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THE WOMAN'S REALM

JUST LIVIN'

It's bread and jam and a pot of tea,
With someone you love for company
A fire for chilly nights, a chair
And radio music sounding there,
A sense of home and familiar things,
An old back porch where a cricket sings.

Not askin' much, just a place to stay
A quiet bed at the end of day,
A friend to drop in for a little chat,
Gossiping over this and that,
A game of checkers or dominos,
And a small wood fire that softly glows.

It's dreams in your heart, deep down inside,
Clean living, decent, a bit of pride
In the little town and the people there,
The church and the stores that you sort of share,
The crazy sidewalk . . . the yew-tree's shade
The little first-of-July parade.

It's bread and butter and simple things,
Tears and laughter and wedding rings,
A birth in the house — a death next door,
Sunlight falling upon the floor,
A child to love when the day is done,
Just being alive . . . is such splendid fun.

—Edna Jaques.

PLENTY OF GRAY IN NEW FUR COATS

NEW YORK — Color plays a leading role in the selection of a fur coat. Gray is smart throughout the mode and in the gray family of fur coats you may have Persian lamb, Tingora lamb (South American lamb) or opossum. The latter comes in the natural Australian variety or tipped, with the skins let out, a dressier version. You may find gray Persian paws, too, inexpensive and good looking.

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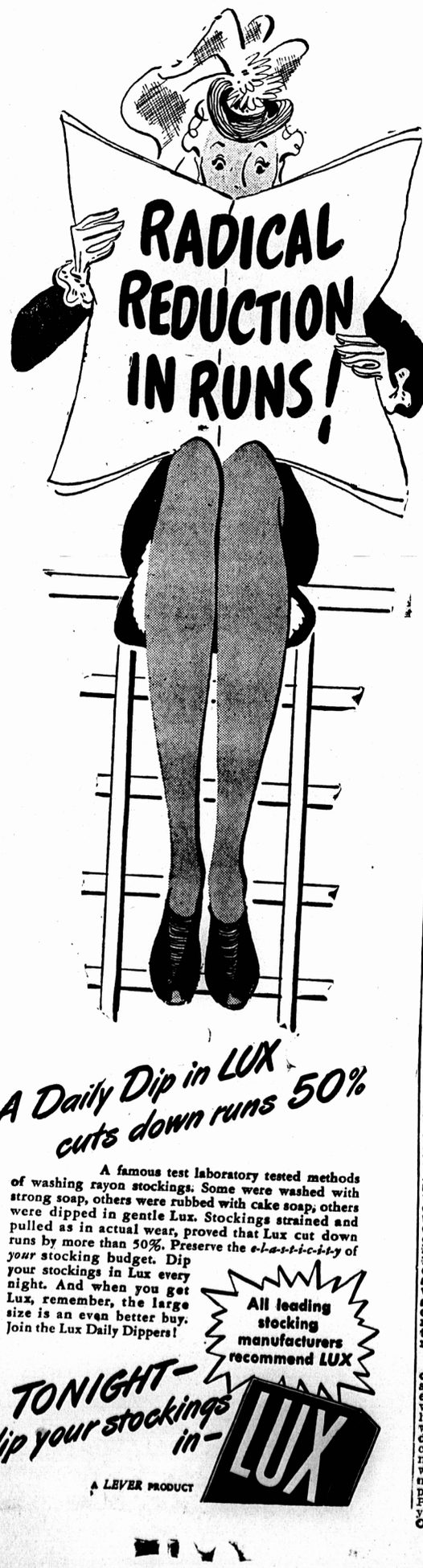
The long-haired furs available at medium or low prices include wolf, dyed to look like fox, lynx or skunk. Then, too, there's marten-dyed raccoon, handsome as can be. Sometimes racoon is blended to resemble silver fox.

FEED AT NIGHT

The eel often burrows during the day, and feeds principally at night.



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MODERN ETIQUETTE

By Roberta Lee

Q. When shopping in a department store with a woman friend, would it be correct to introduce the friend to a saleswoman whom I have known for several years

A. Yes. Perhaps your friend will begin patronizing this shop, due to the introduction, which will be credited to your saleswoman.

Q. When dining in an expensive place, to what sized bill does the ten per cent tipping rule apply

A. Too a bill that is more than three dollars.

Q. Is it obligatory that a woman remove her hat in the theater

A. Not if the hat is small and flat, without any protruding ornaments.

BETTER ENGLISH

By C. D. Williams

1. What is wrong with this sentence? "The reason that he was arrested was never divulged."
2. What is the correct pronunciation of "inspiration"?
3. Which one of these words is misspelled: Lascivious, lasitude, laryngitis.
4. What does the word "presumptuous" mean?
5. What is a word beginning with ar that means "reasoning"?

ANSWERS

1. Say, "The reason why he was arrested." 2. Pronounce second I as in spill, not as in spire. 3. Lassitude. 4. Taking undue liberties; overbold. "It was a presumptuous idea." 5. Argument.

COOK'S CORNER

CRANBERRY JELLY DESSERT

Clean and pick over 4 cups cranberries. Place in large saucepan with 1 cup water (2 cut-up but unpeeled apples and the pulp of 1-3 orange, freed of rind and white. Cover and simmer until tender. Mash through fine sieve. To the strained pulp and juice add 1 lb. granulated sugar. Stir until dissolved, then simmer 2 minutes. Pour at once into wet mold. Stand in refrigerator.

TEN-MINUTE CRANBERRY SAUCE

(Makes 1 quart)

Two cups sugar, 2 cups water, 4 cups fresh cranberries.

Boil sugar and water together 5 minutes. Add cranberries and boil without stirring until all the skins pop open (5 minutes is usually sufficient). Remove from fire and allow the sauce to remain in saucepan until cool.

If you are saving sugar, reduce water to 1¾ cups and substitute one of these: 1 cup sugar and 1 cup corn syrup (dark or white), or 1 cup sugar and 1 cup maple syrup, or 1 cup sugar and ½ cup honey.

ELLEN'S DIARY

By An Island Farmer's Wife

There was sunshine today and blue skies with great drifts of white clouds floating lazily above the horizon and there were near-to-balmy favorable winds. The skies reminded me of a day in June with bird-song and long lovely hours, green lushness and the fragrance of roses and cloves. But I lived those days perhaps too busily to catch all the beauty. Karolyn, Rob's wife called by 'phone to ask if I had seen the charm of the sun on the snow-covered rooves, for a bit of snow, like a hoar-frost, fell during the silent hours. It was so pleasant today, I saw Jeanie's chickens dust themselves in pure joy in a bit of clay. A number of small pigs how secure in their paddock regarded me with the happiest dirty faces when I paused a minute beside the encircling fence to see the progress of James' ploughing in the field across the creek.

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Ploughing or indeed any field-work in this field in pre-war days was a pleasant experience, apt to be prolonged because of interludes. These acres, lying beside the road and cut off from the rest of the farm by the mill-stream, is different and secluded. Sheltered by the Foster's woods to the west and hemmed in in other directions by the older-fringed stream, it is an ideal place to work in or if one happens to be near the road, to enjoy a chat with passers-by. When wheat was grown more extensively there were many from neighboring or even distant communities who stopped on the way to the mill to pass the time of day with James. When the good doctor, now gone on, lived beyond the church at Braeside-corner many passed in or out the Alderlea road taking advantage of office or indeed any hour to consult this great man. But methods of farming have changed through the years. On many farms other grains are grown instead of the golden wheat. And the good doctor as I said is gone to his "ain countree". The war and industry has also claimed many of our rural population. Indeed there are many days now when farmers are busy at seasonal operations, one might work beside the Alderlea road for some time with no one to chat with other than the mail-man or the man on the cream-truck, delivering the empty cream-cans to the patrons on this route.

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Today James was making splendid progress at his ploughing, the shining shares leaving a wake of ever-widening red earth. As I watched from beside the paddock he left the horses and plough midway in a furrow and went down to drink at the spring, that gushes clean and cool and sparkling, beneath rocks to flow merrily downward a few yard's distance to the mill-stream below. This spring is protected on one side by a cliff. Paths, not so well worn of late years, lead in from either side. Once no fishing excursion was complete for "mine" without a drink at this spring. It is still a popular spot for visiting anglers to wander to at lunch-time. Not that James always enjoys their prowling, for sometimes as we go or come across the "gang-way" bridge I've heard him say: "Drat those fishermen! The bars are down again." But I know, doubtless some one has only hurried along the stream to drink a cooling draught from one of the best of springs.

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During all this day James chatted with only one passer-by. This was the proud male parent of a wee plump girl that came very recently to a hospital in the city. There she is, safe and sound and prettily named. Girl babies—and boys!—do have such delightful names now-a-days. When I think of it "Ellen" is plain, but then when one is named for someone pretty and nice and gone before, I suppose that makes up any loss in this respect. This Alderlea road of ours is occupying a prominent place on the stork's list. We've had three visits from this long-billed bird in less than a half-year. Carol Ann, Thomas Ralph and now this wee lassie. But there, some appreciative person has said: "The Island is a good place to be born in."

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Judy's and my combined operations at the bread-mixing caused it to be slower in rising today. Clearly a case of "too many cooks spoiling the broth." I was superfluous, Judy said: "If you don't add enough flour into its 'runny'; if there's too much, that's another mess." Although it was well into the afternoon before ours was finally lifted from the pans it was as Aunt Kitty Mahoney would say: "A good per-sample" and promises to be very edible.

Judy said today as she swept the dining-room. "Listen here, Mrs. S. we should have bought a trap the day we were in town." "Trap" I said "what for?" "Did you know "she said" that a mouse has been prowling along the plate-rail to eat up one of your precious bouquets?" I've a sneaking notion Judy is not too "crazy-mad" about flowers. Sure enough there were my swamp-flowers on the floor and on the rail, although I could not easily recognize them. I was a little disturbed to find this experiment of mine in winter-bouquets had been useless. But if I had not gone at Judy's call, I would not have noticed the small pinkish buds on the Christmas cactus. Nor the Jerus-

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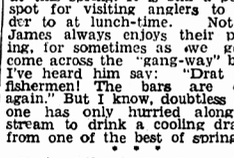

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One of the bitterest disappointments and disillusions that we ever suffer is when we attempt to repeat a pleasant experience, or to revive the glory of a vanished day. For there are no encores in life. Nothing happens twice the same. When a thing is done, it is done. Finished. And not all our longing nor our prayers can bring it back again just as it was.

Who of us who has not gone away from the old home, when we re-visited it after the lapse of years, choked on our tears? In our memories it was cloaked with all the illusions of childhood. We thought of it as a beautiful and stately house, with roses climbing over its walls, filled with gay and happy people, and with the spicy odors of good cooking permeating its every room.

And when we see a shabby old building that has shrunken to a shack, with the paint peeling from its walls and cows grazing in what used to be Grandma's flower garden, we wish with all our hearts we had kept our dream instead of trying to check up on it.

And who of us has not realized the worse than folly of trying to revive an old friendship that has been moribund for years and years? There was Tom who you made mud pies with when you were a kid, who you went to school and college with, who was as close and dear to you as a brother. Well, Tom moved West, or went to Europe to live. For a little while you kept up a correspondence and then you both got too busy to write and you lost touch. But now Tom has wired that he is coming in on the 7:30 train and you are filled with joy at the prospect of seeing him again.

YOU CAN'T BE A REPEATER

But when he comes and you have slapped him on the back and had a drink or two together, and rehashed all of the old college stories and asked about his wife and his children, you find that you have nothing on earth to say to him. You could get into a conversation with the veriest stranger on a sleeping car easier than you could with him, and you are both relieved when he leaves.

And the summer resort that was so delightful one year. And the fishing that was so good as a certain camp. Or the restaurant whose cooking you have never forgotten. And the dinner that was so brilliant. They are never the same when you go back to them. You can't be a repeater.

And it makes one wonder if one of the great tragedies of the war is not going to be the shock that sweethearts and even husbands and wives, are going to get when they meet in that reunion to which they are looking forward so eagerly. Now they see each other though the rosy mists of fancy, idealized into a perfection that no human being ever possessed. They have forgotten each other's faults and blemishes and are filled with romantic and passionate love for each other.

But when Johnnie comes marching home and they get a good look at each other, what then? They won't be so young. Nor so good looking. Nor so light-hearted. Experiences will have changed them. And one speculates about whether the pre-war kisses will have kept their flavour and whether the husbands and wives of yesterday will still be each other's hearts' desires.

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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. I rented a three roomed flat and allowed the tenants to have the telephone put in their part of the house. They are now moving and say they can take the telephone and I cannot have another installed. Is this right?

A. There is no Board regulation governing the installation of telephones. There is a shortage of equipment and labour for such work, but for further information we would suggest you either write or telephone the local telephone company.

Q. Must I surrender ration coupons when buying frozen fruits?

A. Frozen fruit is not rationed, therefore you do not have to surrender any of your preserves coupons.

Q. Are butter coupons 86 and 87 valid?

A. Butter coupons 86 and 87 become valid November 23.

DO YOU HATE TO GET UP in the MORNING?

Doesn't it feel swell to wake up in the morning clear-eyed, refreshed, full of pep? Yet so many, especially over 40, get up tired all over, with aching joints, never really feel their best.

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HOW CAN I !!

By Anne Ashley

Q. How can I remove chewing gum from garments?

A. Take a piece of ice and hold it tightly over the gum for a few moments. The gum will harden and crumble. It can then be brushed off without injuring the material.

Q. How can I make a cream substitute for coffee?

A. Beat up the yolk of one egg, to which has been added one teaspoonful of sugar, and a very small amount of water. Divide this among the cups before pouring in the hot coffee.

Q. How can I keep the powder puff fluffy?

A. The puff will remain soft and fluffy if washed in warm, soapy waten, and then rinsed in soapy water.

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HOUSEHOLD SCRAPBOOK

By Roberta Lee

An Inexpensive Drink

Squeeze the juice of two lemons and one orange, strain and add one cup of sugar, also enough ice water to make three pints. When ready to serve, stir in one pint of ginger ale. This makes a delicious drink.

The New Broom

Before using the new broom, soak it for a few hours in hot, strong salt water. This will toughen the bristles and make the broom last sometimes twice as long as ordinarily.

Lumpy Cocoa

Cocoa will not lump if a little sugar is mixed with it before pouring on the hot water or milk. And a pinch of salt greatly improves the flavor.

MORNING SMILE

ONE REGRET

"What, fish again?" growled Peck. "We're always having fish." "Well, John," said the wife, "it's good for you. It feeds the brain." "Bosh! Why should you think my brain needs so much feeding?" "Well, didn't your mother give you fish before you got married?" "No," he hissed. "I wish she had."

THE LIMIT REACHED

First Farmer—Potato bugs ate my whole crop in 10 days.

Second Farmer—They ate mine in two days and then roosted in the trees to see if I would plant some more.

Seed Merchant — That's nothing. Right now there's one over there going through my books to see who has ordered seed for next week.

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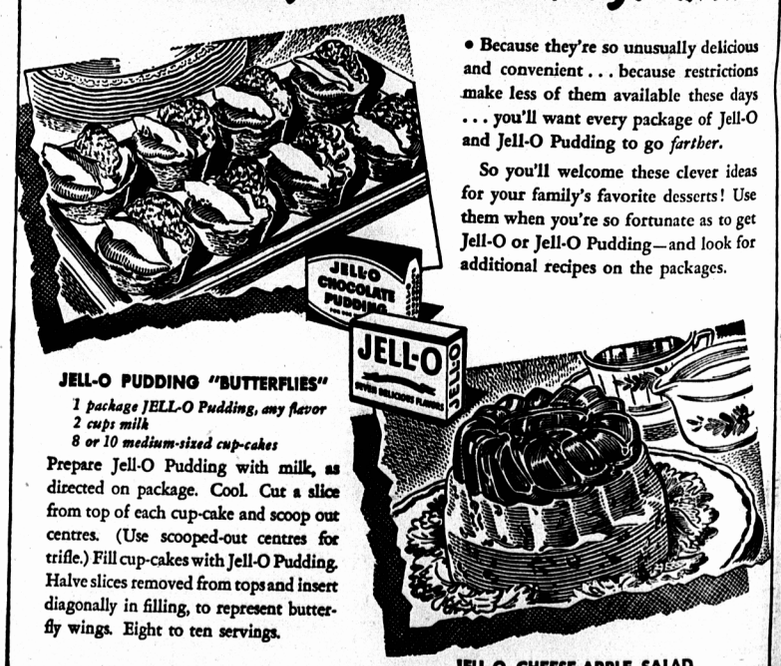

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JELL-O CHEESE-APPLE SALAD

1 package Lemon JELL-O — *1 red apple, cut in ¼-inch dice*
2 cups hot water — *1 teaspoon sugar*
2 tablespoons lemon juice — *3 ounces white cream cheese*
1 teaspoon salt — *Nutmeats, if available*

Dissolve Jell-O in water. Add 1 tablespoon lemon juice, and salt. Combine apple, sugar, an additional dash of salt, and remaining 1 tablespoon lemon juice. Chill. When Jell-O mixture is slightly thickened, fold apples into half of it. Turn into wet mould. Chill until firm. Beat remaining Jell-O to consistency of whipped cream; fold in cheese and nuts. Pour over first layer. Chill until firm. Unmould on lettuce. Serve with dressing. Eight servings.

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