

## Household Hints.

**GIBLETS.**—Clean the giblets of a turkey or chicken, cut the gizzard into quarters and separate the lobes of the liver. Stew them in water to cover, with an onion, salt and pepper. When tender thicken the liquor with flour and butter cooked together; add tomato or walnut catsup to taste, and serve on toast.

**LIVER AU LIT.**—Clean the livers from two or three fowls and cut into several pieces; or you may use calf's liver cut into small slices. Put a layer of tomatoes in a dish, then the liver, then sliced onions and tomatoes on the top. Season each layer with salt and pepper. Cover and bake slowly about an hour.

**POMONA RICE.**—Core, pare and bake six tart apples. Steam one cup of rice in two cups of salted water half an hour. Stir in one large tablespoon of butter, a little cayenne, and more salt if needed. Make a molasses sauce with one cup of molasses, one tablespoon each of vinegar and butter, and a pinch of salt. Simmer ten minutes. Put the rice in a dish, lay the apples on it, and pour the sauce over them. Serve as an entree with roast pork.

**NEW-YEAR'S CAKE.**—Cream one and a-half pounds of butter and one and a-half pounds of powdered sugar; beat well together. Beat fifteen eggs, and add, with a pound and a-half of sifted flour and three teaspoonsful of baking powder; grate two lemons in half a teacup of molasses and add the batter, with two pounds of finely chopped almonds, two pounds of seeded raisins, and one pound of sliced citron. Turn in a cake mould, and bake two hours in a moderate oven.

**FILLET OF GROUSE.**—Remove the breast and separate into four or six pieces. Disjoint and cook the remainder in boiling salted water to cover till tender. Then remove all the meat and chop it fine. Thicken the broth, which should be reduced to half a cup, season and moisten the meat. Spread the minced meat on squares of toast; put a layer of currant jelly on each. Rub the fillets with butter and broil them carefully; season with salt, pepper and butter, and lay them on the jelly.

**CHICKEN CROQUETTES.**—One cup of cold roast chicken, one-half cup of stuffing, one egg, white sauce, salt and pepper. Chop the chicken very fine, mix it well with the stuffing and beaten egg. Cook one tablespoon of flour in one tablespoon hot butter, add hot milk gradually, using enough to make it thick. Moisten the chicken with the sauce, add salt and pepper to taste. When cold and hard shape into rolls, cover them with fine bread crumbs, roll in beaten eggs and crumbs and fry one minute in deep fat, hot enough to brown bread while counting forty.

**MELTON VEAL.**—Take any cold veal, either roasted or boiled, chop it fine, and season with salt, pepper and lemon juice; add two or three tablespoons of cracker crumbs, and moisten with soup stock or hot water. Take one-third as much finely chopped ham as veal; season with mustard and cayenne; add one tablespoon cracker crumbs, and moisten with hot stock or water. Butter a mould, and line it with slices of hard boiled egg. Put in the two mixtures irregularly, so that when cut it will have a mottled appearance; press in closely, and steam three-quarters of an hour. Set away to cool; remove from the mould, and slice before serving. This is an excellent dish for lunch or tea.

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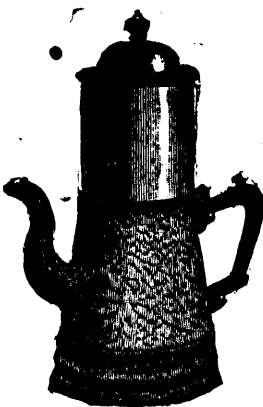
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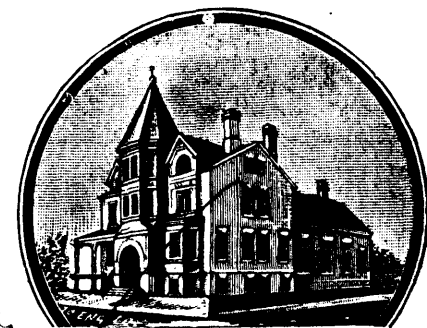
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