

Ags Numerous In PACAF

Pacific Air Force pilots and other personnel in Vietnam and Thailand include a number of graduates.

of Dallas, a 1951 graduate in business. Missile safety officer at the same base is Capt. James S. Pierce of Waco, 1958 business graduate.

who completed civil engineering studies in 1949, is on duty at Da Nang. Formerly with Martin-Marietta in Denver, he is from San Antonio.

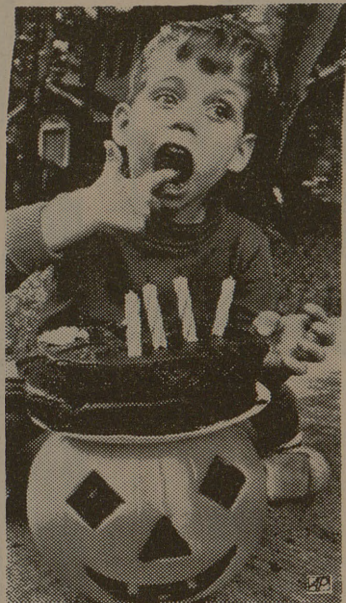
A 1964 history graduate, Capt. John E. Hilliard of Newton and 1st Lt. James J. Crumbliss Jr. of Barksdale AFB, La., are serving at Ubon Royal Thai AFB, Thailand. Hilliard is a legal officer. Crumbliss flies an F-4D Phantom and received his degree in management in 1966.

Aggie pilots at Phan Rang, Cam Ranh Bay and Bien Hoa recently took part in successful strike missions. Maj. Royce D. Tate of Corpus studied business for a degree in 1952.

Maj. Carlos Gonzales of Brownsville and other F-4 pilots destroyed three river supply boats in North Vietnam. The 12th Tactical Fighter Wing pilot received his B.B.A. in 1953.

Destruction of 10 fortifications and bunkers involved F-100 pilots include Capt. Joseph W. Ashy of Beaumont, 1962 graduate in mechanical engineering. He is assigned with the 3rd Tactical Fighter Wing.

All eight Air Force officers were commissioned at A&M.



JON DIGS IN
Jon Eisel, 4, celebrates his birthday by digging into one of the five cakes he received on the final day of his father's journey in the Apollo 7. (AP Wirephoto)

Special Ship To Carry Gifts

Tons of Christmas gifts will be going to members of the Armed Forces in Vietnam by special ship this year.

A joint Pentagon-Post Office venture, the 1968 Santa Claus Special, sails from Oakland, California next month with Christmas parcels.

To meet the sailing deadline and assure pre-holiday delivery of gifts sent with surface postage, items should be mailed during October 14 and November 9 period. They should be marked "SANTA CLAUS SPECIAL" just below the stamps.

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There are several options available for military which can save money. Post offices across the nation have free pamphlets which outline the mailing programs for servicemen and women overseas.

Baptists, Methodists And Catholics Lead Student Church Preferences

Baptists, Methodists and Catholics scored again as denominational preference among Texas A&M students, according to a survey by Logan Weston, YMCA religious life coordinator.

From 12,867 students on campus, however, 1,088 did not register a preference during enrollment.

Baptists led the list of church affiliations with 2,646, with Methodists numbering 2,508 and Catholics with 2,456.

"The report is quite consistent with previous years," Weston added. "There are increases but they are consistent across the board considering student increases."

Presbyterians followed with 834; Lutheran, 723; Episcopal, 569, and Church of Christ, 508.

The next highest category was Disciples of Christ with 340; Moslem with 97, and 89 Jewish.

Weston noted 577 students gave "their preference as Protestant"—not a denomination—and 92 others ranged from Annenian to Zen Buddhist.

Included in the miscellaneous listing were five agnostics and two atheists.

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A veterinary anatomy department associate professor will present a paper entitled "Age Determination of the Cat by Radiography" at the 19th annual meeting of the American Association for Laboratory Animal Science.

Dr. Raymond F. Sis, A&M College of Veterinary Medicine, will speak Friday (Oct. 25) in Las Vegas, Nev.

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