

Right Guide

This column is designed to give official VA answers to veterans' readjustment problems. Send questions to: **RIGHT GUIDE**, 1041 South Broadway, Los Angeles 15, Calif.

Most of the questions which are now being received by Right Guide involve questions of a technical nature and require answers too lengthy for publication. These are turned over to the VA department concerned and answers sent directly to the veterans.

The following, however, are of general interest.

E.W.M. of Glendale asks: I am a veteran of the first World War. I would like to know if I can make a GI loan to buy a home?

Answer: Eligibility for benefits under the "Servicemen's Readjustment Act" (GI Bill) is based upon honorable active service "on or after September 16, 1940 and prior to the termination of the present war."

A.E.F. (Army CWO) Riverside: (1) I'd like to know if the time I served in World War II will count for Civil Service retirement. (2) Where would be the best place to apply for a position with VA?

Answer: (1) Yes, honorable service in time of war will count for retirement purposes with the Civil Service. If, however, you wish to receive annuity benefits for such time it will be necessary to pay to Civil Service five percent of your base pay while in military service.

Answer: (2) Jobs are open in Civil Service, but application is made directly to the personnel department of the VA.

R.E.D. of Venice started on the job training under Servicemen's Readjustment Act last September. March 14 of this year he was awarded 10 percent pension for a service connected disability. He immediately filed application for his training to be switched to P.L. 16 (Vocational Rehabilitation Act for veterans with 10 percent or more pension). He wants to know if the added subsistence allowance under P.L. 16 is retroactive to the date he started his training under Servicemen's Readjustment Act last September.

Answer: Subsistence allowance under P.L. 16 starts on the date the veteran is actually placed in training under the bill regardless of date of application. "Placed" in training under P.L. 16 involves more than merely filing applications. The nature of the disability, aptitudes, interests, suitability and other factors are carefully considered in each veteran's case.

A Bloomington mother whose son is now stationed in Japan wants to know just how to figure the amount of time he will have allowed for schooling under Servicemen's Readjustment Act.

Answer: Any veteran with more than 90 days of service between September 16, 1940 and termination of the war is entitled to training at the government's expense for a period equal day for day, to all his time in service between these dates **PLUS ONE ADDITIONAL YEAR**, not to exceed a total of four years. In other words, if the veteran were in service 31 months he will be allowed 43 months (31 plus 12) of training. Age has no bearing on eligibility.

Quarantine On Mussels For Food

On May first the annual State quarantine on mussels to be used for food went into effect according to Dr. H. O. Swartout, Los Angeles county health officer, the ban being effective until October 31.

Mussels may be used as fish bait if processed with salt and properly labeled as unfit for human consumption, the quarantine order states.

Poison also occurs in clams during the period from May through October, but is confined to the dark portion of the clam. Clam-eaters are warned to use only the white meat as food.

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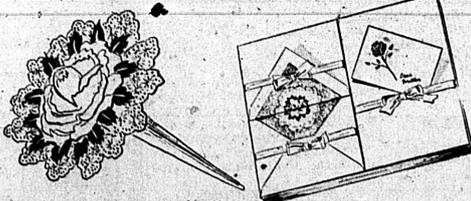
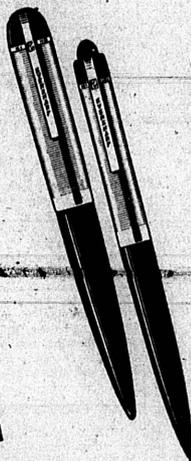
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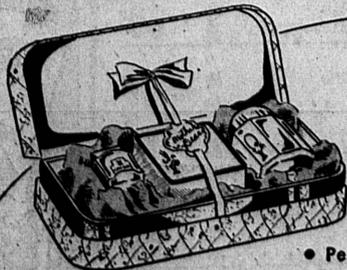
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