

WOMEN AND THEIR INTERESTS

Pancakes and Harmony

By Dorothy Dix

"Do you read in the paper about that New Jersey suit in which a young wife named a German pancake as the respondent?" inquired the Bookkeeper.

"All the pancakes that I ever saw, German, Allied or Neutral, were calculated to turn love's young dream, or any other kind of a dream, into a nightmare," replied the Stenographer.

"If I fed my husband on pancakes it would be because he had a juicy little insurance policy or I thought that black was becoming to me."

"How little you understand the masculine stomach!" retorted the Bookkeeper. "That's why you women lose out so often in matrimony. Give a man what he likes to feed on and he'll eat out of your hand. Otherwise he will fly the coop. A man may desert his own fireside, but never his own dining table if it groans under the particular dishes that he likes best."

"Precisely," agreed the Bookkeeper. "Now in this pathetic case of a home wrecked by a woman's hand we have a man with an insatiable yearning for German pancakes. Guileless and confiding, believing in the innocence and inexperience of his heart, that the making of German pancakes is second nature to a woman, he marries a young creature with every outward attraction, but alas, one without a pancake soul."

"He sits down hopefully and trustfully to their first meal and takes one mouthful of the alleged pancakes. Horror! Instead of being light and flakey, a poem of flour and eggs, and whatever else pancakes are made of, it is a cold, sticky, flabby concoction more suitable for soling shoes than for human consumption."

"The inevitable result is utter disillusion on the part of the husband. He sees the grave yawning for him if he eats wife's pancakes, and the

years stretching before him full of desolation and without comfort if he swallows pancakes, for of what value, I ask you, is a pancakeless existence? So he deserts wife and returns home to mother and her incomparable pancakes."

"But this man had a heart, as well as a stomach. He was generous and forbearing. He offered to go back to his wife if she would take a three month course in cooking. She did. He returned to her, but her pancakes were still below par, and he's gone back to mother and her cooking for good."

"I guess that when you separate a man from his food you've got a genuine case of alienation of the affections," remarked the Stenographer cynically. "The grounds in the coffee pot have furnished the grounds for divorce before now," replied the Bookkeeper.

"As long as you keep a man well fed and comfortable he will purr under your hand. That's why it's such a mystery to me that women don't spend their time learning how to cook instead of trying to learn how to play on the piano. Believe me, canned music goes better in the home than canned eats."

"You can't picture a blissful ending to a romance as having 'and they lived happily ever after out of the delicatessen store,'" admitted the Stenographer. "Right-o," responded the Bookkeeper.

"A man who loves to eat is delivered, bound and tied into his wife's hands," said the Stenographer, reflectively; "she's always got a way to work him."

"True," replied the Bookkeeper, "but you don't see many girls nowadays that can make pies like mother made."

"And you don't see many young men who can make dough like father made it," retorted the Stenographer.

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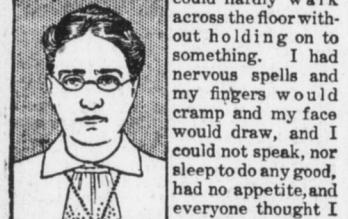
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HOW TO BE SLIM

By Winifred Grace Forrest

If you are to fat and want to reduce your weight 15 or 20 pounds, don't starve and weaken your system, or think you must always be laughed at on account of your fat, but go to W. Kennedy or any other good druggist, and get a box of Oil of Koraen capsules, take one after each meal and one before retiring at night.

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WASH RAW FOODS, WARNS DR. DIXON

All Green Things Should Be Carefully Cleansed at This Season of Year

Wash all the raw foods such as lettuce, radishes and other things that offer a tempting change in the daily fare at this season of the year, and also all bananas put on the table, is the warning given by Samuel G. Dixon, State commissioner of health, in his weekly talk on health and hygiene.

The commissioner says that the lack of care is sometimes almost criminal. In discussing the subject he says: "This is the season when the amateur gardener's eyes are delighted by the rows of summer vegetables that are poking their green leaves above the warm earth. The season for raw foods has already arrived.

"Lettuce, water-cress, radishes, parsley, cucumbers, leeks, berries and many other toothsome growing things burden the market stalls and tempt the house-wife after the winter menu of canned vegetables.

"A certain per cent of raw foods is an excellent stimulant to the appetite and a wholesome change at this season of the year. Care should be exercised, however, that they are properly cleansed before being eaten. Often the laborers in the truck gardens and those who handle the truck before reaching the consumer are careless in the use of dangerous fertilizers and some pick and prepare the vegetable for market who are also careless to a degree that is almost criminal.

"All vegetables to be eaten raw and berries, even at the risk of slightly injuring their flavor, should be thoroughly washed before being eaten.

"Gardens should be fertilized with care. No night soil should be used on truck gardens from which the produce may be served uncooked. Water cress must not be grown in polluted streams. Water cress from polluted streams often produced epidemics of typhoid fever. Bananas should be thoroughly washed as soon as they come into the hands of the consumer, so that the dirt taken on during transportation will not be conveyed to other edibles."

Interesting Displays of Trained Animals

"Do animals reason?" is a question that has perplexed philosophers for ages, and even in the practical days of the question is debated pro and con with more or less acrimony. Judging from results, furnished by the animals themselves, the advocates of reason in the so-called dumb brutes seem to have a little the best of the argument. This view is apparently confirmed by the remarkable results said to have been achieved by the Barnum and Bailey animal trainers in handling various kinds of wild and domestic beasts. If they accomplish all the feats they are credited with—and there is no reason to doubt it—the trained animals with the Barnum and Bailey circus come as near possessing human intelligence as their mental and physical structure will permit.

Among the notable trained animal displays that will be seen with the big show when it exhibits in Harrisburg on Tuesday, May 5, are several that are quite new to this country, and which are said to be a revelation in the line of intelligent animal education. The list embraces a remarkable company of wonderfully trained elephants, ponies and dogs that display their cleverness; Madam Bradna's angel horses which give a performance that sets a new standard of exhibitions of this character; three herds of war elephants presented by the first lady trainer, Palenberg's wonder bears, Adgie and her ten performing African lions, and many other animal acts of a most unusual character.

These interesting animal displays, it is announced, are interspersed through a program of vaudeville and other new things in acrobatic, equestrian and midair performances. The circus company includes 480 artists from all parts of the world, and the program shows a hundred acts of various kinds. In one aerial number, in which the acrobats Silbon and the Neapolitan troupe of midair vaulters participate, there are twenty gymnasts in the air at one time. In a big acrobatic number, an equal number of performers simultaneously appear in a series of double and triple somersaults and lofty pyramids. In one equestrian number twelve horses and horsemen appear at one time.

As though these features were not sufficient to draw attention, the management announces a superb allegorical spectacular pageant, entitled "Lalla Rookh," which depicts the capture of the beautiful princess from the royal gardens of Delhi in which more than a thousand characters take part.—Advertisement.

KILLED IN BATTLE

Friends of George Suchi, who formerly kept a boardinghouse at 725 North Seventh street, have received word that he was killed during a recent battle in Russian Poland. Previous to his departure for Austria, soon after the start of the war, Suchi was involved in a sensational police investigation regarding the death of Maima Moroni, who fell, or was thrown, from a third-story window of the house. The grand jury failed to find a true bill and Suchi was released.

OIL LAMP STARTS FIRE

An exploding oil lamp started a fire in the home of Louis Cash, 1731 North Third street, yesterday, and caused damage of \$200.

THIEF CONSCIENCE STRICKEN

Special to The Telegraph Harrisburg, Pa., April 26.—Some person, evidently with a conscience, entered the home of Arthur J. Fasnacht, in Market street, Saturday evening during the family's absence, rifled the bureau drawers and took about \$4 in money. His misdoing evidently worried him after he took the money, because he brought it back and placed it on the kitchen table with a note saying "My conscience tells me to bring it back." When the family arrived home they discovered the note and money.

FINED BECAUSE DOG CHASED DEER

Special to The Telegraph Waynesboro, Pa., April 26.—Lorenzo Crilly, residing at Beartown, near the Buena Vista Springs Hotel, was arrested and given a hearing before Justice of the Peace J. F. Newman yesterday on the charge of permitting his dog to give chase to deer in the mountain. He was fined 25 cents, and has appealed the case.

"SWAITING" AT SUNBURY

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