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Israel's Rights

Not for the first time, the Israelis must be wondering just what United States' policy regarding their claim to use of the Suez Canal really is.

If Israel goes ahead with the intention of sending a test ship through the canal—as she seems determined to do—and if Egypt attempts to stop the ship—as Nasser has declared he will do—what does the United States propose to do about it?

Reassuring

Despite all the social disarrangements of our times, there is much spontaneous goodwill and human compassion working in the ordinary ways of life.

Now comes word from Australia describing another surge of public concern: this time for a dog. The director of a cruelty prevention organization in Melbourne announced that an Alaskan had been found wandering and would be destroyed if a home could not be found for him.

Canadian Films Abroad

Evidently, the Canadian Film Board is a busy organization. Apart from its Dominion-wide activities, it carries on extensive operations abroad.

Last year agents of the Board made a tour of South East Asia and brought back to Indian audiences in a large number of towns and villages a documentary film of the country's five-year agricultural program.

made films of one kind and another, compared to less than 500,000 the year before. With the large potential audience in mind the Board plans to send a distributing expert to New Delhi for a two year stay.

Although the Board makes sound movies in 15 languages, besides English and French, the Asiatic dialects are so numerous that it is considered impossible to catalogue them all, let alone translate them.

Squeaking Splinters

In the federal election campaign, says the Winnipeg Free Press, the CCF and Social Credit parties can be expected to fall back on the argument that, in western Canada, the Conservatives provide no real alternative to the Liberals.

"That is a feeble appeal," comments the Free Press. "It is one that could be used, with just as much justification, by the Social Credit candidate. But it should not fool the voters."

EDITORIAL NOTES

Premier Mollet of France has nothing to apologize for. After all, his regime lasted 16 months, a post-war record for longevity.

The Duke of Edinburgh reports that when he was in New Guinea on his Commonwealth tour he was known as "Number One Fella Belonging Missus Queen".

Studies made by British researchers reveal that milk will stay fresh for at least 12 months when kept under proper refrigeration.

An American atomic scientist says "we are below the danger level" in the amount of radiation in the atmosphere as a result of nuclear explosions.

Latin American countries may not be as politically important as some others; but they are more than holding their own in numbers.

At present, according to the Pan American Union, their combined population is equal to that of the United States and Canada and growing rapidly.

Evidently, Emperor Hirohito of Japan is wasting no time in worrying over his reduced status in his country's political structure.

At last the great day came when Father's annuity could be bought. A family party was held in celebration of the event.



SEED TIME

Approach To Disarmament

The obvious benefit that would come to the world from heaping its annually budgeted \$5 billion dollars' worth of swords into plowshares is an irresistible source for optimism.

Dry Homes On The Deep

Water provides a dry home to a surprising assortment of creatures. Through ingenious adaptations, they stay dry as they walk, eat, fight, and reproduce on the thin film that covers ponds and lakes, rivers and oceans.

Pensioners 150 Years Old

A past president of the American Medical Association, speaking at a medical conference in Chicago, said that life-span of 100 to 150 years for most people is in sight, as the result of medical progress.

Medically Speaking

By Herman N. Sundesen, M.D.

LIFE'S TOO EASY NOW

Getting fat? Then you're probably taking things too easy. Mechanization, automation — all these scientific advancements have made it awfully simple for many of you to put on unnecessary weight.

HOUSEHOLD AIDS

Now you perform the same tasks with the aid of washing machines and dryers, vacuum cleaners and floor polishers.

MEN WALK LESS

In a recent issue of the American Heart Association publication, Dr. Herbert Pollack points out that the average man expends about 100 calories in walking a mile.

GRADUAL PROCESS

Persons over 30 can't become greatly overweight overnight. Obesity is a gradual process.

QUESTION AND ANSWER

L.W.G.: For the past year, my 18-year-old son has complained of pain in his arms between the elbow and shoulder.

Answer: The pain you describe might be due to a variety of causes such as bursitis, arthritis, muscle strain or some other disorder.

A physician is needed to determine the exact cause.

While you've got to watch your diet and cut your caloric intake to keep your poundage down, walking more often will help some, too.

Besides it's good exercise.

Maybe you'll gain only a few pounds a year, but in 10 or 20 years, this mounts up. One day you will suddenly realize that you are carrying around about 30 or 40 pounds too much.

Should the negotiators not reach an agreement when they return to London, the West might profitably try some cautious experiments at leading the way in disarmament.

One of the most useful of these would be an extension of the principle of a division of effort among the Allies.

Resultant savings from this military streamlining would improve Western economic strength to the discomfort of Moscow's trade offensive.

It is this sort of extracurricular disarmament experiment which brings the bid-asked prices closer together at the formal disarmament negotiations.

They have been seen running along the surface film — on the underside. Snails also travel the bottom of the film, though more slowly.

One species of strider lives on the open ocean. Such wanderers have been seen hundreds of miles from land.

Another insect the springtail, water is practically a solid. Only an eighth of an inch long, it runs about on the film with ease.

Frightened, the springtail releases a little catch on its underside. This frees the strong tail, which has been held close like a cocked mousetrap spring.

When the tail whacks the water, the spring-tail is propelled into the air to land in a safer place many inches away.

Although each is tiny, the spring-tail often becomes conspicuous. Vast numbers congregate in the same place. Scared, they depart like corn popping off a griddle.

ed upon. It becomes very real self-interest to preserve their values.

Otherwise those workers who are still working are increasing the problems of those workers who went before them and are now retired.

Everyone wants a rising standard of living, and very rightly so. But inflation is not the way to raise the standard.

It penalizes the fellow-worker of other days who has earned his retirement. And it largely defeats the purpose of saving, by cheating one's self in one's own future.

LONDON (Reuters) — An airliner left London airport Wednesday for Vancouver with one of the largest passenger loads ever to fly the Atlantic.

A super-constellation owned by the Flying Tiger airlines, was carrying 120 passengers—English and Hungarian emigrants including six young children—and six crew members.

LOS ANGELES (AP) — Police say Ruben Ortiz, 30, used his 10-month-old son as a club to swing at a relative during a family brawl.

Officers said Ortiz seized the baby by the head Monday and struck at Joan Maestas, a sister-in-law. Mrs. Maestas seized the child from him before it suffered serious injury.

The third and last ship to load potatoes in Summerside for Britain this season, the Eleora, is expected to arrive in port next Monday, according to Mr. Lorne MacFarlane, a member of the Potato Export Board.

The potatoes are now being assembled in the warehouse at the Marine Wharf.

Jute, long grown in India, was not introduced as a textile into Europe until about 1828.

NOTES BY THE WAY

If thoughts could be read faces would be redder.—London Free Press

It's a little to laugh for all you are worth, according to a doctor. That's likely to leave some folks with just a sad smile.—London Free Press

A device resembling a fountain pen, which enables blind people to distinguish between light and shade and even between colors, will shortly be produced by the Biophysical Research Foundation in the United States.

An unknown rogue driving his car through the bus near Sudbury flipped the butt of his cigarette out of the window. As a result 125 acres of forest have been burned in the first bush fire of the year in the district.

A dreadful mockery of the suffering and humiliation of the Hungarian people is the proposal of a Communist newspaper in Hungary to erect memorials for Russian soldiers killed in the Hungarian uprisings October and November. The Communists have not a word to say in behalf of the thousands of Hungarians who died in a struggle for freedom and only have hatred for the Hungarians who fled from a brutal fate in Hungary to find freedom in Canada and other lands.—Cape Breton Post

Getting into debt is often the result of spending what you don't have. You're worth, instead of what the boss pays you.—Brandon Sun

One day we are told the West is ahead of Russia; next day, Russia is ahead of the West. Our only hope is that, whatever happens, it happens on our day.—Windsor Star

After scaling six of the highest peaks in the Himalayas a group of British women report that their waists are an average of two inches slimmer. And even that is much easier than refusing second helpings.—Hamilton Spectator

The curse of the Commons is the uproar created by the desk-top led members can bang. A member whose angry voice is no more formidable than that of a courting dove can make himself a veritable North Star with four motors all out when he slams his desk lid. Or, ten it appears the most inarticulate members are the best bangers.—Ottawa Journal

Things sure are simple in the managed economy. The Soviet Union — the world's foremost managed economy—has just, with the merest flick of a wrist taken an action that has the effect of canceling about three-fourths of its internal debt. It is stopping interest and freezing repayment of principal for 20 to 25 years on 260 billion rubles' worth of state bonds bought by Soviet citizens.—Wall Street Journal

A magazine recently published a list of the 10 richest men in the United States. Their wealth ranged from \$700 million down to a few hundred million. The writer asked: What have they in common besides wherewithal? Her answer: Few have ever been seriously ill, most have indefatigable millionaire vitality, most are loners and tend to carry their real business in their hats.—St. Thomas Times-Journal



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