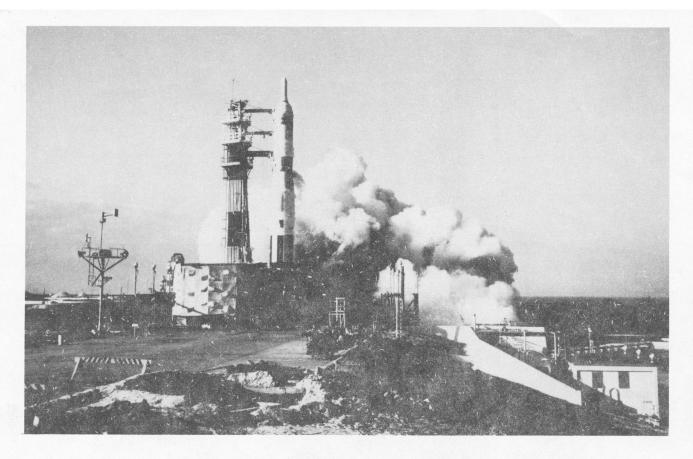


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THE TITAN ICBM, carrying for the first time a prototype of the operational nose cone, is hown at the moment of launch from Cape Canaveral, Florida. The Martin Denver-built missile has had several recent successes.

DODO VISITS THE LIBRARY

Grant Moves South
The Eternal Quest
Enter, Sleeping
If it moves, Salute it
Three Minutes A Day
The Last Blue Mountain
The Natural Science of Stupidity
That's A Good Question
This Is My Best Humor
Sail Ho;
Five Pens In Hand
The 26 Letters
This Hallowed Ground

Couldn't stand this snow any longer
If it stops snowing, I'll find the parking lot
Cadets arrive at classes
Advice to entering classes
I can do what I want
They're all white now
All cadets will validate this course
I wish I knew the answer
Pretty Poor, isn't it?
What's that? Abattleship on the parade ground
My 3000 word essay is due tomorrow
That I have written in four years
Is covered with umpteen feet of snow

AND THEN TO THE THEATRE

A Majority Of One The Breaking Wall At The Drop Of A Hat The Long Dream Shakespeare In Harlem One star, That is
Academy slides to US 85-87
Form 10's flash
The report "Absent from dinner . . ."
Sequel to last week's column

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LUANA PATTEN, young M-G-M starlet, first appeared in movies as a child star. It is easy to see that she's no longer a child; she can soon be seen in Home From the Hill.

EDITORIAL COMMENTS

The current wave of bitterness has permeated even the here-to-fore eternally optimistic pages of the DODO this week, an unprecedented event. It appears that the Dark Ages are truly upon us.

Now that the Denver Post has the CCQs in its employ, it won't be long until we're servicing our own cigarette machines. Of course, if the First Class Lounge is any example, it might not be such a bad idea.

Well, Flyng Tng has finally arrived at the decision that I ought to fly my overwater mission (only the fourth time they've scheduled me) at long last. Maybe this weekend I'll get to the Sunny South.

It's heartening to note that another civilian agency has been discredited. The '59ers used to jam the State Police radar anyway, but now we can ignore them--much more effective.

The Air Force Academy Assembly, due to begin next week, will have as keynote speaker General Lauris Norstad. Along with the December AFA Invitational Debate Tournament, the Assembly is one of the direct reasons for much of the academic interest in USAFA by civilian schools. The Ugly American will undoubtedly be cussed and discussed time and time again. Here's hoping some of the cadet representatives have read it.

I'm purposely leaving space for our lovely guest above. She's been too long in my desk drawer as it is.

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PURPLE FALCON

There's a guy in 5E16 who's trying to get rid of a Roth trumpet. He will sell for 50 rocks or will trade for an FM tuner and speakers. (this is an advertisement)

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One instructor said, "We'd better get off the practical applications; it seems to be frowned upon."

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Much has been said for and against (mostly against) Form 10 Leadership. For some people it is the form of correction which is understood. Positive Leadership for them is merely something to take advantage of.

Now also, there are some people in leadership positions who fail to exercise their authority. They probably feel afraid to wield their power for fear of becoming a "dictator" in their subordinates' eyes. They don't realize that they may also become a "jellyfish" in their subordinates' eyes.

cadets have pretty high standards to uphold. A cadet in a position of authority MUST exercise authority to uphold these, or the standards drop. Certainly positive leadership should be applied, but this failing, it is time for the Form 10. He who hesitates is lost, but his loss may also be suffered by the Wing as a whole.

A number of cadets heard the Kingston Tric, last Saturday, perform the songs from their records. They even had 3 new songs.

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And of course Saturday briefings have to be held last thing in the morning when everybody is waiting to go on privileges.

Super Ed. Note: Sat. morning is for scheduling. Sat. briefings must fit into the rest of the schedule. Privileges come last!

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The only trouble with that Back Page article is that if someone translated it on paper, the translation might never be printed.

It is suggested that the writer who is not Shane, use a little imagination.

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I wonder who's got my Hilltoppers record?

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Who needs material? I do! Anything reasonable may be printed. "Have typewriter, will plagiarize."

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It looks like it's about time for another article from the Commissioned end of this organization. The next will probably come out of the ACC Shack, if the observatory there can be closed long enough to get an article written (for next week).

THE MAN

"GROUP ATTENTION!" Absolute silence---broken only by the distanct clip of military heels on the concrete floor that gave the understanding that the man in those shoes was sure of himself and demanded respect and esteem. As he stepped on the platform with the order, "Take seats please," an alert suspenseful air settled over the group.

There he was---a man that held the control of the world's existence in his hand every minute of the day; a man whose very title was referred to with an almost reverent veneration all over the continet of Europe---SACEUR. Not even four star generals compromised this man's position by referring to him by any name less formal.

He was immaculate in every detail. He stood tall and straight with a look in his eyes that made the men in that group feel that even if they were taller they would have had to look up to meet his vision. Yet, as he spoke every man in that room felt that this man was looking them right in the eye, completely oblivious of everyone else.

When he spoke, he spoke with unquestionable sincerity, slowly and clearly, conveying the impression that every word was compressed with urgent force. Often, he would repeat a statement twice, stopping in between to let the full weight of what he had just said sink into the unerasable crevices of each and every mind in that room.

As questions were asked of him he did not once attempt to parry any of them. Rather, he first made sure he understood the meaning of the question, then he gave it careful consideration, and speaking in the same meaningfully powerful manner that had been used in his main address, he confronted the man with an answer that both solved the questioner's problem and gave room for thought to the rest of the group.

When he finished, there was a period of electrifying awe in that room. Not one man left could start to explain how he felt, but all knew that there would be a great many years before they were allowed to come face to face again with a man of such strength and character. For they had been honored by a personal communication with the Supreme Allied Commander Europe:

General Lauris Norstad.

Good Will

CYNIC'S CORNER

This week your cynic returns long enough to present a little reallife drama entitled:

AOC

(a short play in one deadly act)

The scenes opens on a group of select officers in a briefing room. These men have been chosen for a special mission because of their extremely high qualifications in this very important field. The briefing officer enters and gives the men at ease. He then unveils the chart which was standing at the front of the room. It is a chart of the Cadet Area.

BRIEFING OFFICER (assuming appropriate air of importance). Good morning, men. This morning we begin the second week of Operation CS. Frankly I've been disappointed with your performance thus far. We organized the watching of the cadet area with binoculars with the goal of doubling the week ly number of form 10's. Up to this point there has been an increase of only 50%. If a definite improvement isn't shown shortly, it will have hardly been worth our while to switch over from the old hap-hazard method. You men have proven your ability in the past, so let's see you really start to work now! (An expression of grim determination passes over the faces of the men) Are there any questions about our objectives?

THE OFFICERS (in a loud, obedient chorus). NO. SIR!

BO. All right. Normal procedures will be employed. When you go to the window, each of you will have a range of 800 mils. It will therefore take four of you to cover the entire 3200 mil range. Capt X, you will have the range from 0 to 800 mils; this includes the south bridge, the dining hall, and part of the air garden. Capt Y, you have 800 to 1600, the air garden and part of the terrazo. Capt Z, 1600-2400, terrazo and north bridge. Capt Q, 2400-3200, cadet dormitory (after each man's name is called and again after each receives his instructions, he answers with an eager yezzir!). Capt SOB, because of your fine work in spotting 69 offenses last Friday, you will be allowed to play the lone wolf, covering the entire range to pick up anything that might otherwise be missed. Capt A, you and Capt B will man the telephones to call Security Flight, so that they can write Remember now, the first man to spot any offenses spotted offenses. gets credit for the kill. No double kills will be permitted. All right men, man your posts and good hunting!

THE OFFICERS. YEZZIR! (all scramble to their respective positions after

having drawn their binoculars from the armaments division).

CAPT Q (almost overcome with joy). I've got one. ' I'ver got one! Heee! man the phone! I've got one! Here, I'll talk myself. Security Flight? I've got one! Look out your west window. See that milk carton in the win-

dow? Go get 'em! Go up there and write that room up! YTPPEEEEE! CAPT Z (also joyous). LOOK! There goes one with leather gloves on with his

parka! Get Security Flight down there! (Capt B relays the information to Security Flight). He's getting away! What's the matter with those people? He's getting away! I'll get him myself! (Runs out of room).

CAPT X. There goes one in an overcoat! We'll make our quota yet! Keep after

'em!

Smiles from the System



Another week by the boards and we're into March, the proverbial month of winds. As William Cullen Bryant put it:

The stormy March has come at
last,
With wind and cloud and changing skies;
I hear the rushing of the
blast,
That through the snowy valley

flies.

Life at Alpine U plods on us always. Hearsay has it that we may enter into competition our newly formed varsity tour squad with Woo Poo or Sailboat State.

It seems the gates broke down between Heaven and Hell. St. Peter appeared at the broken part of the gate and called to the Devil, "Hey, Satan, it's your turn to fix it this time."

"Sorry", replied the bossman of the land beyond the Styx, "My men are too busy to worry about fixing a mere gate!"

"Well, then", replied St. Peter, "I'll have to sue you for breaking our agreement."

"Oh, yeah?" Said the Devil, "Where are you going to get a lawyer?"

If you don't get this one,look down a ways and I'll try to help you.
"You say his breath is bad?"

"Bad? Why, last Halloween they pushed him over three times."

It is coincidental that Second Sqadron's sweetheart come in runner—up in Fifth Squadron's Contest.

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"Put down that damn bugle, Joshua, and fight like a man."

Pets are always an interesting subject to bring up around here. Some of us do keep then, but how is what's interesting. Turtles in wastebaskets, snakes in storage lockerand there was the cadet who found an excellent place for his pet, only it died and he got written up. The offense read: Harboring dead pets, ie, fly dead in lamp-bowl.

"Mister your shoes look like a-tomic shoes."

"Sir, I do not understand."
"They look like Yucca Flats after
the blast."

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It happened on a trans-Atlantic liner. A steward was walking along the promenade deck with a large bowl of soup when the ship rolled exceptionally hard and he dumped the entire bowl onto the shirt front of a passenger sleeping in a deck chair. Thinking fast, the steward aworke the man, and said consolingly, "I do hope you're feeling better now sir."

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BARBERSHOP ODE
Climb chair
Him say
"Want flatTop 'day?"

Him hack For while Then say "Like style?"

Me brush Off pants Look mirror Hair slants!

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6 Churchmen Demand Apologies for Red Tag

Back and rested from a not too strenuous weekend, I must offer my apoligies to you Dear Readers and to our esteemed editor, who I'm afraid I underestimated. Thinking that after a weekend of stewardi chasing he was not in any shape to make up the DoDo, I neglested to write my article. As, I said, my apoligies to all.

After attending the Wing Command er's briefing last Saturday, It was quite a shock to read on the front page of the 'Denver Post', "6 Churchmen Demand Apoligies for Red Tag." Of course, it was all a mistake, but it did startle me at first.

With all this snow on the ground we should really count our blessings. Where else in the world can you get better training for Thule except at Thule itself? But who can complain as long as the wind doesn't blow? There seems to be quite a lot of horseplay going on in the showers in the gym. The few people who are guil ty of this childish behavior fail to realize that there are others present who like to take their showers withbeing doused with cold water or smack ed on the face by a wet towel. Perhaps by the time they graduate, they will grow up enough to realize that the world contains others.

Bruce and Good Will have a great column, if only more could understand it. Perhaps if the week following they would print an explanation, more interested could be aroused or at any rate more understanding. Tune in next week.

by K.

FROM THE SIDELINES

Kelly Loyacono

The BASKETBALLERS made Eastern New Mexico University their 11th victim of the season in a 71-47 win here last Saturday. Coach Spear used every man on the squad in this win and the points were very evenly distributed with Ulm, Norris, and Stover were our high with 13, 12, and 10 points each. The defense was excellent as Jerry Vest, Who had been averaging 22 points per game for New Mexico was held to only 2 field goals and 7 foul shots. The Falcons with their 11-9 record end the season March 2nd against Regis.

The Doolie Bribblers lost their last game of the season Saturday night down at Pueblo to Pueblo Junior College. Pueblo J C led most of the way by from 3 to 5 points until the last six minutes when they began to pull away for a 16 point win. It was a very successful season though for the Freshmen and they promis to contribute much to the varsity next year, especially in the height department.

The Judo Club journeyed to Denver Sunday for a meet sponsored by the Denver "Dojos" and came out with 9 wins, 7 loses, and 7 ties. Dave Sellers won the individual championship with 5 consecutive wins. Netzinger defeated 2 brown belters while Griffey defeated another. The 14 man club found the trip very enjoyable and educational. Besides the excellent competition in the 8 team tournament, there were some fine exhibition. The team had to return at 1800 Sunday so they were not able to enter team competition or even wait to receive the trophy they earned.

The Gymnasts come through again by winning the AFA Invitational. Paul O'Conner in the All Around, Love on the still rings. O'Rourke on flying rings, and the 1,2,3, finish of Schamburger, O'Conner, and Lewis in tumbling were high spots for the Academy. We gained a big advantage when our 10 man team was able to qualify for 12 events. It looks like we'll be more than ready for the Rocky Mountain AAU's in Denver which begin on 4 March and then, we hope, to the NCAA at Penn St. on 18 and 19 March.

The Track Team showed improvement but lost to a tough Wisconsin at Madison, 70-43. Hallager ran a beautiful 440 in 50.4 seconds for a first, Billelo and Halbrow took first and third in the mile, while Carlstrom and Fer finished 1,2 in the 2 mile. Baxter and Cash took 2nd and 3rd in the shot as Sanzenbacher come through with a win in the high jump. The team is really looking good for the coming outdoor season and most of the runners have times as good as they had outside last year. Wisconsin has a fine indoor track and we are very anxious to get ours completed as well as having one of our best seasons this year. This was the second and last indoor meet for the Academy.

FENCERS TAKE WESTERN CHAMPIONSHIP

With the foil and sabre teams repeating their 1959 performances, the Air Force Academy fencing team retained its Western Intercollegiate fencing championship by topping a field of seven teams last weekend at Berkeley, California. Pil Cooke won the individual foil championship by winning 18 of 20 bouts in leading the foilsmen to an easy title, a dozen bouts ahead of runnerup San Francisco State. George Hines had 15 victories and Bob Holcomb came through with 13.

In sabre, the cadets repeated the 1959 performance of Wayne Jefferson, Dave Goodrich and Art Elser by dropping only one bout. Jack Wolcott and Keith Keppen went undefeated in the team competition, while Captain Bob Dave is lost a single bout. In the individual championships, Davis finished second and Keppen third.

The epee team finished in the runnerup position to Pomona College by a scant four bouts, with John Paul Browning and Merle Wilson leading the way.

In overall competition, the Academy swept the Rossi trophy, with the University of California, Stanford and Pomona falling by the wayside. It was the third time in the five years that the cadets have entered the competition that the Academy has won the overall championship.

TRACK DROPS MEET TO WISCONSIN

The Indoor track team lost its last meet of the season by a 71-43 count, in the Rose Bowl country of Wisconsin last weekend. The meet was actually closer than the score indicates in that the Falcons lost primarily by dropping first places.

The Academy had only four first places. Dave Carlstrom ran a 9:40.6 two mile and Tony Bilello had a creditable 4:22.0 in the mile. Hallager ran the

440 in 50.4 and D'Entremong jumped six foot for his first place.

Sanzenbacher tied for 3rd in the high jump and Fer placed second behind Carlstrom in the two-mile. Casper took 2nd in both hurdles, while Baxter and Cash placed 2nd and 3rd in the shot. Other third places were gained by Polk in the pole vault, Fleming in the 880, Pupich in the broad jump and by Carling in the 60.

-HD Hoffman-

ALLIED ARTS PRESENTS THE DENVER SYMPHONY

The Denver Symphony, under the baton of Saul Caston, will appear in the Arnold Hall Theatre under the auspices of the Air Force Academy Allied Arts Society this Sunday evening at 1820 hours. The noted composer Richard Yard-umian will be guest composer and pianist John Pennink, who recently made his American debut with Eugene Ormandy and the Philadelphia Symphony, will be featured as piano soloist.

The program will include "Prelude on 'Veni Sancte Spiritus'" and "Passacaglia, Recitatives and Fugue," both by Yardumian and "Overture to the 'Bartered Bride'," "Invitation to the Dance," and "The Sorcerer's Apprentice."

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CHASE A FALLING HUMP

by BED

There it is, gentlemen. Look at that beautiful form and figure; notice the way it moves along so far ahead of you. I do envy you. Yes indeed I do. And here you are right on the tail just riding along. According to the latest report, the hump was resting just over 1965.

Here is a flash from USAF Hedquarters...the hump has relocated next to the 1964 region due to a low pressure area brought on by an increasing demand in industry for those men who are being RIFTed. The 500 millabar chart shows a concentration of Majors and LCs which will be forced into the cruel world by the oncoming high pressure area in 1960-61-62. The current forecast calls for fair and warmer...picnics and revelry are in order....rapid travel may be made between Colorado Springs and the Pentagon. Viva la Hump.

Attention in the area...Attention in the area...The Hump Watching Club will have a meeting in the mathmatics department conference room at Oll8, all cadets are asked to bring their slide rules, stat books, and towels for the Majors and LCs who will be leading the discussion.

Denver Post...March 4, 1960....Three Air Force officers this afternoon jumped without parachites from their T-29 aircraft, tail number 118. Observers on the scene reported that they heard the men shouting as they fell. A witness said that he heard the word "hump" shouted several times as the men fell. The three were identified as Majors from USAFA. On the brighter aspect of the news, the hump has moved another step today, and the future is bright for anyone who wants to climb on.

KYSN...On the New York Stock Exchange today, Majors were down 3 points under yesterday's low of 118, while LCs fell sharply from 96 to an unoffical 68. A boom in the market was noticed in the area of Academy graduates in the period 60 to 62. The futures market on cadets is rising very rapidly, an estimated 12 points over last week's all time high indicates an exceptionally strong demand for the next twenty years. On the commodities, a large number of last years products are demanding high respect in the commanding cird es. Brokers have scheduled the elimination of all slow moving Major and LC stock over the next five years. Our forcast calls for a dim future in 41 thru 45 stock purchases; the 60 thru 63 period looks very rosy

The Congressional Committee to Investigate Payola has submitted a stat ment to the press: "In a recent investigation in the Colorado area, it was determined that over \$50,000 had gone into the plugging of the current number one seller, You Gotta Have Hump."

NEWS FLASH...USAF Academy...March 5...In a debate hosted by the USAFA, a near riot occurred when one participant(civilian) suggested that the effect of the hump might be overshadowing the need for quality, initiative and devotion. He was immediately mobbed by officials and spectators. Presently he is being held in anticipation of a sanity hearing. This action has barred his institution from future participation in USAFA debates.

Give me an H. "H" Cive me a "U". "U" Cive me an M. "M" Cive me a "P".

"P" WHAT DO YOU HAVE....."SECURITY"