

Components Course Starts Here Monday

Two short courses on Theory and Application of Symmetrical Components, will be held here, July 25-29 and Aug. 1-5.

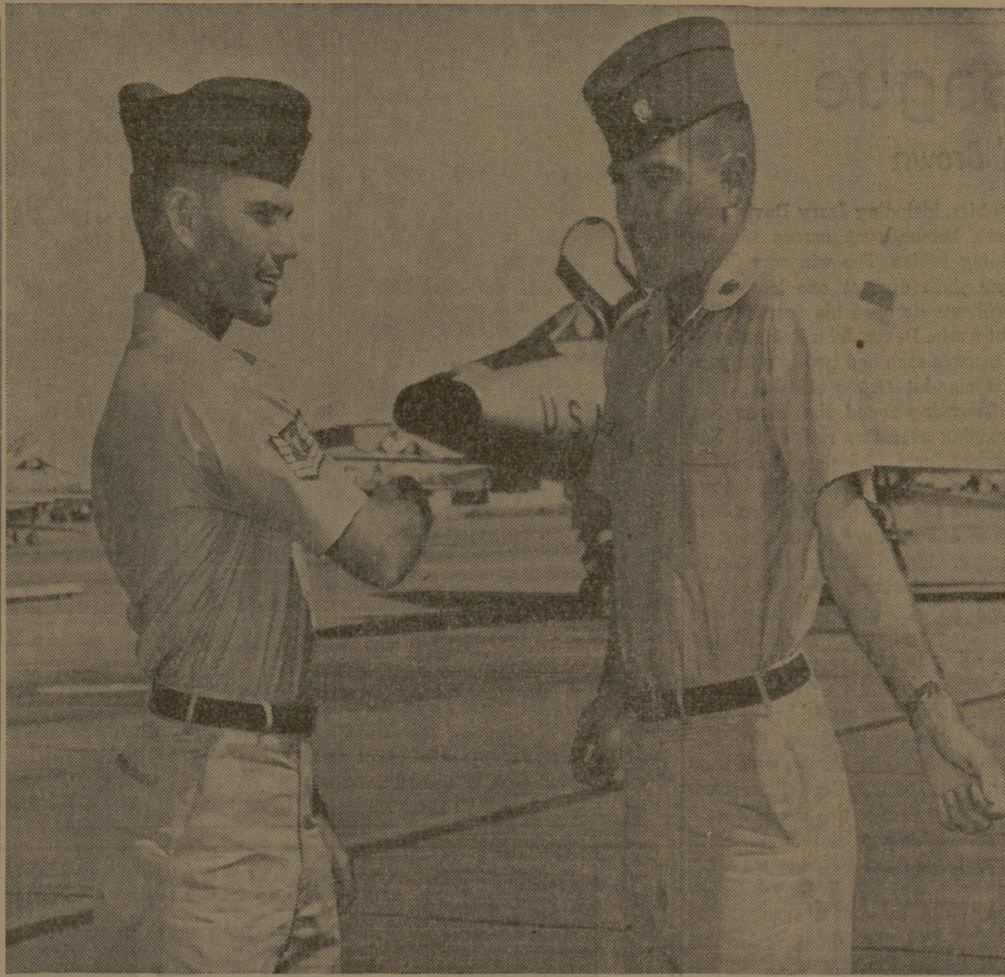
The courses are sponsored by the Department of Electrical Engineering with Dr. L. M. Haupt Jr. of the Department of Electrical Engineering, general chairman.

The courses are designed for engineers who have basic training in a. c. circuits and machinery and in the use of phasors (vectors), Haupt says. A lecture, followed by a problem section will be given each morning and afternoon.

Attending the course July 25-29, will be Melvin Ball and Harry J. Wallace, Texas Electric Service, Fort Worth; J. O. Benderman, and C. L. Chandler, Dallas Power and

Light; J. W. Carpenter, USDA-REA, Washington, D. C.; J. M. Dillon, Union Carbide Chemicals, Texas City; Shenandoah Valley Electric Cooperative, Dayton, Va.; Jerry Giest, Public Service Company of New Mexico, Albuquerque; Richard W. Gouldin, Northern Neck Electric Cooperative, Inc., Warsaw, Va.; Jack La Rue of Victoria, R. Q. Lusk of Bay City; and David Rowe, Laredo, all of the Central Power and Light Co.; Guy C. Lewis Jr., Virginia Electric Cooperative, Bowling Green, Va.; Charles Prejean, Central Louisiana Electric Cooperative Inc., Alexandria, La.; Bob Sites, Lower Colorado River Authority, Austin.

The courses will be held in Room 203 of Bolton Hall.



More Twins at Summer Camp
Patrick and Michael Wright discuss the theories of flight in general and the F-100 Super Sabre in particular at Williams A.F.-B., Ariz. The Wrights, identical twins whose parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. V. Wright live at 1516 Convent Ave., Laredo, are enrolled in the Air Force ROTC Summer Training Unit at Williams. They will be seniors at A&M this fall. (U. S. Air Force Photo)

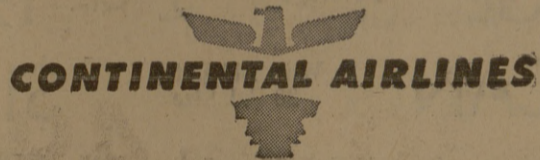
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Population Goes Up, Post Offices Decrease

WASHINGTON, D. C. (AP)—Texas had 3,112 post offices in 1900 and a population of 3,048,710.

The state's population now has grown to 9,500,000—by the 1960 census—but the number of post offices, as shown by the latest Post Office Department figures, is down to 1,697.

It's a national trend. The number of post offices has been declining since 1900. There now are 35,408 post offices and a population of 179,500,000. In 1900 there were 76,688 post offices and a population of 75,994,575.

From 3,112 in 1900, the number of post offices in Texas had dropped to 2,261 and 1925 and to 1,996 in 1950.

Development of highways and growth of larger towns and cities are responsible for the trend, postal authorities say. Automobiles and good roads, along with the expansion of rural mail routes, have eliminated the need for thousands of cross-roads, country store post offices.

Of the present Texas post offices, 202 are rated as first class offices, 33 as second class, 589 third class and 567 as fourth class. The classification of the office and compensation of the postmaster are determined by the volume of business. There are 3,900 first class post offices in the whole

country.

There were 31,377 Rural Free Delivery (RFD) routes in the nation as of June 1, extending a total of 1,752,601 miles. There were 1,584 of these routes in Texas, with 98,875 mileage.

The most isolated postoffice in Texas is Terlingua, in Brewster County's Big Bend country. It is 85 miles to the south of Alpine, close to the Rio Grande, and serves 32 families. Postal receipts run \$350 a year. It is only 31 miles from the Big Bend National Park headquarters. And is served by one of the 388 Star routes which extend 28,049 miles in the state.

Wright Brothers, Wrong Ones, In Air Force

Special to the Battalion
WILLIAMS AFB, Ariz. — The Wright Brothers are with the Air Force.

Patrick and Michael, not Wilbur and Orville, Wright are identical twins and are in the Air Force ROTC Summer Training Unit at Williams Air Force Base.

Although they are not kin of the fathers of aviation, Pat and Mike are sons of Mr. and Mrs. E. V. Wright of 1516 Convent Ave., Laredo. They are vitally interested in the modern Air Force and are both looking forward to becoming air officers following their final year at A&M where they are seniors. They will be commissioned next summer following graduation.

The 21-year-old lifelong "look alikes" are natives of Laredo, Texas and are Irish all the way. They are majoring in civil engineering.

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