

Portland, Oregon
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Col. J. Frances Taylor
Commander
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Dear Colonel Taylor:

I wish to express my appreciation to you and the members of your command for the excellent cooperation and training afforded the 244th AACS (E & I) Squadron received during our 1958 Annual Summer Field Training. Specifically, I desire to commend Lt. Col. Richard S. Haines, Commander, and the officers and airmen of the 1887th AACS E & I Squadron, Hamilton A.F.B., on their cooperation and superior type of practical AACS type equipment installation work made available to us. This excellent field training program, conducted by the 1887th, brought about the successful culmination of our 2nd year phase of the intensive O.J.T. program here at Portland.

I visited several of the training sites away from Hamilton A.F.B. and personally observed the equipment installation work being accomplished by the members of my squadron. In all cases, after talking to my squadron personnel and the supervisory personnel of the 1887th AACS Squadron, it was obvious that everyone was in accord as to the method and procedures to be used to insure a commendable type of equipment installation.

The work and experience that our personnel received will be exceptionally valuable in conducting our training during the next year. I also feel that the training accomplished more than justified the time, money and effort extended to us by the Air Force.

Again, I wish to thank you and the officers and airmen of your command for the superior cooperation and training you have extended to the personnel of the 244th AACS E & I Squadron.

Sincerely yours,

Albert E. Garvin
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