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Things Husbands Like to Eat

The Woman's Home Companion offered a prize for recipes of "My Husbands Favorite Dish." Strawberry shortcake is the most popular dish among married. Following are a few prizewinning recipes of dishes that are warranted to make husbands stand without hitching.

DELMONICO STEW
Cook a pot-roast with brown gravy having put in a bay-leaf, salt and pepper. Next day slice the meat thin. Boil 6 eggs hard, remove the yolks and cream with a lump of butter the size of a walnut, 1 heaping teaspoonful of flour, 2 teaspoonfuls of cinnamon, 1 teaspoonful each of mace, nutmeg and mustard, and one tablespoonful of sugar. Slice a lemon thin and remove the seeds. Add to meat and gravy and mix thoroughly. Simmer on the back part of the stove for about an hour. Lastly add chopped whites of eggs and cook through.

NUD-DATE PUDDING
Cut one-half pound of English walnuts and one-half pound of dates into small pieces and mix with 1 cupful of dry bread-crumbs and one-half cupful of pulverized sugar. To this add the yolks of three eggs and beat until light; then fold in the stiffly beaten whites. Pour the mixture into a buttered pudding dish and bake in moderate oven for fifteen minutes. Serve with whipped cream, or Snowflake sauce, which is prepared as follows: Cream one-half pound of butter and 1 pound of pulverized sugar together. Add gradually while beating constantly, 1 cupful of rich cream. This is necessary in order to make a mixture of proper consistency. Flavor to taste and place on ice before using.

GRAPE PIE
Take the skins off grapes and stew pulp five minutes put through strainer to remove seeds, then put skins and juice together and have enough to make one and a half cupfuls of grapes. Add to the grapes one and a half cupfuls of sugar, 2 level tablespoonfuls of flour, 1 tablespoonful of butter and 2 eggs, stir all together. Bake in rich crusts.

Husband was a Goodpaster also
Our sympathy is with Mrs. John Goodpaster who jabbed her husband with a hatpin for snoring in church. It is one thing to sense a feeling of weariness when listening to a sleepy sermon and quite another to let go and make an exhibition of yourself as John Goodpaster did. Worse than all, when his wife did him the kindness to bring him out of it, instead of signifying his appreciation of her kindness, he biffed her one for luck, and broke up the meeting. The boom of worship is no place for a man like this one. He should be domiciled in a barn with his kind.—*Rix in State Journal.*

"Queer" Bunch at York

Excelsior Lodge No. 166, I. O. O. F. of Loup City, put up the necessary amount to guarantee a special train over the B. & M., from Sargent to York, to witness the dedication of the I. O. O. F. home at that place Wednesday, the 18th, which special train left Sargent about 6:30 A. M. arriving at Loup City about 8 o'clock, where about fifty Odd Fellows and Rebekahs boarded the train, arriving at York about noon, just as the special with the grand lodge officers and delegates to different grand bodies arrived from Lincoln. The chevalliers in uniform and Odd Fellows were formed in line and marched up town, where they disbanded for lunch. The Loup City bunch tried headquarters, several cafes and the Lutheran church, that all seemed to have a tip as to the capacity of the bunch in that line and unwilling to take chances, when our venerable warden, who can tell an M. E. Minister at sight, succeeded in getting the M. E. church aggregation to take them in and you should have seen the price of flour go up.

At 1:30 the chevalliers in uniform, followed by the Odd Fellows, were formed in procession and marched to the home, a distance of two miles, where they were pleased to find a beautiful structure of pressed brick located on a quarter section of York county land, which will be a lasting monument of generosity to Odd Fellowship of Nebraska. After viewing the interior of the building, the dedicatory services were announced and as many of the vast throng as could witness a most beautiful ceremony of dedication by the grand officers of different I. O. O. F. grand bodies consisting of the building of a representative temple of Friendship, Love, Truth, Faith and hope on a foundation of purity capped with a copestone of charity, which ceremony conveyed to the thinking mind the most beautiful lesson that a structure built on principles and a firm foundation will last through all ages.

After the ceremony, Past Grand Master Norris gave a practical address which was enjoyed by all who could get within hearing distance, at the close of which the procession was again formed and marched to town just in time to secure a lunch before starting on the train home.

The rear guard upon arriving at the train found an excitement, the captain of the Loup City squad having lost his wife and suitcase, the Ensign his coat, and the report of the marriage of the Lieutenant proving to be a false alarm. In time matters became settled and the train pulled out for home with a tired, sleepy, hungry bunch on board, and just as the boys were about to court martial Jimmy Conger for desertion his amiable wife sprung a lunch which reminded the boys of mother's cooking and restored strength and vigor, after which Ashley pulled his guitar and accompanied the boys in a desperate struggle to sing a few familiar songs, followed by a speech from Ashley which was very elevating, until the rope broke, when there was a certain decline.

Uncle Joe was too much for the boys on the trip, but they evened up with him next day by reporting to his wife that since he had become young and giddy she had better go along next time. For certificates of good behavior, apply to Rev. Shurley of Central City and Clark Reynolds of Loup City.

The Latest Swindle

The latest smooth swindle that is being worked on the unsuspecting farmer is reported from Iowa. A stranger will happen by looking for work and the farmer will hire him. After a few weeks he informs his employer that he has to write to his former employer who owes him some money, the amount being a considerable sum. In a few days he gets a check from his former employer and of course he has to be identified in order to get the check cashed. The farmer identifies him at the bank and endorses the check. Soon after the fellow departs, the check is returned to the bank as bogus and the farmer has to pay the amount. It would be well for farmers to be on the lookout for this fellow.—*Shelton Clipper.*

Some Size to Cherry County

Cherry county, Nebraska is 90 miles long by 60 miles wide, containing 5,400 square miles. From Cherry county could be carved two states the size of Delaware, with enough territory left over from which might be carved seventeen District of Columbias. Or two states the size of Delaware and Rhode Island might be territory left over to make another carved from Cherry county with enough state the size of Delaware and three District of Columbias. A state the size of Connecticut could be carved out of Cherry county with enough territory left over to make seven District of Columbias. The population of the globe is estimated by statisticians to be a billion and half. Every last one of them could find room in Cherry county, in which to live comfortably in a smoking chair.—*R.*

Along R. R. No. 2.

Mrs. Henry Reed and children arrived from their visit in Iowa last Saturday evening.

Mr. Ira Daddow and wife, Mr. Earnest Daddow and wife and Mrs. Jessie McFadden visited at the home of Homer Hughes last Sunday.

Mrs. L. P. Squire came home from her visit at Comstock last Wednesday. Ed Flynn, Luther Goodwin, F. A. Pinckney, Milo Gilbert went to York with the Odd Fellows.

Mr. W. H. Hughes and wife and Mr. Vestis Paswater visited at the home of Ira Daddow last Monday.

E. G. Taylor has a gang of men busy digging a new mill race a short distance below the bridge that crosses the race west of town.

The ladies aid society will hold their third annual oyster supper on the night of election in the Wiggle Creek church. They will also serve lunch from 3 o'clock in the afternoon on. They will serve a regular meal at about six o'clock in the evening and their bazaar will be in full swing during all this time. Everybody is invited.

Mr. Jural Wescott from Oklahoma is here visiting his brother Van T. Wescott this week.

Will Draper had a new windmill put on his farm west of town last week.

The new house of Mr. Barrick shows up fine in the distance. It is just west of John Olson's.

The big four have been grading the road in Webster township the past week.

Otto Holm got back from his land seeking trip in the west last week and was busy hauling corn to Loup City Saturday.

Geo. Hosier was out on route two last Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Boss of Omaha visited last week at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Jorgenson. Mrs. Boss is a sister of Mrs. Jorgenson. They have been visiting at Salt Lake City prior to their coming here.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Hansen of Ashton visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Obermiller last Sunday.

Alfred Jorgenson would like to get some one to paint his new barn he intends building soon.

Mr. and Mrs. John Galloway and family will be patrons on route two about Dec. 1st. They will move into the new house of Miss Hattie Hayhurst.

Fred Johnson and Paulsen's young people visited at the home of Albert Snyder.

There will be a box social at the home of Harry Shipley Friday evening Oct. 27th. Everybody invited.

Ed Flynn's corn is yielding from 30 to 35 bushels per acre.

Mr. and Mrs. Sim Criss were visiting at Loup City one day last week.

There is a man by the name of Johnson moved on the Rev. Miller farm at Round Grove. There are about as many Johnsons on route two as there are Daddows.

Will Petersen made another trip up to Minnesota the past week.

Will Hawk sold something like 300 bushels of apples from his place this year.

Jim McBeth drove down to Polk county and got a wagon load of apples from his father's place this month.

Clear Creek Items

Mr. Van Dyke was a Columbus visitor last week.

Mrs. Thompson and daughter Mable of Ulysses, Neb., are here keeping house during Mrs. Lowry's absence.

Master James Thompson is attending school at Lone Elm during his mother's stay here.

Mr. Chester Adams was a Broken Bow visitor last Saturday.

All the farmers of this vicinity have commenced husking corn.

Mr. Frank Kuhn and family have moved into their new house.

Judge Hunter Likes Florida

We have received the following letter from Judge Hunter which tells its own tale: "Zephyrhills, Fla., Oct. 19.—"Dear Burleigh: Please find enclosed \$1. I want your paper that we may hear what is going on in old Loup City. We often speak of the good people there, but you may toast your toes by the fire for the next six months, while I live in the queen state of the union, the land of fruit and flowers. This certainly is the place God intended for the old veteran to pass his declining years in. We have a pleasant home here got a lot of sweet potatoes growing and like it fine. Our best regards to all friends yourself included. Just drop the old quill, when the biliards begin to bowl, and come down here and back in the warm sunshine. Yours as ever Geo. W. Hunter."

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