THE HOME.

CUTTING CORNERS.

If the family is small, try washing once a fortnight, and if possible on a Tuesday; this leaves Monday to tidy up and look over the clothes, mending what might get more torn in the wash. Soak the clothes over night in tepid or cold water, and if you keep the fire in, put the boiler, two-thirds full of water on the stove, with a good cupful of sliced soap in it. The one who gets breakfast should be up by five o'clock on washday. By the time she has run the clothes through the wringer the water in the boiler is boiling. Take four tablespoonfuls of kerosene and stir it into the boiling suds. Put the wet clothes in this, the cleanest in the first boilerful. By seven o'clock the second batch of clothes is in the boiler. Nothing remains but to rinse thoroughly in two waters, blue, and hang out. There is not the slightest odor of kerosene, and the clothes are beautifully clean.

Underclothes look much prettier when ironed, but that is all—they do not smell as sweetly, do not last as long, and are not as wholesome. But the clothes must be well sunned; if dried in the house on account of a storm, hang them in the sun another day. By denying yourself the pretty ironed garments you may be a calmer, happier, stronger woman for those whose lives are bound up with yours. As to tablecloths, napkins, handkerchiefs, and pillowslips, by ironing a little at a time they will give you no trouble. Pull the sheets thoroughly, and be careful that everything is snapped and folded as it is taken from the line.

Whenever a carpet wears out, if you tree short of help, replace it by matting and art-squares. If matting is thoroughly swept once in two weeks, and wiped up with a cloth dipped in a half-pail of water with a handful of salt in it, no rooms need be swept between times except the dining-room and kitchen. A parlor, if dusted, and a sweeper run over the middle of it every few days, need not be swept oftener than once a month; but then everything must be taken out and the work must be thorough. It is trying to keep house with one servant, or none, as others do with four that breaks a woman down.

Have a wire drainer for dish-washing and two dishpans. Wash in hot and rinse in boiling water, and pile crockery in the drainer, by the time you have dried the silver and glass and tidied the kitchen the china will be almost, if not quite, dry.

Wash a quantity of potatoes at a time, using a whisk-broom for the operation. Pile these in the dish-strainer and when dry put in the closet—they are ready for baking, and will not soil the hands very much when you peel them.

CAKE MAKING.

As great many inexperienced housewives think if they have a good recipe that is all that is necessary in order to make good cake, but the more practical realize that the best of recipes will fail in the hands of a careless cook. Perfect cake making requires exact rules and good material as well as careful judgment and painstaking labor.

Before starting with the cake have all the ingredients at hand and the cake tins ready. The tins should be well greased with lard and then sprinkled with flour; this will prevent the cake from adhering to the tins. Butter should be fresh; milk perfectly sweet and butter without a taint. A granite or earthenware bowl is better to prepare the cake in than tin. If you are going to use baking powder sift it with the flour two or three times; this will make the cake finer grained.

The eggs should be placed in a cool place before being used; and the yolks and whites should be beaten separate. A small pinch of salt added to the whites will enable you to whip them to a stiffer froth. Warm the butter, but do not melt it. Cream the butter and sugar together, add the beaten yolks, then the milk, next the flour to which the baking powder has been added, and lastly the whites of eggs whipped to a stiff froth. If flavoring is used I prefer to add it the last thing, some, however, add it to the milk. Cake should be beaten and not stirred, and the longer and harder it is beaten the lighter it will be.

Fruit should be well floured before adding to the cake. Use the same size cup for each ingredient, and a cup means a teacup. Small cakes and layer cakes should not be disturbed in the oven for at least ten minutes and large cakes one half hour. Do not open and close the oven door too often for this is the frequent cause of cakes falling. Sprinkle the top of the cake lightly with flour before frosting, this will prevent the frosting from running. Care should be taken that the oven is of the right temperature. A quick oven is best for layer cakes and one not so hot for loaf cakes.

CLEANING THE STOVE.

Directions are often given for blacking a stove every night after the fire is deadened. This is not necessary if the stove has been properly used during the day. If anything is spilled on the top, wash or scrape it off at once. Rub grease off with a thick black cotton cloth. A piece of black stockinet makes a good stove cloth. Keep it hanging near the stove, where it can be used to rub off anything not of a sticky, sugary consistency. Let sugar burn to a charcoal and scrape it off. This last process takes off the blacking, which must be renewed at night when the stove is cold. In ordinary wear, the blackening need not be renewed oftener than once a month.

When the stove receives its monthly coat of black, mix a small pinch of gum tragacanth in enough warm water to dissolve it and add it to the melted blacking. Apply the blacking with one brush and keep another to polish with. Before applying the polish see that the stove is perfectly clean. Apply the blacking and polish with light, swift stroke. When the stove is well blackened, polish the edges with brick dust or polishing soap, and wash dry. Whiten and polish the nickel work with a chamois skin. Large, long-wristed mittens made of chamois skin are excellent to blacken stoves in. Occasionally during the month the stove may be polished with the brush, but no more blacking is needed.

MAKING HOME PLEASANT.

How many mothers realize the full meaning and importance of those words. It should be the aim of every mother to make the home pleasant for all, the one place to which each and every member of the family may return with feelings of happiness. The place where the little ones may safely bring their little companions, knowing well mother will not care but will take an interest in their childish sports, even perhaps joining with them in a quiet way. The place where the daughter can come with her little troubles and confidences, always sure of a ready ear and mother's gentle words of comfort. The place where the young man, just starting out in life, meeting with so many temptations and discouragements can come, where the mother, with her kind words of sympathy and wise counsel can do so much toward keeping him in the right way and strengthen his character for the coming years. The place where the husband and father turns as to a haven of rest, where all the vexatious cares of the day are thrown aside and with his wife and children gathered round him, he is content. Pleasant indeed is such a home and no one in the home is so loved and reverenced as the dear mother who makes it so.

LET THE BABY CRY.

That babies ought to cry occasionally is a fact well known to doctors, but one which seems to be very much against the creed of mothers and nurses, says Florence Hull Winterburn in the Woman's Home Companion. "The model babies who never cry are unnatural specimens. Crying is the only exercise a young baby gets. It expands the lungs, causes a better circulation of the blood and helps on muscular growth. Of course, fretting when there is discomfort is to be promptly attended to; and screaming, which might cause rupture, must not be allowed; but a really healthy little cry, when nothing particular is the matter, save that baby needs that mode of expression for his pent-up feelings—this is not a thing to make everybody run and try to divert the little one's attention or to stop him or get out of the way as if there were a fire or a runaway locomotive coming. The noise is not pleasant, but if we were once assured that it was a harmless pastime for baby, most of us could reconcile ourselves to it once in awhile though not at night. If there is one lesson more important than another it is that darkness and stillness go together. But although the idea may be a novel one, there is something to be said in favor of little babies being allowed a small crying spell—that is, an exercise spell—during the day, purely upon the grounds of health."

Permanently Cured.

A STORY TOLD BY A JUSTICE OF THE PEACE.

Attacked With La Grippe Which Left Him Weak and Worn Out—Kidney Trouble Added Its Complications and the Sufferer Was Discouraged.

From the Journal, Summerside, P.E.I.

One of the best known men around Bedique and vicinity is Mr. Alfred Schurman, who has recently removed to North Carleton. Mr. Schurman was born in Bedique about seventy years ago. Some twenty-five years ago he was sworn in as a justice of the peace, and about twenty-one years ago he was appointed clerk of the county court, in both of which offices he has given every satisfaction. Mr. Schurman was also a farmer on a large scale and like most men engaged in that occupation led a busy life, being compelled to attend strictly to business, but less than a year ago he retired from farming and now lives in a cottage in North Carleton. Before his retirement, work such as only a man engaged in that occupation knows anything about claimed his attention. His increasing years made the burden heavier and the spring work of 1893 wore him completely out. This is what he tells about it and how he was cured.

In the spring of 1893 the constant toil and drudgery connected with the work of farming wore me out completely, and the break down was the more complete because the results were coupled with the bad effects left by an attack of la grippe. One of the results of la grippe was a nasty cough, another was the complete loss of appetite. My spirits were greatly depressed and I felt that I had lived out my days. I always felt cold, and consequently the stove and I were great friends, but the cold effected more especially my feet and caused me great annoyance. Added to this complication was a serious kidney trouble which threatened to prove the worst enemy of all. I was unable to do any work, had no ambition and less strength, and was not a bit the better of all the doctor's medicine I had taken. It was my wife who advised me at last to try Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. I bought six boxes and began taking them. My hope revived because a change for the better was soon taking place, and before they were done I was cured. The six boxes brought back my appetite, strength and ambition, in short, all that I had lost in the way of strength and health. The next spring, however, my health again gave way and I immediately began using the Pink Pills again, and I am happy to say that they effected that time a permanent cure and to-day I am well and hearty as if I were only forty. I strongly recommend Dr. Williams' Pink Pills to all who are suffering as I was.

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AS TO GRAY HAIR.

Gray hair is caused solely by the loss of pigment which gave it color. Grayness may occur at any period of life, irrespective of age; it is also hereditary. A drachm of powdered borax is nice to put in the water when washing the hair, but should not be used too often. The effect of the continual use of peroxide is to dry and break the hair and cause premature grayness. Rain or distilled water should be used when washing the hair.

BOUND TO APPLAUD.

At the entertainment given in a London Hospital where many of the patients had lost the use of one arm, the audience managed to applaud by arranging itself in pairs so that each pair had the use of two sound hands.

EXPLAINED.

Knox—I wonder why it is that we hear of so many men breaking down in the prime of life nowadays?

Fox—It is due no doubt to there being many more self-made men than formerly.

She (gushingly)—There are days when we seem more in unison with Nature than at other times, when our hearts seem to beat in accord with the sublime harmony of the universe. Have you ever noticed it? He—Indeed I have. It is always that way with me on pay day."

BRITAIN READY FOR WAR

BUT SHE SEEMS ALREADY TO HAVE WON HER POINT IN CHINA.

Apparent Success of Her Demand for Open Markets—But the Struggle for Supremacy at Pekin Goes On—China May Profit by the Rivalry of the Powers—The Vast Preparations for War That England Has Just Made.

It is now pretty generally recognized that the Eastern crisis had passed beyond the point of immediate danger before the public was informed of its acute phase, writes a London correspondent. There is no longer much doubt that England's peremptory demand for open Chinese markets has received what may be described as a tacit and temporary recognition from the powers, including Russia. The struggle for paramount influence at Pekin still goes on and upon the issue of that contest much depends.

China, if she exercises her usual Oriental shrewdness, ought to profit much at the expense of British and Russian rivalry, and there is already evidence that she is fully alive to the possibilities of the situation. The game of the division of the Chinese Empire has been checked for the time being, but if Lord Salisbury succeeds in regaining the ascendancy at Pekin, which he allowed to slip away to Russia three years ago, it will be only at enormous cost. Meantime more complete details of the vast preparations for war undertaken by the British Government are now available. Inasmuch as the crisis is only postponed, and at any moment may become acute, it will be interesting to indicate some of the measures recently undertaken.

First, there were the preparations for calling out the Naval Reserve; second, mobilization orders were sent to the commanders of the home naval stations, followed by similar orders to commanders of stations abroad; third, the completion of plans from the prompt organization of

A FLYING SQUADRON,

which was to consist of not less than ten warships; fourth, the decision to increase the personnel of the navy by more than 7,000 men, which is now being carried out by the quiet enlistment of stokers and other classes of men; fifth, the increase of the army by 15,000 men; sixth, enormous purchases of steam coal and a general replenishment of stocks at all stations at home and abroad; seventh, the elaboration of a plan for an emergency squadron composed mainly of battleships more or less obsolete and old-fashioned, but effective for home defence.

The last measure, decided upon this week, attracted little attention here, although it is not the least significant of the series, because it indicates the probability that England's foes, in the event of war, will include France. Of the seventeen battleships included in the emergency squadron, not a half dozen could safely be sent far from the home base, and, as a matter of fact, most of them would be assigned to specific positions in the waters separating England from the Continent. The British fleet in Chinese waters has been augmented since the trouble began by two powerful cruisers and two torpedo boat destroyers. Other reinforcements have been taken, one of which escaped notice even by rumor, namely, the despatch of orders to the commander of the Australian squadron to hold in readiness for China the four cruisers Mohawk, Orlan, Pylades, and Royalist. The defence of Australia was to be undertaken by a half dozen small vessels, together with five small cruisers, a part of the cost of which is defrayed by the colonial Governments on condition that they shall always be kept in colonial waters. This arrangement was considered safe because it was not thought that France, for instance, would be able to spare

A SINGLE SHIP

for those remote waters, and if any were sent, they would not be able to keep the sea any length of time, owing to the impossibility of getting coal.

The report that the Pacific fleet was ordered to China was only partly true. The whole fleet was not, of course, to be spared, but the second-class cruisers Amphion, Leander, and Phaeton are now under orders to be ready to start. Further enormous contracts for supplies of steam coal have been placed in the past fortnight at Cardiff and other South Wales ports. There has also been a large amount of speculative buying in connection with the possibilities of war.

Simultaneously the north England coal trade has suffered depression, the only boom being in Welsh smokeless coal, on account of its advantages which in war time are obvious. Welsh coal masters have the idea that if England goes to war no British mercantile vessel will venture to put to sea with the ordinary soft coal with which they are content in time of peace, for it is a modern axiom that the less smoke the more safety.

It is believed by some optimistic diplomatist that the easing of the crisis in the far East between Great Britain and Russia will have a favorable effect upon the near Eastern deadlock and perhaps make it possible to settle the interminable Cretan question. These persons are not hopeless that Prince George will soon be established in the Governorship of the unhappy island, despite the Sultan's protests.

THE SHAPE OF THE EARTH.

Owing to the action of certain well-known laws, the earth is not a perfect sphere. Careful measurements show that it is slightly bulging at the equator. It is a simple matter to show proof that the earth is round. When a ship is approaching the shore, the first parts to be seen are the top sails; as she nears, the land, the lower sails and rigging come into view, and lastly the hull appears. If the earth's surface were flat the hull, being the largest part, would be seen first.

SAFE.

Why does your father insist upon sitting in the back parlor? inquired her best beau.

Poor papa! He is so near-sighted that he can't see a smut on the end of his nose.

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A MOTHER'S KISSES.

A recent traveller to Spain describes a touching scene witnessed at the departure of a regiment for Cuba. All day long there had been heard the measured tread of soldiers marching through the streets, all day long gaily bedecked boats had been passing to and from the vessel that was to take them to Havana.

The twilight had begun to deepen when the correspondent saw a startling and pretty sight—the impetuous action of a portly, good-looking and well-dressed lady, who noticed a soldier walking dejectedly alone down the pier, in his travelling gray, with a knapsack strapped over his shoulders. All the rest of the men had friends, their movias, mothers, relatives, and made the usual gallant effort to look elated and full of hope. This lad had no one, and it might be divined that he was carrying a desolate heart over seas.

The handsome woman burst from her group of friends, took the boy's hand, and said, "My son has already gone to Cuba. He is in the regiment of Andalusia, and sailed two months ago. You may meet him, Pepe G.; take this kiss to him." She leaned and kissed his cheek.

An English boy would have shown awkwardness, but these graceful southerners are never at a loss for a pretty gesture and a prettier word.

The boy flushed with pleasure, and still holding the lady's hand, said, with quite a natural gallantry, without smirk or silly smile, "And may I not take one for myself as well, senora?"

The lady reddened, laughed a little nervously, and bent and kissed him again, to the frantic applause of soldiers and civilians, while the boy walked on braced and happy.

THE DUCHESS OF TECK.

It is generally agreed that the dominant note of the character of the late Duchess of Teck was her amiability, and that term does inadequate justice to the heart from which it sprung. She was charity itself, and a wonderful organizer of charitable relief on a large scale.

It is said that she gave out of her own pocket a good fifth of the annual amount granted to her by Parliament, and a story, vouched for by the St. James's Budget, shows that she knew how to give on a small scale, to be generous in mind as well as with money.

There were to be some festivities at White Lodge, the Richmond residence of the duchess, and an invitation was sent to the secretary of a charity in which the duchess was interested. By a later post the young lady received a letter from a friend, asking her to a tennis party which was to be held the same day.

Next morning both invitations were acknowledged, but the replies were carelessly put in the wrong envelopes. The duchess opened the letter in which the writer declared to her friend that she was very sorry she could not come to tennis, because "Stout Mary" had asked her to White Lodge, and she was bound to go.

The day duly arrived, and the frank young lady was warmly welcomed by the duchess, who afterward took her aside and laughingly said:

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First Tramp—Dat must 've been a hard blow.

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VEGETABLES. (Order by Number.)
1. Beet, Eclipse, round
2. Beet, Egyptian, flat round
3. Cabbage, Winnigstadt
4. Cabbage, Yottler's Brunswick
5. Cucumber, half long, scarlet
6. Carrot, Guernsey scarlet
7. Cucumber, Chicago Pickling
8. Cucumber, Long Green
9. Celery, Golden Self-Blanching
10. Herbs, Sage
11. Herbs, Savory
12. Herbs, Marjoram
13. Lettuce, Nonpareil (Cabbage)
14. Lettuce, Denver Market (curled)
15. Musk Melon, extra early, Nutmeg
16. Water Melon, Early Canada
17. Onion, large red Wethersfield
18. Onion, Yellow Globe Danvers
19. Parsnip, Hollow Crown
20. Radish, French Breakfast
21. Radish, Rosy Gem
22. Squash, Hubbard
23. Tomato, extra early Atlantic
24. Tomato, Dwarf Champion

FLOWERS.
25. Asters, mixed
26. Mignonette, sweet
27. Pansy, mixed
28. Petunia, mixed
29. Nasturtiums, tall mixed
30. Sweet Peas, Fine mixed
31. Wild Flower, Garden mixed

Rosy Gem Radish.

FREE WITH EVERY ORDER. Providing this Coupon is CUT OUT and sent to us with an order for 12 packets we will include 1 packet New Giant Chilian Relpigmok, price 20c. Free of Charge TO SUBSCRIBERS OF THIS PAPER.

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