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Camp Breckinridge Is Excess



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FRONT ROW SEATS — were occupied by members of the Honor Guard during dedication ceremonies of the Louisville National Guard Armory.

New Louisville Armory Dedicated During Kentucky State Fair

The number 7 had more than routine significance in the dedication of the new Louisville National Guard Armory.

Formal dedication ceremonies were held on the afternoon of September 7—which was “Governors Day” at the Kentucky State Fair—the Armory was the seventh built since the beginning of Governor Bert T. Combs’ Administration—and the building is designed as a seven-unit Armory.

In his presentation remarks, Major General Arthur Y. Lloyd, Kentucky Adjutant General, noted that as a part of the goal to replace all inadequate facilities now existing, “we expect to place five other new Armories under contract within the next few months.”

(In fact, an eighth Armory was dedicated October 28 in Barbourville.)

The seventh Armory is on property provided by the Kentucky State Fair

Board, just a few hundred yards north of the Kentucky Fair and Exposition Center.

The building and area improvement cost a total \$423,295 and was constructed by Otho Tapp and Sons of Louisville. Architect was George Keat and Associates of Louisville.

In addition to Governor Combs, the dedication was attended by 3d District Congressman Frank Burke; F. W. Curran, President of the Kentucky State Fair Board; Lieutenant Governor Wilson Wyatt; Jefferson County Judge Marlow Cook, and Brigadier General Evert S. Thomas, Jr., Commanding General of Fort Knox’s Training Center for Armor.

Armory construction began on June 5, 1961 and required 13 months to finish the building.

National Guard units which now

Alternate 1963 Training Sites Are Announced

Camp Breckinridge, which once swarmed with nearly 40,000 troops, but in recent years has seen only a fraction of that many, is now on the excess list of the Department of Defense.

The sprawling, 36,000-acre Army reservation stretches over much of three counties—Henderson, Union and Webster.

One estimate is that Breckinridge costs the Army \$800,000 a year just to keep up on a stand-by basis.

About one third of the buildings are used now, those for summer field training and they are in fair to good condition. Others, including most of the hospital area, which have not been used since December 1953, are considered to be in fair condition.

Presently, the final disposition of the Reservation is very uncertain. Several City, County and State committees have been formed to express their interest in the facilities. Some of the proposed uses include industrial sites, game preserve, a park area, farming area, a State National Guard camp and others.

Major General Arthur Y. Lloyd, Kentucky’s Adjutant General pointed out that the impact area of the artillery ranges, nearly 10,000 acres, probably could never be made safe enough for farming or other use because it would be nearly impossible to remove all the duds which might be found in the area. For the most part, a National Guard camp would require about one-third of the barracks and all of the artillery ranges.

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Bandsmen Are Made Honorary Citizens of Morganfield

The city of Morganfield has "adopted" as honorary citizens some National Guardsmen.

Specifically, the members of the 202d Army Band's Dance Band who played for Morganfield's Sesquicentennial during 1962 summer camp.

Mayor J. Earle Bell promised honorary citizen cards.

He said they would not obligate the Band members "to contribute to our tax till," but would show the city's appreciation for "the noble efforts of your men" and for all "the kind things you have said about our community."

THE AG SPEAKS



By Major General A. Y. Lloyd

At the time of this writing two things cause me to have concern insofar as they affect the Kentucky National Guard. Recently many of the AG's from the Eastern half of the United States met with General McGowan. For various reasons, the actual strength of the National Guard has, in recent months, dropped considerably below authorized strength. For example, as of 1 November, the Kentucky Army National Guard was 510 below authorized strength. It is extremely important that recruiting be emphasized during the next couple of months in order that we can reach full strength. This can be accomplished if every man will consider himself as a "recruiter" with the view of trying to bring his unit up to full strength. It is imperative that this be done before Hearings are started in the Armed Services Committees during the next Congress.

I am also concerned about the Physical Fitness Program. When President Kennedy launched his program of physical fitness in the schools, he emphasized that the "strength of our democracy is no greater than the collective well-being of our people. The vigor of our country is no stronger than the vitality and will of our countrymen."

In results of tests among 200,000 school children, almost half in grades four through twelve failed even the minimum physical achievement tests. Less than 10 per cent reached a satisfactory level.

Another series of tests showed that 58 per cent of Americans failed a fitness test that only 8.7 percent of Europeans failed.

According to General Hershey, Director of Selective Service, out of the some six million young men examined for military duty since October 1948, more than a million have been rejected for physical reasons alone. A substantial number of these rejections were in the preventable category. This means that among those eligible for military

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Passing In Review

WILLIS GETS CERTIFICATE

A Kentucky Air National Guardsman who was top man in a jet mechanics' class of 300 was honored November 18 at Shewmaker Air National Guard Base, Louisville.

A3C Charles L. Willis, 23, of 1610 Texas, Louisville, received an Air Training Command honor certificate from Colonel Verne M. Yahne, vice commander of the 123rd Tactical Reconnaissance Wing, at a wing formation. Willis ranked first in his class at the Air Force mechanics' school at Amarillo Air Force Base, Texas.

Willis joined the Air Guard in March, 1962. In the Air Guard he is an RB-57 mechanic and in civilian life an appliance designer for General Electric.

FIRST IN CLASS

Sergeant Bernard Alsip, Springfield, a member of Service Battery, 4th Howitzer Battalion, 138th Arty, attained the highest academic standing in his class while attending the Infantry Mechanics Course at Fort Benning, Georgia.

In a letter from Brigadier General Royal Reynolds, Jr. the Assistant Commandant of The Infantry Center cited Alsip's seven superior grades out of nine examinations and his average score of 96.6 percent.

USP&FO RATES SUPERIOR

The first superior rating for an annual general inspection ever received by the U. S. Property and Fiscal Officer for Kentucky was awarded this year with a letter and plaque from Major General D. W. McGowan, Chief of the National Guard Bureau. The letter complimented

Major Willis R. Hodges, and his staff for their outstanding accomplishments during fiscal year 1962. As the USP&FO for Kentucky, Major Hodges is accountable for \$45,000,000 worth of equipment and in addition his office is accountable for more than \$6,000,000 in funds each year.

ARMORY PROVIDES CLASSROOM

The National Guard Armory in Middlesboro doubled last September as a center for handicapped children in Bell County.

Classes began with five children and a waiting list of 15. The classes started at 9 a.m. and ran until noon on Tuesdays and Thursdays.

When Middlesboro's school consolidation is completed, it's expected that a special classroom will be built for handicapped children.

OUTSTANDING MAN SELECTED

The Non-Commissioned Officers Club of Battery C, 2nd Howitzer Battalion, of Bardstown, chose Roy E. Houck, of High Grove, as the outstanding soldier of the outfit at summer camp at Camp Breckinridge.

Houck has been a member of the National Guard since 1957 and is a son of Mr. and Mrs. Raleigh Houck. He is an employee of the James B. Beam Distillery at Clermont.

A \$5 prize and a certificate of appreciation from the battery were awarded him.

AWARDED MEDAL

Seven members of Service Battery, 3d Howitzer Battalion, 138th Artillery of Harrodsburg were recently awarded

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Promotions

Promotion list covers the period 1 May 1962 to 30 September 1962. Personnel listed have been promoted to the ranks indicated. Officers listed have received federal recognition during the above period.

Enlisted promotions are compiled from information supplied by unit commanders. Promotions below E-4 are not listed.

HQ KY AIR NG—STATE STAFF

Lt. Col. Taylor L. Davidson
1st Lt. Lesue W. Morris II

HQ 123D TAC R WG

SSGT E-5 Melvin E. Benovitz
A1C E-4 Kenneth E. Snyder

165TH TAC R SQ

Maj. William T. Dotson, Jr.
Capt. Carl D. Black
SSGT E-5 Bobby J. Ralston
A1C E-4 Thomas R. Speaker
A1C E-4 Lowell T. Webb
A1C E-4 Herbert M. Corey
A1C E-4 James E. Wheatley
A1C E-4 Carl A. Ebert

165TH WEA FLT

A1C E-4 Thomas A. Conley III
A1C E-4 John M. Goulding

123D ARMT & ELECT MAINT SQ

TSGT E-7 Donald B. Redmon
SSGT E-5 Charles A. Griffin
SSGT E-5 Paul F. Reinhardt, Jr.
A1C E-4 Eugene R. Vowels

123D CONS ACFT MAINT SQ

TSGT E-7 Emory R. Burnett

123D SUPPLY SQ

A1C E-4 James F. Kilner

123D TRANS SQ

A1C E-4 Daniel R. Kelley
A1C E-4 Forrest E. Moore, Jr.

123D TAC HOSP

A1C E-4 Larry A. Fowler

ST HQ & HQ DET KY ARNG

Col. Harold B. Travis
Lt. Col. John I. Faulkenberry
Lt. Col. William S. Riley
Capt. William E. Adams, Jr.
Capt. Howard E. Haney
Capt. Lawrence L. Pedley
1st Lt. William E. McAllister
SSGT E-6 James B. Howard
SSGT E-6 Thomas L. Jackson
SGT E-5 Henry M. League
SGT E-5 Bobby R. Paynter
SGT E-5 David L. Ueltschi
CPL E-4 James C. Rogers
SP4 E-4 William A. Kendall, Jr.
SP4 E-4 Ralph A. Pulliam, Jr.
SP4 E-4 Henry S. Sullivan
SP4 Chester L. Thompson

HQ & HQ BTRY XXIII CORPS ARTY

Lt. Col. Wilbur R. Buntin Jr.
Maj. Robert H. O'Bryan
1st Lt. John C. Wagner
CWO-3 Joseph A. Kiesler
SFC E-7 John P. Vogt
SFC E-7 Frank E. Zinsius
SSG E-6 Donald E. Thompson
SGT E-5 Robert B. Haag
SGT E-5 Robert W. Rose
SP4 E-4 Martin G. Bowling
SP4 E-4 Gerald L. Broyles
SP4 E-4 Carl A. Eberhart Jr.
SP4 E-4 Norbert A. Kopp Jr.
SP4 E-4 Donald G. Lawson
SP4 E-4 Kenneth L. McDonald
SP4 E-4 Roy L. Piper

HQ & HQ BTRY 138TH ARTY GP

Maj. Charles E. Shelton
SFC E-7 George Mattocks Jr.
SSGT E-6 James L. Rose
SSGT E-6 James H. Fugette
SGT E-5 Ronald A. Collins
SGT E-5 James L. Butler
SGT E-5 James F. Thompson
SGT E-5 William A. Reeves Jr.
SGT E-5 Lewis L. Sargent
SP5 E-5 Leslie T. Stockdale
SP4 E-4 Joseph H. Smith III
SP4 E-4 Robert G. Allison
SP4 E-4 William F. Brett
SP4 E-4 James C. Claypool

HQ & HQ CO 149TH ARMOR GROUP

MSGT E-8 Richard Greenrose
SP4 E-4 Rodney G. Hillard
SP4 E-4 August J. Schoenbachler

202D ARMY BAND

SP4 Carl B. O'Bryan

103D SIG CO (FSM)

1st Lt. Joseph R. Gatewood
SPC E-7 Roger L. Upton
SSG E-6 Martin B. Feamster
SP5 E-5 James C. Bailey
SP5 E-5 Lee C. Penn
SP4 E-4 Charles W. Brown
SP4 E-4 Stanley M. Long
SP4 E-4 Harold B. Parrish
SP4 E-4 Elliott D. Smith
SP4 E-4 James C. Sudduth

207TH ENGR CO (FB) ASHLAND KY

1st Lt. Carl L. Fout
WO W-1 Arthur E. Shelton
MSGT E-8 Norman C. Bullard
SFC E-7 James V. Sergeant
SP5 E-5 Mack H. Stansberry
SP4 E-4 Ronald G. Boggs
SP4 E-4 Charles E. Bullion
SP4 E-4 Garrett Byrd Jr.
SP4 E-4 Richard Endicott
SP4 E-4 John W. Hanks
SP4 E-4 Philip R. Mculley
SP4 E-4 Samuel G. Riddle
SP4 E-4 Thomas D. Thompson
SP4 E-4 Carson C. Waters
SP4 E-4 William L. Withrow

BTRY A (SLT) 138TH ARTY

2d Lt. Charles W. Cheatham
2d Lt. Ronald F. Hettinger
SFC E-7 John E. Harbin
SSG E-6 Harvey R. Gaddie
SSG E-6 Robert K. Kelly
SGT E-5 Larry L. Hall
SGT E-5 Paul B. Kleine-Kracht
SGT E-5 James J. Lennon
SGT E-5 Jimmie R. Roberson
SGT E-5 Norman D. Stevens
SP5 E-5 Lewie M. Ensor
SP5 E-5 James R. Logsdon
SP5 E-5 William A. Weber
CPL E-4 Jerry T. Henderson
SP4 E-4 Ronald E. Braun
SP4 E-4 Crittenden L. Clouse
SP4 E-4 Donald A. Freville
SP4 E-4 Billy C. Goad
SP4 E-4 Joseph A. Pfeiffer
SP4 E-4 Eugene D. Schultz
SP4 E-4 Richard D. Stasel
SP4 E-4 William P. Whelan
SP4 E-4 James E. Wilson

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—Frankfort State Journal Photo

EISENHOWER TROPHY—Capt. Calvin L. Knoop, commander of the 413th Ordinance Co., Frankfort, is shown receiving from Maj. Gen. A. Y. Lloyd, State Adjutant General, the Eisenhower Trophy, awarded each year to the top ranking Kentucky Guard unit. Knoop received the trophy during ceremonies at the Frankfort Armory August 17. The award is normally made during annual field training, but at that time this year, the 413th was on active duty at Fort Stewart, Ga.

PASSING IN REVIEW

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the Armed Forces Reserve Medal. They are CWO Carl H. Edwards; CWO Virgil P. Elliott; 1st Sergeant Oscar G. Sanders; SFC Ralph W. Hunt; SSGT Leroy Bruner; SSGT William C. Grigsby, and SP5 Thomas H. Edwards, Jr.

GUARD CENTER NAMED

Orders were published October 25th officially naming the group of Kentucky National Guard facilities which are located around the Frankfort Airport as the "Boone National Guard Center." The General Order, designating the center's name "in honor of Colonel Daniel Boone of the Kentucky Militia" was published on the anniversary of Boone's birth.

AIR GUARD DONATES BLOOD

Thirty-five per cent of those Kentucky Air National Guardsman present at the 26 August 1962 drill donated a pint of blood each to the Red Cross Regional Bloodmobile. Two hundred sixteen pints of blood were collected during the Bloodmobile's visit to Shewmaker ANG Base Louisville.

VEHICLE SAFETY CHECK HELD

Two Kentucky Army National Guardsmen recently had a part in a successful vehicle safety campaign in Glasgow.

June 1-8 was Vehicle Safety-Check week, and CWO Harlan S. Pinkston, Jr., shop chief for OMS No. 9, was chairman of the JayCee committee promoting the campaign. CWO James L. Strange, administrative specialist for the 4th Howitzer Battalion, was secretary for the committee.

Over 1,700 vehicles went through the safety check lane June 1 and 2.

AG SPEAKS

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duty, the equivalent of eighteen combat divisions were rejected for physical reasons that could have been prevented or avoided.

As Americans — and as National Guardsmen — we can understand the urgency for correcting this situation. Guardsmen particularly understand better than most people the necessity for maintaining a "ready now" condition. I hope that Kentucky Guardsmen and Guard units will assume some leadership in promoting physical fitness in their local communities.

To provide this leadership, it is important that the Guardsmen themselves carry out an effective and constructive personal physical fitness program. You will hear more about this in the future.

PROMOTIONS*(Continued from Page 3)***HQ & HQ BTRY 1ST HOW BN 138TH ARTY**

Capt. Roger W. Montgomery
1st Lt. Kraus, Jr.
SGT E-5 George R. O'Bryan
SGT E-5 Billy R. Pruitt
SP5 E-5 Ray V. Alvey
SP4 E-4 Bernard F. Breckel
SP4 E-4 James W. Lunsford
SP4 E-4 Roger V. Manning
SP4 E-4 Donald J. Reidling
SP4 E-4 James E. Shanks

A BTRY, 1ST HOW BN

SSG E-6 Harold L. Crume
SP5 E-5 Frank E. Williams
CPL E-4 Elvin R. Faust
SP4 E-4 Charles E. Meisenhelder
SP4 E-4 William J. Nordhoff

BTRY B, 1ST HOW BN

SSG E-6 Lowell T. Early
SGT E-5 Martin E. Hobbs
SGT E-5 Sperling L. Paschal Jr.
SP5 E-5 Victor Allen
CPL E-4 Kenneth E. Blair
CPL E-4 Zachary M. Bryant
SP4 E-4 Royce E. Armstrong
SP4 E-4 Brian P. Chapman
SP4 E-4 Russel L. Hosch
SP4 E-4 Morton F. Kelly
SP4 E-4 Julian E. McKnight
SP4 E-4 William A. Steimle III
SP4 E-4 Walter T. Yurt

SVC BTRY 1ST HOW BN

Capt. Anthony F. Kieta
CPL E-4 Michael H. Logsdon
SP4 E-4 Clay R. Allen, Jr.
SP4 E-4 Thomas G. Blankenship
SP4 E-4 Gerald F. Camfield
SP4 E-4 Adam D. Dillman
SP4 E-4 Larry D. East
SP4 E-4 William M. Hardin Jr.
SP4 E-4 David W. Tucker

HQ BTRY 2D HOW BN 138TH ARTY

Capt. Raymond P. Sumner
2d Lt. Howard Boatman
2d Lt. Frank C. Lester
2d Lt. Gerald J. Wilhoite

BTRY A 2D HOW BN

2d Lt. John E. Glauber, Jr.
SGT E-5 Claude E. Hamilton

BTRY C 2D HOW BN

Capt. Harold O. Loy
SFC E-7 Norman A. Green
SSG E-6 Gerald D. Green
SSG E-6 William R. Tolle
CPL E-4 Curtis L. Durbin Jr.
SP4 E-4 Edgar S. Abell
SP4 E-4 Herbert L. Brothers
SP4 E-4 Miles E. Durbin
SP4 E-4 Clarence E. Ferguson
SP4 E-4 Charles L. Ruley
SP4 E-4 Jesse P. Rummage
SP4 E-4 Tommy Shelbourne
SP4 E-4 Thomas S. Smith

SVC BTRY 2D HOW BN

CWO W-3 Cecil C. Shanks
WO W-1 Richard L. Hanna

HQ BTRY, 3D HOW BN 138TH ARTY

Maj. Robert T. Walker
1st Lt. Raymond G. Leedy
CPL E-4 William J. Gay
SP4 E-4 John W. Bottoms
SP4 E-4 John H. Durbin
SP4 E-4 Maurice P. Payne
SP4 E-4 Elmer C. Stocker

BTRY A 3D HOW BN

SSGT E-6 Thomas F. Lynn
SSGT E-6 Bobby L. Potts
SSGT E-6 Jack L. Shepherd
SGT E-5 Gilbert C. Lee
SP5 E-5 Benjamin E. Durham
CPL E-4 Thomas J. Adams
CPL E-4 Garnett H. Baugh
CPL E-4 Robert B. Wilmot
SP4 E-4 William G. Adams
SP4 E-4 Ronald B. Clem
SP4 E-4 Lewis E. Sargent
SP4 E-4 James R. Short
SP4 E-4 Larry E. Sunski
SP4 E-4 Allen R. Watson

BTRY C, 3D HOW BN

Capt. Eugene H. Carpenter
SP5 E-5 Jewel K. Vice
SP4 E-4 Clifton B. Wagner Jr.

SVC BTRY 3D HOW BN

SFC E-7 Ralph W. Hunt
SSG E-6 William R. Curd
SGT E-5 Marshall W. Darland
SGT E-5 William L. Darland
SGT E-5 Keith D. McGuire
SP5 E-5 Gerald B. Davis

SP5 E-5 Oliver Drury
SP5 E-5 Benjamin F. Medley
SP4 E-4 Archie M. Britton
SP4 E-4 James E. Brown
SP4 E-4 Lonnie V. Campbell
SP4 E-4 John W. Elliott
SP4 E-4 William T. Phillips
SP4 E-4 Ollie G. Savage
SP4 E-4 James C. Springate
SP4 E-4 Buddy A. Steele

HQ BTRY 4TH HOW BN 138TH ARTY

Maj. James F. Graves
2d Lt. Willis E. Rich Jr.
2d Lt. Kenneth W. Miller
SFC E-7 George R. Edwards
SSGT E-6 William H. Baxter
SGT E-5 Rex A. Emberton
SP5 E-5 John R. Elmore
SP4 E-4 Joe B. Jones
SP4 E-4 William N. Rutledge
SP4 E-4 Robert L. Wilson

BTRY A 4TH HOW BN

SSGT E-6 Carl L. Anderson
SSGT E-6 Thomas M. Bean
SSGT E-6 Hermon L. Hammer
SGT E-5 Freeman M. Branham
SGT E-5 Charlie V. Kirkpatrick
SP4 E-4 Joe E. Flippin
SP4 E-4 George W. Stephens
SP4 E-4 Jackie N. Wood

BTRY B 4TH HOW BN

SGT E-5 Shelby S. Lee
SP5 E-5 Allen D. Young
SP4 E-4 Harold T. Mills
SP4 E-4 Robert J. Powell
SP4 E-4 James R. Walls

BTRY C 4TH HOW BN

SSG E-6 James H. Daniels
SP5 E-5 Learl K. Brown

SVC BTRY 4TH HOW BN

2d Lt. Dan H. Thibodeaux
CWO W-3 James L. Strange
CWO W-2 Harlan S. Pinkston Jr.
SFC E-7 Morris G. Sweazy
SSGT E-6 Bernard Alsip
SGT E-5 Bobby C. Russell
SGT E-5 James L. Spalding Jr.
SP4 E-4 James W. Grider
SP4 E-4 Raymond A. Nally
SP4 E-4 Jack W. Raybourne
SP4 E-4 Harold D. Reynolds

HQ BTRY 5TH TAB 138TH ARTY

Capt. Henry E. Netherton, Jr.
SFC E-7 John T. Oliver
SSG E-6 John R. Beard Jr.
SGT E-5 George L. Owens
CPL E-4 Jim G. Kennedy
SP4 E-4 Wayne E. Adams
SP4 E-4 Glenn A. Calvert
SP4 E-4 Shirley J. Congleton
CPL E-4 Harry E. Grimes
SP4 E-4 Carl B. Hall III
SP4 E-4 Royce A. Jayne
SP4 E-4 Robert L. Kemp
SP4 E-4 Albert Kemper
SP4 E-4 Jack Masters
SP4 E-4 Kenneth A. Moberly
SP4 E-4 James C. Brewer
SP4 E-4 George E. Egalite
SP4 E-4 William B. Wilson III
SP4 E-4 Robert D. Neal

BTRY A 5TH TAB

SSGT E-6 Norman T. Cox
SSGT E-6 Gerald E. Pollard
SSGT E-6 Fredrick M. Zimmerman
SGT E-5 John T. Turner
SP5 E-5 Charles E. Roberts
SP4 E-4 Billy C. Cross
SP4 E-4 Ollie J. Hardiman
SP4 E-4 James E. Haddix
SP4 E-4 Earl J. Hilton

BTRY B 5TH TAB

SFC E-7 Roland W. Hurst
SFC E-7 Gilbert L. Johnson
SSGT E-6 Charles A. Long
SGT E-5 Ronald L. Vaughn
SP5 E-5 John W. Dewboys
SP5 E-5 Charles T. Kasey
SP4 E-4 Donald E. Abel
SP4 E-4 Leo M. Barr
SP4 E-4 Eugene Botner
SP4 E-4 Larry L. Burton
SP4 E-4 Thomas W. Callaghan
SP4 E-4 John R. Cecil
SP4 E-4 Charles G. Chism
SP4 E-4 Ernest L. Gray
SP4 E-4 Donald B. Hardy
SP4 E-4 Robert G. Heightchew
SP4 E-4 Lawrence W. Kessler
SP4 E-4 George P. Miller Jr.
SP4 E-4 William A. Schweitzer
SP4 E-4 Edward E. Woods

BTRY C 5TH TAB

SSGT E-6 Franklin D. Helton
SGT E-5 Louis W. Rickman Jr.

Guardsmen Aid In Search for Wreckage

Thirty-two Kentucky National Guardsmen were placed on State Active Duty for five days beginning August 7th, to assist in looking for the wreckage of a plane which crashed in the mountains of Eastern Kentucky. They were on duty for a total of five days beginning August 7th.

The plane was piloted by Dana Byers and had as passengers; his wife, Thelma and 15 year old daughter, Beverly. The light aircraft had left Knoxville, Tennessee headed for Huntington, W. Va. and the pilot had reported that he was lost, couldn't figure out his location and that he was low on gasoline.

This all occurred on July 29th 1962, and State and local police, aided by civilian search parties hadn't found the plane when Guardsmen were mobilized.

Captain Charles Hunter and 12 men from Co. A, 1st Medium Tank Bn, 123 Armor were placed on active duty along with 1st Lt. James C. Pence, and 14 men from Co. C, 201st Engineer Bn, Jackson. In addition two Kentucky Army National Guard pilots and two aircraft mechanics were placed into duty with a helicopter, and an L-19 aircraft. These were Capt. Billy M. Hedges, St. Matthews; Capt. David F. Fleming, Flemingsburg; SP5 William H. Canon, Jr., Frankfort, and SP4 Leonard H. Shouse, Simpsonville.

State and local Civil Defense officials also aided in the search.

The missing aircraft was found at dusk on August 10th where it had crashed into the side of a mountain near Kite, Kentucky about 16 miles northwest of Hazard. All three members of the Byers family were dead.

SP5 E-5 Thomas W. Breen
SP5 E-5 Charles H. Compton
SGT E-5 Harold R. Sullivan
SGT E-5 Charles E. Dawers
SP4 E-4 John K. Foote

HQ & HQ CO 1ST MTB 123D ARMOR

2d Lt. Grant Reed Jr.
2d Lt. John Earl Sloane
1SG E-8 James H. Williams
SSG E-6 Larry C. Hammons
SGT E-5 Donnie L. Martin
SP4 E-4 Donald L. Bain
SP4 E-4 Paul R. Blevins
SP4 E-4 Lenval Burton
SP4 E-4 Charles E. Garland
SP4 E-4 Ronald E. Martin
SP4 E-4 Byron E. McWilliams
SP4 E-4 Charles A. Miracle
SP4 E-4 Vernon Peters
SP4 E-4 Marcellus Woods Jr.

CO A 1ST MTB

SSGT E-6 Herbert Shoemaker
SGT E-5 Ronald P. Venable
SP5 E-5 Carlyle Howard
SP4 E-4 Terry L. Howard
SP4 E-4 Harry E. West

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—National Guard Bureau Photo

SHARPSHOOTERS . . . These members of the Kentucky National Guard Rifle Team won the Sharpshooter Reserve Category Award in the Herrick Trophy Team Match at Camp Perry, Ohio. In the back row, left to right, are 1st Sgt. Leonard H. Gould, SSG Stanley P. South, SGT Tracy W. McQueen, SP4 Steve Haller III, SP4 Tyrone D. Thomas and SSG James W. Eversole. All are members of Battery B, 3d Howitzer Battalion, 138th Artillery, Ravenna. Front row, left to right: 2d Lt. James Day, 2d Lt. Verlon W. Prewitt, Maj. Robert T. Walker and 1st Lt. Robert C. Flynn. Day and Flynn are from Headquarters Battery, 3d Howitzer Battalion, 138th Artillery, Richmond; Prewitt from Battery B, 3d Howitzer Battalion, 138th Artillery, Ravenna; and Walker from Headquarters, 3d Howitzer Battalion, 138th Artillery, Richmond.

Kentucky's Rifle Team Participate In National Matches at Camp Perry

To what was once an induction center, then a prisoner of war camp, went a ten-man team of Kentucky National Guardsmen last August.

When they returned from what is now Camp Perry, between Cleveland and Toledo, Ohio, they brought with them a trophy from the National Rifle Matches.

They also participated in an unscheduled fire.

The team won the Sharpshooter Reserve Category Award in the Herrick Trophy Team Match, scoring 501-30 out of a possible 600 points.

The members are 1ST LT Robert C. Flynn and 2D LT James A. Day, Headquarters Battery, 3d Howitzer Battalion, 138th Artillery, Richmond; Major Robert T. Walker, Headquarters, 3d Howitzer Battalion, 138th Artillery, Richmond; and these other members, all from Battery B, 3d Howitzer Battalion, 138th Artillery, Ravenna:

2D LT Verlon W. Prewitt, 1ST SGT Leonard H. Gould, SSG Stanley P. South, SGT Tracy W. McQueen, SP4 Steve Haller III, SP4 Tyrone D. Thomas and SSG James W. Eversole.

Two of the Rifle Team members—Major Walker and SSG South—were

watching sail boats one evening in the annual Port Clinton Yacht Club Regatta when they saw thick black smoke.

They immediately went to the scene of the fire where they helped direct fire-fighting activities until local fire units arrived. And they stayed on the scene until the fire equipment left.

Major Walker is chief of the Ravenna fire department.

PROMOTIONS

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CO B 1ST MTB

SP5 E-5 Gene G. Branscum
SP5 E-5 Lester B. Hood

Push Wasn't

Roy Push of Salyersville wasn't. He wasn't "push"-ed, that is. Here's what happened:

There was the newly opened Kentucky National Guard Armory on the State Fairgrounds. New buildings have lots of glass. So does the Armory.

Roy was one of the Future Farmers of America members staying in the Armory while the State Fair was on.

There was this plate-glass window. Clear as glass.

Roy walked through it.

Forty-five stitches later, Roy went home.

Back to Salyersville.

SP5 E-5 Max L. Lay
SP5 E-5 James F. Mounce
SP5 E-5 James P. Sewell
SP4 E-4 Charles R. Phelps

CO C 1ST MTB

SSG E-6 Paul R. Rice
SGT E-5 Charles W. Alder
SGT E-5 Jerry L. Connell
SGT E-5 Martin E. Hill
SGT E-5 Charles W. Moses
SP5 E-5 Neil A. Connell
SP5 E-5 Harold G. Evans
SP5 E-5 Kermit L. Goins
SP4 E-4 George E. Barnhill
SP4 E-4 Bobby R. Edwards
SP4 E-4 Billy Hall
SP4 E-4 Carl Junior Hamblin
SP4 E-4 Ralph J. Higgenbotham
SP4 E-4 Franklin B. Houston
SP4 E-4 Jerry C. Hughes
SP4 E-4 Clyde H. Johnson
SP4 E-4 Ralph K. Kellogg
SP4 E-4 Lewis Miller Jr.
SP4 E-4 Donnie G. Shelley
SP4 E-4 William C. Shelley

CO D 1ST MTB

SSGT E-8 James T. Hill
SP4 E-4 Charles W. Chadwell
SP4 E-4 Charles A. France
SP4 E-4 Ben Johnson Jr.
SP4 E-4 Raymond D. Laws
SP4 E-4 Albert L. Smith
SP4 E-4 Irvin A. Wakin
SP4 E-4 Matt M. Webb
SP4 E-4 William A. Wilson

HQ & HQ CO 2D MTB 123D ARMOR

MSGT E-8 Bernard May
SGT E-5 Donald H. Love
SP5 E-5 Joseph P. Embry
SP5 E-5 James A. Garrett

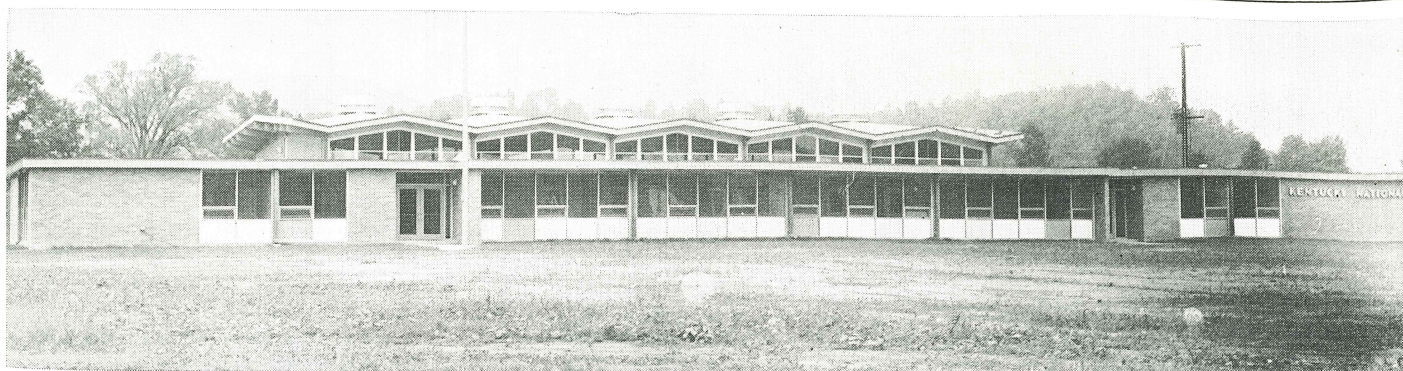
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SGT E-5 William E. Hooker
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SP5 E-5 John W. Martin
SP5 E-5 Richard H. Gamblin
SP5 E-5 Ted B. Bagwell
SP5 E-5 Dan M. Kickasola
SP5 E-5 Thomas E. King
SP5 E-5 George G. Rogers
SP4 E-4 Larry T. Green
SP4 E-4 John W. Mases
SP4 E-4 James C. Newsome
SP4 E-4 Kenneth W. Shelton
SP4 E-4 Bobby J. Vaughn

CO D 2D MTB

SSG E-6 Adrian J. Roof
SP5 E-5 Harry J. Barber Jr.
SP5 E-5 J. T. Carneal
SP5 E-5 Willard K. Humphreys
SP4 E-4 Willis L. Long
SP4 E-4 John L. Neihoff

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New Barbourville National Guard Armory

—Photo by Corbin Daily Tribune

Governor Tells Dedication Crowd Guard Is Ready

In Barbourville, the Commander-In-Chief of Kentucky's National Guard reported that the Guard is at the peak of combat readiness.

Gov. Bert Combs made that comment as he dedicated Barbourville's new \$216,000 National Guard armory.

It was the eighth new armory dedicated by Combs during his three years as Governor. The eight cost \$1,715,000. And the Governor announced that construction of five more will be undertaken during the next year at an estimated cost of \$1,000,000.



Governor Combs

While dedicating the new building, "not as an implement of war, but as a monument to peace," Combs touched on the critical international situation involving Cuba.

"I am grateful that Kentucky people, of every political persuasion and faith, have united solidly behind the President of the United States," he told a crowd of 1500.

Major General Arthur Y. Lloyd, The Adjutant General of Kentucky remarked: "We can have peace only when we are strong. This armory contributes to our strength."

Members of the 202nd Army Band, Ashland, were airlifted to the dedication by a West Virginia's Air National Guard C-119 troop transport aircraft.

Captain James W. Thurman, Commander of Headquarters Company, 1st



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OVERFLOW CROWD—An estimated 1500 persons attended the dedication of the new \$216,000 Barbourville National Guard Armory which was dedicated Sunday, October 28, by Governor Bert Combs. An estimated 500 people had to stand at the rear and outside of the building to hear dedication comments over a loud-speaker. The Guard's 202nd Army Band from Ashland, which provided music for an honor Guard and the dedication ceremonies, had to set up outside the building due to the crowded conditions.

Medium Tank Battalion, 123d Armor served as master of ceremonies. The invocation and benediction were given by First Lieutenant Paul G. Blacketer, Dean of Men for Union College.

Barbourville's Mayor Paul Buchanan welcomed the crowd to the dedication.

A symbolic key to the armory was presented to Lt. Col. Clarence O. Burch of Barbourville, Commanding Officer of Headquarters 1st Medium Tank Battalion, 123rd Armor, which will use the new building.

PROMOTIONS

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SP4 E-4 William L. Neihoff
SP4 E-4 Bobby O. Ramage
SP4 E-4 Howard E. Walker

HQ HQ CO 3D MTB 123 ARMOR

SFC E-7 Oscar E. Belcher
SFC E-7 Hewel M. Blair
SFC E-7 Frank C. Vanfleet
SSG E-6 Raymond L. Mann
SSG E-6 Johnny L. Milam
SSG E-6 Bruce M. Jones
SSG E-6 Charles E. Thompson
SGT E-5 Donald R. Luttrell
SGT E-5 Clifford T. Whittaker
SGT E-5 Jimmy J. Whittaker
SP5 E-5 Clay D. Akin
SP5 E-5 Raymond E. Byrd

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Guard Association Awards Scholarships to R.O.T.C. Cadets

The first two National Guard Association of Kentucky Scholarships were awarded in October to R. O. T. C. Seniors in attendance at Eastern Kentucky State College, Richmond, and Murray State College, at Murray.

Recipients of the \$250 scholarships were John B. Hanlon, Ghent, attending Eastern, and William R. Oliver, of Murray attending Murray.

Announcing the awards was Colonel Henry P. Julliard, Chairman of the Scholarship Committee and President of the National Guard Association of Kentucky.

Criteria for the awards consists of financial need, overall academic standing, military potential, appearance and bearing, composure, aptitude and leadership qualities.

The awards were presented by the president of each college.

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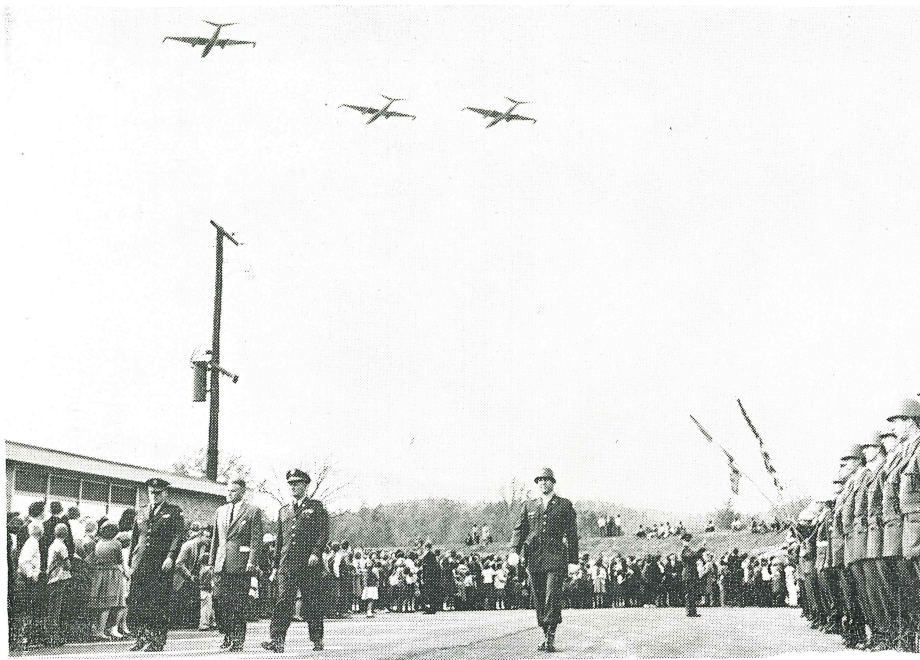
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SP5 E-5 Richard N. Elkin
SP5 E-5 James L. Flood
SP5 E-5 Harold D. Givens
SP5 E-5 James M. Kirby
SP5 E-5 Jean A. Lineberger
SP5 E-5 Wayne M. Manning
SP5 E-5 Bobby R. Mercer
SP5 E-5 James R. Ogles
SP5 E-5 Billy J. Oliphant
SP5 E-5 Alton B. Rone
SP5 E-5 Walter T. Smith
SP5 E-5 Leonard G. Turner
SP4 E-4 Freeman W. Anderson
SP4 E-4 William M. Brown
SP4 E-4 Hoy F. Burris
SP4 E-4 Joe W. Copas
SP4 E-4 Joe A. Dillard
SP4 E-4 Frank L. Dyer
SP4 E-4 Jerry W. Eakles
SP4 E-4 Earl W. Foster
SP4 E-4 Charles D. Gibson
SP4 E-4 Richard P. Greene
SP4 E-4 Ernest H. Hall
SP4 E-4 Joseph R. Hammond
SP4 E-4 John A. Hayes
SP4 E-4 James T. Hawks
SP4 E-4 Cluff T. Hood
SP4 E-4 Carlisle Howard Jr.
SP4 E-4 David L. Howard
SP4 E-4 Bennett F. Howell
SP4 E-4 Bobby G. Kirby
SP4 E-4 James C. Mansfield
SP4 E-4 Samuel A. Meador
SP4 E-4 Jimmy D. McCombs
SP4 E-4 Charles D. Patterson
SP4 E-4 Billy W. Pearson
SP4 E-4 William G. Pearson
SP4 E-4 Marion D. Powers
SP4 E-4 Danny C. Roark
SP4 E-4 Ferrell S. Sledge
SP4 E-4 Norman M. Strange
SP4 E-4 Clovis R. Wallace
SP4 E-4 Joe N. Wilkins
SP4 E-4 Clifford E. Willis
SP4 E-4 Ralph W. Wright

SCOUT PLAT, H H CO 3D MTB
SGT E-5 Kendall D. Smith
SP4 E-4 William P. McGhee

CO A 3D MTB
SSGT E-6 James T. Collins
SSGT E-6 Billy J. Raymer
SGT E-5 Marion G. Thurmond
SGT E-5 Orbie R. Ashby

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DOUBLE HONOR FOR THE GOVERNOR—Governor Bert Combs received double honors before the dedication of the new Barbourville National Guard Armory on Sunday Oct. 28. Members of the Barbourville unit and the 202d Army Band of Ashland formed an honor guard outside, while three RB 57 twin jet Kentucky Air National Guard aircraft and three Army National Guard L-19 aircraft flew overhead in a salute to the Governor. Above, completing the review of the honor guard are, left to right, Lt. Colonel Clarence O. Burch, commander of the Guard's 1st Medium Tank Battalion, 123d Armor; Governor Bert Combs; Major General Arthur Y. Lloyd, The Adjutant General of Kentucky; and at right, Captain Harold Gant, Corbin, honor guard commander. Overhead are the Air National Guard jets.



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KEYS TO NEW ARMORY PRESENTED — Governor Bert Combs, (2nd from Right) and Major General Arthur Y. Lloyd, (right) look over a symbolic key to the new Barbourville National Guard Armory before it was presented to Lt. Colonel Clarence O. Burch, Barbourville, Commander of the 1st Medium Tank Battalion, 123d Armor. With them is Colonel Calvert P. Small, (2nd from left) Frankfort, Chief of Facilities for the Kentucky National Guard.

Poster Companies Display Welcome Home Billboards

Nearly 100 billboards across the State proclaimed "Welcome Home — Kentucky's Own," and the thought was appreciated by Kentucky Guardsmen and Reservists returning from nearly a year of active federal service.

The placement of those billboards was done as a public service by 25 Outdoor Advertising companies located in and around Kentucky. Most of the posters were displayed during the month of August on approach routes and in the hometowns of the returning Guardsmen and Reservists.

One Company, the Bartlett-Queen Poster Service of Owensboro, voluntarily constructed a special billboard at the entrance to the Owensboro National Guard Armory so that no Guardsman would miss the welcome.

In addition to the Owensboro company, others who displayed the special billboards include:

- ★ General Outdoor Advertising Co., Nashville, Tenn.;
- ★ General Outdoor Advertising Co., Louisville;
- ★ Naegele Outdoor Advertising Co., Evansville, Ind.;
- ★ Naegele Outdoor Advertising Co., Louisville;
- ★ Hudson Advertising Service, Pikeville;
- ★ Green River Poster Advertising Co., Owensboro;
- ★ Operle Poster Advertising Co., St. Genevieve, Mo.;
- ★ Giddings Poster Advertising Service, Carrollton;
- ★ Lexington Poster Advertising Co., Lexington;
- ★ Mid-Kentucky Outdoor Advertising Co., Elizabethtown;
- ★ Miller Advertising Co., Elizabethtown;
- ★ Somerset Poster Advertising Co., Burnside;
- ★ West Kentucky Advertising Co., Hopkinsville;
- ★ Whitmer Sign Service, Hopkinsville;
- ★ Ozier Advertising Co., Nashville, Tenn.;
- ★ Foust-Pounds Poster Advertising Co., Jackson, Tenn.;
- ★ Gateway Poster Advertising Co., Louisville;
- ★ Smoot Advertising Co., Huntington, W. Va.;
- ★ Tri-State Poster Advertising Co., Middlesboro;
- ★ Turner Advertising of Kentucky, Covington;
- ★ Willock Poster Service, Campbells-ville;



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BIG WELCOME — Nearly 100 billboards were displayed across the State by public spirited Outdoor Advertising companies to welcome returning Guardsmen and Reservists home. The billboard above, was constructed at the entrance drive to the Owensboro National Guard Armory just to display the welcome home greeting.

Twelve Units Rated Superior In Annual General Inspections

Superior!

That coveted rating went to 12 units of the Kentucky Army National Guard following Annual General Inspections for FY 1962.

Three of the dozen are headquartered in Frankfort, three in Louisville, two in St. Matthews, and the others in Ashland, Ravenna, Carrollton and Springfield.

The Frankfort units:

State Headquarters and Headquarters Detachment; 133d Public Information Detachment; and USP&FO for Kentucky.

Louisville units include Battery B, 1st Howitzer Battalion, 138th Artillery;

★ Meredith's Advertising Service, Corbin;

★ Hudson Advertising Service, Pikeville;

★ Purnell Advertising Service, Maysville.

The billboards were one of a number of projects initiated to insure a proper welcome home for the returning Kentucky troops. Nearly every hometown

Headquarters and Headquarters Battery, 2d Howitzer Battalion, 138th Artillery; and Service Battery, 2d Howitzer Battalion, 138th Artillery.

The two St. Matthews units rated superior are the 113th Ordnance Company (DS) and Headquarters and Headquarters Company, 149th Armor Group.

The others:

202d Army Band, Ashland; Battery B, 2dn Howitzer Battalion, Carrollton; Battery B, 3d Howitzer Battalion, 138th Artillery, Ravenna; and Service Battery, 4th Howitzer Battalion, 138th Artillery, Springfield.

newspaper published a special section or page in honor of their local unit.

In addition to the local ceremonies and celebrations more than 8,000 store window posters were displayed by hometown merchants proclaiming the welcome home theme.

Many radio and TV stations conducted special programs in honor of the accomplishments of Kentucky troops while on active duty.

Guard Units Return From 10 Months Of Active Duty



Crittenden Press Photo

HOME AT LAST! A state police car and a band furnish the escort for returning Company D, 3d Medium Tank Battalion, one of eleven units called to active service during last year's Berlin troubles. This unit is from Marion, Ky.

In Marion, Ky., a pot luck supper and a dance awaited them.

In Paducah, barbecued chicken.

In Versailles, a fish fry.

In Frankfort, the "Swing Kings" band.

But perhaps the most unique welcome accorded any of the Kentucky National Guardsmen, just back from active duty because of Berlin troubles, was a home-made sign.

The stenciled letters read:

"Welcome Home SFC Schleifer—We're Proud of You."

And it was signed by the wife and children of SFC Fred Schleifer, a member of the 413th Ordnance Company, Frankfort. His unit had been at Fort Stewart, Georgia for nearly a year.

All told, eleven units came back to Owensboro, Hopkinsville, Madisonville, Paducah, Marion, Livermore, Russellville, Frankfort, Henderson and Murray.

The Guardsmen were awarded the Army Commendation Medal and a State Service Ribbon. Each received a Military Commendation Certificate from Governor Bert Combs. There were speeches by City, County and State officials.

President Kennedy said: "I know that I speak for all Americans in paying tribute to all those whose emergency service in this year of growing national strength is doing so much for the national interest . . ."

The reactions of the men were varied. One of them put it this way: "Weeks of long hours, dust, sweat, rain and cold weather. Hard times but good training."

Major General Arthur Y. Lloyd, Kentucky Adjutant General, said the men "richly deserve a salute of gratitude from our state and the nation."

Another officer said, noting some gripes on the part of Reservists and Guardsmen not from Kentucky, said the men of Kentucky took the attitude of "Why not send me," and said no trouble was encountered from them.

stay right on top of the situation all the time."

STOPS TO FILL 'ER UP

Gasoline was the biggest problem of all on the trip. The Bell helicopter would hold enough gas for two hours of flying but a full tank on the Hiller would only last one hour and twenty minutes.

Specialist Canon brought along a
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Just Bouncing Along . . .

Army Guard Pilot Sets Record Flys 2700 Miles in "Chopper"

A Kentucky National Guard helicopter pilot and mechanic who last October completed a 16 day, 3,500 mile helicopter flight made it clear that they have had their share of "chopper" flying. Lt. Colonel John I. Faulkenberry, Frankfort, the pilot, said that the trip was alright, "but I don't want any more of it for a while." The mechanic, Specialist 5, William Harold Canon, Frankfort, was just plain "glad to get back."

On their trip, the pair broke previous Army distance records for flying a helicopter from one point to another. On a section of their flight from Stockton, California to Frankfort, they traveled a total of 2,700 miles in 9½ days. Previous Army records covered only 2,200 miles.

The long flight all began when the Army ordered the Kentucky National Guard to turn over to active Army units, two Bell H-13E helicopters in exchange for two Hiller H-23B helicopters.

One copter exchange was simple; an Army pilot from Fort Hood, Texas delivered a new Hiller model to Frankfort and he flew the Bell model back. The second chopper was the problem. It had to be delivered to Fort Hood and its replacement had to be picked up

at Sharp General Depot at Stockton, California.

The entire trip, including a commercial flight from Fort Hood to Stockton, California, took 16 days. They spent 12½ days bouncing along in the choppers.

The two were airborne only about 5½ hours each day and usually spent two to three hours performing maintenance and getting gasoline. Five hours of flying a helicopter is plenty for any single day, Colonel Faulkenberry pointed out. "You are tense all the time and you can't relax like you can when flying a fixed wing plane," he said, "and in a helicopter, you have to

CAMP BRECKINRIDGE EXCESS Tentative 1963 Sites, ANACDUTRA Dates Are Announced

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Governor Bert Combs, reportedly under pressure from several civilian sources to see that the reservation be offered for sale to individuals and not held for military uses, has asked representatives from several State agencies to work on plans that will insure that the disposition of the camp will be "in the best interest of all Kentuckians."

The thought has been expressed by several groups that through co-operation and co-ordination, it is likely that the land can be divided so that the goals of all interested groups will be accomplished.

In the meantime, since the camp, which has been used by Kentucky Army National Guard units as a training site since 1954, will not be available for 1963 Military training, Guard officials have been considering numerous alternate training sites which might be available. General Lloyd just recently announced a tentative training plan which involves the use of Fort Knox, Kentucky and Fort Bragg, North Carolina military posts.

The tentative training dates and places are:

Fort Knox, Kentucky

29 June 62 - 13 July 62

1st Med Tk Bn, 123 Armor

Fort Knox, Kentucky

13 July 62 - 27 July 62

Hq. & Hq Det, Ky ARNG

Officer Candidate School

113th Ordnance Co

202d Army Band

133d Pub Info Det

201st Engineer Bn

207th Engineer Co

149th Armor Group

2d Med Tk Bn, 123d Armor

3d Med Tk Bn, 123d Armor

Fort Bragg, North Carolina

Dates To Be Announced

Hq XXIII Corps Artillery

138th Artillery Group

413th Ordnance Co

103d Signal Co

1st Howitzer Bn, 138th Arty

2d Howitzer Bn, 138th Arty

3d Howitzer Bn, 138th Arty

4th Howitzer Bn, 138th Arty

5th Target Acquisition Bn

Brigadier General William R. Buster, Assistant Adjutant General pointed out that all units, dates,

Tim—ber!!

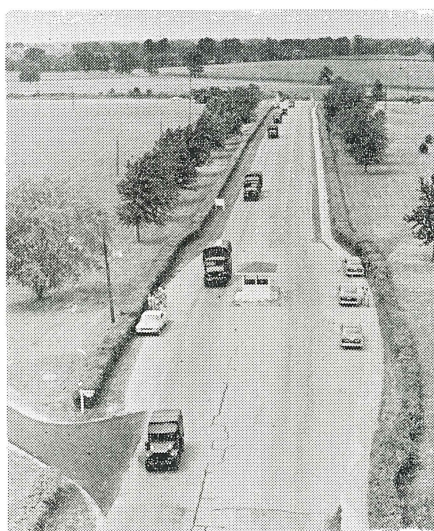
Two employees of the Military Department's Facilities Maintenance Shop aren't as sold now on preventative maintenance as they used to be. The two are Lawrence Miller and Bill Walling.

The PROBLEM: A large dead tree, which looked like the next strong wind might blow it over, was hanging over the 7 foot cyclone fence which surrounds the Combined Field Maintenance Shop in the Boone National Guard Center in Frankfort.

The SOLUTION: Remove the dead tree to prevent damage to the fence.

The ACTION: They cut down the tree.

The RESULT: It fell on the fence.



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Kentucky National Guard trucks pass
MP hut at Camp Breckinridge's Gate 1.

and places are subject to change and that a confirmed list would be published by 1 April 1963.

The 1963 training site for the Kentucky Air National Guard has not been confirmed at the time of this writing.

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SSGT E-6 Dallas R. White
SP5 E-5 Glenn H. Baldwin
SP5 E-5 William R. Gibbs
SP5 E-5 Ronald D. Hooper
SP5 E-5 Jerry W. Lack
SP5 E-5 James W. McGee
SP5 E-5 Charles R. Pendleton
SP5 E-5 Maurice H. Rogers Jr.
SP5 E-5 Charles F. Stanley
SP5 E-5 Horace R. Trice
SP4 E-4 Larry P. Arnold
SP4 E-4 Allen R. Atkinson

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Five Units Score Highest In Annual Property Audits

Five units of the Kentucky Army National Guard scored 99 on one or more property audits conducted by the USP&FO for Kentucky during FY 1962.

They are the 202d Army Band; 103d Signal Company; Headquarters and Headquarters Company, 149th Armor Group; Company B, 1st Medium Tank Battalion; and Battery B, 4th Howitzer Battalion.

Individual units were not the only ones rated. Three battalions made 96 or better.

The 5th Target Acquisition Battalion scored a 96.4; the 4th Howitzer Battalion, 138th Artillery 96.3; and the 2d Howitzer Battalion, 138th Artillery scored a 96.

A total of 30 Superiors were awarded to 24 units. Sixteen others were rated as excellent, two received a Good rating and one unit received a rating of Satisfactory.

"CHOPPER" FLIGHT

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five gallon gas can which in several instances enabled them to make it from one airport to another. Even with the extra five gallons, there were still two occasions when they didn't have enough to make it to the next airport. Both times they were able to land next to a service station on the highway and buy an extra five gallons of gas. The chopper will run on a premium gasoline, but not as well as on the high octane aviation fuel, so highway gas stops were made only in an emergency.

Effective and full-time maintenance was very important on the flight for without it they probably could not have completed the trip. Mechanically, the only serious difficulty on the entire trip was with the generator which became defective and let the battery go dead. One other time, a bolt came loose on a drive shaft which pulled the engine fan and it had to be replaced.

Most of the problems on the trip, which actually began on September 11th, proved to be minor. As Colonel Faulkenberry looks back on the trip, he summarized, "the strain of the trip didn't really catch up with me until it was all over. It was just plain exhausting."

Air National Guard C-47 Aircraft Damaged In Route To Conference

Hailstones bigger than golf balls provided some interesting moments recently on a flight to Denver.

A group of Kentucky National Guard officers flew there to attend the 84th General Conference of the National Guard Association of the United States Sept. 17.

Near Hill City, Kansas—90 minutes away from Lowry AFB in Denver—the twin-engine C-47 ran into what co-pilot Lieutenant-Colonel James Upchurch of Louisville was later to describe as a "terrific hailstorm."

He said the hailstones shattered both windshields, broke the landing lights, tore holes in elevator surfaces and dented the plane's aluminum nose.

The C-47 was then at 7,000 feet altitude and about ten miles southwest of Hill City.

To keep the glass from falling in against Upchurch and pilot Colonel Jack Owen of Cynthiana, SSG James Poole, the crew chief, from Louisville, stood up between the two men, holding two flight jackets against the windshields.

The plane was then able to proceed without difficulty to Lowry AFB where repairs were made.

Thirteen delegates from Kentucky attended the National convention in Denver.

They included Major General Arthur Y. Lloyd, Springs Station, Adjutant

General of Kentucky; Colonel Henry P. Julliard, Louisville, President of the Kentucky National Guard Association; Colonel Larry C. Dawson, Louisville; Colonel Joseph P. Mattingly, Fort Thomas; Colonel Owen.

Lt. Colonel Calvert P. Small, Frankfort; Lt. Colonel George D. Bunnell, Jr., Lexington; Lt. Colonel Douglas J. McGill, Louisville; Lt. Colonel Stanton T. Smith, Lexington; Lt. Colonel Edward H. Milburn, Springfield; Major Harlan I. Mitchell, Frankfort; Captain Wayne E. Webber, Louisville; and Captain Austin Redmon, Middlesboro.

All of the delegates were assigned to various committees and Major General Lloyd served as Chairman of the Committee on Public Relations.

PROMOTIONS

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SP4 E-4 Roy W. Bouldin
SP4 E-4 Donald R. Boyles
SP4 E-4 William T. Brown
SP4 E-4 Jackie P. Burchett
SP4 E-4 Harold W. Dennison
SP4 E-4 Stephen Downey
SP4 E-4 Buford C. DeVaiser
SP4 E-4 Bobby C. Elrod
SP4 E-4 David R. Farmer
SP4 E-4 Raymond H. Heatherly
SP4 E-4 James E. Page
SP4 E-4 Raymond R. Rainwaters
SP4 E-4 Randall B. Smith

CO B 3D MTB

PSG E-7 Walter G. Smiley
SSG E-6 Jerold D. Baldwin
SSG E-6 Howard E. Fuller
SSG E-6 Thomas E. Gamble
SSG E-6 Noble H. Jones
SSG E-6 Will D. West
SGT E-5 Tex T. Boyd
SGT E-5 Kenneth H. Collins
SGT E-5 R. D. Hale
SGT E-5 Howard G. Lancaster
SGT E-5 Robert L. Lancaster
SGT E-5 Jackie C. Morris
SP5 E-5 Barry E. Adams
SP5 E-5 Harold Lancaster
SP5 E-5 John E. Lowry
SP5 E-5 James L. Potty Jr.
SP5 E-5 Thomas E. Underwood
SP5 E-5 Ronald W. Wilkins
SP4 E-4 Jesse L. Burnett
SP4 E-4 Larry L. Boren
SP4 E-4 Ronald L. Graham
SP4 E-4 David G. Groves
SP4 E-4 Edward L. Pritchett
SP4 E-4 Lloyd A. Haddock

CO C 3RD MTB

PSGT E-7 Delbert Rhodes
PSGT E-7 Noel D. Woodward
SSGT E-6 Ted W. Nance

SSGT E-6 Robert H. Over
SSGT E-6 Danny H. Woodward
SSGT E-6 Lanny R. Woodward
SP5 E-5 Charles E. Batts

CO D, 3D MTB

SGT E-5 Gerald A. O'Neal
SP5 E-5 Robert B. Belt
SP5 E-5 William A. Cothran
SP5 E-5 Jimmie R. Travis
SP4 E-4 Johnie R. Chandler
SP4 E-4 Robert R. Sigler
SP4 E-4 Corbitt E. Travis
SP4 E-4 Newman R. Travis

HQ, 201ST ENGR BN (C) (A)
Lt. Col. Maurice L. McNeal
1st Lt. Carl D. Sparks

CO A 201ST ENGR BN

1st Lt. Gary Robinette
SSG E-6 Victor L. Caudill
SP4 E-4 James L. Blevins
SP4 E-4 Larry G. Justice
SP4 E-4 John C. May Jr.
SP4 E-4 Gary Neal
SP4 E-4 Harold D. Renfro

B CO, 201ST ENGR BN

Capt. Arthur B. Emmons
SP4 E-4 Jimmy W. Fultz
SP4 E-4 Vernon E. King

CO C 201ST ENGR BN

SSGT E-6 Arch Stacy Jr.
SGT E-5 John F. Frazier
SP4 E-4 Billie T. Angel
SP4 E-4 Ray Burnett
SP4 E-4 Martin L. Deaton
SP4 E-4 Thurman Dixon
SP4 E-4 Henry T. Hollan
SP4 E-4 James E. Moore
SP4 E-4 Jake K. Murphy

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1 July 62 — 31 October 62

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