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FARM AND DAIRY

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The Farmer's Wife

"Above all, the conditions of farm life must always be shaped with a view to the welfare of the farmer's wife and the farm laborer's wife. To have the woman-a mere drudge is at least as bad as to have the man a mere drudge. It is every whit as important to introduce new machines to economize her labor within the house



Receiving Congratulations

This photo, snapped by an Editor of Farm and Dairy, at the Norwood, (East) Peterboro fair, two weeks ago, shows Mrs. Bert Preston and her driver, who won first prize in the class for lady drivers.

as it is to introduce machinery to increase the effectiveness of his labor outside the house.

They haven't the slightest sympathy with any movement which looks to excusing men and women for the non-performance of duty and fixes attention only on rights and not on duties. The woman who shirks her duty as housewife, as mother, is a contemptible creature.

"But the welfare of the woman is even more important than the welfare of the man; for the mother is the real Atlas, who bears aloft in her strong and tender arms the destiny of the world. She deserves honor and consideration such as no man should receive. She forfeits all claim to this honor and consideration if she shirks her duties. But the average American woman does not shirk them, and it is a matter of the highest obligation for us to see that they are performed under conditions which make for her welfare and happiness of the children she brings into the world."—Theodore Roosevelt's Address to Farmers at Utica, N.Y.

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THE COOK'S CORNER

Recipes for publication are requested. Inquiries regarding cooking, recipes, etc., will be answered upon request, to the Household Editor, Farm and Dairy, Peterboro, Ont.

QUICK APPLE VINEGAR.

Into 1 gal cider put 2 cups molasses and 1 cup liquid yeast. Fill a jug full of the mixture and tie a piece of muslin netting over the top. Set in a warm place. In 24 hours fermentation will take place, and in 8 or 10 days it will make vinegar.

MOLASSES VINEGAR.

The best of vinegar can be made by adding to 1 pt pure molasses 3 or 4 cups water. Keep in a warm place until the "mother" forms. After it is very sour add the "mother" drops to the bottom, it must have more water and sugar, molasses, or any juice of fruits, as apples, peaches, or prunes—all can be utilized for vinegar.

ANISEED CAKES

The ingredients are 4 eggs, 4 oz sugar, 4 oz flour and 1 teasp aniseed. Beat the eggs and sugar to a froth, add the bruised aniseed, and then the sifted flour. Drop spoonfuls on a well-buttered tin, let stand in a cold place several hours, and then bake in a moderate oven.

ORANGE CREAM

Soak quarter of a package of gelatine in half a cupful of cold water until it is dissolved. Strain the juice of 4 oranges, stir in half a cupful of sugar. Put half a pint of cream into a double boiler. Stir in the beaten yolks of 3 eggs and continue stirring until the cream begins to thicken. Add the gelatine and remove from the fire. Let it stand for a few minutes, then add the orange juice and sugar. Beat until about the consistency of custard, then add half a pint of cream whipped to a stiff froth. Mix well together, turn into a mold and set it away to get firm. Serve very cold.

PEACH TAPICA

This is somewhat different from the ordinary way of serving fruit and farinaceous foods together. Put a large tea-cupful of tapioca to soak in water for several hours, or over night. To prepare for dessert, put half the tapioca in a buttered baking dish, and sprinkle over with sugar. Have ready some peaches or pineapple, and put them over the layer of tapioca, mingling them with sugar to sweeten. Place on top the rest of the tapioca, pour in enough water to cover, and bake in a moderate oven until the tapioca looks clear. If while baking it seems too dry, add more water. Serve cold, with cream.

PORK, PICKLED.

Mix, and pound fine, 4 ozs. of salt-petre, 1 lb. of coarse sugar, 1 oz. of sal-prunel, and 1 table common salt; sprinkle the pork with salt and drain it 24 hours; then rub with the above. Pack the pieces tightly in a small, deep tub filling up the spaces with common salt. Large pebbles placed on the pork prevent it from swimming in the pickle, which the salt will produce. If kept from air it will continue very fine two years.

SALTING PORK.

Cover the bottom of a barrel with salt an inch deep; put down one layer of pork and cover that with salt, half an inch deep, continue this until all your pork is disposed of; then cover the whole with strong brine; pack as tight as possible, the rind side down for always under brine by using an inner cover and clean stones. Should any scum arise, pour off the brine, scald it, and add more salt. Old brine can be boiled down, well skimmed, and used for a fresh supply.

The Upward Look

Cause for Thanksgiving

For who maketh thee to differ from another? and what hast thou that thou didst not receive? Now, if thou didst receive it, why dost thou glory, as if thou hadst not received it? Cor. 4, 7.

When thou hast eaten and art full, then thou shalt bless the Lord thy God for the good land which he hath given thee. Beware that thou forget not the Lord thy God. . . and thou say in thine heart, my power and the might of my hand hath gotten me this wealth.—Deut. 8, 10, 11, 17.

But God said unto him, Thou fool, this night thy soul shall be required of thee; then whose shall those things be, which thou hast provided? St. Luke, 12, 20.

Among the beautiful assurances that stand out clearly all through the Bible are those which tell us that God takes a special delight in showering good gifts upon those who love Him. We are told that if we delight ourselves in the Lord He shall give us the desires of our heart. (Psalm 37, 4). We are instructed to seek first the Kingdom of God that all good things may be added unto us.

This year God has been very good to us. Besides the bountiful harvest, for which we have special reason to be grateful, we enjoy so many other blessings in this favored land it should be very easy for us to believe God's promises and to recognize that He has blessed us wonderfully.

And yet, how easy it is for some of us at least, as earthly prosperity increases to think less and less of our duty to God and more and more about our selfish pleasures. In this we show ourselves to be like the Israelites of old. In spite of the fact that God had led them through the wilderness for forty years to humble them, that He had said that he would lead them into the promised land and that He had warned them, as in our text, not to become ruled up with riches, no sooner became rich in this world's goods than pride gained the mastery over them and they committed the sins they had been warned against.

Many are the warnings Christ gave us about the terrible temptations that come to us with every increase

in worldly prosperity: Temptations to give way to selfishness, to pride, to indolence, to think of ourselves better than we ought to and thus to deceive ourselves.

Let us, therefore, remember these warnings. Let us bear ever in mind that the more we have the more we will have to give an account of some day to God as to how we have used it. Let us recognize our danger, both as individuals and as a nation, and become but the more humble in proportion as we are prospered. If we will but do this we will find that we are working in harmony with God's great laws and we will enjoy a deep pleasure and a contentment of mind unknown to those who think only of their selfish pleasures. Our whole hearts should go out to God in deep gratitude for His goodness to us and thus we will learn the true meaning of Thanksgiving.—I.H.N.



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