



Keith Shackleton 66.



s.s. CANBERRA

DINNER

Appetizers	Fruit Cocktail	Smoked Salmon
Soup	Consommé Mikado	Cream of Barley
Fish	Fillet of Halibut, Béarnaise Sauce Fillet of Halibut, Van den Berg	
Entrée	Braised Ox Tongue, Bretonne	
Joint	Roast Saddle of Lamb with Green Peas and Noisette Potatoes	
Poultry	Braised Duck Bigarade	
Grill to Order	Rump Steak, Tomato Farce, Onions and Fried Potatoes	
Cold Buffet	Sirloin of Beef	Ham Corned Ox Tongue Leg of Lamb
Salads	Lettuce, Tomato, Radish and Red Cabbage	
Dressings	Mayonnaise	French Vinaigrette
Vegetables	Buttered Brussels Sprouts	Braised Onions
Potatoes	Boiled	Rissolées
Sweets	Orange Cheese Cake Friandises	Victoria Sundae Water Ice
Savoury	Beurrecks à la Turque	
Cheese	New Zealand Cheddar	Roquefort
Biscuits	Bath Oliver Cream Crackers Hotel Crackers	Betterwheat
	Ryvita Table Water Vita-Weat Water	Breakfast
Fresh Fruit	In Season	
Dessert Fruits	Crystallised Fruits	
Beverages	Coffee	Ceylon Tea China Tea Indian Tea
	Instant Coffee:—Nescafé and Sanka	American Coffee

Tea and coffee are also served in the Public Rooms

Chef's suggestions in bold type

WINES

All wines included in the Wine List are ready for serving and the following recommended :—

Australian White—Chablis Dalwood (Penfolds)

Australian Red—Claret Château Tahbilk

The following wines are available for sale by the glass :—

Rhine Rudesheimer Klosterberg Riesling	Glass	£0.18	A.40 cts.	U.S.44 cts.
Rhône Châteauneuf-du-Pape, Red ...	Glass	£0.17	A.37 cts.	U.S.42 cts.
Australian Claret Château Tahbilk ..	Glass	£0.14	A.31 cts.	U.S.35 cts.
Australian Hock Quelltaler	Glass	£0.12	A.27 cts.	U.S.30 cts.
Bordeaux White "Vin Ordinaire" ...	Glass	£0.10	A.22 cts.	U.S.25 cts.
Bordeaux Red "Vin Ordinaire" ...	Glass	£0.10	A.22 cts.	U.S.25 cts.



Flamingoes

A statistic of the flamingo is that the proportion of the neck and leg length to that of the body is greater than in any other bird. One look at it and this is not hard to believe.

Here is a group of Greater Flamingoes engaged in a siesta hour. There are six flamingo species in the world, of which the Greater has by far the biggest range. It is found in the Caribbean and parts of South America, in parts of Africa, Europe and Asia.

Zoologically they are grouped with the ducks, geese and swans, though the extreme nature of their structure has provided scientists with much debate over the years. They are essentially birds of a mud and shallow water habitat, feeding characteristically with lowered head and bill pointed aft, the top mandible thereby becoming the lower, using the bill as a sieve for minute organisms of plant and animal life. This not only sustains them but has a striking effect on the degree of pink in their plumage.

But it is when the siesta hour is over and they take flight again that flamingoes present their most impressive sight. The upper parts of their wings are crimson and their tips black; their massed take-off and the vocal clamour that attends it is one of the greatest natural spectacles the world has to offer.

This is one of a series of six menu cards depicting some of the beautiful birds that may be seen in and around the countries and oceans served by P & O ships. The original oil paintings were specially executed and described for P & O by Keith Shackleton, R.S.M.A., S.W.L.A., and printed in England by Daniel Greenaway & Sons Ltd.