GENERAL SIR ARCHIBALD WAVELL

In Egypt or India, man must have his paper with breakfast.

HAVE YOU HEARD?

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As he was drilling a batch of recruits the sergeant saw that one of them was marching out of step.

Going up to the man as they marched, he said sarcastically:

"Do you know they are all out of step except you?"

"What?" asked the recruit innocently.

"I said they are all out of step except you," repeated the sergeant.

"Well," was the retort, "you tell 'em, you're in charge."

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"Your frocks are all so skimpy!" complained the impossible customer. "I think I'd look nice in something flowing."

"Madam might try the river," said the exhausted assistant.

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An Albany court official, after explaining the history of the American Flag to a group of aliens seeking citizenship papers, asked one of them:

"Tell me, what flies over the city hall?"

The alien blinked a minute and replied: "Peejins."

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Doctor—And if he loses consciousness again, give him a teaspoonful of that brandy.

Patient's Wife—while he's unconscious? Oh, doctor, he'd never forgive me!

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Mother: "I don't think the man upstairs likes Johnnie to play on his drum."

Father: "Why?"

Mother: "Well, this afternoon he gave Johnnie a knife and asked him if he knew what was inside the drum.

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Sentry: Halt! Who goes there?"

Voice in the Dark: "Cook, with doughnuts for breakfast."

Sentry: "Pass, Cook. Halt, doughnuts."

Modern Etiquette

BY ROBERTA LEE

1. What is the bad habit many people exhibit when leaving a home they have been visiting?

2. Is it obligatory that a girl apologize when she makes a misstep while ancing?

3. Is it all right to remove seeds from the mouth with the fingers, when eating an orange at the table?

4. Should one be announced when calling upon a woman at an apartment house?

5. Is it all right to have trailing ribbons or fancy paper for decorations over the dinner table?

6. When a woman acepts an invitation, what should be done when she finds that it is displeasing to her husband?

ANSWERS

1. That of prolonging their leave-taking, often standing for many minutes at the door. It is much better to leave as soon as possible once the intention has been declared. 2. No, but her partner should say, "I am sorry." .3. It would be better to use the spoon with which the orange is being eaten. 4. Yes. Unless the woman is an intimate friend, request the hall boy to telephone her before going up. 5. No; a hostess with any claim to good taste will use these decorations only on such an occasion as a fancy-dress or a children's party. 6. As the invitation already has been accepted, the husband should attend and try to conceal his displeasure.

Grow More Cereals Advises Mr. Dewan

Good advice was given Ontario farmers by Hon. P. M. Dewan, Provincial Minister of Agriculture, at Sault Ste. Marie, when he urged on them the necessity of increasing cereal production next year, says the Windsor Star. They have had an object lesson this year of what it means to be short of feed for livestock at a time when the production of animals must be increased.

The feed situation is being solved just now, but only through extraordinary measures which have been taken by the Dominion, in the way of assisting in the payment of transportation costs from the West. This is an expensive system. It is far better to have the fodder available on the ground, and only by taking thought now can the farmers have assurance of adequate supplies when they are needed next year.

What Science Is Doing

HAIRS LOOK LIKE TREE TRUNKS

Imagine a human hair magnified so that it looks like a tree trunk, or a cricket ball enlarged so that its diameter appears to be four and a half miles! These are the latest miracles of science. An ordinary microscope — that is one that uses ordinary light — can be made to magnify 2,000 times. That is its limit; but science, wanting to go further, made a microscope which uses ultra violet light rays which are invisible to the human eye but not to the lens of the camera. With this photographs were obtained 5,000 times life size.

Not content with this, Dr. Zworykin and other specialists of New York have constructed an electron microscope using rays so short that objects are magnified up to 30,000 diameters. Photographic enlargements have increased these up to something like 200,000 diameters.

DANDELION RUBBER

While touring the Tien-Shan Mountains in 1931, a young Soviet student, named Bukhanovich, and a farmer, Spivachenko, found at an altitude of over 6,000 feet above sea level a variety of dandelion, now known as the kok-sagyz, which proved to be a rubber-making plant. Seeds of the dandelion have since been disseminated all over the Soviet Union. In 1940 an area was planted ten times as large as in 1937, and thousands of acres were to be added this year. A commercial crop of Brazilian hevea can be gathered only in the fifth year after planting, but kok-sagyz can be utilized as caoutchouc in the first year. And the caoutchouc is said to be satisfactory.

Steel production in Canada during the first seven months of 1941 amounted to 1,345,751 tons as against 1,127,828 tons and 691,290 tons in the correspondng periods of 1940 and 1939, respectively.

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Is Hunting Sport?

I hold no particularly humanitarian views about shooting and fishing, although as I enter the last stretch of life's race my sympathy for the hunted increases. My conception of sportsmanship is changing—the cards are too often stacked against the prey and the rules of the game give the lords of creation all the high cards in the deck.

I have no right and no wish to criticize any citizen who wants to hunt— a misnomer — provided that he observes the regulations, but for goodness sake don't let us camouflage this as "sportsmanship."

—Vancouver News-Herald.

Topper Or No Topper Mr. Winant Licked

United States Ambassador John G. Winant told an Overseas League luncheon that "I really have no qualifications as an ambassador.

"I remember," he said, "that when I came over here many years ago I thought I would like to go in the diplomatic service.

"We were asked to Buckingham Palace to tea and I wanted to be very correct. I remember getting a tall hat—the first I had ever worn—and a tail coat.

"We presented ourselves. But everybody else wore a straw hat and a short coat. A few days later we were asked to the races. I told a friend I would not make a fool of myself again. So I wore a short coat and a straw hat. Everyone else had a tall hat and a tailed coat.

"I retired then from the diplomatic scene."

TO WASHINGTON

Top-flight Japanese diplomat Saburo Kurusu, signer of the pact with Germany and Italy, is flying to Washington for conversations that may decide peace or war with the U. S. for his nation.

Queer Trick Played By London Bomb

The behaviour of the average Londoner in an air raid is typified by the experience of a friend of mine who was walking one night through a neighboring square when one corner of it was blown up. From the resulting mess there emerged a young woman. Now bomb blast plays some queer tricks, and her costume consisted of a thick coating of plaster dust and one shoe. She addressed him very precisely: 'I left my hat on the hall table. If you wouldn't mind fetching it I can get a bus'.

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How Can I?

BY ANNE ASHLEY

Q. How can I renovate black kid gloves?

A. Touch the worn spots with a camel's hair brush dipped into a mixture of olive oil and ink.

Q. How can I destroy plant insects?

A. Soak one tablespoonful of tobacco in one quart of water over night. Pour this solution on the soil about every thirty days; it will destroy plant insects and also fertilize the plant.

Q. How can I remove spots on tablecloths caused by candle wax drippings?

A. Rub the spots with cold lard or turpentine and then wash in warm soapsuds.

A. What are a few of the standard kitchen measures?

A. One salt spoon equals three-quarters of a teaspoon; three teaspoons equal one tablespoon; sixteen tablespoons equal one cup; two cups equal one pint.

Q. How can I retain the auburn tint in my hair?

A. Five cents worth of salts of tartar diluted in a pint of warm water is one of the best preparations for retaining the tint of auburn hair. Rub this into the hair until a goo lather is worked up; leave on the hair for about an hour before rinsing in clear water. This is a cleansing process and also brings out the auburn tint in the hair.

We Might Well Do The Same

Rural and suburban dwellers should start vegetable gardens and raise their own pigs and chickens for national defence, Mrs. Franklin D. Roosevelt told 1,500 persons recently at a forum sponsored by the Foreign Policy Association.

Such a move, she said, would take them out of the "consumer market" and leave more food to be shipped to England and other democracies resisting German aggression.

Nursing Sisters For Sailor Boys

Establishment of a Nursing Service in the Royal Canadian Navy

A navy spokesman described the new service as an offshoot from the army nursing service which formerly looked after navy needs. He said the service would be "on a small scale."

Navy hospitals were being built at Halifax and Esquimault and the nursing service would staff them. It might also staff other small units at other places but "definitely none of the nurses will go to sea."

Highest rank in the service is that of matron-in-chief, equivalent to lieutenant commander, and the pay is $7.75 a day. Matrons, who have corresponding rank to lieutenants, draw $6.50.

A nursing sister and dietician gets $4.25 and has rank equivalent to sub-lieutenant. Her pay increases to $5 after six months. A nursing sister who is an assistant matron or in charge of a hospital of from 100 to 175 beds gets an extra 50 cents a ay. Home sisters and physiotherapy aids, with corresponding rank to midshipman, are paid $3.

Sub Crews Rescued Now Number 1,276

The Admiralty has announced that a total of 1,276 officers and men have been rescued from an undisclosed number of sunken axis submarines.

A communique said:

"Royal navies, with the assistance of the coastal command of the R.A.F., continue to protect our shipping and to levy a heavy toll on enemy U-boats. For reasons well appreciated, particularly by the enemy, our successes against the U-boats are rarely published.

"It is possible to announce, however, that a total of 1,276 officers and men have been rescued from sunken enemy U-boats and are held prisoners of war. Of these 467 are Italians.

"The relationship between the magnitude of the enemy claims and his own lack of success was illustrated recently when the German high command claimed to have sunk 14 ships totalling 47,000 tons from a convoy homeward bound from Gibraltar. In fact four ships totalling 8,772 tons were sunk. This was only achieved by the enemy at a cost to himself.

Soldiers' Talents Will Be Utilized

Soldiers are no longer just so many men to be put into uniform and assigned haphazardly to whatever duties happen to need doing at the moment. It may sound like faddism to apply psychology to the army, but it is paying dividends.

There is a recognition in the Canadian Army today that men have aptitudes or training for certain trades and vocations. A special section at headquarters has the duty of seeing that the individuals are allocated to the duties they can do best. The result is an army of specialists, comparable to an efficient business organzation in which the employees are set at the tasks for which they are most apt. It may sound like "new-fangled claptrap" to the Old Army soldier, but it makes a better Army.

—Windsor Daily Star.

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