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## Daily Chats With the Housewife

### HOUSEHOLD SUGGESTIONS.

One of the best ways of securing lace or net curtains in place over the poles is to fasten with the very fine wire hairpins. These are so sharp that they may be pushed through the curtains without injury to the fabric, and are so fine that they are more invisible than pins. They have the advantage of never slipping out of place like small-headed pins, or becoming entangled in the lace like safety pins. Place perpendicularly in the curtain with the rounded head at the top.

White spots on varnished furniture, caused by heat or moisture, can be removed by rubbing with a cloth dampened with alcohol. Care must be exercised not to make the cloth too wet, and the spot must be rubbed until it is dry. As the alcohol evaporates quickly, the rubbing does not have to be continued very long. If the article has been revarnished or is heavily coated with varnish much more alcohol must be used, and the rubbing must be kept up longer.

Starched collars are frequently thrown away before full use has been obtained out of them, merely because the stud-holes have become frayed and perhaps worn. This can be avoided by taking a piece of white tape and sewing it neatly across the hole, and then working new holes in the tape. This should be done before sending the collars to the laundry. On their return they will present no appearance of having been patched.

### THEY LOOK CLEAN.

Glass jars are used for storing dry materials, such as coffee, tea, spices, etc. Paste the label inside the jar.

Brass bedsteads may be cleaned by rubbing them with a cloth slightly moistened with sweet oil and then polished with a soft, dry duster, and lastly with a chamolite leather. This will, if done occasionally, keep them in good condition for years. Wooden

bedsteads should be wiped over every three months with a cloth moistened with turpentine to keep them clean.

### LEMON CAKES.

One egg, one cup of granulated sugar, an eighth of a cup of shortening, a cup of sour milk, an even teaspoonful of soda. Beat into milk until dissolved one and two-thirds cups of flour and one teaspoonful of lemon extract. Will be stiff batter. Drop in gem pans and bake in hot oven. This rule makes about sixteen cakes.

### NAME ON BAG.

On a car the other evening I saw how a girl is placed in a most unpleasant situation by having her name and address on the side of her bag. As a young man passed the girl sitting opposite me, I saw him looking at the mark on her bag. During the course of the journey he came through the car again and spoke to her, calling her name. When my daughter has her bag marked it will certainly be on the bottom.

### DECORATED SHOE TREES.

"Nothing need be ugly and promiscuous more," said a young woman to her friends, as she slipped her street shoes onto a pair of trees. "These shoe trees were made of plain yellow wood when I got them, but I treated them to a coat of enamel in this nice dull green, and see how much prettier they are. It is a pleasure to slip them into my shoes now, whereas it used to be an interesting duty."

### GINGER PUDDING.

Half a pound flour, 1-4 pound suet, 1-2 pound golden syrup, 1 1-2 teaspoonfuls ground ginger, 1-2 pint milk or water, 1-2 teaspoonful carbonate of soda, 1 cup of candied peel sliced thin. Mix thoroughly, pour in buttered mold. Baked or steam 3 hours.

### BLOUSE NOTES.

Many little new ideas are being introduced in the blouses of the season.

The larger sailor collar and the narrow deep square collar are still much used, but a big effect has been added to the early spring models. It is reported that some of the new collars will be so large that they will be in the cape class.

The latest blouses of all are made to go on over the head. They are really for sport wear and are made to be worn outside of the sport skirt they are loosely belted. One of these blouses is made of jersey cloth and has peplum finish. Peplums in some cases are scalloped, and sometimes slashed at the sides.

Blouses are once more being fastened at the back, as are some of the new one-piece dresses. A novelty for the coming summer blouse is dark-colored organdie, for example, relieved by white embroidery and crochet buttons.

### MALAGA SALAD.

With a sharp knife, slit one side of large Malaga grapes, take out the seed, and fill with blanched pecan meats. For each plate, put two leaves of romaine side by side pinched together, and a row of grapes in each leaf, resembling peas in a pod. Put a half teaspoon of green mayonnaise on the ends of each leaf. (This green mayonnaise, by the way, is made by soaking strips of sweet green peppers in slightly salted ice water for two hours; then drain, chop fine with a sharp knife, and fold into mayonnaise.)

### PINEAPPLE NESTS.

Shred a good flavored pineapple and form into nests on lettuce leaves; fill the nests with peeled and seeded Malaga grapes, dress each with a spoon of mayonnaise and a cherry on top.

### SLOAN'S LINIMENT EASES PAIN.

Sloan's Liniment is first thought of mothers for bumps, bruises and sprains that are continually happening to children. It quickly penetrates and soothes without rubbing. Cleaner and more effective than musc plasters or ointments. For rheumatic aches, neuralgia pain and that grippy soreness after colds, Sloan's Liniment gives prompt relief. Have a bottle handy for bruises, strains, sprains and all external pain. For the thousands whose work calls them outdoors, the pains and aches following exposure are relieved by Sloan's Liniment. At all druggists, 25c—Adv.

## UMATILLA GETTING NATION WIDE FAME

Coup of Women Folk Brings Much Publicity to Little Town; Newspapers All Over Country Use Story of Wife Who Defeated Her Husband.

When Mrs. E. E. Starcher and other women of Umatilla planned their little coup whereby the feminine contingent of the oldest town of the county seized control of the municipal government, little did they suspect that they would put their town in the national limelight. However, that is just what they have done. Within the past two weeks Umatilla has received more publicity than she has received in her whole history prior to that notable election and probably more than she will ever receive again. Newspapers all over the country were quick to see the unusual story in a woman beating her husband for mayor. The big press associations sent the story broadcast. The New York World wired for a picture of the "mayor" within two days after the votes had been counted. One big picture service syndicate sent its staff representative to Umatilla to get a picture and an interview. He had just come from getting an interview from Miss Rankin, congresswoman-elect from Montana.

Leslie's Weekly wrote for a picture not only of the fair mayor, but for pictures of the other women who had been elected to office. At least three big news picture syndicates secured pictures and it is probable that two-thirds of the newspaper of any consequence in the country will print a picture of Mayor Laura Starcher who defeated her husband. A recent edition of the St. Louis Dispatch showed a two-column picture of Mrs. Starcher under the caption, "The Only Woman Mayor in the Country."

Mrs. Starcher and Umatilla have also been made the subject of innumerable editorials and editorial paragraphs. When the railroad yards were taken from Umatilla, it was generally said that the town would die a quiet death, but the women have brought it to a new life that has startled the nation.

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Baby's scratch Kills Mother.  
NEW YORK, Dec. 27.—Mrs. Julia Cranka, thirty-four, died at New Brunswick, N. J., yesterday of blood poisoning which resulted from a slight scratch inflicted on her lip by her three months old baby. She was sick only two days.

Boston chooses to remain wet by an unprecedented majority. The dries made a tactical error in not holding the election Jan. 2.



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Ladies' Coats—A large assortment of coats from children's size 4 to ladies' size 44, while they last ..... \$3.98

We have in this lot all materials such as mixtures, kersey, chinchilla and broadcloth. Come early and get first choice. No phone orders. None sent on approval. Remember the price—\$3.98.

Our entire stock of Ladies' Suits in all the fashionable shades and styles and all sizes; your choice ..... \$19.75

This lot includes broadcloths, serges, wool velours in all this season's most desirable shades. Your choice ..... \$19.50

One extra special lot of Suits in black and navy serges, sizes from 16 to 47; while they last ..... \$9.95



## Pre-Inventory Stock Reducing Sale Men's Suits and Overcoats

Our clothing stock consists of the well known and reputable lines such as Stein-Bloch, Sophomore and Schloss—all are perfectly tailored, proper fabrics and styles to please.

\$30.00 Suit or Overcoat, Stock Reducing Price ..... \$22.50  
\$27.50 Suit or Overcoat, Stock Reducing Price ..... \$20.65

\$25.00 Suit or Overcoat, Stock Reducing Price ..... \$18.75  
\$22.50 Suit or Overcoat, Stock Reducing Price ..... \$16.90  
\$20.00 Suit or Overcoat, Stock Reducing Price ..... \$15.00  
\$17.50 Suit or Overcoat, Stock Reducing Price ..... \$12.15  
\$15.00 Suit or Overcoat, Stock Reducing Price ..... \$11.25

### From the Dry Goods Department

#### Fancy Bath Towels

These come in all sizes, with blue, pink, lavender, gold, yellow, peacock blue and white brocaded borders.

Regular 25c, special ..... 16c  
Regular 35c, special ..... 28c  
Regular 50c, special ..... 39c  
Regular 60c and 65c, special 43c  
Regular 75c and 85c, special 60c  
Regular \$1.00, \$1.25 and \$1.35, special ..... 89c

#### HEAVY WOOL CLOAKINGS

These we have in many different colors, all of the very best of fabrics. Special 1/4 off. If you want a coat, buy it now.

#### REMNANTS — REMNANTS

All at 1/2 price. In this lot you will find lots of silk and table linens. You'll have to be here early to get them though.

#### All Made Up Royal Society Center Pieces Just 1/2 Price.

One lot Royal Society packages 9c each; these are worth regular to 75c.

All other art packages 1/2 price.

#### FANCY RIBBONS

Regular 25c yd., special ..... 18c  
Regular 35c yd., special ..... 23c  
Regular 40c yd., special ..... 28c  
Regular 50c, 60c and 75c yd., special ..... 39c  
Regular \$1.75 and \$2.00, special ..... \$1.29

#### WOOL SHIRTS AND SWEATERS.

Right now in the middle of the winter when you need warm clothing we have reduced every Wool Shirt and Sweater in our stock. Wool Shirts, regular \$1.50, \$2.00, \$2.50, \$3.00, \$3.50 and \$4.00.

Special discount for our Pre-Inventory Stock Reducing Sale of 10 per cent will be given from all the above prices.

#### FINE WOOL SWEATERS, values \$2.50, \$3.00, \$3.50, \$5.00 to \$9.00. Special discount of 10 per cent from all the above prices.

#### FROM THE HAT DEPARTMENT

Every hat in our big stock will be reduced, including all men's and boys' hats. A general reduction of Twenty Per Cent from regular prices will be given. This includes any hat in our stock.

#### EXTRA SPECIAL—One lot of Men's Hats of odds and discontinued styles, values to \$4.00. Choice ..... \$1.95

#### ODDS AND ENDS

White Aprons, very daintily made and trimmed in val

laces and embroidery. These garments are slightly soiled so we are closing these out at ..... 29c

Odd lot of Sweaters in all sizes in white, grey and red, knitted in fancy stitches and plain Shaker stitch. While they last ..... 98c

#### DRESSES

All our Serge Dresses at this Pre-Inventory sale ONE-HALF price. This includes all colors, brown, green, navy and black; sizes 16 to 44. One special lot of dresses \$4.98

These include taffetas, serge and messaline in navy, black and tan. Special reduction of 25 per cent on all our afternoon dresses.

#### PRE-INVENTORY CLEAN-UP SALE ON WAISTS

Beautiful line of washable satin, Georgette crepe and lace, in coral, Nile, cream, flesh, black or brown. You will find these waists stylish and beautifully made. Pre-Inventory Clean-up price \$3.98

House dresses in gingham, percale and ripplette in all sizes ..... 98c

Odd lot of Sweaters in white, navy, red and grey at ..... 98c

Gingham and percale rompers ..... 19c