

Spring Humors

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"One of the oldest humane laws in this country," said E. J. Sanford, "is in force in Nevada. In that section of the American desert which lies in Nevada travelers in distress may flag the limited passenger trains and compel the train crews to give them water to drink. The law makes it a felony to refuse to comply with the traveler's request."

Mr. Sanford said numerous instances were known in the earlier days when travelers took advantage of the protection this law afforded, but in recent years few persons attempted to cross the desert except by train.—Kansas City Times.

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HOUSEHOLD TALKS

Cream of Pea Soup.

Open one can of June peas and turn the entire contents into the soup kettle. Add one bay leaf, a blade of mace, a half-teaspoonful of salt, a dozen peppercorns and a pint of boiling water. Simmer slowly for fifteen minutes, working frequently with a wooden beetle or wire potato masher that the peas may be well broken. Press through a sieve, working it to get all the pulp possible; then return to the fire. In a double boiler prepare a thin sauce with one large tablespoonful of butter, two scant tablespoonfuls of flour and one pint of milk. With this gradually blend the pea pulp, add more seasoning if necessary, and simmer for ten minutes longer.

Old-Time Chocolate Cake.

One cup of brown sugar; one egg-yolk, beaten light; one cup of sweet milk; one-half cup of grated chocolate; one teaspoonful of baking soda; one cup of flour; one tablespoonful of melted butter, added last of all. Bake in a loaf-pan, and cover with a boiled icing. Make this of one cup of sugar and a gill of water boiled until it threads. Pour over the well-beaten white of an egg, and spread on the cake.

Steamed Apples.

A delicious and simple way to prepare winter apples: Peel, quarter and core six or eight apples; steam or boil until about half cooked; take from the fire and let cool; make a syrup of two cups of sugar and half a cup of water; drop the apples into the boiling syrup for a few minutes, or until they become clear; let cool and serve with cream.—Boston Cooking School Magazine.

Liquid Glue.

Take three parts (by weight) of gum arabic and one part of India rubber. Dissolve in separate vessels in ether (free from alcohol), applying a gentle heat. When both are entirely dissolved mix them and put them in a tightly corked bottle. This variety of glue is known as marine glue. It resists the action of hot and cold water and the majority of hot alkalis and acids.

Virginia Sweet Potatoes.

Boil the sweet potatoes for twenty minutes, remove from the fire, peel and cut them into slices. Put a layer of sweet potatoes, then cover with sugar and cinnamon; continue this until the dish is full, making the last layer of sugar. Then pour over the top a teaspoonful of hot water in which has been melted a tablespoonful of butter. Bake in the oven until brown.

Corn Flour Cake.

Two ounces of flour, quarter pound corn flour, half pound loaf sugar, four ounces butter, one dessert spoonful baking powder, four eggs. Beat the butter and sugar to a cream, then add the eggs well beaten, one at a time, add the flour, baking powder and corn flour; beat five minutes; flavor with almond or lemon; pour into a buttered tin and bake for one hour.

Baked Apple Butter.

Delicious. Pare tart apples, quarter, core and cook them as for plain apple sauce. When cooked sweeten to taste and to a gallon of sauce add a cupful of boiled cider. Place the sauce in a crock in a moderate oven, and bake uncovered for several hours, or until it has thickened sufficiently. Stir occasionally.

Marshmallow Confection.

One-half pound of English walnuts, chopped fine and added to a pound of marshmallows cut up. Mix these together. Take a pint of cream and whip it until stiff. Stir into it the nuts and marshmallows, also a quarter of a cup of candied cherries chopped fine. Flavor with a few drops of vanilla. Set on the ice an hour or two before serving.

White Cake.

One-quarter cup of butter, one cup of sugar, one-half cup of sweet milk, one and one-half cups of flour, sifted with one teaspoonful of baking powder, the whites of two eggs. Cream the butter and sugar, add the milk, flour and baking powder; lastly, beat the eggs to a stiff froth and fold into the batter. Bake in two tins.

South Chatham Lady Fingers.

Beat the yolks of three eggs until thick. Gradually beat in one-third of a cup of sugar and a grating of lemon rind. Then cut and fold in a scant three-fourths of a cup of flour and the white of one egg, beaten dry. Shape with a pastry bag and plain tube on waxed paper. Bake about ten minutes.

Pe-ru-na Relieves Spring Catarrh



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"Without hesitation I write to thank you for the great relief I have found in your valuable medicine, Peruna, and will call the attention of all my friends suffering with catarrh to that fact. Besides I cheerfully recommend it to all suffering with catarrh in any form."—Miss Dora Hayden, 819 6th St., S. W., Washington, D. C.

A Case of Spring Catarrh.

Mrs. N. P. Lawler, 423 1/2 N. Broadway, Pittsburg, Kas., writes: "Last spring I caught a severe cold, which developed into a serious case of catarrh. I felt weak and sick, and could neither eat nor sleep well. "A member of our club who had been cured of catarrh through the use of Peruna advised me to try it, and I did so at once. I expected help, but nothing like the wonderful change for the better I observed almost as soon as I started taking it. In three days I felt much better, and within two weeks I was in fine health. Peruna is a wonderful medicine."

Brushing It Aside.

Attorney (cross examining expert)—You heard the previous witnesses describe the condition in which they found the plaintiff in this case after the accident happened. In the light of their evidence, what becomes of your theory? Expert Witness—My dear sir, their testimony cannot be explained on any logical, scientific ground, and is utterly at variance with every reasonable hypothesis as determined by the law of averages. An alleged fact cannot stand for a moment when it conflicts with an established principle. Errare humanum est. Quod erat demonstrandum.

For Breaking Up the Soil.

Station Agent—This car is marked "Farm Implements," but the contents look suspiciously like packages of dynamite. Freight Conductor—That's what they are, but the label is all right. The farm where the stuff is going is in West Virginia.

How Did He Hide It?
"I see by the papers that Mr. Slickum, who was riding in the smoking car, was injured when his train ran into another one a few mornings ago. I feel sorry for his young wife."
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Reaction.

With a heavy sigh the candidate threw himself on the lounge in the family sitting room.

"Maria," he said, "the election is going against me. I am sure to be defeated."

"Then," spoke his wife, in a cold, metallic voice, "I don't get the fine new bonnet you were going to buy for me when you were elected."

"By George!" he exclaimed, brightening up. "I hadn't thought of that!"

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Caste.

"You haven't been here half a minute," protested the microbe on the dollar bill.

"What's your hurry?"

"If I should happen to meet you again," said the visiting microbe, looking with a glance of disdain at the surroundings. "I'll thank you not to speak to me."

"Why?"

"Because you're on a rank counterfeit and haven't sense enough to know it. Good-by."—Chicago Tribune.

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