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Leisure Living & THE WOMAN'S REALM

TEACHING A CALF TO DRINK

The hardest thing on a ranch, I think, is trying to teach a calf to drink. You pull and haul, get his head in a pail; He'll stand there and twist and wriggle his tail; And the very first thing, keep plunk! goes his nose, And most of the milk goes over your clothes.

Hang on to your patience, your calf you can get; If you can't hold your temper you might as well quit. For old Mother Nature whose methods don't fail Never meant for a calf to drink out of a pail. Back him into a corner, straddle his neck; He won't damage you much, you're already a wreck.

That old calf will start in to suck. Pick up your bucket and push his head down. Then stand there again, around and around. Just do this a week with your back in a sink. And maybe by then you'll teach him to drink!

Sugar and alcohol made from sugar sorghum, are increasingly important products of Brazil.

Pins, nails, washers and other articles on a rug that may be

picked up by the vacuum cleaner often injure the mechanism.

Franklin D. Roosevelt lake is the new name of the 160-mile reservoir formed by the Grand Coulee dam on the Columbia river in Washington state.

Wild blackberries near peach trees may help produce better fruit because they provide winter quarters for the young of a small amber-colored wasp that is a deadly enemy to the injurious oriental fruit moth.

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The French slang word "chic" meaning superficial smartness dates from Louis XIV's reign, when it referred to lawyers, who were masters of "chicane" or legal trickery.

DINNER HABIT

The Swedish, to secure food, darts suddenly into a school of herring, mackerel or other fish of the smaller species, strikes vigorously to the right and left with his sword stunning or killing many with the blows.

KITCHEN GARDEN

Don't throw out that cooking onion that is starting to sprout and get soft. Put it in a jar or dish with a little water and watch the sprouts turn green. These sprouts are handy for seasoning salads, soups or vegetables, and give a fine flavor.

This Summer Maintain Your Health TAKE REGULARLY **Scott's Emulsion** EASY TO DIGEST

MORNING SMILE

HEAVENS!

"Now" said the vicar to the Sunday school class, "can any of you tell me the name of an immense place where huge golden pillars rise high above you; where the air is perturbed and there is a soft music? The place where we all go to if we are good?" He stopped and beamed with delight as the eager faces before him. Then, with one accord, "The pictures!" chorused the class.

HOUSEHOLD SCRAPBOOK

Care of Clothes

Never hang a garment on a nail. Even if the nail does not rust, if the material is sure to pull out of shape. There is also the danger of wearing a hole in the garment. The ordinary wire clothes hangers are best for this purpose.

MODERN ETIQUETTE

Where is a stag dinner usually given?

In a private room of a hotel or restaurant, or at a club. Of course it may be given in the man's home, but in this instance, no women are present, not even for a short time.

Should the man or the woman take the initiative in indicating that it would be pleasant to meet again?

It is proper for either to do so.

What is the proper way to eat a custard?

With a spoon.

"Popular" music is indicated as less popular than symphony and other classical and light classical music by two-thirds of the returns on a recent survey of radio owners.

BETTER ENGLISH

D. C. Williams

1. What is wrong with this sentence? "That is the home of Mr. Jones's."

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

3. Which one of these words is misspelled? Acidity, acerage, academy.

4. What does the word "indisputable" mean?

5. What is a word beginning with "em" that means "one who strives to equal or excel"?

ANSWERS

1. Say, "That is the home of Mr. Jones's." 2. Pronounce the au as in hat, not as in dot. 3. Acerage. 4. Too evident to admit of dispute. "I wish to present some indisputable evidence." 5. Emulator.

HOW CAN I!!!

By Anne Ashley

Q. How can I toughen new china and glassware?

A. Place it in cold water and slowly bring to a boil. Allow it to boil for three or four hours, and then let it stand until cool. If this is done, hot water will never crack it.

Q. How can I soften butter when desired for spreading on bread?

A. Add a few drops of hot water or hot milk and work in until the butter is soft. By using this method the butter is smoother than it is after melting.

Q. How can I give a better appearance to grass rugs?

A. Worn grass rugs will be revived if they are given a coat of orange shellac.

Best Is Cheapest

KING COLE TEA

Never Before Has Fine Quality Meant So Much

Dorothy Dix Says—

CHANGE OF HEART

Whether Soldier Should Be Told Is Today's Big Problem

DEAR MISS DIX: My daughter has been engaged to a young man for the past two years and they planned to get married as soon as the war was over. Soon after he was sent overseas, he was reported missing and she was so heartbroken over it that she would go nowhere, see no one and grieved over it until she made herself ill. Now we have learned that the young man was not killed, but that he is a prisoner of war. She doesn't seem to care any more, won't write to him or do anything to show her sympathy.

We cannot understand her. It seems so heartless and cruel of her when she was so devoted to him. Do you think she could have fallen in love with somebody else? Don't you think she is wrong to refuse to write to him and sort of break it to him if she has fallen out of love with him?

ANSWER: Nobody can understand a girl in love, so there is no use in worrying yourself over that. However, the evidence is overwhelming that she has transferred her love to another man. There is no cure for an old love, you know, like a new one.

What a girl should do when she finds that she has lost her taste for her fiancé and has fallen for the charms of another youth is a problem with which thousands of girls are wrestling right now. It is happening every day, but what the best thing is to do under the circumstances, no one knows.

On the face of it, the fair and honest thing seems to be to come out in the open, tell the truth and not let the boy go on believing that she still loves him and building castles about the home they will have when he comes back from the war. Also, at first glance, it would seem that the distractions of war, with its horrors, excitements and dangers, would mitigate the love and the boy's mind of his faithless sweetheart and that by the time he gets back some, he would have forgotten whether it was Mary or Sally to whom he was engaged.

Apparently many girls take this view of the matter, for we are told that so many boys overseas have been jilted by their sweethearts at the Brushoff Club, where they get great comfort in sympathizing with each other.

But against this theory of telling 'em and having it over with comes the report that nothing breaks down the morale of the servicemen so much as their uncertainty about whether or not the girl they left behind them is true to them. And so it seems a pity to give those who have so much to worry over another grief.

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ANSWER: It would be the best thing you could do for yourself and your children for you to marry, provided you picked out a sensible girl of suitable age and one who would be kind to your children. But don't marry any young girl or any widow with a family of her own. Your children soon will be married and gone and then you will be indeed lonely if you have no wife.

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ELLEN'S DIARY

By An Island Farmer's Wife

Judy was early to her work bright and sunny this morning, her cold improved, and the bread I had mixed last night when the various had gone was kneaded down for its second rising when I made my way to the kitchen. Last night's stars had been good omen for this was a delightful and altogether lively morning. The sun was back to the old job, and the most amusing and subtle shades on the eastern sky and bathing hill already and several in his shades rays until every bird was a-writer-warming song pouring from its beak. Only a laggard at America could resist coming to the outdoors to join and benefit from the evidences of good cheer abounding. It was like the breaking of prison bands to leave the room, the fresh air, the sun and the warmth of small places. I was proud of our island then and like as mother who has been smart and ashamed by a naughty child and then when he became penitent forgive wholeheartedly so this morning I forgave and forgave her recent moods and went for a gay spin in my heart and with high hopes for the day to come.

James went briskly to his seeling bus, for the present, he neglected the field across the creek and beside the road in favor of the one at the end of the wood-road. He did not inquire as to why because the latter was more sheltered from the break drying wind that blew out of the west today and therefore the minute hay seeds to be sown with the grain would quickly find a direct route to their entry bed and not by allowing themselves to wander on circuitous and uncertain paths become wanted things "blown about by every wind" that stayed to coax them. At any rate today and James pointed out to me the latest in years' our initial grain sowing was done. Last evening as I walked over Rob's fields one was already heavily bearded with the green of the slowly growing grain, so that now it will be interesting to note the progress in the growth between the earlier and later sowing and also the crop-yield between his and ours. As yet James seemed only one opinion on the matter favoring the former method. But given sun and wind and favorable growing weather both may come under the line together.

The corner-stone of another important and altogether fascinating form of husbandry was laid today when a small, last-haired, lady seated solitary beside a level, shining and personable tubers wall and duly out of the first deep growing eye. There was no audience or crowd of witnesses at the ceremony and it may even have lacked the solemnity it should occasion. I can not recall the exact date or beneath it, there will be one, I know, for in later years—it will be spared when James will find it difficult to rise from the captivity of his old arm chair and a too-cause of age and ailments quietly exceed and reminisce beside him James will recall the parting. "Do you mind, Ellen," he will ask me that year when the war was back-ward? "Do you know when we planted that spring and I shall never forget the morning when you and I went to the field and the day and date and the very field, Judy would have gone across to assist James although this will be new unrequiring for her but James who has promised to teach her this fine means as for me, I am not prepared, had no time to demonstrate his ability in this direction today. Presently, others with experience to spare and whose skill at the work if only commonplace may cause James to precisely remark: "That's one thing when can do" will doubtless find herself there enjoying the work with the others, and meanwhile when I held forth the promise of a monetary reward Judy set out to mow the lawn. The not unusual note of the machine came to me at my work steady at first and then infrequently so that I could tell that

"GI-Virginia River." "And nudge is Christopher Stone." "She nodded gravely." "And where are you staying?" he asked. "At a house called Stearnford, near Monkschapel." "That's a long way from here." "Yes, it is," in silence she finished what was on her plate. She refused any more. He offered her cigars. "No thank you," she said. She stood up. He lit his own cigarette while in one brief, not unpragmatic, glance, he took her in from her curly brown head to her small, pooled and weary feet—she thin form, thin hands, fine wrists, green eyes that were at this moment so determined. And what, he wondered, had she to be determined about?

She left the room. He lingered, pulling out the lamp under the eaves, and he saw the shadow of her hand before the fire. When he and Belle rejoined her, Virginia River was standing at the front

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Until tomorrow — Diary—Good-night.

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 answers are those which have reached the Wartime Prices and Trade Board from housewives in the home. The questions are those sent to the Board by some who have intelligent questions to ask on price control. We are invited to send copies in writing to the Women's Regional Advisory Committee of the War Time Price and Trade Board.

Q. My husband has been discharged from the Army. Will he have to apply for papers for a ration book? We live some distance from the nearest Ration Board office.

A. If the Local Ration Board is too far from your home to conveniently go in person, he may send his discharge papers or letter from his Commanding Officer certifying to his discharge to the nearest office. They will arrange for a book to be mailed to him and return his papers.

Q. What cities in Canada have Government Shelter Administrators?

A. You are no doubt referring to the special regulations that prevent you from moving there. A. You are no doubt referring to the special regulations that prevent you from moving there. A. You are no doubt referring to the special regulations that prevent you from moving there.

Judy had found this a match for her strength. She was grateful when I came to "spell" her and even though it is now later among our other unfinished business we made good progress at this the first of our new arrangements. We were at the house across the lane when the sun was moving in all its golden splendor to a spot behind the wood-pile across the road from the house. The air was clear and cloudless and cloudlets floated away from it on and above the sky line and the long coil of a parent-curl for her baby came pliantly to us there and one of Jeanie's white hands homing over the side from the pond below.

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KISS YOUR TIRED FEELING GOODBYE!

Peoples Many Suffer Low Blood Count—And Don't Know It!

The baffling thing about low blood count is that you can't weigh about as much as you ever did—even look healthy and strong, yet feel down, tired and weary. Low blood count means you haven't got enough red blood corpuscles in your blood to carry life-giving oxygen from your lungs throughout your body. And just as it takes oxygen to explode gases from your car and make the power to turn the wheels, so you must have plenty of oxygen to explode the energy in your body and give you an over-boost for the help they give you. Increasing the number and strength of your corpuscles. Then with your blood count up, you'll feel the bounding up the stairs as if you were floating on air. Ask your doctor for Dr. Williams' Pink Pills today.

COOK'S CORNER

COFFEE ICE CREAM

The flavor of this ice cream is delicious. The texture does not need to be looked on as a wartime makeshift—it comes right up to the mark, have to be bought about 2 1/2 cups (1 pint) 1/2 cup cream 4 tablespoons ground fresh coffee 4 eggs 1/4 teaspoon salt 1 teaspoon vanilla

Beat the cream with the coffee. In top of double boiler, separate two of the eggs; add the yolks and the two whole eggs and beat slightly with two-thirds of the cup of the sugar.

Strain heated cream and coffee through a piece of cheesecloth placed in a sieve and slowly add to beaten eggs, stirring constantly. Return to double boiler and cook over hot water, stirring constantly, until custard coats the spoon. Remove from heat immediately. Cool. Beat the two egg whites with the salt until stiff, but not dry, and add the remaining one-third cup sugar.

Continue heating until mercurial stands in peaks, then beat in vanilla and fold into cooled coffee custard.

Turn into freezing tray and freeze to a firm mass, about one hour—the cold control should be set at coldest point. Turn into a chilled bowl and beat thoroughly. Return to freezing tray and freeze until just firm. Turn cold control back to a point that will keep the ice cream from becoming too hard.

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WARNS MOTHERS OF BOTTLE-FED BABIES

If your baby is bottle-fed, be sure to watch his bowels closely. Mother's milk has a natural laxative effect which helps take care of baby's need. Lacking this, a bottle-fed baby has to get extra help in the form of laxative and upset stomach. Let baby's own bowels do their job—no daffing diet on schedule—sweeten upset stomach—relieve feverishness and discomfort of teething. No "sissy" stuff—no daffing diet. Easily crushed to powder, if desired. Don't over-heat—let it get baby's own taste today. 25¢.

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The Wild Bird

By Elizabeth Vernon

CHAPTER III

It seemed strange to Kit to see in the leaping twilight the figure lie, relaxed in the chair in which, less than an hour before, he had lolled. And he entered the girl rose. In her hand she held an envelope of his own grey newspaper. She held it out. "The girl who was here," he hesitated. "I don't know her name."

"She asked me to give you this," Kit nodded. "Did she say anything?"

"Well, I think I was asleep when she came down." The stranger hesitated. "She was all dressed to go out. She said, 'I'm going now,' and she said, 'I didn't say anything and she laughed and said, 'I notice you don't ask me to take you with me.'"

"I said, 'But please, can you give me a lift?' She laughed again. And then she went."

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THE TOILER

OH, DEAR! I'M THE BIGGEST FOOL ALIVE TO HAVE PLAYED A DOUBLE ROLE!

I KNOW THERE WAS SOMETHING PHONEY ABOUT HER! WELL, I HELPED YOU EXPOSE HER!

GOSH! IT'S BERT!

WAIT A MINUTE! YOU'RE THE WOMAN WHO CLAIMED AND A MILLIONAIRE'S DAUGHTER-YOU'VE PLAYED A TRIPLE ROLE!

By Webster