

FIRST PLATOON

TED M. ALEXANDER -- "Super OC" and the poet laureate from California, Ted's interests are many and varied. None the less, he has managed to survive OCS. He had the "pole" position in the passageway but still managed to be last to formations. With subtle humor he livened CGO classes and found himself participating often in individual drill competition. A bug about artistic photos and even more artistic women, we hope he will be able to display his creative talents during his tour of duty.

FLETCHER M. BALLARD -- Fletch is chairman of the Yorktown branch of the Texas mafia, as may easily be determined by his 0600 greetings heard as far as the mess hall. Hoerber will gladly testify to the carrying qualities of Ballard's voice. It boggles the mind that in real life Ballard is a school teacher and about to be married.

TERRY D. BEACHUM -- Known as "Uncle Beachum", his deeds of mercy and assistance made him a legend in his own time. That legend grew until the whole base thought that we had Superman living with us. Beachum, thoroughly humble, denied the whole matter, but those who are close to him know the truth. Good luck, Uncle.

MICHAEL J. BLASCHUM -- The saltiest boat chief in the Guard, Mr. Straight-Skinny, better known to his classmates as "The Psychologist" plans to career it in aviation. While at OCS Mike's interests included counselling and the psychological approach to leadership along with his collection of rock-n-roll folk lore.

DAVID K. BROWNLEE -- Dave, known to many of us as "Greenlee" is the friend of all who know him. We could always count on Greenlee for just the right word or a little joke to make things well again. A graduate of Michigan State, Dave has a wide variety of tastes and is a lover of all sports, especially football. As a man, Dave is tops, a very dependable leader, truly reflecting the spirit of 1-66.

MICHAEL J. CACCUITTO -- One of the few men who passed (424 points) the first time, Caccuitto is getting married after OCS and we wish him well. He is a good man and a worthy friend who deserves to be stationed in his heart's desire, New York.

HARRY W. CAULSEN, II -- A sun-worshipper, he came to us from the University of Miami, where he majored in Fraternity Administration and minored in College Life. Harry lists among his favorite people one Nancy Richmond and LTJG Hogan. Caulsen surprised us and requested duty in the Seventh District where he wants to fish and scuba dive.