

A Few Reminders and Suggestions



For the Busy Housewife while preparing for the Christmas Season.

Don't Forget You Require:

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| English Mincemeat. | Assorted Spices. |
| Cranberry Sauce. | Gelatine. |
| English Plum Pudding. | Isinglass. |
| American Fig Pudding. | Mixed Peels. |
| Almond Paste. | Sultanas. |
| Blanched Almonds. | Seedless Raisins. |
| Icing Sugar. | Seeded Raisins. |
| Nonpareils 100's and 1000's. | Dessert Raisins. |
| English Flavourings. | Cleaned Currants. |
| English Colourings. | Pastry Flour. |
| English Seasonings. | Swansdown Cake Flour. |
| Ground Sweet Almonds. | Custard Powder. |
| | Crystallized Rose Leaves. |
| | Violets & Carnations |

TURKEYS, CHICKEN, DUCKS, GEESE

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| Imperial French Plums. | Dessert Fruits. |
| Canton Ginger. | English Jams and Jellies. |
| Crystallized Pineapple. | English Biscuits. |
| Glacé Asst. Fruits. | English Shortbread. |
| Glacé & Crystallized Fruits. | English Cakes. |
| Maraschino Cherries. | English & American Confectionery. |
| Crème de Menthe Cherries. | Sausage Meat. |
| Tunis Dates. | Fresh Sausages. |
| Jordan Almonds. | English Ox Tongue in Glass. |
| Shelled Walnuts. | Gorgonzola Cheese. |
| Brazil Nuts. | English Cheddar. |
| Eleme Figs. | Hams & Bacon. |
| Fruit Salad. | English Table Waters. |
| French Green Peas. | French Sparkling Waters. |
| French Beans. | Havana Cigars. |
| Champignons. | Turkish, Egyptian & Russian "Savory's" |
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"Prophetic" Dreams.

THE TRUTH ABOUT THEM.
By A Physician.

Certain individuals seem to have, especially developed, the peculiar gift of dreaming a true account of future events more frequently than can be accounted for by coincidence, thus leading their associates to invest them with super-natural powers, and to declare that "there must be something in it".

This seemingly prophetic attribute of dreams led, in the past, to much superstition and conjecture, but the mental mechanism of the production stood and their prophetic nature can no longer be believed in.

The great majority of dreams are the mental safety-valve through which the mind gets rid of unpleasant ideas. During the waking hours many unpleasant thoughts pass through the mind and are banished, after a longer or shorter stay, to the oblivion of the forgotten or, to use more psychological language, to "the unconscious."

It is a natural attribute of the healthy mind, so to rid itself of the distasteful, and a mind incapable of this would very quickly become insane through the constant presence of disquieting memories in the forefront of consciousness.

A very large proportion of our unpleasant feelings result from frustrated wishes, and so, if we could take stock of our unconscious minds, we would find there a large accumulation of "unsatisfied conations" or, in other words, desires which we find it impossible to gratify.

During sleep, when the mind is not fettered by the power of will or reason, these stored-away desires come to the surface, as it were, and appear as part of a dream.

Very strong desires, if brooded over and subsequently repressed, are so unpleasant that even during sleep the mind will not suffer them to appear unchanged, but distorts them so that when they arise in a dream form they are unrecognisable even to ourselves.

The dreams built up simply strike us as incomprehensible and silly, and seldom, if ever, stimulate prophecies. We seldom dream, for instance, that we have supplanted a rival in love, reached the height of our profession, or made a huge fortune in our business.

Should, however, the original wish have been hardly noticeable, as when a momentary desire to profit slashes through our minds as we accidentally catch sight of the name of a horse in the betting news, or of a country in the financial reports, then it is extremely likely that the name of the horse or the company will appear in a subsequent dream.

If that particular horse wins or the shares rise, then our dream will be remembered with reinforced vividness and be forever fixed in our memory as a prophecy; on the other hand, we are so accustomed to our dreams bearing no relation to the truth that a false forecast makes no corresponding impression.

Collier's "Clytemnestra" Banned.

The Hon. John Collier, the artist, is rather puzzled by the opposition in Blackpool, Lancashire, to the proposal to buy his picture "Clytemnestra" for Blackpool Art Gallery.

The purchase is opposed on the ground that the canvas might have had moral effect on the community. Clytemnestra, the daughter of a Spartan king is seen in the painting emerging from the chamber in which she has murdered Agamemnon, her husband. She carries a blood-stained dagger. The proposal to buy the picture was referred to its General Purpose Committee by the Blackpool Town Council. The news came as a surprise to Mr. Collier told a Daily Mail reporter. "Blackpool Art Gallery Committee had recommended the purchase to the Town Council, and through an agent the price of £200 had been agreed.

"So far as I can gather the agitation began with a letter to the local Press in which the writer expressed the opinion that the topic was immoral. If such an argument were generally accepted it would rule out all tragedy portrayed in art. It is rather a novel doctrine if art is to depict only virtuous people."

Care of Gloves.

It is a good plan to keep a small piece of indiarubber in the glove-box, as slight marks can easily be removed with it, and the cleaner's bill reduced. Do not take off your gloves by pulling the fingers, but gently by the finger-tips, and withdraw the gloves from the wrist, over the hand. Blow into them, and then straighten out. Cotton gloves should be washed in the usual way with a few drops of ammonia added to the last water, and dried in the open air. They are much improved by being ironed over a clean handkerchief, after being pulled into shape, and laid quite flat.

Don't forget the Card Party and Dance to be held by the T. A. Ladies' Auxiliary on Tuesday next, Dec. 19th, in the T. A. Hall. Try to win the Turkey. Tickets 50c. Teas included. Bennett's Orchestra in attendance. -dec19,31

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Envy cannot block its way,
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Like the brook that finds the sea
Merit ends triumphantly.

Merit cannot be denied,
Trampled down or turned aside;
Foes may hinder and delay,
Placing barriers in its way,
But like every running stream
Merit always is supreme.

It will find the sea of worth
From the farthest ends of earth,
Springing from the humblest breast,
North or south or east or west,
Merit will come thunders down
To the ocean of renown.

Fame no question makes of worth
Of its humble start or birth;
As the brook comes to the sea,
Just as surely so shall he
Who will make his merit known
Come at last into his own.

INOPPORTUNE.

John Doe—"Some of the gang's gonna try breakin' out of jail to-night. Wants join us?"

Richard Roe—"Not on your life, sonnet!" On the outside every other man it outer work and the housing situation is reported to be something terrible."

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