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The Good Old Family Tea of the Maritimes



Blended to suit the exacting taste of Maritime tea drinkers

The HOUSEWIFE and HER ACTIVITIES

A HAPPY MAN

Happy the man, and happy he alone. He who can call today his own— Tomorrow do thy worst, for I have lived today. —Dryden.

EARLY SPRING CARE OF LAWNS

In beginning spring gardening operations include early spring care of the lawn in your plans. The lawn is the carpet of that outdoor living room where you will be spending so much of your time in the coming months. It is the foundation on which you are building. It can make or mar your outdoor surroundings.

Grass makes its best growth early in the season, when cool temperatures prevail, and we should therefore see that conditions are favorable to this early growth. One of the most important requirements is to see that there is in the soil an ample supply of available plant food—that is, plant food capable of being dissolved and assimilated by the plant.

Well nourished grass becomes vigorous and hardy. It can withstand abuse, pests and disease to which it might otherwise succumb. Feeding produces a thick, matted turf which offers weeds a very poor chance of existing or even getting started. A good root system is one of the results of proper feeding and the root system is very important in helping the lawn to withstand the hot summer weather that is to come.

An ideal time to apply this plant food is during the spring thawing period. One must take care to see that the ground is not too soft and spongy, however, so as to avoid disturbing the lawn surface. Choose a day that is not too windy. If you have a large area to cover, a plant food spreader will assist you in spreading the plant food evenly and quickly. On a small or medium sized area, it is satisfactory to apply by hand. Apply at the rate of four pounds to one hundred square feet.

If application is made a little later, and the grass has already established a good top growth, be sure to wet it down thoroughly and wash the plant food off the blades of grass.

Bare or thin spots should be reseeded so the young grass can get a good start during the cool moist weather. If the seed, like the plant food, is applied during the thawing period, it will readily sink into the pitted surface of the soil and germination will be hastened.

FARM FOR SALE

Farm of 50 acres near Carleton Place, Ontario. For particulars apply to H. F. MacPherson, Solicitor, Riley Building, Charlottetown, 4800.

PUBLIC NOTICE

"An Act Respecting Dogs"

Whereas at present a dog is a pest in the streets and vicinity, the attention of the public is drawn to Sections 1 and 2 of "An Act Respecting Dogs," being Chapter 16 of the Statutes of 1932, reading as follows: 1. Every dog found at large without its owner or other person in charge thereof, is required to be effectively muzzled. Provided a dog shall not be deemed to be at large while within the limits of his owner's property. 2. Every dog found at large without its owner or other person in charge thereof and not muzzled as aforesaid, or otherwise destroyed by any person, and any person may kill any dog which he sees pursuing, worrying, or wounding any sheep or lamb, notwithstanding that such dog may be muzzled as aforesaid, and notwithstanding said dog may be in charge of his owner or other person.

Dorothy Dix

Do You Think Matrimony Had Deflated Your Ego? Wait Until You Become a Parent, and Enter the Absolute Slavery Which Begins With a Moonfaced Creature in a Bassinet and Lasts Until Death

I have frequently remarked in this column upon the value of matrimony as a sure-fire method of deflating the ego. None of us ever wear the same-sized hat or have the same chest expansion after marriage that we did before. And do we strut again with that cock-of-the-walk attitude after we have a husband or a wife to tell us of our faults and point out our weaknesses to us. Whatever else its defects, marriage is an infallible cure for vanity.

HERE ARE A FEW BEAUTY TIPS

Sometimes a hint may simplify a step or two in an otherwise complicated beauty routine. Here are a few timely "tips." Tiny corns which persist in forming on either side of a finger nail shouldn't be cut. Rub them lightly with a bit of pumice stone. If you will rub cream into your eyebrows before you start to tweeze them, the process won't be as painful and will take less time. Apply a bit of cream on your eyebrows and massage. Allow the cream to stay on for about five minutes before wiping off the surplus. With your tweezers, pluck out the hairs one at a time. If you are plucking them for the first time it is best to have it done by some expert who will follow the natural arch of your eyebrow as she extracts the hairs. Afterward of course, you may pull out the hairs yourself. But be careful not to disturb the natural line and don't pull out too many.

BOSTON BROWN BREAD

Mix together one and one half cups yellow cornmeal, one cup granulated sugar, one cup white flour. Add 1 1/4 cups milk in which is beaten one teaspoon soda, one cup molasses and teaspoon salt. Have better thin, then pour into cans and steam for three hours. If sweet milk is used put soda in with the molasses. Raisins or chopped dates may be used if desired.

FOR THIN FACES

If your face is long and thin try putting a little rouge on the outer cheek bones and on the chin. This will make it appear broader and shorter. Don't wear a high crown or large brimmed hat. A round beret shape or small brim suits you better. The up-to-the-brow fashion is flattering to thin necks and faces. Always choose a round neckline in preference to the V-shape.

TO CLEAN WHITE FUR

Trimnings of white fur on frocks, hats, or children's garments may be most successfully cleaned with powdered starch without rubbing to remove the fur from the articles. If the fur trims a black garment, such as velvet, the surrounding material should be well protected before beginning the cleaning process. Sprinkle the starch over the fur and rub it on lightly. Leave on for a time and then shake out thoroughly. This cleaning method will be found most effective.

MORTGAGED WIFE

BY MILDRED BARBOUR

CHAPTER 21

"IF SHE GOES, I GO ALSO!"

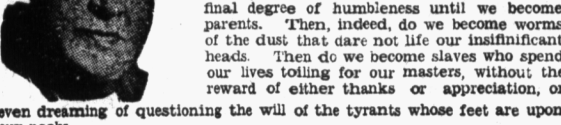
"Vic!" The exclamation came from four amazed people. Vic Barstow strode into the room and over to Jeanne, fury distorting his clean young face. "I beg your pardon; Mother and Dad," he said briefly and then, turning to Vera Dayton and Jeffrey the secretary. "Get out, you two!" he said, clasping them both in one breath. "Vic!" cried his mother in dismay. He turned to her briefly. "I am sorry, Mother, but there are times to be brutal and this is one of them." The Secretary, slid noiselessly out but Vera Dayton stood with unflinching head, the crimson surging up her pale face. "You poor miserable deluded creature!" she cried scornfully. "You are willing to turn against everyone and blind your eyes to the truth for the sake of this woman." She pointed a shaking hand at Jeanne who sat regarding her serenely, her face carefully making her amusement at the turn affairs had taken. She felt as detached as a spectator viewing a stage melodrama. "This woman," as you call her, is the woman that I love, and she, let me remind you, she is my wife. "You fool!" "Mother!" cried Vic. "You dare not—don't do that!" "Mother!" cried Vic. "You dare not—don't do that!" "Mother!" cried Vic. "You dare not—don't do that!"

A Good Complexion is the sign of a Good Soap

I believe in signs. When I see a woman with a clear, fresh, healthy complexion, I feel in my heart that she uses Palmolive—the Soap of Youth. For the secret blend of olive and palm oils in Palmolive gives just that satin smoothness to the cheek... that fine texture to the skin... that clean, natural look.

Palmolive, you know, is a most unusual soap. Cleansing very gently, it floats accumulations away... leaving the skin refreshed and cool.

Try Palmolive. Every night and morning caress Palmolive's creamy lather into the skin of face, throat and shoulders. Rinse with warm water, then with cold. After only a month, see for yourself that the new youthfulness of your complexion is a sign of the soap you are using.



Keep that Schoolgirl Complexion

A Morning Smile

EARLY FILIAL FIDELITY

One of the clerks at the employment agency was a bit of a wit, and he was preparing to gain a laugh at the expense of the next in the line. "Where were you born?" he asked the man, a Scotchman. "Glasgow," was the reply. "Glasgow! Whatever for?" continued the funny one. "I wanted to be near mother," said the other with devastating meekness.

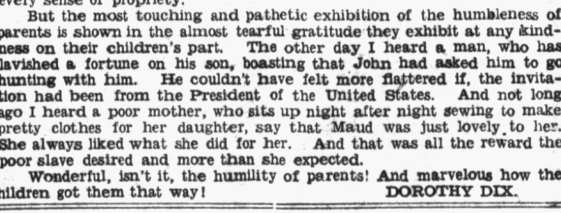
The Rev. John Brown was in the habit on festive occasions of proposing the health of a certain young lady as his favorite toast.

Noticing that he had abruptly abandoned the practice, a curious acquaintance asked him the reason. "Because," answered the Rev. Brown sadly, "I have toasted her for sixteen years without being able to make her Brown, and so I've resolved to toast her no longer."

LIKE MAGIC FOR CHEST COLDS, COUGHS

Says Toronto Mother of "Mecca" and Mustard

Mrs. Golding writes: "Nothing equals Mecca, in poultice form. For coughs and bronchitis, mixed with a little mustard, it works like magic when applied to the chest and back. If your family is suffering from Colds on Chest, Bronchial Troubles, Flu, Grippe, Lumbago, Chills and Aches, use Mecca with Mustard."



Address of Appreciation

A very enjoyable evening was spent at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Frank MacEachern, Long Creek, on Wednesday, Jan. 24th, when the members of Blue Bell Division of the S. O. T. together with a number of visitors, gathered there to express to Mr. and Mrs. MacEachern their appreciation for the use of a room in their home in which to hold the Division meetings during the summer months. The meeting was called to order by Mr. Helen MacLean who briefly explained the purpose of the gathering and called on Mr. Blanche Mackenzie to read an address. A beautiful tea tray was then presented by Bro. George MacNeill. After Mr. and Mrs. MacEachern had expressed their thanks, all joined in singing "For They Are Jolly Good Fellows." The remainder of the evening was pleasantly spent in games and music. Delicious refreshments were served by the ladies, after which the meeting was brought to a close by the singing of "Auld Lang Syne" and "God Save the King."

ONLY HER DEBTS TO HARRASS

Suddenly she saw her whole adventure in a new light. It had been, in a way, a business enterprise. She had mortgaged her beauty and her cleverness and a good many of her principles for certain worldly considerations and placed them all in one stock, and now it was all swept away. There were no more dividends; everything was gone and she faced the world, the same striped desolate figure as a great financier who has gone under during a panic in the street.

Stubborn Coughs Ended by Recipe, Mixed at Home

Big Saving! No Cooking! So Easy! Here is the famous old recipe which millions of housewives have found to be the most dependable means of breaking stubborn coughs. No cooking, no moment to prepare, and costs very little, but it positively has no equal for quick, lasting relief. From any druggist, get 2 1/2 ounces of Syrup. Pour this into a 16 oz. bottle and add the bottle which contains sugar syrup, made with 2 cups of sugar and one cup of water, stirred a few moments. This mixture is the secret. It is so easy! This you make 16 ounces of better remedy than you could buy ready-made, and you get four times as much for your money. It never spoils and mixes love its taste. This simple mixture soothes and heals the inflamed throat membranes with surprising ease. It loosens the germ-laden phlegm and eases chest soreness in a way that is really astonishing. Finer is a highly concentrated compound of Norway Pine, the most reliable balsam for severe coughs. It is guaranteed to give prompt relief or money refunded.

Off Quoted Phrase

The origin of the old saying "the tune the old cow died of," meaning words instead of food or words instead of deeds, is preserved in the following stanza: "There was an old man and he had an old cow. But no fodder had he to give her: So he took up his fiddle and played her this tune. 'Consider, good cow, consider, This isn't the time for grass to grow: Consider, good cow, consider.'"

THE COOK'S CORNER

IRISH STEW WITH DUMPLINGS 1 1/2 pounds neck or breast of mutton or lamb. 2 carrots. 2 onions. 1 turnip. 1 stalk celery. 2 or 3 medium-sized potatoes. 3 tablespoons bacon drippings. 1 teaspoon salt. 1/4 teaspoon pepper. 2 tablespoons flour. Mince stock or water. Sprig of parsley. Cut the meat into half-inch cubes. Salt and pepper them, and toss in flour. Melt the bacon, dripping in six iron frying-pan and brown the meat, add the sliced onions and brown slightly. Add enough stock to cover the meat. Add the turnips and carrots which have been cubed, the celery cut in small pieces, and a sprig of parsley. Let this simmer for two hours. Then add the cubed potatoes and cook more rapidly until the potatoes are thickened. The liquid with flour is necessary and serve the stew with dumplings made as follows:

DUMPLINGS 1 cup flour. 1/2 teaspoon salt. 1/4 to 1/2 cup milk. 1 teaspoon lard. 2 teaspoons baking powder. Mix the dry ingredients, cut in lard, and add enough milk to give a smooth dough. Drop by spoonfuls over the top of the stew. Cover the dish and allow dumplings to steam about 12 to 15 minutes. The stew should be kept very hot.

To carve a leg of lamb cut in thin slices at right angle to the bone, beginning at the top of the leg.

Many children die from the assaults of worms and the first care of mothers should be to see that their infants are free from these pests. A vermifuge that can be depended on is Miller's Worm Powder. They will not only expel worms from the system, but act as a health-giving medicine and a remedy for many of the ailments that beset infants, enfeebling them and endangering their lives.

Daintiness With Chic Styles

Illustrated Dressmaking Lesson Furnished with Every Pattern

BY ANNABELLE WORTHINGTON

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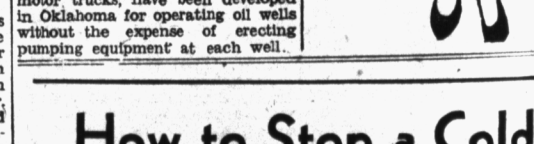
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