

"WHEN MY SHIP COMES IN"

"When my ship comes in," runs the young man's song...

MALCOLM'S IDEAL

"She must be tall, Bab; she must be graceful as a willow branch, with eyes of midnight darkness, classic features, hair like the raven's wing."

"My dear old dad!" thought Malcolm, tearing down stairs with the letter in his hand.

"Why have you not sent for me before, he asked, reproachfully. 'I knew you were enjoying your visit, my dear boy. Your letters were like gleams of sunshine; Bab read them over and over to me, but I would not let any one write but myself, for fear of offending you.'"

"I don't mean that at all," he said, and then laughing heartily, added, "Don't you think we are talking considerable nonsense, Bab?"

"I don't know," said Bab, slowly. "You say you are in quest of a wife, you might as well have some idea of what you would prefer."

MEDICAGO.

Medicago, or Medick is the generic name of certain plants belonging to the great Pulse family, or Leguminosae.

Medicago lupulina, the well-known Lucerne, or Spanish Trefoil, especially in California, as a forage plant, it being one of the most valuable for warm and dry regions.

The spotted Medick M. maculata has broad, universally heart-shaped leaves marked with a dark spot, with yellow flowers and a flat pod composed of cells, its edge beset with a double row of curved prickles.

The tall vases for long stalked flowers, for decorative purposes, are in the new varieties, which you can get in green, yellow or pink.

It has been stated that cutting the foliage of bulbous plants while still green would prove detrimental to their blooming qualities the following year.

The Cowboy's Quirt. St. Louis sends out every year about 30,000 whips of a peculiar character known as the quirt.

MONEY IN OLD TIN CANS.

How an Ingenious Old Negro is Making from 61 to 82 Per Cent.

Elliot Spillin is an ingenious man of color who claims to have amassed a fortune by reducing the solder used in making tin cans to its original base.

Paris Takes Care of Her Trees. The city of Paris makes much of its shade trees. The transplanting of large trees is done there with perhaps greater success than anywhere else.

Wedding Presents That Count. Aside from the money that will be settled upon the Duke of York and his bride by Parliament, they will have some \$2,000,000 in presents to support them during their natural lives.

Corrosive Palace of an Empress. The Empress of Austria's new palace at Corfu has cost six million dollars.

England is the great land of goose-porch. There they flourish as nowhere else. It is the banner fruit of that country.

SEASONABLE RECIPES.

Wash and boil till tender in salted water a sufficient number of small, round carrots. Drain on the water and pour over them a cream sauce made by placing one tablespoonful of butter and one of flour in a sauce pan over the fire.

Use a deep earthen dish; stone cracked ripe cherries to keep it well, and pulp gently in mortar; fruit; make a rich pastry crust, wet the edge of the dish and set an upper crust loosely over the cherries, and press it all around the crust, just within the rim.

Peel two good sized oranges and cut them into very small pieces, removing the seeds and tough skin; cover them with water and boil until they are soft and tender.

Butter a plain earthen bowl, and line it with neat slices of bread; then fill it up with any kind of fruit slightly bruised and mixed with sugar.

Wash a cup of tapioca and soak overnight in cold water. In the morning put it in a double boiler with one pint of hot water, and cook until the tapioca is clear like starch.

Scientific and Industrial. A pneumatic shoe sole is new. Sydney, New South Wales, has a 12,000,000 electric light.

Life and Strength

Are given to weak frail children in winter-attendants by Hood's Sarsaparilla. Mr. E. J. Gardner, Lowell, Mass., says: "My daughter, Etta, had little strength and had frequent fainting spells, caused by heart trouble."

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Humor of the Day. Benjamin Franklin was the original lightning calculator. Crops that grow by the electric light—Wild oats.—Boston Journal.

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