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Every homemaker and home owner who lives beyond the gas mains is eligible to win a household of 6 modern gas appliances free in the National LP-Gas Council's In-the-Home Giveaway which is now underway. SUBURBAN PROPANE GAS CORPORATION announced today.

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Honored At Dual Birthday Celebration

At a joint birthday party, Charles Foster, Binghamton and Mrs. Lawrence Crispell, Harveys Lake, were honored by friends and relatives. Present were: Mr. and Mrs. George Crispell, St. Petersburg, Fla.; Mr. and Mrs. Charles Foster, Binghamton; Mr. and Mrs. Sam Wattman, Norristown; Elmer Crispell, Mrs. Martha York, Wyoming, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Dendler and Clyde, Mr. and Mrs. Laurence Crispell and Gary Lee, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Shupp, Mr. and Mrs. Lester Crispell, Sandra Ruthann, Ricky and Carl Dale, Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Crispell and Katherine, Mr. and Mrs. Lowell Boone and Sharon Lynn, Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Matthews, Joyce, Marlene, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Martin, Rosalie and Dale, Mr. and Mrs. John Wright, Cheryl and Joann, Carlton Shupp, Debbie, Brenda, Carlton Jr., Mr. and Mrs. Charles Buckingham, Larry, Lyle and David, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Bennett, Mr. and Mrs. Larry Schenk, Larry Crispell, Mrs. Leona Hunter and Mrs. Gladys Foster.

ager. "Just drop by our store at 242 North Main St., Pottston, and write your name on an official entry blank."

Topping the list of prizes are 10 first prizes of 6 famous gas appliances. Each of ten first winners will walk off with a modern automatic gas range, gas refrigerator, gas clothes dryer, gas water heater, gas incinerator and gas space heater. In addition, 400 other gas appliances in prizes including automatic gas ranges, refrigerators, clothes dryers, water heaters, incinerators, space heaters and others will be offered.

Official entry blanks are available at SUBURBAN GAS CORPORATION. The giveaway closes October 31.

Ronald Gardiner Leaves For Service With Navy

Ronald Gardiner, son of Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Gardiner, Kunkle, enlisted in the Navy, and left from Scranton-Avoca Airport on August 24 for basic training at the Great Lakes Naval Training Center, Chicago, Illinois.

Ron was given a farewell party at his home on Wednesday evening. Present were: Mr. and Mrs. Allen Brace, Donnie, Dale, Wendy Lou Brace, Mrs. Ellen Space, Mr. and Mrs. William Brace, Dick Frantz, Elaine Kozemchak, Dick Brace, Bill Brace, Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Gardiner, Pat Barbara, Robbie Gardiner, Ellen Dudasik and Ron Gardiner.

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ROTARY EXCHANGE STUDENT WRITES FROM PHILIPPINES

"I Enjoyed Everything But The Feathers" After Dining On Unhatched Duckling

Following are excerpts from letters written to Mr. and Mrs. George Jacobs, Shavertown, by their son George who is spending a year in the Philippines as a Rotary Exchange Student. George left a few days after graduation from Westmoreland High School and flew by jet to Tokyo then on to the Philippines. From letters received from the families he is staying with George is proving a valuable good-will ambassador for the United States. — Editor

LETTER OF JUNE 17

"The trip by jet was certainly a thrilling experience and the view was tremendous. I took some pictures from the plane. Some of the United States looks like wasteland and other parts are loaded with farms. Large cities look like small clusters. We were detained forty-five minutes in Seattle but arrived in Tokyo about 2:30 a.m. on June 17. We had a thrilling taxi ride through Tokyo and got our rooms at the 'Y'.

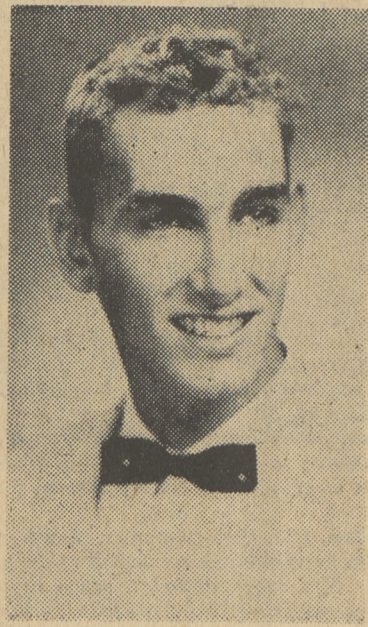
"We spent Friday shopping and traveling around on streetcars (fare about 3½ cents) which were much cheaper than cabs. However you never know just where you were going as they were covered with Japanese writing. However we managed to piece our way to Tokyo center and we had a favorite Japanese meal of Tempura, mostly fish and some vegetable, used chopsticks, etc.—great fun.

"We walked through Tokyo's central park and all around town. This afternoon we will take a tour of several typical Japanese places on a prearranged Package Tour, costing about \$2.80 (1000 yen). Almost all people here wear American dress although many cannot speak English. I have picked up some Japanese expressions and delight in using them.

June 19 - Visits University
"I have arrived safely in the Philippines and will be at the home of Mr. Ceferino Picache, 23 Vinzonos, Heroes Hills, Queen City. The Picaches have a very beautiful home with maids. It is landscaped with native trees and shrubs. The family is very friendly and interesting. Today is a holiday and I will go and see Araneta University which is about an hour away by bus.

"It certainly is hot here, but it feels rather good. It has not rained since I arrived yesterday, although it is the rainy season. Manila is a good looking city with all its white

buildings, but it has a traffic problem as bad as New York's.
"Tomorrow I will enroll at the University and probably pick out my course."
"I will be staying a month at a



GEORGE JACOBS

time with different Rotary members. Tonight we are going to a small Rotary gathering with members from South America."

June 21 - Taking Spanish

"I am attending the University of the Philippines because it is much closer than Araneta and has a good Spanish course. The school year is divided in terms of six weeks during which the student may take two courses and at the end of six weeks they are completed. As I arrived late in the first period, I will take Spanish 1 from 7:30 to 9, intensive Spanish from 9:30 to 10:30, and sit in on Spanish 3 from 10:30 to 12. I will receive no credit for any course at the University because I am a special student and am not officially enrolled. Intensive Spanish is a private tutoring in conversational Spanish, which is supposed to make you a pretty good speaker in three months. Sounds good, no?"

"There are many foreign students at the University. For some time today I got a chance to speak to a boy from India.
"The Pinaches are very friendly people who have six children. Three are married, one is in medical school, one in college, and another in high school, but all are in Quezon City. They have been very kind.
"They have two maids and a houseboy, plus one or two chauffeurs, (one chauffeur has twenty-four children which he supports on thirty pesos, about \$10 a month). Here, either you are rich or poor, no middle class. The poor live in miserable shacks built of anything they can get a hold of and they are huddled close together.
"The money system is very confusing. At the bank, one dollar can be changed for three pesos, but on the street, it can be changed for three pesos and 50 centavos. This is illegal, but people get away with it easily. It is almost accepted. I changed with the bank and only

a little at a time because when I asked if I could change it back into United States currency everyone recommends it is safer to change it a little at a time to be sure. I guess you can't get your American money back. No one really seems to know.

July 10—Immature Duckling

"Well, I had balut the other day. It is immature or unhatched duckling and everything was good but the feathers. I was proud of myself because most Americans won't even look at it.

"Today is the 11th and I will take up where I left off yesterday. McArthur received the largest turnout on record. He is very much loved. I did not get to see him. I was in Cavite, about 45 minutes out of Manila where the general was supposed to come but didn't. However I met a Lieutenant Commander Slater who urged me to stay with him a few days and observe the United States Naval Base there.

"There are many good places to swim but I won't be doing much of that until the rainy season ends in November.

"Here is a one-in-a-million for you. When I was in Tokyo, I met a Dr. and Mrs. Kinchele on the eighth floor of a Tokyo (population 10 million) department store and we became acquainted while snacking together. Over two weeks later I ran into him in the Knox Memorial Church in Manila (population 2 million) where he was staying for a few days. He delivered the visiting sermon without notes and touched the heart of everyone there. The English Minister invited me to dinner at the corner of Pennsylvania and Tennessee Avenues (Dr. Kinchele in from Chattanooga!). Small world we agreed. I expect to visit Chattanooga on my way back.

"Last Sunday I went with PIFO (Philippines International Friendship Organization) to a fiesta at Bocawe. It was the first sunny day since I got here and we visited many typical bamboo homes of wonderful people. We ate all day. They had a sort of parade on the river and long dugout canoes equipped with gasoline engine really tore up and down the river loaded with people who threw water on the people in other boats. We enjoyed roast pig.

"I can sincerely say that I have learned more Spanish in the last three weeks than I had learned of Latin or French in two years. My next home (I move at the end of this term, July 20) Zabartes Rotary treasurer, and they are Spanish speaking people so I should pick up the language even faster.

"I joined the International Club the other day and we had an induction ceremony for the officers and a dance party. It was really interesting and lots of fun. I met people from the Philippines, Guam, Thailand, Japan, United States, Pakistan, India, Afghanistan, etc.

July 21

"Last weekend Boy Pinache and I left for San Pablo. We were directed to the home of Mr. and Mrs. Rofskirch the acting manager and his wife. They are German but

have been in the Philippines 25 years. The next day, Sunday, the cocoanut factory was operating. It is the largest of its kind in the world, processing 750,000 cocoanuts daily. We had a first class tour. Over half the company's capital is Philippine and they export almost all the cocoanut to General Foods of New Jersey. Nothing is wasted, husks are used to fuel the plant boilers, the oil is sold to soap manufacturers, the scraps are bagged for fertilizer or feed, and the cocoanut is dried and shred into 20 different types. I believe there are over a thousand employees and the average cocoanut crusher gets seven or eight pesos for an eight-hour shift. That is good pay over here.

"Saturday night there were induction ceremonies for the San Pablo Rotary and they asked me to say a few words about my program.

"I am writing today because I finally have my University problems straightened out. I wondered how long I could go on studying without paying or signing my name to anything. Dean Temmaytay has been sticking out his neck for me the last month without my knowing it. The registrar demands that I enroll so I am enrolled as a special student which costs me 75 pesos a semester's tuition, 10 for registration and 10 for deposit (about \$32 a semester). I receive no credit and can take only one subject each term.

"Saturday, I go to the Silk Tem-

ple with my Punjabi friend.

Letter August 3

"I dropped in on Mr. Howe, who turned out to be the bossman at P.M.C. (Philippines Manufacturing Company) and he invited me to attend the headquarters of PRRM (Philippines Rural Reconstruction Movement) where we observed the graduation of 72 railroad workers. The program tries to give the barrio people release rather than relief through education, sanitation, livelihood and government. I hope you will secure a copy of 'Tell the People' by Pearl Buck, which will tell you the essence of the program. While I was there I met a Mr. Rigor, the

agriculture expert of PRRM, and he invited me to spend a week with him beginning this Tuesday and see for myself the problem and the way they are being solved, by working with him, planting rice, etc.

Letter - August 17

"Most of last week was spent in Nueva Ecija with PRRM livelihood director, Mr. Rigor. He and his family live here in Quezon City. For two days I lived the life of a PRRM barrio worker and lived and ate with the people there. Got acquainted with the rural people and their problems, and with many employees of PRRM, who sacrifice a

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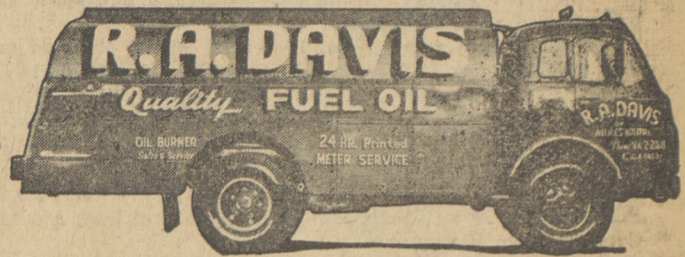
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