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Professor "Which is the most delicate of the senses?"

"A man who is addicted to the tobacco habit."

"Yes," rejoined the demoralizer, "he will even travel in a smoking car."

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"I have one hundred pounds a year for life, private money, and come into three thousand pounds when I am twenty-six years of age. Four months now."

"That's dependent on yourself. There ought to be." "Partnership, I suppose?" "Possibly. But, Mr. Veermont, aren't we going ahead a little too fast? I've stated my case."

"Three thousand pounds would buy an interest in a business." "So you would. So it would. But my affair is not coming off, my boy."

"You object to a business man as your daughter's husband?" "No—not absolutely. I would prefer his not being in business. Dora will be very uncertain and risky. But I don't object to a business man. All I say is that that business man must have what I call the Napoleonic spirit, and I don't think you have it."

"Well, I opened that account for you. You know, though I don't want the story repeated. You found Porley's manager dense, stupid, and unconvincible, didn't you?" "So did I. You went on for three years trying to talk him round. When you told me I made one call, saw there was no talking him round, and that man wasn't built that way, so I never wasted another moment on him. I went straight for old Porley himself. Got friendly with him, persuaded him his manager was ruining his business, got him to give him the sack and to appoint another, a young man of my own suggestion, who, of course, buys from me out of the grade. The name what I call the Napoleonic spirit!"

"I don't like it. It was rough on the manager." "It's a good position elsewhere. But that's not the point. In business the great thing I look for is this, that a man must show the spirit of the conqueror. After that, you know—'All's fair in love and war.'"

"Business is war, then?" "Distinctly." "My little incident is love. I'll think over your words, Mr. Veermont." "Do. But put your money on the right horse, Wallace. Take the straight tip. It won't come off."

"Three months later Mr. William Veermont sat at dinner with his family. The party consisted of four: Mr. and Mrs. Veermont, Dora and Mrs. Veermont's mother, Mrs. Pax. "William," said that lady, cheerfully, "I have a pleasant surprise for you."

"What is it, mother?" "You have consented to stay another week." "His face fell. "It's very kind of you," he said. "I hope you're not putting yourself out on our account."

About the ... House

SELECTED RECIPES.

To Cure a Ham—Boil together for half an hour six quarts of water, one-half pound of brown sugar, one ounce of salt, and two pounds of molasses.

USEFUL HINTS. To extinguish a chimney on fire take a large handful of sulphur and pour it into the fire. When the sulphurous smoke rises they will at once put out the fire.

Never allow meats to boil while they are being cooked in water. Hard boiling in salted water will toughen the tenderest piece of meat.

Portuguese Stuffed Egg Plant.—Wash a large egg plant; dip it into boiling water for ten minutes; drain and set aside until cold.

Corn Puffs.—Score down the center of each row of grains of six ears of corn; with a dull knife press out the pulp; chop the pulp fine; mix with a half and a half to this half a cupful of milk, the yolks of two eggs and half a teaspoonful of salt.

Fruity Fruit Sauce.—Peel and press through a sieve sufficient ripe peaches to give one-half of a cupful of pulp. Chop the pulp fine; mix with one-half of a cupful of sugar and one cupful of water; add one level tablespoonful of corn starch dissolved in cold water; mix well; boil for five minutes longer.

Fruit Butters are easier to make than jellies, and they go farther and are quite as good. Besides all the pulp is used, which is lost in jelly making.

Visitor—When you are grown up will you be a doctor, like your father? Bobby—Merely, no. Why, I couldn't even kill a rabbit!

ESTATE WAS ALMOST LOST

BECAUSE OF A RICH WIDOW'S FAD FOR FALSE NAMES.

Reported Coupons Stolen and Afterwards Found Among Effects. A strange and romantic story lies behind the legal notice issued by a well-known firm of solicitors which is appearing in advertisements in the columns of the London (English) papers.

Nothing came from all this publicity, and, leaving the bonds in the possession of the solicitors, the woman disappeared from her hotel. Notwithstanding every effort was made to trace her, she could not be found.

MEAT SAUCE.—Put in a large saucepan one cupful of cold water, one cupful of minced onion, one cupful of minced carrot, one cupful of minced celery, one cupful of minced mushrooms, one cupful of minced parsley, one cupful of minced tomato, one cupful of minced green peas, one cupful of minced corn, one cupful of minced lima beans, one cupful of minced kidney beans, one cupful of minced pinto beans, one cupful of minced black beans, one cupful of minced red beans, one cupful of minced white beans, one cupful of minced chickpeas, one cupful of minced lentils, one cupful of minced split peas, one cupful of minced mung beans, one cupful of minced garbanzo beans, one cupful of minced fava beans, one cupful of minced broad beans, one cupful of minced chickpeas, one cupful of minced lentils, one cupful of minced split peas, one cupful of minced mung beans, one cupful of minced garbanzo beans, one cupful of minced fava beans, one cupful of minced broad beans.

DANGER FROM THE CAT.

Said to be a Source of Disease in Households. The wandering cat is the greatest source of danger to any city or town. The evil that it does as a carrier of disease has been made the subject of special study by Dr. A. W. Martin, the health officer of Gorton, an outlying district of Manchester, England.

PUZZLE TO ACQUAINTANCES. If her object had been solely that of the concealment of the possession of property, the woman would have been in a foreign hotel, undisturbed by the police.

ENGLISH NURSES.

Are in Great Request in all Royal Nurseries. There are many to rejoice over the birth of a son to the Czar, but no one is more jubilant than the English nurse of the Czarina, who lives at the Russian Court, and in her way quite a personage, "Miss Orchard."

AN UP-TO-DATE DEFENCE.

"I propose to show gentlemen of the jury," said counsel for the defence, "that it is impossible for the defendant to have committed this crime."

ILLUSTRATING THE MEANING.

Teacher—"Have you looked up the meaning of the word 'imbibes'?" Fanny—"Yes, ma'am."

NO CONSUMPTION THERE.

As for the white scourge, as consumption has been well termed, there are several places which are immune from tuberculosis. These are chiefly deserts. In almost any part of the Sahara the person who fears consumption may live free of the terror, and at the other end of Africa, the Kalahari desert, is an equally safe refuge.

RESEARCH which is also free from tuberculosis is the high country in Southern California. Here reside in fair health many who, in other parts of the world, are almost sure to die.

MOSQUITOES EXTERMINATED. There is one place, at least, where mosquitoes are quite unknown. This is the island of Sardinia. Three years ago the authorities of Sassari set to work to absolutely exterminate these winged pests. A chart was made of the town, and the mosquitoes were shown ever pond or other piece of stagnant water where mosquitoes could breed.

PIANOS ARE REGULATED. In Carlsruhe, the capital of Baden, no one may play a piano with open windows under penalty of a sharp fine. The law is a device to keep the piano from the streets, and has taken the octroi taxes off beer and cider, and levied duties instead on pianos, which now have to pay the same as a year ago.

CAPITAL OF NORWAY. The police of that city have hit upon a method of controlling criminals so ingenious that the city is now more free from crimes of robbery than any other place of the same size in the world. The man who is, or is suspected to be, a professional thief is provided with a number, and obliged to report himself to the police at regular intervals. Under such circumstances the burglar's lot in Christiania has become so far from a happy one that most members of the profession have abandoned the city, and are favored by the attentions of police.

NO INTOXICANTS. There are, however, two American towns where the liquor traffic is practically unknown. One is Ocean Grove, founded some years ago by the Methodists on the coast of New Jersey. In Ocean Grove liquor, tobacco or even a puff of playing cards is prohibited.

THE OTHER IS BERKELEY, a town of 20,000 people, near San Francisco, and the seat of the University of California. It has not only no public houses, but also not one single policeman.

THE SERVANT problem becomes more and more serious every year, and a certain class of people who have made the lives of many mistresses a burden. The latter should move to Hungary, which is, perhaps, more free from domestic labor problems than any other country.