

CLOTA Summer Production 'Plaza Suite' Opens Tonight

The CLOTA summer production of "Plaza Suite" opens this evening at the Burroughs High School Lecture Center at 8:15. A Neil Simon comedy, this play is composed of three separate incidents, all taking place in Suite 719 of the Plaza Hotel in New York City.

The Broadway production of "Plaza Suite" featured George C. Scott and Maureen Stapleton in all three of the playlets. When the movie version was made, Walter Matthau played all three male leads but he had three leading ladies: Maureen Stapleton, Barbara Harris, and Lee Grant.

Here in Indian Wells Valley, the dispersion process has been carried to its ultimate with not only a completely different cast, but a different director for each of the three stories.

The first story concerns a married couple going through a "middle-aged adjustment" on their (maybe) wedding anniversary, and is directed by Arthur (Sandy) Schaper. It features Leo Barglowski and Elizabeth Babcock as the couple, Camille Menz as the secretary, and Doug Allen as the waiter and bellboy.

Act II is directed by Loren Russakov, with assistance by Elena Vitale. Bob Pinney plays a successful Hollywood producer who seeks an afternoon's diversion with his former high school sweetheart, played by Suzanne Koerschner.

In Act III, another couple, played this time by Gail Falkenberg and Jack Lindsey, almost succumb to hysterics as they try to talk their stubborn daughter out of the hotel bathroom so she can go downstairs and get married. This segment is directed by Ralph Vuono, assisted by Judy Vuono. The recalcitrant bride is played by Nancy Etheredge, with Gary Grafel taking the part of the bridegroom.

Herb Childers is serving as supervising director for the production, and Jim Rosolanka has filled the dual role of set designer and technical director. Other production people include Vivian Childers, costumes; Vernon Green

and Marijean Ackers, lighting; Elena Vitale and Ellen Amos, properties; Elizabeth Babcock, publicity; Ken Austerman, photography; Ralph Vuono, special effects; and John Wooldridge and Maureen Donohue, programs.

The technical crew for "Plaza Suite" includes all three of the directors (Schaper, Russakov and Vuono) as well as Greg Erdmann, Henry Perez and Steve Redmond.

Tickets for the production are priced at \$2.50 for adults and \$1.25 for children, and may be purchased from members of the cast and CLOTA board members, or at the Center Pharmacy, the Gift Mart and at the box office on performance evenings.

Subsequent performances of "Plaza Suite" are scheduled on Aug. 5, 9, 11 and 12. The CLOTA Board wishes to call special attention to the performance date of Wednesday, Aug. 9.

This midweek performance is an experiment to see if those people who say they never see the shows because of weekend plans will turn out to a performance scheduled for their convenience.

Credit Union Officials Attend Conference

Four officials of the Naval Weapons Center Federal Credit Union attended the fifth annual conference of the National Association of Federal Credit Unions which took place recently in Washington, D.C.

Attendees at the three-day-long conference were Bruce Wertenberger, president of the local Credit Union; Dick Hitt, vice-president; Joe Greve, supervisory committee member and Gene Boehme, manager.

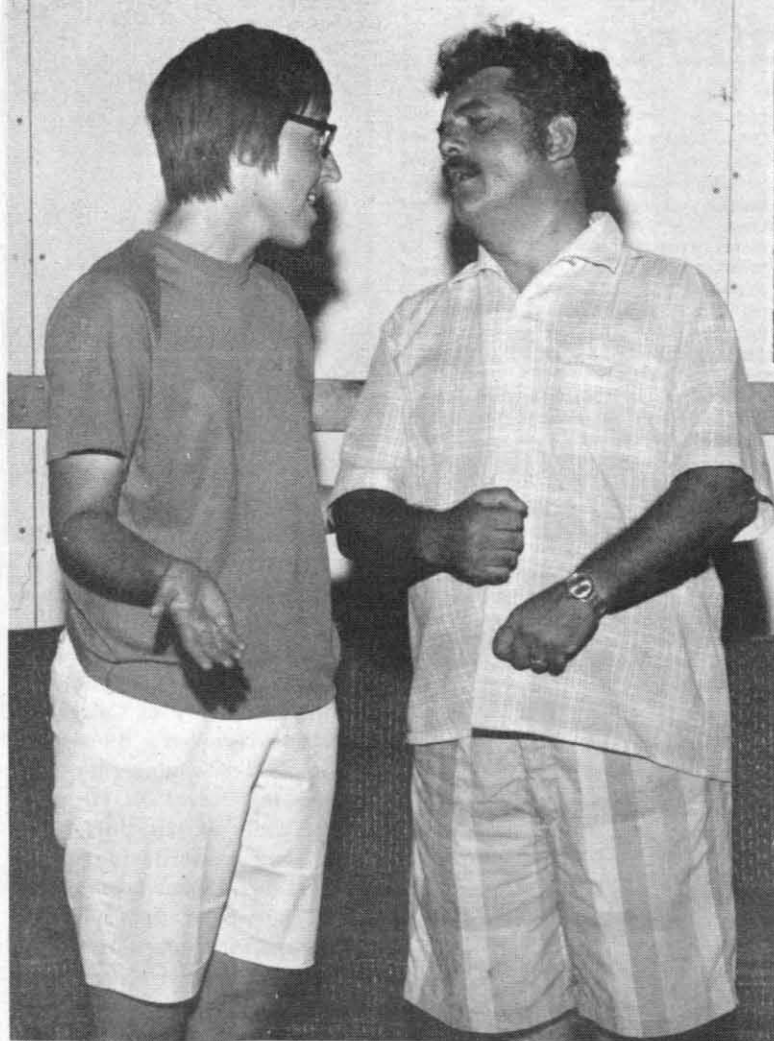
VA Tests New System

The Veterans Administration department of medicine and surgery is testing a new system of recordkeeping capable of accommodating its one million hospital patients a year.



ARTS AND CRAFTS—Special exhibits in arts and crafts, ceramics, sculpture, knitting and crocheting, stitchery, and handicrafts by the EMR class, mechanical drawing, geometric designs and science displays were arranged in the Murray School cafeteria July 29 for viewing by parents and other interested persons. Shown above, from top left, clockwork, are knitting and crocheting, arts and crafts, rockery and an exhibit of masks, all made by children during the five-week summer program of the China Lake Elementary School District. The teachers of the classes were Joe Jones, masks, decoupage; Mrs. Gladys Merrick, string design and woodprint inlay; Mrs. Carol Munshower, stitchery; Special Education, Mrs. Wanda Wisler; knitting and crocheting, Mrs. Barbara Haugen, and library, Mrs. Minnie Stevens.

—Photos by PH2 G. L. Taylor



"WHAT DO YOU WANT FROM ME?" asks Gail Falkenberg of Jack Lindsey in this scene from the third act of "Plaza Suite," which opens tonight at the Burroughs Lecture Center. They portray Roy and Norma Hubley, whose daughter Mimsey has locked herself in the bathroom on her wedding day, and won't come out. The show will play for four more nights—tomorrow, and again on Aug. 9, 11 and 12. Curtain time is 8:15 p.m. all five dates.

—Photo by Ken Austerman

Promotional Opportunities...

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for GS-4 and one and one half years specialized for GS-5. Job Relevant Criteria: Experience operating IBM-Magnetic Card Typewriter; familiarity with higher mathematical terms as exhibited through experience as an Editorial Clerk working on mathematical publications; or college level course in mathematics. Advancement Potential: GS-4 to GS-5.

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

FRA Branch 95 Installs New 1972-73 Officers

Installation of officers for Fleet Reserve Association Branch 95 was held at the Fleet Reserve Clubhouse on McIntyre Street.

Incoming officers for the 1972-73 term, sworn in by past president Jim Wheeler were: Delbert G. Irons, president; Italia Birkinsha, vice-president; Tom Hoey, secretary-treasurer; G. E. "Tommy" Thompson, chaplain; and Frank Menard, Richmond Nickles, George Schneider, Thompson and Wheeler, directors.

SHOWBOAT

MOVIE RATINGS
The objective of the ratings is to inform parents about the suitability of movie content for viewing by their children.
(G) - ALL AGES ADMITTED
General Audiences
(PG) - ALL AGES ADMITTED
Parental Guidance Suggested
(R) - RESTRICTED
Under 17 requires accompanying Parent or Adult Guardian

FRI. 4 August

"PERCY" (98 Min.)
Hywel Bennett, Cyd Hayman
(Comedy) Mr. Anthony had an accident and became the world's first recipient of this kind of a transplant! His curiosity in trying to find out who the donor was creates leering jokes not intended for conservatives. (R)

"LITTLE BEAU PINK" (7 Min.)
SAT. 5 August

—MATINEE—
"SNOW WHITE AND THE THREE STOOGES" (107 Min.)

"WIDE WABBIT" (7 Min.)

—EVENING—
"VANISHING POINT" (98 Min.)

Barry Newman, Dean Jagger
(Action-Drama) Former San Diego policeman, an ex-race car driver, decides to drive from New York to San Francisco in fifteen hours just "to do his thing." A blind disc jockey helps him elude pursuing State Police. Thriller! (PG)

"JUST PLANE BEEP" (7 Min.)
SUN. & MON. 6-7 August

"LOVE STORY" (100 Min.)

Ali MacGraw, Ryan O'Neal
(Drama) THE RECORD SMASHING FILM and No. 1 Best Seller tells a "love means never having to say you're sorry" romance of a rich boy and a poor girl, and their marriage against odds. After being disinherited they only had each other—and it was enough. DON'T MISS (see it again). (PG)

"THE RACE" (14 Min.)

TUES. & WED. 8-9 August

"THE STEAGLE" (91 Min.)

Richard Benjamin, Cloris Leachman, Chill Wills

(Comedy-Drama) Laugh up a storm as this college prof indulges himself in fantasies during the Cuban missile crisis of 1962. His "last fling" of fun-making turns to Las Vegas and Hollywood. Superb cast. (R)

"PINK PARADISE" (7 Min.)

"KEYS TO FISHIN' FUN" (10 Min.)

THURS. & FRI. 10-11 August

"FRIGHT" (88 Min.)

Susan George, Honor Blackman
(Suspense Drama) The pretty girl from "Straw Dogs," Susan, portrays a babysitter who is terrified in a remote house as she protects her charge, from a mental hospital escape. It's shock and thrills galore. (PG)

"UNARMED IN AFRICA" (19 Min.)

YOUTH CENTER MOVIES

The Youth Center-sponsored movies for next week are as follows:

Tuesday, Aug. 8—"Tom Thumb," and "Jumbo Cartoon Parade."

Wednesday, Aug. 9—"Flipper's New Adventure," and an MGM cartoon.

Thursday, Aug. 10—"National Velvet," and a Paramount cartoon.

Admission is free to Youth Center members whose dues are paid on a yearly basis and expire after Sept. 1. Admission is 25 cents to all others. Passes are not required.

The movies start at 1 p.m. in the Center Theater.

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School Trustees Move Into Action on Unification

Favorable action on a motion declaring the intent of the China Lake Elementary School District board of trustees to proceed with all due haste in initiating the proceedings necessary to establish a unified school district in the local area, together with adoption of the budget for the 1972-73 school year, highlighted Tuesday night's meeting of the China Lake School Board.

One change was made in the motion on unification as previously prepared. After learning from Everett Rost, clerk of the Rand Joint School District board of trustees, that residents of the Rand mining area would prefer not to be included in a local unified school district, the word "optionally" was added to the motion in reference to the Rand School District.

At the same time it was noted, however, that all previous recommendations of the Kern County Committee on School District Organization have called for inclusion of Rand District schools with those of Indian Wells Valley and China Lake in the formation of a single unified school system for the local desert area.

The term unification of schools refers to the combining into one

district of all public schools covering the kindergarten through 12th grade.

School trustees and administrators of the Indian Wells Valley Union School District (which would be included along with Burroughs High in a local unified school system—provided that voters eventually approve such a move) are reported to be in agreement with the basic school unification proposal.

Action on a motion similar to that adopted by the China Lake School Board is anticipated at Monday night's meeting of the IWW School District board of trustees.

The proposed 1972-73 budget of the China Lake Elementary School District was adopted without change at Tuesday night's school board meeting. Total income for the new school year is anticipated at \$3,262,425, as compared to \$3,070,055 for the past school year.

In other business taken up at Tuesday night's meeting, China Lake School Board members accepted a "temporary hierarchy" of classified (non-teaching) positions in order to clear the way for reassignment of some classified

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Way Is Not Yet Open For Partisan Political Action

Federal employees of the Naval Weapons Center are cautioned that the recent ruling by a three-judge panel regarding the constitutionality of the Hatch Act, is not an open invitation to engage in partisan politics.

The Hatch Act section under fire bars federal employees from participating in partisan political campaigns.

The 2-1 ruling came on a suit brought by the American Civil Liberties Union (ACLU) on behalf of the National Association of Letter Carriers and several Washington-area political committees. The court, composed of two federal district judges and an appeals court judge, ordered the U.S. Civil Service Commission to halt enforcement of the provisions, however the judges granted an immediate stay of their own ruling until the decision is reviewed by the U.S. Supreme Court.

Provided the ruling is upheld by the Supreme Court, it will have an impact on 2.7 million federal employees who have been banned from a variety of political activities under the 33-year-old statute.

According to the court ruling, the Hatch Act ban is "overly broad and thereby violates the First Amendment rights of federal employees." In writing the majority opinion, District Court Judge Gerhard A. Gessell said the section of the act challenged in the suit is "ambiguous and unsatisfactory."



READY TO MOVE—Because of their size, which was over the maximum width limit for highway transport, it was necessary to cut the old Hawthorne duplex structures apart prior to moving them to their new locations at Lone Pine and Bishop. A contracting firm from Long Beach and a house moving company in Gardena agreed to prepare the old buildings for moving, and another private company will handle the work of restoring them at their new locations.

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GIFT TO CALIFORNIA INDIANS—Three former old Hawthorne duplexes were moved Tuesday from their location (above) on Princeton St. to Lone Pine and Bishop, where they will be used by the Indians as a half-way house for alcoholics and a medical-dental clinic. Combined efforts of the U.S. Navy, private business and multiple levels of government resulted in the successful accomplishment of this move.

—Photo by PH3 Ron Mills

Navy Duplexes Moved to Lone Pine, Bishop for Indians' Use

The final chapter is nearing

completion in a somewhat involved story which had its beginning last summer when the State Department of Health suggested that the Bureau of Indian Affairs seek the Navy's assistance in moving a two-story building that had been donated to the Indian reservation at Bishop by the Union Carbide Co.

The building was intended for use in Bishop as a medical-dental clinic by some 1,000 of California's Shoshone, Paiute and Washoe Indians who live in Inyo, Mono and

Alpine Counties.

After looking over the Union Carbide building near Bishop, Jesse Bell, who heads the NWC Supply Department's Material Division, concluded that due both to its size and rundown condition it would be unfeasible to try to move this particular structure.

Returning with Jim McGlothlin, NWC Public Affairs Officer, from a visit to inspect the old building, Bell recalls that the possibility was suggested of giving the Indians two or three of the con-

demned Hawthorne duplexes that are being demolished at China Lake as a part of the Navy's program to get rid of sub-standard housing here.

This suggestion, which met the approval of the Naval Weapons Center Commander, was passed along to officials at the Indian reservation in Bishop, who asked that the Bureau of Indian Affairs in Sacramento initiate the formal request.

At that point, things appeared to

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Upsurge In Construction Work Noted

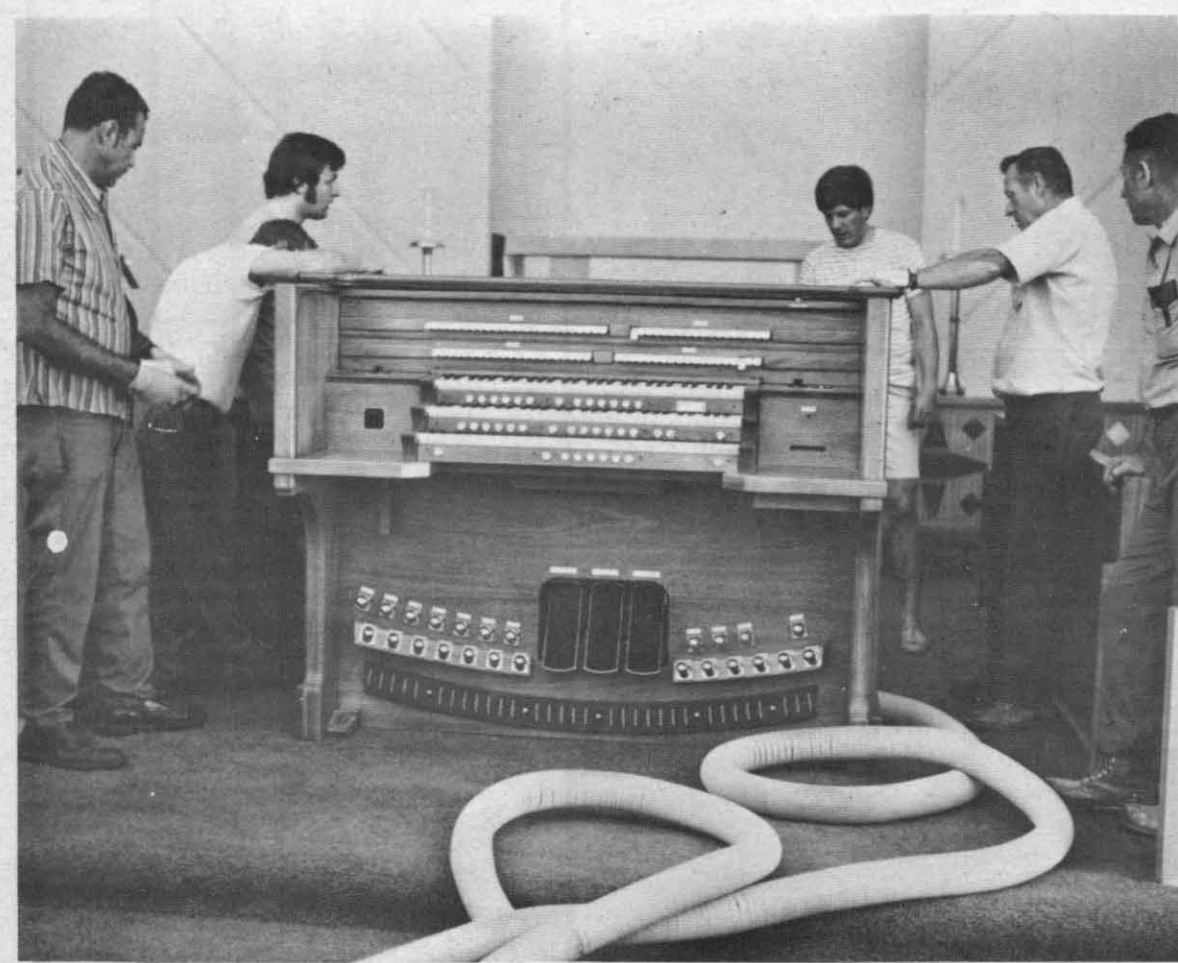
Start of the new fiscal year has been marked by an upsurge in construction work on the Naval Weapons Center—even as progress is continuing on three major projects.

Now approximately 69 per cent complete is the new Systems Analysis and Computer Laboratory that is being built adjacent to Michelson Laboratory.

Employees of the Cardan Co., successful bidder on the \$1.5 million project, recently completed the placing of lightweight concrete on the roof of the new laboratory structure, which is slated for completion on Jan. 1, 1973.

Also well under way is work on a building in the Salt Wells area that is to be used by the Fuze Department, and is now approximately 24 per cent complete. This structure

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NEW ORGAN INSTALLED—A long-awaited move, procurement of a new organ for the All Faith Chapel, is now a reality. Installation of the custom-built Allen computer organ began Monday, and the instrument is expected to be put to its first church service use this Sunday. Formal dedication of the new organ is planned Sept. 17.

—Photo by PH2 G. L. Taylor

New Computer Organ Installed Monday at NWC All Faith Chapel

Work began Monday on the installation of a custom-built Allen computer organ at the Naval Weapons Center's All Faith Chapel.

In preparation for this step, modifications to the chambers, which enclose the speakers, were commenced two weeks earlier.

The new organ, valued at \$32,000, is more up-to-date than the Hammond organ that has been in

use previously at the Chapel, and represents some of the latest advances in this type of instrument.

According to Ray Blume, organist for the Protestant Congregation at the All Faith Chapel, the new musical instrument is comparable to some of the finest pipe organs available. Its registrations are such, Blume said, that the organist can play any era of organ music repertoire, in ad-

dition to being able to accompany both vocalists and other instruments.

Formal dedication of the new organ has been scheduled on Sunday, Sept. 17, but it is expected to be put to its first church service use this Sunday.

Bob Leonard, former technical chairman of the All Faith Chapel Council and the man who wrote the specifications for the new organ, noted that the Allen custom-built organ uses new, large-scale integrated circuits and has approximately 200,000 transistors.

This particular method of making musical sounds was developed by the North American Rockwell Co. (a firm which also develops integrated circuits) and the Allen Co., based in Pennsylvania, was licensed to build the new type organ which allows wave forms to be accurately reproduced by digital techniques.

Information can be stored in the organ's "memory," and if special stops or tones are needed, they can be programmed with an IBM card, Leonard said.

An interesting feature of the new organ, Leonard added, is that it is equipped with a transposer which permits the music to be heard in any key—irrespective of which key it is played in.

Future plans call for using the new organ for public concerts, since it will be possible to move it into the center of the proscenium where it can be seen by all those seated in the Chapel.

The new organ, which has been talked about for years, has become a reality through the efforts of Capt. R. E. Osman, NWC Senior Chaplain. Funds for its purchase were provided by the Navy, as well as by the All Faith Chapel's Catholic and Protestant congregations.

PROMOTIONAL OPPORTUNITIES

Applications for positions listed in this column will be accepted from current NWC employees and should be filed with the persons named in the ad. All others desiring employment with the Naval Weapons Center may contact the Employment Division, Code 652, Extension 2069. Current applications (SF-171) or Standard Form 172 should be submitted beginning your workday up to date if one has not been submitted within the last 6 months. The fact that positions are advertised in this column does not preclude the use of other means to fill these positions. Part of the ranking process of those rated as basically qualified will be a supervisory appraisal form that will be sent to the employees present and most recent previous supervisor. Selection shall be made without discrimination for any nonmerit reason.

Equipment Specialist (General), GS-1670-7 or 8, PD No. 7017042, Code 1763—Develop and maintain plant account procedures for a specific department. Inspects, identifies and classifies equipment. Assists in special inventories. Classifies and logs plant account equipment. Able to drive vehicles up to one-half ton capacity. Minimum Qualification Requirements: 3 years general experience and 1 year specialized experience as outlined in X-118. Job Relevant Criteria: Should possess knowledge of safety devices such as visible signals. Should be able to deal tactfully and diplomatically with other Center personnel. Must possess working knowledge of NWC accounting and procurement system.

Clerk-Typist, GS-322-4, PD No. 6918011, Code 187—Incumbent serves as secretary to the Projects Officer and provides clerical support to the other officers in the branch. She participates in management of the office by applying a working knowledge of the Department and the Navy. Minimum Qualification Requirements: 2 years experience as outlined in X-118. Job Relevant Criteria: Possess working knowledge of the organization, mission and procedures of the Naval Air Facility and the functions of the Projects Department. Ability to party vehicles up to one-half ton capacity. Must possess knowledge of a variety of unrelated functions.

File applications for above with Mary M. Morrison, Code 657, Rm. 210, Ph. 2032.

Clerk-Typist, GS-322-3, 4, PD No. 7230112, Code 3041—Incumbent performs clerical and typist duties for both the Laser and Electro-Optics Branch and the RPV Project Office. Duties include typing from rough drafts, letters, memorandums, work assignments, contracts, work requests, travel orders, and reports. Minimum Qualification Requirements: For GS-3, 1 year general experience or 1 year specialized experience. Job Relevant Criteria: Must be a qualified typist capable of typing official correspondence. Ability to work independently. Ability to deal effectively with people.

Clerk-Typist GS-322-3, 4, PD No. 7230157, Code 3042—Incumbent is secretary to the Branch Head and performs the clerical and typist duties for the Branch members. Duties include typing from rough drafts, letters, memorandums, work assignments, contracts, work requests, travel orders, and reports. Minimum Qualification Requirements: For GS-3, 1 year general experience or 1 year specialized experience. Job Relevant Criteria: Must be a qualified typist capable of typing official correspondence. Ability to work independently. Must be tactful and accurate in obtaining and providing information.

File applications with Dora Childers, Code 657, Rm. 212, Ph. 2514.

Clerk-Typist, GS-322-3 or 4, PD No. 7140139, Code 4057—This position is located in the Laser Controls Branch. Incumbent provides secretarial type assistance to the branch staff, as needed. Incumbent has complete responsibility for planning, setting up and maintaining files and records, receiving and distributing mail for the branch. Job Relevant Criteria: Demonstrated telephone reception skills and experience typing administrative and technical subject matter. Magnetic Tape Selectric Typewriter operation experience is desirable. Minimum Qualification Requirements: As defined in CSC Handbook X-118.

Clerk-Typist GS-322-3 or 4, PD No. 7240038, Code 40507—This position is located in the Laser Systems Program Office of the Weapons Development Department. Incumbent will provide clerical assistance to the Branch and Division offices. Duties will include typing of both technical and non-technical correspondence, division memos, travel orders and other duties as assigned. Job Relevant Criteria: Demonstrated telephone reception skills and experience typing administrative and technical subject matter. Magnetic Tape Selectric Typewriter operation experience is desirable. Minimum Qualification Requirements: As defined in CSC Handbook X-118.

Computer Operator, GS-322-4, PD No. 7240158, Code 40408—Incumbent is a Digital Computer Operator trainee who assists Mathematicians and Programmers in the operation of the A-7E Simulation Facility. The incumbent will be trained in the operation of the XDS Sigma-5, the Interdata Model 4, and the IBM TC-2 Computer (AN-AS-91). Maintains log books on computer operations and aids in the preparation of technical memoranda concerning A-7E Computer operations. Job Relevant Criteria: Basic knowledge of and ability to use high school level math such as Advanced Algebra, Trigonometry and Geometry. Keyboard equipment operation experience. Peripheral

equipment operation experience, such as tape-to-card converters, high-speed printers, optical scanners. Promotion Potential: This is a trainee position with promotion potential to GS-322-7 based on successful performance of full scope of work. Minimum Qualification Requirements: As defined in CSC Handbook X-118.

Clerk-Typist, GS-322-3 or 4, PD No. 7140143, Code 4056—This position is located in the Optical Design Branch of the Weapons Development Department. Incumbent will provide clerical assistance to the Branch and Division offices. Duties will include typing of both technical and non-technical correspondence, division memos, travel orders and other duties as assigned. Job Relevant Criteria: Demonstrated telephone reception skills and experience typing administrative and technical subject matter. Magnetic Tape Selectric Typewriter operation experience is desirable. Minimum Qualification Requirements: As defined in CSC Handbook X-118.

File applications for above with Elizabeth Sodergren, Bldg. 34, Rm. 206, Ph. 2674.

Clerk-Typist, GS-322-4, PD No. 755052AM1, Code 5533—Serves as secretary to the Branch Head and provides clerical and typing duties to the branch personnel. Participates in the management of the office by applying a good working knowledge of the programs under her supervisor's control. Minimum Qualification Requirements: 2 years responsible clerical experience, one year at GS-3 level. Job Relevant Criteria: Ability to work independently, work under pressure, qualified typist.

General Engineer, GS-801-9 or 11, PD No. 7255110, Code 5561—Incumbent is a project engineer charged with design, evaluation, and subsequent development of new ordnance equipment. Investigates equipment involved in malfunctions and deficiencies, and designs and evaluates changes in such equipment. Prepares reports on his actions. Minimum Qualification Requirements: Outlined in CSC Handbook X-118. Job Relevant Criteria: Minimum of two years practical experience in work involving both mechanical and electrical engineering disciplines.

Program Manager-Engineering Technician, GS-340 or 802-9 or 11, PD No. 7150975, Code 5564 (2 vacancies)—Serves as logistician responsible for implementing integrated Logistics Support (ILS) principles and requirements to development projects. ILS implementation includes the development and prediction of a weapon system or similar project's logistics requirements and resource needs during its life cycle from conception to disposal. Minimum Qualification Requirements: Outlined in CSC Handbook X-118. Job Relevant Criteria: B.S. degree is desirable. Knowledge of weapon systems, subsystems and components is required. Familiarity with weapon development from concept formulation through fleet use is required.

Mechanical Engineer, GS-830-9, 11 or 12, PD No. 7255109, Code 5523—Responsible for assessment, evaluation, storage and publication of Sidewinder air-to-air missile project and firing reports. Gathers and analyzes test data from the firing tests of the infrared detecting guidance control system (GCG). Recommendations concerning future instrumentation, range conditions, or GCG performance changes are a prime responsibility of the position. Performs on-center and contractor liaison and consultation function. Minimum Qualification Requirements: Outlined in CSC Handbook X-118. Job Relevant Criteria: Knowledge of infrared detecting guidance control groups, and various methods of testing and evaluating them. Accurate and clear written and oral presentation of data is a necessary skill.

File applications for above positions with Joan Macintosh, Ph. 2271.

Test Mechanic (Experimental Ordnance Equipment), WG-04405-11, J.D. No. 5-4, Code 6081—The incumbent does the propellant preparation for research tests to be conducted on experimental propellants. Machining the propellant to the desired configuration is an important portion of the position. He also initiates, epoxy pots and faces the propellant with special igniter paste. The incumbent also receives, handles, packages propellants and is responsible for proper storage in magazines or magazines and the inventory of propellant on hand. Minimum Qualification Requirements: Rating will be on the basis of existing J elements standards in accordance with CSC X-118C. Supplemental experience statement must be submitted. Forms can be picked up in Room 204, Personnel Department. Job Relevant Criteria: Must have experience in machining propellants; loading experimental motors with propellants; knowledge of propellant handling safety procedures; and test experience firing solid propellant burning motors.

Editorial Clerk (Typing), GS-1087-4, 5 PD No. 7060011, Code 607—Responsible for preparing NWC technical reports, publications for professional technical journals, internal distribution publications; Technical Progress Reports; technical books or paper for presentation at a variety of different scientific meetings. Coordinates all of the editorial, graphic, clearances, distribution, typing and printing functions necessary. The manuscripts are typed and edited by the incumbent for grammar, format, spelling, math, syntax, headings, table mentions and completion of X-118C. Supplemental experience statement must be submitted. Minimum Qualification Requirements: One and one-half years general for GS-4 and GS-5 and one-half year specialized

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Hail and Farewell

For the month of July 1972.

NEW ARRIVALS-CIVILIAN

Code 12—Kent I. Johnson; Code 2514—Hal B. Westfield; Code 2522—Patricia S. Stroud; Code 2522—Phyllis A. Bunker and Susan M. Fox; Code 2551—Harold V. Parsons; Code 2591—Frederic L. Amos; Code 30102—Steven R. White; Code 3014—Douglas A. Peake; Code 3021—Lois J. Masters; Code 3024—Henning H. Thorpe Jr.; Code 3045—Thomas A. Westaway; Code 3045—Thomas E. Loftus; Code 3053—Michael A. Caponegro and Billy F. Waldon; Code 3523—Barry D. Show; Code 3531—David A. Erickson; Code 3541—Lynn D. Forsberg; Code 3564—Jane A. McKenzie and Alonzo A. Price; Code 4008—John D. Cyrus; Code 404—Kenneth L. Trier; Code 40403—Prescott D. Crout; Code 4041—William F. Arnold, Thomas S. Munn and Thomas K. Wu; Code 4054—Larry G. Harlan; Code 4056—James Clark; Code 4057—Howard T. Nakagiri and Michael W. Pullen; Code 4061—Terry B. Haven; Code 4092—Wallace K. Fung, Margie L. Lee and Robert E. Olson; Code 4094—Clifford J. Warner; Code 451—Cheryl D. Cook; Code 4533—John H. Clark; Code 4541—Lois F. Austin; Code 4544—Jo A. Newsome; Code 4552—Steven R. Toffin; Code 4561—Patrick M. McInnis; Code 457—Daniel L. Hansen; Code 4575—Clifford E. Strine; Code 50—Barbara M. Foreman; Code 5013—Arthur R. Skelved Jr.; Code 503—Marsha A. Briscoe; Code 5042—Larry M. Morrison; Code 5052—Edward W. Lauer; Code 5503—Barry C. Dearborn; Code 5515—Duane O. McConnell; Code 5517—Richard F. Sasek; Code 552—Paul L. Gallup; Code 5522—James T. Bego, Dennis Keller and Leland L. Law; Code 5523—Herbert G. Hartman and William A. Hutmacher; Code 5524—David Shadid; Code 5531—David L. Watt; Code 5545—Richard A. Stalnaker; Code 5562—Scott M. O'Neill; Code 5571—Robert L. Barsaloux; Code 5722—Robert Wiley; Code 70415—Ronald R. Beatty; Code 70421—Cary W. Seale; Code 70431—Sydney R. Blowers and Kenneth C. Gardner; Code 70432—Charles W. Riley; Code 70433—Allen A. Baker; Code 8412—Beth L. Patton; Code 842—Richard E. Fry; Code 8426—Glen Vannalamburg.

DEPARTURES-CIVILIAN

Code 0231—Wade W. Allen; Code 176—Diane M. Richardson; Code 2514—Catherine Hines; Code 252—Kathleen M. Johnson; Code 2571—Cecilia M. Christie and Violet Martin; Code 2573—Graham F. Haswell; Code 2591—Hilario T. Peribual and Irene A. Weakley; Code 2593—Andrew Moody; Code 2594—Lloyd B. Pittman; Code 25983—Adam Maske; Code 30—Nancy E. Vetter; Code 3015—Robert A. Appleton; Code 3024—Helen G. Roney; Code 3043—Maurice E. Westfall; Code 35103—Clyde O. Reed; Code 3508—Leonard S. Licwinko; Code 3509—Nancy L. Seely; Code 523—Floyd W. Pickrell; Code 4010—Paul W. Craig; Code 4013—Deane H. Davis; Code 4082—Ralph Dietz; Code 4531—David Jacoby; Code 45333—Hans K. Kafer; Code 45334—Arthur J. Arsenault; Code 454—Elsa A. Simmons; Code 4545—Quinten Johnson; Code 455—Hubert M. Ross Jr.; Code 4551—Mildred L. Lager; Code 4567—Joyce A. Cass; Code 5001—Dolores H. Hienze; Code 5032—Elbert O. Lindley; Code 5052—Wilbur B. Lunt; Code 5512—Robert E. Huball; Code 5514—Bernhardt A. Miller; Code 5526—Daniel M. Koszuta; Code 5533—Bruce I. Wilson; Code 55411—Lola D. Adams; Code 55453—Otis Rushing and David W. Tucker; Code 55455—George W. Schorr; Code 55455—Walter E. Osborn; Code 5553—Florence Pickelheimer; Code 5713—Earl E. Hart, Duane W. Mack, Ewald A. Neumann, Ogden H. Ostrander and Mable A. Ray; Code 5722—Robert G. Ellinwood and Clifford L. Hughes; Code 5723—Ralph Pinto; Code 6002—William

Desert Campus Students Told Of Test Dates

Officials of the Desert Campus of Bakersfield College have issued a final reminder that the complete series of placement exams will be given tomorrow, beginning at 8 a.m. and again on two consecutive evenings, next Tuesday and Wednesday, beginning at 6 o'clock both nights. The tests will be given in the Burroughs High School multi-use room.

This will be the last time this year that these exams will be offered and all new students and current students who have not yet taken them should plan to do so at this time. The next opportunity will not be until Jan. 6, 1973.

Prospective test examinees who plan to enroll in over 6 units at the Desert Campus for the fall semester also should make counseling appointments for test score interpretation and class assignments after Aug. 21. This will allow sufficient time for tests to be computer-scored in Bakersfield and returned to the Desert Campus.

Employee In The Spotlight

In 1946, Glenn Harbin joined the U. S. Marine Corps. This occurred immediately following his graduation from Beaumont High School, in St. Louis, Mo., in January of that year.

"I made a couple of false starts on a career in the Marine Corps," he recalled. His first job was in communications, then he later was a platoon sergeant in a machine gun outfit before he finally moved into the supply field. That was in 1952.

Shortly afterward, Glenn was graduated from Supply School at Camp Lejeune, N. Car., and was sent to Korea with the 1st Marine Aircraft Wing, thus embarking on a life-long career of solving supply and materiel problems.

During his tour with the Marines, Glenn also served in Vietnam with the 1st and with the 3rd Marine Divisions. He was retired in 1967.

Just prior to his retirement, Glenn was stationed at Camp Pendleton as the supply officer for the base motor transport battalion. It was while in this position he performed one of his proudest achievements.

"I was instrumental in obtaining the first contract-operated parts store operated by the Marine Corps," he enthused. "This particular concept has grown until there is now one at Camp Lejeune, Barstow Marine Corps Supply Depot, and San Diego," he added.

Following his retirement, Glenn took a position as manager of the Sears Catalog store at Redlands, Calif., until 1968 when he came to China Lake as head of the Receipt Control Branch, Control Division, NWC Supply Department.

On July 1, 1970, he formed the present Purchase Branch, which gave to the Center an increased purchase capability.

"At China Lake we did basically local procurement prior to the formation of the Branch," Glenn explained. "Now we have purchase capability from here that was formerly done by NUC, Pasadena. The new Branch cuts down procurement lead time, generates jobs in the local area, allows a little more personal service to the customer and includes a monetary savings to NWC," he pointed out.

"Glenn Harbin is truly one of our 'can do' employees," said Capt. T. R. Hendershot, NWC Director of Supply. "His record of achievement in the short time he has been here speaks for itself. It is one of ever-improving service while faced with a constantly increasing workload," he added.

"Glenn's can do and will do attitude probably stems from his Marine background," said William J. Baker, head of the Procurement Division. "I keep telling him he is an ex-Marine and he answers that there isn't any such thing. Once a Marine, always a Marine, is his motto," Baker laughed.

"This seems to help Glenn in his work, however," Baker cited. "If, for some reason, he cannot procure something due to statutory or regulatory prohibition, he can cite 'chapter and verse,' but more importantly, he will tell our customers how to overcome and apply the exceptions to the prohibitions," the Division head added.

Since the Purchase Branch was



J. Glenn Harbin

formed, it has grown from five employees to the current 24, and from \$3 million in annual purchase to \$16 million.

In the three years Glenn has been at China Lake, he has received two Outstanding Performance awards and a certificate of recognition, shared by his wife, Peggy, for work with youth on the Center.

One of his great loves is to work with and be associated with the youth of the community. While living at Vista, Calif., Glenn was a charter member of the board of directors of the Vista "Bobby Sox" softball league.

"Bobby Sox is a girl's answer to Little League," Glenn explained. The league was chartered in 1967 with approximately 75 girls, ages 9-13, and has grown to 18 teams. He also managed a Little League team.

Locally, Glenn has been the chairman of the Boys and Girls Committee of the Ridgecrest Kiwanis Club, served as the past vice president of the local Miss Ridgecrest-China Lake Pageant, and has managed several girls' softball teams for the China Lake Youth Center.

He and Peggy, whom he met while he was stationed in Albany, Ga., have three children—Robin, 15, a sophomore at Burroughs High School, Duane, 13, who attends eighth grade at James Monroe, and Kelli, 10, a fifth grader at Las Flores School.

They are an active family. Robin plays softball, loves horseback riding, and plays tennis and street football. She also sings, and can accompany herself on the guitar, harmonica or drums.

Duane is a Pony Leaguer, and also plays basketball and street football. Kelli loves horses and plays an occasional game of softball.

Peggy is a secretary for Rod McClung, Code 353, and enjoys crocheting and ceramics. This year she was a chaperone for Virginia Keyte at the Miss California Pageant, and was the alternate chaperone for Lillian Wagner, who was chosen Miss California.

The entire family enjoys roughing it in sleeping bags and tents while on fishing trips to the Kernville area, and Glenn also plays a little golf and handball.

Both Capt. Hendershot and Baker pointed out that one of Glenn's special attributes is "... his ability to surround himself with outstanding personnel."



LT. KARL AUREL KAIL IV recently reported to VX-5 where he will be the new flight training and NATOPS officer. The Montrose, Pa., native is a graduate of the University of Colorado, where he received a BS degree in aerospace engineering. He joined the Naval ROTC program while at the University and was commissioned in August 1967. He has taken graduate courses at Pennsylvania State and in January 1970 was awarded a Master's degree in aeronautical systems from the University of West Florida, under the Navy Cooperative Master's Degree program. Lt. Kail received his wings in March 1970. He came to China Lake from NAESU, Philadelphia, Pa., with his wife, Laura and 22 month old daughter, Kearnstin.

NAF OFFICERS
Arrivals: Lt. Ross F. Bonny and Capt. R. S. Moore.

NAF Enlisted Personnel
Arrivals: Lcdr. L. E. K. Bender, Lcdr. T. L. P. Cook, Lcdr. A. DeBodisco, Lt. D. B. Green, Capt. R. E. McCall, Lcdr. H. E. Reep, Cdr. V. E. Spradley.

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VX-5 OFFICERS
Arrivals: Lcdr. Larry J. Chrans, Lcdr. William W. Monk and Lt. John R. Young.

Departures: Lt. Arthur E. Critser and Cdr. Phillip S. Johnson.

VX-5 Enlisted Personnel
No listing available.

Marine Liaison Office
Arrivals: Ssgt. Duane L. Buday.



SUPERVISORY LIBRARIAN RECEIVES AWARD—Marilee Maki, a Supervisory Librarian in the Reference and Circulation Branch of the Library Division, Technical Information Department was recently presented a Superior Achievement Award of \$200 by C. E. Van Hagan, department head. She received the award for accomplishing the storage of retired records from the Federal Records Center at Bell, Calif., with a minimum of disruption of services to library users.

Spotlight On Sports

By Rick Jackson

During the recent Mojave Desert Interservice League softball tournament I was pleased to observe the degree of sportsmanship that was displayed by players and spectators alike.

In any competition it is hard to remain silent while you believe that your team has just been done a grave injustice. I feel that I must compliment the estimated 3,000 on-lookers at the tourney for their high amount of self-restraint during tense moments.

Each of us has at one time or another felt that he had a better view of an infraction than the game official. However the official's word remains law as far as the field of play is concerned. I have been known to disagree with umpires and referees on several occasions, however we must keep in mind that without these people to maintain order and enforce the rules our games would end in complete chaos.

I spoke to some of the players from several of the teams that participated in our softball tourney and was happy to hear that they were anxious to return to China Lake again. In part this had to do with the way that they were treated on the field and off. The China Lake rooters razed them good-naturedly while they were on the field, but there were no harsh feelings related to them. Off the field they were treated with the respect due any visitor on this base.

As far as I'm concerned my hat is off to the China Lake participants and observers. They made a very good impression on our visitors.

The umpires are also due a vote of thanks. These men worked very hard during the three days of play and though we may not always agree with them, they are just doing their job to the best of their ability and I believe that they did a very good job of officiating during the tournament.



PONY LEAGUE CHAMPS—Members of the VX-5 sponsored Pony League team pose for a victory photo after winning the league recently. They are, front row, l-r: Ron Presnell, coach, Del Irons, manager, Carlos Gilbert, Pat Lalor, Mike Manly, David Schad and Tony Jeanjaquet. Back row, l-r: Kevin McCabe, Jerry Larrabee, Steve Blanche, Danny Gilbert, Joe Mattis, Cedric Webb and Roger Taylor. At right is Capt. C. "Tex" Birdwell, Jr., Commanding Officer of VX-5.



PONY LEAGUE "B" CHAMPIONS—The Tigers, winners of the Pony League Division B crown, pose with their coaches and managers. They are, kneeling, l-r: Danny Stough, Rod Preul and Mike Northcutt. Standing, l-r: Ed Donoghue, vice president of the league, Elena Vitale, coach, Ernie Shepherd, Steve Muckel, Rick Peck, Walt Dunaway, Jeff Lehman and Gail Falkenberg, manager. Not present for the photograph were four players—Duane Harbin, Jim Alexander, Mike Tamaras and Gary Tharp.

Little League All Stars Lose To Quartz Hill Nine

The China Lake Little League All Stars suffered a bitter defeat at the hands of Quartz Hill during the District Tournament in Lancaster last Friday night.

The China Lake team ran into more competition than it had previously experienced in the Area Tournament and fell to Quartz Hill, 4-2. To the dismay of many, the local Little Leaguers were unable to capture the District crown even though they fought desperately to do so.

The local Little Leaguer's ace hurler, Jess Moreno, had to sit this one out due to a Little League rule that forbids one pitcher from hurling two games back-to-back in tournament play. Frank Clark took the mound for the China Lake All Stars and was said to have pitched every bit as good as he did in the Area Tourney when he chalked up 16 strikeouts.

This time the competition was stiffer. Clark gave up only six hits, but that wasn't good enough last Friday. The China Lakers managed to hold their opponents to a 1-1 tie until the bottom of the fifth inning when Quartz Hill broke

away with three hits to drive in three runs. In the top of the sixth, Dave Furstenberg popped a single which scored Moreno. This was to be China Lake's last tally of the game.

Clark pitched a strong game and finished with seven strikeouts and showed fine control throughout the game, even when the pressure was on.

Boron came out on top of the District Tournament play by edging Parkview, 3-2. Boron, now the District Champions, has gone on to play in the Sectional Tournament which began last night in Lompoc.

Valley Merchants Take Over Lead In Fast Pitch

Tuesday night the Valley Merchants took over first place in the Intramural Fast Pitch Softball League as they slipped by Bud Eyre, 2-1.

The Merchants appeared to be on their way last Thursday as they watched the Bud Eyre team lose to Ace TV, 7-6, but the Merchants came back with a loss of their own to put them back in the same situation, as they let A&L Tire slip by them 5-3.

In Tuesday's game Billy Brown, hurler for the Merchants, held Bud Eyre batsmen to three hits. The infield did a fantastic job of keeping Bud Eyre players under wraps by constantly thwarting all scoring attempts.

Gary Potteiger and Rich Clodt both contributed two hits to further their team's winning effort.

In other fast pitch action, the Ace TV nine notched another win by crushing A&L Tire, 4-2. Ace's winning streak did not hold, however, as the NAF team proved to be too much for them to handle. NAF smashed the Ace team, 13-6.

Texas Instruments played two games this last week and came away with two wins. First they met the NAF team and overwhelmed them 7-4. Later in the week they came up against A&L Tire which proved fatal for the latter squad as they fell to the Texans, 10-6.

Dates Set For Flag Football Season Opener

Marty Denkin, NWC Athletic Director, has announced that the 1972 Intramural Flag Football season will begin on Sept. 5. Entries are open to both military and civilian employees of the Center.

Team rosters must consist of nine players minimum and may not exceed 20. Rosters must be submitted to the Naval Weapons Center athletic office no later than 4:30 p.m., Aug. 25. No late entries will be accepted.

A meeting of team captains will be held in the Center gymnasium at 4:30 p.m., Sept. 1.

Dance Scheduled

Tonight At EM Club

The Golden State Music Co. will play for a dance tonight at the EM Club, from 9 p.m. until 1:30 a.m.

Bill Arcalas, manager of the Club, cordially issued an invitation to all members and their guests to attend what he hopes will be a gala event.



By Jack Lindsey

Gabe Imer, head of Special Services, was in the office earlier this week and he has decided to form an all-star Junior Bowling team, to represent China Lake in home and home matches against similar teams of other communities.

Two separate teams will be formed—a girls' team and a boys' squad. The object is to take the five best bowlers of each gender and train them to compete in the "classic" category of junior bowling.

A tournament will be held at Hall Memorial Lanes on Sunday, Aug. 13, to ascertain who will be team members. Two alternates for each team also will be selected.

Once the team is set, they will then bowl—free of charge—each Sunday under the watchful eye of a pair of coaches. Five persons have been selected to coach the boys and girls. They are Wanda Billings, Myrtle Snyder, Ken Dalpaiz, R. C. Jones and myself.

The age group of the teams has been established as 13 to 16 years. This will enable the children to have time to develop. Generally, by the time a bowler has reached his 17th year, he or she has accumulated habits which would be very difficult to undo.

Coaching will stress fundamentals and basics of bowling, with an eye toward getting each team member's average above the 165 mark.

A team such as this could benefit all junior bowlers in the local area as it will give them something to shoot for. The team will exist on a "ladder-challenge" basis, whereby any other bowler (aged 13-15) who thinks he or she can make the team can challenge any team member.

Once a challenge is laid down, the two bowlers will roll off a nine-game scratch match. If the challenger wins, then he or she will take the team member's place on the roster. However, if the present team member is victorious, then the person who challenges must wait 60 days before he is eligible to again challenge a team member.

A sign-up sheet is located in the bowling alley for all those who wish to roll in the tournament Aug. 13.

Persons desiring further information may contact me, at Ext. 3354, during normal working hours.

Effective next Friday, Aug. 11, Special Services will discontinue operation of the special recreation buses that have been running between Bennington Plaza and Wherry Housing.

"This is necessary as the buses will be needed by NWC from that date to fill other official requirements," said O. A. Imer, head of Special Services.

Construction Work Increases...

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is being built by the A. Rand Corp. of Los Angeles at a cost of \$189,688, and it, too, is scheduled for completion by next Jan. 1.

The new building will replace a facility located at Corona which is used principally in carrying out work on fuze antenna measurements.

Nearer yet to completion is work on a project involving the addition of a room to various old duplex residences on the Naval Weapons Center. This work, being done by Main Cornice, a Los Angeles contractor, at a cost of \$504,000, is now 86 per cent complete and should be finished by Oct. 1.

No less than nine other contracts involving improvements to NWC residences also have been awarded in recent weeks. Jobs of this kind on which work has been started, the amount of each contract, the contractor, and the completion dates are as follows:

Re-roofing of new Wherry housing units, \$109,300, J. A. Roberts Roofing Co. of Los Angeles, completion on Oct. 1.

Exterior painting of various housing units, \$49,860, Paintco Inc. of the Los Angeles area, work to be completed Nov. 9.

Replacement of hot water heaters in junior officers' quarters, \$6,950, Ridgecrest Plumbing, work to be completed Aug. 20.

Interior painting of occupied and vacant housing units, \$93,535, Bill Ward Painting of Woodside, Calif., work to be completed Feb. 8, 1973.

Replacement of bathroom tile and water fittings in various family residences, \$21,000, Baldi Brothers Construction Co. of Palm Springs, work to be completed Sept. 26.

Modernize heating system in senior officers' quarters, \$68,323, Stevens Co. of Lancaster, work to be completed around Jan. 1.

Replacement of gas ranges in Site A and B Capehart homes, \$8,325, Stevens Co. of Lancaster, work to be completed Sept. 11.

Repair of electric service at the motel apartments, \$18,322, Peterson Electric of Hesperia, work to be completed Nov. 1.

Installation of new address markers at various housing units, \$6,000, ASL Maintenance of Gardena, work to be completed Sept. 15.

Also among the recent contracts awarded was one to the Harry Brown Co. of Lancaster for the installation of new showers and revising of restroom facilities at the China Lake golf course. This work, which will cost \$22,026, is to be completed by Oct. 10.

GEBA/CLMAS Assessment Is Now Due

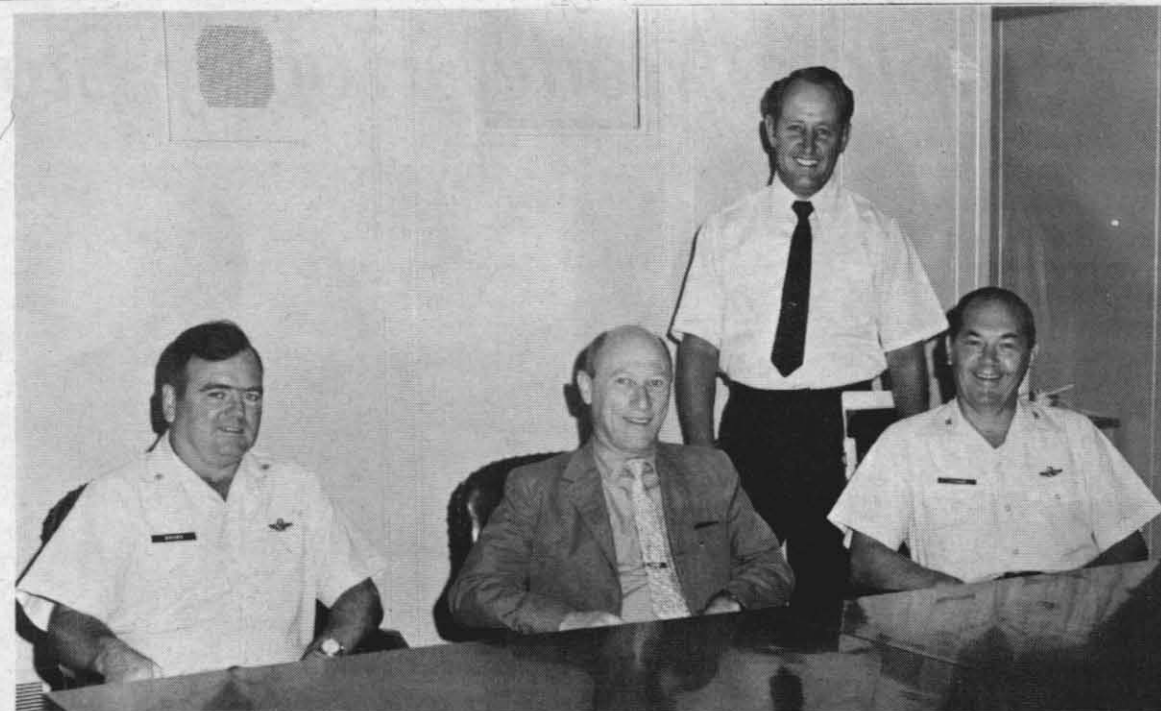
Assessments are now due from members of the Government Employees Benefit Association and the China Lake Mutual Aid Society following the recent death of Thomas Mullins.

A former employee in the Public Works Department's Paint Shop, Mullins, who was 67, suffered a fatal heart attack and died on July 21 at Hope, Idaho.

All GEBA and CLMAS members are urged by Larry Mason, secretary, to contact the collectors in their work areas in order to pay the assessments that are now due.



PROFESSIONAL ACHIEVEMENT RECOGNIZED—Cdr. Howard Alexander, Assistant Technical Officer at NWC, is shown receiving the Navy Commendation Medal, Certificate, and Citation from Rear Adm. William J. Moran, NWC Commander. This recognition came to Cdr. Alexander from the Commander, 6th Fleet, and was for his "professional achievement and superior performance of duty" while he was Commanding Officer of the U.S.S. FRANKLIN D. ROOSEVELT from February to July 1971. Cdr. Alexander came to China Lake last September.



STUDY PANEL MEETS HERE—A Drone Development Management Study Panel, headed by Air Force Col. R. H. Ottomann (seated at right) spent a day here last week obtaining information on the management of the Remotely Piloted Vehicle Program. Among members of the nine-man panel of visitors was Melvin Tanchel (seated in middle), technical advisor for the group and who, like Col. Ottomann, is from Headquarters of the Air Force Systems Command at Andrews Air Force Base in Washington, D.C. Shown with the two visitors are Air Force Maj. R. L. Brown (seated at left), USAF Liaison Officer at NWC, and (standing) C. V. Bryan, head of the RPL Project Office in the Systems Development Department's Technical Development Division. After a day spent here, the panel members headed for Edwards Air Force Base.

Hawthornes Given To Indians...

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be running along smoothly enough for Navy officials also were able to contact a general contracting firm in Long Beach, the Lapadula-Villani Co., and a house moving firm in Gardena, Almas-Star Movers, who agreed on a public service basis to prepare and move the old Hawthorne duplexes from China Lake to Lone Pine and Bishop.

Plans then ran into a roadblock since the buildings (60 ft. long and 14 ft. high, in addition to being 30 ft. wide) were declared to be over the maximum width limit for highway transport.

An appeal for help to the office of Ed Reinecke, Lieutenant Governor of the State of California, resulted in attempts to obtain helicopters capable of moving the old Hawthorne duplexes, but this, too, failed when the California National Guard and a lumber company reported that their helicopters could not lift such large buildings.

In order to comply with State Division of Highways width requirements, it was necessary to cut the buildings apart, which presented the problem of putting

Auto Drivers Given Tips On 'Cycle Safety

The number of motorcycles on the road is growing by leaps and bounds. Here are a few things the Naval Weapons Center Safety Department suggests keeping in mind when a motorcycle moves into your driving scene.

Always give a cycle a full lane whether you are driving or are stopped at an intersection.

When overtaking a cycle pull into the left lane and don't pull back into the right one until you're sure it is safe to do so. Use your mirrors.

Follow a cycle at a greater distance than you would another vehicle, especially if the road is slippery.

Be aware that a cycle may be hidden in a blind spot that will not block out a normal size vehicle from your field of vision.

Remember this rule: Treat a motorcycle as you would any other vehicle—just give it more room.

them back together on their new site. This problem was resolved when Lt. Gov. Reinecke contacted Boise-Cascade of Palo Alto, Calif., and the firm agreed to do the work of restoration at no cost.

In recent weeks, three former Hawthorne duplexes located along Princeton St. at China Lake, were cut into four sections each and loaded onto low boy trailers which moved out early Tuesday morning headed for Lone Pine and Bishop.

One of the old Hawthorne duplexes is slated for use at Lone Pine, where it will be the home for the California Rural Alcoholism program for Indians, while the remaining two buildings (bound for the Indian Reservation at Bishop) will be equipped as a medical-dental complex. Concrete pads on which the buildings will be set in place will be completed by Indian workers.

When the buildings at Bishop are ready, the Naval Weapons Center also plans to make some medical and dental equipment available for use there.

Thus it is that thanks to the combined efforts of the U.S. Navy, private business, and multiple levels of government a helping hand is being given to Indians who make their home in tri-county area of Inyo, Mono and Alpine.

"The completion of this project gives me a great deal of pleasure,"

Lt. Gov. Reinecke stated, "because it offers an excellent example of what we can accomplish through the combined efforts of private enterprise and government. A solution to the problem was needed. I am happy to report everyone joined hands to find the solution," the Lieutenant Governor added.

"The Navy, the private firms involved, the Division of Highways . . . all felt a personal responsibility and cooperation was great. I salute them, each and every one, for their help," Lt. Gov. Reinecke concluded.

Don Donaldson, executive director of the Indian Health Board, a non-profit private corporation serving as the prime contractor for the Indian Health Services in California, expressed the appreciation of the Indians, saying:

"Too often California Indians have felt that they were being shunted aside and forgotten. However, with the excellent assistance of the Lieutenant Governor and his staff, and the fine cooperation of other individuals and businesses, we now know that the Indians have discovered new friends.

"We wish to express our sincere appreciation to all of them for their efforts in our behalf," Donaldson said.



AT LONE PINE—Sections of the first of the old duplex structures to be moved reached Lone Pine Tuesday morning.

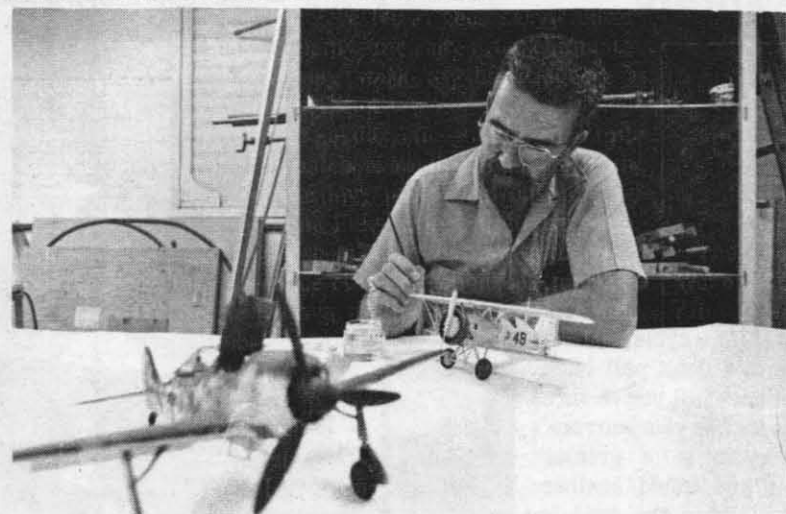
Complete Model Hobby Store Now Available



INTERIOR OF RETAIL STORE — Part of the interior of the modelling supplies store is shown in this wide-angle photograph. Many kinds of models and supplies are crowded into the limited space in the store. Soon to be remodelled, the retail store will feature an even wider selection. Hobbyshop Manager Rick Brodeur also reminds local modellers that "in the past six months we've increased our inventory in order to have a better supply of materials on hand."



BUILDS STUNT PLANE — Benjamin E. Brown, by vocation a Program Analysis Officer in the Weapons Planning Group (Code 128), has as a longtime avocation the building of gas-powered model airplanes. Here he holds a radio-controlled stunt airplane, an R-C Nobler, while on the ground in front of him are some future projects: the parts of a sailplane Cirrus and an unbuild model of a Sr. Falcon. All models shown can be purchased from the model store.



PRECISE MINIATURES — Working on a precise scale model of a Boeing F4-V4, a plane built in the 1930s, William F. Beasley applies paint with a deft touch acquired through hundreds of hours spent on his hobby. A motion picture production specialist in TID's Presentations Division (Code 7523), Beasley also makes perfectly detailed miniatures of military men from around the world and throughout history. The plane in the foreground is constructed from a Hasegawa kit of a World War II Focke-Wulf 190.

In a crowded room next to the Woodworking Hobby Shop (located on Lauritsen Rd. in the building between the Center Restaurant and the enlisted men's barracks) is the model hobbyist's dream: Everything in the way of equipment and supplies for those who build miniature planes, railroads, and other scale models.

Manager Rick Brodeur, a model railroader himself, has pursued an active program of stock expansion. The store now carries plastic models of all types; gas-powered and radio-controlled models of planes and cars; equipment for O-gauge, HO-gauge and N-gauge model railroads; and slot car equipment and accessories.

The store also stocks quality modelling tools made by Dremel, Xacto, Dixon and Omega. Airbrushes by Binks and Badger are available. Other brand names, significant to modellers, are Vaco and Unimac.

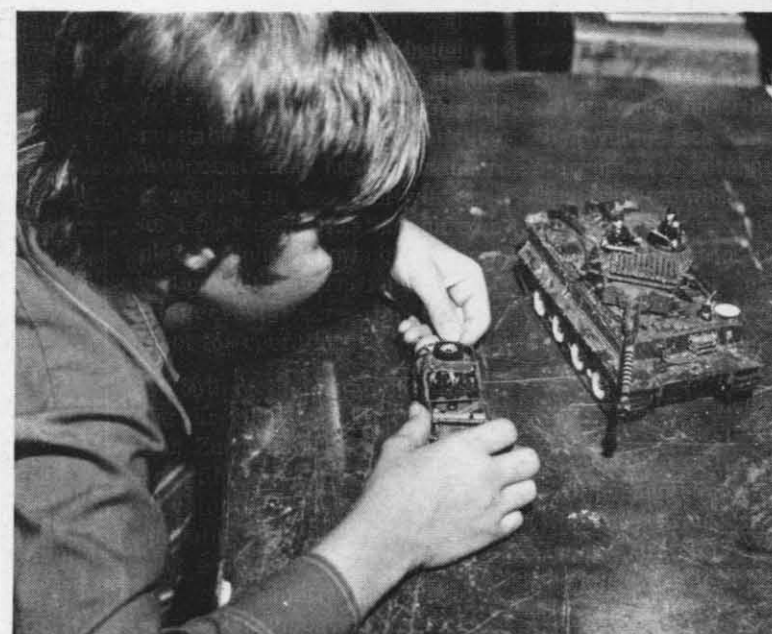
A complete line of paints, cements, finishing materials and decals also is in stock. A little-known sideline of the store involves special ordering of camping equipment and supplies.

Brodeur stresses that use of the store is open to all personnel who work at NWC and their dependents. Store hours are Wednesday, Thursday and Friday from 6 to 10 p.m. and Saturday, from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m.

Photos By Dan Yeatts



HOBBYISTS BUY SUPPLIES — Behind the counter of NWC's retail model supplies store at the Woodworking Hobbyshop, Manager Rick Brodeur helps modelling hobbyists find the models and supplies they need. If a customer doesn't find the particular item he is looking for, Brodeur can send out special orders to fill almost any request.



YOUTHFUL MODELLER — The precision and care required to build good models are skills not confined to a particular age group. Andy Stanford, a fifth grader next year at Vieweg School, holds a model he built of the German Panzer Kampfwagen IV. On the table is a 1-35 scale model of a World War II German King Tiger tank. Young Stanford carefully used his paintbrush to camouflage and weather the models. He is one of the model store's most enthusiastic customers.

Civic Group To Celebrate Anniversary

A luncheon meeting to celebrate the third anniversary of the formation of the Ridgecrest Improvement Committee—a group whose activities have been strongly endorsed and supported by the Naval Weapons Center—will be held at noon next Tuesday at the Continental Buffet in Ridgecrest.

Ted B. Edwards, an employee in the Electrical Branch of the NWC Public Works Department's Engineering Division and former Ridgecrest City Councilman who serves as chairman of the RIC, has issued an invitation to all interested persons to attend Tuesday's luncheon meeting.

On the agenda will be a report by Jim Heck, Ridgecrest city administrator, summarizing the accomplishments of the RIC in conducting highly successful area-wide cleanup campaigns that have brought both state and national recognition to the Indian Wells Valley.

In addition, there will be a progress report by George Pomeroy on the Ridgecrest Improvement Committee's next major undertaking—the development of a golf center that is to consist of both a miniature golf course and a driving range.

Pomeroy, who is also an NWC employee, is serving as an architect on this project, which is currently under way on a portion of city-owned land located just east of the fairgrounds in Ridgecrest.

Members of the Gear Grinders, a four-wheel drive club headed by Dean Karlberg, as president, recently installed the forms for the foundation of a building that will house a snack bar and pro shop at the city golf complex, and a group of Naval Reserve SeaBees headquartered at China Lake is scheduled to lend a helping hand on the weekend of Aug. 19-20, when grading work in preparation for the development of the golf driving range is to be done.

In mid-May, a contingent of SeaBee Reservists from Bakersfield, using equipment made available to them by the Naval Weapons Center, handled the core of grading an area that will serve as a parking lot for the golf complex which, following its completion, will be turned over to the Ridgecrest Recreation Department for operation.

Youth of the community, under the direction of Tom Boggs and Don Zurn, both NWC employees, are actively involved in the development of the 18-hole miniature golf course. So far young people's groups have undertaken the responsibility for doing the work of designing and constructing 9 of the 18 holes.

Assistance of this kind will come from Senior Girl Scouts, Boy Scout Troops 3, 41 and 848, the Burroughs High Key Club, the Presbyterian Senior High Group, St. Michael's Episcopal Church Youth, the Catholic Youth Organization at the NWC All Faith Chapel and Explorer Posts 813 and 848.



SUPERIOR PERFORMANCE BY JUNIOR PROFESSIONAL—Michael K. Giles, a Junior Professional currently on tour in the Systems Development Department, was presented with a Sustained Superior Performance for his efforts during a recent JP tour in Code 5524. Presenting the award jointly were Dr. I. E. Highberg (left) Head, Engineering Department and F. A. Chenault (right) Head, Systems Development Department. Giles was instrumental in designing and building circuitry which demonstrated photoparametric amplification in an infrared detector. This work was part of an Independent Exploratory Development funded project managed by Milton Ritchie, Code 5524, and the circuit is based on theoretical work by Walter Freitag, Code 305.

Unification Action Pending...

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personnel.

Six of the China Lake Elementary School District's non-teaching personnel will be involved in the reshuffling of work assignments. No one will be left without a job, it was explained by a spokesman for the district, since some positions were left unfilled in order that there would be some flexibility when it became necessary to make some re-assignments of personnel prior to the start of the new school year.

Announcement also was made that the China Lake School District is seeking applicants for three part-time teaching jobs. A teacher of gifted children is being sought to work 10 or 12 hours per week; a vocal music teacher is needed 10 hours per week at Murray School, and a speech therapist who can work one day per week also is wanted.

Interested persons can obtain information on applying for any of these three jobs by calling the school district office, 446-5521.

Post Office Halts Sunday Service To Reduce Costs

A change in local Post Office service—elimination of all incoming and outgoing mail on Sundays and holidays—has been announced by Martin Fischer, assistant postmaster at the Ridgecrest Post Office.

This reduction in service is necessary, Fischer reported, because only skeleton crews are at work nationwide handling the mail on Sundays and holidays. As a result of this, as well as changes in postal transportation schedules, the volume of mail being handled locally is greatly reduced on Sundays and Mondays and it was therefore found necessary (as an economy measure) to eliminate Sunday work at the Ridgecrest Post Office.

In order to insure prompt dispatch of mail Monday through Saturday, postal patrons at the China Lake branch are advised to get their outgoing mail to the post office or a collection box marked with a white star between 2 and 2:45 p.m. in order to allow for local handling prior to the first outgoing mail dispatch at 4:30 p.m. "White star" collection boxes will be located at Michelson Laboratory, the Administration Building, at the corner of Richmond Rd. and Blandy Ave., and at the China Lake Post Office.

The daily 4:30 p.m. mail dispatch will make the best connections both up and down the state and out of state, Fischer added as he encouraged all postal patrons to get any outgoing mail to a "White

Star" collection box or to the post office as early in the day as possible.

A second daily dispatch of mail is scheduled Monday through Friday at 5:30 p.m. Outgoing mail must be in collection boxes or at the post office no later than 4:30 p.m. in order to insure that it will leave here by 5:30.

This is a nationwide change in postal service, Fischer stated, and has been initiated in an effort to reduce operating costs which, as they go up, can only be met by increased postal rates.

Housing Office Opens JOQ List To GS-12s

The recently revised Naval Weapons Center Housing Policy allows for temporary adjustment of precedence levels to assure full utilization of family housing assets.

Precedence level C (GS-12) may now apply for two bedroom hill duplexes and two bedroom JOQs, according to a recent release from the NWC Housing Office.

Persons desiring more information are asked to contact the Housing Office, NWC Ext. 2087.



OUTSTANDING EFFORT RECOGNIZED—Edward T. Gilmore, a student trainee entering his senior year at the New Mexico State University at Las Cruces, New Mexico, was presented a Sustained Superior Performance award by Francis Carlisle, head, Electromechanical Division, Engineering Department. Gilmore, in his second tour with the Naval Weapons Center, was singled out for his outstanding effort during his current six months tour at China Lake. Norman Woodall, head Electromechanical Branch, Gilmore's immediate supervisor, submitted the nomination on the basis of his conscientiousness and devotion as principal technician on an urgent missile project.

—Photo by PHAN J. A. Wilson

China Lake School Dist. To Enroll New Students

A one week period, Aug. 7 through 11, has been set aside for the registration of pupils new to the China Lake Elementary School District.

Signups of new pupils will be handled at the school district office on the Murray School campus next Monday through Friday between the hours of 8 a.m. and 3 p.m.

For the convenience of working parents, the school district office will remain open during the lunch hour.

Another adult may be delegated to register the children. However, the person delegated must present all required information plus the legal name of the child, home address, home phone number, work phones if parents work, birthdate of child, occupation of the father and mother, and a list of all children in the family including their sex and birthdates.

Last spring, there was an early registration of youngsters who will be entering kindergarten in the fall. Parents of children who missed that enrollment session are urged to visit the China Lake School District office during the coming week in order to register their youngsters for kindergarten.

In order to be eligible to attend kindergarten when classes resume in September, a child must be 5 years of age on or before Dec. 2, 1972. Proof of age must be presented in the form of a legal birth certificate, a baptismal certificate duly attested, a passport, or a legally executed affidavit by the parent, guardian or custodian of the child.

Other pupils new to China Lake who are transfers from other school districts must present evidence of grade placement either by report card or the regular transfer slip.

In addition, any student entering a California school for the first time must present evidence of polio, measles, and DPT (diphtheria, whooping cough, and tetanus) immunization or a written statement by parents requesting exemption for reasons of personal belief or medical necessity. A doctor's statement must attest to

medical necessity.

If polio immunization has not been initiated by the time of registration, a two-week period following admission is allowed to show evidence that the first treatment has been made. A period of 120 days is allowed to complete the immunization.

Any student who has not received measles (rubeola) vaccine and has not had measles (rubeola) may be admitted on condition that within two weeks evidence of measles immunization will be submitted.

A pupil who has received only partial DPT immunization may be admitted on condition that within a period of not more than 30 calendar days following the date that an immunization is required, the pupil receives that immunization. A pupil who has received no immunization against DPT may be admitted on condition that within two weeks of the date of first admission he will present evidence that he has obtained the first dose and that subsequent doses are obtained within a period of not more than 30 calendar days following the date that they become necessary.

For children less than seven years of age, four doses are required by law. Three doses are required for children seven years of age or older.

Parents who have arrived at NWC this summer and whose children participated in the summer program are reminded that enrollment in the summer program does not constitute enrollment for school attendance during the regular school year.

The first day of the 1972-73 school year will be Tuesday, Sept. 5.

STARTED IN CIVIL WAR Absentee voting in this country started in the Civil War when eleven States permitted men in the Union forces to vote in a Presidential election by absentee or proxy process. About 150,000 servicemen cast ballots in that election. In 1964, 100 years later, one million American servicemen voted by absentee process in a Presidential Election.