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THE LOCOOTENANT SEZ

A rolling stone gathers no moss; but it sure gets polished sometimes just "brushed"

THE BRUSH-OFF CLUB INTRODUCING - - -

THE ALPHA

Two weeks ago, while I was straining to get enough facts and figures together to make up another number of FOTO-FACTO, T/4 Leibowitz came through with the idea of itemizing the thwarted loves that lie within our fold - at that time, we knew of only a few, not enough; so Lebo went canvassing.

The buzz that he started soon turned into a roar and the momentum of the project soon rivaled that of the traditional snowball-rolling-down-hill until now, as to be seen, the idea warrants a spread.

And now I give you T/4 Iebo on the typewriter and artists T/4 Olin and S/Sgt Vita on the drawing pens.

The Editor



Shame on those breasts of stone that cannot melt in soft adoption of another's sorrows.

The Army may have won the Army-Navy game; but as far as this Company is concerned, they never even played. Most of the boys claim that they were lured into a false sense of security after reading of the Navy's exploits in the Southwest Pacific, never dreaming that for the most part, the Navy was patrolling the home front too - as our analysis proves conclusively.

The guy who said, " It is better to have loved and lost than never to have loved at all," may have had the right idea; but he sure better not show up around our chateau, which, incidentally, has been unofficially renamed "The Chateau de la Broken Heart".

The names, cause and effect are listed for all to behold. If you are a guy who has re-ceived the "Idon't know how to tell you this, Dear" along with "Greetings" from the President, you are eligible for the B-O C.

GRETZ



FRANKLIN

NAME --

CAUSE --

EFFECT --

T/5 Stubenrauch Paratrooper "I made only one mistake."

"Oh well! the East Side has more of T/4 Grubman Sailor her kind." T/5 Kelly "C'est la guerre."

Sailor

"I can get another one - - I hope." Pfc Sparks Sailor

"I'll marry her yet - - somehow." Pfc Hebert Army

Pfc Phillips "What can I do?" AF-er

Pfc E. Smith "Oh Brother!" 4F-er

"It's not the first time." Pfc Reynolds Sailor

"I'll devote my life to photography." T/4 Olin Sailor

"Women! Women! can't live with or Pfc Karlgaard 4F-er without 'em."

T/5 Elliott "It's probably for the best." 4F-er

"Who knows. Maybe I'm lucky." T/5 Miles /F-er

T/4 Layton "Nuts!" Army

NAME --CAUSE --EFFECT --T/3 Peterson

WO-Army

Sophomore

T/3 Kastelz

Dark Horse "I'll jump anytime."

"To hold 'em, marry 'em." T/5 Franklin Sailor

"They're either too young or too old." T/4 T.C.Smith CPO-Navy

"Hell! I'll take my furlough in Rome." Sailor Pfc Frete "She'll never make bigtime now."

"I can't believe it about Margie. T/4 Gretz 2nd Lt. She's different."

T/5 Jenkins Sailor "That's a crock----!"

Prep School "I was outranked." Lt. Kieft

"It's an old Hollywood custom." T/4 Horne Another actor

"That redheaded ----!" Sailor Pfc Lingley "I still think it's in the mail." Sailor

Pfc Kulpa "Even God is against me." T/5 Brown Rabbi





FROM THE CAT REPORTS....

CAT 23: S/Sgt Morochnik, the new head of the team, busy meeting "rank" ... CAT 21: T/4 Galbraith is bored it seems...CAT 18: T/4 Frye sez, "If it isn't shelling in the front, it's strafing in the rear - ouch!" after a tete-a-tete with a Jerry plane ... CAT 14: T/4 T.C.Smith's sound stuff is havin' bug trouble...CAT 10: T/3 Gerzen reports having had to "portrait" a general in a barn during shell fire ... CAT ll: Writes ior . T/5 Powers, "The usual sneering type GI, dodging shells and small arms fire with us in Forbach says, 'You guys got the racket.' Each month 163rd cameramen travel a dis-His buddy, not so dumb, says, 'Racket, hell, tance of more than once around the world they're here, ain't they?' At last, an hon- getting pix on the 7th Army's front accordest man." An exploding shell, a near miss, knocked T/4 Todd & T/5 Boone flat, fragments perforating graphic case. Phew! ... CAT 5: Another near miss, this time a mortar shell under the jeep; "no purple hearts," eports Lt. Harris, heading Horne & Cipra. overed air mission on Bubingen. (Thanks for the tip Jack. Ed.)

BOUT THE AREA....

T/5 Albanese is sweating out a barber chair IN FOR A BREATHER.... ..T/4 Langer, T/4 Nemeth, Pfc K. Olson were CAT 9, Lt. Valentine, T/4 Hershoy & Pfc dropper-inners from 6th AG...Pfc Lowery is Karlgaard and CAT 2, T/4 Ratick, T/5 back after being hospitalized by a sniper's Kohl & Pfc Anspaugh. CAT 7, T/3 eterson, slug...Pfc Roitnauer received a strange packago in the mail, a message contor onvelope bearing two "safes" ... Pfc Hebert, at relieves CAT 2. long last, is having his "toofums" fixed ... S/Sgt Morochnik has taken over the reins T/4 Parrish's brother paid him a visit this of CAT 23 replacing T/5 Knight Harris who week... The "hitch stripes" are on order; the Silver Campaign Stars for the theatre ribbon are in - they will be distributed within a few days

LAB GAB

The day crew, in order to prove their manliness, are attempting to grow mustaches. T/5 Kimbel is having a little trouble; so's Lt. H. E. Strock "Quack! Quack!" Hall who is awaiting Monkey T/5 J.W. Feather glands from Montgomery-Ward...Some of the boys have investigated the femme situation in Nancy reporting that it's tho best ever while others prefer Luneville - one oven Magnieres.

OUT 7th ARMY WAY T/5 Elliott has been rejoined by T/Sgt Gianacopoulos.

SICK CALL ..

And now it's a tonsilectomy for Pfc Witherspoon. Jimmy writes that the sight of his injured eye is greatly impaired; there has been no explanation to date ... M/Sgt Barr has been hospitalized by a painful poster-

STATISTICS..

ing to motor pool figures. In a 30 day period, each team averages a trip equal to the distance from Chicago to New Orleans.

CONGRATS....

Felicitations are in order for one "Pappy" Brinn on his becoming a Captain. Capt. Brinn is now OIC of Still Picture Release with the 3908 Sig. Service Bn., APD.

T/4 Gretz & Pfc Frate relieves CAT 9; and CAT 1, T/3 Kastelz, T/5 Brown & Pfc Kulpa,

went to join CAT 20, Lt. Newell's brood.

Lt. Kieft asks again for pix of company interest. What say! Chum?

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