

colors. She trims them with ball

very dry, and wrung by hand, of

course, as the wringer would flatten the

little balls. She uses small rugs a!

through her house save the dining room

because they can be taken outdoors

every week by the one maid of the es-

tablishment. Another woman saves work

by having her luncheon brought to ber

sitting room on a tray, and another, be-

longing to a family that seems doomed

to perpetual mourning attire, supplies

her maid with very light cotton dresses

in white and black because there is al-

Plea for More Coquetry.

It is no more a woman's primary he

stinct to coquette than it is a man's, if

-would not be amiss .- The Lady.

The Odor of Paint.

ready too much gloom in the house.

An Old Fashioned Woman. No clever, brilliant thinker, she, With college record and degree; She has not known the paths of fame, The world has never heard her name; She walks in old, long-trodden ways, The valleys of the yesterdays.

Home is her kingdom, love her flower-She seeks no other wand of power To make home sweet, bring heaven near, To win a smile and wipe a tear, And do her duty day by day In her own queer place and way.

Around her childish hearts are twined, As round some reverend saint enshrined, And following hers the childish feet Are led to ideals true and sweet, And find all purity and good In her divinest motherhood.

She keeps her faith unshadowed still-God rules the world in good and ill; Men in her creed are brave and true, And women pure as pearls of dew, And life for her is high and grand, By work and glad endeavor spanned.

This sad old earth's a brighter place All for the sunshine of her face; Her very smile a blessing throws, And hearts are happier where she goes, A gentle, clear-eyed messenger, To whisper love—thank God for her.

Health and Beauty Hints. The hair brush should be kept scrupulously clean.

Very hot water externally applied will stop dangerous bleeding.

Daily exercise with light dumbbells

eventually cures round shoulders. The juice of a raw onion applied to the sting of an insect will remove the poison.

For hives take common white flour and powder the affected parts. This will relieve itching.

Cleanliness is essential to a good complexion and a daily bath is not a luxury but a necessity.

A little healthy tan on the face is not really an affliction, but too much is unbecoming, particularly in the even-

Practice deep breathing. A person with fully developed lung capacity purifies his blood several times per min-

To improve the contour of the face, try filling the cheeks with air and letting it explode with a soft explosive sound. Do this fifteen or twenty times

A good hair oil for children's hair which is thin or dry is made of equal parts of pure olive oil and cold pressed castor oil, cut with grain alcohol and perfumed.

glass of hot water before breakfast is a cleariner and tonic for the entire system. For an oily, greasy skin, squeeze half a lemon into the water. drink without adding sugar.

For a soft, painful corn, try the oldfashloned remedy of binding it nightly in common baking powder, moistened with a little water. The most stubborn painful corns will disappear, after three weeks of this treatment.

The Husband Who Rebelled,

"Once upon a time," a carelesa woman married a careful man. He would not go to the theater and make a half reliow are in rogue in the late hats. dozen or more men and women rise in the middle of the opening act of the play to allow himself and wife to reach their seats. Perhaps she lost two good plays before she fully understood his determination to be on time, and then reformed. But she still lacked in other directions.

Her next disappointment was in hour of her stay had been carefully planned for amusement. Cutting out a day was a serious loss, yet she had to bear it, for he quietly shifted the hour of departure to the next morning after he had been convinced that the train on which they had booked sents could not be caught, even by hurrying. Sh had never regarded engagements to funch with him downtown very seri until the day she waited one hour in a fashionable restaurant and missed her noonday meal because she had not brought money enough to pay for even a simple luncheon. To-day. after five years of marriage, she is a model of punctuality.

Gets Big Position.



Youngman of Louis- the skirt. ville, Ky., has been named professor of economics at Welles-

The position regarded as one extremely difficult to

MISS YOUNGMAN. man was given the appointment largely because of her knowledge of trusts and commercial and economic questions.

Her record in the local schools and at the University of Chicago has been amazing. When Miss Youngman gradnated from the girls' high school here in 1901, her thesis on trusts excited wide comment

Bjoernson's Helpful Wife. Mme. Bjoernson is 70 years old, and she and her husband have celebrated the fiftieth anniversary of their wedding. She acts as his sole secretary When the poet-politician writes some thing it is his old wife who transcribes 12. She copied his drama, "The Lord's Ways," six times. Her husband never talks to her about the work in hand, and she copies without comment. She

Bran Water a Cleaner. for cleaning. For painted and varnish- by the yard and hemmed. They are ed wedwork it is invaluable, removing easy to wash and require no frontng.

is the mother of five healthy children.

Colored goods, which usually fade when is used for bedroom window draperies washed, will not lose color if washed in because of its good wearing qualities. bran water. It is excellent as a scalp it comes out of the wash with flying cleanser and is good for the hair, making it glossy. Used instead of soap it fringe and does not have them wrung whitens and softens the hands. To prepare bran water, fill a small bag-an ordinary sait bag is excellent for this purpose -with bran, place it in a pail, cover with boiling water, and it is



Narrow lawn ties, daintily embroldered on the ends, are much worn with linen collars.

Ruches are either wide, of plaited the world and for society at large. A net or muslin, or high and full, of twisted satin and colors.

Yokes of cream-colored chintz bear-

ing the marking of old-fashioned de-

signs have been noticed on several modish gowns. The most beautiful of the evening know that this odor of an onion will hades are found in inexpensive ma- draw to it every other disagreeable

terials that give better service than odor and clear the house atmosphere in | bit, and I will find him far from many of the costly ones.

The drawn-work "spider" is very pop- | The onion can then be thrown away

TAILORED COSTUMES FOR AFTERNOON WEAR.

a day.



ular on all buttons. It is not new. but It is now considered very good and it is easy to make.

Khaki, buff, suede and all tones of their brazenness being generally toned down with other colors.

The one feature that almost all the fitted cloak and cutaway effect that has a thousand different variations.

In place of the high turndown linen collars Parisians are to a considerable extent wearing very high collars of trip planned to a big city, where every stiff linen without the turndown part. In some of the new shirt waists back rokes are introduced, and will, no Extreme French fashion plates show the nitra-stylish woman with no hips, with her cont long and straight, and have enough. her skirt hanging straight from the

Frills are much used for triunning guimpes and sleeves, the latter having frills at the elbow, the lower part of the sleeve being flat or only slightly

Many of the best corset models now lace in the front, giving the desired flat back lines, but allowing a straight front line and considerable freedom of They are long, running down past the hip line, so that there will be no thick line or roll visible through

The Second Wife, Little Dorothy could not have paid

her father a higher compliment or bet ter expressed her love for him than when she said, "Pape, I would like to tell you something if you won't tell

"Why don't you want mamma know it, daughter?" "Well, you tell her things I say, and

she laughs at them, and I don't want her to know this." "Let papa hear what you have to

say, anyhow." "Well, I have often thought that mamma were to die I would like to

Petato Furniture Pelish. One housekeeper who is successful in

keeping her furniture in polish washes the varnished wood frames twice a year with potato water and then rubs them kill her, her spirit haunts you." We dry and bright with woollen cloths. The plano receives the same treatment. The potato water is prepared by soaking uncooked potatoes sliced thin in cold water for two or three hours and than straining the water.

Saving Work. In the home of one woman where singie beds are in general use the spreads Few people know how useful bran is | are made of honeycomb material bought the dirt without destroying the finish. In the same home cream white madras

and with it goes the disagreeable smells that come about in a house that has been closed for the summer.

And this is also a good thing to know: That it will absorb all the odor from fresh paint and turpentine.

Afternoon Ten Dalaty. still popular afternoon tea is made Slightly butter any thin round variety of unawestened eracker and with a tiny piece of butter on top the marshmallow. Place in a hot oven for a few minutes, just long enough for the amrshmallow to soften spread, and brown a little on top. only difficulty in serving these deliencies is that unless the supply practically unlimited nobody will ever

Pretty Drapertes, No end of handsome draperies for the windows and doors are being turned out daily by women who like quick growing fancy work. They are stenciling draperies or appliqueing the flowers from cretonnes and chintzes on fo plain light-colored cottons. Some women who realize how artistic the border effect is are making colored borders of plain linens and chambrays on their unbleached musiin cuttains.

Golden Red and Anthma. With golden red coming on it is the season for the usual caution about using the weed for devorations where there are likely to be asthmatic persons. Certain of these fall plants are responsible for the discomfort of persons suffering with any fever and kindred complaints, and it is not safe to use them in public places.

To Darken the Hair. Sage tea is the most harmless of remedies for darkening the hair. Make strong brew of dried leaves, strain the liquid carefully through muslin, and to each pint add two teaspoonfuls of alconol. This should be rubbed on the bal every night before retiring.

Woman. A Japanese saying runs: "Woman is an unmanageable creature; flatter her, she is elated; thrash her, she weepeth;

would suggest that the best remedy

to love her.-London News.

sterilized her.-Atchison Globe.

Sterllined the Baby. An Atchison only child says she was so carefully raised that when she was a baby, and her mother's callers kissed her, the minute the callers left her mother rushed upstairs with her and

A Cyntetem. Woman's most valuable asset is-the magination of man .- London Truth,



THE CLEVER BOY.

never saw a truly ship, I never safled the sea: My little boat made from a chip Is good enough for me,

They will not let me have a gun, But I don't care for that: A slingshot's almost as much fun Mine hits the bull's-eye pat!

Chub Jones's snowshoes cost a dollar, I made mine, big and flat; In walking I beat him all holler, But then, he's awful fat.

It's no fun always to be first In games, I'd be a hog If I could have what I want worst I'd swan all for a dog! -Elizabeth West Parker, in the Christian Register.

THE FOX AND THE RABBIT.

coquetry is to mean simply the desire to attract; and the more that men and women attract each other, the better for bunting for his breakfast, and he was little more coquetry-in its best sense in the snow, which he was intensely the latter was to tempt his appetite. Every one knows that an onion has a distinct and unpleasant odor, whether cooked or raw. But every one does not to the meadows.

"I see." mused the fox to himself: | ing wail. his burrow. Well, I should advise al rabbits not to venture far from their home in a snowstorm like this, or, if they must go far, they should take their tracks with them."

There was something like a st mile on the fox's face at the thought of this joke. He was cunning and tricky in his way, and he always felt that whatever he did or thought was worthy of attention. As he trotted along now, following up the foot tracks of the rabbit, he thought how innocent rabbits were, and what delicious dinners they made.

In a short time he came to a halt, for there before him were double tracks. For a moment the fox studied these carefully, and he was nearly ready to confess to himself that the rabbit had played him a trick. "He has doubled on his tracks," he said to himself, "and must have gone off in this direction. Well, I'll take the freshest track."

He turned to the right then, and followed the new tracks, but with some misgivings as to his breakfast. Then a bundred yards further the tracks were apparently doubled on again, or at least they were so blurred that old Reynard was considerably puzzled. But foxes have the reputation for spiving hard puzzles, and this one finally said that he understood it all. "I'll go straight to the orchard, and I'll find my rabbit there. He thinks to play a trick on me by running back and forth on his own tracks. What an innocent fox! If rabbits were not so innocent and foxes so wise I suppose there would be more rabbits in the

Once more that sly smile on Reylips in anticipation of rabbit breakfast. He trotted along more nimbly now, and paid less attention to the tracks and his surroundings. It was so easy to follow the path new and delicious dainty for the which led to the orchard that he see, the daddy-long-legs has to go the stiffening and hardening of the

the crehard. Only once he hesitated

His fears queiled by this method of reasoning, he hurried on again. Suddently he broke forth from the cover of the swamp, and naw the orchard ahead. One sweep with his eyes convinced him that his rabbit was not in right, but hiding somewhere. He would have to stalk his breakfast after all, and creep upon him while gnawing the bark of some apple tree. He squatted down and began slyly creeping across the orchard, still following

Right ahead of him, not a dozen yards away was a big apple tree, and something suspiciously tempting was bobbing out from the opposite side every few moments. This something must be the long ears of the stalked

my breakfast! thought the fox. "I have the foolish, innocent rabbit at last. Now here goes for a spring and a long run!"

Throwing all caution to the wind the fox broke cover and darted like the wind straight toward the apple tree. The noise be made in running startled the animal on the other side of the tree, and the latter jumped out to meet him. The red fox caught just one glimpse of the animal, and then he felt his heart leap into throat. Instead of a rabbit he was stalking a big rabbit-hound which had made the funny tracks the snow where the rabbit had been. The hound yelped with delight, the fox turned swiftly, and then the race began. For half a mile it was a close one, but old Reynard finally escaped to his burrow after the narrowest

Panting from his fear and exertion, the fox thought of the double tracks and the rabbit. "I was more foolish than the rabbit," he reflected, sadly "It was over confidence that led my parents into traps and caused their | pected his apparent meaning. "Give death. Maybe the rabbit is not so foolish after all, and I can something from him yet."

He shook his head sadly, but more small to teach him a lesson in cau-Christian Advocate.

The Irish tairs is es knolls, spreading hawthorne, moonlights, sweeping steeds, music and gay dances, writes de MacManus in Lippincott's Magazia There is marrying and giving in marriage among them; sometimes they even fall in love with handsome hu man beings, pretty maidens and man ly youths, and carry them off to be stow on them immortality in their blithesome company. By extraordinary human efforts, the stolen youths are sometimes won back to the nat ural world and its ills again, but this is rare.

Sometimes a man or woman is bor rowed temporarily by the fairlesjust for the mischief of the thing, the abducted one is usual whisked off to strange foreign scenes, and, in the course of a few hours or one night, whisked round half the world and shown wonderful sights before being left safe and sound on the same spot from which he or she was snatched away.

There is one kind of fairy, and one only, which, unlike the rest of the tribe, is not joyous; this is the Banshee. The Banshee is a little woman dressed in white, with raven black hair, which falls and flows loosely around her. She attaches herself Old Reynard, the red fox, was out to the favored and ancient families, and only on the eve of a disaster to not particular whether he had chick- the family-usually a death-does she en, duck, or rabbit. From the tracks | disclose herself to human sense. On all such occasions she is heard, but studying, it looked very much as if far more rarely seen. She generally sits upon a limb of a tree convenient There were the unmistakable tracks to the house for whose coming sad of a rabbit which led straight down | fate she mourns, and lifts up her voice three times in weird heartrend-

When the Banshee's cry is heard, death follows certainly and soon. The night watcher who hears it rises up through the dead hours and prostrates himself in prayer for the soul that will so soon depart. Fortunately, it is not given to the dying one to hear this weird wail; sometimes only one person hears it, at other times it is heard by all except the fated one, and all arise from their beds, coming together in terror to tell each other what they have heard, to shake their heads in sorrow and to pray.

THE DADDY-LONG-LEGS.

The children were down in the big meadow, having a picule supper near the brook beneath a large elm

"Oh, see what I've got!" exclaimed Susan, who was very adventurous, and not afraid of any insects or strange animals that came near her. Just as she spoke and the others turned to see what she had, she cried, "He's gone, but he's left his leg behind!"

"How cruel you are, Susan," said Sammy, "to pull off his leg! What

Susan looked very sober indeed as she regarded the delicate wiry insect's leg that remained in her hand. "It was a daddy-long-logs, and he walked over my sandwich and then stopped, so I told hold of him to see what he was like. I didn't mean to

Her big brother Henry said, "Don't be too sorry, Susan. He doesn't care, "Doesn't be?" asked the girl. "Why

his legs hitched on very lightly, so

if he has to." "Oh, Henry," cried the children,

"rou must be joking!" about among the long grass a grea! Just as he had guessed, the double | deal. In fact, the egg he comes out see through him, the farmers in cerplaces call him 'leather-lacket.' Susan was holding the leg while

> Henry was talking "I'm glad I didn't hurt him," she said, "and I will keep this till we

But to the best knowledge he nerer did.-Youth's Companion.

A DOG STORY.

I asked a little friend of mine what kind of stories she liked best she promptly answered, "Dod stories, if they are true." Here is 'really, trully" one: A gentleman connected with the

Newfoundland fisheries possessed

dog remarkable for his fidelity and sagacity. On one occasion a boat and crew in his employ were in circumstances of considerable peril, just out side a line of breakers, which, owing to some change in the wind or weather, had, since the departure of the boat, rendered the return through them most hazardous. The spectators on shore were quite unable to render any assistance to their friends affoat Much time had been spent, and the danger seemed to increase rather than diminish. Our friend the dog looked on for a length of time, evidently aware that there was great cause for anxiety in the minds of those around. Presently, however, he took to the water and made his way through to the boat. The crew supposed he wished join them, and made various atin their reach, and continued swimming about, a short distance away. After the crew had made several com | harem life is losing its hold on the danger from the ments on the peculiar conduct of the dog, one of the hands suddenly ser- Constantinople, where the native aris- of ch him the end of a rope," he said, "that's what he wants." The rope there is no doubt that in time it will was thrown—the dog seized the end | be a thing of the past.—London Chron-In an instant, turned around and icle. wisely than ever before that day, for made straight for shore, where a few even the humble rabbit was not too minutes afterward, boat and crew, thanks to their four-footed friend, | children's noise should annoy tion.-George Ethelbert Walsh in the were placed safe and undamaged .--May Haven Register.

Of the 568 lockmetives in 427 use petroleum for fuel. Electrically heated plates, by levers, are the principal feature

a new clothes pressing device. In a new electric device for dryin the bair with an air blast a res can be switched in for heating the al At Sholapur, British India, a factory is successfully making matches will sticks of a peculiarly stiff form of a

tive grass. A French engineer has invented a rotary rudder by which he says a vessel of any size may be turned in its own length.

An Italian physician has discovered that carrots act as an intestinal antiseptic, and will cure many forms of digestive disorders.

A species of ant in Australia builds its nests along a north and south line so accurately that a traveler may direct his course by their aid.

In connection with the extermination of rats from Honolulu, an official of the Marine Hospital Service is preparing to develop a breed of cats of high rat-catching ability. Hamburg is the only one of the three

leading seaports on the northern coast

of Europe which shows an increase is business during the first eight mouths of this year as compared with 1907. Many workmen are planning to leave the island of Samos, in the Mediterra-

nean, forty-three miles southwest from Smyrna, because of the introduction of cigarette machines, which permit a daily output of 100,000 cigarettes. A young professor of mathematics. immense at mathematics and games, dangerous at chess, capable of Haydn

on the violin, once said to me, after listening to some chat on books: "Yes: I must take up literature," as though saying: "I was rather forgetting literature. However, I've polished off all these other things. I'll have a shy at literature now."-T. P.'s Weekly. Vu Kyuin Willington Koo, a Chinese,

has been chosen to edit the Datly Spectator at Columbia University. It is said to be the first time that a Chinese student has been placed at the head of an American college paper. Editor Koo, who is only twenty-two years old, is a siender chap and is known throughout the university as a master of pure English. He speaks without accent, knows more about American politics than the average American, is a debater of wonderful ability, and one of the most popular men in the uni-

Sam Shubert used to tell this: "A rustic came to Buffalo and bought a ticket for the theater. Through blundering about the doors he found himself in the adjoining billiard saloon. Seeing a novel performance going on, with a big crowd witnessing the same, No. 6125. he settled himself in a chair and patiently watched the play for an hour | BIZE or two. Having satisfied his appetite he left the room, and going out in the street was asked if the show was over. 'Over? Oh, no,' he replied; 'it's a-goin' on yet. They are knockin' away like all the world in that."

A French medical man advises people to drink buttermilk for long life. He says that the lactic acid attacks and dissolves every sort of earthy deposit in the blood vessels, keeping the that he can leave one or two behind | veins and arteries so supple and free running that there can be no clogging up; and hence there is no deposit or chalky matter around the joints, or of "Not a bit of it," he replied. "You poisonous waste in the muscles. It is blood ressels which bring on old age. Buttermilk is likely to postpone it ten or twenty years if freely drunk. A quart a day should be the minimum, the maximum according to taste and

> opportunity. Out in Burmah and the far East, where sandalwood is worth its weight in silver, the pestiferous ant is a valuable assistant to the loggers of the preclous timber. The hard and fragrant heartwood alone has value, but as the tree grows this valuable heart is overlaid by a soft and worthless layer, forming two-thirds of the trunk. When a tree is felled and cut into lengths the largers let the timber He. At once the ants begin work upon the soft wood, which is sappy and sweet enough to attract them. In a few weeks less than a month in the case of the largest butts-the ants deliver the heartwood free of all worthless sap wood.-Washington Post.

> An English scientist gives some interesting figures regarding the occurrence and distribution of radium in the earth. The total amount of radium in the ocean is reckoned to be 20,000 tons. Regarding the sediments accumulating in the sea, it is found that those must slowly formed exhibit the greatest radio-activity. If all the deposits in the sea were as rich in radium as the giobigerina coose the total amount of this element in them would be 1,000,000 tons. With regard to the rate change of uranium, by which radium is produced, it is calculated that the amount present in the earth 100,000,000 years ago was only 1 per cent more

Though a Turk is allowed four wives, he rarely has more than one. both on account of expense and also for fear of placing himself at the legal mercy of so many women. He is also most anxious to be considered on level with the men of other European countries, and he is aware that a plu rallty of wives is a fatal barrier to his ambition in this respect. Monogamy is very surely gaining ground, and the in dairy windows is as people. This is especially the case in tocracy is brought into closer touch a with the customs of other races, and

No mother can apperstand why the



with stitching and trimmed with erty satin, but coats of satin and Ottoman silk in combination with skirts and worn over entire gowing thinner materials will be much this season, and the design walks quite as well as it does the entire

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