



THE BEST COFFEE.

How to Make It for the Finest Results.

Epicures, in love with trouble, and counting a palate-thrill worth any amount of pains, are advised that absolutely perfect coffee demands that there shall be no pause betwixt the roasting and the drinking.

That is to say, writes Martha McCulloch-Williams in Southern Woman's Magazine the bean, roasted a warm, delicious deep brown, and crackly-crisp all through, must be ground while piping hot, put into clean, newly-scalded pot, covered instantly with freshly boiling water, permitted to boil up once—say for half a minute then set aside to keep hot and settle for the space of 10.

The pot lid must be down tight, the spout closed with a wisp of soft paper or cotton. Pour into cups that have been filled with boiling water and let stand five minutes. There should, be either Domino sugar or rock-candy crystals at the bottom of the cups. It sounds incredible, but is none the less a fact, that coffee poured upon the sugar has a finer flavor and aroma than if the sugar is dropped in afterward. The reason may be that the sugar takes up the essential oil of the bean, which is extremely volatile. I do not know anything beyond the fact—which is attested by years of ardent coffee drinking. And though I have not gone to the trouble of roasting coffee, grinding it hot each time, I have taken to heart the les-

Minard's Liniment Co., Limited.

Gents.—A customer of ours cured a very bad case of distemper in a valuable horse by the use of MINARD'S LINIMENT.

Yours truly, VILAND FRERES.

son of the sugar, and, invariably, at my own table, put it in the cup before the coffee.

Coffee, common or breakfast variety demands four things. Namely, sound well-roasted coffee, reasonably freshly ground, a clean pot, fresh water and proper boiling. A level tablespoonful to the cup of water, with one over for the pot makes fairly strong coffee. If wanted very strong, heap the spoonful, and be sure not to exceed in water. It is best made very strong where hot milk is used—otherwise the resultant drink will be washy. Cream, moderately used, goes well with weaker coffee. But that which is very weak, or over-bolled, or not boiled at all, can by no doctoring ever be made into a drink fit for human beings.

It is a crime against one of God's best mercies to clear coffee with eggs, egg shells, isinglass and so forth. It will clear itself beautifully, given half a chance. Use cold water, and after measuring set the pot where it will be 15 minutes in coming to the boil. Take care it does not boil over—nor longer than two minutes. After that, set it where it will keep boiling hot, but without simmering, for 10 minutes. The grounds will settle of their own motion, and the resultant liquid be jewel-clear, of a pure amber-brown. Any sort of coffee is better if poured into the cups from the pot it was made in—because at each decanting something of flavor escapes. Herein, I think, lies in part the reason for regarding drip coffee as better than boiled.

Advertisement for Comfort Lye featuring an image of a can and the text 'It is fine for cleaning cans - says the dairyman'.

Some Things in Iceland.

Iceland is far from being a dreary waste, for it exports large quantities of the finest grade of wool in the world, besides quantities of hides, sheepskins, feathers, oil, fish and fish products and, curiously enough, many horses. The island has several natural resources that have never been developed, among them great sulphur deposits. One of them contains not less than 250,000 tons of practically pure sulphur. There are extensive deposits of copper ore. This, while of a low grade, could be worked at a huge profit, since the water power is unlimited and always at hand wherever the copper is found. There are also large deposits of geysers, which is equal to the best Arkansas hotspots. In addition there are several sections rich in agates and chalcodony, which are widely used in making jewels for the bearings of watches and electrical instruments. None of them has ever been worked.

BABY'S GREAT DANGER DURING HOT WEATHER

More little ones die during the hot weather than at any other time of the year. Diarrhoea, dysentery, cholera infantum and stomach troubles come without warning, and when a medicine is not at hand to give promptly the short delay too frequently means that the child has passed beyond aid. Baby's Own Tablets should always be kept in homes where there are young children. An occasional dose of the Tablets will prevent stomach and bowel troubles, or if these troubles come suddenly, the prompt use of the Tablets will cure the baby. The Tablets are sold by medicine dealers or by mail at 25 cents a box from The Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

THE NEW HATS.

Latest Modes From Fashion's Centres.

Perhaps the most distinctive of the new hats is the wide-brimmed sun hat, a style that is particularly becoming to the young girl. Wider in front, the brim of white linen is bound with linen of cherry red. The crown, also of white shirred linen, has upon it flat cherries on applique, cut from linen of the same bright hue; round the bottom of the crown is a narrow band of velvet ribbon the same shade of green as the hat. The brim is of the mushroom type, also bound with velvet, and lined underneath with georgette.

Satin, again, is the material that is used to make a chapeau of a distinctly military type, and it is not unlike that worn by the French gendarme who used to greet the English boat when it arrived. Calais, too, is the source of a woman it is very becoming, the brim inclining as it does softly over the face, and the lines that are formed when viewed from the side quite common.

Minard's Liniment Cures Burns, Etc.

First Glass in America.

Glass was first manufactured in America by the people of Jamestown, Va., during the year 1655. Commenting on this fact, John Smith lamented that "the labor of the colony has been misdirected in the manufacture of ashes, soap, glass and tar, in which they could by no means compete with Sweden or Russia." The inhabitants of Jamestown did not agree with this view, however, and soon afterward commenced the erection of a glass works, the completion of which was interrupted by the Indian massacre of 1622. The first glass factory in North America to attempt the industry on an ambitious scale was built in 1786 at Temple, N. H., by Robert Hewes of Boston.

The workmen, 22 in number, were German deserters from the British army. The carelessness of a workman caused the destruction of the plant by fire in 1781. In 1882 a glass factory was established in Boston and since that time the industry has flourished.—Exchange.

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Don't think children can be cured of bed-wetting by spanking them. The trouble is constitutional and cannot help it. I will send you a FREE home treatment with full instructions. If your children trouble you in this way, send no money, but write me to-day. My treatment is highly recommended to adults troubled with urine difficulties by day or night. Address: Mrs. M. Summers, Windsor, Ontario.

Queer Names of Flowers.

The names of some of our prettiest flowers are so queer that they seem amusing to us. Nasturtium, for example, comes from the Latin word meaning "twisted nose." Verbena is from the Latin for "twig," and lavender is derived from the Latin word lavare, to wash and is really the same word as "laundry." Lavender probably got its name because it is put away with newly washed clothes.

Cornflower undoubtedly gets its name because it grows among the rows of corn. Goldlocks looks like a little yellow head. Honeysuckle is one of the sweetest blossoms and one of the easiest from which bees get their honey.

Anemone is our "wind flower." Its name comes from the Latin word anemos, which means "wind," and the anemos, is really a wind flower, growing best in exposed, windy places. Orchid is named for the Greek word orchis, which means "bag." Orchids always have curious little bags.—Kansas City Star.

A Cup of Tea In Perfection

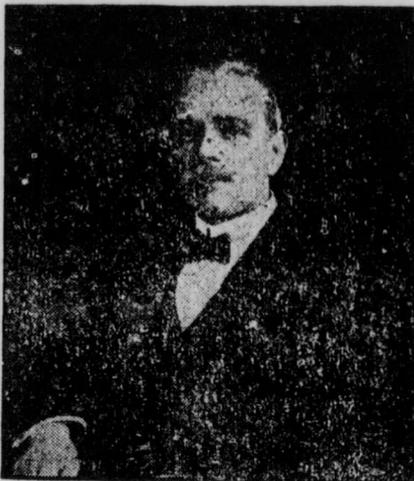
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Canadian Masons In England

H. S. Carmichael, Passenger and Freight Manager of the Canadian Pacific Ocean Services, was installed W. M. of the Canada Lodge at the installation banquet held recently in London, England, attended by the Rt. Hon. Sir Edward Clarke, Sir Gilbert Parker, General J. G. Ross and many other Canadians and English representative men interested in Canada.



The Canada Lodge No. 3527 on the Register of the United Grand Lodge of England was founded in 1911, in order to provide a Masonic centre for Canadians resident in Great Britain and Brethren from the Dominion visiting the Old Country. The object of the founders was also to form a bond of union between the Brethren of the Dominion and the Brethren of the United Kingdom in the strong hope and confidence that Freemasonry might so even still further assist in the great work of forming these bonds of "indissoluble attachment" which shall forever unite the component parts of the British Empire. The Lodge has now 282 members, many of whom are Dominion members resident in all parts of Canada. No fewer than 150 are initiates of the Lodge, 205 members of the Lodge are on active service in H. M. Forces.

H. S. CARMICHAEL, W. M.

Mr. Hugh Strain Carmichael, the newly-elected W. M. of Canada Lodge, is a native of Glasgow. He has been connected with the Transatlantic steamship trade since 1888, when he joined the staff of the State Line, which in 1891 was taken over by the Allan Line. In 1895 he commenced his long connection with the Canadian Pacific Company at Glasgow, transferring to its Liverpool office in 1902, when the company established its transatlantic passenger service. In 1903 he was promoted to be general passenger agent for Great Britain and Europe. Since the establishment, in 1915-16, of the Canadian Pacific Ocean Services, Ltd., which manages the entire fleet of the C. P. R. and Allan Lines, Mr. Carmichael has occupied the position of passenger and freight manager, and has his headquarters at Waterloo Place, London, England.

SMOKE TACKETTS T&B PLUG

His Only Solution.

Richard was playing with a top machine. His mother heard an unusual commotion and hurried to the room. On entering she found poor Pete, his doll, with a broken head. In reply to her questions as to what had happened to Pete, Richard only shook his head and mumbled each time: "Ritchie, ruff-neck."

Minard's Liniment: Relieves Neuralgia

Collectors of Prizes.

Two Irishmen, who had been boys together in the same village, did not see each other for several years, but finally met again.

"You remember my brother Michael?" said Pat. "He's turned out a fine athlete and has just won a gold medal for a 100-yard sprint."

"Good for him," replied Dennis, but, to your mind my uncle Maguire at Ballybentley?"

Pat was quite sure that he had never heard of him. "Well," resumed Dennis, "he's got gold medals for a half a mile, five miles and ten miles; three silver cups for swimming, a marble clock for wrestling, two silver belts for boxing and a heap of prizes for cycling."

"Shure, he's the champion athlete, indeed," said Pat, with enthusiasm. "Not at all!" not at all!" exclaimed Dennis. "He keeps the local pawnshop."—Pittsburgh Chronicle.

Without Pure Blood Health Is Impossible

Owing to faulty action of the kidneys and liver, the blood becomes filled with disease germs that imperil health. The first warnings are backache, dizziness, headache and lack of energy. Act quickly if you would avoid the terrible ravages of chronic kidney complaint. Get Dr. Hamilton's Pills to-day; they cure kidney and liver troubles for all times to come. No medicine relieves so promptly, cures so thoroughly. For good blood, clear complexion, healthy appetite, use that grand health-bringing medicine, Dr. Hamilton's pills. Get a 36c. box to-day.

PERFORATION OF STAMPS.

The perforation of stamps was first commenced in England in 1853 for receipt and draft stamps, and for postage stamps in 1854. Prior to that period stamps were separated by means of scissors or a knife or similar means and in some cases those who required many separated to the use of a roulette, a kind of cogwheel furnished with small cutters, making a series of cuts between the stamps.

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Your Children at Table.

Teach them these manners in your would have them well bred: Not to take their seats at table until the grown ups do. To keep elbows off the table and feet off rungs of the chairs. Not to tip their chairs back nor sit with legs twisted around them. To be just as polite at home as abroad. To eat soup without a noise, moving the spoon away from instead of toward one. To break off and butter a piece of bread only large enough to make a bite, instead of buttering the whole slice. Never to talk with food in the mouth. If obliged to cough or sneeze, to turn the head away from the table. To place the knife and fork side by side on the centre of the plate when finished. Not forgetting to neatly fold the napkin. This seems like a long list, but by taking a few points at a time, as each point becomes a fixed habit, all effort ceases. Remember, really graceful table manners will never be accomplished unless begun in childhood. Minard's Liniment Cures Dandruff. You never can tell. It is quite possible for a girl to lose her appetite without being in love.

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CHOICE FARM-ADJOINING GRIMS-BY town, consisting of one hundred and eighty acres; must be sold, at once to close up an estate. Apply to D. B. Callick, Winona, Ont.

TWO-HUNDRED-ACRE CLEARED farm for sale—County Durham; good soil, fair buildings; convenient to railway station and village; four thousand and will buy; easy terms; possession after harvest. G. P. McKay, 4 Victoria street, Toronto.

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FOR SALE—50-BARREL PLAN SIFTER mill, in Markdale; good water-power. J. W. Ford, Markdale.

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SMOKE TACKETTS T&B CUT

Dream Leave.

When the night is hushed and still, To the mothers wrapped in dream, Down the valley, round the hill, Through the heath, across the stream, Come the sixfoot fighting men Laughing little boys again. They have set away their swords, They have laid their belts aside; For an hour the battle-axes Go without their garb of pride, Lead their kay patrols no more, Kid them of the dust of war.

In the grass the sands run back, Backward spin the creeing years Down the dim and shadowy track, Through the wood of smiles and tears, To where boyhood bold and blithe Hides from Time his hungry scythe.

Youth her empire reaffirms, Bramble-torn about the knee, Grubby-handed gathering worms, Green and sticky climbing trees; Boyhood with its brown legs bare Takes the kiss of sun and air.

Up the stairs of old they crowd, Answering the mother-call, Merry sleep and laughing loud, Ringing back from roof and wall, While the mother hearts awake To the music that they make.

And the trophies that they bring! Not the spoil of any foe, But the bird with broken wing, Or a may-bough drooping snow; Or a wound to be made well Where some proud young climber fell.

Ah! the bugles blow them back, Long before the East is red, To adventure and attack, Round their sleeping brother-dead; Belt and sword they bind again, Boys no more, but fighting men. —W. H. O., in the Scotsman, Edinburgh.

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