COSTUMES FOR MARCH 17—TASTY SALADS—SHOULD WOMEN SMOKE?—CYNTHIA'S LETTERS

RECIPES FOR TIDBITS That Make the Restau-

MRS. WILSON GIVES

The Little Special Things rant Dinner Attractive. Not Expensive

Delicious Canapes, a Cheese Dressing Russian Sauce and One That Comes to Us From Canada

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am a good, practical housekeeper, the prepared paste. but my family just rave over the meal, we will take them out for din- fish, etc. ner.' Then I realize that my family is just plainly tired and perhaps taking care that the lettuce is crisp cooked dinners.

to me, 'Say, mother, that was a sings. pretty good bisque tonti we had at C's: I certainly was tempted to have another portion. Gee, but I certainly wish you could fix up those classy desserts; they are only a mouthful, but they certainly touch

"I am writing this so that you will see that father, too, has deserted me and gone over to the other side, so that it seems that the days of good old-fashioned, substantial to obtain raw beets, then use canned meals are past."

Now, many housewives have the impression that the preparation of the delicious accessories of the cosmopolitan meal is expensive. Well, I hardly need tell you that the French housewife is noted for her thrift and that these dainty tidbits are frequently portions of leftovers from a meal, sometimes the scrapings of a saucepan or a tablespoonful of meat, vegetables and gravy.

Have you ever had just a small piece of fish left over entirely too to serve by itself? And rather than leave it on a plate or sucer to form an accumulation you think, "Well, I can't use it, so into the garbage can it goes."

w, this tablespoonful or two of sh would have made you a few elicious canapes; by flaking it and then putting it through a sieve. Place it on a platter and then add

Two tablespoonfule of butter, One teaspoonful of paprika, One tablespoonful of grated onion, One tablespoonful of finely minced milk,

Work to a smooth paste and then spread on a narrow strip of toast.

is not necessarily an exfamily, nor is it elaborate. This and fish. Use little tart pans for delectable morsel is rather dainty, making pies. Also the cakes in indi-

Ask Mrs. Wilson

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helps to start and stimulate the digestive juices and thus cause them to flow freely for the digestion of the food.

Canapes are usually served cold, on a plate covered with a doily; the canape is placed on this. They need not all be alike; the bread may be TUST a short time ago a dear le cut with various sandwich cutters or ome woman wrote me: "Please it may be cut into finger widths and tell me how to vary my menus; I then toasted lightly and spread with

Meat, chicken, cheese, nuts, olives, salads at this restaurant, while my etc., may be used in place of the daughter thinks a certain other res- fish. If you have just a spoonful or taurant's hors d'oeuvres and entrees so of peas, beans, spinach, cauliare delicious. When my sister writes flower or asparagus you may use it that she and her daughter are com- in place of the fish, thus making a ing to town my daughter will say, vegetable canape. Try two canned 'Oh, mother, just don't bother with a pimentoes in place of either meat or

Prepare dainty individual salads, newhat ashamed of my heavy and well drained. Serve with mayonnaise, cheese, Russian, Old Eng-"Only last night my husband said lish, cream, mustard or ottawa dres-

Russian Dressing

Place one cupful of mayonnaise in bowl and then pare and grate One medium-sized raw onion,

One medium-sized raw carrot, One medium-sized raw beet.

One teaspoonful of mustard, One teaspoonful of paprika. Beat to blend, then use. If unable

Ottawa Dressing

One-half cupful of chili sauce, One-half cupful of salad oil, Four tables poonfuls of vinegar, Two medium-sized onions, grated, Two green or red peppers, chopped

One teaspoonful of mustard. One teaspoonful of paprika, Two teaspoonfuls of salt. Shake to thoroughly blend. This dressing may be used on fish, meats and cucumbers as well as on lettuce. Cheese Dressing

Four tablespoonfule of grated One teaspoonful of mustard, One teaspoonful of paprika, One teaspoonful of salt, Eight tablespoonfuls of oil, Four tablespoonfuls of vinegar.

Old English Mustard Dressing One tablespoonful of evaporated

One teaspoonful of mustard. Place in a soup plate and blend together, then add one tablespoonful Gernish with a slice of hard-boiled of oil. Then drop the vinegar, then

the oil again until you have used The canape, though it bears a for- Eight tablespoonfuls of salad oil, One tablespoonful of vinegar.

saive addition to the menu for the Serve on lettuce, cucumbers, meat delicate and used as an appetizer that vidual portions before serving.

And So They Were Married By HAZEL DEYO BATCHELOR

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WENTY dollars to spend on under- slipping into her street dress and obwear, and her heart set on a spring serving Natalie's face closely.

"I suppose they are a nuisance to have around. But how do you manest deal. She had the original ten
llars that Scott had given her aug"By doing things myself." sted by the ten she had won at dge. Ought she to save that toward r spring suit or could she spent it she pleased. The thing was decided her by Natalie Jergens, who ran in on Ruth unexpectedly one morning.
"What a darling place." Natalle gushed. "And do you take care of it all

ourself? It must be such fun." Ruth felt toward Natalie as a child be loved. She felt flattered at atalie's evident admiration for her which she felt to be half curiosity as to

lways cost the most. Her uniquest londe hair was topped with a coy little at trimmed with French fruit. She wore her fur cost, but she gave the

"By doing things myself."
"Everything?" Natalle's tone was in redulous. Ruth nodded. "But how did you learn?"

"Those things just come to you if I Just when you have talked yourself you have to do them." Ruth wanted into a feeling of real enthusiasm for the to add that she couldn't afford even a hipless silhouette and are resigned to part-time maid, but something, some little pride kept her from doing this, mer like an umbrella, so far as figure Natalle changed the subject quickly and apparently with a sigh of relief.

laways cost the most. Her childish should hair was topped with a coy little at trimmed with French fruit. She sore her fur coat, but she gave the impression of spring loveliness that only a woman with plenty of money to spend an feminine accessories can possibly give. No one knew that fact better than Ruth. Ruth was finishing the putting to rights of the apartment, and now she look Natalie with her into the charming bedroom, which was quite the most expensively furnished room in the apartment. Buth had a secret delight in dolar this, she knew that Natalie might admire, condescendingly, housekeeping measures in their crude elements, but that she could whole-heartedly admire the things that represented an outlay of money.

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FOR THE ST. PATRICK'S DAY PARTY

Just two Irish colleens who

WHAT THE INFANTA SILHOUETTE IS



This pretty afternoon frock is in figured blue-and-white georgette, with collar and chemisette in white chiffon embroidered in white silk A Daily Fashion Talk by Florence Rose

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Please Tell Me What to Do

Send Her Flowers

Dear Cynthia—I am a boy sixteen years old and have never accepted invitations to evening parties if they were only for boys and girls, as I was very bashful. I have recently received an invitation from a girl the same age, with whom I am well acquainted, and I have made up my mind to accept it and get rid of bashfulness. Now the question I want to ask is, should I take a present if I have known him for about five years. I have known him for about five years if I go to this party, and if so what would be suitable for a girl of her age?

Your letter did not come in time to What could I do to know it? Would

Your letter did not come in time to answer before Friday, so I am answering at the first opportunity. There is no reason why you should take a present to the young girl unless the occasion is her birthday. In that case send her (do not take it with you), with your card enclosed in the present, either a book, a fine box of candy or some flowers. If you want to show her a nice little attention you might send her some flowers anyway, birthday or not, but send them, do not take them.

The letter did not come in time to the now the know whether he loves me.

What could I do to know it? Would to be into you set, I am a foreigner and I do not go out it he box of one to you girls. I never go to parties because I haven't the time.

It would be quite all right to write this young man a friendly letter if you have known him for five years, but usually, dear, it is better to let the advances come from a man. If you do write to him wait for an answer before sending a second letter.

Answer to "I Am Puzzled"

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G. — If the man tells you he cares for you and is attentive to you, cailing often at your home and showing you every attention, why should you think him fickle? Ten or twelve years are not too great a difference, but you should consult your parents about the matter. A girls mother always knows best in these things. You can do nothing to make him propess, but you can certainly tell him you love him if he does ask for your love and you know him to be an honorable man.

L. B. M.—From all you tell me I should certainly say that you love each other. When you regain your health why not ask her love frankly and propose marriage? She can only say yes or no, and it would be better to know positively than to be in a state of indecision. She is certainly encouraging you.

Try to Forget Him

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Dear Cynthia—I have written you several times and you have always helped. I am eighteen years of age and have been going with a young man two years older. This young man has loved me ever since I met him. I have now heen going with him a year. I leve has been an interference which has separated us. I am not the same as he is concerning our religion. I know that I shouldn't bring religion in, because it is improper. Now I wrote to him, asking him to forget all about it and still continue going with me. I want you to give me good advice on this subject. I thank you very much for assisting me.

BROKEN-HEARTED.

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It is seldom that persons feel just the same toward each other after an estrangement and misunderstanding, and if the difference was on matters of religion it is better to let the friendship go, unless you can come to an understanding on the matter. If both are Protestants of different denominations you would not clash on the matter, but if one is a Catholic and the other a Protestant and both feel strongly about their faith, there is apt to be unhappiness in a mixed marriage. You would do best to forget this young man. There was certainly nothing improper in the discussing of religious difference.

All Right to Write Dear Cynthia-I feel very sorry for

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CAN A WOMAN SMOKE AND BE A LADY AS WELL?

The Question Comes From a Man Reader—He Believes Smokes for Women Ought to Include Letting the Twelve-Year-Old Daughter Watch Mother Puff Her Cigarette

CAN a woman smoke and be concluded. It seems this speaks stronger than any virtuous claiming on a man reader raises this important question. And it seems so important and woman's part that if smoking is all tion. And it seems so important and woman's part that if smoking is all tion. And it seems so important and woman's part that if smoking is all tion. his letter in its entirety.
"Dear Editor," writes our reader,
who signs himself "Just a Man," "May
a man intrude his views into your

column and at the same time ask a question? Can a woman smoke and be considered a lady at the same time? By lady I mean everything that the "I am going to answer my question

first myself and then you can tell me whether you agree with me or not. "To be brief I believe a woman with joy to her first cigarette?

To be brief I believe a woman can no more indulae in smoking and retain the true essentials of woman-liness than she could go about the streets masquerading in man's clothes Most certainly women who are addicted to cigarettes will not admit this. But mark this: Have you ever seen a woman who was willing to have her children see her smoke? Take, for a man. Also it is just as lawful for a woman to smoke as it is for a man. Also it is just as lawful for her to swear. Why doesn't she take advantage of the privilege?

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"As long as the world rolls on there are always that this alt of fiancels, or any other soft material available, sprinkle with sachet prowder and then commence at one end distinguish men and those that will distinguish women. To say that this is not so is to close one's eyes to facts that speak as forcefully as the

women.

"If smoking is quite in keeping with the attributes of a womanly woman, then why is a mother ashamed to own up to her deed before her daughter? Father is not obliged to hide his cigar or his cigarette when daughter comes into view. Then why must mother carefully hide all traces lest the youngster discover her? If she is so sure of her ground, why not bring up the child to look forward with joy to her first cigarette?

one quoted above, i. e., believing a cigarette is quite the thing for a cigarette is quite the extent of letting woman but not to the extent of letting woman but not to the extent of letting

UNDOUBTEDLY, believing in smokes for women ought to include believing in them to the extent of not hiding them even from one's daughter. But I am convinced more women smoke because they think they are doing something gay than because they think they are doing something right. There are, it is true, many who have really become as dependent on cigarettes as their brothers, but these are the exceptions. The majority of girls and women who take a cigarette when they are asked to de so to be

when they are asked to do so to be housht gay.

However—
Can women smoke and still be considered womanly in the truest mean-ing of the word? That depends on how broad-minded you are, "Just a Man"!

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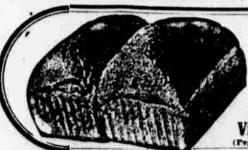
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