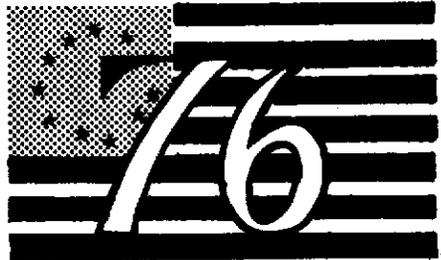


Camboerion

PUBLISHED IN THE INTEREST OF FORBES AIR NATIONAL GUARD PERSONNEL.

LOG



VOLUME II

MAY 17, 1976

ISSUE 5

FAREWELL COLONEL BOGGS

Colonel Carl L. Boggs retires this UTA after 34 years of service. Col Boggs enlisted in the Army Air Corps on 2 Jan 1942. He went to aircraft mechanics school first then was accepted into the Aviation Cadets School receiving his wings and commission on 28 July 1943. Lt (then) Boggs served in Europe as a B-17 pilot until he returned stateside in Apr of 1945. He was assigned as Dir



(Contd)

Retaining his rank as Captain, Boggs then joined the Kansas Air National Guard as an original member on 6 Sept 1946 at Wichita. In Sept 1950 he was activated for the Korean conflict, departing in May 51 for Korea. He was assigned as Commander of a Maintenance Squadron of the 136th Fighter Bomber Wing.

Returning to the states Major (then) Boggs rejoined the 127th Fighter Squadron at Wichita. He attended the Air Command and Staff College from June 1956 till June 1957. Major (then) Boggs was assigned as Commander of the 117th Fighter-Interceptor Squadron in June 1957. He became Lt Col on 1 June 1959 and received his eagles on 10 June 1963. In August 1967 when the unit moved to Forbes, Col Boggs came along with it retaining his position as Commander.

Colonel Boggs has been awarded the Distinguished Flying Cross, Air Medal with 3 Oak Leaf Clusters, Presidential Unit Citation with 1 Oak Leaf Cluster, Combat Readiness Medal with 2 Oak Leaf Clusters, American Campaign Medal, European-African-Middle Eastern Campaign Medal, World War II Victory Medal, Army Of Occupation Medal, National Defense Service Medal, Korean Service Medal, AF Longevity Service Award Ribbon, Armed Forces Reserve Medal, and the United Nations Service Medal.

Colonel Boggs and his wife Pat make their home in Topeka. The Boggs' have three children, Mrs J Carlene Conrad, Carl L Boggs Jr., Sandra L Boggs and two grand daughters, Lori Conrad and Wendy Conrad. When asked what he intended to do after retirement, Col Boggs replied "Just what I damn well please."

Official Change of Command will take place at the assembly on Sunday 23 May 1976.

BUREAU LIMITS ENLISTMENTS

SMSgt. Bill Bumpham indicates that

EB57'S FLY HEAVY

SCHEDULE

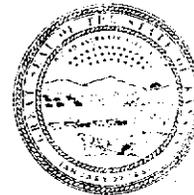
The first quarter of 1976 proved to be a busy time for the aircraft and personnel of the 117th DSES. Three and many times 4 EB-57's were deployed weekly to all parts of the United States.

In January they went to Alaska and Canada and also deployed 4 aircraft to Shaw AFB S. Carolina. There they participated in the 20th NORAD Regional Evaluation. A support package consisting of maintenance and supply personnel accompanied this deployment. The 190th made all take off times and flew the required missions with no aborts.

In February Canberras flew to Homestead AFB, Florida. Their primary mission was providing ECM training for the NIKE Hercules and NIKE Hawk sites in the Miami and Key West Florida area. Four sorties were flown daily, again, with no aborts. The same month the 117th was deployed to Nellis AFB, California to participate in "Bold Eagle '76!"

They were selected for participation in this Joint Chiefs of Staff exercise by the 12th Air Force. Personnel totaling 22,000 from the Army, Navy, and Air Force (including Guard and Reserve Forces) participated. The mission of the 117th was to conduct electronic warfare operations to protect the fighter aircraft in the tactical strike force. Col Robert Reed, USAF Senior Air Force Controller commented, "their contribution to this endeavor was noteworthy." Colonel Reed praised the 117th for their "professional attitude, enthusiasm, and productivity."

KANSAS AIR NATIONAL GUARD
HEADQUARTERS 190TH DEFENSE SYSTEMS EVALUATION GROUP
FORBES AIR NATIONAL GUARD BASE, KANSAS 66620



REPLY TO
ATTN OF:

CC

11 May 1976

SUBJECT:

TO: All Members of the 190DSEG

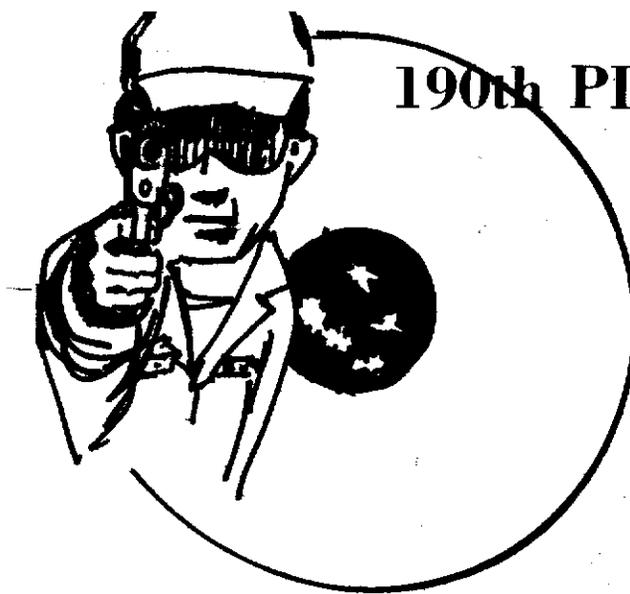
In attempting to write a farewell letter, I find it the most difficult task I have ever been confronted with. In order to be brief and to the point, I say Thanks to every member of the 190th Defense Systems Evaluation Group, present and past, for the outstanding support you have given me during my tenure as Commander of the finest Air National Guard unit in the world. Please, and I repeat please, afford the Commander who replaces me the same kind of support I have received in order for this unit to retain its reputation as one of the best in the world.

I'll not say goodbye since I plan on living in Topeka and I hope to see all of you from time to time, so So Long for now!

Sincerely

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Carl L. Boggs".

CARL L. BOGGS, Colonel, Kans ANG
Air Commander



190th PISTOL TEAM TAKES FIRST

Each team member participates in 3 events, firing at a target 25 yards away. In $2\frac{1}{2}$ minutes, 10 rounds must be fired, from a lying position. From a dueling, or standing position, another 10 rounds are fired at a target which is 5 seconds facing and 5 seconds away. In the third event, 5 rounds are shot in 10 seconds of rapid fire competition. A possible 300 points can be scored by each individual.

The 190th DSEG Pistol Team participated in the 5th Army Regional Combat Matches 14-16 April at Ft. Riley. They came away with a first in reserve competition and placed second overall. TSgt Dave Fogelberg, team coach, explained, "We accumulated 1142 of a possible 1200 team points. Panama won the overall competition, beating us by only 10 points."

"We felt especially good about coming so close to winning, since Panama had been practicing 8 hours a day, for 6 months," Sergeant Fogelberg commented. In preparation for the match, the 190th team was able to devote only 2 hours a week to practice at the National Guard Armory. But at least one of the team, SSgt Bruce Faust practiced on his own. "I had to shoot 50 rounds a night to catch up with these experienced guys," Sergeant Faust said.

Participating in the matches were MSgt Maurice Smith, TSgt Dave Fogelberg, TSgt Dan Hubert, SSgt Bill Higgs, SSgt Bruce Faust, and MSgt James Goetz. Sergeant Goetz, a letter carrier from Wichita, placed 3rd overall in the individual competition.

Sergeant Faust commented, "This can be a very expensive sport when you consider the money tied up in pistols and ammunition." As many as 300 bullets are used during a practice by each man. In the Guard the equipment and ammunition are furnished. "We also have the opportunity to travel to matches around the country," Sergeant Faust said. As a result of their showing at Ft. Riley, the team will represent Kansas at the all-Army matches, to be the week of 14 May at Ft. Benning, Georgia.

"Several of our team got into the unit because of the opportunity to shoot," Sgt Bill Higgs explained. In addition to a mail carrier, a city fire marshal, and a policeman are also members. The group would like to attract other interested persons. "We want to get more technicians and civilians involved," Sgt Higgs said. Novices are needed because some team matches at the local level require participation from individuals who have never competed. "After Georgia, we will all have been in competition, and no longer qualify as novices," Sergeant Higgs explained.

"Interested persons need not be ex-

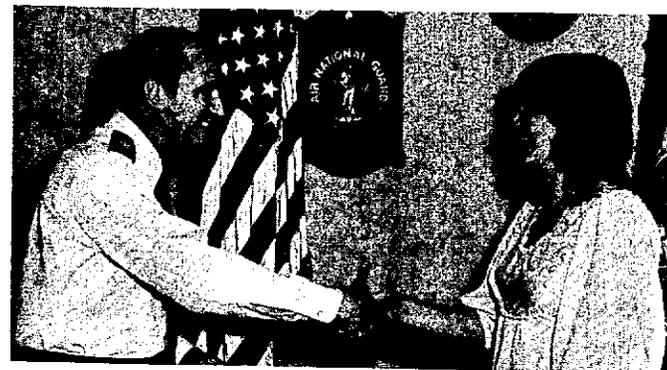
RECRUITING DRIVE PICKS UP MOMENTUM

NINE NEW MEMBERS SIGNED

The 190th DSEG recruiting campaign is off to a good start with nine persons having completed their testing and physicals as of 6 May. Arrangements have been made to have recruiting teams in all the shopping centers in Topeka and in many surrounding towns. Recruiting however needs help from you "week-enders," if you have some free time in the evenings contact Lt Col Marett, Ext 4091, or SMSgt Parsel, Ext 4295. We need people to work as a part of a recruiting team out in the shopping centers, to work calling prospects on the telephone and clerical help in preparing and "stuffing" envelopes. In most cases equivalent training is authorized for Recruiting Duty (see your supervisor or commander first), or you may be in a proficiency training status. If you don't have the time to work but know someone who should be contacted, just get the persons name to Lt Col Marett or SMSgt Parsel and we'll do the rest.

Take a few minutes to analyze the benefits you are receiving as a Guardsman; training, two days pay for each UTA, \$10,000 worth of life insurance for only \$3.40 per month, space available travel on military air within the U.S., retirement credits to cash in after 20 years and reaching age 60, and perhaps the most important - doing a vital job for the Air Defense of America and still being able to pursue your civilian occupation.

Talk up the Air Guard to your friends and neighbors, bring a visitor to the UTA, let them see what you do in the Air Guard and let them see how they can fit in the "Air Guard picture."



LT. COL. MAHLER SWEARS IN NEW MEMBER

LT. COL. Mahler congratulates AB Frances Ellen Carter after swearing her in. AB Carter will attend BMT starting 5 Aug and will attend Dental Technicians school on 23 Aug. She will return to the 190th USAF Clinic in Mar 1977.

HELP, COYOTES WANTED !!

CAN YOU GIVE US A PROSPECT?

IF SO

FILL OUT AND RETURN
TO YOUR COMMANDER

NAME _____

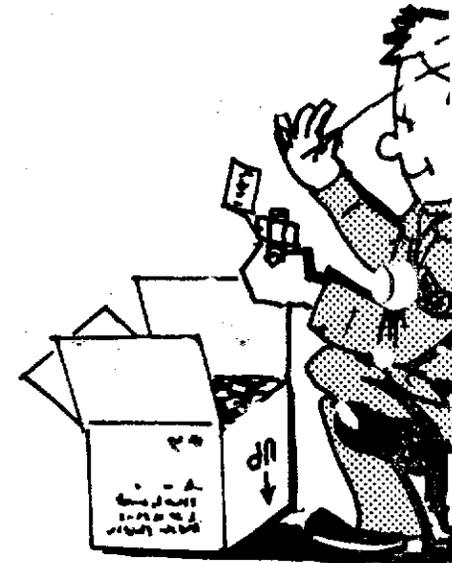
ADDRESS _____



SGT DAVE FRANK



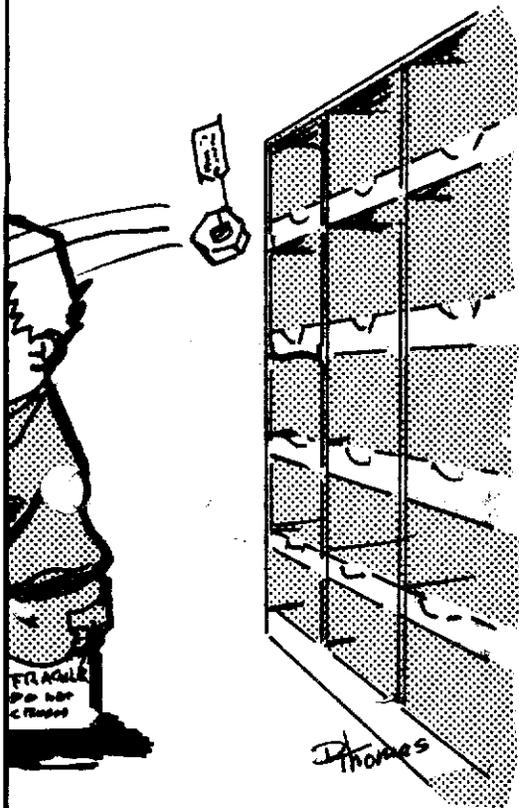
19
SUP



There are few squad
Guard personnel pass.
exception.

Everyone coming into
or her clothing. The "
needful of their service
with what can be frustr
sizes do not correspond
and crucial to the appe
individual visiting Sup

190TH
PLY SQ.



ons in the unit through which all
The 190th Supply Squadron is an

the unit relies on Supply for his
non-prior" individual is especially
es. Finding out what to wear when -
ating! Fitting into clothes whose
to civilian ones can be confusing
arance of the Guard member. To an
blv. it isn't obvious that over

KANSAS AIRMEN OF THE YEAR 1976

ALL FROM 190th DSEG

The 3 Outstanding Airmen from the 190th DSEG have been selected as Outstanding Airmen of the State of Kansas. They are: MSgt James A. Goetz, SSgt William R. Stark, and A1C Thomas L. Woltkamp.

Lt Col Lloyd Marett indicated, "We made a clean sweep of it this year. Our candidates will now represent Kansas in competition with airmen throughout the country for the distinction of Outstanding Air Guardsmen." The selection will be made by the Chief of the National Guard Bureau. "The airmen chosen there will compete with airmen from the regular Air Force for the honor of Outstanding Airmen of the United States," Colonel Marett explained.



MSgt Goetz serves as First Sergeant for the 190th Supply Squadron. In a letter nominating him for the honor, Major Batchelor, Commander 190th Sup-

greatly enhanced the morale, and in turn the productivity of the Supply Squadron."

MSgt Goetz also devotes many additional hours to the 190th DSEG Pistol Team as the team Captain and Coach. His teams have won the Kansas National Guard Indoor Championship and Adjutant General Combat Pistol Match Trophy. They have also been selected as one of the ten best National Guard teams in the country, placing seventh in the National Indoor Championship, and were the only Air National Guard team selected to participate.

MSgt Goetz is a letter carrier for the Postal Service, and in his spare time he coached youth league football and basketball for the past ten years. He and his wife, Marilyn, have two sons, Michael, 18, and Bradley, 15.



(Cont'd)

were noted and he was recommended to attend Recruiting School as a result. Sgt Stark enlisted in the Air Force in 1964, and is a Viet Nam veteran. During his four years in the service he received the Air Force Commendation Medal, served on the Wing Commander's Advisory Board for Enlisted Men and was twice selected as Airman of the Month. He was discharged in 1968 and joined the 190th CAM Squadron in December 1972. Sgt Stark is involved in many organizations including the Masonic Lodge, American Legion, Moose Lodge, and is very active in the Boy Scouts. He also attends evening classes at Columbia College, and is pursuing a degree in Business Administration. He and his wife Sharon were married in 1972, and they reside in Topeka.



A1C Thomas L. Woltkamp serves as an Aircraft Electrical Repairman with the 190th CAM Squadron, crosstraining from the Avionic Sensor Systems field dur-

"His eagerness to learn and favorable attitude have been an asset to his section." His ability to trouble shoot and repair electrical accessories and circuits has contributed to the unit's aircraft readiness rate." Airman Woltkamp is employed by the Postal Service, and also attends classes part-time at Washburn University. He and his wife Michele were married in 1972, and reside in Topeka.

BUS TRIP TO ROYALS GAME

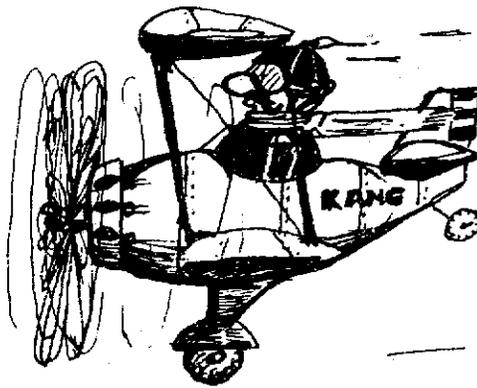
Following the final formation on Saturday, 5 June, a 20 passenger bus will leave from Forbes for the Royals Stadium in Kansas City. The Royals will host Milwaukee in a double header.

Interested individuals should sign up with their first sergeant, during the May UTA. The bus ride will be free. Tickets can be purchased at the Stadium.

Lt Col McEachern indicates that if this trip is well received by members of the 190th, it will be continued each Saturday of the UTA with trips to other special events in the area being planned.

NGA MEMBERSHIPS DUE

It is time for membership re-enrollment in the National Guard Association of the U.S. and Kansas. Lt Richard Seltzer urges officers of the Combat Support Squadron to join these associations. Membership for both associations extends from 1 July through 30 June of the succeeding year. Lieutenant Seltzer requests officers bring their payment



SCHEDULE

Saturday, 22 May 1976

<u>TIME</u>	<u>EVENT</u>	<u>PLACE</u>
0745	Staff Meeting	Bldg. 321
0830	Roll Call	Bldg. 662
0845	Flt Scheduling	Bldg. 679
0900	Aircrew Briefing	Bldg. 679
0900	Social Actions	Bldg. 321
1030-1230	Flying	
1130-1300	Lunch	Mess Hall
1300	Security Meeting	Bldg. 321
1230-1630	Ground School	Bldg. 679
1600	CDC Testing	Bldg. 321
1600	Mtn Meeting	Bldg. 636
1630	Flying Safety	Bldg. 679
1730	Roll Call	As Direct
1745-1845	Dinner	Mess Hall

Sunday, 23 May 1976

<u>TIME</u>	<u>EVENT</u>	<u>PLACE</u>
0600-0715	Breakfast	Mess Hall
0730	Roll Call	As Direct
0745-0945	Ground School	Bldg. 679
0800	Social Actions	Bldg. 321
0930-1130	Flying	
1100-1200		

RECRUITING AWARDS PLANNED

There are some very special prizes being considered for each guardsman who brings in just one new member. These will be announced as soon as they are approved. But don't wait, with just a little effort you can get your "one" because the Air Guard is the best part time job in America.

ENLISTMENTS

AB FRANCES E. CARTER	CLI
AB LISA MACORMIC	CLI
TSGT WILLIAM R. LINCOLN	CSS
SGT SALVATORE GIARDINA	SUP
SSGT JAMES P. RAY	CSS
A1C JAMES M. BURDICK	SUP

PROMOTIONS

TSGT DAVID L. MAHON	SUP
TSGT GEORGE W. SOOTER	CSS
SSGT LARRY E. WOOD	CSS
A1C DOUGLAS L. WHITEAKER	CSS
A1C KATHY A. ZIMMERMAN	CLI

MENU

Saturday Dinner 22 May 1976

Salisbury Steak
 Potatoes, Mashed
 Green Beans
 Lettuce Salad with Dressing
 Chocolate Cake
 Rolls with Butter
 Milk or Coffee

Sunday Dinner 23 May 1976

Baked Pork Chops

AMERICA'S ARMED FORCES

1776-1976



HONOR

AMERICA

REVOLUTION BICYCLE

ORIENTATION FLIGHTS BEGIN

A new program providing an orientation flight for 20 Guard personnel will be initiated this month. Lt Col McEachern indicated that this flight will be for only weekend, enlisted individuals.

Anyone interested in going on this flight should notify his or her first sergeant before 0900 Sunday. There are allocations for 1 individual from Group, 1 from the 117th, 7 from Combat Support, 6 from CAM Squadron, 1 from the Clinic, 2 from CE, and 2 from Supply.

If a squadron can't use the seat, another area should be notified so that it can be filled. The flight will take off at 1000 hours on Sunday. Participants should check in no later than 0930 for boarding.

190TH DSEG
FORBES ANGB, KS
66620
Official Business

Rhymes of the Times

MOST THINGS
DISLIKED
HAVE AN
ANTIDOTE,
SO BE SURE
TO REGISTER,
BE SURE
TO VOTE.



ANNUAL PHOTO EVENT NEARS

The National Guard Bureau and National Guard Association of the United States are co-sponsoring a nationwide photo contest open to all guardsmen.

There will be four \$150.00 cash prizes and four \$75.00 cash prizes.

Any guardsman may enter. Photos must be taken between 15 Aug 75 and 1 July 76.

For complete contest rules and entry form, come to the Info Office.

POSTAGE AND FEES PAID
DEPARTMENT OF THE AIR FORCE

DOD-318



Comberro
1001

An official Class "1" newspaper published in the interest of the Air National Guard personnel at Forbes ANG Base of the Aerospace Defense Command. It is published by the Office of Information, 190th Defense Systems Evaluation Group, Kansas Air National Guard, Olathe, Kansas.