

RECIPE for HOUSEWIVES BY MARY HARLAND

HANDMADE MANNERS



"It was a beautiful example of the ruling principle strong in death."

"In a trice the lad was at her side."

gentlemen?" a mother was asked in my hearing the other day.

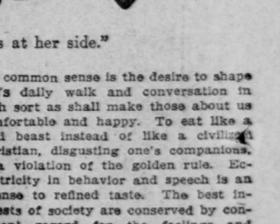
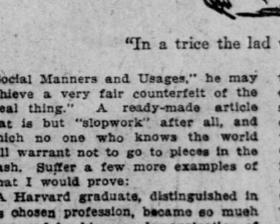
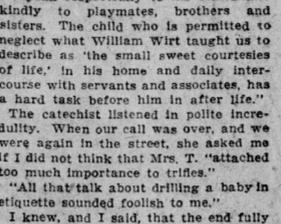
to him. If he refused, the gift was withheld until he said it. As soon as he could run alone he was taught to rise when a lady entered the room.

down the meal and scampers off to play without asking to be excused; who helps himself to a comfortable chair and keeps it while his elders are standing; who repeats curtly or sulkily to a civil question addressed to him by any member of the family—is forming his habits for life.

"Social Manners and Usages," he may achieve a very fair counterfeiter of the "real thing." A ready-made article that is but "slopwork" after all, and which no one who knows the world will warrant not to go to pieces in the wash.

the common sense is the desire to shape one's daily walk and conversation in such sort as shall make those about us comfortable and happy.

"That will do; you are good at excuses." I WAS my laundress who suggested the title of my paper. The subject was brewing in my mind with more activity than usually attends a weekly function.



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FAMILY MEALS FOR A WEEK SUNDAY BREAKFAST Peaches and cream, Sabbath, cornmeal dodgers, toast, tea and coffee.

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FAMILY MEALS FOR A WEEK MONDAY BREAKFAST Bartlett pears, cereal and cream, bacon, boiled eggs, graham bread, toast, tea and coffee.

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FAMILY MEALS FOR A WEEK TUESDAY BREAKFAST Grapes, cereal and cream, ros herrings with cream gravy, potato cake, toast, tea and coffee.

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FAMILY MEALS FOR A WEEK WEDNESDAY BREAKFAST Baked apples and cream, bacon and fried green tomatoes, cream cake, toast, tea and coffee.

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FAMILY MEALS FOR A WEEK THURSDAY BREAKFAST Grapes, cereal and cream, bacon and eggs, rice muffins (a left-over), toast, tea and coffee.

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FAMILY MEALS FOR A WEEK SATURDAY BREAKFAST Fruit, cereal and cream, bacon and peonias (a left-over), waffles, toast, tea and coffee.

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IMPORTANT NOTICE BECAUSE OF THE enormous number of letters sent to the Exchange, I must ask contributors to limit their communications to 100 words, except in cases of formulas or recipes which require greater space.

TEMPER "ON THE MOVE" When I say that he snatched the paper from the shaking hands I do not exaggerate the rude gesture.

Never-Failing Cake Recipe for a "Never-Failing Cake." I submit the following: One cup sugar, 2 eggs, 1 cup sour milk or cream, 1/2 teaspoonful of baking soda enough flour to thicken into a good batter.

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season, a quart of canned tomatoes will cost but 1 cent. The best salads I ever ate were made of minced bell peppers and parsley.

About Omelets I beg leave to reply to one of your masculine correspondents who writes me an omelet.

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four in your cake. I subjoin this note for the benefit of the inexperienced cook who may be puzzled by "enough to thicken into a good batter."

Churnless Butter Seeing nothing further of the member who took for the churnless butter, I should like to tell you how I make it.

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