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HNG ASSOCIATION TO MEET

The General Meeting of the Hawaii National Guard Association will convene Saturday, September 10th, at the Long House of the Hawaiian Village Hotel. This will be the first time in seven years that the entire membership will meet.

AN ELECTION PROFILE: Richard M. Nixon

Vice President Richard M. Nixon is a 14 year veteran of the political scene and his party's candidate for the Presidency after eight years in the number two spot.

The GOP standard bearer has traveled almost 160,000 miles in visiting 54 countries since taking office in 1952.

Born Jan 9, 1913, at Yorba Linda, Calif., Nixon helped his father as a youth with the family grocery store. He attended Whittier College in California and Duke University's School of Law where he graduated in 1937.

Before entering politics he returned to Whittier and put out his shingle. He met Patricia Ryan whom he married in 1940.

Nixon left his practice in 1942 to work for wartime Office of Emergency Management and later was commissioned in the Navy and sent to the South Pacific. Released from active duty in 1946, he is now a commander in the Naval Reserve.

He was assigned after the war to wind up active contracts with aircraft firms, a job which earned him a letter of commendation for saving the government millions of dollars.

He was elected to the House of Representatives in '46 and '48 and to the Senate in 1950.

His legislative career included investigations of corruption & Communist activities in government. He helped obtain Alger Hiss's conviction for perjury & co-sponsored the subversive activities control bill (Mundt-Nixon).

The session starts at 1330 and will last until 1600 hours. The agenda includes a briefing of the forthcoming 82nd General Conference to be held here in October and a panel discussion entitled "D plus 1", the day after a nuclear attack on the United States. The panel is composed of Brig Gen Neil D. Van Sickle, Asst C/S Operations, PACAF; Col Frank E. Ball, Asst C/S G-3, Hq, USARHAW; Col (Ret) Bernard A. Byrne, State Civil Defense Agency; and Bob Roberts, the moderator.

QUINN PRAISES ANG

In a letter to Maj Gen Makinney, Governor William F. Quinn expressed his praise for the HANG'S performance during the past ORI. Excerpts from that letter follow:

"Gen Emmett O'Donnell Jr. has stated that despite dated equipment and the fact that your training is on a part-time basis, the Hawaii Air National Guard units are "among the best, if not the best" Air National Guard units in the country.

"As Commander-In-Chief of the Hawaii National Guard I am proud of its achievements. I congratulate you, and officers and men of the Air Guard for outstanding performance."

INTERESTING JOB AVAILABLE....Any airman who wishes to work in the Information Services field is asked to contact 1/Lt Randall K. White thru Squadron Hq or at his home, phone 251617, or at work 62321 Ext 220. Experience is not necessary. Promotional opportunities from A3c to TSgt.

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GENERAL NEWS

COMMUNICATIONS REPORTS

Capt Ted Soong, Comm OIC, said his section received a high frequency radio unit from Military Air Radio Service (MARS). The unit will enable them to transmit and receive between any two points on the island, or world-wide, if necessary. It can also receive news reports from United Press when tuned on the proper frequency.

SSGT Ernest Pacarro, crypto operator, is now appearing in the lead role in the Honolulu Community Theatre's production of "The Flower Drum Song". The popular musical has been playing to packed houses since its opening night and has received rave notices from local critics.

AIRMAN RECEIVES CERTIFICATE

AIC Eugene D Freitas will receive a Certificate of Achievement at today's formation. Freitas completed the 15 week Jet Engine Mechanic Course at Amarillo AFB, Texas.

MEDICAL SHOTS

SSGT Toshi Watabayashi, section NCOIC reports that A3C Stanley Tanouye returned from basic training at Lackland AFB, Texas. An aero-medical specialist with the Guard, Tanouye is a music teacher at Kalakaua Intermediate School.

Toshi also mentioned that you can get your fourth polio shot anytime. He said that the fourth shot is given a year after the third.

FOOD SERVICE TIDBIT

MSGT Louis Perry remarked that although the menus alternate between roast beef, stew, fried chicken, or steaks, he is selecting the tastier meals from the Air Force menu. Perry added that the regular menu calls for hot dogs on Saturday and cold cuts on Sunday.

GROUP ORGANIZATION

The proposed Air Defense Group organization for the 199th Support & Fighter Squadrons has been delayed pending further study by Hq USAF. The Group may be implemented by the first of the year instead of the initial September 1st date.

AIR ACADEMY FUND DRIVE

Contributions for the AFA "Falcon Stadium" netted \$121.17 from both Squadrons.

WEATHER ITEMS

1st Lt Guernsey Curran III was promoted to Captain.

Assigned to the Wop Flt as Air Force Advisor on all matters pertaining to weather, is CWO Lee Anderson. The 20 year veteran is assigned with the Hickam Weather Station. He has seen service in Korea, Alaska, and the mainland.

Commenting on his present assignment, Anderson said that "this is one of the finest units I've served with. The spirit and cooperation is outstanding".

Anderson lives with his wife and two children in Leeward Estates, Ewa.

SQUADRON EMBLEM APPROVED

The 199th Support Squadron's emblem has been approved by NGB. It is a golden yellow disc bordered with blue (the colors of USAF). In the disc are a blue paddle and a red helmet (red and yellow are the State colors).

The helmet represents a warrior and faces right to indicate going forward into battle. The paddle symbolizes the mission of support. The circular border indicates singleness of purpose and unity of effort.

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