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She Didn't Sleep Well.

A woman who lives in an inland town, while going to a convention in a distant city, spent one night of the journey on board a steamboat. It was the first time she had ever traveled by water. She reached her journey's end extremely fatigued. To a friend who remarked it she replied:
"Yes, I'm tired to death. I don't know that I care to travel by water again. I read the card in my stateroom about how to put the life preserver on, and I thought I understood it, but I guess I didn't. Somehow I couldn't go to sleep with the thing on."—Ladies' Home Journal.

His System.

"How do you dispose of your garbage here?" asked the stranger, who was gathering data for purposes of publication.
"We always throw ours in the garbage can," said the man with the chin beard; "but I don't know, of course, about the neighbors."—Chicago Tribune.

Anything but Friendly.

"You astonish me. Your engagement with Miss Welpho is broken, is it? Are the relations between you still friendly?"
"I should say not! The relations between us are her relations, and they're my bitter enemies."—

No Longer in the Limelight.

Then old Verulius checked his rage, and straightway called a truce.
"There's too much competition now," He muttered. "What's the use!"

HERITAGE OF CIVIL WAR.

Thousands of Soldiers Contracted Chronic Kidney Trouble While in the Service.

The experience of Capt. John L. Ely, of Co. E, 17th Ohio, now living at 500 East Second street, Newton, Kansas, will interest the thousands of veterans who came back from the Civil war suffering tortures with kidney complaint. Capt. Ely says: "I contracted kidney trouble during the Civil war, and the occasional attacks finally developed into a chronic case. At one time I had to use a crutch and cane to get about. My back was lame and weak, and besides the aching, there was a distressing retention of the kidney secretions. I was in a bad way when I began using Doan's Kidney Pills in 1901, but the remedy cured me, and I have been well ever since."

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His Good Reason.

"Why does Smithy visit his wealthy aunt so often?"
"If he didn't he might have to visit his 'uncle.'"—Houston Post.

Defines the Court's Duty.

A. G. Jewett, lawyer, politician and man of sarcastic wit, was once trying a case in the supreme court in Belfast, Me., his home city. The judge presiding, before being called to the bench, had tried many cases against Jewett, who did not entertain a very high opinion of his ability.

In his closing argument, Jewett, in defiance of the rules of the court, started in to read some law to the jury. The court pounded on the bench and said: "Mr. Jewett, you must not read law to the jury in your closing argument." Jewett kept on reading, without so much as a glance at the court. The court in thunderous tones ordered him to stop.

Jewett, who had by this time read all he intended to read, turned calmly to the judge and said: "Did your honor address me?"

"I said," roared the judge, "you must not read law to the jury in your closing argument. I will give the law to the jury. What do you suppose the court is here for?"

"What is the court here for?" responded Jewett in high falsetto. "I suppose you know, sir, to keep order with the aid of the sheriff, sir, with all due respect to the sheriff, sir."—Boston Herald.

What Noon Means in Law.

The courts of several states have dealt with an odd question, none of them agreeing upon a similar answer. When is it legally noon? Fire insurance policies expire at noon and the word is admitted to mean exactly 12 o'clock, midday. But standard time has not been adopted in all communities. Many small towns cling to sun time, which may be from a few minutes to nearly an hour earlier than standard.

In one state a fire occurred at two minutes past noon, sun time, and the insurance company held that the policy had expired before the fire. Sun time is used in that town, but the insured sued the company, holding that local customs did not rule the policy and that he was entitled to his insurance. The state courts sustained him.

In another state a similar contention was taken to the courts and just the opposite decision given. Several conflicting precedents have been established in state courts, and it is said the question can only be decided for good and all when a case has been carried into the United States courts and passed upon by the Supreme Court.—New York Press.

Dealing with Deadheads.

Willie Collier, the actor, was asked if he was much annoyed by requests from deadheads.

"I receive them in shoals," he replied; "but generally manage to put them off politely, but firmly. The other day, for instance, I received a letter from a man, who wrote that he had had the pleasure of meeting me in California sometime ago. I had never even heard the man's name before. However, he added kindly that he was much pleased with my play, and may be I could send him two seats for the next matinee."

"Did you answer the letter?"
"Oh, yes! I sent him a postal-card saying maybe I couldn't."

Edited Out.

"John," said Lorna Doone, "you ought not to come and meet me by stealth. It isn't right. My family wouldn't like it."
"All's fair in love or war, Lorna," chuckled John Ridd, "and this is both."
But Mr. Blackmore, fearing that this light play of the intellect was not suited to so heavy a man as Big John, omitted all mention of the incident in writing the story.

It Was Unbearable.

Towne—I hear you've got a first-class cook now.

Browne—Yes, but I'm going to get rid of her. She's making my life unbearable.

Towne—How?
Browne—Oh, my wife is always bothering me to get her gowns as swel' as the cook wears.—Philadelphia Press.



Rhubarb Cream Pie.

Chop enough rhubarb fine to make 1 cup. Add 1 cup of sugar, a pinch of salt and a grating or two of yellow lemon peel. Dissolve 1 rounding tablespoon of cornstarch in 2 tablespoons of cold water in a cup; fill the cup with boiling water and stir well. Beat the yolks of 3 eggs light; add to the rhubarb, then the cornstarch and water. Line a plate with good paste, pour in the filling and bake in a moderate oven. Cool and cover with a meringue made with the stiffly beaten whites of 3 eggs and one-half cup of powdered sugar. Set in the oven to color lightly.

Tripe With Cream Sauce.

Cut cooked tripe into pieces about an inch square, and dry them on a napkin. Melt a tablespoonful of butter in a saucepan; and put in one and a half pints of cut tripe; stir gently, and fry for five minutes, then cover it and set it on the side of the range to keep warm. Melt in another saucepan, one tablespoonful of butter, adding a heaped tablespoonful of flour, stir and cook for two minutes, add one pint of milk, half a teaspoonful of salt, then stir, and cook it to a smooth sauce. Drain the tripe, add it and serve.

The Secret of Boiling Water.

To boil anything well it is not necessary to boil it hard. The average kitchen servant thinks that the more commotion in the water the hotter it is, and in order to produce this she burns a great deal of fuel and ruins the stove by keeping it red hot. Water placed in a steapen directly over a red hot lid will, of course, boil more vehemently, yet it will not cook meat or potatoes any quicker, and not so well as water that just keeps at the boiling point and quietly simmers.

Cheese Cutlets.

Put two tablespoonfuls of butter in a saucepan, and, while melting, add four level tablespoonfuls of cornstarch, a teaspoonful of salt and a dash of white pepper or paprika. When blended add one cup of rich milk; stir until smooth, then add one cup mild American cheese, cut into small pieces, and a half cup grated Parmesan. Mix thoroughly, spread in buttered outlet molds or pat into shape with the hands, and, when stiff, egg, crumb and fry in deep fat.

Smothered Potatoes.

Pare the potatoes and cut into small cubes. Put them into cold water for a few minutes, then into boiling water and let them boil about ten minutes. Then drain off all the water and put the potatoes into a double boiler, dredge them with a tablespoonful of flour, add about the same amount of butter and two cupfuls of milk. Cover them, and cook gently for twenty minutes. Season with salt, pepper and celery salt. Serve in a hot dish.

Plain Cake.

Cream one-half cupful butter; add to it one cupful sugar and beat well, then the yolks of two eggs, with one teaspoonful any flavor. Add one-half cupful milk alternately with two cupful flour in which has been mixed one teaspoonful baking powder, and last of all add the whites of the eggs beaten to a stiff froth. Bake one hour.

Marsh Mallow Cake.

A most delicious cake is a marsh-mallow cake, and it is as tempting to the sight as it is to the taste. Two cupfuls of sugar, one cupful of butter, one cupful of milk, yolks of four eggs and whites of three, four cupfuls of flour, two large teaspoonfuls of baking powder. Bake in four long layers.

Oatmeal Rolls.

To a vegetable dish of cold oatmeal left from breakfast, add one tablespoonful of melted butter, one egg, one pint of hot milk, two teaspoonfuls of baking powder, and flour to make a stiff batter. Bake in gem tins or muffin rings in a brisk oven.

Catsup Without Seeds.

Boil half an hour briskly the juice expressed from five pounds of unstemmed currants, three pounds of brown sugar, a pint of vinegar, a tablespoonful each of allspice, cloves, pepper, and a half of cinnamon, a tablespoonful of salt, with one nutmeg grated.

Spice Cake.

Two cupfuls of brown sugar, one-half cupful of butter, two and one-half cupfuls of flour, one cupful of sour milk, one teaspoonful of soda, one teaspoonful of ground cloves, one-half teaspoonful each of ground allspice and mustard, two teaspoonfuls of cinnamon.

Sauce Tartare for Fish.

Make a cup of mayonnaise dressing and beat gradually into it a teaspoonful each of French mustard, chopped pickles and minced capers, a dozen drops of onion juice and a tablespoonful of minced parsley. Beat hard and serve.

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"Weren't you awfully afraid you wouldn't get it, Hattie," asked one, "when there were so many contestants?"

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Two Kinds of Pelicans.

We have in America two kinds of pelicans, the white and the brown. Of the former, I can only say that it does not encourage the advances of the avian psychologist. Invasions of its strongholds on remote lake islets in Manitoba and in Nevada have resulted in their complete desertion by every white pelican old enough to spread a wing; and success here is doubtless not to be looked for so long as this snowy-plumaged bird remains a shining mark for every roving rifleman.—Century.

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