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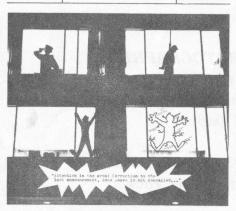


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MERRY CHRISTMAS



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My roommate has lots of funny ideas; for instance, he likes parades. He gets dressed about an hour before First Call and goes around to all the rooms urging everybody to hurry up. He says, "Maybe if we're all ready, they'll let us start early." Anyway today we have a special afternoon parade to accept a new statue or something, and my roommate is all excited.

"Watch me go through my rifle manual again and see if its O.K." he says. He had been practicing every free minute all day long.

"Maybe it'll rain," I said out the win-

dow.

Roommate turned pale; then, turning on me with rapidly moistening, burning eyes he said, "If it does, I'll hold you responsible."

It didn't. We all got our guns and march-

ed out to the parade ground.

Some civilians were having a picnic about where 14th squadron was to form up. When they saw what was happening, they stopped eating and settled down to watch. Fourteenth Squadron Commander halted the squadron and walked up to the picnickers; he asked them to leave. They took his picture An argument ensued. Meanwhile, the wing Adjutant walked up to the microphone and began reading:

"Region 8, Chapter 2 of the NSEAR (National society for the extermination of ants, especially red) is proud to present this marble statue of the Australian Ringtailed Anteater to the Air Force Academy in honor of National Stamp Out Ants Week.

Fourteenth's Squadron Commander finally got the picnickers to move, but he had to help them carry their stuff. When they finally finished, the parade was over and everybody was gone

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About the cover:

We have come a long way since the first issue this year. Our efforts have been towards a better and better issue. We think the cover serves to show how far we have come just in layout. However, this is not the last issue of the year, if the censors are kind to us and exams are short, there will be two more before graduation.

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dodos and chicks

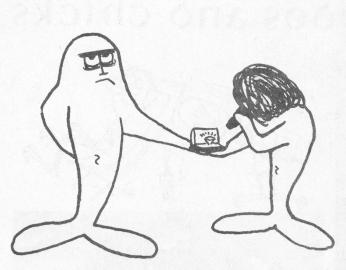




This is Miss Toni Crossey. She calls Elmendorf AFB, Alaska her home, but is going to school in Denver. Toni is also Irish, this combined with her red hair, gives her a natural even temper. For any questions see C/Maj Tom Hutchison.





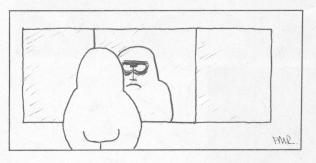


It's not that I don't like it; but a girl can't be too cautious...



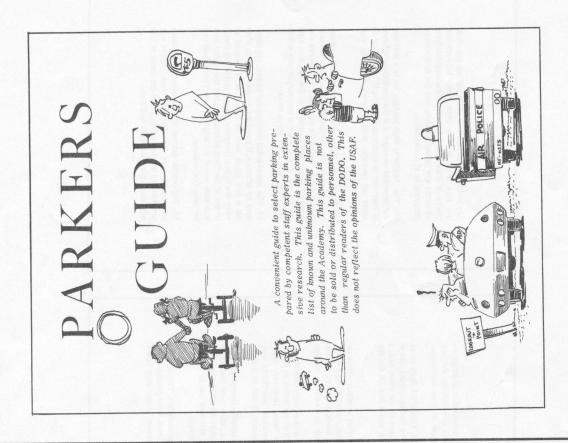


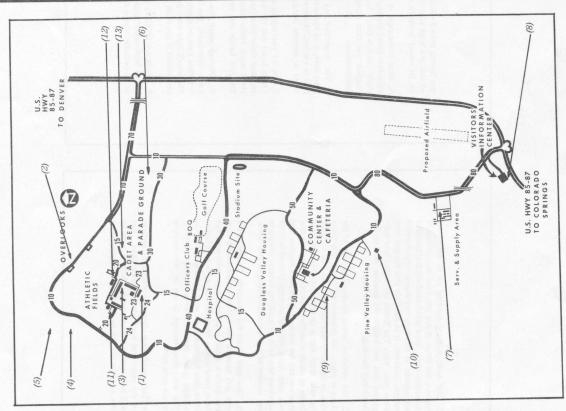
Yea, where ever it stops rolling they put a drain.



UPON LOOKING IN MY MIRROR BEFORE DEPARTING FOR A FIRST PERIOD CLASS

Oh, lovely orbs of reddened stare, beneath a brow of sleep-tossed hair, Wake up! and greet the sunrise red; Wake up! and meet my aching head. Your blurry sight — 'twould easily match my tongue which is a quilted patch; My back which feels like pure green sod upon whose turf an army trod; And mouth whose taste is but a hint of dirty laundry I've not sent. I see you in my mirror there. I see your veins, your bloodshot stare. Perhaps some day 'twill come to pass when I won't see you in my glass, And sleep I may till time has passed beyond that damned first period class!





- 1. The Aero building parking lot is very convenient for those of you who have an interest in Aerodynamics, Your girl friend will find hours of amusement in watching the exhaust from the wind tunnel, However, it is possible that the gas may blow your way. The furnes are toxic, it is suggested that you look at the weather vane on the Academic Building before parking.
- 2. The overlook offers an excellent view of the Area at night. One primary fault with this location is the numerous tourists that love to drive by with their lights on high beam, Ignore their looks of scorn when they park beside you and find that you are not taking in the view, I suggest that you take along several suckers to ohad to their children who have an amonying habit of locking in the window of your car while sitting on your hood,
- 3. This spot is for the foolhardy. Do not take a shy girl here or she will be embarrassed when the doolies shine their flashlights into your car from their rooms, However, one advantage is that it is only minutes from your room and there is always music from numerous record players. The main disadvantage is the OC who loves to watch cars here.
- 4. This spot has the advantage of solitude because of the restricted area signs. Ignore them. They will help to keep tourists away, A little further up the road to the left is a circle which precludes

you having to back off the dirt road, It is suggested that you honk your horn in a rythmic manner to let other parkers know of your intentions,

- 5. Bear to the right of #4. Cathedral Rock is an excellent place for parking during theday, but at night you are likely to drive off the steep hill, I suggest you take along a snake bite kit for the rattlesnakes.
- 6. The Reservoir has a very soothing effect on your date, it is also convenient for taking a swim if it is too hot. However, the broken beer bottles offer a definite handicap to barefoot wading,
- 7. The AP parking lot is a most enjoyable place, I have found that the AP's donot bother to check so near their own home base. However, their short wave radio transmission interferes with the AM bands and reception is not at a best,
- 8. Although small, the Visitor's Center parking lot is excellent. The long, open road leading to it makes a secret approach by the AP impossible. The small light over the exit door can be easily unscrewed if you wish privacy.
- 9. Residence 560ID is not occupied. The carport offers three-sided protection from prying eyes. (It is rumored that a member of our staff has a

key to the quarters.) The same person informs me that it is best to park there between the hours of 2200 and 2400 since the neighborhood children are in bed by then, and the firecracker throwing is at a minimum.

- 10. The Academy High parking lot is a favorite for retarded teenagers. It can be speed appreciated if your car is equipped with ample armament to ward off periodic sorties from Academy high delinquents.
- II. The bright lights of the Arnold Hall parking lights can be best utilized if you park directly under them. This puts your car in shadows and brightly lights any approach to the car, it is also convenient if you want a hanburger; the snack bar being only a few steps away.
- 12. The area behind the Gym can be best appreciated by athletes, if you and your date wish to whip off a few quick sets of tennis, it is blessed by very few lights, However, lauggest that you check to see if the Gym is being used on the nights that you wish to use its ample room. The crowds can be most bothersome.
- 13. The parade ground road proves to be a most interesting spot for star watchers, Chairs are provided in the reviewing stand for those of you who don't have blankets to lie on.

impractical jokes

It seems to me that everyone here has fallen into the old rut of pulling the same pranks day after day. So in an effort to add variety to the cadet repertoire I have listed some new jokes to pull.

ON THE DIGGERS AND FILLERS:

- 1. Put on a pair of coveralls and a construction hat. Find a group of likely diggers. Tell them to dig a hole six feet long by three feet wide and nine feet deep. (For added effect carry a roll of blueprints and consult them often.) Tell them that when they are finished to leave and Mr. Thohastas will take over. Then go find a group of likely fillers and tell them to fill up the hole in the Air Garden with cement when the diggers have finished. Then for the final touch get the saw operator and tell him to divide the slab into one-inch squares.
- 2. Dressed in the same uniform as for #1, tell every worker that you see that the work for today has been cancelled and to take off for the day.

AROUND CHRISTMAS OR ANY OTHER HOLIDAY: 1. Give Wing Staff the name of anyone that you don't like and have them make an announcement for a hop to Washington, D.C., those interested to meet with that person in the southeast corner of the dining hall.

ON THE WING:

- 1. Call up every CCQ and have him tell his first sergeant that there will be a lecture in Arnold Hall immediately after dinner.
- 2. Screw a penny in your light and then turn it on. More than likely all of the lights will go out.
- 3. Call Security Flight in a very excited tone of voice and tell them that you are Mr. Reithehtiburg of Building maintenance and that the Wing should not use the toilets until further notice.

ON THE OC:

- 1. Instead of being trite and just stealing the OC's trousers, be original and steal the OC. (Incidentally, for added spice a ransom may be asked, depending on who he is,)
- 2. Instead of putting his car in the Air Garden pool assembled, try disassembled for a new thrill. You may find that scattering a few extra parts from other cars will add to the general excitement when he starts to reassemble it.
- 3. Get your girl friend to call him and tell him that his whole family has been involved in a case of herstrepniophilia, and that he should not come home or call home for two weeks, for fear of disturbing his wife and children.

ON A FIRST CLASSMAN:

- 1. Get a friend that looks old whom the firstie doesn't know. Have him take a repair car, drive up to the firstie's door, take the door off because of termite control, and leave Gen. Seawell's number to call if it isn't returned by a week.
- 2. Call his bank and tell them that he wishes to transfer his account to the Federal Deposit Union. Then wait till he writes a check.
- 3. Instead of pouring shaving cream into his bed while he is on an ODP, pour a small part of a bottle of scotch on his bed. Not only will it drive him nuts, but on SAMI the AOC will find the smell most amusing.

AIR GARDEN POOLS:

- 1. Instead of throwing the firsties' shoes in upon graduation, fill the pool with sharks and parana; then throw the firsties in.
- 2. Purchase six hundred pounds of cherry jello; then on some chilly night fill the pools with it. (For added laughs watch the next day while they have to shovel it out.)



"Don't sweat the finals; they are only allowed to fail 2%!"



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