

Clumpy Fur Costs No Longer Scen. The days when clumsy sealskin coats hung like sacks round the shoulders of women and when no attempt was ever made to cut fur garments smartly or to fit them accurately to the figure, have departed and have left nothing but their very unpleasant memory behind.

The furriers of the present day, or at all events the best of them, cut and fit every garmont which is entrusted them with the care and skill of a Court dressmaker bestows upon her smartest bodices of satin, velvet, or brocade; and not only do the fur garments worn at the moment fit admirably, but they are made according to the very latest dictates of fashion, and echo in a remarkable way the modes of the season as they are seen elsewhere,

Something New to Save.

There are some women who save everything, every little scrap; there are others who save nothing, but are there any who save their old rubbers? Do you know that there is a market for all old articles having even a small quantity of rubber in their composition? Not long ago in a small town several worsen combined and saved all their old rubber shoes, bloycle tires, and mackintoshes, and at the end of the month sold the collection at so much per pound. The proceeds were then given to a charitable organization. The combination of these first few women attracted other women, and now there is a rubber saving club in this town, and the services of a market wagon are secured, free of charge, each month, for the collection of rubber treasure .- New York American.

Training Children.

Here are some rules for the training of children that may help somewhat in the solving of the difficulties many parents experience.

From earliest infancy inculcate instant obedience.

Unite firmness with gentleness. Let your children understand always that you mean what you say.

Never promise them anything unless you are quite sure you can give what you say.

If you tell a child to do something, show him how to do it, and see that it Is done,

Always punish your children for wilfully disobeying you, but never punish them in anger. Never let them know that they vex

you or make you lose your self-com-If they give way to petulance or ill-

temper, wait till they are calm, then reason with them on the foolishness of their conduct.

Never give your children anything because they cry for it. Teach them that the sure and easy

way to appear good is to be good. Accustom them to make their little recitals with perfect truth.

Never allow tale-bearing. Teach them self-denial, not self-indulgence.--Indiana Farmer.

What Do You Eat at Noon? Do you realize that your food makes or mars your health; and that you st make your choice of good blood

the flesh until it is pink and tinging. Every morning (if you only take the warm bath once a week), sponge the body with tepid water, to which a handful of salt and a tablespoonful of borax have been added. This last is the beautifying bath, and the woman who is afflicted with pimples and blackheads would do well to keep in mind that if the skin performs its functions properly, throwing off waste matter actively, there will be a decided improvement in the condition of the

complexion. Hard water will soon spoil the prettiest skin-so never use it if possible .- Detroit Free Press.

Contentment in Work.

In order that a woman may be successful and happy in her home life she must inevitably regard her work as worthy the highest education and enthusiasm, says the Washington Star.

Let her know before she enters upon it that it must for years occupy the greater part of her choughts and time-there will be seasons when it must occupy her whole time-and be content that this is so because of the value of the result to be obtained. The home where peace and order reign and sweet influences of indus-NEGLIGEE WITH STOLE COLLAR. try and education of courtesy and reone can be gathered or accordion pleat ligion prevail is not made by chance. ed as preferred, and includes the fash-

The woman's thought and study and ionable wide collar with stole ends. ability have entered into it and deter-The model is made of pale pink crepe mined its character. albatross with the collar of white,

Where the servants are industrious and quiet, where the children are healthy, gentle and obedient, where the conversation shows intellectual life and generous thought, and the spirit of the home in its activities and pleasures is love and joy and peace, the praise is due, first, to the woman who as wife and mother and mistress and housekeeper and homemaker has made it her study and pleasure to rule her kingdom diligently, with intelligence and love.

The home is her creation, springing from her own ideal of what is good and fair and speaks to mankind as truly as if her thought had expressed itself in writing. It is a work of the highest art.

If a woman thus regarded her work at home she would settle her mind to it without that restlessness and disontent she will always feel if in her heart of hearts she regards history or art or higher mathematics as being more worthy of her attention.

A Chinese Student.

"Oh, you American women can do everything," said Miss Kang Tung, a bright Chinese student at Harvard. 'You go everywhere that men go, you read men's newspapers, and you know ail that is going on, but in China we have to stay in a bandbox; we are not really alive.

Yes, at home I dress in home clothes, but I like these better and would never live in China again if I could not go and come at I please. Yesterday we went through your big gray prison-what do you call it, the Tombs? They all wore the same clothes and sat in the same kind of cark rooms. It made me think of our women at home. Really, we are not much better ou.

"Am I writing anything? Oh, yes, write nearly every month for our voman's paper at home. My sister, Kung Tung Mee, is the editor of this, and it is published in Canton twice a month.

"So few Chinese women know how to read, but those who do know enjoy reading the paper. Almost all the writing in it is done by women. No, we don't bother about fashions. The paper is more about what is going on in the outside world and what other women are doing. "I? No, I don't bother about fashions, either. I wear what I see other people wear, what the stores have to sell. Oh, yes; I like pretty clothes, but



New York City .- Simple negligees | siik, and lace biouses and others all are always attractive and fill so evi- open at the back. Old Point, Mechlin dent a need as to be counted among and thread laces have distinct uses, as the necessities of the wardrobe. This opposed to the heavier makes; colored

edged with a pretty fancy braid, but

any soft or pliable fabric is appropriate

and the collar can be of the material.

of contrasting color, or of silk on wool

as may be liked.

laces accompany every sort of gown, but they require to be matched to perfection

Bodice Girdles.

The vogue of the deep belt, or girdle, appears to gain adherents week by week until no wardrobe is considered complete that does not include one or more. These varying styles suit the needs of varying figures and are some full, some plain. As lliustrated No. 1 is made of black liberty satin, No. 2 of black and white taffeta, No. 3 of peau de cynge, and No. 4 of crepe de chine, but any of the materials used for bodices of the sort are appropriate and the color can be made to suit the demands of the special gown.

The girdles consist of the foundation, which is shaped and fitted to the figure and is used for all, and the full portion of each. No. 1 is shaped and shirred on indi-

cated lines, then arranged over the foundation, which is bound in order to retain its shape. No. 2 is cut in sections which are arranged over the The negligee consists of a shallow foundation and held by lacings, the





To Save the Fine Plates

For china closets, whether in kitchen or in butler's pantry, there has long been felt a need for some means of arranging the various sizes of platters belonging to any set of china without pilling them on top of each other, a most awkward and inconvenient method, with much risk of breakage when handling them. There are now for sale platter rests made of natural wood. Each dish has its separate and appropriate rest with regard to its size. The smallest one fits down on the front rest. the next size follows above, until the entire set is placed. The whole service not only shows to advantage, but is safely held, so that each platter can be selected at once. By this simple means these large dishes take up little room on the pantry shelf, and there is no longer noise or confusion in restoring them to their places. These rests cost only 75 cents each, and hold either sets of five or seven platters .-- Commercial Advertiser.

Girl Nurses.

All girls should know a little about nursing, so as to be of use in times of sickness. One of the most important things to see to is the bed. Very few people really know how to make a bed properly; that is, to put the sheets on evenly and smoothly. The sheets should be large enough to be securely tucked under the edges of the mattress. and the greatest care should be taken to smooth out all the creases, as nothing fidgets a patient so much as crumpled sheets or sheets that keep slipping to one side.

Then the pillows. The proper way to arrange them is so that they are neither too high nor too low, just of a medium height, to rest the back of the patient when sitting up.

Changing and shaking up the pillows when they have become rumpled takes but a little time, but is very comforting and refreshing to the pa-

tient. The covering of the bed should vary according to the temperature of the room, the nature of the sickness, the feelings of the patient and the time of the year. Whatever these conditions, the coverings should be as light as is consistent with the comfort of the patient.

Feather beds should never be used in cases of sickness. They are uncomfortable for the patient and keep the body unnecessarily warm .- Amerlean Cultivator.

Wäshing Blankets.

Soft, fleecy blankets are a luxury that every one appreciates. They are lighter and warmer than quilts or comforts, and should form a part, at least, of every bed. They are not expensive if one considers their durability, and if washed properly, do not full up, but retain their soft, fleecy look to the last. The better and softer a blanket is, the more likely it is to retain disease germs and dust, and for that reason a blanket should be washed once or twice a year. The following method has been followed by a practical housekeeper for years with the best results:

If you have a good washing machine and wringer, you will find it excellent for washing blankets. Put a small ackage of gold dust washing powder in a kettle and pour over it half a galion of boiling water. It will dissolve in a few minutes. Fill the washing machine half full of boiling water and add enough of the dissolved powder to make a strong suds. Put one or two blankets in, and wash until the water is dirty. It is surprising how much dirt will come out of a blanket that seems but little soiled when you begin. Run it through the wringer and wash it through a second suds 'prepared as the first one was. Rinse it in clear soft water until every trace of suds is removed and hang it on the line, taking care to shake it until it hangs without wrinkles or creases. A bright day that is not cold enough to freeze is the best time to dry blankets. Be sure they are perfectly dry before they are used .- E. J. C., in American Cultivator.

THE JEFFERSON SUPPLY COMPANY

Being the largest distributor of General Merchandise in this vicinity, is always in position to give the best quality of goods. Its aim is not to sell you cheap goods but when quality is considered the price will al-ways be found right.

Its departments are all well filled, and among the specialties handled may be men-tioned L. Adler Bros., Rochester, N. Y., Clothing, than which there is none better made; W. L. Douglass Shoe Co., Brockton, Mass., Shoes; Curtice Bros. Co., Rochester, N. Y., Canned Goods; and Pillsbury's Plour.

This is a fair representation of the class of goods it is selling to its customers.

NEWSY GLEANINGS.

The tax value of realty and person-alty in New York State is \$7,500,000,000. Statistics show the business of the country in 1903 rivaled that of the rec ord year of 1901.

The Government receipts for Decem-per were \$42,747,532; expenditures. \$32,249 000.

The French Chamber of Deputies has passed a vote of confidence in M. Combes' Ministry.

The Atlantic Transport liner Meno-minee put into Falmouth, England, recently, disabled.

New Year's gifts by banks to em-ployes were much smaller than those made a year ago.

The ice jam in the Niagara River was said to be thirty-five feet high and the river was dry in places.

The Japanese carry \$58,000,000 of life insurance, \$163,000,000 of fire, and \$365,000,000 of marine insurances The new fire ordinance of St. Louis Mo., will render compulsory a great fire vent over the stage of theatres

there. The Lord Mayor of London expressed the grief of that city over the Chicage catastrophe in a brief message to Ambassador Chonte.

The Mormon choir, from the temple, a: Salt Lake, Utah, is preparing to visit the Exposition at St. Louis, Mo... to sing for the prize.

Refunding operations of the United States Treasury have censed, the three and four per cent, bonds received reaching \$15,650,000,

The emigration from our Northwest-ern States to British Columbia leaves u. still about a million ahead of Can-ada in the exchange of citizens. The export of cattle, hogs and sheep for the first eleven months of 1903 were \$33,922,000, against \$22,000,000 for the corresponding months of last year.

WORLD'S FAIR TOPICS.

Map of United States in growing crops covers area of five acres Robert Burns' cottage at Ayrshire to be reproduced on grounds. Ninety thousand gallons of water per

minute flow over cascades. Palace of Mines and Metallurgy, 525 by 750 feet, cost \$498,000.

Forestry, Fish and Game Building. 300 by 600 feet, cost \$171,000. Three great easendes large falls ever constructed by man. The Grand Trianon and Versailles Gardens reproduced by France. Palace of Agriculture, 546 by 1660 feet, twenty-three acres, cost \$529,940. Monticello, Thomas Jefferson's home for Virginia State Building. Display of guns of all calibre used by United States Army and Navy. Liberty Bell will be in the rotunda of the Pennsylvania Building. Model of United States warship; real guns and drills by marines. Temple of Fraternity, 200 by 300 feet, headquarters for fraternal orders. Four miles of standard gauge railroad in Transportation Building. Twenty-five best Jersey cows in the vorld participate in a dairy demonstration.

sweep.

G. M. MeDONALD. ATTORNET AT LAW, Notary Public, teal estate agent, Patente secured, calestions nade promitly Office in Synthesis building, Reynoldsville, Pa DR. B. E. HOOVER. REYNOLDSVILLE, PA.

BUSINESS CARDS.

Resident dentist. 1. the Hoover building Main street. Gentlement to operating.

DR. L. L. MEANS.

DENTIST, Office on second floor of First National bank building, Main street.

DR. R. DEVERE KING.

DENTIST. office on second floor Reynoldsville Ben Batate Bldg. Main strest Reynoldsville Pa

DR. W. A. HENRY,

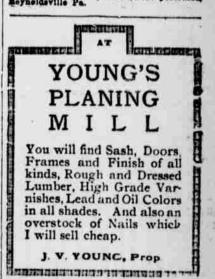
DENTIST Office on second floor of Henry Bres. trist

E. NEFF.

JUSTICE OF THE PEACE And Real Betate Agent, Reynoldsville, Pa.

SMITH M. MOCREIGHT.

ATTORNEY-AT-LAW. Notary Public and Beal Estate Agent. Or ections will receive prompt attention. Office p Prochlich & Henry block, sear postofice erneldeville Pa.



EVERY WOMAN

sometimes needs a reliable monthly regulating meridas

DR. PEAL'S

or poor blood yourself?

You may be pretty and sweet and fresh-looking now, but if you do not eat the proper food you will fade quickly and lose your strength,

At every restaurant a choice may be made between substantial, healthgiving food and frivolous, harmful food

Brown bread is a better investment than white, for it produces more energy. Baked beans, lima beans, peas and corn, hash or fish (when not pooked greasily) build up your muscles and add to your strength.

Cheese and nuts eaten with bread and butter are both nourishing and inexpensive. They are heavy foods and should be eaten as such at the end of the meal.

Tomatoes and spinach make good red blood-they are as good as iron tonic. Apples, too, are regular storago batteries for iron, and eaten with nuts and a glass of milk make a good lunch.

Fruits, uncooked or made into sauces or ples, are good for you at noon, but they will not sustain you during an afternoon's hard work.

Invest your money every noon in something which will count for your comfort during the rest of the day. Make your own choice for each day. You are building the future.

The Beauty Bath.

To keep the body clean is to keep it healthy; more than that it is to keep the mind bright, as circulation is stim ulated, muscles massaged and the tis-sues hardened. The daily bath is the finest beautifying means known. One thing you must strictly avoid in bathnever use hard water. It is imsible to create a cleansing suds. The addition of borax will remedy this trouble, so always keep a little china or tin covered box with borax in it on your bath stand.

They say that Patti is the best preserved woman of her age and that she takes a daily bath, using pure white imported castile scap and a fine fiesh brush, softening the water with tablespoonful of borax for each gal-m. Rinse with a bath spray, chilling the water gradually; dry with a coarse having two waists, towel (a linen Turkish towel), rubbing over the low bodice.

I am so busy, I haven't time to spend on them." And yet this little 17-year-old en tausiast is always well dressed, quietly becomingly, and in good taste. This is Miss Kang Tung's first visit to America, and though she has only recently come to New York, she has been in the country several months in California, British Columbia and other places where there are colonies of her countrymen. Everywhere she goes she tries to interest the women and organize branches of the Reform Association of which her father is the head

-Philadelphia Evening Telegraph.

Eachion Notes.

Many entire costumes are done in plaits.

Fringe with a Van Dyked top is a charming novelty. Empire coats are graceful, if not as

mart as fitted designs. Dark fur ovals with one end pointed are inset in some ermine pieces, in addition to the talls.

Crepe gowns are considered very smart for indoor purposes when trimmed with deep slik fringe.

A dainty and voluminous affair for evening is composed entirely of shirred chiffon, with a setting of dainty Ince.

An exceedingly swagger and unique combination seen lately was a peachcolored mousseline, trimmed with narrow sable bands and moss green velvet, embroidered in allver thread. It is well to bear in mind that softness is a necessity for a becoming house gown; so, if slik is chosen, instead of net or chiffon, lace should in-

variably be used as a trimming because of its greater durability. A white lace house gown is very

Much of the lace is inset, much of it useful, as it can be made with a high and a low bodice and thereby serve for is applique; deep lace flounces are worn, and lace fichus looped on to the home wear and for more formal occabodice with cords and heavy tassels.

sions out. Many women, instead of Many lace blouses appear above the yards for deep belts and the soft tied sashes of for No. 4. yards for No. 3, and seven-eighth yards having two waists, use a deep collar

yoke to which the fronts and back | whole being boned at back, sides and are joined, the full sleeves and the front.

wide collar. The sleeves are fuller be- No. 3 consists of three portions, low the elbows and snugger above and which are laid in foids, the centre of are gathered into straight cuffs. When the foundation at front and back and accordion pleating is preferred both the outer portion shaped to give a the fronts and back are cut of suffic-ient width and are finely pleated be-terminates, and one end is passed fore being joined to the yoke. The through an ornamental ring or buckle. collar is arranged over the shoulders No. 4 is similar to No. 1, but is narand scamed to the neck, its stole fin- rower and shows fewer shirrings, so ishing the front. being better adapted to the waists of

The quantity of material required larger size, for the medium size is five and five-

eighth yards twenty-one inches wide, inches wide required for the medium five and three-eighth yards twenty-sev. size is one yard for No. 1, three-fourth en inches wide, or three and oneeighth yards forty-four inches wide,

when negligee is gathered; seven and one-eighth yards twenty-one, six and seven-eighth twenty-seven, or three and seven-eighth forty-four inches wide, when it is accordion pleated, with three-quarter yards of contrasting material for collar and three yards of fancy braid to trim as illustrated.

Lace is Inset.

The quantity of material twenty-one yard for No. 2, one and one-eighth



Recipes.

Nut Sandwiches-Whole wheat, brown or white bread can be used for the sandwiches and chopped nuts stirred into mayonnaise dressing or into cream cheese can be used for the filler.

Baked Sweet Potatoes-Steam sweet potatoes half an hour, cut in two lengthwise, butter lightly and lay in a baking dish. Season with salt and pepper and then dredge with a little su-

gar. Bake from 20 minutes to half an hour or until a nice brown.

Scalloped Tomatoes and Rice-Wash half a cupful of rice; let it soak two hours; put in the bottom of a baking dish a layer of stewed tomatoes, then a sprinkle of the uncooked rice; season with salt and pepper, then more tomato and rice; when all is used put the dish in a hot oven and bake one hour.

Potato Cups-Take two cups of mashed potato or three of riced potato, stir in two tablespoons of butter just melted, but not heated until oily Add two eggs beaten light and threequarters cup of thin cream and one half teaspoon of salt. Beat five minutes, turn into a pudding dish that can be sent to the table and bake in a quick oven 15 minutes or until browned.

Rustic house over spring 100 years old; water raised by old-fashioned well

"The Creation," an illusion, under a dome 150 feet in diameter, a feature of the Pike.

Germany reproduces the Castle of Charlottenburg. Emperor William pre pared the plans. "Galveston Flood." a Pike feature

shows the effects of the great storn and the restoration.

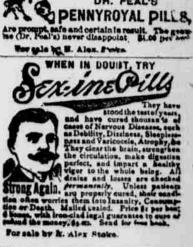
Discredited Prophets.

The prophets of evil who have been frawing pictures of the dire calamities coming upon the United States in onsequence of our aid to Panama are doomed to disappointment. Their predictions, running the gamut from loss of trade to the practical nullifi-cation of the Monroe doctrine through South American connivance, have been made on the theory that the peohave ple of those other republics have neither friendship for nor understanding of the United States, but

swayed only by prejudice. That this is an unfair and unjust assumption is being proven by the attitude of all the substantial states of South Amer-Ica .-- Atlanta Constitution.

A British tariff on imports from the United States would laise the price on \$175.000,000 worth of bread-stuffs and \$135,000,000 worth of meats.

This would necessarily affect wages and a tariff on \$100,000,000 worth of cotton is added to her manufactures and would affect her already unstable supremacy in the world's markets. ing day.



Will Mine Coal in the Philippines, War department officials are greatly ncouraged over their efforts to de velop a coal mine on the small island of Eatan, on the east coast of South-ern Luzon. This mine is eligibly lo-vated near deep water and promises to give a fair quality of coal. Army engineers have been at work on the mine for some time and General Wade has been autoorized to expend \$17,000 in the further exploitation of the mine. As it is now the army in the Philippines depends mainly on Aus-tralia and Japan for its coal supply.

The following are the temperatures oted at some of the hottest places in Alfferent countries: Hyderabad, 105 fegrees; Labore, 107 degrees; El Paso, 113 degrees; Death Valley, 122 de-grees; Algeria, 127 degrees; El Yuma, 128 degrees; Jacobobad, 122 degrees; Babrein, in the Persian gulf, 140 de-grees

The number killed in street acci-dents in New York city has been dur-ing the year almost two for each work-