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O'Nt of the major problems in the gatherens war, a problem the U. 8, State Department and profess Department and the conditions was a problem to the condition of the conditi

tremendous cost or state.

The fifth question is the most important one; answers to the others must wait until we face up to the meaning of equipping a West German army capable of stopping—or at least slowing—the Russian war machine.

We have learned in China that no aid

THE ONCE-GREAT SENATE ingly to lend Franco \$100,000,000. This is in defiance of the State Department's carefully reasoned ten-year-old policy of withholding its blessing from the totalitarian dictator. By tumproving Franco's bargaining position, the action may very bases in Spain. But when in the light of bases in Spain. But when in the light of

this the Senate was asked to reconvoted 65-15 to refuse to do so.

Add to all that Drew Pearson's shocking labulation of Senate absenteeism, the disclosures of the wire-tapping and worse chicanery to which individual Senators have resorted to protect "clients", and the strict party division on McCarthyism, and it must be admitted that the record is far from assurement.

Are there not men in the Senate big enough and fearless enough to recall it to its dignity and responsibility, in this time of crisis?

If the Army is hiding the truth about If the Army is finding the truth about Korean casualties, the men responsible should be exposed. If the truth is not be-ing hidden, if the Pearson "secret" list is a figment of his imagination, the Army must make a clean denial.

It is clear to all of us that we were tragically unprepared in Korea. We know that many casualties must result from the delaying action we have undertaken.

If the Army is guilty of withholding the ruth about casualties, its motives are not

down-the-line dog lover will consider you profests a personal insult, on the oft-ex-pressed theory that "whoever loves me loves my dog." In Detroit today a woman is serving a ten-day jail term because, a a matter of principle she refused to pa

is serving a ten-doy jail term because, as a matter of principle she refused to pay a 330 fine for letting her pet dog run at lings and annoy the neighbors. "Bootste wasn't really bad," ahe declared.

The dog nuisance problem is a troublesome one. You are afraid that if you complain to your neighbor, you will lose a friend and start a neighborhood squabble. And as disturbing as some of the pets may be, few people ever want to get involved in a legal controversy over such a matter.

A fellow in Paris last weak, annoyed no end by a neighb "a cocker spaniel, finally bit the creature. This made news, of course, but it also got the biter a \$15 fine. Maybe it was worth the cost.

The modern housewife can best grand-

The modern housewife can best grand-ma four way, at once cooking cabbage. Grandma "biled em down" from breakfast until time for the farm bell for dinner. It took codies of pepper sauce, onlons and-the like to make the red things go down. A 1890 cook fries cabbage about three minutes. And better still, about once every five years.— Burtow (Gg.) Heroid.

days are numbered.

It appears to us that the United States
Senate, traditionally the repository of the
nation's statesmanship, is running the very
grave risk of incurring—and deserving—

WHEN the citizenry comes to feel con-tempt for its institutions, democracy's

popular contempt.

For the Benste (which is to say, the ma-jority of that body) has showed itself sin-gularly careless here of late of the popular will, of the principles upon which Ameri-can policy is founded, and of its own good

w the Senate has voted overwhelm-

THE ARMY'S answer to columnist Drew Pearson's charges that the Army is minimizing the casualties among Ameri-can forces in Korea was prompt but not sufficient to dispel the doubts created by

the charge.

Here is a comparison of Pearson's tab-ulation (based, he said, on a "secret cas-

ulation (based, he said, on a "secret cas-ualty list" in the Army Surgeon General's office, and the Army's official figures through Aug. 6:

From The Richmond Times-Dispatch

MANS best friend—which everybody knows is the dog—is a noble creature in many ways and deserves many of the bouquets that are thrown his way. The trouble is that too many dyed-in-the-wool

dog lovers are so enamored of their canine companions that they refuse to admit that Fido can be a downright nulsance some-

times.

Just the other day a fellow down in
Birmingham, Ala, his nerves shattered and
his aleap destroyed by a neighbor's barking dog, finally had the animal's owner
hauled into court on a charge of violating
the anti-noise ordinance. The judge, deciding that the owner indeed was guilty of
allowing his dog to make too much noise,
slapped a \$10 fine on him.

What happened?

allowing his cog to make too much mose, alapped a \$10 time on him. What happened? If it mingham have arised in in indignation. They are heaping arised in in indignation. They are heaping action, They "hark" and may "gr-rr" at him when he goes out on the street. People are cailing him up on the phone in the middle of the night and hanging up in his face or giving forth with lusty Brony cheers. One woman expressed the fervent hoppe he would never sleep again. A petition has been circulated demanding that dogs be exempt from the anti-noise ordinates. And the convicted currer promises to take the case all the way to the United States Supremis Court. If necessary.

The canine next door may snap at your beets, overturn youtr garlage can, dig up your prisums bed and otherwise make him-

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THE TRUTH ABOUT CASUALTIES

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DOG LOVERS STAND FIRM

provided arms for Nationalist China, but not enough arms; they were captured by the Communists and almost certainly will be turned against us when the battle for Formosa begins.

Formosa begins.

We have learned in Korea that diplo
matic and military policy must be correlated ong in advance of expected militarevents. Militarily, we had made the decision that Korea could not be defended

cision that Korea could not be defended; but that military decision was reversed by a diplomatic decision, at a tremendous cost in material and lives.

There must be no haphazard dorseback decisions in West Germany.

If we intend to try to hold the line against Communist expansion at the West German border, then we must build up a tremendous war machine immediately. (Massy believe it is already too late to build an adequate force.)

If, however, we do not intend to fight for West Germany, assuming that it, little

III, however, we do not intend to fight for West Germany, assuming that it, like Korea, is indefensible, we should build a defense line at the point we think we can recruit one, would be almost useles. A small trickle of American tanks and artitlery into West Germany would mean only that they would be about the property of the state of the s

It's Hard To Teach Old Dogs New Tricks



People's Platform

A Note To The Doubting Thomases

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From 'The Other Side'

Editors, The News: CHARLOTTE
THE following is a copy of a letter following is a copy of a letter following in the copy of a letter following it accounts to the copy of the copy of the copy of the copy of great public interest.

-C. A. HARPER JR.

Dear Sir:

AM writing jou as a registered voter, and as a Presbyterian descon, and a son' of a Presbyterian Amane.

I read in The Charlotte News that at 'the meeting of the Charlotte City Council you made the following the Charlotte City Council you was a council you with the Charlotte City Coun

rimental."

It so happens that my children are from the "other side of the tracks". Also but my Lord and Master doesn't asy that only your "aide of the tracks" will get to enjoy Heaven.

Perhaps, It would be to your liking to build research to building on my "aide of the tracks." Might I say here that we folks would selvome such a build-whelesome place to enjoy each other, under super-vision.

I am sure you will accept this letter as one Christian to another. -C. A. HARPER JR.

Why We're At War CHARLOTTE

Editor. The News.

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By STEWART ALSOP

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Mr. Ruark Sheds Not A Tear For Joe And His Comeback

By ROBERT C. RUARK

NEW YORK
IF I AM PAID up in my dues as
a reformed sports writer I suppose I will have to sit down and
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Sam's tax beagles.

Drew Pearson's Merry-Go-Round

Army Polishes A-Bomb Plans—In Case

gate and atomic bases for launching 38-36s must be all set.

Chief reason for the Navy's quiet current efficiency is
the teamwork of Admiral Porrest Sherman and homespun
Scoretary Matthews. Matilhews picked Sherman as the
livest Admiral in the Navy by reading the Army-Navy
unification hearings. His judgment has been fully justified.

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were-spring probe because she would have to sit in
judgment on her fellow-Senator from Matine. Owen Bresster. Since Bresster has been making noises about defeating her. Mrs. Smith decided she would be a prejudiced
judge and recused herself.

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Wire-Tapping Probe