



DOUGLAS P. O'NEAL
USMA
San Francisco, California

E-2 USA
Cong
"Doug"



JACKIE A. ORR
USMA, USAFA
Goshen, Indiana

E-2 USA
RA

After five long hours of classes
And one long torture: P.T.
I mope to the barracks and find
A gig-slip waiting for me.

WILLIAM R. RAINFORD
USMA
Goffstown New Hampshire

E-2 USA
Pres, Cong
"Runt"

LEIGH S. REDDING
USMA
Springfield, Virginia

E-2 USA
Pres, Res
"Red"





CHARLES D. REVIE
USMA
Arlington, Virginia

E-3 USA
Res Pres, Cong



LARRY D. RIDDICK
USAFA
Greenfield, Tennessee

A/2C USAF
RAF
"Hornone"

Is this justice? Is this humane?
Won't someone hear my plea?
And, hereafter, hide my gig-slips
Till I recover from P.T.?

HERBY K. ROBINSON
USMA
Tulsa, Oklahoma

E-3 USA
Pres
"Robby"

CHARLES H. RODGERS
USAFA
Las Vegas, Nevada

A/2C USAF
Cong, RAF
"Chuckles"





BARRY J. ROLLER
USMA, USAFA
South River, New Jersey

E-3 USA
RA
"Steam"



MAX A. SCHETTER
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Tucson, Arizona

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RA
"Smaxie"

But, all in all, it's not so bad.
In fact, I thank my God
For the hope, that someday, I may walk
Where our greatest men have trod.

ROBERT B. SINCLAIR
USMA
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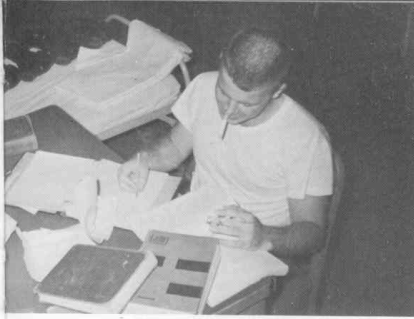
E-3 USA
RA

O Lord! Please let me prove my worth,
That I may see the day,
When I can proudly walk the earth
In that uniform of gray..."

ZOE ZEHEL
USMA
Nassau, New York

Sp-4 USA
RA

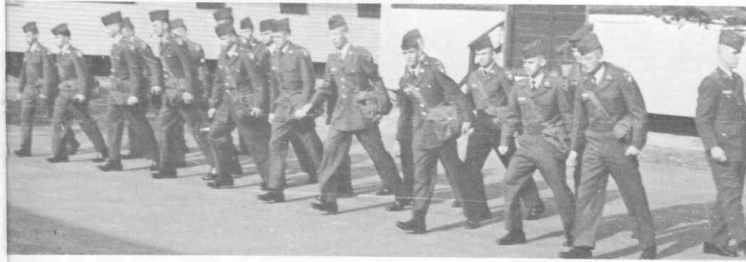




And on the 7th Day...



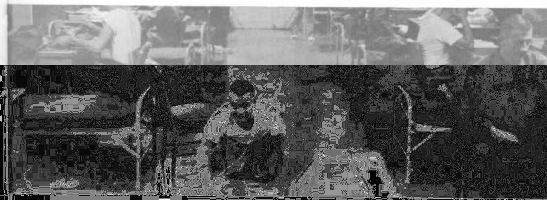
Column of Bunches



Everybody else is wrong..



Peter Prepsters





5th The latest arrivals at USMAPS were of varied talents. Included in the platoon could be found a former disc jockey, a fluent Italian conversationalist, a major in the CAP, and an accomplished Flamenco guitarist. The Fifth Platoon provided three C/C Company Commanders to the Chain of Command. Who can forget the day our P/Sgt. was gigged for having a car in his police area? Will we ever discover who was in charge of the "Big Blast" in D-6 just prior to Christmas leave?

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ARTHUR L. ADAM
USMA, USAFA
Buhl, Idaho

Sp-4 USA
RA



STEWART E. AITHER
USAFA
Jamaica, Vermont

Sp-4 USA
RA

Here's Casey, You poor put-upon souls,
Here with some more choppy rhyme,
He'll be here throughout these pictures, I'm told,
Bothering you all of the time.

LAUREN G. ALLARD
USAFA
Stuart, Florida

A/3C USAF
RAF

GARY A. BEAUGRAND
USMA
Ironwood, Michigan

Pvt USMC
Cong





WILLIAM K. BEDFORD
USMA
Memphis, Tennessee

E-2 USA
Pres, Res



CARLOS E. BOYER
USAF
Pendleton, Indiana

A/3C USAF
RAF

Something is wrong again in D-2.
Someone is not in the sack.
He wasn't in by Sunday's Tatum;
Casey hasn't come back.

GARY E. CROWTHER
USMA, USAFA
Falls Church, Virginia

E-2 USA
Pres, Res, Cong

JAMES P. DOWNEY
USMA, USAFA
Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania

Sp-4 USA
RA





BYRON P. FAVRE
 USAFA
 St. Louis, Missouri

A/2C USAF
 RAF
 "Patty"



MICHAEL J. GATES
 USMA, USAFA
 San Francisco, California

E-2 USA
 Pres, RA, Cong

"Hold on; his bag's at the foot of his bed.
 His civies lay near in a heap.
 He made the formation at six o'clock,
 But when will he come back and sleep?"

ROY C. GOOD
 USAFA
 South Bend, Indiana

A/2C USAF
 RAF, Cong

RAYMOND L. GREENE
 USMA, USAFA
 Taylor, Michigan

E-3 USA
 RA





STEVEN R. GREY
USMA
New York City

E-3 USA
RA



NORMAN L. GRUMSTAD
USAFA, USCGA
Worthington, Minnesota

A/2C USAF
RAF

"He's not in the ramps as far as we know;
He's certainly not in his bed.
He might be out freezing alone in the snow,
Or perchance in the dayroom instead."

DAVID E. HAYNES
USMA
Jacksonville, Florida

Sp-5 USA
RA

JAMES B. HOLCOMBE
USAFA
Weaverville, North Carolina

A/3C USAF
RAF





BRISTOW S. HOPPER, JR. E-2 USA
 USMA RA
 St. Petersburg, Florida



SILAS M.N. JONES E-3 USA
 USMA, USCGA RA
 Frankfort, Ky. "Stump Jumper"

That's it! In the dayroom! He's gotta be there;
 Where else would he be at this time?
 The Lord only knows that we've looked everywhere
 Except.....Perhaps he's resigned!

MELVIN C. JOHNSON E-3 USA
 USMA RA
 LaMarque, Texas

ROBERT L. KOSMER E-3 USA
 USMA Cong
 Canton, Pennsylvania





BLAINE G. LEIDY
USMA
Alexandria, Virginia

E-2 USA
Pres, Res



JOSEPH R. LEE
USAFA
Blackshean, Georgia

A/3C USAF
RAF

"Ok, it's agreed; he's resigned. That's for sure!
Good riddance! Oh boy! I'll go pack."
The C/C platoon sergeant's voice rang out clear;
"Now wait! Perhaps he'll come back."

FRED V. McCLINTOCK
USAFA
Bedford, Penna

A/2C USAF
RAF
"Curly"

KENNETH L. McDOLE
USAFA, USMA
Ablene, Texas

A/2C USAF
Cong, RA





EDWARD G. McNAMARA A/3C USAF
 USAFA, USCGA RAF
 North Kingstown, R.I.



GABRIEL G. MAZZAFERRO A/2C USAF
 USAFA Cong, RAF
 East Hampton, New York

*Chuck -
 Good look at AFA -
 We all know the
 AF that it
 needs good
 women.
 Real guy -
 "Muss"*

"Don't be dumb! Not a chance! Of course he's resigned!
 How in the world could he stay?"
 "Why only last week we short sheeted his bunk,
 A guy knows he's not wanted that way"

ALFRED G. MEYER
 USMA
 Alexandria, Va.

E-2 USA
 Res, Pres.

HUGH P. MORTON
 USMA
 Hammond, Ind.

Sp/4 USA
 RA
 "Latin Lover"





MICHAEL E. MORIARTY
USAFA
Tullahoma, Tenn.

A/2C USAF
RAF



HARWOOD S. NICHOLS
USMA
Kenmore, N.Y.

E-2 USA
SDV, Pres

"Go ahead," said the platoon sergeant,
"But be sure you pack him out right.
Fill his duffle tight; Keep his laundry bag small,
And get rid of his junk by tonight."

JAMES W. NORMYLE
USMA
Milwaukee, Wisc.

Pfc USA
RA
"Norm"

WILLIAM W. PABST
USMA
Hamilton, Ohio

Pfc USA
ER
"Andy"





FRANCIS T. PACHLER, JR.
USMA
Arlington, Va.

E-2 USA
Res. Pres



JOHN R. PFEIFFER
USMA
Long Beach, Calif.

Pfc USA
RA

Well they packed 'till taps, then piled into bed;
Hope glowed in the hearts of all,
Till the CQ's light cut the dark of the night
On its bobbing course through the hall.

RICHARD W. PHILLIPS
USAFA
Vienna, W. Va.

A/2C USAF
RAF

JOHN W. RAYMOND
USMA, USAFA
St. Petersburg, Fla.

E-2 USA
RA, Pres





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USMA, USAFA
Arlington, Va.

A/3C USAF
Cong, Pres



BRETT G. SAMPSON
USMA
Portland, Ore.

E-2 USA
Pres

The light bounced along, then halted, returned
To the pile of Casey's packed gear;
Then the light moved fast to a DR pad,
And a writing scratch they did hear.

LARRY L. SCHUMACHER
USMA
Lorain, Ohio

Pfc USA
RA

EDDIE R. SIMS
USMA
Lebanon, Tenn.

Pfc USA
RA





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E-2 USA
RA



ROBERT WATSON
USMA
Verona, New Jersey

E-3 USA
RA

The C/C platoon sergeant is down in the mouth;
This weekend as planned was a ball,
But now, poor lad, he's gigged in bad,
And he won't have his ball after all.

EARL T. WILEY, III
USMA
Arlington, Virginia

E-2 USA
Pres, Res

ROBERT J. WILKINS
USMA, USAFA
Mayfield, New Jersey

E-2 USA
Cong, Res





BOBBY R. WOOD
USMA, USAFA
Augusta, Georgia

A/IC USAF
RAF, Cong



RICHARD J. WOODS
USAFA, USMA
Springfield, Massachusetts

Sp-4 USA
RAF, Cong

*Congratulations and
the best of luck
Bobby*

Why was Casey not in study hall?
Why did he miss the call of tatoon?
He was called to serve in the place
Of a guy that got sick, the CQ.

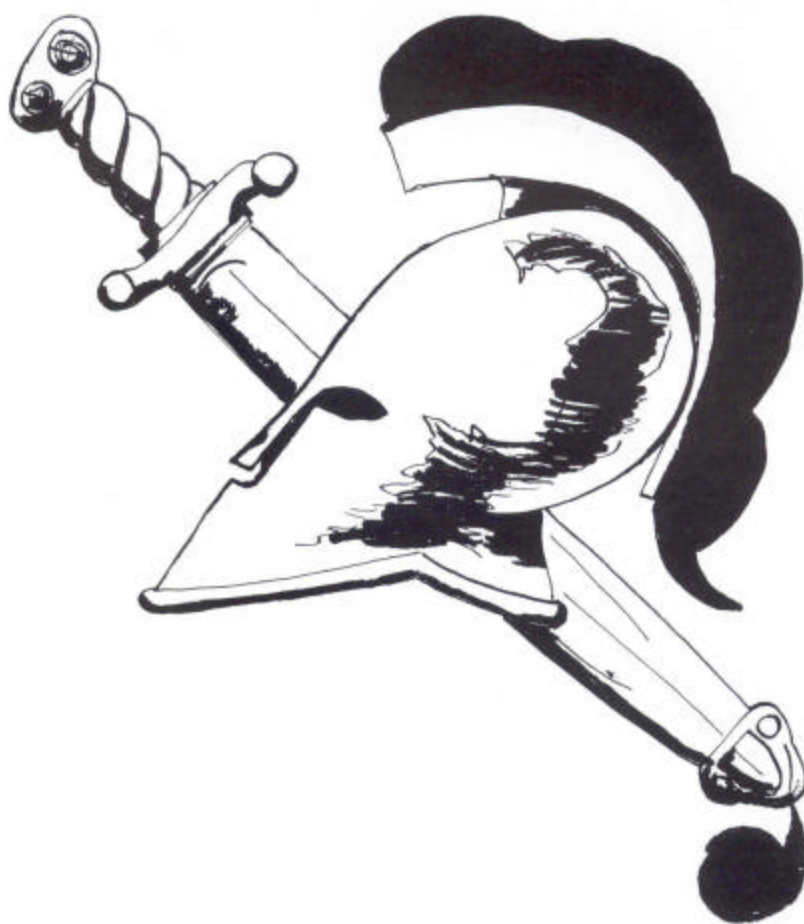
DEAN'S LIST

One of the chief goals of each cadet candidate while at the Prep School was to make the Dean's List. The Dean's List, a symbol of academic ability was composed of the top ten percent academically of the school. Ghosting privileges in the evenings were given to these brains whose sweat and hard work helped them attain this goal. The highest academic average, 96, was held by C/C Stern.

Gray, Boyle, Raymond, Phillipotts, Ferry, Sprague, Wilhelm, Stern, Boone, McAdams, Wolniewicz, Jackson, Johnson, Hawkins, Ryan, Puckett, Stafford.



SPORTS



ACTIVITIES



SOCIAL COMMITTEE: (standing) Pachler, Boyle, Gray, Downey, Fishback, Daman, Wilson, Read.
(seated) Hall, Meyer, Pells, Reed, and Aller.



December was socially highlighted with the formal dance, "Winter Fantasy." With music provided by an eleven man band, entertainment by a USMAPS trio—Daman, Gunderson, and Dews—and three miles of crepe paper decorations in a Roman winter style, the evening turned out to be a terrific success. Those poor individuals who kept replenishing the fountain with dry ice were definitely not as fortunate as those fifty-eight men with dates from Mary Washington College.

The Social Committee headed by C/C Pells and all the behind the scenes workers spent many hours preparing for this success.



"Who's making a mess?"



W I N T E R F A N T A S Y

BASKETBALL



Coached by Captain Herschel Chapman, the USMAPS Cagers bounced through their post-league schedule with a 12-0 record. In their encounter with USNAPS, the Cagers scored constantly during the second half to take a one point lead over their opponents, only to lose it in the last seconds of the game, ending with a 66-65 score.

Other highlights included the game vs Bullis Prep, introducing the Boston Celtics vs the Minneapolis Lakers, and such wins as those over Columbian Prep and Woodward Prep.

Dick Chilcoat, Team Captain, led a strong team throughout the season. And, what other team can claim as its bench strength "The Sons of the Desert," better known as "The Spastics."



SEATED: Van Sickle, Brady, Wells, Becker, Montgomery, Schafferling, Anderson, Calisto, Johnson, Snapp. (STANDING): Sprague, Larson, Mazzaffero, Robinson, Hill, Acor, Clark, Glass, Jones, Graeff, Ahern, Morse, and Capt. Cole.

The first team to venture forth to seek honor for the Prep School was the USMAPS football team. The game of Flag-football was new to most members of the team. They were used to the "Rougher" sport of tackle football, and quite often would wind up tackling the ball carrier instead of the flag. The team competed on a company level at Belvoir and gained a respectable third place.

RIFLE TEAM

Under the direction of Lt. Custer and SFC Kirchner the USMAPS Rifle team displayed outstanding marksmanship in the various matches throughout the year. Team captain C/C Burke said, "the greatest difficulty that we had to overcome was learning the different positions used in firing."

Team members: Hurley, Pfeiffer, Meyer, Lt. Custer, Grey, Burke, Reed, Revie, SFC Kirchner, Higgins, Redding, Oden, and Gates.



PISTOL TEAM



At the firing range near Specker Field House, the crack of .22 cal. pistols could be heard as the pistol team warmed up for future matches. A total of 947 points was amassed during one match as a result of keen eyes and steady trigger fingers. Team members are: Clements, Fairbanks, Carlquist, Becker, Lt. Custer, SFC Kirchner, Normyle, Coleman, and Fitch.



And in Ring Two...



"Think he'll make it?"



Isn't this one upside-down?



SQUASH TEAM
R. H. Jones, Gunn, Ballagh,
Beverley, Gray.

WINTER SPORTS
During the winter we found that there were many sports to choose from. C/C Bernard, a holder of Judo's "brown belt," instructed seventeen men in the basic holds and throws of that sport. Captain Chapman coached a team of about a half dozen in the court game of squash; the team participated in the Post League. C/C's VanSickle and H. L. Johnson were co-captains of the handball team, whose members lauded the coordination training that game affords. Sfc. Evans coached a popular sport in volleyball; this team also saw Post League competition. Sfc. Santure was the coach of a muscular group of weight lifters and tumblers, while another group worked at wrestling.



HANDBALL TEAM
Clements, Oxford, Wilson,
Johnson, Delgado.

The Moiseyev Ballet?

Don't look now...





C/Cs Jimearson, Ahern, Dews, Oden, and Downey

The "Flyer", a contribution of our class to USMAPS, provided the company a weekly "scandal sheet" of highly interesting, sometimes provocative, mostly hilarious copy. C/C David Dews was the "Flyer's" extremely prolific, dynamic Editor. His desire to make the "Flyer" a top notch publication was, indeed, a tangible motive for him to insure that his copy was in by Wed. deadline. John Ahern and Carl Gibbs covered the sports aspect of the "Flyer's" many-faceted features in an accurate interesting manner. The production of the "Flyer", as with all our extra-curricular activities at USMAPS demanded unprovoked sacrifice of time to achieve its completion.

In another field of Sport, The USMAPS banner was planted in Ft. Belvoir ten pin alleys by a team of eight prepsters. Every Wednesday evening (in civilian clothes no less) the team ventured forth to participate in league competition. Led by team captain C/C Lemire and coached by SFC Gene Neff the team finished sixth in its league of fourteen teams.

Humphries, Sutterlin, Voigt. Not Shown; Lemire, Beemer, Fitzgerald, Chadderdon, and Daman.



Co-Educational?

Just resting his eyes!

Christmas Party





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C/C's McLean, Rogers, Missal

C/C Roy Good's job as Liaison Man may not have seemed like much to the uninformed, but his efforts in expediting the flow of information, ideas, and materials for such diverse activities as THE FLYER, the SOCIAL COMMITTEE, and THE CHALLENGE were appreciated by all who were involved.



Capt. Ross, C/C Good

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We leave the long deep ghostly halls
Which echoed with the tread of feet
 More often than we knew,
For those who walked them after hours
Could only feel the presence there
 Of someone - only Whom?

Our School has been here but three years;
The structure was built long before;
 Old Spirits were at hand,
They welcomed the new Prepster shades
Of Duty, Honor, Country; then
 All joined the mystic band.

I like to think these haunts have proved
A subtle tonic for our task
 By sanctioning our goals,
Tomorrow, swelled by our own shades,
The troop of phantoms will entrance
 A newer throng of souls.