Earl of Athlone Gives Tea Canteen To Canadians

One of the first public appearances made by Canada's new Governor-General, the Earl of Athlone following his appointment, was to present to the Y. M. C. A. a mobile tea canteen to be used in servicing Canadian troops at Aldershot and later in France. The Governor-General is shown here as he inspected the canteen before it was placed in service.

HAVE YOU HEARD?

The vistior paid his green fee, fixed up a match, and went out to the first tee. Taking his stance, he gave a wild swing and missed completely.

"Would you believe it!" he exclaimed to his opponent. "This course is at least two inches lower than the one I usually play on."

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Newspaper Reporter — Have any of your childhood hopes been realised?

Millionaire — Yes. When my mother used to comb my hair I always wished that I hadn't any.

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While a young mother was bathing her baby, a neighbor's little girl came in and watched the process. The child was holding a doll minus an arm and leg, and much knocked about generally.

"How long have you had your baby?" she asked the mother.

"Three months."

"My, but you've kept her nice!" exclaimed the little girl.

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Observed in a little country store in Michigan:

"You need your money
I need mine,
If we both get ours
It will sure be fine,
But if you get yours—
And hold mine too
What in this world am I
to do?"

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The fellow had just got back from Hollywood. He had been dazzled by the display of glamour and bigness in the movie colony.

"Eveything is done on a tremendous scale," he related to friends. "I attended dinner at a movie producer's home one evening and, instead of using finger bowls at the end of the meal, all the guests took showers!"

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What's more embarrassing for the office boy who is caught at the game with the modern grandmother who insisted on coming along.

Pitcairn Island Census Returns

Only 200 People Now Live on Island Colony Founded by Survivors of Mutiny on the "Bounty"

Residents of Pitcairn Island, that was founded by the survivors of the mutiny on the Bounty, recently decided it was high time to take a census of their population.

Pitcairn Island is a British possession, but the census enumeration was forwarded to friends in Oakland, Calif., who for years have kept up a correspondence with inhabitants of the island.

The census return was signed by Edward Grant and lists the population as it has grown from 1790, the year the Bounty mutineers landed there and founded the colony.

45 MARRIED COUPLES

The island then had a population of 21 which consisted of Fletcher Christian who led the mutiny against Captain Blight of the Bounty; nine mutineers, five Tahitian men; six Tahitian women and one child.

There are 66 Christians, Grant reported, and 47 Warrens. The Island now has 45 married couples.

Grant reported that his study found that 179 boys had been born there and 162 girls.

"The removal of unwise laws from the statute books lies not in appeal to the courts but to the ballot."

—Marian B. Sharpe.

Spend Twice As Much on Movies

As On Higher Education In Canada, Statistics Show

Canadians spend twice as much on movies as they do on higher education, a statistical study of university and college revenues made by the Dominion Bureau of Statistics discloses.

The amount spent on higher education in the Dominion for the previous academic year is estimated as being approximately 17 million dollars. Three times this amount is required to produce newspapers and magazines in Canada.

17 MILLIONS YEARLY

While there are wide variations in the sources of revenue in the various provinces, roughly speaking for the whole of the Dominion one-third of the $17,000,000 for the higher education comes from provincial grants, one-third from student fees and the remaining third from endowment income and miscellaneous sources.

"There are more than seven hundred kinds of flowering plants in the Arctic."

—Viljhalmur Stefansson.

HEALTH TOPICS

Tired? Sluggish?

That sluggish, half-tired feelnig you have these days may be due to the fact you gained a few pounds during the winter. Or, extra weight or no, that you have been eating too much, exercising and sleeping too little.

Try Liquid Diet

If you have been over-indulging in rich food and fattening drinks, you might begin your campaign with a twenty-four hour liquid diet. For one whole day, eat no solids.

Have fruit juice and a clear, hot beverage for breakfast, milk or fruit juice in the middle of the morning, clear soup, more fruit juice and a hot beverage for lunch, milk or vegetable juice in the middle of the afternoon, a dinner composed solely of liquids and, if you are hungry at bedtime, another glass of milk or fruit juice. Also, be sure to drink at least six glasses of water during the liquid-diet-day.

One Large Meal

From then on until you are slimmer and feel like yourself again, try the one-large-meal-a-day system. Have only fruit, one slice of toast and a hot beverage for breakfast; soup, a large green salad or a plate of vegetables and something to drink for lunch; one portion of anything you want for dinner. Or, if you prefer, have the large meal in the middle of the day, soup and salad for supper.

However, whether you eat the one large meal in the middle or at the end of the day, no second portion of anything is allowed. Always try to leave the table feeling that you could, if urged, manage to eat a little more.

Modern Etiquette

BY ROBERTA LEE

Q. Is a girl permitted to ask a man to dance with her?

A. Not unless the man is her husband, brother, brother-in-law, cousin, or perhaps a childhood friend.

Q. When a bride's father is not living, whom should she ask to "give her away?"

A. Usually the oldest male relative.

Q. When a man takes a girl to a public dining room, should he pull out the chair for her?

A. Yes, unless the waiter does so.

Q. Isn't it necessary for a person to have a great amount of both money and time in order to "shine" in the social world?

A. Not all all. Johnson says: "Money and time are the heaviest burdens of life, and the unhappiest of all mortals are those who have more of either than they know how to use.

Q. When a woman is going to stand in the receiving line for a tea at a clubhouse, should she wear hat and gloves?

A. Yes.

Q. How many courses constitute the formal luncheon?

A. Four or five courses.

How Can I?

BY ANNE ASHLEY

Q. How can I remove stains from marble?

A. Mix a paste of benzine and powdered soapstone. Spread this over the marble and leave it over night. Wash off with warm water. If necessary, repeat the application.

Q. How can I add to the flavors of tuna and salmon?

A. Add finely chopped sweet pickles, hard-cooked eggs, diced celery, or cucumbers. Mix with salad dressing or mayonnaise.

Q. How can I keep moths out of rugs that are to be stored?

A. Sprinkle the rugs with cayenne pepper and roll them securely in newspapers.

Q. How can I correct acid soil in my garden?

A. Although lime is not a plant food, it is valuable as a means of correcting sour or acid soil condition, and in making clay soils looser and more pliable.

Q. How can I prevent odor when cooking cauliflower?

A. Place a piece of stale bread on top of the cauliflower, after preparing it for boiling in the usual manner. Don't cover it. When done, remove the bread.

Fighting Pilots Mostly Blue-eyed

British Tests Show "Steely Gaze" Distinguishes Aggressive Aviators

Good fighter pilots in the air usually have blue eyes.

This is not a matter of mere coincidence. Scientific tests, carried out with the object of finding the ideal fighter-pilots have proved it.

All pilots must be of good sound stock and must pass a strict medical examination. This includes tests to find whether the applicant can withstand the strain of flying in all climates and all altitudes.

Eyesight must be first class with correct color vision and muscular balance.

The ear, nose and throat examination also is severe. Good hearing is essential, variations in the sound of the engine may be important, and a pilot must be able to hear messages coming through his earphones under any conditions of noise.

But it is the man's general characteristics which are the real pointers. Good fighter pilots vary a great deal in appearance — in their height — in chest measurement and in purely physical characteristics — but they all have something in common. This is a quality which indicates good mental and physical stamina.

As to whether the color of the candidate's eyes is any real guide, medical authorities are doubtful but while brown or gray eyes go with a sympathetic temperament, the steely blue denote the independent, combative nature of the ideal fighter pilot.

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Need Rational Thinking To-day

President of Dalhousie University, N.S., Declares "Hysterics Is Not Patriotism"

University graduates were not infallible guides in times of great political crises when the principles were obscure but as soon as principles were involved, "they know where the north star lies," president Carleton Stanley of Dalhousie University said in his message to the graduating class.

NO HYMNS OF HATE

"What we need above all in these days is a hard core of rational thinking. Hysterics is not patriotism. Hymns of hate are not military science. It is true that hysterics and hatred and vain boasting are stirred up by war but they do not win a war," he said.

Apartment Owner Kept Menagerie

Kansas City police last week received a complaint from one of the tenants of Mary Pratt's apartment house.

The complaint was based on Mrs. Pratt's love of animals and listed these animal dwellers in her flat.

1 2-year old lion.
4 Shetland ponies.
1 goat.
1 police dog.
1 family of cats.
1 monkey.
2 owls.

Police called on Mrs. Pratt who not only admitted possession of the animals named but showed them with considerable pride to the officers. The tenants in the building, she said, "don't have to stay if they don't want to. The animals want to and are going to."

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What Science Is Doing

EXPLORING THE ATOM

A camera device for exploring the heart of the atom and getting a quick record of the results has been designed at the University of Rochester.

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HARNESSING ATOMIC ENERGY

Gano Dunn, president of Cooper Union and of the J. G. White Engineering Corporation, predicts that atomic energy will be used industrially within "the next 10 or 20 years." This revolutionary scientific advance has been made a certainty of the near future as a result of recent experiments at Columbia University and the University of Minnesota which resulted in isolation of U-235, an isotope of the heavy metal uranium, he said.

"A new principle has been dsicovered," he said, "and when a new principle is discovered science moves swiftly along a broad front."

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EARTHQUAKE EFFECTS

Extensive after-effects of the great Turkish earthquake of Dec. 27 have been reported by the Istanbul Observatory, Principal among these are floods. Many areas are still under water. There have been many violent earthquakes subsequently, the most severe taking place on April 3. The series of earthquakes has caused extensive changes in land levels and, as a result, courses of rivers have been changed, and in some cases large areas have been converted into lakes.

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