

THE NEW SOUTH

# Plantation

SERVICE BATTERY

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THE OLD AND THE NEW

The Professor reports that the bringing in of the New Year has seen a slight influx of recruits into Service Battery, but a still larger outflux remains. We might be able to hang on for a few more months. Service Battery saw the following personnel depart to the land of the "Big Papa X-Ray in the Sky" to seek their better fortunes: CW 2 Bobberts, WO1 "Pappy" Cohen, SSG San Agustin, SP5's Richardson and Scott, SP4's Freed, Landry, Pollett, Bobrowski, Beganiskas, and PFC's Holmes and Galloway. The "New South" also saw SGT Kenneth Sharpe depart to HHB and PFC Trowbridge went to Battery A. Service Battery welcomed PFC's Deem, Everhart, Falvey, and Spears into the battery.

CONTACT 928-5512

The "New South" announces the depletion of  $\frac{1}{2}$  of its dog population by one as "Hardcore" was apprehended, or better put, dragged, by the MP's for certain indications towards the fairer sex. We are expecting his release any day now with full exoneration from his dastardly deeds. The other eminent member of our dog colony, "Lady" is expecting any day. Incidentally, anyone desiring a young puppy of high breeding contact 928-5512. Unfortunately, because of a lack of information, no copies of the expected pups' blood line will be issued with the purchase. The AKC (American Kennel Club) will just have to accept your word on their high breeding.

HAPPY TET TO YOU

If anyone is not aware of it yet, a so-called "Get Set For TET Week", at Service Battery was something of a novelty to the men of the "New South." They had to learn what a fox hole was; that a "50" was not  $\frac{5}{6}$ th's of a sixty or slang for whiskey; and somehow overcome these obstacles and yet stay ready to repel the enemy with vigor. Life goes on as usual but those nights at Plantation will be a little different for the remainder of this month.

## CROSSWORD PUZZLE

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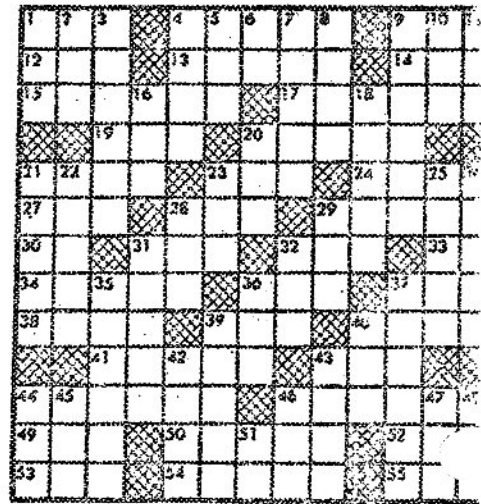
- ACROSS
- 1-Idle chatter
  - 4-Keen
  - 9-Unit of Latvian currency
  - 12-Anglo-Saxon money
  - 13-Part of flower
  - 14-Time gone by
  - 15-Pennant
  - 17-Spruce
  - 19-Small child
  - 20-Locations
  - 21-Dilseed
  - 23-Sign of zodiac
  - 24-Lease
  - 27-Conjunction
  - 28-Insect egg
  - 29-Broaden
  - 30-Precourt
  - 31-Drink slowly
  - 32-Mountain pass
  - 33-Parent (colloq.)
  - 34-Lawful
  - 36-Shallow vessel
  - 37-Siamese native
  - 38-Prepare for publication
  - 39-Cooling device
  - 40-Stop
  - 41-Repulse
  - 43-Man's nickname
  - 44-More insane
  - 46-Uncultivated
  - 49-Foam
  - 50-Kettledrum
  - 52-Female sheep
  - 53-Equality
  - 54-Slumber
  - 55-Communist

- 4-Barracuda
- 5-Pronoun
- 6-Nour
- 7-Wireless
- 8-Real estate map
- 9-Fell into disuse
- 10-Mature
- 11-Rocky hill
- 16-Negative
- 18-Danger
- 20-Place
- 21-Old-womanish
- 22-Famed
- 23-Brim
- 25-Country of Asia
- 26-Characteristic
- 28-Nothing
- 29-Emerged victorious
- 31-Satiated
- 32-Container
- 35-Steel beam
- 36-Cromy (colloq.)
- 37-Higher
- 39-Wild
- 40-Man's nickname
- 42-Fondles

- 45-Musical instrument
- 44-Cleaning device
- 45-Girl's name
- 46-Energy
- 47-Be in debt
- 48-Marry
- 51-Exist



- DOWN
- 1-Sailer (colloq.)
  - 2-Monkey
  - 3-Ridicule lightly



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