

SIMPLICITY

The dear simplicity of homely things... That make of daily life a quiet song...

Menu Hints

Recipes for New and Novel Dishes; Household Hints and Suggestions

PLAIN BROWN SAUCE

Melt four tablespoons butter in saucepan; brown well. Add five and a half tablespoons flour...

MUSHROOM SAUCE

Melt together two tablespoons butter, two tablespoons oil, and blend with four tablespoons flour...

BECHAMEL SAUCE

Melt a quarter cup butter in saucepan, add one-quarter cup flour, stir until smooth. Add gradually one and a half cups of highly seasoned chicken stock...

SAUCE PIQUANT

Make a plain brown sauce. Simmer one tablespoon each of finely chopped chives, olives, mild red pepper, pickles and capers in two tablespoons vinegar for five minutes. Add to brown sauce and simmer 15 minutes.

THICK WHITE SAUCE

Melt two and a half tablespoons of butter in saucepan. Add five and a half tablespoons flour mixed with one-third teaspoon salt and few grains pepper. Add one cup scalded milk, stirring constantly...

SURPRISE SALADS

So many foods will blend in so many ways for salads that there is no excuse for serving one salad day after day. Try out new combinations until you have found at least a dozen that really appeal...

FRIDAY SALAD

1 small tin sardines
1/2 cup celery, finely cut
1 tomato, chopped
1/2 cup dill pickle, chopped
1/2 cup mayonnaise

Put sardines in quarters and mix with celery, tomato, dill pickle and mayonnaise. Serve on crisp lettuce, garnished with sliced tomato. Serves 4.

MUTTERED CHEESE SALAD

8 dates, cut fine
3 figs cut fine
1/2 cup sweet pickle relish
1 package (3 ounces) cream cheese
Mayonnaise
Mash cream cheese and add to prepared fruit and sweet pickle relish. Add sufficient mayonnaise to moisten. May be formed into balls and served on crisp lettuce.

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WHY DOES SALMON RISE TO THE FLY?

Does a salmon rise to a fly in fresh water because it is hungry or just for fun? This question has arisen with renewed force by the finding, by Guido Jack Russell, of Ludlow, N.B., and an ardent angler of Huntington, N.Y., P. D. Edsall, of freshly caught flies in the stomachs of Atlantic silver salmon caught on the Southwest Miramichi River, in New Brunswick. It has long been an opinion that salmon never feed in fresh water, utates the Fish and Game Department of the Canadian National Railways. Although there have been two well authenticated cases where salmon took insects in fresh water one case being in Canada and the other in Scotland. And so experts are again debating the subject pro and con.

A CHUCKLE OR TWO

Life should be all mirth and fun, And no regrets when it is done. Don't take life too seriously, Even those who work and strive And silently when all gaily Never get out of it alive.

THE OLD MAN OF THE BIG CLOCK TOWER



SOMEBODY'S SON

The woman was old and rugged and gray, And bent with the chill of the winter's day. The street was wet with a recent snow, And the woman's feet were aged and slow. She stood at the crossing and waited long, Alone, uncared for, amid the throng. Of human beings that passed her by, None heeded the glance of her anxious eye. Down the street with laughter and shout, Glad in the freedom of "school let out," Came the boys, like a flock of sheep, Hailing the snow, piled white and deep. Past the woman, so old and gray, Hastened the children on their way. Nor offered a helping hand to her, So meek, so timid, afraid to stir, Lest the carriage wheels or the horses' feet, Should crowd her down in the slippery street. At last came one of the merry troop— The gayest laddie of all the group: "I'll help you across if you wish to go," "I'll help you across if you wish to go," Her aged arm on his strong young arm She placed, and so, without hurt or harm He guided the trembling feet along, Proud that his own were firm and strong; Then back again to his friends he went, His young heart happy and well content. "She's somebody's mother, boys, you know," For all she's aged, and poor, and slow; And I hope some fellow will lend a hand To help my mother, you understand; If ever she's poor, and old, and gray, When her own dear boy is far away. And "somebody's mother" bowed low her head In her home that night, and the prayer she said Was "God, be kind to the noble boy, Who is somebody's son, and prides, and joys."

As I look down Mill Street from its intersection at Main, where the "silent policeman" now stands, or leans, on guard day and night, numberless memories of long ago days crowd upon me. My first recollection of the two-story store when Mrs. Sarah Augusta Secord came to Acton with her three young sons, John, Fred and Percy, nearly seventy-five years ago. Mrs. Secord was a woman of many excellencies. She had the advantage of a good education and a remarkable ability for business. This esteemed family settled in a large store and residence on the corner where Talbot's hardware store is now situated, and was formerly occupied by Woodhall & McKay. A few years later this property was destroyed by fire. Nothing daunted, this energetic lady proceeded at once with the erection of a better store and residence on the opposite side of Mill Street, where Billy Cooper's fine gent's furnishing store now stands. This was, at that time, a commodious frame building, neatly constructed and painted white. Adjoining on the lot where Jack Leithman's block and the Gregory Theatre now stand, Mrs. Secord had one of the finest flower and fruit gardens in town. She had the faculty of securing rare plants and shrubs. Many a home was benefited by the bouquets generously bestowed from this attractive plot. I remember fifty or more years ago passing the Park Pass office in early spring and observing the first bouquet of the season of crocuses, snowdrops, etc., gracing the editorial desk. After Mrs. Secord's retirement from business, over forty years ago, this store was occupied for a time by Ward Howe, who came here from Jerseyville. He was for years head of the silk department in

JUST HAD TO HAVE IT

A distinguished bishop, not long ago, while making a journey by rail, was unable to find his ticket when the conductor asked for it. "Never mind, Bishop," said the conductor, who knew him well, "I'll get it on my second round."

JUST AN EXPERT

An old gentleman smiled as he watched a rural-looking man sitting on a fencepost gazing at the telegraph wires. "Waiting to see a message go along, eh?"

AHEM!

Two Irishmen roomed in an eight-story apartment, on the top floor, and could not sleep on Sunday morning as the sun would shine in the windows and wake them up. They bought some black paint and painted the windows and lay down to sleep. When they woke up they realized they would be late for work, as it was 7.15. They rushed to their jobs, and the foreman looked at them in bewilderment. Pat says: "Oh, well, Bishop, it will be all right if you never find it," the conductor assured him. "No, it won't," contradicted the bishop. "I've got to find that ticket, I want to know where I'm going."

SHINER

Bill: "What would you do if you were in my shoes?" Tom: "Okan them."

SASKATCHEWAN-BUTTER OUTPUT UP

Creamery butter production in Saskatchewan during November last amounted to 970,465 pounds an increase of 257,643 pounds, or 36.1 per cent, over the corresponding month of 1934. The output up to the end of November, amounting to 21,925,963 pounds, shows an increase of 8.3 per cent, over the same period of 1934, and exceeds the record production of the year 1934 by more than a million pounds.

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Did You Ever Stop to Think?

By Edson R. Waite, Shawnee, Oklahoma

Rex Fieldhouse, Advertisement Manager of "The Scotsman," (Edinburgh, Scotland) says:

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