SPRING FURNISHINGS IN BLUE.

A Cotor Well Adapted to Summer Season and Summer House,

It is not every housekeeper, says the New York Times, who knows the good points in spring furnishings. When a summer cottage is to be replenished in various items, or a new apartment which will be occupied dur-ing the summer months made habitable, with an effect of coolness to be secured, the first consideration should that of color. Select those tints which insure physical repose to the inmate. For this nothing is better than blue. It is restful to the material eye, and grateful to the mental vision in its suggestion of coolness, only needing graceful lines to be

wholly satisfactory. This season the shops overflow with Java prints for curtains in delicious hues in blue, in which vines, flowers, disks, stars, stripes and large dots prevail; they are perfect in their way. They come by the yard, or can be purchased in pairs at the low price of \$7. Every kind can be secured to meet all requirements.

To furnish a room used at times for company, where space is limited, attention may at first be given to the lounge-bed, which will give to the apartment length and breadth if the cover is of blue in delicate colors. Light tones of small rooms are desirable. On the couch place some eight or ten pillows; all in complimentary tones, which will harmonize with the cover. For a floor covering in the centre, add a thick Japanese rug of blue effect, the pattern of which is well covered.

In furniture it is immaterial as to the wood, so that the covering proper is the main decoration, and for selection nothing is better than the Morris velvets or Persian prints, preserving the tint of blue throughout.

For a summer window, where the sun is apt to be an intruder, have a low sash curtain of Madras figures of light blue, in dots or bowknots. This should be fastened by a small brass rod, and so easily adjusted that it can be swept aside at will. Over it place some good fretwork, painted black, which should fit exactly the upper frame. If in this window there is a broad sill, a box of vines and blossoms will add a picturesque touch. For the few bits of harmonizing pottery which the room needs, some of the excellent imitations of Dutch delft now in the market will satisfy the artistic taste and not deplete the moderate purse. At the doors, portieres can be selected in different styles, the Bayaldere being the most popular. Although of cotton the stripes have a wool effect. They come showing dots, disks and stars below each stripe, and cost from 75 cents to \$1.50 a yard.

Finally, the tea table, with its harmonizing cover of linen drawnwork over blue sateen or a bit of old French damask, with fringe to match, completes the picture.

Blue is peculiarly adapted for country rooms. Lectures on physical culture say the tint is restful and influences repose for the human frame, allaying nervousness and aiding peaceful rural life to charm and soothe.

Wonder Why 1: 1s?

"There's one funny thing you women said a trousered critic the other do," day, "that I can't see any reason for. You never date your letters. That is, mighty few of you do. I've seen a good deal of feminine correspondence in my time and it's backed me up in this observation. Take any batch of say a dozen letters written by a woman and it's dollars to doughnuts that ien of them, possibly eleven, will not contain the least sign of a date. Even the most strong-minded of your

FLORENCE NIGHTINGALE AT 75. On Questions of Charity She Is Always

Ready to Give Advice,

On the 15th day of this month she celebrates her sevenig-fifth birtugay-as great a woman and as great a publie benefactor, and as much of a hero-Inc as she was forty years ago, when she went forth from her comfortable home in England, not as a mere nurse to attend to the wants of the wounded and dying British soldiers in the Crimea, but as a fearless organizer of a great field hospital system, which the British War Office authorities, staff officers and generals had looked upon as a more matter of afterthought in the preliminary arrangements of one of the most difficult campaigns in the history of the civilized world.

Miss Nightingale loathes anything in the form of publicity. To journalists she never opens her mouth, nor ever her door, but to any one who seeks advice on a question affecting the interests of the sick or those who nurse them, a hearty welcome and a word of encouragement and counsel are always cheerfully accorded. She has a very comfortable home on one of the best streets in the West End of London, but spends most of the year at Claydon House in Buckinghamshire, the home of her sister, Lady Verney.

She is a tall woman, rather stout, with gray hair, and fine, open face. Although a great sufferer she does not show a trace of it. She has not known what it is to be without pain for many years. Her features are finely modeled, while her hands and feet are very small. Her voice is low and musical. She often reads aloud, and sometimes she hums a song or a hymn. She is very devout, and an omnivorous read-er. Her room is littered with newspapers, magazines, writing paper, pencils

and letters. She is always cheerful. Miss Florence Nightingale has not only done grand service to the human race by her labors on behalf of the sick and wounded, and of sanitation, but she has also served her sex probably more than any woman of the past or present. In her life we have an object lesson which should be taken to heart by all womankind,-Ladies' Home Journal.

SAYINGS OF CHILDREN.

A boy in Waterville has a dog named Porter. The other day he proposed an improvement. "Mamma." he said, "I love God so much that I want to name Porter after him."

It was a Boston girl who interrupted a rather grown-up conversation with: "Say, mamma, is everybody wicked?" "Why, no my child," an-swered mamma. "Why do you ask?" Because you haven't said a nice thing about anyone to-day."

During the Charleston earthquake a blind girl was in the street, when a huge dog put its paws on her shoulder. A bystander heard her praying: "Oh, Lord Jesus, I don't know what der. it is, but if it is a lion, please shut its mouth. Don't let it bite me."

Potatoes in a New Style.

To prepare casserole of potatoes pare eight good-sized potatoes, cover them with boiling water and cook for half an hour. Then pour off all the water and mash the potatoes until fine and light. Add two tablespoonfuls of butter and a teaspoonful and a half of salt, and when these ingredients have been beaten into the potato add a generous half cupful of milk. Have ready a tin mould, warm and well buttered, and pack the potato into it. Let the casserole stand for five minutes, then turn it out on a platter. In order to be successful one must not be sparing of butter when greasing the mould. A charlotte russe or jelly mould answers well for holding the potato. A pretty way to serve the casserole is to turn it out upon a buttered tin sheet. cover with beaten egg and brown in the oven .- New York World.

THE NEW MAN

Incident of the Day When Women Shall Carry the Latchkeys.

"Er-Mildred," he said, a triffe ner-vously, as his better half laid down the morning's paper, and, lighting a cigarette, prepared for her departure for the city; "Mildred, dear, do you think you could spare me a little money to-day?"

wife glanced at him impatient-His "What, again, George?" she said, iy. why, I only gave you your housekeeping allowance on-let me see-Thursday, wasn't it? Really, some of you men seem to think we women are made of money.

"You forget, my dear," he remarked, "there are the girl's wages, and the water rate, and the children both want new boots."

"Didn't I give you the money for that?" she asked.

'No, dear, that was for the flannel for little Milly's warm petticoats I'm making. Besides, dear, I-don't be angry, will you?-I saw such a cheap pair of trousers at the winter clearance sale yesterday that I couldn't resist buying them, and you know I have hardly a rag to my back."

"Always your cry, George," she said angrily. "Really your extravagance in dress is something sinful; it's a pity you haven't got to go and earn the money; you'd know its value then, Here, take this, and for goodness sake do try and pay some of your household bills with it and not frivol the money away on a lot of trash."

"There's a dear, good, darling wife," he cried joyfully. "Let me help my Mildred on with her coat," he added, following her into the hall. "What time will you be home?"

"Can't say, I'm sure," she answer-I. "I've got a lot to attend to at ed. the office to-day, and I shall drop into the club for an hour or so after. So you needn't wait dinner."

'Oh. that'll be nice!" he responded, "I've got my woman coming to wash to-day, and the girls and I are going to put up clean curtains and things. Give me a kiss, dearest! There-there's your 'bus going now."

And as the breadwinner dashed out after the passing vehicle George blew her a parting kiss and went upstairs to bathe the children .- Chicago Tribune.

Profit in Sheep.

A writer thus sums up the sources of profit in sheep: There is the wool, the mutton, the young lambs, the sales for breeding purposes and the enrichment they give the land. Further, they are consumers of weeds, which are so constant a nuisance, and they live upon these and other things, which other animals refuse.

RECEIVER'S SALE

-OF VALUABLE-

REAL ESTATE.

Pursuant to an order of the Court of Common Pleas of Columbia county, the undersigned Re-ceiver of the Hoomaburg Iron Co., will sell at public sele on the permites at Frondale. In the Town of Bloomsburg, Columbia county, Pa , on

SATURDAY, JUNE 15, 1895,

SATURDAY, JUNE 15, 1395, at 1:31 o'clock P. M., the entire Furnace Flant of the Biomsburg Iron Co., with Ps water power and water rights, known as "Frondale" and bounded and described as follows: Situate in the Town of Biomsburg, county of Columbia and Stare of Pennsylvania, bound-ed and described as follows, to-wir: Beginning at a stone in line of land of the Biomsburg Water Company and the most northerity corner to land of the Biomsburg & Sullivan Railroid - onpany, these by land of said Railroid - onpany, these by land of a corner, thence by land of Rosemont Cemetery Company, north 25 degrees east, six and twenty-four one-humferdiths perches to a corner of land ed Mrs. C. R. Bichart, thence along the same Surit 2 degrees way, six and twenty-four one-humferdiths perches to a corner of land ed Mrs. C. R. Bichart, thence along the same Surit 2 degrees west, six and six one-hundredths perches, the not hold screbes west, fiver and Bieren one-humferdung the speches

burg Iron Company where the same is now erected and constructed and the rights of carry-ing or conveying the water from Fishingcreek through, upon and over the lands and or mises as reserved by the said. The Bioomsturg Iron Company many and every of the conveyances of the said Company as fully and completely as the same are now held and enjoyed by the said The Bioomsburg Iron Company, on which are erected a large

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ALSO:

one other certain lot of ground situate in the Town of Bloomsburg, county and State afore-said bounded and described as follows to-wit: on the north by land of L. W. McKelvy, on the east by an alley, on the south by land of Thom-as Gorrey and on the west by Kallroad street.

TERMS OF SALE: -- One-fourth of the purchase money to be poid at the striking down of the property, one-fourth within thirty days there-atter and the balance within six months from day of sale with interest on all unpaid purchase money from day of sale.

ALSO:

At the same time and place will be exposed to public sale the following valuable Personal Property re-wit: Lot of No. 2x and No. 3 pig rem. 31 railroad lime stone cars, 2 milroad clin-der trucks, 2 cinder carts, 2 horse carts, 1 heavy 2 horse wagon, 2 sleighs, lot team harness, lot blacksmith tools, lot pine lumber, lot eak lum-ber, lot fire brick, old and new, lot merchant bar tron, lot merchant bar steel lot nails and snikes in kegs, lot horse shoes in kegs, 1 five ton wagon scale boxed, ropes, blocks and tack-les, chaits, cross cut saw, augers, sledges, nicks, new shovels and spades, platform scales, lot new shovels and spades, platform scales, to the new hemp rope, store pipe, clocks, lamp chimners, window glass, office furniture, and all other personal property on the premises. Terms of sale of personal property made known on day of sale.

H. A. M'KILLIP, Receiver of the Bloomsburg Iron Co.

AUDITOR'S NOTICE.

Estate of Margaret Kostenbauder, deceased. The undersigned, an auditor appointed by the Orphans' fourt of Columbia county, to make distribution of said estate, will sit at the office of Rhawn & Small, in the borough of Catawissa, on Monday, June 24th, 1885, at 10 o'clock a. m., when and where all parties having claims against said estate must appear and prove the same, or be debarred from coming in on said fund.

FRED IKELER, Auditor.

AUDITOR'S NOTICE.

5-84-ta.

Estate of Thomas Davis, deceased. The undersigned, an anditor appointed by the Orphans' Court of Columbia county, to make distribution in said estate, will sit at the office of L.S. Wintersteen, Esc., in Bloomsburg, on Tuesday, June 23, 1885, at 10 o'clock a.m., when and where all persons having claims against said estate must appear and prove the same, or be debarred from coming in on said fund.

FRANK IKELER, Auditor. 5-24-ta. ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE. Estate of Rev. M. Powers, late of the Borough of Centralla, deceased.

Notice is hereby given that letters of admin-istration on the estate of Rev. M. Powers, late of the Borough of Centralia, deceased, have been granted to the undersidened administrator to whom all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make payment, and those having claims or demands will make known the same without delay to REV, JOHN J. KOCH, Shamokin, Pa.

5-17-6t. Shamokin, Pa., Administrator

AUDITOR'S NOTICE.

Estate of Richard Thompson, deceased.

The undersigned, an auditor appointed by IKELER & IKELER, art of Columbia e the orphans court of Columbia county to make distribution of said estate, will sit at the office of C. B. Jackson Esq., in lierwick, on Saturday, June 15th, 1895, at 10 a. m., when and where all persons having claims against said estate must appear and prove the same, or be debarred from coming in on said fund. C. W. MILLER. ATTORNEV-AT-LAW. Office back of Farmers' National Bank. C. W. MILLER. BLOOMSBURG, PA. 8-17-16 AUDITOR'S NOTICE. R. RUSH ZARR, Estate of Phineas Smith, deceased. -ATTORNEY-AT-LAW .---The undersigned an auditor appointed by the Orphans' Court of Columbia county to make distribution of said estate will sit at his office in Berwick on Saturday, July 13th, 1850, at 10 o'clock a. m , when and where all persons hav-BLOOMSBURG, PA. Office in Clark's Block, corner of 2nd and ing claims against said estate must appear and prove the same, or be debarred from coming in on said fund. Centre Streets, C. B. JACKSON, Auditor. 1-17-1t. W. A. EVERT, AUDITOR'S NOTICE. ATTORNEY-AT-LAW, Estate of Joseph Eck, deceased. BLOOMSBURG, PA. The undersigned, an auditor appointed by the prphans' Court of Columbia county, to doter-nine the amount of recognizance, counsel fee, oilinteral inheritance tax, and costs, and to (Office over Alexander & Co. Wirt building, contateral inheritance tax, and costs, and to make calculation of amounts due the parties legally entitled thereto, will sit at the office of C. C. Evans, Esa, in Berwick, Pa., on Wednes-day, June 26th, 1895, when and where all parties having claims against said estate must appear and prove the same, or be debarred from com-ling to a said fund. EDWARD I. FLYNN. ATTORNEY-AT-LAW, CENTRALIA, PA. ng in on said fund. 22"Office Liddleot building, Locust avenue, FRED IKELER, Auditor. 5.02.20 JOHN M. CLARK, Lumber For Sale ATTORNEY-AT-LAW AND JUSTICE OF THE PEACE, on Iram Derr's land, near A. J. Derr's Moyar Bros. Building, 2nd floor, store, Jackson township, Pa. BLOOMSBURG, PA. Shingles, Plastering Lath, J H. MAIZE, ATTORNEY-AT-LAW, INSURANCE AND REAL ESTATE AGENT, Hemlock and Pine cut to bills. Office in Lockard's Building. BLOOMSBURG, PA. B. FRANK ZARR, We have saw mills on this tract ATTORNEY AT-LAW, running daily, and have there on hand Clark's Building, cor. Main and Centre Sts., and can cut timber &c. at any time. BLOOMSBURG, Pa. Can be consulted in German. \$1.25 M \$5.00 M W. H. RHAWN, ATTORNEY-AT-LAW, For special orders and for Terms Office, corner of Third and Main Streets, &c., write or call at office of CATAWISSA, FA. CREASY & WELLS, J. B. MCKELVY, M. D., SURGEON AND PHYSICIAN, Bloomsburg. Fa. 8-21-1y Office, North side Main St., below Market, BLOOMSBURG, PA. GET YOUR JOB PRINTING DR. J. C. RUTTER, PHYSICIAN AND SURGEON, DONE AT THE Office, North Market Street, COLUMBIAN OFFICE BLOOMSBURG, PA.

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Safes Made of Cement.

A safe constructed of cement with steel wire netting placed in between was tested by order of the Reichsbank. the German Government's banking establishment. The question to be decided was whether it is practical to build vaults of this material for safety against fire. A safe was placed upon a pyre of logs drenched with kerwhich after being set on fire, osene. kent the safe for half an hour exposed to a heat of about 1,800 degrees Fahrenheit; that is, a heat in which iron wfil melt. Two hours after the safe was opened, and the contents-silk paper, draft blanks and a maximum thermometer-were found to be abso-lutely uninjured. The maximum thermometer showed that within the safe the temperature at no time during the test rose above 85 degrees. This seems to prove that cement safes within burglar-proof steel vaults fill all the requirements that can be possibly evpected.

Mowed a Fishing Pond.

The approach of the warm wave re-calls the story how M. E. Wallace fooled the pickerel in the upper lake. The weeds were very heavy, and every time he hooked a twelve-pounder the fish would jump into the weeds, tangle the lines and get away. Mr. Wallace stood this for some time. Final-ly he rowed ashore and hired from a farmer a mowing machine and two horses. Divesting himself of his garments he devoted the day to mowing the whole upper lake, cutting the weeds close to the bottom. The next day he caught twelve fourteen-pound pickerel, every one of which was badly scratched from swimming over the stubble .- Minneapolis Journal.

Cooked Bananas.

The liking for cooked bananas seems to be spreading rapidly. They are excellent fried as doughnuts are fried, in a deep vessel of boiling fat. hese may be eaten simply, or with a little glaze of sugar and rum, or sugar and lemon. Another way to serve them is to bake them in their jackets, and eat them with sugar and cream. The fruit should be well ripened and the oven fairly hot. Ten minutes will usually suffice to cook them.

Summer Floor Covering.

For the summer there is no better floor covering than matting. It is easily kept clean and is fresh and neat in appearance. When the floor is covered with matting, of course rugs are a necessity, but this does not necessarily mean great expense, for the Japanese rugs, which may be bought from \$2 up, are, many of them, as rich in col-oring as if they were Persian. In In taking care of matting, it is not well to wash it often. When it does need brightening up boil together for one hour two quarts of bran and four of water. Strain this, pressing all moisture out of the bran. Add two quarts of cold water and two tablespoonfuls of salt to the strained mixture. Wash the matting thoroughly with this and rub dry with a clean cloth. The re-sult is sure to be gratifying.

Fashionable Stationery.

The paper most used in social correspondence is white parchment finish, and the preferred sizes are the wellknown octave and billet; the envelopes are square with pointed flaps. Square note sheets with oblong envelopes in tints or colors are simply fads of the moment. Good taste dictates plain white paper and white envelopes for feminine notes.

Salt Codfish.

Take half a pint of shredded codfish, one tablespoonful of flour, two tablespoonfuls of butter, a gill of cream and some butter. Put the but-ter into the chafing dish, and when melted add the flour, stirring constantly; add the fish, which has been soaked half an hour in tepid water, and add the cream and pepper. Let it simmer ten minutes, stirring all the time.

Forcement.

Any cold meat, such as veal, chicken or ham, may be used, chopping it very fine. For each cup of meat take the yolk of one egg, one-fourth of a cup of cracker or bread crumbs, one tablepoonful of chopped parsley, a pinch of thyme, and pepper and salt to taste. Mix the dry ingredients together, add dix the dry ingredients together, add he egg beaten slightly, and when well nixed stuff the onions. Butter in the proportion of one tablespoonful melt-d may be added if desired. Don't work a horse all day and drive tim all night. the egg beaten slightly, and when well mixed stuff the onions. Butter in the proportion of one tablespoonful melted may be added if desired.

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