

Household Hints

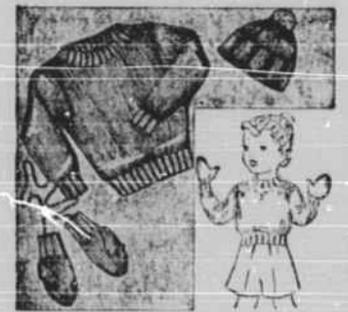
The potato ricer can be used to wring out hot cloths and save many burned fingers.

Applesauce and cranberries make a delicious combination to serve with roast pork.

In planning meals, bacon should be considered as fat rather than meat, because it contains very little protein.

Stainless steel utensils have to be heated slowly over a low flame or the foods being cooked in them will scorch.

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Elevation and Merit
There is merit without elevation, but there is no elevation without some merit.—La Rochefoucauld.

Why We Boast
Boasting is but an art our fears to blind.—Homer.

'Forget It, Lady'
A farm woman continued to find cream skimmed off the milk she left in the spring house. Finally she put the crocks on a table and covered them with plates. She heard a plate fall, hurried to the scene and saw four young skunks on their hind legs lapping cream. She left

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DREW PEARSON & ROBERT ALLEN

Washington, D. C.
WARY GRAVY-TRAINER
You can write it down that Secretary of Agriculture Claude Wickard is going to be very chary about using that gravy-train veto power the farm lobby voted him in the price control bill.

He knows that the White House is still sputtering over his unauthorized endorsement of this lobby scheme at a crucial moment in the senate fight over the legislation. Also, that if he attempts to exercise the power he is liable to be slapped down even harder than when he fronted for the lobby.

Actually, under cover, Wickard has promised in effect to be a good boy.

It didn't leak out at the time, but during the secret deliberations of the joint senate-house conference committee on the bill, he wrote the committee a letter repudiating his previous endorsement and saying he didn't want the veto power over farm prices.

Wickard wrote this letter under White House pressure. He knew he was in bad and he tried to square himself.

But for the administration, the backdown was too late. The damage had been done, for the amendment was in the bill and the lobby's pals on the joint committee were in a powerful position to stand pat.

In this final bitter fight, two Alabama Democrats and a Michigan Republican were responsible for the retention of the gravy-train provision. They were Sen. John H. Bankhead and Rep. Henry B. Steagall of Alabama, and Rep. Jesse P. Wolcott of Michigan.

As the amendment originated in the senate, under the rules, it was necessary for the house conferees to propose deletion. Steagall, chairman of the house group, publicly makes a great show of being a red hot Administrationite. But behind closed doors of the committee room he adamantly refused to heed Roosevelt's pleas for elimination of the lobby amendment.

Backed by Wolcott, who fought the vital war bill from the start, and with Bankhead running interference in the senate group, Steagall forced the retention of the provision.

Note: The administration's fight was made by Sen. Prentiss Brown, Michigan Democrat, and Sen. John Danaher, Connecticut Republican.

Another Row.
Wickard's fronting for the farm lobby in the price control bill isn't the only row he's had on this score with inner administration leaders.

The papers are full of stories about a big crop expansion program this year to meet the food needs of U. S. war allies. Frequent press releases issue from the busy publicity staff of the agriculture department about grandiose plans.

The real inside is that Wickard didn't get busy on these plans until he was practically ordered to do so by Vice President Henry Wallace as head of the Economic Warfare board.

Wallace sent Wickard two sharp letters demanding prompt action to expand crop production and only then did Wickard bestir himself.

Certain farm elements are against crop expansion, on the ground that scarcity makes for better prices. Working through politically minded Triple A officials, who have a lot of influence with Wickard, the anti-expanders kept him on the fence until Wallace jarred him off.

Note: Secretly, the AAA politicians also had a lot to do with Wickard's endorsement of the gravy-train amendment in the price bill. The AAAers are jealous of Price Administrator Leon Henderson's authority, want to elbow their way into the war set-up as big shots.

F.D.R. AXES LEWIS

The inside reason why John L. Lewis was not named a member of the three-man C.I.O. peace committee was because President Roosevelt personally blocked it.

When he and C.I.O. President Phil Murray discussed the counter plan that scuttled Lewis' blitz scheme, Roosevelt advised that the new A.F.L. and C.I.O. peace committees be limited to three members each. That would avoid turning the joint committee into a "mass meeting," he explained, and also make it easier to keep hostile Lewis out of the picture.

"If you have too large a committee, Phil," the President added with a smile, "you may appoint Lewis."

"I guess you're right, Mr. President," laughed Murray.
Note: Lewis intimates say he would not have accepted appointment to the committee if it had been offered him.

People Live in Cones

In Cappadocia, Turkish province, where St. Peter made converts in the latter years of his ministry, the people still live as their forefathers did, 2,000 years ago—in vast conical dwellings composed of volcanic rock. The huge cones, some of skyscraper height, are rough and untouched outside, but their interiors are shaped into comfortable dwellings, snug in winter and cool in summer. They have no doors, the entrances being closed by flat, circular stones.

Sometimes a single cone houses an entire community, and the walls are carved with frescoes.

MOROLINE HAIR TONIC

Beyond in Evil
He who imitates what is evil always goes beyond the example that is set; on the contrary, he who imitates what is good always falls short.—Gicciardini.

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Way of Ease
It is much easier to be critical than to be correct.—Benjamin Disraeli.

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Lesson for February 15

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THE HEALING MINISTRY OF JESUS

LESSON TEXT—2:1-12.
GOLDEN TEXT—Jesus... was moved with compassion toward them, and he healed their sick.—Matthew 14:14.

Man is more than a body. He is made up of body, soul, and spirit. In a physical world where he is so much in touch with physical nature, and the needs of his body are so much before him, he is prone to forget that there is within a spiritual nature which is his real self.

God is interested in both the physical and spiritual side of man.

I. Faith Brings a Double Need to Christ (vv. 1-4).

This faith-stimulating story faces us first with

1. An Impossible Situation. Incurably afflicted and helpless physically and far more deeply afflicted spiritually, this man had no one who could heal his body and restore his soul. Apart from the power of God in Jesus Christ his situation was hopeless, and thus he may well typify every one of us except for the grace of Christ.

Furthermore, his circumstances were such as to make it impossible for him to get to Jesus, who was there in his city. Even when his four friends came to his help and bore him to the house where Jesus was, they could not enter because of the crowds. So a journey begun in hope was evidently to close in despair. But wait, these men had

2. An Undeniable Faith. "Where there's a will there's a way." Where there is faith the obstacles may be surmounted. Having begun a good work they persevered in it.

Had these men been bound by convention or custom they would never have put their friend at Jesus' feet. They did try to make a proper entry through the door, but it was blocked. The way to Jesus is often closed, by some custom, a vain philosophy, or a religious ceremony. Let us, like these believing men, open the roof if necessary to bring our needs and our needy friends to Him.

Although mention is made only of the palsy of this man, it is probable that both he and they knew that his need was for a double cure, for he was yet in his sins.

They brought him to Jesus, where their

II. Faith Receives a Double Reward From Christ (vv. 5-12).

Immediately Jesus "saw their faith" (v. 5), just as He always does. God is on the lookout for faith and is quick to reward it. The twofold need here brought a double blessing.

1. Spiritual Cleansing. The man's physical affliction thus proved to be his greatest blessing, for it brought him to Jesus, who cleansed him of all unrighteousness. If he had not been palsied he might never have met the Lord. Suffering, then, may be a means of grace. That is more than a pious platitude, for it has been proved repeatedly in the existence of men and women.

Certain scribes "sitting there" (they were not doing a thing to help) began to reason in their hearts that Jesus was blaspheming because only God can forgive sin. Their theology was faultless and their reasoning was logical, but the premise of their argument was wrong. Only God can forgive sin, but Jesus is God, something which they in their wisdom did not realize or accept.

We (especially young people in school) should be careful that the fluent smoothness of some unbelieving philosopher's logic does not lead us astray, and away from God's truth.

Note also the solemnizing thought that Jesus knew what they were thinking in their hearts.

The challenge of these questioning scribes is met by

2. Physical Healing. Forgiving sins was harder than healing the body, but these enemies of Jesus lived so much in the realm of the physical that He had to give them a demonstration of His almighty power which they could see. It was a gracious thing for Him to do, and perhaps necessary in those early days of His life and ministry.

Today, with all the light of history upon the work of God, we need to beware that we do not sit in the seat of the scornful and demand a physical sign before we will believe.

Blaine Minded Not Abuse, Just So He Wasn't Ignored

James G. Blaine, the famous American statesman, at one time was being bitterly attacked by a leading New York newspaper. His friends were fearful that this adverse publicity would harm his career, and pleaded with him to come to some understanding with the paper.

One old friend of his, who was on good terms with the editor, was certain that he could exert some influence and offered to intercede with the editor.

"Don't bother," said the shrewd Blaine, "I don't mind being abused, so long as I am not forgotten."

Curtailed Camera

The federal laws that prohibit the photographic reproduction of currency, stamps, bonds and similar government papers go a step further to protect certificates of naturalization. Even the making of a typewritten copy of such a document, whether for a legitimate purpose or for fraud, subjects the offender to a severe penalty.

Bake Whole Camel

Ibn Saud, king of Saudi Arabia, sometimes gives a great banquet in his palace in Riyadh at which a large number of camels are served whole, having been cooked in giant vessels that hold an entire carcass.

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Point of Contrition

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