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As the time grows nearer for the first count many are getting anxious to know who the lucky contestant will be. The ballot box will close promptly at 7:30 p. m. and the judges, T. H. Geddy, F. R. Savage and S. L. Graham, will proceed to count the votes and award the \$10 in gold to the contestant who has the largest number of votes.

The time—Thursday Aug. 29th the ballot box will close for the first count of the contest.

The place—The Gazette office. The girls—are playing before many audiences just at present and the performances will be kept up until the ballot box closes for the first count Thursday, Aug. 29, at 7:30 o'clock p. m.

The Gazette's voting contest is something like another election—you cannot tell who will be the winner until the final count. Sometimes, the last is first and the first is last. There are liable to be some "dark horses" in this race who are not making much noise or saying much; they have been too busy getting votes.

Of course if you win this special prize of \$10.00 in gold your votes will count on the piano and other valuable prizes, at the close of the contest. This is only done to get everybody started and to repay them for getting these votes. But remember you are getting your votes away up in the thousands and you will be better off when the final lap of the contest is started.

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Good until the first count Thurs. Aug. 29. Ballot box closes at 7:30 o'clock p. m. Coupons must be brought to this office and checked in order to get bonus.

Remember to have your friends trade with the merchants giving coupons.

The judges in this contest are: S. L. Graham, assistant cashier of the Peninsula Bank.

F. R. Savage, cashier of the Bank of Williamsburg.

T. H. Geddy Clerk of the Courts. The following young ladies have been nominated in this contest.

Williamsburg, Va.—Mrs. Charles Lanier, Mrs. Floyd Ayer, Jr.; Miss May Arnold, Miss Ingie Scheie, Miss Agnes Morecock, Miss Margaret Wolfe, Miss Rosa Emory, Miss Bessie Barlow, Miss Marjorie Dana, Miss Margaret Jones, Miss Martha Leath, Miss Emma Pilkington, Miss Bessie Powell, Miss Louise Inman, Miss Theresa Parsley, Miss Virgie Jones, Miss Virginia Hitchens, Miss Inez New, Miss Elva Gilley, Mrs. Henley Sweeney, Jr.

Toano, Va.—Miss Julia Carlton, Mrs. C. M. Cowles, Miss Anne Cary Geddy, Mrs. J. M. Geddy, Miss Marston, Miss Louise Tyree, Miss Etta Wilkinson, Mrs. Nan Hankins, Mrs. Dr. Gatewood.

Norge, Va.—Miss Clara Kinde, Miss Clara Gulden, Mrs. Boyd Henry, Miss Ruth Jerson, Miss Anderson, Miss Helen Connoughton, Miss Virginia Johnson.

Providence Forge, Va.—Mrs. F. W. Gilliam, Miss Lucile Robertson, Miss Sallie Christian, Miss Jerdone, Miss Ellen Barnes.

Lightfoot, Va.—Miss Gertrude Tweten, Miss Mabel Christopherson, Miss Alma Gulden.

Magruder, Va.—Miss Eleanor Simonson, Miss Ruth Handford, Miss Virginia Norment.

Miss Rosalix Curtis, Lee Hall, Va. Miss Sydney Smith, Yorktown, Va. Miss Fannie Nance, Charles City Va.

Miss Iva Ammons, Barnett, Va. Miss Dorris Lewis, Grove, Va. Miss Eva Walker, Holdcroft, Va.

Miss Bess Dennis, Binns Hall, Va. Miss B. T. Vaiden, Ruthville, Va. Miss Elva Stag, Barnett, Va. Miss Bessie Leal, Jamestown, Va.

INSTITUTE TO OPEN ON SEPTEMBER 17

The Rev. W. M. Hunter, president of the Williamsburg Female Institute, returned Saturday last from North Carolina, where with Mrs. Hunter and children, he spent a couple of weeks. The latter will return the first of September.

Dr. Hunter announced that the Institute would open on Sept. 17th under favorable circumstances. Better financial arrangements have been made for next session than in previous years, the Norfolk Presbytery having promised its assistance in a most liberal way. This will enable the president to give more attention to the Institute than heretofore.

Many Williamsburg people will be glad to know that Miss Eva Wright will again have charge of the music department. She had decided not to teach there next session, but having been guaranteed an able assistant, and her health having improved, she has finally decided to resume her work next month. Miss Virgie Jones, another popular Williamsburg teacher, will also be in the faculty.

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In the Parish House—Sunday school, 10 a. m.

METHODIST.
Rev. J. T. Whitley, D. D., Pastor.
Regular preaching services 11:15 a. m. and 8:00 p. m. Wednesday, night services at 8 p. m. Sunday School 10 a. m. Mr. C. B. Griffin Sunday school superintendent.
Epworth League Sunday at 7 p. m.

PRESBYTERIAN.
Services every Sunday at 11, and p. m. Sunday school at 9:45 a. m.

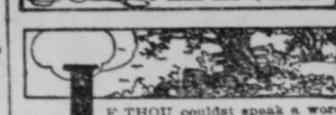
LUTHERAN.
Rev. Edward Brekhus, Pastor.
Services at Norge Sunday mornings at 10:30. Sunday School at close of service. Prayer meeting Wednesday at 8 p. m. Young People's Society meets every second Saturday at 8 p. m.

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The KITCHEN CABINET



IF THOU couldst speak a word of cheer, Oh, speak it now. This moment is thine own.
"Give us, oh, give us the woman who sings at her work."
HELPFUL HINTS.

Lettuce, parsley, cucumbers and radishes may be kept fresh and crisp by draining after washing in cold water, then cover in a tight dish. Potatoes, especially the new ones, may be reheated when cooked by dropping them into boiling water for a few moments, to become hot. Kitchen floors and tables of pine may be made white by scrubbing them with cold water, soap and wood ashes. This is rather hard on the hands, however. Soiled towels may be treated in this manner and become white again. Place them in a kettle and cover with cold water. Add shavings of pure soap and the juice of a lemon. Place on the back of the stove and allow the water to gradually come to a boil. If very much soiled the process may have to be repeated.

When food has cooked on to a dish, remove it from the heat and set it at once into cold water. The steam will escape from the outside instead of passing up through the food. Remove the food from the pan and proceed with the cooking, or add the sauce and serve.

When beating eggs, beat the whites first and add a spoonful of the beaten whites to the yolks. They will beat up much lighter and the yolks will not stick to the beater.

When lighting the gas, strike the match and slowly turn on the gas. So many people turn on the gas full force, then apply the match; an explosion follows which sends the meter forward.

Orange fritters are as delicious an accompaniment to broiled or fried ham as well as duck, as is applesauce to spare rib.

Some one who knows says that paraffine rubbed on the heels and toes of stockings will cause them to last much longer.

Mint may be steeped and strained and kept to add to lemonade for a palatable and cooling drink. Mint vinegar is another use for the fragrant mint. In preparing any drink of mint the water should be kept covered until cool so that the flavor is not lost.

Carpeters need oil occasionally, not too much, for it may soil the rug or carpet by dripping, or gather dust. The oil should be carefully wiped after applying the oil.

Lime some small patty tin with pastry, bake and then fill with stewed figs, add the sirup and top it with whipped cream.



The KITCHEN CABINET

LET the one who sighs for comfort Feel a hand-grasp true; It will cheer the way and surely Can't impoverish you.

Lives are human, though so often We disguise our pain; Souls are hungering for your comfort Give and give again.

SOME WAYS WITH FRUIT.

There is no better way to serve the rosy currant than rolling in sugar and well chilled; but as one likes variety, here is a very nice

Ripe Currant Pie.—Bake a shell of pastry and fill with the following: A cup of crushed currants, a cup of sugar, two eggs, two tablespoonfuls of water and one of flour. Beat the yolks of the eggs with flour and water, mix with the fruit, sugar, and stew until smooth. Bake in the pastry shell and cover with a meringue made of the whites of the eggs and two tablespoonfuls of sugar; brown and serve either hot or cold.

Raspberry Whip.—Mash a cup and a half of raspberries; add a cup of pulverized sugar, a pinch of salt and the white of an egg and beat all together thirty minutes. Serve heaped on a platter surrounded with whipped cream. Serve with macaroons.

Raspberry Whip and Currant Frappe.—Boil a quart of water and a cup and a third of sugar for thirty minutes; add one and a third cups of currant juice, two-thirds of a cup of raspberry juice; freeze.

Salpicon of Fruit.—Shred a pineapple; add a banana or two cut fine, an orange sliced and grape fruit; mix with a cup of sugar and a tablespoonful of water boiled until it hairs; add a tablespoonful of lemon juice, and when cool pour over the fruit. Serve chilled in tall glasses garnished with a Maraschino cherry.

Currants dipped in white of egg and rolled in granulated sugar are pretty served for first course. The currants should be large ones and left on the stems.



The Kitchen Cabinet

SEEING THE ECLIPSE

Moon's Passage Across Sun Watched in Holland.

Weather Ideal for Event—Neither Animal Nor Plant Life Was Affected in the Least; by Midday Gloom and Cold.

The Hague, Holland.—Whether the Dutch astronomers have succeeded in solving the problems set themselves with regard to the sun and moon will only be known when all the photographs taken in the eclipse camp in Idmburg have been developed and studied and the numerous observations then taken have all been worked out. The weather, every one admitted, was entirely favorable, so that a wealth of material was gathered.

One of the important tasks of the astronomers was to try to obtain data from which to determine the exact position and exact diameter of the moon. For that purpose they stationed observers at five different places. At each of the points chosen two telescopes were erected on firm stone foundations—one for direct ocular observations, the other for projecting the phenomenon on a screen, on which could be followed the whole course of the sun and moon while in conjunction.

The sky was ideal for observing the eclipse.

As for myself, I had chosen the open fields for taking observations. There it would be possible to note how birds, animals and plants comported themselves; for very conflicting stories are told of fear manifested by some creatures or of birds going to roost and of flowers closing their petals in sleep.

Exact to the half minute the sun began to show an indentation at the lower right hand side of the disk, but no diminishing of the warmth of its rays could yet be felt. Not until the moon had covered more than half of the sun was it appreciably colder. But at the critical moment, when only one-twentieth part of the sun's disk remained, like the sickle of a golden new moon, the air became very cold.

At the moment of greatest intensity of eclipse the light effect over the landscape was peculiar. It was somewhat like a very bright moonlight night, only that the colors were more vivid; the grass was much greener and the red of the roofs of the distant houses more intense.

Contrary to everything I had ever heard the animals in the fields took not the slightest notice of the gathering gloom. Cows, sheep and horses grazed calmly on or lay quietly chewing the cud. Neither was there a sign of unrest in the bird world. The skylarks did not cease their warbling nor the plovers circling over the meadows uttering their plaintive cries. Starlings and crows flew about in little flocks as usual. No birds went to roost as far as I could see.

The plants and flowers around me utterly ignored the phenomenon; the daisies did not close their stony eyes and the clovers did not fold their trefoils in sleep as they do at eventide.

But as I looked the moon was passing swiftly across the sun's disk and the lower right hand "horn" of the sun was visibly lengthening. The colors in the landscape grew brighter; more light flooded the fields. It seemed as if the light increased with greater rapidity than it had diminished. The temperature rose as the sun's sickle now appeared standing upright like a golden new moon. Then in a few seconds the lower rim of the sun reappeared. Soon it was "half sun," then three-quarters sun and at ten minutes to 2 only a small dark indentation showed on the extreme left of the sun's surface. At 1:57 the phenomenon was over. It had lasted about two hours and thirty minutes.

EGG'S SKIN AS LEG PATCH

Hole in Broken Bone Filled With Absorbent Tissue by Physicians May Heal.

New York.—The skin of an egg has been used by the surgeons in the Babylon (L. I.) hospital to fill up a hole left in the broken leg of a man. By the use of the egg it is believed that the injured limb will heal and, after a short time, be as serviceable as ever.

A few days ago Babylon residents were surprised by an advertisement appearing in a local paper, stating that the Babylon hospital was in need of an egg ready for hatching. Inquiry as to the use to which the egg was to be put revealed a curious operation in reconstructive surgery performed upon Patrick Padian, a patient in the hospital.

A telephone pole fell on Padian's leg, fracturing it. In healing, a small hole was left in the bone. The skin of the egg was placed in the hole, and the development of the cells formed new bone tissue, which has completely filled the opening.

73 Wounds; Can't Die Yet. San Francisco, Cal.—Michael Asheim, until recently a cigar dealer at No. 735 Ellis street, made an unsuccessful attempt in Golden Gate park to end his life by inflicting 73 wounds in his body, with a pocket knife. When examined at the Park Emergency hospital it was found that Asheim had cut his throat from ear to ear, stabbed himself 37 times in the breast and 48 times in the scalp. Dependency because of failure in business was given as the cause of the man's act.