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Former E-RAU Student Retraces Lindbergh's Solo Flight Across The Atlantic

By Felix A. Garcia

David R. Gray, 28, former E-RAU student, landed a Piper Cherokee Lance at Daytona Beach Regional Airport Mry 18. He stopped here to visit E-RAU for a while before con-tinuing a flight to Long Island.

Gray was received here by F.R All officials and local new media representatives including one from THE AVION, and announced his intended solo flight across the Atlantic Ocean resembling Charles Lindbergh's solo flight 50 years this past May 20-21. The difference is evident as Gray is flying a betevident as Gray is flying a bet-ter and faster sirplane with radio communication and navi-gation equipment, auto-pilot and maybe better sandwiches than the ones Lindbergh ate during his flight.

To accomplish this flight Long Island to LeBournet Paris, Gray Long Island to LeBourget, Paris, Gray used the Piper Cherokee Lance with additional fuel tanks installed inside the al fuel tanks installed inside the passengers' cabin in order to get a total of 282 gallons. At a speed of about 140 knots, an altitude of 10,000 feet and 10.5 gallons per hour, this means an autonomy of 28 hours from which 20 to 22.5

hours are estimated to make the non-stop flight.

Gray is at present working for Globe Aero Company in Lakeland, Florida, which has ar. international aircraft delivery service, and he is planning to come back to E-RAU this fall in order to get his last sev-en credit hours to obtain his Bachelor of Science degree in Aeronautical Science.



FILL 'ER UP - Dave is leaning on the auxilliary fuel tanks added to the Lance to bring the total fuel capacity up to 280 gallons, and give the aircraft an endurance of 28 hours. (Photo by Bob Costanzo)



RECAPTURING HISTORY - Dave Grey is shown here with his Cherokee Lance on the Riddle Ramp. (Photo by Bob Costanzo)

LATE NEWS UPDATE

After his solo flight across the Atlantic, Gray flew the same plane the next Monday morning to Brussels, Belgium. He has made this flight across the Atlantic many times but af-ter each of these flights he has been rewarded flying back as a passenger in one of those big and comfortable commercial jet planes that make the real differ-ence between now and 50 years



WE NEED STUDENT

SEE LINDA IN SGA OFFICE!

MORE GUESTS: The E-RAU office of Community Relations serves as hosts to an increasing serves as nosts to an increasing number of special guests from the aviation community. Any student interested in being a V.I.P. tour guide, please con-tact Pat Denkler at Extension 333 any afternoon after 2:30

STUDENTS: For all Daytona Playhouse productions, you are entitled to see the shows freedust plan on a tetending the productions the night prior to opening night. Please show your student ID at the door for this free service.

E-RAU Organizes Aviation Research Collection

The E-RAU Research Col-

The E-RAU Research Collection library was formally dedicated recently here.

The new collection is one of the most comprehensive aviation literature displays in existence. Many rare and valuable described to the control of the cont documents ranging from early 19th century essays on balloon flight to current NASA labora-tory reports are part of the collection. Numberous foreign works are also included.

Some samples are a com-plete collection of L'Aeronaute, a French ballooning periodical published from 1868 to past the turn of the century; repair and maintenance manuals Curtiss OX-5 Aeronautical En gines; a brochure on the DC-3, produced by the Douglas Airproduced by the Douglas Air-craft Company in the mid-30's; a 1947 Beech Aircraft Company sales flip chart describing its then new A37 Bonanza; A-lan B, Shepard, Jr. on the Moon for the cover of Aviation Quar-terly's Bicentennial edition; complete collections of many leading aviation and aero-space magazines, both U.S. and

foreign.

The Research Collection has been under development for several years. After slow initial growth, it was greatly expanded when the Manufacturers Aircraft Association (MAA) donat-



ed its vast library to the Univer-

Under the direction of MAA General Manager. F. Murback, more than 10,000 volumes and numerous memorabilia were numerous memorabilia were turned over to Embry-Riddle's Gill Robb Wilson Memorial Flight Center library facility. The MAA contribution became the core of the University's Re-search Collection, with many other documents from a variety of sources included.

When the MAA held the works, they were primarily working documents used to support MAA member activities. Patent searches, cross licensing agreement reviews and engineering and specification re-search were routinely conducted, using the organization's li-

The Collection might be a-vailable for broader applica-tions in the near future. As soon as possible, the University intends to open the entire display to the aviation com-munity at large.

According to Judy Luther, E-RAU's Media Services direc-tor, procedures for general ac-cess to the Research Collect-ion will be announced as soon as all the publications are reor-ganized and reclassified.

Soaring Record Set

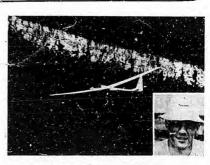
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SANTA MONICA, CA., May 16, 1977 - For the second time in soaring history, Karl Strie-dieck, an Air National Guard pilot from Port Matilda, Penn-sylvania, has exceeded 1000 miles in an out-and-return dis-tance flight. The 1015-mile flight, made on May 9, will replace his current claim for the world and national soaring out-and-return records made follow-ing his first 1000-mile flight in May 1976, which is still pend-

ing due to a technicality. Flying a Schleicher AS-W 17 Flying a Schleisher AS-W 17 sailplane, Striedieck took off from his home at Eagle Field, near Port Matilda, Pennsylvania, at 5:52 a.m., flying north to Piper Memorial Airport at Lock Haven to make his official start at 6:07 a.m.

Aided by a quartering tail-wind, Striedieck averaged a groundspeed of 130 mph on the first portion of the flight, in-cluding a 100-mile stretch cluding a 100-mile stretch flown in wave lift at an average 180 mph. He reached his turn-point near Oak Rüdge. Tennes-see, at 12:40 p.m. and had to fight a headwind on a re-turn leg of the flight. Strie-dieck arrived back at Lock Haven, Pennsylvania, at 8:10 p.m., after a 14 hour and 18 minute flight. minute flight.

This is Striedieck's seventh bid for world out-and-return distance, having previously earned it with flights of 476, 569, 636, 682, and 807 miles.



DISTANCE WINNER -- 1015 miles --without an engine! Karl Strie-dieck, of Port Matilda, PA, flying the Allegheny ridges on his world soaring record claim flight. Fiot flew from Lock Haven, PA, to Oak Ridge, Tenn. and return in 14 hours and 18 minutes on May 19. (Photo courtesy of Soaring Society of America, inc.)

PINIONS

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By Ray D. Katz AVION Editor

Summer is obviously here. Nobody is doing anything! There are exceptions; a few of the organizations on campus have held activi-ties. But you wouldn't know it to read this week's issue of the AVION. The Scuba Club has been down, and Quad-A has been active - the rest of the organizations either are all dead or their pens have run out of ink. You all know when the deadlines are, so let's get on the stick.

It is a mark of this school's apathy that the organizations that are given a free chance to publicize their activities just let this apportunity slide by. I can't helieve that all these organizations have all the members they need or want. So, how come we don't hear from them. It's the same story when it comes to the Council of Campus Organizations (CCO). The CCO can't even get enough members for a quorum.

On the same note, all I've heard is a little grumbling and a few rumors about what happened to the Flight Team. The most substantial of these is that President Hunt shut off the funds for the trip to the national competition about two week before they were supposed to go. With all the interest shown by the student body, President Hunt was probably justified. I find it hard to un-derstand how E-RAU being a school of aviation can't show more

We don't have a Big 8 collegiate football team, but we did have a Flight Team

So much for Embry-Riddle and school spirit!

Because of the controversial nature of this editorial, which represents strictly the view point of the Editor of this newspaper, students are urged to express their own opinions in letters to the editor. Those letters will be published in the next issue - June 15, Deadline for the letters is June 9th. They can be drope of ff at the Avion office, second floor of the U.C. or into campus mail, address to the Editor, The Avion.



Door Editor:

I read with amusement, (front page TA, Wed. 'May 18) that Randi, Embry-Riddle's latest guest performer and speaker is a self-described 'iconoclast', which is, according to The New Meriam-Webster Dictionary, second, description, 'one who attacks cherished beliefs or institutions', I thought Embry-Riddle Aeronautical University was an institution of higher learning.

ing.

Also, some of that 'ol time religion' could be a cathartic to those who may be suffering cachexia of the soul.

Winona Bowen Bungara 214 London Place Port Orange, Florida 32019

Why are we charged \$35 for a leb fee in CT-209, CT310, and other computer courses, when supposedly we get a dollar perhour and the average student uses less than eight hours? I suggest the fee be lowered to about \$10 for 10 hours or admit that we're charged about \$5 per hour. More advanced programs use only about 3-4 hours as they are processed as a batch. hatch

batch.
P.S.: There are other things about CT-209 that are "Bauched" up but I haven't got the time and they're well known.

Name withheld upon request.

RESPONSE TO LETTER TO EDITOR ON CT 209 COSTS

It's strange the way numbers can be used and misused to prove a point. A case in hand is the \$35 lab fee for CT 209. The fee was originally derived as a dollar value which, considering the number of students anticipated to be enrolled in CT courses, would pay for the ex-pense of having a computer a-vailable, "hands-on", to those CT students. No rigid limita-CT students. No light has ever been enforced. A case in point is that for the Spring trimester six students used more than 35 hours (one used 43 hours).

Regarding why we use a nominal allocation of 35 hours nominal allocation of 35 hoursno real reason; we could just aseasily use 25 or 30 or 40.
Up to this point, at least, the
primary use of the 35 hours allocation was to give visibility to
exceptional students. Exceptional because they cannot control the computer and block the
resources to others use.

Thus, the S35 lab fee was
designed for, and is needed for
paying for the computer's basic

paying for the computer's basic-availability. It makes no sense to try to restrict either the lab fee or the time availability, at this point.

As to statistics, the average As to statistics, the average student used 13.08 hours for the Spring tri; not ". . . less than eight hours..." as quoted in the letter to the editor. This equates to \$2.68 per hour. Pretty good, compared to ap-proximately \$25 per hour using tynical commercial facilities. commercial facilities typical

Signed: Edward E. Johnson, Director Computer Center

PRESIDENT'S CORNER

John O'Neal SGA President

I will start by putting my office hours in this issue: Monday - Friday 9 a.m. - 10:15 a.m. and 2:30 - 3:00 p.m.
This is for "A" Term.
The SGA had a greai success with the performance by the Amazing Pandi. We will be having our movies every other week with the next one being on June 3rd. We also have a B-B-Q planned for the 4th of July.

July.

We're in the need for some justices. We also have a long week-end coming up so everyone have a good week-end. It is kind of hard for me to think, I just had a hard test and I am burnt out.

VP THOUGHTS

By Dave Fraser SGA Vice-President

ad our first Sen-We have had our first Sen-ate meeting last month and seem to be organizing for the Summer. It was the general concensus of the Senate that we operate with the adequate num-ber of Senators we have now We have he operate with the adequate num-ber of Senators we have now and not to add any additional members. We also had a small additional meeting on Saturday morning to regroup some.

I also attended the CCO meeting last Thursday and for the third straight meeting we did not have a quorum. This hurts the existing crganizations very much and I think it says very much and I think it on, a lot for the clubs that don't show up.



Oh! Is That What It Was. . .

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Nationally recognized singer and guitarist Alicia Olmo opens here on June 10 for a one-night performance in the Pub Area of Embry-Riddle Aeronautical University. The two-hour concert

Embry-Riddle Aeronautical University . The two-hour concert from 8-10 p.m. will include many original pieces written or co-written by Alicia.

The darkhaired, dark-eyed 25-year-old first came to the U.S. from Cuba when the country club her father owned there was conflicated in Castro's takeover and they were forced from their

Alicia first ventured into the entertainment field just as her parents moved to Tanpa, Fla. from Jacksonville, Fla in 1968. Instead of going with her family, she left for two years on the international road as a lead singer in the touring "Up With Peo-

pie production.

Now, Alicia and her manager Pamela Dunn travel throughout
the country, as she performs to thousands in clubs, music halls
fairs and campuses. Alicia's critics have described her performance
as "refreshing, extraordinary. ..unabashedly sensitive, gentle and
open." She is a singular song stylist whose original material bal-

ances both her innate Cuban rhythm and the mellow strength and clarity of her sensitiveness. Remember to see Alicia at ERAU's Pub

Meet The Staff

DEBI SUGARMAN- Newest ERAU counselor.

Debi Sugarman is the newest member of the E-RAU counseling staff. In her new position, Debi will be counseling students on a variety of personal or emotional problems.



Sugarman, 27, arrived from Los Angeles, California, where she had been a consultant and counselor in several city, state, federal, and privately funded so-cial service programs.

Debi is no stranger to Flori-

Deoi is no stranger to Fiori-da. For several years, she was as-sociated with Mercy Hospital, the Johns Hopkins School of Pu-blic Health and Hygiene, and Mi-ami Edison High School in the Miami area.

The Buffalo, N.Y. native earned her Bachelor of Science degree in Social Work at the State University of New York at Buffalo. She holds a Master of

Science degree in Education from Florida International University,

Debi lives in Holly Hill.



MUSICAL NOSTALGIA AT PLAYHOUSE

Ruhy Keeler-Dick Powell musicals of the 1930's? Remember a dance called "The Beguine" and the upbeat, lighthearted tap-dancupbeat, lighthearted tap-danc-ing production numbers staged by Busby Berkeley? Remember the plot which seldom varied but always entertained? The chorus girl who became a star overnight, even though she did-n't know the song or the dance routine, but was willing to "tru"?

If any of this is familiar, you will enjoy the current production at the Daytons Playhouse, under direction of Ray Jensen. "DAMES AT SEA" stars Mickey Middleton, Drexel Wassom, Anna Frey, Danny Crile, Norma Buchbinder and Alan Sercombe, with choreography by Clark Winchester. This pro-duction is pure spoof, played for fun and your enjoyment. The dialogue is comy and the plot incredible, but many of the fifteen musical numbers are Sercombe, with choreography

If you are shopping for an evening of relaxation and fun, call 255-2431 between 1 and 5 p.m. for reservations. Evening performances are May 27, 28, June 1, 2,3 and 4 at 8:30 p.m. Matinees are May 29 and June 5 at 2:30 p.m. Join us for a performance and you will agree with one of the songs which tells you that "Good Times Are Here To Stay".

native land.

ple production.

By Jan Stewart

Congratulations to Captain Backseat who now possesses one fantistic front seat driver. The ceremony was held at Crash Curtains, who to the a-Crash Curtains, who to the a-mazement of all, managed to stay awake for the duration. To add some sadistic humor to the affair, Hop-along Tubbs was asked to move the tables at the close of the evening. All in all it was a beautiful ceremony and party. Congratulations from all of AAAA!

There was an AAAA meeting last Friday, elections were held and our new VP's are: Mike Drake; VP of Benefits Ken Hibl; VP of membership and John Schaffer; Treasurer Congratulations guys!

Some upcoming events were discussed and planned as follows: June 5, at Leke Diaz (not to be confused with Frank's heltubly a cit party. There was an AAAA meet-

(inc. to be confused with Frank's bathtub) a ski party will be held. Norm Erkie and John Alden will supply the boats, and it'll begin around 9:00 a.m. Also, a dinner is being planned at the battleship for June 11. The type of dinner wiht be forthcoming.

AAAA will be playing the Superstars tomorrow at 5 p.m. The results of the game will be in the next articles. Good Luck Guys!!



FIRST DIVE OF SEASON

The Scuba Club made their first dive for the summer term on Sunday morning, May 22nd. The dive group dove at Blue Springs State Park. Part of the dive group dove 120 feet to the bottom of the springs and were able to see and cross the famous able to see and cross the famous "fire hydrant", the spot where 121 million gallons of water spout out daily to form the Blue Springs run.
Participating in the dive were: Cathy Wilkins, Jerelyn Tallbert, Bob Herald, Wayne Joplin, John Pagano, Charlie Wild March 121 and Cathern Cathern

Joplin, John Pagano, Kidd, and Greg Hunt.



Aviation Sorority Forming Here

E-RAU has scored another Fig. A. a brand new sorority, Alpha Epsilon (AE), pending SGA approval.

At rost colleges with an enrollment of around 2,000 stud-

ents, the founding of a sorority would hardly be noticed. At E-RAU though, a sorori-ty can be considered a near miracle. Coeds make up only four percent of the student popula-

Although the University has long provided its students with a wide variety of social activities, none have been tailored to purely female interests. The coed, up until recently, was left to choose from specialized club activities outside the class-

Because of that, Alpha Epsilon did not spring up in full bloom. The sisterhood grew slowly with a lot of determination on the part of the coeds. Early last Fall, several of the

girls recognized the need for a sorority. They scheduled a meeting of the women students and the large turnout (nearly 50) alone indicated strong interin forming a sorority on

mpus.

Following that meeting, the ris approached Nan Green, -RAU international student advisor, and longtime active member of the Kappa Delta na-

with Nan's advice and close guidance, the coeds drafted a sorority constitution, complet-

ed the first membership rolls and held an initial election of

officers.
With this complete, the charter was sent to the SGA for formal approval.

That recognition is expected when the full SGA reconvenes in the Fall. Further organizational efforts will continue.

According to Laurie Salo-pek, Alpha Epsilon secretary-treasurer, getting started was all uphill. Even now, much uphill. Even now, much re-mains to be done before the sorority reaches its goal of ser-vice to the University and to the community.

Laurie and AE President

Linda Titus praised the University's Fraternities and other stu-

sity's Fraternities and other student organizations for theihelp in getting the sorority unhelp in getting the sorority under way. Both said that without
that help and encouragement,
founding the sorority would
have been impossible.

Meanwhile, the girls remaing on campus over the Summer
age on campus over the Summer
are busy looking for a home for
the sisterhood. They hope to
find a sorority house which can
be readied for scrivities in the
Pall when the full E-RAU student body returns.

Longer term goals may in-

Longer term goals may in-Longer term goals may include association with a national sorority. The sisters are already in touch with the National Panhellenic Conference, which to date has encouraged and supported the E-RAU group.



E-RAU ALPHA EPSILON CHARTER MEMBERS are (fro Linda Titus, president, Cathy Wilkins, Jerelyn Taubert, Ellen Na-gourney, Laurie Salopek, Janet Manwitz and Trish Westover. (Photo by Bob Costanzo)

Daedalion Safety Award

Capt. Greg E. Donald, a United Airlines pilot based at Washington, D.C., has been selected for the 1976 Civilian Air Safety Awaro' of the Order of Daedali-ans. Presentation of the a-

ans. Presentation of the award will be made at the order's annual meeting May 21 in Denver.

Donald, a United pilot since 1956, was selected for his ontstanding airmanship on February 2, 1976, when the Boeing 727 he was flying was confronted with a notestially disaster. ying was confronted a potentially disas-emergency shorthly a potential emergency shorting takeoff from Balt-acton Internawith tional Airport

tional Airport.

Fecause of a freeze up of both his normal and alternate static systems, his aircraft had no cockpit indication of its altitude and airspeed.

Donald calmly airspeed. Donald calmly contacted a private jet that had taken off just before him, flew formation with

back to the and used the private jet's altitude and airspeed read-ings to execute the suc-cessful approach and land-

ing.

Donald, 47, is a native of St. Louis and attended St. Louis and attended the University of Missouri. He entered Air Force pillot training in 1951 and flew with the Air Force unit with the Air Force unit with sidischarge in March, 1956. Donald and his wife, Parahran Jean. have a son Barbara Jean, have a and a doughter and in Woodstock, Virginia.

IN-K-MART PLAZA



By Ignacio Falco, Jr.

Whitten On Sunday

British couples who face difficulties in their intimacy seem to have found a solution to their problem. According to The Sunday Times, London, the National Marriage Guidance Council is setting up sex schools for couples who don't know how to do it. The schools will be set up in every large town in Britain. The Source of infor-mation says that students are al-ready lining up to take lessons.

Although not one of the world's largest airlines, TAP (Portuguese Air Transport) is the World's safest. The information comes in a late issue of the National Observer and says that the airline has been operating

the airline has been operating for 25 years without any fatalities. It is listed number one of 68 major airlines in the world in its safety record.

The airline operaves 747's and 727's for flights within Europe. One interesting charactristic of the airline is that the company is allowed to serve wine in the economy class at no charge, because in Portugal wine is considered out of the wine is considered part of the

Few people would think that a big strong man like Mu-hamed Ali could be afraid of enything. However, he is not a fearless hero as he confessed in a recent interview to the Yale Daily News. The Heavyweight champion's greatest fear is flying. Mr. Ali, as usual, responded in verse: "Bugs and birds fly. Why should 1? Man isn't supposed to get that high."

The greatest advantage of unisex clothing is that what could not be sold during Mother's Day may now be sold for Father's Day.

Playboy bunnies have formed the Playboy Staff Associa-tion and want it to be recog-nized as an independent trade union. The girls had turned down the idea of joining an of-ficial union and have formed their own.

The Playboy Staff Associa-The Playboy Staff Associa-tion claims to represent most of the 800 workers in England. John Irwin, the shop steward and one of the gaming inspec-tors at the London Club, said: "We will be lighting for better conditions for the girls. At present, we are negotiating for longer holidays and extra pay-ment for night work."

ment for night work."

It will be a pleasure to bargain for them!

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Proper Stalling Procedures Improves Performance

By "Pop" Alonso

Definition of a stall: Anyberinition of a stall: Any-time the stick is pulled aft with-out a climb or response from the aircraft. In recent years much emphasis has been taken from the stall series. As a result of this deemphasis the cross control, elevator trim tab, of this deemphasis the cross control, elevator trim tzb, rudder exercise and a few others are no longer a part of our terminology. We are now down to basically 3 types: Departure, arrival and acceleration. The departure and arrival are down to two distinct executions, namely imminent or first indication and complete. complete.

The complete is pulling stick

When you use your car ev-ery time, have you stopped to think and try to make a quick check of your tires, lights.

check of your tires, lights, and the other things that make

your car move on the streets? One percent yes, 99% no, may-be 100% NO. What about the

little or big airplane you are ready to fly?

Well, here the story is a little bit different because we

artie bit different occause we are going to he up there in the sky. Many times I have ficum many airplanes and a lot of times I have found interesting things just inspecting these airplanes before adjusting the sect and people.

seat and pedals.

Of course, if you make a fast and inadequate inspection you will find nothing, but maybe you have heard about this: bird nests in the cowling

seat and pedals.

Here I Come With...

pressure until a complete stall is established before initiating a recovery therefrom. The ac-celeration stall is a combination

a recovery therefrom. The ac-celeration stall is a combination of two formerly practices stalls. They were the high speed and the loadfactor stalls. All of our present proticiency stalls will receive definitive coverage later under its proper title. There-fore let us deal with general terms common to all stalls. In the departure and arrival stalls the aircraft stalls when the streamline flow of air over the airfoil's top surface burbles and the bottom and top wind surfaces have no pressure differ-ential. There is no lift. The air-foil is stalled. The aircraft's nose drops if it is dynamically

flaps and near the air intake

in front of the cylinders of the engine; a shiny but forgot-ten wrench or screwdriver near

the propeller; a big hole in the hidden side of the alleron or flap; flat tires; broken position/ navigation light; empty fuel tanks or at least half-full and

you plan to fly far away non-stop; oil and fuel leaks; and many others. So, if you are in a hurry think about this; if you just landed 30 minutes ago and

just landed 30 minutes ago and want to continue your flight you'd better inspect your plane again as if it had not been fly-ing for months. Do not think that your plane is O.K. because you landed it beautifully. With a good pre-flight inspection you will end a good flight. And don't forget the little screws, wires, cables, chocks and chains and so on...

stable until it regains airspeed plus streamlined airflow over the airfoils surfaces.

If the training value of a stall is to recognize the stalls ap stall to recognize the stall ap-proach and effect an immediate recovery, it is also beneficial to stall the aircraft and attain pro-ficiency in the recovery there-

Stalls are practiced at altitade to allow ample room for error, however we also recog-nize that a stall at two or more thousand feet is not much of a hazard to aircraft or pilot. a hazara to aircraft or phot. The proficiency of a recovery would seem to be, recover with a minemum loss of altitude simulating a situation that that stall occurred close to the

Such is the assumption for Such is the assumption for the departure and arrival stalls. The former is presumed to oc-cur on take-off and the latter on final approach. If an individual were subjected to such a result of poor judgement he would certainly wish to recover with a minimum loss of alti-

After much experimentation After much experimentation it is concluded that upon stalling the power should be advanced to its utmost and the pitch should be lowered to the level flight attitude. In this position the aircraft experiences maximum acceleration for mininum drag and minimum loss of altitude. It used to be advo-cated that once flying speed was recovered at or near the Vx of the aircraft, the pilot would then climb out at Vx airspeed.

When the aircraft pitch is lowered to level flight attitude, as it regains speed, due to zero angle of attack, it continues to be in a descent until that time be in a descent until that time when its cruies speed is attain-ed. At which time it ceases to descend. Also at that time the pilot can reduce to cruise power and maintain level flight. This system resulted so favorably that since 1975 the FAA has advocated that the above proce-dure be followed for the recov-ery of all stails.

ery of all stalls. To the most recent birdmen it is worthy to note: It is a fact that an aircraft will regain fly-ing speed faster by placing its nose at 20 degrees pitch below the horizon than on the horizon but when it is so performed, the acceleration is faster but the altitude loss is also greater. If the stall occurred near ground level, the pilot would most certainly wish to obtain the fastest speed for the minimu loss of altitude.

There are other factors that

There are other factors that influence the proper recovery of a stall. The most important of which is pitch at the time of stall. The second is coordination at the time of stall.

Let's consider the condi-tion of pitch. When the normal individual learns to fly it is an intellectual triumph over physical abhorence. When a stall breaks, the sudden fall triggers one of mankind's three basic fears. Fear of falling! Because the stall is so instantaneous, it is a surprise every time. It re-quires years of practice before

can be consciously ignored. I know many veteran pilots who have no qualms of expressing their displeasure, but they are still excellent pilots.

If in a given aircraft with a If in a given aircraft with a full power, the 35 degree pitch is reached, it will stall only if it is slowly raised to that pitch angle, slightly ahead of its stall speed. Immediately upon releasing back pressure and pitch de clining below 35 degrees, it will accelerate to an airspeed above that of stall and regain flight once again. In such an instance once again. In such an instance immediately after the break, relaxing back pressure, the air-craft is back in control. Now imagine the individual who is very tense in a stall and overpulls his pitch to the point

overpulls his pitch to the point of reaching 50 degrees of pitch. When he reaches the stalling speed of the aircraft, it will stall and continue to decelerate un-til it crosses the 35 degree antil it crosses the 35 degree angle. At this angle, it begins to accelerate but probably not reach flying speed until its uncontrolled pitch is 20 to 30 degrees below the horizon. Therefore it would be impossible to the the beginning the second of the sec ble to stop the pitch at the hor-izon and be able to control the

situation occurs frequently when an apprehensive person tries to rush the stall. person tries to rush the stall. In addition, if he has a wing to lift, the moment the stalled wing's alleron goes down, the effect of adverse yaw can in-crease the stall and drag effect of that wing resulting in a pow-er spin in the direction of the

depressed aileron. The ensuing loss of altitude is also commer loss of attitude is also commen-surately high. Had that stall occurred within 200 fest of the ground, it is doubtful the recovery could have preceded ground contact.

As a result, an aircraft cannot level off at the horizon if it is still stalled. The tense student with the overpull tenden-cies should be instructed on the proper manner of entry and try not to exceed critical angle of stall nitch.

other factor for consider. Another factor for consider-ation in stalls, is whether or not the applied controls are coor-dinated. If coordinated the aircraft flies directly into the relative wind. When not coordinat-ed the aircraft is in a slip or a skid. If it is in a skid, on enter-ing the stall the aircraft will be-

ing the stall the aircraft will be-gin a roll away from the dis-lodged ball and go into a spin.

If the aircraft is in a slip entering the stall, the high wing will drop and the aircraft will roll over the top into an over-the-top spin. Corrective action must be immediately applied, in the form of nover-nitch and the form of power, pitch and opposite rudder to the direcn of roll.

tion of roll.

An oddity to behold is that
in all turning departure stalls,
if they are coordinated the individual is holding right rudder
and left aileron. It is particular
yn otticeable in a climbing right
hand turn. This is so because
the torque of full power is so
strong to the left that right rudthey reseaves it at a next runder pressure is at an extreme.

Bell XV-15 Tilt-Rotor Research Aircraft Completes Ground Tiedown Development

Ground tiedown develop-ment tests of Bell Helicopter n's XV-15 Tilt-Rotor Research Aircraft were completed recently at Bell's Arlington Flight Research Center.

Flight Research Center.

The extensive tests, which required 40 hours of aircraft operation, included:

* Full conversions from

helicopter to airplane mode and back at normal belicopter operating RPM and high power levels.

* Operation of all aircraft

and research systems.

* Five hours of demonstra-Five hours of demonstra-tions at high power and over-speed RPM in helicopter mode. According to Bell test pilots, no significant technical prob-lems have been encountered during testing to date.

A pre-hover safety review by NASA/ Ames Research Center currently in progress. Follow-

ing the review, a first hover flight is scheduled in early May. Bell is working under a joint contract with NASA and the U.S. Army to design, manufac-ture, and test two VTOL tilt-

rotor research aircraft. The tiltroter is expected to combine the best features of helicopters and conventional airplanes for fast point-to-point transporta-



A CHANGE FOR THE BETTER - Bell Helicopter Textron's XV-15 Till-Rotor Research Aircraft is shown making its first full conversion from helicopter to airplane mode during groung ties own tests. Bell is building two ships under a joint contract with NASA and the U.S. Army. (From: Public Relations, Beil Helicopter Textron, Box 482, Ft. Worth, Tx. 76101. (817) 280-2519.)



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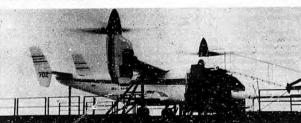
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buty and are wifing to quick-ly tackle any type of emergen-cy or difficulty with enthusiasm". ."The lounge facultics are the most comfortable and efficient I have ever seen". ."All our needs, from line catering to transportation, were met quickly and courteously". "From what I've observed, their small aircraft customers receive e same thoughtful attention

that we receive."

The above comments, each from an individual customer, from an incuvidual customer, are typical of those on the Service Report Forms received from National Business Aircraft Association member poliots nominating Teterboro Aircraft Service – the AVITAT Teterto receive NBAA's veted Outstanding Service Commendation Certificate.



Penicillin Holding its Own

By Campus Digest News Service

Recently, the existence of a strain of venereal disease that was immune to treatment by penicillin was made public. Impenicillin was made public. Im-mediately, fears were raised that an "incurable" strain of VD might well the worst plague ever to threaten the United States. This fear was especially high amongst high school and college students, the group most responsible for the soaring VD rate.

However, it appears it's not time to hit the panic button-at least, not yet.

For, despite reports to the contrary, penicillin is not losing its punch as the wonder drug in treating VD, according to the national Center for Disease Control (CDC).

Disease Control (CDC).
Indeed, the CDC mnounced
recently that the incidence of
VD has actually begun to decline in the country-which is partially because of continued use of penicillin.

In addition, although some medical groups are urging the use of two new antibiotics in the treatment of VD, the CDC says it still regards penicillin as the chief drug to he used in

combating the various social disease. This is particularly true in the case of gonorrhea, a new strain of which has proven resistant to penicillin.

The new strain of gonorhhea which first appeared in the U.S. last year, is being treated with specthomycin, one of the two new anti-VD antibiotics. The other drug is called tetracycline.

One of the chief proponents of the change in treatment is Dr. King Holmes of the University of Washington. He says the change is necessary because penicillin is losing its effectiveness.

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photos from 100 miles high were the first films from space. In 1925 Goddard filmed a total eclipse of the sun from 16.000 feet. No one had filmed a solar eclipse from such a height. The sun's corona arching millions of miles revealed tiself to Goddard's camera as it never had to the earth-bound astronomers.

on November 20, 1925, the then-Lieutenant Goddard made the first successful night air photo over Rochester, N.Y. photo over Rochester, N.Y. (The event was especially memorable to the unsuspecting townspeople. The brilliant flash caused pandemonium.) His night photography opened new vistas in military reconnais-

GRE Changes

Appear In Fall

EDUCATION TESTING

PRINCETON. N.J.-College seniors planning to take the Graduate Record Examinations (GRE) Aptitude
Test next fall will see some
changes in the exam. A new
section designed to measure
analytical skills will be added to the traditional areas that test verbal and quan-titative skills.

The change, the first since

The change, the first since the current form of the Ap-titude. Test was introduced in the 1940's, is based on an extensive research effort ini-tiated by the Graduate Re-Examinations Board that showed that analytical skills can be distinguished from verbal and quantitative skills and are related to academic success.

Students, faculty mem-bers, and administrators from all over the country were consulted in the various plan-ning stages of the change in the exam.

Educational Testing Ser-vice (ETS), which adminis-ters the exam for the GRE ters the exam for the GRE Board, explains that the ad-ditional measure will enable students to demonstrate a wider array of academic ta-lents when they apply for to

Janis Somerville, GRE program director at ETS, said, "The new measure will test a student's skills in a number of areas. Students will be able to show their ability to recognize logical relationships, draw conclusions from a complex series of statements, and determine relationships between

pendent or interdependent

pendent or interdependent categories of groups."

She explained that, like toe traditional measures of the GRE, the new test will use various kinds of quest-tions. "Three types will be used

"Three types will be used in the snalytical ection: analysis of explanations, logical diagrams, and analytical reasoning questions, each designed to test a different aspect of analytical ability," she said.

Somerville also explained

ability," she said.
Somerville also explained that no formal training in logic or methods of analysis is required to do well on the new measure.

Despite the new addition the GRE will remain a three-hour test since the verbal and quantitative portions have bave d allocated to the new

After WWII Goddard direct-After WWII Goddard directed the dismantling of the famed
Zeiss optics plant in Germany.
The plant was located in the
area that would become the
Russion Sector. Goddard commandeered its equipment. He
induced most of its brilliant scimitter. to select in with the entists to relocate with the plant near Munich.

The retired general is recog-nized world-wide for his con-tributions. He modified aircraft and camera systems. He pio-neered development of long-range photography. He stimula-ted research of color film. His advances found their way into space exploration, mapping, geological and agricultural stud-ies. He took the infant science

ies. He took the infant science of aerial photography and raised it to maturity. Brigadier General George Goddard spoke recently at the American Society of Photo-grammetry banquet held May 27 at the Inn at Indigo in Day tona. The Society's member are united by an interest in aer ial photography and other

forms of remote sensing. Gen. Goddard shared with them some highlights of his 36-years

Goddard is the author of "Overview: a life-long adven-ture in aerial photography." The book jacket features a spec-tecular photograph of a Cuban missile site, the same that Pres missile site, the same that President Kennedy hung in the Oval Office. The photo was filmed with a shutterless camera, which permits low-level high-speed filming. Gen. Goddard developed this camera in 1939.

The general retired from the U.S. Air Force in May 1953. President Kennedy realled him from retirement in 1962, to act as a consultant during the

Cuban missile crisis.
Though presently living in Boca Raton, Florida, Goddard was born in England in 1890 and came to the U.S. at the age of 14. In 1916 he saw stunt pilot Ruth Law in an aerial demonstration. He determined then that his future lay in aviation, so he enlisted in the U.S. Air Service. The following year, bundled in Tying suit helmet, and goggles, he took his first plane ride in an 80 h.p. Curtiss Jenny. He progres-sed rapidly from student of ser-ial photography to instructor to



AVIATION HALL OF FAME MEMBER: The now retired Brig. Gen. George Goddard is pictured here as he was in October 1922, a lieutenant then, Goddard poses next to his DH-4 aircraft. (Photo courtesy of the U.S. Air Force.)

Head of Research. His career is

Among General Goddard's is are the Legion of Merit, the Distinguished Service Medal, and France's Croix de Guerre. He received his Gener-al's stars in 1952. In July 1976 he was inducted into the Aviation Hall of Fame in Dayton.

Ohio. Others so honored in-clude the Wright Brothers, Charles Lindbergh, and former astronaut John Glenn.

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Space Technology May Lead To Early Breast Cancer Detection

KENNEDY SPACE CEN-TER, Fla. - Every year thous-ands of women are subjected ands of women are subjected to screening procedures for breast cancer which use potentially harmful x-rays. Many of these women go through the physical and emotional anguish of radical surgery in the treat-

ment of this dises ent of this disease. Repeated x-rays have often Repeated x-rays have offen been considered necessary be-cause developing stages of breast cancer are sometimes undetectable by doctors who examine the earliest breast x-rays, making early diagnosis more difficult and sometimes allowing cancerous tissues to multiply until massive surgery is the only solution. is the only solution.

For two years engineers in the Data Analysis Facility at NASA's John F. Kennedy Space Center, Fla., have been working on the problem. The working on the problem. The experimental process involves techniques similar to those or-iginally developed to analyze imagery transmitted from Land-sat satellites. By applying these space techniques to the medi-cal field, engineers have devel-oped a method which may en-able doctors to detect early stages of breast cancer and to determine the likelihood that a n will ever develop breast

This experimental techniqu for early cancer detection is a product of x-ray enhancement
- the ability of computers to
enhance or make more visible
information from x-rays not
ordinarily detectable by the human eye.
Trained radiologists who

examine x-rays work with a built-in handicap -- the human eye. The eye has difficulty in detecting small density changes or changes in the gray shades of the intensity spectrum's up-per density region. Most x-ray data is within this upper density region.

The numan eye - even the most highly trained one - can detect about 32 different shader of gray at best. For ra-

diologists this means that much of the information contained of the information contained on an x-ray is invisible to them.

The need is for a method of putting these undetectable shades of gray in a better per-spective – enhancing them so they are easily visible.

This is where the Data Analysis Facility steps in with its General Electric "Image 100" multi-spectral image analyzer. It is a computer-controlled system which extracts and classifies information about an image much better than can be done by human means.

invisible to a doctor's eyes are now analyzed in much more detail. This makes significant in-formation visible much earlier, improving prospects for an ear-

The special optical tool that begins this process is called a microdensitometer. Far superi-or to the human eye, it can detect 256 shades of gray with

great accuracy.
The microdensitometer The microdensitometer scans a photographic image such as an x-ray and then puts the information into computer language. The information is then fed into the Image 100 with instructions to enhance the low visibility gray shades. After classifying the gray shades which make up an image, the which make up an image, the computer displays them in a way that is more meaningful to

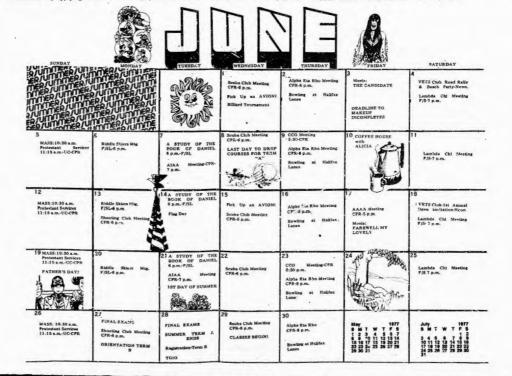
Robert L. Butterfield, an electronics engineer at the Data Analysis Facility, has been working with the Image 100 and a Titusville, Fia., radiolo-gist, Dr. William L. Walls, for two years on a process in which mammograms (breast x-rays) can be automatically analyzed to detect early stages of breast cancer hefore radical surgery is needed.

The current goal is to try to develop a computerized method of separating those women who are in a low risk

group (least possibility of devel-oping breast cancer) from those in a high risk group (high possibility of developing breast can-cer). If this method becomes feasible, it should reduce the need for repetitive screeningtype mammograms.

The new x-ray analyzing system, if the development effort is successful, may allow separ-ation of women into low, medi-um and high risk groups, allowing radiologists to concentrate on the mammograms from the high risk group.

Medical persons and engineers hope that some day this method may lead to techniques that would allow detection of very early breast cancer. Depending on the rate of change in x-ray gray shades, the yard-stick doctors use to diagnose various stages of breast cancer, the computer may yield information enabling the rad-iologist to determine if very early indications of breast can-cer are present.



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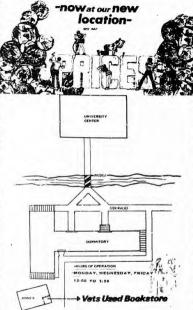
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