answers, please -
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August 1954
Washington, D.C.
All veterans separated from service after August 20, 1952 have until August 20, 1954 to enroll in the school of their choice under the GI Bill.

Veterans released from active service after that date have two years from date of separation in which to begin their training.

World War II veterans with service anywhere in the world since the start of the Korean conflict on June 27, 1950, who have had previous training under the original GI Bill may qualify for further training either under the old laws or under the new laws for post-Korean veterans.

Two classes of these veterans may return to training under the World War II GI Bill. They are:

Veterans who have taken a course of training some time between the effective date of the World War II GI Bill and the start of the Korean conflict and were in the armed forces on their individual training cut-off date which would be four years after discharge or on July 25, 1951, whichever was later.

Veterans whose training was interrupted by their return to active duty.

World War II veterans must meet three requirements in order to take post-cut-off training after military service since Korea:

1. Conduct and progress of their previous GI Bill courses must have been satisfactory.
2. The period of World War II GI Bill training they may get after such discharge will be limited by their remaining entitlement and.
3. Their course may not extend beyond the end of the World War II Bill program on July 25, 1956.

A veteran should give special thought to choosing his training program. Once the cut-off date passes, VA tells us, the one-and-only free change-of-course provision no longer holds good. After that time, a veteran may change his course only under one of the following circumstances:

The course he wants to change to is a normal progression from the course he has already taken. For example, if he obtained his AB degree, he would be permitted to change to an MA degree.

He hasn't been making satisfactory progress in the course he was taking, due to no fault of his own. If this is the case, he will be required to undergo VA vocational counseling, to help him select a new course more in keeping with his aptitudes and abilities.

To be eligible for training under the Korean GI Bill, a veteran must have (1) been separated from active service under conditions other than dishonorable; (2) been on active duty in the armed forces anywhere in the world after June 27, 1950; and (3) had at least 90 days of active service unless he was discharged because of an actual service-connected disability.

Once a veteran has decided to train under the GI Bill, he should decide on the school and course, he must make certain that the course is GI approved. Any Regional Office can furnish him this information. Then he must be sure the school will accept him. His next step is to obtain an application blank—VA Form 7-1990—at any VA office, fill it out completely, attach photostatic or certified copies of both sides of his discharge (Form DD 214), and send it to his nearest VA regional office. If the application is in order, VA will send him a Certificate for Education and Training, VA Form 7-1993, to be presented to his school or training establishment.

World War II veterans who did take training under the World War II GI Bill and who also served since June 27, 1950, may elect to finish their education under either the World War II or the Korean GI Bill. If they train under the latter law, they measure their entitlement by subtracting the time spent in training under the earlier programs from 48 months. However, the total amount of training under the Korean GI Bill may not exceed 36 months.

Post-Korean veterans will receive monthly education and training allowance from the Government to cover part of their training and living costs. Tuition, fees, books, supplies and equipment will not be paid for by the Government, instead, veterans will pay this out of the monthly allowance.

PERS SPOTLIGHTS

OVERSEAS POSITIONS—Questions on the establishment of overseas positions, the selection and assignment of persons to those positions, and travel in connection therewith, may be referred to Ensign Bert Williams or Mrs. Alberta Polley, Rom. 17205, NavSecSta, Ext. 60682.

CONSULTANTS AND EXPERTS—The NSA Registry for Consultants was established in PERS with Ensign Bert Williams as chief, under authority of NSA Reg. No. 10-30, 12 July 1954. Questions on the employment and utilization of consultants and experts may also be referred to NavSecSta Ext. 60682.

CIVILIAN LEAVE.—A revision of NSA CPM Chapter L.1, Leave, has been forwarded to the AG for publication. It will probably be available by the time this Newsletter reaches you. Check with your supervisor if you have questions about leave.

NSA MPPM.—The following revisions to the MPPM are also being printed and will probably be ready for release by Newsletter distribution date:

Chapter XI—Officer and NCO Performance Reports
Chapter XIV—Mails Missed Reports
Chapter XVI—Training Programs

ANGLERS from R&D, PERS, TNG, C/SEC, and P/P have been on several enjoyable bay fishing trips lately. Spot have been plentiful and the trout are biting.

This Newsletter is published, as required by the Personnel Division to provide information of interest to all Agency military and civilian personnel.

Suggestions and articles are welcomed and should be forwarded to the Editor, NSA Newsletter, PERS, Rm. 17-212, Tel. 60427.
POLITICAL ACTIVITY

In view of the primary and general elections being held this year certain prohibitions on political activities are being called to the attention of all government employees.

Questions concerning proper activities will be answered by the Personnel Division based on appropriate existing regulations. In any case, where doubt remains, the matter should be referred to PERS and the employee should refrain from the activity until an answer is received.

The following battery of questions and answers most commonly asked by employees has been prepared by the Civil Service Commission and is published for your information.

- May I serve as an election official?
  Yes, but you must go about your duties in an impartial manner, as prescribed by state or local law. The laws in some states disqualify a Federal employee from serving as an election officer.

- May I serve in an unofficial capacity at the polls as a checker, challenger, distributor, or watcher, or in any other post?
  No, you may not assist any candidate or party in any way at or near the polls. In brief, you may vote—that is all.

- Can I use my auto to take voters to the polls on election day, or lend it or rent it for this use?
  No. Your auto may be used only to transport you and members of your immediate family to the polls.

- I am a part-time government employee and have no regular tour of duty. Does the Hatch Act apply to me since I work for the government only part-time?
  Yes, part time and intermittent employees may not be politically active on any day or days they perform work or service for the government, and this includes the entire 24-hour period of any day worked.

- I am a state employee. Does the Hatch Act cover me?
  An officer or employee of a state or local agency is subject to the Act, if, as a normal and foreseeable incident to his principal job or position, he performs duties in connection with an activity financed in whole or in part by Federal loans or grants; otherwise, he is not.

- Some of my friends are so afraid of the Hatch Act penalties that they will not even express an opinion on an election. Is it necessary to be so cautious?
  No, Federal employees have the right to express political opinions. The prohibition is against taking an active part in political management or in political campaigns, not against the mere expression of an opinion.

- My wife wants to help a friend campaign for political office. I want to know whether it is all right for her to do that because I am a Government employee. We are both registered voters.
  The Hatch Act does not restrict the activities of an employee's wife or other members of his family in any way, unless it appears that they are engaging in politics in behalf of the employee. If your wife is going to campaign in order to let you get around the Hatch Act, it is a violation and you will be held accountable for her actions.

- May I march in a political parade?
  Generally, no. You may, however, as a member of a band or orchestra that takes part in parades or rallies, provided that it is generally available for hire as a musical organization.

- One of my neighbors, a Federal employee, has a political campaign picture displayed in the window of his home. Is this legal?
  Yes.

- I would like to make a contribution to a certain campaign fund. Is this prohibited by the Hatch Act?
  No, a voluntary contribution to a regularly constituted political or campaign organization or club is entirely lawful, provided the contribution is not made in a Federal building or to some other employee who is prohibited by Federal law from accepting contributions.

- I have been asked to distribute campaign literature for one of the political parties. Does the Hatch Act permit this?
  No. The distribution of partisan campaign literature is prohibited.

- My political party held a dinner some time ago, and I was asked to sell tickets for it. I refused, because I wasn't sure whether the Hatch Act permitted such activity. Was I correct in being so cautious?
  Yes. The sale of political-party dinner tickets is prohibited.

- May I join a political club?
  Yes, you may join the club and vote on questions that arise. You may NOT however, be active in organizing the club, or serve as an officer or committee member, or address the club on political matters.

- I have been thinking of writing a "letter to the editor," expressing my own private opinions concerning the candidate in my home State that I am particularly interested in. Is this permitted?
  No. Writing for publication or publishing any letter or article in favor of or against any political party or candidate is prohibited.

Live only for today, and you ruin tomorrow.  -C. Simms
Who's Who
IN EFFICIENCY AWARDS FOR
FISCAL YEAR 1954

ADOPTED SUGGESTIONS

Adams, Mary Olene
Andrews, Florence A.
Bandido, George R.
Berger, Jack
Bogg, Gall E. (2)
Bridges, Philip N.
Boyer, Arthur E., M/Sgt.
Brogie, Earl F.
Brosnan, John Leo
Bryan, Norman H.
Capparelli, Ruby
Chavez, Joseph (2)
Chumley, Horace
Clark, Edward F.
Cooklin, Walter (3)
Costello, Raymond A.
Crooks, John E.
Colbert, Robert A.
Davis, Joseph H.
Elaine, Morgan (2)
Englisb, Louise
Crooks, John
Durkin, Dugard, Robert E.
Davis, Joseph H.
Facon, Joseph A.
Falcon, Joseph
Farr, Bunsie M.
Fox, Louise
Finch, Jessie L. V. (3)
Friel, James T., USN
Fitzsch, Norman E.
Folk, Esel E.
Furnis, Arthur H.
Gambranella, Anthony J.
Gillia, Emma L.
Goff, Harry
Gordon, Kenneth W.
Grosvenor, Robert M.
Guerrino, Joseph W. (4)
Harby, Bernard, S/Sgt.
Hekinsian, Norris C. (2)
Henry, Robert M.
Hirt, Mr. P.
Hicks, William E.
Holmes, Mildred
Hosan, Morton E.
Hoack, Jack C.
Jaeger, Dorothy L. (2)
James, Henry W.
James, Wilbur G.
Jobe, Walter F., A/2C
Johnston, Fred W.
Jones, Richard H.
Joyce, Robert M.
Keadricks, Catherine M.
King, Carl E.
Crankelkem, Earl E.
Kolumar, F. M.
Krag, Helen S.
Kutz, Louise
Lambert, Margaret G.
Landing, Paul B.
Long, Robert
Lowry, Robert L.
Mathis, Clark, A., Capt.
McDaniel, Howard T.
McGonie, Reb J.
McGinnis, Lee F., Jr.
McKinney, Mary E.
McMillian, William W.
Meyers, Raymond R. (2)
Mood, Raymond
Moran, Eugene G.
Miller, Jerry
Mullin, George R. Capt.
Nichols, William T.
Nicholson, Dorothy E. (2)
Olds, Elizabeth
Pappano, Joseph A. (3)
Pears, Elliot N., Major
Perline, Richard
Pierre, Violet M. (2)
Plame, Samuel, Major
Poirot, C. V.
Porras, Frank J.
Povie, Donald S.
Provan, Nina T.
Raper, Woodrow
Reynolds, Gall E., USA
Rifflie, Frank H.
Sander, Kendall E.
Schultz, Lillian M.
Shields, Robert
Shopliefey, V. H.
Singer, Alexander J.
Smith, Mary K.
Smyth, Constantine J.
Soedersberg, Elizabeth (2)
Spierberg, F. B., Lt. USN
Spriggs, Philip C. (2)
Stocke, Florian (2)
Thaler, Thomas J.
Tieney, Daniel W., Lt.
Totten, Evelyn D.
Vogelheimer, Aleene
Voiglin, Carl B., Major
Walker, William D. (2)
Walsh, John L., Jr. (3)
Wagner, Ruth
Wmgb, Wayne
Weigle, Daniel C., M/Sgt.
White Marion E., Lt.
White, Thelma

SUPERIOR ACCOMPLISHMENT STEP INCREASES

Anderson, Janice W.
Baarsom, Helene F.
Bench, Katherine P.
Banks, James A.
Bevan, J. Wesley
Brooks, Emma O.
Bevan, Edith C.
Bullock, Ethel A.
Brister, L. Delois.
Berger, Jack
Bryant, Norman H.
Black, Frances G.
Bungarner, Delores
Collins, Lanes H.
Carrubba, Enrily
Carpenter, Maccine W.
Currey, Louise
Donahue, Hugh P.
Denkins, Carrie M.
Dey, Katherine A.
Daly, Alice L.
Edley, Theodore
Edmed, Bertha N.
Evans, Ruby F.
Foster, Mary E.
Freedman, Edna O.
Francis, Carol Ann
Foster, Earl D.
Gamble, Chinessa S.
Gert, Lois W.
Hirtzler, Bertra
Hunt, William
Horton, Rosa L.
Hinzich, Helen D.
Heffron, Eleanor M.
Higgin, Mary T.
Hilson, William D.
Hall, Harriet M.
Johnson, Alice C.
Johnson, Harriet T.
Johnson, Catherine M.
Jones, Anna E.
Joudenstcin, Ethel M.
Kennedy, Madge

Whitefield, Charles B.
Wiedemer, Edward L.
Wilkerson, G. D., USN
Wilson, G. B., Jr., Lt. (2)
Witcher, Thomas E.
Wolfe, Mary A.
Woolnough, John L., Capt.
Worden, Herbert W.
Wright, Alice B.
Young, John W.

Keyes, Gloria E.
Layne, Merry V.
Lee, Richard H.
Lockwood, Louise E.
Lyon, Harold
Lowther, George M.
Lindsey, Thomas L.
Lyle, Maricue A.
Menhart, Charles H.
Mood, Raymond F.
Mawyer, Sybil
Miles, Janet G.
Marriott, Gilbert R.
Murphy, John D.
McCormick, Phyllis W.
McDoneal, Gerrude M.
McGuire, Thomas B.
Noel, Jean B.
Osborne, Marion E.
Perry, Emma G.
Patt, Andrew J.
Porras, Frank J.
Ries, JoAnn M.
Riggle, Lewis D.
Sey, Eline Del.
Shupe, Ella Ruth
Singer, Alexander J.
Simms, Margaret L.
Skinner, Robert F.
Sapp, James L.
Sargent, Jane A.
Spence, Hazel M.
Segal, Carl G.
Thomas, Joseph L.
Trainor, Margaret D.
Walder, Irma E.
Wooten, John L.
White, Sadie S.
Wilson, Elizabeth K.
Williams, Virginia H.
Wright, William A.
Young, Darrie R.
Zeman, Jacqueline C.
HENLEY WINS NSA GOLF TOURNAMENT

Lt. T. W. Henley, PROD, topped the 52 participants in the semi-annual NSA Golf Tournament held 10 and 11 July at Anacostia Golf Course, capturing the championship flight trophy with a 139 gross and 122 net score. Henley led the field both days.

Runner-up Captain Ross Taylor, ASA, won the second place trophy, shooting 141 gross and 124 net.

A total of 16 trophies in the various classes were presented to the following winners at a banquet held 14 July at the Bethesda Naval Officers’ club:


Captain Holwick, representing the Director, Colonel Marcy, PROD, and Mr. William Holleman, PERS, presented the trophies. Mr. John Richardson, PROD, entered the program which was arranged by Mr. Miles Meadows, SEC, chairman of the golf tournament.

The next golf tournament will be played 11 and 12 September, so sharpen up your game.

Other sporting events currently being planned include a tennis tourney in early September and a mid-October horseshoe pitching.

MR. THOMAS F. O'BRIEN, CHIEF OF CIVILIAN PERSONNEL, HAS BEEN NAMED CHIEF OF PERSONNEL BRANCH AT FORT MEADE. HIS ASSISTANT WILL BE MAJOR MARCELLO J. ROSSANO.

COLLEGE TRAINING REGISTRATION DATES

Word has been received from the Training Division that the fifth straight semester of the NSA College Training Program, conducted in cooperation with local colleges and universities, will be held this fall. As usual, both on- and off-campus courses will be offered under the Program.

Off-campus registration will be held on Tuesday and Wednesday, 21 and 22 September; on-campus registration on Thursday and Friday, 23 and 24 September. Classes will begin the following Monday.

Detailed information concerning courses, eligibility requirements, and registration will be published in mid-August in the form of a training memorandum.

Outstanding Performance Ratings

Henderson, Raymond L.
Hammes, Walt
Hunt, William
Johnson, Catherine
Jones, Alfred M.
Kelly, Marie F.

Left: Walter F.
Beauché, Robert J.
Bench, Katherine P.
Benzia, Gloria
Boorman, Norman
Beauché, Melville J.
Boulangé, Edmée
Brater, L. DeLois
Clark, Harry L.
Collins, Linnea H.
Currey, Louise
Davis, Joseph H.
Dalley, Donald L.
Estill, Alexander A., Jr.
Feeley, Alfred H.
Fritsch, Norman E.
Gossard, William H.
Griffin, Fred
Guccione, Joseph W.
Herzog, Henry J.
Humes, Mary
Hirtzler, Berta
Henderson, Raymond L.
Hunt, William
Johnson, Catherine
Jones, Alfred M.
Kelly, Marie F.

Low Family

Captain Robert Dunwiddie, assigned to Security Division, was promoted to major on 16 July.

Duckpin League Elects Officers

Members representing the sixteen teams of the NSA Duckpin Bowling League met on July 26 to elect the following officers for the 1954-55 season:

Cecil Corry, president; Jack Gray, vice-president; Ed Fulk, secretary-treasurer.

Entertainment Committee—Toby LaFever, chairman; Charles Ale, Frank Lewis.

Rules Committee—Bill Hawkins, chairman; Bill Lowinski, Walt Novotny.

Prize Committee—Ray Ilgenfritz, chairman; Bernie Amnal, Joe Hannon.

The league hopes to add two more teams to its roster before 8 September, when competition begins at Colonial Village alleys.

The next league meeting will be held on 25 August.

NSA Bowling League Being Organized

Do you want to bowl? An NSA bowling league is now being organized. Men and women, civilian and military are invited to participate.

Individuals may call Employee Relations, 131-60524 if they want to join a team. Teams already organized that would like to be in the league may call the same number and furnish this information: team name, team roster, and team captain’s phone number.

Entry deadline is 23 August. An organizational meeting will be called when all entries are in.

Outstanding Performance Ratings

Arwood, Walter F.
Beauché, Robert J.
Bench, Katherine P.
Benzia, Gloria
Boorman, Norman
Beauché, Melville J.
Boulangé, Edmée
Brater, L. DeLois
Clark, Harry L.
Collins, Linnea H.
Currey, Louise
Davis, Joseph H.
Dalley, Donald L.
Estill, Alexander A., Jr.
Feeley, Alfred H.
Fritsch, Norman E.
Gossard, William H.
Griffin, Fred
Guccione, Joseph W.
Herzog, Henry J.
Humes, Mary
Hirtzler, Berta
Henderson, Raymond L.
Hunt, William
Johnson, Catherine
Jones, Alfred M.
Kelly, Marie F.
Lawless, William J., Jr.
Lockwood, Louise E.
LaPointe, J. Claude
Lowrey, Robert L.
McLaughlin, James J.
McNut, Joan B.
McGuffie, Thomas B.
McCullen, William R.
Menhart, Charles H.
Miles, Janet G.
Marriott, Gilbert
Pierce, Lenore E.
Payne, James H.
Paisnon, Philip J.
Raymond, Gene
Robb, George M.
Seay, Elsie Del.
Shifn, Lawrence E.
Steinmetz, Frank C.
Sonnem, John G.
Sargent, Jean A.
Sawicki, Adele
Turner, Eric W.
Turner, Warren H.
Zack, Robert J.
**TRAVEL PAY TO MILITARY**

COMP reports that special authorization has been received from Chief of Finance, Department of the Army, to make advances of travel pay to military personnel on the same basis as are now made to civilian employees.

**NAVSESTA PICNIC**

The NavSecSta Picnic will be held 28 August at Bay Ridge Beach, Md. All Naval and Marine personnel and their families will be eligible to attend. The tickets will be on sale from 2 August through 20 August at the following offices:

Special Services, Rm. 2202, NavSecSta Personnel Office, Rm. 1039, "B" Bldg., AHS

The price of tickets: Adults—50¢; Children (5–12)–25¢.

A picnic lunch, beer and soft drinks will be served. Activities for the day will be badminton, volleyball, softball, horseshoes, ping-pong and swimming. Transportation will be provided for those who need it. Buy your tickets early!

**NAVSESTA THIRD IN BLOOD DONATIONS**

The report of blood donations from 1 January to 30 June 1954 released by the National Naval Medical Center ranks Naval Security Station third in donations on the list of 32 installations. From 285 NSA and NavSecSta volunteers 203 donors were accepted, exceeding the quota by 23 pints.

**SAFE DRIVING AWARDS PRESENTED TO FIVE**


The award certificates were presented in a ceremony at the Transportation Motor area with all motor pool personnel present.

It has frequently been said that training succeeds only when a change in behavior or attitude occurs. The significance of this observation is epitomized in an illustration used by Kilpatrick, philosopher and educator. Kilpatrick pointed out that memorizing the catechism doesn't necessarily make a consecrated Christian. Learning the right words to use in a given situation doesn't mean training has succeeded. Practice and application are needed in both cases.

Whatever the course content, training is intended to do one or a combination of three things: expand knowledge; increase skills; improve attitudes. The trainer can do none of these for the learner.
TAKE A LOOK AT YOURSELF

Do you have the type of personality it takes to be a good supervisor? Here is your chance to find out. Answer the following questions YES or NO; then consult the KEY below:

1. Do you enjoy the companionship of the opposite sex? YES NO
2. Do you get excited in emergencies? YES NO
3. Are you really the person you hope others think you are? YES NO
4. Do you abhor the great outdoors? YES NO
5. Do people come to you with their problems? YES NO
6. Have you ever thought you might have ulcers? YES NO
7. Do you really care what happens to others? YES NO
8. Is it hard for you to make up your mind? YES NO
9. Do you acknowledge the good ideas of others? YES NO
10. Does TV interfere with your sleep? YES NO
11. Have any of your dreams come true? YES NO
12. Are you bothered with indigestion? YES NO
13. Do you finish things that you start? YES NO
14. Do you justify your past actions to yourself? YES NO
15. Are in-laws welcomed in your home? YES NO
16. Do you always correct people when they are wrong? YES NO
17. Have you ever taken charge of a situation without being told? YES NO
18. Do you frequently make the same mistakes twice? YES NO
19. Can you take kidding? YES NO
20. Do you dream about what might have been? YES NO

Score 20: When did you leave home? score 1-12: Transition. Score 13-19: A person in the making. Also, man score 20:

Correct answers: all odd numbers, YES: all even numbers.

KNOW YOUR CREDIT UNION

What is the NSA Federal Credit Union?
The NSA Federal Credit Union is a cooperative organization which belongs to the members. You save money as you would in a savings account, and you may borrow money when it is needed.

How do I become a member?
To join the NSA Federal Credit Union you pay a 25 cent initial membership fee which goes to a delinquent loan fund, and purchase a $5 share which may be paid in installments of 25 cents down and 25 cents a month.

What are the advantages of being a member?
You receive dividends which are paid once a year on your share balance. Last year a 2 per cent dividend was paid.

You can borrow money at the low interest rate of 1 per cent per month on your loan balance with payments arranged to suit your budget.

Savings and loan balances are insured.
Your savings and loan balances are insured by CUNA Mutual Insurance Society.

Your savings are insured up to $1,000. You receive $1 of insurance for each $1 that you deposit before you reach the age of 55. In case of your death, your family receives double the amount of your share balance.

Your loan balance is insured up to $10,000. In case of your death, your loan balance is paid up.

When can I join?
You may join Mondays through Thursdays from 9:30 to 11:45 A.M. and 1:00 to 3:30 P.M.; Fridays from 9:00 A.M. to 5:00 P.M. See Mrs. Thornton, treasurer, Room A-210 Headquarters Bldg.

EMPLOYEE SUGGESTION NOTES

Many suggestions received from employees contain two or more ideas, often unrelated. While in no way trying to limit the number of suggestions submitted, we urge employees to submit only one suggestion on each blank. This will speed up and simplify evaluation and your chances of winning a cash award will be increased.

It is not surprising that a seemingly good suggestion pops up consistently from different people, yet is never approved. One example of such a perennial is the central typist pool idea. We offer here a brief paraphrase of the official reasons why this suggestion is not adopted. In a pool, the technical competence of a typist suffers. She loses efficiency through lack of familiarity with the personal quirks, handwriting, abbreviations, and special requirements of people with whom she is associated. Her morale suffers because she does work for a large number of individuals who have no responsibility toward her and are unaware of her personal interests.

Keep 'em coming, and remember—just one suggestion per blank.
CIVILIAN REIMBURSEMENT FOR EYE REPAIR

The Comptroller General has approved reimbursement to civilians of the cost of moving dependents and household effects to the Fort Meade area, provided appropriate stipulations are met.

The following questions and answers outline the broad terms of reimbursement. Call or visit the Meademobile, AHS, ext. 467, for detailed information.

Q. What evidence of shipment must the employee file for reimbursement?
   • Original or certified copies of bills of lading, or if these are unavailable, other evidence of point of origin, destination, and weight.

Q. Is the distance limited for which the government will pay the shipping costs?
   • No limit on distance. However, the move for which reimbursement is requested must enhance the location of residence with respect to employment at Fort Meade.

Q. May temporary storage of household goods be authorized?
   • Yes, up to 60 days. Again, claim for reimbursement must be supported by the original or certified copy of the receipted warehouse bill.

Q. May an employee move after his effective date of transfer to the new location?
   • Yes, within 2 years. The 2 year period is exclusive of time spent in military service.

Q. What is the maximum weight allowed for shipment of household effects?
   • Employees with dependents—7000 lbs., employees without dependents—2500 lbs.

Q. How will travel costs be reimbursed?
   • Per diem rates for actual travel time of the employee or one-fourth of a day (whichever is greater), or mileage rate of 7 cents a mile for authorized travel by privately owned automobile will be paid. Where private conveyance is not available, the employee and his dependents may be authorized to travel by common carrier at Government expense.

Q. May advance funds for transportation of household goods be granted to an employee?
   • If his travel orders authorize transportation of household goods at Government expense, advance funds may be granted in exceptional circumstances of financial need.

SATURDAY TOURS FOR EMPLOYEES' FAMILIES

Families of NSA members scheduled for the interim move to Fort Meade should not miss the Saturday tours being conducted this month.

Each group sees housing developments, shopping centers, schools and churches in the Fort Meade area and inspects the new buildings and post facilities.

The tours, by chartered bus, leave AHS at 0900 on Saturday and return at about 1400. Space is limited, so contact the Meademobile, 147/467 for your reservation.

MAJOR MARIETTA T. CARDINAL, WAC, WHO HAS JUST COMPLETED A 3 YEAR TOUR OF DUTY IN EUROPE HAS RECENTLY BEEN ASSIGNED TO PROG.

THE COSTS OF ACCIDENTS: $9 BILLION A YEAR

Accidents of all types claimed 95,000 lives and injured 9 million persons in 1953, according to the National Safety Council. The resulting economic loss, covering both fatal and non-fatal accidents, was $9.1 billion, the Council estimates.

The Council noted that while the 1953 accident death toll was 1,000 below the 1952 total, it was still more than three times as great as the toll of American dead during the entire Korean War.

The motor vehicle held its place as the No. 1 accident killer. Traffic deaths numbered 36,300—a gain of 1 per cent over 1952. This total was the third largest in history, exceeded only in 1937 and 1941. Traffic accidents resulted in over 1.3 million non-fatal injuries.

Accidental deaths at work were unchanged at 15,000. Fatalities in home accidents numbered 28,000, a decline of 1,000.

LIST OF SUBVERSIVE PUBLICATIONS

For the guidance of NSA personnel and in response to many questions regarding cited publications, the Security Division is publishing the following list of subversive publications released by the Committee on Un-American Activities, U. S. House of Representatives, Washington, D. C. The list is taken from House Document No. 137, 82d Congress.

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A notorious rabble-rouser once complained to Benjamin Franklin that the Constitution of the United States was a mockery. "Where is all the happiness it is supposed to guarantee us?" he demanded. "All the Constitution guarantees, my friend," Franklin answered, "is the pursuit of happiness. You have to catch up with it yourself."
AHS ADJUTANT CALLS ATTENTION
TO UNIFORM VIOLATIONS

Laxity on the part of military personnel at AHS, insofar as observing uniform regulations are concerned, has been increasing in the past few months, states the Station Commander. The following is a list of the most noted violations:

Wearing of ill-fitting garments, particularly trousers—too tight or too short.

Wearing of soiled and/or unpressed uniforms.

Wearing of garments which are obviously worn-out.

Garments which are non-standard in color or design, particularly footwear and socks.

Wearing unshined leather and brass.

Wearing unauthorized shoulder sleeve insignia, especially on the left sleeve.

Wearing branch, grade, cap and "US" insignia in unauthorized designs or improperly positioned.

The importance of personal appearance, military bearing, and proper discipline cannot be over stressed. All military personnel are requested to make individual effort to improve themselves in proper dress as prescribed by regulations.

BUCKINGHAM PARKING

WARNING: The manager of the Buckingham Community Apartments has enlisted the aid of the Commonwealth Attorney in invoking the statutory provisions of the Virginia Motor Vehicle Code which provides for TOWING and STORAGE of illegally parked vehicles on private property.

Buckingham Community is planning to swear out warrants and have those cars, parked illegally on private property, towed away and stored at the owner's expense.

COLONEL SAMUEL H. LANSING, USA, HAS RECENTLY BEEN ASSIGNED TO P/P REPLACING LT. COL. KENNETH FRY AS PENTAGON LIAISON OFFICER.

AHS OFFICERS' CLUB ACTIVITIES FOR AUGUST

CLUB HOUR—18 August—all refreshments half price from 1615 to 1730 hours.

BREW NITE—27 August—free beer and pretzels from 1615 to 1930 hours.

THE AHS LADIES CLUB—18 August (3rd Wednesday of each month). For further information call Mrs. Schwieber, Temple 6-7931.

NEWSLETTER SURVEY

Since we cannot meet all our readers, we are trying through this means to find out specifically what material is interesting and beneficial to you, the reader. Please check the items listed below. The time required to jot down your answers will be negligible, and the help you give us will be extremely valuable. Be frank. We want to know if the job we are doing helps you and keeps you informed.

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   All ☐ Most ☐ Some ☐ None ☐

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