



G-5's "Eye on AMC"

U.S. Army Materiel Command

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Capitol Hill Visit

MG McManus, CG JMC, and Mr. Whittaker, ASA (I&E) met with Senator Landrieu (D-LA) and staff members of the Louisiana Congressional Delegation to discuss possible transfer of Louisiana Army Ammunition Plant to the National Guard. The meeting was also attended by the State Adjutant General and representatives of the National Guard Bureau. Mr. Whittaker explained the options for transferring the Plant to the State/National Guard. JMC would retain enough property to support its black powder contractor

RDEC and CECOM hosted Congressional Staff

On 30 May 03 the Armaments Research and Development Center (RDEC) at Picatinny Arsenal and the Communications and Electronics Command (CECOM) at Fort Monmouth hosted a group of 20 congressional staff members from the New Jersey delegation for orientation briefings and tours. The group's visit was sponsored by the New Jersey Department of Military and Veterans' Affairs and was part of a two-day tour of all New Jersey's military installations. At ARDEC the group toured the Armament Technology Facility and received overall mission briefings including a briefing on the Security and Emergency Response Information System. While at Fort Monmouth the group saw exhibits and were provided demonstrations of technologies and systems used in recent war efforts as well as those being pursued as part of Army Transformation.

History Channel interviewed LSE commander

"Gunny," R. Lee Ermey from the History Channel's MAIL CALL series interviewed Col. Carl Cartwright, commander of Army Materiel Command, Logistic Support Element in Southwest Asia. The MAIL CALL crew made a special trip to Camp Arifjan, Kuwait to see the troops and to film a special segment on logistics for the History Channel.

228th Army Birthday Celebration

Friday, June 13, 10 a.m. at Long Parade Field, in front of the Post HQs building . The event will include Gen. Paul J. Kern as the keynote speaker, a cake cutting, static displays, and special musical performances by the 389th Army Band, "AMC's Own" and the Army's Soldier Show.