

The Haileyburian's Weekly Feature Page

BRITISH WAR MINISTER EXAMINES FAMED BREN GUN



Perhaps the most important man in Premier Chamberlain's British cabinet in these crises-filled days is Leslie Hore-Belisha, minister of war, and responsible for the advancement and augmentation of Great Britain's armed forces. Working on the theory of "understand the armaments and you understand the army's complex problems," he is never too busy to join the troops as they go through manoeuvres, especially when some new type of weapon is under scrutiny, as was the case when this picture was taken. The minister of war is seen with a division outside London, as he is instructed in mastery of the intricacies of the Bren machine-gun, of which Canadians have heard more than a little over the past few months.

Household Hints

By MRS. MARY MORTON

"Come for dessert and coffee!" That's the fashion for invitations when one sets out to round up the crowd for an evening of bridge. It's the perfect prescription for social ice-breaking, and it dispenses with the effort and expense entailed in giving a dinner or a buffet meal.

It is a nice idea to serve regular coffee and also decaffeinated coffee for those who insist that coffee keeps them awake or that it doesn't agree with them. And for the dessert there should be something of a substantial order, not just a bit of fluff. And it must be a dessert that appeals to the menfolk, too.

ICE CREAM SHORTCAKE or a baked pie crust filled with ice cream and fruit makes a festive choice. It may be made of large layers of sponge or other plain cake, or of cup cakes cut in half, crosswise. Put a generous layer of ice cream on the lower layer of cake and cover with the top. Place on serving plates and pass several sauces so that guests may take their choice, such as hot maple syrup containing chopped walnut or pecan meats, a thick chocolate sauce, marshmallow sauce or a sauce made of canned or preserved raspberries or strawberries.

To make the marshmallow sauce, cut four ounces of marshmallows in pieces. Melt in double boiler. Dissolve one cup of confectioner's sugar in one-fourth cup boiling water. Add to marshmallows and stir until dissolved. Cool before serving.

ALMOND ICE CREAM to the tune of six servings is made with one-fourth cup sweetened condensed milk, one-half cup water, one and one-half teaspoons almond extract, one-half cup finely shredded almonds and one cup of whipping cream. Blend sweetened condensed milk, water and almond extract thoroughly. Chill. Add finely shredded almonds. Whip cream to custard-like consistency and fold into chilled mixture. Pour into freezing pan of automatic refrigerator. Place in freezing unit. After mixture is about half frozen remove from refrigerator. Scrape mixture from bottom and sides of pan. Beat until smooth but not melted. Smooth out and replace in freezing unit until frozen for serving. When peach time comes along, remember that this ice cream is especially delectable when garnished with crushed, slightly-sweetened fresh peaches.

Hints On Fashions

Dirndls Still Popular With Many

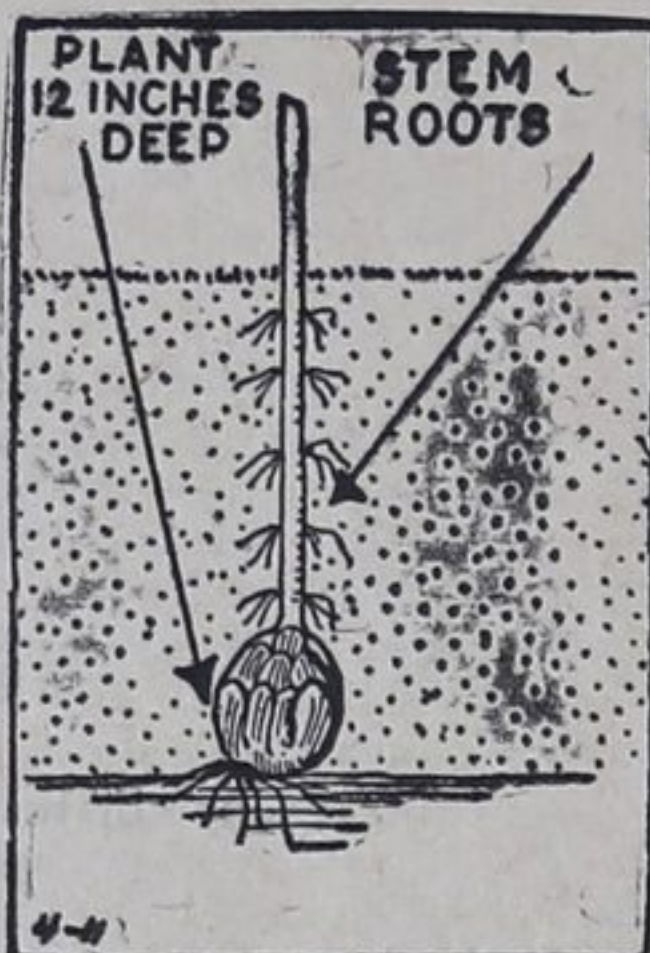


NOT OUTMODED

Despite emphasis on other silhouettes and styles, it is good to know that the dirndl type of frock is still with us. Many women like this line and for the proper finish it is charming. This model is of sheer crepe in a caramel shade and the diagonal pin-stripe and dot are black. The bodice buttons to the waist with self-covered buttons. Slanting slit pockets on the skirt.

Weekly Garden-Graph

Written by DEAN HALLIDAY for Central Press Canadian



Lilies for spring planting

If you did not plant lilies in your garden last fall they can be planted now, or at least certain varieties can now be set out with safety. Some lilies only grow roots from the base of the bulb, while another group, called stem-rooting, send out roots from along the stem as well as from the base of the bulb. The stem-rooting lilies can be safely planted in the spring, since the stem roots help to provide the bulb with food and water.

As shown in the Garden-Graph, the bulbs of stem-rooting lilies should be planted 10 to 12 inches deep. Each bulb should be set on a handful or two of sand.

The stem-rooting group of lilies includes the Auratum-Elegans, Henryi, Longiflorum, Regale, Rubellum, Speciosum and Tigrinum.

FIREMEN INJURED BATTLING \$75,000 BLAZE



Three firemen were overcome as a result of the \$75,000 fire which swept the fifth floor of the Nicholas factory building in Toronto. Several other firemen received minor injuries from falling glass and debris, but remained on duty during the most gruelling fight in the recent fire history of Toronto.

Most Attractive Girl



Cobina Wright, Jr. has been selected by the New York Society of Illustrators as "the most attractive and talented New York girl" of the 1939 season.

Youngest President



J. Ferris David, on the staff of the Ingersoll Tribune, who was elected by the Ontario Educational Association as its president. He is the youngest president in the 78-year history of that body. At 25 he was chairman of the Ingersoll board of education and has since headed the trustees' and ratepayers' association.

TUNIS' DEFENDER



General Berthomet, ABOVE, is in charge of the "little Maginot line," key to French defence of Tunis. The centre of the strongly fortified line is at Mareth. After inspecting the fortifications, Premier Daladier answered Italian threats of aggression with the assertion France would not yield one inch of territory.



If your mahogany table is scratched, all the scratches with tincture of iodine. Then apply wax or furniture polish, and the scratches will be practically invisible.



Bad luck and poor judgment are twins.

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- ACROSS**
- 1—A light boat
 - 6—Entitled
 - 10—Fruit of the oak
 - 11—Wrath
 - 12—Floor covering
 - 13—Grapples
 - 16—Diminutive suffix (Fr.)
 - 17—Donate
 - 18—Plot of land
 - 19—Appoint as agent
 - 21—Gaunt
 - 22—Beam of light
 - 23—A brawl
 - 24—Exclamation to attract attention
 - 26—A human being
 - 29—Medieval trading vessel
 - 30—Town in Persia
 - 31—Protestant Episcopal (abbr.)
 - 32—Classifying
 - 34—Exclamation of delight
 - 35—Food fish
 - 36—The lowest point
 - 38—Correct
 - 39—Celestial bodies
- DOWN**
- 1—Concerned
 - 2—Sharp
 - 3—A strong ale
 - 4—Correlative of either
 - 5—A being
 - 6—Refined
 - 7—Noah's vessel
 - 8—Softens
 - 9—Covered with dust
 - 14—Hail!
 - 15—An eternity
 - 17—Chief island of the Ladrone group
 - 20—Introductory speech
 - 21—Brought into existence by birth
 - 23—Governs
 - 24—A corner pronoun
 - 26—Broad, shallow vessel
 - 27—Region where Solomon obtained gold and gems
 - 28—Approaches
 - 30—A famous pirate
 - 33—Russian river
 - 34—Girl's name
 - 37—By

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