

OF INTEREST TO WOMEN

Tips That Save Steps.

Half a teaspoonful of sugar thrown into the embers will nearly always revive a dying fire, and it is always safe for that purpose.

To prevent lamp wicks from smoking, soak them thoroughly in vinegar and then let them get dry before putting them into the kerosene lamp to be used.

If the ceiling should become smoked, from an improperly regulated lamp underneath, the blackened surface may be cleaned by washing it with a little weak soda water.

When packing away white summer dresses or any white goods for the winter, wrap each piece carefully in blue paper. It will prevent the white material from turning yellow.

Writing ink, especially if kept in an open bottle, quickly becomes thick and unfit for use. In that case dilute the ink with a small quantity of vinegar and shake the bottle well.

If soot should fall on the carpet, cover it liberally with salt before making an attempt to sweep it up. It will then be possible to remove the soot with the salt, leaving the carpet clean.

Rugs often have a tendency to curl up at the corners. To prevent them from doing so, bind them on the under side with a strip of narrow webbing of the kind that is used to hold the springs in furniture in place.

It is a thing well worth knowing that a few drops of oil of lavender, scattered upon book shelves, back of the books, will prevent dampness from injuring the binding of books during prolonged seasons of rainy weather.

Moths do not like to make their nests in any place where salt has been and one may often get rid of them by scrubbing the floor with a hot and strong solution of salt before laying down the carpet and scattering dry salt on the carpet when sweeping it.

About the House.

The shamrock design is one of the best varieties of table linen.

One-tone effects, with touches here and there of a contrasting color, is the fashion in furnishing rooms.

There is a new electric sweeper which brightens as well as cleans the carpet and raises no dust.

The new decorated enamel ware pitchers and dippers add a pleasing touch to the kitchen pantry.

To save an accidental tearing of the curtain, slip the finger of an old kid glove over the end of the brass rod before running it through the heading.

For use on chairs where there are bare floors there are little wood tips that are absolutely noiseless.

A very useful article is an old cedar wood treasure chest made of the delightfully fragrant mountain-grown southern red cedar.

One of the latest time saving devices is a home ironing machine, which turns flat pieces in a trice. The expense of heating is one cent an hour.

Hints for Baby's Bath.

A thermometer is indispensable. Only pure castile soap should be used.

A soft linen napkin is preferable to a sponge.

It is well to have a special piece for the face.

Everything should be at hand before undressing him.

The water should be between 96 and 99 degrees.

The temperature of the room should register 70 degrees.

A flannel apron should be spread over the parent's lap.

Face, ears and nose should be washed first.

Then the rest of the body should be gently soaped.

After the flesh is covered the charge is put in the tub.

A rubber top should be put in the water to amuse him.

When taken out he should be wrapped in a flannel apron.

Drying should be done with very soft towels.

"Gloria" Pudding.

Boil in a porcelain pan with a dash

of salt a pint of milk. Mix thoroughly in a bowl two tablespoonfuls corn-starch, two tablespoonfuls milk, three tablespoonfuls granulated sugar, yolks of two eggs, pinch of freshly grated lemon peel. Add this to the boiling milk, let it cook four minutes, stirring while cooking; flavor with vanilla. Pour this into a flat pudding dish. Beat the whites of two eggs to a stiff froth, add four tablespoonfuls powdered sugar, also meats of half a pound of finely chopped walnuts; mix thoroughly to a light puff and spread on top of mixture in pudding dish. Put the whole in hot oven and bake until brown.

Serve cold with raspberries or sliced bananas. The above will serve half a dozen people and can also be made into individual molds.

Italian Macaroni.

Cook in plenty of water one pound of imported macaroni; spaghetti will do. Add enough salt and boil according to the kind of macaroni used. Imported macaroni will take one hour and a half to cook. For gravy take three small slices of veal, chop up fine, put in a saucepan with a little lard, and brown. Cut up a little celery, a small onion, add salt and pepper and put all-spice to taste. Cook this together a little, then add two half size ripe tomatoes, then cook about 20 minutes, but don't let it get too dry. Put this in with macaroni. Mix all together with some grated cheese. The imported macaroni cheese is the best. Serve when hot, or it is good cold.

Dishes Served With Goose.

In answering the question as to what dishes should be served with goose, it is taken for granted that the dinner is to be a home affair. Soup should be the first course, and, in this case, it is better to have one of the thick soups. Next comes the goose, and with it should be served apple sauce and dressing, either sage or chestnut. The potatoes should be boiled, baked, mashed or sweet potatoes southern style. In addition, any of the fresh vegetables may be served, such as steamed celery, brussels sprouts, eggplant or cauliflower. If it is desired to serve salad after the meat course it would be better to make it plain on account of the richness of the goose. Tomato or lettuce salad would be good. After the salad, dessert of mince or apple pie, plum pudding or ice cream. At this season of the year nuts and raisins may follow the dessert, and the meal should close with cheese and black coffee, demitasse.

Cheese Froun au Gratin.

Soak a cupful of dry bread crumbs in two cups of hot milk for 15 minutes. Dissolve one fourth teaspoonful of soda (scant measure) in the milk while heating. Stir into this two dashes of cayenne and a salt-paste a well beaten egg (two are better), one tablespoon of melted butter, spoon of salt, lastly beat in rapidly a small cup of grated cheese. Pour into a greased pudding dish, stew dry cracker crumbs over the top, dot with butter, dust delicately with cayenne or paprika, and bake in a quick oven, covered, for 15 minutes; then uncover and brown lightly. Send to the table at once, as it falls very soon while puffy and hot it is delicious.

AMERICAN OPLENCE.

Statistics Show U. S. to be One of Richest Nations in World.

There are some wonderful figures contained in the annual report of the Comptroller of the Currency just made public, which go to show that the United States is one of the richest countries of the world, if, indeed, it is not the most opulent.

For instance, the report says: "The deposits, including government deposits, held by the banks of the country, aggregate \$14,105,924,984. Excluding those of the government, the individual deposits aggregate, \$14,035,522,165. The total of the government's money held by the national banks on April 28 was \$70,401,818. "The amount of savings deposits held by all the banks of the country

is \$4,925,161,555.

"The information secured relative to deposits is of especial interest at this time, when the adequacy of present means for the custody of the people's savings is under discussion. It is shown that 25 per cent of the total individual deposits in all banks are savings deposits, and, in addition, over \$1,211,000,000 are time deposits. The individual deposits subject to check aggregate over \$5,556,500,000 of other minor classifications is over \$215,300,000.

"As fluctuations of deposits in the banks of the country from year to year indicate in a large measure economic conditions, it is of interest to note that since June 30, 1909, individual deposits in reporting banks have increased over 25 per cent, the amount of deposits on that date being \$7,228,986,450.

CORBETT PICKS JEFF TO WIN BIG FIGHT

New York.—"I pick Jeffries to win the great battle," says James J. Corbett, former world's champion, in a long statement published here. "Johnson is overrated," continued Corbett. "In all his career Johnson has not defeated any good men of heavyweight caliber. You hear much talk of the cleverness of Johnson. Very few realize that he has only two good punches with his right hand—a short uppercut and a lightning cross counter. His left arm is no use to him, except for blocking. Jeffries, on the other hand, is a real fighter, and no science in the world can stop him. Johnson may swing and jab, but the big fellow will brush his blows aside and force his way through the barrier. Jeffries may take 10 blows to land one, but when he lands it means the finish.

"Jeffries and I will do some real fighting in the training camp. We shall strip and fight 20 rounds. This may happen three times or more. It will be the severest test that any fighter ever ran up against, but it will give Jeffries a good idea of just how he stands."

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\$1,500,000 IN REALTY TRANSFERS AT DAYTON

Dayton, Wash.—Real estate transfers aggregating \$1,500,000, with but one mortgage foreclosure, make up the record of prosperity for Dayton and Columbia county in 1909. Heading the list of transfers is the sale of the Dr. M. Pietrzycki ranch of 10,000 acres near Starbuck for \$225,000, and the Homer Richardson ranch of 2500 acres for \$176,000. These are the two largest deals ever recorded here. Other farm transfers range from \$75,000 down to \$5000.

The Correct Time.

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TOWN PUNISHED BY STANDARD OIL CO.

Chico, Calif.—It is announced here that the Standard Oil company will punish this city because the trustees passed an ordinance forcing the standard to bury a big gasoline tank under the ground. Workmen have started on the job of moving the entire plant away from this city and establishing it at Maryville. It is reported that the price of gasoline in Chico will be raised three cents.

Girls.

Why have your shoe soles nailed on when we saw them on at 65c a pair. No swell dressed man or woman wants their shoes full of nails. A. EKLUND.

BAKER CASE SETTLED

MRS. WALLACE GETS DAMAGES FOR HUSBAND'S DEATH

O. R. & N. Company Had No Objection to Reasonable Settlement in Matter.

A case that has attracted considerable attention was settled yesterday afternoon without trial in circuit court, says a Baker City dispatch. It was the case of Mrs. Lee Wallace versus Oregon Railroad & Navigation company, for the killing of her husband at the railroad crossing on Fourth street in Baker City last April. Mrs. Wallace sued for the limit allowance made by the statute in such cases, and a compromise was effected by the company paying her \$2750 and \$50 for court expenses.

Those who supposed the railroad company intended to fight the case to the last court of appeal were doomed to disappointment for there was no disposition apparently on the part of the company to take the case into court if a settlement was possible.

Judge Bennett, of The Dalles, and Saxton and Godwin of Baker City, represented Mrs. Wallace, and the company was represented by C. A. Johns, local attorney, and the company's legal department at Portland, including Mr. Cotton and Mr. Spencer.

Lee Wallace was in the transfer business in this city. One morning last April he was crossing the railroad on Fourth street when a fast train struck him. He was instantly killed and his horses were also killed. In the case it was alleged that the train was running very fast and because of the secluded crossing Mr. Wallace was in no way to blame for the accident that caused his death. Whether this could have been sustained is not known as the case did not come to trial.

The Company's Policy. It seems to be the policy of the O. R. & N. company where an accident of this kind occurs and there is a widow or orphan children involved, to agree to a reasonable compromise without going into court. At least that was the procedure in this case, which is only one of several where the company acted in a similar manner.

SMART SET BEFORE FOOTLIGHTS FOR CHARITY

New York.—Mrs. A. C. Barney has written a new society play, which was presented at the Belasco the other night for the benefit of the Christmas fund for the poor. As is usual with Mrs. Barney's productions the cast contained a number of the most prominent debutantes of this and last seasons, as well as young matrons and the beaux of the smart set. On the stage were Miss Ogla Roosevelt, Miss Marguerite Barbour, Miss Mary Chew, Miss Jean Crosby, Miss Katherine Britton, Miss Louise Cromwell, Miss Gladys Hinckley, Miss Ethel de Koven, Miss Alice Shepard, Miss Annie Irwin, Miss Margaret Cotton Smith and a number of others, the cast being a large and brilliant one. Baroness Hengelmuller, wife of the Austrian Ambassador headed the list of patronesses.

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