

NEW POLAR FOOD

Manufactured From Pure Blades of Arctic Moss

Mining engineers and prospectors along the Peel and Mackenzie Rivers, on the Arctic Ocean Slope, discovered a new breakfast food in the Arctic moss abundant there. Thousands of square miles of moss await either consumption by settlers and their pack animals or conservation for future generations by Canadian Pinchots. James East, a mining expert, noticed that dogs were fond of the moss which grows prolifically in that region. His tests showed it contains sustenance for man and beast.

For dogs he made cakes of moss mixed with lard and caribou tallow. Dogs ate the cakes eagerly and thrived. The miners then tried it and subsisted chiefly on the moss. Other prospectors learned of the new food with joy and began using it.

Mr. East named the new food Mossolyte. If conservationists do not prevent it, it is intended to produce reindeer along the Arctic slope to help consume the great moss supply.



DAN DERBYSHIRE
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One of the best known dairy authorities in Canada.

Patrick Once More

A traveller who dropped into a North Ontario town vouches for the following: As the "Sudbury to the Soo" train was on its way west the other day a certain judge came aboard, and finding all the seats occupied, finally sat down beside an Irishman who was seated just in front of the judge, who got into conversation with the Irishman, and soon discovered that he had only been in Canada for about two years. His Honor was full of praise for Canada and especially of Northern Ontario. The Irishman listened to the glowing description for some time, but finally became restive and remarked that Canada might be a pretty good place but could in no wise compare with Ireland. To this His Honor objected, and to strengthen his argument said: "Now Pat, you know very well that you would be in Ireland many and many a long year before you would ever have the privilege of sitting with a judge." Pat was fairly bowled out for a minute, but with an Irish ready wit replied: "True fer you, yer Honor; but sure now, yer Honor would be in Ireland many and many a long year before ye'd be a judge."

TO ESCAPE APPENDICITIS

An Exercise Commended by a Well Known Physician

A simple way to prevent appendicitis was recently described by a well-known physician. Every night and morning, he advised, go on your knees, bend backward until you sit on your heels, and, at the same time, bend the upper part of your body forward as far as possible. Do this six to ten times.

You may vary the exercise by standing with heels together and toes pointing straight forward, and then stooping into a sitting posture until the knees touch the chest. Do this also six or eight times slowly.

The effect is to stir up the intestine in the neighborhood of the vermiform appendix, and to keep it free from the obstruction which is the primary cause of appendicitis.

WOMEN AS M.P.'S

Sweden Decides to Allow Them to sit in Parliament

Women are being offered in Sweden what they are fighting and rioting for in England. In the speech from the Throne, which was delivered by the King of Sweden in the Riksdag it was stated that "the Government regards it as right and in the interest of the State to demand the right to vote and eligibility for election for both men and women under like conditions, and a Bill providing for this will be introduced in the Riksdag."

SHOOTING WHALES

An Industry Which Has Grown to Large Proportions

Whale hunting has always been a picturesque industry, even in the harpoon days. To-day, when the ocean monsters are pursued in steel steamers specially built for the purpose and are shot with machine guns, the performance is even more interesting, if it is not quite as romantic. The whale industry is one of which British Columbia is proud, and it has been developed to large proportions, though still in its infancy. As yet only one company has a fleet of whalers at work, its headquarters being at Victoria, B.C.

Two thousand Whales were captured along the coast last year, of which 50 were taken by the Canadian company. The method of operation on sighting a whale is to steam as close to it as possible, despatch it with a well-directed shot from a machine gun, and then tow it to the nearest whaling station, where it is hauled on to a suitable stage by machinery and cut up so that every portion of the huge animal is utilized. From the blubber sperm oil is extracted. The blubber bones are crushed, ground and sold as fertilizer. The whale bone is cut from the jaws, trimmed and shipped to Dundee, Scotland, to be manufactured into various commodities. From the residue of the blubber and lean meat, guano and glue are made. Japan buys a good deal of whale meat, which is used for food. As whales are worth from \$5,000 to \$10,000 each, the value of the industry is obvious.

Leave Some of the Jokes
Profanity is not to be legislated from the New York stage. In other words, in some of the plays all of the jokes are not to be cut out.

Enter Students
Twenty-one professors at the University of Moscow were forced to resign by striking students. Russia must be a gladsome place for a student.

Makes us Tired
"Don't eat when you're tired," says a magazine writer. That's the kind of advice that makes us tired.

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LITTLE GIRL RECITES PSALM

Four-year-old Knows all the Books of the Bible

Little Armour Brown of 71 Riverdale street, four years of age, showed her knowledge of the Bible at the celebration of the thirty-fourth anniversary of the Gerrard Street Methodist Sunday School, Toronto. She recited the first Psalm, and named correctly all the books of the Bible.

THE VALUE OF PHEASANTS

"The popularity of the pheasant, as a game bird and as a valuable assistant to the farmer in keeping down insect pests," says a bulletin issued by the Conservation Department at Albany, N.Y., "is manifested in the statewide demand for eggs and birds which the Conservation Department is sending out from the state game farm. Sportsmen have found the pheasant to be hardy, prolific and game. Farmers testify that they like to see the beautiful birds in their fields, for pheasants are the active and tireless foe of all kinds of insects and worms that prey on crops."

Rabbits in Australia

Rabbits are well known to be the curse of Australia, says the Scientific American: notwithstanding the fact that, according to the view of the commonwealth meteorologist, Mr. H. A. Hunt, the burrows of these animals, by keeping the ground broken up, make it more retentive of rainfall—a philosophical consideration that strongly suggests Mark Tapley. Lately, the Australians have been trying with considerable success to turn their curse into a blessing by marketing their surplus rabbits (dressed) in European countries.

The Richest Woman

The richest woman in the world, Mrs. Hetty Green, of New York, owns something like one hundred million dollars.

Interest in England

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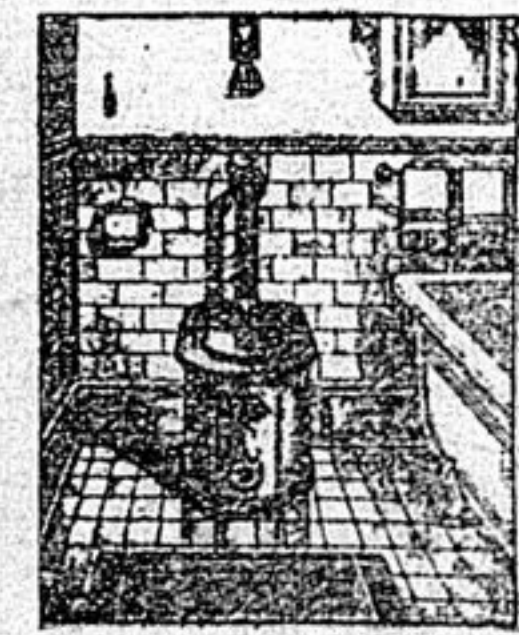
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