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NEMAHA, NEBRASKA

We daily hurl the spear of life, but God directs the blow.

Be careful how you think and talk and where you work and walk.

A brewer dropped \$160 in a beer vat, and now we'll have more tight money.

The dearest friends to-day may be the most desperate enemies to-morrow.

There is more in this pompadour matter than appears on the surface—"rats," for instance.

Says the Baltimore American, "Notoriety and fame are the twin sisters of eccentricity." Must mean triplets.

American theatrical companies are to tour British provinces. Newcastle will be kept abundantly supplied with coals.

The fortune of \$3,000,000 left by the late Robert Pinkerton shows that it sometimes is profitable to mind other people's business.

There is every reason in the world why the farmer should feel complacent who has a few hundred bushels of wheat stored away.

Europe is getting ahead of us in the balloon industry only because the war office over there doesn't care what it does with the taxpayers' money.

Although the steamships are getting awfully fast, even the best of them will carry dining rooms and sleeping apartments for a few decades yet.

The substitution of radium as a money metal would be a great convenience for the men who are endeavoring to collect all the coin in the world.

Dr. Emil Koenig of Berlin says that the decay of the entire human race is imminent. He should not take so seriously these reports from Pittsburg and New York.

"Men who think rise," says a Philadelphia paper. Still quite a number of men glued to street car seats are in a brown study when a tired woman enters and clutches a strap.

If the sprightly young collegians were as swift in their studies as they are in their class rushes, remarks the Cleveland Leader, what a wealth of wisdom Ohio would have in a few years!

The navy says the army can't shoot, and the army says the navy has to give vaudeville shows in order to get recruits. It may yet turn out that the militia is the most efficient branch of the service.

The claim of Dr. Sewell that most alleged mad dogs are really only suffering from thirst, will not, however, encourage many philanthropic souls to rush out with a pan of water and offer them a drink.

Ernest Thompson Seton, writing in a current magazine on the "Marriage of Animals," remarks casually that domesticity is "notoriously bad for the morals of animals," and cites the dog as a conspicuous example. The immorality of animals! Heavens and earth!

A New Yorker, who is courting trouble says that bold, high foreheads are not evidences of intellect, because children and women have bolder and higher foreheads than men. When he gets through being scalped by the women he will realize that a bold tongue is no evidence of intellect.

Twenty-four millions of dollars is the official estimate of the amount of money expended in Europe this year by Americans touring in automobiles. The basis of the calculation is that there are 8,000 touring parties, averaging five persons each, spending \$10 a day for two months. Great guessing!

The will of Henry J. Bryer providing that no grandchild who uses tobacco or intoxicants or frequents saloons before reaching the age of thirty, shall inherit any of the property is surely a safe and sane document. If a man reaches that age without having formed bad habits it is almost a certainty that he never will.

Believers in woman suffrage and the most scornful disbelievers will unite, unless they were born without humor, in enjoying a social comedy presented by a recent election in a small town, says Youth's Companion. Two women were nominated to succeed their husbands as members of the school committee. Some citizens, who do not favor women on the board, nominated the husbands for reelection. The excitement waked up many men who had not voted on school questions for years, and with pathetic loyalty to their sex, they swelled the vote for the husbands to overwhelming defeat of the wives.

TO RENOVATE THE CARPET.

Treatment That Will Make It Almost Like New.

Many a perfectly good carpet becomes shabby and worn-looking without being actually old. The figures lose their brightness and the grain is rough and unkempt looking. Here is a simple process by which the carpet or rug will once more look presentable, and as good as new. It is vouchsafed for by a contemporary.

Cut an ounce of yellow soap into squares, and with them make a lather with a pint of clear boiling water. Add to this lather a quart of hot water and an ounce of borax. Place the mixture on the range, and bring the entire preparation to a boil. Remove it, set it to cool, and when quite cold add one ounce each of alcohol and ammonia and half an ounce of glycerin.

Wipe over only a small portion of the carpet at a time, and rub vigorously with a clean flannel (which should be repeatedly turned as it becomes soiled) dipped into the mixture, until finally all the spots are removed and the color revived.

The result will be surprising, for the change and improvement are remarkable.

SALSIFY FRITTERS ARE GOOD

Will Prove Excellent Substitute for Fried Oysters.

Scrape and slice a quart of salsify roots and simmer in boiling salted water until tender. If they are to be used for dinner at night they should be put to cook early in the afternoon. Let the water boil off instead of draining, in order to preserve the fine oyster flavor of the plant. Press through a colander. Sift into a bowl a pint of flour, two teaspoonfuls of baking powder and one-half teaspoonful of salt. Beat two eggs thoroughly and add to them enough sweet milk to make a good muffin batter when added to the dry ingredients. Drop in the salsify, season with pepper and more salt if necessary. Have ready a frying pan in which is a tablespoonful of good pork drippings or olive oil, and when smoking hot drop in the fritters from the point of a spoon. When brown on one side, turn with a perforated ladle, rest for a moment on soft paper to absorb all grease, and serve hot. These are almost as good as fried oysters.

HOUSEHOLD HINTS.

Hang a child's blackboard in the kitchen with a piece of chalk attached. It is more convenient than pencil and paper and not so easily lost.

It will be economy to finish your sheets with the same width hem at each end. By so doing they can be used either side up, and gain much wear.

Cold water, a tablespoonful of ammonia and soap will remove machine grease when other means would not answer on account of colors running.

If a few drops of glycerin be added to the starch for linens, it will be found that the iron will not stick and that the linens will have a beautiful gloss after they are ironed.

Use a clean brick to stand the iron on when ironing instead of the usual ironing stand. It has no holes underneath to admit the air and the irons will retain their heat much longer.

New shoes often do not take a good polish. They will do so if they are rubbed over with a cut lemon before they are blacked. A cut raw potato may be used instead of the lemon if the latter is not to be had.

Kentucky Corn Pudding.

Take one can of sugar corn, a half pint of fresh milk, a half pint of cream, the yolks of three eggs well beaten, a lump of butter size of an egg and season to taste with salt and pepper. Add a little sugar, and beat the three whites to a stiff froth and fold in gently. Bake in a slow oven about 25 or 30 minutes. Serve in same dish in which it is baked.

To Caramel a Mold.

Put in a mold six tablespoonfuls of granulated sugar with enough water to moisten it. Set the mold on the stove; the sugar will melt and brown. Meanwhile, with a fork or a spoon, keep constantly stirring. When it becomes a golden brown keep on the fire and turn the mold over on all its sides, allowing the sugar to spread and even helping it with the fork or spoon. When the mold is well covered with the caramel then pour in the mixture.

Higdon Pickle.

Three dozen large green cucumbers (minus the seeds), eight large white onions, one-half pint salt, two-thirds cup of white mustard seed, one-fourth cup of ground white pepper; chop the cucumbers and the onions, and mix well together with the salt. Put to drain over night in sieve or colander. In the morning measure the water that has drained off and set aside. Mix in the mustard seed and pepper, and add as much good vinegar as the water that was drained. Pack the pickle in Mason jars.

WHEN MONEY WAS SCARCE.

Practically Unobtainable During Period of Missouri's History.

"However scarce money may be at times at the present," said an old Missourian, "the oldest inhabitants will recall when it was almost unobtainable and other commodities had to be used as media of exchange. The wolf's scalp was worth a dollar because it was a state bounty upon the death of a wolf, and venison hams and deer skins also had a purchasing value. Skins of the fur bearers were likewise abundant and valuable. When the first sheriff of Audrain county, in 1837, went to Jefferson City to deliver the county revenue, he met an old friend on the way who, needing money, wanted to borrow the actual coin part of the county's revenue. The good-hearted sheriff lent it to him and went on to the capital and delivered only the scalps. By the time of the next settlement the loan was repaid and the sheriff made his next settlement complete. No note or other obligation than the mere word was given."—Columbia Herald.

TO PRETENDERS.

A Wholesome Word for Guidance.

Just a word to you, "Coller's" and other glaring examples of Modern Yellow Journalism and Cigarettes.

Environment gives you a viewpoint from which it is difficult to understand that some people even nowadays act from motives of old-fashioned honesty.

There are honest makers of foods and healthful beverages and there are honest people who use them.

Perhaps you are trained to believe there is no honesty in this world. There is, although you may not be of a kind to understand it.

Some of you have been trained in a sorry class of pretenders, but your training does not taint the old-fashioned person trained without knowledge of pretense and deceit.

These letters came to us absolutely without solicitation. We have a great many thousand from people who have been helped or entirely healed by following the suggestions to quit the food or drink which may be causing the physical complaints and change to Postum Coffee or Grape-Nuts food.

You are not intelligent enough to know the technical reasons why the change makes a change in the cells of the body. Your knowledge, or lack of knowledge, makes not the slightest difference in the facts.

You can print from old and worn plates all the cheap books your presses will produce and sell them as best you can, but such acts and your "learned" editorials are but commercial, and seek only "dollars" and much by pretence.

When you branch out into food values you become only ridiculous. Stick to what you know. The field may be small but it is safe.

This first letter is from the President of the "Christian Nation", a worthy Christian paper of New York.

New York, Oct. 2, 1907.

Postum Cereal Co., Ltd.,
Battle Creek, Mich.

Dear Sirs:

I am, this morning, in receipt of the enclosed mighty good letter from one of my subscribers, which I forward to you, and which I am sure you will be glad to use. I am personally acquainted with this lady, and know that she has no object in writing, other than to do good.

Cordially,

John W. Pritchard, Pres.

Brooklyn, N. Y., Oct. 1, 1907.

Dear Mr. Pritchard:

Noticing Postum Food Coffee advertised each week in your reliable paper, I concluded to try it, and feeling it a duty towards those who may have suffered as I have from indigestion, desire to state what wonderful benefit I have received from Postum although using only a short time, and not do. I alone realize and appreciate its good effects, but friends remark, "How much I have improved and how well I look", and I tell the facts about Postum every time, for since using it I have not had one attack of indigestion. It is invigorating, healthful; does not affect the nerves as ordinary coffee, and if properly made, a most delicious drink. Although I have not had much faith in general advertising, yet, finding Postum has done so much better for me than I expected I am more inclined to "Prove all things, hold fast that which is good." I am so thankful for good health that I want it known what a blessing Postum has been to me. You may use these few lines as an ad. if you so desire and my name also.

Very truly yours,

Anna S. Reeves.

275 McDonough St., Brooklyn.

Coffee hurt her, she quit and used Postum. She didn't attempt to analyze but she enjoyed the results. Underneath it all "There's a Reason."
POSTUM CEREAL CO., LTD.

Mexico's Indian Women.

The beauty of Indian women is one of the charms of Mexico. In the capital, where the Indian has degenerated through poverty and menial service it is less to be remarked than in the smaller towns and in the country. But the beautiful faces one takes in memory away from Mexico are those of Indian women. Fine eyes are universal, and, what one hardly expects, the features, according to Caucasian standards—broad brows, straight noses, well-formed mouths and chins full but not gross or heavy. The expression is very generally intelligent, and often one is struck, both in Indian men and women, with the nobility and refinement of the countenance. One frequently sees types among the peons that seem to belong to some highly civilized ancient caste—an Egyptian priest of royal blood, a Roman centurian, an Aztec emperor. The women are gently lovely where they are beautiful, and the men at their best in carriage, in manners and in countenance are strikingly like the very advanced product of civilization.—Modern Mexico.

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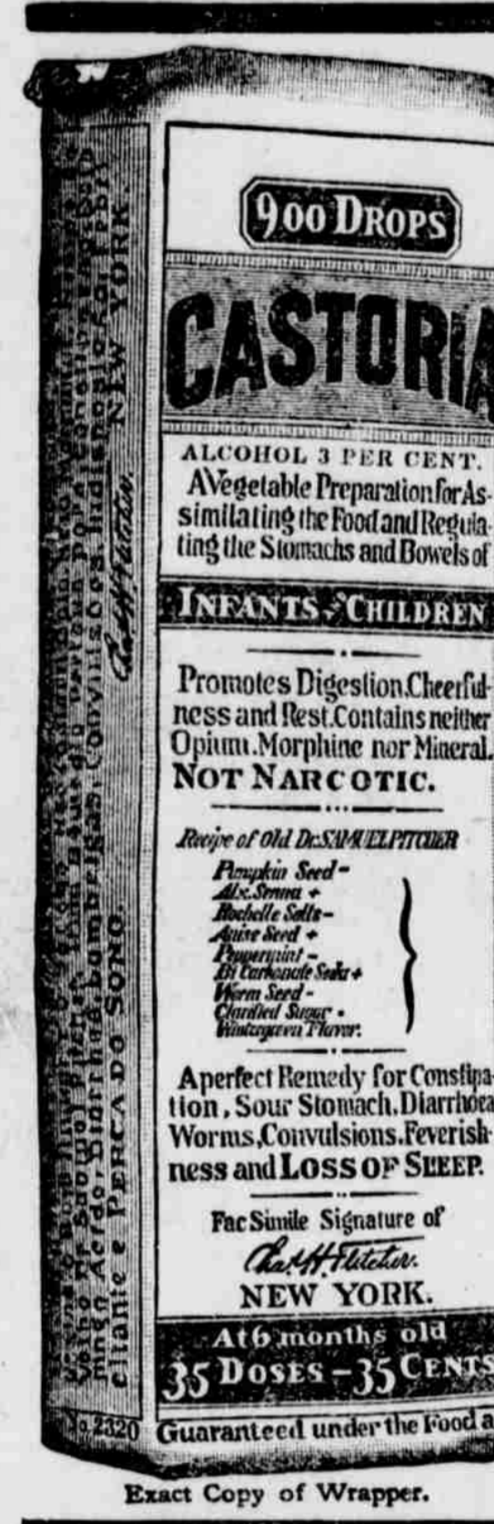
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