tucks make a marked feature of all the gtest gowns and skirts and may be reded upon as being correct for many



ONE OF THE LATEST GOWNS.

nonths to come. The skirt illustrated s a novelty and allows of a double lounce effect without the weight of a foundation. As shown it is made of black canvas etamine, stitched with torticelli siik, but all the season's ma erials are appropriate. Heavy linens will be so made, cloths are always andsome, and the lighter wools and oft silks all take admirable folds.

The skirt extends to the upper edge of the flounce and is fitted about the rips by means of short darts and closed invisibly at the back in habit style The lower edge is finished with a tuck beneath which the flounce is attached. The flounce is in two portions that are joined beneath the central tuck and also has a tuck at the lower edge. The apper edge of the skirt can be finished with the belt or cut on dip outline and inderfaced or bound.

The quantity of material required for

occupy us much.

Dainty White Girdle.

The new girdle of shaped and stiftened and bias-cut black velvet is twist ed into a shape of decided originality. It follows the waist line in the back, and of course droops low in front to carry out the correct blousing perspective. It appears to be supplied with two long wings or ends sharply pointed like a swallow's tail. One of these ends points downward, and the other is reversed and points upward. The ends are stiffened with either wire or whalebone, and the upper one is fur nished with a small book at the end. which fastens to a corresponding eye on the blouse front to keep it in place.

Millinery Jewelry.

The latest millinery jewelry is of enameled French gold, some pieces of which are set with white and col ored crystals. Novelties appear in brooches of clusters of cabochons of mock cat's eye stones, set in filagree. Pure snow-white and champagne color are seen in the enameling referred to and snow-white with champagne-green, pearl and opal grays, rotten orange and bronze-brown, are among the later colors in other departments of the new millinery wares.

Low Colffure in Paris.

Paris has accepted the low colffure along with the colarless bodice. This seems to indicate a demand for hair nets, as well as hair ornaments of shell, precious and semi-precious stones, jet wreaths of foliage or small flowers.

Washable Pongee Skirts. Washable pongee skirts are to be found in pale shades, pinks and blues, and in the natural pongee color. They are trimmed with lace-edged ruffles.

The Flower Toque Again. The flower toque is to be seen again this spring, but its shape will be wider and bolder than beretofore.

Gray and Mauve. Gray and mauve is a favorite spring combination, and amethysts, we are

told, are to be again fashionable. Washable Stocks.

Stocks are among the accessories of dress whose variations know literally



WOMAN'S FITTED COAT.

nches wide, six yards forty-four inches sirable or more stylish than the simple wide or four and five-eighth yards fifty washable ones which come forth fresh two inches wide.

Smart For Street Wear.

Fitted half length coats are among variety of materials. smartest of all smart things for stylish May Manton model shown in but all the linen and cotton materials the large drawing is cut on the latest used for the purpose are appropriate. lines, and is suited to both purposes, but, as shown, is of gray zibeline. walking suit. Cloth of all sorts, the many sulting materials, velvet and ingly attractive plain. beavy linens are all appropriate.

The quantity of material required for the medium size is eight yards, twentyone inches wide; four yards, forty-four inches wide, or three and one-quarter yards fifty-two inches wide.

White Wool Stock. A touch of white at the throat is gen erally becoming, and something new In this line is now offered to replace the tube, lace and chiffon white neckbands which have been worn for a long time. The new stock collar is of white woolen goods, soft and fine. It is decprated with the narrowest possible glit braid, a mere line in width, and therefore rather hard to stitch on. This braid is applied in five rows, which tome around from the back of the neck where the collar hooks, toward the calddie of the front. The rows do not quite meet, and they terminate beneath tiny gfit tassels, which are grouped in a double row and form the distinguishing ornament of the white woolen

High Crown Hate. Here and there, says the Millinery Trade Review, one comes across a high-crowned hat, and according to some authorities, high crowns are des-tined to be held very fashionable later In the meanwhile, for one hat de with a high crown, thousands have either quite low crowns or are Ventured upon high-crown shapes, and | for tie.

medium size is nine yards twenty-seven no and. None however, are more de and new after each visit to the laundry The May Manton models shown are

among the newest and are suited to a No. 1 includes a plain stock and four street wear, and are seen with both in-hand tie with soft pointed ends, and tong and short skirts, as parts of entire is finished with fancy stitching. As rostumes and as separate wraps. The shown the material is blue chambray

No. 2 varies from No. 1 in having ends cut diagonally and in being made stitched with silk and finished with a with tiny tucks as a finish to both the celvet collar, and makes part of a stock and tie. If desired cords can be inserted in these, but they are exceed-

No. 3 combines a stock of white butcher's linen with a tie of embroidered batiste and is quite plain. In each instance the ties are attached to the back edges of the stock, brought

around to the front and knotted under the chin.

The quantity of material required twenty-seven inches wide, is for No. 1



three-quarter yards; No. 2, three-quarof plateau form. So far as I have been ter yards, and for No. 3, one-eighth able to ascertain, few American buyers yards for stock and three-quarter yards

## WOMAN'S REALM.

ONE BUSY WOMAN. Nurse Cawardine and Her Work en the

Labredor Coast. Far up on the Labrador coast lives Nurse Cawardine, who for eight long winters-long in a very literal sensehas had sole charge of the only winter hospital on a thousand-mile coastline. The hospital is an outcome of the Royal National Mission to the Deep Sea Fishermen of England, a medical mission founded back in the 80's, and much favored by Queen Victoria, wito always had a warm spot in her heart for the soldier and sailor lads of Eng-

tand. The hospital ships of the mission plied for some years only among the British fishing boats of the German Ocean, but in 1892 increased support enabled the mission to send a hospital

boat to the fishing banks of Labrador. There, each summer comes a motley fleet of fishing craft. Most of the fishermen are Newfoundlanders, who bring with them their wives, children, dogs, goats and fowls. These are packed in cabin and hold in friendly promiscuity with nets, bonts, salt and barrels of beef, pork, flour and molasses. A few Nova Scotian craft are mingled with the rest, and occasionally a Gloucester boat, working the great halibut banks Altogether, there is an influx of 30,000 fisher folk each spring, who, along with the 4000 whites and the 1500 Esquimans who live there permanently, de vote their entire time to the fishing

The banks stretch along a thousand miles of coast, and this great fleet, scattered over this vast distance, is entirely without medical assistance except that furnished by the mission. The hospital ship plied to and fro along the banks, but early in the first season it was perceived that shore hospitals were needed to relieve its crowded wards. Two were speedily established, for the summer only, but when the days began to shorten and the boats sailed away southward it seemed impossible to leave the 5000 people upon that dreary coast without nurse or doctor through the long winter. So one doctor staved to patrol th

coast, going up and down even as the hospital ship had followed its bent on the waters, while in the log hospital on Carlbou Island Nurse Ada Cawardine, a graduate of a London training school remained to hold the fort alone.

Miss Cawardine goes shopping one a year, and then it is at her desk with pen and paper and a corrugated line of thought dividing her brow. She is obliged to order all supplies for the hospital a year in advance, and the housewife who thinks this is easy to do is invited to try it just once. If anything gives out meantime she just goes with

Odd times in winter she fills in with classes in all kinds of things, from the alphabet to domestic science, with Sunday-school on Sunday, and mothers' meetings at odd times. Kind friends States occasionally send barrels of clothing, books and toys, all of which are distributed by the nurse, with careful reservation for Christmas cheer. Altogether, the resident nurse of the Labrador medical mission is a fairly busy woman.-New York Tribune.

What is Woman's Greatest Charm? The question can better be answered The lovers who find words impotent to

Then there are so many other features to consider-mouth, chin, teeth keeping. and voice. These all play most important parts in the art of fascination. White, flashing teeth certainly lend a charm, and a low, modulated voice would redeem almost any imperfection of features. It would seem that individual taste must answer the question.

One often finds simple naturalness and frankness of manner extremely charming. These qualities can often to pretty arms. ollind one to a lack of beauty. It also often happens that liquid eyes and beautiful mouths are found in combi nation with expressionless, self-con-

Charm and case of manner never fall to appeal to our highest appreclation. whereas a beautiful face strikes only the eye.

A sympathetic voice in speaking or slinging touches the heart and leaves an impress. Men-and women-have often fallen in love with the possessor of a beautiful voice before seeing the individual. Indeed, so potent is its influence as to provoke laughter or tears, joy or grief. A harsh quality of voice sets one's perves on edge and antagonizes even the most patient, but a wellmodulated voice soothes and charms and has refining influence.

Cultivate voice and manner, for these will more than compensate for lack of classic features.-American Queen.

The woman doesn't live who hasn't some pet fad or fancy, or probably one might call it weakness. This, how

ever, must be judged by the observer. Many women have their little pet fancies, but do not admit them. If they are home fancies the outsider never finds them out, for a woman will never tell about her preference for a certain emollient cream to be used on the face which she thinks it would be of baby ribbon between-the nearer the impossible to do without. Or, perhaps, it may be a certain brand of toilet soar or bath perfume that she considers in-

dispensable. Some women are content with pure soap and a little ammonia in their bath, e the woman with a fancy for dainty toilet accessories must have her perfumes, lotions and creams or else she does not feel comfortable. Then there is the woman who has a fad for pictures. She will have the walls of her room hung with pictures, good,

bad and indifferent. Another woman will have a fad for dainty stationery and all its accessorles, and still another one will have a fad for dainty shoes or underwear, and except through bad business manages on. Every woman has her pet fad ment.—The Journalist

or fancy. It is the woman who has a judicious mixture of all these fads and fancies who is the most fortunate and the most interesting.

The happy medium is, always bar been and always will be, the most in teresting thing in the world, - New York American.

Tassels as Decorations. The tassel iden is creeping into all the Cempting Dishes Publicly Demonstrated newest gowns. Whether they are dance ing frocks, cloth suit costumes or pic Vienna Soup-Cook one-fourth a cup turesque fancy coats, the tassels are of barley, two onlons and a carrot

**Household** 

CHOICE RECIPES.

at the Boston Cooking School.

Baked Fillets of Fish-Remove the

illets from two slices of hallbut, cut

half an inch in thickness. Chop fine

mough more ballbut to make one cun

and season with salt, cayenne and

emon juice. Add the white of an egg.

peaten stiff, and about one-third a cup

of thick cream. Spread on the fillets

Set in a buttered pan, surround with

hin cream and bake about twenty

Caper Sauce-Melt two tablespoon

nilk for stock made from the trim-

nings of the fish and vegetables). Cook

meil thickened, then add the beaten

of tomatoes, and let simmer until well

reduced and thick. Season with salt

and paprika, then add one tablespoon-

'ul each of tarragon vinegar and ca-

Baldwin Pudding-Mix one cup and

i half of bread crumbs with one-third cup of melted butter. Cover the bot-

com of a baking dish with crumbs, and

idd one pint of apples, cut in slices.

julce, one-fourth a cup of chopped al-

monds and a grating of nutmeg. Re-

pest these layers and cover with the

forty-five minutes in a moderate oven.

. . .

paprika, then add cream to moisten.

sun of flour in which have been sifted wo teaspoonfuls of baking powder and

one-fourth a teaspoonful of nutmeg.

Add enough more flour to make a

fough that can be rolled out. Shape

with a tin cutter into rounds or rings,

set onto a baking sheet, brush the tops

with white of egg, slightly beaten, and

decorate with blanched almonds, sift-

ing sugar over the whole. Bake in a

hot oven.-Boston Cooking School Mag-

and serve at once,

with one-fourth a cup of

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ourth a cup of capers.

with Spanish sauce.

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Sprinkle

and beaten.

ninutes. Serve with caper sauce.

made of braid, of chenille, of silk, jewsliced, a sprig of parsiey, and a bit of els and even ribbon and chiffon, and ony leaf in two quarts of veal stock not only where you expect them, but hree hours. Press through a sieve, rewhere you don't expect them they are heat, and add the beaten yolk of two eggs, diluted with one cup of cream. It is the same way with buttons. stir while reheating (boiling will curdle Tiny buttons used in clusters form the he mixture). Add one cup of asparatrimming for many of the new elaborgus tips (fresh or canned), and season with salt and pepper. ate tailor-made gowns and big buttons.

especially the pearl and ivory buttons.

are much seen. In the street gowns bands of the self-material are much in evidence as a trimming, and they are treated in various effective ways. Sometimes they are striped with narrow black or fancy braid. Then again they are studded with the finiest of silk buttons, show ing pipings of contrasting silk, and they are also combined with embroidered bands. If the figure will allow it, they often trim the skirt in bayadere fashion, simulating a triple flounce, but more often they are introduced in vertical lines to give the desired length to the figure.- New York Mail and Ex-

Spring "Bonnets." There are no hats with strings excepting for elderly women, but the bonnet shape, rather long over the ears in the Normandy can style, which, as a rule, is becoming, is among the new fashions. The newest of these are made of chenille and straw combined. and have rosettes at either side of panne velvet or chenille with a rhinestone buckle, the top of the bat quite flat to the head and with a high aigrette fastened with a rhinestone ornament. This is simply a revival of an old but always becoming fashion. The same shape is made in jetted tulle. spangled tulle, and in all the fancy straws, always with the algrette, for otherwise the bonnet is not becoming, and tacks style. A bonnet should always be carefully chosen from a sideface point of view, for in choosing a bonnet, even more than in choosing a hat, it is necessary to consider whether it is becoming to the profile,-Harper's Bazar.

Painting Applied to Needlework.

Painting used with embroidery forms one of the most effective kinds of fancy work, and endless are its uses. It has an applique effect without the labor applique involves. Any material that takes paint can be used, but silk and satin should be kept for dress ornamentation, as linen and fine canvas are better for decorative cushion covers, night dress and handkerchief cases. The method of working is as follows:

Transfer on to any chosen material a suitable design, avoiding those with any suggestion of intricacy till quite proficient, and then set about coloring in England, Canada and the United it. The great thing is to avoid running over the outline, and the choice of colors must be a harmonious one or the

finished effect will be patchy. When the pattern is colored and quite dry it must be outlined in silk, and, in the case of embroidered curtains, with thin silk cord.-New York News.

The Telltale Galt.

The boy or man of a cheap moral individually than collectively, for there | fiber reveals his cheapness in his walk. is no measure of excellence in benuty. The slangy girl shows her slanginess The poet who writes a sonnet to his in her galt before she opens her lips. lady's eyebrows would perhaps not hes- and one manifestation is as oppressive itate in his answer. The artist who to the eye as the other is to the ear. paints the same pair of eyes on all his | The nervous woman, blown about by canvases would be ready with a reply. every wind of emotion, cannot be said to walk properly at all. She bustles praise their mistresses' complexion, and rushes and darts and dives about and who liken their hair to an autumn like a distracted fowl. She lacks the sunset, would all give obvious answers. fundamental elements of a self-reverence and self-control. - Good House-

Gloves Going Out of Style.

Gloves, appear to be gradually going out of fashion, says London Truth. They are seldom seen on the river, and we have noticed at the opera that many ladies wear none, though, of course, the great majority do so. Long sleeves see much more becoming than long gloves

Frills of Fashion. The popularity of bright green is on the wane.

New tortoise shell combs come in the orm of a twisted bow. One of the newest color blendings is

lue combined with violet. Lace collars are seen in almost every

shape, save the sailor, this senson. Black tulle pailletted in gold and appliqued in lace is a favorite fabric. Some exenisite imported touisine

waists are finished with high empire sashes. French authorities call a long ostrich plume that droops at the back an Ama-

zon plume.

Mourning raiment is now dominated by all the latest ideas worked out in gay colored garb.

Ribbon rosettes with jet buckles in the centre make a pretty trimming for spring hats.

Many pretty waists are made of alternating rows of Chantilly insertion and clusters of tucks in mousseline de sole.

A smart blouse has ribbon laced through openings down the front and falling in tasseled ends to the skirt hem.

Many graceful net or crepe dresses are formed of broad tucks, with rows foot the more rows of ribbon.

Among the latest sash novelties are wide satin ribbons brocaded with big velvet flowers. Yellow cluny lace and crmine make a lovely combination. A wisp of black tulle is tied around

the elbow of a half short sleeve of cream crepe de chine with charming effect, the filmy knot being at the inside of the arm, which seems a pity, as the knot must get crushed if the arm

In Praise of the Weekly. Never before have weekly papers been so largely circulated, so infine tial and so profitable, and none fulls

# THE GREAT DESTROYER | THE RELIGIOUS

SOME STARTLING FACTS ABOUT THE VICE OF INTEMPERANCE. Matters

Poer : The Saloon Bar-Poor Womanking the Everyday Victims of the Drink De mon-Danger of Living With Incbriate Husbands and Children Starvers.

A bar to heaven, a door to hell; Whoever named it, named it well.

A bar to manliness and wealth. A door to want and broken health:

A har to honor, pride and fame. A door to sin, and grief, and shame;

A bar to hope, a bar to prayer, A door to darkness and despair; A bar to honored, useful life.

A har to all that's true and brave, A door to every drunkard's grave,

A bar to joys that home imports. A door to teacs and aching hearts:

A bar to heaven, a door to hell; Whoever named it, named it well.—Our Young Folks.

### Wife Killers Crazed by Drink.

Wife Killers Crazed by Drink.

There are but few daily newspapers which tail to chronicle the murder or attempted murder of some woman or child by men crazed by drink, every day in the year. It is a painfully monotonous chronicing, and the worst part of the whole business is the helplessness of the victims.

If there were a dozen mad dogs in Georgia roaming at large, that bit or attempted to bite somebody every day, the people in the vicinity would feel they were doing good work in the service of civilization and for the benefit of humanity to turn out en masse and make a finish of the epidemic of hydrophobia. No matter how much it cost the county or the State they would do their best to put an end to mad dog brutes. 'uls of butter, add two tablespoonfuls of flour and cook until frothy. Then idd graduelly one cup and a fourth of rolks of two eggs. Season with lemon inice, salt and pepper and add one-

do their best to put an end to mad dog brates.

Nevertheless, the husband and father of a family can place himself in the category of mad dogs intected with a craze to kill his wife and children, or any other person who may rush in to the ressue of these helpless ones, and he is let alone until he does his bloody work. It nositively fatigues the indignation to see the indifference of public opinion to these daily atrocities. Human life seems to be the cheapest thing under the sun. For years and years a few faithful temperance women have petitioned the Georgia Legislature to erect an inebriate asylum where these drunkards may be imprisoned until they are cured of this madness or kept solor until they can be released under a furlough or ticket-of-leave and bond for good behavior.

They have been met by the composition. Spanish Eggs-Cook chickens' livers n boiling water, with bits of vegetable and sweet herbs, about fifteen minutes. Mash until smooth, mix with the sifted rolks of hard-boiled eggs, and season with lemon juice, a good table sauce, salt and pepper. Press two correspondng halves together, dip in beaten egg and crumbs and fry in deep fat. Serve Spanish Sauce - Cook three tablespoonfuls of butter with one tablepoonful each of chopped onion and pepper five minutes. Add half a can

or texet-or-eave and bond for good behavior.

They have been met by the complaint that it would be a harbor for the drunkard who would be fed and housed at public expense. Granting this fact, if fact it be, would it not have been better to have kent that miserable creature in a lock-up who killed his father-in-law, who did his utmost to kill his wife and son and finally killed his own desperate self? This sad tragedy happened in the last three days within fifty miles of Atlanta, and it is simply one of many that we read about every day.

day.

Poor womankind are the everyday vic-tims of the drink demon, and whether it is poisoned liquor or a decadence of public virtue. I am unable to say, but no woman sugar, two tablespoonfuls of lemon virtue. I am unable to say, but no woman is safe in her own home with an inebriate husband, and she is the prey to vicious lust on the common highway from drunken fiends, as the records testify.

Something must be done, for no woman should be compelled to live in the house with a habitual drunkard. She should have some protection. jest of the buttered crumbs. Bake Serve with cream sweetened, flavored

which a hadron dramatic, sine about have some protection.

When I think of the licenses which are sold, the permits bought to make demoniacs out of husbands and fathers, I feel the Savory Sandwiches-Mix half a cup of chopped chicken, iwo tablespoon-'uls of grated cheese, one teaspoonful of French mustard, a little salt and Spread on buttered slices of brown bread and cover the mixture with a rrisp lettuce leaf that has been dipped

soid, the bermits bought to make demoniace out of husbands and fathers. I feel the blood run hot in my veins, to see the indifference that prevails in this liquor business. Fifty years from now the people of that era will be ashamed to own as their ancestors a lot of men who would because the making of these wife-killers and child starvers. God help us to see this evil!

The tears filled my eves as I read of that aged father who met his death in a vain struggle to protect his dauchter and her children from this demoniac drunkard, and yet the demoniac drunkard was a deputy sheriff under oath and bond to treserve the peace and protect the innocent in the county he fived in!

What a travesty on our politics! What a crime before high heaven, such pretences and shams! It is understood—well known, a publicly stated fact—the deputy sheriff was in the light of "going on spreas"—a fact so well authorized that his mor wife felt obliged to see away from him and to in French dressing. Cover this with another slice of buttered brown bread Almond Cakes-Cream one cup of butter, gradually beat in two cups of ine granulated sugar, then three wellbeaten eggs and three-fourths a cup of milk and one teaspoonful of vanilla ex-tract. Beat thoroughly, then add one

fact so well authorized that his moor wife felt obliged to get away from him and to take aer children out of his reckless path in life. Because she notified the inebriate of her resolution she was shot down like a dog in her own house and lay beside the dead body of her own honored father, who came in resuonse to her frenzied call for assistance and was brutally murdered. Why is it that nobody helped that wom-an, or protected her from this confirmed incorrate, who was by some strange misso well authorized that his poor wif an, or protected her from this confirmed inebriate, who was by some strange mischance fastened upon the whole county as a deputy sheriff? It is a time for plain talk, and that man had no business in such an office. He was unfit to live in the sane house with that long suffering wife and her children. There should have been some place of refuge for this hursted-down woman, or some lock-up for the infuriated drunk rd.—Mrs. W. H. Felton, in the Atlanta dournal.

Losing Favor in Civilized Nations.

where on the Continent of Europe a similar trend may be recognized.

All over this republic the efforts to check the excessive use of stimulants and to lessen the increase of the legions of besotted victims of the alcoholic craze are becoming

steadily more active and extensive. In many communities agitation against the pernictous practice of "buying drinks" in harrooms in the lavish American way of "treating," which has added countless re-

"treating," which has added countless re-cruits to the army of drankards, is now persistent and irrepressible, and can hard-iz fail to make further progress of sub-stantial importance. "Crooking the el-bow" in dramshops is becoming less popu-lar than it was a few years ago. It now behooves the manufacturers and wholesale and retail dealers in strong liquors to take counsel not of perfection, but of discre-tion. The dispensers of hot and rebellious liquors are assuredly losing favor in civil

liquors are assuredly losing favor in civil-ized nations.—New York World.

The Crusade in Brief.

There are now 1475 Prohibition Alliance

in the United States. Pennsylvania stands fourth in the list of States, with 125 Al liances.

The Fown Board of Fulton, Kalamazoo

Mich., is wreating with an unusual prob-lem, which involves their right to grant a license for a saloon within eighty rods of

The State's railways of Sweden have

adopted a most exemplary measure in the interests of temperance. During winter they supply at several stations on the different lines warm milk free of charge to the engine men and guards.

Fully one-half of the female inmates of East London workhouses are there because of lives ruined by the use of alcohol.

The great American railways pay special attention to the question of into sicanta. Some of them insist on total abstinence on the part of their employes, others in filling up situations give the preference to abstances. The same thing is often done by manufacturers.

stainers. The same thing is often done by manufacturers.

A report just issued states that the growth of the public house trust movement throughout England has been remarkable. It is said that there is now hardly a county in England in which a public house trust is not either projected or actively at work, and public houses on trust principles are now opened in ten counties in Scotland. There are about fifty houses in England and sixteen in Scotland.

a cemetery.

lanta Journal.

Hints For the Housewife. The remnant of stewed or preserved fruit left from ten will improve a tapioca pudding the next day.

It will take less time to beat the The disposition toward more thorough regulation of the liquor traffic in order to lessen drunkeaness and crime is becoming constantly stronger both in the Old World and the New, In Great Britain the tendency toward keeping the publicans within harriers wisely set up for the public welfare is unmistakable. In France and elsewhere on the C. white of an egg to a froth if a pinch of salt is added before the beating process begins. The lamp wick should be the largest

size that the holder will receive. If it refuses to move easily draw out one or two threads from each side. To skin beet root easily and quickly out it into cold water directly it is

cooked. Pass the hand down the root and the skin will come off at once. Housewives will find the soap bill diminished if both laundry and toilet sorts are bought in quantity and kept without wrappers for weeks at a time.

When stuffing a fowl which is to be roasted prepare and insert the stuffing over night and the flavor of the seasoning will penetrate through the entire

To prevent gravies from becoming lumpy, remove the pan from the fire while the thickening is being stirred in; after which set the pan back on the fire and cook thoroughly.

A few drops of lemon juice put in the water in which kitchen towels and dish cloths are washed will make them sweet and impart a fragrance that overcomes all dishwater odors.

Honey should be kept in a dry, warm spot, not as is usually done, in the cel lar. As it is naturally moist, it is like ly to attract some moisture and get thin if placed in the average cellar.

Linen shades may be cleaned by stretching them on a table and rubbing them well with powdered bath brick applied with a piece of flannel. Shader will look almost new when cleanses in this manner.

A mattress mat-serviceable and eas lly made - is fashioned from light, weight unbleached tanslin in two lay ers, with a sheet of wadding between Quilt the mat on the machine and bind with colored tape.

Cold water and soap can be used with entisfactory results as a cleansing material on all kinds of highly polished furniture, provided it is followed by another washing with clear water and rubbed dry with a chamola skin.

READING FOR THE QUIET HOUR

WHEN THE SOUL INVITES ITSELF: Form: Some Watchwords-The Disciples

Told That They Were to Be Witne Even Unto the Uttermost Parts of the Earth-Coming of Christ's Kingdom.

A little bit of self-control
Is good for body, mind and soul;
Helps man to guard his words and actions,
Acts as restraint 'gainst false attractions,
Helps man to use good judgment, too,
In business lines he may pursue.
It helps a man avoid confusions
Which would result in wrong conclusions.

A little bit of patience, too, Will help a man his course pursue In such a way that good success And true contentment will him bless. A little bit of common sense Will faithful toil well recommonse— Cause men to meet their obligations. Through proper business regulations.

Two things there are which crown these

three.
Faith and hope in the gospel plea.
And these two things along with those
Will help a man in God repose.
And take delight His will to do In each respect that's grand and true; And such a course will others lead To heed God's call and pardon nleaf. —H. N. Miller.

There's Work to Do.

The poor puzzled followers of Jesus were not ready yet, even after receiving assurance of His resurrection from the dead, to shake off their earthly ideals and look at Christ's kingdom from a spiritual viewpoint. They are willing to believe anything, now that their eyes have seen, their sars have heard and their hands have handled. They know that He whose last groan upon the cross tore their hearts with anguish unutterable, and whose dead body they followed to the tomb, still lives. They have answered the call of His dear voice once more. As of old they have saten with Him and been cared for and comforted by Him. They know it is He, and vet, they cannot get away from that old idea that in some way those enemies of theirs, the Romans, are to be put down and the Jews exalted. They have all the time made more of the kinsdom than of the King. And now they feel sure that the time is close at hand. He died but to make the victory the greater. Now, surely. He will tell them all: for everything must be nearly accomplished and Jerusalem, their "mother dear." is to be set up once more.

But their impatient hearts have yet an-There's Work to Do.

lem, their "mother dear," is to be set up once more.
But their impatient hearts have yet another lesson to learn. Gently He reproves. They are ready to take un arms and fight for Christ and the new-old kingdom, but He reminds them that the power is not theirs, it is God's—the loving Father's. Perhaps He uses the term "Father" instead of a sterner word to show that the kingdom is held back in love and that the Father doeth all things well even for a lown-trodden nation, that He might raise up at once and does not. The power is held by the Father for some purpose. It is not for them to ouestion nor he impatient. Then tenderly He tells them a most amazing thing, which even to this day Christ's disciples have not fully learned to understand, but take it as a puzzle, as an evasion of the cuestion, and co away adily pondering and longing and chafing for the coming of the kingdom to draw and to make the coming of the kingdom to draw and the said. The Father has put all thes.

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Jesus said. "The Father has nut all that in His power, but after the Holy Ghost is come unon you ye shall receive power."

Did He mean perhaps that after the Holy Spirit has come upon those disciples God was to put into their hands a portion of power also, and that it was to rest unon them to a certain degree, how soon that the didentity of the composition of the carting degree, how soon that there was work for them to do before their desire could come to pass, and they took upon their hearts the commission, astonishing as it was, that they were to be witnesses first, not only in Jerusalem, but even unto the intermost parts of the carth." That meant work, and that included even their enemies, the Romans. But whether they realized that the power to buring the kingdom sooner was in their two buring the kingdom sooner was in their wan bands or not is a cuestion. It is certain that we do not. Either we have lost he great, overmeastering desire for the coming of Christ's kingdom that nossessed the sarlier followers of Jesus, and do not care whether it comes soon or late, fift we are very well satisfied with the world as it stands, or clee we do not realize what power the Father hath but upon us if so be had we have really received the Holy Shout into our hearts to reign there), for we did thus desire and thus realize we should witness, witness, witness "of these largs" that the coming of the kingdom wait not upon us.—New York Mail and "Oress."

### "The Greatest of These is Love,"

Christian fellowship is possibly only because of love. It is the only ground on which different faiths can meet. Christian ause of love. It is the only ground on which different faiths can meet. Christian anity is not and cannot be found in creed, for there are no two persons of the same church even that read and understand the Scriptures ailite, much less those of different faiths. Instead of heing nearer together after a discussion of their creed they are farther apart. Christian unity cannot be effected in our creed. Such is impossible. It is not found in our polity. Here the same difficulties confront us as before. Nor is it to be found in our tastes. Indeed, it there is any difference it is that we get farther apart here than on any other ground. Creed or polity, or tastes are not possible grounds of unity, indeed, they are immossible grounds of unity, indeed, they are immossible grounds. There is but one possible ground, and that is found in love. We may differ in our ideas concerning treed and polity and in our tastes, but if we have love in our hearts we can strike hands with our neighbor and say, "My brother,"—Charles W. Posthill, Wingate, Ind.

### The Christian Life.

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Decide to-day to be a Christian. It is the right thing to do. You have but one life to live, and by universal consent there is no way of life so satisfying, so rewarding as the Jesus way. Those who have hone estive entered upon it and who are trying a conform to the conditions that guarantees success have no regret. Indeed, some of them sorrow because they did not begin earlier. In deciding to be a Christian you ne d not decide everything about Christianity, nor about Christ, even. But, considering what the Christian life offers, considering the overwhelming probabilities that it is based on fundamental trath, considering your personal heed of a Saviour and the majesty and winsomeness of the One whom you may have as your Master, it is absolutely foolish, nay even almost shameful, for you to delay this decision.—Riv. H. A. Bridgeman.

### A Lesson From the Morning Glories.

After the helping strands had been placed against the front porch, very quickly did the morning glories reach for them and deap about them and mount unward. But they made use of the insensate support only to climb heavenward into the blue, and blossom in beauty there. Thus should we use the material world, not to cling to it and remain with it, but that our souls may to "Higher levels rise."—Allen Rosen-krane.

Many a man has gone to the bad through his efforts to be regarded as a good fellow.

Willing to 'Fempt Fate Again. Robert E. Peary, the arctic explorer is ready to start again in search of the north pole. He is confident that if backed by at least \$150,000 he can reach the pole. Mr. Peary is on duty temporarily at the Brooklyn navy yard. The Peary Arctic club is mak in; every effort to raise the amount of money desired by Mr. Peary and has some hope that it will be able to fit out another expedition early in the