



GOUGH, KRAFT WIN TOURNEY

The finals in the Activities Association's golf tournament were held last Sunday at the Hampton Country Club with Melvin Gough and Chris Kraft, both of Flight Research, taking the championship by defeating H. R. Livesay, Construction, and Harold Crane, Construction Engineering, 5 and 3.

The tournament was a two-man team best ball affair. The match was divided into three flights with Bill Hadaway and Gordon Griffith winning the second flight and Paul Stassi and Charlie Donlan coming out on top in the third flight.

Gough and Kraft, winners of the first flight, will have their names engraved on a trophy which will be placed in the Activities Building. Winners of each flight were presented personal prizes.

Listed below are the results of each flight according to the outcome of the first round and the finals.

First Flight: Livesay and Crane defeated Sig Sjoberg and Frank Hart 1 up, and Gough and Kraft defeated Grady Mitcham and Arnold Beckhardt 7 and 6. In the finals Gough and Kraft took a 5 and 3 victory over Livesay and Crane.

Second Flight: Bill Hadaway and Gordon Griffith nosed out Dick Felix and Bill Bates 3 and 2 and Jack Brewer and M. E. Huston took a 4 and 3 win over Cliff Fitton and Chuck Bennett. In the finals Hadaway and Griffith took a 3 and 2 win over Brewer and Huston to win their flight.

Third Flight: Paul Stassi and Charlie Donlan defeated Harold Crane and George Zender 1 up, 19 holes, and Gene Guryanski and Bob Rose defeated Len Bartone and Ed Kruszewski 5 and 4. In the final round Stassi and Donlan nosed out Guryanski and Rose 1 up, 19 holes.

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LAB EMPLOYEE DIES AT HOME



Archie W. Fairfield

Archie Wallace Fairfield, Instrument Service Section, died unexpectedly last Sunday afternoon at his home, 27 Maury Ave., Beaconsdale.

A native of Tennessee, he was born January 1, 1896 and had lived in this area for the past 30 years. He served as a Machinist from 1916 to 1919 in the Newport News Shipyard and Dry Dock Company and entered on duty at the Laboratory as a toolmaker on November 8, 1935. At the time of his death he was an Instrument Inspector in the Instrument Service Section.

He is survived by his wife, Mrs. Virginia A. Fairfield; and three sons, Wallace A. of Newport News, Leonard W. of Blacksburg, and Robert H., a student at VPI, Blacksburg.

AMATEUR RADIO

A regular technical meeting of the Peninsula Amateur Radio Club will be held tonight at 7:30 at the White Signal Tower at Fortress Monroe. All persons interested in amateur radio are cordially invited to attend the meeting tonight.

BOATRIDE DANCE TOMORROW EVE

Tomorrow, Saturday night at 8 o'clock the good ship "Wauteka" will leave her berth at the C & O pier in Newport News for a four hour trip on Hampton Roads and the James River. For only three dollars, stag or drag you too may come along and join in the fun. There will be dancing to Harry Semento's orchestra and refreshments for sale on board. There will also be games for your amusement. So come on out for the best time you have had since the Carnival.

Tickets are for sale at the East and West Area Cafeterias and may also be obtained from your Morale Activities representatives. You may also buy tickets at the pier at sailing time if you have your NACA identification card and if there are any remaining.

ASSOCIATION MAKES ELECTION PLANS

While you are debating which of the National nominees to vote for, don't overlook the fact that plans are underway for a coming election right here at the Laboratory. This election is for the purpose of electing a new representative body to the General Assembly of the Activities Association.

Except for a few changes in districts, the election plans are basically the same as last year. The Laboratory has been divided into 30 districts, each of which has been kept to as limited an area as possible. Within each district, the plans call for one representative for each 70 employees plus or minus 20. This plan worked well last year and should be satisfactory again, but anyone having any "squawks" may blow off steam to Tommy Coleman at 4539.

Final details for the primaries and finals will be distributed later in the month, so keep posted by reading "Air Scoop".

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LIFE AT THE LABORATORY

We're a little late.

in hearing about this one. We managed to get the announcement of the engagement as scheduled but when it came time for the wedding bells to ring some reporter fell down on the job. (Ed. Note: In case you've forgotten, reporters are Langley Employees). It seems that Barbara Brown, Editorial Office, and George Heimerl, Structures Research, took their final vows on Friday, September 3.

Passing out cigars.

and grinning from ear to ear is Larry Guy, 19-Foot Pressure Tunnel. Larry became the proud father of a seven pound, ten ounce daughter, Susan Rene, on Wednesday, September 29.

Making plans.

for a fall wedding is Grace Clark, Files. The other part of the twosome is John Melvin Sain, who is stationed with the U.S. Air Force in San Antonio, Texas. Definite wedding plans are pending the groom's grant of leave.

The Editorial Office.

seems to have become rather marriage-minded all of a sudden. Maybe the fact that a Spinsters Club is in the making as soon as the new year rolls around has something to do with Dan Cupid's success. Anyway, wedding bells will ring on Thursday, October 14 when Betty Sohl, Editorial Office, takes her final vows with Nelson Fuller of Phoebus.

Dan Cupid.

came through with another victory when Dot Estes, Editorial

Office, announced her plans to wed in December. The Laboratory bachelor who will be giving up his freedom to take part in the big event is Tommy Coleman, Induction Aerodynamics.

Another proud papa.

who is passing out cigars is Austin D. McHatton, East Model Shop. He became the father of a son, James Russell, on Friday, October 1. Mama Leah is formerly of 19-Foot Pressure Tunnel.

Making plans.

to join the ranks of "old married folks" is Ray Goodman, West Machine Shop. He is engaged to Sybil Forrest of Hilton Village and wedding bells will ring on Saturday, October 30.

FOR SALE: Modern 4 room house. Otto Trout, W. Machine, or 5923 Marshall Ave.

WANTED: Ride for 2 to E.A. on 8 shift from Shirley Rd. and Warwick. Kay Mosteller, 2281.

FOR RENT: Large bedroom with twin beds for 2 gentlemen. G. S. Black, 3611 4th St., or Hampton 7392.

FOR RENT: Room for 2 girls or 2 men. Will serve meals. Mrs. Hattie A. Strailman, Hampton 33019.

BRAINBUSTER NEWS

By Bill Poythress

Despite high winds and a chilly day, the contest last Sunday was well attended. This meet was primarily for Brainbuster Club members but it was thought that a little sportsman-like competition would increase the enthusiasm so all local model airplane builders were invited.

Only two events were held - Gas powered, all classes combined, and rubber powered, all classes combined. In the gas powered event Joe Dodson, West Engineering was top man with a total of four minutes, thirty-three seconds. In second place was a visitor from Portsmouth with a total of four minutes, twenty seconds. Joe Boyle, East Model, took third with two minutes, ten seconds and Reid Hull, East Engineering, was fourth with one minute, fifty-two seconds.

The rubber powered event was more hotly contested and despite the weather and the woods, some very good time was turned in. Clarence Brown, West Engineering, barely nosed out Bill Ramsey with a total of six minutes, seven seconds. Ramsey took second place with six minutes, five seconds. Hancock of Norfolk came in to take third place with five minutes, forty-five seconds and Gail Cheesman, Low Turbulence, was close behind with five minutes, forty-three seconds. S. Stein, West Engineering, took fifth with four minutes, fifty-three seconds.

A class "A" gas powered model was turned over to contest officials who are still trying to locate the owner. The model is an Arden .099 powered ship with a glo-plug and the only identification on the plane is the AMA number. Club officials have written the AMA Headquarters in Washington for the owner's name, but persons having any information concerning the owner are asked to contact Bill Poythress, 4452, or Hampton 5793.

FOR SALE: or will trade Harrington and Richards 22 caliber 9 shot revolver with 6 inch barrel on a 38 caliber frame. \$40 or will trade for drill press. Strass, PARD.

FOR SALE: 1929 A Model Ford station wagon. Below list price. Wiley, 7 X 10.

WANTED: Ride from Washington St., Hampton to W.A. on 8 shift. Ruth Addington, 4547.

FOR SALE: Zanith Global portable radio. \$50. Block, DTOS.

FOR RENT: Single room in Hilton. Mrs. L. J. Harris, N. N. 2-5148.

BOWLING NEWS

TENPIN LEAGUE

After three nights of bowling, the Headpins are on top in League "B" and Low Turbulence leads League "A", each with 6 wins and no losses. At the present time, Visconti, Low Turbulence, holds high men's average with 174 and Sadie Hubbard, Alleycats, is leading the women with 140. Last week, Baker, Alleycats, rolled the men's high game with a 192 and Irma Twynam, Full Scale, topped the women with a 166 game and a new high set of 442. Visconti bowled the men's high set with a 522 total. Low Turbulence was high team with an 801 game and 2304 set.

IRD BOWLING LEAGUE

Cullerites and EAC are tied for first place in the IRD League with eight wins and four losses each. Hansen still leads the men with high game of 133 and Chin held onto his high set of 335. Betty Bartlett came through with a 114 game to set a new record for the members of the fairer sex. Leading the women with high set is Marie Louer with 278. The Dixiecrats have high team game of 514 and EAC's 1461 set still tops the record in that field.

Coming Events

Printed below is a calendar of events scheduled to take place in the Activities Building throughout the coming week.

- Oct. 8 - IRD Party
- Oct. 9 - Boatride Dance on the "Wauteka"
2:00 - NACA Bridge Tourney
- Oct. 10 - Stability Division Party
- Oct. 11 - 6:30 Skyhawk Practice
- Oct. 12 - 7:30 Girls' Basketball Clinic
7:30 - Bridge Club
- Oct. 13 - 4:30 Male Chorus rehearsal
7:00 - Dancing Class
- Oct. 14 - Bingo Party
- Oct. 15 - Maintenance Party

LOST: Wallet containing identifications and money. Moore, 2231.

FOR SALE: Overstuffed living room chair. Schew, Hampton 3-2959.

WANTED: 2 passengers from 28th and 34th to E.A. on 8 shift. Whitcomb, 2377.

FOR RENT: Room for 2 men or a couple. Mrs. James, H - 5571.

FOR RENT: Single or double room for men or women. Mrs. Vinieratos, 38 Manteo Ave., Hampton 7051.

PLAN FULL SEASON FOR SKYHAWK TEAM

Coach Frank Hart sent 19 potential NACA Skyhawks through their paces Monday night with three hours of basketball exercises and formation designed to round the squad into shape as soon as possible. Hart hopes to get a line on the caliber of his players by the end of the month at which time the squad will be cut to twelve men. Although the Skyhawks could use a skyscraper about 6'3", the team will not be without a goodly amount of tall timber, with such players as Luke Luccini, 6'1 3/4", Wally Luchuk, former Captain of the University of Connecticut, 6'1 1/2", Ed Kilgore and Ben Tinglehoff, 6'1", and Bob Thompson, 6'. Those under six feet who make up the rest of the squad are Lowell Hasel, Ted Himka, Bill Bates, Ed Polhamus, and Chuck Bennett, all former members of the Skyhawk team, and new-comers Art Hinners, John McFall, Arnold Beckhardt, Doug Lord, Webster, and Ken Merten.

Hart wishes to emphasize that all positions on the team are wide open and any player at the Lab who wishes to try out for the team may contact Business Manager Frank Read, 4521 or Newport News 2-3692, as soon as possible or be at the Skyhawk practice on Monday, October 11 at 6:30 p.m. at the Activities Building.

The team will start the season with new blue and gold satin uniforms complete with jackets.

The Skyhawks' schedule is in the process of being made up with teams as far as Baltimore and Roanoke being considered as opponents. The famous Federal Bureau of Investigation team from Washington will be scheduled if home and home arrangements can be made.

The coach, business manager, team trainer Charlie Clark, and players pledge to do their utmost to give the Laboratory a winning team but their efforts alone are a small part compared with what Laboratory employees can contribute by attending the games and pulling for their team to win.

WANTED: Ride from Stuart Gardens to E.A. on 7:30 shift. Keffer, 2254.

FOR SALE: Perfex 55 with F3.5 lens with accessories. Haggerman, 7 X 10.

FOR SALE: Corner lot behind Mariners Museum. Stacey, E. Elec. Shop.

FOR SALE: 1948 Mercury club coupe. \$2195. Scher, N. N. 4-1271.

WEST MACHINE UP-SETS 19-FOOT

In playoffs held last week, 19-Foot Pressure Tunnel received their first defeat of the season at the hands of West Machine Shop, winners of Division II. In a game that would have ended the season had 19-Foot won, West Machine shut out the defending champions 13-0. Since the playoff round was to be a two-game elimination affair, another game will be necessary to decide the championship. Both teams have lost one game during playoffs, West Machine was defeated earlier in the tournament and 19-Foot received a set back at the hands of West Machine. As the "Air Scoop" went to press the date for the final playoffs was being held up because of bad weather.

In the game last week West Machine chalked up two runs in the first, were held scoreless in the second and third, racked up two more in the fourth, and added six in the fifth and three in the sixth for a one-sided 13-0 victory. Winning pitcher Freddy Eubank allowed only two hits, walked three, and struck out eleven while losing pitcher Pat Cancro gave up ten hits, walked four, and struck out three. All the outstanding hits of the game were made by the winning team with Eubank connecting for two home runs, Smith getting a home run, and Johnny Catlett coming through with a triple.

FOR RENT: Room with twin beds. Mrs. Zehrbach, 3605 Myrtle St. or H 6553.

FOR SALE: Arvin hot water heater. \$10. Moberg, N. N. 2-1750.

WANTED: Ride from Riverside Hospital to W.A. on 8 shift. Mary Culotta, 4522.

FOR SALE: Atlas baby carriage and bathinette, Liddell, W. Machine.

FOR SALE: Carl Zeiss Ikonflex One camera with accessories. McSmith, Hampton - 6661.

FOR SALE: 3 rooms of furniture. Eunice Suttle, Hampton 3-2153.

WANTED: Ride from 51st and Huntington to W.A. on 8 shift. Allison, 4581.

WANTED: Passengers on 8 shift from Victoria and King to W.A. Payne, Aero. Loads.

FOR SALE: Building site overlooking Phoebus bay, 100' X 150'. Miller, Hampton 6964 after 5 p.m.

CAMERA CLUB PLANS SNAPSHOT CONTEST

By John H. Hoffnagle

The Hampton Camera Club announces its first Annual Snapshot Photography Contest, limited to Elizabeth City County residents. The Club intends to create a popular snapshot contest for the County on an annual basis and to make it a Fall affair with prizes and a judging panel composed of well known experts within the community. The first contest is sponsored by Epes Stationery Co. of Hampton.

Epes has made the following prizes available: First prize - \$50, second prize - \$25, third prize - \$10, these prizes to be presented as a credit certificate good at any of the three Epes Stores. In addition there will be five honorary awards, and all winning pictures will be enlarged, mounted, and prepared for public exhibition by the Camera Club. The negatives of all entries must be available and in good condition. All pictures will be returned after the contest. Winners will be personally notified and the negatives requested.

The Panel of Judges consists of Dr. William Aery, Director of Education, Hampton Institute, retired, and well known to NACA employees during the war; W. E. Cheyne, Cheyne Portrait Studios; Dr. Leo Katz, Chairman of Art Department, Hampton Institute; J. J. Lankes, Head of Technical Illustrators; and Andrew Sea, NACA Photo Lab. The Panel will be assisted by members of the club.

The contest is closed to members of the Hampton Camera Club or any amateur photography group, professional photographers or anyone engaged in professional photography or any related business, employees of Epes Stationery Co., or any member of the family of any such persons. This contest is intended for the public. Any sort of picture 4 x 6 or larger, unmounted, unretouched, and which is free of blemishes or hazy portions may be entered. Any number of entries per persons is allowed. General information sheets are available from club members and Epes in Hampton.

All entries must be made in person at Epes, Hampton by 5 p.m. Saturday, November 13.

WANTED: Ride from New Market Rd. between LeMac Nurseries and Briarfield Rd. to E.A. on 8 shift. Mitchell, 2336.



The above picture was taken last week as Dr. Jerome C. Hunsaker, Chairman of the NACA, officially named the Cleveland Laboratory the Lewis Flight Propulsion Laboratory, in honor of the late Dr. George William Lewis, former Director of Aeronautical Research. Shown above (from left) are: Carlton Kemper, Executive Engineer of the Lewis Laboratory, Dr. Hugh L. Dryden, Director of Aeronautical Research; Admiral Ernest J. King, USN; Vice Admiral Emory S. Land, USN (Ret); and Dr. Hunsaker. Shown in the background is the bronze memorial bas-relief plaque with a side view likeness of Dr. Lewis. The plaque will be placed in the lobby of the Laboratory's Administration Building.

ASK STAFF'S AID IN EMBLEM DESIGN

It has been decided to award meritorious service emblems to members of the NACA staff upon completion of 20 or more years of service. At the present time efforts are being made to design an emblem that will be symbolic of the NACA and which will also be striking in appearance.

It is desired to give members of the staff an opportunity to participate in the design of these pins and any suggestions you may have are solicited. If assistance is needed in the presentation of ideas for an emblem, the Technical Illustrating Section may be contacted. Some ideas which might be adaptable for expression by means of this emblem are: flow of air (either shock wave or smoke tunnel effect); flight from subsonic through to supersonic speeds, and variations of the NACA wing insignia.

Proposed designs should be submitted to Mrs. Indaline T. Atkins, Administration Building, for transmittal to the NACA Headquarters for selection of final design.

FOR SALE: 35-foot auxiliary sloop. C. C. Brown, Electrical Shop.

BINGO PARTY NEXT THURSDAY

Laboratory employees who enjoyed the Bingo Parties so much last year seem to have forgotten about the good times because the attendance has dropped considerably. The Activities Association is trying to back several activities this year and in order to support these various groups, employees must in turn back the Bingo Parties.

The next party will be held next Thursday night at 8:30 at the Activities Building. The grand prize this time will be a washing machine with an automatic timer. Seven numbers will be called for the jack-pot which will consist of an apartment size washing machine, Gilbert electric food mixer, and Never-lift electric iron.

Included on the prize list are the following: Pop-up toaster, waffle iron, musical alarm radio, electric iron, electric perculator, clothes hamper, bathroom scales, sterling silver salt and pepper set, and several other prizes which will be selected later.

FOR RENT: Room 17 minutes from Langley Field, Simon, 19-Foot.