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Home and Community Page



JUDGE HELEN MACGILL
 Of the Women's Court at Vancouver, who, at the annual convention of the Child Welfare Association in that city, advocated a law making it impossible for parties securing marriage licenses to be wedded before three days have elapsed. Judge MacGill stated it had been found that many hasty marriages resulted from the ease with which marriage licenses could be secured.

Tasty Recipes

Egg Salad

Hard boil from four to six eggs and cut into neat sections, in halves lengthwise, then in quarters. Wash and shred neatly lettuce. Cut into thin slices a cooked beet root. Chop finely a little bit of parsley. Arrange these ingredients neatly in a salad bowl, sprinkling them with the parsley and capers. Make a neat border of the eggs around the edge. Pour salad dressing over.

Coffee Blanc Mange

Heat 1 cups very strong coffee and 2 cups milk in double boiler until it reaches boiling point, then add 1 cup sugar, one-quarter teaspoon salt and 1 tablespoon butter. Mix 2 rounding tablespoons cornstarch, 3 tablespoons cold milk, pour into hot mixture and cook and stir 10 minutes. Whip whites of eggs very stiff and pour into hot mixture and cook and fold in carefully. Turn into wet mold and chill on ice. Serve with plain cream.

Plain Strawberry Shortcake

Two cups flour, four teaspoons baking powder, one-half teaspoon salt, two teaspoons sugar, three-quarters cup milk, one-quarter cup butter. Mix dry ingredients, sift twice, work in butter and add the milk gradually. Toss on a floured board and divide in two parts. Pat, roll out and bake twelve minutes in a hot oven in buttered round layer cake pans. Split and spread with butter. Put strawberries previously prepared between and on top of the short-cake.

Carrot Omelet

A carrot omelet served with crisp bacon, or carrot griddle cakes both unusual and appetizing ways to serve this vegetable. To make the omelet prepare a quart of cooked carrot and season well with three teaspoons of butter, a third of a teaspoon of pepper, half a cup of hot milk and two eggs. Beat until smooth, spread in a hot pan containing a tablespoon of fat and cook slowly until brown, then fold into a hot plate and surround with crisply broiled bacon.

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HOUSEHOLD HINTS

Peanut Butter

To make peanut butter the peanuts are shelled and ground very fine in a mill. The nuts contain enough natural oil to render them of a buttery consistency. A little cream worked into a small portion of the butter just before using is an improvement.

Currant Corn Muffins

Cream one-half cup butter, add gradually three-quarters cup sugar, then add beaten yolks of 3 eggs and one and one-half cups milk. Mix and sift 2 cups cornmeal with 1 cup flour, 4 teaspoons baking powder and 1 teaspoon salt. Combine two dredged with flour, fold in stiffly mixtures, add one-half cup currants dredged with flour fold in stiffly beaten whites and bake from 20 to 25 minutes.

Date Pudding

Sift together 1 cup whole wheat flour, one-half cup white flour, 1 scant teaspoon soda, one-half teaspoon salt and one-quarter teaspoon each nutmeg and mace. Beat one egg, add one-half cup each molasses and milk, one-quarter cup melted shortening and one cup dates. Combine two mixtures heat thoroughly turn into buttered mold and steam 2 and one-half hours serve with foamy sauce.

To keep a bowl from sliding and turning when mixing with one hand and adding ingredients with the other put a folded towel under it.

To clean painted walls wipe them first with a cloth wet in kerosene and wait 15 minutes. Then wash with warm soapsuds, but do not put soap on the cloth or the paint will be streaked.

Curtains that are both inexpensive as well as very attractive are made of theatrical gauze which comes in lovely shades of green, blue, rose, violet, orange, and gold as well as the most satisfactory natural tone.

Plain Philosophy

Luck is the dream of a simpleton; a wise man makes his own good fortune.

Wealth in this world is just so much baggage to be taken care of but a cultivated brain is easy to carry and is a never-failing source of profit and pleasure.

Gratitude is a debt which all men owe and which few repay cheerfully. Impossibilities are scarce. Mankind has not seen more than half a dozen of them since creation.

Happiness consists in being happy—there is no particular rule for it. About all that cunning can do for a man is to make him incredulous. Too great economy in youth leads to avarice in old age.

All prudes were once coquettes and only changed in old age. Experience has a very poor memory and true charity none at all.

A fair compensation for honest service is the best present you can make a man, and the best gift he can receive.

Doing nothing is the most slavish

THE THINK SHOP

Thinking is a human process that is much neglected. People do many things in life entirely leaving out the element of thought.

This world would be a much better world, a much better place to live in, if each person would simply put his thinking cap on and wear it at the performance of each, deep, significant, or seemingly inconsequential.

In the office, in the shop, in the home, in the social arena, in public places, everywhere, thought would play well its part.

The think shop is one of the most important properties of the human make-up. Lack of proper thoughts promotes misery, worry, discontent, sadness, suffering, ignorance and hundreds of things that would be destroyed rather than promoted.

The man who thinks is the man who does things efficiently and it is likewise with the woman who thinks. The boy and girl brought up in the habit of careful thinking is the boy and girl who will mean most to Canada.

Wounded feelings, shattered careers, demolished hopes, slouchy work determination—to revenge and all sorts and kinds of failures may at once be prevented by the simple application of proper thought.

Time and money may be saved if one will but think when about his immediate task. Matrimonial missteps may be prevented by right and proper thinking. Many careers may be brightened and made more useful and larger by merely allowing thought to invade the territory of proper execution.

Since thinking is such an important and necessary element in the business of life, it should be fully resorted to by all the people, all the time. Therefore THINK. Let's go!—Everybody THINK.

toil ever imposed on anyone.

True eloquence is the power of completely impressing others with our ideas.

The charities which a man dispenses after his death look suspicious.

The question for us, rising above everything else are, "Am I living a sincere (honest, manly) life? Are the principles which control me such as will bear God's sure tests? Do I abstain from doing wrong because of my reputation, or because I love the good? Does sin pain me when I am ensnared by it? Has God a large place in my thoughts and feelings?"

By the answers we can give to such questions as these and not by any profession of religion or acceptance of any dogma or creed, may we know what our relations are to God, and our hope of a better life.

Sherwood

Strawberry Festival and Entertainment.

A strawberry festival and entertainment will be held on the parsonage grounds of Zion E. Lutheran church, Sherwood, 4 concession Vaughan, under the auspices of the Sunday school on Tuesday, July 5th. There will be softball games between Elia and Edgeley, also an expected game between Thornhill and Maple. The program for the entertainment will be given by the famous Windermere Dramatic Club of Toronto, consisting of a short play, male quartette soloist and elocutionist, assisted by the Honolulu Dream girls of Toronto. Supper from 5 to 8 p.m., entertainment at 8.15 p.m. If you miss this you are missing a great treat. Come and have a good time.

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