

FOUR TASTY SOUPS

PREPARED ACCORDING TO MOST APPROVED MANNER.

Clear Tomato Perhaps the Most Popular of All—Cream of Sweet Potato Soup a Popular Southern Delicacy.

Clear Tomato Soup.—Add a pint of water to a can of tomatoes and place in a saucepan. Cut into dice one carrot, one onion, one turnip and one white potato; put two ounces of butter in the frying pan. Add the prepared vegetables and toss about until slightly browned, then stir them into the hot tomatoes, adding a stalk of celery or a quarter of a teaspoonful of celery seed, and boil 45 minutes. Remove from the fire and strain. Season with a teaspoonful of salt and a saltspoonful of white pepper, and then stir in two tablespoonfuls of butter. Serve in bouillon cups with toasted crackers.

Creole Vegetable Soup.—Wash and cut into thin slices half a dozen good sized okras. Place them in a saucepan with a pint of stewed tomatoes and one thinly sliced onion. Cover the whole with two quarts of cold water and simmer for two hours. Add two teaspoonfuls of salt, a saltspoonful of pepper, and two tablespoonfuls of butter. When the butter is dissolved stir in a tablespoonful of mushroom catsup and one tablespoonful of chopped green sweet pickles. Serve with triangles of toasted bread.

Puree of Lima Beans.—Cook one can of lima beans in a pint of salted water, adding a tablespoon of grated onion, a bay leaf, a blade of mace, and three whole cloves. When reduced to a pulp press through a fine sieve. Return to the fire and stir in two coffee cupsful of milk and season with half a spoonful of salt and dash of cayenne. Thicken with one tablespoon of butter and one of flour rubbed to a paste, letting it just reach the boiling point, to cook the flour. Serve at once with tiny crescents of fried bread.

Cream of Sweet Potato Soup.—This southern delicacy is made by peeling four sweet potatoes, covering with boiling water, and cooking five minutes, after which they should be drained and the water thrown away. Then cover them with one pint of boiling water, adding a slice of onion, a stalk of chopped celery, a bay leaf, and a pinch of thyme. Cover and cook until the potatoes are tender; then press them through a colander. Add one quart of milk and turn into the double boiler; rub together two tablespoonfuls of butter and flour; add to the soup and cook until smooth; season with a teaspoon of salt and a dash of cayenne and strain through a fine sieve. Reheat and stir in two tablespoonfuls of thick cream.

To Clean Lettuce.

When cleaning lettuce one often finds that each leaf is covered with a lot of tiny green bugs which it seems impossible to remove. It is a great time saver to wash the lettuce in cold water first to remove it of dirt, and then take water as hot as you can bear the hands in and place each leaf of lettuce in the water and shake it around in the water several times. You will find that the bugs will loosen their hold on the lettuce and will remain in the water. If the water becomes cool add some more hot water, as the hot water is a great deal more effective than cold. After the bugs are all off the lettuce replace it in cold water for a short time to renew the crispness.

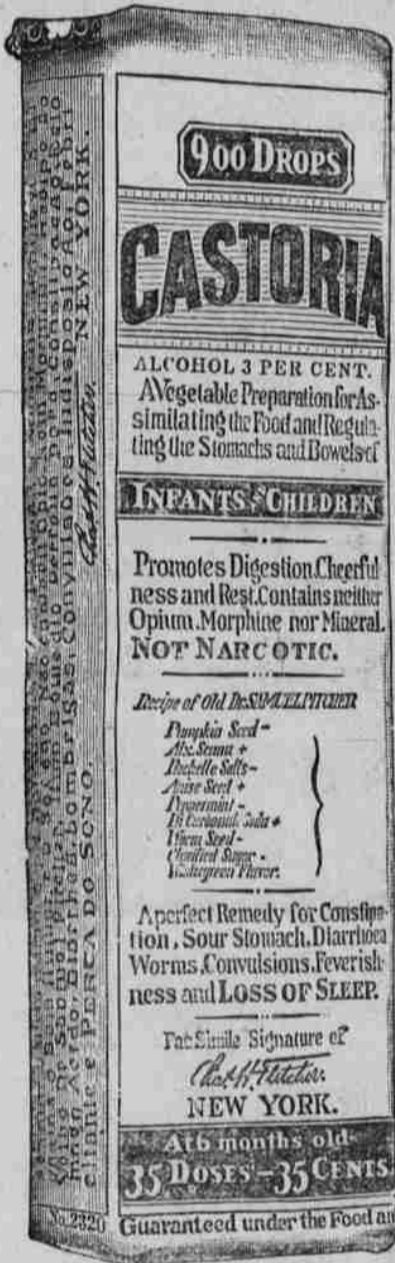
To Serve Tomatoes.

Take small yellow tomatoes, remove skins carefully, put them in the ice chest to get cold without freezing. Make a bed of crisp, white leaves of lettuce and arrange tomatoes in uniform order on this; over all sprinkle a little parsley chopped fine. Serve with French-dressing.

Save the Babies.

INFANT MORTALITY is something frightful. We can hardly realize that of all the children born in civilized countries, twentytwo per cent., or nearly one-quarter, die before they reach one year; thirtyseven per cent., or more than one-third, before they are five, and one-half before they are fifteen!

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Certainly.

"Why do you always read the newspaper criticisms of the opera so carefully after you have attended a performance?"

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Why He Wanted to Know.

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