

APPEARING OLD

Acts as a Bar to Profitable Employment. You cannot afford to grow old. In these days of strenuous competition it is necessary to maintain, as long as possible, one's youthful appearance.

The Tired Traveler is ever happy to find a comfortable stopping place. Where to put up is the prevalent question after a long journey.

PARKER HOUSE Whose genial host, Mr. T. J. Broemser, is an experienced hotel man and who on April 1 took charge of this popular hostelry and has inaugurated a new feature to the house by opening the dining room in connection with the hotel and is now able to give his patrons board and lodgings, the best in Astoria, for \$1 and \$1.25 per day.

T. J. BROEMSER.

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A TEA PARTY is made more enjoyable by the use of dainty china. Why not inspect our fine assortment of fancy Japanese tea cups before giving that next tea? Cups and Saucers in pretty designs and of good quality make a nice engagement present.

THE WATER WE EAT.

Bought as Food. It is a Tolerably Expensive Luxury. Bought as food, water is a tolerably expensive luxury. In several instances it costs something like \$2.50 a glass, according to the estimates of H. J. Holmes in Pearson's.

"Cured" pork does not contain a large proportion of water. In fact, wherever there is a good deal of fatty matter there is also a scarcity of moisture. So the man who enjoys his slice of breakfast bacon may comfort himself with the reflection that he is getting fairly solid value for his money.

It is only to be expected that milk, owing to its origin, should vary considerably in its composition. Much depends on the health and surroundings of the animal yielding it.

The choicest fish contains the largest percentage of water. Thus turbot and sole are credited with 78 per cent, salmon 75 per cent, while the commoner inhabitants of the deep blue sea are content with from 40 to 60 per cent, as in the case of the homely herring.

It will be seen that most of the good things of life are largely composed of water, but it is better for us that this is so. Nature knows more about our digestive powers than we know our selves, and she has designed her products—fish, flesh, fowl and fruit—with so cunning a hand that the water contained in each is essential.

Answering the Critics. Some members of the congregation of the late Dr. Joseph Brown of Glasgow objected to his frequent absence from home and complained of it—some of them to him personally and more of them behind his back.

The Wisdom of Being Big. Why do I carry my lunch in a bag? Because if I satisfy my modest hunger at a hotel there is not a man in the room who is not eating at my cost.

Our Financial Responsibility. As to whether we are abundantly able to do as we say, we refer to our Bank or Trust Company in the City of Indianapolis. Our offer will be carried out to the letter.

Trials of Motherhood. I suffered for nine years with ovarian troubles making life a burden to myself as well as to my family. During that time I had two miscarriages and although we longed for a child to bless our home this seemed impossible.

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