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Many of you suggested we publish more “how-to” or “lessons learned” articles on field maintenance and supply operations, particularly at the company and battalion level. We have published articles and news items of this kind and we would like to publish more of them. If you have a story to tell along these lines that contains specific “how-to-do-it” information on how a problem was solved or a procedure was improved at the unit level, that could be used by persons in similar circumstances in other units, I invite you to send it to Army Logician magazine.

Many of you requested that we cover in greater depth the areas of foreign nation logistics, automated logistics systems, and logistics in the Reserve components. We anticipate beginning a series of articles on the different NATO armies’ logistics systems early next year; have prepared articles on SAILS, SAAS, and DS4 for upcoming issues; and plan to expand our coverage of reserve logistics.

Unfortunately, we cannot list all constructive suggestions we received, but you can be sure we will use many of your ideas in planning future issues. Your suggestions are welcome anytime. —Editor