YOUNG FOLKS

Why The Turtle Carries Her House.

Tilly Turtle stood sweeping the front steps. It was a wet day, but Tilly Turtle did not mind a little rain. And, dear me, if she did not have on her best shaw!!

Chatty Chipmunk is much interested

Chatty Chipmunk could stand it no longer. She put on her overshoes

"And how are all the Snappers?" asked Chatty Chipmunk.

Tilly Turtle.

"But what about your bonnet?" asked Chatty Chipmunk. "Good gracious!" cried Tilly Turtle.

She had forgotten her bonnet! And she went right into the house. She medicine dealer or by mail at 50 cents did not ask Chatty Chipmunk to come a box or six boxes for \$2.50 from The Two English ladies began last Janunot mind. She shut her umbrella and Ont. took off her overshoes and followed Tilly Turtle.

Fanny Field Mouse came hurrying in after Chatty Chipmunk. She brought a plate of cookies just out of the oven.

"I was baking," she explained, "And I knew, Tilly Turtle, that you didn't have any cake in the house."

"Here is a dish of cheese," sai Molly Mole, taking off her cloak and wiping the rain from her spectacles. "How kind you are!" cried Tilly

The house was swept now, and the bonnet was not hurt. Tilly Turtle was in a better humor. She bustled about, making her guests comfortable. "Are you having a housewarming?" asked Sally Sparrow.

She carried a basket with a glass of jelly. She was a famous hand at | jellies. "There are some nuts in my cup-

board that I meant to bring," said Chatty Chipmunk, not to be outdone. "I'll go for them." "Don't be long," said Tilly Turtle,

"for the tea's ready." Chatty Chipmunk dearly loved a cup of tea. It made talking so comfortable! So she was not long, I can tell you. And she began talking just as soon as she came back!

"But why were you cleaning before you even stopped to unpack?" asked Chatty Chipmunk.

"Such a looking house you never saw," Tilly Turtle explained. "And I left things in mud-pie order, too!" "Everyone says you're the best housekeeper in the meadow," replied Fanny Field Mouse.

"If you had seen it!" Tilly Turtle waved a saucer impressively, "Crumbs all over the floor and dust in the cor-

Molly Mole nibbled a cooky without speaking. She was conscious of several cobwebs at home!

"That was the Ants," Chatty Chipmunk put in eagerly. "When they had their party.'

"What party?" Tilly Turtle de-"Well, Augustus and Angey Ant

Chipmunk began chattily. "And you weren't home, so they had the wedding "I can't believe it!" cried Tilly

"It's true," said Sally Sparrow. "Granny Glowworm told me about it. She goes to all the parties, you know." "They say Angey made a beautiful

bride," added Fanny Field Mouse. "And have you heard about the Beetles?" Chatty Chipmunk asked. "Heard what?" asked Tilly Turtle. "They gave a party here two nights

ago," said Chatty Chipmunk, "They had planned to have it under the hawthorn bush, but it rained." "So they used my house as if it were

a public hall!" said Tilly Turtle. "They thought it wouldn't make any difference, my dear, after the Ants," Molly Mole put in mildly.

"Oh, it's quite true!" said Sally Sparrow. "Granny Glowworm was in charge of the lighting. They had five hundred Glowworms about the walls." "It's a mercy they didn't set the house afire," said Tilly Turtle grimly.

"Granny Glowworm said there wasn't the slightest danger," said Sally Sparrow, and she put on Molly Mole's cloak by mistake.

"I'll never live here again!" Tilly Turtle declared, "Chatty, I'm coming to spend the night with you. And tomorrow I shall hunt up a new house." "But you won't move out of the neighborhood?" cried Fanny Field

"No-o-o," said Tilly Turtle. "I shall get a small place, just to fit me. The Ants and the Beetles and all their friends can stay outside. And when go visiting again, I shall take my

house with me! I know it can be And that is why Tilly Turtle carries her house on her back .- Youth's Com-

BANISH PIMPLES

In the Spring Most People Need a Tonic Medicine.

One of the surest signs that the clood is out of order is the pimples, All that she was afraid of was dust, winter to spring. These prove that the is shown in the sketch. This skirt is for she was a tidy, housekeeper. But long indoor life of winter has had its attached to a skeleton lining, the lin- cost of a few cents. in other people's doings. She had does not merely show itself in disfigur- silk or fine lawn. The object of this berries or other fruits. seen Tilly Turtle drive up in the stage. ing eruptions. To this same condition type of skirt is to preserve the Why, there had not even been time is due attacks of rheumatism and lum-straight-line silhouette. It makes an for Tilly Turtle to unpack her bags! bago; the sharp stabbling pains of excellent foundation for the peplum, and a desire to avoid exertion. You The blouse that buttons straight cannot cure these troubles by the use down the back is making it way sureand went splashing across the road. of purgative medicines you need a ly but slowly into the fashionable "So you're back from your visit to tonic, and a tonic only, and among all world. Crocheted and decorative your cousins," said Chatty Chipmunk. medicines there is none can equal Dr. fancy buttons make these back clos-Williams' Pink Pills for their tonic, ings rather attractive. Some novelty life-giving, nerve-restoring powers, buttons are made of colored beads Every dose of this medicine makes bunched together in ball shape. These "Well," replied Tilly Turtle, and she new, rich blood which drives out im- are generally used on waists that butwent on sweeping. The water flew purities, stimulates every organ and ton in front. off her broom and spattered her caller. brings a feeling of new health and These patterns may be obtained force whose duty it is to carry on Incre "Dear me!" exclaimed Chatty Chip- energy to weak, tired, ailing men, from your local McCall dealer or from the work necessary for the financial women and children. If you are out The McCall Co., 70 Bond St., Toronto, and economic continuation of the na-"I'd rather be wet than dirty," said of sorts give this medicine a trial and Dept. W. see how quickly it will restore the appetite, revive drooping spirits, and fill your veins with new, health-giving

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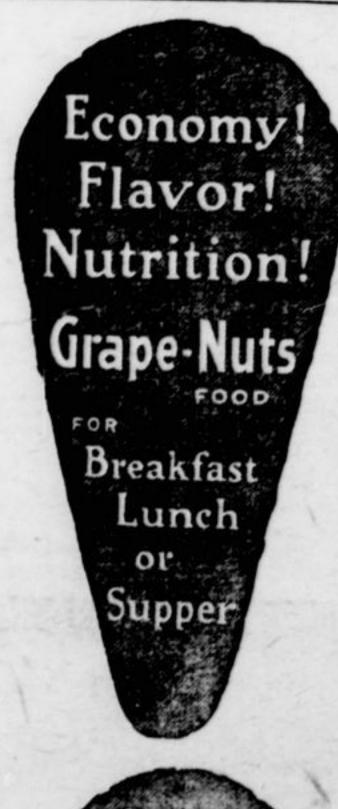
vogue. The oval outline going across and plough, and can turn into and out must be air-tight to prevent fruit from work around the home. But I read the neck from shoulder to shoulder at of the furrow without slowing up very Turtle. "Draw up to the fire, ladies, a rather shallow depth is very inter- much. Screws and bolts are always



Peplum Blouse with Pleated Skirt

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ing sketch. In this model the neck is were going to be married," Chatty ery design, one of the newest forms of embroidery, or rather, one of the old-



est forms of embroidery recently revived. The cross-stitch of generations back has returned, now that em- ance" may not expand to AND ERUPTIONS tions back has returned, now that embed and the broidery of every description enjoys meet the increasing cost of so strong a vogue. It is fascinating work for those who like needlework, foods, but it will buy a suffiand so simple to do that many spring cient quantity of Shredded and summer frocks will be adorned Wheat to nourish every with it, worked out in the attractive

colors used for embroideries. The peplum blouse illustrated is the Shredded Wheat Biscuits unsightly eruptions and eczema that kind that is worn with the new loosecome frequently with the change from hanging skirts, an example of which effect upon the blood, and that a tonic ing so called, hanging from the shoul- the body-building material medicine is needed to put it right. In- ders and cut on straight, loosely-fitted deed there are few people who do not lines. The lining is made of some soft in the whole wheat grain. need a tonic at this season. Bad blood or thin material such as net, China For breakfast or dinner with sciatica and neuralgia, poor appetite or outside blouses as they are called.

WOMEN WORKING TRACTORS. Two in England Plough From Four to departmental messengers. Five Acres a Day.

in. However, Chatty Chipmunk did Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, ary to drive a tractor plough, which was lying idle because the ironmonger Advantages of Cement in the Conto whom it belonged had no men to spare to send out with it. They had experience in motor driving, but none in ploughing. One day last month a letter was received from one of them in which she said:

Many and varied are the new out- have come to do 20 acres, and this strates the reason for the popularity in Canada. lines and finishes for collarless dresses. morning there is an inch of snow, but it has already attained. Few other "After my baby was born," Mrs. for the people, and the lesson we are Square, round, oval and V shapes are we mean to go out and try to work. materials can be made as airtight as Dickens states, "I used to suffer with learning in that school is liberality. all among the different outlines in Now either of us can work the tractor esting and is shown in the accompany. Working loose, and pliers and wire are concrete silo is water-tight, which is I would get a box and see what they often needed. It is very dirty work, as the engine has to be filled twice a day, and paraffin lifted to the top of kept in to prevent the process known ing two boxes I found such great relief of paraffin up in slow stages. The final bit is done by one being on top and age is to be properly preserved and a " My daughter, too, had been very lifting while the other pushes with her head! The mixture of oil, paraffin and serve an even temperature than a silo nerves got so bad we were afraid we soil is very adhesive, and our drill overalls must be a sore trial to washerwomen."

These two women, we are told, now plough from 4 to 5 acres a day with a three-furrow plough. They have a school for training drivers, and have already taught twelve other girls.

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BRITISH WOMEN WORKERS.

finished with a cross-stitch embroid- All Class Distinction Levelled by the

Walking up the Strand recently saw a young woman dressed in a khaki Russian blouse, long khaki trousers and a khaki turban, writes a visitor in London. She was perched on a ladder, busily washing windows. Hundreds passed the spot every minute but few even raised their eyes to look at her.

Women in trousers have long ceased to be a novelty here. Three years ago this one would have blocked traffic in the Strand. To-day she is simply a woman "doing her bit" in a great army of women workers mobil-

ized "to keep the home fires burning." The war found British men unprepared and confused, but unafraid. It found women almost entirely ignored, though their patriotism ran just as high as that of their brothers, fathers and sons. After three years of strife there are still no quitters among the women, and few pacifists or "con-

scientious objectors.' In the first days every woman wanted to be a nurse. It made no difference that she probably had never even bandaged a frostbitten toe or extracted a splinter from her finger. She declared she was fully qualified to nurse the wounded Tommies who were coming home in hun-

dreds in those confused days. The romance of nursing appealed to the lady in Belgravia, the cotton spinner in Manchester, and the typist in Whitehall. And nine times out of ten the Manchester miss and Lady Belgravia were equally willing to tackle the job of scrubbing the hos pital floors and doing the rest of the strenuous labor incident to a nurse'

Roughly, the British army of wo- egg trade is handled on a co-operamen is divided into three parts: tive basis. First, the munition workers, who comprise a force running into hua-

of eager bidders to the New York Ex- angrily. "Who gave that order?" change for Women's Work, when he snapped. forty-two French orphans were put up for sale to the highest bidders. The voices in reply, and all eyes were top price was sixty dollars and the turned towards the offender. lowest twenty-five dollars and seven a babies were "sold" to foster parents. is, sir," roared the infuriated officer, The sale was under the auspices of "what do you mean by giving orders?" the American Ouvrior Fund, which provided an album with the photo- "I've been trying hard to get the rest graph and history of each child to of the company to keep step with me be adopted, and the selection was and they couldn't, so I thought I'd made from these. The sale will be just stop them and start 'em over continued until all the 42 babies have again!" found American mothers.

Alphonse Felix Parquet, seven years of age, whose father was killed in the battle of the Marne, will have a composite mother in the Exchange a composite mother in the Exchange for Women's Work.

Regine Chiquet, aged three, living near Paris, will be the especial care

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cult and expensive to replace. Wall Silo, and the Concrete Block Silo. ney Pills. FOR LITTLE ONES The former is poured in sectional moulds, the concrete being suitably

World's Tallest Women. cents for another box of Baby's Own The average height of the French The medicine a mother can give her little American women measure two inches lasted just under fifteen months. A ones." The Tablets are sold by medi- taller, or five feet three inches. The common pin took eighteen months, cine dealers or by mail at 25 cents a English wemen touch the tape at a while a polished steel needle took two box from The Dr. Williams' Medicine half inch higher than that, or at five and a half years to disappear. feet three and a half inches. The women of the other countries measure from one to five inches less than the French.

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"Now, Pat," the sergeant told him, "fire at target No. 5." Pat banged away, and hit target No. seven times in succession. "What target did you aim at ?" asl ed the irate officer.

"No. 5, sor," answered Pat. "And you have hit No. 4 every bottle of freezone at any drug store, "Bedad, sor," retorted Pat, "that would be a grand thing in war. Sure

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FRENCH BABIES FOR SALE.

of the employees of the Exchange, Murine Eye Remedy Company, Chicago. Ada who will provide the finances necessary for the child's support.

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the tank. We pull a ten-gallon drum as "dry-firing." An even tempera- I would not be without them in the concrete silo will more nearly pre- sick on and off for a long time. Her

> fireproof and the farmer whose silo is could have done such good work and built of concrete does not live in fear I am telling all my friends about

> crop stored, which is even more diffi- Women's troubles, or nearly all of them, come from sick kidneys. The The two most popular types of con- cure for them is the old established crete silos are the Monolithic, or Solid remedy for sick kidneys, Dodd's Kid-

> reinforced with steel rods, and the lat- What becomes of the millions on ter is built with concrete blocks, millions of pins turned out annually which may be purchased from a manu- by the factories? If they merely "got facturer or made by the farmer him- lost" our floors and streets would be self during the slack season, these littered with them. They not only blocks being set up in mortar in the "got lost," but they vanish by rusting same manner as ordinary masonry. away to dust. Doctor Xavier, a Paris scientist, kept observation on individual specimens. He found that an ordinary hairpin took only 154 days to blow away in dust. A steel pen pil

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Question-E, L. S:-I ha of sandy land which is prac productive. Would it be w it to sweet clover this spri cover crop of rye? I want up, but do not know the mos and quick method. Answer: Sweet clover v

good crop to put on this

Under normal conditions

sown with rye, however, I the rye has not grown too this spring's sowing, unles seeding it with spring rye you should prepare the see as in preparing it for whea fore harrowing the ground s to two tons of ground limes ton of air-slaked burnt lime ground. Work this in thor order to sweeten the groun should be done, if possible, d fore the seed is sown. At of seeding, sow about three of a bushel of unhulled se acre, or if hulled seed is about twenty pounds to the order to make sure of a cate advise the application of 29 pounds per acre of fertilizer to give the young crop quic able plantfood, which will ca make an early vigorous start! are sowing this seed on to sown rye, follow the seeding rowing the rye, being sure harrows run with the rows across them. This harrow bury the sweet clover seed at give it a good start. If you lizing the rye at the time of sweet clover, I would advise or broadcasting the fertilize you harrow the crop. The year's growth of sweet clove be plowed under as soon a made maximum growth i spring. Sweet clover will ad erable organic matter and sor gen, since it has on its roots where the sweet clover bacte These bacteria have the power ing nitrogen out of the soil at incorporating it in the roots sweet clover plants so that the

richer in nitrogen after growii clover than it was before. Question-S. J.:-I would know how to get a sure catch i and how to test seed. I acres, keep two horses and tw I sowed four acres of rye of stubble last fall and pastured stand of rye, and now I want this rye with clover and a littl How would you do it to get sults? Would you harrow it and seed and then go over it weeder? I also want to know seed in barley. Which is t barley? Which is the best b sow, and where can I get it?

No. 1 covers the answer to t part of question No. 2, grant your rye crop has not made to a growth. If it has made to a growth already to allow har do not attempt clover seeding next season. Clover seed sh sown on top the winter wheat as soon as the frost is out ground in the spring. It sh

immediately harrowed in. Barley is sown in the same grain drill suited to the sow wheat or oats, it is also adjust pare the seed-bed well and the ter evenly broadcast a bushel

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keep a hog well is to keep him

food and surroundings clean. The sooner the pigs are all pasture the better. It is natu

A good hog pasture cuts the growing pigs and hogs in two. Many men seem to ignore the and craving for grass that is

ast year on clover and alfalfa p sugar beets and corn grown

cost less than it would have The feeding period of the short, and the more quickly it is the greater the profit.

The pigs need shade in the pa There should be trees as w Do not let the little pigs han a high trough-or they will

crooked in the backs.

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