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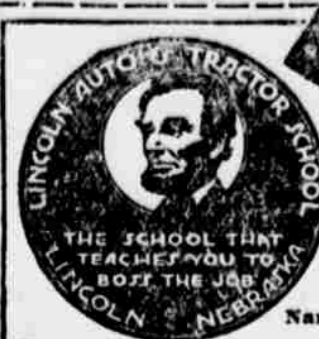
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Origin of "Tommy."

The English Tommy is no stranger. The custom was in England at one time to supply every British soldier with a small pocket manual. In it were entered the name, age, date of enlistment, the length of service, the wounds and the medals of honor of the individual soldier.

The war office in sending out forms for information used the hypothetical name "Tommy Atkins," just as we might have said "John Smith" in America. In this way "Tommy Atkins" came to designate the English soldier. It happened in the same way that "Jack Tar" came to designate any British sailor.

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WANTED TO SEE THAT PIG

"Animal" Had a Strange Fascination for the Thirsty Easterners of a Century Ago.

The present prohibition law is much more stringent than was the dry law of Massachusetts of 100 years ago, when the "Striped Pig" gained its fame. At that time the law read that liquor could not be secured, save in 15-gallon lots. That gave the "pig" its chance.

An enterprising resident attended the military muster on the Readville fair grounds, and established a side show. A banner before the tent flaunted the likeness of a red and black pig which, a sign said, could be seen for four pence. Many men went in to see the strange animal, and returned many times. As the law did not prohibit the exhibitor from giving away liquor he gave each patron a generous glass of the forbidden drink from a huge stock he had laid in. The "Striped Pig" became famous overnight. Songs were written about the animal, a beverage was named after it, and a burlesque play in New York adopted the absurd title.

Farm Note.
"Pretty girls attract other boarders."
"And pay board themselves. Yes, they're a great help."

Suit Yourself.
"Gimme a chicken."
"Do yah want a pullet?"
"Naw, I wanna carry it."

Build Up With Grape-Nuts

Popular for its delightful flavor and because it furnishes certain food values necessary for building the best in body and brain

Users know by test
"There's a Reason"



The following simple recipes have to be harmful ingredients and will accomplish results as well as ready mixed remedies for the same ailments.

An Astringent Cream.

A well-recommended astringent cream is made from four ounces of uutton tallow, one and a quarter ounces of glycerin, one-half a dram of tincture of benzoin, a quarter of a dram of spirits of camphor, one-eighth of a dram of powdered alum, one-quarter of a dram of Russian isinglass and one-half an ounce of rose water. The rose water is warmed in a china cup set in hot water and the isinglass is dissolved in it. The uutton tallow, which has previously been tried out at a gentle heat and added to the glycerin, is then blended with the rose water, and the other ingredients are added while the mixture is being beaten. This makes a cream which is astringent, tightening the skin, without allowing it to become flabby, as often happens when one is reducing flesh.

Receding Gums.

Good teeth are requisite for both health and good looks. Go to a dentist and have the tartar removed from under and around the gums, then use table salt on the gums several times a day. Scrub the teeth downward, never crosswise. The teeth should be cleaned before breakfast, after each meal and before retiring.

For a Slight Scar.

Spirits of camphor, touching the skin with it twice a day, will sometimes eradicate the spots left from pimples. The liquid should be gently rubbed in.

To Remove Corns.

Salicylic acid, 1 dram; trim the corn with a very sharp knife or razor blade. Apply the acid; cover with a piece of court plaster. In three days remove the plaster and the corn will come with it. Soft corns may be cured

by wrapping the afflicted toe with a soft linen rag which has been saturated with turpentine, night and morning. Care should be taken to wear shoes sufficiently wide but not too large.

Excessive Perspiration.

Sponge off the parts affected at least once a day with boric acid; use 20 parts of hot water to one of acid. Also dust the face and neck and wherever it is necessary with a dry borax powder.

To Overcome Odorous Perspiration.

When bathing put a few drops of ammonia in the water. Dry the skin well and dust with the following powder: Oleate of zinc, 1/2 ounce; powdered starch, 1 ounce; salicylic acid, 1 scruple.

For Chapped Lips.

To prevent the chapped lips that so frequently result from the high winds try rubbing the lips each time before going out with rose water and glycerin, mixed in the proportion of two parts of the former to one of the latter.

For the Feet.

No. 1—Wash the feet in warm water to which a little hydrochloric acid or chloride of lime has been added.
No. 2—Bathe the feet often in a strong solution of borax or in common kitchen soda dissolved in water. Change the hosiery every day.

Breakfast Linen.

Colored breakfast linen is in favor. Square cloths which hang only a few inches over the edge of the table and small napkins, about 14 inches square, are either of colored linen or else are bordered with color. Some in sets show border wreaths of red roses, some show red roses with bright green leaves. They suggest breakfast sets of English china with its gay colors and stiff figures. The all-colored sets show pink, blue or yellow flowers on tan or gray linen.

Business Picking Up There.

During the 15-year period, 1904 to 1918, inclusive, only four American vessels called at Sourabaya, of an aggregate net tonnage of about 6,500. Seven American ships, aggregating over 15,000 tons net, called at Sourabaya for discharge and loading of cargo during the first six months of 1919.

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WOULD BE FRIEND IN NEED

Grateful Colored Man Promised to Go if Services Should Be Needed.

"The race riots in Chicago remind me of the same sort of excitement that ran around Atlanta when I was living there as a young man," said George McDaniel of Metro, Cal., recently.

"My brother and I were both mechanics—owners of smooth and virgin sheepskins. We shared the same office and lunched at the same counter. In the midst of wild confusion, one day, a wounded negro rushed into our office and begged for protection. This was freely granted, for we had no race prejudices, in spite of our Southern upbringing. We also poured salve on the negro's bruises.

"'Yo' shuh been good to me,' said the grateful darkey, turning to my brother—who, by the way, is now practicing in Los Angeles—'an' I'll 'member it, doc. Say, if yo' ever kills anybody mah friends and I'll get you out if we have to bust the jail to do it.'—Los Angeles Times.

An Abuse.

Cornelius Vanderbilt said at a dinner party in Newport: "A number of Fifth avenue firms have ceased to give free samples of dress materials to their lady patrons. 'It appears,' Mr. Vanderbilt added, 'that certain ultra-fashionable lady patrons would secure a free sample of dress material and make an evening gown of it.'"

Cold Day for Him.

"So Jim married a cold million, eh?" "Colder than he thought. His wife freezes onto every cent of it."

Slim Lines and Gorgeous Fabrics



Dinner and evening gowns, perhaps as the result of a reaction after the restraint of war times, have swung to the other extreme and are as elaborate as ingenuity can make them, and rich beyond anything that has gone before for many a year.

Cloth of gold and silver, satins with gold or silver figures scattered over their surfaces, brocades, rich embroideries studded with jewels, laces and nets that are a mass of twinkling sequins, fringes of all kinds, and always more gold and silver cloth, entice those who are looking for regal things to choose from. Metallic threads are woven in with silk in all the lovely evening shades so that rose and silver, turquoise and gold, Nile green and silver make wonderful shimmering cloths. Wherever fashionables foregather there will be much glittering this winter.

And these rich fabrics are not monopolized by the full-fledged women of society. The younger set is allowed them as the foundation for frocks, usually veiled with tulle. Artificial flowers deck out pretty dance frocks and sparkling bands of sequins in all colors are used on tulle to match in color. For older women ostrich plumes enrich gowns where one might look for flowers, and are used in the evening

coiffure and in the most splendid of fans.

A lovely example of a sequin-covered gown for evening appears at the right of the two pictured above. It is a combination of white and black, in which these glittering fabrics are at their best. This gown has long and almost straight lines and the skirt shows the disposition to grow shorter which is making itself felt. It is shortened at the front. A tuft of ostrich feathers at the left side in black and a big fan of black ostrich find themselves in a perfect setting. A wonderful Spanish comb makes a simple coiffure, impressive and in keeping with the gown.

But not everyone cares for so much glitter even for evening wear. At the left is a less pretentious gown that is dignified and beautiful. Black satin, georgette crepe and beaded bands of jet are put together in a composition that can hardly be improved upon—its lines are classic. Three-quarter length sleeves and a draped skirt (that is unusually long) take cognizance of the mode.

Julia Bottomley

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