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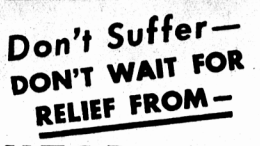

BUCKLEY'S CINNAMATED CAPSULES
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MODERN ETIQUETTE

By Roberta Lee

Q Is it good form for a woman who is entertaining her card club, to give very expensive prizes, if she can afford it and wishes to do so?

A No; this should not be done because other members of the club may not be able to afford such extravagance.

Q Is it proper for a bachelor to entertain in his hotel suite?

A Yes. Of course, he should employ hotel servants and entertain just as he would in a private apartment.

Q Are the number of men and women invited to a subscription dance always equal?

A Usually more men are invited than women.

Living & Leisure

THE WOMAN'S REALM

MY NEW YEAR WISH

Fullness of health,
If not of wealth;
And lasting peace,
If not increase;
Beneath God's care,
Thus may you fare,
Through happy days,
And pleasant ways;
With love of friends,
Till, earth life ends;
Then happy flight,
To heaven's light.

—By John Wanamaker

KEROSENE CLEANS TILES

The best way to keep your bathroom tiles glistening is to dip a soft cloth in kerosene and rub over them. This loosens the light coating or surface dirt which clings to your tiles and removes discolorations. Wash off with warm water and an "all pure" soap, rinse thoroughly.

THE COMMON FOLK

It is not the few great men who save the world; it is the multitude of simpler folk who go their way and do their work. Work and Goodwill—these alone can save us.

Arthur Mee

GOING-TO-DO

He slept beneath the Moon.
He basked beneath the Sun;
He lived a life of going-to-do,
And died with nothing done.

James Alberry

WHAT PRAYER WILL DO

A taught ear is as necessary to prayer as a taught tongue, and the daily morning appointment with with God seems essential to both.

A few minutes spent in quiet prayer by friends or fellow-workers before parting wonderfully sweetens the spirit and cements friendships, and makes difficulties less difficult, and hard problems easier of solution.—S. D. Gordon.

KITCHEN KINKS

Add a teaspoon of strong vinegar to fat used for frying doughnuts, and they will absorb much less fat, and as a result will be much lighter.

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To give that butter-fried flavor to fried foods such as fish, eggs, onions, etc., first brown slightly one tablespoon of butter in the frying pan, then add the other fat, such as pork or beef dripping or commercial shortening, before adding the product to be fried. It will take a food expert to detect that a combination has been used instead of pure butter.

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Store lemons in a sealer or glass jar with metal top, and they will keep fresh much longer.

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Stale baking powder makes an efficient silver polish. Use it dry, and then polish afterward with a soft, warm flannel.

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Indelible ink stains can usually be removed by rubbing with equal parts of ammonia and turpentine.

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White spots on furniture caused by heat will generally disappear if rubbed lightly with a soft cloth saturated with wood alcohol or spirits of camphor.

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If you have floors that you wax, try emptying the contents of a pound can of paste wax into a clean five pound sugar sack and using that as your waxer. The mesh of the sack allows just enough wax to go through to cover linoleum or floors evenly, and saves entinual dipping into the wax can. when you are through just turn the sack inside out and the wax will slide into the can. There isn't a bit of waste, the wax goes on quickly and easily, and much time is saved. Save the bag for later use.

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Keept a larged-sized cookie sheet in the bottom of your oven; if a pie runs over, just remove the cookie tin and clean. It saves the finish of the oven and prevents bad smells, since the cookie sheet can be removed on the instant.

MORNING SMILE

"Brother Johnson," asked a wide-awake Negro divine in the South, "can you-all tell me why the lions didn't eat de Prophet Daniel?"

"No, pahson; why was it?"

"Because de most of him was backbone and de rest was grit."

Pat: Lend me a shovel to get my friend out of the bog.

Farmer: How far has he sunk down?

Pat: Up to his ankles.

Farmer: Can't he get out himself?

Pat: Ah, but he fell in head first.

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ELLEN'S DIARY

By An Island Farmer's Wife

When I look back at the morning, from this evening's hours, I wonder if certain folks in this house at Alderlea would really like to hear the truth. Especially as I saw it. Now, I have the greatest regard for a truthful person. But whether the truth should be tempered with kindness, or presented in the original state is something I have yet to learn. I prefer to follow the former method. For example: Last night after lunch when I finally convinced the other members of the family here, that it was time to retire, Judy searching in a cupboard for something or other, happened to find a bell. Just an ordinary bell, the kind that farmers attach to horse's harness when going to town with or for a load. "Now" she said laughing to James, if you want to get going early in the morning, I'm the very one to help you. When you hear this bell ring . . . . " and James said, with quite an air of assurance: "When you hear that bell ring, jump to your feet!" Which of my two faithfuls rang or even noticed the bell this morning? As I said, at times the truth should be tempered with kindness! Or else the statement witheld entirely!

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There was much work planned for today. Judy happening on the mail-man's time for going out the road, went to the corner-store early as she said to do "the marketing." The greatest need today was for sugar. Yeast-cakes too and "cereal-material" Judy said. "And do you know?" she asked with a giggle, "we need onions Mrs. Ellen." Oh, dear, were we to have all our food flavored with onion again? Then Judy said: "How are you going to roast a chicken or make dressing for one without onion?" When I've often, because of distance, have cooked and eaten chicken that as Tim our one-time-hired-man used to say: "Would make your teeth water" without benefit of onion. There were other seasonings. But then if Judy wished to carry them, it was very easy to consent. This chicken would be stuffed with the best of dressings—onion-seasoned — that ever graced our board!

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This was Karolyn's birthday. Yesterday when we spoke of it — Jeanie and Judy and I—Jeanie said: "Let's have a chicken and invite them out." When matters were finally settled, the chicken—from roost to table—was left to my care. Jeanie was to make the birthday cake; Judy, the pies. It does take a substantial meal to fill working-men, and on a farm, at least at Alderlea, these are among the first of our considerations. Karolyn is a fortunate lady. Today when a sister called her to say "A Happy Birthday to You" Karolyn was able to return the good wishes. That's it. They are closer even than sisters. They are

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Dorothy Dix Says—

Will GI Joe Be Better Husband?

Intriguing Picture Drawn of Returning Army-Trained Spouse But Will It Be So

There are many starry-eyed optimists who are prophesying that one of the beneficient effects of the war will be to make better husbands. They say that when Johnny comes marching home he will be house-broken to an extent that not even the most hopeful wife ever expected to see, and that it will be a pleasure, instead of a pain in the neck, to live with a man who has been drilled in the habits of neatness and order and to come to meals on time.

No more, they say, will weary wives have to pick up after husbands who hang their clothes up on the floor and scatter trails of cigarette ashes and sections of the Sunday newspaper wherever they go. No more will Friend Husband leave the bathroom looking as if a typhoon had struck it. No more will wives be expected to be female FBI's who are called upon to locate husband's clean shirt and his pet tie when he dresses. And never, never, never again will any man who has done K.P. duty speak slightingly of women's work, and wonder why they make a chore of peeling potatoes, instead of regarding it as good, clean fun.

It is an intriguing picture of domestic bliss that these dreamers paint, and it would be enough to make any wife feel that the war cloud had not only a silver lining but was studded with diamonds if her John was returned to her a Grade-A husband who pressed his clothes and shined his shoes and kept all of his belongings in their proper places. And, if, in addition, a top sergeant had taught him how to take a bawling out without talking back, she would think that the millennium had arrived.

But the question is: Will this beautiful vision of the post-war husband really materialize, or is it just wishful thinking? Will Johnny come back thoroughly and permanently domesticated, or will he have reverted to the wild? Will he be so fed up with obeying orders that he will resent even a suggestion from his wife?

Nobody knows what G. I. Joe is going to be after the war. Maybe he is going to be a he-saint who washes the dishes of his own accord, who helps with the children, and darns his own socks and says yes ma'am to his wife. Or maybe he is going to be nervous and irritable and discontented and the very devil to live with.

There is nothing harder to do than to take up an old relationship or an old way of life where we laid it down. Insensibly we change and conditions change without our realizing it. And that is going to make the home coming of many a serviceman a tragedy, instead of the happiness that both he and his wife have looked forward to.

The soldier's dream of finding upon his return everything at home just exactly like he left it is impossible of realization. His wife will be a little older, the children will have grown out of their babyhood, the cottage of which he was so proud will look poor and shabby to eyes that have seen the grandeur of fine cities. The man who has lived with other men will be a little bored by his wife's chatter about ration points and the price of butchers' meat. And those who have walked with death and danger and known high adventure will find it hard to go back to a place behind a counter.

So the post-war husband is going to have a job adjusting himself to domesticity. And so will his wife while he is doing it.

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HOUSEHOLD SCRAPBOOK

By Roberta Lee

The Hair

To remove all dirt and grease from the hair, wet it with warm water and then rub into the scalp the juice of a lemon instead of soap. Rinse the hair thoroughly and dry it with a soft towel. This will leave the hair soft and glossy.

Milk

Milk and buttermilk should be chilled next to the ice and should be kept closely covered. The tops of all milk bottles should be rinsed before opening, as a sanitary precaution.

Frying Mush

When preparing cornmeal mush to fry, add a tablespoonful of sugar and two tablespoonfuls of milk, and it will fry a nice brown.

A JOB ONLY YOU CAN DO

Price Control Questions and Answers

Questions and Answers on Price Control will appear in The Guardian as a regular feature each day. The questions are those which have reached the Wartime Prices and Trade Board from housewives in this region. The answers are provided by the Board Readers. Persons who have intelligent questions to ask on price control are invited to send them in writing to the Women's Regional Advisory Committee of the War Time Prices and Trade Board.

Q. Is there a WPTB regulation pertaining to the exchanging of goods?

A. No, this order has been revoked and it is now entirely up to the individual stores as to whether or not they will exchange goods.

Q. When will butter coupon 84 become valid?

A. Butter coupon 84 will become valid January 26th.

Q. Is there a ceiling price on used musical instruments?

A. Yes.

Q. I took my persian lamb coat to a furrier to have a new collar put on. The price quoted was $75. Is this price too high?

A. We could not tell without knowing the type of fur, number of skins required, etc., however, the furrier must not charge more than the price charged by him for the same amount of work during the basic period, September 15th to October 11th, 1941.

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HOW CAN I!!

By Anne Ashley

Q. How can I keep bed spreads from wrinkling?

A. It will not wrinkle and can be kept off the floor by beginning at the top and folding it in half towards the foot. Then fold from each side to the middle, in this way making a triangle with its base at the foot of the bed. Fold the point over the footboard.

Q. How can I make a liquid glue?

A. An effective glue can be made by putting naphtha into a bottle and dissolving shellac in it to the consistency desired.

Q. How can I keep cooking drippings from becoming rancid?

A. All cooking fats and drippings should be kept in the refrigerator to prevent their becoming rancid.

BETTER ENGLISH

D. C. Williams

1. What is wrong with this sentence? "You didn't use to go there."

2. What is the correct pronunciation of "chiropodist"?

3. Which one of these words is misspelled? Au revoir, audacity, audatorium.

4. What does the word "auroral" mean?

5. What is a word beginning with pro that means "reproducing freely"?

ANSWERS

1. Say, "You didn't go there formerly." 2. Pronounce ki-rop-o-dist, first i as in kite, first o as in of, second o as in obey, accent second syllable. 3. Auditorium. 4. Pertaining to or like the dawn; roseate. "Her cheeks suffused with an auroral blush." Longfellow. 5. Prolific.

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COOK'S CORNER

COFFEE SPANISH CREAM

1 tablespoon granulated gelatin
¼ cup cold coffee
2 egg yolks
¼ teaspoon salt
¾ cup hot coffee
1 cup hot milk
1 teaspoon vanilla
2 egg whites
¼ cup sugar

Method: Soak gelatin in cold coffee. Beat egg yolks and salt and add hot coffee and milk. Cook over hot water, stirring constantly, until thickened enough to coat the spoon. Add gelatin and stir until dissolved. Remove from heat, add vanilla and cool. When the mixture begins to thicken fold in the meringue made by adding sugar to the stiffly beaten egg whites. Turn into lightly greased mould or individual sherbets and chill thoroughly. Serves six persons.

MEDLEY CRANBERRY RELISH

4 cups cranberries
2 oranges
1 lemon
2 apples
2½ cups sugar

Method: Wash the cranberries and put through the food chopper. Quarter the unpeeled oranges, lemon and apples, and remove the seeds and cores from all of these. Put through the food chopper also. Combine the cranberries and other chopped fruits, then stir in the sugar, mixing well. Bottle and store in a cool place until ready to serve.

CREAM PUFFS

½ cup melted shortening
½ cup boiling water
1 cup flour
4 eggs

Bring shortening and water to boil, stir in cup of flour which has been sifted with ¼-teaspoon salt, and cook, stirring constantly until mass comes away from the pan smoothly. Add eggs, one at a time, mixing thoroughly after each addition. Drop dough in half-teaspoons on cookie sheet and bake in hot oven. To test for doneness, take one out when slightly browned. If it sags, cook for another few minutes.

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