

UNITED STATES AIR FORCE
STATIONED HERE

By - Mary Jo Newton

For the past four weeks, Air Force personnel and vehicles have been seen daily around town and of course their presence has aroused the curiosity of the people of Highlands. Many people have asked the personnel about their work and have visited the station. Others have inquired around town to gain knowledge of their being here, but others are still curious and wondering about their presence and their work.

We wish to take this opportunity, with the cooperation of the United States Air Force, to inform you about the work being done by them and in hopes the information will reach those who are willing to cooperate and aid their program.

After surveying the surrounding area, Satulah was chosen for the site of the local headquarters. Here, on one of the most scenic mountain views, was established by the United States Air Force, a Radio Relay circuit from A.F.B. in Greenville, S.C. to A.F.B. at Nashville, Tenn. This circuit supplies radio, telephone, and teletype communications for the 18th Air Force - headquarters at Donaldson A.F.B., Greenville, S.C.

The personnel in charge of this unit are: S/SFT L. Spokas of Chicago, Ill., A/IC Richard Cook of Buffalo, N.Y., and A/IC Richard Patten of Burlington, Vermont.

Their length of stay is indefinite.
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A LETTER OF THANKS

Last week I wrote an open letter to your paper in regard to the Police situation in the Town of Highlands.

I think I can say-without hesitating-that every resident of this community, summer or permanent, is truly thankful for the complete cooperation for the Mayor and the Board of Commissioners and their satisfactory correction of the dangerous situation.

Highlands now has, not one but two proper police officers and we hope they will be given sufficient remuneration and cooperation to keep them in office.

Again, our thanks,
Comdr. Dwight C. Paul

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