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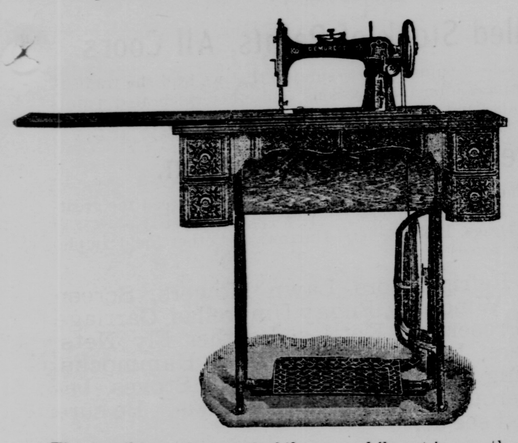
And Many More, too, if Needed.

The Demorest Sewing Machine Company uses this method to announce to the many readers of the Easton Gazette that they sell to the customer direct and make the

Best Sewing Machine in the World,

And Fully Guarantee it for Ten Years.

The reason we can sell so low is that our manufacturing facilities are the largest and best in the world, and because we cut off the immense and useless expense of canvassing, selling on time, etc.



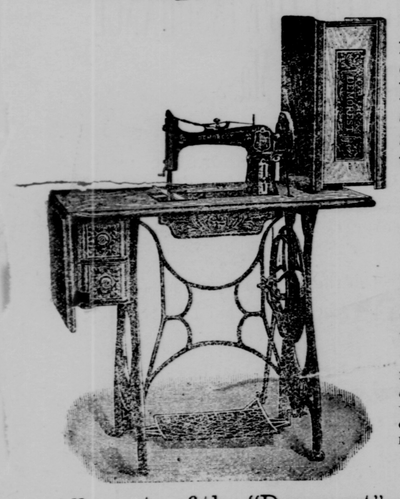
SOMETHING NEW.

OUR NO. 4 DROP HEAD.

The head drops down out of the way while not in use, thereby giving you an extra piece of furniture in the shape of a beautiful table. The wood work is elegantly finished in dark oak. Price, $23.50.

WE SELL FOR CASH ONLY.

therefore have no losses, and can afford to sell on small margins.



The old way of selling sewing machines, canvassing from one house to another, is almost as expensive as the manufacture of the machines.

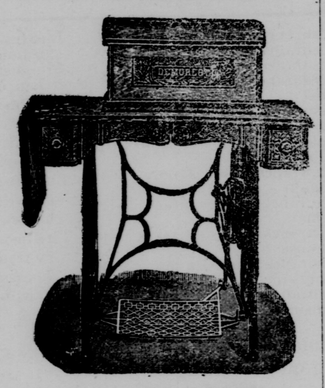
Our No. 3.

A perfect machine, with many thousands of admirers to advance its sale. In Talbot county alone there are very many of them in use, sold through the advertisement of the GAZETTE. You may have your choice of Light or Dark Oak or Walnut. Always ready to work, never out of order, makes no noise, and runs so easy.

Price, $19.50 cash.

All parts of the "Demorest" are made interchangeable so that if any piece or part wears out, it can be replaced by any one without mechanical skill.

It stands alone in the Sewing machine field, the cheapest, the best, the most popular machine on the market.



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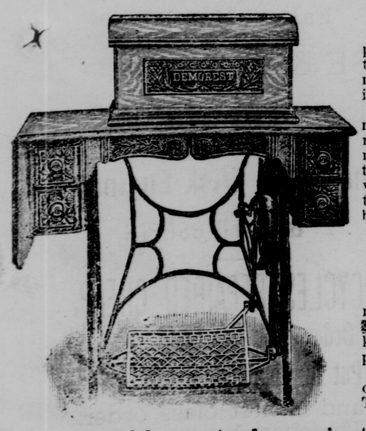
Exquisite, dnable, quiet and reliable. Finished in light or dark oak or walnut. Price, $19.50.

Don't allow high priced agents to talk you into the notion that our machine is anything but the best.

False statements from them cost you too much, and you will find are very expensive.

No one has yet attempted to excel the "Demorest."

250,000 ARE NOW IN USE.



The "Demorest" has no competitors, for their is no incentive to competition when the most that can be accomplished is to equal it.

All ordinary repairs free. Do not trade off your old Demorest machine, no matter how old it may be, a small investment in the way of repairs will most invariably put it in good order so that it will last you for a number of years longer.

OUR NO. 4.

Light or Dark Oak or Walnut. Price, $22.50.

We do not make the poor kinds—neither do we ask big prices for our good ones.

Write us for particulars, but orders received only through THE GAZETTE.

To enable us to know just what this advertisement is doing all orders must pass through the GAZETTE and a list of persons who have bought the machines in Talbot will be cheerfully furnished.

Address, GAZETTE, Easton, Md.

SAFE COSMETICS.

How to Secure a Good Complexion Without Using Poisonous Drugs.

Arsenic is a very deadly poison. Its application to the skin is injurious to the skin itself, and through absorption mischievous results may occur in important internal organs, particularly the kidneys. The only really safe cosmetics are those which will impart health not alone to the skin of the face, but to the whole skin. Beauty is a sign of health. A thoroughly healthy skin is always beautiful unless temporarily defaced by exposure to sun or wind. The English trainers of pugilists preparing for prize-fights judge of the condition of their charges by the appearance of the skin. When a man's skin is as white as a woman's, as the trainer says, he is held to be in good condition.

Beauty is more than skin deep. A state of the body which results in a clear, healthy, active skin will produce likewise a good complexion. The only face beautifiers which are really absolutely safe and sound in principle are those which minister to the health of the body as a whole, and which secure pure blood, vigorous muscles, active liver and kidneys and a thoroughly sound state of the whole body.

Among these measures the most valuable are the warm bath taken two or three times a week, followed by a cold shower bath, and the cold morning sponge bath, supplemented by a pure dietary and abundance of out of door exercise. Hot and cold applications applied to the face alone will produce temporary improvement in appearance, but the old blotches, pimples and other disfigurements will soon reappear unless the body as a whole is purified. It is for this temporary effect that persons who make a specialty of removing facial blemishes make such great use of steaming the face. The application of cold water, followed by vigorous rubbing, is highly beneficial to the complexion. Redness of the nose may often be relieved by a hot spray applied for some little time. Pimples on the face are generally due to disordered digestion and disappear speedily when the tongue becomes clean and the digestion normal. —Selected.

How to Serve Calves' Brains on Toast.

Wash and boil a pair of calves' brains. When cooled, throw them into cold water to blanch them. Drain and chop fine. Add to them a tablespoonful of minced ham or tongue and four tablespoonfuls of cream or as much milk to which has been added a tablespoonful of melted butter. Pepper and salt to taste. Make the mixture very hot. Heat it on squares of hot buttered toast and sprinkle over the top fine bread crumbs fried to a crisp golden brown in a little butter.

How to Cure Lockjaw.

It is said that no person need die of lockjaw if these directions are properly followed as soon as the characteristic symptoms appear: Put hot wood ashes into water as hot as the patient can bear and put the injured member into it. If the part injured cannot be put into the water, wet cloths in the water and apply them quickly. At the same time bathe the spine from the neck down with cayenne pepper and water, or with mustard and vinegar—any good laxative stimulant. It should be as hot as the patient can bear it. Don't stop work until the jaws relax, and don't lose any time in getting to work when the first indications are noted.

How to Make Toilet Water.

A most agreeable toilet water, which has a most restorative effect, is composed of the following ingredients: One-half ounce simple tincture of benzoin, one ounce tincture of camphor, two ounces eau de cologne. Drop these severally and slowly into one-half pint of boiling water. Put a wineglass of it into the water before washing and a tablespoonful into a pint of fresh water to rinse the face finally.

How to Bake Calf's Liver.

A pound and a half of calf's liver. Wash well and wipe dry. Make a stuffing of two cupfuls of bread crumbs, a cupful of butter, a pinch of dried sage, three slices of salt pork and an onion chopped fine. Cut two deep gashes in the top of the liver and put in this stuffing. Tie together with white twine. Sprinkle the outside with a tablespoonful of salt and a half teaspoonful of pepper. Dredge with flour and dot with bits of butter. Put in a baking pan, add a cupful of hot water and bake in a covered pan in a moderately hot oven an hour and a half, or two hours if the oven is slow. Baste often and serve with brown gravy.

How to Make Hot Salmon Salad.

A can of best salmon, free from all bones and pieces of skin. Beat two fresh eggs to a cream. Put two tablespoonfuls of good sweet butter in the chafing dish. Let it get hot, but not scorch. Pour the eggs over the salmon, stir all together and put in chafing dish. Keep stirring until the eggs are cooked. Serve very hot on dish garnished with lettuce leaves.

How to Prepare Eggs and Kidneys.

Cut three sheep's kidneys into thin slices, then in strips. Dust with salt and pepper and fry in a little butter or fresh beef drippings. When browned, set aside where they will keep hot. Into a shallow saucepan break six eggs beat just enough to mix. Add two tablespoonfuls of butter cut into bits, one-fourth teaspoonful of white pepper, one tablespoonful of finely chopped parsley and four tablespoonfuls of cream. Stir over the fire until nearly set. Add kidneys. Turn on hot platter. Garnish with toast points.

How to Make Gooseberry Catchup.

Take half as much sugar as fruit and half as much vinegar as sugar, add allspice, cinnamon and cloves, boil until thick, can and seal. As tastes differ it may be well for those who like things sweet to add more sugar.

Sweet Revenge.

The judge had never taken a Turkish bath, but he was not feeling his best that morning, and it suddenly occurred to him to test its vivifying effects, so enthusiastically descanted upon by his young friends.

It seemed to the judge that the rubber was terribly rough, but, fearing to expose his inexperience and subject himself to ridicule by objecting to the regular treatment, he patiently endured being punched, pummeled, slapped, spanked, whacked and poked until he could not stand the torture a moment longer.

"Is— it — qui-ite — neces-sary—to—m-ake— me —bla-ack—and — blue—all —ov-ver?" panted the judge, as irregularly as the rubber dug his fists in more or less vigorously.

"Never you mind; I'm fixin you," responded the rubber, redoubling his assaults and grinning diabolically—at least so it seemed to the judge.

"Who (slap, groan) are (thud, groan) you?" gasped the judge, a horrible suspicion dawning in his mind. "Your (whack, groan) face (thump, groan) does (whack, groan) look (slap, groan) fa—(thud, groan)— miliar" (swish, groan).

"Oh, you remember me, do you?" growled the rubber sarcastically. "Well, dash yer old hide, mebbe you'd like to send me up for six months again for prizefightin!"—Harper's Magazine.

Guns For Battleships.

It appears that the tendency in the British and the United States navies is to reduce the number of guns and to increase their arcs of fire and also to have no guns above 6 inch caliber for supporting the 12 or 13 inch. This method of decreasing the number and caliber of guns is an ideal theory for reducing weights, but ships are built to carry guns and to fight, and it would seem better to reduce weights elsewhere than in the battery and ammunition.

In an engagement between battleships of similar armor and displacement which one will probably be the victor? There can be but one answer. It will be the one that effectively delivers the greatest amount of steel against the other ship. During the engagement each ship will necessarily lose the use of numerous guns and men, and therefore the ship that carries the larger number of guns and that has a reserve force of men below in protected places for filling the vacancies at the remaining guns will certainly have the advantage, and some obscure guns that are generally looked upon with disfavor on account of their small arcs of fire may, at the critical moment when their companions of larger arcs are dismounted, become the means of insuring victory.—Lieutenant E. W. Eberle, U. S. N., in Cassier's Magazine.

Meals In France.

The French are very temperate in food and drink, a cup of coffee with a piece of bread being considered quite sufficient until noon, when the dejeuner a la fourchette is served. This consists of a first course of eggs or macaroni, a second of one chop each or stew, and a third of fruit and cheese. Plenty of bread (always good in France) is eaten during the meal, but butter rarely, and a glass or two of wine diluted with water, but never iced or sweetened, is drunk by each member of the family, including the children. Dinner, usually at 7 o'clock, is a little more elaborate meal, from which soup and a salad are seldom omitted, and black coffee is often served with cognac at the end. Owing to the fact that so much chicory is used French coffee is not much to the taste of Anglo-Saxons. I have never yet had what I call a cup of "good" coffee in France, whereas in Vienna and Munich it is simply delicious. Coffee being very dear in France (60 cents per pound for good quality) may account for the excessive use of chicory.—What to Eat.

One View of a Moot Point.

It may be said that the little word "my" placed before the word "dear" has a significance of its own. When used between the ladies thus, "My dear Mrs. A.," it is to devote an extra amount of cordiality and friendliness, and again when a gentleman so writes to a lady of his acquaintance it has the same reading. On the other hand, "My dear Mr. B." is seldom or never written by ladies to their men acquaintances, "Dear Mr. B." being considered sufficiently affectionate. Elderly ladies, however, are outside of this rule and write "My dear Mr. B." to men whom they have known as boys.—Philadelphia North American.

Unavailing Prayer.

Theodore F. Seward, the organizer of the Don't Worry clubs, tells a good story of a little boy who had reached the multiplication table in the course of his education. One night he was sitting anxiously over a paper of figures, when his mother came along and said, "Johnnie, do you find your arithmetic very hard?" "Yes, indeed, mamma, I do," was his reply. "It was so awful hard that I prayed to God to help me, but he's made three mistakes already."—New York Tribune.

The Prophet Lost.

"Lochiel, Lochiel, beware of the day."

The prophet put on a menacing look as he spake the grim words.

"Out and upon thee," quoth Lochiel. "Why should I listen to the sorry ravings of a dotard churl?"

"But I am a seer."

"And I an overseer," said Lochiel, and he beat him forthwith four sad slaps on the wrist.—Buffalo Enquirer.

Contrary to a widespread belief that hard woods give more heat in burning than soft varieties, it has been shown that the greatest power is possessed by the wood of the linden tree, which is very soft. Fir stands next to linden and almost equal to it.

In proportion to its size, a fly walks 18 times as fast as a man can run.

A VISTA OF FASHION.

Fete Gowns and Gowns For Yachting, Boating and Seaside Wear.

The command to walk "in silk attire," which was proclaimed by the goddess of fashion at the beginning of the season, still holds good, two favorite silken fabrics at the moment being the foulards of all descriptions and the glace silks.

Some of the prettiest foulard gowns, in blue and white, are made up over separate foundations of grass green silk and trimmed with a kind of trellis-work, either of cream or black lace insertion, under which the foulard is cut away, so that the green lining is prettily visible, the color being modified very effectually by the lace which is laid over it. This lace, by the way, should be of some very fine light pattern.

Race gowns and fete gowns generally claim attention at this season. The dainty floral muslins are among the newest summer fabrics, and they make delightful dresses, made up over a separate foundation of silk in some pale color, such as turquoise blue, rose leaf pink, or daffodil yellow. As to the designs of the colored muslins, many of them are distinctly of Louis XVI origin, with their little bouquets or baskets of brightly colored flowers scattered over the cream white surface of the muslin and linked together by narrow blue ribbons representing a series of true lovers' knots.



A STYLISH BODICE.

Gowns of fine cream lawn and muslin, made over various bright colors, will also be much worn, the clear, cool white, or cream color, toning down very effectually the brilliant shades of the silken lining.

Boating and river costumes and those suitable for the summer visits to the sea are in order now, and for such occasions serge or a fine thin cloth is invaluable, especially if smartly relieved with white. Periwinkle blue and a deep hyacinth blue are likely to be fashionable during the summer, just as now a favorite shade is violette de parme.

The very stylish bodice here illustrated would be delightful as a boating gown of royal blue serge, or in the softer and grayer hyacinth tint. The lining is closely shaped and on this the full vest of white cloth, with blue braiding, is arranged. Over this comes the serge blouse, turned out with wide revers, outlined with blue and gold braid, and above these a large white collar, square at the back and also outlined with the braid. The neck is finished with a stock and bow of cream white india muslin or a plaited bow of blue silk may be worn if too much white is unbecoming.

A handsome yachting costume is also made in royal blue serge with collar and revers of pink cloth and a vest of pink silk trimmed with rows of cream lace.

A Fragrant Rose Jar.

Those who have been gathering and "curing" rose leaves with salt through the month of June in preparation for a potpourri will appreciate these directions from The Decorator and Furnisher: If there is a quart in all, you have the foundation of a good potpourri. Now, transfer the stock to a glass fruit jar, on the bottom of which you have placed two ounces of bruised allspice and as much stick cinnamon broken into large pieces. The water, if any, should be first drained away. Here allow it to remain one month, closely covered, stirring it up thoroughly every day from top to bottom.

It is now ready for permanent preservation. The blue and white Japanese jar is best to hold it, for it preserves the fragrance. Now have ready an ounce each of mace, cinnamon, cloves and allspice coarsely ground, the same quantity of sliced ginger root and nutmeg, half as much aniseed and four ounces of musk with six ounces of dried lavender flowers. Again strew the rose leaves in the permanent jar, alternating with these mixed spices, moistening from time to time with pure alcohol, using about one gill in all, and the jar is complete. If desired, other flowers may be added, such as violets, heliotropes, mignonettes, rose geraniums and tuberoses.

Odd Mention.

Wash chamois skins in warm suds, rinse in warm water and dry them by stretching and rubbing.

No matter how pleasant or roomy a house may be it is not complete without a convenient kitchen.

A pleasing new fad is the "wedding chest." To be quite the thing this should be of carved antique oak or its semblance.

To clean mirrors make a paste of whiting and a pint of water. Leave it on till dry, and then rub off the powder with a chamois.

A new filling for sandwiches consists of thin shavings of sugared ginger and candied orange peel.

THE TATTLER.

Mrs. Lease, the agitator of Kansas, has announced her intention of living in Oregon.

Miss Tucker, matron of the London hospital, has written a book on genial nursing.

Mrs. Buckle, the wife of George Earle Buckle, the editor of the London Times, who has just died, was a daughter of the late James Payn, the novelist.

Mrs. William E. Dodge, Sr., and Miss Helen Gould have each given $1,000 as a gift to the Willard temple fund of the Woman's Christian Temperance union.

Mme. Tiresias Simon Sam, the wife of the president of the negro republic of Hayti, is now making a visit to Paris, accompanied by her physician and 12 black ladies in waiting and servants.

Mrs. Margaret Sullivan, the first editorial writer of the Chicago Times-Herald, who is said to be the highest salaried woman journalist in this country, is spending her vacation at Edgemere, N. Y.

Mrs. Maude Kissam Babcock, wife of Sergeant George Lawrence Babcock of the Seventy-first New York volunteers, and Mrs. Liscomb, wife of Lieutenant Colonel Liscomb of the Twenty-fourth infantry, will be on the staff of nurses at the front.

Miss Annie S. Swan stands second in a list, with Barrie first, of the six greatest living British authors, as compiled from the votes of the readers of the two most widely circulated weeklies in Scotland. Miss Swan proves after industrious investigation to be a prolific writer of religious stories.

Mrs. Adella Octavia Clouston of Maywood, N. J., who won the prize offered by the Humane society of Boston for the best story about "the cruelty which animals suffer from intelligent people," in addition to being a writer, manages a zoological garden. Her stock includes cats, dogs, chickens, pigeons and even cows.

Mrs. Teresa Aquadro, who conducts a confectionery store at Bridgeport, Conn., has presented a claim for $24,000 against the United States government, through Baron Fava of the Italian embassy, based upon a petition in which she asserts that a boycott is being maintained against her, and the municipal authorities have failed to protect her.

AUTHORS AND ARTISTS.

Opie Read, the well known author, is president of a club of Chicago authors and artists called the Tribe of Scribes.

Mr. Hall Caine, writing in McClure's Magazine, claims that he knows his Bible as few literary men know it and that the inspiration for all his stories was found in that one book.

M. Hughes Le Roux, the well known novelist, recently had a narrow escape from a Parisian motor cab and has written to M. Blanc to say that, as the drivers always escape, he will hereafter carry a revolver and will use it if necessary.

Anthony Trollope went through days of agonizing doubt before he could begin a novel. Hall Caine has the same experience, except that he has it with each chapter. Frank Stockton says he has at times waited an hour for the right word.

Munkacsy, whose real name is Lieb, has been declared insane officially by a Paris court and his wife appointed guardian of his property. The pictures in his Paris studio were sold recently, the highest price obtained being $3,000 for an "Ecce Homo."

TOWN TOPICS.

Chicago, as usual, claims a big increase in her population recently. It is not stated whether it is Hawaii or Cuba which she has annexed.—Baltimore American.

Chicago's new census places the population at 1,800,000. Her proverbial modesty alone prevented her from running the figures up to the 2,000,000 mark.—Denver Post.

Another of New York's swellest families is to be involved in divorce proceedings. It requires a Greater New York to enable its aristocracy to divide up and still live in the same city.—Chicago News.

The thrilling news comes from New York that it is once more proper for a woman to take a man's arm on the street at night. Unhappy provincials that we are, we never knew that this style had gone out of vogue!—Buffalo Express.

Chicago is thus early bidding for the next national political conventions. Though these events are two years off, it is violating no confidence to convey the information to Chicago that St. Louis has first claim on both conventions.—St. Louis Republic.

THE ROYAL BOX.

Queen Margherita of Italy has presented to those of her ladies in waiting who have completed 30 years of service a gold medal, the workmanship of which was executed by a woman.

The young crown prince of Germany shed tears of joy when he was informed that he had passed his examination as ensign. He was in mortal fear that he would fail, and he dreaded the paternal censure.

Prince Robert of Bourbon, ex-duke of Parma, is now the father of his eighteenth child, a daughter, the ninth child by his second wife. All 18, 7 sons and 11 daughters, are living, but only the eldest, the wife of Ferdinand of Bulgaria, now 28 years of age, is married.

Princess Eleonora of Sayn-Wittgenstein, one of the mediatized semiroyal German families, has been sentenced to a month's imprisonment in jail and 300 marks fine for spreading slanderous rumors about her brother-in-law, Count Konigsmark, which brought about his divorce. The sentence has been affirmed on appeal.

GLEANINGS.

Dartmoor is the largest tract of uncultivated land in England. It occupies one-fifth of the county of Devon.

Of the total population of Bombay, which is nearly 1,000,000, the greater part is crowded into an area of four square miles.

Copying ink may be made by dissolving lump sugar in the common ink, used in the proportion of a dram of the former to an ounce of the latter.

The Mexicans eat salt with their oranges both because they prefer the fruit so seasoned and because it is considered to be more wholesome with salt.

Austria is the only empire in the world which has never had colonies or even transmarine possessions in any quarter of the earth. Her ambition has hitherto been purely continental.

The meanest burglar on record has been at work in Montreal. He broke into a baker's shop, and, finding only 32 cents as plunder, took a single bite of every pie and cake in the place, thus rendering them unsalable.