

**YOU'RE HEADED
HOME
STATESIDE**



**YOU'VE GOT
LEAVE
MONEY**

YOU'LL GET . . .

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. . . HOME

Safely we hope—but there is a chance that you won't. We don't want to give you a chill or take the zip out of life. We do want YOU to enjoy the leave YOU'VE EARNED.

FIRST—

The plan for getting home.

HOW—(Multiple choice)

- 1. Ride a train.**
- 2. Take a bus.**
- 3. Fly.**
- 4. Buy a new car and drive.**

(NOTE—See table, page 3.) If you answered 1, 2, or 3 turn to page 5; otherwise see page 4:

ACCIDENTAL TRANSPORTATION DEATHS

In U. S. 3400 soldiers killed in private vehicles in last 10 years.

Commercial travel is safer than private motor vehicle travel:

SCHEDULED AIRLINES 6 times safer than private vehicles

BUSES 13 times safer than private vehicles

RAILROADS 35 times safer than private vehicles

(You answered) "buy a new car and drive"

YES, YOU NEED ADDITIONAL GUIDANCE!

WHY—

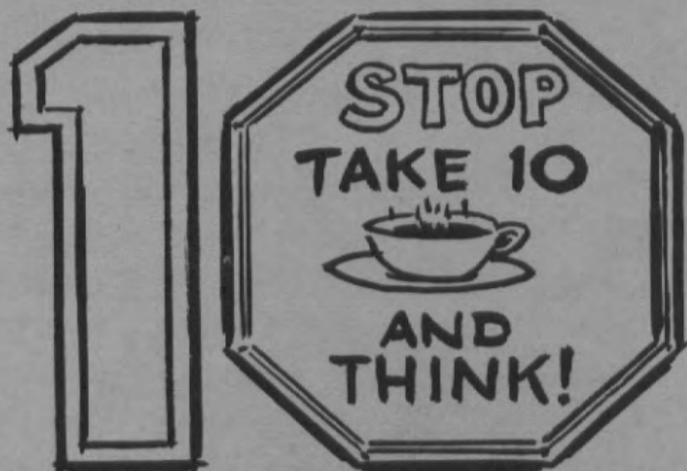
1. Your fellow drivers have been practicing every day.

2. You're about to buy quick and then put leave time on the road.

Be sure to use built in driver safety features, especially those seat belts, at all times! In a recent 6 months period, 283 military employees were killed in cars. 108 were not wearing seat belts in vehicles that had them. Only 4 of the 283 were using seat belts. Three of these 4 were in compact cars.

Plan your journey to make maximum use of turnpike and limited access highways.

DRIVE DURING DAYLIGHT HOURS!



Do you have adequate insurance from
a reputable company?

YOU GOT HOME SAFELY

Man-n-n it's great! You can't wait to see the family/friends—every thing is just as you remembered! Not Quite. No enemies! But the air is charged with emotion. They haven't been gone—YOU have. They're the same (pretty much) but you've changed a lot.

The important factor is your **ESTIMATE OF THE SITUATION.** You didn't think it was necessary to have one—but it is!

Try to fit in the world THEY know.

1. Sleep 6 to 10 hours every night.
2. Take it easy on the car.
3. Use only a moderate portion of anything.
4. Get acquainted with the new traffic signs and expect some new streets and roads to replace those that are gone.
5. Keep these HAZARDS in mind:
 - a. Traffic—as a driver and as a pedestrian.
 - b. Water Sports—don't fish, boat, swim, or hunt alone.

YOU'RE MIGHTY IMPORTANT; DON'T HURT YOURSELF, YOUR FAMILY OR YOUR FRIENDS

REMEMBER

You're earning pay while on leave; but you have to report back to get it. Follow the same **SAFE PRACTICES** for returning to camp that brought you safely home.

DISCUSS THIS PAMPHLET WITH YOUR FRIENDS

