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Rejuvenation

Russian scientists claim to have found a way to rejuvenate the senile. It is a very simple method—prolonged sleep.

This is the story in brief. A dog of a certain rare breed—though it might easily have been a mongrel—was taken to a "sleep laboratory," attached to a psychiatric institute, in 1951.

Now, no doubt, the experiment will be tried on a good and senile comrade, who has nothing to lose and perhaps something to gain by going to sleep for a three-month period.

Suez Shipping

A press report from Cairo reveals that Russian ships are using the Suez Canal route at a rate double that of a year ago.

Britain is still the largest user of the Suez, with 3,700 ships going through it last year.

This is another indication of the Soviet Union's campaign of penetration of Middle East and Far East markets—a phase of the cold war which, understandably, is causing the West much concern.

Childish Reaction

How childish can high government officials get? Some time ago, Adlai Stevenson, titular head of the Democratic Party in the United States, suggested that a referendum be held on Formosa, under U. N. supervision.

This sounds like a reasonable proposition. After all, the Chiang regime is just as much a dictatorship as is the regime in Peiping, though perhaps a more benevolent one.

port of the Nationalist Government. Obviously, there would be no democratic justification for defending a Government which the people did not approve.

A few days after Mr. Stevenson made his proposal, Vice President Nixon stated that he would approve, provided a similar referendum were held, under U.N. auspices, on the mainland.

The Cooking Trade

Congratulations to the Government of Alberta for designating cooking in public places as a trade, subject to the Provincial Apprenticeship Act passed last year.

The first class of five young men is taking an eight weeks apprenticeship course at the Provincial Institute of Technology and Art that will lead in three years to journeyman's papers as qualified cooks.

The Government thinks it may take fifteen years for the system to be fully established; but eventually all chefs and cooks will have to possess qualifying papers when working in hotels and restaurants.

We think it is a splendid idea. Cooking is an art; but while bad art is excusable in certain fields—painting, for example, where few people can tell the difference nowadays—there is no room for it in cooking.

EDITORIAL NOTES

The Ottawa Journal recalls how "proud" grandfather was on his ability to mow with snath and scythe. Yes, and he grumbled a lot about it, too.

An unidentified man in Middlesborough, Eng. has been giving large gifts of money to a Church. He rides up on a bicycle, hands a bag of money to anyone that happens to be around and makes his departure without having given his name.

Mr. Diefenbaker's "vision" is apparently about to take shape. Plans have been made for the spending of \$100 million over the next few years on roads in the Yukon and Northwest Territories.

Chiang Kai-shek is vexed over the American official view that the Quemoy Islands ought to be demilitarized. This is understandable. The Generalissimo has always regarded these islands as stepping-off places for an invasion of the mainland.

General de Gaulle has offered Algeria a new deal in increased political representation, improved social services and a strengthened economy. Whether the rebels will agree to the plan is a question.



A Diplomatic Dither

By George Kitchen Canadian Press Staff Writer

The state department frankly doesn't know what to make of Red China's unheralded cease-fire in the Formosa area.

What the state department now has to decide is whether this represents a genuine move by the Red China in the direction of a permanent cease-fire.

One is that the Communists intend to turn this into a permanent cease-fire. This theory is that the Red Chinese, having taken the first step in halting their fire, now will find it easy to leave things that way and continue warfare on the propaganda front.

Twilight Of Monarchy? Ottawa Evening Journal

A gentleman in Britain named Leslie G. Pine, editor of that fat, awful (and mostly unread) volume known as Burke's Peerage, writes a book called "The Twilight of Monarchy."

As late as the 1870's men like Sir Charles Dilke, John Morley and Frederic Harrison, were republicans. In 1873 more than 50 republican clubs had been set up in Birmingham, Aberdeen, Plymouth, Norwich, Cardiff, Bradford and working class until the middle of Queen Victoria's reign.

An Imperative Need The Moncton Transcript

The CNR ice-breaking car-ferry Prince Edward Island has again resumed its regular run between Cape Tormentine and Borden only 10 days after an extensive fire necessitated its removal for temporary repairs.

Alcoholism Among Women

R Herman N. Rundenen, M. D. WHILE alcoholism primarily is a problem of men, women have alcoholic troubles, too. In fact, an estimated 700,000 American women are alcoholics.

Some 28 per cent of the women, and only 9 per cent of the men questioned, thought their mothers were "strict and controlling."

On the other hand, 23 per cent of the men, only 9 per cent of the women, felt their fathers were strict and controlling.

There is a difference, though, in the average age the men and women began drinking and when they first sought help.

The reasons given by the men and women for their drinking present a distinct difference.

Environmental pressures, it appears, play a more important role in starting women on the road to alcoholism.

QUESTION AND ANSWER

M. R. Is it all right for a person who has arthritis to drink orange juice?

OUR YESTERDAYS (From The Guardian Files)

TWENTY-FIVE YEARS AGO (Oct. 10, 1933)

At the regular meeting of the Board of Trade last evening, Dr. J.A. Clark referred to the bringing of western cattle into the province.

TEN YEARS AGO (Oct. 10, 1948)

The cucumber growers of the Province produced this season up to little more than half of the 947 crop, Mr. John R. Gordon, local manager of the Matthew-

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NOTES BY THE WAY

Sign on the back of the garage truck: "May we have your next dents?"—Winnipeg Tribune

The man who has no secrets from his wife must have been found out.—Brandon Sun

Main complaint about some current books is that the covers are too far apart.—Cornwall Standard Freeholder

Some of the kids wandering the streets at night may be looking for their parents.—Brandon Sun

Grandma's home is much more fun, says our favorite small girl, "You should see all the things she has in the attic. And we haven't even got an attic."—Ottawa Journal

According to a report, a three-year-old child requires three times his own weight in food every week. That's not telling mothers anything they didn't know before.—Hamilton Spectator

The reason a person's evaluation of himself is higher than that of others is that he appraises himself by what he plans to do tomorrow, and others judge him on the basis of what he did yesterday.—Kitchener - Waterloo Record

Are British women the world's largest consumers of nylon stockings? According to a survey just completed, it does seem so.

Here is a case of manpower pricing itself off the market! A bulletin published by the armed forces in the U.S. discloses that 25 goats have been taken on at the Fort Benning infantry centre to keep the landscape neat and tidy.

There is little difference between a rodeo and a stampede except in the matter of size. The former may be a touring affair, while a stampede, such as the famous one at Calgary, is localized and can be built up to a huge event attracting people from all over the country.

The Age Old Story

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