

HOW CAN I ?? ?

By ANNE ASHLEY

Q. Should brown soap be used for washing flannels?
A. No; never use brown soap for washing colored clothes and flannel as it usually contains resin and soda. Resin is injurious to flannel and soda is injurious to colored clothes.
Q. How can I prevent boiling over of jam?
A. Jam will not boil over, nor will skimming be necessary, if one-fourth teaspoon of butter is added to the jam before boiling begins.
Q. How can I whiten clothes when laundering?
A. The clothes can be whitened by adding a liberal quantity of saleratus to the water in which the clothes are soaked.

STUDENTS PLAN AID TO CHINESE

Lives of Underfed Students Depend on North American Aid

TORONTO, (C)— Grants from North America are the only hope of preserving the lives of thousands of underfed students in the coastal universities in China due to a financial and good crisis there, according to the International Student Service which plans a campaign beginning early in February in Canadian Universities for \$50,000 in aid of Chinese students as well as those in Europe.

The Chinese government is subsidizing 110,000 students with rice and other food allowances, which due to inflation costs \$500,000,000 in Chinese dollars a month. In Kunming rice allowances for each student is \$9,200

The government also provides needy students with uniform and coat which costs \$15,000 for each student. But due to the almost worthless state of the Chinese dollar these subsidies are inadequate to feed and clothe the students properly, the I.S.S. states.

Medical records show that in Shapingpa University, Chungking, nine per cent of the students are tubercular or show a tendency to tuberculosis and many more are in generally poor health. Relief funds are being used for nutritional aid but this means only an egg a day or a meat dish added to the individual student's meal.

Next to nutrition is the problem of delousing of student dormitories to prevent discomfort and spread of disease. Han Lin Wu, secretary of the I.S.S. committee in China reports that he has been able to buy some D.D.T. which has been "very effective."

Thousands of students have been made refugees by the war and I.S.S. hopes to build transient stations for those wishing to return to their homes.

LADIES' DOUBLE FOR MEN AT C.W.L. PARTY

There were 17 tables in play at the Catholic Women's League's bridge, whist and cribbage party last night in the Knights of Columbus Hall and an enjoyable evening was spent over cards. Refreshments were served by a committee consisting of Mrs. J. Murray, Mrs. J. A. Smith and Mrs. A. C. Gillis. The party was the second of a series which will continue throughout the winter. The third will be held on February 14.

Master of ceremonies for the bridge was Rev. W. F. Langtagnie while Mrs. W. Lahti was in charge of the whist and E. J. Fitzpatrick directed the cribbage. A shortage of men players caused some of the ladies to take places on the men's side of the tables, winning, in two instances, men's prizes. The winners: Bridge: Ladies—Mrs. Laughlin, Mrs. S. L. Peachey, Men—G. R. Hull, Gillis Royer. Whist: Ladies—Mrs. Petersen, Mrs. G. Guenette, Men—Miss Laura Cloutier, John Knapp. Cribbage: Ladies—Miss Mary Cliff, Mrs. F. Smith, Men—Joe Garon, Mrs. J. Cloutier.

Miss Nora English sailed last night on the Prince Rupert on a trip to Vancouver.

Mr. and Mrs. Allen Morgan sailed last night on the Prince Rupert on a trip to Vancouver.

Local News Items...

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Mr. and Mrs. Olof Hanson and Mrs. J. H. McLeod will be leaving Vancouver on Monday next for a trip to California.

F. M. Dockrill, Telkwa coal mine operator, is leaving by this evening's train on his return to the interior after spending a couple of days here on business.

Mrs. Raymond Riggins, who has been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Webster, Sixth Avenue East, sailed last night on the Prince Rupert for Vancouver.

Jack Mussalem sailed last night on the Prince Rupert for Kelowna where he will pay a visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. N. Mussalem, who are now in residence there.

Modern Etiquette

By ROBERTA LEE

Q. In what way can a girl show gratitude or appreciation to a group of friends who have given her a bridal shower?

A. She can give a dinner, a luncheon, a tea, or even a theatre party to these friends.

Q. When an invitation is accepted by letter, is it best to repeat the exact date and hour mentioned in the invitation?

A. Yes; this will avoid any misunderstanding as to the time.

Q. Is it ever permissible for a person to leave the table during a meal?

A. Not unless there is a very urgent necessity.

BUY WAR SAVINGS STAMPS

The Markets

Fruit	
Pears, 4 lbs.	39
Pears Apples, 3 lbs.	29
Grapes, lb.	22
Grapefruit, Calif., doz.	09 and 14
Lemons, doz.	59
Oranges, Navel, doz.	38 - 57
Bananas, lb.	17
Vegetables	
Mushrooms, lb.	60
Spinach, lb.	15
Beets, local, lb.	08
Turnips, yellow, lb.	04
Potatoes, new, lb.	05
Calif. Carrots, lb.	05
Tomatoes, Hothouse, lb.	39
Cauliflower, each	25 - 45
Lettuce, each	14
Celery, lb.	12
Garlic, lb.	08
Radishes, bunch	06
Cabbage, lb.	25
Parsnips, 4 lbs.	32
Brussels Sprouts, lb.	32
Sweet Potatoes, 2 lbs.	29
Sugar	
White, lb.	09
Golden Yellow, lb.	09
Eggs	
Grade A:	
Large, carton, doz.	44
Flour	
Pastry Flour, 7 lbs.	44
Flour, 49's, No. 1 hard wheat	1.85
Second Patent	1.60
Flour, 24's	85
Milk	
Evaporated Milk, 16-oz. tin	10 1/2
Fish	
Halibut, lb.	33
Salmon, lb.	35
Cod, lb.	25
Black Cod, smoked, lb.	35
Smoked Kippers, lb.	22
Butter	
First Grade, lb.	41
Canadian Cheese	
Bulk, medium, lb.	40
Pure, lb.	19
Meat	
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Shank (hind quarter)	26 and 24
Round Steak or Roast	44 and 43
(boneless)	46 and 45
Minced Round Steak	46 and 45
Rump Roast	45 and 42
Sirloin Tip (boneless)	47 and 45
Cubed Sirloin Tip	53 and 51
(boneless)	49 and 48
Sirloin Steaks, Roasts	48 and 47
Sirloin Butts	48 and 47
(boneless)	33 and 33
Flank Steak	17 and 15
Porterhouse Steak	55 and 53
or Roast	55 and 53
T-Bone Steak	55 and 53
or Roast	51 and 49
Strip Loin (boneless)	60 and 58
Rib Roast, seven rib bones, whole	34 and 31
Rib Roast, seven rib bones (boneless)	46 and 43
Prime Rib Roast, five rib bones (whole)	36 and 32
Prime Rib Roast, five rib bones (boneless)	48 and 44
Rib Roast, outside roll (boneless)	35 and 31
Short Ribs	16 and 16
Plate Brisket	15 and 15
Plate Brisket, rolled (boneless)	21 and 19
Rolled Shoulder (boneless)	25 and 25
Round Bone Shoulder	26 and 25
Roast	31 and 28
Short Rib Roast	27 and 26
Chuck Roast	25 and 24
Chuck Roast (boneless)	29 and 28
Neck (boneless)	24 and 23
Shank, front quarter	13 and 13
Shank, knuckle end	10 and 10
Shank, centre cut	20 and 20
Shank (boneless)	24 and 23
Stewing Meat (boneless)	24 and 23
Tenderloin	75 and 75
Hamburger	25 and 23

Mrs. Harry Blackbourn left last night on the Prince Rupert on a trip to Vancouver.

Dan McLeod, shipwright foreman at the dry dock, sailed last night for Vancouver on the Prince Rupert.

City fire department answered seven fire calls during January, but fire damage in each case was negligible. There were no false alarms.

Capt. James Hadden and his son James Jr., are leaving on the Cardena tonight for Vancouver where the latter will receive his discharge from the Canadian Army after serving overseas.

H. G. Perry, who has been in the city for the last ten days on business in connection with his newspaper interests, is leaving by this evening's train on his return to Prince George.

Harry Archibald, M.P. for Skeena, returned to the city on the Cassiar today from a trip to the Queen Charlotte Islands and will shortly be leaving for a visit to interior points.

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Mrs. Henry Cherry Dies In Westminster

Many old friends in Prince Rupert will learn with regret of the death which took place at the Royal Columbian Hospital in New Westminster last week of Mrs. Elizabeth Cherry, wife of Henry Cherry, who was for years in the service of the Canadian National Railways here prior to his retirement. Mrs. Cherry, who was 66 years of age, is survived, besides her husband, by one daughter, Mrs. Jessie Attrill of Duncan, Vancouver Island. The funeral took place at New Westminster.

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L.O.B.A. Bridge, Whist and Cribbage, Feb. 14, 8 p.m., Odd-fellows' Hall. Admission 35c.

C.W.L. Bridge, Whist, Cribbage, February 14, K. of C. Hut, 8 p.m.

United Church Valentine Tea, Home Cooking, Thursday, Feb. 14th, Mrs. C. H. Hankinson, 945 Borden Street.

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