a rough and tough loner until his wife told him to come home and rescue his kidnapped riding son and an Apache friend and nade his own brand of WAR! (PG) NO SHORT SUBJECTS

-MATINEE-Chuck Connors "HAVE GUN CAN'T TRAVEL"

"QUICK, LET'S GET MARRIED" (96 Min.) Elliott Gould, Ginger Rogers,

(Comedy) Master thief Ray Milland discovers a legendary treasure under town statue. While working on it he nakes pretty Barbara believe statue talked to her. A miracle! Here's a "HALFTIME U.S.A." (9 Min.)

SUN. & MON. 20-21 August "SITTING TARGET" (92 Min.)

Jill St. John, Oliver Reed (Suspense) All Harry had to do to kill is unfaithful wife and retrieve his hidden loot was to break out of jail-and that he DID! There's enough plot twists to maintain hair-raising suspense about pretty Jill. (R)
"SKY CAPERS" (14 Min.)

TUES. & WED. "A SWINGIN' SUMMER" (84 Min.)

Raquel Welch, James Stacy (Comedy-Drama) Suddenly out of dances at Lake Arrowhead pavilion and romances among the bikini crowd at the the Rip Chords and Donnie Brooks also

"PERFECT GAME" (9 Min.) 24-25 August

(War Drama) Academy Award winner Scott portrays famed tankcommander General Patton, who was both pious and profane, who defeated wily Desert Fox, Rommel, won glory by the invasion of Sicily yet suf-

YOUTH CENTER **MOVIES**

The Youth Center-sponsored

derful World of the Brothers Grimm," and an MGM cartoon. Thursday, Aug. 24 - "Tonk,"

Center members whose dues are after Sept. 1. Admission is 25 cents to all others. The movies start at 1 p.m. in the Center Theater. NEW NAVY RATING

A Legalman rating is being established for enlisted Navy personnel. Legalman training will consist of court reporting, Requirements: As defined in CSC Handbook Xlegal administration, investigation, assistance, and claims settle-

Ex-Corona O-in-C Heads Command Adm. Dept.

NWC is a third-generation Okla- Holloway Plan. Under this Group 181 led to Cdr. Brown's next Skyraider squadron was organized homan, with solid family ties in program, he attended Oklahoma

Charles D. Brown explained that March 1950 Cdr. Brown received the state was home to his dad and his pilot's wings. mother and that both sets of his He was then assigned to VF-194, grandparents homesteaded in a squadron based at Alameda. This Oklahoma when the Cherokee Strip was during the Korean War, and was opened to settlers.

call China Lake their home, but they had numerous moves to make structor at NAS Whiting Field to get here. Several times in Cdr. occupied the next year and a half of Brown's childhood his family Cdr. Brown's Navy career. moved to accommodate his In 1954, Cdr. Brown returned to half a dozen schools in Kansas in mechanical engineering. the course of receiving his His next tour was for two years

in 1946, Cdr. Brown entered the Officer.

The new head of the Command Navy through the V-5 Aviation A year's tour as Air Wing job-that of Maintenance Officer Readiness and Training Officer, Administration Department at Midshipman Program, called the Maintenance Officer for Air Task for Attack Squadron 42. This Cdr. Brown said that his job en-State University for two years.

Born in Hillsdale, Okla., Cdr. Flight training followed, and in

Cdr. Brown said he spent "one tour Now Cdr. Brown and his family over there as a Spad driver." Duty as a Primary Flight In-

elementary and secondary scho- with the Airborne Early Warning Upon completion of high school the AD5W Detachment Operations

father's schoolteaching career, so college to complete the Holloway that, although Cdr. Brown was program. He was graduated from graduated from high school in the University of Colorado in 1956 Hillsdale, his birthplace, he went to with a bachelor's degree in

Squadron (VAW-12) where he was

training program. for and was accepted for postrecalled. He attended the evaluated readiness of units in that University of Michigan for two area." years, and in 1961 received a Master's degree in aeronautical ineering.

Support Agency. He explained, "I it." prior to their entering inventory." Gulf area. A staff assignment to COM-NAVAIRLANT filled the next three years of Cdr. Brown's Navy career. As the Nuclear Weapons

tailed "principally training people to conduct a replacement pilot on ship who were handling nuclear weapons plus squadron per-"While I was in VA-42, I applied sonnel." He added that he "established training criteria and graduate school," Cdr. Brown the degree of training and

A short year with VAW-11 at North Island followed. "I was the and astronautical engineering as squadron exec, then the Wing well as instrumentation eng- Operations Officer," Cdr. Brown said. "During the time I was there From 1961 to 1963 Cdr. Brown this large composite squadron was served as Project Officer for the broken up and they made six or Field Command Defense Atomic seven different squadrons out of

Officer-I was in charge of con- two years aboard the USS INducting service evaluation of TREPID, Cdr. Brown participated warheads and nuclear weapons in two deployments to the Tonkin

"Then I went to the Naval Weapons Center Corona in July 1969," he recalled. "The principal

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secretary in TID's Presentations Division. A nursing student, Julie

attended San Diego Mesa College last year and plans to continue her

education at San Diego State College. This is her first summer as an

Again this summer a large group colleges and universities and seven

of young people with varied in- high schools. Bemidji State Col-

terests and backgrounds have lege, Minn., and Valparaiso Tech-

obtained temporary employment nical Institute, Ind., are two of the

A total of 241 summer employees in the Center's Summer Program.

(100 more than last year) are The summer employees were

Summer Employee Total

Climbs to 241 at NWC

in NWC's Summer Program.

employed on-Center this summer.

Of those employed, there are 11

faculty members; 16 graduate

students; 137 undergraduates; and

77 high school students of whom 57

are from Burroughs High School.

ferent states, representing 60

The students are from 20 dif-

Cdr. C. D. Brown

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Lake began in 1954 when he was

discharged from the Navy and

accepted employment as head of

the Administrative Division in the

Two years later (1956) he was

named associate head for ad-

ministration in the Propellants and

Explosives Department (now the

Propulsion Development Depart-

ment) and in 1960 became head of

staff in the former Aviation Ord-

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VX-5 Change

Of Command

Set Next Fri.

Naval Weapons Center em-

ployees and residents are in-

nance Department.

Public Works Department.

Davis To Become First Civilian **Head of Security Department** Duties of head of the Security Department will be taken over on Monday by William E. Davis, a civilian employee of the Naval Weapons Center for the past 18 Davis, who has been the head of staff for the Electronic Systems Department since 1970, will become the first civilian to direct the Security Department at China Lake. He will succeed LCdr. R. M. St. Germain, who is leaving NWC for duty aboard the USS Coral Sea

colleges not normally represented

placed in a variety of positions

summer employees work include:

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head of the Security Department. A supply officer with Navy amphibious forces during World War II, Davis was recalled to active duty in 1950 when the Kor- was sent here to serve as Officerean conflict broke out. After serv- in-Charge of the Commissary. ing until 1953 with a minesweeper Davis' civilian career at China

after putting in a two year tour as



squadron as a supply officer, he

ETN-2 Melgaard Selected As Bluejacket of Month

Month" for August. As a result of his selection, ETN-

2 Melgaard will be treated to a weekend in Bakersfield by that city's Greater Chamber of Commerce. During his stay there he will receive his rooms from the Downtowner Inn and his meals at the Westchester Bowl, two of the participating merchants in the "Bluejacket of the Month"

depending upon their educational Prior to leaving the local area, background and interests. Octhe August Bluejacket will be cupation categories in which the loaned the keys to a new Ford from Desert Motors, in Ridgecrest, for Aerospace engineering, civil use on the holiday weekend.

In addition, he will receive a

Electronics Technician Second hospitality packet which contains Class Richard A. Melgaard, 30, gift certificates and discount who works in the transmitters and coupons from Bakersfield merreceivers shop at NWC, has been chants. selected "Bluejacket of the Melgaard, a native of Newburg,



ETN-2 R. A. Melgaard

vited to attend the Air Test and **Evaluation Squadron Five (VX-**5) formal change of command ceremony next Friday, Aug. 25, at 10 a.m. at the Naval Air Facility.

"Tex" Birdwell, Jr., who has been the Commanding Officer of VX-5 since October 1970, will be relieved by Capt. Edwin M.

officer and Naval aviator, Capt. Crow will be reporting here

At that time, Capt. Carl Crow. A veteran of 24 years as an

from Washington, D.C., where he has served in the Naval Air Systems Command since 1970 as the Navy's A-7 aircraft Deputy Project Manager until seven months ago when he became the Project Manager. Capt. Birdwell is leaving here

to take over the duties of Director of the Naval Test Pilot School at the Naval Air Station, Patuxent River, Md.



GLENN RETIRES—William W. Glenn, a procurement analyst in the Procurement Division of the Supply Department, retired recently with 35 years in Civil Service. He is shown receiving the "Sacred Order of Dust Devils" from Capt. E. M. Wieseke, former Director of Supply. Glenn served at Mare Island Naval Shipyard for 20 years prior to moving to Corona as the contracting officer, then became assistant head of the Supply Department there. He came to China Lake following the consolidation. He and his wife, Mary (right) will live in the local area. Their plans include extensive traveling, including a trip to Florida very soon.

Burroughs Newcomers To Be Registered Aug. 24-25

ulation shifts.

Because of many fully scheduled

classes, program changes will not

be made prior to the opening of

school. Once accurate class sizes

afforded the opportunity to enroll

for a sixth subject in classes that

have not reached maximum size.

A list of such classes will be

published in the daily bulletin at

Burroughs shortly after the

Officer and officer candidates

interested in becoming a Naval

aviator or Naval flight officer are

encouraged to apply for ap-

propriate training of their choice.

DIVINE SERVICES

PROTESTANT

(across from Station Restaurant)

Communion Service first Sunday of the month

Other classes held during school year only

College & Adult Sunday School, Annex 4

Sunday Worship Service

Daily except Saturday

During School Year.

First Friday only

Saturday

Sunday

are determined, students will be

High school students, new to the the same as last year. The bus area, who did not register for schedule will be revised after school last spring, will have the school starts if such changes opportunity to meet with coun- become necessary due to popselors and make up their schedules on Thursday and Friday, Aug. 24 and 25, starting at 9 a.m. each day in the administration building of the Burroughs High School cam-

The new school year will begin on Tuesday, Sept. 5, the day after Labor Day. Burroughs' administrators are gearing for an expected enrollment of 1,900 students.

Class schedules will be distributed alphabetically in the quad area, starting at 8 a.m., and classes will begin at 8:25. A full day schedule will be run with classes to be dismissed at 3 p.m.

Bus schedules will be published

opening of school. **AVIATION OFFICERS**

and the routes will be essentially

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Services

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lications for positions listed in this rsons named in the ad. All others desiring ployment with the Naval Weapons Cente nay contact the Employment Division, Code , Extension 2069. Current applications (SF-171) or Standard Form 172 should be submitted bringing your work history up to date if one has not been submitted within the last 6 months. The fact that positions are advertised in this column does not preclude the use of other means to fill these positions Part of the ranking process of those rated as asically qualified will be a supervisory ppraisal form that will be sent to the ployees present and most recent previous pervisor. Selection shall be made withou scrimination for any nonmerit reason.

Mechanical Engineer, GS-830-9, 11, or 12 (2 vacancies), PD No. 355048, Code 5526 -Responsible for identifying and correcting production changes in the documentation of the inertial systems components of guided missiles. Objectives are to improve missile performance and reliability, increase missile service life, reduce production costs, and conserve critical material. Minimum Qualification Requirements: Outlined in CSC Handbook X-118, B.S. degree or equivalent and-or knowledge in Missile Control Systems utilizing hydraulic, electrical, mechanical and

File application for above with Joan MacIntosh, Code 657, Ph. 2371.

General Supply Assistant, GS-2001,7, Pos. No. 225016, Code 2551 — Training position leading to the full performance of the duties of Head Ordnance Control Branch. Assists engineers in determining ordnance material needed for project tests and experiments Supervises preparation and submission of requisitions for non-standard items required or tests; coordinates and obtains proper clearances for shipment of ordnance items Provides technical information pertaining to packaging, handling and marking of ordnance movement of explosives, ammunition and ordnance items out of stock and to projec engineers. Prepares detailed schedules for movement of ordnance materials; reviews arranges for excess disposition. Minimum Qualification Requirements: Three years general and one specialized. Job Relevant criteria: Experience indicating a knowledge of safety factors involved in handling amnunition and explosives. Ability to deal effectively with others. Knowledge of I.C.C. freight classification of ammunition, explosives and ordnance items. Knowledge of ventory control, receipt control and mainenance of stock records. Advancement Potential: Up to GS-11.

Editorial Clerk (DMT), GS-1087-4-5, Pos No. 7160014, Code 6058 — Performs both secretarial and editorial duties in the Polymer Science ranch, Chemistry Division. From rough drafts or recordings, edits and types NAV-WEPS reports, Technical Memoranda, open erature publications and reports on eminars, conferences and scientific eetings. Is responsible for organization mat, grammar, spelling, punctuation abbreviations, verification of references and correct use of symbols. In addition, will prepare correspondence, occasionally literature searches, answers telephone, files, distributes incoming mail and makes travel arrangements for members of the branch. Minimum Qualification Requirements: One year for GS-4 and GS-5 of general experience and one year for GS-4 and two years for GS-5 specialized experience. Specialized experience must clearly demonstrate that applicant typing from a dictating machine scientific reports and publications. Job Relevant publications from a dictating machine; per forming general receptionist and secretarial duties for an organization including filing, travel orders and personnel paperwork. Advancement Potential: GS-4 to GS-5.

1700 fulfills Sunday obligation 0700 0830 1115

File applications for the above with Claire Lewis, Bldg. 34, Rm. 204, Ph. 3118. BLESSED SACRAMENT CHAPEL Code 8436 Corona Duty Station — The incumbent of this position is one of three 1545 to 1645 0800 to 0825

sergeants of the guards directly under the supervision of the guard supervisor who is branch head. As a guard shift supervisor he is responsible for supervision of approximately 5 guards who perform guard services at FM-Note: The Chapel Nursery is located in Chapel supervise. Minimum Qualification Require-Annex 1, Room 4, across from the Cente ments: 3 years of experience. Restaurant and is open without charge for Clerk (Typing), GS-3 or 4, PD No. 7284017,

Code 8411 — The incumbent will assist the Security Clerk, Internal Security Branch, in reviewing requests for investigations and in the preparation and maintenance of security records and files. Will serve as an interviewer when required, obtaining required information from personnel being processed for access to the Center or employment and typing it on the appropriate form. Job Relevant Criteria: Tact, courtesy, and capacity for effective public contacts is essential. Must have typing ability. Skill at interviewing is desirable. Minimum Qualification Requirements: GS-3 one year experience; GS-4 - one year of

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HANDICAPPED YOUNGSTER HELPED-Ronald R. Roberts, 6year-old son of Dr. and Mrs. Richard A. Roberts, of China Lake, this past Sunday received a Braille wristwatch that was purchased for him on the behalf of the members of Aerie No. 3243 of the Fraternal Order of Eagles. The presentation was made by Dan Lydon, who heads the Sires Club, an organization of past presidents of the Eagles Lodge. Looking on are the boy's mother and father and (at right) Don Rupe, chairman of the Eagles' project to aid the Junior Blind. Young Roberts is classified as totally blind, but has some vision. He attends a special class for the visually handicapped at Groves

Red Cross Sends Thanks For Aid to Flood Victims

financial help provided to flood victims in various parts of the U.S. was received last week from the American National Red Cross by James R. "Danny" Dandurand. treasurer of the ad hoc Committee of Concerned Citizens for Flood

H. L. Batschelet, special the Red Cross, wrote, in part, as lief amounted to a total of \$3,479.48.

your letter of Aug. 3 and extend our disbursed, as follows, with no thanks to you and the other money being allocated for 'Concerned Citizens for Flood Radiothon expenses: Churches, Relief' for a commendable com- \$1,466.59; Red Cross, \$1,081.14, and munity effort in behalf of the Salvation Army, \$931.75. disaster victims."

Batschelet reported that the Red Cross has flood operations going in 12 states, and widespread disaster relief operations have depleted Red Cross disaster funds. "More to edit scientific reports and than 65,000 families will require

Assessments **Due Following** Supervisory Guard, GS-085-5, PD No. 4186. Fisher's Death

Assessments are now due from members of the Government **Employees Benefit Association** and the China Lake Mutual Aid Society following the death of Emil Fisher.

A retired former employee in the Building Trades Branch of the Public Works Department's Maintenance-Utilities Division. Fisher, 67, died on Aug. 12.

Larry Mason, secretary-treasurer, also noted that any GEBA -CLMAS members who are planning to retire must contact him by calling 375-2846 in order to continue their membership and also arrange to pay assessments by

A letter of appreciation for the extensive Red Cross assistance and the cost has already exceeded \$22 million," it was added.

> A final report on money collected locally during the July 9 Radiothon that was staged here to assist flood victims in various parts of the U.S. was received recently from Dandurand.

As a result of the 5-hour Raassistant to the Director of the diothon, broadcast over Radio Office of Members and Funds for citizens' contributions to flood re-Dandurand reported that the

"I am happy to acknowledge total amount collected was



SIGNS OVER FOR 2 - AGI Gayle T. Smith, a 14-year Navy veteran, recently re-enlisted for two more years during a ceremony conducted by Cdr. L. W. Gire, Executive Officer of the Naval Air Facility. A native of Maricopa, Calif., AG1 Smith was transferred to NAF a year ago from NAS Los Alamitos, Calif. Since his arrival here. AG1 Smith has been assigned to the Naval Weather Service as duty forecaster and assistant Chief Petty-Officer-in-Charge.

Employee In The Spotlight

Upon his graduation from Eugene High School, Eugene, Ore., Fred Davis was awarded a freshman scholarship to Harvard University, Cambridge, Mass. While a student at Harvard, he began an association with two different careers that have run parallel most of his adult life: science and the U.S. Navv.

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Fred was born in Hettinger, N. Dak., but his family moved to Eugene when he was nine years old. "I had always been interested in science, chemistry, mathematics and similar things when I was a boy," he recalled. "While in high school I met the requirements for the scholarship and after passing a test, I won the award."

After taking up his studies, Fred joined the Navy's V-12 program at Harvard. In the middle of his junior year he transferred to CalTech, but he was awarded his BS degree in applied physics from Harvard.

Following his graduation, he attended Midshipmen's School at Notre Dame University, South Bend. Ind., and then served in the U.S. Navy from 1943 until 1946. He was sent to the Tactical Radar School at St. Simons Island, near Brunswick, Ga., and served in radar and countermeasures during his Naval service.

From 1946 to 1949 he worked as an engineer with Jet Propulsion Laboratory (JPL), Pasadena, where he was in charge of rocket and guided missile telemetry receiving and recording systems.

In 1949, Fred was employed as a project engineer with the Underwater Ordnance Department, NOTS, Pasadena. While there he worked with missile and torpedo instrumentation, analog and digital recording devices, transducers, underwater acoustics, telemetry receiving and transsmitting equipment.

That lasted until 1952 when he joined NOTS, China Lake, as the head of the Guidance and Control Branch, Guided Missile Division, of the old Aviation Ordnance Department.

"In 1951, Bill McLean asked me to build telemetry for Sidewinder, and I began making many round trips up here from Pasadena," Fred explained. "After a short period of time, I decided I wanted to get into guidance and control, so some exotic and tropical plants. I took the opportunity offered me to

The move was a natural one for Fred, who had been spending the weekends visiting the desert in order to get out of the city traffic and crowds.

However, the lure of private industry wooed him away from Civil Service in 1954 and he joined ACF Industries as an an engineering staff consultant. In 1955. ACF made him the regional engineering manager and Fred put in two more years with them before deciding to return to Civil Service and China Lake.

He returned to the Weapons Development Department as a consultant in applied research, advanced development, technical advisor in physics, electronics,

In 1968 he was made a special worked on missile guidance Fred said.



systems, radar systems, television systems, underwater acoustics. optics, and other special research

Then in 1970, he was made a science advisor to the Commander U.S. Naval Forces, in Korea, and also a consultant to the Electronic Systems Department.

From April to August 1967, Fred was the Naval Weapons Center's first representative to the III Marine Amphibious Force at Da Nang, South Vietnam, on the Vietnam Laboratories Assistance Program (VLAP), and in late 1969, he served on the Director of Navy Laboratories Committees on Vietnamization, and Mines and Booby Traps.

He is now the coordinator for the China Lake Marine Corps' programs and for the Navy Science Assistance Program (NSAP).

He did such a fine job in Korea that Kim Sang Kil, ROK Chief of Naval Operations, said of him: " .

His pleasing personality, integrity, keen intelligence has done much to the successful and friendly relationship which happily prevails between our two Navies . . It is recommended that his tenure of duty is to be extended for some considerable long period of time so that he may work and stay with us a little longer for the betterment of the Republic of Korea Navy."

Fred is married to the former Patricia Alexander, presently director of Burroughs High School's continuation school. The couple is very keen on gardening and Fred raises orchids in a hothouse he built himself. In addition to his hybrids, he also raises

"I'm a gadgeteer," Fred noted. working on my three automobiles." The Davises own some property in the Alabama Hills where Fred one day plans to build his own home. "I want a workshop of my own," he said, "and I really love the desert environment, so I won't stray too far away."

Pat collects antiques and old books. One of her prize possessions is a Ming vase she found in the Philippines. The two also enjoy remarked about the young man camping and usually go to nor- with the flaming red beard, the thern California every winter for clear glasses and swept back duck and goose hunting.

with their two dogs, Bummy and and "very businesslike."



TRAFFIC NEARBY MUST HALT—Under Navy regulations, proper respect to the American flag requires that all vehicles within sight or sound of the raising and lowering of the National Ensign be halted while their occupants sit at attention until the ceremony has been concluded. In recent weeks, complaints have been received indicating that not all NWC employees are aware of this requirement.

Photographer Ron Mills To Leave Rocketeer Staff

The name Ronald Gray Mills, which has appeared under many photographs in the ROCKETEER during the past two years, will soon So I took up photography, again," be but a memory. PH3 Mills has received his discharge from the U.S Navy and will be leaving the

local area sometime today. Some of his photo spreads have contained images so interesting that readers of the paper have been caught up with a desire to "go see for themselves" the scenes captured by the lens of Mills' camera.

Always dressed in neat, mod fashion, Mills has been a good representative of the ROCK-ETEER staff. Many persons have



Ronald Gray Mills

blonde hair as being "a gentle-Fred also plays golf and plays man," and "always cooperative"

Duke. Bummy is a mongrel they Mills came to the ROCKETEER inherited from the Frank Bothwell in March, 1970, from photography has played at other night spots in family in 1958 and Duke is a 3-year- "A" school, in Pensacola, Fla. old golden retriever. "We have Prior to the school assignment, shown Duke and he now has six Mills had been an Aviation Bosun's research assistant for AOD, and points toward a championship," Mate striker on board the USS this dance, which is open to all club Kitty Hawk.

"I felt a deep yearning to express my artistic feelings. I tried painting, but that wasn't enough.

Mills was a photographer for the Mt. Miguel High School newspaper, in Spring Valley, Calif., prior to entering the U.S. Navy. While stationed at China Lake, he also served as a photographer and sports writer for the Bakersfield College publication, The Desert Knight.

Mills will return to his home town, Mesa, Ariz., and live with his family while he attends Mesa Community College. Then he has plans to attend either the Art Centre School of Photography, in Los Angeles, or Brooks Institute (for photography), in Santa

"I will miss this area," he said. "There are still a lot of beautiful things around here I would like to photograph."

The staff of the ROCKETEER will also miss Mills, and the highly professional work he has done during his two year tour of duty.

Dance Slated Officers' Mess

stars tonight at the Commissioned Officers' Mess.

The Iron Horse will play on the and 4:30 p.m., or visit the college club's patio from 9 p.m. to 1:30 office at 218 N. Sanders St., a.m. A local band, the Iron Horse Ridgecrest. this area and will be appearing for the first time at the Officers' Club.

There is no admission charge for members and their guests.

Traffic Must Halt During Flag Ceremony

A number of complaints have been received recently from Naval Weapons Center employees who are concerned about the lack of respect shown by some of their coworkers during the daily ceremony of raising and lowering of the American flag.

The ceremonial hoisting and lowering of the National Ensign takes place daily at 8 a.m. and sunset at the flagpole located in front of the NWC Administration

At such times, U.S. Navy Regulations require that all vehicles within sight or hearing of the ceremony must stop, and persons riding in such vehicles must remain seated at attention until the ceremony has been

Signups Set For Chapman College Classes

Registration for Term II of Chapman College will begin Monday and is slated to continue through Friday, Sept. 1, at the Resident Education Office, 218 N. Sanders St., Ridgecrest.

Six classes will be offered that can be counted toward fulfilling the requirements and electives for Bachelor of Arts degrees in social sciences, sociology-criminal justice and the Master of Education degree.

The classes, all of which carry 3 units of credit, will be held at Pierce Elementary School. The schedule follows:

Education 310, Elementary Curriculum, Monday and Wednesday, 8 to 11 p.m., Bill Stokes,

Education 671, Psychology of the Exceptional Child, Tuesday and Thursday, 5 to 8 p.m., Dr. Ellis

Tiffany, instructor. History 433, Civil War and Reconstruction, Tuesday and Thursday, 8 to 11 p.m., Dr. Ralph Van Brocklin, instructor.

Social Welfare 498, Counseling Techniques in Social Work, Monday and Wednesday, 8 to 11 p.m., Nancy Jacobs, instructor. Psychology 421, Mental Hygiene,

(no times as yet) Dr. Ellis Cline, Education 608, Seminar in Social

Foundations, Monday and Wednesday, 5 to 8 p.m., Dr. Sarkavey, Chapman College Residence

Education Centers presently exist on 20 military installations in the state of California and serve military personnel and civilians in isolated areas with programs geared toward the needs of the individual. Half tuition is available At Commissioned to all military dependents (active and retired) and Department of Defense civilian dependents.

For further information about There will be dancing under the Chapman College, or free educational counseling, call 375-4416 between the hours of 8:30 a.m.

UNIFORM CHANGES

Navy nurses are now authorized to wear a white pants suit type hospital working uniform.





By Jack Lindse This is the year for golf. So I've been told by all those "in the know."

The China Lake golf course is in the best condition it has ever seen. The fairways are lush and green. the greens are smooth as silk, with most of poa-annua gone, and the look of the course is rapidly im-

In the clubhouse, steps are being taken to brighten up the interior, new lines of clothing and equipment are being added, and more space is being provided in the locker room area.

At the present time, the club boasts only 350 members. That may seem like quite a large number, but compared to the in the junior bowlers' All-Star team an All-Star team in his high school figure of 4.750 male and female employees of the Naval Weapons Center, the membership total seems rather small.

The present rate structure at the golf course is quite liberal. For only \$12 per month, any civilian employed on the Center can belong to the club. This entitles him or her to play all the golf they desire, with no further charges each month. For an additional \$5 per month, members of the employee's family followed by Buford Branson, 15. communities in the Southland. may also play all the golf they The male alternate for the squad is

For a hypothesis, let's take an Kelly Moulton, 15, blasted a 489 employee and his wife, with two series to lead the distaff side of the golfing-age children. If each of ledger. The other regular team At Golf Course them played the maximum total of member for the girls is Bettye one round of golf per day, six days Clarke, 16, who started the tourney Tomorrow marks the opening of per week (the course is closed on off with a 99 game, but came back a 3-club golf tournament that will sary. Mondays), then that family could play 96 rounds of golf per month for \$17. That figures up to just slightly over 17 cents per 18 holes of golf.

Or, let's assume that the family plays one round of golf each per week. That makes the cost just a little bit more than \$1.06 per 18 under the watchful eyes of a pair of and they will only be allowed to use holes of golf.

cheapest form of entertainment adult bowlers in the local area. available on the Center, for which The coaches are Myrtle Snyder, lowest scores. The awards will be there is a charge. It would cost the a part-time employee of Hall gift certificates redeemable in the same family \$1 to attend the Center Memorial Lanes who has been golf pro shop.

During the summer time it is the past year; Wanda Billings, a sheet is located in the clubhouse. entirely possible to play a high average bowler, also active in minimum of 9 holes per day after junior bowling; R. C. Jones, getting off of work. Not only does assistant manager of the China In 11ND Tourney the golfer benefit from the exercise Lake bowling alley, and a 190-plus involved, but it does marvels for average bowler; Ken Dalpiaz, who the built-up, pent-up tensions since his own teen-age years has four contestants in the North-South gathered in during the work day. been a consistent high scorer on Divisional Golf Tournament, Chief

of tensions, but the challenge of certified AMF (American Machine playing against the course and and Foundry) bowling instructor, week to the 11th Naval District against yourself cannot be ignored. Golf wear, equipment of all

kinds, and other paraphernalia is available in the pro shop to all employees at discount prices. Truly, the sport of golfing can be enjoyed by all the employees of the Center at a very nominal rate.

So why don't more of you use this ideal Special Services facility?



STELLAR JUNIOR BOWLERS — The Hall Memorial Lanes Classic Junior Bowling team poses for its first picture together. They are, kneeling, Mike Lindsey; second row, I-r: Rhonda Billings, Bettye Clarke and Kelly Moulton, and back row, I-r: Buford Branson, Dale Diede and Craig LaFleur.

The only thing we need now is— Jr. All-Star Bowling Team To Represent Local Area

tryouts held last Sunday at Hall days and worked for the Boulevard Memorial Lanes

local area took part in the three- in bowling, but last carried a 186 game scratch competition, from average in the Premier League which an All-Star team of four boys during the 1970-71 season. and three girls, ages 13 through 16, was selected.

Dale Diede, 16.

win her place.

Billings, 14.

To Receive Coaching

team will begin training on Sept. 10 wishes to use throughout the match coaches, volunteers scheduled to those three clubs.

theater, and that price is going up. very active in junior bowling for Golf, of course, has its own breed the local lanes and who is also a Jimmy Armstrong, of the Naval

Sign-Ups Under Way For Flag Football

Sign-ups for Intramural Flag Football are now being held in the NWC gymnasium. Practice will begin in September, with the first game of the season scheduled for Sept. 28.

Mike Lindsey, 13, took top honors and Jack Lindsey, who bowled on Bowl, in Long Beach, Calif., for Nineteen junior bowlers from the many years. He no longer is active

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Sponsor of the team is Hall Memorial Lanes, with the approval and 143-527-to take the No. 1 planned for the team to represent sonnel. position on the team. In second China Lake in home and home position is Craig LaFleur, 15, matches against other teams from

3-Club Tourney **Set Tomorrow**

strong with games of 172 and 204 to be held at the China Lake golf course. This will be a handicap The girl alternate is Rhonda event and an estimated 60 participants are expected.

Each player will get the choice of The seven-member bowling the three clubs that he or she

This has got to be considered the aid with the team from a list of five Prizes will be awarded to the

The entry fee is \$2 and a sign-up

Local Golfer Vies

After having rated among the top Weapons Center, traveled last Golf Tournament in San Diego.

Unfortunately, Chief Armstrong A graduate of the University of didn't place in the top four in this Washington, where he played tourney. Those who did qualify will varsity football for three years and travel to Whidbey Island, Wash., to was chosen defensive end on the compete in the Western Division all-Pacific Eight Conference team training program, or the schfinals on Aug. 21. The climax to this in 1968, Cliff Coker and his father, eduling of other classes while event will be the All Navy Golf Charles, a former Olympic track Coker is here, can be made calling Tournament which will be held in coach, organized Medimetrics. Marty Denkin at the NWC gym, Miramar.

Fast Pitch Title Won By **Brown, Valley Merchants**

The Valley Merchants won the first inning with two men on base chucker, Billy Brown.

Gary Potteiger, shortstop for the with the shortstop. Merchants, hit the only home run Moulder also was called out of the game. It came with no one on because, in Radcliff's judgement, base in the second inning. The solo he would have been out had Lee not blast sailed high over the center interfered with Matsumoto. field fence. Bert Andreasen was the losing pitcher.

More than 600 persons were on hand at Reardon Field to witness the game, the last in the regular season. The Bud Eyre team needed a win to force a playoff, but couldn't come up with the needed hits against Brown, whose fast ball was humming across the plate with monotonous regularity.

The Bud Eyre squad had led the league until Monday night, when they lost a disputed game to NAF and slipped into a tie for first place with the Merchants. Bud Eyre team manager Tom Short filed a protest after the game, won by NAF 5-4, over a "judgement call" by base umpire Lowell Radcliff. The disputed call came in the

Physical Exams To Be Given To NWC Dependents last Saturday by scores of 30-7 and

Lindsey rolled games of 205, 179 of NWC Special Services. It is duty and retired military per- she pitched a one-hitter.

slated on Wednesday.

Eligible students desiring to take to further the team effort. before reporting to the Dispen- California Municipal Athletic

China Lake Intramural Fast Pitch for Bud Evre, behind in the game 2-Softball League championship 0. Drex Moulder, at bat, hit a Wednesday night as they defeated ground ball to Jim Matsumoto, the Bud Eyre Chevrolet, 5-2, behind NAF shortstop, and Jim Lee, the 4-hit pitching of their ace running for third base, was called out for intentional interference

The interference call was the judgement call involved, and the rules of softball clearly state that if a runner intentionally interferes with a fielder, then the batter-run-A protest committee met at

Special Services Tuesday afternoon and ruled that the protest be disallowed and the score stood.

The committee found that (1) an umpire's judgement call may not be protested officially, and (2) that the rules also made Moulder a

Girls' Softball All Stars Win Two From Delano

The Indian Wells Valley Girls' All Star softball team pounded out two wins and swept its doubleheader against the Delano team

Physical examinations required Robin Harbin collected a homer for admission to school and par- in each of the games to lead the ticipation in athletics will be given IWV attack. Miss Harbin scored a at the NWC Dispensary next total of eight runs, five of them in Tuesday and Wednesday afternoon the first game. In the second game, for all eligible dependents of active in addition to her batting prowess,

Myrna Martin, of the IWV All The exams will be offered Stars, also scored eight times in beginning at 1 p.m. on both days, the two games. Lynn Preston. with Tuesday set aside for boys Kathy Burkhalter and Bobby and physical checkups for girls Gould, the winning pitcher of the first game, each scored four times

advantage of this service must The IWV Girls' All Star team will first obtain a physical examination travel to Bell Gardens on Aug. 28 to form from their school office participate in the Southern Federation tournament.

Expert in Resistive Exercise To Conduct Classes at Center Gym

here next week for interested local Marine Corps that included residents to obtain first-hand in- combat duty in Vietnam. formation about a new type of Also involved in Medimetrics, physical training program.

Cliff Coker, a consultant in resistive exercise, will be here from Monday through Thursday to conduct classes for adult men and women, personnel of the NWC Fire and Police Divisions, and members of the Burroughs High School football squad.

Coker, who is president of Medimetrics, Inc., a firm that manufactures resistive exercise equipment, has been involved for 15 years in weight training and power lifting, and also has done a considerable amount of work in the field of rehabilitative therapy.

Inc., in 1970, after the son had phone Ext. 2334.

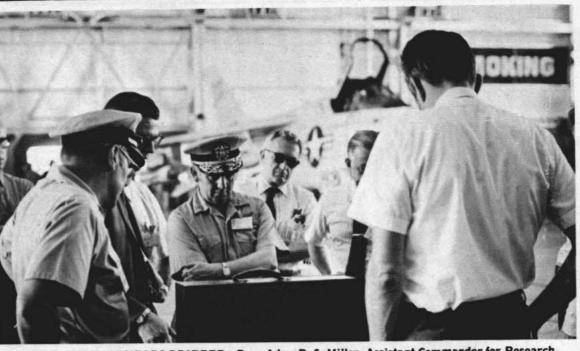
An opportunity will be provided served a two-year hitch in the

Inc., is Ed Burke, a former two-U.S. in the hammer throw event in

On Monday at the NWC gym, Coker will conduct classes from 11 a.m. to 1 p.m. for adult males, from 3 to 5 p.m. for members of the Burros grid squad, and from 7:30 to 9:30 p.m. for adult women.

On Tuesday, Coker will be at the gym from 9 to 11 a.m. to instruct Police Division personnel in a physical training program based on resistive exercise, and on Wednesday and Thursday from 8:30 to 11:30 a.m. he will repeat this instruction for the benefit of local fire fighters at Fire Station No. 1 and at the Naval Air Facility firehouse.

Inquiries about this physical



NAVAIRSYSCOM VISITORS BRIEFED—Rear Adm. R. S. Miller, Assistant Commander for Research and Technology in the Naval Air Systems Command, led a team of visitors who spent two days here last week being brought up to date on various technical programs being carried out at the Naval Weapons Center. Having a look at information on the Anti-Personnel, Anti-Material Progam (APAM) are (from left) Rear Adm. W. J. Moran, NWC Commander; Milton Burford, APAM Program manager; Rear Adm. Miller; H. G. Wilson, NWC Technical Director, and (back to camera) Dr. W. B. LaBerge, NWC Deputy Technical Director. Discussions centered on components that go into the weapons system and the manufacturing processes being used. This briefing was held at the Naval Air Facility's Hangar 3.

Davis Gets Security Dept. Post... administrative staff functions of His ability in handling a variety

Systems Department's head of staff.

Long recognized for his administrative abilities and for his contribution to the development of

Annual Fete Set Over Weekend At Tehachapi

The City of Tehachapi, located on Highway 58 between Mojave and Bakersfield, will celebrate its ninth annual Mountain Festival and Fiesta tomorrow and Sunday.

Many events have been planned for the two day period, including art shows, a parade, a barbeque, rodeo, water show, bowling tournament, golf tournament, and open houses.

The schedule of events begins at at 10 a.m.

An art fair, plus Fiesta enslated to begin at 11:30 a.m.

The rodeo will begin at 2 p.m. at the rodeo grounds, and a water show also will be held at 2 p.m. at the city's swimming pool for those persons not interested in equestrian affairs.

At 6 p.m., the Veterans of Foreign Wars will sponsor a Spanish dinner, to be held at the Veterans Hall, and the Mountain Bowling Lanes will hold moonlight bowling, scheduled to begin at 7

Teenagers will also join in the fun at a teen dance, slated for 8 p.m. and a festival dance will cap the evening at the old Bus Barn, beginning at 9.

Sunday's events begin at 8:30 a.m. with church services at the Tehachapi High School's football field. The art fair will open again at 10 and an air show is slated to begin

A second rodeo performance is on tap at 2 p.m. Sunday, and the celebration will conclude with an open house, sponsored by the City of Tehachapi citizens, at the Community Church, beginning at 7 p.m.

He held the latter post for 10 the departments in which he has of work assignments has earned years until moving to his most been employed, Davis served from Davis three Outstanding Perrecent job as the Electronic 1955 to 1969 on the Center's Ad- formance Ratings, one Superior ministrative Development Com- Accomplishment Award, three mittee--the last 10 years as

In addition, he has been a member of the Department Staff Assistants' Council continuously since 1955 and also served on the Technical Administrative Panel

variety of fields at the Naval Weapons Center.

breakfast at the Masonic Building, Board, the Recreation Council and Jeffry, and another daughter, in Tehachapi. A parade will begin the Safe Driving Council - a group Mary, are both high school he helped to reorganize and has students. served on since 1963. Davis also Facilities Planning Board.

Sustained Superior Performance Awards, and three Quality Step Increases. In 1967, Davis also was awarded a Fellow in Management.

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Outside of his work his activities have included being a member and serving as president of the local chapter of the American Society Davis, whose outside duties since for Public Administration, serving 1969 have included serving as a as a Cubmaster and Cub Pack member of the board of trustees of chairman, involvement as an ofthe Kern High School District, was ficer of the Burroughs High PTA, active in the establishment of the and participation in church work Work Experience Program which as a Sunday School teacher and enables selected students at superintendent. In addition, he has Burroughs High to benefit from a been a member of both the local taste of on-the-job training in a Lions Club and Masonic Lodge.

Davis and his wife, Grethel, are the parents of four children. Two of In addition, the new head of the them, their oldest son, Lee, and a Security Department has been daughter, Tomya Stensaas, are 6:30 a.m. Saturday with a kick-off active on the Employee Services married, while two others, a son,

The Davises also have two tertainment will take place at the has been a member of the grandchildren, 6-year-old Ronda city park, as will a barbeque, Screening Committee of the Shore Davis, and Heather Stensaas, who is 4 months old.

job that we had to do was to Burroughs, and Kevin, the relocate the Corona Laboratories youngest son, will be an eighth

Heads Command Administration...

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to China Lake." Cdr. Brown was grader at Murray School this fall. the Officer-in-Charge of the Corona "Our family hobbies are gar-Laboratories for two years.

and closed the Corona Lab- the summertime." Lake," he said, "and worked in the Bluejacket... oratories in 1971, I came to China Fuze Department as technical officer for about 7 months.

I'd like to take this job and I did." 1961 to 1963 he attended the North Cdr. Brown has been in charge of Dakota State School of Science, in the Command Administration Wahpeton. Upon completion of the Department since the middle of two-year course, he became

His job entails overseeing a complex of diverse organizations, ranging from the Office Services in addition, assists Capt. D. W. N. Dak. Alderton, the NWC Deputy Commander, in a variety of ways.

Mrs. Brown was Vera Ratcliffe from Revelstoke, British Columbia, when she went to visit relatives in Alameda and met Cdr. Brown, who was stationed there. They were married in 1953.

The oldest of the Browns' four children, Gary, is a senior at Phillips University in Enid, Okla. He is majoring in political science.

Randall, the next oldest son, will be a senior at Burroughs High School this fall. "He's busy getting himself conditioned for football, Cdr. Brown said. The daughter,

Two USC Profs To Visit NWC In September

Two professors from the University of Southern California are scheduled to visit the Naval Weapons Center on Friday, Sept. 15, to counsel students who are now enrolled in the USC Graduate Program in Engineering.

The two men who will be here in mid-September are Nasser Nahi, whose field is electrical eng-

An appointment for a counseling session can be made by calling the NWC Education Office, phone Ext. 2641, no later than Sept. 13.

USC Graduate Program in The outstanding sailor was asked Profs. Nahi or Freberg during their forthcoming visit.

Local Artist To **Hold Watercolor** Painting Classes

art instructor, has announced the smooth-running shop. The people I scheduling of a Watercolor work with and for are out-Painting Class that will start on standing," he concluded. Sept. 12.

continue for six weeks.

Persons interested in regis-

Candace, will be a sophomore at

dening and camping," Cdr. Brown said. "We do desert camping in the When we finished relocation winter and go to the mountains in

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N. Dak., where he was graduated "Then," he continued, "the from Newburg High School, is an Deputy Commander asked me if eight year Navy veteran. From eligible to take the state examination for a journeyman electrician's license.

After successfully completing Division (Travel and Mail, Files the examination, Melgaard was and Records) to Special Services. issued the license and following a He has the responsibility for all short period of time went to work enlisted personnel on-Center, and, for the Ace Electric Co., in Minot,

He had been building a career in electronics even while in high school. During the summers and after school, Melgaard worked for the Larsen Electric Co., in Newburg, as an apprentice elec-

The outstanding Bluejacket carried that career one step further when he enlisted in the U.S. Navy in June, 1964. After basic training and electronics technician "A" school at Great Lakes, Mich., Melgaard attended sea school in Vallejo, Calif.

Following his graduation he was assigned to shore duty in Yokosuka, Japan.

While stationed at Yokosuka, Melgaard met his wife, Hatsuko, a clerk in a music store. The couple planned to marry, but Melgaard's duty overseas was drawing to a close and there wasn't enough time left to make all the arrangements.

So, in May 1968 he returned to the United States and re-enlisted for six years in the Navy, with orders back to Japan. This time he was sent to the Auxiliary Landing Field (ALF), in Kisarazu, and while there he and Hatsuko were married on Dec. 20, 1968.

The couple has a daughter, Julie, ineering, and C. Roger Freberg, a 3 years old, who was born in mechanical engineering in- Kisarazu. In June, 1971, Melgaard finished his tour of duty and was assigned to China Lake.

I really like it here," he stated "My wife thinks the weather is too hot, sometimes, but for the most In addition, prospective students part we enjoy China Lake," he

Engineering also are invited to if he liked his duty assignment, make arrangements to contact "Well, I'll tell you," he began, "I once knew an old sailor who told me that there are only two good types of commands-the one you just left, or the one you are going to. I disagree with that statement," Melgaard said. "I think this particular command is tops, and I Ruth Mayer, a local artist and am working in an extremely

Melgaard enjoys working in his The class will be held on Tuesday yard and labels himself a "stereo evenings from 7 to 9:30 at the nut." "I spend a lot of time taping Community Center, and will music, and listening to what I have recorded," he said.

Hatsuko likes to sew and makes tering, or those who wish further nearly all of Julie's clothes. She information, should call Mrs. has also learned to make nearly all Mayer at 446-5010, or Art Amos at of the American dishes, but the the Community Center, phone ext. family still indulges occasionally with a Japanese meal.



CHIEF AIR FORCE SCIENTIST VISITS NWC-Dr. E. E. Covert, right, Chief Scientist of the U.S. Air Force, received an NWC plaque from Rear Adm. W. J. Moran, NWC Commander. During a brief stay at NWC, Dr. Covert received up-to-date briefings on joint Air Force-Navy development programs and was taken on a tour of the Center. In addition, he was given a briefing by Capt. T. C. Wimberly, NWC Technical Officrer, and viewed the "Highlights" film. He also met with NWC top management to discuss Air Force-Navy programs currently being developed at NWC.

Summer Employees From 20 States Handle Varied Assignments at NWC

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alodining, a process in which aluminum parts are coated with a protective covering. An employee this summer of the Engineering Department's Shop Branch, Keith will be a senior at Burroughs High



SHARON ROBINSON AND THERESA WUEST pause in the midst of a typically busy day in the Storage and Retail Branch of the Supply Department. Sharon (at left) works as a keypunch operator and Theresa is a clerk. Sharon plans to complete her studies at Burroughs High School this coming school year; while Theresa, a 1972 Burroughs graduate, hopes to obtain permanent employment at



CAROLYN McLENNON sits at her drawing board in the Systems Development Department's Aircraft Guns Systems Branch, where she is working this summer as a draftsman. This fall Carolyn will be a freshman at Chico State College, with plans to major in drama.



RAYMOND (GREG) HOCKER works at a photographic enlarger in the Code 30 Photo Lab. This summer Greg is getting practical experience related to his chosen field of study. In the fall he will enter Brooks Institute as a freshman, with plans to major in photography.

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engineering, mechanical engin- summer employment next sumeering, engineering aid, physicist, mer should apply under the physical science aid, math- provisions outlined in the anmotion picture production spec- available. ialist, television production specialist, chemist, employment development specialist, firefighter, clerk typist, clerk, computer aid, library aid, warehouse personnel, helper positions in the crafts

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(Continued from Page 1) Individuals who are interested in Center next summer. engineering, electrical-electronic receiving consideration for ematician, mathematics aid, nouncement as soon as it becomes

shipping and receiving, draftsman, the first week in December in possible 4.0 for all students.

The method by which these test dates may be changed for the Civil Service Commission, the employees got their summer jobs coming year. Current summer Placement Center at the college at NWC has been spelled out employees should contact the they are attending, or they may clearly by the U.S. Civil Service Summer Employment Coordinator write to the Summer Employment Commission. Each year in late by calling Ext. 3590 prior to their Coordinator, Employment Div-October, the Summer Employment return to school this fall if they ision, Code 652, Naval Weapons Examination is announced by the wish to discuss the possibility of Center, China Lake, to obtain the U.S. Civil Service Commission. employment at the Naval Weapons application forms.

Local students should contact the Summer Employment Coordinator while they are home during the Thanksgiving holiday period to obtain the application form necessary to apply to take the test It is strongly recommended that or use the grade-point average students take the first test given. bypass. The Personnel Depart-The first test is normally given in ment has received information January of each year. It is that the grade-point average necessary to apply by the end of bypass may be raised to 3.5 out of a

There are indications that the tact the nearest office of the U.S.



WILLIAM McISAAC is a physical science aid in the Research Department's Chemistry Division. Here he weighs some manganese carbonate preparatory to mixing precisely measured chemical samples. Bill will be a junior, majoring in phsyics, at UCLA this fall.



CANDY LONG finds telephone-answering a significant part of her chores as a clerk typist in the Administrative Services Branch of the Electronic Systems Department. A Burroughs High School graduate, Candy is spending her first summer in the NWC Summer Program. Her plans include marriage on Sept. 1 and a move to Sacramento, where she will work and attend college part-time.

Photos By Dan Yeatts



MARY ANN ATKINSON is a Supply Department helper this summer; she assists Servmart shoppers in their search for office supplies. She will go back to U.C. Santa Barbara this fall, where she will be a junior, majoring in sociology. This is Mary Ann's second summer as a NWC employee.



MICHAEL BREITENSTEIN AND JAMES SANTANGELO are working this summer as science aids in the Physics Division of the Research Department. Mike (at left) looks in a microscope, while Jim prepares to analyze the chemicals in the beaker he holds. A 1972 graduate of Burroughs High School, Mike plans to pursue his interest in physics at Bakersfield College this fall; while Jim will return to U.C. Berkeley, where he will be a junior, majoring in physics.



LAURA QUEZADA is doing an office space study this summer as part of her duties as a clerk typist on the Systems Development Department staff. A junior at San Diego State College this fall, Laura is a social sciences major with an emphasis on anthropology.



EDDIE HALL is ready to help shoppers at the Supply Department Servmart find the forms they need. When he goes back to Burroughs High School this fall, Eddie will be a senior.