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Under date of September 9, 1904, Mr. S. P. Keyes, a well-known business man of No. 149 Congress Street, Boston, Mass., says: "Cuticura cured me."



For twenty-five years I suffered from a terrible humor, completely covering my head, neck and shoulders, discharging matter of such offensiveness to sight and smell, that to my friends, and even to my wife, I became an object of dread. At large expense I consulted the most able doctors far and near. Their treatment was of no avail, nor six months' efforts. I suffered on and concluded there was no help for me this side of the grave. Then I heard of some one who had been cured by Cuticura, and thought that a trial could do no harm. In a surprisingly short time I was completely cured."

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MIDSUMMER FLOWERS.

Plants that fill a period often bare of bloom.

It seems to be understood by many that after the early flowering plants in the hardy border have passed their season a lack of bloom until the early fall flowering species begin. I do not agree with them, but I say that there is no time but there may be an abundance of bloom in the hardy border from the early days of spring until late autumn. Although many people use annuals to fill in this supposed period, I do not think it is at all necessary. Take the months of July and August and we have such plants as hollyhocks, delphiniums, many of the phloxes, gailloids, marigolds, digitalis, some of the asters, campanulas, coreopsis and rudbeckias. Rudbeckia purpurea is a noble plant, contributing to bloom the whole season. Anthemis kelwayi is a fine midsummer bloomer. Centaurea macrocephala is one of the best plants in the hardy border at this season. Chelone lyonii, a fine plant, coming into bloom in August. Lychnis chalcedonica has beautiful bright flowers at this season.

Then we have the liliacs, such as stratum, speciosum, superbum and martium, all indispensable in the hardy border at this time. Helianthus scaberrimus is a plant not to be forgotten. Echinops strictus, with its steel blue, thistlelike heads, is a good plant for this season, as well as Eryngium planum and amethystinum. Spiraea lobata is one of the best of species, coming into bloom in late August. Veronica longifolia recent introduction. Veronica longifolia subscutellata blooms in August and is the most showy of the veronicas. There are also many others.—John W. Dimean of American Association of Park Superintendents.

THE MODERN GLADIOLUS.

Wonderful Hybrids in Color Effects Hitherto Unknown.
The growing of the gladiolus, which for some time past the wane, has again taken new life and is becoming far more popular than ever before. One would not wonder at this could one but see the fields of modern hybrids grown by Arthur Cowee, which illustrate one of the most wonderful horticultural achievements of recent years. His most valuable collection consists of the Groff hybrids, Mr.



GROFF HYBRID GLADIOLUS.

H. H. Groff of Canada is the most successful gladiolus hybridist in the world. The cut is taken from the Silver Trophy strain. Country gentlemen, the source of the statements and illustration here given, says that in these hybrids ordinary quality has been practically eliminated. The

chances of deterioration, the most serious obstacle in the way of the extensive cultivation of this flower, have by proper breeding been reduced to the minimum, and at the same time the beauty and size of the flowers have been proportionately increased. Colors and combinations of shades hitherto unknown in this flower have been secured, relieved by stains, blotches and delicate markings which defy the artist's skill at reproduction.

Kieffer Pear.
The time has come when it will not pay to let old orchards of Kieffer pears incubate the ground if it has any value for other purposes. I have grubbed out my old trees and am endeavoring to care for it and have been to eighteen years old and have borne heavy crops in the past. I shall cut away all the top, leaving the main branches from four to six feet long, with a small amount of small twigs on them. They will soon form a new top of young wood, from which I hope to get a few good crops of fruit. If I am disappointed I shall take them out and plant young orchards. I still think there is profit in growing first class Kieffers, but it is financial folly to grow a big crop of poor fruit. We undertake to care for it and have both the fruit and the work bestowed upon it.—Charles Black.

The Size of Lilia Bushes.
The suckering character of common lilies should be borne in mind when deciding on their location. A slender, neat little plant this year will be a large clump five years hence, with a diameter at the base of perhaps four feet and abundant capabilities of future increase.

American Carnation Society.
It is announced that the next annual meeting of the American Carnation Society will be held at Horticultural Hall, Boston, Jan. 24 and 25, 1906.

Using Leftovers.

The talent of using what you have on hand and what will not keep longer should be cultivated in all branches of cookery, and soup making is a fertile field, says a household authority. For instance, if you have a pint of cooked beans, by running them through a strainer and adding a pint of milk and a tablespoonful of butter—or a pint of stock without the butter—with seasoning to taste (onion is very good), one may have a delicious soup at very short notice. The same may be said of peas or corn. If stock is used with any of these last named vegetables it should be veal or chicken stock, for beef has too decided a flavor of its own. A few thin slices of lemon add greatly to purity of color.

The Butler's Assistant.

The butler's assistant has reached this side of the water. In England it has long been known as a breakfast and luncheon table convenience. The butler's assistant is a revolving tray of polished wood, on which is placed sugar bowl, cream pitcher, butter, and almost everything, in fact, which has commonly to be placed on the table and is easily reached from all sides. Being a revolving tray, any dish on it is available to all at the table. A craftsman makes the tray in old mahogany for \$15.—New York Post.

Sheet Wisdom.

Most housewives imagine that linen is the ideal material for sheets, but several household authorities consider it inferior to a good quality of cotton for this purpose. Linen is cool and "sings" in it is no more appropriate for sheets than it is for body wear owing to its nonabsorbent quality. The wrinkles in linen sheets are harder to smooth out than those in cotton and, in addition, keep a bed from looking fresh. Linen, however, is the best when used for tablecloths and napery. For all such purposes it is the ideal material.

The Door and the Wall.

The wall of a room near the door are often greatly damaged by the door handles knocking against them by the door is swung wide open. To prevent this take a fairly large spool, cover it first with cotton, wool or wadding and then with velvet or cloth, so as to make it look neat. Put a long brass headed nail through it and fasten it to the door about four inches from the wall behind the door. Then the handle cannot damage the wall.

Exercise and Health.

The only thing that will make your blood circulate actively is exercise, and you can take this even if you are working all day. Swing Indian clubs five minutes when you get up, standing before an open window. Take five minutes of your lunch hour in a dressing room and go through any simple calisthenics. Do the same at night. This may seem a bother, but you cannot have circulation without promoting it.

The Looking Glass.

When looking glasses have to be cleaned first wash the glass all over with lukewarm soap and a sponge and when dry rub it bright with chamber leather and a little prepared chalk which has been finely powdered. A splendid gloss will be given to glasses by rubbing them quickly with newspapers.

Afternoon Teacloths.

Aprons of afternoon tea cloths, the pretty fashion of running in tolerably wide satin ribbon into insertion and finishing it off in bows at each corner. This may be a bother, but you cannot have circulation without promoting it.

Furniture Polish.

When furniture becomes scratched, as it often does, it is a good plan to rub it with a woolen cloth which has been dipped in kerosene oil. Should the furniture not polish well, try rubbing it first with a little kerosene, then apply the furniture cream and polish in the usual way.

To clean paint, use warm water and ammonia with a little soap. If you use a strong preparation on paint you will ruin the finish, and hard rubbing and hot water both have the same effect.

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CREMATING CUPID

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"I suppose that's all," said Marlon loftily, as the last envelope smoldered upon the open fire.
"Yes," assented Masson. "It's like all the rest—blackness and ashes."
"It is a good thing," she sighed, "that we found out our mistake in time. You are so practical, you take all the romance out of life."
"You did not appear to think so once," he argued.
"I idealized you," she admitted. "I suppose it was the glamour of the birth of love."
Masson winced. He hated those hyper-elegant speeches. "It seems to me," he suggested, "that love's birth was registered upon the vital statistics about the time Adam woke up and found Eve by his side."
She gave a start at the suggestion of vital statistics in connection with love. It was Masson's matter of fact speech that had led her to ask him to release her from their engagement.

Ants.

The American truth teller was in form. "Talking of ants," he said, "we've got 'em as big as crabs out west. I guess I've seen 'em fight with long horns, which they used as levers, charging each other like savages."
"They don't compare to the ants I saw in the east," said an inoffensive individual near by. "The natives have trained them as beasts of burden. One of 'em could trail a ton load for miles with ease. They worked willingly, but occasionally they turned on their attendants and killed them."
But this was drawing the longbow a little too far.
"I say, old chap," said a shocked voice from the corner, "what sort of a good fairy called her assistant and showed her a golden box."
"Take this box," she said, "and lock it carefully in the safe. It contains good advice."
"My mistress," replied the assistant, "why should we lock up good advice? We one will ever take it."—Puck.

Quite Different.



An Advantage.

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WHEN MAN RENTS A HOUSE.

No Trouble at All Unless His Wife Goes With Him.

"Yes, I've rented a house," he said with an accent of finality. "She gets here Tuesday, you see, and I couldn't put it off any longer, and it's a dandy."
"Is that so?" asked his listener. "Tell me about it."
"A reception hall," said he, waving his hand. "It has a cedar chest inlaid in it."
"Cedar chest?" questioned the mystified listener.

"Yes, a long cedar chest; now I know what she'll do," said the enthusiastic husband, his eye beaming. "It's carved and has a heavy lid."
"An oaken settee," thought his listener.

"You ought to see the chandelier in the dining room," he went on. "It has four lights that go up and four in the kitchen there is a white sink, and right in the middle is a large red shade, round and pretty, and is either for gas or electric light."
"Is there a china closet there?" asked the woman, who is a practical soul.

"Didn't notice," said he, "but in the kitchen there is a white sink, and right in the middle is a large red shade, round and pretty, and is either for gas or electric light."
"Is there a gas range?" she asked aloud.

"Oh, there's a cook stove," said he airily. "You ought to see the chandelier in the parlor; it is a beauty. And upstairs there is an inlaid mirror in the front room. I know she'll like that."
"You are right there," said the lady. "Does the house front north or south? Is the plumbing good, and how about the neighborhood?"

"Didn't notice," said he, "but the banisters are very pretty, and there is a stained glass window in the bathroom."
"Men—Men do love appearances," thought the woman, mentally inscribing it in her intellectual notebook. "Pretty fixtures are what they notice and nothing else."
"Do you think she will like it?" he asked anxiously.

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SUBMITS.

In the circuit court of the State of Oregon for the county of Polk.—Deputy No. 2, Sophia Hazleton, plaintiff.

W. P. Putnam, Louisa M. Putnam, and E. J. McNary, defendants.

IN THE NAME OF THE STATE OF OREGON,

you and each of you are hereby required to appear and answer the complaint filed against you in the above entitled suit, on or before the expiration of six weeks from the date of the first publication of this summons, to wit: on or before the 15th day of October, A. D. 1905, that being the date of the last publication of this summons, and if you fail to answer the same, for want thereof, the plaintiff will apply to the court for the relief prayed for in her said complaint, and will take a decree against you as each of you therefor, to wit: A decree foreclosing that certain Real Estate mortgage executed by W. P. Putnam and Louisa M. Putnam, the first day of November 1893 to Sophia Hazleton given to secure the payment of a certain promissory note of one dollar with said mortgage, by said defendants to plaintiff in the sum of \$822.70 with interest thereon at the rate of eight per cent per annum from date until paid, which said mortgage is recorded in Volume "11" as Page 437 of the mortgage records of Polk County Oregon, said note being due one year after date thereof, and for the sale of the real estate in said mortgage described for the payment of the amount found to be due thereon by said court, to wit \$822.70 with interest thereon at the rate of 8 per cent per annum from date of note to date of payment.

The date of the first publication is the 15th day of September 1905; and the date of the last publication thereof, is the 27th day of October 1905.

This summons is published by order of the Honorable William H. Hays, Judge of said Court at Chambers at Salem, Marion County Oregon on the 13th day of September A. D. 1905.

ED. F. COAD, Attorney for plaintiff.



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"I imagine he was," said the woman, smiling, "and he liked you, too, I fancy."

"Oh, we got along capitally," said the man, stroking his mustache.—Phillips.

Don't go into a sickroom when heated and don't sit between the patient and the fire. If there be one in the room, as the heat attracts any infectious vapor.

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