

154TH FIGHTER GROUP (AD) - HAWAIT AIR NATIONAL GUARD - HICKAM AFB - 22 AUGUST 1965

HELP WANTED: AIR TECHNICIAN FOR MG-10

Section: -MG-10 Fire Control
Pay: NGW-11, \$2.33 to \$3.17 per hr
(starting rate to depend on
amount of experience) Duties: Field maintenance of MG-10
Fire Control System, etc.

Must have at least two years experience in Weapons Control System field and attained AFSC 32251 or civilian equivalent. Apply no later than 28 August. For more information, call Capt John Beaumont or MSgt Hiroshi Go, phone 441840.

PEOPLE IN THE NEWS - by Eddie Sherbert

New Weather Officer, the same job he held when on active duty from 1960 to 1963 is <u>lLt Christopher Jay</u>. Lt. Jay is Iolani ('55) and UH ('64) and is now doing research in meteorology at the university. He promises to get us fine weather all the time.

Transferred from the 150th ACWRON to the 154th MATRON this month is Capt Daniel Au, who is also transferring in Air Tech status. After breezing through McKinley in 1952 and the UH in 1956, Capt. Au served three years with USAF. Upon release he began his HANG career in 1959. We welcome our new Supply Ops Officer. He knows he's now with the best HANG outfit.

Maj. Richard Settsu, as of Aug 1st has been assigned as BEMO for HANG.

2Lt David Rodrigues formerly of the 154th, is back in the Big Town, and having been reassigned to Hq HANG, is in the Big Time.

154TH PUSHES LBJ ANTI-POVERTY PROGRAM

Promoted to 1st It 9 August was pilot James S. Haruguchi of 199 FIS. With this promotion and the teachers' pay raise he can now get married.

Escalated all the way from A3C to 2Lt were Herman Kon and Andrew Speese, pilot trainees. Both are 23, and will depart for mainland training. Lt. Kon is a Waipahu High School grad ('59), and is attending UH. Lt. Speese is from St. Louis High School ('60) and has attended Villanova and Chaminade College of Honolulu. Both men have been with 154 COMSUPRON the past year.

Other new developments in the war on poverty include 154 MATRON promotions:

To TSGT:

Jere F. Cheo George A. Tekoro

Melvin W. J. Wong

To SSGT:

Kenneth A. Estrella Vincent T. Soeda Mathew Souza

To AlC:

Michael Higuchi
Jonathan Lum
Raymond Lum
Edwin Miyehira
Benedict Palmeira

Gary Macda John Matsuda Gary Morimoto Richard Ito Marvin Okumura

To A2C: fileyd Fong, Lincoln Kumai

Vernon Lau (Gp Hq) and Robert Ramos (199 FIS) are new SSGTs 154 ComSupron raised Albert Farm to AlC and Richard Hirata and Daniel Lee to A2C. 199 Wea Flt promoted Albert Higashi to AlC.

NEWS JIEMS FROM THE 154TH MATERIEL SQUADRON

Switching places as the cross-training program to develop versatility and depth in maintenance personnel gets underway were MSgts Harry Awana and Kenneth Camara. Sgt Awana is taking charge of "B" Flight on the flight line while Sgt Camara takes over Maintenance Control, the nerve center of the maintenance complex.

Quality Control personnel sporting new cars were CMSgt Robert Chol and MSgt George Joaquin. Sgt Choi recently returned from the Weight and Balance School at Chanute AFB.....MSgt Henry Chun left for the Far East on TDY with FAA.....Recuperating at home after a bout in the hospital is SSgt Richard Sugita.....MSgt Simanu (Sam) Afoa is continuing to do his usual sterling job as Chief Fire Warden for the Group Speaking of quality control, the reason Foodland's produce is of the best is due to TSgt George Mishina --he does quality control in his ANG job and his civilian job as QC manager of Foodland's produce section.

Flight Line reports high production as AlC Raymond Bermudez passed out the cigars. Not one, but two cigars to welcome twins to the family. He's on his way to an even dozen.

ABOUT THE FIGHTING IRISH IN THE 154TH

Some outfits have Pats and Mikes all over the place. In the 154th it's Oshiro and Kaneshiro. Some of their tales can be overheard in CBPO, Group Hq, 199 FIS, Radio Shop, or wherever an Oshiro or Kaneshiro get together.

Oshiro: You know the best way to catch one rabbit?

Kaneshiro: What the best way to catch one rabbit?

Oshiro: Hide in bushes and make noise like one carrot.

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O: You know that people who live 30 miles outside Punchbowl no can get buried there?

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- K: Yeah? How come?
- O: Only dead people can get buried.

More productivity: Analysis Records and Reports Section's <u>TSgt Melvin Wong</u> became the proud father of his second child and first son...Attending school on the big Big Island are <u>ABs Robert Perry</u> and <u>James Copelan</u> both in the USAF Administrative Clerical School.

A Task Force of armament and munitions technicians recently spent five-days with the Spokane ANG to gain intimate knowledge of munitions storage and handling techniques as well as San-Francisco's north beach area. The members were Capt John Beaumont, MSgt Hiroshi Go, TSgt Lloyd Seki, and SSgts Charles Aki and George Padilla. These munitions men reportedly got all big bang from their trip.

A3C Gary Yoshitake of Missile/Munitions Branch received the outstanding academic achievement award from Lowry AFB.

AIC Tawrence Julian of MC-10 was chosen outstanding student of the transistor school at Hickam.

(Above items contributed by MATRON)

NEXT DRILL DATES: 11 - 12 SEPTEMBER

HOT NEWS FROM BEMO: COLD FRONT ON WAY

Any airman who does not now have an overcoat should check with BEMO. This is a required clothing item. Drop in this afternoon or during the week from 0830 to 1500. Be prepared for the '65 monsoon season. (No, George Kawaguchi, this has nothing to do with fighting the Viet Cong.)

FOR YOUR AFTER-DRILL ENTERTAINMENT

THE SUNDAY SHOW PARADE

Hawail: "Joy in the Morning" Human drama about what happens to newly wed Air Guard member when PACAF cancels Saturday a.m. early recall.

Palama: "Magkakapatid ng Waray"

Better take Gabe with you to see it.