

The Bloomfield Times.

HOUSE, FARM AND GARDEN.

Cleaning Floors.

A clean kitchen floor is a very nice thing in a family and every housekeeper aspires to a tidy floor as a criterion of her skill.

One day I saw a young housewife take her dish of soft soap and spread it over her floor, which had been newly painted but a few weeks before;

I said: "Don't you like your painted floor, the reason you are scrubbing the paint off?"

"I want to keep it bright and clean; paint wears off so quick, it hardly pays to get it painted."

"I should think not at the rate you take it off. You just spoil the paint and floor, too."

"Why so? I don't understand what you mean?"

"Now look here, there is nothing that will take off paint like soap. Where your soap lies the paint will be off before a week. You should never use paint in that way. I supposed you were trying to get it off; there is no quicker way to do it."

"Well I wish I had known it before. My husband says he never saw such poor paint."

"I expect the paint is good enough, it is the way you manage it. Now this room was all grained and varnished very nicely just before you came here, you could see your face in the doors, they were so bright. You ought to have kept it so for half dozen years. Now see how it looks, half the paint rubbed off, and not a bit of shine."

"Oh, grandmother! do you think I did it on purpose?"

"Bless you child, no! You knew no better, so I thought I would tell you; you are ruining the looks of your neat kitchen, and killing yourself all for nothing."

She looked sober. I was really sorry for her, and told her to take a long handled mop and wash the soap all off, and then I would show her how to mop her floor.

So I tucked up my dress and rinsed all the suds out of the pail and mop and took some clean water, and washed up the other half of the floor and then took some clear water and wiped it up dry.—Well she had to own that the half I washed was ever so much cleaner than her part.

Afterward we sat down and talked about it; she was a real nice little woman and did just as well as she knew how and spared neither time nor strength to keep things neat and tidy. I expected there are plenty more young women, who waste their health, strength, soap and time just as foolishly as she did.

If you have a painted floor, keep soap and suds off of it for it spoils the brightness of the paint, makes it soft and then it peels off, leaving the floor looking worse than if it had not been painted.

If your floor has not been painted, keep soap off of it for it gives it a dirty, grimy look, and keeps growing worse all the time. Just take clean, hot water, put in a teaspoonful of spirits of ammonia into a three-gallon pail of water, and with a clean, long-handled mop, rub the floor all over, then wipe it off with clean water. It will take a little while to get the gray out of the boards, but it will come out after a time, and you will find it far easier to keep your floor white and nice, than it was when cleaned with soap or suds.

Another thing, when you get your floor all washed, if you would rinse your mop out in clean water, and go around the room and wipe the drips of the base boards, and take a part of the mop, and wipe out the crevices, you would save a great deal of hard work and back-ache too."

"Oh, grandmother! I am so glad you have told me how to do it easier and better; I do want to be a good housekeeper and be economical but it seems so hard when one does not know how to do it, and I get cross sometimes about the dirt tracks that mark it all over. It is discouraging to have a floor all marked up before it has time to dry. Don't you think so?"

"Yes I know all about it; but it is nothing to what it would be, if the boots were hung up in the closet and the feet that used them were laid under the green grass. There, don't feel bad; there are worse troubles than to have to clean the floors tracked up, and fretting never did any good to any body."

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