

## APRIL FOOL FUN

IT'S fun to give a party on the first of April, for people are all prepared for foolishness. One way to make them laugh is to supply each of your guests with a dunce's cap, and announce the rule that they must keep it on until you have tried to fool them and failed. Otherwise the caps continue to fit.

Have a tall dunce's cap, too, in the middle of the table with strings or ribbons leading from beneath it to each guest's place. When you sit down, tell your guests to pull the strings. Have tiny purses attached to the end of each of them (the sort of purses you can buy at the ten cent store), and in some of the purses a nickel, dime or quarter, but in others nothing but a slip inscribed "April Fool." Make your guests guess, before they open the purses, whether they will find wealth in them or that time-tried witticism.

### Some More "Old-Timers"

Some of your guests will guess right, and be able to take off their dunce caps. Ask the rest who are still wearing caps to draw in three lines a picture of an armed soldier passing through a doorway and followed by a dog. The answer is one perpendicular line for the side of the door, one slanting line toward the top of it representing the end of a bayonet, and a little upcurved line low down to represent the puppy's tail.

If no one knows this and it fails to remove any caps, try something

else until they are all removed. Ask innocently of someone if he has seen Arthur today. "Arthur who?" is almost the invariable inquiry, to which the answer is: "Our thermometer." Foolish but fun.

There are most realistic candy cigarettes and cigars in the candy shops, and these can be passed to the guests, some of whom may take one in good faith, especially if you have picked up one in apparent absent mindedness, and struck a match with which to light it.

### Take the Food Seriously

You can fool your guests to the top of your head with these and other equally foolish stunts, but be sure that you don't try to fool them about the quality of the food. That's a serious matter, and should be so treated. We would suggest a dinner like the following:

- Peach and Melon Cocktail**
  - Lobster Bisque**
  - New Peas au Gratin in Carrot Boats**
  - Lettuce Salad**
  - Hot Biscuits**
  - Orange Ice Cream**
  - Demi-Tasse**
- Peach and Melon Cocktail:** Cut a can of peach halves in even cubes and a melon into balls. Arrange equal quantities of each in cocktail glasses. Over each serving sprinkle one tablespoon confectioners' sugar, one tablespoon peach syrup and one teaspoon lemon juice. Just before serving, fill up the glasses with iced gingerale.

**Lobster Bisque:** Make a white sauce of four tablespoons butter, four tablespoons flour, four cups milk, two teaspoons salt, and pepper and cayenne. Remove taudons from the contents of a 6-ounce can of lobster, add one cup water and a pinch of thyme, and simmer gently five minutes. Add to the white sauce. Beat one egg yolk slightly, add one cup cream, and then add to the other ingredients. Heat in a double boiler. Serve in cups with either a few croutons floating on top or with a tablespoon of whipped cream. Serves eight.

**New Peas au Gratin in Carrot Boats:** Scrape eight large, even carrots, and boil them whole. Scoop them out into boats, and keep them hot. Boil two cups new peas until tender. Meanwhile, make a sauce of one and a half tablespoons butter, one and a half tablespoons flour, two cups milk and one-half teaspoon salt. Add the grated contents of a 3 1/2-ounce can of American cheddar cheese, and stir till melted. Add the peas, season, and fill into the carrot cups. Serves eight.

### A Delicious Dessert

**Orange Ice Cream:** Beat two eggs well, add seven-eighths cup sugar, two cups orange juice, one tablespoon grated orange rind and one-half cup lemon juice, and let stand until sugar is all dissolved. Add the contents of three 6-ounce cans of evaporated milk, color as desired with yellow coloring, and freeze. Serves eight.

tate of said deceased to exhibit them to the undersigned on or before the 12th day of March 1935, or this notice will be pleaded in bar for their recovery. All persons indebted to said estate will please make immediate payment.

Signed: (Mrs.) SARAH M. RADCLIFFE, Administratrix to Roscoe L. Radcliffe

### NORTH CAROLINA HYDE COUNTY IN THE SUPERIOR COURT BETTIE EVANS, PLAINTIFF VS. REUBEN EVANS, DEFENDANT NOTICE

The defendant, Reuben Evans, will take notice that an action entitled as above has been commenced in the Superior Court of Hyde County, N. Carolina, to obtain an absolute divorce on the grounds of two or more years separation; and the defendant will further take notice that he is required to appear at the office of the Clerk Superior Court of Hyde County in the Court House at Swan Quarter, North Carolina, on the 17 day of April, 1934, and answer or demur to the Complaint in said action or the plaintiff will apply to the Court for the relief demanded in said Complaint. This 17 day of March, 1934.

C. L. BELL, Clerk Superior Court Hyde County, North Carolina. 3-23-34.

### NOTICE OF SALE

By virtue of the power of sale contained in a certain deed of trust

from Jes. A. Jackson to S. M. Blount Trustee, dated January 29th 1932 and duly recorded in the register of deeds office of Beaufort County in Book 204, page 1. The undersigned trustee will offer for sale on Wednesday April 4th 1934, at noon, at auction for cash at the Court House Door in Washington, Beaufort County the following described property in Washington Township.

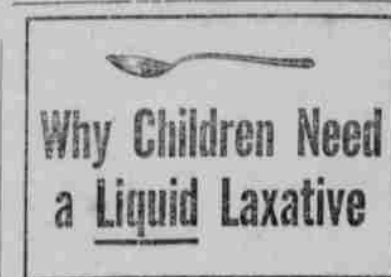
1st Tract—Adjoining the lands of H. H. Hardison and others and being on the road leading from old Ford to Stallings Cross Roads and consisting of 290 acres known as the R. L. Little—Mills farm and now known and the J. A. Jackson, home place (131 acres of this tract subject to mortgage to Virginia Carolina Joint Stock Land Bank of Elizabeth City).

2nd Tract—Consisting of 115 acres known as the Fowle or Greenlee—Johnston Land, which J. A. Jackson bought from Washington Beaufort Land Co., Nov. 13th, 1920.

S. M. BLOUNT, Trustee. Washington, March 3, 1934. 41-3-9-34

debited to said estate will please make immediate payment. This 9th day of March, 1934. Signed CYLDE W. SMITH, Executor.

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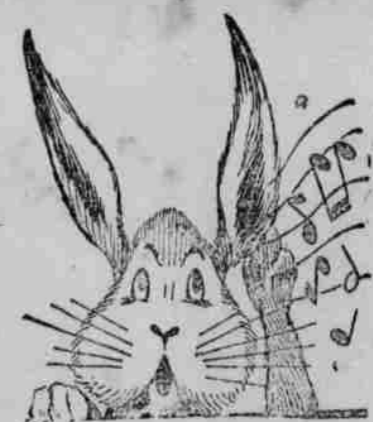


The temporary relief children get from some synthetic, habit-forming cathartic may cause bowel strain, and even set-up irritation in the kidneys. A properly prepared liquid laxative brings a perfect movement. There is no discomfort at the time and no weakness after. You don't have to give the child "a double dose" a day or two later.

Can constipation be corrected in children? "Yes!" say medical men. "Yes!" say many mothers who have followed this sensible medical advice: 1. Select a good liquid laxative. 2. Give the dose you find suited to the system. 3. Gradually reduce the dose until the bowels are moving regularly without aid.

An approved liquid laxative (one that is widely used for children) is Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin. The mild laxative action of this excellent preparation is the best form of help for children—and grown-ups, too. The dose can be regulated for any age or need.

Your druggist has Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin. Member N. R. A.



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Friday, Apr. 6<sup>TH</sup>. 9:30 'till 2 Admission \$1

Among the nine young women who graduated at the winter... and Miss Scanita Young of... a four year course leading... A. B. degree which entitles them to a grade State Teachers certificate. They will receive the degrees and diplomas at the formal graduation exercises at commencement.

Rev. N. D. Wiggs filled his regular appointment here last Sunday at the Free Will Baptist church morning and evening services were well attended.

RENEW YOUR SUBSCRIPTION TO THE TIMES.

ADMINISTRATRIX NOTICE Having qualified as administratrix of the estate of Roscoe L. Radcliffe deceased, late of Pantego, North Carolina this is to notify all persons having claims against the es-

SPRING TIME IS PAINT TIME

You will always find a large assortment of best paints at lowest prices here.

**D. W. Blount**

### THE FAMILY NEXT DOOR

YOU DID SAY YOU'D BE MINE AND IF YOU CAN'T REMEMBER THAT, ALL I GOTTA SAY IS YOU'VE SOME BUM MEMORY!

I HAVE, BUD! I INHERITED MY FATHER HAD A POOR MEMO AND SO DID M. & FATHER!

AW, THAT INHERITANCE BUSINESS IS A BUNCH A DRY APPLE SAUCE! WHAT IF YOUR PA HAD BEEN A FOOL AND--

-IF YOUR GRANDPA HAD BEEN A FOOL, WHAT WOULD YOU BE?

OH, IN THAT CASE--

I'D PROBABLY BE YOUR WIFE!

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