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## **Armed Forces**

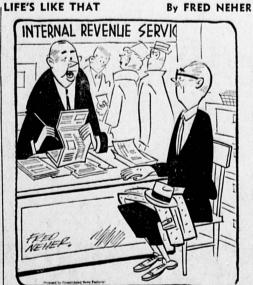
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EL DORADO, KAN., TIMES: "'Litterbugging' on the highways not only creates unsightly messes but is costing the state considerable hard money. . . ."

## **Protection Urged Against Tetanus**

By K. H. SUTHERLAND, M.D. County Health Officer Tetanus is a truly fearsome disease that causes an unusual-ly severe illness. It also has a

the dread that the disease inspires. Though only three cases of tetanus have occurred in Los Angeles County so far this year, all three of them were fatal. None of these un-fortunates were immunized against the disease and, in all cases, medical assistance was obtained too late to be of help. The disease may occur at any period of life from infancy on. The ages of the 1963 vic-tims in the Los Angeles area happened to be 20, 35, and 53;

toxin (poison) that attacks the central nervous system. These organisms, harmless when in the air, are found nearly every-where since they are present in the soil and are blown around in dust and dirt. Deep penetrating tissue wounds provide the ideal air-less condition necessary for the propagation of these bacteria, but superficial injuries such as minor cuts, scratches, pricks, or even slight burns and skin abrasions may provide it as well. One of the year's local tetanus victims, a narcotic ad-dict, contracted the disease follow in g self-administered drug injections. **DEPENDING ON** the type of

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DEPENDING ON the type of product used, active immuniza-tion consists of 2 or 3 injec-tions of tetanus toxoid given a other dose about a year later. Though the protective substan-ces produced by tetanus toxoid have been found in the blood 20 years or more after the of injections, booster doses of toxoid are usually recommend-ed every 4 or 5 years in order to maintain a high level of im-munity. Heretofore, those individuals who have not been actively im-munized against tetanus at the given a large dose of tetanus antitoxin, a horse serum pro-duct. This, in itself, was a

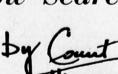


As you get older and that third finger, left hand doesn't have a ring around it, you suddenly discover your capacity for real love has decreased.

Many of you who have never bothered to take a husband, or have shed two, three or more, can think back to the number of times you were in love. How important each was at the time. How wonderful, exciting thrilling!

What's happened lately? Men don't thrill you they way they used to. It's getting increasingly difficult for you to fall in love. Maturity has done this to you. Your mind has been around, and instead of falling in love with love as you used to, you analyze a man inside out. Then you de-

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cide you'll wait for the next one, hopefully.

Maturity causes you to be more critical of the man you have your sights on.

I have watched as you look over the field with intense efficiency of an electronic computer. Even your eyes have the same heated flash of digestion as the bulbs on those machines.

You lose more good men this way. Trouble is you've reached a point in life where there's no return. Your too-honest concern for your future keeps you from falling as readily as it did in the days when there was another man available just by batting your eyes.

Today you sit in the shadows of your life and overanalyze, overcriticize, overdramatize and overtraumatize. You heave a desperate sigh and think perhaps you'd better wait for the next one.

But men aren't like buses. If they don't get enough pickup service on your line they switch to another route.

Your dream prince is a thing of the past. Settle for a commoner. If he has a good job, looks presentable and seems attracted to you, what more can you ask? Once you decide these are good enough qualities, you can always talk yourself into loving him.

Besides, it'll be a lot more fun holding him at home than an olive in a martini while you stretch out your tired old lonely years on some bar stool.

Good luck, good hunting, and it's indeed later than you think. (Distributed by Chronicle Features.)

**By Fred Harman** 









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