

Bdr. Rush, we hear says it with flowers to the lady of his choice. But you never know what you are saying, do you? The following is published as a guide:-

Jonquil - I desire a return of love
 Peach Blossom - I am your captive
 Tuber Rose - Dangerous pleasures
 Verbena, - Pray for me (on return from leave?)
 Monks Hood - Danger is near
 Snapdragon - No!
 Red Balsam - Touch me not.

 Mr. Mark has earned a reputation for "Marks"manship which eclipses the great Cadman feat. Out rabbitin' the other-day he shot a rabbit in mid air - not a pink one either. The animal was bounding along at roughly six oh knots when he caught it on the bounce at a range of 100 yards. Mr. Mark attributes his amazingly steady hand with the rifle to complete abstinence from alcohol and the smoking habit and his quickness of eye to long years of practice at snatching cakes of soap and toothpaste left around by unwary members of the battery in ablution stands.

 Another man who has renounced Bacchus is Len Smith who unnerved several confirmed toppers recently by lowering 1½ jugs of milk without turning a hair - or his stomach.

 Gnr. Allen has greatly helped to eradicate a lot of red tape from the British Army lately. In his system of Simplified Bugle Calls, the first mess ~~call~~ call is used for all parades.

"Retreat" has been greatly modified to include portions of "Oh Johnny", 12th Street Rag and Rachmaninov's "Prelude".

 Bill Bovey, inventor, has been wandering around distributing brochures of his new patented labour saving device to the Recruits. This amazing and extremely intricate instrument is a combination wash board and wringer. Our genius expects to get married shortly - on the strength of this brain child and is at present studying sanitation in some detail with the view to the presentation of a revolutionary combination back scraper and potato peeler.

 Lost! One "break" in firing circuit of No.2 Gun Finder please return to Bdr. Cantwell. The salvo registered "break" but Ken couldn't find it anywhere.

 Heigh Ho, Saliva ! Farmer Goldie rides again rounding up the woollies to the tune of the theme song:

"Locked in the stable with the sheep
 I lay me down with fleas to sleep".

 Mr. H.J. Von Dadelszen is expected to arrive per launch on Monday for one of his periodic flying visits.

 We congratulate Wing Commander (Giffy) Giffkins on the celebration of his birthday (Friday) He left Motutapu with the worst intentions.

 On behalf of Sister Jean's Fund for Distressed Soldiers we appeal for help. Barney Billing is, as usual, chronically impoverished. In fact he is so hard up that he can't afford to buy tobacco. We appeal to all smokers to save their cigarette butts for our worthy Bombardier. This will be considerably cheaper for them than keeping Barney in smokes and at the same time will save Barney's pride as it goes against the grain for him to be continually on the bludge. Rally round boys and help our popular pug out of his difficulty.