WHEN WILL THIS WAR BE OVER?





FATTISH MAN we overheard in a Pullman diner said it would be over some time during the week of Nov. 11 He'd talked to "a man who knew a man who was high up in the army" who'd said the Allies were planning to terminate the war on the 25th Anniversary of the Armistice.

The fattish man doesn't know.

A woman, who is president of a literary club in a mediumsized town in Colorado, says the war will be over in April, 1944.

This is (we quote her) "just a year after the fall of Tunisia, which is about the time it ought to take us to beat Hitler and clean up on the Japs."

The lady doesn't know.

The fact is that nobody can look into a crystal ball and tell when this war is going to end. Nobody, not even the General Staff, can look at the war maps, survey the disposition of troops, weigh our might against the enemy's might, and tell when this war will end.

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There's only one thing we can be sure of-just this one thing:

This war will end sooner if everybody on our side-and that includes you-pitches in and does everything he can to help end it. "Everything" means, among other jobs, buying all the War Bonds you can afford. All.

Your government is asking every citizen to purchaseduring September-\$100 extra in War Bonds. At least \$100 over and above what he has been buying.

Does this sound like a lot to you? Well, the only answer is our men need a lot. A General Sherman tank still costs \$90,000; a Flying Fortress still costs \$450,000.

You can buy your extra \$100 worth, can't you? If you can't, read over every story in today's paper that tells about some soldiers, some sailors, some marines, some merchant seamen dying somewhere in this war-ripped world.

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