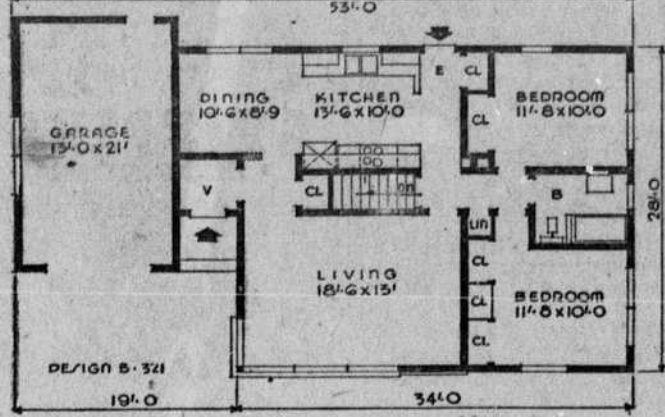


HOUSE of the WEEK



A SMALL HOUSE PLANNING BUREAU DESIGN NO. B-321



DESIGN B-321. An attractive small house with low roof lines, wide over-hanging eaves, large picture windows, an attached garage and full basement, except under garage. The exterior finish combines shingle wall siding with face brick in front and asphalt roof shingles.

Excellent closet space and fine circulation between rooms are features of the floor plan, which also includes two bedrooms, bath, comfortable living room and an exceptionally fine combination kitchen-dinnette. Floor area is 1032 sq. ft. without garage, and cubage is 19,608 cu. ft.

For further information about DESIGN B-321, write the Small House Planning Bureau, St. Cloud, Minn.

Golowski New Marine Recruiter

GASTONIA — Sergeant Stanley A. Golowski, the newly appointed Marine Recruiter for Cleveland County announced today that he will visit at the Post Office, Gastonia, every Monday, Wednesday, Friday and Saturday from 8:00 to 4:30, to select applicants for enlistment in the Marines.

The recruiter stated that at the present time high school graduates are given the preference in selecting job skills, that are taught in the many different service schools of the Corps.

The Marine Cadet Pilot program is still opened to high school graduates. Men between the ages of 18-26, who are mentally and physically qualified, are thoroughly screened prior to completing the required Marine basic training, before being accepted for this program.

All new enlistees are sent to Parris Island, S. C., for their recruit training, commonly called "Boot Camp" and defined as ten solid weeks of rough and rugged indoctrination to the missions of the Marine Corps. Every Marine is primarily taught the principles of self-defense, which consists of intensive physical conditioning, rifle range firing, bayonet instructions, obstacle courses and scores of other fundamental subjects that result in a well disciplined and ready Marine, prepared to cope with any situation that may arise.

During the first week of training, the new Marines are classified for the various types of work that they will perform in the service. Each man lists the preferences of duty, which he desires with the Marines. This includes three choices with the first choice being the primary job interest. A written examination is administered at this time and the score that is made will determine the new assignment. For example, in order to be eligible for the Cadet program, a score of at least 120, from a possible 150, must be attained. This examination is called the General Classification Test, and it may be summed up by stating, that the importance of the job is in proportion to the score required. As was stated by Sergeant Golowski, that a score of 100 is needed in order to be eligible for recruiting duty. If the Marine fails to qualify for his first choice, he is screened for his second, then the third.

This new form of classification in the Marines enables the Corps to place its men where they are best fitted. Printing, machinery, artillery, photography, mechanics, infantry, supply and electronics are only a few of the fields available to the prospective Marine.

Young men between the ages of 17-28, who desire to serve with the Marines on land, sea and in the air, are invited to contact the recruiter in Gastonia at the Post Office, second floor, room 205.

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TIME FOR TEA — Keep fresh tea fresh. Store tea in air-tight container. Use metal tea caddy (pretty and inexpensive), glass jar, or any container that has tight lid.

See that your container is clean and well-seasoned. Here's how you season your tea cannister. Take 1 to 2 teaspoons of tea from the package or empty a few tea bags into the cannister or container. Then close it, shake a few seconds, put it away. After a couple of days remove the tea and throw it away. Your tea caddy is ready for a lifetime's use.

The final step: store your tea in a cool, dry place on a shelf away from heat, moisture, direct sunlight and strong odors.

WASH FABRIC GLOVES — Wash gloves often before soil works in below the surface. White cotton and colorfast cottons or nylons can be washed by machine. Wash rayons, wools, colorful cottons, and white nylons by hand in warm suds. Use a soaped brush or washcloth on soiled palms and fingers. For stubborn grime, soap gloves thoroughly, root up from fingers to cuffs, and wait an hour before washing. After rinsing, blot in towel, ease to shape and dry flat. Never wash leather gloves after they have been dry cleaned — the cleaning fluid dissolves the washable finish.

18-Year-Olds Must Register In Five Days

Federal law requires all young men becoming 18 years of age to register for selective service within five days of their eighteenth birthdays. Mrs. Clara Newman,

clerk to the county selective service board, noted this week.

Mrs. Newman said that many 18-year-olds are not registering on time.

The Cleveland County board will furnish five men for induction into the armed forces on May 16, in a call previously scheduled for May 2.

On May 17, the county board will furnish 15 registrants for pre-induction examinations.

Mrs. Newman said no calls had

been received for June. With quotas drastically lowered, Mrs. Newman noted, Cleveland County's quotas currently are being filled principally by volunteers.

The cotton carryover is expected to be substantially reduced by late summer in spite of the fact that synthetic fibers will continue to claim a larger share of the market.

Auto Mechanical Inspection Means Safety Insurance, Schiedt Says

RALEIGH — "Today's inspection is tomorrow's protection!"

In these words Motor Vehicles Commissioner Ed Scheidt summed up the thinking behind the current vehicle safety check program.

"It's foolish to trust to luck when it's so simple to find out the true condition of your car," Scheidt said. "During this program we want to convince every driver in the state that it is extremely important to have his car safety checked periodically."

He warned that brakes that don't hold at a critical moment, a tire that blows out as you're rounding a difficult curve, or windshield wipers that don't function properly in a sudden downpour can cause a serious accident.

"The only way you can be sure your car is in safe operating condition," Scheidt said, "is to have it safety checked at regular intervals."

"The most skilled driver in the world can't drive safely in an unsafe car," he said. "We found last year 73 vehicles involved in fatal smashups were being operated with faulty mechanical equipment."

The vehicles boss urged all Tar

heel drivers to have their cars checked as soon as possible.

A ten point program recommended by the National Safety Council uses the following standards:

1. Brakes should take hold evenly on all wheels. The hand brake should be able to hold the car on any hill. Brake fluid should be clean and at the proper level.
2. Headlights should be at the proper level for maximum road illumination and minimum glare. Lenses should be clean and reflectors bright.
3. Rear and stop lights should operate properly. Directional signals should also be checked.
4. Tires should be checked for wear and proper inflation.
5. Wheel alignment should be checked.
6. Exhaust systems and muffler should be completely checked by a competent mechanic.
7. Windshield wipers should be operating, with blades checked to see if they are "live" and clean.
8. Glass should be clean, free of cracks or discoloration.
9. Horn should be working properly.
10. Rear-view mirror should give a clear view of the road behind.

Cpl. Putnam M. P. At Fort Eustis

FORT EUSTIS, VA. — Cpl. Paul R. Putnam, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Putnam, Route 3, Kings Mountain, N. C., is a member of the 504th Military Policeman Company at Fort Eustis, Va.

Putnam, who attended Waco high school, is a policeman in the company. He entered the Army in August 1953 and completed basic training at Camp Gordon, Ga.



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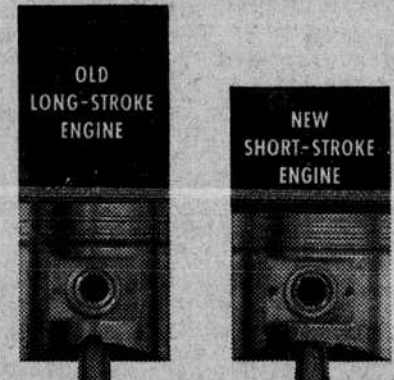
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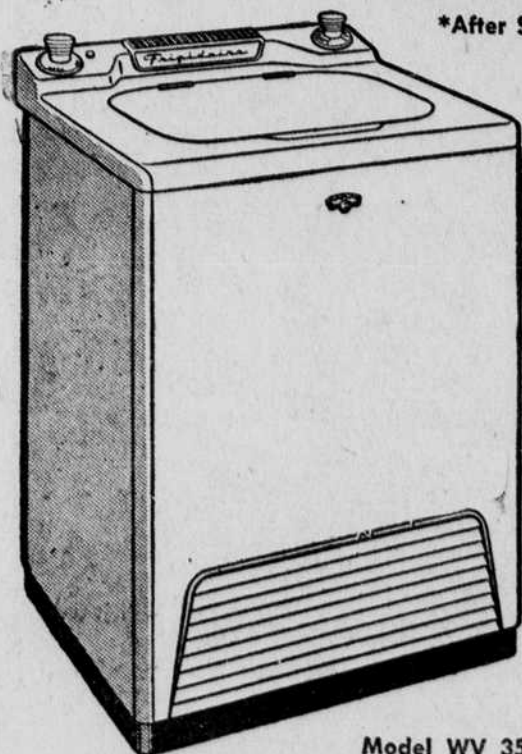
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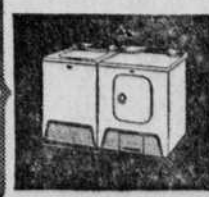
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