



NWC's Wellness Corner

Diabetes is a chronic disease in which, because of an insufficiency or total lack of the hormone insulin, the body cannot use the sugars and starches in the diet properly. The disease takes two forms: insulin-dependent (juvenile-onset) and non-insulin-dependent (maturity-onset) diabetes. The latter can usually be controlled without insulin (hence the name) and is the less serious form of diabetes. Non-insulin-dependent diabetes usually affects people 40 years of age or older and is more common among women than among men. Many of those affected are overweight, some seriously so.

It seems probable that the condition is due to an inherited predisposition and that some external agent is required to convert the genetic tendency into the disease. What that external agent is, is not known.

The hormone insulin is produced by small cells in the islets of Langerhans, scattered throughout the pancreas. Insulin regulates the body's use of sugar by metabolizing glucose so that it can be used for immediate energy needs or stored for future use in the form of glycogen. (Glucose is the main source of energy for all body cells; it is derived from carbohydrates during the digestive process or from fats or proteins that are converted to glucose.)

Non-insulin-dependent diabetes results from the failure of the islets to produce sufficient insulin to overcome a number of anti-insulin factors that occur in certain individuals.

The most common symptom of diabetes is thirst, accompanied by frequent urination (as often as once an hour). There may be repeated infections of the skin, gums or urinary tract and fatigue, weakness or apathy. Tingling sensations in the hands and feet, cramps in the legs and blurred

vision are further symptoms. Sometimes there are no apparent symptoms at all, and the condition is detected in the course of a routine medical check-up.

The presence of diabetes is confirmed by a simple test in which the fasting blood glucose level is measured; if it is persistently elevated, the patient has diabetes.

The purpose of treatment is to relieve the symptoms, reduce the amount of glucose in the blood and urine and lower the risk of complications. For almost a third of non-insulin-dependent diabetics, the disease can be controlled by diet alone. The diet must be designed by a doctor and carefully adhered to by the patient.

In a typical diabetic regimen, calories (800 to 1500 daily, depending on the patient's excess weight) are distributed in small meals taken at regular intervals, keeping the blood glucose level as steady as possible. Carbohydrates make up 50 to 60 percent of the total intake, with plenty of fibrous foods such as whole grain breads and cereals, fruits and vegetables. Simple carbohydrates are restricted to 5 to 15 percent of all carbohydrate calories and should come from natural sources such as milk and fruit rather than from candies, cookies and so on. Of the total calories, 30 to 35 percent come from fats and 12 to 20 percent (depending on age and activity) from protein. Compared to the average American diet, the diabetic regimen requires reducing the intake of sugar, fat, protein and salt, and increasing the intake of complex carbohydrates and fiber. Key factors are controlling the intake of simple carbohydrates, particularly sugar, honey and other sugars; eating balanced meals and achieving and maintaining an ideal body weight for the control of the disease.

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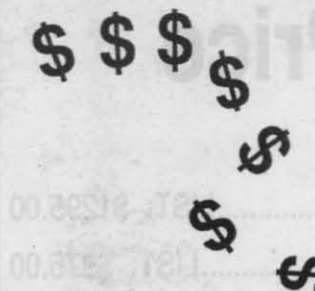
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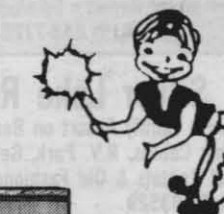
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The third issue of 'The Album, Times and Tales of Inyo Mono,' the new Chalfant Press collectible, will be available in mid-July. The quarterly publication recounts the first-hand recollections, family histories, grand old campfire stories and legends, as well as the history and natural history of the region.

The first two issues of 'The Album' featured a photo essay on the restoration of the famed Cerro Gordo mining town in southern Inyo County, and a never-before published journal, telling what it was like to come to the Owens Valley in the early 1900s.

Stories in the July issue include one by our youngest historian, the history of two Bentons, Keough Hot Springs how it used to be, and some amusing tales of once-upon-a-time in Inyo-Mono.

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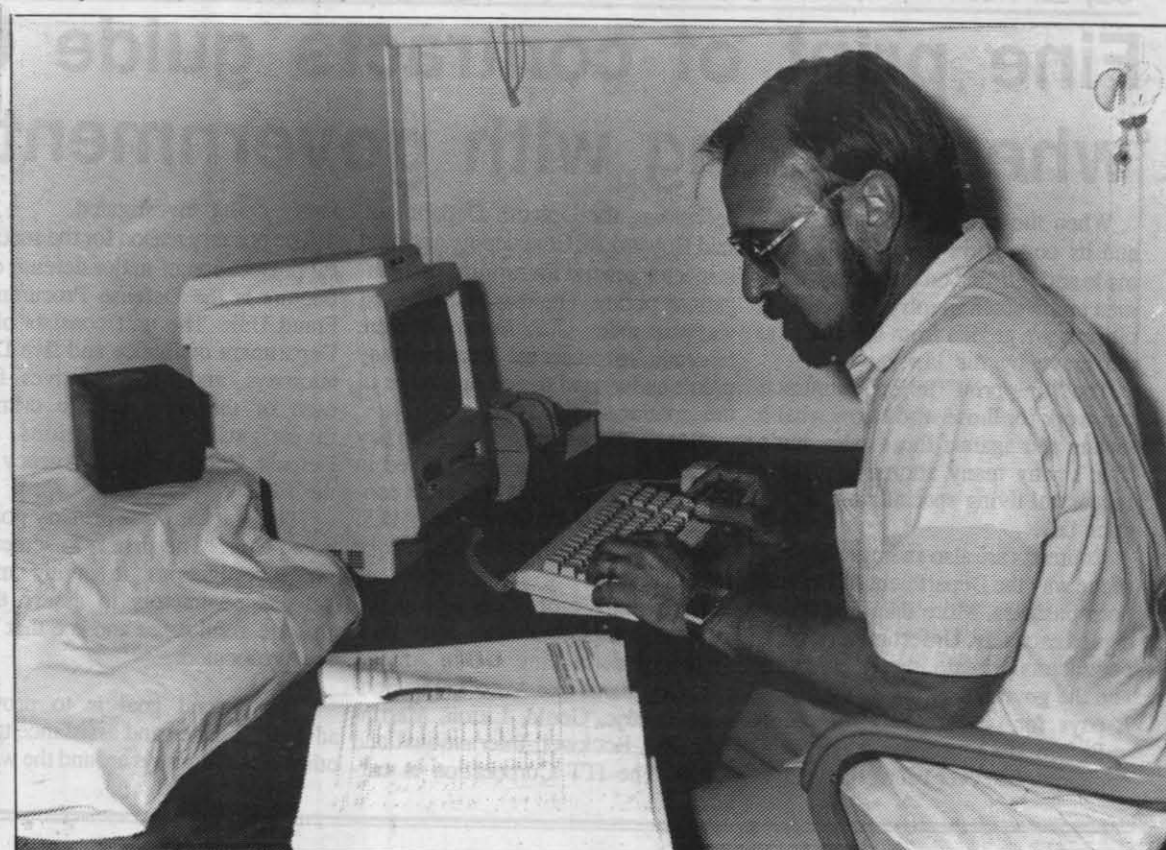
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AWARD WINNER—Robert McNeil works on a software package as part of his ongoing efforts toward ITCS, work that earned him the NWC Technical Director's Award recently. McNeil is in the Tracking and Control Branch of the Center's Aircraft Department. Photo by PHAN Cary Brady



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McNeil wins TD Award

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ter, Roosevelt Roads, Dam Neck, Va., and the Pacific Missile Range Facility.

McNeil's accomplishments include acquiring and updating a complete library of engineering drawings and specifications for all subsystems produced to date, preparation of a competitive procurement package for a second generation receiver, coordinating and monitoring the field test of the new ITCS portable control system, and identifying operational and technical problems NWC must address to meet the Navy's goal.

A graduate of Old Dominion University in Virginia, McNeil, a target control systems engineer, said he has enjoyed the work and the challenge of ITCS.

Class open for learning

Students may register at any time for an ongoing ceramics class through the Morale, Welfare and Recreation Department. The basics of ceramics will be taught; if the student's progress is sufficient, more complicated techniques will be introduced. Students must be sixteen or older.

Classes are held every Monday from 5 until 8 p.m. at the Craft/Hobby Center. Register Monday through Friday from 9 a.m. to 8 p.m. or Saturday from 10 a.m. until 4 p.m. The cost is only \$10 per person for active duty or dependents, \$12 each for retired military, DOD civilians or dependents and \$16 each for others. Students are responsible for firing costs and supplies.



The Skipper Sez...

I want to add another dimension to the Skipper Sez column by asking you to leave your name and telephone extension. Here is why: If you want an answer or resolution of your issue without waiting for this column, I could do that if I had your name and extension. Some of the inquiries are such that my time would be better utilized if I called you with a reply. Also, your questions could be clarified. I don't want to discourage the anonymity of calling Skipper Sez—important issues have been raised and solved through this mechanism. However, if you just need information vice problem investigation, I can probably answer your question with a telephone call.

All China Lakers, including military personnel, civilian employees and their dependents, are invited to submit questions to this column. Such queries must be in good taste and pertain to matters of interest to a large segment of the China Lake community. Answers to these questions are directly from Capt. John Burt. Please call NWC ext. 2727 with your question and state whether you are a military member, civilian employee or dependent. No other identification is necessary. Since only three or four questions can be answered in the Rocketeer each week, anyone who would like to ensure getting an answer to a question may leave name and address for a direct contact, but this is not required otherwise. There is no intent that this column be used to subvert normal, established chain-of-command channels.

More jobs available for non-rated sailors

Washington (NNS) — More opportunities for sailors are available in the rating entry for general apprentices (REGA) program under OPNAVINST 1430.5C.

Now, undesignated strikers have more choices in picking a specific rating to enter. The new changes, which modify the old REGA program, were signed into effect by the chief of Navy personnel last month.

Significant changes to REGA are:
•Undesignated strikers may compete for any rating they desire with the exception of ratings with specific prerequisites, such as "A" school requirements or ratings not available to women.

•When necessary, maximum quotas for females will be established in certain ratings based on combat-exclusion requirements, sea/shore rotation, etc.

•Unless entry prerequisites change, ratings will remain designated as either "open" or "closed" for each exam cycle.

•Eliminates authority by individual commands to designate strikers. Striker designations will be centrally controlled through the advancement system to provide better control of Navy-wide rating imbalances.

•Eliminates need to ask permission from Naval Military Personnel Command to compete for a rating in the proper path of advancement.

•Semiannual NAVOP's will be issued at least two months before each advancement exam to provide projected E-4 advancement opportunity ranges and the estimated number of women who may be advanced in designated ratings.

Defense law impacts professional education

While the Goldwater-Nichols Defense Reorganization Act of 1986 will impact on the services for many years, one area it will affect significantly is joint professional military education.

The reason: The act created a new joint specialty for officers, requiring them to have both joint professional military education and a tour in a joint-duty position. There are roughly 4,500 such positions.

The Defense Department is working with the services to increase the "jointness" in professional military education and to revamp instructions to ensure the education programs will

produce qualified joint-specialty nominees.

The Goldwater-Nichols act calls for joint-specialty officers to finish a course in joint education, then serve three-and-a-half years in a joint-duty assignment before they can be awarded the joint-specialty officer designation.

Right now, the National Defense University in Washington, D.C., and Norfolk, Va., is the only institution providing joint-service professional military education. Three colleges are included in its system — the National War College, the Industrial College of the Armed Forces and the Armed Forces

Staff College. Currently, all three graduate between 500 and 600 personnel annually into joint-duty assignments.

But even this does not necessarily give the whole picture. "Before all this (the Goldwater-Nichols act) came about, we were starting to expand our instruction in joint operations and joint-staff planning," said Army Col. Powell Hutton, director of academic affairs at the national Defense University in Washington. "But that (creating joint-specialty officers) is not the mission of the colleges in the university. The closest thing in the Defense Department system to putting out

joint-specialty officers was at the Armed Forces Staff College. We had to create a joint-specialty program."

What makes up good joint professional military education? According to Hutton, several aspects are important. Among them are the curriculum of the course itself and the format in which the course is taught. But the most important portion of a good joint education has less to do with what is taught than the environment in which it is taught.

"The exposure to the lifestyle, thoughts, duties and traditions of the other services is what makes a good joint education," he said. "When you

rub shoulders each day with your counterparts and learn what those people think is important or how they would accomplish a particular mission and you bring that into your perspective, then you are starting to get the nature of a joint education."

Hutton said it's more than just what the steaming range of an aircraft carrier is or how many hours a C-141 can fly before it needs a major overhaul. "Don't get me wrong — things like that are important," he said. "But knowing what the person driving that ship or planning the C-141 mission is thinking is better."

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SAFETY SALUTE—Capt. John Burt, NWC Commander, presented the Aircraft Department, headed by Capt. K.E. Allen, with the Naval Air Systems Command Aviation Safety Award for 1987. The award is presented in recognition of an outstanding safety record. The record is a result of high standards for flight preparation and flight execution at the Naval Weapons Center. Photo by PHAN Cary Brady

Adoption costs approved

Free military medical care for childbirth has long been a major benefit for service couples. Now, a two-year test program will enable military families to be reimbursed for the expenses associated with adoption. The Coast Guard is also included in the test program.

Congress authorized the program in the 1988 Defense Authorization Act. With the exception of the adoption of stepchildren, the program will cover most adoptions of children up to the age of 18 by married couples or single parents.

It will cover adoptions initiated between Oct. 1, 1987, and Sept. 30, 1989. For eligibility considerations,

the date of initial home study report or the date of placement of the child, whichever falls into the time period, will be considered the initiation date. However, members may not apply for reimbursement until the adoption becomes final, usually six months to a year after the child is placed.

The program also covers adoptions of children from countries other than the United States and adoptions of children with special needs.

The program will pay for most expenses up to \$2,000 per child and not more than \$5,000 per member in a single year. Therefore, it is important to keep good records of all expenses.

Medical costs for the youngsters or biological mother are covered as are legal fees, agency fees and most travel costs.

Congress authorized the services to spend up to \$2.8 million this year on the program — covering about 1,400 adoptions at \$2,000 per child.

Since it appropriated no money for the program, funds will have to come out of existing personnel budgets.

Formal regulations implementing the new program are expected early this fall.

Pool sharks get lessons

Instruction in the game of pool will be given to all youths, 12 years or older, from July 19 through 28. Interested youths should be at the Youth Center's Game Room on Tuesdays and Thursday from 1 to 2 p.m. Fees are \$4 per military dependent, \$4.50 per DOD dependent and \$5 for others.

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5:00 pm—Heartbeat
5:30 pm—Civil Engineering
6:30 pm—The Ridgecrest Report.
Local News starring Kevin McKay & Craig Fox
7:00 pm—Navy News
7:30 pm—The Ridgecrest Report
8:00 pm—Soloflex Brochure
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5:00 pm—Heartbeat
5:30 pm—Drugs & Youth
6:00 pm—The Spread of Nuclear Weapons
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9:00 pm—Soloflex Brochure
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5:30 pm—Film Noir
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7:00 pm—Bag the Limit
7:30 pm—The Ridgecrest Report
8:00 pm—Stock car races starring Dave Grayson & Donna Lingel
10:00 pm—Soloflex Brochure

GOOD SHOOTING— Military personnel onboard the Naval Weapons Center are in the process of demonstrating their proficiency with a revolver as part of their military training. Qualification shooting began early this month and will continue through October to give all assigned military members the opportunity to have their time at the NWC pistol range. An instructor (below) shows one marksman the kind of grouping to look for on the target. Photos by PHAN Cary Brady



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Fine print of contracts guide U.S. contractors when dealing with government agencies

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The "fine print" in legal contracts can work for those who know what it means and against those who don't. That's why many attorneys make a successful living specializing in contract law.

Contracts are also an important part of the way the Department of Defense does business. More than 60,000 are signed each day. Unfortunately, some contractors violate those contracts, and the government doesn't get what it pays for.

Before 1982, not one major DOD contractor had ever been convicted of

defrauding the Defense Department, said Howard W. Cox, deputy assistant inspector general for criminal investigations policy. The reason, said Cox, was that many U.S. Attorneys were reluctant to prosecute because they didn't understand the complexities of the contracts.

"Major defense contractors can pay for attorneys who are well versed in the complexities of defense contracts," said Cox. "In many cases, U.S. Attorneys do not have those resources."

Since 1982, more than 10 top-100 defense contractors have been convicted of defrauding DOD. Among them are giants like Avco, GTE, General Electric, Gould, Litton, Martin-Marietta, Rockwell International and TRW. The ITT Corporation is cur-

rently being investigated.

The primary reason for the successful prosecution of major defense contractors is the Defense Procurement Fraud Unit. The unit consists of 12 Department of Justice and five DOD attorneys, and representatives from each of the four defense criminal investigative organizations, the Defense Contract Audit Agency and the FBI.

"The unit has three primary goals," noted Cox. "The first is to screen all the investigations involving major defense contractors to assess those that are good cases and see that they are prosecuted."

"The second goal is to provide advice, guidance and assistance to 94 other U.S. Attorneys around the world

who may not be as knowledgeable about contract fraud."

The third goal, said Cox, is for the unit itself to prosecute some cases. The attorneys can practice anywhere in the country, most often in areas where contract expertise is not available.

The fraud unit was organized specifically to target major defense contractors that usually have the expertise necessary to successfully defend themselves against criminal charges.

"The members of the fraud unit are chosen carefully," said Cox. "Each has contract fraud, law and prosecution experience. They understand the complexities of contracts and are able to get convictions."

Cox said another reason major contractors had been getting away with

violating contracts was that local U.S. Attorneys were not able to give the contract cases the attention they deserved. "U.S. Attorneys in some states are up to their necks in narcotics cases. Contract fraud is a low priority, and contractors know it. With the fraud unit, DOD is telling contractors they are no longer immune from prosecution," he said.

Cox said prosecuting unscrupulous contractors continues to be the highest priority of the Inspector General's Office. "Since 1982, there have been more than 1,200 fraud convictions of both large and small companies in the Department of Defense," said Cox. "And DOD has received more than \$400 million through fines and civil fraud judgments."

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Clayton addresses ASPA

Ross Clayton, once a management intern at the Naval Weapons Center (NWC) and now dean of the School of Public Administration at the University of Southern California (USC), will be the featured speaker for the East Kern Chapter's meeting next Wednesday of the American Society for Public Administration (ASPA).

Set for the NWC Commissioned Officer's Mess at 11:30 a.m., the meeting will feature Clayton speaking on "organizational change" and the presentation of ASPA's annual

Bjorkland Award for Management Innovation.

Clayton came to NWC (then the Naval Ordnance Test Station) in 1960 as a management intern and was a management analyst with the Central Staff for several years in the 1960s. He received his doctoral degree in public administration from USC through an NWC Fellowship.

The guest speaker is a member of the National Academy of Public Administration, has served on the staff of the Federal Executive Institute and chairs the Federal College

Council in Los Angeles, a group that works closely with the area's Federal Executive Board. In addition, as dean of the School of Public Administration, Clayton is USC's manager of the Reserve Officers' Training Corps for all three services.

There is a luncheon choice of chef salad or breast of chicken with orange sauce. Either choice is \$6 per person. Reservations are needed. For reservations, call Steve Boster at NWC ext. 3354 no later than the close of business on Friday, July 22.

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Scorpions host three teams in tournament

The Ridgecrest Scorpions Soccer Club hosted a three-team tournament this past Saturday at Davidove Field. The first game pitted TSV Reinbek from Hamburg, West Germany, against a Scorpions team formed from both the Under-16 and Under-19 teams.

The West German team is visiting the U.S. and staying with families of the Scorpions Club. They were in Albuquerque for a tournament (2nd place) and then in Corona for one week each.

The hosting players formed the

Scorpions team which were beaten by TSV Reinbek. The newly-formed Scorpions team could not quite coordinate their play well enough to match the West Germans who won 2-0.

TSV Reinbek next played an Under-19 team from Oildale, the Warriors, to a 1-1 tie.

In the final game, the Scorpions played the Warriors. The Warriors won this contest 2-1 with Steve Savage scoring in the second half for the Scorpions only goal.



BASEBALL ACTION—Indian Wells Valley Youth Baseball leagues are into all-star and tournament play, having concluded their regular season schedule. There are also a number softball tournaments scheduled for the Ridgecrest and China Lake diamonds in the next few weeks.

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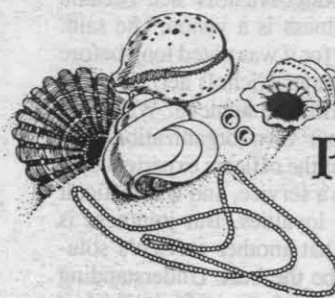


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Coronary artery disease is a condition that often leads to heart attacks. It is caused by a buildup of fatty deposits inside the coronary arteries, resulting in a blockage of blood flow to a segment of heart muscle.

Many factors contributing to the development of this disease are changeable, while others are not. Factors such as smoking, high blood pressure, stress, obesity and lack of exercise can be changed by lifestyle alterations, medication or both.

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According to Defense Manpower Data Center statistics, 16 percent of military wives are foreign-born. And of the roughly 47,000 Americans born abroad each year, a large proportion are children of U.S. services

members.

But there's more involved with these joyous events than buying rings and setting up a nursery. For Americans overseas, getting married and having children born in a foreign country means a lot of paperwork that can turn into a red-tape nightmare — particularly if you leave the U.S. without important documents.

The U.S. State Department's Bureau of Consular Affairs dis-

covered, through a recent study, that much processing time for various applications could be eliminated if service members and their families had proper documentation, in particular, proper proof of citizenship.

The most easily recognized proof of citizenship is a valid U.S. passport. A certified copy of a birth record of naturalization certificate is also adequate proof. Without those documents, it is

almost impossible to marry, register a child's birth or bring new dependents to the states.

It is also important to remember that only certified copies are acceptable evidence of citizenship. A certified copy comes only from an office of vital records in the city, county or state of birth. Photocopies, even when notarized, are not considered certified copies needed for proof of citizenship.

New law impacts schooling

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But the facilities at the three colleges in the National Defense University cannot handle the number of officers needed for joint specialty assignments. DOD can either increase the university's size or turn to the intermediate and senior service schools to teach joint courses. At the request of the vice chairman of the Joint Chiefs of Staff, the staff at the National Defense University came up with a joint curriculum for these schools, which was subsequently approved by the chairman, Joint Chiefs of Staff.

The Army, Navy and Air Force schools already have officers from the other services attending their institutions under the "sister-school" program.

Ideally, according to Hutton, there should be a joint-service faculty also; but this may not be possible at the service schools. The limits on students and faculty from other services will probably mean that only a portion of each school's program will be fully joint.

At the intermediate level, the joint curriculum adds about 240 hours to the course; at the senior level, it's about 110 hours. "Obviously, adding this level of instruction means that something else is going to have to suffer," said Air Force Col. Bob Childs, director of academic plans and programs at the National Defense University. "The schools will probably take this time from the electives portion of their curricula. This is a trade-off, but the alternative is to expand the school year, and that isn't going to happen."

But the curriculum is not set in tablets of stone, according to Hutton. "Every new course has to be accredited," he said. "This usually happens after the first couple of classes have gone through. We don't have the luxury of so much time with this course of study. So, as the courses are being set up and before they start, the Joint Chiefs of Staff will be certifying what is being taught is what should be taught; and, if a school gets away from the direction it should be headed, it can nudge it back in line before it gets too far off track."

Ten intermediate and senior-level schools plan to adopt the program. Hutton emphasized the services were getting into more joint training before the Goldwater-Nichols act became law. "Jointness is a vision," he said. "The need for it was noted long before (the Goldwater-Nichols act). It is not an easy vision to achieve. We breed pride in our own organizations."

"Most of the officers experience 20 years with a service, and it is difficult to change loyalties. But jointness is realizing that another service's solution may be the best. Understanding that fact is the purpose of joint professional military education."

By Jim Garamone
American Forces Information Service

Military marketplace ads

The deadline for submitting Military Marketplace ads is 3 p.m. Friday for the following week's Rocketeer. Military Marketplace ad forms can be picked up between 7:30 a.m. and 4:30 p.m. at the Military Administration Department office, VX-5 administration office, the Rocketeer office or at Chalfant Press-Rocketeer Advertising Department, 206 Balsam Avenue, Ridgecrest. Ads will be free for active duty military and their family members and will appear one time only unless resubmitted.

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Long, dry summer brings fire restrictions

Dry, hot weather has brought the summer's first fire hazard restrictions to the Sierra and Sequoia National Forests. Since July 16, Stage 1 fire restrictions have been in force in high fire hazard areas of both forests.

While these restrictions cause some inconvenience to visitors, most of the forest resources remain available for use.

The restrictions prohibit:

- Fires, except from portable camp

stoves, outside a developed recreation site.

- Smoking, except in an enclosed building, vehicle or at a developed recreation site.

- Welding or operating any torch

with an open flame except by permit. • And, using any explosives without a permit.

Woodcutters should call forest offices in the area they plan to be in

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That's quite a breakthrough.

Softball tournament brings 12 teams for action

Tehachapi, Trona and Lone Pine teams will join softball squads from the Indian Wells Valley for the Doc's/Hitters Co-Ed Softball Tour-

nament this weekend on China Lake softball fields. Twelve teams will vie for championship honors starting with games

Saturday morning at Knox Field. The first round will be used to determine "A" and "B" divisions. Each division will have two sub-divisions where

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Trout take the bait in Sierra

Trout fishing in most Sierra Nevada lakes and reservoirs is good to excellent thanks to the volume of planted fish. Water levels continue to drop because of the dry weather and the California Department of Fish and Game (DFG) fisheries experts recommend taking advantage of the good conditions while they last.

The Bishop Chamber of Commerce reports eastern Sierra region fishing remains very good in most areas; but, as the dry weather reduces stream flow, the trend is expected to be a declining one in the next month.

In the Bridgeport area, Twin Lakes has excellent fishing for kokanee salmon by trollers using lead core line and a red magic lure. Shore-based anglers are landing rainbows up to three pounds with a marshmallow and salmon egg combination. At Virginia Lakes, fishing with a bubble-fly combination or worms and cheese bait brings the best results.

All lakes in the June Lake Loop are good, say area anglers. Still fishing from boats works well with red salmon eggs or floating cheese for bait. Trollers are using triple teasers and Needlefish lures.

Warm weather has reduced Mammoth area anglers to fishing for planted rainbows with salmon eggs, marshmallows, worms or an elk hair caddis fly.

Trout fishing remains slow at Crowley Lake, but the perch continue to bite on various colored perch jigs. Some nice native brown trout are being caught off Alligator Point by trollers. On Aug. 1, the late season begins at Crowley, with trout fishing restricted to artificial lures only and a two-fish limit.

Anglers fishing from shore are using Mepps, Panther Martins and Phoebs to land pan-sized rainbows at Convict Lake. Shore-based anglers can also use garlic marshmallows for good results.

BC hosting top volleyball

Bakersfield College will host the USA Men's volleyball team in a pre-Olympic exhibition against the Swedish national team Monday night. This will be the only opportunity for Kern County residents to see the USA team in action before the Summer Olympics in Seoul, Korea, this September.

The clash is set for 7:30 p.m. at the Bakersfield College Gym. Tickets are on sale now at Bakersfield College, California State University Bakersfield and the Bakersfield Chamber of Commerce.

The USA team took the 1984 Olympic gold medal and is currently the top ranked team in the world. Sweden's squad is the best in Europe and the only team to have beaten the American squad this year.

Peacoats have long, warm past

Sailors who have to endure pea-soup weather often don their pea coats, but the coat's name isn't derived from the weather.

The heavy top coat worn in cold, miserable weather by seafaring men was once tailored from pilot cloth — a heavy, coarse, stout kind of twilled blue cloth with a nap on one side. The cloth was sometimes called p-cloth for the initial letter of the word and the garment made from it was called a p-jacket, which was later changed to pea coat. The term has been used since 1723 to denote coats made from that cloth.

Eyes

Navy members need regular examinations

WASHINGTON (NES). Normally Navy members should have their eyes examined every two years. More frequent visits are necessary if an individual already has eye disease or is having symptoms such as blurred or decreased vision, pain, redness, double vision or seeing spots. Any unexplained change in the field of vision should be evaluated immediately. The appearance of flashing lights or multiple floaters (black lines or specks) in the eyes signal an urgent need for an eye evaluation.

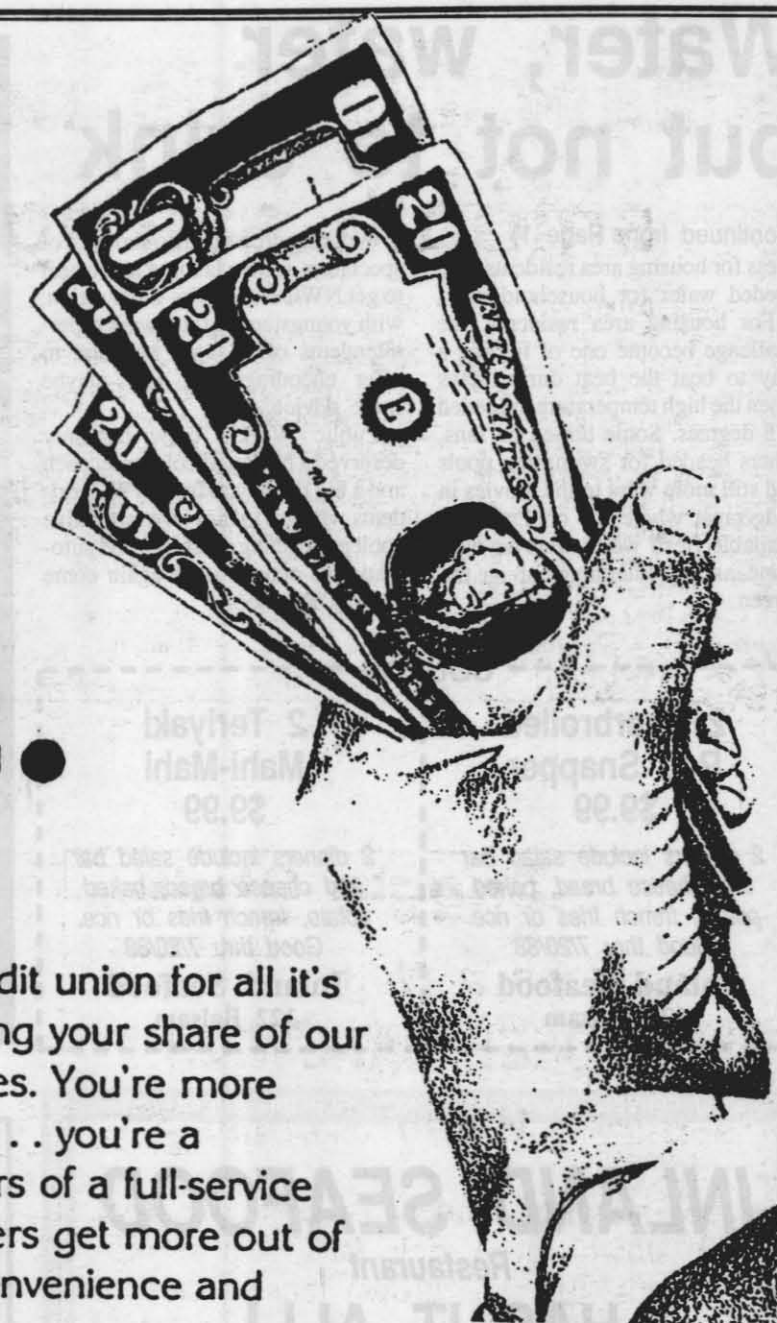
Sometimes a change to the current prescription will solve the problems, but other reasons for deteriorating vision should also be investigated by an eye care specialist.

The Navy has three kinds of eye care specialists: ophthalmologists, optometrists and opticians. Because Navy ophthalmologists may be the only providers of eye care at an isolated duty station, they receive more training than many of their civilian counterparts in special areas such as retinal detachment, glaucoma and laser surgery.

Major Navy hospitals have the latest in ophthalmic equipment including lasers and implant lenses. Lasers are used in many aspects of cataract surgery, glaucoma and retinal disease care.

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Water, water but not to drink

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Mess for housing area residents who needed water for household use.

For housing area residents, the challenge became one of finding a way to beat the heat during days when the high temperature exceeded 115 degrees. Some turned on fans, others headed for swimming pools and still more went to the movies in Ridgcrest where the cool air and available fresh water were as welcome as the entertainment on the screen.

Working crews had no shortage of spectators as they labored in the heat to get NWC back on its water ration, with youngsters and sidewalk superintendents of all ages on hand to offer encouragement and maybe some advice.

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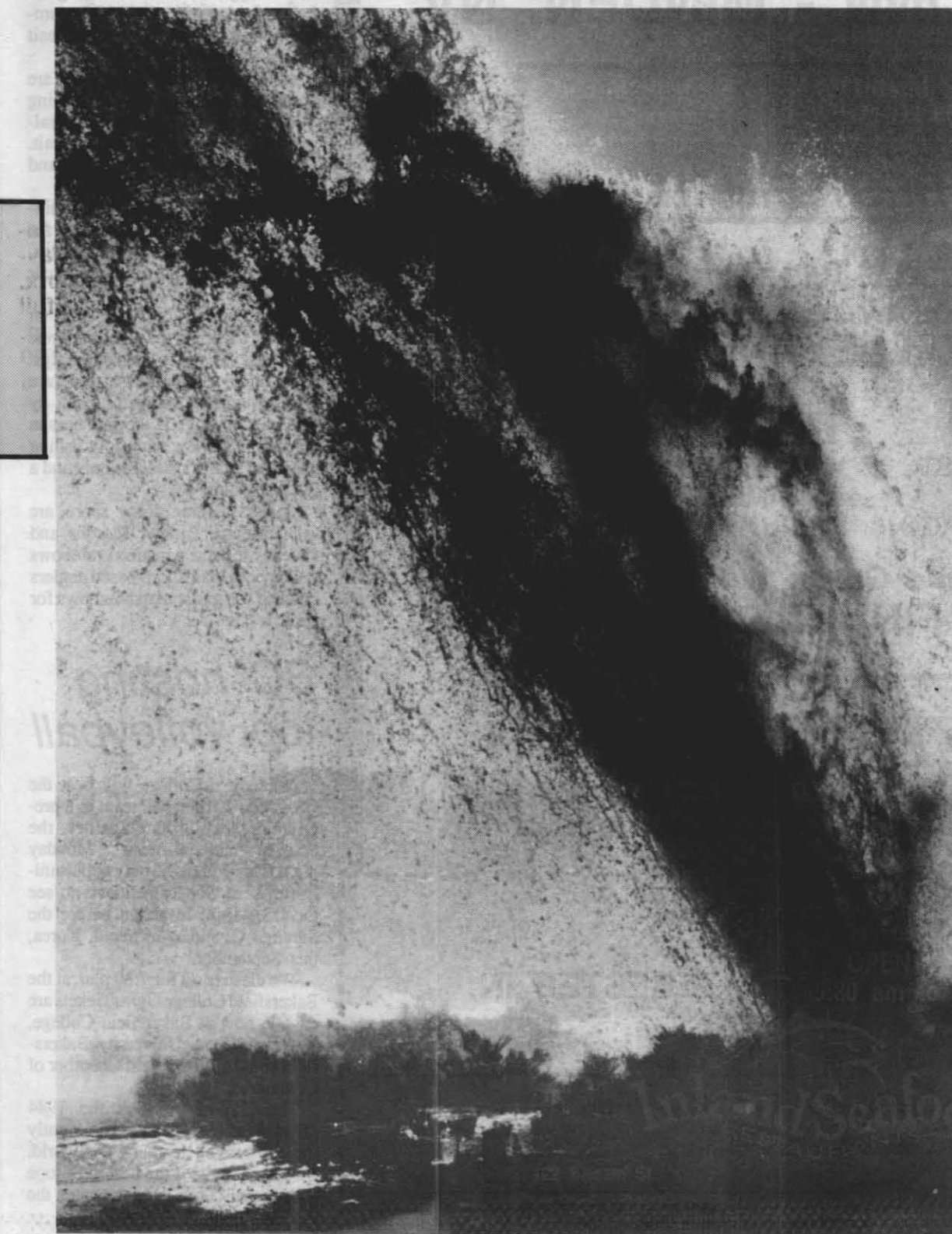
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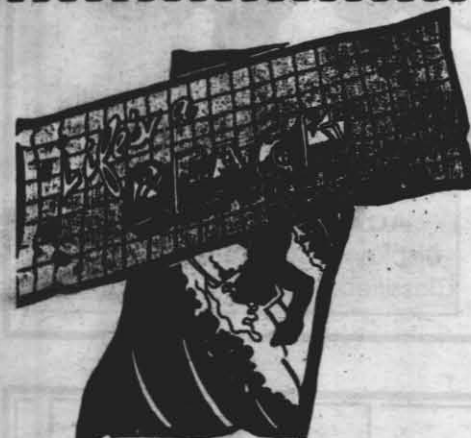
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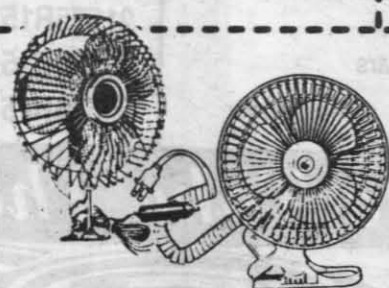
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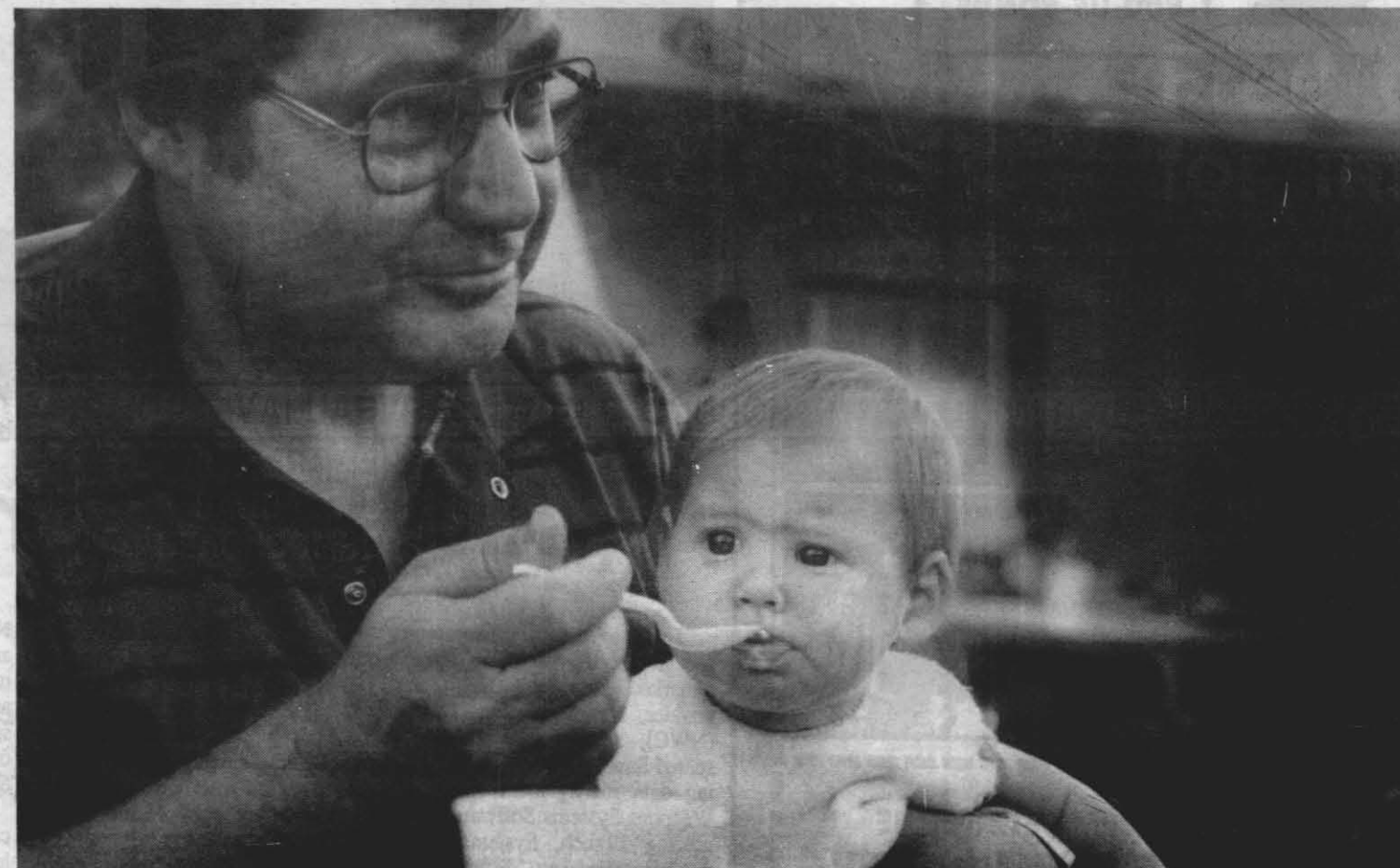
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These volunteers have received special training and can provide information related to cancer prevention, education and training, as well as the specific activities and programs of the local office.

The office is in Lancaster at 503 West Lancaster Blvd. with active satellite branches in Bishop and the Indian Wells Valley.



Don Kappelman feeds his seven-month-old granddaughter, Kristine Schremmer, at the ice cream social sponsored by the Protestant Women of the Chapel this week at the All Faith Chapel.

**JP party
on 28th**

Naval Weapons Center personnel, their spouses and friends are invited to attend a "Welcome Aboard" reception for new junior professionals on Thursday, July 28, at the Commissioned Officers' Mess. A \$4 donation per person is requested. No reservations are required. The reception begins at 5:30 p.m.

JPs being welcomed aboard are Kathleen Martin, Keith Niccum, Wendell Peters, William Sakaguchi, Ronald Sharpe, Alison Soderberg, Andy Stanford, Robert Tews, Don Thompson, James Witham, Kenneth Woods, Charmaine Franck and Lauren Zellmer.

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"I want to thank you for some special work you have done," remarked Capt. John Burt, Commander, Naval Weapons Center (NWC), when he recently presented Sandra A. Pryor, engineering data management specialist, Weapons Systems Software Engineering Branch, Systems Engineering Division, Engineering Department, with the Commander's Award for Excellence in Mission Support.

Pryor received her award for outstanding support and enhancement of NWC's computer software education and acquisition efforts. In his nomination letter, Sterling Haaland, department head, Engineering Department, noted, "Your knowledge and experience, coupled with your outstanding ability to communicate and work with people, have established you as a key Center resource and authority on software engineering and software application."

Pryor has developed an innovative approach to acquiring Ada, a programming language for weapons systems, and co-authored a paper documenting her technique entitled "Ada Acquisition: A Tailored Approach," which she presented at the Sixth National Conference on Ada Technology in April 1988.

In her role as instructor for NWC, Pryor has created, revised and taught classes in the development, configuration management, and specifications and standards of software as well as a management overview of computer aided engineering.

After receiving her award, Pryor commented, "I'm sure there are a lot of people who deserve this award, but I'm fortunate enough to have supervisors who give you the opportunity, support and encouragement to do this and then they reward you when they think you have done a good job. I know a lot of time and effort all the way up the chain go into presenting someone with an award and I appreciate the work everyone did for me."

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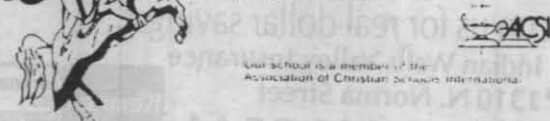
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Recently the "A" Capehart and Hill

housing areas have experienced several power outages. The last electrical storm did a lot of damage which is now repaired. Another major source of concern are tree limbs growing into power lines. The Public Works Department plans to trim these trees to solve this problem. This week's work is expected in the 1300 to 1500 blocks of Ticonderoga. It may be necessary to remove some fences, but all of them will be replaced when the work is complete and debris has been removed.

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No. 08-027, Computer Operator, DG-332-2 (Multiple Vacancies), Code 08431 - First shift (0730 - 1630) or second shift (1600 - 2400). This position is located in the Computer Operations Section, Computing Systems Branch, Financial Information Systems Division, of the Central Staff. The Computer Operations Section currently provides production operation of an UNISYS 1100/80 mainframe computer system and provides pre-production operation of the STAFS site, including two DEC VAX 8600's, one DEC VAX 780, and one DEC VAX 730. The incumbent operates various computer systems and peripheral devices, performs file backup functions, ensures quality of computer output, interacts with customers of the section, and records computer hardware/software events in logs. Experience in use of electronic data processing equipment preferred. **Job**

Relevant Criteria: Knowledge of data processing concepts; ability to deal effectively with all levels of people; ability to communicate both orally and in writing. Promotional potential to DG-4, but not guaranteed.

No. 08-028, Supervisory Computer Operator, DG-332-5, Code 08431 - This position is that of Shift Leader (first shift) within the Computer Operations Section, Computing Systems Branch, Financial Information Systems Division, of the Central Staff. The incumbent schedules personnel and workflow processes, ensures quality of work performed, interacts effectively with customers of the Computer Operations Section, maintains daily logs and records of hardware/software events, and provides on-the-job training in computer operation to subordinate personnel. The Computer Operations Section currently provides production operation of an UNISYS 1100/80 mainframe computer system and provides pre-production operation of the STAFS site, including two DEC VAX 8600's, one DEC VAX 780, and one DEC VAX 730. The incumbent operates various computer systems and peripheral devices, performs file backup functions, ensures quality of computer output, interacts with customers of the section, and records computer hardware/software events in logs. Experience in use of electronic data processing equipment preferred. **Job**

No. 08-029, Management Analyst, DA-343-3, Code 0835

Personnel News & Notes

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35-008, Supervisor y Interdisciplinary, (Aerospace/Electronics/ General/Mechanical Engineer/Mathematician/Physicist), DP-861/855/801/830/1520/1310-3/4, Code 359 Division, Strike/Anti-Surface Weapons Department (a new division being formed in Code 35). The incumbent is responsible for directing and managing all technical efforts of the division which specializes in design and development of missile airframes and advancing technology in support of NWC weapons systems. This includes the mechanical design of components and structural analysis of mechanical assemblies, application of engineering and structural mechanics for design of hardware including stress analysis, aerodynamics and exterior ballistics, control systems and power supplies, and systems engineering. **Job Relevant Criteria:** Knowledge of latest technological advancements in air and surface launched weapons systems; thorough knowledge of structural analysis and design, stress analysis, aerodynamics, control theory, and systems engineering; ability to deal effectively with NWC management, systems commands and other DoD agencies and contractors; ability to plan, organize, coordinate, and manage a technical program; knowledge of affirmative action principles including a willingness to implement EEO practices; ability to manage an organization; ability to influence and motivate others; ability to communicate in writing. Incumbent may have to serve a one year probationary period. Promotion potential, DP-4. Promotion is not guaranteed.

No. 62-022, Electrician, WG-2805-10, Code 6223 - This position is located in the Ground Operations Branch of the Range Department. Incumbent plans, lays out, constructs, installs, and tests electrical and electronic equipment used in range test and evaluation. In addition, the incumbent is responsible for maintaining and trouble shooting a variety of range support equipment. **Job Relevant Criteria:** Ability to do the work of the position without more than normal supervision; ability to use electrical test equipment; knowledge of electrical theory; ability to read, interpret, understand, and apply the electrical drawings used in the trade; ability to use and maintain the hand and power tools used in the trade; knowledge of the basic rules and practices necessary to the safe performance of quality

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Reassignment opportunities

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No. 31-037, Interdisciplinary (General/Electronics/Electrical/Aerospace/Mechanical Engineer/Physicist/Mathematician/Computer Scientist), DP-801/855/850/861/830/1310/1520/1550-2/3, Code 3191 - This is a Systems/Software Engineer position. It is located in the Systems Engineering Branch. The branch is responsible for the analysis of the AH-1 avionic and aircraft systems. The analysis could be either independent or based on contractor-generated documentation. The incumbent will be responsible for documentation review of avionic systems requirements, the interface documentation of major subsystems, and software requirements and design for the AH-1 HUD, Cockpit Control System, and the Night Targeting System. This is in preparation for the branches later role in developing and maintaining the AH-1 system/software. The incumbent should be familiar with top-down design, analysis, implementation, and testing of software. Experience with MIL-STD-1679A and DOD-STD-2167, Ada and assembly language (68000 and 8086) is desirable, but not required. To apply for this position, send a current SF-171 to Jo Miller, Code 3191, ext 5529.

No. 31-038, Interdisciplinary (General/Electronics/Electrical/Aerospace/Mechanical Engineer/Physicist/Mathematician/Computer Scientist), DP-

801/855/850/861/830/1310/1520/1550-2/3, Code 3191 - (Multiple Vacancies). This is a Radar Software Engineer position. It is located in the Systems Engineering Branch. The branch is responsible for the analysis of avionic and aircraft systems. The analysis could be either independent or based on contractor-generated documentation. The incumbent will be responsible for independent analysis and documentation review of airborne radar requirements, aircraft interface, software development, and testing for the A-6G and other advanced aircraft system concepts. The incumbent should be familiar with top-down design, analysis, implementation, and testing of software. A knowledge of modern digital signal processing techniques, radar Air-to-Air/Air-to-Ground modes; MIL-STD-1679A or DOD-STD-2167; Ada assembly language, or micro-code is desirable but not required. To apply for this position, send a current SF-171 to Jo Miller, Code 3191, ext. 5529.

No. 31-039, Interdisciplinary (General/Electronics/Electrical/Aerospace/Mechanical Engineer/Physicist/Mathematician/Computer Scientist), DP-801/855/850/861/830/1310/1520/1550-2/3, Code 3191 - This is a Sensor Software Engineer position. It is located in the Systems Engineering Branch. The branch is responsible for

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CLASSIFIEDS

341 Appliances

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353 Miscellaneous For Sale

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353 Miscellaneous For Sale

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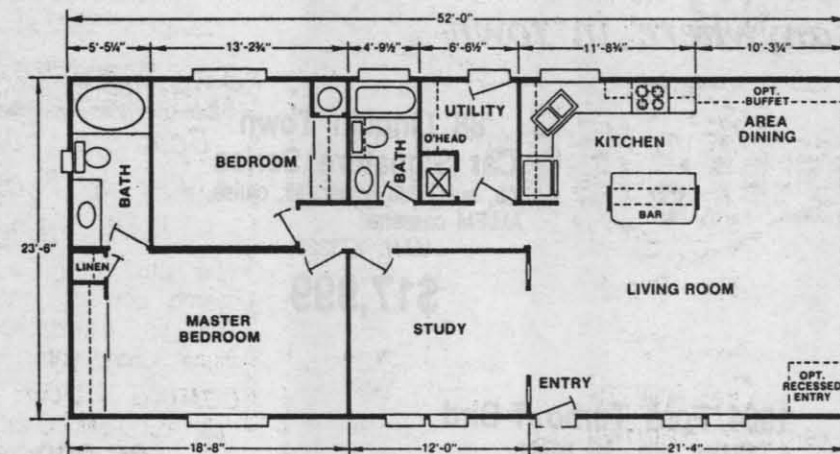
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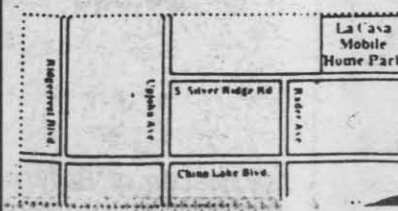
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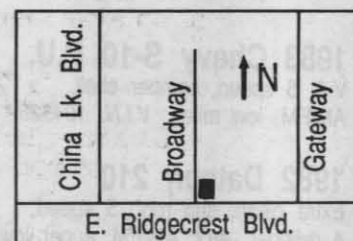
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313 Personals

A great place to show your product or service to approximately 45 thousand people is at the Desert Empire Fair, Sept. 14 thru 18. Contact Gail for information. 375-8000.

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313 Personals

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the analysis of avionic and aircraft systems. The analysis could be either independent or based on contractor-generated documentation. The incumbent will be responsible for independent analysis and documentation review of airborne targeting sensors requirements, aircraft interface, multiple sensor fusion, software development, and testing for the A-12 system. The incumbent should be familiar with top-down design, analysis, implementation, and testing of software. A knowledge of aircraft sensors; MIL-STD-1679A or DOD-STD-2167; and Ada or assembly language, is desirable but not required. To apply for this position, send a current SF-171 to Jo Miller, Code 3191, ext. 5529.

requirements, aircraft interface, software development, and testing for various advanced aircraft system concepts. The incumbent should be familiar with either computer software, computer architecture, or modern avionics. A knowledge of or an interest in learning about top-down design, analysis, implementation, and testing of software; aircraft avionics; MIL-STD-1679A and DOD-STD-2167; and Ada or assembly language is required. To apply for this position, send a current SF-171 to Jo Miller, Code 3191, ext. 5529.

Merit Staffing Program Vacancy Announcement. Issued by: Civilian Personnel Office, Philadelphia, PA 19112-5073. CHEMICAL ENGINEER GS-893-11/12. \$31,383/\$33,979 PA. Naval Industrial Resources Support Activity Detachment, EMPF, Ridgecrest, CA. Note: This position may be filled at the GS-11 or GS-12 level. Please indicate the grade(s) for which you are applying. A selectee brought in at the GS-11 level may be promoted to the full performance level. Closing date: August 4, 1988. DUTIES: This position is located in the Manufacturing Engineering Department, Naval Industrial Resources Support Activity Detachment, Electronics Manufacturing Productivity Facility, Ridgecrest, CA. The selectee of this position will be responsible for the performance of the following duties:

-conduct independent research efforts as an EMPF project manager and under the guidance of the department supervisor

-maintain an appropriate engineering journal or log detailing the activities, findings, conclusions, etc. of all efforts
-provide quarterly project status reports and final reports to the Manufacturing Engineering Department supervisor for projects in which the selectee has been designated principally responsible
-recommend appropriate software, test equipment, instrumentation or literature which would aid in the analysis and research of chemical systems or processes
-develop test methods and procedures consistent with the project scope and objectives
-assemble results and conclusions drawn from tests to be presented to the department supervisor
-analyze facility and equipment

requirements for environmental protection concerns, assure compliance with state and local EPA regulations, submit and track related permit applications to either construct or operate EMPF regulated systems
-ensure that all scheduled maintenance for cognizant plant equipment and protection devices is performed on schedule and in accordance with appropriate maintenance specifications
-prepare and present technical papers for EMPF research activities
-conduct facility-wide tours for EMPF visitors
-participate in or conduct government and industry meetings
-perform other duties as assigned. Job-related ranking elements: A.

Knowledge of chemical engineering principles and practices applicable to full range of engineering, analysis, research and development duties. B. Knowledge of related engineering fields, particularly electrical and electronic circuit theory. C. Ability to communicate orally and in writing. NOTE: Attach a statement describing how you meet the knowledge, skill and/or ability required by each ranking element and identify which job, volunteer work etc., education or training shown on the SF-171 gave you the knowledge, skill and/or ability. Merit Staffing Program Vacancy Announcement. Issued by: Civilian (Continued on Page 22)

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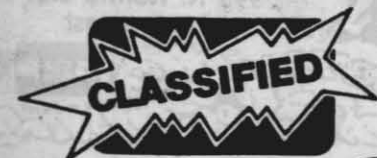
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CLIP & SAVE

Chico announces NWC fall class schedule

The following classes are being offered this fall for the Cal-State Chico Computer Science Program (bachelor's and master's degrees). To enroll in these classes, submit a Training Request and Authorization Form (NAVWPNCEN 12410/73) via department channels to Code 094. Registration will be held in class at the first class meeting. Deadline for enrolling is ten calendar days before the starting date of the class.

CSCI 151: ALGORITHMS AND DATA STRUCTURES (3 units)
August 30 - December 15; Tuesdays and Thursdays, 8 to 9:15 a.m.; Training Center. By Professor Luker, CSUC.

Prerequisite: CS 16: Pascal or equivalent or consent of instructor. Scope: The representation, application and processing of a wide range of data structures, including lists, trees and graphs. The analysis of algorithms. Recursive and iterative techniques for problem solving. Program style and program verification.

Text: *Data Structures and Abstract Data Types and Pascal*. Stubbs and Webre. Brooks/Cole, 1985.

Note: This is a core course for all BSCS options and a required found-

ation course for the MSCS degree program.

CSCI 231: COMPUTER GRAPHICS (3 units)
August 30 - December 15; Tuesdays and Thursdays, 11 a.m. to 12:15 p.m.; Training Center. By Professor Duncan, CSUC.

Prerequisite: CSCI 151: Algorithms and Data Structures or equivalent or consent of instructor. Scope: This course covers a wide variety of topics of current interest in Computer Graphics. Starting with simple graphics building blocks such as line drawing and window-to-viewpoint mapping, the topics proceed to advanced 3-D curve fitting and shading techniques.

Textbook: *Computer Graphics*. Hearn and Baker. Prentice-Hall, 1986 edition.
CSCI 397-1: SEMINAR IN ADVANCED TOPICS: SECURITY AND PRIVACY (3 units)
August 30 - December 15; Tuesdays and Thursdays, 2 to 3:15 p.m.; Training Center. By Professor Pinkert, CSUC.

Scope: The class will begin with a historical discussion of cryptography. Emphasis then shifts to security in computer systems, particularly

identification, authorization, operating system security, data flow and business scene. Security considerations, especially for multi-organization transactions, will be covered as a specialized extension of some of the more general previous discussions. Computer systems are similar to other assets and businesses in certain aspects of security, and these will be the next topic. Included are such areas as physical security, site selection, insurance for hardware and data liability insurance.

Textbook: None. Instructor will provide weekly handout.

CSCI 225: CONTINUOUS SYSTEMS SIMULATION LANGUAGES AND APPLICATIONS (3 units)

September 24-25, October 29-30, December 3-4; Saturdays and Sundays, 8 a.m. to 4 p.m.; Training Center. By CSUC staff. Prerequisite: Math 6b; Analytic Geometry and Calculus II or equivalent and CS 16: Pascal or CS 23: Fortran Programming Language or equivalent or consent of instructor.

Scope: A survey of continuous systems simulation languages and applications. An in-depth study of some popular languages (such as

SSSL-IV, CSMP II, ISIM or MIM-IC) for the simulation and analysis of dynamic systems of physical, biological, social, engineering and environmental sciences.

Text: TBA

CSCI 376: THEORY OF INFORMATION RETRIEVAL (3 units)
October 15-16, November 19-20, December 17-18; Saturdays and Sundays, 8 a.m. to 4 p.m.; Training Center. By CSUC staff. Prerequisite: CSCI 172; Systems Architecture or equivalent or consent of instructor.

Scope: Theory and analysis of arithmetic and non-arithmetic systems, processing techniques and functions as applied to syntax analysis, automatic word assignment and phrases to semantic categories, word identification and strings, logical structure and semantics of thesaurus and query systems.

Text: TBA

MATH 477: THEORY OF PROBABILITY (5 quarter units)
September 8 to November 17; Thursdays, 4:10 to 9:10 p.m.; Training Center. By: Professor John Dirkse, CSB.

Prerequisite: Math 6c; Calculus III or equivalent or consent of

instructor.

Scope: Axiomatic probability, random variables, density and distribution functions, common probability distributions, conditional probability, moment generating functions, combinatorial theory, central limit theorem.

Text: TBA

Note: This is a core course for all BSCS options and a required foundation course for the MSCS degree program. This is a required foundation course for the Cal-State Northridge master's degree program in Systems Engineering.

Textbooks are available at bookstores locally.

Job-related courses other than those listed above or those offered under contract with Cal-State Northridge or Cal-State Bakersfield must be approved on an off-Center Training Request (DD Form 1556) before registration if NWC is expected to pay for the training.

For more information about any of these programs or classes, contact Cecil Webb at ext. 2648.

A fatal accident happens once in a lifetime.

CCCC sign-up

Cerro Coso Community College has established registration for fall courses on August 8 and 9 for continuing students. Registration for continuing students and new students will be on August 10, 11, 15 and 16. Fall schedules will be available in the Training Center's lobby.

The Naval Weapons Center (NWC) will pay the full tuition for employees enrolled in courses provided under the NWC/Cerro Coso contract. If employees can show courses are job-related or will strengthen their contributions to the Center's mission, their tuition will be paid directly to the college by Code 094.

To apply for Center tuition support, an applicant must submit a DD Form 1556 (Request, Authorization, Agreement and Certification of Training and Reimbursement) via department channels to Code 094.

Requests for tuition support must be received by close of business August 1 so they may be processed and returned to applicants in time for registration. Those received after that date will be returned and the employee will either have to pay the tuition or wait until another semester to register and resubmit the request for tuition support. Employees who pay tuition will not be reimbursed.

Leave recipients

Employees indicated below have been approved to become leave recipients under the Leave Transfer Program. These employees have exhausted annual and/or sick leave because of personal emergencies and will be in a non-pay status for at least ten days. Employees who wish to help a leave recipient may donate annual leave to the employee. NAVWPNCEN NOTICE 12630 provides specific information regarding how to donate annual leave.

Glen L. Linden, Facilities Management Specialist, Code 2634 — has been hospitalized for thirty days. He has exhausted his leave (both sick and annual) as a result of the condition which led to his hospitalization. He is the primary source of income for his family. The loss of income is a severe hardship for his spouse and family.

Michelle A. Marcus, Engineering Technician, Code 3941 — is suffering from acute leukemia and has been undergoing chemotherapy. She is presently in remission and will be needing a marrow transplant. Her annual and

sick leave is exhausted. It is anticipated she may return to work full time in August or September.

Trudy A. Martinez, Purchasing Agent, Code 25224 — had a severe illness in November 1987 which exhausted all sick and annual leave. She underwent cataract extraction with intraocular lens implant in the left eye on February 2. She will be off again due to cataract extraction and intraocular lens implant in the right eye from June 21 to July 21. Her income is her sole support for all her financial needs, and she has exhausted both her annual and sick leave. The doctors prognosis is good, and she is looking forward to being able to perform her job to the best of her ability.

Thomas R. Boyd, Visual Information Specialist, Code 3414 — has undergone extensive abdominal surgeries. He has been off work since February; he has exhausted all of his annual and sick leave. It is anticipated he will be able to return to work in June.

External degrees

Naval Weapons Center (NWC) employees have the opportunity to further their education through on-Center academic programs, with NWC providing tuition support.

Four different California universities offer several external degree programs in cooperation with the Human Resources Development Division of the Personnel Department.

Through Cal State University Northridge, the Center has external degree programs leading to a master's degree in electrical or mechanical engineering and applied mechanics. The school also offers a bachelor's degree in electrical engineering. This September, a new master's program, leading to a degree in systems engineering, will be added.

From Cal State Chico, employees can earn bachelor's and master's degrees in computer science.

The external degree program from Cal State Bakersfield provides the opportunity to earn a bachelor's degree in business administration and a master's in administration.

Cerro Coso Community College provides the lower division courses needed for the various university programs.

Informational material and academic counseling on these programs are available at the Training Center. For more information on the on-Center academic programs, call Cecil Webb at NWC ext. 2648.

Individuals taking classes at Cerro Coso as part of one of these bachelor's degree programs are encouraged to obtain counseling.

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Personnel Office, Philadelphia, Bldg. 75, Naval Base Philadelphia, PA 19112-5073. CHEMICAL ENGINEER G S - 8 9 3 - 5 / 7 / 9 / 1 1 . \$19,654/\$24,342/\$29,199/\$31,383 PA. Naval Industrial Resources Support Activity Detachment, EMPF, Ridgecrest, CA. NOTE: This position may be filled at the GS-05, GS-07, GS-09 or GS-11 level. Please indicate the grade(s) for which you are applying. A selectee brought in at the GS-05, GS-07 or GS-09 level may be promoted through intervening grades to the full performance level. Closing date: Aug. 5, 1988.

DUTIES: This position is located in the Manufacturing Engineering Department, Naval Industrial Resources Support Activity Detachment, Electronics Manufacturing Productivity Facility (EMPF), Ridgecrest, CA. The selectee of this position will be responsible for the performance of the following duties:

-as a project team member, will develop test methods and procedures consistent with the project scope and objectives

-assemble results and conclusions drawn from tests and present to department supervisor

-prepare and present technical papers from EMPF research activities in which the selectee is the principle engineer

-conduct facility-wide tours from EMPF visitors, only as requested by department supervisor

-participate in or conduct government and industry meetings

-perform other duties as assigned.

-conduct independent research efforts under the guidance of the EMPF project manager and department supervisor

-maintain an appropriate engineering journal or log detailing the activities, findings, conclusions, etc. of all efforts

-provide quarterly project status reports and draft final reports to the Project Manager or supervisor for projects in which the selectee has been assigned as a team member

-recommend to the project manager and department supervisor any appropriate software, test equipment, instrumentation or literature which would aid in

analysis and research of chemical systems or processes

Basic qualification requirements: In addition to meeting the time-in-grade restrictions, applicants must meet the experience requirement specified in Civil Service Handbook X-118, Series Group 800. Evaluation methods: Basically applicants will be evaluated on the following job related criteria on the basis of experience and training, supervisor appraisals and awards received. Job-Related Ranking Elements: A. Knowledge of chemical engineering principles and practices applicable to full range of engineering, analysis, research and development duties. B. Knowledge of related engineering fields, particularly electrical and electronic circuit theory. C. Ability to communicate orally and in writing.

NOTE: Attach a statement describing how you meet the knowledge, skill and/or ability required by each ranking element and identify which job, volunteer work etc., education or training shown on the SF-171 gave you the knowledge, skill and/or ability.

Enroll in TSP now

Enrollment of Naval Weapons Center employees during the current Thrift Savings Plan (TSP) open season will end on July 31.

New TSP booklets have been distributed to all employees. Individuals who have not received a copy of this booklet should contact their department office.

During the open season individuals have the opportunity to change their current enrollment, or make an initial participation election. Enrollments are effective the beginning of the following pay period.

Employees wanting to change their current enrollment election, or begin participation in the TSP, should contact their Personnel Management Advisor (PMA) to schedule a time to come in and complete the election form.

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