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154th Ftr GP (AD) H ANG

Hickam AFB, Hawaii

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THE "N E W" LOOK

All HANG F-102's including the C-47 aircraft, are now in the process of getting a "new look" as a result of a new directive from the National Guard Bureau Washington D.C.

The new ruling which calls for re-marking of all ANG aircraft in all the 50 states, has a two-fold objective. Due to previous crises to which many aircraft of the Air National Guard units across the United States were ordered to deploy, thousands of manhours were expended in changing the ANG insignias and markings to "U.S. Air Force". To preclude this, markings will be made permanent. The second objective is to eliminate confusion by providing identification of all ANG aircraft once they are deployed.

The only visible mark to identify the aircraft belonging to the Air National Guard will be a huge decal affixed to the aircraft's rudder with the name of the state painted above it.

O R I PHASE II

Phase II in a PACAF "ORI" was conducted yesterday on all HANG units. The "ORI" tested pilot/direction, AC&W's, an weapons systems.

To pass the exercise, 75% of all armed intercepts successful; 75% of all SEM, loaded, checks missile rail; this afternoon will test the turn-around of aircraft requiring six birds within 15 minutes, The word so far, so good.

"R E C A L L . . . "

The activation of the ROYAL GUARD will commence at 1400 hours Saturday 16 November 1963 at Iolani Barracks. This will be the first public appearance of the unit, patterned after the "Royal Guard" of the late 1800's during the reign of King Kalakaua-Queen Liliuokalani era.

The objective of the group, according to Colonel Walter F. Judd originator of the idea, is to "tangibly express pride in our Hawaiian heritage and preserve the traditions of the Hawaiian militia of the Monarchy".

The "Royal Guard" uniforms are being tailored and copied from old photographs. All verbal orders will be given in Hawaiian.

The original Royal Guard was composed of about 50 officers and men who had the prime duty of guarding Hawaii's Royalty, stationed at Iolani Barracks. Today's replica will participate in future parades, reviews and other State Functions commemorating Hawaii's colorful past.

Troops honoring their debut will be the 111th Army Band, HANG; HANG Squadrons from the 154th Fighter Group, 109th and 169th AC&W. Commander-in-troops will be Major James K. Lota. Reviewing the troops, Commander-in-Chief Hawaii National Guard, the Governor of the State of Hawaii. The Adjutant General of the State of Hawaii. The Assistant Adjutant General, Air, of the State of Hawaii.

On 1 October 1963, TSGT Sam Pacarro, 154 COMSUPRON, HANG displayed exceptional reaction and quick thinking that saved a human life.

At approximately 1720 hours while at his home, SSGT Pacarro heard the terrified screams of his neighbor calling for him that her three and a half year old daughter was found unconscious in a near-by stream, Pacarro rushed to the stream, found the unconscious little girl with her two frightened older brothers and immediately applied artificial respiration. In a short while the child started gasping for breath, Pacarro then carried the girl, still applying respiration, called to his wife to drive the car and sped to Kaneohe Emergency unit located about a mile away. The girl was examined by the doctor and placed in Queens Hospital for overnight observation. TSGT Pacarro's immediate reaction and knowledge of artificial respiration was performed in an outstanding manner awarded him the SAFE AND SOUND merit award of the Air Technician Detachment. TSGT Pacarro Friday was presented with a write-up in his 201 file, a tangible prize of \$50.00 and a day off,...WELL DONE.

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O_F_F_I_C_E_R PROMOTIONS

Captain Donald Giddings.....MAJOR DONALD GIDDINGS

Captain Curt Johnson.....MAJOR CURT JOHNSON

Captain Frank White.....MAJOR FRANK WHITE

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