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#### DEAR LORD

Teach us to be humble in this out hour of triumph.

Show us how to how our heads in reverent gratitude to those mon who have carried our flags to victory.

Let is not give way to exultant celebrations for there are too, too many bodies that were once men on that roted feaching up to this day.

Help us to shouly their sacrifices by putting our shouldets to the wheel and, together, working for another Victory. We have gone only half the way,

Grant, Dear Lord, that we will see our future through eyes that nave grown brighter with this day. Strengthen our number and bodies so that we can meet the changing worl? with confidence.

And, above all, Dear Lord, abide with us.

AMEN

Frances Gilbert Frazier.

## Indian Style Fighting **Duplicated In France** ing captured German rifles, WITH AMERICAN TROOPS IN

best meeting the tests of justice FRANCE. The hattle for France red mutanticity will allow men became a Twentieth Century Verwho have been everyeas and near the vicining of the Amer-with dependent children to have bare west, with roaming hands of priority of separation. Ninety per Germans marked for exterminacent of the obtains introviewed tion.

said that that is the way it should "Indian ferritory" - and that's As part of the alan indepted, and

"adjusted service rating card" will be issued to all enlisted per-onull after the defeat of Germany. Ondrop. And it must be good (bot- this cand will be seared the followtom), for Sam even licks the spoon ing four factors that will defer-INCOME AND INCOMENDATION AND A PARTY AND A RATING CARD

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3. Combat credit - Eased upon As an example, the commanding the first and each additional award This means that most of the ships general of the European theatre to the individual of the Media of and planes that were used to supof operations will be informed by Honor, Distinguished Service Gross, <sup>1</sup>ply the European theatre will be the War Department of the types Legion of Merit, Silver Star, Dis- needed to supply the Pacific theand numbers of his units which tingualied Flying Crass, Soldier's after. The majority of ships prowill be needed in the Pacific, and Medal, Broux. Star Medal, Air cooling to Europe will containue the types and numbers of his units Medal, Pacific Heart, and Bronze which will remain as occupation Service Stars (battle participation and supplies for that distant cam- by hidden German machine-gun-

ion would have been to return child under 18 years up to a limit not he able to return all surplus off stragglers.

will be announced after the cessa-I died States WOULD OPERATE UNFAIRLY tion of hostifities in Europe. In and returning men from the Eu- been released will be discharged Such a method, however, would the meantime, the point values will ropen theatre is taking place, the upon application. operate with great unfairness to be kept under continuous study, plan for readjustment and partial many individuals who have had. The total scare will be used to se- demobilization also will be applied provide some reduction in the long and arduous service, but are lect surplus men from the theatres in active theatres, like the South- Army's Ground forces and initially not assigned to one of the units de- overseas and in the United States, west Pacific. Individuals in those considerably less in the Service clared surplus. If only units in The score also will be used when theatres will be declared surplus forces and in the Air forces.

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are patroling 50-mile stretches, Some of these flying spearheads have run wild since the Yank the term used by Army officers to

describe it-includes great blocks of forest and farm land from

seas will depend upon the number of ships available. Thousands of thips will be required to supply the Pacifictheatre. The Pacific theatre will have No. 1 priority, All else must wait. To it will be transportd millions of fighting men, millions of tons of landing barges. tanks, planes, gups, ammunition, and food over longer supply lines than those to Europe,

MANY MONTHS on to the Pacific, laden with troops

paign. Very few will turn around ners who employed the old Indian 4. Parenthood credit - Which and come back to the United trick of waiting until most of the gives credit for each dependent States. The Army, therefore, will convoy was past and then picking men to the United States imme-

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sented and returned to civilian life. Pacific will be the only active the

break-through of the solid German Lessay-Periers-St. La line late in July and plunged the war into a period of razzle-dazzle fighting. "The break-through ended that 1918 type of fighting in the Normandy hedgerows which was cost-ly on both sides," said Capt, James

Campbell, Memphis, Tenn. "Our reconnaissance units have light tanks, halftracks, and light artillery, and if opposition isn't too strong they brush on through it. If it is more than they can handle, they withdraw or fight a delaying action until heavy armored support arrives."

Like settlers of the covered-wagin days, truck convoys moving through the "Apache country" need protection, and they are getting if now, although in the first days of spectacular advance through Normandy they had to run a gantlet of enemy ambushes

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to units long in the Pacific or at In all cases, however, the destatre, there will be no surplus units units from all over the world to outpost bases in the American theatre. It would operate unfairly mands of military necessity and of any type. Military requires the Pacific areas. The nature of to men who have seen extended the needs of the war against Ja- ments there will demand an in- the Pacific area dictates that Ser combat services both in Europe pan must first be met. Recardless crease rather than a decrease, in vice forces personnel will be needand the Pacific and have been returned to this country for reas- tain types of personnel can never in the Pacific area will benefit by war to Japan. Long supply lines, signment. It would release men become surplus as long as the war the reduction of the Army, not as scattered bases, jungles, primitive only recently assigned as replace, against Japan continues.

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surplus. Men in all four divisions, the same standards as apply in Consequently, it was determined that the fairest method to effect partial demobilization would be through the selection of men as individuals, rather than by units with the selection governed by as surplus. Men in the surplus as the military situation permits. division who are marked for re-For the standards, the War Detention by reason of military neartment went to the soldiers easity are then shiften into the hemselves. Experts were sent inactive divisions, and all of the o the field to obtain a cross-section men designated as surplus are of the sentiments of enlisted men hifted into the surplus divisions, Thousands of soldiers, both in this which now will serve as a vehicle ountry and overseas, were interfor eventually returning them to viewed to learn their views on the the United States. kind of selective process they be-A CONDITION lieved should determine the men to

No man in a unit that remains of a qualified replacement is availletail the immediate transfer of a mit to the Pacific, there may con- the Army, accepted by the War Department civably be no time to apply the lan to men of that unit before the mergency transfer is made. Conwhen they arrive in the new theideration will be given these men

> The active units needed against Janan will be shipped to the Paifie. Those units required for ocsupation duty in Europe will be ent to their stations, and surplus inits will be returned to the United States as quickly as possible. In the United States, the men of hese surplus units will revert to surplus pool in the Army Ground arces. Army Service forces and Army Air forces. These surplus pools will include surplus men from all overseas theatres and sur-

dus men from these continental United States. From these surplus pools the reduction of various types of Army personnel will be made. The num-

as no longer essential to over-all Army needs will be chosen from among those with the highes prior- be determined in the same way as ity credit scores.

return or surplus men from over- group. However, in the case of Honduras and Guatemala,

of a man's priority standing, cer- fighting units, Nevertheless, troops ed in great numbers to carry the units, but as individuals,

will work, assume that there are will be told the number and type forces personnel. Therefore, the four infantry divisions in the Eu- of men who can be replaced. They reduction in its strength will be ropean theatre. One is declared then will select these men, using slow at first.

are rated according to the priority active theatres in the United able from the Ground forces and credit scores. The top fourth is see States. These men then will be from new induction, the Air forcelected and these not eccential for returned to the United States as and the Service forces will disretention in service by reasons of rapidly as replacements of the chafge a fair share of men propormilitary necessity are designated same type become available and tionate with the Ground forces, As an example, normally there vill be a great flow of men needed to build up and maintain an offen- vice through separate centers. Five sive against Japan, but say that Army separation centers are aleveral thousand men, over and ready in operation and additional above the required number, can be shipped to the Pacific each month. develops. A total of eighteen in Then, a corresponding number of all parts of the country are con-

priority credit scores can be declared surplus and returned to the diers close to their homes. a service can become surplus uns United States, where their scores and military necessity will deterble. If military necessity should mine whether they are among the personnel no longer essential to

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ombat duty.

Any man who may have been EXACTNESS declared nonessential under this plan who wishes to remain in the lishment that will be needed after Army, provided he has a satisfac- the defeat of Germany has been tory record, will not be forced out calculated with the same exactness of the Army if he can be usefully as the size of the Army needed up mployed.

necessity will determine which needed to fulfill these require ber to be returned to civilian life be released as they can be spared. who is needed.

Priority of release for members of the Women's Army Corps will for the rest of the Army, but Manila rope, is now being grown It is emphasized that the rate of treating the corps as a separate successfully in Panama, Costa Rica,

country, all contribute to the in-As an example of how the plan Commanders in the Pacific area portance and necessity for Service

As replacements become avail-

Surplus individuals declared nonessential to the needs of the Auny will be docharged from the serones will be set up when the need men in the Pacific with the highest templated. Their wide distribution will enable us to discharge sol-

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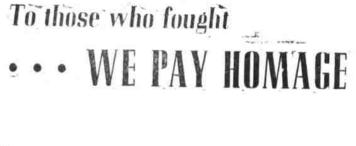
Janan. It sets forth the principle Simultaneously with the selection and responsibilities involved durand return of men in the overseas ing that period. Theatre comtheatres, the same selective for- manders and commanders of all mula will be applied among troops other major commands of the Army stationed in the continental United will put the plan into operation in States. Troops in the United as simple a manner as possible States, however, will serve as the based on those principles and re-

The War Department has determined that the successful opera lower than the scores of men who tion of the plan requires that the have served overseas and have seen troops themselves, as well as the public, be kept fully informed.

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ones are nonessential. These will ments. No soldier will be released

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