

Your Trip Abroad—

## Rules Explained For Tipping On Shipboard; In Foreign Countries

## Wages Low in Expectation Of Receiving Gratuities

By RICHARD JOSEPH

**IF THERE'S ONE** subject that bedevils the traveler—even the most sophisticated—more than any other, it's the ticklish topic of tipping.

"To insure promptness" is supposed to have been the origin of the word tip. Today tipping is much more to insure your not getting a hole in your head, a thumb in your soup, than it is to get special speed or extra service.

Very few tips like the business of tipping. Even the recipients of the tips don't like it sometimes, since their wages are usually very low in expectation of tips received. An occasional encounter with a rugged individualist who refuses to tip can have a drastic effect on their income.

Those who overtip have been blamed for much of the tipping difficulty. The visitor abroad who throws his francs, lire and pesos around as though they were cigar coupons is as responsible as Hollywood for the too-widespread impression that all Americans are millionaires.

**HE MAKES** it tough for his more conservative compatriot who follows him. Hotel and restaurant people who have been deluded into thinking that all Americans throw their money around sometimes start resenting those who don't. You will find that people who tip adequately, but don't overtip, usually are respected as travel-wise men and women of the world.

One thing you can be sure of: Most people are at least as confused about tipping practices as you are, since there is very little precise information on the subject. As a travel reporter, however, I have been able to ask questions about tipping which might be embarrassing for the average traveler to ask.

American tipping practices have come to be regarded as fairly standard procedure all over the world.

United States customs are correct for Bermuda, Nassau, Hawaii, Puerto Rico and the Virgin Islands. You can translate these tips into the currency you are using in any other country you happen to be in, and you can be quite sure you're not tipping incorrectly.

**RESTAURANTS:** Gone with the war is the old 10 per cent custom. Nowadays you'll find that waiters in the best restaurants expect their tip to amount to 15 per cent of the check—approximately, but rarely less.

Busboys aren't tipped, generally, since they share in the tips

## Teen Problem—

## Frankness Is Unmannerly

By JOAN

OF COURSE, it's bad psychology to suggest the wrong way of doing things. But, just for the laughs, here's a list of remarks you should never, never make at the table.

When a strange, new dish is offered, don't say "Ugh! What's that?" And when an old one reappears, refrain from groaning, "What? Beans again?"

"When you wish to refuse a dish, don't mutter, 'I hate spinach. I can't eat onions; I like them but they don't like me. Potatoes are too fattening. Chocolate makes my face break out.'

WHEN a second helping comes your way, never hold your tummy and moan, "Mercy, No! I'm stuffed! I've eaten too much already. I'm full as a pig."

If someone at the table eats with voracious appetite, ignore it, chum. And skip uncomplimentary remarks about the food that's set before you.

Don't say "That's Bill's fourth helping." O "The steak

is tough as shoe leather. What's the matter with this pie? It tastes funny."

Yes, for courtesy's sake watch your words, pal. Unpleasant frankness makes you an unwelcome eating companion—at home and abroad.

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**Breakfast in bed and no tip . . .** Airline people are the only ones who seem to have eliminated the tipping bugaboo from their operations. This attractive airline hostess serves meals, tends babies

and performs multiple duties without the proverbial outstretched palm. **serve, you should be tipped \$2**

**barber shops, and that for a haircut only.** Up the ante as you give the hairdresser a quarter per round.

**Give the headwaiter or headwaitress \$1 a person a week, a \$5 bill from a couple leaving at the end of a two-week stay is very welcome.**

**BARBER AND BEAUTY SHOPS:** A quarter has become the minimum tip in first-class

**BARS:** It's not usually necessary to tip the bartender, unless he can get a particularly sympathetic look on his face as you tell him your troubles. Then a dime or a quarter per round.

**EN ROUTE:** Cab drivers consider 15 cents the minimum tip for fares up to about 75 cents.

**From 75 cents to \$1, a 20-cent tip.**

## Airlines Eliminate Tipping Bugaboo

**tip is adequate. For fares from \$1 up, give a quarter per \$1, or 20-25 per cent of whatever the meter reads.**

**Station porters should be given a quarter per bag.**

**ON A TRAIN:** Give the Pullman porter 50 cents a night if you're occupying a berth, 75 cents to \$1 for more elaborate accommodations.

**ON SHIPBOARD:** Ship's personnel are usually tipped at the end of the trip, except for cruises, when it's becoming fashionable to give half your tip at the halfway mark.

**You tip the bar steward, though, as you're served. On cruises of more than a week, your cabin- and dining-room stewards should be tipped a minimum of 50 cents per person per day. If there are two of you, and you've been out on a 13-day cruise, you'd tip the cabin steward and the dining room steward \$15, not \$13.**

**If there is no bathroom in your cabin, give the bath attendant a couple of dollars at the end of your trip. In addition to the fee for renting a deck chair, you should also give the deck steward \$3 to \$5 for bringing you drinks and snacks, getting you pillows, tucking you in, introducing you to the young, blond traveling with her uncle, etc.**

**ON THE PLANE:** You don't tip. Airline people are the only ones who seem to have eliminated the tipping bugaboo from their operations. Only one to tip, and then only if you feel like it, is a quarter or so to the porters who piles your luggage on the airport limousine.

**TOMORROW: If You Are Travelling by Plane.**

## Model Beauty



Dorothy Sparkman

A Powers model, Miss Dorothy Sparkman, is here this week from New York to talk about beauty and charm.

In Ayres' toiletries department today through Saturday, she will demonstrate Powers beauty aids. Miss Sparkman recently was chosen by Look magazine as "the most shining example of American beauty." Her modeling career started when she was selected as the Tangerine Queen of Florida.

Beat egg whites until stiff enough to stand in peaks. Fold in sugar a tablespoon at a time, beating after each addition. Add lemon juice.

Just before serving, place the cup cakes on a bread board. Put a teaspoonful of jam in hollow of each cake and top with ice cream. Completely cover the ice cream and cake with a thick layer of meringue. Bake in preheated hot oven (450 degrees F.) for five minutes. Place on serving plates and serve immediately.

To use leftover cup cake centers: Cut cake into cubes and toast in a moderate oven (350 degrees F.) for about 10 minutes or until golden brown. Place on serving dish and top with pistachio ice cream and crushed sweetened berries.

Eat Well for Less—

## Cool Answer To Challenge Of Summer

## Provides Good Nutrition, Too

By GAYNOR MADDOX

LOOKING for an exciting summer dessert? Then here's a cool answer. It's good nutrition, too, for all the family.

## QUICK STRAWBERRY ALASKA

One quart strawberry ice cream (bulk), six large size cup cakes, three egg whites, six tablespoons sugar, one teaspoon lemon juice, one-fourth cup strawberry jam.

Place ice cream in freezing compartment of refrigerator until ready for use. Cut the centers from the cup cakes, leaving a hollow large enough for a scoop of ice cream. Reserve the centers for another dessert.

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