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New to Him.

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"I reckon I do," said Mr. Meddergrass. "You mean you'd like to loaf around here long enough to get hayseed in your hair and then sit still till it sprouted."—Judge.

Ocean Defined.

The class in elementary geography was up for recitation. "What is an ocean?" asked the teacher. "You may answer, Janet."

"It is a large body of water situated near Norfolk, Va.," replied Janet, who had once visited her aunt at the seashore.

Imitation.

The hairdresser had done rather a hasty job on the raven locks of the young woman.

"Well," she said, surveying the result in the morning, "this is a shampoo, all right, if there is any such thing as a real 'poo.'"—Chicago Tribune.

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Still Too Young.

"This is my birthday."

"And I suppose you feel as young as you ever did?"

"No, I don't believe I'm quite old enough yet to feel as young as I ever did."—Town and Country.

Savory Meat Puddings.

Any little pieces of minced meat and lean ham, one-quarter pound each, one-half pound flour, an onion chopped very small, pepper and salt and a little chopped parsley. Mix all the ingredients in a bowl and moisten with a little stock—just sufficient to make the mixture cling together. Place in a buttered pudding dish and boil for four hours. Turn on a dish and serve with good gravy.—Washington Star.

Potatoes with Cheese.

Cut six cold potatoes into dice. Make a sauce by melting two tablespoonfuls of butter; add two tablespoonfuls of flour and pour on slowly one cupful of white stock and one cupful of milk; season with salt and pepper and add four heaped tablespoonfuls of grated cheese. Put a layer of potato into a baking tin, and pepper; cover with sauce, and so continue until all is used. Sprinkle with buttered crumbs, and brown in the oven.

Cocoonut Cookies.

Mix together two cupfuls of flour, a teaspoonful of baking powder, and a good tablespoonful of lard rubbed into it; stir in one cupful of sugar, one cupful of grated cocoonut, and beat one egg with a cupful of milk; add a few drops of flavoring and stir all very well together. If the paste is too thick to drop from the end of a spoon, use a little more milk; drop in small cakes and bake quickly.

Potatoes Au Gratin.

Slice potatoes thin and put them in layers in a greased pudding dish, sprinkling each layer with salt, pepper and bits of butter. When all are in, pour in a half cup of hot milk and sprinkle the top layer of potatoes thickly with cracker crumbs mixed with salt and pepper and bits of butter. Bake, covered, for half an hour, uncover and brown.

Queen Cakes.

Beat half a pound of butter and a pound of sugar to a cream; add six eggs, one by one, beating well between each; flavor with the peel of a lemon grated, squeeze in the juice of half a one, and then sift in the flour warm and dry. When well mixed, these cakes should be baked in a moderate oven.

Drop Biscuits, Lemon.

Beat eight eggs with a pound of powdered sugar for ten minutes with an egg beater, or fifteen minutes by hand, then add gradually a pound and a quarter of flour and the grated peel of a lemon, with the juice of half of it. Drop the size of a dollar on buttered paper.

Brief Suggestions.

Iodine stains will disappear if dipped in liquid ammonia.

The odor of onions may be removed from the hands by rubbing them with celery.

If soot falls on the carpet cover it thickly with salt. It may then be brushed up without fear of doing damage.

Brass pans should be cleaned before use. Rub them with salt and vinegar, then rinse thoroughly with water and dry with a soft cloth. Thus you may be sure that the pans are free from verdigris, which is a strong poison.

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Pear Pudding.

Pare and quarter sufficient pears to fill a quart measure. To a cup of sugar add a cup of water. Let this boil, then add the pears and stew gently until tender. Soak half of a five-cent loaf of white bread in tepid water until soft, then press dry and crumble fine. Melt half a cup of butter in a skillet over the fire, add the bread and stir continuously until well dried, but not browned, then set aside to cool. Beat the yolks of three eggs and half a cup of sugar until light, then add in succession half a teaspoonful of cinnamon, the bread and the stiffly beaten whites of eggs. Butter well a deep granite pudding form, put in half of the pears, then the bread mixture and the remaining pears on top. Cover closely and bake slowly about one and a half hours. Serve hot.—Good Housekeeping.

Scrapie.

Boil a cleaned pig's head until the flesh slips easily from the bones. Remove the bones and chop the meat fine. Set the liquor in which the meat was boiled aside until cold, take the fat off, and return the liquor to the fire. Bring to the boil, drop in the chopped meat and season with pepper and salt. Boil up again and thicken with cornmeal, stirring this in gradually. Cook an hour, stirring frequently during the first part of the time, then moving it to a part of the stove where it will cook gently. When done pour it in a shallow pan to form. When cold and firm this can be sliced and fried.

Not Always Thus.

Tramp—Madam, I was not always thus.

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Saw It Only One Way.

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Ruxton—So?

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