RESPONSIBLE FOR DEFENCE ON PACIFIC COAST

Here are the men upon whose shoulders rest the responsibility for the defense strategy of Canada's Pacific coast. They are photographed in "Operations Room" where direct cable connection with Lieut. General John DeWitt—commander of the U.S. Pacific defense networks at San Francisco is maintained at all times. At the left, Commodore J. W. R. Beech, C.O.P.C. (Navy); Major General R. O. Alexander, D.S.O., G. O. C. in C. Pacific Command (Army) and, right, Air Commodore L. F. Stevenson, A.O.C. Western Air Command.

MODERN ETIQUETTE

BY ROBERTA LEE

1. What are some questions one should avoid asking a prospective employer?

2. When calling for friends is it all right to sit in the car and sound the horn until they come out?

3. At dinner, is it necessary that each guest wait until everyone is served before beginning to eat?

4. Is it proper for a woman to enter a hotel dining room without a hat?

5. Is it all right, when playing cards, to draw a card from one's hand and hold it apart ready to play when the time comes?

6. May a man, who is escorting a woman to a theatre, leave her during intermissions?

Answers

1. The following questions tend to create a bad impression in the employer's mind: "What would be my hours?" "What salary do you pay?" "Is there much overtmie work?" "Do I get paid for overtime?" "Do I work all day Saturday?" 2. No; get out of the car, go to the door and ring the bell. 3. No; he may begin to eat as soon as he is served. 4. No. Women should wear their hats in the hotel dining room. Some of the more independent women do not wear their hats, but these manage to look as though they were employees of the hotel. 5. No; this indicates impatience for the play to reach you, and is exceedingly rude. 6. Yes; if there are others in the party to keep her company.

HOW CAN I?

BY ANNE ASHLEY

Q. How can I remove chewing gum from clothing?

A. The white of an egg will remove chewing gum that has become stuck to clothing. Rub the egg white on the gum and it may be removed without leaving a spot.

Q. How can I make wallpaper paste?

A. By mixing flour and water to a thin paste. When the mixture boils add a little powdered alum. Boil until the proper consistency for paste.

Q. How can I remove a tight glass stopper from a bottle?

A. To remove a tight glass stopper, wrap around the neck of the bottle a cloth which has been wrung out of hot water. Or, soak the neck of the bottle in vinegar for a while; work it gently and it will soon loosen.

Q. How can I make a knife polisher?

A. Try using a large cork for a knife polisher. Dip the cork into water then into scouring powder, and rub it on the blades of your knives. In this way you can apply all the pressure you wish without danger of injuring your hands.

Q. How can I clean rhinestones?

A. Soak the rhinestone article in gasoline for a few minutes; then dry, and polish with a soft cloth. It will look like new.

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FRUIT CROP VALUES SHOW 1941 INCREASE

Vineyards Close Second To Apple Orchards In Dollar Value

A preliminary estimate of production and value of the fruit crops in Ontario for 1941 just made available by the Ontario Department of Agriculture, discloses that apples again led in value of production, with $1,242,075.04. This was a decrease of $62,624.96 from the 1940 apple crop value. The quantity of apples produced last year was 614,871 compared with 783,000 bushels in 1940.

Grapes were again in second place in dollar value with a production of 22,500 tons valued at $1,189,294.71. Although the tonnage of grapes grown was less by 2,450 tons, there was an increase in income return to the grape growers of $265,594.71.

About 70 per cent of the grape crop is purchased by the wineries and this increase in commercial return was largely due to the increase of $10.00 per ton (from $40.00 to $50.00) in the price paid by the wineries to the grape growers.

The marketing of the grape crop is an outstanding instance of sensible and profitable co-operation between the grower and the processor. Each year there is established a fixed minimum price per ton on grapes which must be paid by the Ontario Wineries to the Grape Growers. This price is arrived at by mutual agreement between the Niagara Grape Growers Association and the Niagara Peninsula Growers representing the Grape Growers, and the Wine Producers Association representing Wineries. This price is approved by the Liquor Control Board of Ontario. The Wineries, therefore, represent an assurance of profitable return to the Growers.

Peaches are again in third place with a crop value of $1,162,848.10. This is an increase over the 1940 crop of $350,448.10. The quantity of peaches produced this year was 670,400 bushels, an increase of 75,400 bushels over 1940.

The 1941 figures compared with the 1940 figures on the other fruit crops are as follows:

		1940		1941	
Fruit	Unit	Production	Value	Production	Value
Canteloupes	bus.	103,500	$ 84,900	149,200	$102,620
Cherries	bus.	87,700	256,600	62,240	281,861
Pears	bus.	264,300	289,200	167,200	244,763
Plums	bus.	72,500	76,200	92,000	128,366
Raspberries	qts.	5,606,700	538,100	4,057,700	668,647
Strawberries	qts.	9,998,000	644,300	6,117,950	550,838

What Science Is Doing

TOPS IN SCIENCE

Ten big science stories and achievements of 1941, selected by Watson Davis, director of Science Service, are:

The radio locator of attacking airplanes developed and put into war use.

The enrichment of white flour and bread with vitamins and minerals.

The "cure" of gray hair in humans by daily doses of one of the B vitamins, paraaminobenzoic acid.

The great aurora of September 18.

The production of more and larger airplanes for war use.

The development of sulfadiazine spray treatment for burns.

Evidence that fowls constitute a reservoir for encephalitis or sleeping sickness and that mosquitoes carry the virus.

Evidence that infantile paralysis may be spread by flies.

Production of magnesium for airplanes by "mining" sea water.

Development and construction of a new type of cargo ship, Sea Otter II., welded and powered with auto engines.

TREE RINGS

Dendrochronology, the science of reading and charting tree rings to determine past weather conditions, etc., has enabled W. S. Stallings, Jr., of Santa Fe, N.M., to date a pinion pine log taken from an ancient Indian storage pit near Kanub, Utah, at 217 A.D., says Pathfinder. This is the earliest definite date assigned to a structure in the Southwest. Comparing the log's rings with the dendrochronological calendar, he found that it flourished from 91 until it was cut down in 216 A.D.

TIN PLATE

John S. Nachtman, director of research of the Sharon Steel Corporation, has developed a new process for electroplating tin on steel sheets, strip and wire which saves from 40 to 50 per cent in pig tin. The steel material is first given a "flash" coating of a metal other than tin, whereupon tin is deposited and brightened by melting it. It is claimed that this tin coating is more resistant to rusting than hot-dipped tin plate.

War In Sand, Jungle And Snow

No war was ever so literally a world war as this, which is fought in Arctic snows, in desert wastes, and in equatorial jungles. From the cold Russian front, which stretches far beyond the Arctic Circle, the war spreads south to the Libyan sands, and the steaming, fever-filled Malayan wilderness.

Each zone has its unique problems and hardships for soldiers. In the north they freeze, their guns go out of commission, their airplanes are hard to keep in the air. In the desert they struggle with water shortages and sandstorms. And in the jungle they must hack their way through entwined underbrush. But whatever the conditions, man is able to conquer, or, at least, stand up to them.

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Animal Fats Used In New Shortening

New Blended Shortening Combination of Meat Fats and Vegetable Oils

Development of an important new market for the farmer is indicated by the announcement that domestic meat fats are now being utilized in the production of Canadian shortenings.

Greatly increased hog production of fat exports to Great Britain might well have created a problem situation, but for the intervention of shortening manufacturers both in eastern and western Canada. Coupled with the need to develop a new outlet for these domestic fats, has been the Dominion government's import restrictions on vegetable oils formerly used in large quantities for shortening manufacture. The new blended shortening, as it is called, combines Canada's own meat fats with a proportion of vegetable oils to produce a product comparable in every way with the old type of shortening made from imported vegetable oils alone.

Dr. H. E. Robinson, eminent American nutrition research authority in recent consultation with the Dominion Government's experts on the fats and oils situation said, "Fats are essential in the diet. They supply more than twice the energy of other foods. They can help Canada win the war."

According to Dr. Edna Guest, convenor of the committee on public health for the National Council of Women, and its representative on the Canadian Council on Nutrition, "We must have animal fats in the diet. They are necessary for actual existence. An adequate diet is the key to Britain's security. With such facts before us we should search our markets to see that meat fats are always procurable. In the new blended shortening we find these very desirable essentials. Such developments as fortification of flour and the production of this new type of shortening, using meat fats as well as vegetable oils, deserve our study and serious consideration."

Use of the blended shortening entails no changes in existing recipes. It is used in the same quantities, in the same way, and with the same results.

Italians Release Wounded Airmen

Five wounded airmen, members of the crew of a British bomber which crashed within the defences of Halfaya, were brought out under a white flag by an Italian medical officer to receive attention from South African besieging the position.

The officer, who was permitted to pass through the lines unmolested, said the Italians in Halfaya lack medical supplies and it was only humane to bring the airmen to their friends.

The South Africans sent the Italian back under safe conduct with a large supply of surgical dressings.

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We Should Not Forget The Dutch

They Are Giving Valuable Aid to Our Side In Battle of Pacific

We must not overlook a tower of strength which is also on our side in the Pacific and which has been inflicting damage on the enemy in a manner rather to be expected from the descendants of those who once ruled the seas.

Holland's total fleet, when the country was overrun in 1940, amounted to 120 vessels of various categories, from battle cruisers to mine-layers and patrol boats. Practically this entire force got away from the Nazis, but since then 14 ships have been sunk. As of last September, 39 Dutch naval units were operating in European waters, so that we are conservative in stating that more than 50 ships are now in The Netherlands East Indies service.

And how are they doing? Well, the toll so far is half a dozen troopships laden with Japanese soldiers, a blow to enemy land strength, never mind the ships, which could equal in ultimate strategical and tactical value as many battleships.

These are the sons of the men who chased the French and the Spaniards out of this very Pacific; the sons, too, of the men who sailed up the Thames and burned the British fleet right under the nose of all London. — Chicago Sun.

Indian Fighters Outwit Japanese

The British Broadcasting Corporation told of messages from Singapore, praising the "magnificent work" of Indian troops from the North Malayan front.

One story received, typical of many, told of how three Indian soldiers led a Japanese column into a disastrous trap.

When the three Indians were captured by the Japanese, an interpreter told them they would be well rewarded if they would lead the troops to the rear of a certain British position.

"The Indians pretended to agree," the broadcast said, "and were marched in front of a Japanese column with tommy guns pressed into their backs."

"But instead of leading the enemy behind the British lines, the Indians dauntlessly led them straight into the line of British cross fire.

"Flinging themseles to the ground as the British troops opened fire, they miraculously escaped being killed."

The Japanese were either wiped out or fled in disorder. The Indians then identified themselves and rejoined their unit.

New Income Tax For Russian People

A war-time income tax affecting most Russians who earn the equivalent of $1 a day or more became effective January 1, authorities announced.

Levies range from $25 on salaries of $365 a year to $545 on those of $4,800. Partial payments are to be made monthly.

All citizens over 18 except Soviet army and navy personnel, their dependents and invalids are liable.

Two Good Things to do!

WIN the WAR

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Canada Will Use Jap Fishing Fleet

Plans have been approved by the Government for putting back into production the 1,100 vessels of the British Columbia Japanese fishing fleet which was immobilized by Government restrictions.

The fleet, owned by persons of Japanese origin, is valued at between $2,000,000 and $3,000,000. Some 980 units are impounded near New Westminster and the remainder at Prince Rupert and other Pacific ports.

They were impounded when the Government ruled that fishing by those of Japanese racial origin would be prohibited in all Canadian waters, and banning Japanese from serving on any fishing vessels.

The production of the Japanese fishing fleet in British Columbia contributed largely to the food supplies of the Empire, it was said. This led to a Government decision that action must be taken at once to get the immobilized fleet back into operation while preserving for the Japanese owners their equity in the vessels.

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