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### DON'T WORRY ABOUT IT

Try One of These Dishes on Your Table Tomorrow.

**Cocoanut Cheese Cakes**—Take equal weight of grated cocoanut and caster sugar and mix with the milk of a cocoanut or the white of an egg. Let this simmer over the fire until the nut is tender, stirring it carefully all the time to prevent its burning. Stand it aside to cool, and when lukewarm add the yolks of two well beaten eggs and half a teaspoonful each of rose water and orange flower water.

**German Toast**—Makes a nice pudding. Cut thick slices of bread and dip them each side in milk (enough to soften), then dip in beaten eggs, put in a pan greased with just sufficient hot butter to fry. Cook till light brown, then sprinkle sugar over and serve with jam sauce. Two eggs will be sufficient to dip nearly a dozen slices of bread.

rub well into the silk. This will not only remove all dust and grease, but will make the material look like new.

**White cloth** should be well rubbed with ground rice, a pad of cotton wool being used to apply the rice. Brush out and the cloth will be found quite clean.

**To Clean White Satin**—Rub, according to the grain of the satin, with very dry bread crumbs slightly tinged with washing blue. A scrap of old white silk should be used to apply the bread crumbs and the satin well brushed afterwards with a soft brush.

### Maxims and Moralizings.

Be wisely worldly, but not worldly wise.—Quarles.

He makes no friends who never made a foe.—Tennyson.

Duty only knits her brow when you fly from her. Follow her and she smiles.—Carmen Sylva.

Presents make the heart grow fonder.—Frank Clemens.

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and the hotter the toast is served the better.

A popular mould of cold meat is made as follows: Melt half an ounce of dripping in a small saucepan and when quite hot put in a sliced onion and fry till tender. Add half an ounce of flour and two tablespoonfuls of stock, stirring all the time. Boil well, add a dessertspoonful of catsup and the same of chopped parsley. Mix well into this half a pound of cooked meat, chopped finely, and let it get cold. Grease a basin well, line it with brown crumbs and fill it with the above mixture, cover with greased paper and bake in a moderate oven for half an hour. Turn out to serve and pour a good gray around.

### Four Cloth Cleaning Hints.

**To Clean Blue Serge**—Sponge with strong indigo blue water, place on a board after the water has been allowed to evaporate and press with a warm iron.

**To Clean Black Taffetas**—Take as much whisky as required and

son has too small a place he does his work so well as to make the place bigger.—L. B. Briggs.

My rule is to go straight forward in doing what appears to be right, leaving the consequences to Providence.—Benjamin Franklin.

A cheerful mind is not only disposed to be affable and obliging, but raises the same good humor in those who come within its influence.—Addison.

### VICTORIA BEAT CALIFORNIA

First Game a Draw, Second a Win, Third Is Necessary.

(Canadian Press Despatch.)

Victoria, Dec. 29.—Victoria won the second game from the University of California today in the series for the Cooper Keith trophy, won last year by the Berkeley players. The score was six points to three. The first game was drawn, so a third game is necessary.

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