A HEAVENLY SOUND - New York: Joanie Sommers, aided by Jeff Siggins, Steve Perry and Tyrone Cooper, plays the leader of a literally out-of-this-world singing group in a scene from an upcoming "ABC Stage 67" musical, "On The Flip Side." The show, which is scheduled for airing Dec. 7th, is about a washed up crooner -- portrayed by Rick Nelson -- who is helped by the group. The special was produced by Richard Lewine and directed by Joe Layton. (UPI PHOTO).

THE VETERAN'S CORNER

EDITOR'S NOTE: Below are authoritative answers by the Veterans Administration to some of the many current questions from former servicemen and their families. Further information on veterans benefits may be obtained at any VA office.

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Q - The new GI Home Loan interest rate is 6 percent. But I understand there is some kind of insurance fee on top of that. What is it?

A - There is a fee on a Veterans Administration guaranteed or insured loan that amounts to one-half of one percent. That is paid on the amount of the loan. It is paid only ONCE. Not every month.

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Q - I'm in college under the GI Bill. I heard that I do not have to send in a certificate of attendance to get my first allowance check. What about the second, third, and fourth, etc?

A - The certificate of enrollment returned to VA by the college is sufficient for the mailing of the first check. Subsequent checks will be sent AFTER you send in your monthly certificate of attendance.

Q - I receive regular treatment and medicine from the Veterans Administration for my service-connected disability. I plan to travel overseas for about six months. Is there any way I can get medical care or medicines if I need them on my trip?

A - Yes. The Veteran Administration provides such care and medicines for service-connected disabled veterans everywhere possible. Just contact the nearest U. S. State Department, Embassy, Consulate or Legation.

Mrs. Gardner Shows Appreciation

Mrs. James C. Gardner, wife of Congressman - elect Jim Gardner, today announced that an appreciation coffee will be held in Raleigh Dec. 2. The appreciation coffee is being held in honor of Wake County women who participated in the Gardner campaign. All women who helped in the campaign are cordially invited to attend.

The coffee will be held at North Hills Steak House beginning at 10 a. m. Mrs. James L. Cresimore, Wake County Women's Chairman for Jim Gardner, will serve as co-hostess.

GETS GREENLAW MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP - Miss Cynthia Goza, a freshman at St. Augustine's College, has been awarded the Greenlaw Memorial Scholarship for the 1966-67 school term. The $500.00 scholarship was given by Dr. Arthur Greenlaw, a professor at N. C. State University in memory of his son. Miss Goza is a history major and was graduated from J. W. Ligon High School.

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WITH THE ARMED SERVICES

SIOUX CITY, Iowa - Staff Sergeant Archie L. Hicks, son of Mrs. Mary A. Hicks of Rt. 5, Oxford, provided essential support to help his organization win the coveted Smith Trophy as the best air defense ground unit in the U. S. Air Force.

Sergeant Hicks is a member of the Air Defense Command's (ADC) 30th Air Division, which received the trophy during ceremonies at Sioux City, Iowa, Nov. 19. The sergeant is assigned at Richards-Gebaur AFB, Mo., as an air policeman.

Sergeant Hicks attended Mary Potter Academy.

His wife, Margaret, is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Williams, of Rt. 3, Louisburg, N. C.

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CHOPLIN MASON

SACRAMENTO, Calif. - First Lieutenant Larry E. Choplin, son of Mr. and Mrs. Tommie L. Choplin of 2908 Reynolds Rd., Winston-Salem, has been awarded silver wings upon graduation from U. S. Air Force navigator training at Mather AFB, Calif.

His wife, Linda, is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur M. Bailey of 1413 Lake Wheeler Rd., Raleigh, N. C.

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WITH U. S. COMBAT AIR FORCES, Vietnam - Staff Sergeant Charles S. Mason, son of Mr. and Mrs. John H. Mason of Apex, is now in Vietnam in the fight against Communist aggression.

Sergeant Mason, an airframe repairman, is a 1954 graduate of Berry O'Kelly High School, Method, N. C.

His wife, Grace, is the daughter of Albert Williams of Rt. 1, Four Oaks, N. C.

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ROGERS JONES

WITH U. S. COMBAT AIR FORCES, Vietnam - Master Sergeant Lee Rogers, son of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Rogers of 225 Beardsley Rd., Raleigh, on duty at Tan Son Nhut AB, Vietnam. Sergeant Rogers, a personnel superintendent, has been in the fight against Communist aggression since June 1966. The sergeant, a graduate of Sell-Perk High School, Sellersville, Pa., served in the China-Burma-India Theater of Operation during World War II and is a veteran of the Korean War. His wife, Violet, is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Callie Evans of 225 Beardsley Rd., Franklinton, N.C.

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SAN ANTONIO, Tex. - Airman Robert B. Jones, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Jones Sr. of 214 Edward St., Durham, has been selected for technical training at Amarillo AFB, Tex., as a U. S. Air Force aircraft maintenance specialist.

The airman recently completed basic training at Lackland AFB, Tex. His new school is part of the Air Training Command which conducts hundreds of specialized courses to provide technically trained personnel for the nation's aerospace force.

Airman Jones is a 1966 graduate of Durham High School.

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HOWARD CHERRY

SAN ANTONIO, Tex. - Airman Johnny L. Howard, son of Mr. and Mrs. Bert T. Howard of Rt. 1, Knightdale, has been selected for technical training at Ft. Lee, Va., as a U. S. Air Force food service specialist.

The airman recently completed basic training at Lackland AFB, Tex. His new school is part of the Air Training Commands which conducts hundreds of specialized courses to provide technically trained personnel for the nation's aerospace force.

Airman Howard is a 1966 graduate of Lockhart High School.

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SAN ANTONIO, Tex. - Airman James S. Cherry, son of Mr. and Mrs. Levoria Cherry of 1112 Oakland Ave., Charlotte, has been assigned to Dow AFB Maine, after completing Air Force basic training.

The airman, a 1966 graduate of West Charlotte High School, will be trained on the job as an air policeman with the Strategic Air Command.

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SAN ANTONIO, Tex. - Airman Rafe A. Pride, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Rafe A. Pride Sr., of 1821 St. Paul St., Charlotte, has been selected for technical training at Keesler AFB, Miss., as a U. S. Air Force communications- electronics specialist.

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Sergeant Young, a graduate of James E. Shepard High School, Zebulon, is married to the former Alice P. Richardson, daughter of Julius Richardson of 319 Hargrove St., Raleigh.

Bennett College Proxy Says We Must Be Creators

GREENSBORO--Calling attention to the fact that "we are called upon to react to an ever-changing environment," President Isaac H. Miller, Jr., told the Bennett College community on Monday that creative change may well mean the discarding of uncreative tradition.

In his second major address to the students and faculty, President Miller reminded them that "the events that guide our destines today are not the same as those that guided the destines of the founding fathers." He paid tribute to the historic past of Bennett, but hastened to add that "all that we have to work with is today and the hope of tomorrow."

"Do not be afraid of conflict and protest," he declared, "but make them creative. Reckless and irresponsible protest must be guarded against. We must collectively create tradition of orderly disciplined change. Let us be a creator rather than a creature of a new society."

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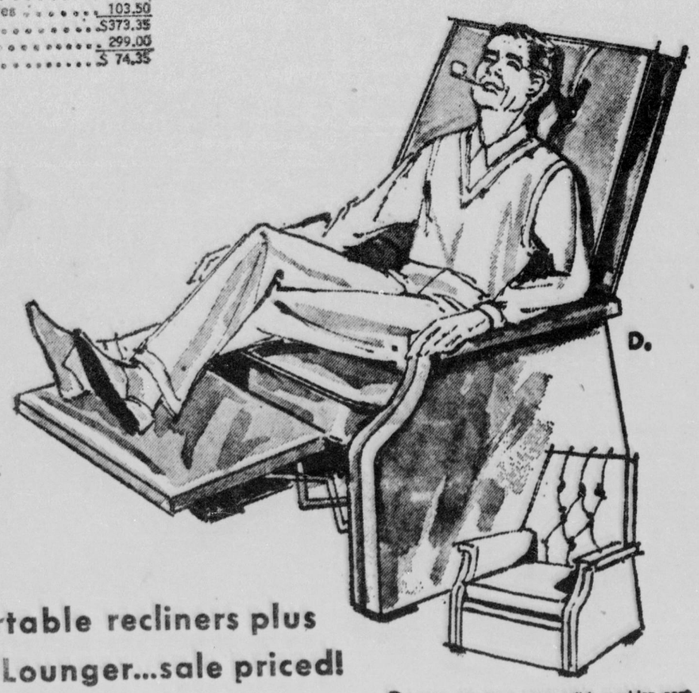

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