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County Judge Hurd of Kings county, New York, who is just now devoting part of his time to the work of converting aliens into citizens of the United States, had a trying time of it yesterday in the Brooklyn court house with a number of applicants for citizenship. Biejio Scavali, a Coney Island Italian, presented a fair sample of the degree of intelligence Judge Hurd had to contend with. "What is the name of this country?" asked he court. "Ma-keen-lee," replied Biejio, promptly. "Who makes the laws?" "Ma-keen-lee!" returned Biejio, confidently. "What state do you live in?" "Ma-keen-lee." "You seem to be impressed with the belief that McKinley is the whole thing over here," remark.

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Parchasing Department Finds Difficulty
in Meeting the Requirements.

The entire northwest is being ransacked by agents of the war department in quest of horses suitable for
the cavalry and artillery of the army.
The horses procured are for the most
part brought to Chicago, where they
are inspected, and then distributed
wherever there is need of them. Among
the requirements are the color of the
animal, its weight and its height. The
owner must stand the expense of having the two front shoes removed, furnish a halter and have the animal
weighed. "It would require the animals to be molded," said a horse trader
at the stockyards. "As yet there are
few horses that we have received that
come up to the requirements of the order, and an owner having a horse that
would answer the style that is wanted
by the army demands a larger price
than the government offers to pay."
The local horsemen state that the government will have to make some allowance on the order or it will not get the
requisite number from this territory.
Horses are being secured that will
come up to the requirements in many
respects, but it is feared that they will
be turned down by the government
buyer the same as they were last year.

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Monument for Soldiers of Four Wars.

A monument recently placed in a cemetery in Louisville, Ky., bears inscriptions to the memory of James Austin, a soldier of the revolution; James Allen Austin, his son, a soldier of the war of 1812; James Grigsby Austin, his grandson, a soldier of the war with Mexico, and James Richard Gathright, his great-grandson, a confederate soldier, who was killed at Murfreesboro, Tenm., Jan. 1, 1863. All were privates.

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A Kruger Story.

President Kruger recently refused an interview to a celebrated Englishman, who thereupon sent back word that he must see him; that he was no ordinary person; that, in fact, he was a member of the house of lords. The servant went away and returned with the message: "The president says he cannot see you, and adds that he is a cattle herder."

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women's ills," and the women who consult Mrs. Pinkham find in her counsel practical assistance.

Mrs. Pinkham's address is Lynn, Mass.

Mrs. Mabel Good, Correctionville, Ia., tells how Mrs. Pinkham saved her life. She says:

"I cannot thank you enough for what your medicine has done for me. I can recommend it as one of the best medicines on earth for all women's ills. I suffered for two years with female weakness and at last became bedfast. Three of our best doctors did me no good so I concluded to try Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. After taking a few bottles of your medicine, I was able to do all my house-work. I know that your medicine raised me from a bed of sickness and perhaps death, and am very thankful for what it has done for me. I hope that every suffering woman may be persuaded to try your medicine."

Get Mrs. Pinkham's advice as soon as you begin to be puzzled. The sick headaches and dragging sensation come from a curable cause. Write for help as soon as they appear.

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The Appetiting Truffle,
Mushrooms and truffles bear about
the same relation to each other as milk
and cream. In this country at least
truffles are never common, though in and cream. In this country at least truffles are never common, though in some States there is a fixed supply. A truffle is as rich, sweet and altogether fascinating in flavor as a perfect walnut. It grows entirely under ground, is in shape akin to various varieties of mushrooms, and in appearance sometimes suggests tripe—the tissue forms reduced in size. As milk has more uses than cream, so mushrooms may be more freely induged in than truffles, because of their relative richness; but a dish of truffles is something to be remembered if properly prepared.

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Every housekeeper knows that the term "cooking-butter" means a grade of butter that is not quite fresh enough for table use, and is therefore only fit to be used in cooking. The trouble is that in some houses butter never seems, to become too stale to be utilized in the preparation of various dishes, and it is employed in the interest of economy even after it has acquired a rancid flavor. When table-butter has lost its fresh fragrance of flavor and odor, it is still in perfectly proper condition to use as an ingredient in seasoning; but when it begins to be strong in taste or odor, even in a slight degree, it is ruinous as a seasoning and impairing as an ingredient. It is nothing short of sinful that so many good dishes should be spoiled by an unintelligent economy which, supposedly representing a saving of five or ten dollars a year, in reality is the most wasteful practice common to a kitchen. For butter that has grown strong the soap-fat jar is the only proper destiny.—Woman's Home Companion.

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Salt thrown upon a fire—for instance, if the chimney is burning—will help to deaden the blaze. If chimney flues were lined with vitrified drain pipes, which are quite inexpensive, the chimneys would be absolutely fireproof. An outward covering of some fireproof, rustproof, nonconducting jacket on the hot-air pipes would not only be a very good precautionary measure, but would save heat now radiated from the tin.

A silk handkerchief dipped in water is the best thing to wrap about the mouth and nostrils to prevent suffocation from smoke; failing this, a piece of wet flannel or cloth will answer the purpose.

Should the smoke fill the room bes.

door last, so that some time is thus secured.

It is well to remember that there is no more danger in getting out of a high window than out of one on a first floor, if there is nerve and a cool determination to hold on to the rope or ladder. Don't try to slide down, but go hand over hand, keeping the body near the wall, and break the slide by scraping the feet along the wall.

In removing burned clothing from a person cut everything loose; there must be no dragging or pulling. Do not try to save any of the clothing, but if any part sticks to the body let it remain and be careful not to break any blisters.—Chicago Record.

Hints For the Housewife.

and oilcloths.

To prevent kerosene lamps from smelling, as they sometimes will do, even when perfectly clean, put a table-spoonful of salt into the oil.

Rings set with valuable stones should be taken off when washing the hands. The constant use of soap discolors the gems and loosens the settings.

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The trying yellow spots so often left by sewing machine oil on white goods may be removed by rubbing the stain with a cloth wet with ammonia before washing with soap.

In order to clean bronze the article should be immersed in boiling water, then rubbed with a piece of flannel dipped in yellow soapsuds, and dried with a soft cloth and chamois leather.

If you want to put away fire irons, or to keep the grates or stoves in a shut-up house from possible rust, make a stiff paste of unslaked lime and water and apply thickly with a brush.

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The nasturtium sandwiches, which are delicious served with salads, are made of the petals of the flowers or the young leaves placed between slices of thinly buttered bread, the plate being decorated with the blossoms.

Alabaster is usually cleaned with a little warm soap and water, and a brush, or with warm water, to which a few grains of carbonate of soda have been added. In either case it is necessary to rinse the alabaster in clean water.

A much better polish on lamp chimneys may be obtained by not using water. Rub the chimney first with soft tissue paper until the soot is thoroughly removed, then sprinkle in a little salt, and rub with a dry flansel. Glass treated in this way is beautifully brilliant.

The income of the principal charí-table institutions having their head-quarters in London amounts to over \$35,000,000 per annum.

Millinery store in San Juan.

A Porto Rico woman has opened a millinery store in San Juan: She visited the United States before the war and gained her idea at that time. It is the first store of the kind in Porto Rico, and is said to be doing a flourishing business.

Rusiness Club in Chicago.

The Chicago Business Woman's Club has recently been organized, and until it becomes self-supporting will remain under the auspices of the National Association of Women Stenographers.

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It has a suite of six apartments in the business portion of the city, with a restaurant and rooms for rest and recreation. A six-course dinner can be obtained for twenty-five cents, or an a la carte luncheon can be procured for less.

New Halt Brooches.

A new fashion, which has the unusual advantage of combining a high degree of usefulness with beauty, probably will popularize the wearing of a brooch in the hair. The hair brooch is usually worn on the back of the head, either slightly to the right or left of the middle. It is used to hold together the stray hairs, which without it are apt to straggle below a woman's coffure. While this is a reason for the existence of the hair brooch, its use is not confined to the purpose of its creation, but it is freely worn as an ornament.

The brooch for use in this way, instead of being provided with an ordinary pin, has a catch of the shape of the outline of the brooch, so arranged that it will firmly hold the hair in position, and itself will remain in its proper place.

The designs of hair brooches are numerous. Wreaths seem to be the most popular shape; maple leaves enameled in their natural colors and alternating with pearls or other precious stones are popular. A single leaf enameled is also pretty. Some artistic designs in tortoise shell are also shown.

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A young woman in North Carolina has entered a novel field of industry, and is making it pay. Miss Jane L. Buchan is the name of this pionéer grape packer, and she has been in the business for several years.

As the grape season lasts only a few weeks, in order to make it pay she contracts with different vineyards, and has a corps of experienced girl workers, trained by herself. The careful selecting of the fruit and the trimming and lining of baskets with paper lace are particularly adapted to the deft fingers of woman, and one has a record of 113 baskets packed in six hours.

The picking is done only when the grapes are thoroughly dried from previous showers, as the slightest moisture causes them to mildew on the trip north. Miss Buchan superintends the picking, as wall as the packing and shipping. Every imperfect grape is picked from the bunch, and if more than two or three must be removed the entire cluster is discarded. These the packers are allowed to take home with them.

The girls enjoy the work, and regard the season as a picnic. Miss Buchan packs peaches and other fruits with equal success.

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Professor Mary Roberts Smith, of Leland Stanford, Jr., University, thinks that it is an "extraordinary inconsistency in a domestic society that the dressmaker, the milliner and the shopwoman may demand respectful treatment, while the waitress and the cook must accept the treatment accorded only to menials."

The cause is "the liking of human nature to command its inferiors. Women, especially, do not want intelligent equals to serve them; they want an inferior, a subordinate—a servant, not an employe."

Is not this a condensed expression of the entire domestic-service problem? The terms "mistress" and "maid" imply not service but servitude. Disguise it as we may, that is the real truth.

A maid is a luxury. The possession of such a functionary testifies to the respectability of the family. Two maids and we are rising in the world. Three—we have arrived. Four, five, six—we are really among the best people. Such are the distinction of class, of which the maid is the badge. Service is voluntary, mutual and fraternal. Servitude is born of the "class consciousness," and in spite of democratic pretense will survive, acknowledged or unacknowledged, until the human consciousness establishes that equality so dear to optimistic philosophers. When that blessed day comes mistress and maid will vanish and in their place will appear two sisters, serving each other—but not for money.

It is clear from this that the question of "help" is not practical, and sensible persons should not talk about it. Leave it to the professors and philosophers.—St. Louis Post-Dispatch.

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The many talents of the Dowager Empress of Germany are well known. She is not only a fine musician, but a sculptor and painter and a horticulturist of great ability.

Mrs. Charles Havemeyer is, feature for feature, an exact counterpart of the beautiful Duchess of Portland. Lady Curzon, Vicereine of India, is the double of the Empress of Russia.

The total number of women over eighteen years old employed in the factories and workshops of the British Islands is about 500,000, of which lelven per cent. belong to trades unions.

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It is said that American ideas on dress are influencing the French and English. French women often take American fashion journals—the designs, they say, are "so graceful and so practical."

Miss Comstock, a clever scientist, has been appointed assistant professor of nature study for Cornell University for the summer session. Miss Comstock is a skilled engraver in addition to her other accomplishments.

St. Petersburg has a woman's club of three thousand members. They are investigating the standing and position of women throughout the world. They had to get permission from the Czar before organizing.

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The French woman is coquettish from head to toe, and her morning toilet must be becoming, as well as fit. She can hardly understand even young married women wearing an untrimmed sailor hat, or the American's love for loose, heavy gloves.

Michigan has a woman engineer, Mrs. J. H. Rowland, who runs the engine in a planing mill in the town of Lawrence, and has done so for several years. Her husband owns the mill, and when other aid is lacking she attends to the planer, rip saw, or turning lathe.

Rosa Bonheur left many unfinished pictures. Among them was one depicting horses running at full gallop. Though offered \$80,000 for this she refused to finish it. Her heirs are her brother, Isidor Bonheur, the sculptor, and M. Peyrol, who married her sister, Juliette.

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ter, Juliette.

Mrs. Florence Colgate has been elected as the first alumner trustee of Barnard College, New York. She is a Barnard graduate of '96. Four new scholarships have been founded at Barnard within a few days, one given by the Brearly School and three by Miss Bourne.

Art linens in great abundance. Spangled lace or net butterflies for the hair.

varieties.

Brightly jeweled brooches and clasps for decorating various portions of the bodice.

Purses, buttons, fans and other small novelties characteristic of the empire period.

Milliney in which blue, green, cerise and black and white are the dominating colors.

White pique suits either plain or prettily trimmed for small boy's wear with caps to match.

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Tunic costumes of black spangled net made over poppy-red taffeta showing bold appliques of guipure.

White pique skirts trimmed with rows of inserting edged with black or an applique design in some contrasting color.

Fancy bodices of black velvet elaborately trimmed with black lace and jet for mountain and other cooling-sort wear.

Many fancy ginghams, silks and other light materials showing effective touches here and there of brilliant red poppy tones.

Elaborate evening gowns having the entire skirt composed of alternating rows of gold embroidery and creamlace flouncings.

Gorgeous passementeries in the form of bands and bodice accessories showing intricate weavings of iridescent and gold tinsel.

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Gowns of white crepe de chine, richly embroidered, opening over a deep circular flounce of point de flanders in rose pattern.

Directoire shaped hats of biscuit-colored straw showing small flowers under the brim, large tulle rosettes and black velvet ribbon.

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Mrs. Charlemagne Tower, wife of the American Ambassador in St. Petersburg, was presented to the Czarina a short time since.

Two new fellowships have been established at the Philadelphin School of Design for Women, and the first awards will teke place in June, 1900.



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DIRECTIONS FOR MAKING—To one pint of bolling water add one and one-half ounces (one-quarter of the small size cake) of Ivory Soap cut into shavings, boll five minutes after the soap is thoroughly dissolved. Remove from the fire and cool in convenient dishes (not tim). It will keep well

Told of a Royal Lad.

A writer in London Telegraph tells the following story about the king of Spain as throwing light on that royal lad's life: "One day, during his history lesson, the king asked his professor to tell him how Spain came to lose Chile, Mexico and other Spanish-American colonies. The atory was narrated so thrillingly and artistically that the royal boy listened spelibound and continued after it had ended to sit absorbed in meditation. At last a thought having struck him, he looked up to his professor and inquired: 'What must I do in order to get back these countries for Spain?' 'The first and most important thing of all,' replied the cautious and diplomatic pedagogue, 'is that your majesty should—should—grow up to be a man. When you are a man.'—'H'm!' muttered the lad, disenchanted, 'when I'm a man it is not a history professor's advice that I shall be asking. I shall have a prime minister to tell me then.'"

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