

Army Stew

"It's Women We Want," Say Soldiers in Search of Fun

Reports from Camp White, Ore. tell us that two WACs came back from a Saturday night excursion to town laden down with packages. Opening of the bundles revealed black satin night gowns, aquamarine evening gowns, patent leather slippers, etc.

You guessed it—they just wanted to try them on occasionally so they could get that "old civilian feeling back."

Things that are hard to believe: Each member of one unit of the 99th Division was ordered to dig a slit trench. When the inspecting officer counted them he found he had one more than there were men in the outfit. No one knew where it came from.

What's in a name? Plenty, bud. Second Lt. Leon J. Penny was named to replace 2nd Lt. Fred Z. Nichols at Camp Stewart, Georgia. The job: Payment of troops.

GI Misuse.

This is the song of a GI muse
Lumbering along in GI shoes,
Sung to a sort of GI tune
Under a GI southern moon.

GI's loaded with GI clothes,
I'm tired of GI hose,
G how I'm sick of GI issue
And, oh my darling, GI missue.

GI long for a GI pass
Far from the dusty GI grass.
I'm so darned tired of GI whirls
With the usual crop of GI girls.
GI adore you, darling mine
(GI'm tired of this GI rhyme)
But GI'm happy and I'll tell you why;

Ours is a love that is not GI.
By Lt. Roy L. Wilhelm,
North Africa.

Here's an oldie that's still funny . . .
Sentry: Halt, who goes there?
"Officer of the day."
"Well, what in the hell are you doing out at night?"

And while we're on corn . . .
Sarge: Hey, yardbird, what's the idea of calling your girl "Hot-lips?"
Buck: Oh, that's just her neck-name.

What! Not enough yet? Well . . .
Soldier, on convoy: Sir, I'm beginning to feel seasick. What'll I do?
Officer: Don't worry. You'll do it."

And at the U. of Nebraska (remember?), because of the shortage of delivery help, soldiers stationed in the Star Unit at the ag college, deliver 1,800 bottles of milk, three times a day.

One note of further optimism in the news is the postcard received by the Naval Academy. From an Italian prisoner in the United States, it requests two reserved seats for the annual Army-Navy football game.

The aviation students don't want a paper dolly to call their own; they all want a real live girl to share the kind of fun they have decided is tops. As a matter of fact, they don't care what kind of entertainment is provided as long as plenty of girls are present.

Dancing heads the list of entertainment pastimes, say Jerry DuMont from New York and Art Havenhill of Chicago. All the boys, 400 of 'em, give their okay to the terpsichorean art. Harold Ellington, Morehead, Ky., would like someone to go bowling with him, and several A/S's are horse-lovers. They'd love to go horseback riding with some girls . . . gallop, ho!

Picnics are musts with the Detroit boys, John De Wolf and Richard Etting, while Harry Ferris, Hollywood, Ill., would much rather roller skate. All the "librarians" seem to agree on the same type of fun.

To quote a few: "Are you kidding?" replied David Hach with

a Las Vegas, N. M., twinkle Clever Jack Forgay, a Sweetwater, Tex., product, raised his eyebrows and hummed, "Dancing in the Dark." Then there's Jay Dudley, Omaha, who said: "Any kind of Nebraska entertainment is fine with me."

Then there are always the dental students whose entertain-

ment consists of making girls smile so they can search for in-lays. And the STARS like to stroll in the rain. To sum it all up, Ira Douthitt, Nashville, Tenn., divulges the fact that girls, girls, girls are enough entertainment for anyone. That's the story. Dancing, picnics, sports, walking; they're all approved.

Due to Flies Polio Increases Says Iowan

The increased prevalence of infantile paralysis this year may find an answer in a corresponding increase in the house fly population. Flies may carry the feared "polio" as well as smallpox, typhoid fever and other infectious diseases.

Protection of health requires that special precautions be taken

to rid the home of flies, H. L. Gunderson, extension entomologist at Iowa State college, declares. The first step should be the cleaning up of common fly breeding places like manure piles, for it is both quicker and more effective to dispose of flies before they reach the adult stage. Treatment of manure piles, using one ounce of borax per bushel of manure, will prevent fly breeding. However, it reduces the fertilizer value of the manure.

Exit Flies.

If breeding places cannot be eliminated, it is essential that flies be kept out of the house, Gunder-

son said. Windows and doors should be well screened. A strong spring should assure automatic closing of screen doors. Worn out screens should be replaced or repaired.

Commercial sprays now on the market contain effective synthetic effective insecticides. After spraying a room, flies should be swept up and burned as they may be paralyzed by the spray but are not always killed. Fly traps and sticky fly paper also are effective.

A good homemade poison is made by mixing 1 tablespoon formalin or 1/2 tablespoon pure formaldehyde with 1/2 pint of milk and 1/2 pint of water. Place poison in a saucer with a piece of bread in the center. Red crepe paper in the saucer may serve as a warning to keep children and pets out of the poison.

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