



HEROIC RESCUE IN MID-AIR—Sgt. 1st Class Marvin O. Smith (inset) a veteran paratrooper of the 82nd Airborne Division, by his heroic action and quick thinking saved the life of a fellow trooper during maneuvers at Eglin Air Force Base in Florida. High in the air the chute of Paratrooper Charles J. Dye collapsed and as he shot downward Smith grasped the lanyards and held his comrade suspended until they reached the ground safely. Sgt. Smith was called to Washington and presented the Soldier's Medal by Secretary of the Army Gordon Gray. Above is an artist's drawing from a photograph made during the rescue. (Released by the Department of Defense).

Vehicles has reported. A total of 31,250 applications were approved and 6,433 were disapproved. Road tests given numbered 24,508. Learners permits were issued to 11,083 persons. Operators licenses issued totaled 27,085, duplicate licenses, 2,974, and chauffeurs licenses, 1,197. Revenue collected amounted to \$58,051.

Persons who had held licenses previously but did not obtain licenses under the issuance program failed for the reasons: Signs, 924; eyes, 489; rules, 1,029; road test, 686; equipment, 65; miscellaneous, 28. Persons applying for the first time failed to get licenses for the following reasons: signs, 659; eyes, 213; rules, 816; road test, 1,280; equipment, 58; miscellaneous, 11.

Incentives for outstanding achievements in gardening include gold-filled medals of honor for four county winners, and an all-expense trip to the Chicago 4-H Club Congress next November for the State champion, provided by Allis-Chalmers. Eight national winners selected from the state champions will each receive a \$300 college scholarship.

The 4-H Garden program is conducted under the direction of the Co-operative Extension Service. County Extension agents will furnish complete information.

Winners were named in 65 counties in this State last year.

HEALTH FOR ALL

A tiny, rod-shaped germ, 1/10,000 of an inch long and about one-third as wide, is the cause of the serious, chronic, communicable disease which we know as tuberculosis. Despite their microscopic size, the germs which we call tubercle bacilli are killing close to 45,000 Americans a year and are depriving, at least temporarily, several thousands more of our fellow-citizens of their health, happiness, and normal way of living.

We call the tubercle bacillus, or tuberculosis germ, "insidious" because we cannot see this little enemy of mankind with the naked eye. We cannot know, without medical examination, when the germs invade our bodies. And since tuberculosis has no obvious symptoms in an early stage, we do not become aware of the destructive work of the germs until the disease is in an advanced stage. Against the destructive power of

tubercle bacilli, however, the body has an efficient system of defenses. Most people, at one time or other, have inhaled tubercle bacilli which have been scattered into the air by people with the disease as they coughed, sneezed, talked or laughed.

When tubercle bacilli are inhaled, they usually settle in the air sacs of the lung. Fortunately, most people, especially those whose bodies are in good condition, can successfully fight this initial invasion and the disease does not develop. This victory is possible because almost as soon as the germs enter the lung the body sends white blood cells to the site of infection. The body cells surround the germs on all sides, imprisoning them in tiny enclosures called "tubercles."

Once the tuberculosis germs are sealed off in this way, they may do no further harm. But, to be on the safe side, we should consider them as sleeping—not necessarily dead—because when the body's resistance is lowered by such things as malnutrition or fatigue, the "sleeping" germs may break out of their prisons and cause disease.

Or a second invasion of germs from the outside may bombard the body. The body and its defenses may not be strong enough to fight the heavy onslaught and disease develops.

Although tuberculosis has no ap-

parent symptoms at first, fortunately it can be detected early by means of a chest X-ray. Every adult should have a physical examination and a chest X-ray at least once a year. Then, if tuberculosis should strike, the disease will be detected in an early stage, when it can be most easily cured.

ATTEND RED MEN BANQUET

W. Jim Daniels, Raleigh Hollowell, M. L. Flynn and A. S. Hollowell, local Red Men, were guests of Pasquotank tribe in Elizabeth City Thursday night. The occasion was the annual banquet of Pasquotank Tribe, which was served by members of the Degree of Pocahontas.

To trust God when we have securities in our iron chest is easy, but not thank-worthy; but to depend on Him for what we cannot see, as it is more hard for man to do, so it is more acceptable to God.

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Mr. Harrell, a member of the Alpha Delta Ministerial Association. He is pastor of the Maymont Chapel of the Tabernacle Baptist Church in Richmond.

19% Of Auto Drivers Fail To Get Renewal Of Driving Licenses

6,433 Licenses Are Disapproved In January Examinations

Nineteen per cent of applicants for driver's licenses failed to pass their examinations during January, the North Carolina Department of Motor



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