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## FLIES AND THEIR WAYS.

Pests Which Annoy Housewives Found in Greatest Numbers in the Vicinity of Stables.

"House flies," said Dr. L. O. Howard, the famous entomologist of the agricultural department, "come mostly from the stables and the dirt left in the streets by horses. If we could do away with horses we would not have so many flies. A single stable in which a horse is kept will fill an extended neighborhood with flies. People living in agricultural communities will probably never get rid of the pest, but in cities, with better modes of disposing of garbage and with the lessening of the number of horses in stables consequent upon the increased use of electric street railways, bicycles and horseless carriages, the time may come when window screens may be discarded."

"How fast do flies multiply?"  
"An ordinary house fly will lay 120 eggs during its existence, and 90 per cent. of them will be hatched out. During the ordinary summer 12 or 13 generations of flies will be produced, so you can make the calculation yourself. Every female fly is the progenitor of millions of flies during a single summer."

"There are four or five kinds of house flies. The most common known to entomologists is the 'musca domestica,' a medium-sized grayish fly with its mouth spread out for sucking up liquid substances. It cannot bite. There is another called the 'stomoxys calcitrans,' which resembles it closely, but differs in having an important appendage that is built to pierce the skin. It is second in abundance. Both of these flies are chiefly bred in manure. In our experience and those of other entomologists it has been discovered that they will seldom lay their eggs in anything else."

"There are several other kinds of flies, but these two are the most common, and to them we owe the nuisance that housewives suffer. The eggs are hatched into larvae within 24 hours after they are laid. They remain in the larval state from five to seven days, and in the pupal state a similar time. The average life of a fly is from ten to fourteen days."

"Does the fly serve any useful purpose?"  
"Not so far as we have ever discovered," said Dr. Howard, "and it does a great deal more injury than people commonly suppose. We are accustomed to think of flies simply as a nuisance, but they are undoubtedly the carriers of contagion, as was abundantly proved during the war of the rebellion and also in the camps of our army last summer. It is the judgment of the highest authorities that a considerable part of the typhoid fever was due to the flies in the camps."—Chicago Daily Record.

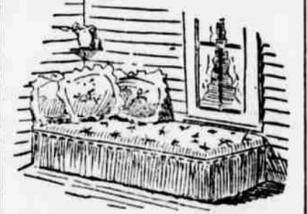
## FOLDING PIAZZA COUCH.

A Convenience for Lounging or Sleeping in Open Air During the Warm Weather.

For the summer piazza one of the most convenient pieces of furniture is a folding couch that can be raised up and fastened to the side of the house somewhat similar to a mantel folding bed.

The illustration shows such a couch that is attached to the weather boards of the house at the inner side, by means of large strap hinges, while the outer edge is supported on legs fastened to the under side of the woodwork.

An old hair mattress can be employed as the topping, and it should be laid



FOLDING COUCH FOR THE PIAZZA.

on the platform and held down by means of denim, which is drawn down all around the edges and tacked securely to the wood.

The tufted effect shown in the illustration is obtained by making holes in the wood and with a long pack needle string is drawn up through the mattress and tied at the top through the edge of a metal or cloth-covered button.

Where the string is tied the mattress is depressed so the bottom is deep seated. A valance of the denim is made and gathered around the front and two ends, as shown.

In rainy weather, or when more piazza space is required, the couch can be raised, valance tucked in and the whole thing fastened to the weather boards by means of a strap.—Louisville Courier-Journal.

## Pretty Floral Decorations.

When flowers are costly a pretty dinner table decoration may be had by using smilax, laurel or asparagus vine made into wreaths and tied with white, scarlet or pink satin ribbon. These wreaths may be placed at the four corners of the table, inside the covers, or laid around candelabra placed in the center, at the corners or at each end. Or they may be used at two corners, diagonally, with vases of suitable flowers, daisies or carnations, in two other corners. If violet ribbons are used have the dishes for bonbons filled with crystallized violets and mint leaves. Candles with white shades are prettier with violet and green than those of a color, as the light through a violet or green is not becoming.

To Clean Plaster Busts. Plaster busts and statuettes may be cleaned by dipping them into thick liquid starch and drying. When the starch is brushed off the dirt comes with it.

## CHRIST'S COMING FORETOLD.

International S. S. Lesson for December 24, 1890—Text, Isaiah 52-7—Memory Vs. 6, 7.

(Specially Arranged from Peloubet's Notes.)  
GOLDEN TEXT.—Unto you is born this day, in the city of David, a Saviour, who is Christ the Lord.—Luke 2: 11.  
READ Isaiah 11: 1-10.

TIME.—Probably written during the reign of Ahaz in Judah, "during the Syro-Ephraimite war, b. C. 735-734."—Driver.

PLACE.—It was delivered in Jerusalem, the prophet's home, to Judah, the prophet's people. Jerusalem was about 14 miles from Egypt, 43 from Ezarath, 16 from Damascus, and 39 from the Euphrates, the border of Assyria.—George Adams Smith.

I. An Outlook Upon the People Walking in Darkness.—V. 2. The prophecy of which this lesson is a part begins with chap. 7: 1. Israel and Judah were nearing a great political crisis. The final destruction of Israel was only 14 or 15 years in the future, and the forces which wrought that terrible disaster were actively at work, like the breaking of a dam high up among the mountains, whence the waters were rolling down in swift disaster. V. 2. "The people that walked in darkness:" The people of Judah at this time were under the twofold darkness described above. "The land of the shadow of death;" "Deadly shade, properly a title of the Hebrew Hades; a night like that of Hades."—Cheyne.

II. A Vision of Dawning Light.—Vs. 2-5. "Have seen a great light:" There came to Judah in Ahaz's time the light of great promises. V. 3. "Thou hast multiplied the nation:" So he saw it as he looked upon it in later days. "And not:" Most interpreters think, with the R. V., that the "not" should be "to it," the Hebrew letters being very nearly the same, and some transcriber made a mistake. In this case the whole sentence is a prophecy of the good times referred to in V. 2. "They joy before thee:" the giver of the joy. "According to the joy in harvest:" when men see the fruits of their labors and promise of plenty. They had sown in tears, but reap in joy. "As men rejoice when they divide the spoil:" triumphant over enemies and rich in goods. V. 4. "For thou hast broken the yoke of his burden:" First, of the Assyrians, who had "stretched out their wings"—great armies, and oppressed the land. Second, the yoke of sin, the oppressor Satan. "The staff of his shoulder:" That part of the yoke which rested on the back of the neck and shoulders. "As in the day of Midian:" (Judg. 7: 1-23). A total rout, by a small body of selected men, by unusual means, through God's help, as when Gideon with 300 men, armed with lamps, pitchers, and trumpets, completely overthrew the immense host of the Midianites. V. 5. "For every battle:" etc. Read as in R. V. The old version misses the full sense and mars the exquisite beauty of this verse.

III. A Vision of the Coming of the Son of God.—V. 6. "For unto us a child is born:" Only through this child can war cease, and Israel's redemption be made permanent. "The prophet is unrolling a picture of the future."—Cheyne. "The government shall be upon His shoulder:" That is, He should be the ruler, the king. "And His name:" A name stands for all that is in the man, his character, his principles, and his property. "Wonderful:" because His nature was wonderful, being human and divine; His coming at all was a wonderful manifestation of love; His deeds were wonderful, miracles, full of marvelous meaning as well as power; His words were wonderful; His atoning love was wonderful; the kingdom He set up was wonderful. "Counselor:" One who has the wisdom to guide himself and others. Jesus was the embodiment of the wisdom of God. "The mighty God:" The word for "God" here is not the usual Elohim, which is sometimes used metaphorically, as for angels, as we use "divine;" but it is El, which, whenever it denotes (as it generally does, and in Isaiah always) divinity, does so in an absolute sense; it is never used hyperbolically or metaphorically.—Cheyne. "The everlasting Father:" expressing the divine love and pity for men, a love that can never fail, for it is everlasting. "The Prince of Peace:" The prince who rules in such a way that peace and prosperity abide in his kingdom. Peace is used to express all the blessings that come to a kingdom where there is peace from outward enemies, peace between rulers, peace between the different members of the kingdom; no disorders, no idleness, no criminals. A poetical description is given in Isa. 11: 2-10.

IV. A Vision of the New Kingdom of God.—V. 7. "Of the increase of His government and peace there shall be no end:" It shall increase in numbers, in power. "Upon the throne of David, on which Jesus sits:" All these blessings come from His rule in the hearts of men and in the community. "To order it:" govern, manage, rule it. "Establish it:" make it firm and enduring. "With judgment:" just decisions, and "justice:" all manner of right between all classes and all individuals. "From henceforth even forever:" Only such a kingdom can endure. "The zeal of the Lord:" His earnestness, the intensity of His desire. "The Lord of hosts:" who has all created beings, the unseen multitudes of angels, the forces of nature, all organized like an army—a host—to do His will.

## PRACTICAL.

God's book of nature agrees with His book of Revelation in this glorious hope.

Only with Jesus as King can these good times come. Every convert to Christianity is another step towards them.

"Mighty hopes make us men."—Tennyson. The assurance of a transformed world gives enthusiasm and strength, and readiness to deny ourselves for the salvation of the world.

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