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Very Much So.
 "Have they running water in the house you're rented?"
 "I should go so. There isn't a place in it that isn't leaking."—Baltimore American.

Deciding.
 With pardonable pride a lady displayed a very ancient piece of house linen to her servant, saying:
 "Look, Bridget, at this tablecloth. It has been in our family for over 200 years."
 Bridget eyed it carefully, and then remarked in a most confidential tone:
 "Sure, never mind, Mrs. Arthur, dear. Who would know but what it was bought bran new out of the shop?"—Tit-Bits.

Want to get off again, do you?
 roared the boss. "This will be the third time you've been off this week. What's the trouble now?"
 "I want to get my eyes examined," sullenly replied the clerk.
 "Well, get 'em carefully examined while you're about it. You'll be looking for work after Saturday night."—Boston Transcript.

The Way of it.
 "How on earth can they weigh souls as they say they do?"
 "I guess they use a spirit level."—Baltimore American.

The Case Stated.
 "Spoffins says he owes everything to his wife."
 "Yes, everybody knows he's borrowed the best part of her money."—Baltimore American.

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Poland of Today



TYPICAL POLISH FARM HOUSE

"NIECH bendzie pochevalowy Jesus Chrystus" (Blessed be the Lord Jesus Christ). "Na wieki wiekow" (for ages and ages). Thus one Polish peasant greets another, as his ancestors have done for centuries, writes Nevill O. Winter in the Christian Herald. This quaint salutation is heard everywhere in the Polish section of Austria, Germany and Russia, the peasant always removing his hat in a truly gracious way as he thus greets a noble or a stranger. It is one of the surface indications of the deep religious instinct that seems to be inborn with the Slavic races, and that is found among both Russians and Poles. Devotion to the church of their choice reaches a degree for which it is difficult to find analogies in the new world.

The events now taking place in Europe may result in a re-annexation of Poland, if not in a re-establishment of her national sovereignty. Independence in a limited degree has been promised by both Russia and Germany. Whatever may be the outcome of the titanic struggle now taking place, the allegiance of at least a part of the Poles is very likely to be transferred to another overlord if the dream of another Poland, so long cherished in the Polish breast, fall of realization.

Our sympathies must go out to those downtrodden people, who are so proud of their own ideals. It is only in the Austrian province of Galicia, where so much fighting has taken place, that the Poles have been allowed to breathe freely, speak their own language without fear, and openly educate their children in their beloved tongue. Polish peasants do not shine intellectually, since there has been little opportunity to develop the intellect. But, for that matter, what peasant does? The most of them are not even able to read or write.

Superior to Russian Brother.
 As a consequence, the Polish peasant impresses one as being rather slow in both thought and action. But he is not so slow as the Russian peasant, and he has more independence of thought and action than his Slavic brother. This quality sometimes approaches unreason, a characteristic that, at times, has led Poles into conflict with authorities in the United States, as well as with their own clerical authorities. It has also resulted in the formation of a number of independent Polish Catholic churches on this side of the Atlantic.

The Polish peasant is essentially a tiller of the soil. This has been his occupation during all the preceding generations, and it still continues to be the height of his ambition. His talks of agriculture, and most of his joys are connected with the different seasons. Most of his food is raised in his own garden or fields. Potatoes are a great staple, and cabbage are almost as important. Beans, corn and beets add to the larder. Cabbages are much used in making the thick soups so well liked, and a soup is also made of red beets. In summer his costume is simple, consisting only of thin shirt and trousers; but in winter a padded sheepskin coat, with the wool turned inside, is added. To the bare feet are added coarse boots, and to the bare head a hat.

"Do the women do the work of section hands here?" I asked of a fellow traveler as our train was approaching Lemberg, which has been the objective of contending forces so frequently.
Women Inured to Hard Labor.
 "Yes," he answered, "and they do it exceedingly well." It was only another evidence that the lot of the Polish woman is especially hard. This is noticeable throughout all the Polish provinces of the three dominant countries. They do more than their full share of the family work. The Polish woman of the lower classes has not yet emerged from the physical and mental slavery of former ages. Sometimes one will see more women in the field than

both day and night arriving first, while the observers of union hours who fly exclusively on either day or night shifts, come straggling in a few weeks later.
His Choice.
 "Old man, you are too close in money matters. Your friends are beginning to classify you as a tightwad."
 "What does it matter? I'd rather be classified as a tightwad than a good thing."
Musk Loses Weight.
 Charles Hazouzi, a French chemist demonstrates that a grain of musk loses weight until it ceases to give off its odor, after which its weight remains the same. This proves that perfume is caused by volatile particles given off by the odoriferous body.
The Big Eater.
 He (despondingly)—"My dear, we really must economize. Now, what can we get along without?" She—"I really don't know, Frank, unless it's your appetite."

Bird Life in Alaska.
 Persons with a fancy for ornithology may be interested in the fact that Alaska has few birds in winter aside from grouse and the innumerable flocks of ptarmigan to be found throughout the territory. These latter are numerous at all seasons, but are to be found only at high altitudes in summer. Geese are to be seen by the million from late June to October, but seldom later. Ducks are fully as plentiful, but with the coming of fall they also migrate South. For some reason an occasional duck winters in Alaska, but a goose never. Most of the birds which nest north of the circle spend the rest of the year in South America, some, like the Alaska night-hawk, going so far as the Argentine, while the tern is not satisfied until he reaches the Antarctic regions. This means that most Alaskan birds travel annually, coming and going from 14,000 to 20,000 miles, not counting the distances covered in side trips for food and other purposes while on the way. From the middle of May until the first of July the birds return to Alaska in countless myriads, those which travel

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Start Tomorrow and Keep It Up Every Morning
 Get in the habit of drinking a glass of hot water before breakfast.

We're not here long, so let's make our stay agreeable. Let us live well, eat well, digest well, work well, sleep well, and look well. What a glorious condition to attain, and yet, how very easy it is if one will only adopt the morning inside bath.
 Folks who are accustomed to feel dull and heavy when they arise, splitting headaches, stuffy from a cold, foul tongue, nasty breath, acid stomach, can, instead, feel as fresh as a daisy by opening the sluices of the system each morning and flushing out the whole of the internal poisonous stagnant matter.

Everyone, whether ailing, sick or well, should, each morning, before breakfast, drink a glass of hot water with a teaspoonful of limestone phosphate in it to wash from the stomach, liver and bowels the previous day's indigestible waste, sour bile and poisonous toxins; thus cleansing, sweetening and purifying the entire alimentary canal before putting more food into the stomach. The action of hot water and limestone phosphate on an empty stomach is wonderfully invigorating. It cleans out all the sour fermentations, gases, waste and acidity and gives one a splendid appetite for breakfast. While you are enjoying your breakfast the water and phosphate is quietly extracting a large volume of water from the blood and getting ready for a thorough flushing of all the inside organs.
 The millions of people who are bothered with constipation, bilious spells, stomach trouble; others who have yellow skins, blood disorders and sickly complexions are used to get a quarter pound of limestone phosphate from the drug store. This will cost very little, but is sufficient to make anyone a pronounced crank on the subject of inside-bathing before breakfast.

Misunderstood.
 She—Does Dr. Cutter treat many people?
 He—No; he's notoriously stingy.—Boston Transcript.
The Worst Is In.
 "The worst of all ills," said the lecturer, "is pugilism."
 "Pardon me, my friend," rejoined a man who had just taken the hall on crutches, "but I know a worse one than that."
 "What is it, sir?" queried the lecturer.
 "Rheumatism," answered the other.—New York Globe.

Explained.
 "My daughter, don't use powder on your face so much. It is so loud."
 "But, pa, this is noiseless powder."—Baltimore American.

Promise of Success.
 "Our Tommy," said the boy's mother, "ought to make a success in life. He shows great determination to stick to anything he undertakes."
 "Does he?" queried the proud father.
 "Yes," she replied. "Why, he put in the whole day making soap bubbles and trying to tie the string to them."—Topeka State Journal.

Dines at Home.
 Briggs—"Whittier says he has to get away from his family once a week."
 Griggs—"How does he manage it?"
 "Dines at home."—Life.

The Reason.
 "The young officer you introduced to me appeared to be blue."
 "Naturally. He is a submarine."—Baltimore American.

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Cocoon Cream Pie.
 One-half cupful cocoa, one and one-half cupful sugar, one-quarter cupful corn starch, two cupfuls milk, three eggs, one-quarter teaspoonful salt, two teaspoonfuls vanilla. Mix cocoa, corn starch, yolks of eggs, salt and milk. Cook until thick. Stir constantly, add flavoring and pour into a baked pie crust. Cover with a meringue made by beating the whites of eggs until stiff and adding two tablespoonfuls of brown sugar. Brown in oven.
Soup Meat Vinaigrette.
 Instead of throwing away boiled out soup meat it may be made the foundation of an appetizing dish. While the meat is hot cut it up into half-inch pieces and mix with minced onion—a tablespoonful to each cupful of meat. Marinate with French dressing—two tablespoonfuls to each cupful of meat, and pack into a bowl to be served very cold. There should be cayenne pepper in the dressing.
Crown Salad.
 Select perfect apples, one for each person to be served. Pare, core and cut into perfect eighths. Cut off each end so they'll stand and arrange crown fashion on individual plate. Fill center with some preferred salad mixtures, apples, celery and nuts, pears and English walnuts, or celery, nuts and green peppers. Serve with mayonnaise, to which a little whipped cream has been added.

French Pancake.
 Mix together four eggs which have been beaten separately, then one cupful of milk, half-cupful of flour, one tablespoonful of sugar, a pinch of salt, the grated rind of a lemon and a teaspoonful of butter. Fry in small pan-cakes, turn, spread with jelly (preferably a tart one), fold and sprinkle with powdered sugar. Serve at once.

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FINE AT BREAKFAST
 FOUR DISHES, ALL OF UNQUESTIONED MERIT.
 Require Care in Their Preparation and Baking, but Are Well Worth the Time and Trouble Devoted to Them.

There are two tests to put to breakfast breads. One is put by the cook, and that has to do with the time and trouble required in their preparation. The other has to do with flavor and texture, and that comes from those who eat them.
 Always let breakfast breads cool slightly on a cloth or wire rack before sending to the table. They will then be more digestible and more easily handled than if sent to the table literally piping hot.
 Heat all muffin tins before putting in the muffin mixture. The muffins rise more thoroughly and more quickly when put into hot tins. Remember, too, that most muffins need a quick oven. Popovers need a quick oven, but they also need long and thorough cooking, and some popover cooks let them stay in the oven 40 minutes.
 Popovers.—Popovers, robbers' caves or wheat puffs, as they are variously called, are not difficult to make. The ingredients needed are two unbeaten eggs, two cupfuls of milk and two cupfuls of flour, with a quarter of a teaspoonful of salt. Beat all thoroughly together until not a lump remains and then pour the mixture into very hot muffin pans, well greased, filling them about half full. Cook thoroughly, until one broken open is hollow inside and shows a firm wall or crust.
 Emergency Biscuit.—Make a good baking powder biscuit dough and drop, by spoonfuls, into well-greased muffin pans. These biscuits are crusty little things, especially delicious if you have the continental habit of serving honey or jam at breakfast. A good rule for the dough is this: Mix six even teaspoonfuls of baking powder and one of salt with three cupfuls of flour. Sift all together three times and then chop in, with a silver knife, six tablespoonfuls of butter, lard or some other shortening agent. Mix together quickly with a knife and add a cupful of cold water. Mix lightly and then put in the greased pans from a spoon.
 Rice Muffins.—Rice muffins are made of one cupful of boiled rice, two eggs, two cupfuls of flour, a tablespoonful of melted butter, three cupfuls of milk and salt to taste. Mix the eggs, butter and milk, sift flour and salt and add it and the rice to the wet ingredients. Bake the muffins quickly.
 Rye Gems.—Rye is not in as general use as corn and wheat and graham flour. Rye gems and rye bread are nourishing and economical and rye gems made according to the following rule are a good addition to any breakfast: Beat three eggs, three cupfuls of milk, a tablespoonful of sugar and the same amount of butter, with three cupfuls of rye flour. The secret of making these muffins lies in beating them hard and baking them quickly.

The Zeppelin as a War Weapon.
 As a weapon of offense and terror, the Zeppelin did not fulfill all the predictions of early war days, when the "great raid" over London that was to blow Britain's capital from its base was hourly expected. The national hopes were founded on the Kaiser's characterization of the craft as "the greatest German invention of the century." But if the military officials and the populace were disappointed in the Zeppelin as an exponent of "frightfulness," their inventor was undoubtedly aware of the limitation of his airships. He had designed the great machines not for "participation in actual warfare," but for "observations of hostile fleets and armies."
 And as a scouting instrument, the Zeppelin has done valuable service. The mighty British fleet in the North Sea has not been without its apprehensions of the danger from the air, and in the Jutland battle, the Zeppelins, hovering over the scene of the fighting, were in a position to discover the approach of the English dreadnought fleet and give timely warning to the endangered German cruisers.—From "Count Von Zeppelin," in the American Review of Reviews for April, 1917.

His Stroke of Luck.
 "I've had a bit of luck. I picked up \$100 day before yesterday, and learning this morning that it belonged to that old miser Marx, I returned it to him."
 "See; and he gave you a reward."
 "Oh no; but he didn't charge me any interest for the two days I had it."—Boston Transcript.

Had Terrible Pains in Kidneys and Back.
 Dear Mr. Editor—I want to write you about "Anurio." I was very sick, could hardly be up; I was in bed most of the time. Had terrible pains in my kidneys and back, so much so that I had to scream sometimes when I was sitting down and wanted to get up, the pain was so great. I had tried a well-known kidney medicine but it didn't help me. I heard of Dr. Pierce's Anurio Tablets and thought I would try them. I took only one box of the Tablets, and my back is now free from pain and I can work and take care of my family. I feel I cannot say enough for this medicine. Sincerely, Mrs. Wm. Keller.

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A Mean Man.
 "I never thought Smith was a man to desert a woman in an emergency."
 "Why, what did he do?"
 "Their cook gave notice yesterday, and this morning he left his wife crying for help."—Baltimore American.

Suitable Kinds.
 "What measure would you select for a line of light poems?"
 "Why not try a gas meter?"—Baltimore American.

How She Worked It.
 Hub—I'm puzzled about the house money, Mary. If I give you a lot you spend a lot, but if I don't give you so much you seem to get along with it just as well.
 Wife—It's very simple, dear. When you give me a lot I use it to pay the bills I run up when you don't give me so much.—Boston Transcript.

Fitting Applause.
 "Miss Starley always gets a hand in that role."
 "It is only fitting she should. It fits her like a glove."—Baltimore American.

Queered Himself.
 "What spoiled Archie's chance with Miss Millyuns?"
 "She told him she disliked compliments."
 "I see, and he persisted in paying them."
 "No; he was stupid enough to take her at her word and stop."—Boston Transcript.

The Way of it.
 "A waitress, like a poet, is born to her work."
 "How do you make that out?"
 "Because she is one maid of order."—Baltimore American.

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Quite So.
 "Don't take notice of the cook, dear."
 "How can I help it when she's just given it?"—Baltimore American.

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