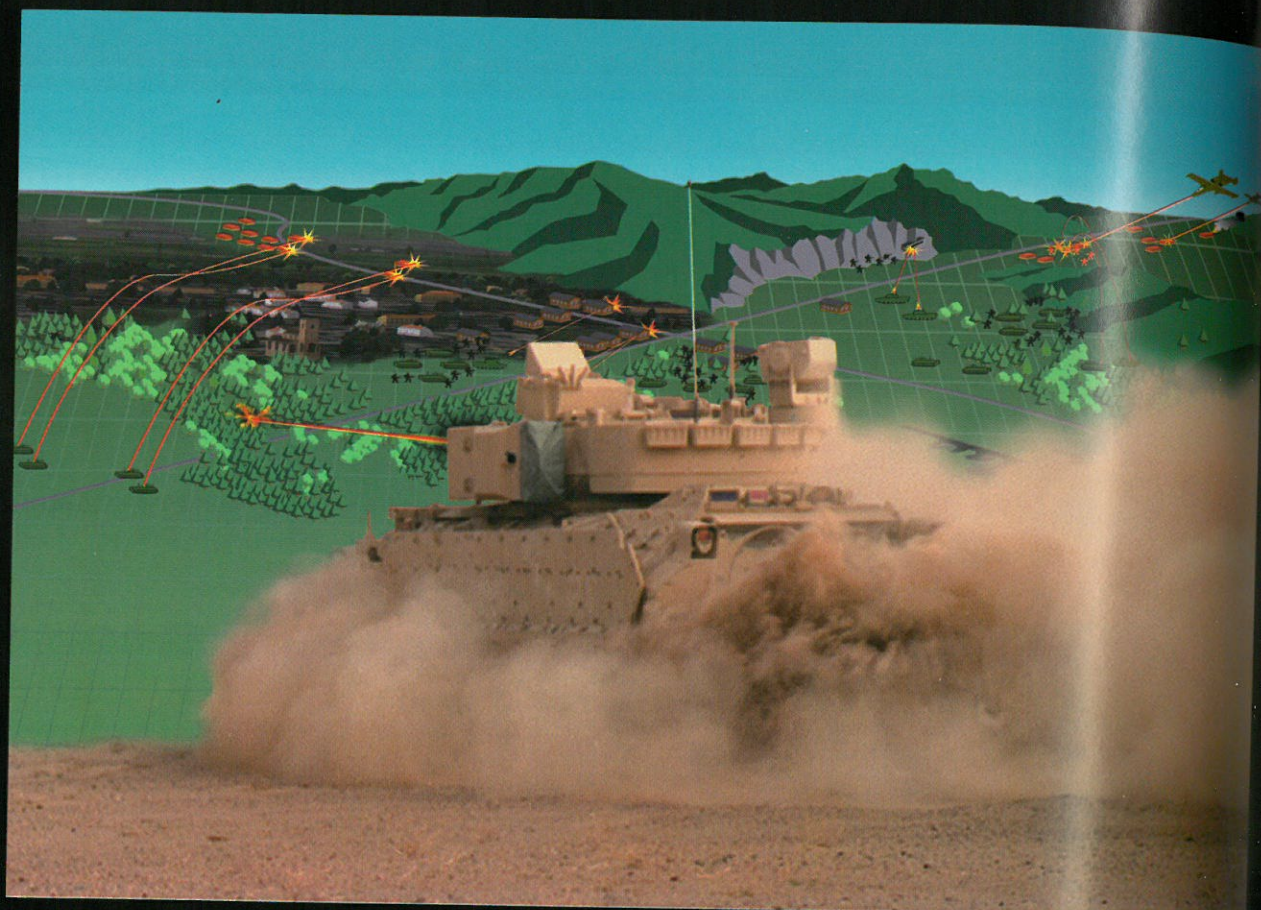


Bradley A3 training— a leap ahead...



Good training is key to soldier performance. But there are never enough ranges, labs, or time to train, until now. The Bradley A3 with embedded "Virtual Range" provides realistic training simulations for the individual or crew. The Army's first integrated platform design revolutionizes training and improves performance. Now you and your Bradley team can realize your full potential with a self-contained, fully interactive, digital simulator — whether you're in the motor pool or deployed in the field.



Key to Army 2010 and beyond, the Bradley A3 incorporates advanced digitized systems with software and electronics for enhanced lethality and situational awareness.

United Defense

NATIONAL GUARD

Inside

Volume 55, Number 6
www.ngaus.org

Features

22 1951

The second article in a series on the National Guard's involvement in the Korean War takes a look at 1951. As the first Guard units arrived on Korean peninsula, United Nations forces were reeling back over the border between northern into southern Korea under the weight of a massive Chinese offensive. Communist troops took the South Korean capital of Seoul for the second time in the war. The lines stabilized just south of the city, but hopes of a quick U.N. victory were forever dashed.

30 Defining Homeland Defense

Homeland security is a little more complicated than stopping the enemy at the border. Some believe that new technology and new enemies have created threats that the current defense apparatus is ill-equipped to handle. It's an overall threat and mission that is still a little hazy. Could it be an area where the Guard can take the lead?

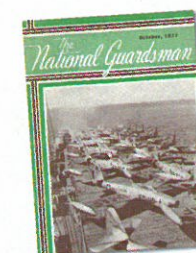
34 Industrial Partners

Nearly 100 companies ranging from large manufacturers to small consulting firms are NGAUS Corporate Associate members. Through this affiliation, they support NGAUS activities and goals. This month's magazine includes contact information on each Corporate Associate member along with a brief description of their products and services.



Departments

Starting Point	4
Mail Call	6
President's Message	10
Washington Update	13
Newsbreaks	16
State Roundup	42
Educational Foundation News	48



ON THE COVER Air Guard National F-84 Thunderjets make their way to the Korean War in 1951 aboard the U.S. Navy escort carrier *Sitok Bay*. The photo is same shot that appeared on the cover of the October 1951 THE NATIONAL GUARDSMAN.

- Maj. Gen. Richard C. Alexander (Ret.)
PUBLISHER
- Jane Matthias
DEPUTY EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR
- John Goheen
DIRECTOR OF COMMUNICATIONS
- Kristin Patterson
NEWS EDITOR
- Susan Cathcart
STAFF WRITER/PHOTOGRAPHER
- Maureen Hearn
PRODUCTION MANAGER
- Nick Lashinsky
EDITORIAL ASSISTANT
- Bonnie Carter
DIRECTOR OF MEMBERSHIP/CIRCULATION
- Bill Goss
LEGISLATIVE DIRECTOR
- Pam Johnson
DIRECTOR OF FINANCE
- Pixels & Ink
ARTWORK
- PRO-Media Sales and Consulting Inc.
ADVERTISING (703) 406-8800