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EDITORIAL



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If you are wondering why this is so cramped up, the reason is that we had to squeeze this furry young thing in here because both Dave and we (one never uses "I" in editorials) am in love with her. On with the column:

This last edition of '68 is dedicated to the last member of '68, J.C. Kurzdorfer, who will be leaving us soon, probably much to his chagrin, and gosh wasn't this a long sentence? Anyway, good luck, AllStar!

We'd seriously like to thank the Supe, Comm, Dean, and DA, who backed us up in our fight for a bowl bid acceptance. And thanks for cutting punishments in half! Moreover, our belated con-

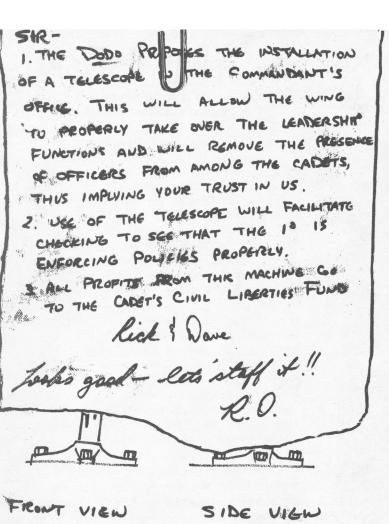
gratulations to our fantastic football, soccer, and cross-country teams, who made our "senior" year a sports success.

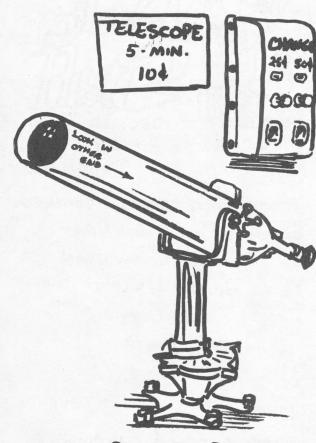
We have for you in this issue what we feel you will enjoy perusing while you should be studying: an interview with the Dean, an article welcoming Sgt. Garrett, a kit to help you pass finals, and the first installment of the Dodo Philosophy, a serious venture.

Now you all can relax - you can return to being your old grumbling self now that the **** Your Buddy Popularity Polls have gone in. Talk about a credibility gap- how can you believe an instructor who tells you the sun is a black body?

As you relax over the holidays with a girl on your arm and some spirits inside you, stop to reflect for a moment and remember the immortal words of some sub-simian nurd who said, "We like to think that the Academy was placed so close to these towering Ramparts that we might always be reminded of the great distance we must climb before we too can become great men. Let the tall mountains serve as an inspiration to us, for the rewards of such a life are as long-lasting as the mountains themselves." Barf.

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SMSGT Lawrence A. Garrett, Cadet Wing Operations Supervisor

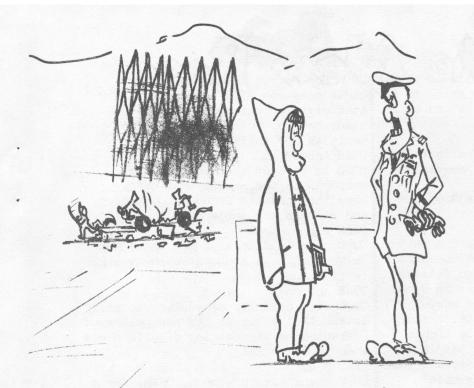
Last May Sgt. Larry Garrett joined the famous firm of Coltrin and Coltrin, offices in the 6th floor of Fairchild Hall. Now that Sgt. Coltrin has left us, Sgt. Garrett has inherited the job and acquired a new office. Before joining this establishment Sgt. Garrett spent nine years of sea duty with the Navy till he decided to go Air Force in 1957. Since then he has spent four years as a TAC at AFSC NCO Academy, four years setting up the Prep School, was selected AFA NCO of the year in 1964, and spent three years of hazardous duty at Hickham.

Since your ever-present Dodo reporter is an old friend of Sgt. Garrett's, He recently ventured up to the dark world of the Comm Shop to talk to Sgt. Garrett about his new job. His job description calls for him to direct all Wing drill and ceremonies and to advise

the cadet chain and staff, but he was quick to point out that his real function was to "let the cadets know what needs to be done then just sit back in the corner and watch". Sgt. Garrett also stated that he felt part of his responsibility was to view cadet s through the eyes of an NCO and to let the cadets see how an NCO talks and thinks. He went on to point out that cadets often get the wrong idea about Enlisted people due to their limited contact. He also said that he did not intend to try to fill Sgt. Coltrin's shoes but intended to develop his own 'bag' here. He feels that whether this assignment will be a four year tour or a career position depends on his ability to communicate with the Wing.

We here at the school newspaper would like to extend our best wishes to Sgt. Garrett and our hopes for a long relationship between the Wing and its new NCOIC,

after all, good friends are hard to come by!



"YOU SAY SOME BODY STOLE YOUR CAR?
NONSENSE! WHO'D TAKE A '57 FORD
FROM THE UPPERCLASS PARKING LOT?"



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In keeping with our policy of always DODO How do you think the average bringing you the best and bringing it to you first, the Dodo now brings you an interview with the new Dean.

DODO Have you had any problems in taking over the position vacated by General Mc-Dermott?

DEAN Please refer to answer #38 on the standard interview answer sheet I gave

DODO There has been some question in the past about the liason between the Dean's people and the Comm's; can you fill us in a little bit about how this is done? DEAN Please refer to standard answer #17. DODO Just this year a very strict study regulation came out which made lights out mandatory at midnight. Many people find this quite a handicap at times; can you tell us why this decision was made? DEAN Answer #53.

DODO But sometimes the schedule gets a little crowded with GRs and papers and extra time has to come from somewhere? DEAN That's in #57.

cadet compares with his contemporary in a civilian university as far as study habits, interests, and opportunities for fulfillment? DEAN Answer #68.

DODO Is it true that your office purports to the public that cadets have the academic freedom to study

and discuss any subject? DEAN #24.

DODO What is done with all those time surveys that we are continuously asked to fill out?

DEAN #46.

DODO Does academic scheduling actually intend to live up to its new policy of guaranteeing the catalog of each class when it comes in?

DEAN #74.

DODO Thank you very much, Dean, for a most interesting interview. I am sure our readers will be pleased with your answers. By the way, do you read the cadet magazine?

DEAN Yes, I have the Dodo read to me all the time.

This interviewer noted some kind of strange whirring noise, much like a machine, coming from where the Dean was sitting. Also there were many wires apparently going to his chair!



HERE ARE A FEW CHRISTMAS PRESENTS FROM THE GUYS DOWN AT THE FIELD HOUSE

It took a while, but when it finally came victory over Colorado was very, very sweet. In fact the whole season had a pretty good taste, despite a few bitter moments. You'll just have to pardon an old 69er for saying "We finally did it".

This has been the year of the records: Jimmy DeOrio is leading rusher with 436 yds in 110 tries: Charlie Longnecker has a record 45 catches, a record 612 yds for the season, a record 820 yds for his career; Denny leuthauser hit 7 PATs for a season record (single game), 28 PATs for a season record, and of course a record 57 yd field goal. The lists of

accomplishments could go on and on but what is important is that they will all be back next year.

All the records don't belong to footballers though. X-country star Mike Ryan won his second All-Amercan rating on his way to a hat-trick by coming in first in the NCAA Championships, and he knocked 44 seconds off the record. The entire X-country team picked up 22nd place in the nation which proves that the lungs on their patches has meaning.

After a few tense moments this season Soccer turned up a winner at the end of the season, winner of a

(CONT.)





Thanksgiving is behind us, finals are staring us right in the face, and Christmas is around the corner. So what's new? LOOK -

Dean's new policy - all 1° taking only one final will take it on Friday!

Comm Shop's latest decree - when we say no spirit we mean no spirit - whether it be football, Christmas, or what! Bah - humbug!

Why do the radiators in our rooms put out a max of 6 BTUs per month?

Quotes overheard lately:

"You men fall in! You're not here to gaze at airplanes, you're here to march!!"

"Falsification of meal tickets should be punished by court-martial under the U.C.M.J.. Why, when I was back at ..."

"Why, Yes Senator, the cadets eat Cornish game hens all the time!"

"There were only 20 cases of flu today, I guess we need to give out the flu shots to get things rolling again."

Why can someone on leave, wearing civilian clothes, get 8 connies for "PDA" with his girl at Stapleton International?

Fight poverty - buy a Talon!
'69 is the first class to get
five firsties on the tour pad during
the first semester!

Other New policies:

AOCs will stand 30 min watch periods each day in the 5th floor Comm shop windows w/ binoculars.

Cokes and candy bars will be furnished at meals to supply the difference between the calories in the regular food and the daily minimum requirement for adults.

Everyone was relieved recently when good old USAFA turned down its bowl bids. After all we don't want to break the 167 year old tradition we have, and we certainly don't want to demoralize our men in Viet Nam, and everybody knows we have absolutely no need for the money. How about an ATC 'Well Done' award for whoever guided us into this crash landing?

Why does Annapolis, with a fairly moderate climate, walk 15 feet indoors to meals, while we walk a mile and a half in rain, snow, sleet, hail, etc. ad nauseum?

Three cheers are in order for the dedicated man who stayed up until 2330 so that he could inspect his firsties for beds made with sheets. But what was the Mess Dress for??

On Christmas day there will be 161 days!!!

No matter what your AOC says - have a Merry Christmas anyway!

Luv,

SPORTS CONT.

chance at the Championship. They ventured out to San Francisco and never even gave them a chance, leading all the way to a 3-2 victory. Then they met San Jose here and - - well, I don't think people will finish arguing over what happenned that Saturday for quite some time.

Rugger - its their first year and their record is 8-1 and they're going for the Colorado Championship. Now that's a good job!

Four winning seasons - thanks guys from the bottom of our hearts.

PRESENT

Winter brings with it a whole new slate of sports, like Basketball. This year is number 13 for Coach Spear, and it ought to be kind of lucky. His staff includes 69ers Cliff Parsons, Mike Klindt, Mike Thiessen, & Pete Halvonik, 70's Mark Bean, Bert Spear, Jim Cooper, Mike Kelley, & Gregg Popovich, and 71's Ron Weilert, Charles Brown, and of course that old Basketball fan - Mrs. Moorman. The season looks good with games against Notre Dame (#5 preseason), N.M. State (#12), Marquette (#16), and a few of the local would-bes like Regis and CSU. Good luck gents. (CONT.)

SPORTS CONT.

Next would have to be Swimming. Coach Arata's crew goes into the season sporting a 9 meet winning streak. They also intend to extend it some by making good use of the services of people like 70's Warren Flaherty, a three event man (oh brother), and John Graham (a new one) in 72, who is eligible for varsity under the new ruling. Fingers are crossed and everybody is waiting to see what the outcome of this season will be.

No doubt we could talk forever about the winter sports season, what with Gymnastics, Fencing, Rifle, Pistol, Skiing, Indoor Track, and Wrestling, but instead we are going to offer a feature story on these sports in the first issue after Christmas, so be watching.

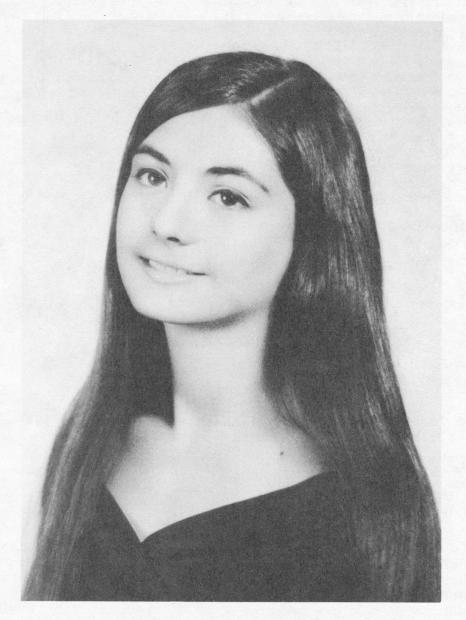
The one sport we are going to finish up with is the one which almost makes winter worthwhile - Hockey. This year hockey is in its new home, and Coach Heyliger has some great hopes for the season. Lou Tetlow and Bobby Stewart are the only two upperclassmen on the team, but there are whole bunch of seasoned 71ers like Steve Hall, Bob Fluery, and Tom Perrot. Also included in the pack are several experienced people from 72 like Jon Hanson. Bobby Ross, Tom Murray, Bill Olsen, and Willard Heppner (Ross, Heppner, Hanson all worked with the team last year). Perhaps the most important man on the team is goalie Kim Newman, one of the best in the nation. A good year ahead!



... by this time the bird was burning real bad. Then the auto pilot jumped out with the only parachute on board and I was left with a silkworm and a sewing machine.

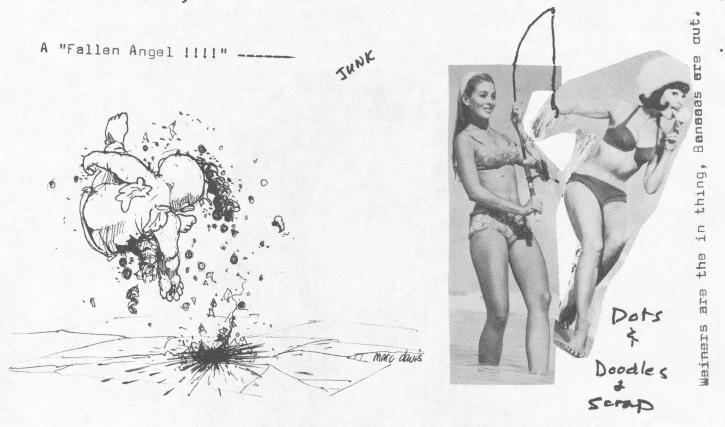
Boy, was I busy!





A candidate for Homecoming Queen at Clark AFB, the Philippines, lovely Miss Chris Reidy plans to attend Purdue. Look out, Astromaster's candidates! Chris not only enjoys the hot Philippine sun; she's also quite active at night, when she may be seen downing a San Miguel- the tastiest beer in the world. The Dodo wishes Chris the best of luck at school, and wishes her doolie the best of luck in keeping her over the next four years.

Did you remember the one about the Frenchman, Englishman, Mexican and Texan who were stranded in a life boat on the high seas. When the waters threathened to swamp the boat, the Englishman stood uo said "God save the Queen" and jumped overboard. Later it happened again and the Frenchman stood up said "Vive la France" and jumped overboard. Finally they were very near to land when the little life boat once agin couldn't take it. The Texan stood up, daid "Remember the Alamo'" and threw the Mexican overboard.



Overheard from Sec Flight. " All cadets must by 1545 today, failure to do so will result in disciplinary action."

"Spiro Agnew is a virus." "Jo Collins is an ex-boxer." "The Academy's prize white falcon is called Tuffy." That "pull it out" class of '72:

Something old, something new, Something borrowed, something blue: Here's the latest from the crew

Quick and witty sayings useful at CDB's Comm Shop Come backs " Cute but Dumb. DUMB!" " To err is human to forgive Divine" -" Let him without sin cast the first stone" " Werrry Interresting" " I may not agree with what " Do unto others as you would have them you say but it will only cost do unto you" you an extra month to say it." " Judge not lest yee be judgede" " I'll give you a hint, How far " The quality of mercy is not strained" " Sock it to ME ??" can you walk. "where there's Smokey there's Fire" " Drop back six months and punt!" " The discipline" it, or was it the quart?" " I regret that I have but 169 days to give for my country." " Give me liberty or give me death !" <----> " You called the play !"

The scene is the office of Colonel Slye on a bleak December morning last year. Captain Kiss (a typical AOC) is just finishing polishing Col. Slye's desk top. It is 6:00 A.M.

Capt. Kiss: Good morning sir. You're in early this morning.

Col. Slye: Yeah, well my wife makes me leave the house before the kids get up so they won't see me. Let's go get some free breakfast at Mitchell Hall. Kiss: I'm afraid we can't, sir. The cadets don't go to breakfast this year until

6:30. Excuse me, sir, I mean 0630 hours.

Slye: That's better, Kiss. Well, this can't go on. I don't intend to sit around this hole for 30 minutes waiting for the Grease Pit to open every morning. We'll move breakfast back to where it used to be.

Kiss: Sir, we can't just do that without a reason.

Slye: Then do what we always do in a situation like this-make one up. How's this.

We'll put an extra 5 minutes between classes. That'll justify it.

Kiss: But sir, we can't do that without a reason either.

Slye: Well, you think up this one. I just had my creative thought for the week.

Kiss: Hmmm.... I've got it. If the cadets had farther to go to classes, then they would need the extra five minutes. So all we have to do is make Fairchild Hall longer and schedule all classes so that they'll alternate between the "A" and "L" complexes.

Slye: Yeah, but what can we use as an excuse for doing that? I know. We'll start some construction somewhere else that will distract everybody's attention from what we're doing to Fairchild. It'll have to be far away-down by the gym somewhere.

Kiss: How about a new fieldhouse, sir?

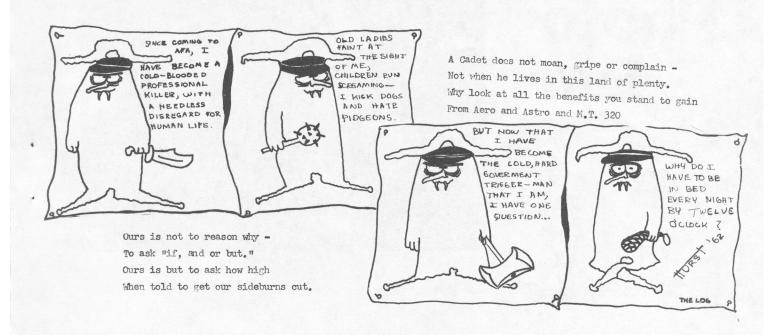
Slye: GREAT! We'll tell 'em the wing outgrew the gym and if they don't believe it, we'll prove it by building a new dormitory too.

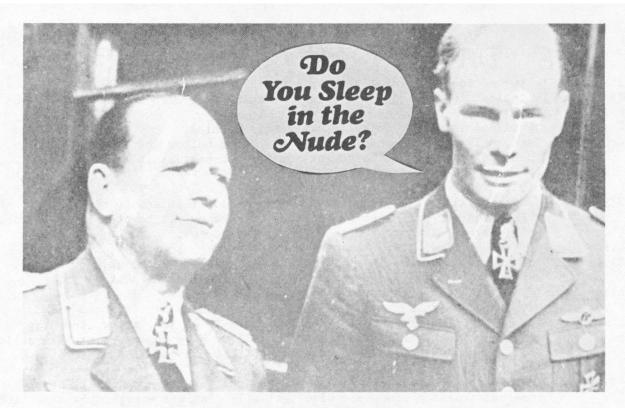
Kiss: But, sir, won't people get suspicious when they don't see any cadets living there?

Slye: So we'll get some more cadets, that's no problem. Get hot on this project, Kiss. Get Bash and Warning to help you. They don't have anything else worthwhile to do.

Kiss: YES, SIR!!

And so, in the annals of great decision-making another triumph for the military mind is recorded and the nation is made a little safer.





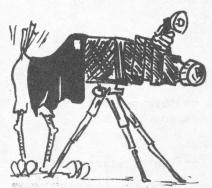
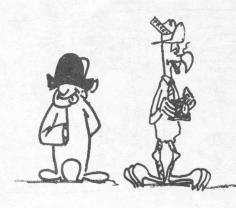


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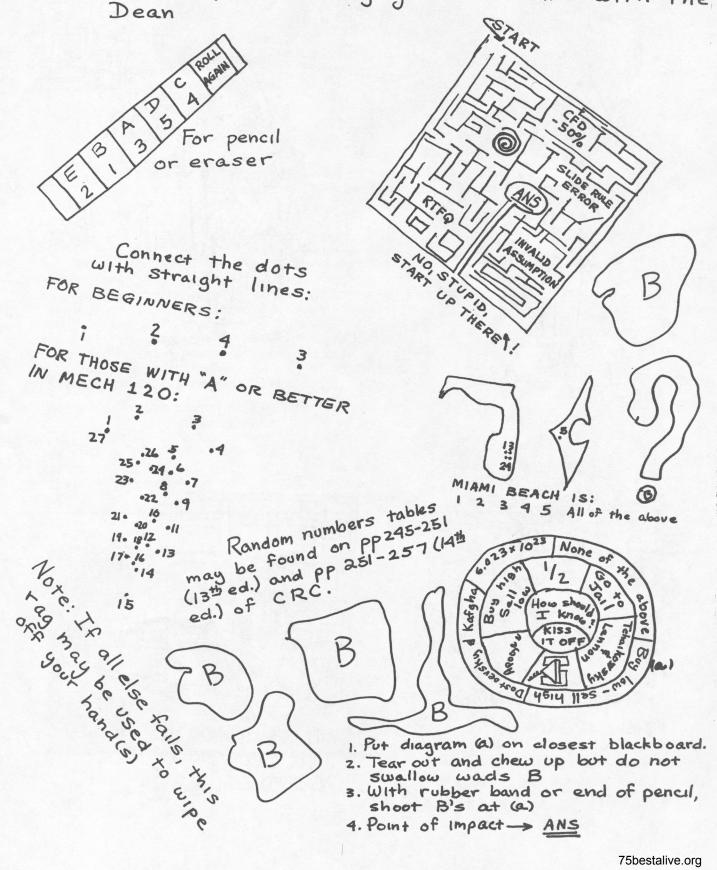


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Mainly because every Chevy owner in the Wing has completed to us their wonderful timing, logic, and blissful ignorance of the meaning of "promise."

Our coveted statuette is hereby presented to Daniels you've had it coming, guys!

(Anyone knowing of another merchant or agency that deserves this award, send in your recommendation to Better Business Bureau, CS-05)



"It's cold enough to freeze the what off a brass statue?"



THE SILENT TYPE

THE DOOR

Beginning with this issue the Dodo will present articles from time to time of a more serious nature, dealing with subjects of interest to the Wing. It is not the intention of these articles to point accusing fingers at anyone, but

instead to try to bring problems - and maybe even some answers - to light.

This issue the problem up for discussion is leadership in the cadet wing. Probably ever since the class of '59 cadets have been asking for a chance to lead the wing. Various approaches have been tried to this request but up until now has anyone ever asked the question, "What do you mean by leading the Wing?" Very few officers know the answer, and quite reasonably so because very few cadets know what they mean! Just what is meant?

"Leaders are made, not born" and that is why we have an Air Force Academy - to make leaders. The idea that you must follow before you can lead could quite possibly be true, but somewhere one has to stop following all the time and practice leading. That's the key word - practice! A man can study the 'hows' and 'whys' of an art for as long as he wants but he will never master the art until he practicesitt: and leadership is an art which must be studied and practiced. After he has studied and practiced his art, and only then, will a man be sent out to perform. This is what cadets mean when they say they want a chance to lead - they want a chance to practice.

ersity and an interest in helping the cause. Fill out the form and mail today.

At this point, no doubt, many seeple would say. "We have given yo

people would say, "We have given you a chance!" Yes, you have, but a chance to what? Perform! What is the difference? A very strong one! When practicing an art a man uses a situation as close to real as possible and tries to apply what he has learned. If he does well he is congratulated and moves on, but if he falters his teacher calls him aside and tells him what went wrong and how he might have done it another way and then sends him back to try again (perhaps several tries) so that he might learn how to do it right - he is not punished for his mistakes. Granted that in the performance of his art in later life a mistake may be very costly. that is not the way to do it during practice. This is not to say that punishment does not have its place, because it does, but not for mistakes in practice. For only when the student feels he has the latitude to make decisions without fear of punishment will he actually learn how to lead and he will learn faster and probably better, with less likelihood of those costly mistakes later in life.

So why not let us practice for a little while so that we can learn how to be good leaders, after all we have a long time after graduation to perform - and while we're practicing don't punish so harshly those who learn a little slowly.

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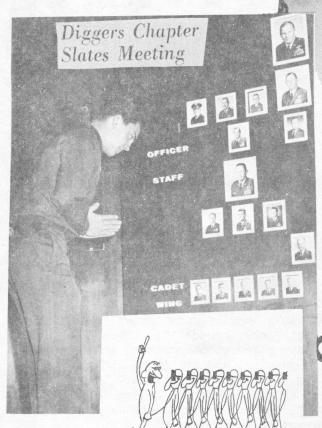
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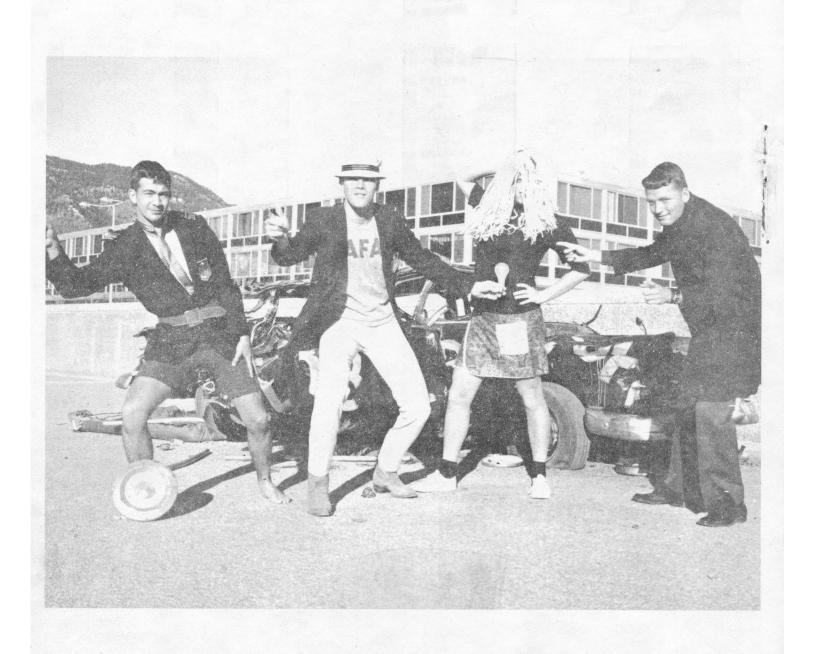
The 151-foot Statue of Liberty was officially dedicated Oct. 28, 1886.



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