

THE PRACTICAL HOUSEKEEPER.

Let nothing make thee sad or fretful, Or too regretful; Be still; What God hath ordered must be right, Then find it in thine own delight, My will.

Why shouldst thou fill to-day with sorrow About to-morrow; My heart; One watches all with care most true, Doubt not that He will give thee, too Thy part.

Only be steadfast, never waver, Nor seek earth's favor, But rest; Thou knowest and wilt must be For all his creatures—so for thee The best.

—By Paul Fleming, 1600.

MISS GRACE—"Peculiar costume for a man to wear, isn't it?"

UNCLE GEORGE—"Yes; but do you know that at one time all the men of the United States wore dresses?"

"Why, no; when was that?"

"When they were infants."

FULLY ANSWERED.

"Subscriber's" Query Causes Comment.

As our readers will remember, a letter was published in our columns a few days ago, signed "Subscriber" which dwelt at some length upon a subject of general interest, and which contained several inquiries which will be found answered in the following:

To the Editor—Several days ago I noticed a communication in your paper from "Subscriber," in which considerable comment was indulged in concerning the pamphlets which are widely distributed by Messrs. H. H. Warner & Co., of Rochester, N. Y.

I am personally aware that all the testimonials published by this firm are genuine and are the voluntary statements of persons who are anxious to manifest their gratitude for the unexpected return of health and vigor which Warner's Safe Cure has brought them.

In view, Mr. Editor, of the many persons who are sacrificed daily to the bigotry and ignorance of physicians who persist in treating patients for symptoms, called consumption, apoplexy, brain troubles, and nervous disorders, when the real cause is disease of the kidneys—which should be detected and quickly eradicated by the use of Warner's Safe Cure—I maintain that the value of those pamphlets, which place in the hands of the public the means of knowing the truth, cannot be overestimated.

IN NOTHING is system more needed than in the adjustment of a home. The wise fulfillment of the daily routine of cooking, washing, sweeping, dusting, ironing, mending, preserving, window-cleaning, baking, etc., the regulation of furnace and ventilation, care of bedrooms, furniture and clothing—in short, the ten thousand minutiae upon which depend the health, comfort, and enjoyment of a household—are the finest and rarest of all fine arts.

SILVER AND GLASS.—People who can't buy silver bowls get the same shape and designs in crystal, which produces an effect quite as charming. Crystal set in silver or copper suits the taste and purses of many. Very often it chances that no flower dishes are used at all.

PRESERVING TIME commences with the appearance of asparagus, and cellar and pantry being somewhat empty now, the careful housekeeper sees to it that they are well cleaned and aired.

TO DO SO NO MORE is the truest repentance.

Sleepless Nights



"For nearly a month I was not able to sleep, but after using PAIN'S CELEBY COMPOUND for two days, insomnia fled and strength returned." E. G. SMITH, Claussen, S. C.

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"For two years I was a sufferer from nervous debility, and I thank God and the discoverer of the valuable remedy, that Paine's Celery Compound cured me. Get any one to write to me for advice." GEORGE W. BOWEN, Stamford, Conn.

only a part of a bottle of Paine's Celery Compound, and it has caused me to sleep peacefully, from which I have suffered greatly." Mrs. E. AUSTIN, Peoria, Ill.

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TABLE SERVICE—WHITE LINEN.—Housekeepers will delight in it again. And not colored? Yes, in moderation. Gold on white to correspond with the white and gold porcelains and art chinaware.

And the dinner table has got rid of the watershed in its middle. The huge dishes of fruit and flowers piled to the skies have gone by the board. So have high chandeliers of candles or lights of any description.

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YOUNG Mr. Muscle left at a very late hour, and the old man stood at the head of the stairs, chucking in fiendish glee. Then there was an awful disturbance in the front yard, and the old man laughed, Ha, ha! Then came the cry of "Help!"

"What's wanted?" shouted the aged sinner.

A clarion voice rang out, "I want somebody to help me bury a dog!"

ONE day some school children were having an object lesson on birds. The teacher called attention to the small tail of the blue heron, saying, "The blue heron has no tail to speak of."

"Indeed! I suppose he practices a good deal, does he not?"

"Oh, no. He does not practice any more. He knows how now."

A MINISTER overlooked a Quaker lady, and politely assisted her in opening a gate. As she was a comparative stranger in the town, he said:

"You don't know, perhaps, that I am Mr. —. Haven't you heard me preach?"

"I have heard thee try," was the quick rejoinder.

At a dinner party not long since, a certain eminent Bishop was heard to read the following letter from his housekeeper with a perfectly unmoved countenance.

"My lord, the emu has laid an egg; in your Lordship's absence, I have put it under the biggest goose."

MANAGING A BOY.—Husband, a literary man—"I wish you would stop watching little Dick for a while."

Wife—"But if I don't watch him he will be in mischief."

"Yes, that's what I mean. When he's in mischief he's quiet, and I want to write."

"Who made this hash?"

"Why, my new Boston cook, of course."

"Then please return to her these remnants of a pair of eyeglasses, and tell her she needn't give her dishes such an intellectual flavor hereafter."

"What kind of food is alumni?" asked Mrs. Snags.

"It isn't food at all," replied Snags. "Oh, yes, it must be, because six people at Marletta have died through being poisoned at an alumni dinner."

THE American eagle is much more popular than the British lion. This is because the American eagle can be cashed for ten dollars.

HUMILITY is a virtue all preach, none practice, and yet everybody is content to hear.

That Tired Feeling

is experienced by almost everyone at the season, and many people resort to Hood's Sarsaparilla to drive away the languor and exhaustion. The blood, laden with impurities which have been accumulating for months, moves sluggishly through the veins, the mind fails to think quickly, and the body is still slower to respond.

Hood's Sarsaparilla is just what is needed. It purifies, cleanses and caries the blood, makes the head clear, creates an appetite, overcomes that tired feeling, tones the nervous system, and imparts new strength and vigor to the whole body.

"My appetite was poor, I could not sleep, had headache a great deal, pains in my back, my bowels did not move regularly. Hood's Sarsaparilla in a short time did me so much good that I feel like a new man. My pains and aches are relieved, my appetite improved." GEORGE F. JACKSON, Roxbury Station, Conn.

"For years I was sick every spring, but last year took Hood's Sarsaparilla and have not seen a sick day since." G. W. SLOAN, Milton, Mass.

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AFTERNOON TEA.

Said Mrs. G. to Mrs. D.: "Twas o'er a cup of fine Bohemian; 'Our pretty hostess yonder, Has gained in looks surprisingly; She seems as well as well can be!"

What is the cause, I wonder?"

For "run-down," debilitated and overworked women, Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription is the best of all restorative tonics. It is a potent specific for all those Chronic Weaknesses and Diseases peculiar to Women; a powerful tonic and nerve, it imparts vigor and strength to the whole system.

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I took a severe cold upon my chest and lungs and did not give it proper attention; it developed into bronchitis, and in the fall of the same year I was threatened with consumption. Physicians ordered me to a more congenial climate, and I came to San Francisco. Soon after my arrival I commenced taking Scott's Emulsion of Cod Liver Oil with Hypophosphites regularly three times a day. In ten weeks my avoirdupois went from 155 to 180 pounds and over; the cough meantime ceased. C. R. BENNETT.

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