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The Housewife - AND - Her Activities

Small service is true service while it lasts. Our humblest friends, bright creature, scorn not one: The daisy by the shadow that it casts, Protects the lingering dewdrop from the sun. -Wordsworth.

The art of printing was discovered in Germany in the fifteenth century, and introduced into England about 1471 by William Caxton, who set up a printing press in Westminster. The first book printed in Britain was 'The Game of Chess' which was printed by Caxton, in 1474. Caxton translated or wrote about sixty different books, all of which went through his own press before his death in 1491. Caxton was born near Hadlow, in Kent, about the year 1421.

UNMATCHED EARRINGS STARTLE NEW YORK

Both Mrs. Anthony Eden and Gertrude Lawrence started the New York fashion by appearing with one black and one white pearl earring at the tips of their shell-like lobes.

IMPROVED FLAVOR

When making mince-meat, try adding one or two table-spoons of marmalade. The flavor is greatly improved if this is done.

LONDONERS LEARN LANGUAGES

The enrolment for the evening educational classes throughout London shows a remarkable interest in foreign languages. We are told the demand is easily the biggest in record. French, German, and

Spanish, in that order, are the most popular so far as actual numbers go. The complaint is frequently made, and with every justification, that the British are not a nation of linguists, and, unlike the Continentals, have no special desire to learn. But the international crisis seems to have brought young men and women in London up against serious problems, and the demand for knowledge of foreign languages is the natural outcome.

SLEEP ON EITHER SIDE

It was long held that right-handed people generally sleep on their right side, while left-handed people go to sleep on the left side. Careful experiments which have been carried out recently show that this is not really the case. When 150 right-handed persons were examined it was found that there was no great preference for sleeping on one side or the other, although in the case of left-handed people the majority preferred the left side.

When in the course of experiments, sleepers were asked to go to rest so many nights on their habitual side, and so many nights on the other side, it was found that they got to sleep more easily when on their normal side than when they were in the unusual position. The doctors, therefore, feel that people, whether they be grown-ups or boys or girls, should make a practice of sleeping on the side which they usually favor.

THE COOK'S CORNER

CRULLERS

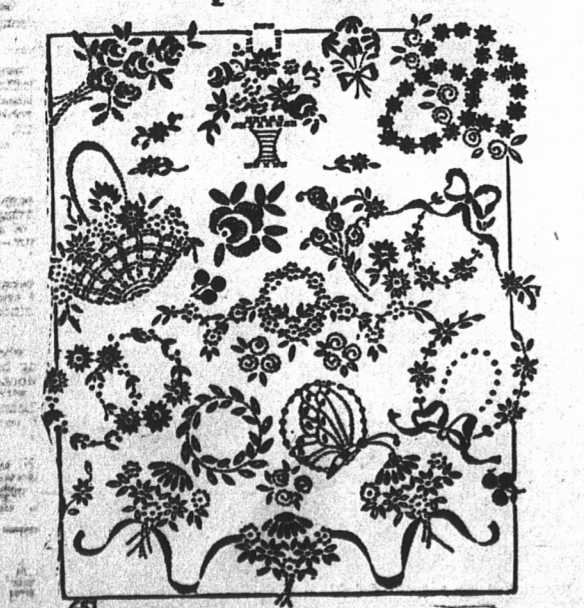
1 cup sugar  
1 tablespoon butter  
3 egg yolks  
1 cup hot mashed potato  
1-2 cup milk  
3 cups flour  
3 teaspoons baking powder  
1 teaspoon salt  
3 teaspoons vanilla  
Add sugar, butter, and egg yolks to hot mashed potato, beat until light and smooth. Add milk, flour, baking-powder, salt, and vanilla. The dough should be as soft as can be handled. Cut in stripes and twist for crullers. Fry in deep fat, 3 minutes each. Temperature of fat, 380 degrees.

FRUIT CRULLERS

2 tablespoons shortening  
1 cup sugar  
2 eggs  
1 cup milk  
4 cups flour  
4 teaspoons baking powder  
1 teaspoon salt  
Marmalade  
Cream, shortening and sugar, add well-beaten eggs, milk and sift dry ingredients. Roll out to one-quarter inch thick and cut with circular cutter. Place a tablespoon of marmalade on each half, wet edges, fold over and press together. Fry in deep fat, 3 minutes each. Temperature of fat, 380 degrees. All of these recipes make about 3 dozen ordinary sized doughnuts.

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World Would Marry Again? Dorothy Dix Law of Averages Says You Would

Many Married People Declare They Would Never Rush to the Altar a Second Time, Yet Statistics Show That They Lose Little Time in Getting New Mates

If you had to do it over again, would you marry? If you were free and untrammelled to kiss up your head, and roam wherever you pleased, would you stick your neck again in the domestic yolk?

All of the disgruntled husbands and wives would answer with a loud and emphatic NO, and even the happily married would look a little doubtful. For the Holy Estate never comes up to what it was press-agented to be, and even the most devoted Darcy and Jane have their moments of wondering what made them do it and wishing they hadn't.

Probably there isn't a married man alive who hasn't sighed for the good old times when he had no ball and chain about his feet; when he could come and go as he pleased without having to furnish an ironical alibi for every moment he was away from his keeper; when he could stay down town all evening for any poker game he wanted to play, or tell a lie about a buyer from Oshkosh, when he didn't have a critic on the earth who kept him reminded of all his faults and shortcomings, and when he could spend his money on fishing trips and what he pleased, instead of a stream of sweetened milk for the baby and having little Johnny's adenoids out, and permanent waves and chiffon frocks.

Undoubtedly the majority of married people are sure in their own hearts that they would never marry again if they were free. But they would, as is proved by the fact that nearly all widows and widowers marry again as soon as they decently can after they lose their former incumbents of their hearts and homes. Even the divorced rush back into matrimony, though you would think they would be the burnt children who would forever afterward be afraid of the fire.

For with all of its drawbacks, marriage does something to people that seems to make it impossible for them to live alone and like it. Maybe it is because they find that the lost freedom for which they pined means nothing but loneliness when they come and go as they please, because nobody cares what they do, or whether they like it. Maybe it is because the men who have resented their wives' nagging have forgotten how to take care of themselves and are as bewildered as a lost dog without its master.

Maybe it is because women find when they lose their husbands they have lost their card of admission to good times and are relegated to the outer zones with the other superfluous women with whom no one wants to bother themselves. Maybe it is because a house without a man in it isn't a home, no matter how many tidies you hang on the chair, and there is no sense in getting up a good dinner that you've got to eat alone. Maybe both men and women come back to matrimony with their eyes closed, and they lose their mates and so they rush back into marriage. Anyway, they do it, no matter how much they think that wild horses couldn't drag them again to the altar.

Furthermore, most married people think that if they had a second choice of picking out a wife or husband they would choose some one very different from the one they have. The man who has been married to a slovenly housewife would select a good cook. The one who has been united to a doctor's bill is sure he would look out for a healthy, husky girl. The henpecked man just knows he would seek Patricia Criswell.

THE HOLY TERROR! Story of a World Dictator

By H. C. WELLS Copyright, 1938, by The North American Newspaper Alliance, Inc. "If I stand by you, if presently you find others standing by you. All the strings are in your hands. You are the spider in the web. You are the center of a spider's web. You were born to rule. Believe in him still and keep this new world united and at peace. We will help you."

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Modern Etiquette (By ROBERTA LEE)

Q. When having personal stationery printed, should the return address be placed on the front of the envelope or on the flap? A. It should be on the flap, though it is omitted entirely on envelopes used for formal purposes. Q. May one "ring off" in business telephoning without saying "Goody-by"? A. No, it is rude to leave the other party ignorant that you have rung off. Q. Is it correct to serve a dessert with the silver on the plate? A. Yes.

How Can I? (By ANNE ASHLEY)

Q. How can I separate stamps that have stuck together? A. Place a thin piece of paper over them and then run a hot iron over this paper, very lightly. Q. How can I clean off grease that has splattered over an unpermanently dyed fabric? A. Four kerosene over the spots, then scrub thoroughly with a scrubbing brush. After a few days, both the grease and the kerosene will disappear. Q. How can I prevent the chipping of dishes, caused by striking them against the kitchen sink faucet? A. This can be prevented if one-inch lengths of garden hose are cut and one of these fastened to the end of each faucet.

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A Morning Smile HIS ADVICE

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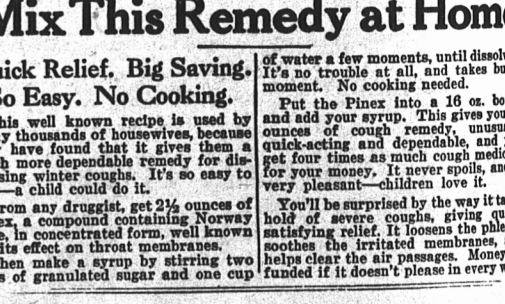
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