Wallops Lists
$1.5 Million
In Contracts

The National Aeronautics and Space Administration's Wallops Station, used extensively as a testing site for the Langley Research Center here, awarded contracts totaling $1,544,742 during December.

The largest project amounted to $736,985, awarded to Doyle and Russell to construct a meteorological observation center and a dynamic balancing facility. Second biggest contract was for construction of a Scout launching facility, amounting to $398,793 to Virginia-Carolina Electrical Works, Inc. The Scout rocket is a developmental research booster of the Langley center. This booster has accomplished many firsts for Langley and the space agency in upper atmosphere probes.

OTHER contracts awarded during the last 30 days included $2,500 for a fabric enclosure for sounding rocket launcher; $33,233 for one decommutator system and spare decommutator items; $47,712 for multichannel recording oscillograph; $55,150, magnet tape recorder reproducer system; $159,240, four mobile antenna mounts and control systems, and $151,129 for doppler data recording and conversion system.

Wallops station officials recently issued invitations for bids for services and materials for furnishing and applying spray mulch to the protective dunes on Wallops Island.

Bids will be received until 2 p.m. Jan. 17. The price range for this work is below $1,000 and it will be awarded to a small business concern, according to bid specifications.

Plans and specifications may be obtained from the procurement officer, Wallops station.