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With the letter was the order for enough subscriptions to cover the membership.

Which ties-in with another current example of how to use THE NATIONAL GUARDSMAN: a two-year subscription entered for a young polio victim who's an "Armor" hobbyist. For more about him, see story in "Posting the Guard."

THE STAFF

OUR COVER: Only the pilots and mechanics who have to go through it, fully comprehend the task of "transitioning" from the F80 to the F86D jets. And after seemingly endless hours of weekend and spare time training and practice, it's a real accomplishment to make the first mass formation flight. On the front cover are Maj Robert H Taylor and most of Texas' 111 Ftr-Intep Sq.

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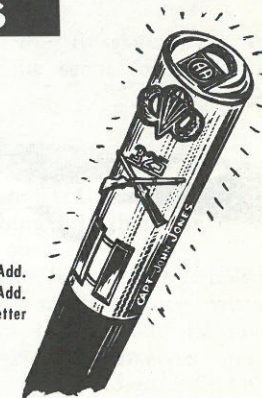
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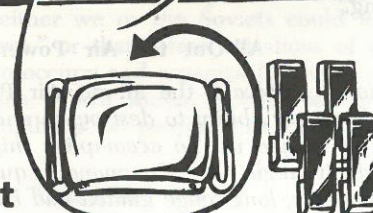


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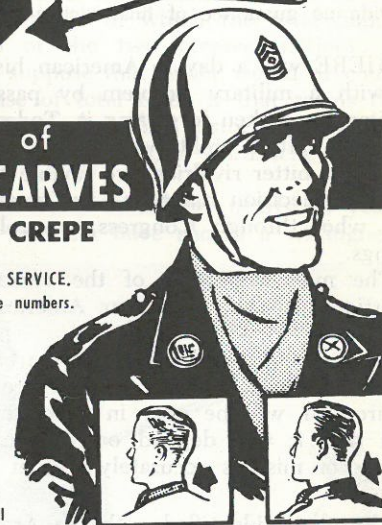
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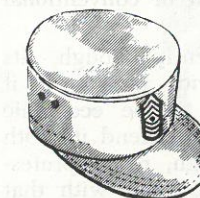
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