'Pe-ru-na Relieves Spring Catarrh.

MISS DORA HAYDEN.

"Without hesitation I w ite to thank you for the great relief I have found in your valuable medicine, Peruna, and will call the attention of all my friends suffering with catarrh to that fact. Besides I cheerfully recommend it to all suffering with catarrh in any form."—Miss Dora Hayden, 819 6th St., S. W., Washington, D. C.

A Case of Spring Catarrh.

Mrs. N. P. Lawler, 423½ N. Broadway, Pittsburg, Kas., writes: "Last spring I caught a severe cold, which developed into a serious case of catarrh. I felt weak and sick, and could neither eat nor sleep well.

"A member of our club who had been cured of catarrh through the use of Peruna advised me to try it, and I did so at once. I expected help, but nothing like the wonderful change for the better I observed almost as soon as I started taking it. In three days I felt much better, and within two weeks I was in fine health. Peruna is a wonderful medicine."

The Useful Poppy.

The florist was still pale from the Easter rush, but he had earned a great deal of money, and that made him talkative.

"Roses and lilies yield," he said, "cologne, and violet petals, candied, are edible, but the most useful of all flowers is the poppy.

"The juice of the poppy gives us opium. The seed are pleasant and nutritious—poppy seed cake is one of the best cattle foods. And the oil answers a hundred purposes. It is used to mix artists' colors, to cook with (like olive oil), to make soap and in lamps.

"Truly, beside the industrious poppy the idle lily and the rose must hang their heads."—New Orleans Times-Democrat.

How A Spirit Was Laid.

A ghost, a vague white form which flitted about a small neglected graveyard in Galway, much to the alarm of those who lived nearby, one of the gentlemen of our party undertook to lay. Going out not far from midnight, he did, indeed, soon become aware of a white figure looming toward him through the darkness. Our friend, however, held on his way undeterred.

"Ghost," he said in sepulchral tones when he came near, "could you drink a glass of whisky?"

"I could so, your honor," blithely responded the ghost, taken off his balance by the unexpected offer and standing revealed as the principal poacher of the neighborhood, who had availed himself of this spectral guise to set his night lines and carry on his other depredations undisturbed.—Blackwood's Magazine.

Story Of A Famous Hymn.

A popular hymn is Theodulph's "All glory, laud and honor," belonging to the ninth century, and said to have been written by the poet while in an Angers prison.

The author of "Hymns and Their Makers," quotes a legend in relation to its use on Palm Sunday, 821, to the effect that when Louis the Pious, King of France, was at Angers, he took part in the usual procession of laity and clergy, and as the procession passed the place where St. Theodulph, the Bishop of Orleans, was incarcerated he was seen standing at the open window of his cell, and there, amid the silence of the people, he sang his hymn, to the delight of the King, who at once ordered him to be set at liberty and restored to his see. In some minor details this legend is referred to by other writers as well.

The original is too long to be sung in modern services, as it has no fewer than 78 lines. The verses usually found in our hymnals are but a fragment of the original hymn, which, with more or less abbreviation, has been used as a processional for many centuries.—Quiver.

Tarred Ties For The Simplon.

Twenty thousand railway ties for the Simplon Tunnel have been treated with coal tar by a method similar to that used with zinc chlorid or creosote. The ties are heated in a receptacle from which the air is afterward exhausted, and then hot coal tar is introduced. By means of steam coils the temperature is maintained at 105 degrees C. for four hours, after which an air pressure of about 30 pounds per square inch is applied.

Why He Didn't Wish To Go.

The children in the Sunday School class were getting restless, and the vicar, to divert them, asked all who wished to go to heaven to stand up. The whole school rose, except one little boy.

"Don't you want to go to heaven, my little lad?" asked the vicar.

"Yes, sir," was the response, "but I know mother doesn't want me to go just yet."—London Evening Standard.

The grocers are buying Argo Red Salmon because it takes no argument to sell it and the customers come back for more.

Taking the statistics for the entire world, four and a half persons to the thousand are either deaf, dumb, blind or mentally deficient.

Argo Creamed Salmon, Scalloped Salmon, Cutlets, or Croquettes, are among the most tempting of dishes. At all grocers.

Bombshells were first made in Holland in 1495.

Argo Red Salmon at all grocers Try it.

Different In Size.

A Chicago woman was commissioned by her father the other day to buy some neckties. She thought she knew exactly what he wanted. She was sure she knew what she wanted him to have, and in any event she didn't need the assistance of the clerk. But the clerk had a great deal of advice to give and he gave it in a flippant, aggressive manner which was most obnoxious to the young woman. Finally he brought out a line of gorgeous ascots.

"There," he said, with an impertinently knowing smile, "I'm sure he'll like one of those. All the young men like them."

The girl glanced at them indifferently and then at the young man as if she saw him for the first time. "Oh, he's not as young as you are," she said. "He's a full grown man."—Chicago Record-Herald.

MRS. C. E. FINK

HEALTH OF WOMEN

In this nineteenth century to keep up with the march of progress every power of woman is strained to its utmost, and the tax upon her physical system is far greater than ever.

In the good old-fashioned days of our grandmothers few drugs were used in medicines. They relied upon roots and herbs to cure weaknesses and disease, and their knowledge of roots and herbs was far greater than that of women today.

It was in this study of roots and herbs that Lydia E. Pinkham, of Lynn, Mass., discovered and gave to the women of the world a remedy more potent and efficacious than any combination of drugs.

Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound

is an honest, tried and true remedy of unquestionable therapeutic value.

This medicine made from native roots and herbs contains no narcotics or other harmful drugs and today holds the record for the largest number of actual cures of female diseases of any medicine the world has ever known, and thousands of voluntary testimonials are on file in the laboratory at Lynn, Mass., which testify to its wonderful value.

Mrs. C. E. Fink, of Carnegie, Pa., writes:—Dear Mrs. Pinkham:—"I wish every suffering woman would take Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and write to you for advice. It has done me a world of good and what it has accomplished for me I know it will do for others."

When women are troubled with Irregularities, Displacements, Ulceration, Inflammation, Backache, Nervous Prostration, they should remember there is one tried and true remedy, Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

Mrs. Pinkham's Standing Invitation to Women

Women suffering from any form of female weakness are invited to write Mrs. Pinkham, at Lynn, Mass. Out of her vast volume of experience she probably has the very knowledge that will help your case.

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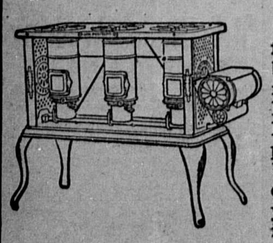

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OF INTEREST TO WOMEN

WOMEN TIGER HUNTERS.

The wife of the Governor-General of India, Lady Minto, and her daughter, Lady Eileen Elliot, have been distinguishing themselves as tiger slayers. Shooting at Kolabari, Lady Eileen and Lord Minto killed a tigress and two cubs one forenoon, and out of four tigers accounted for in the afternoon, Lady Minto and her daughter each shot one.—London Standard.

WHERE OUR WOMEN EXCEL.

The American woman, according to Lady Henry Somerset, is better read and usually far more cultured than the English woman of the same class. She is a more agreeable companion, and she has a firm belief that she owes it to herself to make the most of her mental powers; and these qualities make home life more attractive than many meals and much spring cleaning.

THE ENVIRONMENTS IMPROVE.

Men and women are constantly rising to prominence whose parents were not prominent, says the Mother's Magazine, and we know it, too. Men and women are becoming highly cultivated whose parents were not so. Men and women are every day entering into spheres of life and proving effective therein, whose ancestors never did their kind of work or moved in their sphere. We are justified, therefore, in working hopefully both in the home and in our labors for humanity. We are justified in accepting the general proposition that bettering the environment improves the individual; that the education of the mind, of the heart and of the conscience will prove, in a great majority of instances the dominating and controlling force of the life in the long run.

THE REVIVAL OF KNITTING.

Knitting is to be the pastime this season, and embroidery frames will be tucked away in the attic for a while. It will not be confined to mittens, hose and socks, as was the custom when knitting was a necessity instead of a pastime, but all sorts of delightful and fascinating things are to be manufactured from flying needles. The most ambitious women actually are taking knitting lessons that they may know all the complex and difficult stitches. Amber or wooden needles are used, and sweaters, shawls, scarfs and fascinators are to be turned out in large quantities. Numerous things are knitted for the baby's wardrobe, such as sacks, carriage robes, bonnets, mittens, scarfs and even lace trimmings.

The art has been revolutionized, for the principal stunt of the present-day knitting craze is not learning how to turn a heel or round a thumb properly, but how to make the popcorn stitch, the bricho stitch, the biscuit stitch and the coffee bean stitch. The manufacturers of yarn have recognized the craze by getting out yarn in all sorts of colors and shades, so that all manner of color schemes may be carried out in these knitted articles.—New York Press.

SOCIETY APPROVES OSTRICHES.

"You would be amazed," said Miss Augusta de Peyster recently in conversation with an acquaintance, who has not hesitated to quote her, "to learn how many of the ostrich plumes worn by the most fashionable women are grown in America." Miss de Peyster did not make any admission as to herself in that respect, but, as she is credited with plenty of patriotism, it's not impossible she prefers domestic plumage to the imported. She visited, a few months ago, a California ostrich farm whence thousands of the beautifully curling feathers are shipped, and so deeply was she impressed by the excellent condition of the birds she saw there that she bought a goodly number of the plumes, to see how they would wear. As a matter of fact, there is said to be no reason why Africa should excel America in ostrich farming. The climate of the Southern Pacific Slope is asserted to be admirably suited to the health of the ungainly giant fowl, and that they can exist even in this zone has been shown by the ostriches in the Central Park Zoo. Now that the plucking, shipping and curling of the plumes has been learned as a fine art by American ostrich farmers, there is thought to be small danger of Miss Columbia being dependent on the African supply.—New York Press.

MRS. ROOSEVELT'S DARING FEAT

During a visit to Grand Manan Island, in the Bay of Fundy, I heard the following incid nt of Mrs. Roosevelt's girlhood:

At that time, in company with a cousin and his wife, Mrs. Roosevelt spent some weeks among the fishing fold of Grand Manan. The South Head is a precipitous cliff that drops straight into the sea. When the high tides peculiar to the Bay of Fundy are out a narrow beach is exposed at the base of the cliff, to which visitors are in the habit of descending by means of a narrow, circuitous path. Mrs. Roosevelt and her party made this trip, but when the girl looked up at the face of the cliff it occurred to her that she would much prefer to climb it than to return by the path. Consequently she and her cousin began the ascent of the precipice, a feat that had been accomplished but once or twice before, and then only by the hardiest fishermen.

The old South Head lifts straight into the air and is almost as difficult of ascent as a polished wall. Their perilous adventure once begun, however, they were forced to continue it, for the tide returned and the sea cut them off beneath.

"I never had a more thankful moment in my life," said old Walter McLaughlin, the lighthouse keeper, "than when I reached down and drew the young American girl up over the edge of the cliff."

It had happened that just the day preceding my visit to the South light Mrs. Roosevelt's cousin, now on his second visit to Grand Manan, had called there.

"Mr. McLaughlin," he asked, "do you remember the girl who climbed South Head years ago?"

Of course, Walter McLaughlin remembered it.

"Do you know," asked his visitor, "that she is now the wife of the President of the United States?"

"I am going to send her this on the next mail that leaves Grand Manan," said the old lighthouse keeper, his eyes glowing with pleasure. He showed me a photograph on which he had drawn in red ink the course she took in the ascent. "And I am going to ask her if she remembers old Walter McLaughlin, who drew her up over the edge of the cliff."—New York Herald.

THE FRENCH GIRL'S DOT.

Commenting on some differences in the American woman's and the French woman's scheme of economy, a writer in Harper's Bazar" says:

"At the point where the American woman's economic obligations cease and her economic identity is lost—when she comes to marry, that is—the French girl's 'dot,' without which marriage for her is impossible, continues her obligations and preserves her independence. The result is that whatever labor the French girl engages in is undertaken by her with the same serious and constant purpose that the typical man has in his work; the reward sought is in both cases precisely the same—the accumulation of sufficient money to marry and found a family. But with reference to the girl this further fact operates—that the woman's success in any line of work must tend first of all to perfect family concerns. Thus we find the French girl or woman working outside the home only under compulsion or want of money—never in the satisfaction of any bristling ambition to carve a career of her own; that she should be compelled so to work is established as a clear misfortune, and the schooling she receives, as well as the very purpose of industry itself, determines that a knowledge of domestic affairs shall, to the greatest possible extent, be the foundation of her instruction in any trade or profession, and she is understood to progress in industry accordingly as she becomes more and more at liberty to apply herself to work within the home."

PRETTY THINGS TO WEAR.

The U-shaped yoke is newer than the square or V-shape.

Handkerchiefs done in dark red embroidery are very fashionable.

The wearer of the princess gown finds the long-hipped corset indispensable.

Firm, fine Neapolitans are shown in large numbers at the millinery openings.

Some of the tailor toilets employ sleeves of coarse lace, forming a double volant.

It is as fashionable to wear a silk coat with your separate voile skirt as it is to wear a voile coat with a taffeta skirt.

It will be an easy matter to prepare the material for one of the lace hats, for the dotted net only has to have its edges button-holed.

The hydrangea is one of the flowers par excellence upon millinery, especially in the natural tints of pale blue, green and white.

Black satin is as great a favorite for trimming gowns as it is for hats. It is used on the sheerest of fabrics and most delicate of colors.

The blues and greens and especially the new onion shades are very attractive, and the ease with which the belts fit every figure is bound to make them popular.

The gown of striped material cut on the bias has straight trimming bands by way of variety from the more usual mode of trimming straight material with bias bands.

Some of the prettiest veils have dotted net centres with Chantilly borders. The narrowest borders are usually in the best taste, as the wide borders straggle their patterns over the faces of their wearers in ways that are often unbecoming, if not actually grotesque.

WONDERFUL CALCULATIONS.

Weird Comparative Speculations From the Fairyland of Statistics.

If all the money saved annually by the women of the United States at the Friday bargain sales were to be divided among the 24,737 turpentine farmers and laborers in the United States each would receive $518,737 or $2 more than the value of the vote of Vermont at $10 a vote, and there would be a balance of $78.12, which would be enough to buy each of the 1953 camels in Western Australia a nose ring worth four cents.

If all the stogies made in Wheeling, W. Va., in April and May, 1904, were rolled into one stogie it would be 97,341.10 inches long, 6.344 inches thick and would weigh 283,876 ounces, troy weight. A man would have to have a jaw 8166 feet from ear to ear, measured through his mouth, to get it between his teeth, and if he smoked it up he would be so sick that it would require the services of 823 physicians, 1200 nurses and 343 attendants 33 years 14 months 18 days 22 minutes and 51 seconds to get his stomach in order again. The smoke from the stogie would form a cloud 221¼ miles long by 47 1-3 wide, obscuring the sun from Maysville to Monessen, Pa.

If the cold feet of the men ahead of the game in all of the poker seances in Chicago on an average night were to be collected it would give a frigidity equal to that of 91,715,400 pounds of artificial ice manufactured annually in St. Louis, and if a percentage of this ice equal to the duty on candles into that part of the Gold Coast of Africa west of the River Volta were to be used in high balls it would cool 36,686,160 of these drinks, which would furnish ten such drinks daily for one year to each of the 12,473 stove, furnace and grate makers in the United States, leaving 3,158,710 drinks to spare, which would, if sold at two for a quarter, provide a sum sufficient to buy three pairs of socks worth $2 a dozen for each of the 18,682 missionaries in the world.—Chicago Tribune.

Germany's increase of population in the years 1895 to 1905 was sixteen per cent., France's, two p. cent.

Tomfoolery

A TERRIBLE MESS.

"Pease porridge hot,
Pease porridge cool"—
Couldn't pry it from the pot
At the cooking school.
—Catholic Standard and Times.

LAUNDERED.

"All arrivals are immediately washed," explained the turnkey.

"And if they resist?"

"They are also ironed."—Washington Herald.

UNFREQUENTED.

Knicker—"The straight and narrow road is hard to travel on."

Bocker—"Well, it isn't so crowded that you have to hang on straps."—New York Sun.

A KNOCK.

"Very few people read my poems," said the discouraged youth.

"In that case," answered Miss Cayenne, "you should have less hesitancy about writing them."—Washington Star.

WHICH CLOSED CONVERSATION.

Mrs. Gasser—"I was outspoken in my sentiments at the club this afternoon."

Mr. Gasser—"I can't believe it. Who outspoke you, my dear?"—Puck.

EXACTLY.

Stubb—"Young Bluffwood married a Boston girl with $2,000,000 in her own name. I tell you, she was a snap."

Penn—"H'm! sort of a cold snap, I presume."—Chicago News.

HER MISTAKE.

Driver of Overloaded Dray—"That hoss too old? Why, bless ye koind heart, lady! he ain't a day older'n I am, an' I ain't but fifty-one."

Old Lady—"Dear me! you don't say so! I beg your pardon."—Judge.

CHARMING CONVERSATIONALIST

Nellie—"You seemed much interested to-night in the conversation of Mr. Tomlinson."

Edith—"Yes; his conversation was about sensible matters, such as few of the young men of the day discuss."

Nellie—"What was it?"

Edith—"The superior advantage of married life as compared with bachelordom."—Illustrated Bits.

IN GERMANY.

"Do you know that I am soon to be engaged to Mr. Huber?"

"Is that so? Has he spoken to your mother?"

"No, but my mother has spoken to him."—Meggendorfer Blaetter.

DIDN'T MEAN IT.

Caller—"So sorry to hear of your motor accident."

Enthusiastic Motorist—"Oh, thanks, it's nothing. Expect to live through many more."

Caller—"Oh, but I trust not!"—Punch.

THE PASTOR'S WAY.

"Yes," said the Rev. Mr. Gasaway, "I always strive to practice what I preach."

"Yes," replied Mr. Knox, "but surely you don't practice as long, do you?"—Philadelphia Press.

MENAGERIE REPARTEE.

"You ugly thing," exclaimed the giraffe.

"I may not be a prize beauty," retorted the camel, "but I don't look like a cross between a stepladder and a kangaroo."—Chicago Tribune.

ONLY ROQUEFORT.

"We'll live on bread and cheese and kisses, won't we, dear?" murmured the impassioned youth.

"Well, if we do, Henry," answered the practical maiden, "I want it distinctly understood that no limburger goes."—Pittsburg Post.

A MEAN TRICK.

Mrs. Gadsby—"I'll get even with Mrs. Gabble."

Mrs. Gibby—"What has she done to you?"

Mrs. Gadsby—"She told me that Mrs. Guffy wasn't at home, so I hurried over to make a call on her, and she was at home, after all."—Cleveland Leader.

Wrestling For Exercise.

Wrestling, the "microcosmos of gymnastics," is a fine form of bodily exercise for those who enjoy hard muscular work after the tedious business hours of the day and may be practiced—adapting it to circumstances—by the man of a ripe age as well as by the boy of ten or twelve, especially the form known in this country as catch-as-catch-can (which is about identical to one form of Swiss wrestling). I exchanged the Greco-Roman (or German gymnastic) style for this one about twelve years ago, and I was then over forty years old, and still enjoy it much if my opponent is of my own weight or a little lighter and if it is deprived of its potential roughness by a gentlemanly spirit of the partners.—New York Medical Journal.

Workmen in one of the streets of Madrid dug up an old walnut-wood chest containing 300 gold doubloons.

THE VALUE OF PERSONAL KNOWLEDGE

Personal knowledge is the winning factor in the culminating contests of this competitive age and when of ample character it places its fortunate possessor in the front ranks of

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A vast fund of personal knowledge is really essential to the achievement of the highest excellence in any field of human effort.

A Knowledge of Forms, Knowledge of Functions and Knowledge of Products are all of the utmost value and in questions of life and health when a true and wholesome remedy is desired it should be remembered that Syrup of Figs and Elixir of Senna, manufactured by the California Fig Syrup Co., is an ethical product which has met with the approval of the most eminent physicians and gives universal satisfaction, because it is a remedy of

Known Quality, Known Excellence and Known Component Parts and has won the valuable patronage of millions of the Well Informed of the world, who know of their own personal knowledge and from actual use that it is the first and best of family laxatives, for which no extravagant or unreasonable claims are made.

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How Some Bills Are Born.

"Write me a bill to amend something. I haven't introduced a bill this term." This request for assistance is said to have been made by a New Hampshire legislator to a friend recently. Poor man! He didn't know of any needful legislation, but he felt he must introduce a bill to square himself with his constituents.

It is the feeling that a man must go back home from the legislature with a record that gives birth to fool bills, which clutter and clog the legislative machinery and run up the expense of each session.—Vermont Phoenix.

"THE MARRYING SQUIRE."

Justice Geo. E. Law, of Brazil, Ind., Has Married 1400 Couples.

Justice Geo. E. Law, of Brazil, Ind., has fairly earned the title "The Marrying Squire," by which he is known far and wide, having already married some 1400 couples. Ten years ago he was Deputy County Treasurer. "At that time," said Justice Law, "I was suffering from an annoying kidney trouble. My back ached, my rest was broken at night, and the passages of the kidney secretions were too frequent and contained sediment. Three boxes of Doan's Kidney Pills cured me in 1897, and for the past nine years I have been free from kidney complaint and backache."

Sold by all dealers. 50 cents a box. Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, N. Y.

Two Oklahoma Statesmen.

"Demaite" Jones will be a Democratic candidate for senator in the Cordell senatorial district.

President Bill Murray is finding it hard to adjust himself to the quiet of farm life after playing the role of "Alfalfa Bill," the politician, at Guthrie. Since the convention refused to adopt alfalfa as the state flower, Murray has been nicknamed "Cockleburr Bill," and there is a possibility that the cockleburr will be nominated as the State floral emblem.—Kansas City Journal.

Argo Red Salmon is an ideal food. Thompson's Dietetics, one of the standard works on foods, gives Scammell's tables as follows: The per cent. of muscle building material in beef is 19 per cent.; eggs, 13 per cent.; salmon, 20 per cent. As a brain food, beef, 2 per cent.; eggs (white), 2¼ per cent.; (yolk), 2 per cent.; salmon, 6 and 7 per cent.

The hillocks of white ants in Ceylon contain chambers about as large as cocoanuts, which inclose sponge-like nests, each occupied by thousands of ants. The "termite truffles" described by Dr. Doflin, of Munich, are pin-head nodules of white fungus, cultivated in these nests as food.

$100 Reward, $100.

The readers of this paper will be pleased to learn that there is at least one dreaded disease that science has been able to cure in all its stages, and that is Catarrh. Hall's Catarrh Cure is the only positive cure now known to the medical fraternity. Catarrh being a constitutional disease, requires a constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system, thereby destroying the foundation of the disease, and giving the patient strength by building up the constitution and assisting nature in doing its work. The proprietors have so much faith in its curative powers that they offer One Hundred Dollars for any case that it fails to cure. Send for list of testimonials. Address F. J. CHENEY & Co., Toledo, O.

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Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

The coal miners' strike in the district of Alberta, Manitoba, is becoming serious, and although President Mitchell has ordered the men back to work, it is said they will refuse to obey.

The Argo Red Salmon of Alaska has the deepest red color, and the finest flavor of any Salmon packed. It is packed entirely by machine, and not touched by the human hand. One trial makes a customer.

The Emperor of Japan has joined in the popular welcome of General Booth, of the Salvation Army.

For more reasons than one, Garfield Tea is the best choice when a laxative is needed; it is Pure, Pleasant to take, Mild and Potent. Guaranteed under the Food and Drugs Law.

With the amateur piano thumper it seems to be all work and no play.

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of what plant foods can do for farmers. The picture on the right shows plant development and potato yield (55.8 lbs.) of a small patch, treated with

POTASH

On the left, a patch of same size (yield 21 lbs.) planted at same time, in same soil, but *untreated*. These pictures are taken from an experiment station bulletin, compiled in

Our Free Book, "Profitable Farming"

which gives authentic and authoritative accounts of experiments and actual results of practical and scientific farming. It is invaluable to the farmer who is anxious to improve his products and who is working for a wider margin of profits. Send for it to-day.

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A Queen No Longer.

For three weeks he had borne all the horrors of spring cleaning without a murmur. Then his patience gave way.

"And you," sobbed his wife, "you used to tell me I was your queen!"

"Yes," he said, with a wild glare in his eyes, "but when a man finds his queen has used his best tobacco jar for pale oak varnish and his meerschaum pipe for a tack hammer he begin to grasp the advantages of a republic."—London Tatler.

FITS, St. Vitus' Dance, Nervous Diseases permanently cured by Dr. Kline's Great Nerve Restorer. $2 trial bottle and treatise free. Dr. H. R. Kline, Ld., 931 Arch St., Phila., Pa.

Some men's preaching is as bad as the piano practice of some women.

BABY IN TERRIBLE STATE.

Awful Humor Eating Away Face—Body a Mass of Sores—Cuticura Cures in Two Weeks.

"My little daughter broke out all over her body with a humor, and we used everything recommended, but without results. I called in three doctors, but she continued to grow worse. Her body was a mass of sores, and her little face was being eaten away. Her ears looked as if they would drop off. Neighbors advised me to get Cuticura Soap and Ointment, and before I had used half of the cake of Soap and box of Ointment the sores had all healed, and my little one's face and body were as clear as a new-born babe's. I would not be without it again if it cost five dollars, instead of seventy-five cents. Mrs. George J. Steese, 701 Coburn St., Akron, Ohio, Aug. 30, 1905."

A girl sees no hing wrong in kissing the big man.

The Farmer's Wife

Is very careful about her churn. She scalds it thoroughly after using, and gives it a sun bath to sweeten it. She knows that if her churn is sour it will taint the butter that is made in it. The stomach is a churn. In the stomach and digestive and nutritive tracts are performed processes which are almost exactly like the churning of butter. Is it not apparent then that if this stomach-churn is foul it makes foul all which is put into it?

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