

If you do HEAR...

don't SAY...

Keep it under your hat... don't let it go any further... just forget I told you... these phrases are as sweet music to enemy ears. For the enemy knows very well that secrets, once divulged, are common property. He knows that they generally go a good deal further—sometimes even as far as Berlin. You may think that your particular secret is of little use to the enemy; but the enemy may think quite differently. That is why it is important to remember that every secret is worth keeping in wartime.

Issued by RENAULT LTD, motor car manufacturers, who have been entrusted with many secrets...

A Fragrant Reminder

Remembrances of pre-war days, reminders of pleasures that will return. Among these are more appetizing breakfasts in which QUICK QUAKER OATS will again resume its place as the "day starter", with its energizing Vitamin B₁, its appetizing creamy flavour, and its sustaining, wholesome nourishment.

Quick QUAKER OATS

QUICK QUAKER OATS
SWEETENED
1 LB. TIN

THREE ESSENTIALS

It was long before the war that scientific and nutritional experts began to focus our attention on these three main constituents of our food—carbo-hydrates, proteins and fats—although the shortages of recent years have stressed their importance.

Rationing plans have sought to balance these three essentials of our diet and it is doubtless the high nutritional value of Biscuits which is responsible for their present free supply.

The experts know that biscuits contain not one, but all three main essentials. It is these carbo-hydrates, proteins and fats in your biscuit that give you sustenance and energy. That is why they are always so valuable.

WE APPEAL FOR MORE Jewels FOR NEXT MONTH'S RED CROSS SALE AT CHRISTIE'S

Red Cross Sale, Old Bond Street, London, W.1, for the Duke of Gloucester's Red Cross and St. John Fund.

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DEVON FIRE INQUIRY

"No Avoidable Delay"

HOME OFFICE SATISFIED

CONTROVERSY at meetings of Ilminster Parish Council and Newton Abbot Rural District Council concerning the National Fire Service in connection with a fire at Finchford Guest House, Hayton, on April 29 has produced a letter from the Home Office, which was read at yesterday's meeting of Newton Abbot Rural Council.

The Home Office letter stated that from inquiries it appeared that a call was passed to the National Fire Service at Newton Abbot and that a pump from Newton Abbot, manned by a whole-time crew, was dispatched without delay and covered the 10 miles to the fire in 22 minutes, arriving at 2.6 p.m.

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BOVEY TRACEY UNIT

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M.P.s VISIT CORNISH MINE

Four Cornish M.P.s—Mrs. Beatrice Wright, Maj. M. Petherick, Com. P. G. Agnew, and Capt. N. A. Beechman—photographed before descending South Cornish Mine on Tuesday. They were greatly impressed by all they saw.

VALUE OF EXAMPLE

The Bishop spoke on the value of example, and said that man would need religious incentive when the pressure of the war was over. We could only rebuild the world by keeping our Lord's inspiring example before us and by sharing in His purpose and by partaking of His spirit.

NOT 'MADE FOR TWO'

Cycling Offence Cases At Crediton Sessions

"It is generally known that it is a bicycle not constructed to carry more than one person." Defendants were two brothers—one aged 20 and the other 12—of Sandford. The elder told the magistrates that his younger brother was so tired that he "gave him a lift home to save his legs."

LIFTON FAREWELL

Presentation To Wife Of Departing Minister

During the past four years, Rev. W. D. Fisher, Methodist minister, and Mrs. Fisher have been working at Lifton, and taken an active part in the social life of the parish.

TEIGNMOUTH FALL

Exeter Inquest Story Of Widow's Death

It was stated at an Exeter inquest yesterday on Elnor Ley, 74, of 42, Claircarridge-gardens, London, that she was the widow of a former member of New Zealand.

Torquay Nursing

Annual meeting of Torquay Queen's Institute of District Nursing was held yesterday, Dr. W. T. Carr, presiding. He stated that subscriptions amounted to £28 9s. 6d., as against £121 last year, the reduction being due to the fact that he strongly appealed for new subscribers.

POTATOES FOR NORMANDY

Farm Work By St. Austell County School Girls

ENTHUSIASM

Girls of St. Austell County School at a harvest camp at Treshard Farm, Devon, have been busy in picking potatoes for dispatch to Normandy, and are also rendering good services to local farmers in saving their corn crops.

COINS WANTED AS Souvenirs

BIG AND SMALL

U.S. Services And Plymouth Supply

Few five-shilling pieces have been seen in Plymouth for a number of years. These coins were never common as a result of their use during the war their popularity has increased tremendously. The main demand is from the American Service men and women in this country, who keep them as souvenirs. The old three-penny pieces are also in great demand from the American Services.

SHORTAGE OF COPPERS.

ONE of the worst shortages in that of coppers. They cannot be sent to Plymouth from London because of the transport, and the only way to deal with the situation is to store them up when gas meters are sent.

CANNOT MEET DEMAND.

The Assent of the Bank of England (Mr. K. H. Hopkins), regarding five-shilling pieces, said: "There is none in Plymouth. Neither is there any demand from the general public for the old three-penny pieces."

DESERVED BY WIFE

Bere Ferrers Airman Applies For Divorce

In the Divorce Court yesterday Ldg. Acm. Harry Matthews was granted a decree nisi for divorce from his wife, Dorothy, on the ground that she had deserted him.

TRAILER PUMPS

G.W.R. Teams Compete At Plymouth

Three Great Western Railway trailer pump teams competed in an "all-line" contest at Plymouth yesterday, and Truro beat Plymouth Millbury Goods by one-fifth of a second.

£1,000 COTTAGES

Cost Disclosed At Chard Rural Council

At the meeting of Chard Rural Council on Tuesday the final statement of the cost of the four farm cottages at Dunsford, was submitted by the architect (Mr. L. J. Pattimore). The figure was £2,000, including site work.

Home Guard Summoned

At Barnstaple

"I find I cannot do my work properly as attend Home Guard," Frederick James Gammon, farmer, of Longfield, Croyde, told Braintree Bench Magistrate yesterday when summoned for appearing himself from Home Guard parade, but which he was not doing.

Cornish Hospitality

A United States officer has written from France to Mr. D. W. Thomas, of Camborne—

"We all look back on our short stay in Cornwall as one of the highlights of the regiment's travels, and I would appreciate, if you care to, to have you extend our thanks to all of Cornwall's good citizens for the many favours and the incomparable hospitality which they have shown us. We were with you. We hope it has contributed to the further cementing of relations between our two nations."

Penalty At Liskeard

A postman and blacksmith, Albert E. Broad, West View, Mentelot, was charged at Liskeard Bench Magistrate yesterday with taking the property of the Co-operative Society.

Question No. 3*

Answer

No. Celluloid, for example, was discovered in 1865 by Alexander Parkes of Birmingham, and was the result of an effort to imitate rare products of Nature, like ivory and tortoise-shell. The greatest advances were made in more recent times, however, when chemists set out to produce substances without the inherent defects common to most natural materials. It was these strivings to improve on Nature that led to the foundation of the plastics industry as we know it today. Perhaps the most notable achievement in this connection was the invention of the first of the thermo-setting plastics by the late Dr. Baekeland in 1909.

* Send your enquiries about Plastics to 'QUIZ', c/o Bakelite Limited, 18 Grosvenor Gardens, London, S.W.1

PLASTICS QUIZ

BAKELITE PLASTICS

PIONEERS IN THE PLASTICS WORLD

This is where much of your WHITBREAD ALE is going

NORMANDY

Map showing locations: BAYEUX, CAEN, ST. LO, CAUMONT, VILLERS BOCAE, WRE, CONDE, FA.

DISTINGUISHED BY SERVICE

JODAY women are playing many parts in a variety of unaccustomed tasks, but all look to the future when they can again enjoy the independence of their own homes. English Electric—the Company "Distinguished by Service"—are planning that the kitchen will be worthy of those homes—worthy because it will feature Matchless Units designed on labour-saving principles for the elimination of traditional kitchen drudgery.

English Electric

BUSY BUBBLE'S HELPING HAND

WERE ON THE ALERT FOR WASHTUB WEAR AND TEAR

MAKE DO AND MEND WASHDAY WISDOM!

Washday will turn into clothes-ringing day unless you use Oxydol, the famous granulated soap. Yes, Oxydol will last longer because there is no hard rubbing and scrubbing required when Oxydol's Busy Bubble lather does the washing in its well-known safe and gentle way. And see how much whiter your whites are and how much brighter your colours! So use Oxydol and be pleased with your wash, and—save clothes coupons every washday.

Easy on the tongue FRANKLYN'S MILD TOBACCO

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