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Have You Heard?

One time after Edison had been working for months trying to perfect the storage battery, a reporter managed to break through all the barriers and face the irate inventor with the question, "Do you know any more about batteries now than you did a year ago?" To which Edison replied, "Yes, I know 9,874 ways of making a storage battery that won't work."

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Insurance Examiner: "Were you ever in the hospital?"

Applicant: "Yes, once."

Insurance Examiner: "What for?"

Applicant: "To see my aunt."

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An officer in a busy cafe in the North of England who wanted to get his bill, tried to attract the attention of the waitress who had served him. She called out, "Check, sir?" "No, Pole, and please give me my bill. I'm in a hurry."

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Mr. Thompson: "I'm convinced that China needs a firm hand."

Mrs. Thompson: "I've told the new maid that, but it's no use."

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"So you're on a minesweeper?" asked Auntie. "How thrilling that must be! Tell me, where do you sweep the mines?"

"Oh, just around the top and sides," answered her sailor nephew. "You know—where the dust settles."

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"Why do they call it a dental parlor-"

'Parlor is another name for drawing-room."

Nazi Gives Self Up To Aid Allies

A German who deserted the Nazis and who gave himself up to the British a short time ago was officially identified by Allied spokesmen as Erich Vermehren, clerk to the military attache in the German embassy at Istanbul and a son of the German authoress, Petra Vermehren.

The 24-year-old attache and his wife declared they deserted the Germans because they were disgusted with Nazi brutality. He is said to possess detailed information of greatest value. At the German embassy he served directly under Dr. Paul Leverkuehn, assistant military attache in Turkey.

Vermehren said he and his wife reached Allied controlled territory despite every effort by Germans in Turkey to apprehend him. Under investigation by the Gestapo, he disappeared several days ago. German Ambassador Franz von Papen interrupted a vacation in the Bursa Mountains to rush back to Istanbul in order to direct an investigation of his disappearance.

TO HEAR FINN OFFER

Mme. Alexandra Kollontay, above, Russian minister at Stockholm, is expected to receive Finnish peace terms from J. K. Paasikivi, now in the Swedish capital as Finn peace envoy.

Modern Etiquette

By Roberta Lee

1. What are important things to remember when writing a bread-and-butter letter?

2. Is it necessary for one to thank a stranger if one asks him for directions to some street?

3. Is it necesary that a girl check her wrap when dining in a hotel, and she wishes to dance?

4. Wouldn't it be all right to send engraved cards of thanks if the wedding gifts are numerous?

5. Is there a certain response that is always correct when being introduced to some one?

6. Is it necessary that one serve tea when a chance caller drops in?

Answers

1. Remember to write this letter immediately upon returning home. Second in importance is a sincere expression of appreciation. 2. Certainly. It would be rude not to thank him. 3. No; she may leave it on the back of her chair. 4. No. The bride should consider it worth her time and effort to write personal notes of appreciation to those who were kind and thoughtful enough to give gifts. 5. Yes, "How do you do." 6. This is optional, but is not obligatory.

Tokyo Said Ready For Air Attacks

A DNB radiocast from Germany quoted the Mayor of Tokyo as declaring that officials of the city "anticipate and are prepared for air attacks."

"We are using not only the experience gained through the bombing of Berlin and other German cities but above all our own practical lessons learned from the great earthquake of 1923," he was quoted as saying:

"Along with obvious airraid protection measures there also is a systematic dispersal of the population of this city of 8,000,000."

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FUNNY BUSINESS

"My idea is to shoot the enemy full of splinters—then send over an incendiary bomb!"

Britain to Reduce Output of Aircraft

Aircraft production, which since the early days of the war has had first priority on British labor, soon will undergo a reduction in its personnel because the "program is in such a healthy state," the Daily Mail said not long ago.

"Thousands of men and girls long employed in the aircraft industry," the newspaper added, "soon will be called into the services or will be transferred to other war work. The production program is in such a healthy state and the labor position has been so successfully dealt with that the industry can afford to dispense with some workers.

"This follows the biggest output year in British aircraft production history."

New Use Found For Chewing Gum

Another typical American quality constantly emerges from the battlefronts in the use of the fine air and ground weapons with which we are now able to equip our fighting men, says the New York Times. This is the ability to improvise on the spot even if that spot be the thick of battle, and to take mechanical ingenuity out of the realm of theory into the most practical of practice. In Italy, the War Department reveals, when a Marauder was hit by flak and the liquid necessary for safe landing with the hydraulic gear began to leak from a broken line two staff sergeants turned to a first-aid kit for repairs. They applied chewing gum to the flak hole, followed with adhesive tape and wrapped the whole with gauze. As a result the B-26, Old Ironsides, came home to a normal landing. From production line to battlefront our men are showing a versatility that is one of the sure components of victory.

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