### January 1994

The January meeting had 80 people attending.

First-timers were Dale Duran, John Gouwar, Keith Hansen.

Our sad news is that Danny Chamberlain died 11 Jan. Dora wrote us he had the flu then pneumonia and was in the hospital when he had his fatal heart attack.

Now I can be me, Marie. Spike went to Las Vegas on the 14th and came home the 17th. It was EANGUS Mid-Winter.He was still enroute when FEMA called so he changed bags and off he went again. He is in Hollywood for his DAC and I got a call from a friend telling me of seeing him on T-V clearing people out on Fridays Fast series of quakes.How long he will be there only FEMA knows and they don't know either!

Retirees are being attacked again (so what's new?) DoD Comptrollers Program Budget Decision No 419 is a proposal to increase the 5% surcharge effective Oct 94 for Retirees ONLY!!! In 3 years of increases we would have to paythe eventual rate of 16.4%!!!Why? Com was not one of the retirement programs planned for Retirees and besides they get new jobs when they get out and don"t need it. Well Between the COLA cuts and now this and Medical reductions in benefits why don't they just give all us old goats a final Benefit...shoot us dead. To express your views on this please WRITEto:

Mr John Hamre
Comptroller and CFO
Department of Defense
Pentagon Rm 3E822
Washington DC 203 01-1100

Oh Gee, I almost missed these notes; Clem Hoffman in LaHabre came through the quake OK az did Les Waggoneer's son who lives nearby.

Next meeting is 1 Feb 94 in the same place and at the same time. One thing you can count on is a very brief meeting, right? See you then.

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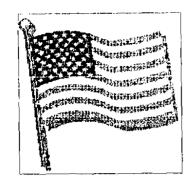
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### The Other Side of The Mountain Gang

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February 1994

I'm B A A A C K !!

He's back home now.

February Lunch had 80 people present. I was in the Hollywood part of L A , a very shakey place.

Free Lunch went to Jim Deyo and Bob Polski.

Birthdays were Paul Moya, Jan the Club Manager and Nancy the cook. The song was led by the jouful voice of Tom Linam.

Sick....Some of the old brown shoe folks may remember Keith Buckbee, he passed away in Jan 1994. His wife Dorothy Died in 1992. He was with the 140th in the late 40's.
Tuck Mestepey was in the hospital for a short time being readjusted.

I attended a meeting of the TREAAux last week to hear their guest speaker on the subject of Champus, Medicare and supplimental ins. I feel this is a most important matter for all of us. If you would be intrested I can try to make arrangements for him to come and speak to us. Since this is not our normal procedure we could close the meeting and let those who wish leave then can stay to hear what he has and for questions and answers. He is an Air Force E-8 and spends all his time informing different groups around the country.

For the Air Force Retirees...Note the letter you received from Defense Finance and Accting Service Cleveland Center. Keep in mind for your pension questions you now must call 1 800 321 1080. This is a real people not a voice messaging line. For FAX it is 1 800 469 6559.

March meeting is on 1 March, same time, same place, some new faces and some old as well.

See you there.

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## Other Side of the Mountain Gang

March 1994

The March meeting had 78 people in attendance.

Free lunch went to Bud Schiber and Lloyd Richards.

Birthdays for March were Les Waggoner, Al Barnes, Bud Schiber, Vee Reid, Gen Joe and Mel  $\bf S$ purlin. The song leader was Don Lovison.

There were three First timers, Bill Snyder, Don Lovison and Edward Ciskowski.

Sick Call- Angie Balkenbush was in the hospital for heart by-pass and clogged arteries in the leg.. Diana Tebado was hospitalized the day of the meeting. Willie Bahmeier passed away.

Mail Call--Jim Tesitor wrote he ran into Gen David at an air show...small world. Wayne Davis writes the State Convention for the National Guard As'sn of CO is 23-24 April at the Sheriton Hotel in Colorado Springs with the Military Ball the evening of the 23rd. For reservations and more info call him at HQ Natl Guard South Revere St or drop him a line at 881 E Nucca HILLS Rd. Castle Rock CO 80104. Herman Klap will be the Enlisted Retired Rep on the Board for the coming year.

A letter from Bill and Jan Axyon announced the arrival of their new Grandbaby James William Munzer on 11 Feb 94. 9 1bs 4 oz and he is 22 inches all doing well. Col Ed Morrisey writes to inform us he and the 138th have established the Harry Serra Outstanding Airman Award. This years award went to T/Sgt Ruth M Weigal.

For those of us who live in the metro area —Fitzsimons will be mailing us a letter and questioneer about a new program they will have soon. This management program will be a great improvement. Please read and reply to this mailing by J Sutherland Parker Brig Gen Medical Corps. Should you not receive this in the next few weeks call 303 361 8299 or if outside this area contact the nearest military installation.

A word on Medicare Part B. If you did not take it at age 65 there is a way to pick it up with no or little penalty. Military Retirees can contact me or the nearest Military office of Patient Information.

Please mark your calendars for the BBQ lunch...Third Annual one now, it will be 12 July so make your plans now. We will have Jim Deyo and crew doing their usual fantastic job so plan to sign upas soon as possible.

The young man shot and killed at the class for law enforcement in Aurora this week was the son of Mike Gitzen still working at Buckley in Maintanence. Such a sad event and a great loss to Mike and his family.

The next meeting is  $5~{\rm Mar}~94$  at the Camana Club BANG same time,  $11:00~{\rm or}~{\rm so}$ . Come on out and join your friends.

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April 1994

Only 50 people attended our last meeting, is it something I said?

First timers John Smithson, Vern Hauberst and Herbert Lettery.

Free Lunch just one, Warren Hohnstine.

Birthdays John Candelaria, Pat and Helen McCabe, Henry Martin, Bob Herbst and Ernie Nold. The birthday song was led by first-timer John Smithson.

Marie and Red Knuter have big grins, they have a new Grand daughter.

Sick Call Eldon Klusman had surgery.

Now the bad news - Roger and Barbara have been in Florida where they suffered the loss of their newborn Grandson.

Tuck Mestepey lost his battle with cancer and is now at rest.

We also say good-bye to Les Waggoner, one of the founders of this group and always one of the first ones at the meeting suffered a heart attack in his home.

Most of our people will or did receive a letter and questionaire on a new program at Fitz called Gateway to Care. I attended a briefing on this and I think it is going to be a great program. I strongly urge you to fill it out and return it to Fitz. The enclosed phamplet is good but does not tell it all. I do not have enough enclosures for all so I am sending them only in the immediate area, if you use military facilities elsewhere you hospital will keep you informed. If you would like I can invite the people from Fitz to come in June and talk with those who wish after the meeting is over...those who wish to stay.

KRMA TV Chanel Six is doing a documentary on aviators along the Rockiea. They are looking for photos and home movies taken during the 20's 30's and 40's. If you can help contac Trux Simmons phone 620 5609 or write th TV station 1089 Bannock St Denver.

Our annual BBQ will be 12 July. I have invited BG J Sutherland Parker to be my guest and also co-Chairman of the Retiree Council at Fitz BG R D Cardillo. As of now we have more than 30 signed up so if you are going to attend be sure you sign up too.

The May meeting will be on the 5th, come and enjoy good friends.

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### Other Side of the Mountain Gang

There were 94 people present at the May luncheon.

First timers--- Vern Marshall came all the way from Montrose!!! Joe Harnike came for the first time as well. It's good to see old friends.

Birthdays- Bob & Lorene Reposa, Matt & Annette Flick. Jim Deyo helen Nold. Walt Reither, Chuck Heddles and Lloyd Richards. The song was led by Vern Marshall who did a fine job, we just had to pick on him.

On sick call we had Norma Langfelder in St Joe's, serious.

Taps---Lloyd T Mestepey (Tuck) and Les Waggonner are both gone now. Both were dear to me and I will miss them, Rest in Peace.

Gen Whitney gave us a talk about what is happening at Buckley. There will be a new main gate, a lot of new construction in fact. The Club and Bldg #25 are going on the historic list..good news.

Special Notice---June meeting schedule. There will be a very brief meeting. Those who wish may leave after that. After a short break LTC Gibbons FAMC will take the podium. She will explain how the new Gateway to Care program will run and will answer questions we have. We have both talked with her and she isvery well informed and very nice as well.

Don't forget the Bar-b-que on 12 July. This is the last time to sign up on Deyo's list. We have to know now many steaks to buy!!! Call Jim at 798 0839 or me 364-1373 if you miss sign up but call no later than 20 June.

One last thing --- Marie will need to verify your address and phone number we have to redo our call list, plus to PO will no longer give out forwarding addresses at the end of a year.

Meeting is 7 June same time same place.

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June 1994

June had 109 people that signed in plus several who came just for the speaker.

There were three first-timers----Joseph Broom, Floyd Wilbourn and Melvin Mylander. There were two guests--Father Brogan and Jim Deyo's Creat grandson.

Birthdays were Steve Paws. Burford Guinn, Duane Knuter, Joe Hallock, Juan Agular, and June Alrich, Bill Spesshart, Bill Knipprath and Bill Mc Gaffin. The Birthday song was led by the tall good looking Don Ford.

Free Chow went to Melvin Mylander and Bob Herbst who had won brfore and passed the meal on to HarryDScott.

Sick and Sads---On a cruise to celebrate their anniversary Sid Webb fell and broke his leg - three places!! Once home his wife came down with pneumonia!!! Pat Young passed away 19 Mat 94 and was buried in Ohio.

Dorothy Knight, wife of Del passed on in Mid-June.

R E Bosco died as they were preparing for dialysis treatments for him. Jack Spears is in a nursing home (Cambridge 1385 Eaton St Lakewood CO 80214) if up to it he may attend the cook out.

There are two cases of the shingles Tom Linam and Bob Cherry's wife, Phil.

Late but not sad at all, Jim Fisher's son David & wife Paula had twin girls 8 April 1994. Big Congratulations.

Personal note of apology--Bill McGaffin gave me the greatest tee shirt from FL and I did not do the right thing and say thanks!!

Colorado Historical Society is looking for any one who served at the old Lowry Field between 1922 and 1938. Contact Frank Harper at  $980\ 5552$ .

Our guest speaker (rare event) in June was LtCol Gibbons. She gave us a fantastic briefing on the new Care program at Fitz. With Hand- outs and questions we are now well informed. My most sincere thanks to Lt Col Gibbons for coming out to talk to us.

July 12 is out annual BBQ lunch. I will have B/G Parker Commanding General of Fitz as my guest. He will be with us for informal talk. Say Hello to him.

Meeting time the same, place the same, but the Deyo crew will be out in force to fix our steaks. Even Bob Herbst will be working ..Myrt just had another hip replacement and says she will get out as well.

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106 people signed in at our 3rd Annual BBQ Lunch.

Birthdays were Mel Mylander, Don Wood, Al Barnes, Duke Holdorf, Remedia Martin and Yours Truly. The song leader once again was John Smithson Army NG.

Since this was the cook-out there was no free lunch.

Sick Call—Jim Hileg is now in a nursing home on Leetsdale Dr because of a stroke and other problems. His wife was recently released from the hospital with serious medical problems.

Don Neary has minor damage to his hand---his home burned last weekend in June. Major damage to garage, 3 bedrooms and the rest of the house from fire, water and smoke.

I would like to thank the fabulous cooks that did our steaks and burgers. The club cook bought and marinaded them, then Jim Deyo, Bob Herbst and Bobby Bond cooked them. The cooks are suffering red knuckles and hot tummies for the work. Thanks a lot guys, you made the day a success.

After lunch our guest Gen Parker, CG of Fitz, spoke briefly to us about the Gateway to Care program and answered a lot of our questions. Thank you Sir for coming to keep us up to date, come anytime you wish.

Note from Marie: I used the program first week and it is great, oh there are bugs to be worked out like in any new anything, but it is really working!!!!

Mail Call -- Ed McClannahan wrote ( with PB donation) and promises to come to a meeting from Loveland.

Ron & Kay Silvrants wrote to say Hello to all and sent PB donation as well.

Next time you see Ken or Jan Smith ask to see their pictures...they are restoring OLD cars. The latest is a school bus from the 20,s.

Info to keep - Andy Mosas is the Fitz Casuality person. He stands ready to serve you and your families needs. Located Bldg 332 Rm 2 Ph # 361 8517.

Next meeting is Colorado Day 2 August 1994. We all want to see you there. Camana Club 11:15 or so, come and have a good time.

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August 1994

89 people signed in for the August meeting. Nice turn-out.

Free lunch went to Flo Wilhem, Flo & Gregg came all the way from Battlement Mesa. The second lunch went to Bob Talbot.

We had several First-timers and Visitors. Gordon Terroug brought his daughter as a guest. First -timers were Kay Koonez, Betty Pannell (Metcalf) Tom Supperenant and Charles Rogers.

Birthdays were Betty Buck, Bartender Franf, Clarence Douglas, M Martinez, Furman McClain, Bob Snyder, Jack Willhite and last but not least Tom Linam and the State of Colorado.

Sick Call: Eldon Klusman had surgery in July and is recovering at home. Wayne Carlton is now in Holly Heights Nursing Home, 6000 F. Fliff -757 5441 if you need to call. Mavis Dilley is in Sable Care Center on Dillon Way, that is at \$600 A. and Sable.

I have been asked to mention how important it is that everyone 65 and older have Medicare Part B. That is the part that helps pay do ctors and testing etc. Without it you could be in big trouble paying hospital bills the new Health Care programs don't always cover. If you do not have it call your SS office or me at 364 1373.

On the sign in sheet you will see some numbers after the sig. Those are the years of government service for each person. Rather an eye-opener don"t you think? A fast run through (while watching TV, S ke came up with a total of 2,272 +. that is what was -present at just one Luncheon. Can you imagine what the total would be for all who belong to the Gang" Presently 325 is our total membership. Also the wives had no numbers to put down BUT we served the same as you guys. You got to see neat new places while we were left at home trying to keep everything going alone.

Marie and I will be taking an Inside Passage Cruise of Alaska starting Labor day. We will be back in the late evening of the 12th, so no cookies in Sept. Sorry guys. This is the first time in ten years we have been able to vacation. A big event for Marie.

The meeting is Tues 13th Sept at Camana Club as ususal. Come on an join us.

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September 1994

The Sep lunch had 65 people present.

First timer was HERB Shelton (Army Guard)

Jean Schlager and Chuck Weiger won the free lunces for the day.

We only had one birthday, Bea Van Deest.

Mail call was only one letter, Don lovisone wrote to tell us of his new address in Mc Pherson KS and a donation for the poor basket.

Retiree Recognition Day will be at Fitz in late Oct or early Nov. If you are on the Fitz computer they will mail you the info.

Future of Fitz is looking good at this point however there is no guarantee. COLA raises are still an old sad story.

We all need to write our elected officals and to committe chairpersons to express our feelings on all retiree and veteran affairs. If we do not we will be the loosers. The more letters the more our chances to keep our benefits.

Marie and I had a wonderful time on our inside passage cruise to Alaska. Ten days after we returned we had to leave for Long Island for the very formal wedding of James Gouwar...John's son. We got there the same time as a Nor-easter ...perfect timing as usual.

Flu season will soon be upon us so be sure to get your flu shots when you can.

Next meeting will be 4 Oct 1994 at Camana Club, same time and maybe some new faces.

Always

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The October luncheon had 71 people signed in.

Dan Morris and Ernie Nold won the free lunch cards.

First timers were Lawrence Klooz, B J Nanney, Joe Levesque (Army) Jim Jesser and Dennis De Saer.

Herman Klap was the only birthdayand the song was well led but but I forgot to note who did it.

Sick call is kind of big again. Joe Hallock was in the hospital for breathing and heart problems. Jack Spears in St Luke's surgery for ankle and hip infections. Rio Lucas broke a hip falling at his son's home and Virginia Barcroft (Oregon) had surgery as well.

That last hail storm hit Ernie Nold really hard especially his station wagon but his ins is getting it repaired. We are getting a new roof on our house and shed and a new skylight as well.

Mail Call- Don Lovisone, Don David, Don Allen. Tom & Elaine Sarmo' Don Luckey and Ray Overfield. Changes of addresses and donations for the poor basket. If you don't attend the luncheons it would be nice to hear from you with dondations and updates on what you are doing.

I have to share Ray Overfields note: "I have taken leave of my senses, moved from Tucson to Elfridge AZ where I sheepishly admit I own and operate a sheep ranch. One could call this a real ewe turn in our lives."

Flu shots will be given a the Post Theatre Fitz for Retirees and dependants 31 Oct thru 4 Nov 7:30 to 5:-- ( the 4th will be 7:30 to 12:00. It's a hassle on parking and waiting but worth it.

Retiree Day at Fitz will be 29 Oct Post theatre 0900 -1200. Prog will center on Health Care at Fitz with 3 speakers including BG Parker. West Gate WILL be open 0800-1500 Parking with shuttle bus to the theatre.

We ALL have to write to Edwin Dorn about the Commissary need... see attached flyer.

Travel Tip - Take Advantage of low cost housing at military bases. Call Army reservation desk toll free 1 800 Go Army+1 800 462 7691

Sal Villano was promoted to General and Tom Schultz is going to DC

Next meeting is 1 Nov as ususal

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For the November meeting we had 78 people who sigmed in.

Our First-timers were Roger & Barbara Braley, Chuck Hoffman, Laura Lundquist, Ed Steiner, Jim Stanford & Marty Mueller.

Don McClain and Lawrence Klooz got the free food.

Birthdays were Bill Axton, Dale Thompson, Ilene Bernhardt and Jack Bruce. With skill and determination Al Barnes led us in the Birthday Song.

Sick call---Bill Knipprath at home with the flu.

Vincent Hill has moved to the Tremont Retirement Center 10200 E Harvard AV #427 Denver CO 80231.

Bob Stanek passed away 14 Oct 94.

Mail Call Dora Chamberlain wrote with change of address and PB donation. Don Chambers sent his PB Donation. Ted Wise is enjoying Arizona and says Hello to all PB too. Marcella Bosco says she is keeping very busy, doing pretty good, PB too. James Burghardt now has a pacemaker. He has great support fromwife and family and says Hi to All-PB too.

Paul Grant will retire from the Finance Center 5 Jan with a luncheon at the CAMANA Club. Contact Dan Candelaria at Guard HQ for reservations.

Dec is our Christmas meeting with a gift certificate, the exchange of Christmas cards( bring one you sign, put it in the basket and take one out later in the meeting).AND THE BIGGIE---the Goodie table where all the gals bring their special Christmas treats for us all to pig-out on!!Yum-yum. What a wonderful sight and beautiful aromas. What a joy it is to have people like you folks--all friends and sharing.

Marie and I wish all of you a very Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year.

Seeall of you 6 Dec 94, same same, come and enjoy.

W D Boyle

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### Did You Get Your Service Medals?

n 1982, PARADE ran a story informing men and women who served in the military that they may be entitled to medals they didn't know about. Within just six weeks, 120,000 veterans-six times the annual averagehad written to the National Personnel Records Center for their medals. In the decade since, many vets have had their lives brightened by unexpected citations. Among them is John H. Hubbell, 68, of Rockville, Md.

An internationally known physicist who retired from the National Institute of Standards & Technology in 1988, Hubbell served in the Army in Europe during World War II, for a time under General Patton, After reading our article, he wrote to the Records Center. Two years later—four decades after the war-Hubbell was surprised to receive a Bronze Star. "My colleagues are more impressed by this than by any of my other professional

recognitions," says Hubbell. Those who never got their

medals still may request them -as may the next of kin of a deceased veteran. Simply send the vet's full name, service number, branch of military, dates of service and signature (or that of next of kin). Be specific, if possible, about the medals you are requesting. Air Force and Army Air Corps veterans should write to National Personnel Records Center (Military Personnel Records), 9700 Page Ave., St. Louis, Mo. 63132-5100. · Navy, Marine and Coast Guard veterans should write to: Navy Liaison Office,

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63132-5200. And please be patient. It may take a year or more.

# Other Side of the Mountain Jang

Seventy-eight people signed in for our December meeting, last one of 1994.

First -timers were Bud Wingert and Catherine Steal, the mother of Dianna Thebado.

John Candelaria and Bob Minnehan received the free lunch tickets.

Birthdays, Bob Reposa, Tom Oliver, Marie Knuter, Bob Knapp, Al Barnes, Jim Burghardt, Ben Perry and Lois Hoops. The Birthday Song Leader was Catherine Steal. My thanks go to Jerry Pawley for passing out the birthday cakes. Marie had a Drs. appointment and was not able to attend pur meeting.

As has become our custom, Dec. is the month for all the Ladies to bring their Christmas special treats.

As usual our table runneth over with all things good and tasty.

The Christmas gift certificate was won by Tom Linam.

SICK CALL: Bill Haggerty free-loaded a week at Fitz.

Helen McCabe had foot surgery and Warren Hohnstein broke his foot.. Shirley Talbot spent Christmas in the hospital with surgery. The week before Christmas was hectic for us as our son Steve, was in ICU at Aurora Pres. for tests that showed not heart but thyroid problems, thank god.

Mel Spurlin passed on 16 Dec and was buried with full honors at Ft Logan. A loss to all of us.

LTC Munger form Fitz was a guest and speaker. He talked to us about the future of our medical care, it is not all roses but it does look good. Better than the rumors that have been flying around lately.

This letter is earley to beat the postal rate increase, so please note, meeting for Jan. is on the 10th!!!

See you then, on the 10th, please, Same old place, same old time.

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