

## SEABEE NEWSLETTER

FROM CHICAGO AREA---With vacations, and the fact that the food at most places seems to be growing more expensive and less enjoyable, it was decided to dispense with July meeting. Perhaps in the Fall we can all get together for a fresh start.---Donald Ickes is again in Ontario, Canada, on Baril Lake for the summer. There is a ramp suitable for a Bee and a wind sock just off Two-mile Island on a reef. If anyone should get close, do stop. Baril Lake is just 30 miles East of Atikokan.---Joe Haley purchased N6230K from Roger Mensing. Found a couple cracked jugs which Mensing replaced, and Joe now is splashing around in the local lakes.

FROM TEXAS---The first annual North American Beekeepers Splash-In and Chili Feast is now history, and those who didn't make it sure missed a great affair. When people from Texas say feast they really mean it, right down to the last chili bean. Spencer and Anderson made it with the Air-Car, so we all had the opportunity to look over the Tiara installation. It runs smoothly, and from the ground, on climb out it sounds much like Daubenspeck's Lycoming powered Bee. The demonstration by the Miami pilot of the 180 take off up the seaplane ramp at Eagle Mt. Lake only proves that this is an outstanding design. This was, incidentally, a stock machine without STOL mods.

FROM NEW YORK---Victor Ludmerer purchased wing extensions from Aero Products and is adding drooped tips, replacing all wiring, upholstery, paint, etc: more than a superficial face lifting. Victor has owned N6041K since 1962, and from his colorful letters we know he has experienced his share of the surprises our sweet old cantankerous bird is apt to dish out without warning. He highly recommends the copies of the dealer bulletins and letters available from Paschall Aircraft. He, too, awaits the Lycoming ATC. Len Williams, his A&E also wrote us a very nice letter!

SWAP SHOP---Jim Taylor has purchased a Lake, so CF-JKS is for sale. 160 hrs. since extensive major, new paint and upholstery, electric DG and horizon, KX160 and ADDF30. Price \$15,000. Contact Jim at 28 Quincy Cres., Willowdale, Ontario, Canada. Phone: 416-444-4431.---For rent: 3 bedroom lodge with 24 x 24 living room, bath, carpeting, electricity, TV, tools, boat, etc., Manitoulin Is., Lake Manitou, Ontario Canada (Just West of Gore Bay). For available dates contact Brent Biggs, 5200 Cherrington Rd., Toledo, Ohio 43623. Phone: 419-822-8600.

BUREACRACY AT WORK---Minnesota Dept. of Aeronautics permits seaplane operation only in following bodies of public waters in 7-county metropolitan area; ALL OTHERS RESTRICTED TO EMERGENCY ONLY: RAMSEY CO: Bald Eagle & Turtle Lakes, Mississippi River. DAKOTA CO: Crystal, Orchard, & Marion lakes, Byllesby Reservoir, Miss. And St. Croix rivers. WASHINGTON CO: Elmo, Big Marine, Big, Onera, & Forest lakes, Miss. & St. Croix rivers. SCOTT CO: Pleasant, Cedar, Geis, Spring, Prior East & Prior West lakes. CARVER CO: Patterson, Tiger, Parley, Pierson, Minnewashta, Riley, Hazeltine, Lundsten, Waconia, Goose, Oak, & Mud lakes. ANONA CO: Round, George, Pickerel, Coon, Linwood, Howard, Mud, Peltier, Centerville, George Watch, Rice, Reshenav, Otter, Clear, Ham, & Martin lakes. HENNEPIN CO: Bryant, Medicine, Eagle, Fish, Independence, Sarah, French, Diamond, Pelican, & Beebe lakes. Lake Minnetonka in Hennepin Co. may be used except the following bays & connecting lakes: Gray's & St. Alban's bays; Seton, Taneger, Peavey, Forest, Black, Emerald, Libb's, & French lakes. Lake Minnetonka (Hennepin Co.), White Bear & Owasso lakes (Ramsey Co.) are open to seaplanes except between 11 AM and 6 PM (CDST) on Sats. and Sundays and legal holidays between June 1 and Sept. 15. This information taken from the July issue of Minnesota Flyer forwarded by Dick Scheffner of Continental Motors.

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