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"SALAH" TEA

ANNE HIRST Your Family Counselor

"Dear Anne Hirst: Not many new homes are disrupted yet in the Korean fighting, I expect. But I know of three couples who are already facing problems resulting from it. Perhaps your comment can help them, and others.

"One young bride I know was disliked by her husband's family—Heaven only knows why. She lived with her folks while he was away. He came home on furlough, and she became pregnant. Shortly after the baby came, he was discharged.

"His family had been writing him that his wife had been running around, which I know was not true. His mother talked this boy into going to court, to try to prove the baby wasn't his!

"The judge, fortunately, would have none of that. But as a result, this fine young couple are separated today... Will these mothers ever hear?"

UNFAITHFUL WIFE

"The second girl was not so innocent as she dated other men. When her husband came home he demanded divorce. Asked if he had been faithful to her, he said it was "different with a man." His wife did not contest the action.

"Ironically, he married a beautiful blonde who rules him with an iron rod. He would gladly wriggle out of this exacting set-up, except for his little boy whom he adores.

"The mother of the third boy had divorced his father long ago, and had had one affair after another. Yet, while her son at war should have been getting comforting letters, she wrote that his wife was going dancing with service men. Which was true.

"When he came back, he asked his wife no questions. He made one statement: He did not believe in double standards for husband and wife, and he suggested they renew their marriage vows. They did, and they are a happy couple today."

I have lived through both World Wars. From what I know and what I hear, most war marriages would work out all right if jealous mothers and malicious "friends" would mind their own business.

TO "A WELL-WISHER"

The mother of the first couple has her wish: She has broken up her son's marriage. It is sad indeed that he had not faith in the girl who married him.

The husband who demanded a divorce because his wife had "not been true" is finding out that there are worse women to live with than a reformed wife. How miserable he must be now!

My hat is off to the third soldier who refused to question his wife at all. He trusted her, and kept his head. The idea of renewing their marriage vows was a wise and happy plan; it could well be adopted by other couples than war-time ones.

A young husband, off to the war, leaves his bride convinced that she will stay true to him. Contrary to general opinion, most of them do.

If your husband is in the war, watch your step so that no one has reason to criticize you in any way.

If trouble comes, write Anne Hirst about it, at Box 1, 123 Eighteenth St., New Toronto, Ont.



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CROSSWORD PUZZLE

ACROSS

1. This cake
2. Top aviator
3. Puff heart
4. Recurve
5. Jew
6. Over
7. Contest name
8. Bird
9. Steps
10. Lucky number
11. Dog
12. Dog
13. Accomplished
14. Chess piece
15. Dancer
16. Very large
17. Greek city
18. Candy
19. Ruffian
20. 770
21. Linder tree
22. Musical instrument
23. Ingredient of whisky
24. Stage's thing
25. Recruit
26. Salt
27. Recently
28. Diner
29. Lady's substitute
30. Down
31. Water
32. Young man

DOWN

1. Turn number
2. Gain a victory
3. Small tumor
4. Wanda
5. Situation
6. Power station
7. Tart
8. Mark
9. Female
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Answer Elsewhere on This Page

Headly Sort Of Toys

Ready to take their place in the Christmas toy parade are these "Loony Lids," made of colorful plastic to resemble known elephants, horses and roosters. The lids are seen here making a trial run atop the heads of two little girls.

Of flexible plastic, they are inflated during play-time and when deflated, fold into a small, compact package.



CHRONICLES OF GINGER FARM

By Gwendoline D. Clarke

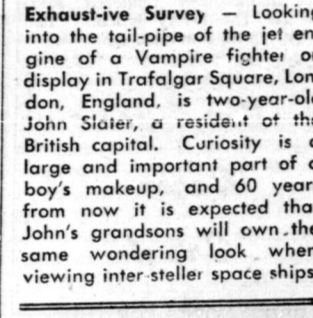
"God Save Our King." We have heard and sung those words so often, haven't we—and almost as often have paid little attention to their meaning. But now, quite suddenly, they have taken on much greater significance and most of us will be saying literally and earnestly, "God Save Our King." Few can think that the King is urgently in need of the prayers of his people—as also are the physicians and surgeons attending him.

"Unlucky lies the head that wears a crown." Who can doubt it after seeing recent press photographs of our present King? I wonder how the Duke of Windsor feels when he sees the tired, harassed appearance of the brother who took over the responsibilities which he relinquished for purely personal reasons.

If, and when, Princess Elizabeth and the Duke of Edinburgh do come to Canada perhaps the illness of the King will cause us in Canada to be a little more restrained in our welcoming demonstrations. I am sure less blunting and more consideration would be greatly appreciated by the young couple on their arduous tour.

And how did everyone enjoy the return to summer last week? If you like hot weather you could have had my share as well as your own. I prefer fall weather that has a little tang to it. It was too hot, it rained so heavily on Saturday... two fall fairs and three weddings in this district—and the weatherman had to put on an act like that! But there was another affair last week with which the weather did not attempt to interfere at all—the annual meeting of the County Federation of Agriculture at which Dr. H. H. Hannam, M.B.E., was the guest speaker. Partner and I were both on hand to hear Dr. Hannam who has done so much for the interest of farmers. Partner had heard him address a meeting some years ago but it was the first time I had either seen or heard him. We were both favourably impressed. Dr. Hannam's obvious sincerity and his delightful sense of humor were particularly pleasing. And he is about the only speaker I ever heard who could quote statistics and still hold the interest of his audience. Apparently he is absolutely unbiased politically as he promised stiff opposition to any government who try to put controls on farm products without also placing controls on other goods and services. "That you may have heard on the radio as Jack Denner jumped the gun and quoted Dr. Hannam's remark before he had even given them. Nothing slow about our newscasters!

Dr. Hannam mentioned his Ottawa staff of six—including himself, two assistants and three secretaries. Six! To look national and international marketing problems for organized Canadian Agriculture! A voluntary tax, especially for the Federation of Agriculture, is paid by many rural municipalities, which is collected from the farmers. Perhaps it might serve a better purpose.



Exhaustive Survey — Looking into the tail-pipe of the jet engine of a Vampire fighter on display in Trafalgar Square, London, England, is two-year-old John Sluiter, a resident of the British capital. Curiosity on display in Trafalgar Square, London, England, is two-year-old John Sluiter, a resident of the British capital. Curiosity on display in Trafalgar Square, London, England, is two-year-old John Sluiter, a resident of the British capital.

There was not too big a crowd at last week's meeting and how I was wishing that every farmer and his wife could have made a special effort to be present. We felt the ones who were absent missed so much. Dr. Hannam has such a wonderful personality—friendly, approachable and alert. Just to see and hear him inspires confidence. With Dr. Hannam at the helm you feel that agriculture is less likely to become Canada's forgotten industry.

I heard several remarks upon Dr. Hannam's changed appearance. From a slim young fellow he had changed to a broad, thick-set man—it occurred to me that the breadth of his shoulders had developed from the load they had had to carry for so many years.

And to change the subject... an editorial in one of our daily papers raised the question—"Where are the old hymns?" I would like to add to that question and ask—"Where are the old hymns?" In our church as in others the tendency is towards newer and less familiar hymns. To me the old hymns are the best—only for their content but by association with one's childhood and with those who have passed away. Not only that, with old hymns all the congregation joins in the singing. Unfamiliar hymns and most of the singing is left to the choir, giving you a sort of unsatisfied, undefined longing.

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MINARD'S LINIMENT

"KING OF PAIN"

Some Good Advice — In Reverse

The various civil defense organizations in Canadian centres are doing a fine job of making people aware of the potential horrors inherent in an atomic bomb attack. At the same time they are emphasizing that there are certain ways in which the populace can combat the devastation, which the result of atomic attacks and offer the advice we are reproducing below. There's truth in what they say. Even though you get a chills out of their advice, think over what they say, particularly the end result.

As soon as the bombs start dropping — run like heck. It won't do you any good but it keeps your mind off more important things.

If you find an unexploded bomb, always pick it up and shake it. The firing pin is probably stuck and bombs in that condition are a constant source of danger.

Always under any circumstances, get excited and shout. It will add to the confusion and danger of the devil out of little kids.

Go to the nearest phone and start calling your friends. Someone might want to call the fire department, but they will be busy and appreciate not being called.

Always eat heavily of garlic and timbarger cheese and drink strong wine before entering a shelter. This makes you a bit unpopular, but it is surprising how much more room you get. Knock those down in charge if they start telling you what to do. They always save the best seats for themselves anyway.

If you should be the victim of a direct hit, don't let it upset you—under any circumstances fly to pieces. Just lie down and relax, you're dead.

—From The Alkan Ingot

Taking Care Of Your Towels

"My bath towels wear out so fast!" seems to be a common plaint today. A few hints as to their care may aid in preserving their wearing qualities.

1. New bath towels should always be laundered before using, to make them absorbent; and absorbency increases with each laundering.
2. Do not allow Turkish towels to become too soiled, for harsh scrubbing definitely shortens a towel's life.
3. Turkish towels should never be treated.

Since this type of towel always shrinks with laundering, choose towels large enough.

When man seized the loadstone of science but in the clouds of superstition vanished in the clouds of superstition.

—William R. Alger

Every Sweet Tooth will love SOUR CREAM BUNS

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MADE WITH FLEISCHMANN'S FAST RISING DRY YEAST

It's such a thrill to make new yeast treats—now you haven't to worry about yeast that stales and weakens! Fleischmann's Yeast keeps full strength, full acting without refrigeration. Get a month's supply.

Scald 1 1/2 c. milk, 1/2 c. granulated sugar, 2 tsp. salt and 1/4 c. butter or margarine; cool to lukewarm. Meanwhile, measure into a large bowl 1/2 c. lukewarm water, 1 tsp. granulated sugar; stir until sugar is dissolved. Sprinkle with 1 envelope Fleischmann's Fast Rising Dry Yeast. Let stand 10 minutes, THEN stir well.

Sieve 1/2 c. cold mashed potato and mix in 2 unbeaten egg yolks and 1/2 c. thick sour cream; stir into yeast mixture and stir in lukewarm milk mixture. Stir in 3 1/2 c. unsifted bread flour; beat until smooth. Work in 3 c. (about one) sifted bread flour to make a soft dough; grease top. Cover and set in a warm place, free from draught.

Let the until doubled in bulk. Punch down dough, grease top, cover and again let rise until doubled in bulk. Punch down dough and turn out on lightly floured board; roll to 1/2" thickness and cut into 3 1/2" rounds and place, well apart, on greased cookie sheets. Using a floured dipper, make a deep depression in the centre of each bun. Brush rounds of dough with mixture of 1 slightly-beaten egg white and 1 tea. water; sprinkle generously with granulated sugar. Cover and let rise until doubled in bulk. Deepen depression in bun and fill with thick raspberry jam. Bake in hot oven, 425°, about 15 minutes. Yield—3 dozen large buns.

FALL FAIR TIME IN ONTARIO

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Arthur, Ont.—That's What They Call Showmanship. Nora Wilson is seen pushing her prize winning Shorthorn's left front foot into a position more likely to meet with judges' approval.



Listowel, Ont.—They Call Him "Dinky"—And no wonder as the pony ridden by David Thompson, with Peter Thompson at the head, could never pass as a blonde.



Caledonia, Ont.—Nice Place To Do Your Exercises. With a beautiful view of the Green River in the background, a pacer limbers up in preparation for the afternoon's events.



Uxbridge, Ont.—"Air Minded"—At least the young ladies seem to be as they admire the balloons. However, the little fellow seems to be interested in something on terra firma.



Arthur, Ont.—"Some Punkin." At least little Pamela Banks seems to think so, although she was probably wondering more admiration than were the fruits and vegetables on display.



Ylmer, Ont.—Not The One That Laid The Golden Eggs, but a firm bird nevertheless is this First Prize Winning goose shown with owner, Mrs. Frank Brackenburg.

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