

59/31.GRAVITY GOES UP.

Of these seven hand-picked men, one may rocket into space in 1961. All of them family men they've been chosen after most rigorous training. What will it be like up there? Going from a power-dive into arc the plane can nullify the force of gravity for fifteen seconds. Warren Young, Science Editor of Life Magazine, and Major Edward Brown, had a brief experience of what it may be like in a space-ship that's gone beyond earth's gravity. Life without weight! Fantastic! With suction-cup shoes Brown's walking on the ceiling. As the plane repeats the anti-gravity manoeuvre a few times, how could they tell which man was right way up?

In a space-ship, if you want to wash your hands, give yourself good time to get there.

In space, nobody'll ever complain that "My feet are just killing me". Yet, when the novelty of floating wears off, they'll think there's a lot to be said for being able to walk. It looks very funny, but it's a serious part of training for the conquest of space.