

Courier Queries.

THE VADIOS.—"What was the 'Cave of Ailfrede,' so often referred to in poetry?"

THE ROMAN CAESARS.—The Caesars were the masters of Rome. Their power was boundless.

INDIAN RELICS.—The Indian relics discovered by the Rev. J. Goss in a mound near Davenport, Iowa, continue to evoke discussion.

MOUNTAIN MEADOWS.—A blighting curse seems to have fallen on everybody who had anything to do with the massacre.

THE AGE OF REASON.—The boy that went to mill on horse back, carrying the grist in one end of the bag and a stone in the other.

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The story of Iliff, "the cattle-king of the plains," reads like romance. He began herding in 1860, with a small capital, but kept his money in the business until he began to be rich, when, instead of retiring on his laurels, he secured a range extending from Julesburg west about 150 miles.

If hens have the detestable habit—for it is that, and nothing more—of feather-eating, you have only to catch them, and with a knife scrape the sharp edge of the inside of their bills, so as to leave them blunt, and you will enjoy the fun of seeing the fowls grab at a feather and have it slip out of their mouth without pulling it from the victim.

The whole secret of successful farming, in this or any other country, is to produce what is needed for home use and sell the surplus.

The blighting curse seems to have fallen on everybody who had anything to do with the massacre; even the country seems to have suffered from the same cause.

Chop very fine the tough end of two beef steaks, a piece of suet as large as half an egg; season with pepper, salt, summer savory, and a very little nutmeg; add two well-beaten eggs; half a pint of dry bread, rolled cracker; four or five tablespoonfuls sweet cream; butter the size of an egg, and make into a long roll with flour; place in a baking-pan with a little dripping; bake until cooked and brown; turn it over several times.

Sift one pint of yellow corn-meal and one half pint wheat flour—into which you have first put a full teaspoonful of baking-powder and a small spoonful of salt—one grated nutmeg, one tablespoonful of ground cinnamon. Put three quarters of a pound of granulated sugar and half a pound of butter together. Beat eight eggs very light, and add to the butter and sugar, alternately, with the meal—little at a time—and a half cup of milk, and have your dish or pan well buttered; bake in a moderate oven. Takes a long time to bake.

Cut six or eight cold potatoes into even slices, and put into a salad dish. Cut fine and sprinkle over the potatoes a teaspoonful of parsley, and a little salt and cayenne. Stir half a tea-cup of good cream until it is very smooth and foamy; pour over the potatoes, and mix carefully,

so as not to break the slices. A little prepared mustard, and a few stalks of white celery chopped fine, is an addition. This is a good dish for a hearty lunch.

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