



Bill Hampton

Publicize TID Current Events

Effective September 1, Bill Hampton took over his duties as programs coordinator of the presentation division, technical information department. Bill was formerly in the field service unit attached to the experimental officer, which is concerned with introducing NOTS-developed ordnance into fleet activities. Part of the three-and-one-half years he has been at NOTS Bill served in the Navy and was on duty at the Randsburg wash activities. Ray A. Sinnott, who was acting programs coordinator from February through August of this year, has now returned to his position as head of the displays section, presentation division. Assistant programs coordinator during July and August was Leo Jacobson, who has resumed his duties as principal of Richmond school.

Fair Time

It's fair time throughout southern California and NOTS is participating in many local events of this kind...

At the Kern county fair, being held in Bakersfield from September 24 through September 30, the Station will have its large self-pak display of the NOTS weapon development cycle on exhibition. This will be accompanied by a continuous colored slide projection story, a black and white picture story of the Station's work and two additional displays—one of the 2.75 and the other of propellant development.

NOTS Fair Exhibit

From September 14 through 21, NOTS featured a new exhibit at the Los Angeles county fair in Pomona. This was manned by personnel from the personnel and technical information departments and consisted of a miniature SNORT track in action together with the story of SNORT's development told by a series of colored slides. A second NOTS display at Pomona was the self-pak "superior weapons for defense" which also had a continuous slide projection story accompanying it.

SNORT Fair Display

The new SNORT display will also appear at the San Bernardino county fair which will take place at Victorville from October 3 through October 7.

Station displays depicting the NOTS weapon development cycle, 2.75 development and propellant development work will be part of the "military appreciation day" celebration in San Bernardino. This city-wide event is merchant-sponsored, and its purpose is to foster good relations between military personnel and the business and professional people in the San Bernardino area.

A number of rockets of historical interest were delivered by Sinnott to the Kern county museum in Bakersfield. Several charts telling the story of the Station, its mission and growth completed this display which will be a permanent exhibit in the museum.

Turn Clocks Back By 2 a.m. Sunday

Return to standard time will be effected at 2 a.m. Sunday, September 30, according to COMIL Instruction 5700.4. To simplify the return to standard time, Station residents are advised to turn their clocks back one hour when they retire Saturday night.

Influenza Vaccine Schedule Issued Here for Military

A notice has been issued by Captain F. L. Ashworth informing all military personnel and their dependents 5 years of age and over of the availability of influenza vaccine. Compliance with the vaccine program is set forth by BuMed Notice 6230.

Immunization will be administered at the Station hospital according to the following schedule:

• NOTS enlisted personnel; Oct. 1-2 from 8 to 10 a.m. and 1 to 3 p.m.

• Marine barracks enlisted personnel; Oct. 3-4 from 8 to 10 a.m. and 1 to 3 p.m.

• GMU-25 enlisted personnel; Oct. 5 from 8 to 10 a.m. and 1 to 3 p.m.

• GMU-61 enlisted personnel; Oct. 8 from 8 to 10 a.m. and 1 to 3 p.m.

• NOTS officer personnel not scheduled for annual physicals; Oct. 9 from 8 to 10 a.m. and 1 to 3 p.m. Officers scheduled for annual physicals will be immunized at the time of their annual physicals.

• NAF personnel; the flight surgeon attached to the Naval Air Facility will arrange to immunize military personnel attached to that activity. Such immunizations will be given at the NAF dispensary during the period Oct. 1 through Oct. 31.

• Pasadena Annex personnel; the Medical Officer NOTS will arrange to visit the Pasadena Annex to administer vaccine to military personnel and their dependents attached to that activity.

• Stragglers in the enlisted personnel categories may be immunized Oct. 10 from 8 to 10 a.m. and 1 to 3 p.m.

• Dependents of military personnel, ages five years and over including adults desiring immunizations will be immunized on Oct. 15, 16, and 17 from 3 to 4 p.m. each day. No appointment is necessary. All children 5 years and over must be accompanied by a parent. Children under 5 years old will not be immunized.

Talent Wanted For PW Show

The Employees Club of the public works department wishes to alert all talented Station employees that the club will again present its annual Amateur Show October 30. This show has historically been part of the Station's entertainment program. It serves as an opportunity for the people of the Station to display their talents. Profits from the show assist in defraying expenses of the Christmas party given for the children of the public works department employees.

"If you sing, dance, act, or play an instrument, we will be glad to give you an audition," says Howard Lemon, "watch the ROCKETEER for auditioning dates."

Only one audition is to be held. It will be in the Anchorage, Tuesday, October 16, starting at 5 p.m. and continuing until all contestants have been auditioned. Auditioning judges are: Mirth Hammerberg, Velma Barnett, Mabel Custer, Bea Moore and Beverly Aherin.

Those interested in trying out for the show may register at the Community Center and Burroughs High School. Custer's Music Store, Western Auto, and Fuller's Furniture in Ridgecrest are also listed as registration points.

Further information regarding the show may be obtained by contacting Howard Lemon, extension 79021 or A. B. Nichols, extension 77412.

Kauder and Spooner Enroll For Courses at Bakersfield

Two NOTS men, Mike Kauder and Peter Spooner have enrolled at Bakersfield College, according to word received today from college officials.

Kauder, on leave from the personnel department, will major in business administration.

Spooner, a graduate of Burroughs High School, will be a member of the college band. He was also a bandsman at Burroughs



STARTING ELEVEN—Coach Rod O'Meara will use these players in the starting lineup at 8 o'clock against Bakersfield's North High squad. In the line (l. to r.) are: Gary Jacobs, right end; Jack Butler, right tackle; Bill Davis, right guard; Don Cobb,

center; Doug Chartier, left guard; Dee Davis, left tackle; and Tom Slopes, left end. In the backfield (l. to r.) are: Joel Christie, wingback; Larry Jeffries, quarterback; Gary Koehler, fullback; and Roger Short, tailback.

P-TA Will Sponsor 'Back-to-School' Program Thursday

The annual "Back-to-School Night" for all grades, kindergarten through sixth, will be held Thursday evening, October 4, in the China Lake elementary schools. This activity, sponsored by the Elementary Parent-Teacher Association, takes the place of the regular October Elementary P-TA meeting.

Acquaint Parents

The objectives of "Back-to-School Night" are to give parents an opportunity to become better acquainted with teachers, the year's instructional program and the instructional materials used by pupils. The program will include an oral presentation by the teachers according to this schedule: Grades 1, 2, and 5 in all schools from 7:45 p.m.; grades 3, 4, and 6 from 8 to 8:45 p.m. Kindergarten class rooms will be open for visitation from 7 to 9 p.m. However, no formal presentation is planned since room mother meetings and parent conferences have already been scheduled to cover the subject.

Staggered Schedule
The staggered schedule is planned to give parents with more than one child the opportunity to hear at least two grade-level presentations. The 15 minute break between scheduled presentations will allow time for parents to move from one class room to another or even between different schools where this is necessary.

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DENTAL SYMPOSIUM—Dr. E. D. Shooshan of Pasadena addresses members of the 1956 Dental Society Symposium.

NOTS Host to 1956 'Dental Symposium'

Forty-two dentist members of the Armed Forces Desert Dental Society were hosted at NOTS last Thursday by the Station's dental department. Guests were from Corona Naval Hospital, Norton AFB, March AFB, George AFB, and Barstow Marine Corps Supply Center.

Dr. Ray Contino, Pasadena, in addition to Dr. Arlo Mueller and Dr. J. Lowell Hammond of Ridgecrest. The symposium honored the Navy Dental Corps' 44th anniversary.

Captain R. C. Millard, dental officer of the Station hospital who served as coordinator for the Den-

Coming AND Going

New Employees:

Aviation ordnance—James C. Penley.

Technical information—Muriel L. Adams.

Rocket development—Victor G. Casados Jr.

Terminations:

Personnel—Terry J. Haycock, Michael H. Kauder.

Propellants & explosives—Leonard J. Krakowiak, John N. Sclera, George M. Horn, Judith Quan, Billy M. Laman, Delbert W. Huffman, Alan J. Paulsen, Paul Someson, William Cohen.

Rocket development—Frank B. St. George, George G. Barnes, George Mann, Peter Norton, Victor G. Casados Jr., Robert R. Cotant, Adrian J. Aitken, June Webber.

Test—Kenneth S. Croker, Robert L. Rockwell, Richard C. Eubank, John R. Holdsworth, Barbara J. Chicks, Roland A. Hotin, Leslie B. Joost.

Research—Richard M. Sponberg, James G. Moore, Alan E. Farley, Kazuji Terada.

Aviation ordnance—Claude E. Wilson, Donald G. Siefert, Roy G. Lee.

Public works—Abraham Rodack, Clarence A. Gallemore.

Technical information—Kevin M. Scott.

Central staff—Milton S. Rogers.

Engineering—Nicholas J. Waddock Jr., Alexander Kowalsky, Neil E. Smith.

Red Cross Branch Affiliates with Fund; Services Described

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servicemen and their dependents.

The Red Cross production unit, under direction of Mrs. Eva Olsen, cares for supplies, makes surgical wrappers and towels at the Ridgecrest hospital and the Station infirmary. Layettes and hospital slippers are also made by this unit and distributed both locally and nationally.

The Red Cross home nursing unit, under direction of Jane La-Rosa, gives free home nursing instruction to area residents. This instruction not only teaches the individual skills in home care of the sick, but enables students to assume important roles as assistants to professional nurses in event of a major catastrophe.

The local first aid services unit, under direction of Earl Suladie, conducts standard and advanced classes in first aid techniques. Advanced students receive Red Cross certificates and usually go on to become instructors. More than 15 certificates were granted here last year and a large class is now underway.

Carol Chatterton heads the water services unit for local Red Cross work and was last week commended by Brigadier General J. S. Holt, one of Edwards Air Force Base for her cooperation there in water safety training. Mrs. Chatterton, like the others giving of their time and money, is a volunteer.

Local Junior Red Cross services are directed by Mrs. F. W. Jandl (chairman) and Mrs. Howard Wilcox (co-chairman). Junior Red Cross permits young people the opportunity of participating in local and national activities. Dual purpose of JRC is serving the community by helping others and rendering educational assistance in the schools in hygienic fields and others.

Red Cross is proof positive of "man's humanity to man," so when your fellow United Fund workers see you in October when the drive begins, don't forget Red Cross.

William Blackwell Rites Held in Station Chapel

Funeral rites for William C. Blackwell, 73, a retired NOTS employee, were conducted at the Station chapel yesterday afternoon with the Reverend Charles R. Simmons officiating.

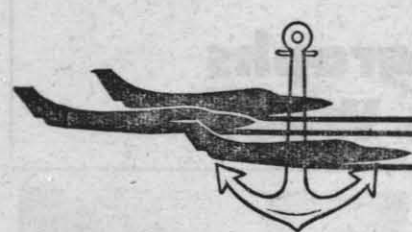
Blackwell died Tuesday morning at his home, 323 Robertson road, Ridgecrest, following a lingering illness.

He is survived by his wife, Hester of Ridgecrest; four sons—James of China Lake, Leon of Washington, D.C., Earl of Ukiah, California, Clarence of Cuba; and two daughters, Ruby Cornish and Ruth Williams of Ridgecrest.

TEMPERATURES

	Max.	Min.
Sept. 20	90	65
Sept. 21	91	51
Sept. 22	93	53
Sept. 23	96	52
Sept. 24	98	56
Sept. 25	100	58
Sept. 26	100	57

CEBA officials urge member participation in boosting the membership.



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SECNAV AWARD PRESENTATION—Capt. F. L. Ashworth presents the Achievement in Industrial Safety Award and the Motor Vehicle Safety Award to Station officials for later distribution to NOTS personnel. Pictured at official presentation (l. to r.) are: Capt. F. L. Ashworth, LCDR C. E. Hackwith, Cdr. E. R. Whitty Jr., Capt. R. L. Myers, G. R. Cotner, E. G. Loomis, Dr. G. J. Flain, Cdr. J. F. Callahan, and Dr. I. E. Highberg. These SecNAV awards are presented for an outstanding safety program.

Join Forces

IWV Red Cross Branch Joins Area United Fund Organization

(EDITOR'S NOTE: The ROCKETEER has endeavored during the past four months to bring to the reader's attention pertinent facts about the agencies that make up the Indian Wells Valley United Fund. This article is the seventh of a series and describes the work of the American Red Cross, IWV branch—a new affiliate of the IWV United Fund.)

No introduction to an article about the American Red Cross could be more appropriate than the words of President Dwight Eisenhower—"This nation, its government and its people, will continue to look to the American Red Cross for all those humane services that have done so much to improve community life and to maintain the well being of our neighbors in time of disaster and emergency." This sentiment is shared each year by millions who contribute time and money for Red Cross activities.

1956 marks the first year of participation by the IWV branch of the Red Cross in the Indian Wells Valley United Fund. Area residents have long deemed this a desirable action but it was achieved only recently when the board of directors of the two agencies agreed on the affiliation, according to Russell Huse, fund publicity chairman. American Red Cross is a great organization of nearly 2,000,000 workers (both volunteer and professional) and is chartered by Congress. Locally the IWV branch is under direction of the Bakersfield chapter.

Coordinating the local programs of Red Cross is Doris Scheller, chairman of the Indian Wells Valley branch. Volunteer workers are on duty around the clock in carrying out the responsibilities of administering to the needs of civilian and military alike in emergencies. All local activities are concerned, in one way or another, with the health, safety and well being of area residents.

Red Cross services primarily encompass the following areas:

- services to the Armed Forces and their families;
- services to veterans and their families;
- blood programs;
- nursing services;
- first aid services;
- water safety instruction;
- general community services;
- and Junior Red Cross activities.

Even though the Red Cross has a long record of disaster relief service, this is but one of its many activities as pointed out above. One of the major services rendered "right here in our own back yard" is that of the home service group. Locally, they are on call day and night; they don't get paid for their services and these people are all volunteers.

Home service is headed by Mrs. F. A. Chenault who is assisted by Mrs. W. E. Donaldson. This unit acts as a liaison between service men and their commanding officer.



SAFETY TRIBUTES—Displayed above are the two SecNav Safety Awards earned by NOTS for its 1955 safety records. These will be exhibited in the safety division office of command administration department. Station officials who received the awards (l. to r.) are: Cdr. F. R. Whitty Jr., head of command administration; Station Commander Capt. F. L. Ashworth; Safety Officer LCDR C. E. Hackwith; and G. R. Cotner, safety director.

Choose Concert Seats At CC Next Wednesday

Vouchers for concert tickets may be redeemed and new seat locations chosen next Wednesday at the Community Center between 6 and 9 p.m. NOTS civic concert association officials announced yesterday.

Concert association members who wish to retain the same theatre seats they held for last year's concerts may do so. Members who purchased vouchers during the spring sales and who have not yet made a choice must do so at next Wednesday is the last chance for priority choice before the fall sales campaign.



MAN OF THE YEAR NOMINEES—Capt. T. E. Murphree (left) and Dr. F. J. Lavacot (right) are nominees from NOTS to the Bakersfield Junior Chamber of Commerce for the national Jaycee "Man of the Year" contest. Capt. Murphree is head of the U. S. Marine Corps development group at NOTS and Dr. Lavacot is head of the internal ballistics branch of the propellants and explosives department.

Station Gets Two Coveted 'SecNav' Safety Awards

Two Secretary of the Navy safety awards were presented by Station Commander Captain F. L. Ashworth last Monday to Lieutenant Commander C. E. Hackwith, safety officer, safety division, of command administration department. The Achievement in Industrial Safety Award for 1955 was earned for having maintained an outstanding safety program and the Motor Vehicle Safety Award for having maintained an outstanding motor vehicle accident prevention program for the year 1955.

1955 is the first year that NOTS has received both awards and the fifth consecutive year that this Station has received the Motor Vehicle Safety Award. The last year that the Station received the Achievement in Industrial Safety Award was 1950. These awards indicate that NOTS has significantly reduced accident frequency and severity rates of the previous years and also

Station personnel to receive supervisor's awards under the Achievement in Industrial Safety program and safe driving awards under the Motor Vehicle Safety program are listed below.

Dept. of Community Affairs

Supervisor's award:

Oscar Glatz, 7 years.

Aviation Ordnance Dept.

Supervisor's award:

J. J. Adler, 1 yr.; J. M. Boyle, 1 yr.; R. F. Hummer, 1 yr.; C. T. Lakin, 1 yr.; L. D. Regelson, 1 yr.; J. H. Gregory, 2 yrs.; R. D. Krausman, 2 yrs.; T. C. Lockhart, 2 yrs.; R. M. McClung, 4 yrs.; J. J. Cashore, 5 yrs.; D. W. Mack, 5 yrs.; A. H. Richards, 5 yrs.; and A. J. Bachinski, 6 yrs.

Safe driving award:

Loyle Garrett, 4 yrs.; and Hilda Lynn, 6 yrs.

Test Department

Supervisor's award:

B. Frisbee, 1 yr.; L. G. Garman, 1 yr.; L. Irwin, 1 yr.; N. Kronzel, 1 yr.; B. R. Levan, 1 yr.; H. Paschke, 1 yr.; C. H. Reeves, 1 yr.; G. Silberberg, 1 yr.; D. Tiemann, 1 yr.; B. J. Allen, 2 yrs.; C. T. Daley, 2 yrs.; Q. S. Dalton, 2 yrs.; C. E. Hendrix, 2 yrs.; L. E. Lakin, 2 yrs.; R. H. Nesbitt, 2 yrs.; J. H. Pennington, 2 yrs.; F. M. Ashbrook, 3 yrs.; W. F. Brisch, 3 yrs.; J. H. Davidson, 3 yrs.; A. B. Dember, 3 yrs.; P. E. Fisher, 3 yrs.; B. B. Jackson, 3 yrs.; J. H. Lytle, 3 yrs.; R. T. Merriam, 3 yrs.; O. A. Perkins, 3 yrs.; D. J. Scott, 3 yrs.; G. S. Shriner, 3 yrs.; Carl Daus, 4 yrs.; S. R. Stanley, 4 yrs.; G. R. Sutherland, 4 yrs.; E. A. Cowan, 6 yrs.; R. M. Nelson, 6 yrs.; C. P. Theriot, 6 yrs.; and G. R. Shepherd, 8 yrs.

Safe driving award:

J. O. Carter, 1 yr.; and Cora Spiers, 3 yrs.

Engineering Dept.

Supervisor's award:

Clifford Briggs, 1 yr.; Francis Carlisle, 1 yr.; Stephan H. Herzog, 1 yr.; Andrew Hinz, 1 yr.; Donald Johnson, 1 yr.; Joseph Stone, 1 yr.; R. A. Weinhardt, 1 yr.; A. C. Ellings, 2 yrs.; Russell Jordan, 2 yrs.; Jack Neffew, 2 yrs.; Richard Potter, 2 yrs.; William Danley, 3 yrs.; Berce Giles, 3 yrs.; Ralph Hemenway, 3 yrs.; John Lindquist, 3 yrs.; Harold Smallen, 3 yrs.; Richard Beswick, 4 yrs.; Maurice Curtis, 4 yrs.; Eldon Shepherd, 4 yrs.; Harold Berry, 6 yrs.; Harry Keyser, 7 yrs.; Charles Radcliff, 7 yrs.; Emanuel Turse, 7 yrs.; Sherman Mead, 9 yrs.; and George Pruitt, 9 yrs.

Rocket Development Dept.
Supervisor's award:
A. Auchterlonie, 1 yr.; W. M. Canizaro, 2 yrs.; W. R. Fish, 2 yrs.; S. J. Marcus, 3 yrs.; and J. C. Murray, 4 yrs.

Station departments to receive above listed awards are as follows:

Community Affairs—1 supervisor and 2 shop awards.

Aviation ordnance—13 supervisors, 2 safe driving and 20 shop awards.

Test—34 supervisors, 2 safe driving and 26 shop awards.

Engineering—25 supervisors and 23 shop awards.

Rocket development—5 supervisors, 1 safe driving and 6 shop awards.

Propellants & explosives—39 supervisors, 36 safe driving and 24 shop awards.

Research—20 supervisors and 20 shop awards.

Public works—51 supervisors, 38 safe driving and 13 shop awards.

Command administration—28 safe driving awards.

Pasadena awards will be listed in the ROCKETEER at a later date.

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You Are Liable!

Station's 'Safety Council' Calls Attention Of Vehicle Owners to Adequate Insurance

Several instances have come to the attention of the safe driving council in which the owners of vehicles have not been adequately insured for "off-station" driving. The council wishes to caution vehicle owners to make sure that under California law they are adequately protected by sufficient liability and property damage insurance.

Section 102 of the State of California Vehicle Code states: "Every owner of a motor vehicle is liable and responsible for the death or injury to persons or property resulting from negligence in the operation of such motor vehicle, in the business of such owner or otherwise, by any other persons using or operating the vehicle with permission, express or implied, of such owner, and the negligence of such person shall be imputed to the owner for all purposes of civil damages."

The Code further stipulates that: "Liability of an owner for imputed negligence imposed by this section and not arising through the relationship of principal and agent or master and servant is limited to the amount of \$5000 for the death of or injury to one person in any one accident and subject to said limit as to one person is limited to the amount of \$10,000 with respect to the death of or injury to more than one person in any one accident and

is limited to the sum of \$5000 for damage to the property of others in any one accident."

Sections 414, 415, 416 and 417 of the State of California Vehicle Code list conditions covering proof of ability to respond in damages and civil financial responsibility. Proof of ability to respond in damages resulting from the ownership or operation of a motor vehicle and arising by reason of personal injury, death, or property damage in the excess of \$100 must be shown within thirty days of such an incident. This may be done by the deposit of \$11,000 with the State Controller or the presentation of a "motor vehicle liability policy" issued by an insurance carrier authorized to transact such business in the State for the like amount or the posting of a "surety bond" by a surety company authorized to do business within the State.

Safe driving council members are: Commander F. R. Whitby Jr., senior member; Commander E. V. Horne, member; Captain H. L. Anderson, member; Lieutenant Colonel H. V. Joslin, member; Commander C. P. Weir, member; Commander C. E. Hackwith, member; Lieutenant Commander W. L. Hayden, member; Ensign J. E. Winkler, member; G. W. Sullivan, member; and G. R. Cotner, member.

The council advises vehicle owners to familiarize themselves with the California Vehicle Code by obtaining a copy of the Code from the Station library or the pamphlet titled "California Vehicle Code Summary" issued by the Department of Motor Vehicles.

Hundreds of NOTS Employees Will Receive Navy Safe Driving, Industrial Safety Recognition

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3 yrs.; C. W. Dawson, 6 yrs.; R. C. Hough, 6 yrs.; W. J. Koeh, 6 yrs.; H. W. Foster, 7 yrs.; H. P. Jones, 7 yrs.; R. E. Shepard, 7 yrs.; C. L. Brown, 8 yrs.; F. S. Mills, 8 yrs.; W. D. Snyder, 8 yrs.; Paul Someson, 8 yrs.; F. J. St. George, 8 yrs.; and L. T. Rogers, 9 yrs.

Safe driving award:

Mauro Alvarado, 1 yr.; Royal Bush, 1 yr.; E. E. Fifer, 1 yr.; H. H. Green, 1 yr.; Madison Haas, 1 yr.; E. W. Hughes, 1 yr.; Conrad Humphrey, 1 yr.; Fred Jensen, 1 yr.; Joe Kirk, 1 yr.; Philip Magariello, 1 yr.; Adolfo Mercado, 1 yr.; Henry Paquin, 1 yr.; Tony Pelligrini, 1 yr.; Howard Stevenson, 1 yr.; Annais Young, 1 yr.; George Allen, 2 yrs.; Garland Burden, 2 yrs.; James Fulmer, 2 yrs.; Leonard Gallagher, 2 yrs.; Nathaniel Rhoades, 2 yrs.; Duane Stevens, 2 yrs.; Leland Cobb, 3 yrs.; John King, 3 yrs.; Howard Stavers, 3 yrs.; John Douglas, 4 yrs.; Marion Mullin, 4 yrs.; Henry Colerick, 5 yrs.; Lealus Polley, 5 yrs.; Ray McCaw, 6 yrs.; Cleave Warren, 6 yrs.; Donovan Wilson, 6 yrs.; James Hargrove, 7 yrs.; William Bowles, 8 yrs.; Charles Beatty, 9 yrs.; Milo Martin, 9 yrs.; and Emmett Mitchell, 9 yrs.

Research Dept.

Supervisor's award:
Eli Besser, 1 yr.; W. R. Haseltine, 1 yr.; H. R. Kelly, 1 yr.; R. H. Olds, 1 yr.; H. R. Turner, 1 yr.; A. G. Whitaker, 1 yr.; W. A. Allen, 2 yrs.; W. D. Chartier, 2 yrs.; E. S. Gantz, 2 yrs.; B. F. Jaeger, 2 yrs.; A. E. Lewis, 2 yrs.; H. L. Newkirk, 2 yrs.; C. P. Pentoney, 2 yrs.; A. S. Gordon,

Public Works Dept.

Supervisor's award:
W. F. Hall, 1 yr.; E. H. Hogue, 1 yr.; W. F. Parks, 1 yr.; C. A. Porter Jr., 1 yr.; P. D. Bangle, 2 yrs.; R. F. Conway, 2 yrs.; C. R. Grimm, 2 yrs.; C. G. Johnson, 2 yrs.; T. W. Mullin, 2 yrs.; W. C. Reynolds, 2 yrs.; L. W. Costello, 3 yrs.; E. I. Haws, 3 yrs.; R. W. Morgan, 3 yrs.; R. N. Peterson, 3 yrs.; P. A. Phillips, 3 yrs.; M. L. Scovill, 3 yrs.; P. A. Thomas, 3 yrs.; E. M. Berry, 4 yrs.; T. W. Boyd, 4 yrs.; J. F. Cleveland, 4 yrs.; L. A. Faulk, 4 yrs.; W. G. Ferguson, 4 yrs.; A. M. Harris, 4 yrs.; G. E. Johnson, 4 yrs.; W. V. Lager, 4 yrs.; Leo Limuti, 4 yrs.; R. W. Miller, 4 yrs.; C. F. Ryan, 4 yrs.; J. W. Turner, 4 yrs.; W. A. Wilson, 4 yrs.; Joe Barra, 5 yrs.; Jess Gerard, 5 yrs.; A. W. Hartman, 5 yrs.; D. C. Hull, 5 yrs.; W. J. Lewis, 5 yrs.; C. D. Mitterling, 5 yrs.; T. G. Standard, 5 yrs.; Elmer Cressy, 6 yrs.; A. A. Tubbs, 6 yrs.; H. A. Boyle, 7 yrs.; H. D. Hopper, 7 yrs.; L. E. Miller, 7 yrs.; A. H. Senn, 7 yrs.; H. R. Hewett, 8 yrs.; F. C. McMillen, 8 yrs.; W. H. Miles, 8 yrs.; J. D. Hudgins, 9 yrs.; O. D. Kirby, 9 yrs.; M. W. Breaw, 10 yrs.; L. E. McLaren, 10 yrs.; and Boyd Watson, 10 yrs.

Safe driving award:

William Blaisdell, 1 yr.; George Davis, 1 yr.; Otto Drehmel, 1 yr.; Leo Enriquez, 1 yr.; Joseph Kierman, 1 yr.; Joseph Krakowiak, 1 yr.; Andrew O'Connell, 1 yr.; Oliver Olson, 1 yr.; Jim Phillips, 1 yr.; Joe



By Bob Haley

Something new has been added at the EM Club—a free lunch complete with assorted pickles, olives and dressings every Saturday from 1100 to 1500 during the televised football game of the week, so drop in and pick up on your favorite cold cuts or cheese on rye. This past Saturday's spread was punctuated with the feminine touch by preparation of a special cheese dip by Marge Meredith which was devoured as the true connoisseur's item that it was. Marge is the wife of Ted Meredith, assistant manager of the Club.

"Meredith beaucoup, Marge." As an added service for those duty section men in the outlying areas, the EM Club will take orders by phone (in quantity) for delivery on snack items.

The EM Club will be open during the afternoon for all world series baseball games and those enlisted men who will be in the liberty section may use the Club.

A Halloween dance has been set up for October 31 to be held at the Anchorage. The building will be decorated appropriately. Dress will be costumes or casual wear. A prize will be given to the best dressed female and male appearing in costume. Awards will be based on originality and appearance. For your dancing pleasure, Hal Campbell and his Millionaires will be featured.

The Armed Forces Bowling League got off to a good start last Tuesday and Wednesday nights with the "Sidewinders" of GMU-61 jumping in first place with a 4-0 record. Looks like another good season of yak-yak. The EM Club team showed up with new shirts and received lots of cat-calls and remarks. The team didn't know whether it was good old razzing or because the club's team got shirts before the rest of the teams.

Did you hear about the young bride that wanted a quiet wedding so her father put a silencer on the shotgun?

Photographs Of the Week



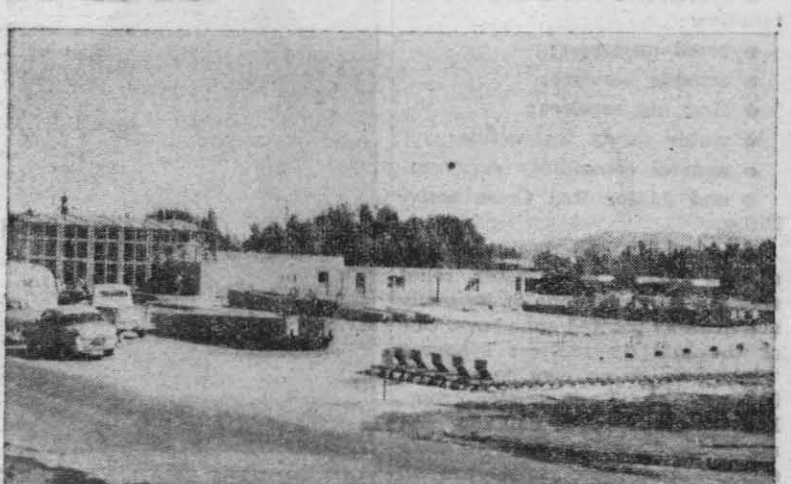
SUPERSONIC TRACK SYMPOSIUM—NOTS hosts nearly 300 official visitors this week during the Third National Supersonic Track Symposium. General information is disseminated and registrations are processed by hostess Rebecca Mader. Standing at the registration booth (l. to r.) are: J. O. Watson, R. E. Rae, H. H. Brown, and H. C. Smith.



SHIPPIN' OVER FOR LAST SIX—Daniel W. Pierceall, (right) AMI, with VX-5 unit is sworn in for his last six-year hitch by his Executive Officer Cdr. R. L. Myers.



ANNUAL INSPECTION—Colonel Robert E. Hill (right) senior inspector, "D" team, IGMC, is a member of the party of Inspector General representatives from USMC headquarters, Department of the Pacific during an annual inspection of Marine barracks. Lt. Col. H. V. Joslin, commanding officer of the barracks, explains how Marine patrols operate in the range areas.



PROGRESS VIEW OF NOTS ALL-FAITH CHAPEL—A visual progress report of NOTS new All-Faith Chapel under construction opposite Bennington Plaza is shown above. Completion is scheduled for April next year. The modern edifice will cost approximately \$354,000.

What's Doing IN RECREATION

By Helen Michel, recreation director

A variety show with professional talent has been scheduled for October 15 at the Station theater. This program will consist of top Hollywood entertainers and features Kay Cee Jones, Decca recording star.

She has been on the Spade Co. variety show for the past year and a half and has made many appearances on ABC-TV comedy capers. She has just completed an engagement at the Biltmore hotel rendezvous room in L.A.



Kay Cee Jones

Versatile Kay Cee has a natural

Job Opportunities

Personnel clerk (stenography) GS-5. Located in employee management relations division, personnel department. Contact J. Newman, Ext. 72676.

Clerk (stenographer) GS-4. Located in management engineering division, central staff department. Contact J. Newman, Ext. 72676.

General engineer, GS-11. This position is under the engineering division, public works department with duty at Pasadena. The duties are concerned with the general aspects of design and engineering development of structures, utilities and facilities for San Clemente, Morris Dam, Long Beach sea ranges, Foothill Plant and China Lake components of NOTS.

Mechanical Engineer, GS-11. Assistant to the head of mechanical design section of engineering division, public works department. Will have charge of all detailed mechanical design and drafting. Call extensions 71380 or 72218.

Supervisory visual information officer, GS-12, \$7570 per annum. Position is that of head, technical presentation division, technical information department, China Lake. Incumbent serves as Station coordinator in the field of technical presentations. Duties involve preparation of text and plans for brochures, pamphlets, etc., which describe major aspects of technical programs: planning, conducting, and critical review of technical orientation programs for visitors and employees; development of a motion picture production program; plans and sets-up technical displays; studies requirements for, and directs development of, all types of visual aids to technical presentations. Call extension 71648.

Mickey Mouse Newsreel, NOTS Rocket Railroad To Be Shown Wednesday

The Mickey Mouse club newsreel of Wednesday, October 3, will feature the story "Children See Rocket Railroad." The filming of this story was made possible by Winsor Josselyn, former NOTS publicist, the ROCKETEER office and officials of the test department when Disney studios were invited here to make the short newsreel on SNORT. The film stars local children from Richmond school.

The newsreel constitutes the first 15 minutes of the Mickey Mouse daily program, which is televised over the American Broadcasting Company network and can be seen locally on channel seven from five to six p.m.

News from Pasadena Annex

Vernon W. Hayes Named 'UF' Drive Chairman at Annex

Vernon Hayes has accepted the chairmanship of the United Fund Drive at Pasadena Annex, scheduled to start early in October.

"When you are asked to help," says Vernon, "if you will help, willingly, we can exceed last year's drive total. It will help if you will make your contribution at work. Remember we are trying to meet a quota. You will be given a receipt and a sticker which will enable you to explain to door-to-door solicitors that you have made your contribution through NOTS."

Give Where You Work

Just which organizations will benefit from our United Fund Drive will be decided by the committee which Hayes will appoint. It is certain, however, that the Community Chest will be one of them, and the Community Chest is putting its accent this year on giving where you work. The following suggestions from the Pasadena-Alhambra Community Chest may be helpful.

Community Chest pledging is the easy, modern way to give enough for all of the much-needed health and welfare agencies which cooperate in one campaign to save time and money for Pasadena and others who earn their living in Pasadena.

Pledging enables the contributor to give generously, yet stay within the family budget completely. And making a Community Chest pledge where we work is the sensible way to give enough for all agencies which cooperate in this one annual appeal.

Fair-Share Giving

Probably the best way to determine the right amount to pledge is to use the Chest's "Guide for Fair-Share Giving," which is based on family income, calculated from average giving in certain income brackets. (Examples are \$10.40 for an income of \$3,150, \$20.80 for \$5,775, \$50 for \$10,000.)

Few of us have the cash on hand to give, out of pocket, that \$25, or whatever the figure may be, based on salary. And that's where pledging helps. When the fellow-worker who is serving as Chest volunteer calls on you, just say, "I want to pledge \$....." and name the total amount of your year's gift. This amount will be divided into monthly or quarterly installments, as you decide.

Your Home City's Share

If you live out of town, it's easy to pledge (at one place and one time) a gift generous enough for the Chest agencies in the city where you earn your living. The Pasadena-Alhambra Chest will forward the portion you designate to your home city.

Wise Supervisory Judgment Necessary In Promotion Systems, Says F. J. Lawton

There is no good substitute for wise supervisory judgment in promotion systems, Frederick J. Lawton, U.S. civil service commissioner, declared in a talk before members of the American Federation of Government Employees at their August convention in Washington, D.C.

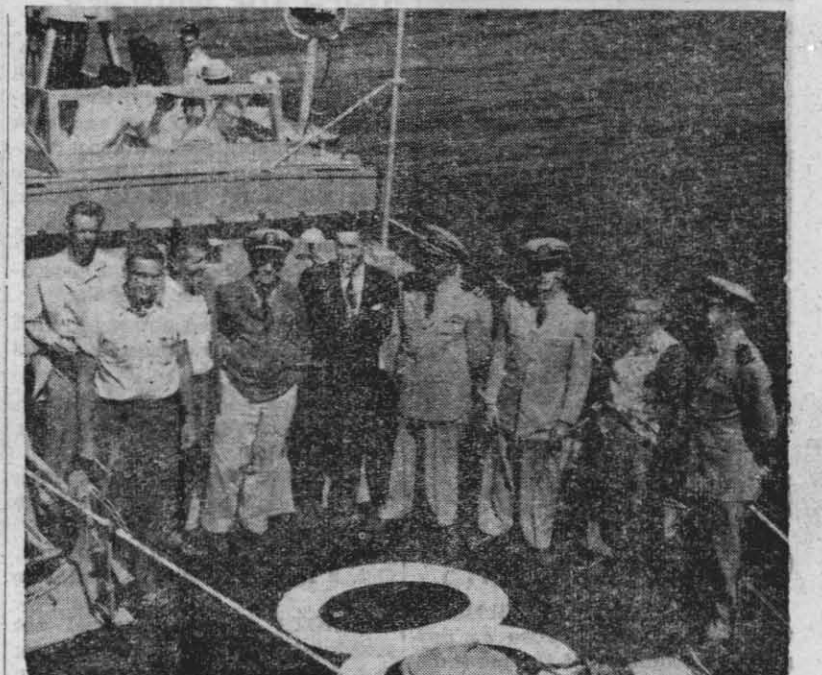
The Commission is now analyzing data obtained as a result of a recent study of promotion systems in Federal agencies.

"There are elements of job capabilities that cannot be measured by any formula that refuses to recognize that the person being considered for promotion is a human being, but instead casts him in the role of a machine, whose output, ability, and potential can be totally and accurately scored by purely mechanical means," Lawton declared.

"Skill in human relationships, for example," he continued, "can never be assessed as fairly by objective

Rhymes of the Times

BE SURE YOUR PHONE IS ON THE HOOK BEFORE YOU TALK TO A TELEPHONE BOOK



SAN CLEMENTE VISITORS—Steaming out to watch launchings of the RAT missile are these visitors from the USS DE HAVEN (DD 727) and NOTS employees. The commanding officer and several other officers and men of the DE HAVEN visited San Clemente Island last week. Above (l. to r.) are Mabry Van Reed, Ed Carpenter, Chet Wheeler, LCdr. W. T. Waters, Frank White, Cdr. Floyd M. Symons, commanding officer of the DE HAVEN, Lt. (jg) John A. Pierce, the DE HAVEN's ASW officer, Dick Heller, and Lt. Richard W. Hanson, gunnery officer of the DE HAVEN.

ESO Organizing Annual Hobby Show And Craft Display

Al Stoltze and George Hughes, co-chairmen of the ESO Hobby Show, are planning to present this event in late October or early November. A big success last year, this year's show will again feature the handiwork and collections of NOTS employees and will be open to the public.

Ruby Todd will be in charge of refreshments, and she will be assisted by Howard Wheeler, Nadine Robinson, and Priscilla Estes.

There will be working exhibits, and some things on display will be for sale. The more people who enter displays, the more interesting the show will be, and all employees are urged to overcome their modesty and bring their hobbies out into the open.

Craft Display

ESO is also organizing a sale of crafts, and as a first step will display samples on the ESO bulletin board. A schedule will be arranged for the sale of these items—tentatively, lunch hours on Mondays, Wednesdays, and Fridays, and probably in the personnel building.

For this activity, too, the more the better. If you make jewelry, leather goods, or any kind of salable article, let Priscilla Estes know and she will arrange for its display.

Announce Eleven Annex Promotions

Promotions this month have included the following:

In supply, Lyle J. Emerick, contract specialist (general), GS-9.

In personnel, Beatrice A. Moffett, clerk-typist, GS-3.

PS8000, Calvin W. Sweet, mathematician, GS-7; Carney D. Brewer, supervisory management analyst, GS-7.

PS8014, Dena G. Moody, file clerk, GS-4.

PS8053, Steve Gaspar, mathematician, GS-12.

PS8054, Thomas L. Cloer, Jr., mathematician, GS-11.

PS8082, Dale E. Willihite, ordnance engineer, GS-9; Mertyn R. Welch, engineering aid (ordnance), GS-8.

PS8087, Milton D. Blatt, supervisory general engineer, GS-13.

PS8096, Marjorie E. Glaze, illustrator (equipment), GS-7.

Ballot Today Elects Review Board Member

In the election being conducted today, an employee member will be elected to the statutory performance rating board of review. Ballots are being distributed with pay checks, and votes will be collected by timekeepers.

The employee receiving the highest number of votes will be the employee member of the board, and runners-up will be first and second alternates, in order of votes received.

Sixteen employees, each placed in nomination by eight of their fellow employees, are on the ballot. They are: Leo R. Brennan, Leo C. Bullington, Homer G. Cain, Garret De Vries, Irene M. Dickson, Frank W. Donnelly, Franklin C. Eltz, Jo Ann F. Gorz, Richard K. Heller, Joseph L. Martin Jr., Norman S. McDonald, Francis A. Rivers, Nadine B. Robinson, Josephine A. Rofer, Wesley B. Schorr, and Norman G. Wyman.

Plane Schedule Changes Monday, Early Departure

Starting Monday, Pasadena Annex travelers to China Lake will board the airport bus at Foothill at 5:50 a.m. to catch the morning plane from Los Angeles International Airport at 7:15 a.m. The return trip, for one-day travelers, will bring them back to Foothill at 8:55 p.m.

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