

HOUSE AND HOUSEHOLD.

HOW TO WASH DISHES.

Do you know how to wash dishes? Not merely so that you can get them off the kitchen table into the china closet, but so that the despised and dreaded task becomes almost a pleasure. This is the way to accomplish that result:—

As soon as the cooking is done fill all the cooking utensils with water and leave them to soak. When the meal is ended scrape all the plates clean—not with a knife, for that scratches and nicks—but with a piece of left-over bread. Put the plates in one pile, the saucers in another, the cups, emptied of their drainings, together with the glass and silver, together.

Have a bowl of water cool enough to allow your hand to remain in it a few minutes without scalding, but hot, and wash the glasses with soap in that. Dry them as fast as they are washed. If you let them stand upon a tray the air dries them, and does it in streaks where the water is trickling down. Have a soft, clean, lintless cloth for this purpose.

Then wash the silver; the water should be very hot for this. If there are any crevices, clean them with a brush kept for this purpose. Dry them with a clean towel and polish with silver powder.

Next wash your cups and saucers, one at a time, and don't, in this day and generation, be without one of those wire kitchen conveniences known as a soap-shaker. Wipe each cup and saucer before putting it out of your hand, or it will dry partially and streakily, and be rough to the touch. After the cups and saucers, wash the plates in the same way. Then clean the tins, and then the pots and pans.

To clean knives, rub with a soft flannel dipped in powdered bath brick or in wood ashes. Never let the ivory handles be dipped in hot water.

Tins may be kept in a state of dazzling brightness by being rubbed with sifted wood ashes, or with whitening.

Copper utensils should be scoured with brick dust and flannel.

The dish-cloths and mops should be washed, scalded and dried after each using. The towels should never be thrown aside in a damp lump, but should be hung to dry, and then dropped into the kitchen hamper against washing day.

The dishpan should be thoroughly washed with soap and water, scoured and rinsed with scalding water, dried and hung on its own hook. Then the sink should be scoured and rinsed with scalding water, in which common soda has been dissolved.—*Sacred Heart Review*

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