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### **Need for a Policy**

As cracks in the Nazi machine become more apparent, the need for a United Nations policy toward Europe becomes even more obvious. If we drift on until Germany nears collapse, her frantic rulers may be able to play Russia against Britain and America and thus obtain better terms than those deserved. A common policy by the Allied powers is needed to hasten Hitler's downfall, to prevent consequent chaos and to facilitate prompt reconstruction of the devastated

President Roosevelt recently admitted at a press conference that we have no peace plan for Europe. Details, such as national boundaries, can be left for postarmistice settlement; but we need to agree now with our Allies on the general terms to be offered ing the suffering and loss of life on both ing to stomp this out. Sunday at Germany and on the occupation of enemy sides.

### Man, Your Magazines

Magazines besiege us with "quizzes" on our book learning; our knowledge of science, and what not; and now comes a recent magazine with a quizz on "How are our manners"—which gives me an idea—this column has covered a wide variety of subjects on manners so why not get out your pencils and see if you act as you should under certain circumstances. How do you introduce—

(a) An officer in the Army?

(b) Navy? (c) Air Corps (d) Marines?

Is an officer of any branch of the service supposed to carry packages or an umbrella?

Do you know which fork to use or the proper table technique? How do you introduce a man and-

(a) A woman? (b) Your mother? Your father?

(d) Another man? Who precedes whom when you escort lady into a-(a) Restaurant?

(b) Theater or movie? (c) Taxi?

When you are dining out with a girl who gives the order?
When you find yourself socially ill ease, do you know what to do about it? When does a wedding invitation call for a response?

Does an announcement call for a wedding gift?

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territory. Hitler's downfall may come as suddenly as Mussonlini's; if we are prepared Wildcat . . . for such an event, we may be able to use it to much better advantage than if

Expressions from Moscow make it seem mans from Nazi rule and giving them a new start in democratic government instead of trying to crush them as the Nazis have tried to crush the peoples they have conquered. likely that Russia would join us in a policy trying to crush them as the Nazis have tried to crush the peoples they have conquered. At any rate, we must have something better than death and destruction to offer the German people if we want them to quit Hit-German people if we want them to quit Hitler and the war instead of prolonging the conflict as long as possible and thus increas-

# catches us without a peace program.

# IN SERVICE SNEAD AND MONEY WINNERS IN GOLFING HISTORY!

turday night before the midnight Wrath. But the other day we final-

We thought the bulls were trysent him into the Post Office with land come next Thanksgiving. her letters, Summon the D. C.

What, No Phone

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WAR BONDS

SAM IS ONE OF THE MANY GOLF CHAMPS WHO'LL DO THEIR DRIVING

From what "Strip" Strippling You can find just about every could be the busiest place after C. Q. if they would install a couple of phone booths.

picked out a long, lanky frog and won't be a meat shortage in Aggie-

Walton Whispers By Mat & Charlie

For the losers, Capt. Bob Esth- pursue. And so we soon read of latest is 1501.

We've little to say to you, fel- the Corps by Dr. Walton.

Corps last December.

The other journalist of the fifth Company Lenard Sutton, will serve as Editor for the Basic Engineers. Sutton was with the STAR unit at Louisiana State, He attended Brown University where he was Managing Editor of the first scattered and allowed the vigore of the was Managing Editor of the was M

glasses, and notebooks inside of a and puts the thing together (He's physics manual at the same time. an M. E.). At the last testing no-And yet, before long, we hope to thing happened but there are still Under the guidance of Manager sagging an "impossible" some fine put outs in the field, the uriter from its cornered clink of your varied interests. We have Fred Marinaro the 1st co. softball fly off the lamp post in short left. and at last offer you our first taken upon ourselves the respon- going to pick up some rams if it team trounced the 5th co. club Hogue was the heavy slugger for copy, the hurriedly-written rambl- sibility of serving as your means; doesn't. All the work is done on Sunday afternoon to the tune of 11 the losers with two singles in three ing jottings and oddly-pieced not- we intend to represent your wish- his desk. to 5, on "calamity field" behind trips. Hudson and Geisert each coles of a new war-time group of es and shall consequently offer at Well, this seems to be about all dorm one. This was the opening lected a double and were responsi- army sophistics tes - the brain- the expedient moment our sug- the dope and gossip that I can dig game of the newly organized In- ble for most of the 5th Co's runs. crazed engineers of the Army gestions for improvement in the up around this hall so I'll close

Well, the big weekend for all us one of the best of all time and field young men (under 34 years

did 3300 sit-ups.? Preston Bruckwhich they solemnly swear all to miller is out to beat that record; his

I wonder when Warren Gilbert

the Reserve Corps he was feature writer for the PROVIDENCE CHRONICLE. Sutton Column appears today under the heading "First Copy" by Len.

Addiance for the losers covered third like the vet he is, while Merrill looked like first team material limited, for it is rather difficult to cram a tynewriter penalty of the afternoon with two hits each. Peery connected to left century.

Our copy has of course been limited, for it is rather difficult in the work. Mac figures the thing out (you might know he is an to cram a tynewriter penalty).

post are going to be relieved by more out for next Sunday's game colorfully-dressed opening issues the red, sweltering sands of the with a few pithy soul-jerking South, the vastness of the hurry-

# The Lowdown on. Campus Distractions

ooking forward to since last sum- and land themselves a job cover, it was enthusiastically re- in some hysterical episodes. ceived by almost everyone, Aggies and civilians alike. Personally I think WNBL was a swell picture. It came just about as close to putting the old Aggie Spirit on the screen as anything could have. Hats off to Mr. Wanger.

At Guion Hall today and to-morrow is LIFE BEGINS AT EIGHT-THIRTY, starring Monty Woolley, Ida Lupino, and Cornel Wilde.

the time they are there they sieze joyable picture.

The big distraction we've all been the opportunity to solve the case mer has finally come and gone. they hope. They wind up in the According to the widest census of middle of the guilty party and the pinion this scandal-sheet could real officers, all of which results

At Guion Hall today and tomor- Box-office receipts are bound to row only is the latest Abbott and pick up when such shows as this Costello hit, WHO DONE IT? one are produced. The cast is sup-The supporting cast includes erb and the story well rounded-Patric Knowles and Wiliam Gara-gan. The show is a little relief comedy. Woolley plays the part of from the usual A. & C. musicals the unquenchable drunkard with in that in this one they turn sleuth Miss Lupino for his daughter. She and go after the murdered of a cannot leave him even though her network head who is killed durown future is at stake. Despite all ing a broadcast. The two pose as his faults Woolley turns out to be radio mystery story writers and a right guy afterall and his curwrangle an invitation to a mid-tain scene with Sara Allgood makes night mystery program. When the one feel like it is the real McCoy. network head is murdered during .... The Lowdown: A thoroughly en-

> Other branches of the Service are still in urgent need of qualified

The Surgeon General's Depart-

ment is in search of nutrition of-

## **Air Force Wants More Officers**

says, that little pre-midnight yell book in the library from Journals The Army Air Forces have is- ficers, sanitary engineers, female practice held in Houston last Sa- on Bacteriology to The Grapes of sued a requisition calling for the dietitians, and female physical thershow was OK. Though there were- ly discovered a dozen or so volumns appointment of fifty (5) Maintencontrol and administrative duties. edoring operations, together with Applicants for such an assignment Masters, Mates and Engineers holdshould be graduates from an ac- ing Marine licenses are wanted by credited college with a Degree in the Transportation Corps. noon in front of the P. O. a car pulled up and a lady stepped out. She stood there a minute and then Remember Army, that there thereto, should have had experience District, 1840 Commerce Building. in the maintenance, repair or man-Ph. D. degree in one of the bioogical sciences. In this particular

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jump ahead of the rest of the Ba- my we have got to get a pass to Ewing is a sure bet. sic Engineering Companies by be- visit the barber shop. sic Engineering Companies by being the first to appointment to the Army Engineers Staff for the "Bat". This is the second scoop for the fifth as they were also the first basic company to enter a team in the newly organized intramural league. One of the ball-mural league of the ball-mural league. One of the ball-mural league of the ball-mural league. One of the ball-mural league of the ball-mural league of the ball-mural league. One of the ball-mural league of the ball-mural league of the ball-mural league. One of the ball-mural league players Mike Maglio will write d- ball out of the infield. Even under the title of SPORTSLIME-then I would have made a brilliant LIGHT for the Engineer's News. then I would have made a brilliant take Home Bacon then I would have made a brilliant catch if my foot hadn't slipped, and if the sun wasn't in my eyes, and if the sun wasn't in my eyes, and if the ball would not have himself with a flair for writing. He was Sports reporter and photographer for the HAVERHILL EVENING GAZETTE prior to entering the Army via the Enlisted Reserve Corps last December.

The other journalist of the fifth of the title of SPORTSLIME. Then I would have made a brilliant catch if my foot hadn't slipped, and if the sun wasn't in my eyes, and if the sun wasn't in be even wasn't in the basic proved disasterous to sec. 177 with visiting sec. 19 of the Fifth Company lambasting them 13 to 2.

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tramural League between the "Robie Robinson of the fifth Specialized Training Program. phases of instruction, dormitory with the latest rumor. "All the ASTP Cos. Both teams played company did yeoman service as a For years gone by many of our regulation, and entertainment, and officers and enlisted men on this good ball with only two errors for one man cheering section and offi- recent loftier magazines and news sports recreation.

was the timely hitting of the 1st 4th.

# By CORNELL

ARMY ENGINEERS

Russell Vance, prexy of the 1st Co's dance committee announced Just as we thought, there were that tentative plans for an end of cries of bitter indignation sounded Sec. 162 continued its winning manding Officer of the 1st Company as acting Special Service Officer to investigate possibilities, of dance spot, band and dates for a gala affair. While it is too early to more than hope as yet it is remembered that the gals of TSCW were ever loyal to the AGGIES were ever loyal to the AGGIES and had great times at the AGGIE and had great times at the Spirit left in the Corps and that THE SPIRIT OF and the completely round with Marinaro, Dykema, Ewing, and Butler following Geogan in. When the dust had cleared away the losers were trailing five to 0.

From there on in the game was on ice with Marinaro holding 168 in Houston. It just proves that to pop flies and infield bingles. Ed

BALLS, Possibly they will extend their kindness to the G. I. AGGIES.

G. I.s. around the campus since we are required to carry class "A" passes when ever we leave the re-

ed a single and a double besides playing a bangup game at the hot 1st Co. Wins Opener | Diaying a Dangup game at the hot | First Copy by Len

the 5th co. and only one miscue cial yell leader. Let's have a few digests have inaugurated their The melting pot bubbling with WAC officers and enlisted women.

# Vance Plans Dance | Sympathy Slips | Neal's Knockers Knock Another

term dance are well underway.

Lt. Howard Pickett has been apthe 1st S. T. Co. over the Comment

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by one and all of the members of the best of all time and dewheads is just about here. The portrays Aggieland as well as it of age) are desired. pointed by Lt. Arthur Jors, Com- in Saturday's issue. We are hum-manding Officer of the 1st Com- bly apologetic to the 1st Co. since gan, in the 1st inning, 162 hit minor details, but it's up to us to

th Co. Leads Basics

passes when ever we leave the regimental area, For the first time in over two years in this man's Army we have got to get a pass to my we have got to get a pass to my we have got to get a pass to my we have got to get a pass to my we have got to get a pass to my we have got to get a pass to my we have got to get a pass to my we have got to get a pass to my we have got to get a pass to my we have got to get a pass to my we have got to get a pass to my we have got to get a pass to my we have got to get a pass to my we have got to get a pass to my we have got to get a pass to my we have got to get a pass to my we have got to get a pass to my we have got to get a pass to my we have got to get a pass to my we have got to get a pass to my we have got to get a pass to my we have got to get a pass to my we have got to get a pass to my we have got to get a pass to my we have got to get a pass to my we have got to get a pass to my we have got to get a pass to my we have got to get a pass to my we have got to get a pass to my we have got to get a pass to my we have got to get a pass to my we have got to get a pass to my we have got to get a pass to my we have got to get a pass to my we have got to get a pass to my we have got to get a pass to my we have got to get a pass to my we have got to get a pass to my we have got to get a pass to my we have got to get a pass to my we have got to get a pass to my we have got to get a pass to my we have got to get a pass to my we have got to get a pass to my we have got to get a pass to my we have got to get a pass to my we have got to get a pass to my we have got to get a pass to my we have got to get a pass to my we have got to get a pass to my we have got to get a pass to my we have got to get a pass to my we have got to get a pass to my we have got to get a pass to my we have got to get a pass to my we have got to get a pass to my we have got to get a pass to my we have got to get a pass to my we have got to get a pass to my we have got to get a pass to my we

words on the enobled objectives (See ENGINEERS, Page 4) BULL TEXT.