

Japanese Bombard the Shanghai Waterfront



A scene of confusion on the Whangpoo river off the Bund at Shanghai as Japanese airplanes bombed Pootung. Ships and boats of all kinds scurry to safety. At the right is the United States cruiser Augusta, which, in acting as a protective barricade between the fighters and the settlement, was hit by a shell of undetermined origin that killed one of the seamen and wounded 18 others.

"Dickie" Brings Help in Nick of Time



Mrs. Christine Toth, seventy, of Lucaston, N. J., fondling her pet poodle, Dickie, after the dog had been instrumental in saving its mistress' life recently. Ill from toadstool poisoning, Mrs. Toth wrote a note, "Help, I'm dying. Mrs. Toth," tied it to the dog's collar and sent him out of her house. The dog's shrill barking awakened Rev. Harry R. Stockton, pastor of the local Methodist Episcopal church, early in the morning. Noticing the note, he telephoned for a doctor who sped to Mrs. Toth's side, reaching her just in time to save her life.

Stylish but Weird Is New Costume for Ski Addicts

Paris.—Weird, but fashionable, is this ski addict, clad in Schiaparelli's latest outfit made of black wool and previewed at a Parisian salon. The



boyish knee pants are held at the back with buckle and strap. The "shocking pink" helmet is hand-knitted. A short jacket and long, loose coat complete the ensemble.

A Stitch in the Britches Just in Time



But what if the needle should slip? This snapshot was taken at a holiday camp on the Kent coast in England, where the fair needlewoman obliged her unlucky companion.

As 31 Young Men Entered the Priesthood



An impressive view of the ceremonies at Latrobe, Pa., as Bishop Hugh C. Doyle of the Pittsburgh diocese ordained 31 young deacons to the priesthood. Also shown are some of the 21 men who were ordained as sub-deacons.

Scenes and Persons in the Current News



1—Senorita Anita Lizana, temperamental Chilean, becomes second foreigner to win United States women's national tennis championship in Forest Hills (N. Y.) meet. 2—Desperate to save Shanghai, the Chinese Central government hastily ordered military training for women, who are fighting the Japanese shoulder to shoulder with the men; some have already been killed in action. 3—Tiny Nancy Fello, youngest American refugee from the war in the Far East, as she landed in Seattle, safe and sound.

NOT I, SAYS JOHN



New York.—John, youngest child of President and Mrs. Franklin D. Roosevelt, arriving home from Europe, took advantage of the opportunity to deny again that he had squirted champagne in the face of the mayor of Cannes, France, and hit him over the head with a bouquet, during the annual "battle of flowers." "It must have been two other fellows. I've never met the mayor," he reiterated. His engagement was announced to Miss Anne Lindsay Clark, of Boston.

"Miss America" Shuns Her Crown



Atlantic City, N. J.—Blonde, blue-eyed Bette Cooper (above), seventeen, of Hackettstown, N. J., chosen the most beautiful girl in the United States at the annual contest here, walked out on the promoters shortly afterward, forsaking screen tests and other rewards for school and home. Bette is 5 feet 6½ inches tall and weighs 120 pounds.

Civilization Marches On in Europe



Berlin.—With war becoming more and more imminent in Europe, Germany hastens to protect her youth from the most horrible of modern weapons—gas. As pictured here, officials oversee the distribution of gas masks, making sure they fit properly before the youngsters are allowed to take them home at 2½ marks (about \$1) the copy.

Sudden Stop for Navy Cruiser



Annapolis, Md.—Football's in the air again, and watch out, Army mule! There's plenty of dynamite in the 1937 Navy squad, pictured in workout here. Whitehead, speedy back, is shown being stopped in his tracks as he breaks loose with the pigskin from scrimmage.

SIGNS FOR F. D. R.



Washington, D. C.—Jeanne Kavanagh, twenty, pretty, blue-eyed Iowa girl, pictured here, has been appointed by President Roosevelt as secretary, with the power to sign his name to all land grants and patents. She is the youngest person ever to hold this position.

GOOD TASTE TODAY by EMILY POST

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There's Good Reason for Visiting Cards

DEAR Mrs. Post: Visiting card formalities are something I never will understand. I've moved into a strange community and neighbors and friends of friends are calling and leaving their cards. Why do they leave cards when I'm in and receive them? I can understand why they would leave cards in my absence but not otherwise.

Answer: It is really essential that they leave cards so that you will know their full names and the spelling and possibly their house addresses. After all, you would have to have better than average hearing, not to say anything of memory, to remember the names announced to you. And later when you look for Mrs. Jimson in the telephone book, you may have no way of knowing whether she is Mrs. Alexander — or Mrs. John — or Mrs. George. Excepting on this first occasion, visitors are not apt to send in their cards unless they find you out.

Wedding Announcement Need Not Name Town

DEAR Mrs. Post: On wedding announcements may I omit the name of the town in which we were married? Or if there must be some town mentioned may I use the name of my home town instead? We were married out of the state and I don't care especially to use the name of the town if it is possible to omit it.

Answer: The best way to overcome this is to leave a space between the line giving the year of the marriage and the name of the town. In other words, actually the announcement ends with the date. Adding the name of the town merely gives the people to whom the announcements are sent your parents' address.

Proper Invitation Form.

DEAR Mrs. Post: Will you suggest a form for an important dinner to be given by the children of a couple who are to be honored on their fiftieth wedding anniversary? Everything I write out doesn't seem correct.

Answer: The pleasure of (name written in) Company is requested by The Sons and Daughters of Mr. and Mrs. Fifty Years on the occasion of their Fiftieth Wedding Anniversary on Tuesday, the tenth of February at eight o'clock Hotel Uptown

City _____ State _____
Kindly reply

How to Accept.

DEAR Mrs. Post: How in the world can so much be written by hand when answering a third person invitation sent out by a committee of a certain organization, both names appearing on the form as well as the names of two guests of honor?

Answer: You need write no more than the following:

Miss Mary Smith accepts with pleasure the kind invitation of The Women's Committee of (whatever Organization) for Wednesday evening at eight o'clock at the Hotel Steven

The Wedding Breakfast

DEAR Mrs. Post: Will you suggest a good menu for a ten o'clock wedding breakfast? There will be only about two dozen guests.

Answer: At that hour I would make it really a breakfast. Something such as melon and chicken mince with hashed cream potatoes or scrambled eggs and sausage, buttered hot breads, breakfast coffee (meaning coffee in big cups with sugar and cream), and I think that is enough. Wedding cake and either champagne or fruit cup or whatever you are going to use to drink the bride's health are of course part of every wedding collation.

No "Tails" on Sunday

DEAR Mrs. Post: Will you kindly settle a question in dressing for us? I have always understood that "tails" for men are absolutely correct at any time after dark, no matter what the day. We have just been told that this does not include Sunday.

Answer: The reason that "tails" are never seen on Sunday evening is that balls and dinners of ceremony, which alone require them, are never given on Sunday.

How You Do It

WHEN someone says "How do you do?" is it correct to say "I am fine, thank you" or is "How do you do?" to be taken only as a greeting?

Answer: "How do you do" is a punctilious greeting to which the customary response is also "How do you do."