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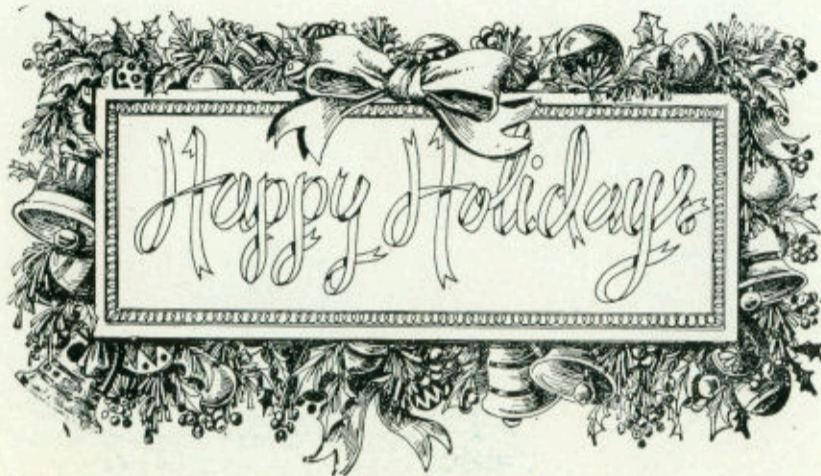
At the time of Christ's birth the world was full of fear and turmoil. Yet, men of understanding and good will stopped when they learned the news of his birth, considered it, and worshipped.

Many years of strife and turmoil have passed since that event, but the people of the world are still struggling for peace and faith. At this Christmas time, our country and other nations are earnestly trying to reduce armed conflicts and support fragile truces.

Although we are far from home and our loved ones, we are active participants in the struggle for world peace. I ask each of you to pause and, in your own way or with your friends, pray that the promise of Christmas may spread throughout the world.

I wish you one and all a Merry Christmas.

—COL Russell B. Jones Jr.
Commanding



About our insert

The special insert in this week's *Gazelle* is a letter that has been widely reprinted and circulated in the United States recently. It is the translated version of an appeal to Tom Duc Thang, the President of North Vietnam, on behalf of the 1,600 US servicemen who are prisoners of war or missing in action in Southeast Asia.

The many reprints of the translated appeal are designed so that as many persons as possible may add their endorsement to the rapidly-growing list of signatures. The nationwide goal has been set at ten million signatures by Christmas.

Such appeals are not fruitless. Since public attention in the United States first started focusing on the POW issue there has been a vast increase in the number of US POWs who have been permitted to write home to their families.

Please take a minute to read the letter. All it requires is your signature at its end and a moment of your time to place it in containers provided for collection. These containers are located in your company mail room and at the APO. Or, if you are in the vicinity, your letter may be dropped off at the Public Affairs Office in post headquarters.

All the letters will be boxed and mailed to Hanoi early next week. The *Gazelle* will have a total on the number of letters sent in the first January issue.

Book Talk

by Terry Corellas

If I had allowed Diogenes' rendition of the Scapegoat to pass unnoticed I would be guilty of not inspiring confidence in the *Gazelle*. If I don't read it, then it must be passed off as irrelevant. End of notice.

The world of philosophy has taken a drastic turn towards modern pseudoisms, and the analysis of these works has become far too dynamic for my little mind to encompass. I am speaking of two new Charlie Brown books that arrived this past week—*What's it all About, Charlie Brown*, and *The Parables of Peanuts*. This is life and meaning in a nutshell. Whoever thought 10 little



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children could be so up on the world around them?

Strictly for the woman, we have two new books by the same unknown author, Catherine Cookson. They are both strongly romantic, yet bitter and rather true to life. I felt that somehow the authoress was hired by the Lib movement to go forth and convert, but then I took into consideration the period she was speaking of. They are called *Katie Mulholland* and *The Glass Virgin*. Look for them in the gothic section.

Of course, for those few of us who are satisfied with being dominated there is always a good cookbook.

A passing note to Mrs Jerry: if you have not yet picked up a copy of the hardcover book you have been waiting for, I am holding one copy of it. If you have it already, please let me know.

The Sheepskin

by Frances Sullinger

Just after Christmas, we plan to have all sorts of activities for you at the education center. Here is the calendar of beginning dates for courses:

Jan. 4—SPEED READING. This class will meet Mondays and Wednesdays, 6:30-8:30 p.m. in the language laboratory in the education center complex. The course must be limited to 14 students, so register early. Tuition is \$10.

Jan. 4—University of Oklahoma Graduate Seminar, ECONOMICS 5413 (414), Contemporary Economic Methods and Analysis. Conducted by Dr Alexander J. Kondonassis, chairman of the economics Department, University of Oklahoma. The seminar will meet in Massawa at the Red Sea Rest Center. Free transportation will be provided to students and their families who wish to go along. Register immediately.

Jan. 11—BEGINNING ITALIAN CONVERSATION. The course will meet Monday and Wednesday 7-9 p.m. Tuition is \$10. Register now.

Jan. 12—BEGINNING TIGRINYA CONVERSATION. This course will meet Tuesday and Thursday, 6:30 to 8:30. Tuition is \$10.

Jan. 13—USAFI's College Level History of the American Negro. This course, which is free, will meet Wednesday evenings for a period of 16 weeks. Register now.

Jan. 25—University of Maryland's Term III. Courses on the schedule are: PSYCH 001, Intro. to Psychology; PSYCH 110, Educational Psych.; ENG 001, Composition; ENG 055, Eng. Lit. to present; GEOL 002, Hist. & Strat. Geology; GOVT 101, International Political Relations.

BSAD 010, Business Enterprise



BSAD 168, Mngmnt & Org. Theory
SPCH 022, Intro to Radio & TV
ITAL 002, Elementary Italian
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For further information about any of these courses, give us a call, 7205, or come by the education center.

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SP5 and Mrs Gary Woster; SP4 Henry Wright; SP4 George Wunder Jr; SP4 George Wunderly; SP4 Clarence Wyant; SP4 Dennie Wyrick; SGM and Mrs Orville Yager and family; SP5 and Mrs Jack Yantis; SP5 Henry Yarbrough; SP5 Michael Yates; SP5 David Yearsley; SFC and Mrs Ramsey Yeatts and family;

CW2 and Mrs Rudolph York and family; Mr David Young; SP5 and Mrs Elwood Young and family; SP5 Timothy Young; SP5 Keith Younger; SP5 Lee Younger; PFC Arvid Youngquist; RMCS and Mrs Robert Zajack and family; SP4 Adam Zajonc; RMC and Mrs Joseph Zaverick and family; SP4 Joseph Zaverick; SP5 Joseph Zeibel; Mr and Mrs John Zenyuh and family; SP4 Thomas Zeigler; 1LT and Mrs Gary Ziegler; SP4 John Zimmerman; CPT and Mrs Steven Zitowsky; Mr and Mrs Raymond Zukowski; SP6 and Mrs Thomas Zwicke and family.

CPT and Mrs Clifford Travis and family; MSG and Mrs Boyce Teas and family; SSG and Mrs Herbert Drummond and family; SGT and Mrs Robert Colbert and family; SGT David Cook; SGT Allen Maxymuk; SGT Gerald Snee; AIC Marvin Hawkins; AIC Kyle Tucker;

Mr Alem Domoz; Mr and Mrs Rudolfo Francia and family; Mr and Mrs Silvio Primicerio and family; and Mr and Mrs Bruno Marcheggiano; Adv and Mrs Giovanni Storelli.

Seven men get honors in post retreat ceremony

A Bronze Star Medal, three Army Commendation Medals, a certificate of achievement, and soldiers of the month and quarter awards were meted out to Kagnew individuals in a retreat ceremony Tuesday in front of post headquarters building.

Post Commander COL Russell B. Jones, Jr. presented the BSM to 1SG G. W. Traweck, the ARCOMs to SFC Leo Pimple, SP5 Leonard Witmon and SP5 William Baylis, the C of A to Eugene Chumbley, the soldier of the month recognition for July to SP5 Kenneth McVey and post soldier of the quarter award to SP4 David Garrett.

1SG Traweck

1SG Traweck received the Bronze Star for duty at his last assignment with the 330th RRC in Pleiku, Vietnam.

The 23-year Army veteran is a native of Chireno, Tex., and came to Kagnew in April. He is assigned to the facilities engineers.

SFC Pimple

Supply and maintenance NCO

Kids to carol for Christmas

When you feel your house start to shake on Christmas Eve, it won't be because Santa is walking around on the roof.

The vibrations will be coming from more than 75 children who will be singing Yuletide favorites that night beginning at 6:30 p.m. The children will be taken around the Tracts E and A housing areas by buses driven by volunteering post motor pool drivers. SP4 Barry Thoma has been supervising the project.

for logistics, SFC Pimple comes from Sterling, Colo. SFC Pimple entered the Army at Ft. Leonard Wood, Mo., in May 1958. Before coming here he served with the 6th USA Stock Control Center at Presidio of San Francisco.

On tour with him are his wife Gloria and their three sons David, Daniel and Matthew.

SP5 Whitman

Tahuya, Washingtonian SP5 Whitman received his ARCOM for service to Kagnew as a teletype maintenance man for Company B.

The 23-year-old SP5 arrived here in July 1969 and will be leaving to ETS at the end of this month. He will return to live in Bremerton, Wash., with his wife Janis.

SP5 Baylis

No material furnished.

SP4 Chumbley

SP4 Chumbley received the certificate of achievement from his last duty station, Vint Hill Farms Station, Warrenton, Va.

He arrived with his wife Bonnie and their four-month-old son Matthew in September. He is now working at post publications.

SP5 McVey

SP5 McVey won the July soldier of the month as STRATCOM's entry.

A native of Apple Valley, Calif., SP5 McVey came into the Army in May 1969 at Ft. Ord, Calif.

He arrived here to work as to a communication specialist in September 1969.

SP4 Garrett

SP4 Garrett, a Texan, is a 23-year-old who arrived at Kagnew in June from USASATC&S, Ft. Devens, Mass. He is now USAH's data processing specialist.

On tour with him are his wife Clemmie and their son David, Jr., 1½.

Kramer commissioned

CW2 Samuel Kramer was commissioned in the regular Army in a ceremony in the office of Post Commander COL Russell B. Jones, Jr last Thursday.

CW2 Kramer, his wife Dorothy and their two sons, Laurence and Peter have been at Kagnew since January 1969.

Before coming to Kagnew to be logistic's electronic maintenance officer, CW2 Kramer attended electronic maintenance officers school at Great Lakes Naval Training Center in Illinois.

He has been in the Army since March 1958.

Mrs Baisero of CPO is given certificate

Mrs Gisella Baisero, one of Kagnew's local national civilian employes, was presented with a certificate and pin for 10 years of «long and faithful service» to Kagnew Station last Tuesday.

Presenting the awards in his office was Post Commander COL Russell B. Jones, Jr.

Mrs Baisero has been working as a bookkeeper in the consolidated property office since April 1960. She has also been awarded a certificate of achievement for her services.

Thank you!

This special issue of the Kagnew Gazette was a massive undertaking. In fact, we could not have published it had we not have had the excellent cooperation and hard work of many people.

About the pictures, our two top front-page pix were contributed by K. Gregory Apkarian, while the larger one there, the ones on pages two and four and at the top of page seven were taken by Bill Cox of DET 3. The remaining photo on page seven we received from SGT Hal Gardner.

The excellent drawings of Ethiopian scenes on page seven were done by Advocato Giovanni Storelli of Il Poligrafico, our printer, all of whose employes we would also like to thank for their quality work not only on this issue, but all of our other ones as well.

The great task of compiling all those 2,500 names on pages three-six was assumed by our parttime office girls, Patsy Coleman and Vicki Jones, with the able assistance of Bruce Dahl-

gren. We are grateful. Also to our sources of those names: data processing, military personnel, customs and immigration at transportation, Navy personnel, AF SSG Richard Boyd and the American Consulate General.

The largest project, that of typing the names, was undertaken by the typing classes of Mrs Carol Holmes (who also typed); Patsy Coleman, Marcia Fowler, David Patt, Nena Wynn, Renee Thomas, Kathy Spillane, Ozzie and Milton Rivera, Charlie Smiley, Ron Spatt, Rhonda Tayloe, Mona Domm and Humberto Guzman.

To all of the above people and sections, our sincerest thanks.

We hope very much that we were able to include everyone's name; but, of course, there was room for error, and to those missing persons we humbly apologize. We wish you a Merry Christmas, too.

Hope you all have a fine holiday season.



by Bob Zajack

As the holiday season draws near, we find the people of the world, expressing sentiments to others, with mixed emotions and fear. Concern for our loved ones, sometimes a little joy, fear for our fellow Americans, locked up in Hanoi.

All of these concerns are valid, I'm sure we will all agree, but isn't this the price we pay, for

the right to be FREE?

As Christmas and the New Year approach, let's all give some sincere thought, to the real meaning of Christmas, and the future we have bought.

Let's treat fellow man as our brother, it's important, because you see, that only we, together, can plan the future, what's past is history.

Note: My family and I would like to take this opportunity to wish each and every one of you a VERY MERRY CHRISTMAS and a HAPPY NEW YEAR!

Until next time then... CIAO.



ZAJACK

Co. B Colloquy

by Stan Pratin

Once again that special day of the year draws near. And along with the Christmas holidays comes the end of the year. This, if you are of the same inclination as I, is an opportune moment for reflection and for self-evaluation.



PRATIN

Asking ourselves where we are going in life is not an easy thing to do. An honest evaluation of our present situations and living styles is sometimes hard on the ego and is often pressed or cleverly avoided through a process of rationalization and self-deception.

Life in Asmara can in no way be compared with the fast-paced existence to be found in a New York or a San Francisco. In fact, at times it is just plain dull. However this does not justify wasting 18 months of a lifetime in a continuous state of depression, as many do. We have only to look around us with open eyes to find positive, constructive activities that can pass the time quickly and contribute toward building the individual.

Another important point that many forget or are never aware of because they are in a foreign country for the first time is that their behavior is viewed closely by the people of the country in which they are guests. The stereotyped image of the "Ugly American" is one that haunts each and everyone of us and is not an easy one to change,

especially given the somewhat less-than-perfect conduct of certain individuals. We are all faced with a difficult challenge. Will you and I be among those who face it squarely?

As I write this final column of 1970, touching upon what I consider to be things worth repeating, I nevertheless can't help feeling slightly uncomfortable, lest they be regarded lightly as mere banalities or an inept attempt at sermonizing. Thus, it is my hope that the reader not consider them indifferently, but rather in the sincere spirit in which they were intended.

Have a merry Christmas and a productive New Year.

Air Fare

by Richard Givens

This week we have to keep it short due to space restrictions. I know you're all busy celebrating, so I'll wish you



GIVENS

a Merry Christmas on behalf of the personnel at DET 324 and then go on to the news from the APO as compiled by SGT Colbert. (I think it was Colbert—it could have been Santa Claus; I found the copy slipped under the door of my room.)

Merry Christmas! To all the organizations on Kagnev Station, the APO would again like to take this opportunity to thank you for your cooperation during the course of the Christmas rush. Due to irregularities beyond our control we haven't received all the mail that was manifested on each day's incoming flights.

We are very sorry about this and to assure you that we mean business, if we have to work Christmas Day in order that you receive your packages, we at the APO have pledged to due so.

Merry Christmas to all of you once again.

AYAC sponsoring Christmas party

Hey parents, here's a way to get the kids out of your hair for at least one of the Christmas holiday days: AYAC is sponsoring a Christmas party for kids 12 and under in the Roosevelt Monday.

Beginning at 1 p.m., the party will feature 1½ hours of Christmas movies for the kids, an appearance by AFTV's Mystery Man and Dumbo, and then the arrival of Santa Claus, who will escort the kids to the gym.

In the gym, Santa will visit with the kids and give away \$300 in bags of candy with toys inside. Members of the wives clubs will assist Santa and the four clubs will donate refreshments for the affair.

If a nation values anything more than freedom, it will lose its freedom; and the irony of it is that if it is comfort or money that it values more, it will lose that, too.

—Somerset Maugham



Lighting ceremony set for tomorrow

Kagnev's annual Christmas tree lighting ceremony will be held tomorrow at 7 p.m. at the main gate on Tract E, MAJ A.T. Brainerd, public affairs officer, said Monday.

Guest of honor for the occasion will be H.H. Ras Asrate Kassa, governor general of Eritrea, who will pull the switch lighting the tree.

His Highness presented the tree to Kagnev Station several years ago as a memorial to the good relations between Kagnev and Ethiopia.

MAJ Brainerd said the public is invited to the ceremony, which will include caroling by several of the scout troops and singing groups on post.



It's What's Happening

TODAY

Roosevelt—Bullit (GP).
KSOOM—Beefeater's night: all you can eat, free martini, \$2; happy hour, 5-7 p.m.

Top 5—Scallops dinner, \$1; dance: Shifty Kickers, 8:30 p.m.

Oasis—Dance: Imperials, 8 p.m.

SATURDAY

Roosevelt—Kiddie Matinee: Yellow Submarine, 10:15 a.m. a.m. (G); Oh! What a Lovely War, adults 50c (G).

KSOOM—Chilean dagwood, 65c; BBQ hamburgers and chili dogs, 15c.

Top 5—Roast prime rib, \$1; dance: Imperials, 8:30 p.m.

Oasis—Dance: Fate, 8 p.m.

SUNDAY

Roosevelt—The Secret of Santa Vittoria (Sunday: 1 a.m., 1, 6 and 9 p.m.; Monday: 6 and 9 p.m.) adults, 75c (GP).

KSOOM—Local t-bone, adults \$1, children 50c.

Top 5—Family dinner, adults 50c, children 25c.

Oasis—BBQ at Greens, 12-5 p.m.; happy hour, 11 p.m. to midnight; golf, 10c, all day; dance: Short Subjects, 7 p.m.

MONDAY

KSOOM—Beef stroganoff with noodles, \$1; happy hour, 5-6 p.m.

Top 5—German pot roast, 80c; pinochle with cash prizes, 7 p.m.

TUESDAY

Roosevelt—More Dead Than Alive (GP).

KSOOM—Grilled pork chops, apple sauce, \$1.

Top 5—Stuffed green pepper, 75c; sports films, 8 p.m.

WEDNESDAY

Roosevelt—Kiss and Kill (GP).

KSOOM—Spaghetti, 65c; Lasagna, 80c; wine, 10c.

Top 5—Veal scallopini, 90c. Oasis—Buffet, 50c; movies, 8 p.m.; happy hour, 8-9 p.m.

THURSDAY

Roosevelt—Change of Mind (Thursday, Friday), adults 50c (R).

KSOOM—Breaded veal cutlet, \$1.25.

Top 5—Chicken zhigny, \$1; spaghetti dinner, 45c; dance: Cobras, 8:30 p.m.

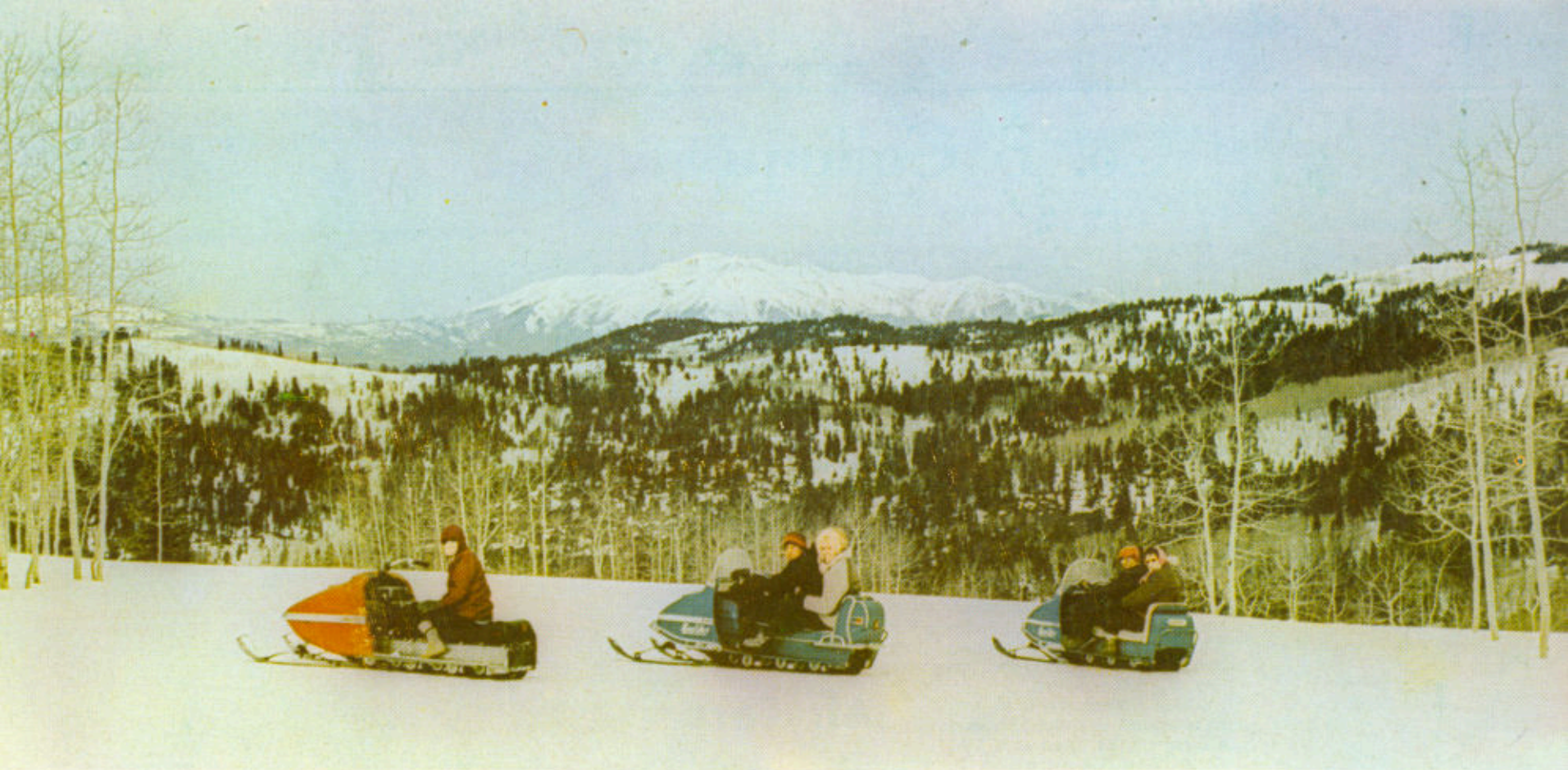
Oasis—Christmas Eve dance: Short Subjects, 8 p.m.



Color Separations

by

Il Poligrafico, Ltd.



SPORT SHOTS



by Tom Horton

By somewhat less than popular demand, I'm b a c k—but try and enjoy the holiday anyhow.



HORTON

The magic number this sports week was 99. No less than three b-ball teams won with that total.

Navy went first, whipping an inspired Headquarters crew by 99-87. This was easily the toughest test so far for the under-estimated Sharks.

The sailors rolled to a comfortable first half lead of 51-38, largely on the spectacular 18-point shooting of Bobby Sands. After the intermission the underdog Pistons fought back, closing the gap to within eight at one point. That was as close as things ever got. The Sharks put it out of reach in the closing minutes for their seventh straight of the season.

It is easy to make much of the Navy team's superb defense, their discipline and coaching. They have all of these. But they also have, not incidentally, what very nearly amounts to a monopoly on the basketball talent in Ethiopia. Pity the poor Sharks. They can never look forward to pulling an upset. Company A's Hawks tried tallying 99 points the following evening, finding that sum more than adequate in deposing Guard Company.

Eight Hawks crashed the scoring column, in a well balanced attack highlighted by Dave Stubblefield's 29 markers. Nine MPs scored, most of them just barely. Clive Merriweather with 41 rounded out the Bullets' total of 86.

The Guards reversed their fortunes against HHC, outpointing the Pistons 99-91 in a game which was neck and neck til the

final minutes.

Winning ticket for the forces of law and order was a rare display of balanced scoring. The Guard team, formerly billed as the Clive Merriweather show, had four men in double figures.

In new player Pete Farnham, who must have been quite a college basketballer some 20 pounds ago, the Bullets have picked up a potent playmaker.

In the so what-else-is-new department, the Medics preserved their perfect slate of no wins by not winning two more.

B Company beat them 85-47, despite Reinke's game-high 20-point effort for the losers.

STRATCOM, holding a narrow 53-26 lead at halftime over the ailing Med quintet, poured it on with the first string to pull it out by a 78-point margin, 125-48. If, as advertised, the «price of admission» to Ernie Pyle is

good sportsmanship, the Jet aggregation couldn't make it in through the back door.

Parting Shots

At least 700 Kagnewites annually gripe about the referees. At the recent officials association meeting (for people interested in officiating or for anyone just interested in the quality of refing) seven people showed. This gives us a resident hypocrite ratio of 100, to one.

But kindly SFC Al Witt, new proprietor of the Ernie Pyle palace of sport, is giving all a chance to repent.

There will be a second meeting to discuss the officials association and plans for improving officiating at Kagnew. It will be held at 1:30 Saturday afternoon on Jan. 2.

Hero of the Week

The STRATCOM coach, of course.

The Gazelle's Cycle analyst

by Jim Ferris

On the racing scene this week I have the results of three classes to report from last Sunday's events.

In the novice class, Ralph Morton took first place after a battle with Dan Daniels, who took second. In the 176 to 250cc class it was Al Laiting over Dave Mitman after a very-hard fought race. Al really had to work to get that first place from Dave and I believe it is the first time that a Kawasaki has won in the



FERRIS

amateur class.

In the 251 and up class it was Kevin Talbert over Terry Riley. It almost looked like the third heat wouldn't occur in this class due to Kevin's broken clutch lever from the wheelie coffin and Terry's flat tire and my frozen shock absorber but we were all able to repair our problems and the third race went as planned.

The bicycle race that we had scheduled did not occur due to lack of entries. I guess our track must not be attractive to that type of rider.

Anyway, Merry Christmas to everyone. We will be back after the New Year.

Kegler's Korner

by Carlos Phillips



PHILLIPS

Dick Hammond rolled games of 207, 209 and 179 for a 595 series to take the top honors in the S T R A T-COM league last week. Orman Mathis followed with a 551, including a 210 game. Phil Dodge pitched in a 520.

In the post open, it was all Dodge. He rolled a 210 game and finished with a 580 series while Jesse Ewing smacked the wood for a 557 and Don Champigney came through with a 541. Joe Butters had the second-high game of the night, a 209, and Chuck Blanchard rolled a 205 for his best.

Some fine bowling in the HHC league last week. John Brocker combined a 204, 185 and 202 for

a nice 591, while Chuck Allred came up with a 200, 222 and 155 for a 577. Ralph Garvin threw a 212 on his way to a 206 for his best.

In the short timers mixed, Roger Martinell rolled games of 213, 174 and 214 for a 601 series and top of the night. Mathis had high game, with a 222, ended with a 561 series. Otis Wilbon had a 551 for third spot. For the women, high went to Karen Buff with a 513. Bonnie Mathis followed with a 503.

Ernie Edmonds rolled games of 206, 232 and 167 for a fine 605 in the Tuesday night mixed. Don Champigney put a 238 in his 562 and Gene Grogan rolled a 208 and ended the evening with a 542 series. Lori Miller was the distaff high with a 484.

In the officers mixed, Arvil McCulley smacked the pins for a 561, including a 205 game, for top. Dick Hammond had a 517 series, high game of 203. Cecil Miller had a 513.

Top 10 Men Bowlers

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| 1. Jerry Forster | 181 |
| 2. Dick Pelletier | 181 |
| 3. Cecil Miller | 180 |
| 4. Phil Dodge | 179 |
| 5. Gary Wessel | 179 |
| 6. Bob DeVoss | 179 |
| 7. Orman Mathis | 178 |
| 8. Charles Copeland | 177 |
| 9. Ernie Edmonds | 175 |
| 10. Gary Armistead | 175 |

Top Women Bowlers

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| 1. Brenda Pelletier | 154 |
| 2. Dianne Varga | 152 |
| 3. Sylvia Edmonds | 150 |
| 4. Bonnie Garvin | 149 |
| 5. Jean Coleman | 149 |
| 6. Sigrid Aten | 147 |
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WHY IS THIS MAN SO SAD?

He's the editor and he's leaving (but with good memories)

The preservation of liberty is a conquest not a spectator sport. We cannot remain on the sidelines while professionals play the game for us. Good government is a do-it yourself project.
—Willard Wilson