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Are Women Running Things？ ＂While the cat＇s away the mice will play＂－so goes the
saying and it seems to fit into the situation in which the In Ancient Args $\quad$ G．I．REPORT

## RASPBERRY BUSH

Communique Comment As American troops penetrate deeper into the heart of
Japan＇s inner defenses，the Nipponese leaders are engaged
in a feverish program of home defense．Their fears of im－ minent attack on the homeland deferse．Their fearne out this week when Otinawa was invaded．The apparent ease with which ports of successful advances and light casualties might seem
to belie the efficiency and preparedness of Japan＇s inmer to the supcriority of our fleet and airforce．Naval and air
power will cointinue to contribute to our victory but the Japa－ nese intend to make a last ditch battle for their home soll，
and it is to this purpose that ther present preparations，are being directed．
Last mont
mation of a new＂Sure Victory＂party；for the purpose of stepping up the national war effort．Since the inaugu－ prime attention．Premier Koisu has announced the cre－ ation of a new defense system，to prevent American troops from isolating important industrial centers．Under this scheme Japan has been divided ino districts，each suppain a prolonged seige．In support of the defense pro－ gram，top priorities in land，buildings and materials have leen granted，
Lt．General Shibayama told the Japanese Diet last month group，to be used in the defense of the home islands，includes
all men over military age，reserve police，and air defense units．Mure recently a moasure was forced through the Die
which decreed the mobilization of women，and placed the homeland under virtial martial law．It is significant，ho
cver，that civilian defense units have not been issued fir arms．These units are trained with bamboo spears，althou
it is promised that more effective weapons will be suppli direct attack threatens．
Their Empit－minute atempts of the Japanese to secure Karafuto have belatedly been given seats in the Diet． This action and the frenzied propaganda aimed at the
Japanese public bespeak the anxicty of the warlords at the prospect of invasion．There can be no doubt but what the Japanese will put up a stiff struggle for their home
soil．The rugged terrain of Japan will make for some soil．The rugged terrain of Japan will make for some
tougli fighting．However，the overwhelming superiority of the American fleet and airforce together wilh the

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