MOSQUITO CONTROL

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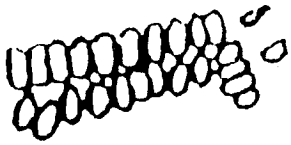
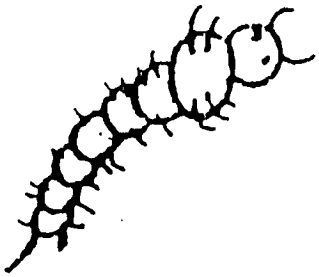


MOSQUITO EGGS



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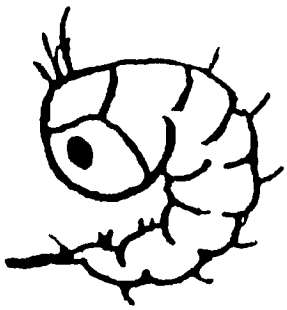
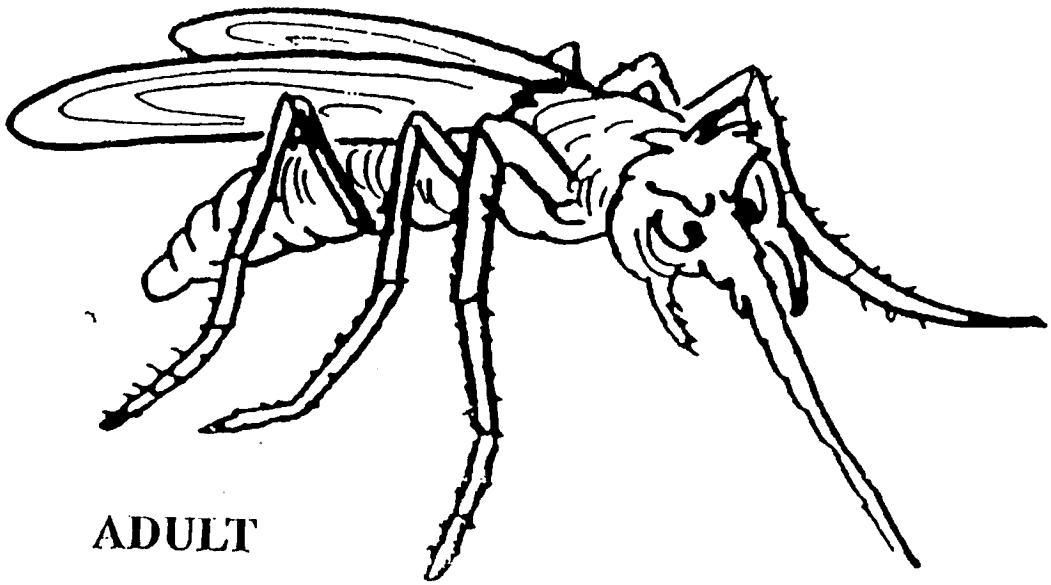


PUPA

A MOSQUITO STARTS OUT AS A VERY TINY EGG. IT CHANGES AS IT GROWS THROUGH SEVERAL STAGES. THIS IS CALLED METAMORPHOSIS. ONLY ADULT MOSQUITOES CAN FLY.

ONLY THE FEMALE MOSQUITO BITES



ADULT

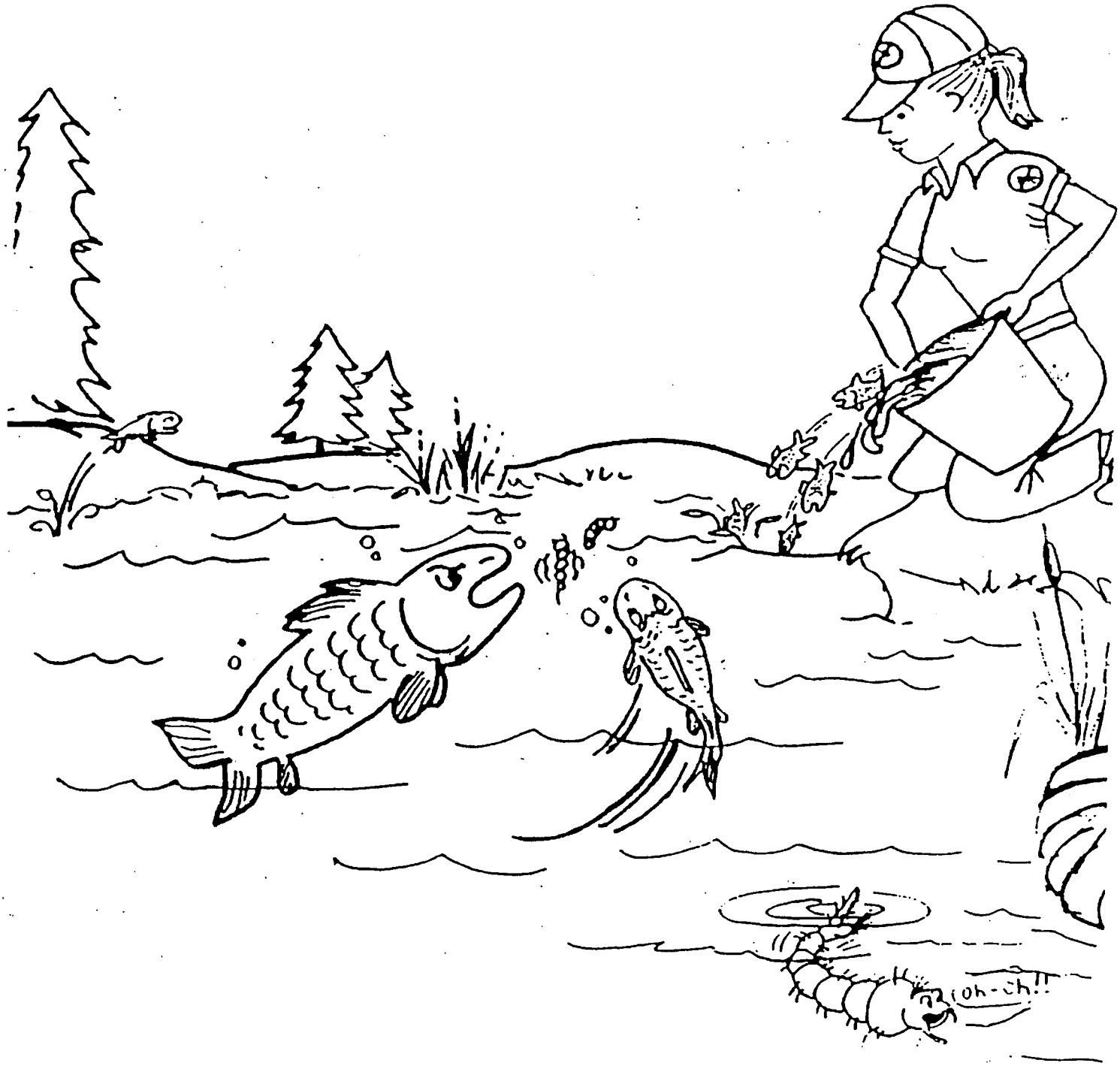
MOSQUITOES CAN BITE ANYTIME, BUT USUALLY ARE THE WORST IN THE EVENING OR EARLY MORNING

MOSQUITOES BITE PEOPLE, BIRDS AND ANIMALS TO OBTAIN BLOOD. THEY NEED BLOOD SO THEIR EGGS CAN GROW.

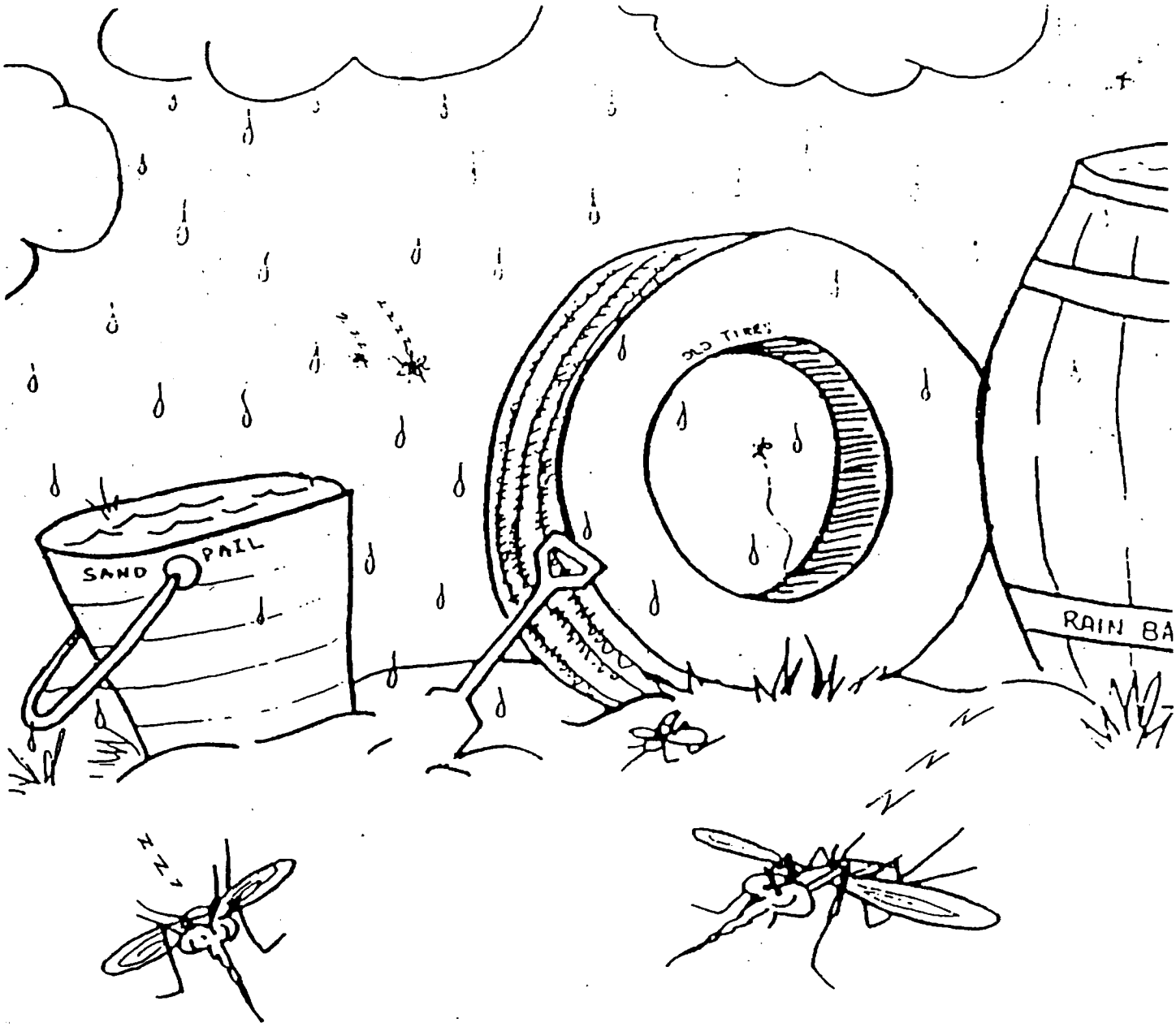
BESIDES CAUSING AN ITCH, PEOPLE CAN BECOME VERY SICK FROM DISEASES WHICH MOSQUITOES CARR

TO KEEP PEOPLE AND ANIMALS FROM GETTING SICK, MOSQUITOES NEED TO BE CONTROLLED

MOSQUITO BITES CAN ALSO MAKE YOUR DOG SICK!
THEY CARRY DOG HEARTWORM DISEASE

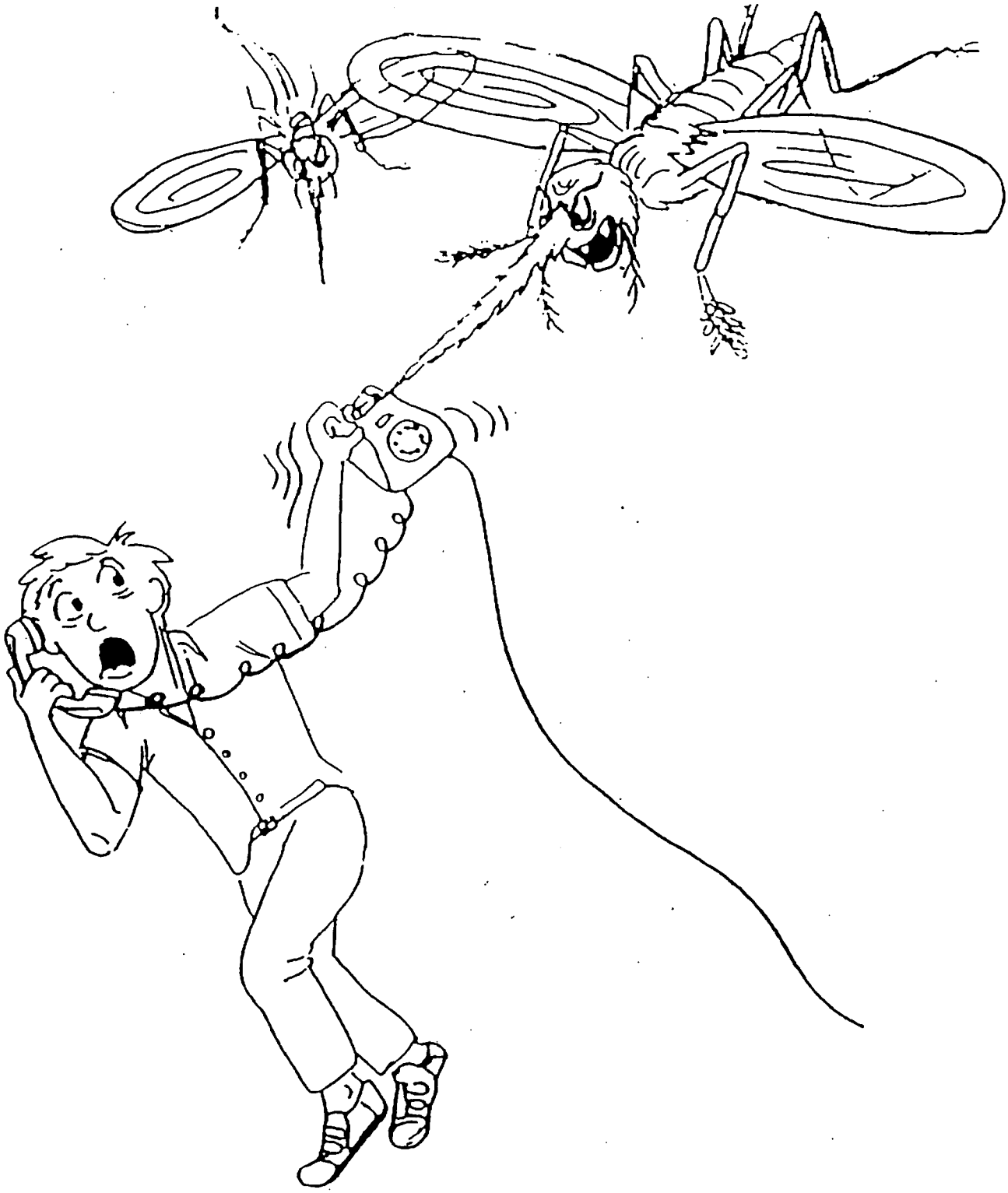


FISH AND FROGS HELP TO CONTROL MOSQUITOES. THEY EAT THE LARVA OF MOSQUITOES BEFORE THEY CAN BECOME ADULTS. IT IS A GOOD IDEA TO PUT FIS IN FARM AND ORNAMENTAL PONDS.

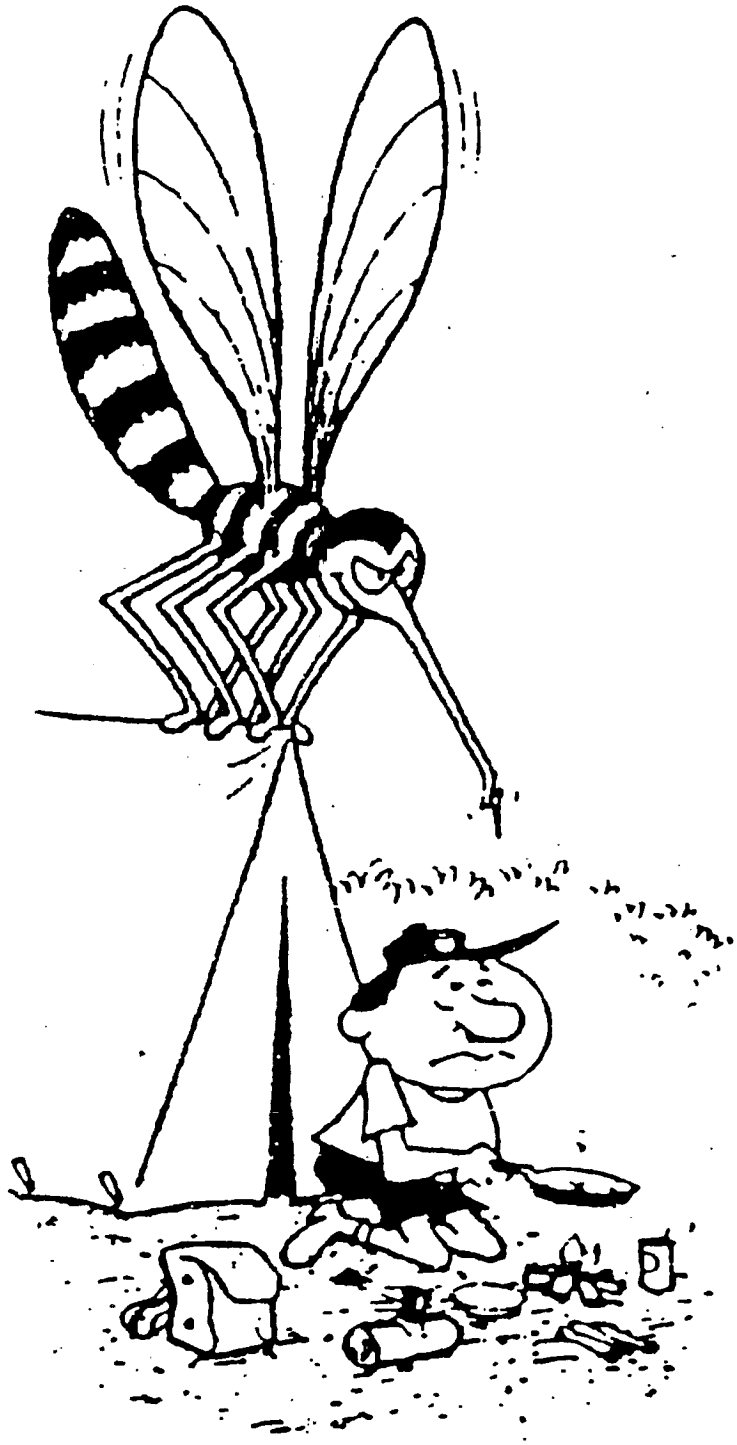


MOSQUITOES NEED WATER TO HATCH AND GROW. BE SURE TO EMPTY WADING POOLS AND TOYS AFTER IT RAINS. ASK YOUR MOM AND DAD TO CHECK FOR ANY LOW SPOTS OR OBJECTS IN YOUR YARD THAT CAN HOLD WATER, AND GET RID OF THEM.

DON'T RAISE MOSQUITOES



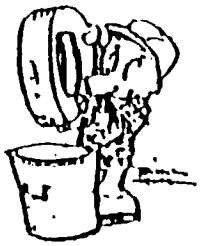
IF YOU HAVE MOSQUITOES IN YOUR NEIGHBORHOOD, HAVE YOUR MOM OR DAD CALL YOUR LOCAL MOSQUITO CONTROL SPECIALISTS FOR ASSISTANCE.



MOSQUITO CONTROL SPECIALISTS CAN KEEP MOSQUITOES FROM SPOILING YOUR SUMMER FUN !

TEN COMMANDMENTS Of MOSQUITO CONTROL

1. Eliminate all standing water.
2. Flatten all tin cans or puncture both ends.
3. Completely seal cesspools and screen all vents.
4. Clean regularly clogged roof gutters and drain flat roofs, so no water stays.
5. Cover all standing receptacles, such as rain barrels in rural areas with netting.
6. Empty and refill outdoor birdbaths daily.
7. Stock garden pools with goldfish.
8. Tilt wheelbarrows and machines with containers to prevent holding water.
9. Empty watering can and pools after using.
10. Dispose of old tires, or anything that holds water.



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