The BOOK SHELF

By ELIZABETH EEDY

UNSOLVED MYSTERIES OF THE ARCTIC

By Vilhjalmur Stefansson

"The great romance of the Middle Ages was the first crossing of the Atlantic by Europeans, the unveiling of the New World. The great tragedy of the westward movement was the disappearance of 9,000 Europeans from their first American colony. The great mystery is how and why they disappeared."

On such a fascinating note does Stefansson's newest book open. You are interested at once and stay interested till the last page of "Unsolved Mysteries of the Arctic" has been turned. How was the Franklin Arctic expedition lost, and why? What happened to the Russian fliers? (Mr. Stefansson believes they may still be alive).

The author, world-famous Icelandic explorer, (born in Manitoba), seeks to solve these hitherto unanswered questions. More than any other person living today he is qualified for the task. He has spent long years in the Arctic, mapping, exploring, living with the Eskimos.

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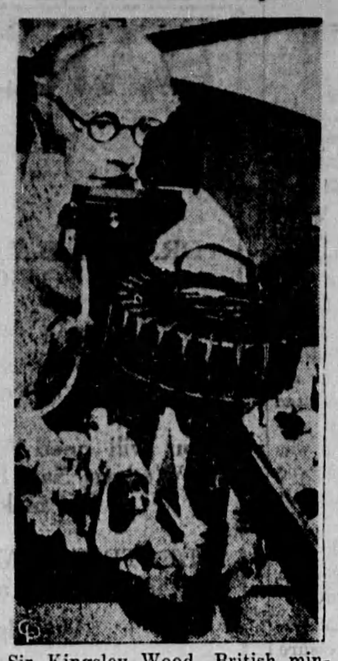
Latest Aerial Weapon



Sir Kingsley Wood, British minister for air, tries the latest in machine guns destined for use in Britain's new bombing planes. This new gun has an automatic movable turret which will aid the gunner in coping with the new high speed combat planes by shifting his position for him.

France is developing an artificial teeth industry, but finds it difficult to compete with the high grade American product.

Modern Etiquette

BY ROBERTA LEE

1. What are the important things for a man to consider when selecting a business suit?

2. Please suggest what would be the most simple and sufficient main course for a guest luncheon.

3. How should one issue invitations for a motor drive or trip?

4. When the coffee or tea is very hot, isn't one permitted to use the spoon to sip it?

5. Is it rude to insist upon having the last word when conversing with others?

6. Who should select and engage the clergyman for a church wedding?

Answers

1. The cut of the suit is probably the most important feature. Loud or striking patterns should be avoided, as well as very light colors and extremes in fashion. 2. A meat, fowl, or fish, and one or two vegetables. 3. The invitation is usually given verbally, in person or by telephone. 4. No. Merely wait until the coffee or tea has cooled sufficiently. After stirring, the spoon should be placed in the saucer and remain there. 5. Yes, it is rude, and always profitless. The success is never worth the effort. 6. Usually the wedding ceremony takes place in the church which the bride and her family attend.

National Aid For Students Is Advocated

Paul Martin, M.P., For Essex East, Urges a System of Scholarships For Brilliant But Needy Canadians.

The government should investigate the desirability of a system of national scholarships for outstanding students who are financially unable to continue their education, according to a resolution, sponsored by Paul Martin, Liberal, Essex East, appearing in the House of Commons votes and proceedings.

The scholarships would enable the students to obtain undergrdauate or post graduate training in universities, agricultural colleges and technical schools.

"Help Brightest Young People"

"The important industrial nations of the world are spending large sums annually in scholarship systems to ensure that the most brilliant of their boys and girls may not be prevented, because of a lack of financial resources, from securing adequate academic training to enable them to take their proper place as thoroughly trained leaders in industrial, professional and public life of their respective countries," the resolution said.

"In this age of scientific advance in all walks of life, Canada cannot afford to ignore longer and lose the tremendous asset which it possesses in the latent ability for trained leadership of the brightest of her young people."

Brief rent holidays will be given 24,000 tenants at Sheffield, England, because housing loans have been renewed at lower rates.

Hypnotic Influence

Albert Clark, of Russelville, Ky., observed that one of his chickens seemed hypnotized and would not take her eyes from an overhead light. When Clark turned off the light, the hen ran around cackling furiously. Several days later she laid a bulb-shaped egg, which Clark sent to Washington as proof.

"All the cattle were slaughtered for food, as there had been no feed for them anyway. Hay was shipped from Ireland for the starving cattle about Quebec, and it sold there for $45 per ton. Even next spring, flour was selling for $17 per barrel at Quebec and potatoes were a penny per pound."

Turkish women live longer than men, according to an official report issued at Angora, but emancipation has shortened their lives.

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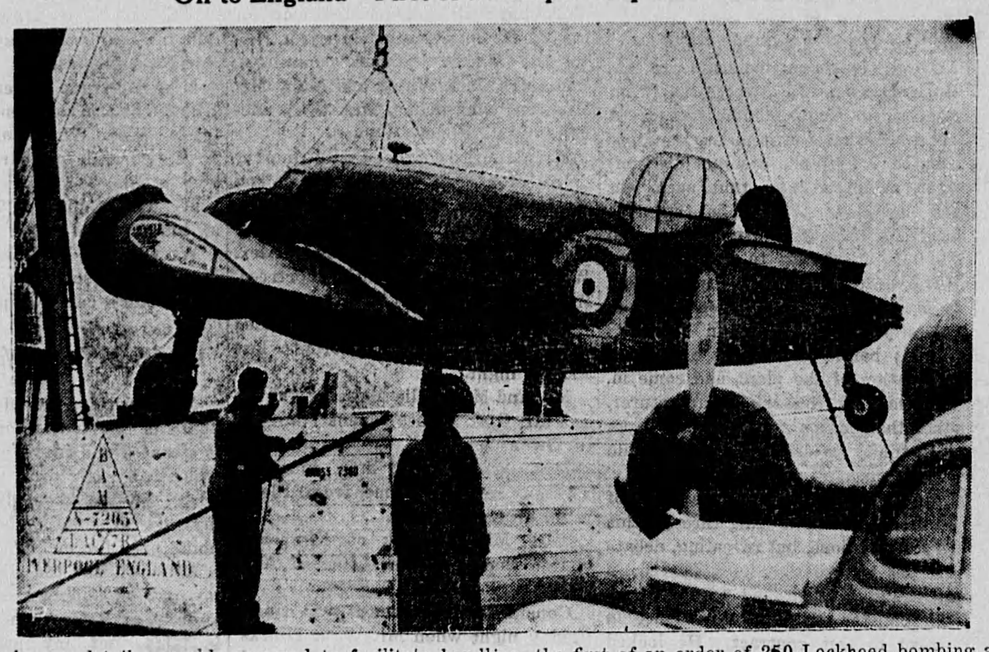
Off to England—First of a Bumper Crop of Bombers



Its wings and tail assembly removed to facilitate handling, the first of an order of 250 Lockheed bombing airplanes, built in United States for Great Britain waits on a barge in New York harbor for the crane which will load it aboard the steamship, Andania. The shipment is particularly interesting in view of the furore raised in Washington, and in Germany and Italy, over the United States' policy of building aircraft for Britain and France.

USES BOTH HANDS TO WRITE

Letter From a Man of 90

He asks us to excuse his writing. We do more than that—we congratulate him on being able to write at all at his age, especially as he has been suffering from rheumatism. This is what he says in his letter:—

"Three years ago I was in bed for six weeks with inflammatory rheumatism. Since that time I have been taking Kruschen Salts, and have not had another attack. But the complaint left me with inflamed feet, and it hurt me to walk. My hands were also somewhat stiff. I took Kruschen every morning before breakfast, and shall continue to do so, because I am sure they have kept me in good shape for three years. Excuse this writing as I am ninety years old, and use both hands to write."—J.R.G.

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Willie—"It was his own fault. He turned round."

A man was once caught by his Mrs.
To the maidservant giving some Krs.
On perceiving his plight,
He suggested in fright;
"What a most inconvenient mess thrs."

"Well, how have you been treated?" Herr Bloom asked his friend, who had just been released from a concentration camp.

"Oh, I can't complain. We had very good food, four meals a day, music on Sunday played by the S.S. Guard, clean lodgings, good treatment . . . "

"But, Fritz," said Herr Bloom, "I spoke to Ernst, who was in the same concentration camp, and he said he had a terrible time."

"Yes, but he is in again."

A very careful driver approached a railroad crossing. He stopped, looked and listened very carefully. All he heard was the car behind him hitting his gas tank.

Young Douglas had reached the age of seven, when he was promoted to the dignity of having a room to himself. His parents had furnished it with great care and showed it to him with no little pride and satisfaction.

Douglas viewed it in silence.

"Now, son," said his father, "this furniture is of the best. It will last you a lifetime."

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"Don't you like it, Douglas?"

"Oh, yes, I like it. But how do I know my wife will like it?"

"What animal am I imitating 99-klonk 99-klonk 99-klonk?"

"I give up."

"A centipede with one wooden leg."

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How Can I?

BY ANNE ASHLEY

Q. How can I easily remove fruit stains from table linen?

A. Just before laundering, pour some spirits of camphor over the stains, and they will disappear with ordinary washing.

Q. How can I mend the finger tip of a glove more easily?

A. Try slipping a thimble into the finger of the glove, and a neater job of mending will be the result.

Q. How can I prevent the raw yolk of an egg from becoming dry?

A. By covering the yolk with milk or water.

Q. How can I prevent tarnishing on the neck or arms from gold or silver costume jewelry?

A. This can be prevented by first coating the jewelry with colorless liquid nail polish.

Q. How can I clean the waffle iron?

A. The waffle iron should be given a good cleansing at least every sixty days. Make a thick paste of three tablespoons of baking soda and two teaspoons of water. Apply with a thick brush.

Q. How can I make the leaves of my rubber plant green and glossy?

A. Sprinkle a little sweet oil around the roots of the plant every few weeks.

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