

## Post-Korean Vets Have Three Years To Start GI Training

### Provision Made By New Law Signed August 20 Of This Year

Post-Korea veterans now have three years from the date of their discharge to start Korea GI Bill training, under a new law signed by the President August 20, 1954.

Particularly benefited are the majority of veterans discharged before August 20, 1952. Under the old law, they had to start training before August 20 of this year. But since most full school terms begin in September, those unable to get in training before that deadline would have lost their entitlement.

The new law, which re-established their enlistment for another year from their date of separation, permits those with extended deadlines to enroll for the fall term.

For veterans discharged after August 20, 1952, the new law allows them to start training within three years of their separation date. Under the old law, they had only two years.

But veterans who were separated before August 20, 1951 still will not be able to make fall terms this year. Neither will veterans separated shortly after that date, whose three-year deadlines end before the 1954 school year begins.

The new law also adds another year to the wind-up of the Korean GI Bill training program. Training now must come to an end within eight years from the date of a veteran's separation, or eight years from the end of the present emergency period—which ever comes first. It previously was seven years.

Another section of the law benefits some disabled veterans who have not been able to begin or complete training under the special vocational training program for disabled veterans of World War II and post-Korea.

These veterans get a four-year extension in their deadline for completing training, in certain cases. Veterans to whom the extension applies are: (1) Those whose severe disabilities have prevented them from entering or completing training. (2) Those who originally received discharges barring them from training, but whose discharges later were changed too late to permit them to enter and complete training. An other than dishonorable discharge is a requirement for this kind of vocational training.

(3) those for whom a service-connected disability was not established in time to begin and complete a course of training. Compensable service-connected disability is another eligibility requirement.

#### HEAVY SLAUGHTER IN STATE

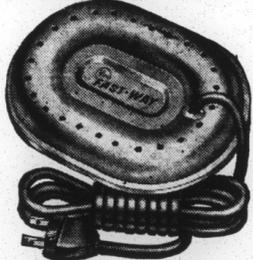
Commercial slaughter of cattle, calves, sheep and lambs, and hogs in North Carolina during July totaled 20,846,000 pounds liveweight — the highest of record for any July since records began in 1947, according to the N. C. Crop Reporting Service. Slaughter during the month, however, was only slightly above the 20,791,000 pounds liveweight killed during the previous month but was 2 per cent above the 20,364,000 pounds killed during July of last year.

Cattle slaughter in the State during the month reached 9,661,000 pounds which was about 5 per cent above July, 1953, and also the highest of record for the month. Meanwhile calf slaughter reached 1,107,000 pounds, the heaviest July kill since 1948.

For hogs, the total slaughter during July amounted to 10,060,000 pounds liveweight—about 2 per cent less than that of July, 1953, and the lowest for the month since 1951.

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TEXT: "If thou canst, believe. All things are possible to him that believeth." — Mark 9:23.

John Wesley tells of a young convert who had been sent to North England to preach. After a year, he returned to Wesley, searching for the reason that his preaching did not make more converts. Wesley asked

him, "You don't expect to have converts at every meeting, do you?"

"Oh, no," said the young preacher, "not at every meeting."  
Then, said John Wesley, "that's the reason you are not having more of them."

The majority of our important in-

ventions came about because someone believed. That belief carried them through the many discouragements that had to be passed before they attained success. Men, struggling toward world peace, must believe deep in their hearts, that they can reach it. In medicine, science, business, religion—in day to day living—we must believe if we are to achieve. Jesus put no limits on believing. The world's greatest Teacher said, "If ye have faith as a grain of mustard seed... nothing shall be impossible unto you." Believing is the greatest magic in the world. Are you using it?

### Revival In Progress At Yeopim Church

Revival services are in progress in the Yeopim Baptist Church this week and will close Sunday night, September 12. The pastor of the church, the

Rev. H. Philip Quidley, is preaching for the revival meeting and extends a cordial invitation to the general public to attend.

### Capsule Facts On '53 Traffic Accidents

Raleigh — Numbered among North Carolina's 1,118 victims of traffic last year were 21 bike riders. All of the fatalities but one were men or boys. Traffic regulations apply with equal measure to bicyclists as well as motorists warns the Motor Vehicles Department which compiled the bike fatality figures.

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