

PRAYING FOR SAFE RETURN OF FATHER



A little family of Italian peasants are kneeling to pray in the ruined street of their village—praying for the return of the loved ones. Such scenes of sorrow will be seen no more, as Italy is now free from the presence of her hereditary foe.

BRIDES ELECT PAY ONE THIRD ON GOWNS THAT DIDN'T ARRIVE

Now They're Wondering How They'll Get Trousscaus in Time for Weddings

Greenville, Ala.—Half a dozen brides elect in Greenville, whose weddings were set for the next few weeks are in an embarrassing position because they haven't any wedding gowns and little time is left to get them. It all came about by the visit of a young man of attractive demeanor who stopped at the best hotel in here and soon made the acquaintance of several leading citizens. By this means he obtained audiences and displayed a tempting line of samples purporting to come from Chicago tailoring establishment. He offered unusually low prices and liberal conditions and engaged a local seamstress to make any necessary alterations when the garments arrived. The goods and trimmings were "just too lovely for anything" in the view of many of Greenville's young ladies, including several brides elect, who willingly advanced the one third in cash.

The salesman had to hurry to the next town, and neither he nor the stunning gowns have been heard from since.

Pays \$110 for Bride

Sacramento, Cal.—Rose Joe, the 17 year old daughter of Chin Joe, Chinese restaurant keeper of Marysville, Cal. and a graduate of the Marysville Grammar school, was sold by her father to Lee Dow, a wealthy San Francisco merchant for \$1100, and became the bride of the man she had never seen before. The bridegroom is 25 years older than Rose Joe, who is pretty and a talented pianist.

In growing chicks, the quality—the vigor, vitality, and capacity for growth—that the chick has when it starts in life count for at least as much as good conditions and good care.

It is beyond question that for passenger haul the public roads are used to a greater extent than the railroads. These impressive conditions have been created within the span of a single generation.

She was a wise spinster who said she would rather be laughed at for not being married than to be unable to laugh because she was.

A woman who is satisfied with her neighbor is never satisfied with herself—but who ever saw a woman satisfied with her neighbor?

LEARN HOW TO THROW WATER

Water buckets, always filled and ready in a strategic position, are the best fire protection a farmer can get for the money, says a bulletin on fire prevention issued by the United States Department of Agriculture.

Do you know how to throw a bucketful of water to put out a fire? A little practice in the art may be very useful, says the bulletin. The knack of throwing a broad sheet of water in a semicircular sweep is easily learned, and is useful on a spreading fire on the floor. Water dipped out with the hands or a dipper or a broom and sprinkled on the fire is often more effective than that thrown on the fire from a distance. The water should be applied to the base of the fire and not up in the flames and smoke.

CHEAP WAY TO CONTROL WEEDS

One of the best and cheapest ways to control weeds on farms is to keep a flock of sheep. In addition to controlling weeds without cost, sheep will render a profit by producing nutritious food and wool, and will assist materially in meeting demands on the Nation for meat and wool production. If weeds are not permitted to grow and develop leaves they will die, but it would require a great amount of hand labor to keep most weeds under control by this method. Sheep will keep the weeds down and the more weeds they eat the less will be their cost of upkeep, and the greater will be the supply of feed released for other stock. Many rough or permanent grass pastures that require mowing can be kept clean by the use of sheep, while at the same time the cattle-carrying capacity of the pasture is increased.

Such weeds as wild onion, bitterweed, and the ragweeds cause great annoyance to dairymen and milk dealers. These weeds, when eaten by milk cows, give a very disagreeable odor and flavor to the milk, and consequently to all other dairy products. When cows eat weeds in large quantities, the milk is not marketable. The control of pasture weeds is a big problem of dairymen in certain areas.

Stale crackers can be used in the same way as stale bread and stale bread crumbs. They may be combined with other foods and used in place of flour in making many dishes.

SEE WHAT'S BEEN FOUND NOW!

Workmen Unearth Jawbone of Dinotherium in Texas.

While excavating in a gravel pit near Temple, Tex., workmen unearthed the jawbone of a prehistoric animal that students of ethnology declare to be a dinotherium. The find was uncovered at a depth of ten feet. The bone and teeth, twenty-four in all of the latter, are well preserved.

Excavation was immediately suspended, pending the working out of plans to carefully proceed with the work so that the entire skeleton may be taken from the ground without damage.

Cleaning Gilt Frames
Gilt frames which have become dusty and fly-speckled can be cleaned by a careful dusting followed by washing with one ounce of soda, beaten up with the whites of three eggs.

Oil paintings can be cleaned with a pure white soap and water with a little care. Any other treatment should be undertaken only by an expert.

To the average hobo there's a lot of difference between free soap and free soup.

Household Hint

DELICIOUS SCENT
No scent is more delicious for the linen chest than dried sweet clover flowers.

Remember this on your next expedition to the country.

Tie the dried clover in cheesecloth bags and spread these between the layers of bed or table linen.

If one has ceased to care for lavender or sweet clover for the household linen, use the dried leaves or even the fresh branches of leman verben.

It is strangely sweet and wonderfully pungent and quite reminds one of grandmother's linen chest.

The Table.

Cuban Stew—Four pounds mutton, one cup olive oil, one can tomatoes, eight medium-sized onions, one can pear, one can mushrooms, eight good-sized potatoes, tablespoon salt and pinch of pepper. Put olive oil in bottom of kettle, add tomatoes and onions sliced, then mutton cut in pieces large enough to serve, then salt and pepper. Cover closely and simmer three hours. Then add potatoes cut in halves, and when they are cooked, add peas and mushrooms, both drained from liquor in the cans. When peas and mushrooms have been heated, thicken the whole and serve.

Dinner Omelet—One and one-half pounds round steak, one pound lean pork, one bunch celery, one cup cracker crumbs. Put all through food grinder; add one pint tomato, one egg, one cup milk, salt and pepper to taste. Bake in baking dish.

Divinity Fudge—Beat the whites of three eggs. Now boil three cups sugar, one-half cup water and one cup corn syrup till it forms a soft ball. Pour half into the beaten egg. Boil the other half until brittle, pour in with rest and stir. This makes a

delicious candy.

Veal Fricassee—One pound of veal from forequarter, cut in small pieces; brown in savory dripping until well seared and browned. Cover with cold water. Cook slowly until tender. Season to taste. Thicken gravy and pour into casserole or baking dish. Make biscuit of one pint flour, three teaspoons baking powder, salt, two tablespoons lard, enough water or milk to make a soft dough. Cut into small biscuits and drop into the boiling hot gravy. Set in the oven and bake until a nice brown (about a half hour). This gives a good meal for six persons.

Mock Mince Pie—One-half cup molasses, two-thirds cup water, two-thirds cup vinegar, one cup sugar, one cup bread crumbs, one cup chopped raisins, one tablespoon cloves, one tablespoon cinnamon, one nutmeg grated, butter size of an egg. Mix this and put it on stove to heat thoroughly, stirring often. Bake with two crusts.

Red Flummery—Stew two quarts cranberries in a very little water till they are all to pieces. Then strain juice through linen bag and sweeten it with one pound brown sugar. Take out a pint of the cranberry juice and make into a batter with one-half pound ground rice stirred in gradually. It must be quite smooth and free from lumps. Then put remainder of juice into saucepan, set in on hot fire and while boiling stir in gradually the rice batter. When it has boiled till quite thick and very smooth, strain it again, and put into molds to congeal. Eat with sweetened cream.

Pumpkin Pie—One cup cooked pumpkin drained dry, one and one-fourth cups milk, one egg, three-fourths cup sugar, one-fourth teaspoon ginger, three-fourths teaspoon cinnamon, one-fourth teaspoon salt.



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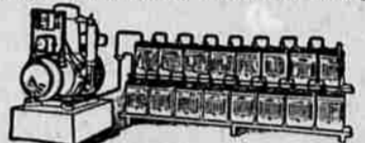
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