

# BUGGED?

*Spring has sprung  
The grass has ris'  
I wonder where  
the "buggies" is?*



Well, wonder no more. The bugs are making homes and finding final resting places in your nickel-cadmium battery vent lines. And they're bringing their furniture — mud and trash — with them.

Some lucky bugs find vent lines already furnished with gunk from a battery boilover and dirt kicked up from rotor blades.

Bugs and gunk plug vent lines. Then battery fumes seep into the cockpit, or worse, get trapped in the battery compartment and cause an explosion.

Check the vent lines for obstructions during your daily PMCS. If you find plugged lines, use low pressure air to clear 'em.

