

It's the neglect of backache, sideache, pain in the hips or loins that finally prostrates the lidney warnings are that they are unable to cident. filter the body's waste and poison from the blood-the sewers are then more animals. clogged and impurities are running wild to im-

Kidney Pills are quick to soothe and making." strengthen sick kidneys and help them free the system from poison. Read finale: how valuable they are, even in cases

of long standing. L. C. Lovell of 415 North First St., Spokane. Wash., says: "I have had lowing, calves bleating, cats meowtrouble from my kidneys for the past ing, etc., all in an uproar and exciteten years. It was caused by a strain ment-all, with one single exception to which I paid little attention. But as I neglected the trouble it became worse and worse until any strain or a indifferent and unmindful of all the slight cold was sure to be followed by severe pain across my back. Then proached and said: the action of the kidney secretions became deranged and I was caused much | part with the other children?" annoyance besides loss of sleep. Doan's Kidney Pills were brought to my notice and after taking them a short time their good effect was apparent. All the pain was removed from my back and the kidney secretions became normal. Doan's Kidney Pills do all that is claimed for them.'

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

It is a mighty fortunate love whose ebb tide reveals no mud flats. It isn't necessary to label a gentleman.

in the Children's Home in New York, cure Constipation, Feverishness, Bad Stomach, Teething Disorders, move and regulate the Bowels and Destroy Worms. Over 30,000 testimonials. At all druggists, 25c. Sample

There is considerable of the tyrant about the woman who is engaged.

I am sure Piso's Cure for Consumption saved my life three years ago.-Mrs. Phos. Robbins. Maple Street, Norwich, N. Y., Feb. 17, 1900.

coffers at the expense of his coughers.

When Your Grocer Says he do h not have Defiance Starch, you may be sure he is afraid to keep it until his stock of 12 oz. packages are sold. Defiance Starch is not only better than any other Cold Water Starch, but contains 16 oz. to the package and sells for same money as 12 oz. brands.

When a man places reliance on a woman's judgment he is apt to go to a man to have it confirmed.

Many who formerly smoked 10c cigars smoke Lewis' "Single Binder" bc. Lewis' Factory, Peoria, Ill.

It is a wise hen that gets in the smart set.

Tolstoi's Outdoor Life.

Still vigorous at the age of 75 years, Count Leo Tolstoi nearly every day either takes a ride on his favorite horse, goes for a walk under the finden trees with his daughter. Afexandra, or in company with his great wolfhound, tramps over the broad acres of the famous estate of and then, if he would not move, west-Ysnaya Polyana. Tolstol has long ern methods might be attempted. been an ardent out-of-doors man; in Well, the dragon would not move and early life a hurdle rider of no mean Mr. Tyler started with dynamite and accomplishment, a hunter and an athiete; in later years a pedestrian to whom twelve miles a day was an average walk and to whom a day in the saddle was as nothing.

Description of Japanese.

Miss Bird, in her book entitled "Unbeaten Tracks in Japan," published nearly twenty-five years ago, described the men she saw as "small, ugly, kindly looking, shriveled, bantylegged, round-shouldered, concavechested, plu-looking beings," while the women "are, as a rule, small, and very small." Russians, however, Japanese do not agree with Mics Lip."

That Acid Trouble.

Colusa, Cal., April 18th.-Much has been said and written recently about Uric Acid in the system; what causes it and how to get rid of it. known to be the first cause of Rheumatism and many other diseases and has therefore received a great deal of attention from medical men.

Mr. L. F. Moulton of this place claims that he has solved the problem of how to get this acid out of the system. He says:

"I had this acid trouble myself for years. At times the Kidney secretions, would be very profuse and at other times scant, but the acid was always my greatest trouble. Medicine failed to cure me till at last I heard of a remedy called Dodd's Kidney Pills and after taking a box I seemed to be entirely cured. However, it came back on me and this time I took several boxes, with the result that 1 was completely and permanently cured. This was three years ago and I have not had a single symptom of the acid, trouble since. I am 75 years of age and I am well as ever I was."

No woman with a grain of sense ever lets a man gather from her remarks that his character offers any intricacies to her comprehension.

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TOO BUSY TO MAKE NOISE.

Kindergarten Scholar Was IIngaged ... in Pretty Hard Task.

According to the Kansas City Star, strongest body. The a kindergarten teacher of that city was incapacitated from work one day serious-they tell you recently by a somewhat startling in-

The subject of the lecture and object lesson was animals, birds and

"Now, children," said the teacher, "I want each of you to think of some pregnate nerves, heart, animal or bird and try for a moment brain and every organ to be like the particular one you are of the body with dis- thinking about, and make the same ease elements. Doan's kind of noises they are in the habit of

Here was the command. Here the

Instantly the schoolroom became a menagerie. Lions roaring, dogs barking, birds singing and twittering, cows Off in a remote corner a little fellow was sitting perfectly still, apparently rest. The teacher observing him, ap-

"Waldo, why are you not taking Waving her off with a deprecating

hand and wide, rebuking eyes, he fervently whispered: "Sh-sh-sh, teacher! I'm a 'ooster, and I'm a-layin' a aig!"

WHAT CHINESE NAMES MEAN.

Geographical Prefixes and Suffixes All Have a Significance.

A few definitions of Chinese geographical prefixes and suffixes may be of service in elucidating the nomenclature of current war news. First, prefixes: Ta, as in Taku, means great, and slao, as in Siao-Ping-Thou, means small. Pei or pe, nan, tung and si are respectively north, south, east and west. Thus the Pel-Ho is the North Mother Gray's Sweet Powders for Children. River, etc. Shang and hal are upper Successfully used by Mother Gray, nurse and lower. Pai, hei and whang are white, black and yellow. Suffixes are more numerous and familiar. Kinng, ho tchuan, ula, muren and tchu each and all mean river. Thus Yalu Kiang FREE. Address A.S. Olmsted, Le Roy, N.Y. and Liao Ho are simply Yalu River and Liao River. Shui, kou, thsuan, khi, gol and ussu are unfamiliar terms, meaning a brook or small river. Hu, nor and omo mean lake, as in the wellknown Lob Nor and Kosso Gol. Po. tse and tien mean a small lake or swamp, or a town situated near such a place. Hai means sea; thus Whang-The consumption specialist fills his Hal is the Yellow Sea, Tung-Hal is the Eastern Sea and Nan-Hai is the Southern Sea. Tao and sometime shan means island, but shan more often means a mountain range. Ling is a pass over a mountain range.

> He Won With Western Methods. Lieut. Somerville of the British navy recently related the following in an address before the Royal Geographical Society: "The New rapid of the Yangtse was formed in 1896. The land slipped in after the heavy rains and filled up the bed of the river. No one up above knew anything about it

and as the junks were coming down 500 were wrecked in a whirlpool at the foot of the rapid. The story is that it was the work of a dragon. A friend of mine-Ferdinand Tyler-was sent up there by the Chinese government and he tried to exorcise the dragon. This landslip, so it was said, had been formed by the dragon turning over in his sleep. Mr. Tyler telegraphed to ask permission to begin. They telegraphed him that first of all the ancient methods must be tried to see if the dragon could not be moved

shifted a bit of the river." Lipton's Gallantry.

That Sir Thomas Lipton is much of a Chesterfield needs no confirmation. though this story, which is added testimony, shows that he happily turned a well-worn joke and gave comfort in defeat. Among his guests on the Erin one day before the races were sailed was a fetching miss of seventeen who wished him a sweeping suc-

"I'm confident I've the better boat." said he. "And yet one should not always be too sure."

"Yes," she assented coyly. "There's who have had occasion to see the many a slip between the cup and the

"I would be amply compensated for defeat," he replied, with a bow, "if the slip were a slip of a girl like you." -New York Herald.

Largest Searchlight.

The General Electric Company of St. Louis is building the largest searchlight made. It is to take 300 amperes, and the lens is seven feet in diameter. It will be used on top of a tower which is being built adjoining the world's fair grounds. It is not unlikely that experiments with telephony over this searchlight beam will be made during the progress of the fair.

Love and Money.

When Love dies, alack! The whole world puts on black; The light of day The light of day Turns to tead gray: The roses sicken and fade, The song of the birds is still, Music is hushed and afraid. And all that was good is ill: The heart is a broken thing: The blood runs pale and cold; Of this bereft. Of this bereft There is nothing left
But the greed and gain of gold.

—William J. Lampton.

Irishmen Seek Land. The town of Castlemartyr, County Cork, forms part of the estate of the Earl of Shannon, and is to be sold at auction. The householders and the tenants of land within the township area will bid with a view to becoming absolute owners.



Nutriment in Rice Water.

When boiling rice some cooks allow it supplied with more water and then drain off and throw it away. When the latter method is adhered to much of the nutriment of the rice is wasted. The orientals long ago discovered that rice water contains the very essence of nutriment, and travelers in oriental countries when attacked by stomach troubles incident to the climate have found that rice water, when sweetened and flavored with some favorite extract, and set away to cool, makes a jelly which may be very nice dessert to serve to children.

Misses' Eton Jacket. Eton jackets are peculiarly well can be used with or without the collar and made with either the plain or full

sleeves and is adapted to all the season's fabrics. It is shown, however, in bluette cheviot with trimming of fancy black and white braid and handsome gold buttons. The narrow vest is a peculiarly attractive feature and can be riety of materials.

made from a va- Jacket, 12 to 16 yra. The cape collar adds largely to the effect and gives the fashionable droop to the shoulders, but can be omitted if a plainer garment is preferred.

4693 Misses' Eton

The Eton is made with fronts and back and is fitted by means of shoulder and underarm seams and single darts. The narrow vest is applied over the front edge and the cape collar stitched with corticelli silk is arranged over the whole, its inner edge serving to outline the vest. The full sleeves are wide and ample, finished with shaped cuffs, and can be made either with fitted linings or loose as may be preferred. The coat sleeves are made in regulation style and cut in two pieces each, being simply stitched to form cuffs.

The quantity of material required for the medium size is 31/2 yards 21 inches wide, 31% yards 27 inches wide, or 11/2 yards 44 inches wide, with 21/2 yards of braid to trim as illustrated.

The pattern 4693 is cut in sizes for misses of 12, 14 and 16 years of age.

The Sachet Bag.

Sachets play an important part in | and trimming of the modern woman's wardrobe. That | tiny gold buttons, delicate, evanescent perfume that but any material clings to dainty garments can be given by sachets alone, for niquid perfumes are invariably the reverse of equally approprisubtle or delicate.

Nearly all straight-front corsets are worn with a sachet tucked into the top. Sometimes it is a long, straight cushion, very soft and thin, and delicately perfumed; tied around the middle with a ribbon bow. Again, it may be heart-shaped and lace-ruffled, with a tiny bow at the top.

Blouse Eton.

Blouse Etons are among the most satisfactory of the season's wraps and offer a wide range of variety. This one allows a choice of the plain blouse or the cape collar that is extended at the back

and does away with the over broad effect that so often is found, The model is made of royal blue cheviot stitched corticelli silk and trimmed with fancy braid, but it is adapted to all seasonable suitings

4692 Blouse Eton, 32 to 40 bust.

and the finish can be anything the

wearer may prefer. The pointed belt is peculiarly becoming, as it gives a far more slender effect than can be obtained by a round one, and the wide sleeves are eminently desirable over the fashionable waists. The blouse is made with fronts and

back and is fitted by means of shoulder and under arm seams. The lower edge is gathered at the back, plaited at the front and finished by means of the belt. The cape collar is entirely separate and is arranged over the whole, the edges being finished with braid or in any manner that may be preferred. The wide sleeves are made in one piece each and are finished with broad roll over cuffs.

The quantity of material required for the medium size is 4 yards 27 inches wide, 21/2 yards 44 inches wide, or 2% yards 52 inches wide, with 3 yards of braid for edges or blouse and cuff's.

The pattern 4692 is cut in sizes for a 32, 34, 36, 38 and 40 inch bust meas-

Summer Frocks in Winter.

Fashiwn's superb disregard of climate inside the house is one of the most notable symptoms of that autocratic madam's present mood. In America and Russia the custom is airy-fairy wearables indoors in winter | Place . . Discago.

instead of the warm, heavy garments of a former regime. The improved the cereal to absorb all the water in method of heating houses by steam or which it is cooked, while others keep hot water radiators has much to do with the change, no doubt. We no longer are obliged to huddle round the hearth for warmth while the room's four corners are hovering about the freezing point. But it is not alone in the house that summer garments are possible in January. At most of the smart restaurants at home or abroad diaphanous dress is the order of day and evening. In Paris this was especially noticeable one frivolous evening at the Ritz. Everybody was more or less garbed in chiffon frock and a eaten cold with cream. This makes a transparent lace hat, the only woman who were any semblance of winter being a chic little baroness dining there before going to a ball, whose tiara was exquisitely set as a series adapted to young girls and are in the of icicles, each point terminating in height of present styles. This one a trembling diamond. The Parisiennes are nothing if not original.

To Remove Scorches.

This is a sure way to remove a scorched spot as long as it has not made a hole in the material: Take the juice from two peeled onions, one half an ounce of white castile soap, cut in small pieces, and two ounces of Fuller's earth, stir all together with a cupful of vinegar. Stand over the fire and let boil. When this is cool spread over the scorched spot and leave till it is dry. Then wash out the linen and you will find no stains remains.

Embroidered Hosiery.

The pompadour patterns have invaded the realm of hosiery, and most of the new fancy stockings are embroidered in the daintiest of floral effects. Graceful rose vines form the clocks in some lovely examples, while others have Dresden bouquets scattered over their surface from instep to knee. A unique pair, seen in a smart shop had clocks formed by delicate sprays of lilies of the valley embroidered in white and green.

Nine Gored Tucked Skirt. Skirts that are tucked to be snug

at their upper portions and fall in folds below the stitchings have become quite general and are both becoming and graceful. This one includes also a shaped yoke that allows of perfectly

snug and smooth fit over the hips. The model is made of champagne colored voile with pipings of brown soft enough to allow of tucking is 4694 Nine Gored ate.



Tucked Skirt. 22 to 30 waist.

The skirt is cut in nine gores and laid in groups of tucks that are stitched with corticelli silk. The upper edge is joined to a round foundation yoke, over which the shaped one is applied, and the upper edge can be finished with a belt or cut on dip outline and under-faced or bound.

The quantity of material required for the medium size is 101/4 yards 21 inches wide, 9 yards 27 inches wide or 614 vards 41 inches wide when material has figure or nap; 101/2 yards 21, 9 yards 27 or 5 yards 44 inches wide when material has neither figure nor nap.

The pattern 4694 is cut in sizes for a 22, 24, 26, 28 and 30 inch waist

Belts Must Be Wide.

Sift kid belts are wider than everassuming the proportions of actual girdles. Some specially smart ones noted in a recent tour of the shops were fully six to eight inches wide. They were made of the most pliable kid-in red, white, all the pale tints, ecru and the like. Large buckles in silver and "gold washed" completed the smart effect.

The Dragon Tea Kettle.

Something new in a 5 o'clock tea kettle is shown in a pale green bronze. One design shows a dragon in springing attitude. His long forked toague supports the tea kettle by its handle, while the long serpentine tail curls forward and holds up the bronze

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ABOUT THE "OLD PATRAACKS."

Good Minister Who Got Somewhat Out of His Depth. Fallure of a page to do something which Senator Cullom of Illinois had

relate the following story regarding a good minister who lived near Moline, his state:

"When I hear anyone say "I forgot" I am always reminded of how a preacher got that word tangled up. He was not a very well read man and went into his sermons in a helterskelter fashion. On this particular Sabbath morning the minister selected as his text from the first chapter of Matthew, second verse, and read

'Abraham forgot Isaac, and Isaac forgot Jacob, and Jacob forgot Judas and his brethren.'

"Right from the jump the expounder of the Scriptures seemed to get in deep water, not only in his reading of the verse, but when he made his attempt to analyze and draw his conclusions he said:

"'My friends, this passage of scripture is put in this book to teach us the shortness of human memory; the old and the young forget in this day and generation, and it does appear to me that them old patraacks were powerful forgitful.

"I forget, myself, sometimes," added the senator, "and I cannot conscientiously find very great fault with others who do the same, always remembering the words of the good old minister, 'them old patraacks were powerful forgitful." - Washington Times.

WHERE THE JAP IDLES.

Public Tea House Is His Club-Entertainment There.

The public tea house is the Jap's saloon, club, restaurant, cafe, hotel and theater all in one, says the Pitts burg Dispatch. He goes there to eat, drink, to find companionship and entertainment. Tea is served in wee cups that hold scarcely more than & thimbleful of liquid. If he desires entertainment he orders a geisha girl with his tea or "sake" and she chats with him, sings to him, dances for him or plays cards with him at the table between cups.

While these geisha girls are slaves, they are not always social outcasts. They are trained to be witty and vi-

But the foreigner should beware of making presents to any Japanese girl unless he is bent upon matrimony. To present her with any sort of a gift, even though it be only a posy, will be regarded as a proposal of marriage, and to accept the present, though not a word of love or matrimony be passed, is a sign that she accepts you. Gallant Americans have found themselves in serious trouble and have found it necessary to leave the country at night to escape a binding engagement which they thoughtlessly incurred by giving a maiden some trifle.

THE WOMEN OF THIRTY YEARS.

t Requires Self-denial and Common Sense to Retain Youth.

A woman's age is largely a matter of temperament. A woman's age is a baffling thing. There are women of 40 who look barely 30, and who keep the freshness of youth in their hearts and on their faces, and the elasticity of youth in their graceful figures. These are not the women who give themselves up entirely to a life of pleasure, for something of the soul is discerned in this kind of perennial youth.-New York Advertiser.

The Faded Tin Type.

Beneath the weight of many years his aged back was bent.
But from his gentle big blue eyes there shone a light that lent
A radiance to his old face, and as a seat

he took

He glanced about him with a smile—then sought his pocketbook.

And every one who gazed his way

Wished that his carfare they might pay For that one cheery look.

His clothes, though old and worn, were clean and patched with loving care. His trembling hands in home-made gloves; the well-combed fringe of Beneath his almost furless cap-all told of some one who
Loved this old man as much as when
life's partnership was new.
A moment more and he unwound
The string with which his purse was

And brought his wealth to view.

A scrap of cloth, a pencil small, a key, and next a dime—
And then he stopped—in happy thoughts he seemed lost for a time;
A faded tintype, that was all—a sweet old woman's face.
And yet he kissed it softly cre he put it back in place. And then we knew what made his life So happy—just a faithful wife Gave his old age its grace. —Cincinnati Times-Star.

No Decline in Sun's Power. Prof. Henri Dufour has drawn up a comparison between the reports of four European meteorological stations -Lausanne, in Switzerland; Heidelberg and Freiburg, and Valencia, in Spain-upon the summer weather of 1903. Their data, taken independently, agree at all points. The sun's warmth was far below the average. The cold and the rains of the summer and the bitter weather of the last winter were not the product of any decline in the power of the sun, as some have conjectured. "There is no symptom whatever," says the professor, "of any universal cesmic change."

Another One From Classic Boston. She was from the country and visiting in Cambridge. She and her hostess entered a street car late one evening after a Harvard function. "The car is filled with alumni," ob-

served the hostess. "Yes," answered the visitor. "I noticed it as I entered. Do you not think that we should ask the conductor to open a window and allow some of it to escape?"-Boston Evering Record.

free to Iwenty-five Ladies.

The Defiance Starch Co. will give 25 ladies a round trip ticket to the St. Louis Exposition, to five ladies in each of the following states: Illinois, Iowa, Nebraska, Kansas and requested caused that gentleman to Missouri who will send in the largest number of trade marks cut from a ten cent, 16-ounce package of Deflance cold water iaundry starch, means from your own home, any where in the above named states. These trade marks must be mailed to and received by the Deflance Starch Omaha, Nebr., before September 1st. 1904. October and November will be the best months to visit the Exposition. Remember that Defiance is the only starch put up 16 oz. (a full pound) to the package. You get one-third more starch for the same money than of any other kind, and Defiance never sticks to the iron. The tickets to the Exposition will be sent by registered mail September 5th. Starch for sale by all dealers.

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It is interesting to know, in connection with Mr. Jerome's legal and legislative campaign against gambling. that Monte Carlo is not only doing a business, the annual profits from which are about \$5,000,000, but it is keeping abreast of the times, by adding bridge, baccarat and poker to the attractions which help to separate players at the resort from their money. However, Monte Carlo has no "lid" and no Jeromes.

Those Who Have Tried It will use no other. Defiance Cold Water Starch has no equal in Quantity or Quality-16 oz. for 10 cents. Other brands contain only 12 oz.

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Deputy Sheriff David Dean of Taunton, Mass., has a pair of handcuffs with a history. They were presented to him by Major Jones in 1873, when the latter was at the head of the state police. Since that time, the sheriff says, they have been on the wrists of every man on trial for murder or manslaughter in Plymouth county.

The postmaster at Nails, Ind., has resigned because he found it next to impossible to live within his salary, which is \$19 a year. Which all goes to prove that the cost of living is increasing.

Kansas is loyal, if nothing else. A Sunday school teacher at Kansas City asked her class where Christ was born, and about half the children replied in chorus, "In Kansas."

Rugs piled upon carpets, three curtains to a window, and sixteen nontouchable pillows to a couch, are not among the sins of the bachelor girl. The uncluttered house is hers.

The Man of Sorrows was not much of a man for sighs.

CAME FROM COFFEE.

A Case Where the Taking of Morphine Began With Coffee.

"For 15 years," says a young Ohio woman, "I was a great sufferer from stomach, heart and liver trouble. For the last 10 years the suffering was terrible; it would be impossible to describe it. During the last three years I had convulsions from which the only relief was the use of mor-

"I had several physicians, nearly all of whom advised me to stop drinking tea and coffee, but as I could take only liquid foods I felt I could not live without coffee. I continued drinking it until I became almost insane, my mind was affected, while my whole nervous system was a complete wreck. I suffered day and night from thirst and as water would only make me sick I kept on trying different drinks until a friend asked me to try Postum Food Coffee.

"I did so but it was some time before I was benefited by the change, my system was so filled with coffee poison. It was not long, however, before I could eat all kinds of foods and drink all the cold water I wanted and which my system demands. It is now 8 years I have drank nothing but Postum for breakfast and supper and the result has been that in place of being an invalid with my mind affected I am now strong, sturdy, happy and healthy.

"I have a very delicate daughter who has been greatly benefited by drinking Postum, also a strong boy, who would rather go without food for his breakfast than his Postum. Sc much depends on the proper cooking of Postum for unless it is boiled the proper length of time people will be disappointed in it. Those in the habit of drinking strong coffee should make the Postum very strong at first in order to get a strong coffee taste." Name given by Postum Co., Battle

Creek, Mich. Look in each package for the famous little book, "The Read to Well