

VET'S QUESTIONS WITH ANSWERS

Q: I am a World War II veteran and I just received notice from my GI term insurance policy will expire soon. Must I take some action before that date—either to renew or convert—or will I have a grace period afterwards, to do something about it?

A: That expiration date is a final date, and there is no grace period. If you want to continue your insurance, you must send VA your application for renewal or conversion, along with the proper premium for the new policy.

Q: I am a World War I veteran and I just passed my 65th birthday. Am I entitled to a VA pension based on my age alone? I've never been sick, and I am not disabled—but I do need the money.

A: You would not be entitled to a VA pension based on age alone. Pensions are paid to veterans who are permanently and totally disabled for reasons not connected with their service, and whose yearly incomes fall below certain levels. However, age is

considered in establishing eligibility in relation to employability and the degree of disability.

Q: I recently was discharged from the WAC and would like to take a full-time course in school under the Korean G. I. Bill. I am married, and my husband has a full time job. We have no children. Would I be entitled to the \$135 a month allowance paid to a veteran with one dependent?

A: No. Under the law, a woman veteran would be entitled to the \$135 a month rate only if her husband were "in fact" dependent on her.

Q: Before I re-entered the service over a year ago after having served in World War II, I bought a home with a GI loan, which was guaranteed for \$7,000, the top amount. Under the Korean GI Bill, will I be entitled to another GI loan, based on my service after Korea?

A: No. Since you have used up all your entitlement under the World War II GI Bill, you will not be eligible for another loan under the new law.

The first U. S. World's Fair was held in New York City in 1853 and 1854.

George Washington Goethals was the first governor of the Canal Zone.

The Department of Commerce and Labor was added to the Cabinet in 1903.

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Thank You

For electing me as Constable of Precinct 1 in the runoff last Saturday.

I shall strive to fulfill the duties of this office in a manner that is most agreeable to all the residents of Precinct 1 of Upton County.

Again, I say: Thank You!

W. F. "Bill" Moore

WASHINGTON AND "SMALL BUSINESS"

By C. WILSON HARDER

The settlement of the recent steel strike will be studied by Congress.

No one in Washington is proud of the solution worked out.

The strike limelighted a problem which American statesmanship has been unable, or unwilling, to solve.



That is the problem posed when two great monopolies as Big Steel and Big Labor are deadlocked.

During negotiations, one steel firm was reported ready to settle, but promptly withdrew this offer to stay aligned with the U. S. Steel forces.

No faction of labor had a chance to deal separately.

The big issue remains. When monopoly locks horns with monopoly, what happens to the rest of the country? Must the nation chance disaster?

In this particular case, settlement was reached by direct White House intervention. And as to be expected, the settlement was such that everybody won but the public. But obviously, it is pointed out, a system that requires a President to settle every serious economic dispute is a system that can easily head into a dictatorship.

The situation becomes even more peculiar when it is fully realized what was done during the strike importing steel.

Plumbing supply houses all over the country were receiving pipe made in France, Belgium.

gium and other European nations that are receiving steel and steel equipment from the U. S. as a gift under the Marshall Plan and the MSA.

This importation of steel might point to a solution of the basic problem. Free competition in the U. S. market between domestically produced and foreign produced steel might be a check on the powers held by the financial and labor monopolies in American steel production.

Such a course might even check the big rise in steel prices awarded as the settlement of the strike.

However, through some strange arrangement, foreign steel prices will also jump.

Therefore, there appears only one solution to the problem. That solution will be the encouragement of more independent steel plants.

It is believed that strict enforcement of the nation's anti-trust laws would result in not only more steel production capacity in this nation, but also a greater percentage of independent production.

Free competition in the market place would then level off prices.

That appears to be the blueprint of action that will be pursued by many Congressional leaders to avert such economic disasters in the future.

The plan doesn't call for revisions of labor laws, the setting up of new or different arbitration boards, or in any way bringing government into industrial disputes. The plan is merely to eliminate monopoly deadlocks by using the already existing anti-trust laws.

The Old Testament was originally written in Hebrew, with parts in Aramaic.

Wind must travel a mile a minute to be a hurricane.

The early New England houses were built of thick sawn planks not logs.

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Odessa College Holding Basketball Tryouts

Odessa College will hold tryouts for its basketball team Aug. 27, 28, 29 and 30. Wednesday, Thursday and Friday, tryouts will be from 5 p. m. to 7 p. m., and Saturday there will be two: 2:30 p. m. and 4 p. m. and 5:30 p. m. to 7 p. m.

Workouts will be held in the new Odessa College Gymnasium. Boys may attend any one workout or as many as possible.

We will have complete new uniforms and equipment in all sports—basketball, baseball, track, tennis and golf.

To qualify for the state meet in Denton, we will need to place first or second in our zone (Amarillo, Big Spring, Borger, Clarendon and Odessa).

A number of boys have made inquiries and the prospects look good for a winning season.

Ten Ways In Which Motorists Waste Gas

AUSTIN.—There are ten reasons why car owners waste gas, according to the National Automotive Service Department of the American Automobile Association.

In a report to the Texas Division of the Three-A, the experts say you will cut your operating cost substantially if you correct the ten gas wasting reasons.

The number one villain is dirty or fouled spark plugs. Next in is defective breaker points. Another means of wasting gas comes from worn ignition cables. Others order of gas robbers in your car include sticking valves, faulty choke control, leaky, clogged or poorly adjusted carburetors; weak coil, leaky gaskets, poor oil circulation—and faulty timing.

The letter "Q" is omitted on the standard telephone dial.

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To the Voters of Precinct 1:

My gratified thanks for your vote and confidence placed in me at the runoff last Saturday. I assure you that I shall continue to conduct the affairs of this office in such a manner as to justify your confidence and faith in me.

SAM HOLMES

County Commissioner, Precinct 1.

Do you believe in ^{Dollar} signs?



THERE are a lot of signs to guide you to the best buy in automobiles. Popularity is a good sign. It means that a lot of people have tried a car and found it good. So it's important to know that Buick is today—and has been since 1938—the most popular car outside the "low-priced three." Room, comfort, power, ride are good signs. So it's important to know that you can pay hundreds of dollars more and not

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MCCAMEY, TEXAS

THE LOW DOWN from HICKORY GROVE

I am trying to unearth some good reasons for the sales and sales of statistics that pour forth from the old Swivel Chair Town, there on the Big River, and who pays any attention to same. It is costing plenty of dinero as the adding machines overheat and the typewriters clatter. It is all there in the income tax bill we divvy—but what do we get for our money. I'll tell you one thing—we are right up to date on how many eggs are being set on by our hens in April this year versus in April last year. We are told by the great men there in the Govt. what to expect as a corn crop, a cranberry crop, the number of yards of calico to be woven in July versus in June.

Nobody, anyway, does anything about any of these figures—they come in via one ear and go out via the other, and in 24 hours we have no idea what it was we were listening to.

So to you, my good friends and citizens, I ask you this question: Why not a postcard to your Mr. Senator and Mr. Congressman—or even Mr. Eisenhower or Mr. Stevenson—and tell 'em what you expect 'em to do about firing the whole kit and kaboodle of these compilers or not so hot guesses on what won't or will happen—and which generally don't.

Yours with the low down,
JO SERRA.

Lindbergh received the first Distinguished Flying Cross awarded by the U. S.

Kerosene replaced whale oil as a means of illumination in Colonial times.

An alligator may have as many as 40 sets of teeth during its lifetime.

An acre of forest releases more moisture into the air than an acre of water.

A polar bear uses only his front feet for swimming instead of all four.

Lowest temperature ever recorded in the US was 66 degrees F. below zero at Yellowstone Park on Feb. 9, 1933.

The gardenia is named for Dr. Alexander Garden of Charleston, N. C.

Dinosaurs existed about 50 million years before man appeared on earth.

Coffee beans do not grow in pods but look like cherries when picked.

Teachers Attend Reading Clinic Held At Sul Ross College

Several teachers in the McCamey Public Schools attended the Reading Clinic in Sul Ross College at Alpine, Texas, from Aug. 10 to 14, and had the privilege of hearing the most famous reading experts of America explain how to teach the "unteachable" to read, write and spell.

Among these famous instructors were Dr. Williams Kottmeyer, director of elementary education and the Reading Clinic of the public schools of St. Louis, Mo.; Dr. Gertrude Whipple of Detroit, Mich., who is associate professor of reading at Wayne University and supervisor of reading in the Detroit Public Schools; Marie Cuddy, consultant in Education, Chicago, Ill.; and Dr. Constance M. McCullough, associate professor of education, San Francisco State College.

All of these are well known authors of the subject of teaching reading.

These educators emphasized the importance of the part the parents play in getting the pre-school child ready for school to give him a good start in reading "By helping him to live a rich, full, and satisfying life at each stage of his growth, and to achieve the best possible all-round development physically, mentally, emotionally and socially during the pre-school years.

A child who is not well physically has little energy for learning. Parents should see that their child has many opportunities to be with children his own age from the time he is one year old. That he should know how to make friends and how to live happily with other children helps a child to adjust himself to the school environment, releasing his energies for school work.

"A child who is nervous and worried about things at home, such as illness or family friction, or jealousy, or who is upset by fear, may find it impossible to pay attention at school."

In answer to the question, "How can parents contribute to a child's mental development?"

"Parents can help by answering the child's questions, by talking to him and supplying the correct names for things, by providing useful facts and ideas, by introducing him to new experiences, by reading to him from books suitable for his age level."

"Listening to what the child has to say respecting his ideas and helping him express them are also important. Oral language must be his bridge to words in print, and the better able he is to express his ideas, to speak plainly and with few traces of "baby talk" or baby names for things, the smoother will be his transition to reading."

"Parents are urged to encourage the child and give praise for what is accomplished."

Helen Keller lost her sight, hearing and speech at the age of 19 months.

Hunting And Fishing Licenses Must Be Renewed September 1

AUSTIN—The Chief Clerk of the Texas Game and Fish Commission said the new hunting and fishing licenses are scheduled to be in the hands of the approximately 2,400 state agents in advance of Sept. 1. They will be shipped from Austin Aug. 20.

He explained that all hunting and fishing licenses must be renewed by Sept. 1, which marks the beginning of the fiscal year for the state.

The licenses range from the \$1.65 individual license for fishing and \$2.15 individual license for hunting upwards to \$200 for wholesale fish and oyster dealer licenses.

He said the licenses will be available in practically every good sized town in the state, through licensed deputies, game wardens and county clerks.

Approximately 2,000 of the 2,400 agents are licensed deputies, comprising mainly merchants of various kinds.

The Chief Clerk advised Texans to consult their game wardens or their licensed deputies or county clerks if they are in doubt about when fishing or hunting licenses are necessary.

WARDENS SEIZE NIGHT HUNTERS

AUSTIN—The Director of Law Enforcement for the Texas Game and Fish Commission said 20 cases for hunting deer at night were included in the monthly arrest report.

He blamed the development to a "few trigger-happy folks who were trying to jump the season."

The director said game wardens are using radio-equipped patrol cars to "discourage over-eager people."

The monthly report included 29 cases involving illegal taking of deer.

The approach of the regular season for harvesting game also was reflected in the seven cases for shooting mourning doves.

The season on these birds opens in the North Zone Sept. 1 and in South Zone Oct. 1.

The predominance of cases on the July arrest roundup involved fishing law violations. Wardens charged 121 persons with lacking individual licenses. Eight were fined for using an electrical device to take fish.

A Kountz man felt the law's sting after being caught with an electrical device. He paid a total of \$115 on three charges—\$50 for using an illegal device, \$50 for fishing without a license, and \$15 for trespassing.

One of the highest fines for the month was the one for \$200 assessed against a Channel View man for killing deer in a closed season.

Total cases for the month was 27 with fines and court costs of \$5,717.50. This compared with 252 cases and \$6,197.05 for July last year and 305 cases and \$6,571.45 for June of this year.

MOURNING DOVE - WHITE-WINGED DOVE OPEN SEASONS 1952

MOURNING DOVES

- OPEN SEASON — NORTH ZONE: Sept. 1 to Oct. 10, both days, inclusive. Shooting hours, 12 o'clock noon to sunset.
- SOUTH ZONE: Oct. 1 to Nov. 9, both days inclusive, except in Cameron, Hidalgo, Starr, Zapata, Webb, Maverick, Dimmit, LaSalle, Jim Hogg, Brooks, Kenedy, and Willacy counties where mourning doves may be hunted only on Sept. 12, 14, and 16, from 4 p.m. until sunset, and from Oct. 1 to Nov. 6 from 12 o'clock noon to sunset.
- BAG LIMIT: Not more than 10 per day and not more than 10 in possession.
- McMULLEN COUNTY: State law Nov. 1 to Dec. 15. Federal law Oct. 1 to Nov. 4.

Unlawful to take whitewings or chachalaca south of U. S. Highway 83, formerly State Highway 4, in southern tip of Texas marked on the map as "GAME SANCTUARY."

No hunting permitted in game refuges and game preserves.

Shotguns must be permanently plugged to three shell capacity.

Shotguns may not be larger than .10 gauge.

TEXAS GAME AND FISH COMMISSION

I THANK YOU

For having let me serve you as County Commissioner of Precinct 2 for the past eight years. It was always my firmest desire to serve you to the best of my abilities and in the best interests of you, the residents of Upton County.

Although defeated in the runoff, I shall continue to be a booster for Rankin and Upton County.

W. J. PRICE

County Commissioner, Precinct 2.

HUNTERS!

Hattie Caraway of Arkansas was the first woman elected to the US Senate.

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Jesus was about 33 years old at the time of His death.

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