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eanette Bunch Is Elected President Chowan FHA



The annual Mother-Daughter Tea nd Fashion Show sponsored by the uture Homemakers of America and Nellie Lassiter; song leader, Rose Mathe Home Economics classes of Cho-rie Hollowell; program committee, Faye Boyce, chairman, Mary Sue Elan High School was held Thursday fternoon, May 13 at 4 o'clock in the hool auditorium and library.

Dresses made by the freshmen, phomore and junior girls were moded by them on the stage, the setting eing a garden of trees and shrubbery ith a rose covered fence.

"What made you a millionaire?" Soft music was played in the back-"Curiosity had a lot to do with it round while Peggy Turner of the sen- I wanted to see if there was any inor class, narrator, gave a brief ac- come my wife couldn't live beyond."



The Rt. Rev. Leonard Stanley Kempthorne, Bishop of Polynesia and one of the delegates scheduled to attend the Anglican Congress, convening in Minneapolis, August 4-13, escorts Queen Elizabeth II during her recent tour of the Fiji Islands. The Duke of Edinburgh appears in the background.

Army Measures Its Man; Finds Average Soldier Weighs 155 Pounds, Is Size 38

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Washington-The average United at age 26.

States Army soldier weighs 155 During the same age spread the pounds and stands five feet eight and waist circumference increases from 28 one-half inches high. to 31 inches and the chest circumfer-

He wears a size 38 uniform and a ence from 34 to 36 inches. The neck size 9-D shoe. appears to stabilize in the 24th year.

In a shirt he takes a 14½ neck size Head circumference shows its last and a sleeve length of 32 inches. His growth phase between 17 and 19, with chest measures 36.3 inches, his waist 30.6 inches and his hips 36.6 inches. other one-tenth of an inch by age 24. These figures were developed from

an anthropometric survey conducted by the Army's tailor-by-proxy, the Quartermaster Corps. In an effort to obtain scientific data that would lead to better fitting clothing, 65 various dimensions per man were taken during the survey.

It also was found that the breadth! of his shoulders at the widest points; is 17.9 inches, his trouser inseam 32.8 inches and his outseam 41.5 inches. The study shows broad variations in body measurements. In weight the men ranged from 90 to 309 pounds. In height from 59 to 79 inches. Neck circumferences varied between 11 and 19 inches, shoulders measured 35 to 54 inches in circumference, chests were between 26 and 48 inches, waists bulged between 22 and 48, and hips spread, from 26 to 50 inches. Inseams ran from 26 to 40 inches, outseams from 32 to 50 inches, and sleeve lengths from 25 to 39 inches.

Other interesting statistics came to light in the survey. Data compiled indicates that maximum height is reached in the 24th year and is maintained for only a brief period before a graddecrease begins. The lessening of height apparently levels off for some time at about one-half inch less than the maximum, and after the 33rd year a further decrease in stature de-

While maximum stature is reached at the age of 24, body weights and measurements continue to increase though age 26 and probably continue for many years. The greatest change occurs in weight, which increases from

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Army's Anti-Aircraft Guns To Blast Targets

Washington-The Army soon will be firing on targets flying at supersonic speeds eight miles above the earth.

A sleek, plastic tow target soon is to receive final engineering flight tests. It will provide bait for antiaircraft crews operating the famed electrically - controlled Skysweeper Heretofore, the sleeves or bannertype targets have been unable to withstand the extreme pressures and temperatures of high altitudes while being towed at supersonic speeds.

The new target, developed and pro-duced for the Army at Bellanca Aircraft Corporation, will be separated from the towing plane by more than 5,000 feet of cable.

The plastic material of which the new device is constructed provides the necessary structural strength to survive the buffeting it takes in flight. In addition, it is tough enough to prevent the craft from shattering when hit by shell fragments. This facilitates repairs by ground crews. Economy-wise thinking also went in-

to its production. A parachute mechanism wafts the target to earth once its mission is completed. The fuse-lage will float in event it lands in water.

On takeoff, the craft rides on a cart until the towing plane attains sufficient speed to pull it into the air. At the same time, an automatically-op-At Height Of 8 Miles erated brake brings the launching cart to a halt.

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nome economics girls. The new FHA officers for the school year 1954-55 are as follows: President, Jeanette Bunch; vice president, Janice Harrell; secretary, Sylvia Bunch; treasurer, Rose Marie Hollowell; assistant secretary and treasurer, Mary Sue Elliott; parlia-

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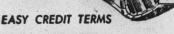
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