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late of Kent county, Md., deceased.

All persons having claims against said deceased are hereby warned to exhibit the same, with the proper vouchers thereof, to the undersigned, on or before the 10th day of July, 1907, otherwise they may be excluded by law from all benefits of said estate. Given under my hand and seal this 9d day of January, 1907.

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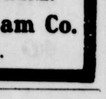
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VALUE OF OLIVE OIL.

It Is Good Either Taken Internally or Used Externally.

Various forms and kinds of oils form a large stone in the foundation of beauty culture. Only the thoughtful observer realizes their importance and that they were indispensable to the belles of old time—to the Greeks and Romans and eastern beauties of ancient days.

Olive oil was the most luxurious, as well as the most common. It was taken internally and externally; they rubbed with it, bathed in it, drank it and used it in a hundred ways. Olive oil is still olive oil, though not so many people recognize its value except as an ingredient of salad dressing.

It is excellent for the digestion and may be taken in doses of from one to nine or more teaspoonfuls a day. Some people find it is distasteful taken clear. In that case it may be disguised in wine or lemonade or some pleasant drink, which of itself should agree with the individual's system.

Olive oil is a good flesh builder. If rubbed into the skin, it not only accomplishes this with faithful applications, but makes the skin soft and velvety. Being a vegetable oil, it has absolutely no tendency to stimulate a growth of hair.

Olive oil is used in a hundred other ways, but the sum of its virtues lies simply in this—it is gentle in its action, soothing, nourishing and strengthening.

THE ALFALFA PLANT.

It Was Cultivated In Asia Long Before the Christian Era.

Alfalfa is a native of southwestern Asia and five centuries prior to the Christian era had been carried to and cultivated in southern Europe. The Romans used and appreciated it as a feed for their chariot and war horses before the birth of Christ. From Italy, in which country its growth has been maintained continuously to the present day, it found its way into Spain and France.

The Spaniards during the Spanish invasion carried it into South America and Mexico. During the middle of the nineteenth century it was introduced into this country through California by the Chileans. Since then it has gradually spread eastward until today there is probably not a state or territory in the Union in which this oldest of cultivated forage plants is not grown to some extent. Where this plant has come to us from Spain, directly or indirectly, it is known as alfalfa, while if brought from other countries of Europe (and it is in isolated instances here and there) it is generally called lucerne, from a valley in Switzerland by the same name in which it grows well and in large quantities.—St. Louis Republic.

Pretty Names For Books.

The following are some of the curious titles of old English books:

"A Most Delectable Sweet Perfumed Nosegay For God's Saints to Smell At."

"Biscuit Baked In the Oven of Charity, Carefully Conserved For the Chickens of the Church, the Sparrows of the Spirit and the Sweet Swallows of Salvation."

"A Sigh of Sorrow For the Sinners of Zion Breathed Out of a Hole In the Wall of an Earthly Vessel Known Among Men by the Name of Samuel Fish" (a Quaker who had been imprisoned).

"Eggs of Charity Layed For the Chickens of the Covenant and Boiled With the Water of Divine Love. Take Ye Out and Eat."

"The Spiritual Mustard Pot to Make the Soul Sneeze With Devotion."

Most of these were published in the time of Cromwell.

Lawyers at Westminster.

Of the professions and trades represented in the house of commons the law holds first place, but in early days no class of men gave greater trouble than the lawyers, and many were the attempts made to keep them out of the house. James I., when the parliament of 1624-25 was to be chosen, advised electors "not to choose curious and wrangling lawyers, who may seek reputation by stirring needless questions." This and other antagonistic counsel in the past and present has, however, done little to stem the tide of lawyers which flows at each election into the house.—Strand Magazine.

The Ideal Life.

To live content with small means, to seek elegance rather than luxury and refinement rather than fashion, to be worthy, not respectable, and wealthy, not rich; to study hard, think quickly, talk gently, act frankly; to listen to stars, babes and sages with open heart; to bear all cheerfully, do all bravely, await occasions, hurry never—in a word, to let the spiritual, unbidden and unconscious grow up through the common.—William Henry Channing.

Those Good Old Days.

"Dear, I wish you would lay down your novel and come and button my shirt for me."

"Dear me, I never saw such a helpless man! I'd like to know how you buttoned your shirts before you were married."

"My shirts had buttons on them in those days."—Indianapolis Star.

Modest.

"Is that all the work you can do in a day?" asked the discontented employer.

"Well, sub," answered Erastus Pinkley, "I s'pose I could do mo', but I never was much of a hand foh showin' off."—Washington Star.

Absence of occupation is not rest; a mind quite vacant is a mind distressed.—Cowper.

REACH THE SPOT.

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Charles Bierbach, stone contractor, living at 2625 Chestnut St., Erie, Pa., says: "For two years I had kidney trouble, and there was such a severe pain through my loins and limbs that I could not stoop or straighten up without great pain, had difficulty in getting about and was unable to rest at night, arising in the morning tired and worn out. The kidney secretions were irregular and deposited a heavy sediment. Doctors treated me for rheumatism, but failed to help me. I lost all confidence in medicine, but Doan's Kidney Pills relieved me so quickly and so thoroughly that I gladly made a statement to that effect for publication. This was in 1898, and during the six years which have elapsed I have never known Doan's Kidney Pills to fail."



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WOMAN'S ORIGIN.

The Story as It Is Told In an Old Sanskrit Legend.

Tradition says there was a scarcity of solid elements at the time of her creation.

At the beginning of time Twashtri, the Vulcan of the Hindoo mythology, created the world, but when he wished to create a woman he found that he had employed all his material in the creation of man. There did not remain one solid element. Then Twashtri, perplexed, fell into a profound meditation. He roused himself as follows:

He took the roundness of the moon, the undulations of the serpent, the intwining of climbing plants, the trembling of the grass, the slenderness of the rose vine and the velvet of the flower, the lightness of the leaf and the glance of the fawn, the gayety of the sun's rays and tears of the mist, the inconstancy of the wind and the timidity of the hare, the vanity of the peacock and the softness of the down on the throat of the swallow, the hardness of the diamond, the sweet flavor of honey and the cruelty of the tiger, the warmth of fire, the chill of snow, the chatter of the jay and the cooing of the turtledove. He united all these and formed a woman. Then he made a present of her to man.

Eight days later the man came to Twashtri and said:

"My lord, the creature you gave me poisons my existence. She chatters without rest, she takes all my time, she laments for nothing at all and is always ill."

And Twashtri received the woman again.

But eight days later the man came again to the god and said:

"My lord, my life is very solitary since I returned this creature. I remember she glanced at me from the corner of her eye, and she played with me, clung to me."

And Twashtri returned the woman to him.

Three days only passed, and Twashtri saw the man coming to him again.

"My lord," said he, "I do not understand exactly how, but I am sure the woman causes me more annoyance than pleasure. I beg of you to relieve me of her."

But Twashtri cried, "Go your way and do your best!"

And the man cried, "I cannot live with her!"

"Neither can you live without her," replied Twashtri.

And the man was sorrowful, murmuring: "Woe is me! I can neither live with her nor without her."—Chicago Record-Herald.

East and West.

The chief distinction between the genius of the eastern civilization and that of the west, according to an oriental, lies in this: With you the individual is the hub of the universe—even charity begins at home with you—while with us of the east it is the whole, the state, not the individual, that we emphasize. An individual is nothing; the state, the whole, is everything. We sacrifice thousands of individuals, we sacrifice our children and our wives upon the altar of national honor, without hesitation, without regret.—Forum.

His Deep Grief.

Visitor—I do hope that poor Jack, your brother, does not grieve too much at my having broken our engagement. I feel sure he must be very unhappy. What did he say, dear? The Sister—Oh, he said what a lucky thing it was you broke it off this week instead of next, as it saved him from having to buy you a birthday present!

By the Pound.

Little Elsie—Mamma, how much do people pay a pound for babies? Mamma—Babies are not sold by the pound, my dear. Little Elsie—Then why do they always weigh them as soon as they are born?—St. Louis Post-Dispatch.

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