

### Recipes.

**Turkey Salad.**—Take the white meat and lightest bits of brown and shred with the fingers into inch-long bits, rather fine. Have an equal quantity of celery, cut about three quarters of an inch long and torn into slender bits. Mix these together and season with salt and pepper. Sprinkle over it a tablespoonful of purest olive oil and as much vinegar; toss the whole up lightly and mound up in a salad bowl which you have lined with crisp lettuce leaves. Mask the whole with mayonnaise dressing and keep in a cold place till served.

**Rye Drop Cakes.**—One pint of rye meal and a half pint of flour, measured before sifting. When both are sifted, add the flour to the meal, then a pinch of salt, a teaspoonful of brown sugar, and one tablespoonful of melted butter; then add, gradually, a pint and a half of milk, stirring well; three eggs, well beaten, are put in last, and all mixed thoroughly. Have a gem pan—cup-shaped, if possible—well buttered, and very hot, over top of stove; fill with batter without moving from the stove. Bake in a hot oven.

### The Household.

Sponge a grease spot with four tablespoonfuls of alcohol to one of salt.

Sprinkle salt over the soot on a carpet and sweep all up together.

Rub finger marks from furniture with a little sweet oil.

Put a lump of camphor in a airtight case with silverware to keep it from discoloration.

Remove paint spots from a window by rubbing a copper cent over them.

Sprinkle salt over fresh claret stains.

Wash ink stains in strong brine and then sponge with lemon juice.

Hold a fruit stained article over a bowl and pour boiling water through the cloth.

Rub egg stains on silver with salt on a damp cloth.

Use wood ashes on discolored tableware.

Clean steel knives with raw potato dipped in fine brick dust.

Rub brass with hot vinegar and salt and scour with fine ashes.

Clean a carpet with a broom dipped in a very weak solution of turpentine in hot water.

Cleanse grained woodwork with cold tea.

Scour ironware with finely sifted coal ashes.

Soak mildewed clothes in buttermilk and spread on the grass (when you have it), in the sun.

Wash rusty gilt frames in spirits of wine.



### CURT.

"But I had an appointment here, with Mr. Roberts, at this time."

"Well, sir, I 'spose that's the reason he isn't in."

Wash oil cloth with a flannel and warm water, dry thoroughly and rub with a little skim milk.

Purify jars by soaking them in strong soda water.

Wash blackened ceilings with soda water.

Rub white spots on furniture with camphor.

Rub a stove zinc with kerosene.

Cleanse bottles with hot water and fine coals.

Remove fruit stains from the hands with weak oxalic acid.

Clean jewelry with prepared chalk.

Wash hair brushes in weak ammonia water.

Rub stained hands with salt and lemon juice.

Rub mirrors with spirits of wine.

Remove writing from books by a solution of tartaric acid.

Clean hard finished walls with ammonia water.

Rub whitewashed spots with strong vinegar.

Sponge faded plush with chloroform.

Take paint out of clothing by equal parts of ammonia and turpentine.

To remove machine oil from satin use benzine.

### A BILL OF FARE.

Housewife—"So, now, I think everything is ready for the party. The goose, liver, lobster, two hams, two professors, a famous painter, a passable musician—Yes, that will be all."—*La. Chronicle.*

Paderewski declines to have his hair cut on the ground that it would be sheer extravagance.