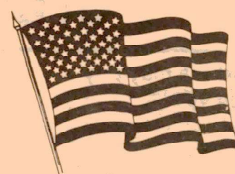


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"Eternal vigilance is the price of liberty." -- Wendell Phillips

22 days to Open House

More than 50,000 people attended last year's Open House to watch the U.S. Navy Flight Demonstration Team, the Blue Angels perform aerial acrobatics. This year, the Blue Angels return along with the U.S. Army Parachute Demonstration Team, the Golden Knights, and a host of display aircraft and other demonstrations April 18. Now is a good time to begin inviting family and friends. (U.S. Air Force Photo)



Five units top goals in AFAF campaign

Five base units have contributed more than 100 percent of their goals in the Air Force Assistance Fund campaign according to 2nd Lt. Erma Burks, AFAF project officer.

The five units are the 317th Security Police Squadron, 317th Field Maintenance Squadron, 39th Tactical Airlift Squadron, Field Training Detachment 218 and U.S. Air Force Airlift Center. Air Force-wide donations are running more

than \$300,000 ahead of last year's effort, according to the AFAF drive project office at Randolph AFB, Texas.

Contributions totaled \$1,469,417 in the second campaign report compared with donations of some \$1,102,000 at a similar point in last year's drive.

Service members have donated \$1,369,728 with

Air Force Retirees and Reserve members donating another \$99,689.

The campaign runs through April 3. It has a goal of raising \$3.2 million to support the work of the Air Force Aid Society, Air Force Enlisted Men's Widows and Dependents home and Air Force Village.

The chart below shows how the base is doing so far in the drive.

Dragon Team set April 3

Pope AFB will again serve as the staging area for and participant in exercise Dragon Team scheduled for April 3.

Dragon Team 4-81 is a joint Army/Air Force exercise which provides realistic training for aircrews and Army units, according to Air Force officials.

The exercise involves airdropping 1,800 Army paratroopers and support equipment from Fort Bragg onto a drop zone at Eglin AFB, Fla. Nine Pope C-130 and 15 Military Airlift Command C-141 aircraft from Norton AFB, Calif., and Charleston AFB, S.C., will provide airlift. The nine Pope aircraft will drop heavy equipment while the C-141s drop personnel.

At Eglin, the paratroopers will take part in a field training exercise and continue to receive airlift support from MAC.

The troops will return to Fort Bragg's Sicily Landing Zone and Normandy Drop Zone April 7 on a shuttle of eight Little Rock AFB, Ark. C-130 aircraft.

Fighter elements from the Tactical Air Command will fly close air support for the transports on their journey to Florida.

CFI is coming

The Military Airlift Command Commander's Facility Inspection team is scheduled to arrive at Pope April 21, with the inspection being conducted the following day.

This inspection evaluates the cleanliness, neatness and general condition of work areas, living areas and the base as a whole. Utility closets will also be inspected for their accordance with fire safety.

"Our wing has fared exceptionally well during past CFIs," said Col. Harold T. Boe, 317th Combat Support Group commander. "I know this year will be no exception looking at the hard work, cooperation and pride exhibited by our people."

Unit	Goal	Amount Collected	Percent
HQ SQ	\$ 3,149	\$ 2,729	86.6
TRS	600	86	14.3
SVS	175	81	46.2
SPS	520	742	142.6
SUP	1,108	897	80.9
AMS	880	864	98.1
FMS	1,971	2,652	134.5
OMS	1,400	N/A	N/A
CE	735	46	0.62
39th	744	1,274	171
40th	796	N/A	N/A
41st	739	N/A	N/A
1st AES	314	191	60.8
3rd MAPS	923	889	96.3
FTD	58	104	179
1600th MES	23	20	86.9
15th WEA	86	N/A	N/A
Det 21, 5th WEA	121	N/A	N/A
ALCENT	206	303	147.5
CLINIC	504	34	0.67
AFELM	103	N/A	N/A
JUWTE	22	N/A	N/A
1943rd CS	434	314	72.3
507th TACW	202	N/A	N/A
DET 607 ROTC	24	89	370
Total	\$13,797	\$11,305	81.9

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Air Force News

Federal workers may pay own mileage costs

Federal employees driving personal cars on government business can be required to pay their own mileage costs for trips within 15 miles (24 kilometers) of their duty station. The Federal Service Impasses Panel made the decision in a case involving Department of Labor inspectors in Pittsburgh, Pa. Federal employee groups are expected to fight the decision.

Army calls new tank the Abrams

The Army's new tank has been named the M-1 Abrams. The tank is named after Gen. Creighton W. Abrams, a former tank commander and Army chief of staff. Due to its size, the M-1 will be considered as outsize cargo for airlift in the C-5 Galaxy or the proposed C-X.

Defense attaché duty available

Stateside E-5s thru E-7s with Air Force specialty code 70270 can apply for worldwide embassy attaché duty with the Air Force Intelligence Service. All assignments have automatic concurrent travel for married personnel, civilian clothing allowance and, if necessary, language training. Interested personnel should contact HQ AFIS/INH, Ft. Belvoir, Va, 22062 or call Autovon 354-6036 or (703) 664-6036 for more information.

Air University establishes alumni association

The Air War College Alumni Association and Air War College Foundation have been established at Air University, Maxwell AFB, Ala. Although membership in the alumni association is restricted to graduates and faculty, foundation membership is open to individuals, corporations and all friends of the college. For more information write Alumni Association, Air War College/AAF, Maxwell AFB, AL 36112 or call (205) 293-2414 or 2419.

Maryland, Michigan set elections

Washington (AFNS)-- Elections have been set for the Maryland 5th Congressional District and Michigan 4th Congressional District to fill vacancies, officials here announced.

Maryland's Prince George and Montgomery counties' primary election will

be April 7. The special election will be May 19.

The Michigan special election for Berrien, Branch, Cass, Hillsdale (except Litchfield City and Township), Lenawee, St. Joseph (except Leonidas Township) and Van Buren counties and Clarendon and Tenkossa Townships is scheduled for April 21.

Residents should complete a federal post card application for absentee ballot to register and vote in the elections.

For more information, contact the Personal Affairs Office, Ext. 2486.

Air Force accepts first KC-10

BARKSDALE AFB, La., (AFNS)-- The Air Force has accepted its first KC-10 extender advanced tanker/cargo aircraft from the McDonnell Douglas Corp.

The Air Force plans to buy 36 KC-10s. The first will be assigned to the 2nd Bombardment Wing here when fully operational.

The KC-10 is a military version of the DC-10 convertible freighter designed to serve as a tanker and cargo carrier. The aircraft is equipped with an advanced aerial refueling boom, extra fuel bladders and an improved boom operator's situation.

The aircraft will be flown by active-duty and reserve crews. The Reserve crews will be operating under the Air Force Reserve Associate program.

...and orders more

WRIGHT-PATTERSON AFB, Ohio (AFNS) -- The Air Force has ordered six more KC-10 Extenders, Acquisition Logistics Division officials here announced. That brings the total number of KC-10 aircraft contracted for to 12.

The KC-10 is a military version of the DC-10 and supplements the Air Force's fleet of more than 600 KC-135 Stratotankers.

The first KC-10 is scheduled to arrive March 17 at Barksdale AFB, La., say officials.

Air Force tests M-X shelters

ANDREWS AFB, MD. (AFNS) -- Fourteen full-size M-X horizontal shelters will be built at the engineering test bed site near Mercury, Nev., to evaluate specialized equipment and concrete casting techniques.

Contracts have been awarded and preliminary work has started. Construction will begin in June and continue through February 1982.

The shelters will be similar to those proposed for the operational M-X, but without hydraulic and electronic equipment. Construction will be confined rather than the mile apart per shelter proposed for the 4,6000 shelters in the operational system.

With these tests the Air Force hopes to develop innovative and efficient construction techniques and procedures to keep M-X cost and manpower requirements as low as possible.

Veterans eligible for discharge review

Veterans with less-than-honorable discharges who were discharged before April 1, 1966, are eligible for possible upgrading of their discharge by a discharge review board if they apply before April 1, 1981. Applications for review are kept confidential and are available from Discharge Review, P.O. Box 21, St. Louis, MO. 63166.

Wife abuse affects civilians and military

By SSgt. Ted Kapel
Base PME Instructor

"She loved him dearly, but the missing teeth were more than she could stand. The kids cried themselves to sleep each night and she lived in constant fear! Make-up and clothing weren't enough to hide the hurt for this battered wife."

In over 5,000 reported cases of wife beating in the Fayetteville area last year, the circumstances described above are common. Does this describe the low income or poorer families alone? No! These occurrences of family violence are widespread, and strike virtually all levels of socio-economic classes.

Who are the victims? The wives? The kids who must live in a home plagued with this sort of violence? Truly all suffer in this growing social illness of the battered wife.

This issue is hard-hitting and affects both the military and civilian families of our community.

Ms. Cynthia Gorwitz, of Cumberland Countys' project Citizens Aware and Responding to Emergencies, presented the shocking truth about battered wives to about 25 students of a professional military education class at Pope.

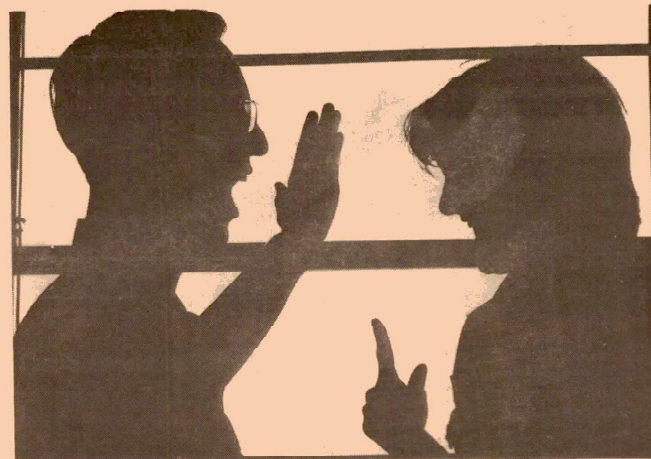
Ms. Gorwitz's agency in Fayetteville provides help to the families plagued by this tragedy, and with statistics showing that there is an incident of wife abuse every eight minutes, her job is a busy one.

Do you know of someone who suffers and lives with this sort of problem? Please call the C.A.R.E. center at 323-4187 or stop by 108 Highland Ave., Fayetteville, for help! Ms. Gorwitz is available to commanders or organizations on base for presentations and/or seminars concerning family violence, a problem which grows in our concern each day. Inquires should be directed to SSgt. Ted Kapel, Ext. 4322 or to Ms. Gorwitz, 323-4187.



Cynthia Gorwitz

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Editorials

Commander's Forum, caller craves country chords



By Col. Edsel R. Field
317th Tactical Airlift Wing Commander

If you have a question or recommendation you want to bring to my attention, dial 4357 (HELP). Your message will be recorded and your question with answer will be published in the newspaper or will be answered personally as soon as practicable. Please clearly give (or spell) your name to insure a reply. If you request anonymity, your name will not be used in answer preparation. I would like to use this column, however, to select those questions which pertain to more than the individual involved.

Meal music

Who chooses the music in the dining hall? Everybody knows country is the "in" thing these days. Besides, it's better than that rock junk they play. I say let's change to country in the dining hall.

The system we have at present is a special radio signal from a radio station in Raleigh. It cannot be changed because of the type of tuner

and receiver installed and the type of contract under which it was installed. A totally new music system has been ordered and should be installed within 90 days. The new system will be a special 26-hour double tape system with a variety of music. It will include rock and roll, country, pop, jazz and light classical. We will be able to appeal to all tastes in music, not one special interest or the "in" sounds.

Full-court play

I recently returned from the base gym on a Saturday with an unusual experience. When I arrived there were 10 people playing on a half court and shooting at the foul line. I went in and requested a ball from an attendant. He informed me the 10 people on the court were getting ready to play full court and that if I wanted to play that I would have to play with them or I couldn't play at all. He said that they have a gym policy that the number of the people in the gym - if the majority want to use the whole gym themselves to play a game they get the whole gym and everybody else waits until they get through with whatever they are doing. I want to find out if this is base policy or if this is just the Saturday attendant's personal policy to let people utilize the gym.

The attendant misunderstood the gym policy. We hope to satisfy as many customers as possible. The policy is to use two balls and play half court. This benefits 20 people instead of 8 or 10 on full court.

Break room

I work in Bldg. 309, myself and several other people in my office

bring our lunches almost every day and we'd like to have a nice place to go to eat them. We have to eat at our desks and that's not very conducive to a good meal. I've read over and over again that a sure way to give a person ulcers is to not let them have a break away from their work environment. It's hard to relax and digest your food with phones ringing and people asking you questions all the time. If we could just have a little area somewhere in the building with some comfortable chairs, a table and a refrigerator and maybe a microwave, it would certainly make life more pleasant.

I agree with you that everyone should have time to take a break and relax sometime during the day. Unfortunately, Bldg. 309 has every room filled to the overflow position. May I suggest that with the weather turning nice you use the park across the street from the Chapel or on those days when inclement weather is a problem you may want to use the Recreation Center.

Dorm fire alarms

I would like to know about the fire alarm system in the dormitories and the response that is required. Also, why can't the things be fixed so they operate right?

The fire alarm system in the dormitories consists of smoke detectors in each room. Any type of smoke will set the detectors off and alert the fire control center. The firemen must respond and physically locate the detector that has been activated. Then they can deactivate the alarm. To do so im-

mediately upon arrival would defeat the prime purpose of the smoke detectors, and that is to alert people and the fire control center so that lives and property can be preserved in the event of an actual fire. I realize it is an inconvenience at times, and I have taken steps to replace this system with heat detectors. This project is scheduled for early summer. All new facilities are being equipped with heat detectors as well as those which are being renovated. Please be patient and cooperate fully with the firemen. We will correct this irritant as soon as possible.

Unattended children

A while back, I went over to the Exchange at Bragg and I got very upset about something I saw over there. I saw two little tiny children, the oldest was only about 3 at most, they were both left alone in an car on the parking lot. This is not the only time I've seen kids left in cars. Almost every time I go to the Exchange, here and at Bragg, I see kids in cars. This is a very dangerous practice especially as the weather starts to get warmer, and there ought to be some kind of rule about leaving kids in cars. Can't we get the SPs to patrol the lots more and give tickets to parents who do this?

I share your concern for the welfare of children. Pope regulation prohibits leaving children unattended in quarters, automobiles, or buildings if the children are less than eight-years-old. The Security Police enforce this rule. If you, as a concerned citizen, observe a violation, please notify the Security Police. I appreciate your concern for the safety of children.

Alcohol Syndrome, a preventable tragedy

By 1Lt. Linda J. Haseman
Drug/Alcohol Abuse Control Officer

Life in the womb is a perfect state.

There, a fetus is protected by the placenta from the evils of the outside world. The trouble with this is that the placenta does not act as a barrier to alcohol.

Alcohol enters the fetus' bloodstream is about the same concentrations as in the mother's. When she

drinks, the alcohol hits hard, causing everything from minor abnormalities to fetal alcohol syndrome - with a range of birth defects including mental retardation.

Before discussing the birth defects associated with fetal alcohol syndrome let's discuss types of drinking during pregnancy.

There are basically heavy, moderate, and binge drinking. Alcoholic drinking

can be defined as continuous drinking problem, with loss of all control. A good example of this would be a mother who has to drink before, during and after a party. She uses any excuse to drink anytime, anywhere.

Heavy drinking is defined as consuming two to six drinks at a specific time of day or week. She may drink at lunch, a cocktail party or after dinner and still has control over her drinking.

A moderate drinker could be a "social drinker" - drinking only on weekends and having only a few drinks on any one occasion. A binge drinker is someone who drinks excessively at a special occasion and then doesn't drink again for many months.

The Syndrome

The full fetal alcohol syndrome usually involves peculiar facial features, central nervous system disorders, and growth deficiencies in both weight and height. The infants are very similar to infants of drug addicted parents.

Research has shown that an alcoholic mother has a 74 percent chance of having a baby with the full range of symptoms associated with fetal alcohol syndrome, and a heavy drinker has a 93 percent chance of having a baby with one or more of these abnormalities.

During moderate or "social" drinking, there is a 14 percent chance

of having a baby with some type of defect. These could include heart defects, decreased motor ability, prematurity, or difficulty in care of the infant. The baby may be difficult to feed, irritable, have sleep disturbances, and body tremors.

Later when the child becomes school age he could develop a learning disability and/or become hyperactive.

The episodic or binge drinker also has a high chance of having an abnormal baby because she could be drinking before she knows she is pregnant and then not drink until after the baby is born. Unfortunately, the most critical period of fetal development is during the first three months. Alcohol destroys the brain cells that develop during this time causing mental retardation in the fetus. Lesions can form on the brain but it's possible the baby could have no other FAS symptoms.

Alcohol is a poison and the fetus of a chronic alcoholic mother is itself a chronic alcoholic, absorbing alcohol from the mother's blood and subsequently from her milk. Approximately 2,000 infants a year are born with fetal alcohol syndrome.

The Cure

We aren't sure what causes diseases such as Cerebral Palsy and Down's Syndrome, but we do know that if women did not drink during pregnancy, not another child would be born with FAS.





Senator visits

Sen. Richard Lugar, R-Indiana, steps from the interior of a C-5 Galaxy, the world's largest aircraft, during a tour of Pope March 18. The senator, a member of the Senate Intelligence and Foreign Relations committees, visited Pope and Fort Bragg for an indoctrination on the Rapid Deployment Force. (U.S. Air Force Photo by 2Lt. A.V. Stephenson)

Use safety belts on short trips

There are myths, misconceptions and just plain excuses for not wearing safety belts.

One of the most common is that safety belts aren't really necessary on short trips or when driving at low speeds. But most drivers pile up their mileage in short, everyday trips, going to work or school, shopping, visiting friends, going to places of entertainment.

According to the National Safety Council, more than three out of four of the accidents causing death occur within 25 miles of home and more than half of the accidents causing death or injury occur at speeds less than 40 miles per hour.

Other myths about safety belts are dispelled by numerous studies which

show that safety belts prevent:

--accidents, by holding the driver in the position that gives maximum control of the vehicle;

--ejection, which greatly increases the possibility of death or serious injury, by keeping the occupants within the protection of the vehicle structure;

--the "second collision" of the occupants with other people in the vehicle and with such injury causing surfaces as the windshield, door and window knobs, seat backs, and the steering wheel.

The fact is that your best chance of avoiding injury and death in an automobile accident is to "buckle up" EVERY time, including short, everyday trips.



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AFSA chapter installs officers

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The new officers are, President, SMSgt. Daniel D. Hignight; Vice-President, MSgt. Jessie Childers; 1st Trustee, retired TSgt. Joe R. Joyner Jr.; 2nd Trustee, Sgt. Roger L. Ours; 3rd Trustee, MSgt. Thomas Jones; 4th Trustee, MSgt. Harry D. Henderson; 5th Trustee, MSgt. Ronald Eppley; and Secretary, MSgt. Jack Pauls.

Awards were also presented during the ceremony.

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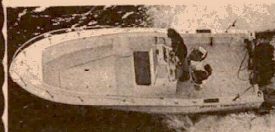
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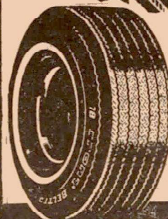
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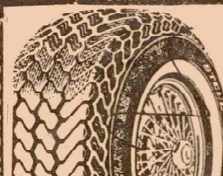
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Falconettes prepare for Falcon match

By TSgt. Mike Callahan
USAF Clinic

The annual challenge match between Pope's two varsity bowling teams will be at Pope Lanes April 5.

The event will feature Pope's top male and female keglers in a team style competition.

The Falcon bowling team, fresh from a strong twelfth place finish among 120 teams in the Worldwide Military Championships in Las Vegas, Nev., will be looking to revenge a defeat at the hands of the women in last year's inaugural event.

The seven-woman "Falconette" squad earned their right to take part, last week, by surviving a vigorous, three-day, 18-game qualifying tournament.

Leading the way onto the lanes for the Falconettes will be team captain Judy Russ.

As roll-off's top qualifier, Russ ripped the lanes for 3,164 pins and a roll-off record average of nearly 176 pins a game.

AF sweeps R-ball tourney

RANDOLPH AFB, Texas (AFNS) -- Air Force racquetballers dominated the interservice singles competition last month at Lackland AFB, Texas. They captured the top three places in the men's division, second and third in the women's division, and first and third in the men's senior division.

Louis Souther, Lindsey AS, West Germany, successfully battled friend and frequent opponent Robert Ellis, Ramstein AB, West Germany, for the men's singles title. Ellis grabbed the number two slot. John MacLean from Offutt AFB, Neb., captured third.

The Navy proved to be a formidable opponent for Air Force women. Marsha Lutz of Hickam AFB, Hawaii, finished second after losing in the finals to a Navy player. Diane Phillips, Sheppard AFB, Texas, took third in the women's competition.

The Air Force rebounded against the Navy in the senior division, as Dayton Dickey of Randolph AFB, Texas, won first in a close tiebreaker. Third place in the division went to Robert McNabb of Hill AFB, Utah.

Her first block total of 1,104 pins and 244-pin game led all bowlers.

A repeat Falconette, Debra Stefan, rode a roll-off high three-game set of 586 pins to a 3,074 total and a second place finish.

A righthanded bowler, Stefan led the Falconette attack in last year's match with a 606-pin series. She averaged 170.75 during the qualifier.

A newcomer to the squad, right hander Ro Callahan, turned in one of the roll-offs most consistent three-block efforts to finish third.

Noted as a steady performer, the strong rolling Callahan recorded a total pinfall of 3,067 for a 170.4 average.

A powerful finish on the last day of the qualifying, propelled a 317th Supply Squadron bowler, Patti Rigney, to a fourth place finish.



Champion

Dan R. Bates of the 1943rd Communications Squadron successfully defended his position as the 1980 Base Table Tennis Champion last week when he won the 1981 version of the championship at the Recreation Center. Bates won nine games enroute to the championship then narrowly defeated Francisco de Melo of the 317th Avionics Maintenance Squadron for the title. (U.S. Air Force Photo by SrA. Gary Jones)

The only active duty member of the squad, Rigney completed the event with a total of 2,945 pins enroute to a 163 pin a game average. Her 1,092 pin total on the last day was high for that block.

Another newcomer to the varsity bowling scene, Marilyn Long, turned in the roll-offs most steady performance, rolling an unbelievable 13 games within 10 pins of her roll-off average.

Long, a righthanded bowler, knocked down 2,829 pins during the qualification rounds for a 157 average.

Rounding out the top six is Edith Moses. Also steady over the three-day affair, she connected for 2,814 pins and a 156-pin average.

The team's alternate, Yvonne Finchum, gained a 2,813 pin total for a 156 average.

She finished the roll-off only one pin behind Moses.

Varsity mentor and program coordinator, Carl Howard, commented, "The response to last year's initial attempt at forming a women's team and producing the match was excellent. We look forward to April 5 and encourage Pope's bowling community to come out and support their favorite team."

Rigney and the USAF Clinic's Sue Broughton, who finished tenth in the qualifying, will take part with their Falcon counterparts in the Military Airlift Command Championships at Travis AFB, Calif. April 29 and 30.

Seat belts save lives

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Bowling tournament benefits fund drive

By TSgt. Mike Callahan
USAF Clinic

Eighty bowlers made their way to Pope Lanes, Sunday, to take part in the second annual "DP No-Tap No-Split Tournament and raised \$188 for the Air Force Assistance Fund.

Tournament Director, Mike Rigney, explains, "The tournament was created to benefit the AFAF and followed the standard no-tap, no-split format with each participant paying a nominal entry fee. After lane expenses were met, the remaining \$188 was earmarked for the AFAF."

He continued, "Trophies were awarded to the top three competitors in each of two divisions, men and women, and a consolation trophy was

presented to the last place finishers. In addition, several door prizes were presented during the course of the competition."

Tourney director Rigney and an Air Force dependant, Ro Callahan, both found the range early and went on to capture first place in their respective division.

Rigney, from the Consolidated Base Personnel Office, put together games of 297, 236 and 211 in route to his winning total of 744 pins.

His victory, Sunday, capped a successful month in which he also captured the Handicap All-Events crown in the 27th annual Bragg-Pope Bowling Association Championships March 14

and 15 at Pope lanes.

Callahan, a well known local legler, scorched the lanes with games of 297, 296 and 268 to earn her title.

Regarded as a strong no-tap, no-split competitor, she owns the Pope Lanes no-tap "house record", rolling three perfect no-tap games, Jan. 3, for a 900 series.

Her winning total in this event was 861.

Pete Peterson, from the Base Legal Office, and Rick Haney, 1st Aeromedical Evacuation Squadron, rolled sets of 724 and 721, respectively, to finish second and third in the men's division. Rick Little received the con-

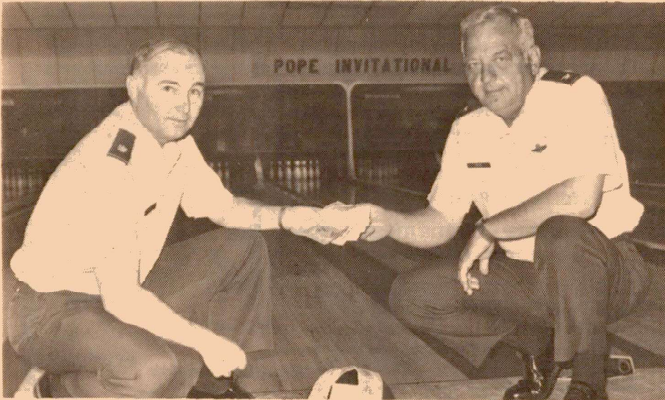
solation award.

Cheri O'Neill and Falconette bowler, Yvonne Finchum, finished second and third in the women's division.

O'Neill totaled 764 pins with Finchum registering a 757. Ann Burks was awarded the consolation award.

Rigney summerized, "I can't say enough about the generosity of the bowlers who participated in this event. The turn-out was unbelievable and all seemed to enjoy the competition. There were no losers and the AFAF was the big winner."

The \$188 donation topped last year's contribution by \$70.



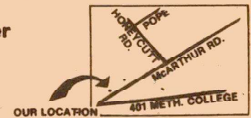
Lt. Col. Gerald O'Neill, director of personnel, presents Col. Harold T. Boe, commander, 317th Combat Support Group, with \$188 for the Air Force Assistant Fund. Colonel O'Neill's unit sponsored the "DP No-Tap, No-Split Tournament" Sunday to raise the donation for the fund. (U.S. Air Force Photo by TSgt. Dave Skeen)

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Cinema schedule

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Tomorrow: Digby -- The Biggest Dog in The World (G) 2 p.m. A stray mut is accidentally fed a magic growth formula and shoots up to the size of an elephant. The dog terrorizes the countryside with his slobbering antics and is stolen by thugs who make him a circus attraction.

Goliathon (PG) 7:30 p.m. A young Chinese explorer spies a King-Kong type gorilla in India and is subsequently hired to bring him to Hong Kong.

Sunday, Monday and Tuesday: Nine to Five (PG) 7:30 p.m. Three clerical workers devise and carry out a scheme to gain revenge on their leering chauvinist of a boss. Stars Jane Fonda, Lily Tomlin and Dolly Parton.

Wednesday: Times Square (R) 7:30 p.m. Two teenage runaways dreaming of rock stardom befriend an all-night disc jockey.

Thursday and Friday: The Island (R) 7:30 p.m. More than 2,000 people and 610 pleasure craft disappear over a three-year period in the turquoise waters of one certain area in the Caribbean. Michael Caine stars as an investigative reporter who sets out to solve the deadly riddle of this man-eating paradise.

NCO Club

Tonight and Tomorrow: Top 40 and modern music by the new band, Saluda Grade from 9 p.m. - 1 a.m.

Sunday: Membership appreciation buffet from 1-5 p.m. Members and spouse or date free. Guests and children 2 and older, eat at a small charge.

Wednesday: Country music night with the Appalachian Band from 8 p.m. - midnight.

Tickets are available for the spring golf tournament April 25.

Entry fee includes cart, green fee and steak dinner.

Dial 497-6955 for menus and entertainment information.

Rec Center

Friday: Free mini-craft class on macrame from 7-8:30 p.m.

Saturday: Doubles Table Tennis Tournament starts at 7:30 p.m.

Sunday: Pinochle group plays at 2 p.m. Prizes awarded to the winner.

Double elimination eight ball pool tournament starts at 5:30 p.m.

Monday: Armchair theater begins at 7:30 p.m. with free movie, punch and popcorn.

Tuesday: Dancercise session meets from 6-8 p.m.

Square dance with Pope Promenaders from 7:30 p.m. Lessons available.

Final day to sign up for tour to Carowinds Amusement Park April 4. The regular \$9.90 ticket will be available at a reduced price of \$6.30.

Wednesday: Newcomers Orientation starts at 7:50 a.m.

Lasagna night at the Pizza Parlor with live music by Gene Kobisky from 7-10 p.m.

Chess group meets at 7:30 p.m. to prepare for the Armed Forces Chess Tournament.

Thursday: Dancercise session from 7-9 p.m. Paperback Trading Library opens at 7:30 p.m. Bring books to trade or donate.

Youth Center

Tonight: Table tennis tournament from 4-6 p.m. Pre-teen disco from 6:30-9:30 p.m.

Tomorrow: Teen dance from 7-10:30 p.m.

Monday: Free movie and popcorn from 6-8 p.m.

Tuesday: Baseball Little League meeting at 7 p.m.

Wednesday: Open House from 6-8 p.m.

Judo classes for 8-18 year-olds begin April 13 with Rebecca M. Palmer as instructor. For information contact the youth center, Ext. 4512.

Photo Club

A meeting of the Cumberland Photo Club will be held April 5 at 7 p.m. in the Fireplace Room of the Recreation Center. The club holds monthly meetings with films, speakers, demonstrations, exhibits, and trips. Meetings are normally held at the Fayetteville Art Museum the first Sunday of each month. For more information contact TSgt. Frank Young, Ext. 2400.

Snack Bar Hours

The Golf Course Snack Bar is open Tuesday-Friday 8 a.m.-3 p.m. and Saturday, Sunday and Holidays 8 a.m.-5 p.m.

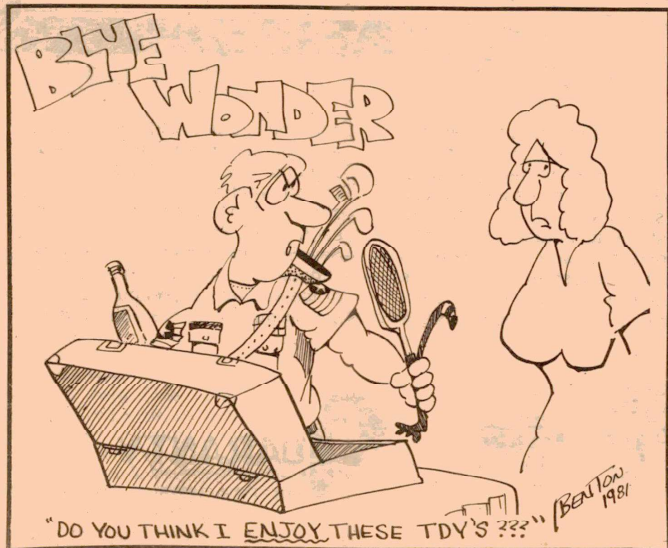
Contest winners

Two winners were named in the



All shook up

When Brenda Boles did her belly dancing act in the third Gong Show at the NCO Club she thought it would be the last show. But due to popular demand the Gong Show is coming back to the club May 5 at 9 p.m. Sunny Williams, emcee of the event said, "We had planned to put on a different type of show but people just kept asking to have another gong show." Acts are already signing up for the next show. For information or to sign up contact the NCO Club. (U.S. Air Force Photo by A1C Tanya L. Lairmore)



Recreation Center's St. Patrick's Day photo contest for little boys. Malek Kimble, was sponsored by A1C Lamartine Alcenat, 317th Field Maintenance Squadron. Christopher Porter was sponsored by his mother, Sgt. Sandra Porter, US Air Force Air Lift Center.

Nutrition and economy

Workshops on better nutrition and economy are being sponsored by the U.S. Air Force Clinic at the Recreation Center today from 10-11:30 a.m. How to Eat Well and Spend Less will be discussed.

Base Library

The Base Library recently added the following new titles to its collection: **Till Armageddon** by Billy Graham, **City Kid** by Mary MacCracken, **Kiss Mommy Goodbye** by Joy Fielding, **Bess and Harry, An American Love Story** by Jhan Robbins, **Alexander, Who Used To Be Rich Last Sunday** by Judith Viorst, and **Recipes From**

the Old South by Martha L. Meade.

The Sunday Family Film Festival will present three films beginning at 3 p.m.: **It's Tough To Be A Bird**, a children's cartoon; **Air Is For Breathing**, A Shell film concerned with air pollution; and **Dr. Leakey and The Dawn of Man**.

Exchange Schedule

New Sunday hours at the Fort Bragg Main Exchange will be noon-5 p.m. for the remainder of the spring and summer.

AFA begins membership drive April 13

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