Sung Ae Won picnic a success

No one knows for sure what's contained in the mind of an orphaned child, but 86 kids from the Sung Ae Won Orphanage certainly seemed to enjoy themselves at a Yongsan picnic area May 15. FED employees organized the event for them as part of their ongoing sponsorship of the orphanage. Hamburgers, hot dogs, cake, ice cream and soda pop were on the menu and activities included baseball, volleyball and a number of rides on a fire truck courtesy of the Yongsan Fire Department. The most popular activity, however, was the childrens' invention: a good old-fashioned ice-cube-down-the-back, water-throwing free-for-all. Several trash cans full of ice and water were emptied before the melee spent itself. The only casualties were several soaked orphans and adults.

One child did not participate in the more strenuous activities, but her mere presence and seeming good health raised the spirits of the adults there who knew her story. Over the winter Miss Do, Eun-Ju had successful open-heart surgery performed at the Seoul National University Hospital. She had desperately needed the operation for three years and required several months to gain enough strength for it. The district's orphanage committee had voted to fund a trip to the U.S. for the work before the Seoul City Government stepped in and sponsored the operation.

Once all the food was consumed and the children began to tire, they all climbed aboard the two busses that brought them and waved good-bye. Many district employees participated in the preparation and carrying out of the event. Lillian Perrenot, with the help of Audrey Williams, Diane Fisher, Claudia New and Sharon Williams, purchased the food. SFC Echavarria, SFC Valencia and Spec 4

Air Force construction in full swing at Osan

It's not easy to avoid construction activity on Osan Air Base these days and most of it is FED work being done by Howard Elliott's Central Area Office. Contracts now under his guardianship in Osan total over $52 million. Just last February, nine aircraft shelters with precisely-designed doors were completed and turned over to the Air Force. Currently another contract is underway to attach doors to fifty existing aircraft shelters at a cost of almost $14 million.

$10 million project

In addition, the second phase of a more than $10 million project involving construction of quick-turn facilities is now underway. The quick-turn facilities are similar in shape to the shelters but the ends are left open so that an aircraft can be fueled and back in the air in the minimum amount of time. Not all the work, however, is directed at the aircraft. Much of it is done for the airmen on the base. For instance, two two-story barracks are being constructed at a cost of over $3 million. In the last year, a recreation library, addition to the NCO open mess and a new elementary school have been constructed. The school required efficient use of hard-to-find real estate but the result was a beautiful building which eliminated the cramped conditions the children had experienced.

Long service

Howard, a veteran of 25 years government service, is the overseer of all this work. He has been in Korea since 1968 and in charge at Osan since 1975. His earlier years in Korea were spent in Suwon, the DMZ area, Chinhae/Masan and Kunsan Air Base. The majority of the work in Osan but Howard's area actually covers most of central Korea, including Camps Humphreys, Ames, Thompson and Howard. Most of the 14-person staff is located in Osan, where the newly-arrived Captain Gregory Bergeret is the Project Engineer, but some are stationed down at Camp Humphreys. ILT Bruce Fink is the Project Engineer there.

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### PROSE AND CON'S

This page is intended for discussion of issues relevant to district employees. If you feel strongly about an issue and have an opinion you think will be of interest to others in the district, put it in a letter and send it to the Public Affairs Office.

Last month's photograph was instantly recognized by Kim, Mu Il (Survey), who provided EAST GATE EDITION the identities. The photo was taken in 1963 and is composed of members of Engineering Division’s Exploration/Laboratory & Survey Section. Mr. Kim is in the picture at center between the two people with glasses. The rest are as follows: first row (left to right) Cho, B. S.; Yi, S. B.; An, Y. B.; Ku, A. U. (deceased) and Pak, K. H. (Survey). Second row (beginning at left with man in sunglasses): Hwang, Y. S.; Mr. Digo; Kim, S. S. (Survey); Kim, H. S.; No, C. S. (Survey); Pak, M. C. (deceased); Chong, H. C. Third row (beginning extreme left): Yi, C. Y.; unrecognizable; Yang, T. Y.; Mr. Harrison; Kim, H. Y.; Mr. Savage; Ma. Chang, K. C.; J. Leonsid; Mr. Sippey and unrecognizable; Kim, M. I. (our contributor); and Pak, M. C. (Survey).

### Korean students score well in American schools

In the United States, the stereotype of the “brainy” Oriental-American is a fairly common one. Stereotypes often don’t have much relation to facts when statistics are quoted, but a recent TIME magazine article (March 28) cites some impressive numbers to support this one. Only about 1.5% of the U.S. population is Asian-American, but in a recent Westinghouse Science Talent Search 12 of the 40 finalists were either born in Asia or of Asian descent. In addition, 66% of the Korean-born students in California scored over 500 on the math portion of the Scholastic Aptitude Test, compared to a national norm of 467. The TIME article also cited some other statistics to support the idea that Asian-Americans score well above the average in American schools.

Shall we chalk the reason for this up to some sort of genetic superiority or are there other possible reasons for this phenomenon? Perhaps the Asians who immigrate to the U.S. are wealthier than the average American and can supply their children with better early education and leisure-time learning aids. Or maybe the Asian students have been exposed to the more rigorous education system found in the Orient. The TIME article mentions the Confucian ethic which stresses respect for elders as a possible motivation for the Asian-American student. In this view the student repays his parents through scholastic achievement. Heredity, income, schooling, or ethnic, what do you think?

### Organization Day June 3

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### Engineer Dining Out and Birthday Ball

- **Monday, June 13 6:30 p.m.**
  - **$17.50 or W13,200**
  - **Seoul Garden Hotel**
  - **Dress or Mess Uniform**
  - **Main Ball Room**
  - **Tuxedo or Business Suit**

**Guests of Honor:**
- LTG and Mrs. Joseph K. Bratton
- BG and Mrs. Robert M. Bunker

All FED employees and guests are invited.

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Help for Gov’t Drivers

The Joint Police Information Center (JPIC) is the central contact point for drivers of government vehicles in the event of a breakdown or traffic accident anywhere in Korea. Telephone numbers for JPIC are included on the vehicle’s dispatch.

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Osan project (Continued from Page 1)

The Central Area Office is a busy place these days, but its biggest challenge still awaits it. Beginning this summer activities at the Osan Air Base will cease so that major improvements can be made to the runway, control tower and terminal area. The work will have to be accomplished in accordance with a strict timetable with little margin for error. One portion of this improvement program will be readily apparent to most Americans in Korea. The passenger terminal for Military Airlift Command flights will be modernized. Maybe no more sitting on your luggage while waiting for space-available flights?

Briefs

Response to last month’s survey of interest in a district book has been very light. If you meant to send a response and forgot, please send a note, in whatever form, to the Public Affairs Office.

Congratulations to MSG William Harkins of the Aviation Office on his promotion.

The Camp Long Project Office, formerly under the jurisdiction of the Ui-jongbu Project Office, is now under Area III’s control.

District begins major renovation

A major renovation of the FED compound will begin June 1st with several offices moving into the building presently occupied by the Northern Resident Office (NRO) and the RSOK Library Service. The plan calls for NRO and RSOK to be relocated off the compound while the renovation is completed. Personnel of the Safety Office, Office of Counsel, Auditor, Photo Lab and Military Branch personnel in Building T-9 will move to the NRO Building so their buildings can be worked on. This first phase of the program is scheduled to run from June 1st until July 11th, when the second phase will begin.

Phase II plans concern the FED Headquarters, the NRO Building, KOAX Headquarters and the steam plant. In order to renovate these buildings, FED Headquarters employees will move to the Construction Division Building (whose occupants will have moved into the new building by the Market Gate) and KOAX Headquarters personnel will move off the compound. This phase of the program is scheduled to be accomplished by December 10th.

The remaining phase of the program, to be accomplished between December and next March, will involve renovation of the Foundation and Materials Branch Building, the Construction Division Building, and the CEEIA Detachment Building.
Successful picnic  (Continued from Page 1)

Benya took care of such things as transportation for the kids, necessary equipment and planning of the games. Billie Hayes helped with the preparation by making many of the necessary arrangements. Everyone who attended helped make it an enjoyable day for the children but just by looking at the smiles on the kids' faces, they got back much more than they gave.

Fire truck rides were popular.

Lillian Perrenot, left, dishes out cake and ice cream. Lunchtime.
May 1983

I don't put down this catcher's mask for anybody!

Time out to eat.

Enjoying each others' company.

Adults leave the scene as water fight breaks out.

Do, Eun-Ju smiles with Col. Perrenot.
DISTRICT HAPPENINGS

Come watch FED softball

The district slow pitch softball team, coached by MSG William Harkins (Aviation), is off to a good start. They nearly won the Yongsan pre-season tournament at the end of April and, as of press time, were undefeated in their first three outings in the Yongsan League Competition. If the closeness of the first two contests (10 - 9 and 9 - 7) is any indication, the FED games are going to be well worth watching. All the games will be played on South Post, either near Collier Field House (Field's 2 & 3) or across the road from the new elementary school (Field 5). The schedule for June follows:

- June 4 vs. KANAKA: Field 2 4:15 p.m.
- June 8 vs. FEAK #1: Field 5 6:00 p.m.
- June 11 vs. 121st Hosp: Field 2 11:15 a.m.
- June 15 vs. 595th Maint: Field 3 6:00 p.m.
- June 18 vs. Suslak: Field 3 11:15 a.m.
- June 21 vs. 17th Avn: Field 2 6:00 p.m.
- June 27 vs. 30th WEA: Field 5 6:00 p.m.

New FED faces

Cho, Chung Chu is the new Clerk-Typist in the Camp Long Project Office.

Yi, Yong Hun is the new Geologist in the F&M Branch. He worked for the Natural Science Research Institute at Yonsei University as a Researcher.

Pak, Son U is the new Civil Engineer in the F&M Branch. He worked for the Daewoo Engineering Company as a Civil Engineer.

Hoe O Belt is also a Clerk-Typist of the Contract Branch of the Procurement & Supply Division.

Joel LaRocque is the new Ration Control Clerk in the Office of Administrative Services. He was in the U.S. Army during the period 1975-78.

Wayne L. Kelly is a newly assigned Specifications Assistant in the Design Branch. He served in the U.S. Army as a 1st Lt.

Sports briefs

As the district bowling league heads toward its wind-up June 1, five teams remain in the running for first place. Tech Review “A”, Military Branch, Tech Review “B”, Civil/Drafting Section and Mech/Electrical Section “A” sport records of 42-26, 41-27, 40-28, 39-29, and 37-5-30-5, respectively.

The FED representative in the recent Seoul Marathon was Stanley Glatt (Program Support Section of Military Branch). The 46-year-old Mr. Glatt covered the more-than-26 mile course in 4 hours, 32 minutes and 32 seconds. He is a veteran marathon runner who is currently contemplating a trip to the Los Angeles area for a race there.

Luncheon news

by Cindi Cook

Due to the various activities during the month of June, such as Organization Day and the Engineer Ball, there will be no FED luncheon. There will be a luncheon in July.

On Organization Day the orphanage fund will be selling memorabilia such as T-shirts, Brass Belt Buckles (large and small), Leather Belts (large and small), Coffee Mugs, etc. These items are on display in the display case in the Headquarters Building so you can see them any time. It will also be selling drinks and having a bake sale. All bakers are encouraged to volunteer their specialty for the bake sale. Raffle tickets are currently on sale in various offices or may be purchased on Organization Day. We sincerely appreciate your support of this and in other activities.

Upcoming Events

- Organization Day ...................... 3 June
- LTG Bratton Visits .................. 12-16 June
- Engineer Dining-out and Birthday Ball .... 13 June
- U.S. Flag Day ......................... 14 June
제6월 3일

'울가니제이온 마이' 평가 중인

국방의 '대내외'와 창단 기념 문호회

일시 : 6월 13일, 월요일, 오후 6시
장소 : 서울, 가산LINE, '대신 본부'

조례정렬 : 조병수, 백두산 중대 대통령

도시버스, 민기 장관 내부 출향회

회비 : $15.70 혹은 W/13,000

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May 1983
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“소프트 볼” 경기

“휠리엄 헨튼스”(항공전 본부) 상사가 조치하는 FED(소프트 볼) 경기는 즐겁게 했다. 그들은 지난 4월 말에 ‘용산 프리 페스 토너먼트’를 간신히 이겼고, 현재까지 ‘올림픽 리그전’ 총 3회 출전(참여)에 완벽하게 됐다. 최종 2회 심사를 10-9, 9-7에서ชนะ한 하승수와 이승형은 11월 중 티안메이 토너먼트(국제배) 대회에 출전할 예정이다.

인사(人事)

채용 팀: KANAKA
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6월 27일

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K. Tipton
전역 팀원.

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Civil Engineer
대우(大宇)로부터 전역함.

고용(Contract Br. 군부)
Clerk Tipton
선역 전역함.

프린트 프로포시(Off. of Admin. Serv. 군부)
Ration Control Clerk
이 용군에서 제대로하고 신임함.

영한 L. 홍(Design Br. 군부)
Specifications Specialist
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