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The Patient (a poet)—As regularly as I could, doctor. You said I should take it after each meal.

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The readers of this paper will be pleased to learn that there is at least one dreadful disease that science has been able to cure in all its stages, and that is Catarrh. Hall's Catarrh Cure is the only positive cure known to the medical fraternity. Catarrh being a constitutional disease, requires a constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system, thereby destroying the foundation of the disease, and giving the patient strength by building up the constitution and assisting nature in doing its work. The proprietors have so much faith in its curative powers that they offer the Hundred Dollar Reward for any case that it fails to cure. Send for list of testimonials.

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A Foolish Move.

"You seem nervous and restless this morning," said the merchant. "Yes," replied his partner. "I asked Borroughs to drop in to-day and pay me what he owes me." "Ah! And you're afraid he won't come?" "I'm afraid he will come and borrow more."

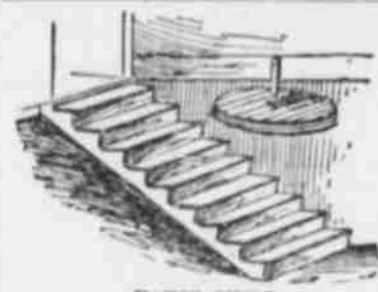


Enamel Finish for Shelves.

An excellent idea for pantry shelves is to give them two coats of ordinary white paint, and then a third finishing coat of white enamel. As soon as the enamel dries, wash it over with cold water, and then it will harden quickly. Do not cover these shelves with oilcloth or paper, but leave them bare and notice the improvement. As there are no covers under which crumbs, etc., can collect, there is nothing to encourage mice, and the enamel is easily wiped clean with a damp cloth. With enameled shelves it is never necessary to clean out the whole pantry at once, for it keeps clean all the time.

Revolving Cellar Shelf.

A handy cellar shelf that will save the housekeeper many steps may be arranged at the side of the cellar stairs, within easy reach upon descending a few steps. The shelf is contrived from an old axle and wheel. The axle is



HANDY SHELF.

fastened to hang from the nearest beam to the stairway. The wheel is covered with thin, smoothly planed boards and the axle is kept well oiled, so the wheel will revolve readily, bringing all parts of the shelf within reach at need.

Method for Testing Eggs.

A simple method for testing eggs, which comes from Germany, is based upon the fact that the air chamber in the flat end of an egg increases with age. If the egg is placed in a solution of common salt it will show an increasing inclination to float with the long axis vertical. By watching this tendency the age of the egg can be determined almost to a day. A fresh egg lies in a horizontal position at the bottom of the vessel; an egg from three to five days old shows an elevation at the flat end, so that its long axis forms an angle of 20 degrees, and an egg a month old floats vertically upon the pointed end.

An Easily Made Filter.

Take a new wooden pail and bore holes all over the bottom. Procure some fine, clean sand, and having thoroughly washed it in many waters place it in a bag of some strong cotton material, just the shape of the bottom of the pail, but slightly larger, and about two inches thick. Place the bag in the bottom of the pail, place the pail over another, and pour water in. If the sand is fine and pure it is remarkable what excellent filtration can be obtained from this simple contrivance, which costs but a trifling sum.

Giblet Soup.

Method: Well wash four sets of duck giblets; cut the gizzards into small pieces, and put them in the stewpan with enough water to cover them. Skim well, add a bunch of herbs, lemon, thyme, marjoram, cloves, parsley, sixteen berries of allspice and pepper; stew gently for two hours. Take out the pieces of meat and keep them warm, thicken the soup with flour, and season with a tablespoonful of ketchup and a little salt. Boil up, and pour over the giblets.

Sardines and Cheese.

Ingredients: Sardines, pepper, salt, lemon juice, a little flour, the yolk of an egg, and grated cheese. Method: Warm some sardines in the oil from the tin, add pepper, salt and squeeze of lemon. When hot, lay the sardines on a hot dish, sprinkle grated cheese over them; thicken the sauce with a little flour and the yolk of an egg, and mask the sardines with it; garnish the dish with fried croutons.

How to Treat Eczema.

To preserve the charms of new linoleum and renew the youth of old proceed thus: Take an ounce of fine glue size and pour over it a pint of hot water. Stir with a stick till the glue is melted. Wash over the linoleum with a damp flannel, then apply the mixture with a good clean piece of flannel. Do not step upon the floor until it is quite dry.

Chocolate Pie.

Beat three eggs well with four tablespoonfuls of sugar and beat gradually into them a pint of scalding milk, to which a pinch of soda has been added. Put over the fire, stir in half a cup of sweet grated chocolate and when this is thoroughly blended add a teaspoonful of vanilla. Pour the mixture into a pie plate lined with pastry and bake.

SSS THE GREATEST OF ALL TONICS

The ingredients that enter into S. S. S. and the method of combining and preparing them so that they build up and strengthen every part of the body, make it the greatest of all tonics. S. S. S. is nature's remedy—PURELY VEGETABLE—and while it is restoring the lost appetite, overcoming that tired, run-down feeling, and other ailments common to Spring, which warn us that it is necessary to take a tonic, it is purifying the blood of all poisons and waste matters so that it can supply to the system the strength and nourishment it needs to keep it in perfect condition during the depressing summer months that are to follow.

Spring is the season when most every one needs a tonic. It is nature's time for renewing and changing; and as everything puts on new life, the sap rises in vegetation, the earth thaws out from its winter freezes, and all respond to Spring's call to purge and purify themselves, there is a great change also takes place in our bodies. The blood endeavors to throw off the poisons and accumulations which have formed in the system, and been absorbed by it, from the inactive winter life, and calls upon every member to assist in the elimination. The system is often unequal to the struggle, the appetite grows fickle, the energies give way, the spirits are depressed, and a general run-down condition is the result.

Then the body must have assistance—it must be strengthened and aided by a tonic, and S. S. S. is the ideal one. Being made entirely from roots, herbs and barks, it does not disagreeably affect the system in any way as do most of the so-called tonics on the market, which contain Potash or some other harmful mineral ingredient to derange the stomach and digestion, unfavorably affect the bowels, or otherwise damage the health. S. S. S. tones up the stomach and digestion and assists in the assimilation of food; it rids the system of that always-tired, worn-out feeling, and imparts vigor and tone to every part of the body. It re-establishes the healthy circulation of the blood, stimulates the sluggish organs, and calms the unstrung nerves which make one feel that he is on the verge of prostration. S. S. S. gives an appetite and relish for food that nothing else does, and by its use we can find ourselves with as hearty, hungry an appetite in Spring as at any other season.

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