

AFFS RECEPTION-Susan Stalker, r, was introduced as a candidate for the Americans Abroad program of the American Field Service at a reception held in St. Michael's Parish Hall in Ridgecrest Sunday, November 16. Susan is a junior at Burroughs High School. Kathy Knemeyer, I, a senior at Burroughs, introduced this year's Foreign Exchange Student, Susana Neuhaus, c, from Argentina. The Burroughs senior resides with the Robert Sewell family on the Naval Weapons Center.

Youth Center Concert

ter will present a Pop Concert music for still another dance on Friday, November 28 from at the Community Center from 6:30 to 9:30 p.m. at the NWC 8 p.m. to 1 a.m. Theater. Three separate popular groups, "Love," "Smoke- all youth of the Indian Wells stack Lightnin" and "Hook" Valley as well as adults who will provide the entertainment.

The Youth Center will sponsor a dance the same evening the Youth Center are priced as at the Community Center from follows: Concert and both dan-9 p.m. to 1 a.m. featuring the ces, \$6.75; Concert and "Giant "Giant Crab." The following Crab" dance, \$5.25, or Concert night, Saturday, the "Best of only, \$4.50.

The China Lake Youth Cen- Everything" will provide the

The Pop Concert is open to Tickets, which are on sale at

Answers to Puzzle 30 CROSSWORD PUZZLE ACROSS 4-Slave 5-Essence 6-Agrees to 7-Soak (abbr.) 6-Rugged 9-Initials of 26th President 11-Egg dish 13-Scorched 15-Symbol for 10-Weirder 12-Note of scale 14-Tropical fruit (pl.) 17-Flower 20-Gaelic 23-Physician 24-Wife of Zeus 26-Article of 24-Exclamation 38-One of Three 51-Paradise 25-Danish island jewelry 28-Female ruff 29-Item of property 31-Stalk 33-Rupees (abbr.) 34-Goddess of 27-Obtains 58-Saint (abbr.) 60-Greek letter 62-Note of scale 64-Latin 30-Measure duration of 32-Partner 35-Figures of conjunction discord 36-Pierce 38-Conjunction 40-Leave out 42-Look fixedly 45-Definite article 47-Send forth 49-Ireland 50-Rabbit 52-Metal 54-Printer's measure 55-Hypothetical force 56-Strikes out 59-Faroe Islands whirlwind 61-Calm 63-Bear witness (abbr.) 67-Afternoon party DOWN 1-Torrid 2-Likenesses 3-Pronoun

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SHOWBOAT

NEW RATING PROCEDURES

Future ratings for motion picture hown at the Center Theater will be based on two different types of ra ings—the familiar Parents' Magazin ratings, and the new MPAA (Motion Picture Association of America) ratings (The Parents' Magazine ratings will the MPAA ratings.)

(R)-Restricted, persons under 16 a

PARENTS"

(Y)-Youths 13-17 (C)-Children 8-12 (M)-Mature for Y & C

NOVEMBER 21 WHAT EVER HAPPENED TO AUNT ALICE?" Geraldine Page, Robert Fuller

7:30 P.M. (Drama) The terrifying tale of a multiple urderess who plays a cat-and-mouse game

NOVEMBER 22 --MATINEE--WIZARD OF BAGHDAD" (92 Min.)

1:00 P.M. Shorts: "Man's Best Friend" (7 Min.) 'Manhunt" (No. 14, 20 Min.)

> --EVENING--"CHE!" (91 Min.) Omar Sharif, Jack Palance

7:30 P.M. (Drama) Pseudo-documentary style story tells of the Latin-American Che's manipuation of Fidel Castro (Palance) in their revolutionary conquest. The story of an executioner, his rise and fall. *(M) **(A,

Short: "33 Fathoms Plus" (16 Min.)

SUNDAY-MONDAY NOVEMBER 23-24 THOSE DARING YOUNG MEN IN THEIR JAUNTY JALOPIES" (125 Min.) Tony Curtis, Walter Chiari

7:30 P.M. (Comedy) Hilarity shifts into high gear at the Monte Carlo Rally where all nations compete in a race over impossible roads in the most famous of all period cars. **(A, Y, C)

TUESDAY-WEDNESDAY NOVEMBER 25-26 "HANG 'EM HIGH" (114 Min.) Clint Eastwood, Ed Begley, Inger Stevens

(Western) From a lynching noose to Deputy Marshall is a long jump . . . but not if you're seeking revenge! **(A, MY)

NOVEMBER 27 "DADDY'S GONE A HUNTING" (103 Min.) Carol White, Paul Burke

7:30 P.M. (Suspense Drama) She was his former mistress and now the psychotic romeo hreatened to reveal her past to her new usband . . . and kill her baby! *(M) **(A, Short: "Cheese It The Cat" (7 Min.

NOVEMBER 28 YOUTH CENTER POP CONCERT 6:30 P.M.

"SMOKESTACK LIGHTING"

'Stuffin' Will Play For Youth Center Shindig

The China Lake Youth Center will sponsor a dance for students of Junior High School age and up at the Community Center Saturday, November 22 from 8 p.m. until 1 a.m.

"Stuffin," formerly known as the "Tender Lovin' Care" will provide the music for the evening. The group has appeared on TV and at many of the Southland's nightspots.

General admission for the dance is \$2; Teen Club members \$1.

An estimated 12,426,000 school children need some form of eve care.



FIELD TRIP-Students of Mrs. Bettye Rivera's fourth grade class at Rowe Street School are shown engaged in a field trip to the Maturango Museum, Mrs. Alice Dubin, Curator of the museum, points out an item and explains it to the class. Mrs. Rivera's class frequently takes field trips of this type in order to broaden their knowledge of the world in

CFC Goal Of \$60,000 Topped With \$500 Gift

Returns for the Combined Federal Campaign have passed the \$60,000 mark, according to William R. Hattabaugh, campaign chairman, who reported the total of cash donations and payroll deduction pledges received by midweek. Several small units had not yet reported, and some late donations were expected, which would increase the total slightly

A \$500 gift from WACOM on Tuesday was the single contribution that pushed the total over \$60,000, the pre-set goal for the fund drive. Employee participation fell short of the goal of 80 per cent which keymen were working for. By midweek the participation figure was slightly more than 50 per cent, exceeding last year's 48 percent, however. The total amount contributed in last year's campaign was \$54,000.

Due to the Thanksgiving holiday and the change in military payday from Thursday, November 27 to Wednesday, November 26, the Commissary Store has announced a change in hours on Tuesday, November 25, and Wednesday, November 26. The new hours are: Tuesday, 11 a.m. to 1 p.m., and Wednesday, 10 a.m. to 6 p.m.



AT CPO CLUB - The Blue Mist, featuring Carrie Dennis, will return to the Chief Petty Officers' Mess for a one - night engagement tonight from 9 p.m. to 1 a.m. All members and guests are invited to come early for dinner and remain for an evening of fun and dancing.

According to Lt. B. W. Cummings, the air raid warning sirens will be tested at 12 noon instead of 1 p.m. on the last Thursday of each month, effective immedi-

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Survey Shows Community Attitudes on Issues

Results of the opinion survey conducted early this month by China Lake Community Council showed a substantial majority of Center residents supported maintaining the fence and gate guards, more effective dog control and action to reduce motorcycle noise.

The findings, which were presented during the monthly Command-Community Council Commander to make a decision

pose Center instructions that The sample size was 60 perwill minimize the dog and sons. Each of those selected

guidance and supervision of

motorcycle noise problems. was contacted by a Council Re-The technique used in the presentative and asked to fill conduct of the survey was re- out a questionnaire form. The cently developed by the Com- form was two pages long and munity Council's Opinion Sam- included four topics and eight pling Committee under the questions. especially qualified Center em- of the survey would determine to characterize the accuracy eliminating them.

A stratified sample of the ence it, special efforts were meeting, have been used by the Center's population was ran- made to eliminate any biased domly selected for the survey, or leading statements on the concerning the fence and gate and random procedures were questionnaire form, and a a complete survey of every res- half who were for the fence used to ensure that each mem- standard for the Conduct of ident was made the results of In addition he has requested ber of the community had an Opinion Surveys was prepared such a survey would not differ the Community Council to pro- equal chance of being selected. and distributed to every Coun- from the results of this survey

To ensure that the conduct public opinion and not influ-

This survey technique was de-points. veloped to provide the Community Council with a method

civic and social issues. cal mathematics could be used fence, or strong support for and validity of the survey results. However, statistical an- ed the two boxes denoting supalysis shows the Council can be port for the fence and 13 per-95 per cent confident that if cent were against. More than

cil member involved in the poll. by more than 12 percentage

The Fence

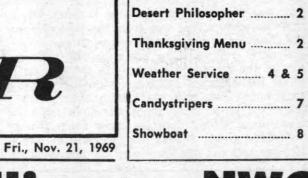
This question was divided on for quickly and effectively de- an intensity scale of five where termining public opinion on each end of the scale represented either strong support An array of various statisti- for keeping gate guards and

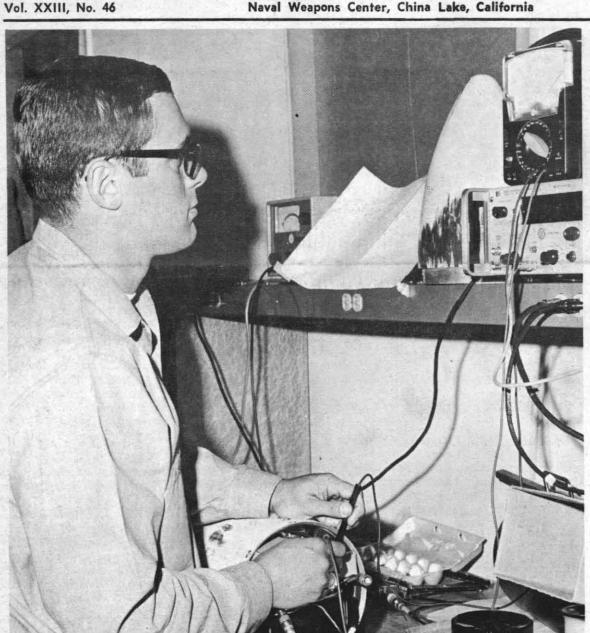
Seventy-eight per cent checkwere strongly for it.

Eighty-three percent of the

Inside. .







NOVEMBER BLUEJACKET—ATN3 George H. Williamson Jr., "Bluejacket of the Month" for November from VX-5, is shown checking the continuity on a beacon pod in the Beacon Shop at VX-5. Williamson and

pense paid weekend in Bakersfield by the Greater Bakersfield Chamber of Commerce. Prior to leaving Ridgecrest, the Bluejacket will pick up a new car from Desert Motors to use for the weekend.

his wife Mary, will be treated to an all-ex--Photo by PH2 D. E. Hart Chaplain's Plan 194th Anniversary Navy chaplains throughout ceived 38 Purple Hearts since to the dying and seriously in-

Approximately 1,050 chap- Republic of Vietnam. lains are on active duty and more than 60 percent have served in Vietnam.

Medal of Honor

ary of the Navy Chaplains cent R. Capodanno was post-Corps. Thousands of Navy and humously awarded the nation's ing experience. Marine Corps personnel and highest military decoration, the their families whom chaplains Medal of Honor, on January 7, serve will pause to reflect on 1969. The Catholic priest was the meaning and mission of the killed in action on September 4, sion. The emotional burdens,

Ministering in Combat Chaplains returning from Vietnam say that the most difficult problem with which they Thirty-five chaplains have re- have to cope is the ministration

the world will observe on No- 1965 for service in Vietnam, jured. No matter how many vember 28 the 194th annivers- and three have died. Lt. Vin- die, each death is a shock, and each maiming injury a weaken-A chaplain, like anyone else,

battles to keep from becoming immersed in a state of depres-1967, in Quang Tin Province, his own and those of others istry in Vietnam difficult but ants. profoundly worthwhile.

Benevolent Projects Chaplains also participate in (Continued on Page 6)

Williamson NWC Nov. Bluejacket

Seattle Aviation Electronics Technician Wins Weekend Trip

ATN3 George Henry Williamson Jr., an Aviation Electronics Technician from the Air Test and Evaluation Squadron Five at NWC, has been chosen "Bluejacket of the Month" for November. Williamson was selected as a result of his military bearing and appearance, and for the efficiency which he applies to his duties in the AT Shop of Hangar One at VX-5.

tive has been in the Navy since to being assigned at Memphis July 1968. He is a graduate of Avionics "A" School in Memphis, Tennessee, and has attended Seattle University and Highline College in Seattle.

As a result of his selection, Williamson and his wife Mary will be feted to an all-expense paid weekend in Bakersfield by the Greater Bakersfield Chamber of Commerce.

Prior to departing Ridgecrest, the Williamsons will be provided with a new car by Doug Butler of Desert Motors, which they will use during the weekend in Bakersfield.

Union Avenue, where they will receive their rooms and meals. They will be met on their arrival by representatives of the Bakersfield Chamber of Cominterviewed on KERO-TV.

In addition, the Bluejacket of the Month will receive gift certificates from Brock's Department Store, 1918 Chester Avenue; the Valley Office, 1622 19th Street; the Cue Ball, 2111 Chester Avenue; the Kern County Museum, 3801 Chester Avenue, and the Nile Theatre,

1721 19th Street. The Williamsons will also receive a hospitality packet containing discount certificates whom he serves, make his min- from other Bakersfield merch-

Since March

November's Bluejacket reported aboard the Center in March 1969 after his gradua-

The Seattle, Washington na- tion from "A" School. Prior he underwent training at NTC-RTC, San Diego.

> Williamson plays defensive end on VX-5's flag football team which recently finished competition in the 11ND flag football tournament. The team made it to the quarter finals before being defeated.

After graduation from high school and while at college, Williamson coached football at Highline High School for two years.

Skiing Buff

Football is not Williamson's While in that city, the Wil- only interest, however. The liamsons will be guests of the Highline High School (Seattle) Westerner Motor Hotel, 333 graduate is a skiing buff, as is his wife. Williamson has done quite a bit of skiing in Washington, and is anxious to try the slopes at Mammoth and June Lake. He wears a pin merce, and Williamson will be unique to the desert which reads "Think Snow."

> When interviewed he stated that duty at China Lake is right up his alley, not only duty-wise, but in relation to the outdoors areas available for recreation. Williamson stated that " . . .

the biggest thrill in being chosen for Bluejacket, is knowing that the men I work for had a hand in the selection. It's a fine honor," he said.

Mary Williamson is a native of Minneapolis, Minnesota, but met her husband in Seattle where she was attending col-

The Williamsons reside at 213-A Hornet, on the Center.

CHAPLAIN'S MESSAGE

"You've Come A Long Way, Baby"



By CHAPLAIN GORDON A. READ

A catchy commercial sings out "you've come a long way, baby!" The television spot is accompanied by a series of situations contrasting the taboo of women smoking and the accepted fact among many today.

As we approach Thanksgiving Day, caught in the anxiety of plenty and peace protests, we need to remember that we've come a long way from the wind-swept coast of Massachussetts of December 1621. Most of us do not go hungry (It probably wouldn't hurt some of us once and a while), nor do we lack for at least one car if not two or a workable TV. In fact recent figures reveal that China Lake's per capita income last levels. Minimum Qualification Requirements: year was four times the national average. What does it mean? GS-2 must have 6 months of experience

the survivors of the first Plymouth winter.

General Omar Bradley has said, "We have grasped the mys- operator experience which includes performtery of the atom and rejected the Sermon on the Mount. The world has achieved brilliance without wisdom, power without GS-2 and GS-3 will be required to pass a conscience. Ours is a world of nuclear giants and ethical in- written test of clerical obilities, verbal fants. We know more about war than we know about peace, abilities and accuracy in hearing and remore about killing than we know about living."

Perhaps giving Thanks this year will be one small important Pickett, Personnel Bldg. 34, Rm. 1, ext. step for me, and one giant step for men in learning to live.

CNO Thanksgiving Message

Our annual observance of Thanksgiving is a time when all Americans may reflect on and be thankful for the many blessings which enrich our great country.

We can be thankful that the United States is graced by natural resources which have made American prosperity a continuing reality rather than an elusive dream

We can be thankful that added to our God-given advantage . . . is the character of the American people, who for generations have had the stamina, resourcefulness and moral strength to endow our great nation as a beacon of hope and promise for mankind throughout the world.

WeW can be thankful that the vast majority of American people work to solve the complexities of our modern society rather than to sell short our nation's ability to endure. We can be thankful that the vast majority of American

people look to our nation's future with optimism rather than to obscure it by pessimism.

And we can be thankful that all Americans continue to enjoy life's greatest heritage . . . freedom.

To each of you, the Navymen of our nation, I am thankful for the part you fulfill in sustaining this freedom and the security of our country.

Adm. T. H. Moorer, USN Chief of Naval Operations

Non-Fiction

Hartman-Hartman on Skeet.

Mosley-On Borrowed Time.

DIVINE

SERVICES

Wechsberg-The Voices.

Marcus—Electronics for Tech-

Plaidy—Sixth Wife.

nicians.

Ebon-Psychic Reader.

CENTER LIBRARY LISTS NEW BOOKS

A complete list of new books Levin-A Kiss Before Dying. is available in the library. Fiction

Fraser-Flashman. Gainham-Place in the Coun-

Kirst-Last Stop Camp 7. Leiber—A Specter Is Haunting Texas.

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Protestant (All-Faith Chapel)-Morning Worship-9:50 a.m. Sunday School—8:30 a.m., Chapel Annexes 1, 2, 4 (Dorms 5, 6, 8) located opposite Center Restaurant. Thursday-Service at 5:00 p.m. (Organ Prelude at 4:45 p.m.)

Roman Catholic (All-Faith Chapel)-Holy Mass-7, 8:30, and 11 a.m. Sunday. Daily Mass-11:30 a.m. in Blessed Sacrament Chapel. Saturday, 8:30 a.m.

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

NWC Jewish Services (East Wing All-Faith Chapel)-8 p.m. every first and third Sabbath School-10 a.m. to noon, every

Unitarian Fellowship-(Chapel Annex 95, 95 King Ave.)-Sundays, 7:30 p.m.

PROMOTIONAL OPPORTUNITIES

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

The vacancies listed below are effective from 21 to 28 November 1969.

Telephone Operators, GS-2 and GS-3 -Applications are being accepted for tele-We've come a long way from the first offering of Thanks by or be a graduate of high school. GS-3 ust have had at least 1 year of telephone

File application for the above with Kay

Firefighter, GS-081-4, Code 2043-Security Division, Administration Department, Naval Weapons Center Corona Laboratories, Corona, California 91720. The area of consideration is Southern California. Incumbent responds to all fire alarms and other emergencies that arise to which the Fire Department is called to save lives and property. He may be called upon to fill any of the positions on the apparatus such as nozzleman, hoseman, or hydrantman and assists in cleaning and care of all equipment used and of the Fire Station and quarters. He inspects, repairs, and refills fire extinguishers and inspects and maintains standpipes and hoses. He serves as driver-operator in the absence of the regular driver-operator. The tour is 24 hours on duty followed by 24 hours off duty. Anyone interested in this position, please

contact Marie Coleman, Ext. 4415, or forward SF-171, prior to closing date.

Assistant Planner and Estimator (Public Works), JD No. 322, WD-47042-32, Code

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Neurosurgeon To Speak At **All Faith Chapel**

Dr. Murray Mitts, PhD, M.D., will speak at the 9:50 a.m. Protestant Service at the All Faith Chapel on Sunday, November 23. Dr. Mitts, a Commander in the Naval Reserve, was formerly Chief of Neurosurgery at the Virginia. He is presently in Dependents are as follows: practice in Glendale and a Consultant for the Long Beach Naval Hospital.

Dr. Mitts will speak on the moral issues of a country that anticipated that he will discuss the place of stress among those who are protesting and advoca-

ting peace at any price. Following the morning service there will be an openminded discussion on this subject in the East Wing.

After graduating with a PhD in Psychology, Dr. Mitts taught at the University of Pittsburg. While at the Medical College of Virginia he was a professor at the University of Richmond and in the extension field for William and Mary, Old Dominion and the University of Vir-

He has authored several professional papers and was a special consultant to the Army in the field of stress and combat fatigue. His residency in Neurosurgery was at John Hopkins Medical School after which he came into the Navy to serve at Bethesda and Portsmouth.

'DESERT PHILOSOPHER'

Friday, November 21, 1969

Natural Balance

By "POP" LOFINCK

Nature maintains a natural balance—if man doesn't upset it. Ignorance Upsets Nature

I upset the natural balance at Junction Ranch when I lived

There were many owls living in the trees around my cabin. So, in my ignorance, I thought the owls fed on quail and chukars. So, to protect the quail I shot six owls. Natural Reaction Sets In

And then I learned that only the coopers hawk feeds on quail and chuckars.

The owls feed on field mice and rats-that keeps a balance. After the owls were gone a natural reaction set in-a great abundance of mice and rats inhabited Junction Ranch. So, I put out poisoned oatmeal for the mice and rats.

I kept the surplus poisoned oatmeal in the garage. Somebody left my garage door open-so the beautiful woodpeckers got into my garage and ate the poisoned oatmeal and died.

Nature's Chain Reaction So, with the woodpeckers dead, the insects in the trees multiplied to "pest" proportions in the trees that had been kept healthy by the woodpeckers.

So, hereafter, I'll find out what I'm doing before I start upsetting the balance of nature!



NWC ENLISTED PERSONNEL MESS

Turkey Broth Parmesian Croutons ROAST YOUNG TOM TURKEY STEAMBOAT ROUND ROAST Oyster Dressing Giblet Gravy Glazed Sweet Potatoes with Marshmallows Fluffy Whipped Potatoes Buttered Fresh Cut Corn Waldorf Salad with Peanut Butter Dressing Chef's Salad with Garlic Croutons Stuffed Celery Sticks Chilled Cranberry Sauce Salad Bar — Salad Dressing — Relish Tray Assorted Bread Brown n' Serve Rolls Pumpkin Pie with Whipped Cream Fruit Cake Assorted Ice Cream Assorted Candy Fresh Fruit Tray Assorted Nuts

Chilled Fresh Milk Hot Coffee Iced Tea All Enlisted, Retired Military, Officers, Civilian Guests, and Dependents are cordially invited to partake of Thanksgiving Dinner in the NWC General Mess.

Dinner will be served between the hours of 1300 to 1530 on 27 November 1969. Charges for the Thanksgiving meal for Portsmouth Naval Hospital in Enlisted Personnel on Comrats, Officers, Civilian Guests, and

	Cost of Dinner	Sur- Charge	TOTA
Enlisted Personnel on COMRATS	\$.60	\$.00	\$.60
Retired Enlisted Personnel		.00	.60
Dependents, Civilian Guests	.75	.10	.85
Officers	.75	.10	.85
Officers drawing Per Diem	.60	.50	1.10

All personnel are requested to make reservations for the Thanksgiving meal with the doorman at NAF or NWC Galley or by calling the Food Service Office, phone 72240.

Meal tickets may be purchased in advance at the Food Service Office, Bldg. 851.



WACOM CONTRIBUTES-Left to right, Ada Scarborough, WACOM president, presents a \$500 check for the Navy Relief Society to Flo Carmody, chairman of Navy Relief Society Interviewers; and Nancy Funkhauser, Thrift Shop chairman, presents a \$500 check for the Combined Federal Campaign to William Hattabaugh, campaign chairman. This substantial donation of \$1,000 was made possible through the operation of the Thrift Shop.



NAVY ACHIEVEMENT MEDAL-CWO-2 P. Moore, Jr., r, is shown holding the notice of his being awarded the Navy Achievement Medal, which was presented to him November 10 for meritorious achievement while on board the USS Enterprise as Supply Support Officer from December 1967 to June 1969. The award was presented by Capt. M. R. Etheridge, NWC Commander. With Moore and his wife, c, is his boss, Capt. E. M. Wieseke, NWC Director of Supply.

NWC To Convert To Coordinated Federal Wage System Nov. 23

The Naval Weapons Center which all federal labor and will mechanically convert to trade employees will be listed. the new Coordinated Federal Wage System (CFWS) on November 23, 1969, which is the effective date of the new wage schedule for the Los Angeles area and the Mojave Desert

The new CFWS will be installed at the same time as the new pay rates go into effect. The conversion of all trade and labor occupations to CFWS will be accomplished in three steps:

First Step

The first step will consist of a mechanical conversion process where Navy-prepared grade conversion tables are used to convert our existing grading and pay structure to the grading and pay structure of the new CFWS. Specifically, each employee being converted to the new system must be placed in a wage grade within the grading structure of the new system and assigned an appropriate step and rate of pay under the new CFWS wage schedule.

No employee will receive a reduction in pay as a direct result of initial conversion to the new CFWS.

Typical changes might be a Laborer (Heavy) WG 35 002 03 to Laborer (Heavy) WG 35 002 03, or a Machinist **WB** 34 014 11 to Machinist WG 34 014 10. The latter is not a downgrade or an adverse action. It results from compressing the present 16 Navy Pay-levels to the 15 system. Beginning at present Navy pay-level WB-9 and continuing through WB-16, all in order to fit into the new system

Grade Structure

The following chart repregeneral wage schedule under retroactive to that date.

NAVY S	YSTEM	CFW	VS.	
WB	1	WG	.1	
WB	2	 WG	2	
WB	3	WG	3	
WB	4	WG	4	
WB	5	WG	5	
WB	6	WG	6	
WB	7	WG	7	
WB	8	WG	8	
WB	9	WG	8	
WB	10	WG	9	
WB	11	WG	10	
WB	12	WG	11	
WB	13	WG	12	
WB	14	WG	13	
WB	15	WG	14	
WB	16	WG	15	

The second step involves the initial application of the CFWS job grading system including all available Civil Service Commission job grading standards, to the jobs that have been mechanically converted. This process will then assure that the converted jobs are in proper alignment with the grading framework of the new system. For those jobs not covered directly by the available standards, grades are to be determined by comparison with standards for most nearly related occupations.

Third Step

The third and final step is the initial application of any new Civil Service Commission job grading standards issued during the remainder of the total conversion period lasting one year after the effective date of the new schedule which is November 23, 1969.

The CFWS is being placed in effect in all Federal agencies pay-levels provided in the new on an area-by-area basis as full scale wage surveys are made. It is expected that the conversion to the new Coordinated Navy wage board employees Federal Wage System in all will drop one pay-level number areas will be completed by late 1971

In the event that the new wage rates are received after November 23, 1969, resulting sents the grade structure of the wage changes will be made

Candystripers Improve Teen-Girl Image

Spare Time Spent Usefully

ROCKETEER

High school girls above the age of 14 donate more than 3,-000 volunteer hours each year to the public at the Ridgecrest Community Hospital through the Candystriper Work Experience Program.

By performing such duties at the hospital as reading to patients, serving dinner, making beds and keeping the patients' rooms supplied with fresh water and other incidentals, the girls involved in the program not only receive high school credit for their efforts but they also gain invaluable experience and background at working in the medical profession.

Girls participating in the Work Experience Program attend a weekly two-hour training class for the first five or six weeks, taught by volunteer Registered Nurses. The program is directed by Marian Colpitts, RN, who oversees the girls' training and duty assign-

The Candystripers, so named because of their striped uniforms, are required to serve two hours per week, after school, or on weekends. It is to the credit of this program that many of the girls serve more than their required time.

A typical duty crew at the local hospital utilizes two Candystripers in each of the patient wings. Two of the girls usually work in the laboratory and Pediatrics; one is assigned to X-ray; and one is assigned to Dr. O'Lane's nurse in the Drummond Medical Clinic.

High school credit is given the Work Experience participants-one-half credit for 180 hours of service, and a full \$400 in scholarships are awarded to deserving girls by the hospital and the staff doctors.

Each May an annual honorarium is held at which each girl receives a certificate of appreciation from the American Medical Association at a Candlelight Capping service. One

Seascape Artist To Visit Monday

Don Foster, seascape artist from Idyllwild, will be the guest artist at the monthly meeting of the Desert Art League Monday, November 24. at 8 p.m. at the Community Cen-

Foster, who will present a demonstration of his methods, conducts a summer school of painting at his studio-gallery in Idyllwild. He also conducts workshops for art associations throughout California and Hawaii. His book on marine painting, "The Don Foster Seascape Manuscript," sets forth his method of painting and has received national recognition.

Foster has also taught adult education art classes in the Hemet Unified School District for the past three years. The classes have been so popular that Foster now teaches six separate courses each week, a record unequalled in the history of the school system.

The Desert Art League invites all who are interested in practicing or appreciating the fine arts to join their organiza-



roughs High School, and a participant in the Candystriper Work Experience Program at Ridgecrest Community Hospital, is shown serving dinner to Durwin Keck, a patient at the medical center. The girls in the program volunteer more than 3,000 hours annually at the hospital in return for high school credit and invaluable experience working with the medical profession.

claiming the award will be presented her.

Service Awards

In addition to the high school credit received by the girls, they also receive various credit for 360 hours. Each year awards for total hourly service. This includes a cap for 50 hours; a pin for 100; a black have entered that field since velvet bar (for the cap) for 200 hours; and a silver wreath with silver chain for 500 hours.

girl will be chosen "Candystrip- Burroughs High School Work er of the Year" by her fellow Experience Program. Mrs. Tilworkers, and a certificate pro- lie Sbrocca, assistant Program Director, stated that at present 52 girls are involved in the program, with applications from 20 more on hand.

The success of the Candystriper Program in preparing girls for the medical profession is manifest in the number who 1961: 15 girls in nursing; two studying for M.D. degrees; four for Licensed Vocational Nurse The Candystriper program at , (LVN); one laboratory technithe Ridgecrest Community Hos- cian; two dental technicians; pital was formed in 1961 and and two girls taking four-year in 1963 became a part of the BS-degree college courses



POLICEMAN COMMENDED-Lt. B. W. Cummings, I, Head of the Security Department, congratulates Antonio DeLa Cruz after presenting him with a quality salary increase earned for outstanding performance of duties. DeLa Cruz has been a patrolman with the Center's Security Forces

AV Trophy, Ridgecrest Lanes Advance on League Leader

action in the fast-moving Prem- and series with scores of 1012 ier League find Ace-TV slightly and 2759 respectively. Ralph losing ground to AV Trophy, Brewer shot a 546 series and who won 15.5 points, and Vern Logue a 233 game to lead Ridgecrest Lanes, who garn- the men in those two categorered 14 points. Boyd's Auto ies, while Aline Fry and Phyllis slipped to third place, while Beckerdite each had a 467 se-AV Trophy moved from fourth ries and Jeanne Welsh a 204 to second.

Dick Furstenberg, who shot is 107, shot a 196 game, her games of 233 and 225 and a career high. 636 series, and Thad Brightwell, who put together scores of 222 and 212 enroute to a the Hideaway, tied for high 626 series.

who hit 223's, and Bill Esch with a 221.

high team game and the wreck- Hitt had a 201 game. ers from Ridgecrest Lanes had a 2800 series.

the bottom of this page. Prep League

games of 125 and 111 to lead the Prep League bowlers last Saturday at the China Lake 3051. Bowl. Other good games for Powers, 119; Kim McNew, 115; gory, hitting 220. Tony Pfau, 119; Ronnie Morris, 106-101; Lee Wolfe, 104; Annette Heeke, 100; and Greg Fasig, 100.

Pam Smith converted the 5-7 split, and Lorrie Bowles will receive a Triplicate patch for three consecutive 61 games, one of them shot the preceding

Supply Dept. Mixed

Results of the past week's The Splinters took high game game to lead the women. Last week's leaders were Rita McNew, whose average

Women's Wed. Nite Two teams, Rizzardini's and

game honors at the last meet-Maury Coleman had a 231 ing of the Women's Wednesday game and Joe Kokosenski shot Nite Handicap League, each a 225, followed closely by Al- shooting 949. Rizzardini's, howlen Smith and George Barker, ever, took high series with a 2731. Connie Evans rolled a 545 series and a 213 game to Boyd's Auto shot 991 for take individual honors. Donna.

Desert League Bryan Schuetze fired games Standings may be found at of 237-168-200 for a 605 series

to lead the individual scoring last Thursday (November 13) David Furstenberg had as the Analysts had high team game with a 1081 effort and also high team series, shooting Alton Cutsinger was runner-

the youngsters were: Donnie up in the individual game cate-

	AAOU	LOST
Ace TV	146.5	72.
AV Trophy	126.5	93.
Boyds Auto	122	98
C. L. Navy	117.5	102.
R. C. Lanes		103
Kirkpatricks	103	117
Tom's Place	102.5	117.
Mercury	100	120
Starlite		122
Team No. 10	66	154

NWC All-Star Basketball Team Plays Host to Lone Pine Squad

The NWC All-Star basketball squad hosted a team from Lone Pine Saturday, November 15, at the Center gymnasium for the first of a planned series of basketball tilts.

coached by Bill Nicol, NWC Intramural Director, squeezed by the visitors 87-81. Henry Coates, loaned by Nicols to the team from Lone Pine to fill out their squad, scored 22 points, second high on the Lone has engaged George AFB at ine team, to nearly upset his George, 13 December, and here

High man on the local team here 3 January and again 16 was Jim Ayers, with 19 points. January, and Lone Pine at Lone He was followed closely by Ted Pine 10 January. with 12 points.

Eight other men on the NWC team figured in the scoring, including Darryl Johnson, 4; Ken Burke, 6; Danny Graham, 4; Mike Tosti, 2; Ray Ames, 7; Jerry Kissack, 6; Roger Corley, The local contingent, 2, and Ron Lyons, 9.

Rich, from Lone Pine, was high scorer for the game with

Nicols reports that he has set up a tentative schedule for the coming season. To date he 20 December; Norton AFB,

Nicols hopes to add to this schedule in the coming weeks.

Assessments Noted for GEBA/ **CLMAS Members by Secretary**

and a third assessment is due, at \$1.20 per member. Mr. Presannounced Lawrence R. Mason cott was living in Alaska where his week. Mason is secretary- he passed away November 5 reasurer of the Government from a heart attack at 60 years Employees Benefit Association of age. He had been an emand the China Lake Mutual Aid ployee of the Propulsion Devel-

Assessment No. 191-119 is or 54-year old John Coyne who passed away November 5 from heart attack. Mr. Coyne was employed at the Pasadena Anex prior to his retirement.

Assessment No. 192-120 covers Charles Carlin, age 76, who accumbed to a heart attack Vovember 14 in Inyokern. He vas a retired Public Works em-

A third assessment, No. 193- Ridgecrest, Calif. 93555.

Two assessments are waived 121, for Udell Prescott is due opment Department.

All members should contact their collector for payment of the assessment. For those who pay by mail, advance payments are acceptable. At the end of the year, a complete list of assessments will be mailed to members who mail their assess-

Payments may be mailed to Mr. Mason at 208 Bonita St.,



FUTURE SCIENTISTS VISIT—Students (far right) of Inglewood High School Science Club view the weapons exhibit in Michelson Laboratory during their recent tour of the Center. They were accompanied by (I-r) Robert Lloyd and Tom Elder, both of Pacific Telephone Company, sponsors of the Science Club. The Science Club is taken on frequent tours throughout the southland by Pacific Telephone Com-

Pheasant Season Opens Nov. 22

Saturday, November 22, signals the opening of the 1969 Pheasant season in California, according to the Department of Fish and Game. The season will continue through Sunday, December 7 in all areas except Imperial and eastern Riverside Counties, where it remains open through January

Last year more than 246,000 pheasant hunters bagged an estimated 662,000 birds.

The State Department of Fish and Game reports that pheasant populations are up from last year's low levels in a few areas, but is generally the same as last year in most of the state.

The bag limit in the northern area is two males per day November 22 and 23 and four

per day for the balance of the season, but no more than 10 birds per season. The southern area has a limit of two birds per day throughout the season, and also has a 10bird season limit. Only males may be taken in the north, but Southern California has either-sex shooting.

The DFG will plant 19,500 pheasants in Southern California this year as in the past. but all of this year's plants will be made prior to the opening of the season.

Birds of either sex may be taken in Southern California, including San Luis Obispo, Santa Barbara, Ventura, Los Angeles, Orange, San Diego, Imperial, Riverside, San Bernardino, Inyo and Mono Count-



CAPTAIN'S PERSONNEL INSPECTION—Personnel of NAF stand-to for a Captain's Personnel Inspection held Friday, November 7 in Hangar Three at NAF. Capt. L. A. Dewing, Commanding Officer of NAF, inspects the rows of men. During the inspection the Secretary of Navy Achievement Medal was awarded to MR-2 J. E. Wallace for service in Viet

Chaplain Corps Celebrates 194th Birthday Nov. 28

Friday, November 21, 1969

(Continued from Page 1) numerous projects of goodwill. During the first quarter of 1969, chaplains in the Fleet Marine Force Pacific distributed food, clothing, school supplies, sewing goods, toys, and teaching aids to schools, churches, and orphanages in Vietnam. Moreover, they took part in 32 medical care programs in the hamlets and villages within the 3rd Marine Division's tactical area of responsibility, and delivered 43 lectures on religiously-based customs of the Vietnamese people, with a total attendance of 1,000. They also rendered assistance to large numbers of refugees in relocation camps.

Human Relations

An area of concentration for chaplains during this 194th year has been in the field of

Chaplain T. David Parham, who is the senior black captain in the U.S. Navy, is Assistant to the Chief of Naval Personnel for the Science of Human Relations. He is also on the staff of the Chief of Chaplains.

Chaplain Parham points out that religious services were integrated long before the mess halls, the wardrooms, and the berthing areas, and feels that chaplains are making significant contributions in bringing about improved relationships

Lay Leaders

Another major area of improvement in the outreach of spiritual ministry for Navy and Marine Corps personnel during the past year has been accomplished by providing special training for lay leaders. A lay leader is a carefully selected layman designated by a commanding officer to conduct appropriate services or worship and devotion when no chaplain

Lay leaders in nuclear submarines have been involved in the Laymen's Enrichment and Development (LEAD) program. LEAD provides two weeks of intensive training for lay leaders in both Group Religious and Development Expression (GRADE) and in the Personal Enrichment Phase (PEP). This training enables laymen to help submarine personnel experience growth in understanding and meeting their personal, religious, and social needs, even while deployed.

Chaplains on active duty are receiving more opportunities than ever before for advanced professional training. In addition to the 8-week Navy Chaplain School Orientation Course which helps clergymen make the transition from civilian to naval officer, chaplains are selected for one or more years of formal post-graduate study. They also have opportunity to attend professional seminars, 4week counseling training courses, denominational conferences, and clinical training programs in Navy hospitals.

Begun in 1775

The Navy Chaplain Corps began 194 years ago and through the years has received the support of a Navy and Marine Corps which are both open to new ideas and eager to encourage and maintain high standards of moral, spiritual, and religious growth among their personnel

Center Residents Respond To Opinion Sampling Survey . . .

feeling of personal security with a fence, while 73 percent checked better vehicular conkeeping the gates.

on the fence is a disadvantage.

ences to personal house guests those presently being studied. and the restricted access to the third felt it to be important. Interestingly, about 80 per-

cent feel that showing passes, with the resulting traffic delay is of no importance as a disadvantage of the fence. Dog Problem

Less than two percent of those polled showed praise for present dog control and 50 percent of those polled think it to be poor. A resounding 85 percent would support a system of this problem.

There was no significant difference in the response of the 43 percent of the community who own dogs and the remainder who do not, as regards to there being a problem or regarding a proposed solution. Motorcycle Noise

Feelings vary on this subject dependent on where those surveyed live.

Ninety-three percent of the people in Precinct 9 (Desert Park) indicated a problem exists concerning motorcycle noise, whereas this is true for only 40 percent of the rest of the survey.

Also it is a problem often for about half the people in Desert Park but only for onetenth of the rest of China Lake, according to Phil Gill, Council Representative from Desert

Council Directors suggest that the reason for the difference in response to this question is the fact that people living near the unsettled portions of China Lake are more prone to have motorcycles operated near their homes.

The Council also has received complaints from people living on Blue Ridge and Richmond Roads, which are at the edge of the housing area. Council Effectiveness

About half of those polled indicate familiarity with the duand somewhat less as "not at all effective.' Council Action

The Community Council reported the results to the Commander and discussed the actions indicated by the survey. In addition to the fence, the survey indicates the Council

Social Security Rep. At Community Center Wednesday, Nov. 26

All employees with ques-tions about Social Security provisions may contact a representative from the Administration here next Wednesday, November 26.

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

(Continued from Page 1) should take specific action on people feel there is less crime, dog control and motorcycle fewer peddlers and a greater noise abatement on behalf of the community.

William Arnold, Council Retrol as an important reason for presentative for Precincts 4 and 8, has begun a study to Almost one half feel that less develop new dog control techlitter is a factor although al- niques. The survey revealed most the same number feel that that 85 percent of China Lake unsightliness of collected litter residents would support a system of monetary fines for dog One half felt that inconveni- control. This method is one of

Kenneth Austerman, Reprehigh school and to Ridgecrest sentative for Precincts 3 and 7, is a disadvantage, but only one is currently evaluating motorcycle noise abatement as a part of his effort to develop a new Center instruction concerning motorcycle safety.

Mr. Austerman is presently contacting motorcycle clubs and other community organizations in an effort to formulate an effective instruction acceptable to both residents and motorcyc-

The completed instruction will be submitted to the Commonetary fines as an answer to mander for his approval and implementation.

The Community Council is prepared to conduct future surveys on other issues of community interest. Residents who have a topic or question which they believe should be included in future surveys are invited to contact their Council Repre-

The Community Council appreciates the cooperation received from the residents who participated in the poll.

Guidance Team The uniquely qualified Center employees who provided the imperative and continuing guidance throughout the development and execution of the survey included Mr. Robert Gardner, Head Statistics Branch, Research Department; Mrs. Clara Erickson, Applied Behavioral Sciences Research

Group, Personnel Department;

and, Mr. Ronald Covert, Head, Information Center, Personnel Department Mr. Gardner prepared the guidelines for the selection of

the survey sample type and size, and performed the statistical analysis of the survey results. Mrs. Erickson provided guidance and counsel in the construction of the questionnaire form used in the survey, and aided in the preparation of standards for conduct of the survey in the field. Mr. Covert devised the techniques for acties and functions of the Com- quiring and organizing the munity Council. The Council's sample data, generated the re- 7, 8, or 9, PD No. 830012, Code 3032-The effectiveness was rated most presentative random sample, often as "moderately effective" and prepared the list of sample contacts.

Valuable support was also received from: Dr. Richard Kistler, Associate for Weapons Planning and Programming; Mr. Joseph Dinsmore, Head, Analysis Branch; Mr. Ronald Erickson, Head, Human Factors Branch, and Mrs. Betty Gross, Fund Accounting Staff.

Santa Claus will arrive at Bennington Plaza at 1 p.m., November 28, riding on a Ridgecrest Fire Department Fire Truck, in order that children of China Lake might visit with him and convey their Christmas gift wishes to him. He will be at the Plaza for one hour and will then proceed to Balsam Street. next to the Playhouse, in Ridgecrest, where he will remain for awhile.



S. Naval Reserve Mobile Construction Battalion 17, Sub Unit 11-2, commanded by LCdr. Richard Malone, USNR-R, are shown utilizing earthmovers during a weekend training program at the site of the proposed 106

ject November 15-16, the dates for the Unit's regular monthly training. A formal dedication of the park will be held in January.

Safety Department Holiday Message

Three out of four holiday

accidents involve driving too

fast for road conditions, the

The Safety Department would like to remind all Center residents who intend to drive over the Thanksgiving holidays to plan and stretch their holiday time in order to traffic situation or the condicombat the fatigue and crowdtion of the driver. Half of all ed road conditions

ROCKETEER

According to a spokesman for the Safety Department, fatigue is a factor in many fatal accidents. A tired driver does not react to emergency situations as quickly as when he is fresh. The driver who is tired is also more apt to take chan-

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mission X-118-C.

Bldg. 34, Rm. 34, phone 71514.

Annual Meeting

November 25

The annual meeting of the

Commissioned Officers' Mess/

Executive Dining Room Advis-

ory Board will be held Tues-

day, November 25 at 8 p.m. in

the Mojave Room. All Board

members are requested to at-

ces when he is pressed for partment, a fastened seat belt may be the best single factor to reduce injuries. Seat belts can not be of help to anyone unless they are in use.

fatal accidents involve drink-Judgement and ability are impaired by alcohol consumption and the drinking driver is not qualified to judge how much of his ability is effected by the alcohol.

According to the Safety De-

Drivers who are concerned with their safety and that of

their families will give themselves plenty of time for their trip, see that seat belts are fastened, abstain from alcohol and obey all traffic rules while exercising common sense on the highways this coming holiday season.



FORTY YEAR AWARD-Herbert M. Neuhaus, Supervisory General Engineer and Head of Design Engineering Branch, Engineering Division, Propulsion Development Department, is shown being presented a 40-year Navy Length of Service Award by Capt. M. R. Etheridge, NWC Commander; Neuhaus graduated from Annapolis in 1927 and served in the Navy until 1930. He began his Civil Service career in 1935 and has served at Edgewood Arsenal, Point Magu, Philadelphia, and at NWC. Neuhaus has received the Distinguished Civilian Service Award and the Meritorious Civilian Service

Weather Service Detachment Provides Needed Function For NWC

States Navy.

ed by Cdr. C. F. Bird, which these commands to perform works directly under the Na- their daily functions. val Weather Service, has sev- Chief Goostree is assisted by ed in Southern California. caster; AG1 Robert J. Kemple, These detachments are respon- Forecaster; AG2 Kenneth O. sible for supplying local and Lange, Day Worker; AG3 Dato the commands and military W. Green, Observers; and two

NWC is fortunate to have R. Autrey and Ed Ratto. one of these facilities on the

installations which they serve. meteorological technicians, I.

According to Chief Goos-

tree, the men supply NAF, VX- and any weather changes or ther information pertinent to The Fleet Weather Facility, 5 and NWC with all the wea- variations are recorded and the area in which the flight NAS North Island, command- ther information needed for kept on file for a given peri- will be made. od of time, anywhere from 24 hours to 30 days.

ROCKETEER

Some of the reports receiven weather detachments locat- AGC Lloyd S. Corbett, Fore- ed include surface analysis and from individual clipboards prognostications, upper air and other vital weather infor- service personnel to give the mation.

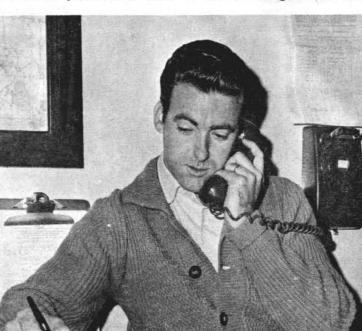
Pilots requiring weather information for a flight are giv- tire flight. Center. Known as the Naval tree, the detachment is con- en personal service at the de-Weather Service Environment- cerned primarily with local tachment, an innovation of detachment performs is the is the recording of runway

In addition, the pilot receives information broken down into districts and areas from a large weather board hurricane reports, cold front near the front end of the ofpilot a complete breakdown of weather conditions for his en- ment is concerned primarily

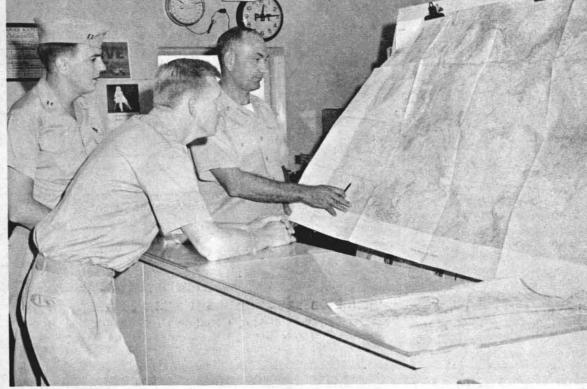
The Naval Weather Service, al Detachment, this group of surface observations, but they Chief Goostree's. The pilots reading of daily forecasts, wealocated in Washington, D.C., forecasters, meteorologists, ob- also receive reports on wea- visit the weather office and ther charts, hurricane and under the command of Capt. servers and technicians are ther throughout the world via check in at a counter where tropical storm information ov-E. T. Harding, is responsible located on the third floor of five teletype circuits and one they are given a folder con- er the phone into a tape refor supplying all weather in- Hangar Three at NAF. Head- facsimile circuit. These report- taining pictures of weather corder located at the Atmoformation to the United ed up by AGC John C. Goosing units run 24 hours a day, patterns, charts and other wea-spheric Studies Branch in the Instrumentation Lab. The detachment is the Branch's only source of this information.

Chief Goostree's outfit also services the Naval Weapons Center by issuing forecasts for winds and storm warnings. "Occasionally," he smiled, "we readings, storm warnings and located behind the counter give weather information to worried housewives who call national weather information vid A. Lee and AG3 Terry movements, cloud formations, fice. This enables the weather in, but that is an added serv-

He stated that the detachwith military aviation informa-Another service which the tion and part of that service

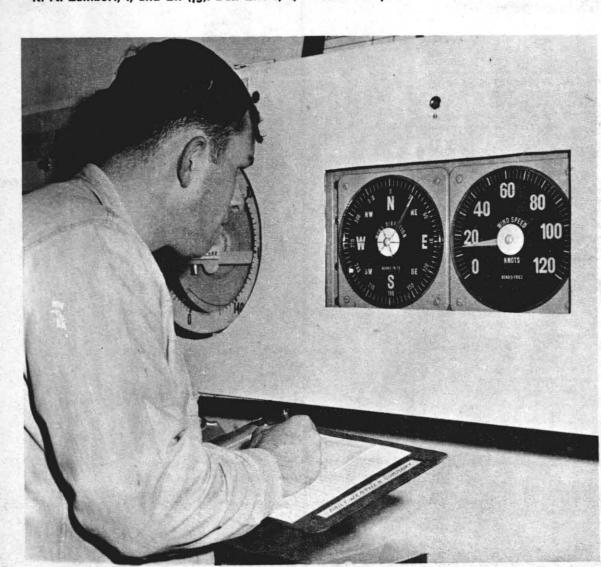


ABOVE—CRASH PHONE—I. R. Autrey, a civilian metereological technician at the Detachment, answers the red "crash" phone located in the office. Should this phone ring, the weather detachment will furnish the Safety Officer and the control tower with instant weather information for their



PERSONAL SERVICE—Pilots are given personal service when requesting weather information for a flight. Shown here are Lt. R. A. Zambori, I, and Lt. (jg). Dan Eilers, c,

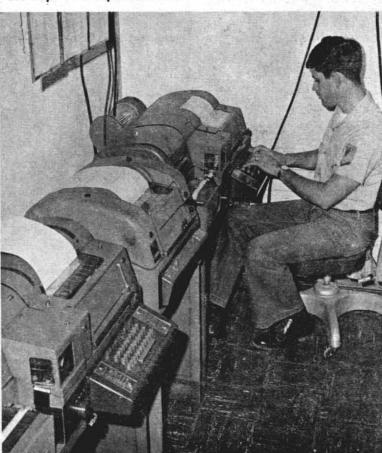
as they study airways navigational charts in preparation for a flight. AGC J. C., Goostree, CPO of the Weather Detachment, assists the pilots.



CLOSE INSTRUMENT WATCH-AG3 D. A. are taken on a minimal hourly basis, or it Lee is shown recording runway temperatures and wind direction readings. These

there is a change in temperature or in wind direction.

BELOW-24-HOUR WEATHER INFORMATION-AG3 Terry W. Green, an Observer, is shown operating one of the five teletype circuits which supply weather information from around the world on a 24-hour basis. The circuits are kept in a separate room.



hourly basis, and recording ter. As a direct result of this the "Sole Agent," a local surface winds, cloud cover- requirement they are the pos- newsletter for bottle collectage, ground and air visibility, sessors of the only window in ors. He also prides himself on and altimeter and pressure the hangar. Chief Goostree rereadings. This is in addition to marked that the window is inreporting on rain, snow or oth- valuable in the case of an acer weather likely to interfere tual emergency, or in the evwith planned air operations at ent of a sudden weather NWC.

A red "crash" phone, located in the detachment office, trouble, or has actually crash- available. ed. Should the phone ring, the reports.

Only Window

ment is required to "visually" a part-time gold - seeker. He notice any immediate changes is president of the China

change (such as clouds appearing on the horizon) which have not yet been reported on is used when an aircraft is in over the many other means

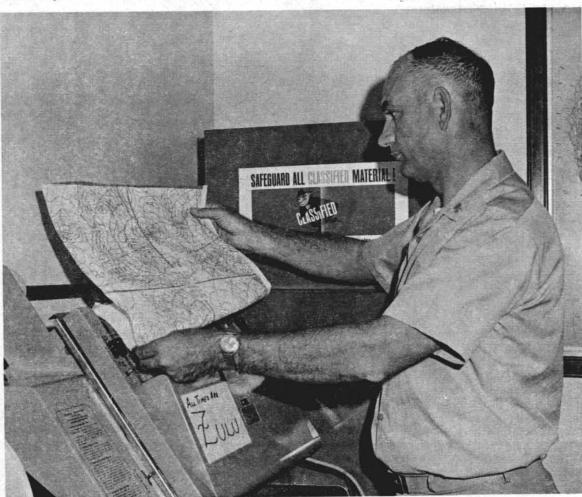
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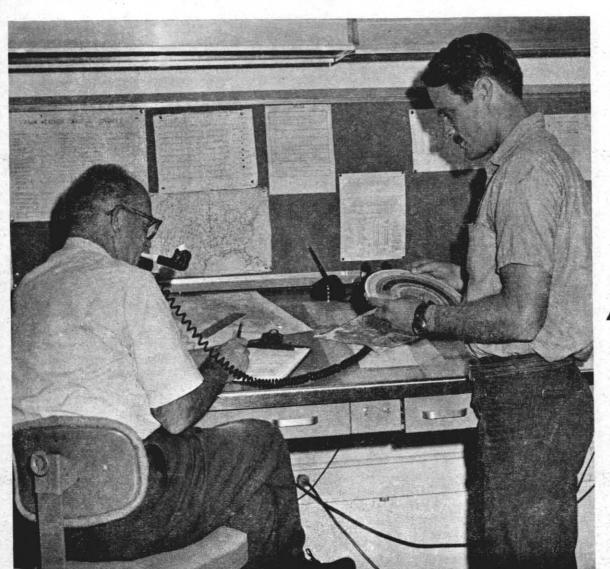
Chief Goostree is an avid The Environmental Detach- coin and bottle collector, and

temperatures on a minimal in weather around the Cen- Lake Coin Club, and editor of being an amateur historian of the Indian Wells Valley and surrounding communities.

Other weather detachments under Command of the Fleet Weather Facility are located at NAS North Island; NAS Los Alamitos; NAS Miramar; Imperial Beach; NAAS San Clemente; and two Marine Corps bases, El Centro and El Toro. which are supported by the Fleet Weather Facility.

> Photography By PH2 D. E. Hart







VISUAL OBSERVATIONS-AG1 Robert J. Kemple, a Forecaster, is shown making a routine visual observation of the surrounding area through the window in the Detachment's office.. This is the only window in Hangar Three at NAF, installed specifically due to requirements of the Detachment to make visual observations of sudden changes in the wea-



TOP LEFT -- WEATHER CHANGES CONSTANTLY RE-CEIVED-AGC J. C. Goostree, CPO in charge of the Naval Weather Service Environmental Detachment at NAF, is shown studying weather facsimile charts as they are being received over a facsimile circuit from Washington, D.C. The Detachment receives such information from around the world on a 24-hour basis. Some of the charts, maps, readings and reports received are kept for 30 days.

LEFT-DAILY WEATHER FOR TAPE-RECORDER-Royal Gould, I, a meteorologist from the Atmospheric Studies Branch of the Instrument Operations Division, Systems Development Department, is shown reading weather information over the phone into a tape-recorder located at the Instrumentation Laboratory. AGAN W. P. Holden assists him.