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VOICE OF THE PRESS

HE DOES THINGS

Sir Richard Acland, British advocate of a share-the-wealth program, has just turned over his million-dollar 17,000-acre estate as a gift to the nation. There's a man who really practices what he preaches.

—Buffalo Courier-Express.

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WATCH YOUR AFFAIRS

Don't allow your affairs to become so involved that when Opportunity knocks you'll think it's the sheriff and sneak out the back way.

—Kitchener Record.

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UN-LINGUAL

The ability to speak several languages is an asset, but to be able to hold your tongue in one language is priceless.

—Wall Street Journal.

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High Quality Razor Blades

Germans captured in Italy have been equipped with razor blades of the finest steel. Who said the enemy was running out of steel?

—Windsor Star.

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DESCRIBED

After all, the income tax is just a matter of addition, subtraction, division, multiplication and mistakes.

—Kitchener Record.

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NAZIS' SECRET

There is beginning to be a suspicion that the German's chief secret is that they haven't any secret weapon.

—Owen Sound Sun-Times.

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JUST A HABIT

Soon the fellow who groused about getting up in the dark mornings will be grousing about the birds waking him up.

OTTAWA REPORTS

That Current Increased Egg Production Is Largely Due To Better Feeding Methods And Earlier Hatching

Canada's phenomenal winter egg production has resulted in deliveries of 405 carlots in January alone to the Special Products Board as against 201 cars in the same period last year, an increase of 101%, in addition to voluminous home consumption. With 600 cases of eggs,—18,000 dozen or 21,600,000 eggs in a carlot, that's a lot of egg powder.

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In 1943, according to a recent egg and poultry marketing report issued by the Dominion Department of Agriculture, the Special Products Board, which buys for Britain, purchased 1,869 cars with the following apportionment by provinces:

	Cars
British Columbia	5
Alberta	330
Saskatchewan	453
Manitoba	244
Ontario	768
Quebec	55
Maritime Provinces	14

Surplus egg producing provinces last year were:

	Cars
Alberta	478
Saskatchewan	900
Manitoba	345
Ontario	1,200

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British Columbia brought in 80 cars in 1943 largely required for Northern projects. Quebec province brought in 387 cars, 85 more cars than the previous year. The Maritime Provinces imported 211 cars from Ontario and 11 cars from other Western provinces as against a total of 152 cars in 1942, 161 cars in 1941 and 68 cars in 1940.

While moderate weather is considered the main reason for the current high production, earlier hatching and better feeding methods have been primary considerations. It is pointed out that with proper housing, birds can be made comfortable in any winter. The wood block hen house is recommended as one of the most economical and serviceable that can be built in wartime.

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Message for the corn grower! The Dominion Experimental Station at Harrow, Ont. in cooperation with the Central Experimental Farm at Ottawa and other stations, announces, as a result of five year's experiment, 12 hybrids added to the list recommended for Ontario, bringing to 31 recommended hybrids ranging in maturity all the way from the very early Canada or Wisconsin 240 to the very late Indiana 610.

Wisconsin 240 and Wisconsin 255 are added to the very early group, suitable for grain in the eastern and central parts of the province. The additions to the early group are DeKalb 65, Funks G176 and Iowa (white) 3215.

To the medium group, represented by Canada 645, the hybirds Pioneer 373 and Funks G31 have been added.

The late group has been extended to include DeKalb 458, Pioneer 340, Funks G29, Illinois 972, and Indianna 610. The first three of these are just a little later maturing than Canada 696, while the remaining two are considerably later.

Shakespeare Knew

"Foolish curs! that run winking into the mouth of a Russian bear and have their heads crushed like rotten apples." Who said it? The Duke of Orleans, in "King Henry V". If the Germans had studied Shapespeare instead of "Mein Kampf", it might have been better for them.

—Brantford Expositor.

THE WAR · WEEK — Commentary on Current Events

Naval Action Against Japan To Be Supported By Land and Air Drive

The war in China may be expected soon to come into greater prominence in co-relation with the American Navy's intended push across the Pacific toward China's coasts, writes Guenther Stein in The Christian Science Monitor.

Far-reaching perparations are under way for support of naval action by aggressive land and air operations against Japan from the Chinese interior.

This is clearly the meaning of the statement which Lieut. Gen. Joseph Stilwell has just issued in Chungking.

"Admiral Nimitz has stated that the Navy intends driving across the Pacific, breaking the Japanese blockade, landing ground and air forces on the Chinese mainland," General Stilwell declared.

"To accomplish such mission naval action must be supported by aggressive land and air offensive projected from the interior.

"This we intend to do in spite of the existing blockade.

"Chinese and American forces fighting through Burma have already begun their first assault on the Japanese cordon.

"The Ledo Road is progressing satisfactorily in spite of extremely unfavorable weather conditions.

"At present, however, China is totally dependent on air transport and needs an immediate and continuous increase in supplies. Vital China-based operations cannot wait for penetration of the blockade by land or sea.

"Air transport in this theater has set historic records, but far greater tonnage must be achieved than our present operations permit. To accomplish this end we will have the largest and newest cargo carriers available and in anticipation of such aircraft every facility and accommodaton is benig prepared."

An Outstanding Record

The American Army command in China has already achieved outstanding successes.

1. It has brought in by air a monthy tonnage of supplies which is several times bigger than the tonnage that came in by land over the Burma Road in average months from the opening of the road when the total was 250 tons monthly, to the last months before the loss of Burma when the total exceeded 10,000 tons monthly.

2. With the full co-operation of the Chinese Army and authorities it has constructed a great number of airfields in rear and forward areas practically all over Free China to keep well ahead of air transport and operational activities.

3. The entirely air-supplied American Air Force in China of moderate dimensions has achieved outstanding successes: Helped Chinese armies in warding off several Japanese land offensives, supported at least one Chinese counterattack in North Hunnan this winter, bombed Japanese installations over the tremendous arc from Central China via the China coast Hong Kong to French Indo-China and Burma, destroyed large and steadily increasing numbers of Japanese shipping on China's rivers and far out into all parts of the China Sea, inflicted heavy losses on the Japanese Air Force vastly greater than its own losses.

Construction of airfields especially in the rear, are now taking on proportions never before seen in China.

The vastness of the new airfields and the length of the runways which are now under construction by many hundred thousands of Chines coolies may be regarded as among the most outstanding achievements of primitive Chinese hand labor in China's famous history of construction work which saw the building of the Great Wall, the Grand Canal, and tremendous irrigation schemes with practically the same methods as are employed today.

Kidneys Must Clean Out Acids

Excess acids, poisons and wastes in your blood are removed chiefly by your kidneys. Getting up Nights, Burning Passages, Backache, Nervousness, Rheumatic Pains, frequent headaches, and feeling worn out, often are caused by Kidney and Bladder troubles. Usually in such cases, the very first dose of Cystex goes right to work helping the Kidneys clean out excess acids and wastes. And this cleansing, purifying Kidney action, in just a day or so, may easily make you feel younger, stronger and better than in years. The iron clad money-back agreement on Cystex insures an immediate refund of the full cost unless completely satisfactory. You have everything to gain and nothing to lose under this money back offer so get Cystex from your druggist today.

Nazi War Workers Get Scanty Leave

Since most women have a free Saturday afternoon it will not often be necessary to grant them four hours extra leave. Women who work in weekly shifts either day or night will in no case be entitled to supplementary leave; women with one child under fourteen may have two whole days for housework every four weeks.—Reicharreitsblatt.

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