Quite True.

Miss Boston—They say she's extremely haughty.

Miss Tours—I should say so! The last time I saw her she was sailing down the street in——

Miss Boston—Pardon me; why do you use that senseless expression? How could she go "sailing" down the street?

Miss Tours—Easy enough. I saw her last in Venice.—The Catholic Standard and Times.

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A big sea turtle was sprawling around in the tank in front of the restaurant.

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Home-Made Corned Beef.

Rub into the beef a mixture of one part saltpeter to ten parts salt, and when so much has been rubbed in that the salt lies dry on the surface set aside for twenty-four hours in a cold place, before repeating the process. Set aside again for twenty-four hours. At the end of that time put over the fire five gallons of water, one gallon of salt, four ounces of saltpeter and one and a half pounds of brown sugar. Boil for ten minutes, then set aside until stone cold. Wipe the beef carefully, put the beef in the pickle and set it in a cold place. If this pickle shows signs of spoiling remove the beef, wash and wipe and prepare more and stronger brine for it.

Rhubarb Pie.

Skin and chop two cups of rhubarb before measuring. Mix 1½ cups sugar and two tablespoonfuls of flour together, and add to the rhubarb; then add the yolks of two eggs, slightly beaten, and one teaspoonful of butter. Line a pie plate with plain paste. Fill with the mixture and bake in a moderate oven until the rhubarb is soft. Cover with a meringue made of the whites beaten stiff, add two tablespoonfuls of powdered sugar and continue beating. Pile lightly on the pie and bake in a slow oven about fifteen minutes. If the rhubarb is scalded before using some of its acidity is lost, so less sugar is required.

Sweet Apple Pickles.

Select smooth apples below medium size and have them uniform; peel carefully and leave the stems on; allow two quarts of vinegar, four pounds of light brown sugar, one ounce each of ground cinnamon and cloves; tie the spice in little cheesecloth bags and some sticks of whole cinnamon; when scalding hot, put in enough apples to cook well; when they can be easily pierced with a broom straw, skim out in a store jar and cook the other apples; pour the hot vinegar over the pickles, turn an inverted plate or saucer over the jar and tie up securely with white muslin.

Plum Duff.

Sift a quart of flour with two teaspoonfuls of baking powder and a teaspoonful of salt, add a teacupful of finely chopped suet, and when well mixed stir in a cup of currants and just enough water to make a stiff dough. Tie up in a floured cloth, leaving room for swelling and drop into a kettle of boiling water. Boil for one hour. Eat with brown sugar.

Strawberry Jam.

Cap the berries and to each pound of fruit allow three-quarters of a pound of granulated sugar. Put the berries into the preserving kettle, bring very slowly to a boil, so that they will not scorch, and boil for a half-hour, stirring hard and often. Dip out the superfluous juice and set aside for jelly. Add sugar to the berries, and cook for twenty minutes more. Put in glasses.

Salad Dressing.

Beat the yolk of one egg thoroughly, adding salad oil until very thick. Now add the stiffened white of the egg, a gill of vinegar and a small tablespoonful of flour. Beat hard until there are no lumps, then boil over a slow fire, stirring steadily until thick. Keep in the icebox. When needed dilute with cream or vinegar and season to taste.

Prune Whip.

Soak, stew and stone two dozen small or eighteen large prunes. Chop very fine. Make a meringue of five eggs, adding powdered sugar to taste, and beating very stiff. Whip in the prune pulp a little at a time until you have a brown frothy mixture. Serve in chilled glasses with spoons.

Cold Slaw.

Wash a firm, white cabbage and lay in cold water for half an hour. With a sharp knife cut into shreds, dropping these into iced water. When ready to serve drain in a colander, shaking hard, and pour over all a cold boiled salad dressing.

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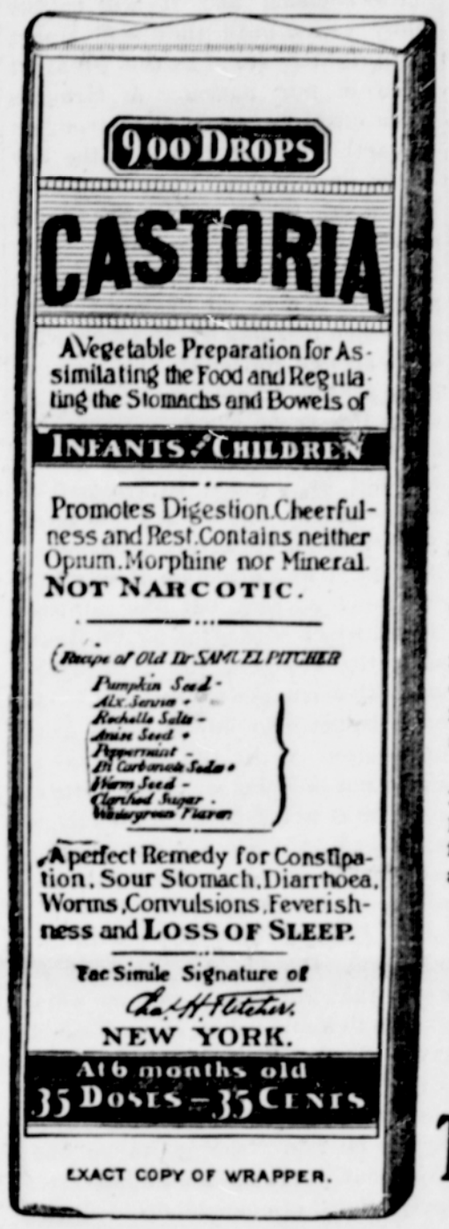

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