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> 1-3 LATEST FAD.

In Holland it is still the fashion for ladies to wash the dainty china and filver after tea or breakfast in the presence of the family and guests. The same fashion has recently been revived as a fad among American ladies, as it is not only appreciated as giving an air of domesticity to the meal, but also for the practical reason, that a lady's gentle handling is needed, if pretty glass and china are to be preserved for any length of time. Had our grandmothers entrusted the washing of their tea services to the care of their servants, heirlooms of beautiful old china would be rarer among us than they are now.

WONDERFUL SLEEPER.

There is alive in France to-day a woman whose almost · lifelong condition of quasi-suspended animation might qualify her to rank among the Seven Sleepers. Her name is Marguerite Boyenval, and she lives at Thenelles, in the St. Quentin district. She has lain for twenty years in a cataleptic sleep without moving a muscle's Recently an abscess appeared on one arm, and this had to e lanced. Dr. Charlieu performed the operation. The sleeper seemed to feel the incision, and for the first time in twenty years was observed to move, making a slight twitch of the arm.

A NEW YORK SKYSCRAPER.

In one of the largest of the inew sayscrapers in New York, a twentynino storey, structure, which took the place of a five-storey building, there are 1,125 offices, in which are employed nearly 6,000 persons. The elevators in this building carry over 15,000 persons daily.

Professor-'Your daughter is a wirard on the piano." Mr. Plunk-"I thought there was something kinder weird an' unnatural about her playing.

Weaknesses, Much Pain an be Permanently Overe

It is usually in girlhood that these irregularities have their beginnings, and hence, mothers, the necessity of looking to the health of your daughters during the period change. A few words of advice this point may save them from life of ill-health and misery. From girinood to the change life, for the nursing mother and at every trying time in woman's life, Dr. Chase's Nerve Food is of incotimable value, because it forms na red blood, insures good circulation and revitalizes the wasted and pleted nerve cells. It gives health strength and buoyancy, rounds the form, increases flesh and weight and builds up the system. Dr. Chase's Nerve Food is posed of nature's most powerful iv storatives and cannot fail to bear fit you. 50 cents a box, at dealers, or Edmanson, Bates & Toronto.

A WOMANLY VOCATION.

Field In Which They Can Make pression should be full of sunshine as tory? The sting of death is sin, well as her fingers' touch gentle and the strength of sin is the law. An Honorable Living

good works * * if she have relieved the afflicted."

I want to present to you my conception of what ssuch a woman should be whether she stands by

the operating table or bends over the invalid's bed or walks through the wards of a hospital for tagious discuses or sterilizes surgeon's knives just before the limb is to be amputated. I take this opportunity to address not a single graduating class of trained nurses, but to speak to all the diftraining schools for nurses with which my pulpit comes into

humble home of the most beof the prominent military officers of

Who was Florence Nightingale ? I passeth understanding? will tell you. She was the heroic rurse who did not want the British should be a brave woman. The batpeople to rear for her a monument tlefield, with its storm of shot and i cold marble, but instead she took shell, shows no greater percentage the \$250,000, which was a free will of loss of life than that found among offering given by her countrymen, the trained nurses in our contagious and with it built and endowed, only hospitals. The soldier who charges short distance from Westminster the enemy's breastworks is looking abley, the famous training school death in the face with no braver eye for nurses, which now bears her than the uniformed nurse who times made sinners, so by the obedience of name. This school, established in the pulse of the smallpox patient or one shall many be made righteous to a farmhouse 1860, is the idster mother of all the the young girl who offers to go with (Rom. v, 12, 19). All are in Adam modern training schools for nurses: the physicians into the quarantined without exception, and therefore all-When a women so honored by city affected with yellow fever. Then are simers and dead in trespasses thurch and state as Florence Night- there are the dangers which may af- and sins (Eph. ii, 1). All who, beingule thinks the development of the fect the patients, as well as the ing convinced of sin, have accepted trained more a work so important nurse, which result from delirium. Christ are in Christ, and He is that she devotes to it hor fortune The other day I read an account of a wisdom, rightcourness, sanctification and her conservated energies, we case in which the quick witted bray redemption and life stemal to all need nide no eriology for taking as ery of a nurse saved the life of a who truly receive Him I Cor. i, 30, our thems this morning the qualities raving patient committed to her I John v, 12). which are needed in the ideal nurse charge. Having stepped out of the 50. Now, this The trained nurse in the first room for a little, when she returned flesh and blood cannot inherit the place, must be intelligent. She is she found the patient standing by kingdom of God; neither doth corther right arm of the physiciam.

By his bed with a king in his hand, ruption inherit incorruption. that we do not neigh that the train- ready to cut his throat. Instead of The kingdom of God will be that ed muss is to be a mere automatic screaming or running away, she fix- condition of affairs on earth when district on the stand stand when the physical parts and stand stand stand on the stand stand of the stand of far more. We find that to-day the intelligert trained nurse is more lirious patient hesitated a moment.
than the rore physical pight arm Phen he handed it to her. Then she than the more physical right arm of the harden. She is his eyes, the commy window as she said and threw it out of his hands, his constant helper. What, the latelity at trained nurse is able belo to bed or I will call for to report in reference to the progress help to put you there." Ah, that of the patient to a great extent decides the physician's diagnosis. He

and evening call. The value of the intelligent purse is to be found in as well as in what she is willing to do; her usefulness is to be enlarged by what she, can patient a certain medicine that act informent. obey orders

A FAULACY EXPLODED. It is high time," Florence Nightingale once wrote, "that the fallacy should be exploded, that every woman is alle to become a competent nurse." It is high time that the standard of our training schools for nurses should be raised, that unworthy institutions should be crushed out and that the question of a trained nurse's efficiency should not be decided by her chility to buy a gingham diess and to read a thermometer. Incompetent nursing has involved the loss of many a life and caused many an agonizing pain, a right. She should refuse to work bodies of Enoch and Elijah. Some time ago a dear friend of mine

petent nurses has sent many tion. I wish you godspeed.

tarily enter your noble profession of Florence Nightingala! And may intellectually unqualified, you are the bandage and the nurse's cool committing a sin against the hu- hand upon the fevered brow ever be man race just as surely as is the accompanied by the carnest Chrisignorant switchman who throws tian prayer of the ideal nurse. open the wrong switch and sends the passenger train crashing into the freight train which has been sidetracked.

The ideal nurse should be a Chris-CURE SOUL AND BODY. tian woman. During the dark The scope of my theme can best night, when the black winged death e realized if the hearer is led into angel is hovering, wing and wing, beside the white winged birth angel, Text of and internationally honored or when in the crisis of pneumonia of all women living at the present or typhoid the life seems to be hang-Who is she? I will answer ing by a slender thread, no intellithat suestion by relating an inci- gent nurse is so competent to bend dent which happened about the year over the bed as the one who be-1858. Lord Stratford was enter lieves in God and prayer and the one taining at a London banquet many who can ask for the divine blessing when she pours out the medicine or the British army, who had led to places the ice bag on the fevered the gospel by which we are saved rictory the queen's soldiers in the brow. A great deal of Florence and ending with the complete subrimean conflict. As a matter of sightingale's power over her pa- jugation of all things unto Him who curiosity, the noble lord asked tients was due to the fact that she died for our sins and was buried and them, one and all, this question, could tell the physically helpless and rose again the third day, according tures he attended were especially ar-Who do you think, of all the particle dying about the Good Physician, to the Scriptures (verses 3, 4). The twipants of the late war, will be who was able to cure the sufferer's writer of this epistle, with whom Trinity College, and delivered only on the ground and flogged with the most honored and revered by soul as well as his body. The Cri- we have recently been journeying so the coming generations?" He asked mean soldiers had a better /chance much, seemed to know nothing but his guests to write the names of for getting well in this world when Christ crucified, Christ risen and the Duke of St. Albans. his guests to write the names of for getting well in this world when some step their choice upon slips of paper and Florence Nightingale's mere presence ascended and Christ returning to Subsequently the Prince took up ery by the sending out of a minimal their choice upon slips of paper and Florence Nightingale's mere presence ascended and Christ returning to his residence at Madingley Hall — a force, which surrounds, the will be well if there his residence at Madingley Hall — a force, which surrounds, the will shape the surrounds of the surrounds. mounce the result of the ballot. swearing and influenced many of were many like him. In this chapter large Elizabethan, mansion about the men and shoots the men and such he gives special prominence to the large that the men and shoots and shoots the men as try to escape. The result of the ballot.

THE IDEAL NURSE

the open window as she said, "Now cides the physician's diagnosis. He sees the patient but once in twenty-four hours, while she is by the invalid's bed practically all the time.

MORAL COURAGE NECESSARY

MORAL COURAGE NECESSARY

But there is another way in which the ideal trained nurse must prove her bravery. That is when she has the moral courage to refuse to work time ago one of the training schools study it by the morning for nurses gave this question in an examination paper: "Supposing you the doctor's orders to give to your but we shall all be changed in

> swered "No." 'Yes.' I myself believe that neith- wish nurse should go to that doctor and see nor inherit the kingdom of malpractice. She should not disobey His coming or be in a moment his orders. Two wrongs never make changed without dying, as were the

for him at all. a brother minister, had his little The ideal nurse should be a happy five year-old son nearly burned to woman. Happyt Why? Because death. The only way to save the as King Solomon wrote. child slife was by grafting human heart doeth good like a medicine:

go about their tasks with the sour- with Christ reigning over it (Rev. v, up those who are pain racked and coming in His glory. depressed. They never seem to re 55-57. O death, where is thy alize that a true nurse's facial ex-sting? O grave, where is thy vic-

the patient, there is another reason Jesus Christ. Fatered according to Act of the Par lad about ten years of age—tad had had had him the year of the skin cut off his arms and should—the sciousness that she is trying to help grave. I will be thy plagues: O her fellow men. It is the property of the nurse and the nurse why the ideal nurse should be happy. In Hos. xiii, 14, from which part Her life is one of self sacrifice. It is of this is quoted, the words are: "O the nurse and said, "Nurse, where mere money making, as many supdespatch from Chicago says:

the slope that knife?" "Out of pose After the trained nurse has A despatch from Chicago says . the alcohol, she answered. "Did taken out her legitimate expenses Rev. Frank-De Witt Talmage pretting you, then place the blade in sterile she has little money to save. It is a othy v, 10, "Well reported of for water before you gave it to me?" life of sweet and noble self sacrifice. 'No," she answered ; "I did onot THE JOY OF SELF SACRIFICE. know you wanted me to do it." Oh, the transcendent joy of the death is changed to a blessing and the surgeon, we have Christian nurse's sacrifice for oth-Well, indeed, may a woman be recut all the skin off from this boy's ers! Young women who are about better (Phil. i 21, 23), yet the fact Well, indeed, may a woman be reported of for good works in such a ported of for good works in such a body for nothing. Your criminal to enter the nurse's profession, if she have relieved in afflicted. Such women are sorethe afflicted. Such women are sorethe afflicted. Such women are sorethe afflicted. There is suffering every ly needed. There is suffering every ly needed. There is suffering every ly needed. There is no place that knife in py because you will know that your of enemies with the best Friend.

where in the rich man's palace and sterile water. You profess to be a sacrifice and devotion and faithfulwhere in the rich man's parace and the rich man's parace and the poor man's tenement. If any trained surgical nurse and a gradunce and devotion and faithfulness will save other lives. You will ness will save other lives. You will have the sweet consciousness that you ways abounding in the work of the poor man's tenement. If any trained surgical nurses will save other lives. You will have the sweet consciousness that you have been able to lead a sufficient the dark valley of the dark valley. of for good works, shorter, better, trained nurses, it is of vital impor-ferer back from the dark valley of her ambition in the afflicted. trained nurses, it is of vital impor- ferer back from the dark valley of way than in relieving the afflicted. tance that you are intelligent and the shadow of death, or, if you have way than in termination that has tance that you are intelligent and the shadow of death, or, if you have it is a glorious mission that has efficient. It is of vital importance to close the eyelids of the dead, you It is a glorious misse noble women, that you should know the value of will know that you have been able kingdom, the new earth, concerning who are graduating as trained who are graduating as trained muses and are going forth in their is of vital importance that you hand of Jesus. Christian women hand of Jesus. Christian women nurses and are going lot of the laws of cleanliness and about to enter the noble profession striped uniforms, with fell disease. Oney the laws of cleanlinesss and about to enter the noble profession diers, to contend with fell disease. not allow your patient to become of trained nurses, I congratulate infected. The ignorance of incorn- you. I give to you a gospel saluta-

patient to the grave. If you volun- May God bless to-day the memory

THE S. S. LESSON

INTERNATIONAL LESSON, APRIL 12.

the Lesson, I Cor. xx. 20, 21, 50-58. Golden Text,

I Cor. xv., 20. of them that slept.

ious chapter truly, beginning with college and occasionally dined vole was manimus. Wonderful to ven with a beseeching prayer. We state, the name which Lord Stratford announced was not that one of the beneficent ford announced was not that one death of the peace of mind and of general. It belonged to an untitled women. Her name was Florence heart. Therefore is not the ideal fact there is no gospel to preach, no substituting the peace of the work women. Her name was Florence heart. Therefore is not the ideal fact there is no gospel to preach, no ground for faith, no salvation; but, they were they are prayed to an untitled the circumstance that when cally slaves if they escape, cally slaves in the jungle avaits them.

THE IDEAL NURSE.

The rest and attended at College daily. In taken prisoners and sent to disting and attended at college daily. In taken prisoners and sent to disting and attended at college daily. In taken prisoners and sent to disting and attended at college daily. In taken prisoners and sent to disting and attended at college daily. In taken prisoners and sent to disting and attended at college daily. In taken prisoners and sent to disting and attended at college daily. In taken prisoners and sent to disting and attended at college daily. In taken prisoners and sent to disting and attended at college daily. In taken prisoners and sent to disting and attended at college daily. In taken prisoners and sent to disting and attended at college daily. In taken prisoners and sent to disting and attended at College daily. In taken prisoners and sent to disting and attended at College daily. In taken prisoners and sent to disting and attended at College daily. In taken prisoners and sent to disting and attended at College daily. In taken prisoners and sent to disting and attended at College daily and att those who trust in Him, and as He is in His risen body so shall we be (Phil.iii, 21; I John iii, 2).

21. For as in Adam alk die, even so in Christ shall all be made alive. By one man sin entered into the world, and death by sin, and so death passed upon all men. for that enally to be seen out with the Cam- them to the commissary, all have sinned. For as by one bridgeshire Hotoks. He also inman's disobedience many were dulged in shooting in the county,

50. Now, this I say, brethren, that where to get a sharper one." The deling the thousand years Rev. xx) subdued all things unto Himself and restrictions of university life some square miles, which give evident His resurrection body of flesh and

(Luke xxiv, 31; John xx, 19). 51, 52. Behold, I show you positively knew that if you obeyed mystery We shall not all sleep,

In I Thess. lv, 16-18, this is more would kill the patient, would you tell, as well as by her willingness to give it?" Most of the students and fully set forth and so simply and obey orders Some answered clearly that only those who do not to can fail to see it. Our er answer fully covered the duty in Lord Himself referred to it in these the case. If there should come a words: "He that believeth in Me, time and that time will come when though he die, yet shall be live, and a competent nurse knows that her whosoever liveth and believeth in patient is being cared for by an in- Me shall never die"; (John xi, 25, competent physician, then that 26). The natural man can never nurse should go to that doctor and see nor inherit the kingdom of God tell him plainly what she knows and unless he is born from above, born then and there refuse to work any the second time, and all who, be longer under his orders. A trained born again, belong to the kingdom nurse has no moral right to work must in one of two ways obtain a under an incompetent physician. By body fit for the kingdom—the body tain that half that number would doing so she becomes a party to his must die and rise from the dead at try."

Death is swallowed up in victory. referring to our present bodies; . inand chest. The father and the scontagious as well as infectious. the bodies that shall be only brothers volunteered to The nurse's smile in the sickroom coming, when we shall be like Him. let the doctor peel the skin from has the same curative qualities as This quotation from Isa. xxv, 8, 9, sibly prints anything that would be always filled the cans so full their hadidal the skin from has the same curative qualities as This quotation from Isa. xxv, 8, 9, sibly prints anything that would be always filled the cans so full their hadidal the cans so full the cans so full their hadidal the cans so full their hadidal the cans so full the can so full the can so full the cans so full the cans so full the can so full the can so full the can so full the can so full the ca their bodies to save the baby's life. the sun bath or an alcoholic rub, reminds us that when the kingdom make anyone who knows you think there is no room on the top for the sun bath or an alcoholic rub, reminds us that when the kingdom make anyone who knows you think cream. After one of the brothers a cottle And yet there are some nurses who comes and the glorified church is less of you."

ed visage of an undertaker's assist- 9, 10), Israel shall have her place, ant rather than, with the radiant with her rebuke taken away from off face of one who is trying to cheer all the earth, for she shall see Him

55-57. O death, where is thy But thanks be to God, which giveth But, outside of her duty toward us the victory through our Lord

> pentance shall be hid from mine eyes." Thinking of these words. I often say that I am glad that God hates death and the grave and will destroy both and will never alter His purpose about it. While in the

your labor is not in vain in the Lord,

which Paul said Rom. viii, 17, 18; II Cor. iv, 17, 18, and many such words may well encourage us to be steadfast in the faith, unmoved by the false doctrine and gladly walking in the good works which He has prepared for us. He only wants us to present to Him our bodies, which Edgar Canisine who also spent is truly a reasonable thing, since He has bought us with a great price, The authors declare that they that He may unhindered work in us race to abound toward us (Eph. ii, 0; Rom. xii, 1, 2; I Cor. vi, 19, 20; II Thess. i, 11, 12; II Cor. ix,

THE KING AT COLLEGE.

His Likes, and Dislikes Were the Same as Other Students.

When the King (as Prince of Wales) was at Cambridge Univer-20. But now is Christ risen from sity, his life did not differ much in the dead and become the first fruits routine from that of the undergraduates of the time, inasmuch as he We have to-day a great and glor- attended lectures, had rooms in hall. But it differed materially in the fact that his rooms comprised a complete suite (and not the usual number. If they bring in at two apartments), and that the lec- fortnightly muster a quantity w ranged for him by the Master of handed over to the soldiers, the

> insisted upon driving by way of certain street that he had been accustomed to use as an undergraduate, although this entailed the destruction of a barrier that had been proach. One practice on these erected in view of his visit.

Hunting was one of the Prince's off, the lest hand of all the men, chief amusements, and he was genand on one occasion made his way

TO BEG A DRINK.

The farmer's wife brought out , ker best, but was more than a little as place then selves under Lothi tonished, and chagrined when the tonished and chagrined when the protection, being suspended from Prince politely refused her professed horizontal pole by cords from 'sherry wind' and accepted a glass of home-brewed ale.

a practical joke is shown in the fact were scalped: Then their shin ? that on one occasion he saw a fishing from a punt in the vicinit of the college, and in a spirit d mischief pushed him into the river The act was no sooner done, 'how ever, than he took steps to haul the lasted for an lour, after which luckless lad out again, and to com- men were thrown into the bush. pensate him for his involuntary ducking the Prince gave him an order on his own tailor for a new out- through the book, with accounts

cast Satan and all his followers times galled the high spirits of the the existence of an appalling into the lake of fire, God shall be Prince, and it is said that he one of affairs. The whole conduction all in all. In order to enjoy that day escaped from the care of his tu- affairs is a violation of the sold kingdom and its glory, these present tor and determined to have a jount pledges given to the European mortal bodies of flesh and blood in London on his own account. The tions when the Congo Free must be changed and be made like construction of the authorities was created may be imagined when he was found bones (Luke xxiv, 39). They will be to be missing; but inquiries soon esas real and tangible as His resurtablished the fact that he had left rection body, but no longer subject Cambridge by a London train. A to the powers and circumstances telegram was therefore asspatched She can revord the progress of the disease by the flight of minutes. He time ago one of the training schools which control our mortal bodies at once, with the result that when ever the Prince reached his destination he found a darriage and attendants awaiting his arrival. What Prince Albert said to his erring son is not recorded, but certain it is that the Royal student was returned to the greatly to his disgust.

DIDN'T LIKE TO BOAST.

A couple of months ago a Scotsman was watching the drill of a body of Continental troops, when of employment hitherto thought one of the officers said to him; clusively masculine. There "There, sir, do you tell me that an shown in the last United States equal number of Scotsmen could sus report 120 women plumbers beat them?" "No, sir," was the plasterers, 167 bricklayers and s ready reply, "I won't pretend to say that; but I am perfectly cer-

Augustus (who has been looking at 58, 54. Then shall be brought to a comic paper)-"I should hate to pass the saying that it written be a public character; doncherknow. Miss Flash, and have all the funny Corruptible and mortal are terms papers printing things about me that would lower me in the estima- it this morning, and he has explain

IN THE CONGO FREE STATES

TURE AND MASSACRE.

King Leopold Protested to Ling land Against Circulation of Book.

The sensation of the book publish Central Africa, which is the latest contribution to the sickening his coles tory of the Congo Free State which Leopold, King of the Belgians tur. is the autocratic sovereign.

gal injunction to prevent its july islow lication. The preliminaries to a l' bel suit were also taken in behalf three officials whose names in tain proof sheets had been sent. the Free State Company. Thes names were subsequently omitted

the book which appeared last month Almost immediately a rumor cum from Brussels | that King Leone had protested against the book the English authorities. Whatever may be the fact, an attempt man to purchase it resulted in the covery that the book had been with drawn from sale. This, however work

may be only temporary. The authors of the book are Can Guy Burrows, who resigned his con mission in the Seventh Hussars enter the service of the Congo I'm State Company, to whom Henry Stanley had recommended him, eral years in the company's servi absolute proof of everything in pleasure, causing all book, and also of much that is printed; because the book was tended for general circulation.

> SLAVES OF THE COMPANY What is in the book, however, sufficiently horrible and revolting It appears | that the natives he only been delivered from Arab si drivers to become the slaves of Free State Company. The store of cruelties practiced by its office equal and surpase the ghastitales from Armenia and Bulgaria. The main trade of the Congo i rubber. The villages are obliged send in a certain amount, which so great that it takes up the w time of the people. The village wear round their necks a zinc ba men as try to escape. The rest

the men, women, and children possibly can, and burn the villa which are abandoned on their casions was for the soldiers to men, and children killed and "counts them to see that the siers had not wasted any cartridge A photograph, which is reproc in the book, shows Major Lots and other Belgian officials looking a gruesome scepe of two chiefs, with 400 people, had come in necks, walsts and ankles in the of home-breved ale. painful attitudes. After having That the Prince had a fondness for thus suspended these two na these two na through by the were, sawed sergeant of the Belgian doctor ter this their ears, noses, and were cut off for-"the amusement the white onlookers." This to

Stories of similar tortures of women, and children are scattle the general system of administrat There is no doubt the routine and of this vast district of 802

> FROM MANY QUARTERS Herr Krupp's income, the Germany, was

760,60 year.
The Standames district of Lonalthough but seven-tenths of square mile, has 471 policement In New Zealand & government sidy is given the Salvation Arthur university on the following day, prevent suffering among the need greatly to his disgust.

A year ago 1,262 women we've rolled in the German university now, in consequence of restriction and discriminations against the the number is but 737.

Women have invaded many masons, 241 paper-hangers, painters, and 545 carpenters.

NO ROOM FOR CREAM.

"My dear," said the young. band, 'cid you speak to the m man about there being no cream the milk?" "Yes, I told him ab cream.

NATIVES SUBJECTED TO TOR & EASTER SUNDAY OF JOY.

*** Easter, Dominica gaudii, or Suning season was the appearance last day of Joy, is the festival after the month in London of "The Chrsq of closing" of the austerities of Lent, the resurrection of Christ is North celebrated to the goddess Os the personification of the morning, at this season and also to the Before the book appeared, it spening of the year or spring. The stated in the introduction, the law policy of the church gave Christian ministration of the Congo live sgrillcance to such rites as could State applied to England for a le not le rooted out, and thus converwas made easy for the heathen. The honfires of pagan rites gave way to the great paschal tapers, some weighing 300 pounds, lighted in the churches

Easter eggs are symbolical of the ing life in spring and were proc Sent i as gifts by the Persian fire worshippers on the sclar New Year: lews, too,, used eggs in the were colored and stained with dy kept as amulets and sometimes eaten: Various games of egg ng and egg knocking were play

LOOKING FOR EGGS!

ome, moorland coulind , the young people went porond early on Pasch Sunday and rearched for wild fowl's eggs for realifast, for it was thought lucky ind them. The rabbit seems to have become 'associated with Eastt there is no trace of it in no punts of ancient customs. In the state of Maryland the children make posts in the young grass under the durings of budding Easter lilies East Live and the following Easter dawn find them filled with spotted cally stained eggs.

The Christian, world adorns the of ceremonial and song. The world blossoms in spring bonne's and garments new and wonfor has not springtide arriv-The business world recognizes cornival season with early salds of linen, underwear and summer which the worldly woman ransforms into marvelous decord when she may emerge from her season of sewing and contrit splendid as the arst spring fly from its chrysalis. nable woman either flees southvaria, or, piously gurbed in sombre attends a daily service, fasta enten luncheon or listens expositions of the deeper poets.

BLESSED BIRTHRIGHT. Occasionally one | meets a family. that preserves traditions and supers and celebrates all holidays. pagan and Christian. Such have inherited a blessed birth-They have an interest in the passing year not dependent on charge of fashion, on rumors of war or an stock bonds. To watch with equinox, the changes of the and even to place faith in the hog, which holds its own un-Michael's day, Feb. 21, when, good saint came and found ice, he would break it and usher in an spring, or if he shw no ice. wise to make it to protect ender herbs and tree buds from arly a start dni warn the spar-100 against untimely nesting-all lds spice to the variety of life. this a happiness to think that as

brate Easter, so, from timestant, before the Christian era, . oples celebrated the return of n and the awakening of spring, hat gratitude tourd the cource git and heat turned the altars an temples toward the east the Parsee fire worshipper in lion, while the gladsome doctripes of Christianity have found a for the aspirations of the nathat walked in spiritual darkand have turned the sun wor ito love and faith in the Son of Righteousness.

EASTER SEX HOLIDAYS Easier Monday by long prescription is the men's holiday, and Faster

Tuesdly the women's. The sex have. a right to play tricks on each other interchangeably. in some parts of England men

the women on Paster Monind women, the men on Tues-Binding consists, in stretching rope across the highways and ng in the toils wayfarers of the opposite sex, who were not released, until they had given some small sum to be laid out in revelry or in pious uses. "Lifting," however, is more com-

ino than binding. In imitation of the sun, supposed to rise on Easter Monday in three leaps, the men "lift" the women on Easter Monand the women return the compliment on Easter Tuesday, the vice tim being lifted three times, and then dither kissed, or let off for a consideration. The lifting is sometimes done by means of a chair, somet mes by the lifters joining their hands at the wrist, so as to improvise a) seat, upon which the person to be lifted is placed, and at other times less decorously by the lifters taking hold of the victim's arms and legs. In ancient times husbands had a right to beat their, wives on Monday, and the latter retal ated on Tuesday.

That all these practices had their roct in some common custom in the remote past is evident from the fact similar rites are found to-day, ther in Ge many, Thus in many villages the boys go shout flogging the girls on Easter Monday, in return for which the hoys must give them fish and potatoes on Raster Tuesday and the music for a general