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How to Clean Laces. To clean delicate laces, take a large glass jar, cover with old cotton and spread the lace carefully on it. Set the bottle in warm Ivory soap suds and leave for an hour. If stains are difficult to remove, place in the sun and they will disappear. Rinse by dipping the bottle in clear water.

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In the Physicain and Surgeon for December there appeared a paper by Dr. Charles B. Nancrede, professor of surgery in the University of Michigan, on Gastroenterostomy by means of the elastic (McGraw) ligature. Fifteen cases were reported up to the date of the paper. This is a safer method of operating for the cure of several stomach conditions, among them astric ulcer, than has been customarily employed.



A prominent club woman, Mrs. Danforth, of St. Joseph, Mich., tells how she was cured of falling of the womb and its accompanying pains and misery by Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

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An Illinois Farmer in Western Canada.

A recent issue of the Shelbyville, Illinois, Democrat contains a long and interesting letter from Mr. Elias Kost, formerly a prosperous farmer of that State, who recently emigrated to Western Canada, taking up a claim for himself and for each of his three sons.

From Mr. Kost's letter, which was written Feb. 3, 1904, we publish the following, believing it will prove of great interest to those who have contemplated settling in the Canadian Northwest:

"I had in August, 1902, secured a claim for myself, and filed on three quarter sections for my sons. My claim is one-half mile south of the Edmonton and Lake St. Anne trail.

"Coming so late in the season, we had little opportunity to break and to prepare ground for a first year's crop still we raised over 100 bushels of very fine potatoes, and sowed a few acres of barley, but the season was too far advanced for the barley. However, we secured good feed from it, and on rented ground 18 miles east of us, raised a fine crop of oats, so that we will have plenty of feed for horses. We cut about 60 tons of hay and thus will have an abundance. We have, all told, about 240 acres of hay meadow, which would yield the past year over three tons to the acre, and in an ordinary season the meadow would furnish 600 tons of hay. The grass is very nutritious, and cattle on the ranges become very fat without being fed a pound of grain.

"On the upland the grass grows from eight to ten inches tall. This is called range grass, and is suitable for stock at any time, even in the winter when the ground is not covered too deep with snow. Horses subsist on it alone, at all times, provided they are native stock. The grass in the hay meadows here is called red-top, and grows from five to six feet in length, and when cut at the proper time yields an abundant crop of nutritious hay.

"Our cattle have not cost us a cent since we came on our homestead, only the small outlay for salt and labor in putting up hay and shelter. All cattle have been doing well this winter, and feeding up to the first of January was unnecessary, as there was good range up to that time.

"All the snows up to that date were followed by winds from the Northwest that melt it very rapidly; these winds are called Chinook winds, and are always warm. In one night a Chinook wind may take away three or four inches of snow.

"We have built on our claim a comfortable house of hewn logs, 20x24 feet, one and one-half stories in height with a good cellar. During the latter part of June we rafted logs down the Sturgeon to a sawmill, about eight miles away, and thus secured 5,000 feet of good lumber which was needed for the house. Later in the season a shingle mill located six miles away. To this we hauled logs and had shingles cut for the roof.

"We had an abundance of wild fruit the past season, consisting of gooseberries, strawberries, raspberries, elderberries, blueberries, cherries and saskatoon. The latter are a fine looking berry, red, and quite pleasant to the taste, but not much to be desired in cookery. The strawberries are the same as those that grow wild in Illinois. Raspberries are red in color large and equal to any of the tame varieties, and so are the gooseberries. The cranberries consist of the high and trailing varieties. The latter are now sought and contiguous to the swamps. The ground is literally covered with them as with a red carpet, but the best and most sought is the blueberry, so called by the Indians. This is the famous 'huckleberry' (whortleberry) of the Blue Ridge Mountains in Pennsylvania, and cannot be excelled for excellence by any fruit cultivated. It is found here both on the prairie and in the timber in immense quantities.

"Game is very plentiful so far as prairie chickens, pheasants, ducks of all kinds and geese are concerned. I have taken nearly 500 chickens and pheasants, also a great many ducks.

"An occasional deer is seen, but are not plentiful, only one having been taken during the season in this settlement.

"Fish are very plentiful at all seasons of the year. Fish wagons and sleds are passing almost daily along the trail with heavy loads of fish, destined for St. Albert and Edmonton. From the latter point they are shipped south on the Calgary and Edmonton Railroad to points along the line and also to Assiniboia, on the Canadian Pacific Railroad."

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IDEAL HOUSEWIVES.

Dorothea von Schlegel, the clever wife of a great husband and the daughter of a great man, was often urged to lay down her knitting needles and take up her pen. She replied, "There are far too many books in the world and far too few stockings." Mrs. Louise J. Millin, in "Woolings and Weddings of Many Climes," says that this remark illustrates the point of view of many German women.

With most German women house keeping is both a science and an art. The woman who is daily and hourly engaged in science and art is not a woman of stagnant mentality. Her kitchen is her laboratory. Her linen room is her studio.

The average German housewife does as much work as any, but she makes far less fuss about it than most. She does no dirty work. There is never any dirty work for her to do, for dirt is only matter out of place. The good German housekeeper never displaces anything, never allows anything to misplace itself. It is a fine lesson it good breeding to see a German woman make a cake or brew a cup.

In the early seventies, in Chicago, I knew a German family. From the baking of their bread to the seeing of their bread baked, from the dining room to the kitchen was an easy step for the child-stranger within those simple German gates. And I had my first and greatest lesson in elegance and the grand manner when I watched Frau von Ritter pickle peaches.

It was a sermon on high thinking and right living. She was so cool, so dainty, so unflustered, so self-possessed so cheery, but so dignified, so every thing that I had supposed it impossible to be in a kitchen. Although I was only a little girl, I realized that this simple German housewife had in both her mind and her manner many fine and high traits, which were often sadly lacking in the mothers of other of my playmates. Most of them were women of lavish wealth, but not one of them could ever hope to wear her diamonds with half the distinction with which this German woman wore her spotless cooking apron.

HELD AN EXCELLENT HAND.

But the Old Card Player Thought I Wouldn't Count in the Game.

Things had progressed to a point where the young man had been practically received into the family circle. While he hadn't yet mustered up sufficient courage to ask the old man's consent, it was evident that he would in time.

Thus it happened that the old man who liked nothing better than a good game of whist or euchre or hearts, invited him to a little game one evening and, of course, he didn't feel that it would be policy to refuse.

"You and mother," said the old man, referring to his wife, "can play against Gladys and me. That will be fair. If you and Gladys sat opposite each other you would probably persist in looking into each other's eyes, to the great detriment of the game."

Naturally the young woman and the young man blushed, but they said nothing, and the game began.

It wasn't much of a game. While the young woman wasn't sitting opposite the young man, she was sitting next to him, and every few minutes one or the other of them forgot to play when it was his or her turn. Then, too, there were frequent inquiries as to who took the last trick and what was trumps and, altogether, the old man felt a good deal like swearing on one or two occasions.

Finally he made up his mind that patience had ceased to be a virtue. The game had come to a standstill while the young people exchanged confidences in a whisper. It was noticeable that each had one hand under the table.

"Young man," said the old man sharply, "I should infer from the way you are playing that you haven't much of a hand."

"On the contrary, sir," protested the young man, "I think I have as good a hand as I ever held."

"Well, suppose you drop it for a few minutes and try to play the cards that are on the table," suggested the gentleman dryly.

He did. His missing hand appeared above the table almost instantly, and so did hers, and they both blushed.—New York Press.

Absent.

"Your new minister is quite tire some, isn't he? Doesn't his preaching bother you?"

"Well, not at Wednesday night prayer meeting."

"Gracious! You must be pious. I only go to church on Sunday."

"That's all I do."—Philadelphia Press.

That is the Way of It.

"Judging from the price of eggs, every hen must think she is laying gold in ones," said Snooper.

"And I am one of the geese that buy the golden eggs," answered Swayback.—Detroit Free Press.

Of the 866 degrees conferred by the University of Michigan throughout the year 1903, 328 were upon students in the literary department; 242 upon law students, 206 upon students in the medical and homeopathic departments; 81 upon dental students; 79 upon engineering students and 22 upon students in pharmacy. Eight degrees were honorary.

Be Warned!



Heed Nature's warnings! Pain tells of lurking disease. Backache is kidney pain—a warning of kidney ills. Urinary troubles, too, come to tell you the kidneys are sick. Constant weariness, headaches, dizzy spells, days of pain, nights of unrest and a nger signals warning you to cure the kidneys. Use Doan's Kidney Pills, which have made thousands of permanent cures.

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A FREE TRIAL of this great kidney medicine which cured Mr. Overbaugh will be mailed on application to any part of the United States. Address Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, N. Y. For sale by all dealers; price 50 cents per box.

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