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**PEARLE SCHOOLER IN MOTOR SERVICE WORK, SAN ANTONIO**

Pearle Schooler, a WAC, who has been in Texas at Normoyle Ordnance Depot for several months, after completing training at Des Moines, Iowa, writes:

“Dear Ollie and Pete:

“I stated on a post card about a month ago that I would write a letter soon. However, my work has been changed so often I haven’t had too much spare time. I hope that my present job in the post garage will be permanent for at least 2 minutes. It seems as though they aren’t satisfied to let us stay in one place too long.

“There are now 110 WAC’s here now. Maybe we will get our full company of 210 someday. The WAC’s have completely taken over the Motor Pool Operations. We really have some pretty good mechanics in our company. We have all WAC drivers for vehicles up to one and a half ton trucks. My job is to inspect every vehicle weekly for necessary repairs and to check the batteries and air filters. I have over 100 cars and trucks to check.

After six months of army life, I finally got a stripe. Maybe after six months I will be a corporal. Ratings are handed out in a very queer way in the WAC’s. It seems that the harder you work the less rating you receive.

I want to thank you and the Legion for sending the News. Just as the boys say, ‘it is certainly welcome.’ Tell everyone ‘hello’ for me.

“Pearle.”

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AUX. PEARLE L. SCHOOLER

Auxiliary Pearle L. Schooler of Genesee, Idaho, daughter of Charles Schooler, is a member of the Women's Army Auxiliary Corps unit now working at Normoyle Ordnance Depot, San Antonio, Texas.

The WAACs have taken over many jobs there, particularly administrative jobs in the post headquarters. She went to the army post from the First WAAC training center at Fort Des Moines, Iowa, where she received military training for this work.