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RECIPES:

Sponge Sandwiches—Make cottage.



Sponge Sandwiches—Make cottage cheese in the usual way, but after it has drained mince thoroughly in clear, cold water to remove the acid; put in a cheesecloth and squeeze dry. To a cup of the dry, sweet curd add one fourth of a teaspoonful of sait, a dash of paprika, if liked and half a cup of sweet cream. Spread thickly between thin slices of sponge cake.

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Cabbage Salad—Boil one-hal, cupful of vinegar, the yoke of four eggs, two tablespoonfuls of sugar, one teaspoonful of instard and a level tublespoonful of butter until the mixture is limpid. Season with celery sait, and when it is cold add one eupful of cream that has been whipped. Pour over the shredded or chopped cabbage and garnish with stoned olives and hard boiled eggs.

Cheese Souffle—Melt three tablespoonfuls of butter; when bubbling blend in three tablespoonfuls of flour; stir in gradually one-half pint of sealding milk and cook slowly for five minutes, stirring constantly; add one cupful of grated cheese, pepper and sait to taste, and the beaten yolks of three eggs, then fold in lightly the beaten whites, turn into a buttered dish and bake in a hot oven for about twenty minutes. Serve immediately.

Ravioli of Spinach—Use ten tablespoonfuls of flour and half as much butter; mix well, then lay the mass upon a floured board and roll out an inch thick; cut in circles the size of a saucer and moisten the edges with the yolk of an egg; place a tablespoonful of cooked spinach on and fold turnover style; brush the top with the white of an egg; place a tablespoonful of whipped cream on each. Spinach acquires a mellowness of flavor by repeatedly warming over.

Confection Cake—Cream two cups of sugar with two-thirds of butter, add a cup of sweet milk, two and a half cups of flour, two rounding spoonfuls of baking powder, the whites of six eggs beaten very stiff and haif a teaspoonful of flavoring extract. Bake in four layers. Boil two cups of sugar with him fa cup of water till like thick honey, pour gradually on the stiffly beaten whites of two cups of sugar with two-thirds of butter, add a cup of sweet milk, two and a half energy for the top of the cake. This is a delicious cake.

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To Acquire Japanese.

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Six thousand ideographs are enough for even the most learned Japanese; for persons of ordinary education, 3000 to 4000 suffice; but 3000 are perhaps as many as the European student can manage to assimilate. A knowledge of the ideograph is, however, not sufficient. They more often represent vocables rather than words, and two monosyllabic vocables are joined to form the jukuji, or compounds, of the usual written style and of common speech, and very often the meaning of the compound can scarcely be guessed from the meaning of the compounded in two ways at least; thus we have "mel" or "myo," "sel" or "sai," "jin" or "nin," and so on, both being Japanese pronunciations of the original Chinese sounds, as the ideographs were imported from Go (Chinese Wu) in Southern, or Kan (Chinese Han) in Northern China, respectively.—The Athenaeum.

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