

SCHOOL DAYS



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Squirrel and nut time

Mother's Cook Book

To each man is given a day, and his work for the day...

CHRISTMAS SWEETS.

This year, as the supply of sugar is ample, we may again indulge in some of the delicious home-made candies and cakes.

Pralines.

Boll one pound of dark brown sugar with just enough water to dissolve it, until it threads a fine strand from the end of a fork.

Peanut Candy.

Shell and roll with a rolling pin, one quart of peanuts. To two pounds of light brown sugar add six ounces (twelve tablespoons) of butter, both stirring constantly ten minutes.

Molasses Candy.

Take three cupfuls of molasses, one cupful of brown sugar, beat three minutes. Boll until it hardens in water, add one tablespoonful of butter, one teaspoonful of soda, and one tablespoonful of boiling water in which the soda is dissolved.

Peanut Butter Fudge.

Place two cupfuls of sugar and two-thirds of a cupful of milk in a granite sauce pan, stir until dissolved, then boll until the mixture forms a soft ball in cold water.

Orange Straws.

Weigh oranges whole and use pound for pound of sugar. Peel the oranges and cut the rind in shreds. Boll until tender, changing the water twice and heat gradually to boiling point, then boll twenty minutes with the peel.

Neenie Maxwell (©, 1920, Western Newspaper Union.)

MILITANT MARY cartoon with text: If I could renovate my life I know how I'd BEGIN: I'd touch a few deep shadows out AND DAB SOME HIGH LIGHTS IN!

THE GIRL ON THE JOB

How to Succeed—How to Get Ahead—How to Make Good

By JESSIE ROBERTS MODERN ADVERTISING

ADVERTISING today is very friendly to women. Women are doing a great deal of it and doing it well.

There are many sorts of advertising, and women are in all of them. The artist who makes the pictures that make the ad go is about as often a woman as a man.

Some women already are managing advertising offices of their own, and many are acting as advertising agents. Some confine themselves entirely to one form of advertising, specializing on magazine or newspaper ads, or display ads.

Many of the large firms—that cater to the wants of women always have a woman on their advertising staff, for they realize that a woman will understand how to talk to other women in a way to interest and convince them on subjects that are distinctly hers.

But advertising is not a bit-or-miss thing, which you can take up at a day's notice. Like anything at which people earn money, it takes time and hard work and training. There are fundamental principles that must be understood, there are intricate questions concerning colors, types, expenses, effects on the eye or the ear, appropriateness.

But here is a fine field for women, and one that is growing every year. America is the greatest advertising country in the world, and she is not slackening her pace.

Last Night's Dreams —What They Mean

DID YOU DREAM ABOUT MUSIC?

TO PARAPHRASE slightly the poet: When the night is filled with music the cares which infest the day shall fold their tents like the Arabs and as silently steal away.

For dream music, say the seers, portends good fortune to those who hear the phantom strains. When, through the world of the visions of night, wander harmonious melodies, happiness and money are hovering in the near future waiting for you.

If you are as yet unmarried and in love it is a sign that your sweetheart is kind and true—there is a wedding and happiness ahead of you.

As to a choice of musical instruments to play on, a dream-guitar, singing at the same time, is especially favorable to lovers, though if you hear some one else playing the instrument watch out—you are too susceptible.

Playing a dream-guitar is especially recommended to induce happiness in the family. A banjo is almost as good as a guitar, though if you simply hear the banjo instead of playing it yourself you may have some slight worries which will soon be over.

A Male Characteristic. "Men are all babies." "What's the matter now?" "I never knew one of 'em to have a pain who wasn't sure he was going to die."

ALICE CALHOUN



The rise of Alice Calhoun as a "movie" favorite has been rapid. She is one of the latest to be added to the growing list of motion picture stars.

Beauty Chats

By EDNA KENT FORBES

A DAINY SKIN

A BEAUTIFUL skin will do more than any other thing to make a woman beautiful. For a beautiful skin is the barometer of health and well-being, if it is clear with a soft coloring, it shows that digestion is good, that exercise, bathing, right living, have all helped to build up a healthy system.

Of course, many skins are too oily; these need to be washed at least once a day with soap and hot water, they need occasional steaming to remove superfluous oils; they must not be treated with cold cream.



Never Let the Skin Become Harsh or Coarse in Texture.

One of the faintest things to use upon the skin is a lotion made by shaking together equal parts of glycerine and rose water.

Keep the skin clean, keep the digestion right—and forget your complexion. More harm is done by over-using cosmetics than by not using them at all.

A LINE O' CHEER

By JOHN KENDRICK BANGS

THE RED, RED RASH.

I never worry 'er the tricks Of Parlor Reds and Bolsheviks, For I've sped the country 'er From Eastern to the Western shore.

RED-CROSS WAGING WAR ON DISEASE

Eighteen Health Centers Established in Atlantic Division—Much Educational Work Carried On.

Substantial headway has been made by the Red Cross chapters in New York, New Jersey and Connecticut in forwarding the health program of the organization since the work was started in the Atlantic Division about nine months ago.

During the period named the Red Cross has also assisted in the organization of nine health weeks, nine infant welfare clinics and four tuberculosis clinics, while 1,740 students divided into eighty-three classes have received first aid instruction.

The establishment of first aid stations at state and county fairs and other points where large crowds assembled proved to be a practical and highly appreciated service.

"The interest of the American Red Cross in the fight against disease is not a new development," says a statement from the organization's headquarters in Washington.

"The American Red Cross has determined that all this valuable experience in health service abroad and at home shall not go to waste.

PEACE TIME RED CROSS PRAISED BY PERSHING.

General John J. Pershing, one of the committee of prominent Americans working hard for the success of the annual Red Cross Roll Call, November 14 to 20, tells why he is undertaking this additional task.

"It gives me great pleasure to pledge my hearty support to the Fourth Roll Call of the American Red Cross. While the opportunity for its greatest service comes during times of war, and its achievements during the late World War have been unparalleled, yet there is a vital need for the humanitarian work which it renders.

"What's Blondie all fussed up about?" asked Claudine of the rapid-fire restaurant.

"Aw, Slick has been blowing so much money lately that she don't know whether he has turned farmer or pay-roll robber," replied Heloise of the same establishment.—Kansas City Star.

How It Started

THE BARBER-POLE.

THE Prophet Ezekiel mentions barbers—"Take thou a barber's razor"—but the distinctive barber-pole is of much later date.



KATE GRIER

I GOTTA frien weath somethin' go on da bum been comin' weest phisish and dat guy gotta have da operash.

My frien sure no feels yer go. Dat phisish say he go dead pre queeck eef he no hava dat ting cut.

My frien tells little girl eef she phone he wants operash. She say "I am da operate—wot number?"

But dat guy een hospeetal say my frien gotta wronga idee. He say Aik Stihlo putta heem to sleep so he feels somethin'.

How It Started

PLAYING CARDS.

CARDS for games, waz used in Egypt in the time of Joseph, but the modern form appears much later.

HOW DO YOU SAY IT

By C. N. Lurie

Common Errors in English and How to Avoid Them

"SHALL" AND "WILL"

AMONG the most common errors in the use of English, and one of the most difficult to avoid, is the confusion of "shall" and "will."

In the second and third persons the usage in regard to "shall" and "will" is exactly opposite to the usage in the first person.

An amusing case of misuse of the words "will" and "shall" is found in the story of the Frenchman who fell into a river and cried: "I will drown and no one shall rescue me!"

The rule in regard to "should" and "would" is the same as that governing the use of "shall" and "will."

