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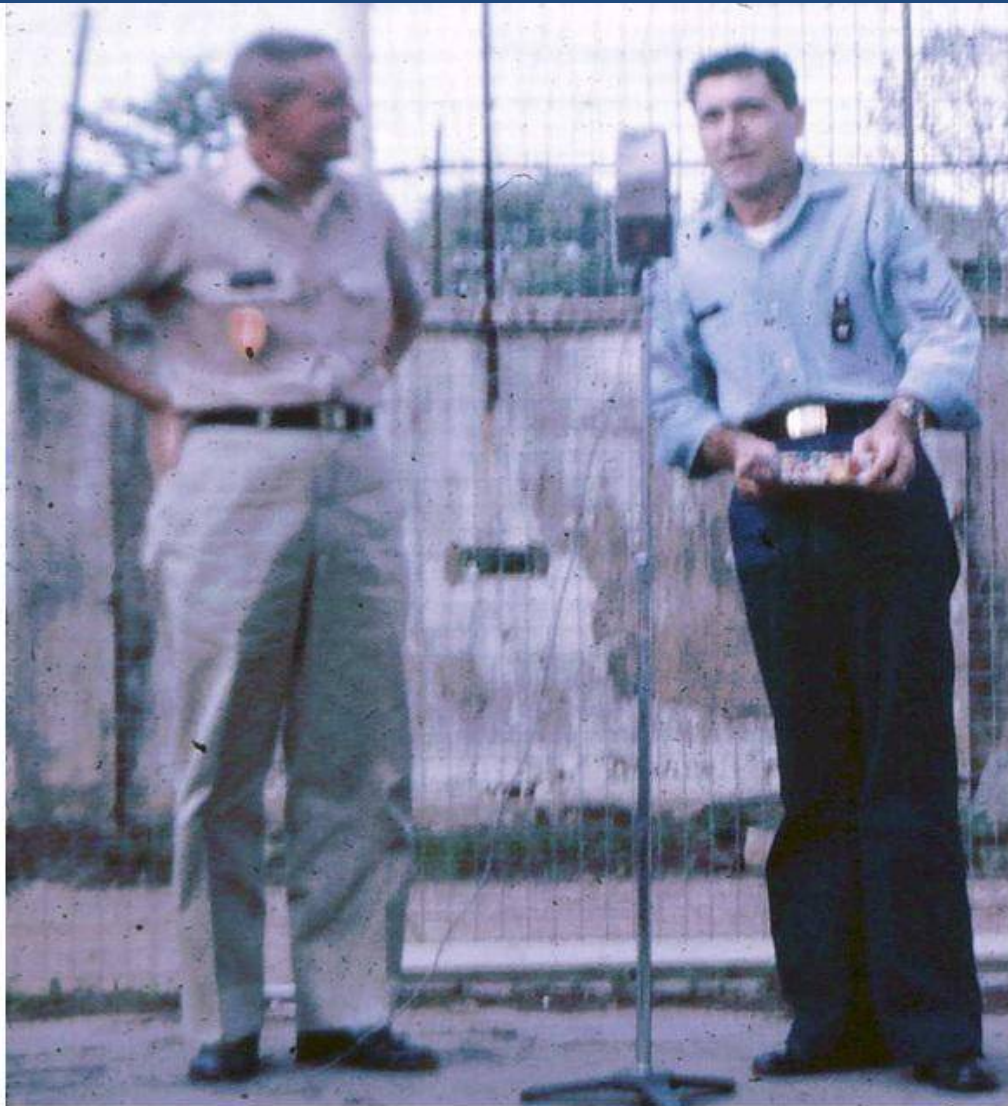
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LTC DeForest Ballou III, USA, Network OIC, Saigon, (1966) with
MSgt Herbert Manchester, USAF, News Director, Saigon (1966)

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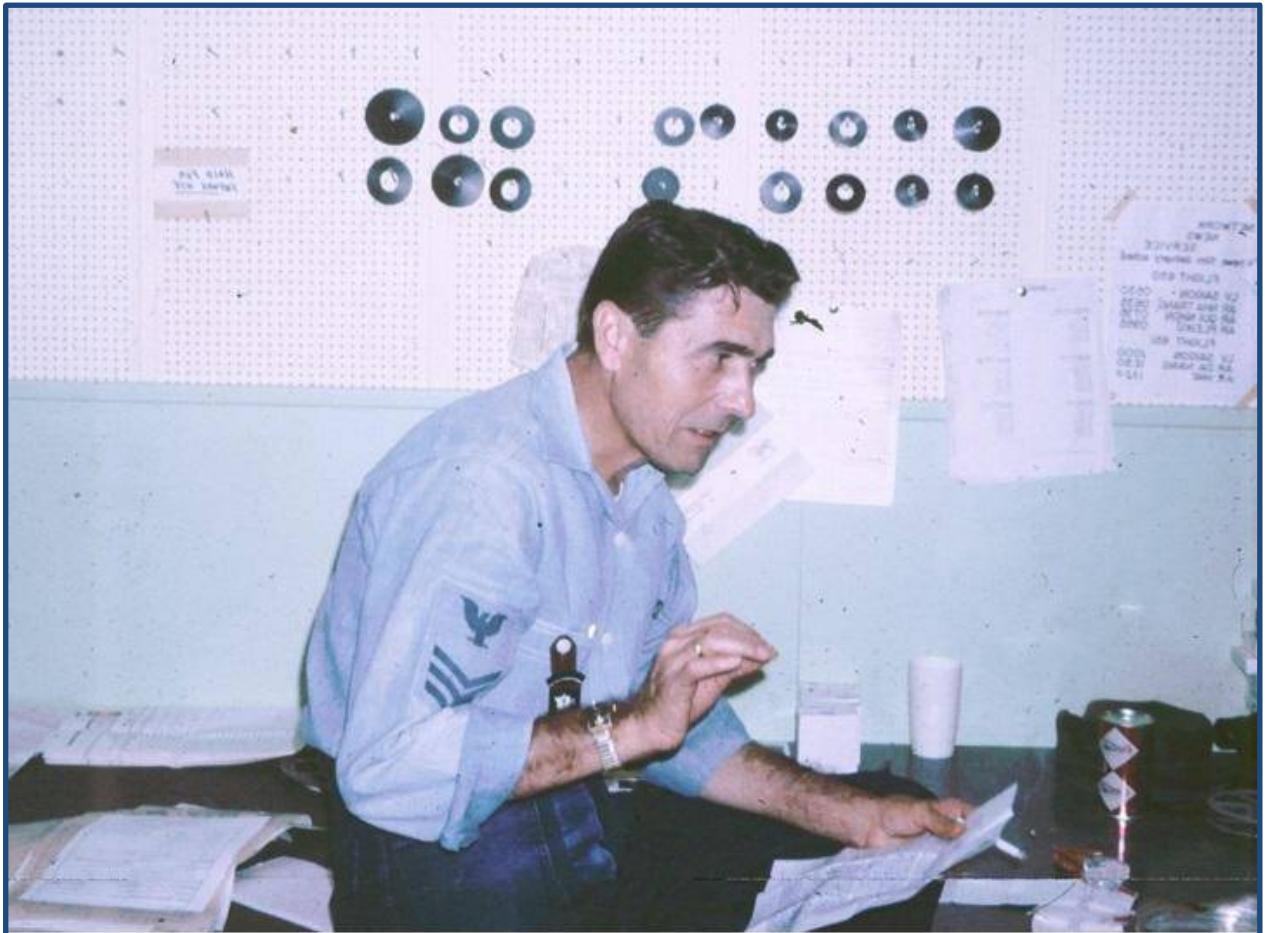
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LTC DeForest Ballou III, USA, Network OIC, Saigon, (1966) with
CPO Alonzo "Lonnie" Jones, USN (1967).

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CPO Alonzo "Lonnie" Jones, USN (1967) hard at work.

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David at the Saigon Zoo

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From left to right: Possibly Clark Clifford, General William C. Westmoreland, Vice President Hubert Humphrey and Ambassador Ellsworth Bunker. All you can see of Humphrey is his left arm, hand and finger. You would have to have been there to know that.

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Ambassador Ellsworth Bunker at the speaker's stand and Vice President Hubert Humphrey second from the left.

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The American Embassy in Saigon at night.
I guess we wanted to be sure that the
North Vietnamese could see it.

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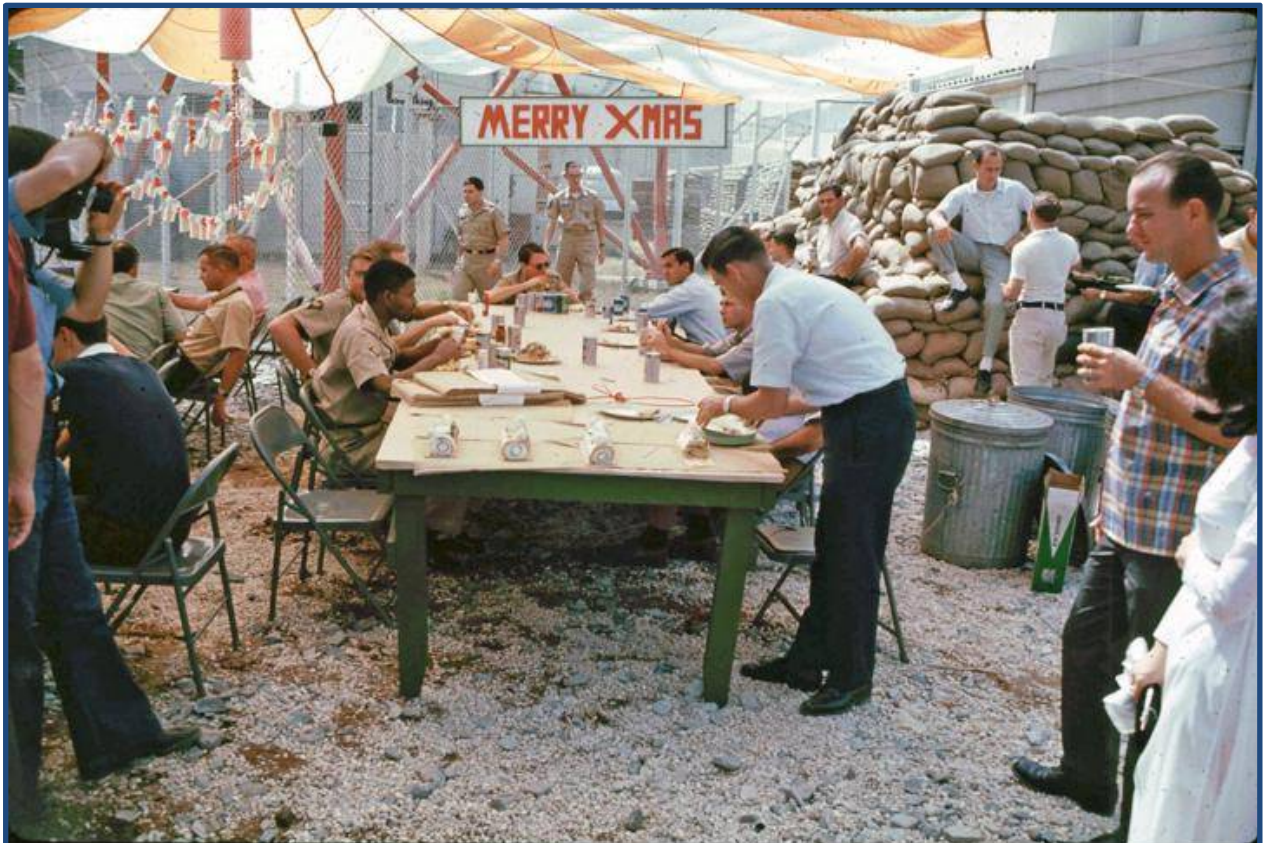


Two of our
local-hire
secretaries.

Can anyone
name them?

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AFVN BBQ - Christmas, 1967

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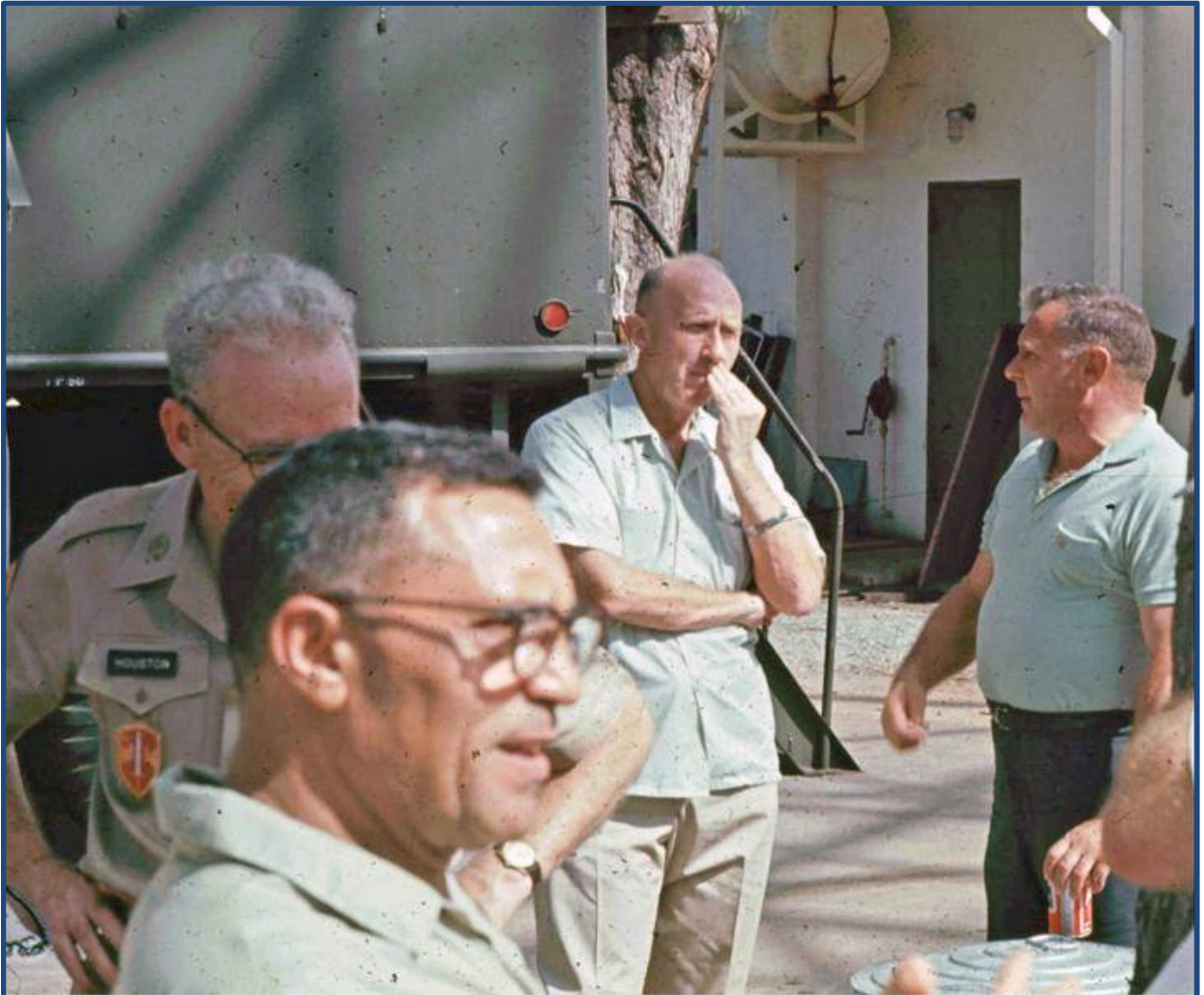
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The steaks look pretty good!

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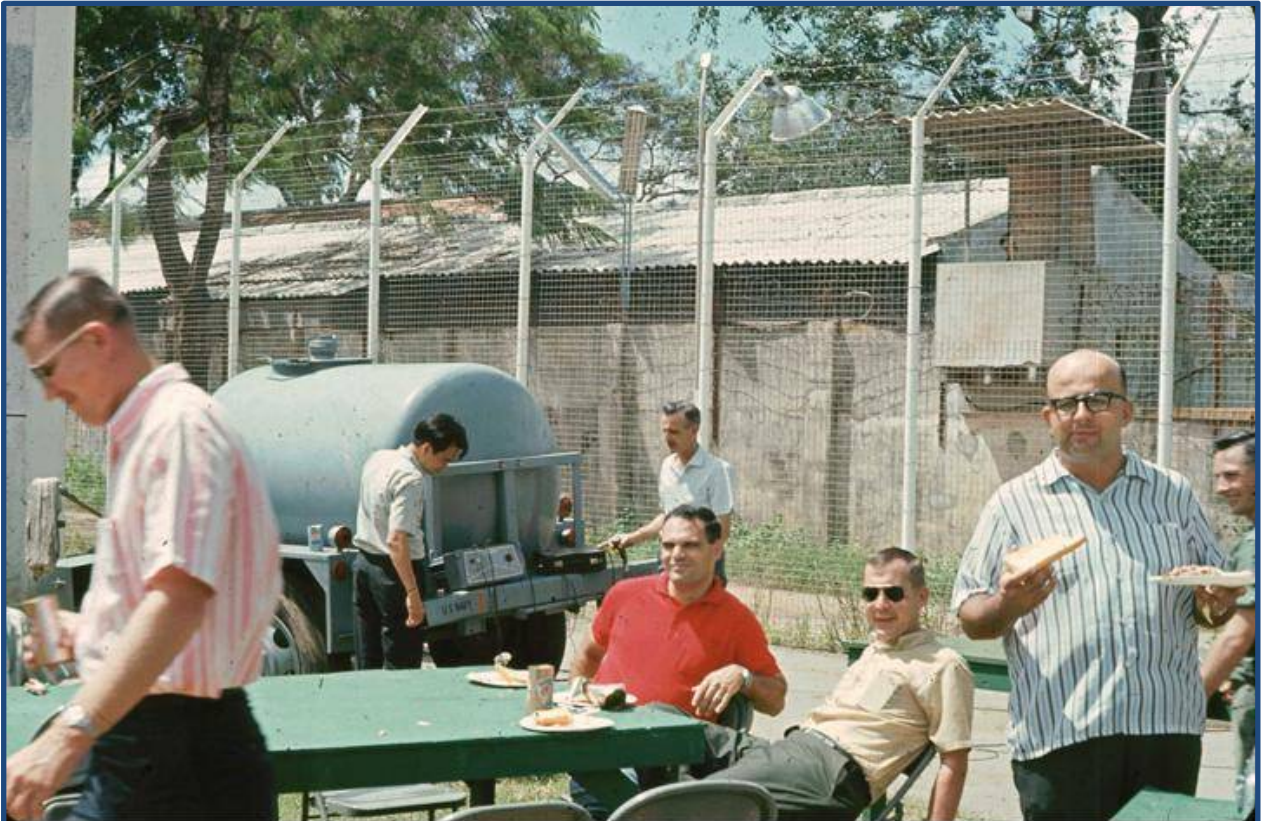
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CW3 James M. Pauli, USA
(Hand to his chin.)

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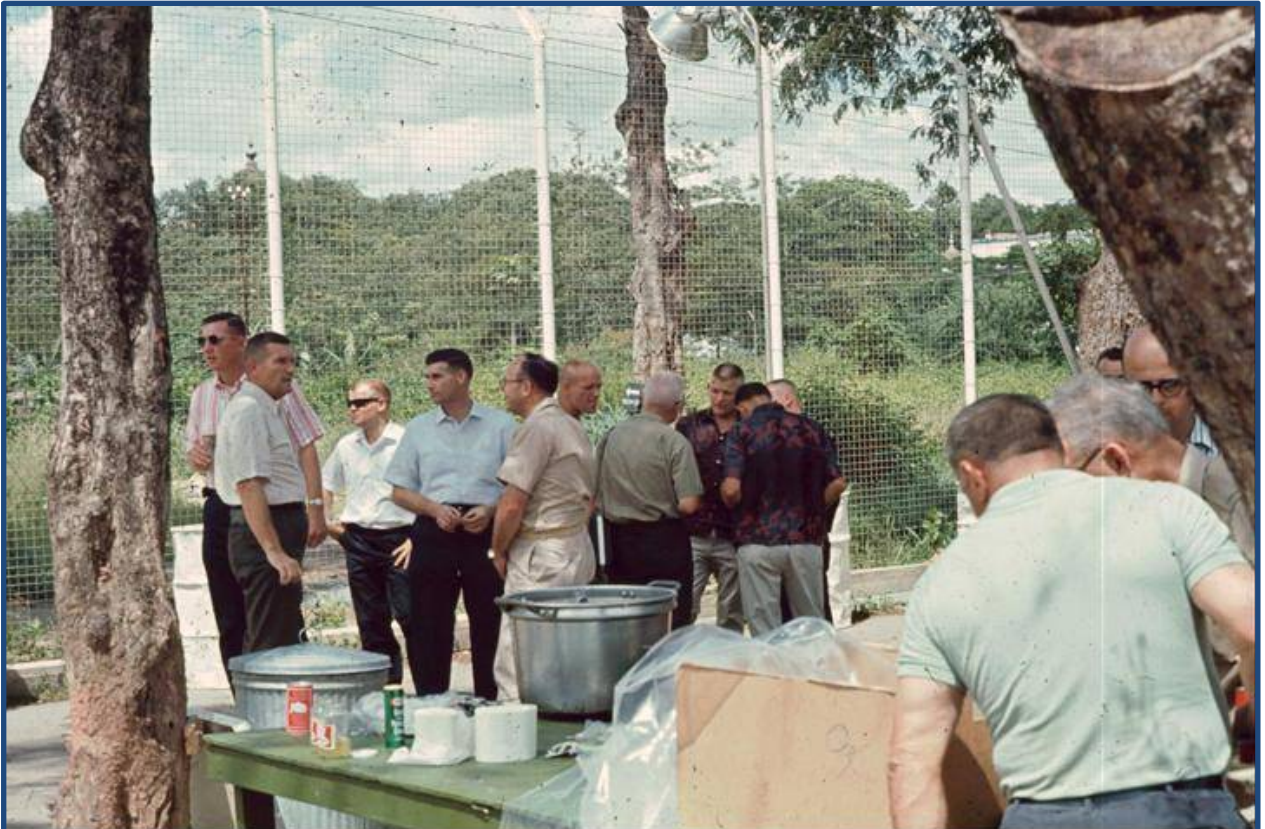
GySgt John McKay, USMC Da Nang / Saigon
Newswriter (1966)

(On the left walking out of the photo.)

SGT Ira Leslie "Mike" Turpin, USA (1967-68)
(In the red shirt.)

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Everyone socializing.

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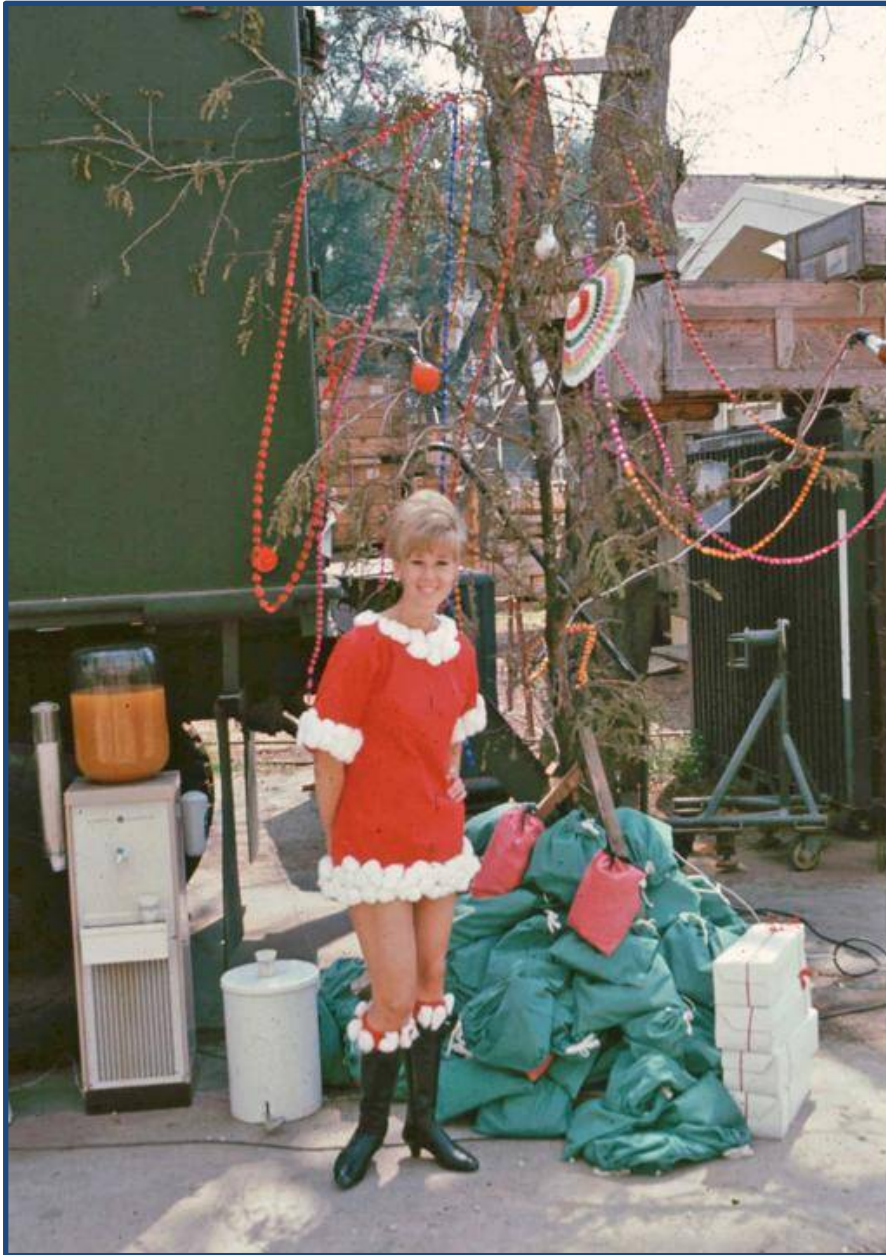
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Beer, cigarettes and talk.

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**Bobbie
Oberhansly,
the AFVN
Weather Girl,
ready to play
Santa Claus.**

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Bobbie Oberhansly and others up on the “stage”
with their AFVN “departing gift” plaques.

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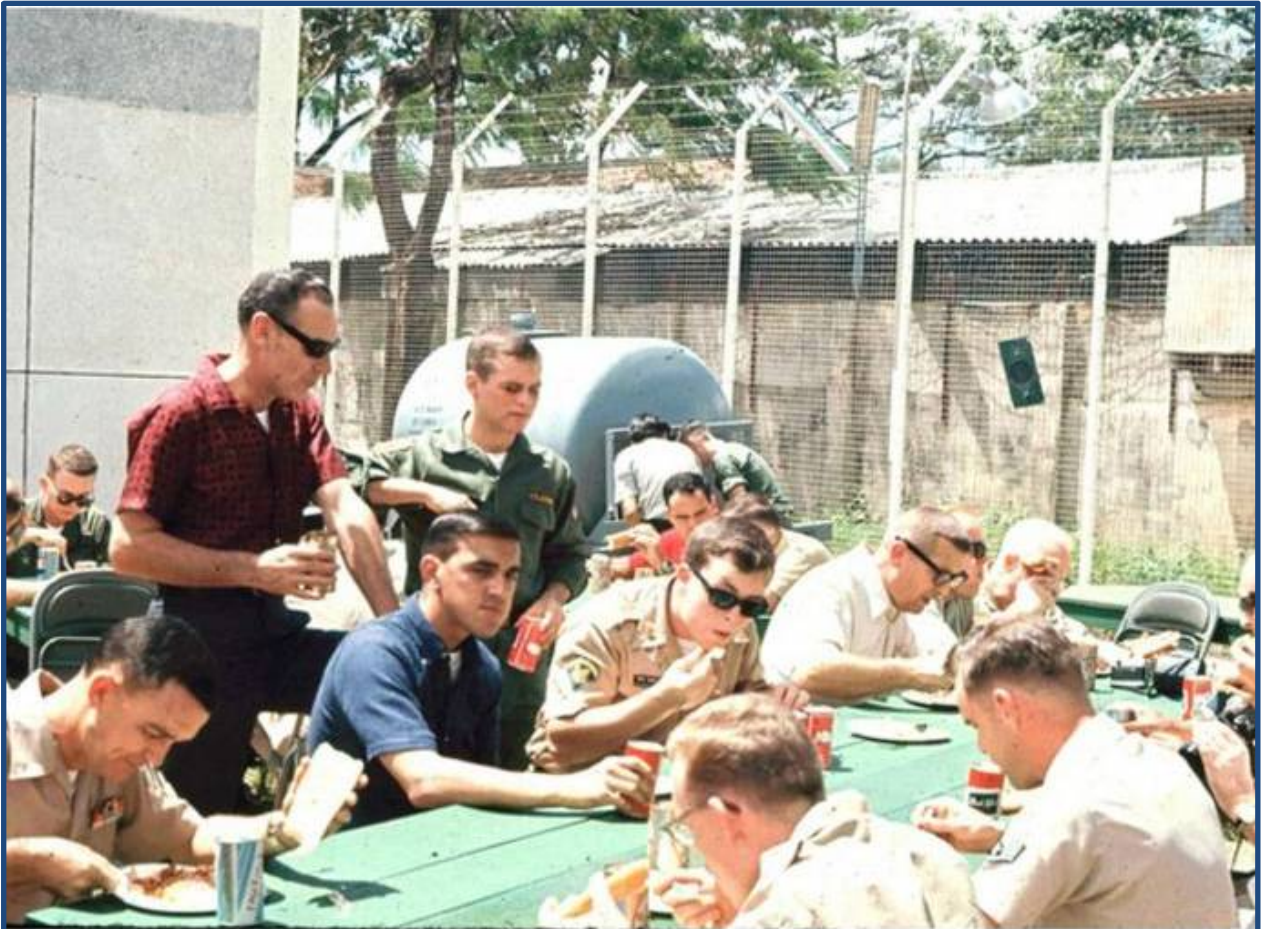
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Enjoying the food.
SGT Ira Leslie "Mike" Turpin, USA (1967-68)
in the red shirt.

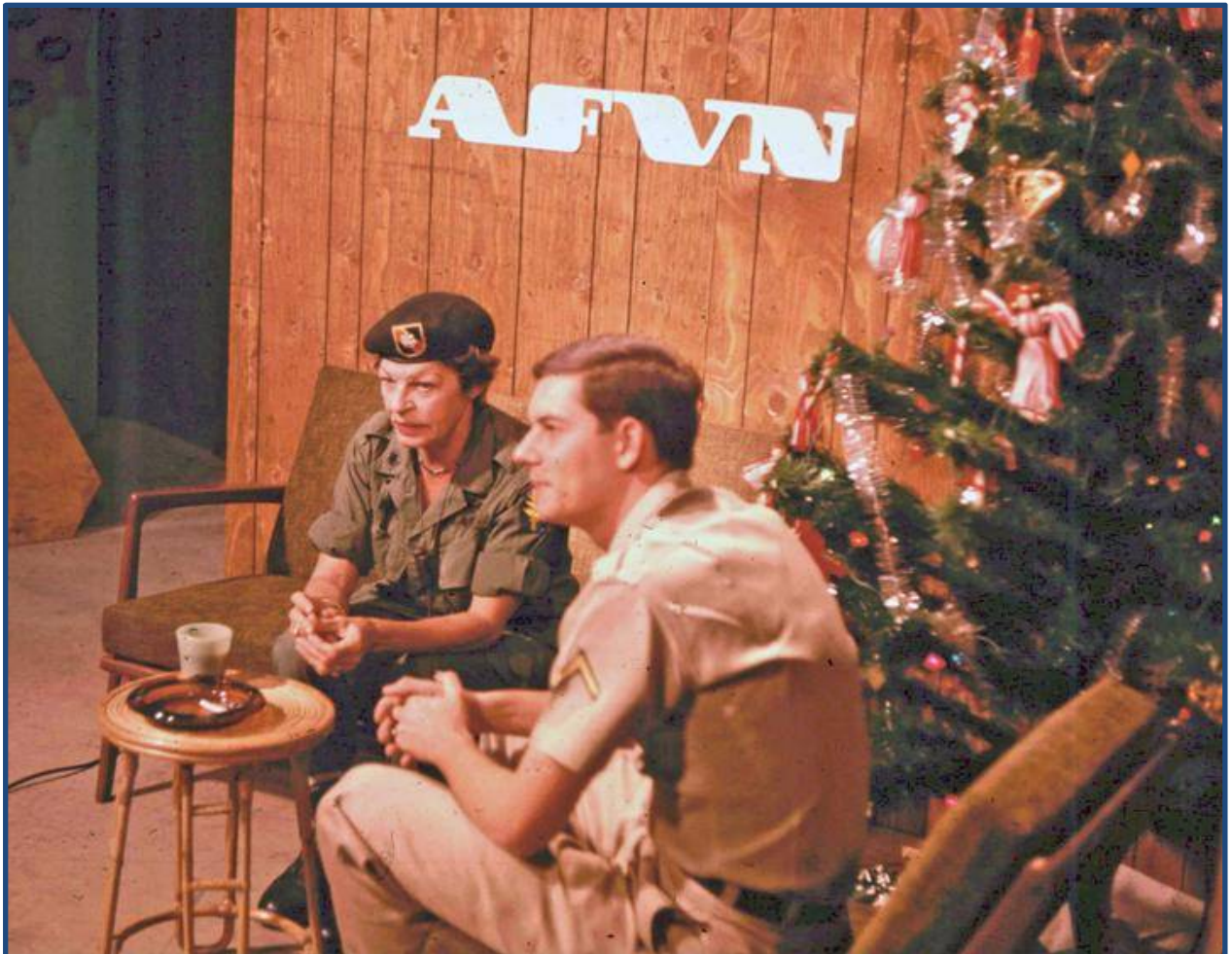
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Dick Ellis with Martha Raye

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Johnny Grant with some of his starlets.

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A starlet waiting to be interviewed.

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Dick Ellis interviewing a startlet.

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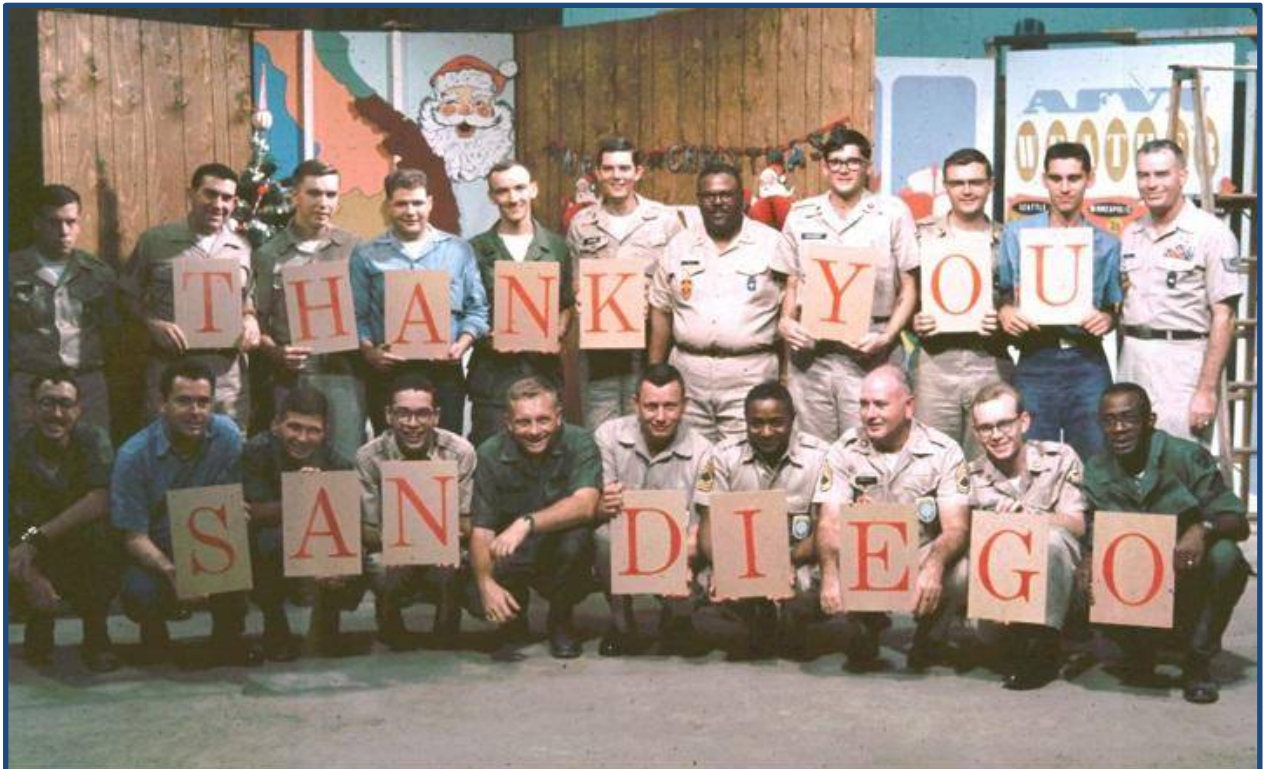
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A rather tired-looking Ellsworth Bunker.

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Thanking San Diego.
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The various OIC's lined up for a formation.

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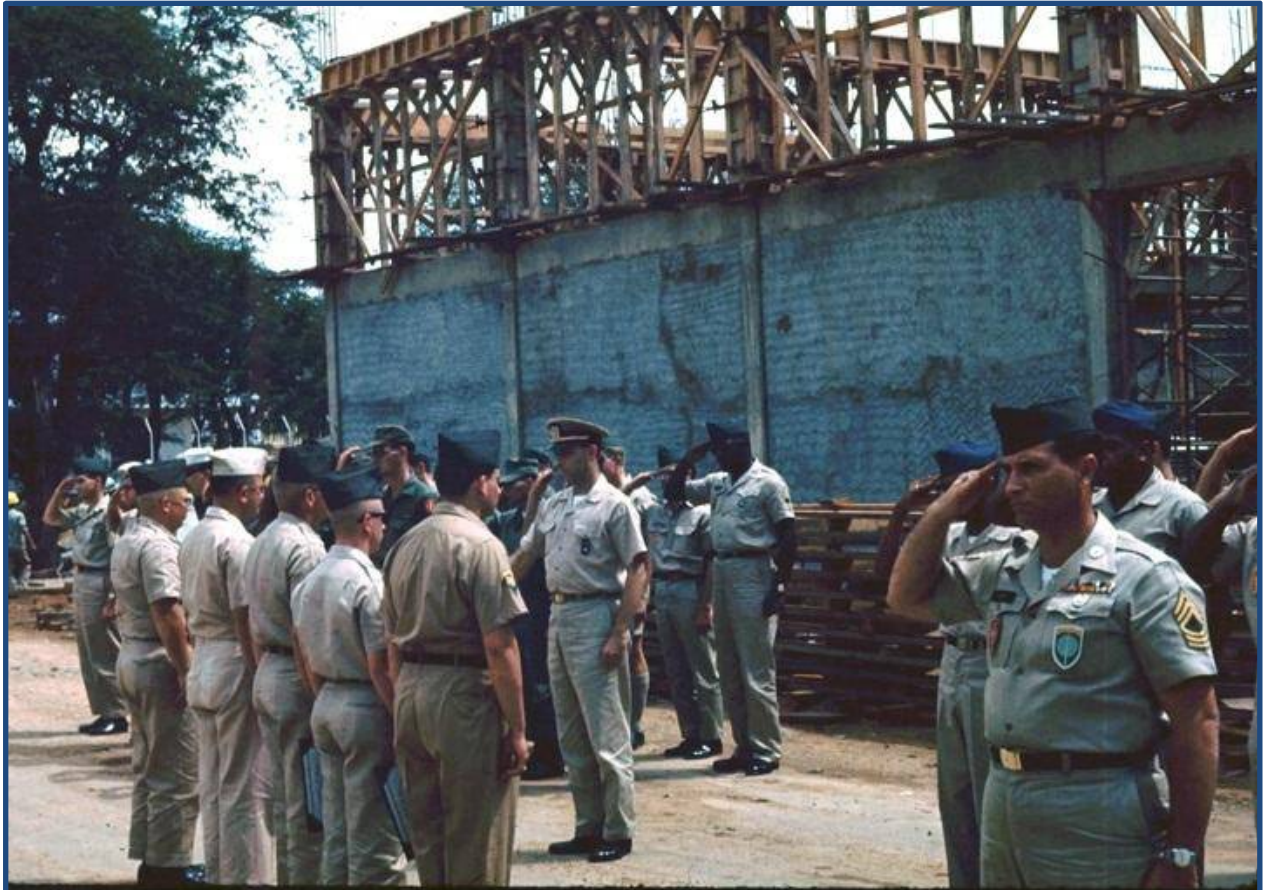
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I don't know if these are the various NCOIC's or not. Regardless, they sure aren't lining up very all that quickly. The Admin NCO / 1st Sgt is on the left with the officers.

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The enlisted men saluting the officers.
The MSG on the right may be the Ass't Admin NCO.

The five men with their backs to the camera are evidently either receiving awards or promotions.

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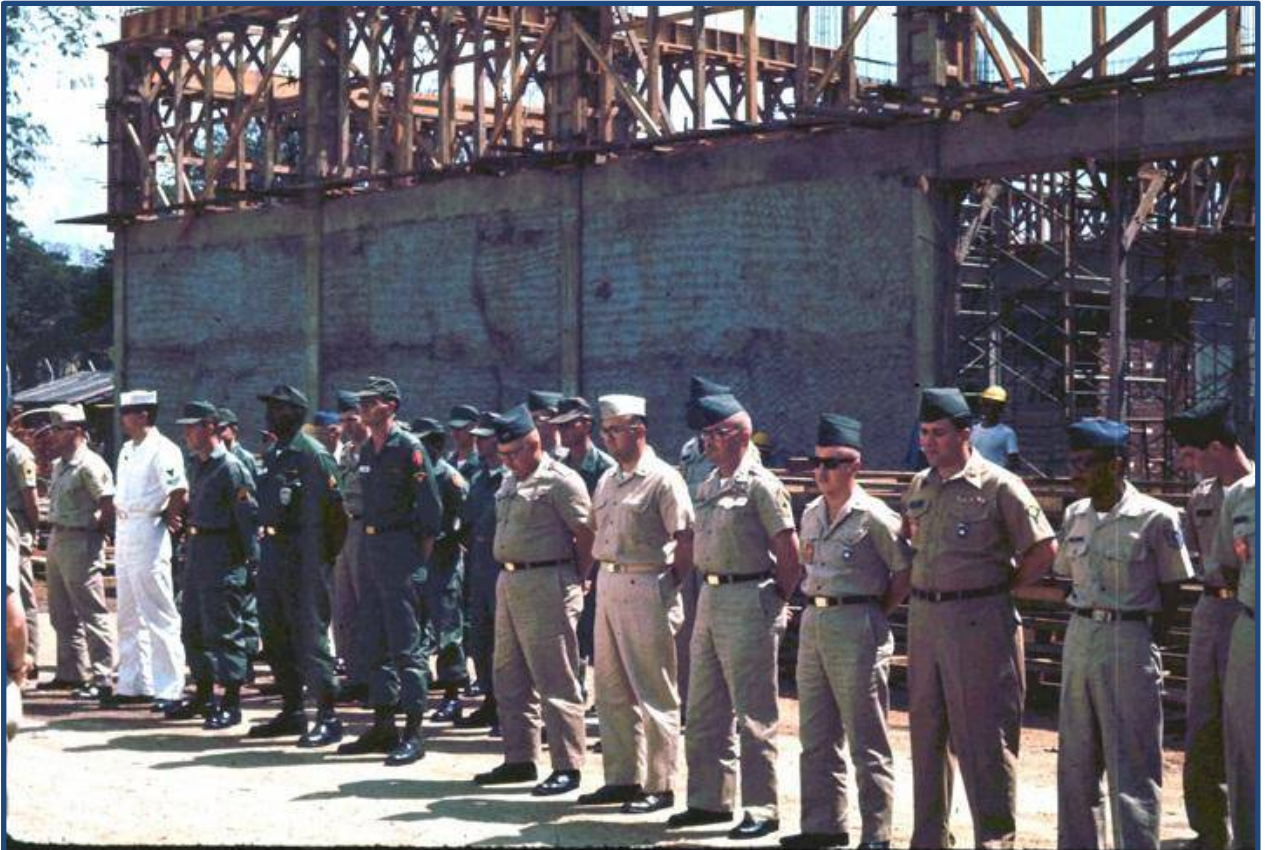
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LTC Arthur Jones, USA Network Deputy OIC (1968)
(left) standing in a formation.

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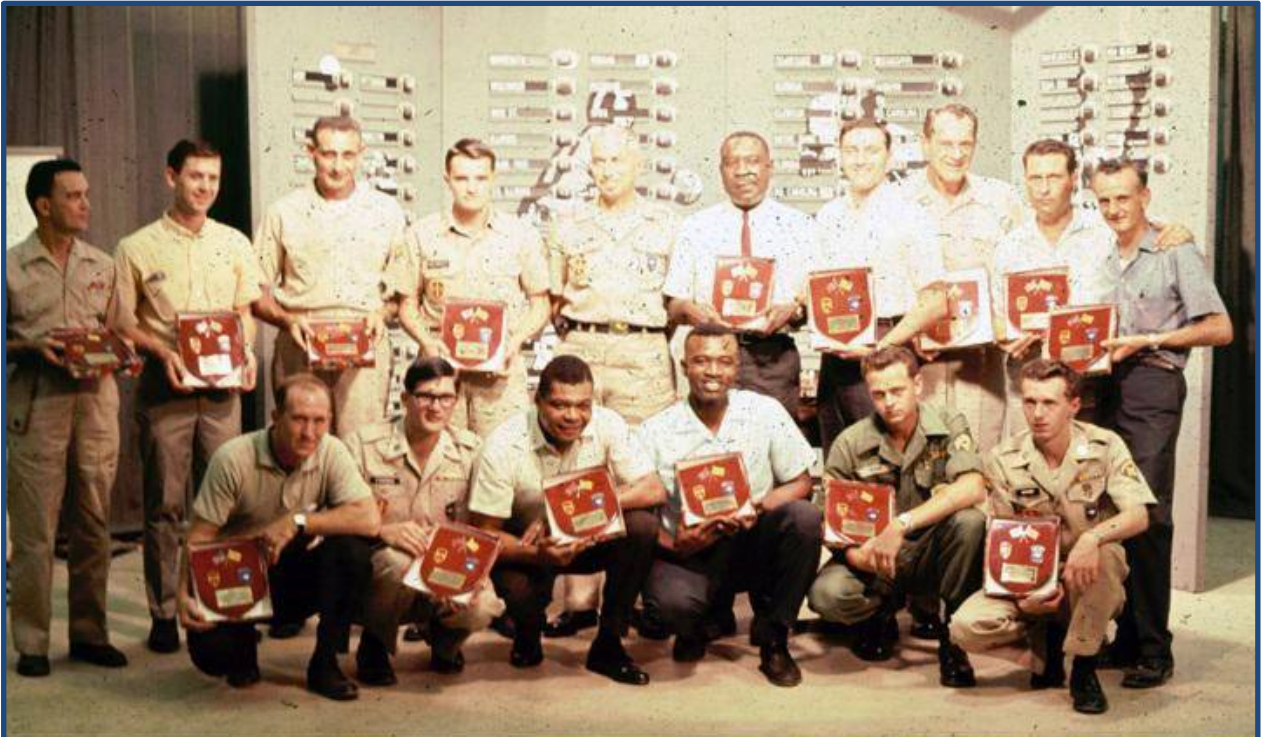


The enlisted men standing at ease.

The Vietnamese TV Station in the background is still under construction.

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Those who were leaving in December 1967
with their plaques.

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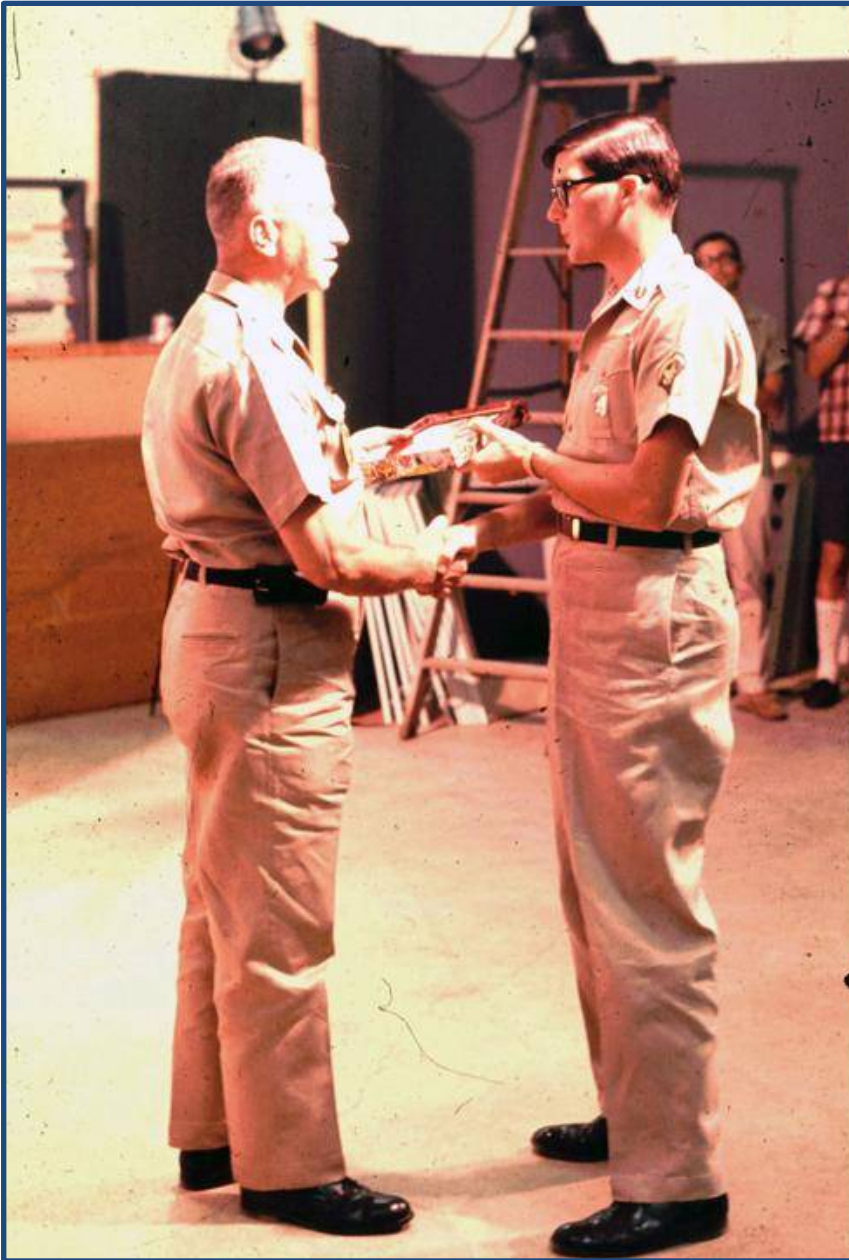
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SP5 David Lavender, USA (1967).
Perhaps near the end of his tour?

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David receiving a
plaque from LTC
Arthur Jones,
Network OIC.

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