

THE CONQUEROR.

He looked at me with pleading eyes. His ardent suit he pressed; My gentle "No" he would not hear, Nor let the subject rest.

When Breathitt's Best Shot Failed.

By SNOWDEN KING.

"Come out and tell a fellow good-by, won't you Ken?" Daw Simpleton drew his horse up before the door of a small mountain cabin, one of the many nestling among the foot-hills of the Cumberland mountains.

tried to live right ever since. He is old now, and not able to defend himself, but his daughter is both able and willing, and the man who raises his hand against him must answer to her for it.

All Disease Can be Cured Nothing but Old Age and Accident to Cause Death. By Dr. H. Burton Stevenson, President of the Baltimore Co. Medical Association.

As a result of the great discovery of antitoxins man's allotted three score years and ten will soon be a myth. The twentieth century medicine will make disease a harmless indisposition and death by accident and old age only the order of the day.

\$200,000 a Year FOR PERSONAL ATTIRE NOT EXTRA-AGANT. By Julia Morosini, (New York Society Woman.)

A WOMAN can't have too many gowns. A thousand dollars for a dress isn't such a great price to pay. I have plenty that cost more, some of them as high as \$6000.

The Most Dangerous of All Influences that Threaten Our National Life. By President Roosevelt.

IF there is one tendency of the day which more than any other is unhealthy and undesirable it is the tendency to defy mere "smartness," unaccompanied by a sense of moral accountability.

Humor By G. K. Chesterton.

A NUMBER of brilliant books about America have been written of late by the ablest men now alive, for instance, Mr. Henry James and Mr. H. G. Wells.

PEARLS OF THOUGHT.

Method will teach you to win time.—Goethe. Method will teach you to win time.—Goethe. Good material is half the work.—German.



Hard Wood Floors. To protect hard wood floors from scratches fit corrugated rubber to bottom of tables and chairs, fasten with strong glue.

Table Cover. For a simple bed-room table is a denim square edged with white fringe. If you have any material in a solid color left over from sewing utilize it by cutting it in conventional leaves and couch them as a border on a linen square.

Willow Chairs Bleached. When willow chairs remain yellow after being washed with soap and water, wiped well and then dried in the sun they can be bleached by means of sulphur fumes.

To Take Out Paint. Equal parts of ammonia and turpentine will take paint out of clothing, no matter how dry or hard it may be.

A Vegetable Bin. Purchase at the grocer's five or six canned goods boxes of equal size and knock the bottoms out. Lay the boxes down side by side and across them and several slats two inches wide and one inch thick, leaving a space of about an inch between the slats to afford ventilation.

Recipes. Orange Omelet—Beat four yolks of eggs with four teaspoonsful of fine sugar; add a pinch of salt to the whites and beat until dry and firm; pour the yolks over the whites, adding the grated rind of one orange and three tablespoons of juice; mix lightly; cook in hot butter until firm; spread with orange pulp, fold, garnish with sections and serve.

Chicken and Rice Cups—This is a delicious breakfast or luncheon dish and also is an economical way of using small quantities of leftovers. To prepare it line small buttered cups with soft boiled rice a half inch in thickness.

Potato Salad—The potatoes are selected for their uniform size, pared and kept in a bowl of cold water until the pot of bouillon in which they are to cook is boiling hot, then they are transferred to it, and allowed to remain in this broth until so mealy and soft that they can be readily pierced with a fork.

Mother Earth's Youngest Baby. Off the coast of Burma a small island was thrown up on December 15 last by the eruption of a mud volcano.

A Counter Proposition. He—I told your father I could not live without you. She—And what did he say? He—Oh! he offered to pay my funeral expenses.—Ally Sloper.