

Modern Etiquette

- 1. Is a friend who does not possess the least trace of envy worth cultivating?
2. Should a pretty girl in an office expect special favors on account of her sex?
3. What would be a good toast to give at a wedding anniversary?
4. When one is going away on an extended trip and a friend gives her a "send-off" party, should she write this friend a letter while away?

Answers to Modern Etiquette

- 1. Yes, because this friend in all probability has many other virtues. According to La Rochefoucauld, "The most certain sign of being born with great qualities is to be born without envy."
2. Never. Her position depends upon her efficiency, and she is not there to be courted or petted.
3. "May your coming anniversaries be numbered only by your coming pleasures."
4. Yes, and as soon as possible after leaving, expressing again how much she enjoyed her thoughtfulness.

Lessons In English

Words Often Misused
Do not say, "I calculate it is true," or "We calculate to go next week." Say, "I think it is true," and "We plan to go next week."
Primary meaning of calculate is to determine by mathematical processes.

Words Often Mispronounced
Acclimate. Pronounce a-kill-mit, first a as in unpressed, first i as in climate, and accent second syllable.
Effial (Tower). Pronounce ef-el, both e's as in bell and accent last syllable. (This is the French pronunciation.)
Cinquus. Pronounce kong-kwest, stress first syllable.

Pellagra Can Be Cured

Pellagra is still a scourge in some parts of the world, even in the United States. In the South it is not so much poverty that is directly responsible for the disease, as the ignorance that always seems to be an accompaniment of indigence. It has been definitely proved time and again, that a deficiency diet causes pellagra. Dr. J. Goldberg, an expert on the disease, came to the South and demonstrated this by well conducted experiments in orphanages and other institutions. In 1914 he carried out a series of experiments in Jackson, Miss. In two of these orphanages there had been outbreaks of pellagra every spring and summer. Sometimes as many as 75 or 80 cases occurred. Dr. Goldberg gave the children large supplies of fresh meats, eggs, peas, beans, oatmeal, etc. The children did not develop the disease again. Prior to this, the plague appeared with such regularity that it was supposed to be carried by a parasite.

A Break for Julia

By SMITH JOHNSON
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CHARLOTTE LOVICH could hardly wait till 12 o'clock lunch hour, so eager was she to show her friend Julia Winter her new ring. "It's lovely," praised Julia. "I do hope you and Leslie will be very, very happy," she added, wistfully. "I hope so, too," retorted Charlotte. "And I guess we will be, for Les seems willing to give me anything I ask for. Lucky for him that he works in a store and can get a good break on the sort of stuff I want."

"Where will you live?" inquired Julia. "Out on Park terrace," "Aren't the rents awfully high in that district?" "Oh, yes," cheerfully admitted Charlotte. "But we only live once, I tell Les, so we're getting the very best of everything."

"What a nice willow rocker for your hope chest!" called the foreman of the warehouse, as the tall, cheerful-looking truck driver passed the office door. "What's wrong with it?" replied the younger man. "Paint got scratched off in uncrating and the party that ordered it claims the color can't be matched. We settled with her for \$5 cash—and we don't want the rocker."

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Locating Oil by Sound

The award was made by the American Institute of Mining and Metallurgical Engineers. It was made on the recommendation of a special committee of 16 leaders in the petroleum industry. Mr. De Golyer was a leader in the development of geophysical methods for the location of petroleum deposits which have resulted in the discovery of more than 3,000,000,000 barrels of oil since 1926. His discovery of the Nash Salt Dome on the Gulf Coast in 1924 with his own Lee Golyer Torsion Balance—verified by drill in 1926—involved the first successful application of geophysical prospecting in the United States.

Impurities in Beeswax

Eliminated by Sun Rays
Beeswax, when pure, is fine material for high-quality candles, but impurities are likely to clog the candlewick and cause uneven burning and a sputtering flame. Bees manufacture wax for combs. Pure wax will burn with practically no ash or smoke, but wax gathered from the hive usually contains pollen and the substance known as propolis or bee glue, which the insects gather from plants, a gummy resinous material that does not melt or burn at the same temperatures as pure wax. If particles of propolis are drawn into the wick, they prevent the even flow of the melted wax and may make a sooty smoke.

A Dash of Red

By HELEN ALPERT
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JOE had thought it would be exciting to show them Red Jim's place out on the Philadelphia road. "And it's tough!" he had laughed. "Man, these are the dogs what am! Oil workers out for sport—a slice of the lower depths—a week's pay blown like a shot—swell!"

"What fun!" they had shouted as they'd jostled their way to a table. "I looked unwellly at his tiny partner as they circled the floor. The air seemed menacing. "May-be we'd better scam, Jackie," he said. But Jacqueline impassively tossed her head. "Joe, I've never seen rich people before. Such types! Rich people, they look like pickpockets, ladsnapers, gunmen, forgers—even murderers!"

"That was some job," said Joe. "Getting into a fortress of a house like yours and grabbing everything without leaving a trace." "We've been stepping over police and detectives ever since—but all they can give is a bad guess." Jackie shrugged shrilly. "There were some pieces we prayed we'd never lose or forget. Dad's college photos—pins—she broke off. "Oh, well. Swing her along, Joe!"

"That's me, baby. Red's my favorite color. I go for red-striped ties. I like red," he expanded. A ruby red ring glittered on his finger. "Red's my lucky color, too. Sometime I'm gonna get me a rug like I seen marchin' up some steps the same color exactly as my hair!" "Impossible!" she breathed. "Look!" he drew a triangular plush sweater out of his briefcase. "Oh, yes!" she smiled bewitchingly. The music blared to an ear-splitting crescendo and ceased.

Locating Oil by Sound

Opens Vast New Fields
The Anthony F. Lucas gold medal for 1940 has been awarded to Everett Lee De Golyer, consulting petroleum geologist, of Dallas, Texas, in recognition of "distinguished achievement in improving the technique and practice of finding and producing petroleum." De Golyer's plan for finding oil employs tracing ground supplies by using special sounding equipment.

First Steam Locomotives

Were Real 'Iron Horses'
The "iron horse" followed the covered wagon across the continent. Because of its much greater power and speed, it rapidly became the common means of transporting passengers and goods. It revolutionized travel. It broke down barriers of time and distance, and united widely separated territories into a closely knit nation and a common market. The "iron horse," as the steam locomotive was known in its early days, was originally built of iron. Today it is largely constructed of steel. And today, also, it exists in a variety of types.

Puerto Rico Has Gold

In Moderate Quantities
Perhaps Christopher Columbus and Ponce de Leon were mistaken! History says that Columbus, who accidentally came to the New World in search of gold and spices, touched on the west coast of Puerto Rico just long enough to take on a supply of fresh water and then sailed away, never to return.

At the present time, vanilla is the spice grown in the largest quantities, Puerto Rico being the only place under the United States flag where vanilla production seems feasible. So far fewer than 500 acres have been planted, but the government has plans for a co-operative vanilla curing establishment and a Philadelphia corporation has purchased a large acreage of vanilla land.

In addition, research workers at the experiment station of the United States department of agriculture, searching eagerly for new crops to swell the island's income, feel that such spices as nutmeg and mace and certain perfumes can be produced there profitably. Preliminary experiments have been quite encouraging.

The value of the gold in Puerto Rico has not been estimated, but it is believed that vanilla alone can be developed into a million dollar a year crop, and the other spices may produce sizeable incomes. The island hopes that the federal government will approve plans which have been prepared for a large school of tropical agriculture, of which one function would be seeking out ways to produce other new spices and similar products.

Golf Is Popular Study

With Nation's Scholars
Nearly 400,000 high school and university students have been introduced to golf through school instruction during the past three years, according to a survey made by the National Golf foundation. The 400,000 growth is the largest increase in golf's roster during any three-year period of the game's American history. The foundation investigation revealed impetus for the increase was furnished by school physical educators' extension of athletic programs to enlist participation of all students unless physically incapacitated, and greater emphasis now being placed on sports having carry-over value for students in post-school life.

Masonry Waterproofing

A colorless waterproofing liquid is being marketed which, its manufacturers claim, will prevent the entrance of water or snow into joints, cracks, or fissures in brick, concrete, stucco, art stone, cut stone, and other porous masonry. This liquid prevents ugly staining of walls and ornamental stone construction without changing the appearance of the building. It penetrates and fills the pores, leaving an inner lining of an insoluble substance.

Iran Forms Aero Club

To make his country more air-minded, the shah of Iran has caused the organization of an aero club, which will interest itself in the construction in Iran of airports, hangars and schools for pilots. The shah made a substantial contribution to the club and other members of the imperial family and government officials in Teheran also donated funds. Any contributor of \$500 or more is privileged to be presented to the shah.

Ornamental Snow Guards

Snow guards, small irons that are secured to the roof, often serve the double duty of being ornamental as well as preventing property damage from falling snow. Most snow guards are easily applied and can be used on either metal or slate roofs. On metal roofs the irons are riveted to the sheathing. Those used on slate roofs go under the slate. Installation of snow guards is one of many small improvements which protect the home during the winter months.

LEGAL NOTICES

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE. In the Matter of the Estate of James E. Bieri, late of Mills Township, Centre County, deceased. Letters of Administration on said estate having been granted to the undersigned, all persons indebted thereto are requested to make immediate payments, and those having claims or demands against the same, will present them in due order of settlement to MARY ELLLEN BIERLEY and C. C. SMULL, Administrators, Westport, Pa. JOHNSON & JOHNSON, Attorneys. X10

LEGAL NOTICE. Notice is hereby given that Charles F. Hipple, Fred C. Mench, and Harry V. Keeler, County Commissioners of Centre County, have entered into an agreement for the payment of damages to real estate of Harry E. Yeager and Retarrah M. Yeager, Centre County, Pennsylvania, consisting of a portion of State Highway Route No. 64, upon which said real estate abuts. The amount of said damages is Eleven Hundred and Fifty (\$1150.00) Dollars. Exceptions may be filed to said damages within ten (10) days from the date of this notice by any taxpayers. If no exceptions are filed said damages will be paid at the expiration of said period.

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Statement Showing the Financial Condition of the Bellefonte Community Athletic Association as of Dec. 31, 1939.

Table with 2 columns: Description and Amount. Includes SOURCES OF INCOME (Community Welfare Fund, Baseball teams, etc.), FUNDS DISBURSED (Payment on notes, interest, etc.), APPLICATION OF INCOME FOR 1939 (Payment on notes, taxes, etc.), and ASSETS (Cash in bank, accounts receivable, etc.).

Inez B. Harnden executrix of estate of D. H. Barley, late of Bellefonte Borough, deceased.
C. G. CUSTER, The first and final account of Harry Chauncey Custer, John Gilbert Boring and Frances E. Custer, executors of the estate of Charles Raymond Custer, deceased.

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Public Sales

TUESDAY, MARCH 19—W. H. Simpson will offer at public sale on the Thomas Hobson farm, 12 miles east of Tyroneville, along Route 780, a full line of livestock and some farming implements. Sale at 12 o'clock, noon. George W. Wise, auctioneer.