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THE COOK'S CORNER

LAMB STEW

At this season of the year when many persons may be convalescing from colds, soups and broths are highly desirable while the invalids are confined to bed. Stews are also easily digested during the stages of convalescence. Lamb is a particularly healthful meat both for invalids and for persons who are well and active. The following recipes may prove to be timely:—

Lamb Stew (French Style)

Cut meat into two-inch squares. Roll in seasoned flour, and brown in a hot frying pan or kettle. Add boiling water to cover, and simmer until partly cooked. Add turnips, carrots, and onions sliced, peas and beans. Simmer until the vegetables are tender.

Lamb Stew (Irish Style)

4 lbs. meat, 12 lbs. potatoes, 5 onions (medium size), 3 carrots (medium size). Cut meat in two-inch squares. Place in cold water and bring gradually to boiling point. Simmer for one hour, then add vegetables (cut in any desired size) and seasonings. Simmer until cooked; remove meat and vegetables; thicken liquid and serve. To make dumplings for the stew, sift together 2 cups flour, 4 teaspoons baking powder, 1/2 teaspoon salt. Add gradually 2-3 cups milk to make soft dough, and drop by spoonfuls

A Morning Smile

SAME SYMPTOMS

Doorkeeper (in public building)—Say, come back. Dogs are not allowed in here, sir. Visitor—That's not my dog. Doorkeeper—Not your dog. Why he's following you. Visitor—Well, so are you.

on top of hot stew. Cover and cook 15 minutes.

Lamb Broth

Buy 2 to 4 pounds of neck and shank pieces. Have butcher cut into small sections. Add two quarts of water, 1 teaspoon salt, 3 table-spoons rice or barley. Put into pot, heat gradually to boiling point, season with salt and pepper, and simmer until meat is tender. Strain point, and add rice or barley. Diced vegetables may be added when meat is partly cooked. The addition of potatoes, onions, peas, and beans will make a more strengthening broth.

FOR STUFFY HEAD

A few drops up each nostril reduces swollen membranes, clears away clogging mucus, brings welcome relief.

VICKS V-A-T-R-O-N-O-L

Dorothy Dix's Letter Box

Youth, at the Age of 21, is too Young to Marry—He Has Learned Little of Life And Nothing About Love or Woman

Dear Miss Dix—I am enough in love with a girl to ask her to be my wife, but I am only 21 years of age, and I feel that I could be happier for five or six years if I stayed single. Is it true that after one is married romance fades and that a boy and girl are no longer sweethearts. I realize that sharing happiness as well as sorrow with the one you love is a beautiful thought, but can a dream like that be made into a reality. Is marriage worth while to me? E. A. S.

Answer: Certainly marriage is worth while or the seeking of a mate would not be the primal instinct of the human heart. Millions upon millions of people cannot have been wrong throughout the ages.

You may see that not all marriages are happy, that many marriages are failures and bring only disappointment and misery to those who enter into them, but so do many people make failures in everything else they attempt. There are no sure things in life, and the rewards of a happy marriage are so great that they make it worth the risk.

Indeed, even an unhappy marriage has its compensations, or else the divorced would not be rushing back into it before the ink on their decrees absolute is dry, as we see them continually doing. The greatest guarantee that marriage is worth while is that even poor, hen-pecked, downtrodden husbands when freed from the matrimonial yoke that has galled them stick their necks out for further punishment instead of cherishing their freedom.

It is true that after marriage a girl and boy are no longer sweethearts in the romantic sense. They can no more bid and coo and ask each other "ooose duckie is 'oo" all the time than they could subsist on a diet of chocolate creams. Nor can they thrill and palpitate at the sound of a footstep that they hear a thousand times an hour, but that is no indication that they have ceased to love each other.

It is only that married love and sweetheart love are different and most husbands and wives care far more for each other than they did when they were lovers. They love each other for something far better and more enduring than the superficial charms that drew them together. But you are wise in not marrying at 21 and in thinking that for the next few years you will be happier free than bound. At that age, unless you are a remarkably lucky youth, you are not ready to marry, in any sense. You do not know enough about women to make a wise selection. You are not ready to settle down and you are not able to support a wife. It would save a lot of trouble in the world if men would wait to marry until they had a least a fifty-fifty chance of making a success of it.

Dear Dorothy Dix—I am a boy of 17. I go to high school and will graduate next year. My parents are very good to me, but I am not satisfied. I do not want to go to school. I do not want to go into any humdrum business or profession. I am a dreamer, a wanderer. I want to vagabond my way around the world via a tramp steamship, hitch-hike, maybe write a book when I return. My parents object to this. If I follow their plan and go to the university, I'll be miserable, and if I follow my own I will make them miserable, so I don't know what to do. I want to be free to do with my life what I will, and while I agree that an education is very good for the general individual, it just doesn't apply to me. What shall I do? LEONARD O.

Answer: I've smiled and sighed and dropped a tear over your letter, Leonard, for you are just dreaming the long dreams of youth that every enthusiastic and sensitive and imaginative boy and girl have dreamed. We all want to travel, to go to the far places of which we are reading and studying and which are so new and alluring to us.

We want to see the sights and smell the smells of far Cathay. We want to see the temple bells ringing in India and sail the seven seas, and it is all a fine and stimulating experience, these longings and dreams of youth, if we don't make them an alibi for laziness and shirking the duties at hand, as you are doing.

My advice to you is to wake up from your trance about the things you would like to do and get busy making your dreams come true. You can do that if you want to, not by indulging yourself in vague longings about the things you would like to do, but by concentrating right now on your studies and then forming some definite plan of life and pushing it to a successful issue.

Believe me, son, the only people who get anywhere are the ones who know where they are going. Don't encourage yourself in being a dreamer. Make as much an effort to cure yourself of it as you would of the dope habit. It is just as fatal to your chances of success in life. You are too young and immature now to decide on a career, so follow your parents' wishes. They, too, have had their dreams and found it better to settle down to practical things in a practical world.

Take this from me, son, as a sure tip. I have been to all those far places that you long to see, for I also dreamed of them in my youth, but I waited until I earned the money to go first class instead of hitch-hiking. And that is a better way and far more pleasurable.

Dear Miss Dix—Please tell me what to do with a boy friend who who falls asleep in my presence. He comes to see me almost every night and we go to shows and dances frequently, but he just seems not to be able to keep awake. He is a steady worker and very nice in every other way. What shall I do. SALLY.

Answer: Why, I think I would give him the air. He certainly pays you a very poor compliment by falling asleep in your presence, or maybe it is the other way around and your conversation is so soothing that it lulls him into repose. At any rate, a sleepy-headed husband will not make a very interesting and thrilling life companion, nor is he likely to succeed. A man has to be wide awake and on his toes to get anywhere nowadays.

FLOWER JEWELRY SPARKLES SMARTLY

Inspired by the Gay Nineties jewels like dew-sprinkled flowers shine at midday's neckline today, sparkle from her wrist and flash from her hair. For these fascinating new "flower jewels" may be used a dozen different ways. Of Gay Ninety vintage or inspired by the museums' treasures of Empress Eugenie they combine old gold and even sterling silver with all the vivid jewel colors. They turn into buttons or clips or brooches, or pins at will. Scintillating roses, gem-studded birds garnet grapes, and roughly carved coral, high color pearls or antique turquoise give rich color accents to the costume.

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THE SILVER ASSASSIN By WILLIAM J. MAKIN

The words dribbled from his lips. "Too late, my young friend. I am dying. Yes, poison in the drink. The same death that I delivered to Philip Allister your stepbrother, in his glass of brandy. The moon who dared to let the vulgar gaze of mankind be directed to the creation of mine. "I killed in New York. I killed in London, at Greenwich. The battlefield extended, I enlisted moon children to help me. The supernumerary helped me. Their brains devised the cunning plots. I discovered that dealing out death gave one a greater sense of power than dealing out life. Remember my friends, that it is not life that is immortal, but death. (To Be Continued)

VITAL STATISTICS The Lord Provost of Edinburgh tells a story of a town councillor who remarked, in an address to his constituents, that the death rate was 12 point 9. "What does that mean?" asked an elector. "It means," came the reply, "12 dead and nine at the point of death."

AT HOME OR IN RESTAURANT EVERY DAY IS SOUP DAY

Lea & Perrin SAUCE THE ADDED TOUCH THAT MEANS SO MUCH

"I made one of the greatest discoveries in science. I had pushed the astronomical limbo of Galilee aside, kicked it aside. It was a brave new world, a world of mighty brains that I was about to reveal to the miserable humans about me. These supermen possessed power. They could, if they wished annihilate the earth. There was nothing they could not do. Out of the crater of Eratosthenes they looked upon the earth and its scurrying humans, as a man might gaze upon an ant heap and laugh. Laugh!"

One again that horrible cackle broke from him. He drained the glass at one gulp and, with a quick gesture, sent it smashing into the fire.

"I knew then that I was one of the elect among men. I was accepted by the supermen of the moon as one of themselves. The power they possessed would be in my power. And it was for me to use for ill or good. I can remember the night when I made my great discovery. It set my mind ablaze. I went forth from these rooms, and ran to the meadows beyond. I knelt in the wet grass and worshipped the moon. I was dazzled at my own creation.

"I saw myself loaded with honours, rich and acclaimed by the scientific world when I made my discovery known. Kings and empires would bow before me. Einstein was a mere muddler in mathe. matics; Newton a primitive savage standing in awe of things which only I could explain. I came back to my rooms in the dawn. I slept, exhausted for several hours. When I awoke, the cable-gram was on my table. It was from an astronomer in New York. The words of that cablegram are still burned in my brain. They said: 'Respectfully request your presence here in New York. Would like your opinion on important discoveries I made in Orater Eratosthenes, lunar alpe.' It was signed 'Mayer.' "I reeled away from the damning words. Something snapped within me. I stormed about by laboratory, smashing and destroying. I only knew that the supermen of my creation, the beautiful, all-powerful monsters of my mathematics had been detected by some jackanapes in New York with an expensive toy of a telescope.

"Later, I calmed down. I still realized that the power, the honours, the riches that might have been mine were about to be filched away by a scientific amateur, one of these puny humans with the brain of a child. It was then my mission was revealed to me. I would defend my creations. As a god among men, I would be a jealous god. The supermen of the moon would give me power to destroy their enemies. I determined to destroy."

A spasm of pain shot across his face. His body was shaken. Peter Allister jumped to his feet. A

The HOUSEWIFE and HER ACTIVITIES

MARCH COCKTAIL A charm to hang from a button-hole. A bird on a pert chapeau. A shirtwaist made of pale pink suede. Twin foxes dripping low. An evening frock that dips and swells. Sandals of prints a-wing. A Roman sash and a Grecian gown. Are aperitifs for Spring.

BUY VIOLETS FOR SPRING SUIT LAPELS Violets were smart last year, but they find more popularity than ever this year, with royal fashions in vogue. Mid-Victorian purple and Coronation reds and blues suggest the richness of the violet for a colorful touch on the Spring suit. Other flowers favored are the casual wildflower types, in sprays quaintly pinned on coats and suit lapels. White gardenias, of course, continue to be favored by those who like white accents with black or navy suits. Beige or pale ivory colored flowers are also smart. Bright little bunches of rose buds will be worn, and many gayly nodding sprays of daisies. The quaint tiny bouquet in old-fashioned styles will be worn, too. Flowers are often pinned on dress necklines, with matching flowers worn at the front of the belt.

PEACOCK FEATHERS BREAK AGE-OLD SEA TRADITION Captain H. R. Sims of the ketch Eyalecta broke an age-old sea tradition that was unlucky to carry peacocks feathers in a ship—and said he would continue to do so and escape trouble.

A year ago Captain Sims was challenged by Mrs. Jackson, lessee of Prime Seal Island, to carry a bunch of peacock feathers. Accepting the dare, the skipper tucked the feathers on his cabin wall. "Everything has been normal since then and I intend to keep the feathers aboard," Captain Sims said in commenting on the result of his experiment. "Nevertheless, I have a few superstitions and would not sail on a Friday if I could avoid it."

BE NEAT AS A PIN FROM HEAD TO FEET Before you leave your room, stand in front of a mirror and look at yourself critically from head to foot. Is your hair shiny, neat and trim with no straggly ends which could be curled up in a minute or two? Does your skin look well scrubbed and clean as can be? Does your dress fit neat-

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Today's Short Wave Radio Program (All Time is Eastern Standard)

- THURSDAY, MARCH 18 BOSTON 5 p.m.—Rebroadcast of Selected Subjects. WJLX, 25.4 m., 11.74 meg. BERLIN 5:15 p.m.—Germans abroad. DUD, 25.4 m., 11.77 meg. LONDON 6 p.m.—"Goodnight, Vienna." A romantic operetta. GSD, 25.5 m., 11.95 meg.; GSC, 31.3 m., 9.58 meg.; GSB, 31.5 m., 9.51 meg. PARIS 7:15 p.m.—Musical program TPA-4, 25.6 m., 11.72 meg. SCHENECTADY 7:30 p.m.—Science Forum. W2X-AF, 31.4 m., 9.53 meg. BERLIN 8:30 p.m.—USA n the Reich. DUD, 25.4 m., 11.77 meg. CARACAS 9:30 p.m.—"Sea Melody"—Dance Orchestra. YVZC, 51.7 m., 5.8 meg. LONDON 9:55 p.m.—Tale "I Was There" GSD, 25.5 m., 11.75 meg.; GSC, 31.3 m., 9.58 meg.; GSB, 31.5 m., 9.51 meg. TOKYO 12 midnight—"Overseas Program." JVE, Nazaki, 20.5 m., 14.6 meg.

Fashions' Latest For Chic Dressers

You'll want to throw your coat off your shoulders at tea or cocktails in this charming bright sheer afternoon dress. It will make you look slim, youthful and smart. The dainty feminine snowy white lingerie organdie surplice vestee attract



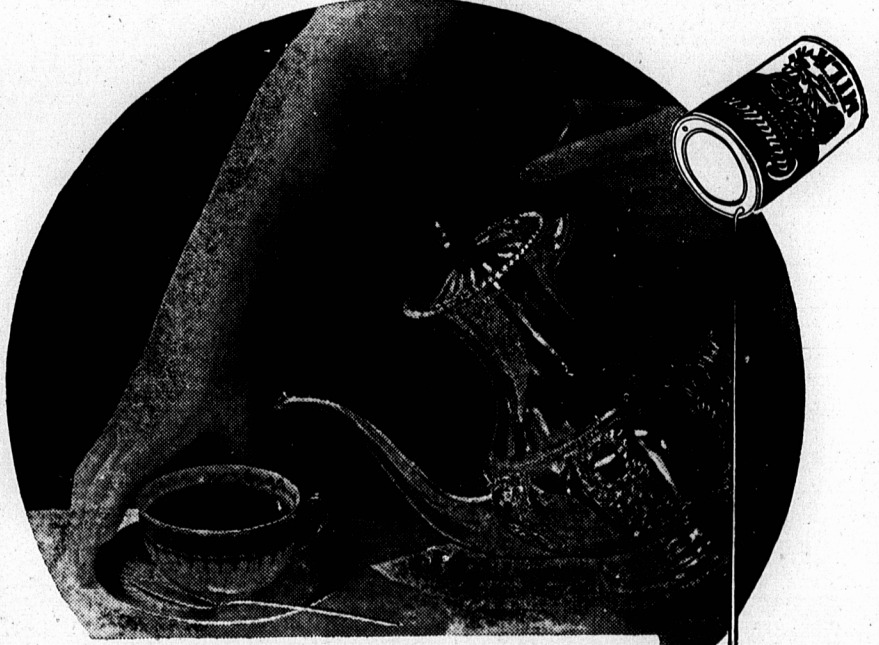
attention to the becoming lower V neckline. Soft shirred shoulders make the waistline seem incredibly smaller than it really is. The flared skirt is gracefully full. Even if it is your first attempt at sewing, you needn't hesitate a moment. The fronts and the back of the bodice with kimono type sleeves are simply shirred to the shoulder yoke. A detailed sewing chart accompanies the pattern.

Plain or crepe silk print would also be a nice choice. Style No. 3363 is designed for sizes 14, 16, 18, 20 years, 32, 34, 36, 38, 40, 42, 44, 46 and 48-inches bust. Size 36 requires 3 1/2 yards of 39-inch material with 1-2 yard of 18-inch contrasting. Price of pattern 15 cents in stamps or coin (coin preferred) wrap coin carefully address to: Charlottetown Guardian giving—Style No. 3363 Size.....

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