What Is Home!

Should the family exist for the home or the home for the family? Look around you and see how often the former is the case. The great majority are engrossed in "keeping up appearances." happy in is entirely lost sight of.

Many women have so much house and furniture to care for that they haven't Turkish bath. any time left over for their children. Wather wears himself out in the everlasting grind "down town" to pay for a house and meet the running expenses of a bome entirely too elaborate for the family's needs and certainly beyond his income. He speculates—gambles, some people call it—cheats, even steals out right to keep up this "home." Mother erases her worried frown at the parlor door when callers are announced, but puts it on again once they have gone. She, too, is burdening her soul with petty deceifs and missing the essence of life in trying to "keep up an establishment." The children catch the spirit of the thing and place a higher valuation on clothes than on character. That's the only way to keep up "appearances," and it's the only thing they have learned in the "home." Such people are placifly ignorant of world is least one strenuous day. She preached general interest and lack the essentials formal reception in the midafternoon, of real culture, yet none of these things then preached at the house of deten- with one's wife, one's bushand, one's appears so necessary in their eyes as tion, after this held another reception, brothers and sisters, with that peculiar the latest society wrinkle and knowl- then addressed the Era club, which assemblage of people who are connectedge of what constitutes "good form."

Poverty has its compensations after | tion. all. Not the grinding poverty that "Blonde women have their photo- very greatest, element of earthly hapmeans poor food and insufficient cioth- graphs taken just about twice as often piness. And to have in the world outing, but that happy-go-lucky lack of in the long run as brunettes," remark side a few choice friends who know peace that allows one to live in an un- ed a photographer. "The reason is your thoughts and aspirations, sympafashionable neighborhood and send easy; blondes take better pictures than thize with your sorrows, and come to themselves to the meetings of trus-John to the university.

"house-mother" indeed. The welfare of blonde girl may get a photograph that by you-this is the gateway of heaven. each member of the family circle is will flatter her, where one of a bru- Blest be the tie that binds." more to her than polished mubogany nette, taken under the same conditions, and oriental rugs could ever be. "Jim- will not even do her justice." my" can bring his boy friend in to play games, and no one is barred from the "best room" because the sun will

his services and unless love is added

the world without, a place where noth-

ing is too good for the family, and

where perfect understanding and har-

Bealth and Beauty Hinto.

For sore throat try a compress of

Tincture or arnica is the best appli-

Don't forget that hot and tepid baths

To prevent billous attacks take a

Vassiine rubbed on the skin in mild

Cold tea applied several times a day

A good gargle for sore throat is just

If you suffer from too high color

give up during the period of one month

all other meat than fresh fish and poul-

Do not take ontment or strong

ing to the weak ones. A loose

off the thickest before

snough permanganate of potash to give

a glass of water a faint rose tint.

with a soft linen cloth is an excellent

medy for inflamed eyes,

he indulged in freely.

stem of hot water every morning the

cases of erysipelas relieves the burning

mony reign. It may be a little hare better to start only with a little really

room or a palace, but lacking love it good furniture, even only enough for

ondiments. Green stuffs and milk may brought up to date with very little

No sick person should be compelled braiding on it to be simple, just rows

mid not affect a well person may be under the arms it could be neatly mend-

the of fiannelette or elderdown is also | They would cover the mended portions.

for a few minutes, as to have the bed strip of the waist material, if availa-

eded when a patient is able to sit up These capes should be hemmed with a

When powder does not adhere nicely ribbon harmonizing in color with the

Anoist the surface every night is to use narrow ribbon that has done

a good skin food after having service on a summer frock-to form

et the skin in good condition. Be. alternating rows with fagoting or sew-

to spoint it first with a little arrangement freshens a waist.

the face in warm water. This a yoke and deep cuffs. It is put on in

ring the powder to the face it | ed down to a coarse net. This kind of

to step out of bed without slipping on one after the other, or as elaborate as

most wool hed shoes, for the chill that one chooses. When a waist is worn

ever you are in a better position you

Supposing the roke of a waist has

become soiled or shabby, it may be

trouble by substituting one of net, the

ed and kimono sleeves of the net added.

ble and if not, then a plain piece of

waist may be used. Another economy

If one has any nice lace on hand

even though of different kinds, then

will be ashamed of.

to these his wage is poor indeed

is not home. Jessie M. Partion.

eation for sprains or bruises.

are the best beauty preservers.

cold water.

first thing.

and itching.



An English author assures one that woman is not naturally vain, like a

In Amsterdam there is a factory where 400,000 diamonds are cut annu

On her recent visit to New Orleans Mrs. Mande Ballington Booth passed at ues; they know nothing of topics of lat a prison in the morning, held an inwound up with a third informal recep- ed with us by ties of blood, is to pos-

The mistress of such a home is the ter when the subject is a blonds. A pathetic in turn, loving you and beloved Miss Dorcas how many she may buy."

Advice to Brides.

STUNNING STYLES IN SPRING GOWNS.

he frequently recommends to his pa-| show every sign of increasing vogue. tients. Although this statement may Either style lends itself to the hand come as a surprise and stimulus to trimmings, as well as to the newer but some dancers, it is to be feared that, if more attractive panel designs, and there the truth were known, there are a great is every indication that much liberty number of men and women who romp will be allowed in this connection The home as a place to live in and be about ballrooms for very much the throughout the summer. The tunic same reason that others take an early thus far, is confined to formal costumes morning canter around the park or a but is frequently suggested-more or less vaguely-by the method of garniture. This means that a panel, or a series of panels, is sometimes crossed or at least supplemented, with a band

> in two parts. A Fale Proposition.

either of braid or of self material,

curved, and otherwise shaped to outline

a tunic. And again, it means that a

plain skirt may have the bands so ar-

It is a fair proposition that if John expects Mary to be just as neat, tidy and winsome after marriage as before, he himself should likewise be as attentive, courteous and generous a husband as he was a lover. There are many ally. Most of the work is done by husbands and wives who fall down in these particulars. Where these directions are followed by both partners there is quite likely to be a happy

> To be what is called "good friends" sess one of the greatest, perhaps the

> > A Wonderful Mother.

Bringing up nine children on an income of \$4 a week is the task of a Don't buy "unusual" patterned din- couple named Copp, whose home is in ner or tea services. Get something that the Devonshire village of Higher Hox-When you come to think it over, fath- when breakages occur can be easily ham, six miles from Exeter, England, or gets only his board and lodging for matched without much expense. White The couple have had nineteen in all,

tche HOME

DOCTOR WORK.

In his Monthly Talk in the Woman's Home Companion, Dr. Edward Everett Hale says:

"Will you please to remember that the bottom rock of American success is the habit or determination that every place, village, town, neighborhood or whatever you call it, shall have home rule. If I and Mr. Goodchild want to have a road and a bridge which shall go back to the rhododendron swamp, we build the road and we build the bridge with such help as we can get from Mrs. Tucker or from Mr. Champlin, and we do not write to a sub-prefect who writes to a prefect who writes to an assistant Commandant who writes to another Commandant who writes to an Intendent who writes to a secretary of engineers who sends word ranged that the skirt is, to all effects, to us from the seat of government whether we may build the bridge and how we may build it. Lift where you stand expresses the foundation principle, the subsoil, the hard pan, the bed rock of American life.

"Now, a very queer thing has de veloped in the evolution of this prin has proved that where the men of the country have been too busy, or have thought they were, to tend to their own affairs, the women have been able to attend to them

better than the men do. "Take this business winch I have referred to, of a neighborhood library, feeding a region of not more than four or five thousand people. The affairs of that fibrary, if they are well conducted, are conducted by the women of the neighborhood. They know what their children want, they know what their husbands need. And it is very fortunate for the neighborhood and the library that they can harcess the horses and can drive brunctes. The lighting effects are bet- you with their own, and find you sym- toes and select the books and tell

> SWEDEN'S FOREMOST WOMAN, ELLEN KEY.

land, but throughout Teutonic and Sciavonic Europe, Ellen Key is a power, her name a name to conjure with. In her somewhat voluminous and at times verbose writings noth- Syrian scarfs, heavily pailletted, are ing stands out more clearly than the fact that she is pre-eminently a dancing gowns of gauze and frosted woman in the commonly accepted, net. perhaps even old-farhioned, sense of with her genial, cheery, absolutely therefore, indeed, unlike that moth is reached across the threshold of erhood whose hall mark is a rigid | the laboratory and the class-room. exclusiveness confined to its own off. Other arts to other ages. It has spring. Ellen Key's offspring fill the remained for the twentieth century world—they are all those that labor, to develop the highest art of all, that bear burdens, that have cares the art of home-making. And scithat she divines and endeavors to so ence has made it possible. The wolace. For love is the key-note of her | men's clubs are studying home-maklife at of her writings.

European fame chiefly rests, "Love Cornell are doing notable work in and Marriage" and "The Century of this line; and one of the oldest in he Child," have been published since istitutions of learning in the country, the century turned. They contain Columbia University, is just now the sum total of her life's thought erecting a four-hundred-thousand-doland experience. She once laughing lar building for a school of domestic ly remarked that she had been writ- science to stand alongside of its othing "The Century of the Child" since | er colleges of law and medicine and she was four years old .- Helen Zim- pedagogy. mern in Putnam's.

MIND CURE FOR NERVOUSNESS. He exercises as the following may their pins. There is one royal lady. the comfortable result be attained, the Queen of England, who relies Within the elevator are want to fly into ten thousand pieces, don't. Find the funny side Sit down Then make the best of the situation front, or an overlong one by the same and afterwards figure out how much device applied the reverse way. nervous energy you have saved to spend on a pleasanter thing, and how waist look short than a short waist much discomfort from your had temper you have spared a really good Asked how she contrived to bring up natured and repentant husband. week. Once more, when you are in the next apartment furnishes a continuous concert off the key, don't condemo her to everlasting torment, but bride her kindly to stop, if you can, cotton.-Harper's Bazar.

THE TULIP RED.

If your society, club or order ! going to have a bazaar or do something to make money, and you want the prettlest and newest device, have a tulip bed

First make your tulip bed, and do t this way: Build a plank frame, octagon shape, sixteen feet in circumference and seven luches deep; place it in the middle of the floor where your affair is to take place, and fill it to within two inches of the top with sawdust. Cover the outside of the bed with green crepe paper, and also run a strip around inside pushing the lower edge down into the sawdust; catch the two sheets to gether at intervals, and finte the

edges. You will have ready a number of tulips—so matter how many—made of crepe paper, and to each stem tie a prize. Plant the prize, which corresponds to the bulb of the tulip, in the sawdust, fill the bed full enough to look natural, holding your reserve supply for future plantings, for they

HALE ON WOMAN'S | pull. Mix humor with business and promote a spirit of fun and enthusiasm by having the prizes quaint and surprising .-- Woman's Home Compan-

> A WOMAN'S HOME INDUSTRY. A clergyman's widow up in Maine has supported herself and three children, sending two boys to college, by converting feather beds into pil-

Hunger and pride drove her to doing something, her great need arising about the time the spring and mattress superseded the classic feather bed. Maine, it appears, is, or was, full of feather beds, the possession of a number of them having once gauged a family's social standing. And every fluffy particle in those fat ticks was plucked by hand from the breast of a living goose, then washed in ammonia and soapsuds and dried in the sunshine in muslin bags fluttering in the wind.

This woman has bought as many as twelve of these fine pre-Revolutionary beds in one house, paying \$1 a pound, having, of course, first tested them. The beds weigh from ten to fifteen pounds. She sells the pillows for \$5 a pair and has proved | ney." herself a very live business woman by making from \$40 to \$50 a week at times.-Philadelphia Record.

EVERY KIND OF SCARF IN FAVOR. ing in the title." Scarfs, used singly and in pairs, enter into decorative areatment of the new gowns and are a great aid in remodeling old ones this season, says The Delineator. The ends, painted, brocaded or embroidered in self tones or in exquisite coloring, permit of ingenious methods of arrangement. They are made into arm hole bands and walst drapery, and used as bretelles falling over the shoulder in bertha effect, knotted in a chou in the back at the top of the belt in the new short-waisted or Directoire effect and falling thence to the floor. A single scarf is made to form the front of a princess plastron from bust to hem, shirred close-Not only in Sweden, her native ly at the waistline. Fringed scarfs ones painted with vivid borders can be made wonderfully effective on gowns of black net or chiffon. The by derrick from lighters in bags or edged with marabout and used on

the term. The most casual contact | UNIVERSITIES TEACH COOKING. The woman of today is doing things unaffected personality produces a with her head that her grandmothsensation of large-souled motherhood | era had to do with their hands, says that embraces each and all and is The Delineator. The kitchen now ing. The schools are teaching it: The books on which Ellen Key's the Universities of Wisconsin and

GOWNS AND PINS.

By persistent practice of such Mt. | er with their needles and others with tions in their toilettes, correcting a too short-waisted appearance by a sash made to point downwards in

It is far easier to make a long long, and as at this moment the lat handed. ter is fashion's choice, much per-

Worth, of Paris, in Harper's Bazar. If you want to look very pretty and have red cheeks for a dance, you can do this, says The Delineator. Rub possible by making and mending the of emotion that ought to last you a cold cream into the face, always with an upward, rotary movement. Wipe the midst of an important piece of that off, rub in more and wipe it off literary work, and the Irish maid to lagain. Then wash the face with hot water. Then dash cold water over it and dry thoroughly with a soft towel. To add, the final touch take a small piece of ice, cover with a towel and If you cannot, stuff your ears with rub gently three or four times over the cheek bones. This gives a color which will last for hours and is really a mild form of a Turkish bath for the face. Many ladies before going to a dinner use leather sponges, rubbing the cheeks first with warm water, then hot water and dry thorough-

> APRONS FOR LITTLE GIRLS. forms of it are real works of art in point of embroidery added to them; but others are merely "seusible" garments of plain, stout, easily cleansed material. The American mother,

the annual catch had dwindled down

PROLONGED LAWSUITS.

Germany Holds Record with Oss Settled After 478 Years. The celebrated chancery suit of Jarndyce against Jarndyce no longer holds the record for duration, according to the London Express. A case which has lasted at least 109 years was mention-

ed in the law courts recently. Among a number of motions before the divorce court judge for leave to presume the deaths of different persons was one in the name of C. S. Pulteney. | growing in favor and is always a grace-Counsel asked that the death of C. S. Pulteney might be presumed to have that can be utilized for the simple home taken place in the year 1780.

"When?" demanded Sir Gorell Barnes and for the elaborate one of evening, in amazement.

loud laughter.

married about 1770, and had a daugh- with a V-shaped neck and ellow sleeves ter. In 1780 he left England. He has land the material is one of the pretty been advertised for, but he has never soft silks with trimming of banding; been heard of since. In 1799 a sum of |----£1,000 was paid into court and it now amounts to £1,600."

"What has it been doing there all this time?" the judge inquired. Counsel replied that legal proceedings were started in 1799, but nothing

further was done until 1899. "Why not?" asked the judge.

"I do not know," counsel answered. "Extraordinarys" exclaimed Str Gorell Barnes. "Who wants it now?" "I am afraid a good many people want it now," said counsel. "The present applicant is a great-grandson of the wife of the brother of Charles Pulte-

"Certain persons," he added, "claim the sum and proceedings are being taken in the Chancery Court. The death of C. S. Pulteney is the only link want-

"I have not much hesitation in presuming the death of Mr. Pulteney." the judge stated. "I am quite sure he is

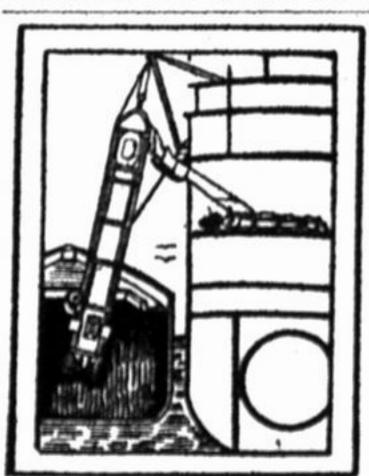
Germany, however, has beaten even this record.

A lawsuit between the local authority of Friemar, a suburb of Gotha, and certain mill owners in a neighboring village was amicably settled recently after 478 years of constant litigation, say a Central News Berlin telegram.

COALING APPARATUS.

Modern Method of Transferring Fuel from Lighter to Steamer.

The immense amount of work required to coal the modern ocean-going may be used as side panels, and black | steamer or warship is not realized by the average layman. The present custom consists in transferring the coal buckets, requiring many days. A New



COAL TRANSFERRED TO STEAMER.

York man has seized upon this opportunity to devise an up-to-date appuratus which immensely simplifies the operation and does away with much of the hard labor now necessary. As shown in the illustration, the coal is Some women are marvellously cley. drawn up an inclined elevator and gravity into the hold of the ressel When house-cleaning is on hand, and upon pins greatly, and she is acknowl- buckets attached to a movable chain. The buckets are filled as they reach the end winding drum and automatic brings an unannounced guest, and you Such women make the deftest akera | ally dump the contents into the waiting chute when they reach the top.

> Carefessness of the Hens. The Bridies had been in their new

country house for scarcely a week before the girl who went out to hunt for strictly fresh eggs came back empty "Where are the eggs, Ellen?" asked

'Sure, mum, Ol couldn't foind a

"Did you look in the henhouse?"

"Yis, mum.", "And in the haymow?"

"Of wint all over the place." "And the manger?"

"They warn't there, mum." "Well, sometimes Henry collects the eggs in a basket and hangs it under the cow shed."

"Of found the basket, but it wur impty. Of hunted all over the placeand, high nor low, sorra a sign of thim eggs could Oi foind anywhere."

"Dear me," said Mrs. Bridle absently. "I hope they haven't been mislaid!" -London Scraps.

Caught on the Run.

The judge listened intently to the man's story, says a writer in the Indiannipolis News. The man was the plaintiff, and had charged his wife with

Giving Sister Away. Little Kitty (entertaining him) Mintle thinks a lot of you, Mr. Wellon Elderly Sultor-Does she, dearle

darlingest old meal ticket that ever happened.-Chicago Tribune.

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~~~~~~ Princense Gown.

The princesse gown is constantly Iful and attractive one. Here is a model gown, for the one of afternoon wear becoming adapted to one or the other "In 1780," repeated counsel, amid as one material or another is used and as it is treated after one manner or "Mr. Pulteney," he explained, "was another. In the illustration it is made



but it can be made with either round or square low neck and made of lighter color and material so becoming adapted to evening wear; or it can be made high at the throat and with long plair sleeves and closed at the front, where

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WITH THE SAGES. Every step to virtue is worth your

care.—Horace. Man has no lordship to command the conscience. - Milton.

Everyone has his place and vocation on this earth.—Gladstone,

Undertake deliberately, but, having

Once loosen the latchstrings of honor, the door to evil swings easily.-

Think all you speak, but speak not Sympathy is the grandest word in the world. It overcomes evil and

ture.-George Moore. Pleasant recollections promote ch fulness and hopefulness, and pain ones despondency and gloom. Thus

it might be a good idea to buy a couole of yards of fliet or Brussels net, the choice in styles and prices is all but sining the two in a amart waist for limitless. For real economy the cotton mitings are more practical than lineus. While the gored skirt is well liked, because they wrinkle less easily and reand circular gored sort | quire less frequent free

well. But remember that fluted things surviving, the eldest son, aged 19, is Home should be a sanctuary from are more difficult to keep clean than a sailor in the Hoyal Navy, and three plain ones, as they need to be scrubbed daughters are out at service. Five of periodically. Let "little and good" be the children attend school at Poltiyour motto when shopping. It is far more, two miles away. The couple were married twenty-four years ago, and the husband, who is now

is as nice as anything, and always looks six of whom are dead. Of the thirteen

two rooms, than to have a houseful of 144, is employed as a roadman by the hadly made and finished things, that if Rural District Council.

such a large family on the 16 shillings Again, when the fertile Bobby, in a week which her husband earned, Mrs. | search of occupation, makes mud pies Copp remarked that it would be a very on the front parier rug, just before inches by putting on an Empire cosdifficult thing even for her to explain. the first call of your most fashion- tume belted beneath the arms.-All she could say was that it had been | able neighbor, don't make it a tragvery hard struggle. They had to pay edy ranking with bankruptcy and sud-\$35 a year for their cottage and garden. | den death. Bobby must have a nice. They helped matters out a bit by grow- appropriate punishment of course, but ing their own regetables and keeping |don't draw out of your nervous bankpigs and she "eronomized as much as account for the purpose an amount

children's garments." To Take on Flesh, Drink plenty of water. Eat plenty of starchy foods, Sleep ten hours out of the twenty-

Give full play to the lungs in breath-Refuse to worry.

Take six raw eggs a day. Drink plenty of cream and milk. Exercise only moderately.

Hottentot Women. Among the Hottentots women hold a better position than they do anywhere else in Africa. "The married woman." says one traveler, "reigns supreme mistress. Her husband cannot without her permission take a bit of meat or a drop of milk." Generally "they rank much above the average of the negro races."-London Spectator.

Embrella Fastens to Shoulder. A novel German umbrella described the Popular Mechanics is roof-shaped and fastens to the shoulders, leaving the hands free for any occupation desired. When not in use the umbrella

folds into a compact package.

Cotton Suitings. Of the washable coat and skirt suits

Dinah is snappy, and the meat does ledged to be one of the most clevnot come, and your forgetful husband | erly gowned women in all Europe.

will be needed.

therefore, who adopts them for economy's sake, will find her children this year quite in the fashion.-Hasper's There has been a revival of the whaling industry. A few years ago

How do you know? Little Kitty-She says you'll be the

Think three times before you speak -then you may decide to keep your

begun, perservere, -Wren.

your words are so no more.-Delany. strengthens good; it disarms resist ance, melts the hardest bearts, a draws out the better part of human t

happiness that flows from the right ulation of the feelings tends to per mate itself .- Martineau.

cruel and abasive treatment. He was a small man, and his wife well, it ly. This gives a lovely color. was at least evident that the charge rested on a basis of possibility. After the plaintiff had finished his Aprons are coming in again for lit testimony the judge devided to ask a tle girls and for others up to the age of twelve or fourteen, according "Mr. Fromble," said be, "where did to their development. After all, this you meet your wife, who has treated must be taken into consideration in con this way?" the selection of all girls' clothing at "Well, judge," returned the man, Mollere. this critical age. French mothers are adopting the apron, making it up in somewhat meekly, "you see it's this way. I never did meet her. She just all you think. Thoughts are your own; the fashionable linens. Some kind of overtook me."