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FINANCIAL RECORD

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Compiled and arranged by the Auditor of the State of Indiana, in conformity to the provisions of an Act of the General Assembly of the State of Indiana, entitled "An Act Concerning Township Business," and approved February 27, 1899.

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FOUR FORMS.

Form A, Record of Receipts

- " B, Record of Expenditures
- " C, Record of Balances
- D, 1 and 2, Record of Appropriations

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There is much speculation on how the states will go in the election, Tuesday, November 4. No one knows, but we all have a guess. Here is our guess: Coolidge;

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Colorado...... 6 votes Indiana......15 votes Kansas.....10 votes Massachusets...... 18 votes its Michigan......15 votes New Hampshire 4 votes New Jersey.....14 votes Ohio 24 votes Pennsyvania......38 votes

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Davis Georgia.....14 yotes Louisiana......10 votes Mississippi.....10 votes North Carolina..... 12 votes South Carolina 9 vetes Tennessee..... 12 vetes Texas..... 20 votes Virginia.....12 votes

Maryland...... 8 votes

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West Virginia 8 votes

Total, 165 La Follette

Wisconsin..... 13 votes North Dakota 5 votes Montana..... 4 votes Arizona..... 3 votes

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Wyoming..... 3 votes Nebraska..... 8 votes South Dakota 5 votes Washington..... 7 yotes California..... 13 votes Delaware..... 3 votes Missouri 18 votes New Mexico..... 3 votes

Total, 60

Total number of Electorial Votes 531, necessary to choice, 266. No one knows how the election will go. The entrance of a third party up-sets all previous dope. No two persons will forcast the election the same. Our guess is just as good as anyone's. We will all know in ten days from now.

Care of the Feet.
"I want to tell the readers of The Guide what to use for tender or sore feet. To a gallon of water add 2 tablespoonfuls borax. Bathe the feet in this water two or three times a week and you will find within a few weeks your foot trouble is over." W. J. McG., Indiana. Justices U

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Trimmed Pillowcases.

One can just as easily have a pair of trimmed pillow cases as a pair of plain ones. Unbleached muslin is a sburse-

pretty and serviceable material to use. nents The edges may be scalloped with a pair of shears and quickly bound with a pleasing shade of bias tape. Or the hem may be laid back and bias tape sewed on holding down the

hem. Each side of the tape may be

embroidered with buttonhole stitch in A simple crocheted edge will always beautify a perfectly plain pair of pillowcases and make them fit for Mrs. H. R. Clermont Co., Ohio.

How to Sour Vinegar.

"Could you tell me how to make cider vinegar get sour? Ours is two years old and is not yet sour enough for use." Mrs. C. H. M., Ohio.

In starting vinegar, the barrel should always be placed in the hot sun. The bung hole should be left open, with cheese cloth tacked over to keep out the flies, or some drop a bottle into the hole so as to permit the sun to shine in and keep out insects. Add 1 or 2 cupfuls yeast and 2 or 3 quarts of sorghum or Orleans molasses. In a few weeks your vinegar will be ready for use. The barrel can then be placed in a permanent location in a shed or the cellar. "Mother" from an old vinegar barrel also helps to start vinegar.

When to Prune Grapes. When is the best time to prune grape-vines? Will you please tell me how to prune them? Mrs. W. M. S., Indiana.

Experience shows that the time of pruning grapes is of little importance as long as the vine is dormant. They should not be pruned when the sap is flowing. The amount of wood to be left for fruiting varies with the vigor of the vine. Observations show that a normal vine should carry 40 buds successfully. This should be divided into about 10 buds per cane or branch. It is better to have about 10 buds on each branch than to have less branches with a larger number of buds. Small canes having only three or four buds may be retained from time to time to renew the amount of fruiting wood. Detailed information on the pruning of grapes may be obtained from Purdue experiment station or the United States department of agriculture.

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Those of us who are lonely is crowds and exiles in the midst of outamilies sometimes try to assuage outamilies of the chought that we articularly admirable, however, in being this skinned. If we have finer perceptions and subtler reaction than outassociates—as may easily be the castwood them. No group is going to like a critical superior. If our associates are essentially uncongenial we can hunt up another circle. We have the world to chose our friends from and the world is full of like minded people.

We must usually find our friends among those with whom we come naturally in contact. Clubs for lonely folks have been tried, but the "you shall be friends" spirit seems to defeat its own ends. Artificial attempts, like get-together dinners, are melancholy affairs. Half the guests blow round like whales and the other half sulk. Friendship or develop it out of a slowly discovered liking. Mrs. M. A. H. Indiana.

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Soil and Crops

Fall Seeded Clover

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M. F. L., DuPage Co., Ill., writes:

"I would like to have more clover next tear. Would it be advisable to plow bout September 1, disk, harrow and sow crimson or Medium Red Clover? Would his stand the winter well enough to make good clover meadow next year? Would bu advise another kind of clover for the

I have never been very successful in sowing red clover in August to get a stand the following year. It does not seem to get enough growth and preparation to withstand the winter. Crimson clover is not likely to endure the winters in your latitude, even when well established, and sowprove a failure.

the clovers that seems to be adapted to an August sowing, and if your land contains enough limestone for alfalfa this is the best crop you can sow in the fall. In your latitude it should be sown sometime in August. It will not be necessary to plow the ground, but it should be disked enough to kill the small weeds if there are many. It is best to drill in the alfalfa seed, covering it shalow, then rolling after drilling. Even if the ground is very dry alfalfa will start when the dirt has been pressed against the seed as is done by rolling

Starting Strawberries in Fall

C. C., Henderson Co., Ill., writes: "Please inform me how to start straw-

August is a good time to start a new strawberry bed when conditions are favorable. If the ground is quite moist the young plants will start easily, and will thicken suffi-ciently during the fall to give a good bearing bed by next season. young plants must be handled carefully however, and there must be favorable moisture conditions for If one can get plants from an old bed so as to move them with more or less earth on the roots, and can dig and plant immediately he may expect good results. Only the new runners which have taken root should be used, and they should not be moved until they have developed fairly good roots. Such plants will continue to send out other runners take root and form bearing plants for next season.

In case one cannot get the new plants from an old bed so as to handle them with some dirt on the roots and set them out immediately, but must send to a nursery for plants he should get what are called potted plants, but these are too expensive for planting a large bed. Plants may be set out in September but unless fall conditions are very favorable for their growth the plants may not increase sufficiently to give a large yield of fruit the next season so if possible the planting is best done some time in August.

Putting Pep in the Garden

C. H., Woodford Co., Ill., writes:

Evidently, your garden soil is quite dead and needs some life and pep put in it; and the best thing for this is to plow under some fresh organic matter, preferable some of the clovers. I think about the best thing you can do would be to sow about half your garden to alfalfa at once, or some time this month. If the half that is left is not large enough to grow what stuff you need next year you should make the large than one foot nor farther than two feet from the work.

garden larger for a year or so.

Let the alfalfa grow next year until late fall when it should be plowed under, letting all the growth for the whole season be added to the soil. The next season you will have some nice alfalfa sod to make garden on, and you will find it easier than on old ground and the crops will grow to surprise you. They will grow early and fast and the insect injuries will be small. Next fall you can seed the other half to alfalfa or a mixture of alfalfa and clovers, and after that you can continue a rotation alternating garden crops with alfalfa, and you will grow more stuff

Chicken manure is good to use on the garden in limited quantities, but it does not do all that is needed for a garden soil. One thing about ing in August would be likely to manure is that it makes the soil rich ove a failure.

Alfalfa is about the only one of while the alfalfa roots will enrich the ground to a depth of several feet when plowed late in the fall. The deep fertility will make your plants root deep and thus will prevent them from suffering so much in dry

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Cutting Ensilage in Field

G. D., Carrol Co., Ill., writes:

I have made considerable investigation of these machines and have talked with many farmers who have used them one or more seasons. Almost without exception these farmers are convinced that this method of putting up ensilage is better and more economical than the old

The new machines save enormously on the labor required, that is loading on the wagons in the field and unloading to the cutter at the silo. While considerable help is required, it is largely for driving wagons and this can be taken care of by boys. The fact that the filling is done a little more slowly gives the silage a better chance to settle while the silo is being filled, which allows better packing and less chance for spoilage. I believe that this method will become very popular, especially n localities where good farm laborers are hard to secure. We would be glad to have the experiences of some of our readers who have tried the new ensilage cutters.

Good Outside Whitewash

Several of our readers who have inquired for a recipe for a white-wash for outside purposes, such as fences and outbuildings, which will stand the weather and not wash off will find the following satisfactory:

Slack in boiling water one-half bushel of lime, keeping it just fairly covered with water during the process. Strain to remove the sediment which will fall to the bottom, and add to it a peck of salt dissolved in warm water; three pounds of ground rice boiled in water to a thin paste; one-half pound powdered spanish whiting; and a pound of glue dissolved in warm water. Mix the different ingredients thoroughly and let the mixture stand for several days. When ready to use, apply it If a less quantity is desired, use same proportions. About three parts disinfectant to 100 parts water would make it still better, where poultry or livestock is to be kept.

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Tried and Tested Recipes

Filled Cookies .- Make ordinary once. This corn will not be too salty chocolate fudge and while warm spread between graham crackers or This is also fine to serve with beans use as an icing on top of graham or during the winter as soccotash salted crackers. These will please the children and are better for them than rich cake. They make a good addition to the school lunch. Mrs. H. G.

Baked Apples.—Cut cores from apples without paring. Fill cores with raisins and dust with cinnamon. Prick apples with a fork. Line a baking pan with 1 tablespoonful flour, 1 cupful sugar and 2 tablespoonfuls butter rubbed together. Place apples in the pan, add 1/2 cupful water and bake slowly.

Buns — These are very fine. Take 2 self out of soda, chocolate and brown upfuls bread sponge and let rise for sugar: Cream % cupful butter or lard cupfuls bread sponge and let rise for three or four hours. Add ½ cupful and gradually add 2 cupfuls granulated sugar, ½ cupful lard and 1 egg, working this into the sponge well. Let rise again and then mold into buns. Let rise until double size and bake until a nice brown. This will make three to four dozen buns, according to size.

Caramel lcing.—Dissolve 2 cupfuls brown sugar in ½ cupful hot water. Boil and slowly add ½ cupful cream. Boil until it forms a soft ball in cold water. Flavor with vanilla, add a lump of butter and beat until thick enough to spread on cake. If this becomes too hard while spreading, add a little cream and stir together.

Canned Corn .- To 10 pints of corn add 1 cupful sugar and ½ cupful salt.
Be careful to select good fresh ears and when cutting do not scrape from the cob. Place corn in kettle and add above ingredients but no water. Cook the other method of drying. It requires until the corn is clear and thoroughly only a dash of pepper and a little butcooked. Have cans well sterilized,

fill with corn and pack well. Seal at

When to Trim Raspberries. When is the best time of the year to trim raspberries? Mrs. E. A. R., Ohio. Young raspberry shoots should be

pinched back when they have reached

a height of 2 feet. This will cause

numerous lateral branches to push out,

making the bush more stocky and self-

supporting and greatly increasing the

fruiting wood. As soon as the crop is harvested the old canes should be

cut out and burned. This will help to

prevent the spread of anthracnose. In the spring, after any injury from freez-

ing is past, the new canes can be

Chicken Manure As Fertilizer.

How is a good way to save chicken manure to make fertilizer for wheat? What shall I mix with it and what portion of each? Will I have to have it clean for the fertilizer drill or sow it broadcast with the lime drill? I. C. H., Indiana.

The following treatment is recommanded for the processor of poultry.

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manure: For 10 pounds of poultry ma-

nure, use 4 pounds of sawdust or dry muck, 4 pounds of acid phosphate, and 2 pounds of kainite, and at propor-tional rates for larger amounts of ma-

nure. It is most satisfactorily applied broadcast with a spreader.

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and can be used without parboiling

Apple Salad.—Shred ½ small head of cabbage, add 3 tart apples chopped and a stalk of celery chopped. Sprinkle with salt and cover with a good may onnaise. If the cabbage is covered with hot water for two minutes and then with cold water until it is cold, then drained before put into the salad,

it will not discolor when allowed to

stand before serving.

Chocolate Cake.—The following re-1/4 teaspoonful salt and 1 cupful sweet milk alternately with 21/2 cupfuls pastry flour into which 3 teaspoonful baking powder have been sifted. Then add 1/2 cupful cocoa. It is better to add beaten egg yolks as above noted and then beat and add the whites last or just before adding last of the flour. Bake in loaf tin.

Dried Sweet Corn.-Cut corn and scrape the cob. To 8 pints of corn add scant ½ cupful sugar and ¼ cupful salt. Then add 1 cupful milk or ½ cupful cream. Stir this together well in a shallow pan and allow to cook twenty minutes. Stir to prevent burning. Place on plates or in a dryer and dry thoroughly. When ready to use the corn, add a little water and cook without cooking. This will cook in a few minutes and is much superior to ter and cream for seasoning.

The steel cans in which white lead and paint is shipped can be made very useful around the farm, such as for kitchen utensils, water buckets, poultry waterers, and so on. Some of these are heavy and made of a single piece without seams, and hence can be used on a fire without

These are not hard to clean of the paint, if they are first scraped clean, then rinsed theroughly with benzine, after which they are ready for ordinary purposes. If the cans are to be used for cooking purposes, they should be cleaned as described, then filled with a solution of lye and water and allowed to stand over night, then scrubbed out with hot water and a brush. This will remove the lacquer as well as the paint.

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delicious creamed or escalloped but this is our way of serving it: Cook in weak salt water until tender. Cut inand fry in butter until a golden brown. Anyone who likes mushrooms will like the browned cauliflower. Mrs. A. O.

cupful sugar and 1½ tablespoonfuls lard or butter. Add 1 teaspoonful vanilla, 1 well-beaten egg and mix this together thoroughly. Then add 1 cup-ful sweet milk alternately with 2 cupfuls cake flour into which have been sifted 1/8 teaspoonful salt and 2 teaspoonfuls baking powder. Beat for five minutes and bake in a loaf tin in until thick like gravy. a moderate oven. Use any icing desired. Although cheap, this is a very Mrs. G. R. good cake.

Overnight Cookies.—Cream together 3 cupfuls dark brown sugar, 1 cupful granulated sugar, 1/2 cupful butter and ½ cupful lard. Add 4 well-beaten eggs and 1 tablespoonful vanilla. Sift together % teaspoonful salt, 6 cupfuls flour, 1 tablespoonful soda and 1 table-spoonful cream tartar. Add to other ingredients. Form into a long loaf the morning slice and bake in a moderate oven.

Caramel Pie.—Caramelize 1 cupful sugar, or use dark brown sugar, add 2 cupfuls boiling water, mix and stir well. Add ½ teaspoonful salt to 5 tablespoonfuls flour and mix with a little cold water. Beat 2 egg yolks and add to other ingredients with 1 tablespoonful butter and 2 tablespoonfuls powdered sugar. Mix well and pour into baked pie shell when cool. Cover with white of egg and brown in a quick oven. Use 2 tablespoonfuls powdered sugar in the white. This will this work. One can cut through sevmake one large pie or two small ones. Mrs. E. H.

the stems, pick off and measure into to boiling point. Add the sugar gradglass jars that have been well steri- ually and cook slowly one hour, add lized. In each quart jar use 1 heaping the rind and cook another hour. Turn cupful grapes, and to the 2-quart jars into glasses and cool. Cover with add 2 cupfuls. For the quart jars add paraffine. Rhubarb may be added be-42 cupful granulated sugar, then pour fore the rinds if desired and which in boiling water until it starts to run makes a fine marmalade. Use over edge of jar. Seal at once and pounds rhubarb to each 8 oranges.

Browned Cauliflower.—Cauliflower is turn to test for leaks. We have used this recipe for years and have never lost a can and it is much better than boiled grape juice. Keep in a dry celto small pieces, sprinkle with flour lar. It saves space to use the larger jars and they cost only a few cents more than quart jars.

Chicken Cutlets.—Dress chickens as Delicious Cake.—Cream together 1 for frying, but cut out the bones. Only the hams, shanks and breast can be used well for cutlets. Dip each piece in thick cream, roll in flour and fry in lard until a nice brown. Place in a pan, dot with butter, add a small amount of water and bake until tender. Serve with a white sauce made from flour, salt, pepper and milk cooked

This recipe is given upon request of a reader but it is not practical where one wishes to serve a whole chicken. The other pieces can be used in stew or for noodles or sandwiches.

Caledonia Chocolate Cake-Boil together 2 squares of bitter chocolate, 1 cupful brown sugar, ½ cupful sweet milk and 1 beaten egg. When this has thickened remove from fire and cool. Cream together 1 cupful brown sugar and 1/2 cupful butter. Add 1 whole egg and let stand in a cool place over and 1 yolk well beaten. Then add 1/2 night, preferably a refrigerator. In cupful milk and 1 teaspoonful soda dissolved in hot water. Then flavor with vanilla and add 1 cupful sifted cake flour. Last add the cooked chocolate and another cupful sifted flour. Bake in two deep cake tins. Use the left-over egg white for icing or any icing desired may be used. Mrs. G. R.

Orange Marmalade.—Weigh oranges and allow ¾ their weight in sugar. Remove the peel in quarters and cook in enough water to cover until soft. Drain and remove the white part by scraping with a spoon. Cut this yellow rind in strips, using scissors for eral pieces at a time and lessen the work. Divide the orange into sections, remove seeds and tough parts. Sweet Grape Juice.-Wash grapes on Place in preserving kettle, and heat

Roof Paint for Auto Top

F. A., Winnebago Co., Ill., writes: F. A., Winnebago Co., Ill., writes:

"Perhaps some of your readers will be interested in the way in which I handle a dilapidated or leaky auto top. I do this by covering it with a good grade of light roofing pair such as is used on composition roofs. It is largely asphalt, spreads smooth with a brush on a warm day, dries the next day, and not only is water-proof but looks well. Two coats will hold an old gray mohair top, one coat on pantasote. I like it much better than the prepared top dope."

We are very glad to get this experience from our reader. I should

perience from our reader. I should think there would be a tendency for the cloth to get a little stiff and pos-sibly crack if folded. However, not one top out of a thousand is ever folded, so this is a point one need not to worry about much. It would have to be kept in mind, however, if one tried to use this on a buggy

top or tarpaulin. Mrs. I. J. Franklin of Camp Point, Illinois, Box 91 would like to locate her on, William Franklin, who left home July 0 this year. He is a little over five feet a height, of slender build, dark brown air and blue eyes. He is 14 years old, ie may be using an assumed name. Anyne knowing his whereabouts, please adlise Mrs. Franklin

Making Vinegar

babies on the line.

Making vinegar from apple juice is very simple and easy. It is only necessary to give the juice plenty of access to air and let the fermenta-tion proceed. It will work faster and make vinegar sooner when it can be kept quite warm, but the quality and flavor of the vinegar may not be quite so good as when it is kept in a cellar and works slower. If the juice is put in barrels, they should be filled only half full so the juice will be in contact with the air, as the fermentation is merely an oxidation process. With very green apples and some varieties low in sugar a little sugar added to the juice will increase the strength of the product. Not too much sugar should be added, as it will cause so much alcohol to be formed as to stop the fermentation before the vinegar stage has been reached, and the product will be more like a wine.

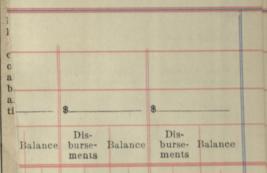
Additions of fresh juice may be added from time to time, but it would be best not to add too much at once, as it will delay the forma- while hot.

tion of vinegar to some extent. To get a light colored vinegar, the juice should be racked off, leaving the sediment in the bottom of the container, which can be cleaned and tainer, which can be cleaned and washed and filled again. The container should by all means be made of wood. If the juice be placed in containers which are kept closed and filled full, the juice may die for the lack of air, and the product will be only some water with a sweetish taste.

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Stuffed Baked Potatoes

Select good-sized, smooth, oval-shaped potatoes. Wash, dry and bake about 35 minutes or until well done. Take from oven and cut an oval in each potato, removing all inside carefully into a pan. Mash with fork adding butter, a little thick cream, salt and pinch of sugar. Beat vigorously, but do not make stuffing too moist. Butter and fill skins, sprinkle with paprika and return to oven for few minutes. Serve





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Can Surplus Chicken.

To can with bones in, dress the chicken as one would for immediate use, season and fry until three-fourths done. Pack in well-sterilized cans, pour the fryings over meat and process for 11/2 hours in boiler of boiling

If desirous of canning without the bones, boil until the bones can be removed, pack into glass jars, cover with the hot liquid, add 1 teaspoonful salt to each quart of meat, put rubbers on cans, adjust lids but not tight and process for 11/2 hours.

If our Indiana readers will write to the Home Economics Department, Purdue University, Lafayette, Indiana, and ask for free bulletins on canning work they will receive some very valuable information and which is much more complete than we can give here. These bulletins are free and should be in every home in Indiana. Readers of other states can get the same informa tion from their own state experiment

The manufacturers of cans, rubbers, canning equipment, etc., all send out valuable circulars on all kinds of canning and it would pay our readers to write to them when they find the advertisements offering to send canning directions. It pays the farm house wife to get all the circulars and bulle

ins on canning the are put out as hey all contain reliable and helpful advice.

Wavne Cow Testing Association.

Cider And Vinegar.

Should water be added to cider in the nanufacture of vinegar? Is it legal to mak vinegar for home use? May it be sold on the market? V. R. C., Indiana.

Ordinarily, it is not best to add water to cider in the making of vinegar. If too much is added, the sugar content will be so much reduced that satisfactory vinegar can not be made. Vinegar may be made in the home and on the farm without a permit if it is to be consumed only in the home or on the farm where it is made. If it is to be offered for sale the maker must obtain a permit from the collector of internal revenue of his district.



TREATING ECZEMA

We receive numerous requests for information on treating cases of eczema. We do not desire to say much in our paper about treating human ills, as there is too much at stake. Sometimes the wrong treatment or neglect to call a physician proves serious or fatal, and we do not wish to be responsible in such cases.

However, we give here a prescription that a reader has sent us for treating eczema and who says it is effective. We do not give it with our testimony as we have never tried it: Once a week apply to the affected parts a saturated solution of equal parts of alcohol and salicylic acid.

E. M. Christen.

When the Calf Scours.

I read in The Guide that some readers have trouble with calves scouring. We had experience just recently with a little calf that scoured from birth. The calf is on full feed now and doing fine. This is my treatment:

Do not feed very much. Give only one-half of its feed of whole milk and bring this to the boiling point. Then add the other half of its feed of skim milk and feed it just as warm as the calf will drink it. Feed in this manner twice daily for a few days and you will soon see a change. Keep in a pen well bedded with clean straw and spray the calf with some fly solution to make it as comfortable as possible.

Mrs. Delsie Lambert.

Wells Co., Ind.

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Excellent Cookies.—Cream together 1 cupful brown, 1/2 cupful white sugar and 1 cupful lard. Add 2 beaten eggs, 1 cupful sweet milk and 2 cupfuls flour into which has been sifted 2 teaspoonfuls soda and 2 of baking powder. Add enough flour to make a dough that can Mrs. H. E. be rolled and cut.

Candied Sweet Potatoes .- Wash, pare and cut lengthwise as many potatoes as needed. Cook ten minutes in salted water. Drain, place in a wellbuttered pan, sprinkle heavily with brown sugar and cook slowly in the oven, turning occasionally so all sides will be sugared and look like candy. These are very fine. Mrs. H. M.

Squash Pie.—In 8 tablespoonfuls mashed and cooked squash add 6 table. spoonfuls flour, 2 of salt, (or salt to taste) 11/2 cupfuls sugar, 1 cupful sweet cream, 4 eggs, 2 teaspoonfuls cinnamon and 1 of allspice. Then add enough sweet milk to make four me-Mrs. C. H. R. dium-sized pies.

Sponge Cake Pie.—Beat the whites of 3 eggs until stiff and add yolks that have been beaten until a lemon vellow. Add 1 cupful sugar and beat this until smooth. Add 1 cupful flour in which 1 teaspoonful baking powder has been sifted. Bake in two layers. Whin 1 pint of very thick cream and spread invert cans to test for leaks.

Pickled Carrots.-Select carrots of between layers and some on top. even size or cut large ones lengthwise. Sprinkle with cocoanut. Serve cold.

> Poor Man's Pudding.—Dissolve 1 level teaspoonful soda in a little hot water and beat it into 1 cupful sorghum or baking molasses, while it is foaming. Add ½ cupful sweet milk and 1½ cupfuls flour in which 1 teaspoonful each of salt and baking powder have been sifted. Then add 1 cupful beef suet chopped fine. Place in double boiler and steam two hours. Serve with cream or butter sauce.

Dill Pickles.—I have a fine recipe for dill pickles. Take large cucumbers and place in a jar. If you wish to can them, cut in two lengthwise and place in cans cold. To ½ gallon of vinegar add 1 cupful salt and 3 tablespoonfuls sugar. Place pieces of dill in the jar or cans and pour the cold vinegar mixture over the pickles. Seal the cans. If the jars are used I scatter pieces of dill through the pickles. This is the best dill recipe I have ever used. Mrs. C. G. T.

Canned Pimientoes.—Select the peppers of uniform size. Remove seeds and place in oven until the skins can be peeled off. Place in hot half-pint glass cans that have been well sterilized, add 1/2 teaspoonful salt, fill with boiling water, place rubbers and lids. Have lids not quite tight. Place in a boiler and process for 1 hour for the pint size. Have the boiling water to cover top of cans at least 3 inches. Remove from water. Tighten lids and

How To Bury Cabbage.

Please tell me how to bury cabbage so to prevent decay. F. McC., Indiana. Select a well-drained spot and dig a hole about 4 inches deep, varying in width and length to suit the amount stored. Allow the leaves and roots to remain on the cabbage and without bruising or breaking, place upside down on the ground. Wrap the outer loose leaves closely about each head. The next row is placed on top of the first, between the upturned roots, and this is continued until a pointed pile is made. Over this, soil is placed gradually, adding more as the weather becomes colder. Only solid heads of the late varieties should be stored. The flat varieties are not as good for storage as are the tighter ball-head kinds. Cabbage is not seriously injured by freezing provided it is allowed to thaw out slowly while still buried in the soil. Ivan D. Murphy.

Trimming Grape Vines.
I saw in The Guide where some one wanted to know about trimming grape vines. We always trim our vines the first of February. If they are trimmed the last of February or first of March they will bleed so much sap away from the vine. I cut all the vine off but one bud on each branch from the main vine. That vine buds out, there is where the grapes are, not all vine and the grapes are not so apt to rot. Washington Co., Ind. S. F. D.

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Buttermilk Pie.—Beat together 2 for eight minutes. Remove and dip eggs, 1½ cupfuls sugar, butter size of into cold water. The skins will now an egg and 2½ tablespoonfuls flour. come off easily. Pack into glass jars an egg and 21/2 tablespoonfuls flour. Add 1 cupful buttermilk, flavor with 1 teaspoonful lemon and bake in an open crust. This makes one pie, S. V.

Nine-Day Pickles .- Place a layer of grape leaves in a jar, then a layer of cucumbers, and repeat until jar is filled. Cover with water. Add 1/3 cupful salt and 2 tablespoonfuls vinegar, weight down and cover. These are good in nine days.

Coffee Cake .- One cupful sugar beat with two tablespoonfuls butter, add one beaten egg and one-half cupful molasses, two-thirds cupful coffee, one teaspoonful cinnamon and one of nutmeg. Last add one teaspoonful soda sifted in three scant cupfuls flour. If raisins or fruit are used, chop fine and dredge in flour and add last.

Spice Cake.—Cream together one cupful butter and two cupfuls sugar. Drop in four eggs, one at a time, and beat thoroughly, then add alternately a little at a time one cupful of sweet milk and four cupfuls of flour. With the last cupful flour sift two teaspoonfuls baking powder, one tablespoonful cinnamon and one-half teaspoonful nutmeg. Bake in a moderate oven and cover with white frosting.

Graham Cracker Sandwiches.-Take 2 cupfuls sugar, moisten with sweet milk and bring to a boil. Mix in 2 teaspoonfuls cocoa and cook until it reaches the soft-ball stage. Remove from fire and add as much shredded cocoanut as you like. Stir until it begins to thicken. Spread between graham crackers and let harden. These are delicious served with fruit or ices. Mrs. J. E. M.

tatoes that has never failed. Wash the potatoes thoroughly, place in a wire basket and drop into boiling water to blanch, leaving them the

that have been well sterilized, add 1 teaspoonful salt to each jar, fill the jars with boiling water and place in boiler of water. Boil for ninety minutes.

Mrs. A. B. N.

Chocolate Icing .- A black chocolate icing that is smooth and soft without being sticky is rather hard to find but the following one is excellent of its kind and is specially good on white cake or on small cakes. Melt gradually, so it will not scorch, four tablespoonfuls grated or scraped chocolate. When melted stir in three tablespoonfuls of milk or cream and one of water. Mix well and add one scant cupful of sugar. Boil about five minutes. Stir only enough to keep it from burning. When the cakes are nearly cold ice with this icing, using as warm as possible only allowing it to cool enough so it will not run.

Canned Corn .- A reader asks that we republish the recipe we used last summer for canning corn on the co We give it here: Gather the ears the same day the

are to be canned. Remove all husk and silk. Put them into a vessel that contains boiling water and cook ten minutes. Then immerse them in cold water for another ten minutes. being done, pack the ears as tight as possible in half gallon glass jars, self scalers. To each jar add two teapoonfuls salt and fill the jars with old water. Put on the rings and caps and screw down as tight as you can with thumb and fingers. Place the jars in the wash boiler with false bottom and fill with enough water to cover the lids. Bring to a boil and hold at the boiling point for three hours. Remove from the boiler and with a cap wrench screw the caps down perfectly

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In buying sodium fluorid ask for the mmercial product rather than the chemially pure preparation. The former is not ally somewhat cheaper, but it comes in bowder form and is believed to be just as

The first thing to do is to shut all the oirds in one compartment so as to make sure that none will be missed. As each is given the treatment it can be released into a second compartment or if the work is lone in the morning it can be turned out-

A good method of applying sodium fluorid is to hold the bird on its side on a

other hand apply several pinches of the chemical to various parts of the body. A small quantity (just a pinch) is applied on the head; another application is made on the neck, two on the back, one below the vent, one on the tail and one on each thigh. In addition, a small quantity should be dusted on the underside of each wing.

A large number of birds may be treated A large number of birds may be treated in this way in a comparatively short time. The best plan is to have two persons on the job. Then one can be getting a bird ready while the other is giving the treatment. Or another plan is to have one person hold the fowl while the other applies

person hold the fowl while the other applies the chemical.

Action of sodium fluorid in the dust form is rather slow but sure. One may find lice present two or three days after treatment. In five or six days, however, it seldom will be possible to find a living louse. While the chemical does not interfere with the hatching of louse eggs that may be present, enough of it remains on the bird to kill the young lice as fast as they hatch.

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Another just as effective and somewhat cheaper method, where a large number of birds is to be treated, is to dissolve the sodium fluorid in warm water at the rate of an ounce of the chemical to a gallon of water. The solution is placed in a tub or large pail. The entire body of the bird, with the exception of the head, is submerged in the solution for not to exceed half a minute. Hold the bird with one hand and ruffle up the feathers with the other hand so that the liquid reaches different parts of the skin. Before releasing the bird, duck the head once or twice for just a second or two.

The dipping method should be done only on warm days when there is plenty of sunshine to dry the birds quickly. This solution does not soil the feathers and is not harmful in any way. The dipping is a little quicker than the pinch method described in the preceding paragraphs and a pound of material will treat more birds. The actual cost is a small item with either method. Lice on dipped birds die almost immediately.

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While sodium fluorid is poisonous when taken internally it has no bad effects on the birds when used as described. The material should not be left where it can be eaten and the solution, after all birds have been treated, should be poured out so they cannot drink it.

In tests conducted by the department of agriculture, it has been found that a pound of sodium fluorid will treat about 100 birds when used as described in the first or pinch method. If the dipping method is decided upon the same amount probably would be enough for from 200 to 300 birds. By the former method from 20 to 30 birds can be treated in an hour and by the latter method from 30 to 40 birds an hour, with one man working.

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Pickles and Relishes

Pickles and relishes are important and tempting to a meal, often adding a piquancy which prevents it from being common place. They have very little food value but stimulate the appetite with the pungent, spicy

Leaflet No. 134 issued by the Department of Agricultural Extension of Purdue University, W. Lafayette, Ind., entitled Pickles—Relighes, contains the following regime: ishes, contains the following recipes:

Suggestions for Pickling

Use fresh, crisp, pickles, good grades of vinegar and spices. Spices should be used consistently; they should not dominate the flavors of the main ingredients. If the spices are tied in a cloth bag they may be easily removed when the vinegar is spiced sufficiently.

Store pickles in glass or stone-ware vessels, the straight side, open-top form

of jar being particularly good. After packing pickles in jar, cover them with three or four thicknesses of clean white cloth which has been cut in a circular shape. A plate placed on the cloth with a clean stone on top, may be used to weigh down the pickles, should they show a tendency not to stay under, the vinegar Examine the pickles frequently and if any soft ones appear, they should be removed.

Crisp Pickles

Soak cucumbers over night in cold water. Pack in jars with a stick of norseradish in center and a slice of onion on top. Pour over these the following, after bringing to the boiling point:

1 cup sugar 1 quart vinegar (This amount is sufficient for two quarts of cucumbers.)

Christmas Presents

Gather the Christmas presents now standing ready around your door, and be prepared when the holiday rush comes. Plain dry leaves, weeds and grasses can be transformed into things of beauty, by coats of oil-paints of delicate shades. Milkweed points of delicate shades. Milkweed pods tinted yellow on the inside and green or silver on the outside, Jimpson weed gilded like gold, poppy pods of lavender, broad dried leaves made beautiful with coats of blue and dashes of silver are gargents. and dashes of silver are gorgeous.

All kinds of dried flowers and weeds are used, many growing by the roadside whose names are unknown are considered worthy of adornment, and a conspicuous position in a big silver or pottery vase. Strange to say, they seem appropriate occupants of such exalted positions.

Painting a dry weed sounds foolish, but just try it out for yourself.
A pint of white paint with an extra bottle of turpentine, a small paint buttle and a few cents worth of yelred and blue coloring matter will enable one to make pink, yellow, blue, green, orange and lavender flowers and leaves. Small cans of silver and gold paint, the kind used to paint radiators, will be worthy additions to the painter's outfit. They can be used to entirely cover a weed, or flower, or may be used in com-bination with the colored paints.

A Christmas present of a bouquet of painted weeds would surely be appreciated by the city woman, but they would brighten the home of a country woman quite as much. Every member of her family would be especially delighted to see with what little effort their enemies the weeds may be turned into things they could enjoy gazing upon.

Beef Salad

Boiled beef in salad form is often served for supper in warm weather. Soup meat will answer excellently for this purpose, since the dressing gives it character and richness. The meat should be cut into cubes (not meat should be cut into cubes (not chopped) and seasoned with salt, pepper and mustard, which have been well blended with onion juice and moistened with a little beef stock. A mixture of lemon juice or vinegar and double the quantity of soled oil or thick cream if preferred. salad oil, or thick cream if preferred, will complete the flavoring. The whole dish should stand for an hour or more after the seasonings are Surround the meat with added. Surround the quartered tomatoes, cut celery or cucumbers. Add a sprinkling of cucumbers. Add a spr mixed parsley, if desired.

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er 1 cupful sugar, 3 teaspoonfuls baking powder, ½ teaspoonful salt and 1½ cupfuls cake flour, three times. Heat 1 cupful sweet milk to boiling point pulverized sugar, 1/4 teaspoonful baking and pour over dry ingredients. Then add the whites of 2 eggs beaten stiff and stir lightly. Flavor with vanilla spoonfuls butter to boiling point, add and almond. Bake in loaf tin. This is to the sugar mixture while butter is hot Mrs. C. C. D. very fine.

Carrot Marmalade.—Several readers have very kindly responded to a call for recipe for carrot marmalade. They are all similar. One is given here: To 2 pounds of cooked carrots run through colander, add 2 pounds sugar, juice and grated rind of 2 lemons and 1 orange, and the water they were pint of water and stir over fire until cooked in. Cook until thick. This well dissolved. Add the grated or Mrs. H. E. makes 7 pints.

is sent in response to a request: Take persimmons that are very ripe and soft, and after freezing weather. Remove seeds and run pulp through a sieve. To 1 cupful pulp add 1 cupful sugar and boil twenty minutes. Place slice of lemon in each glass, pour in the marmalade and tie shut with waxed paper or cover with paraffine. Mrs. A. E. S.

Tomato Bouillon.—Take 2 cupfuls canned tomatoes or fresh cooked to-matoes. Strain through a fine colander For pear preserves, I use ¾ pound of and add to 2 cupfuls meat stock. Then sugar to each pound of fruit. and 2 tablespoonfuls butter, 2 of flour paste is formed. Then add ½ teaspoonful celery salt, 1 teaspoonful salt, ½ teaspoonful black pepper, a little onion juice if desired and red pepper to taste. Cook until thick, stirring green tomatoes, or put through a food some of the pulp with tomato, mix with a good mayonnaise, season well and return to the basket. Place on lettuce leaf on individual salad dishes. This makes a pretty and novel salad for a party. worked into the melted butter until a

Mock Angel Food Cake. Sift togeth- constantly. Serve in bouillon cups or small soup bowls, with salted crackers.

> Cake Icing.-Mix together 2 cupfuls powder and enough sweet cream to make a smooth paste. Heat 2 tableand stir and beat until smooth. Flavor with 1/2 teaspoonful vanilla, lemon or any preferred flavoring. Cocoa may be used for a chocolate icing.

Mrs. J. S.

Quince Honey.-Pare and core quinces. For each large quince allow 1 pound of sugar. Add the sugar to a ground fruit and cook about twenty minutes. When cold it should be tender, then add 2 tablespoonfuls each Persimmon Marmalade.—This also about the same color and consistency of cloves, cinnamon, allspice and salt, of honey. The fruit can be run through the food chopper and which is five minutes, stirring frequently. Then much easier than grating it.

> Canned Pears .- Pare and cut pears in quarters or eighths, although some prefer to leave them whole and allow the stems to remain. To each pound of fruit use 1/3 pound of sugar. Cook in enough water to cover and add sugar. When the fruit is clear and

> green tomatoes, or put through a food

and 1 cupful vinegar. Boil about fortyadd six large sour apples that have been peeled, cored and chopped. When the apples are done, the meat is ready to suit the fancy. We usually cut them to can. Can hot. This is delicious for pies in winter.

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Cucumber Baskets.—Select large, smooth cucumbers. One will make two baskets. Cut half in two, around the cucumber. Then cut from ends toward the center leaving 1/4 inch to extend clear around to make the handle Leave an end in the basket and then Tomato Mince Meat.—Chop 1 peck hollow out until a shell remains. Use some of the pulp with tomato, mix

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salmon, add 2 beaten eggs, 1 cupful covered baking dish or casserole. Add sweet milk, salt and pepper to taste a little water or milk, and butter and and enough rolled crackers to form a bake slowly one hour. If necessary loaf. Bake thirty minutes in a roaster add a little water during the baking. with enough water to keep loaf from burning. Serve hot with tomato catsup or Chili sauce.

Bran Biscuits.—Sift together 2 cupfuls white flour, 1 teaspoonful salt, ½ teaspoonful soda (scant) and 3 teaspoonfuls baking powder. Mix into this 1/2 cupful bran and 31/2 tablespoonfuls melted butter. And last ¾ cup-ful sour milk. Roll on floured board and cut. Bake in a hot oven.

until tender, remove meat from bones and season with salt and pepper. Chop fine, cover with broth from meat, add a little chopped celery and place in dish or bowl for pressing. Use a weight to press. When cold slice and serve on plate garnished with parsley.

Muffins.—Cream together 1/2 cupful butter and ¼ cupful sugar. Sift 1% cupfuls flour, 3 teaspoonfuls baking powder and 1/2 teaspoonful salt. Add to sugar and butter alternately with 34 cupful sweet milk. Beat 1 large egg or 2 small ones until very light and add last. Bake in well-greased muffin tins

sear on both sides as quickly as pos-

Salmon Loaf .- Shred 1 can of red sible. When well browned lay in

Pop Overs .- Sift together 1 cupful flour and 1/4 teaspoonful salt. Add 1/2 cupful sweet milk and beat until smooth. Then add another 1/2 cupful milk, 2 well-beaten eggs, 1 teaspoonful melted butter and beat five minutes Pour into greased muffin tins and bake in a hot oven eight or ten minutes then decrease heat and bake twentyfive minutes longer.

Corn Bread .- Beat 1 egg until light, Pressed Chicken.-Cook an old fowl add 34 cupful sweet milk and 2 tablespoonfuls melted shortening. Sift together 1/2 cupful white flour, 1 tablespoonful sugar, 1 cupful corn meal 21/2 teaspoonfuls baking powder and 1 teaspoonful salt. Add to the egg and milk, beat well, turn into a flat baking pan and bake until a nice brown. If esired replace the melted shortening with 1 cupful crisp lard cracklings.

Waffles.-Beat 3 egg yolks until light and add 3 cupfuls sweet milk. Sift 3% cupfuls flour with 6 teaspoonfuls baking powder, I teaspoonful salt and 1 tablespoonful sugar. Add to the egg and milk beating hard for one minute. Add 2 tablespoonfuls melted butter, then the whites of 3 eggs well beaten. Steak EnCasserole.—Cut round steak
in sizes for serving, salt, pepper, dip
in flour and place in piping hot fat to

Steak EnCasserole.—Cut round steak
Bake on a well-greased waffle iron. If
not stiff enough add a little flour. If
waffles sink after lifting from iron the batter is too thin.

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Now that the melon season is here, I wish each person who cuts a nice, large ripe melon would save all the seeds and plant them next year. Melons are not hard to raise if you

understand them. Quite a few farmers mix the melon seed with seed corn; in that way they are planted and cultivated with the corn and I have never known the bugs to bother them when planted in this way. Melons should be planted early and followed by a second planting three weeks later.

Planting in the open ground is preferable, an old fence row or well rotted sod is good. A tablespoonful of tankage worked thoroughly with the dirt of each hill helps to keep the bugs away as well as to fertilize. Plant plenty of seed but do not crowd the

As soon as the plants are up, begin working the soil. Cultivate often and be sure the last tending leaves the ground free from weeds; then, do not

bother in any way until the melons are ripe as the vines are very tender and should not be walked over or handled in any way.

Pumpkins, squash or sweet potatoes should never be planted near your melon patch. Some say, "Oh, it is no use for me to plant melons, my neighbor's boys will steal them." If each farmer planted a melon patch, there would be no temptation for the boys to steal. Save the seed now and when spring comes plant for the wife, yourself, the boys and girls.

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cook, until thick, stirring constantly. Pour over ice cream when ready to serve. This is very fine.

the juice of 2 lemons and 1 cupful soft and cook up with the grapes. sugar. Slowly pour this into 2½ cupfuls sweet milk, stirring constantly to prevent curdling. Place in freezer and pack with a mixture of 3 parts ice to 1 part rock salt. This is excellent.

Dutch Meat.—Take 3 pounds of fresh chunk beef and cut into sizes to serve. Flour each piece heavily, place on a roaster, season with salt and pepper, and sprinkle with flour. Cover with water, place in oven and cook until tender. This makes its own gravy and which is excellent. Mrs. M. M.

Brown Sugar Icing.-Mix together 6 tablespoonfuls brown sugar, 1 tablespoonful sweet cream and 3 tablespoonfuls sweet milk. Boil five minbefore it hardens. Mrs. A. L.

grapes, wash and stem. Place in well- sugar between the layers. These will

Sauce For Ice Cream.—Take equal sterilized jars, fill with hot water, place parts of cocoa, sugar and milk and cook, until thick, stirring constantly. hour. These are fine for a change of pie filling during the winter. If seeds bother, remove them at time of making Lemon Milk Sherbet.-Mix together pie. Seeds in most green grapes are

> Green Grape Jelly.—Grapes just beginning to turn are best for jelly. Wash, pick and stem. Heat to boiling point, mash and boil about a half hour. Strain through a coarse strainer and then through a double thickness of cheesecloth. Measure and bring to

utes or until it will harden a little in cold water. Remove from fire and beat until the foamy condition has disbeat until the foam condition has disbeat until the foamy condition has disbeat until the foam condition has disbeat unti appeared. Place on cake immediately spread on a plate, flattening them and keep in a dry closet or cupboard. down. Dry in the sun. From time to time sprinkle with the syrup. When Canned Green Grapes.—Select sound dry pack in boxes, sprinkling powdered

keep for a year and the flavor will remain. They taste much like figs. Any syrup remaining may be used in can-

Grape Conserve. Select, wash and cheesecloth. Measure and bring to boiling point and boil five minutes. Then add an equal amount of sugar that has been heated. Boil three minutes. Skin and pour into well-sterilized glasses. When cold cover with paraffine.

Galect the red or yellowing the first pound of grapes and a lemons and run the rind through food chopper. Also put the fruit pulp through chopper. Combine the grapes, oranges and lemons and add 1 pound Tomato Figs.—Select the red or yellow plum tomatoes. Scald and skin.

Take 8 pounds of brown sugar to 8 pounds or a half peck of the tomatoes. Cook in the sugar until they are trans-

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The Home and the Family

Conducted by Florence M. Albright.

The Aged Ones.

"Don't forget the old folks, life will soon be o'er." Make the few remaining years as happy and comfortable as possible. If they like to read, see they get what they enjoy. Do not wait for them to ask you to take them somewhere or get something. When a wish is expressed try as near as possible to fulfill it soon without being asked and do it cheerfully. Don't feel duty bound, although it is your duty to be kind and considerate. Their troubles are many, the same as yours.

They are very sensitive to being "in the way." Make them feel at home and let them feel just as free to invite their company into your home as if it were their own and show that they are welcome. The older folks and neighbors of the same age are enjoyed, so let them have pleasure in their own

When the father, mother, sisters and brothers are gone and you are the last one to remain, then you can see how you will feel if neglected or abused just because you are weak and worthless, so don't wait that long. Make the passing generation happy and contented.

Cook the old-fashioned dishes, even if they are not so pleasing to you, but do not show your dislike for anything they enjoy.

When they are able to work and enjoy it, let them do some light task and make them feel it means much to you to have it done. Time hangs heavily upon their hands and it not only helps to pass time, but it makes them forget their aches and pains in the joy that they are yet of a little good in this world.

Don't by any means stay at home, if it can be avoided, because they do not care to accompany you. It only helps to make them feel they are a nuisance and in the way, which makes them very unhappy.

Put yourself in their place and you will know how to treat them. Scatter the flowers along the way. They will enjoy and appreciate them but on their casket they are admired only by the bystanders. I am caring for an aged parent and although, no doubt, I often fall short, I try to make things as pleasant as my surroundings permit. Whitley Co., Indiana. Mrs. H. M.

Homemakers' Round Table.

Wrinkles in Coat.

"I packed my plush coat in a box last spring and now it has wrinkles in Can you tell me how to remove these?" Mrs. R. M., Indiana.

Use the same treatment as is given above for raising nap on plush coat.

How to Keep Beans.

"If Mrs. L. H. will try my method of keeping beans she will find it all right. This is to put the shelled beans in a paper sack and down in middle of sack place a piece of camphur gum. A piece costing 10 cents will be large enough for each sack. These can be used then for seed or for cooking. Air them over night before cooking." Mrs.

Spots on Crepe Dress.

"I got grease and grape juice spots I remove these?" Mrs. G. E., Indiana. room to room." Mrs. G. C., Ohio.

You say your crepe dress is a good uable garments.

How to Clean Shades.

"Will you tell me how to clean my and spots?" Mrs. W. C., Indiana.

The best method for renovating win-

to a table or boards and apply paint. This will dry in a short time and the shade can be reversed and painted on other side. Any dealer in good standard paints will know what to sell you for this purpose. You can do this work yourself or get a painter to do it as most painters will do this kind of work.

Nonblooming Rose Bush.

"Can you tell me why my rose bush does not bloom? It is several years old and seems perfectly hardy and thrifty. Miss M. L. W.

perienced. The best plan is to dig out the bush and replace with another E. S. variety. I have known rose bushes to grow five or six feet high and never bloom. Even after being cut down they grew up again and did not bloom.

Treatment for Ants.

Several of the readers have kindly sent suggestions for Mrs. D. A. N., who wishes to get rid of ants. One writes: "Tell her to sprinkle sulphur where the ants frequent. We have used this for years and it is effective." Another says: "Sprinkle Cayenne pepper freely in places where the ants bother. You will not need to do this more than twice until the ants will all disappear." Another writes: "Take a saucer and place on it a small piece of fat meat. Put this in the cupboard or where the ants bother. When the ants get thick, drop into hot water. Repeat this and you soon will have all the ants." Yet another: "Sprinkle powdered borax on shelves and where ants work."

Parchment Diploma.

Please tell me how to remove the wrinkles from a parchment diploma." J. H. M., Indiana.

As the little boy said "This can't be did!" There is positively no way of removing wrinkles from parchment. If the diploma is framed when perfectly flat, in time the parchment will draw up and show wrinkles. But this condition is not to be despised. Rather it is or should be pleasing, for it shows the real quality of the diploma and that it is actually written on parch-An experienced photographer who does high-class framing says to try to remove wrinkles from parchment is to ruin it.

Renewing Plush Cloth.

"Will you please tell me how to remove the shiny appearance of a plush coat?" Mrs. F. B., Indiana.

If your coat is a valuable one take it to a dry cleaner and by a process of with that discovery? No, they exsteaming he can revive the surface to plored and explored, trying every some extent. In fact he should be panel, pressing every spring until able to make good plush look like every closet was opened and all treasnew. If you do not wish to go to that expense, treat it as one does velvet. Heat an iron, cover it with a thin wet cloth and hold the under side of the to build and prepare this wonderful plush on the hot steaming cloth. This will raise the nap. Brush briskly while use everything for the purpose inthe steaming is going on. It will require two pair of hands to do the work, as the cloth must be stretched and brushed at the same time.

Book Lice.

one. Then you should take it to a name of book lice because they seem arched ceilings with a canopy of leaves onal dry cleaner. It is well to prefer books and old papers. They and boughs. Velvet carpets, joyous worth the price to have it satisfac- are very small and almost colorless song birds and musical fountains are torily cleaned. Home cleaning is often and are hard to distinguish except all about us. But do any of us know effective but it is rather a risk on val- among the books. They feed on of the secret drawers? If not, let us starched clothing as well but are hard stop here and take a peep into one that to see. Their food consists mostly of was opened a good many years ago, starchy articles. The lice are harm- but still contains things so valuable less and seldom stay in a room that that its uses have not yet all been window shades so as to remove dirt is well lighted and where the sun has found out and their beauty is just beaccess. Book cases or furniture can ginning to be known. be rid of them by applying gasoline. dow shades, and the one used in most (Use this when there is no fire nor lies in the side of a hill. If we go homes now, is to give them a coat of lights in the house.) Sprinkle naphthadown into it, we will find it lined on paint Hard Wall and the coat of lights in the house. paint. Unroll the shade, tack down lene among books and papers and in all sides with a great black substance

shelves and drawers. If these begin to infest mattresses, they become quite annoying. A husk mattress may as well be emptied and the husks burned while the ticking is thoroughly washed. A felt or hair mattress can be cleaned by steaming.

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Good Times at the

Dentist's—Really!

he is led by an apprehensive mother

The modern method is to supply

turn to come for the dentist's chair.

in groups," says Dr. Samuel Adams

Cohen in the October Hygeia popular

health magazine, "and the visit will

seem to the child an excursion of

ears it has been the custom of a Bos-

ton dental infirmary to assemble

children in groups in one large wait-

ing room which is used as a play-

ground. The children play games

until summoned to the dental chair

and their minds are diverted from

the main purpose of their presence

there. Games, toys, exhibits and min-

iature museums are used for the pur-

Canned Foods Week

slogan for Canned Foods Week, which will be celebrated Nov. 8 to 15.

more canned foods than any other

country, exports more, and yet con-

sumes more in its homes. It has in-

vented and developed numerous de-

vices to permit quantity production,

and it maintains at the same time a

quality that conforms with the high-

est food standards of the world-

those of our own federal and state

Our country holds the supremacy

for variety of foods available in cans.

The American industry now regularly

produces no less than 200 different

varieties—a figure that no other country approaches. Like most countries the United States has its

specialties-Americans are about the

only people in the world that eat

corn on the cob and in the can-but

unlike other countries, its diet is not

limited to a few staples and a spe-

Twelve thousand families were

studied and figures secured on what

and how much food they bought in

a year. The report gives details for

27 varieties of meat, six of sea foods,

use considerable quantities of each

following varieties: milk, salmon,

corn, peas, tomatoes, baked beans,

peaches, pineapple, and so on.

The canned foods used, showed the

From these statistics it is appar-

ent that the average family does not

consume foods only in their season

and that they are using the products

of the canning industry to give

governments.

cialty or two.

of these foods.

kitchen.

"If it's in a can, it's fresh," is the

The United States now produces

Dr. Cohen tells how for several

"Send the children to the dentists

into the dentist's office.

pleasure."

Removing Cork From Bottle.

"I read in the paper how a man advised taking a cork from inside of a bottle. I do not doubt but what his process is all right in the end, but it is a long and tedious one. I have one that beats his method all to pieces. Take the strongest cord you have and tie at one end a small piece of iron like a small washer. Drop this into the bottle, turn upside down so the cork will drop into the neck and underneath the piece of iron. Give the This trouble is frequently ex- string a slow, strong pull, and the cork will come out in a jiffy." Mrs. L.

One of God's Storehouses.

In this day of hurry and scurry and our more modern means of travel, I fear we do not spend as much time either for ourselves or our children, in searching for some of the beauties of nature that are near us in some of God's great storehouses. Let us stop and take a peep into one of them:

First. I want to relate a story I once read about a father, who built a wonderful home for his children, putting into it everything they would need or desire throughout their lives. It was beautiful to behold. Its roof was a blue dome like the sky. Its walls were covered with leaves and waving boughs. Its floors were carpeted with velvet and it was lighted with lamps that looked like stars from above. Everywhere, was the scent of sweet perfume and music of birds. Yet all this, was but a small part of the grandeur of the home, for on every hand were mysterious closets, storehouses and secret drawers, locked by magic keys or concealed springs, each containing something precious or beautiful to look upon.

The children were placed in this great home and left to find it all out for themselves. At first, they played about, rolling on the soft carpets and listening to the music of the birds. Finally, they wandered from room to room looking at the beauties everywhere, but one day a boy full of curiosity, prying here and there, touched a spring, which caused a door to fly open, revealing one treasure of the great storehouse. He called to his sisters and brothers and together they took out the strange treasures and tried to use the new materials. At last, by questions and experiments they learned to use the strange contents.

Do you suppose the children stopped ures were brought out. How could they show their gratitude to that dear kind father who had taken such pains house? They, at least, could try to tended, and not destroy or injure any gifts, so lovingly prepared for their

Now just in this same way our loving Father has prepared for all children, and grown-up people, too, just "Please tell me how to get rid of such a wonderful house. This old on a good gray crepe dress. How can book lice. They seem to travel from earth on which we live has the beautiful blue dome roof with marvelous These insects have been given the lights. The rooms have the lovely

The doorway to this beautiful house

Mrs. Lena Stevenson Mann. Editors Ethel Skooglund, The Art of Embroidery

Home and Household

One of the times "when a feller needs a friend" most sorely is when this same feller with a friend, or better several friends who will play about with him in a special room or outdoor area while waiting for his

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Rooms that are over-large and yet are comfortably lighted may be given a more friendly aspect by the use of warm colors of medium tone for walls and furnishings.

For Green Tomatoes

When the first hard frost leaves large supply of green tomatoes on hand, some of them will undoubtedly be made into pickles, but they are also good to use in many other ways. Green tomatoes cut into half-inch slices, sprinkled with salt, dipped in flour or fine bread crumbs, and fried amount of tomato juice presen till tender in a little fat, are excellent. They may also be fried with sliced onions. The following recipes for using green tomatoes have been tested by the Bureau of Home Economics of the Department of Agriculture:

Stewed Green Tomatoes.

8 large green tomatoes. 1% teaspoons salt.

Pinch of pepper.
2 tablespoons butter.
4 tablespoons sugar.

Scraped onion for seasoning.
Scald the tomatoes and remove the skins. Cut into small pieces, boil until tender, season, and thicken with bread crumbs which have been browned in the

Cream of Green Tomato Soup.

12 green tomatoes.

12 cup water.
14 teaspoon soda.
14 tablespoons butter.
12 cups milk.
14 teaspoons salt.
12 tablespoons flour.

tender, and put through a strainer. Saute onlon, pepper, and curry powder in butter, remove the pieces of onlon, then add flour, and later the milk, to make a white sauce. Add the soda to the hot tomato pulp.

Green Tomato Pie.

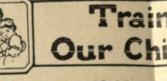
4 or 5 med.-sized gr. tomatoes. % lemon, sliced very thin.

4 teaspoon cinnamon.
4 teaspoon salt.
14 tablespoons cornstarch.

% cup sugar.

1 tablespoon butter.

Slice the tomatoes and heat slowly in a saucepan with the sugar, lemon, salt and spice until the tomatoes are tender. Add spice until the tomatoes are tender. And the cornstarch and cook until the cornstarch does not taste raw. Take from the fire and add the butter. Line a pie tin with pastry and bake the lower crust for 12 minutes in a moderately hot oven, until a delicate color begins to appear. Put the tomato filling in this prebaked crust,



Training Our Children

Don't Enter Into Children's Quarrels and Arguments Helen Gregg Green

nine of milk products, 18 of grain products, 18 of fruits, 26 of vege-DON'T like Dick's mother," Bud contables-altogether it covered over I fided one day when he, Aunt Emmy-ou and I were having a little heart-to-125 different varieties of food. A striking fact is the large proportion "And why not, Bud?" we wanted to of the twelve thousand families that

"Well, every time us fellows get into an

"Well, every time us fellows get into an argument, she's always poking her head out of the window and asking, 'Now what's wrong? Can't you play without quarrelling?' And then out she comes to settle matters. Seems pretty nibby to me. She's always spying on what we're doing. I tell you, we don't often go to Dick's—not any more'n we can help."

After Bud left, Aunt Emmy-Lou, whom all children love, scolded, "Why will mothers alienate the affections of their children's friends! When Dick is older, and of the canning industry to give variety to their diet the year round.

The best way is to celebrate Canned Foods Week, every week in the year, by using the vegetables grown in the home garden and canned by Mother or Daughter in the home kitchen.

Ten's friends! When Dick is older, and Margaret wanting him to bring his friends home, she'll be wondering why they don't come. I dislike these mothers who are always taking part in children's arguments and little quarrels. Children should have a little privacy of their own, and we grown-ups should respect it, the same as we expect them to respect ours."

"Well, you're right, Aunt Emmy-Lou,"

admitted, surprised as always at her

list tale of wor, she started toward the coor. 'Where are you going, Mother?' bick asked. 'I'm going to see that rough bowds boy!' she snapped. 'Oh Mother, lease don't do that!' Dick pleaded. Mar-

Green Tomato Mincemeat.

4 qts. sliced green tomatoes. 2 qts. pared and sliced tart

apples. 4 pound seeded raisins.

pound currants.
tablespoons minced citron.
teaspoons cinnamon.
teaspoon allspice.

4 teaspoon cloves,
5 cups brown sugar,
2 cups vinegar,
2 cups water, or more if the latter is very acid.

Chop the tomatoes and the apples fine.

Add the other ingredients and boil the
mixture slowly until the tomatoes are

tender and the mincemeat is thick and not watery. Stir it occasionally to prevent burning. If desired this may be sealed in scalded jars for later use. The quantities given in this recipe should make When a large number of green to-

matoes must be handled they may be brined. Directions for brining vegetables may be obtained from the Bureau of Chemistry, United States Department of Agriculture, Washington, D. C. The brined tomatoes, when freshened, can be used for pickles and relishes of various kinds and also for mock mincement.

Hallowe'en Party

Have you sent for suggestions for your Hallowe'en Party? The Fun Editor still has quite a few left. Address your letter, Fun Editor, 337 W. Madison St., Chicago, Illinois.

If the house has no running water that's the first improvement needed.

Xmas Gifts



Every man gets plenty of ties for Xmas, but the fact that he needs a shirt more than a



and in additional and in addit After Aunt Emmy-Lou left, I thought, Vell, I know one thing. I'm never going have my boy's friends dislike me, if I nhelp it." And I deliberately walked to the house and closed the door, leave a crowd of youngsters in our front rd having a most heated argument. When Sonny hopped in a while later th, "Gee, Mother, you're a brick!" I ty smiled, for I knew why he thought ther a "brick".

shown; also about 300 styles of dresses, aprons, coats, children's clothes, etc., and, of course, patterns are obtainable of all. This book is offered to readers in order that they may have an opportunity to choose from a large variety of styles and save money in making the clothes and gifts. To obtain one of these books, just send 10 cents, in stamps or coin, to Fashion Department, Prankie Farmer, 337 West Madison Street, Chicago, Illinois.

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The Home and the Family

Conducted by Florence M. Albright.

The Art of Mending.

If it wasn't for a woman's needle, clothing manufacturers would reap rich harvests, indeed. A stitch here and a stitch there, a patch, a turning of cloth, a letting down and thus the life and usefulness of many a garment is increased, lengthened out, and made to do extra service. Woman's ingenuity and thrift transforms and reclaims much that would otherwise be lost. Thus she not only saves but

Mending is an art not to be despised but a valuable accomplishment, in which every young woman should be proficient. A wise mother will not neglect this all-important feature of her daughter's training.

Being the eldest of a family of eight I was early initiated into the mysteries of the art. And thankful I am for the instruction. Seldom a week passes but what I find something upon which to execute my skill. There is always something that needs the saving touch. Underwear, hosiery, blouses, skirts and men's clothing come in for a share of attention.

"I have snagged a hole in the knee of my best trousers," says the son. "Can you mend it?"

I can and do. By applying a patch of like shade and texture on the under side and then turning the garment and drawing the edges of the rent carefully together with thread of like color, I succeed in performing a very neat job of it. Really, after it is pressed, it will take a closely discerning eye to discover the rent.

Recently I was mending a tablecloth. Some very thin places that were beginning to break I strengthened by weaving threads in and out and across the pattern. It is surprising how a timely bit of mending or darning will lengthen out the period of usefulness of hosiery and underwear as well as table linen. A few threads of fine darning cotton woven back and forth across the knee or the thin worn heel or toe means extended

The old saying, "A stitch in time ever. A tiny rip, a dropped stitch, a

is no disgrace in a patch, neatly done. the need of one can often be prevented by a little forehandedness.

Children's hose, bloomers, pants and blouses will not give way half so soon at knee and elbow if those parts are strengthened with an extra thickness of cloth, blindstitched on . beneath, while the article is comparatively new. Garments that are made at home can be easily reinforced thus, in the mak-

Collars and cuffs of the men's and boys' shirts, if alike on both sides, can be turned to good advantage when they begin to break

Braid and bias bands are effectivey used to cover frayed edges and to help lengthen down outgrown dress eeves and skirts.

In mending, thread of the same shade of the cloth one is working with should be used, if possible. Ravelings of the material itself can often be employed to good advantage, in camou-

Patience, plenty of time and good light as well as good eyesight are conlucive to beautiful workmanship. Basting in the beginning and careful pressing at the finish are two very essential aids. Mrs. C. K. T. Osborne Co., Kansas.

Linoleum and Its Care.

During the past years linoleum has proven its worth as a floor covering, until to-day it is to be found in practically every farm home. Its cheery colors and patterns will brighten up any room, and it is extensively used in kitchens, dining rooms and bed

It is made of lineseed, ground cork, and rosin, on which is printed the colors and patterns. Inlaid linoleum has these patterns pressed into its base and consequently they do not wear off until the linoleum itself is worn through. The inlaid is, of course, more expensive but it will last practically a lifetime. However, the printed linoleum will also last a goodly number of years if cared for properly.

The greatest care should be taken saves nine," is still as applicable as in the laying of linoleum, as that is the most important step in its preservafrayed end, a snag, should be remedied tion. It is best to have the floor unat the first opportunity. Though there derneath, as smooth as possible. Wide

cracks should be filled with crack annoy them. Give meat scraps or filler, and rough places smoothed off tankage in the ration. with a plane. This will prevent cracks and dents being made in the surface If the linoleum. Felt paper underneath will also help to prevent wear and make the floor warmer.

In cold weather the linoleum should be kept in a warm room for twentyfour hours before unrolling or bending it, as it cracks very easily when cold. It should not be tacked or cemented for at least two weeks after being laid, as it will spread out and adjust itself to the shape of the floor after lying a while. It is not necessary to fasten it in the creosote. Consult the dealer at all, especially in the case of the from whom you purchase the creosote. rugs which do not come quite to the edge of the floor.

When furniture is moved about on the floor it should be carried rather on poultry." C. F. S., Michigan than rolled or pushed. Small pieces of linoleum, or glass castor holders placed under heavy pieces of furniture will prevent dents. Some preparation should be applied to prevent wear, and preserve the colors. A clear, colorless varnish may be applied; or it may be der wings, around vent, around neck oiled, sparingly and well rubbed in, as are soft wood floors. This work should be done, if possible, in dry weather, and the floor had best not be used for twenty-four hours. After this it may be gone over regularly with an oil mop.

In cleaning, it may be wiped up with clear warm water, not hot. Soap or cleaning powders containing alkali or soda should never be used as these will eat out the linoleum. Extremely heavy use of the cheaper, printed linoleums will wear paths or patches. To prevent this, small rugs of either linoleum or fabric may be laid down at these places. Carleton Miller.

Muscatine Co., Iowa.

Homemakers' Round Table.

Feeding Pullets.

"I am feeding a bunch of pullets for winter layers. I am feeding a mash and grain feed with tankage. A few are laying. They are April hatched. Should I keep on giving the mash?" R. F., Indiana.

Yes, keep feeding as you began. Keep before the pullets, charcoal, grits, oyster shells and plenty of green feed, sour milk and fresh water. To change the feed might stop their growth. You could lessen the mash if desired.

Outside Toilets.

Mrs. R. S. writes: I have found that wood ashes is the best thing to use in the vault of an outside toilet. It is much better than lime and being produced on the farm is had without cost. We keep a large can of it in the toilet and a spoon to dip it out. This is used frequently and it keeps down odor and the flies remain away. Many a little item in The Guide is worth the price of the paper and I wanted to pass this information along.

Likes the Recipes.

"My wife says the recipe for butter scotch or caramel pie published in the August 16 issue is the best she has ever tried. She sure likes the recipes." J. G., Indiana. Another writer. wants all the women to try the one for apple dumplings in the same issue. The recipe for the sauce for dumplings "got out of place" when making up the paper, but I hope all the readers who tried the recipe found the one for the sauce to accompany the dumplings.

Feather-Eating Hens.

"Can you tell me what to do to stop hens eating feathers off of each other?" Mrs. C. F. A., Indiana.

Feather eating begins because the fowls have lice and are not kept busy scratching for their feed. A fowl will pick itself until the blood is drawn and then another fowl will attack it to get the blood and thus the bad habit is started. Sometimes they will kill a fowl in a flock if one or two attack it at once. They are after the blood. Treat the fowls for lice and give all the grain feed in the grass or litter where they must work for it. This is ferent individuals varies not only in more often found in winter when hens are penned and not kept busy and lice the sensitivity. Although wind-borne

Rain Water From Creosote Roof.

"If I creosote the shingles of my house by using a spray pump, how long will it be before I can use the water from the roof?" F. R. R., Indiana.

You can use the water at once after creosoting for launder work. It may be colored some but will not be harmful. It would be best to run the water out of cistern for two weeks after painting. Much depends upon the coloring

Lice on Poultry.

"Please give the treatment for lice

Use either sodium fluoride or blue cintment. Of the former it will require 1 pound for each 100 hens. Use the "pinch" method which is to take a pinch of the powder and rub into various parts of the body, especially unand places where the lice can hide The blue ointment is applied in similar places, being rubbed into the skin well. leaving none on the feathers. Mix the ointment with equal parts lard and divide into pieces the size of a small garden pea. Keep away from children and pets as it is a poison.

Turken Fowls.

"What are Turkens, are they any good and how did they originate?" N.

Turken fowls are said to be a cross between the White Holland turkey and the Rhode Island Red chickens. How ever many breeders doubt this statement and believe they are a breed originating in Europe and are a species of the fowl over there called "Naked Neck." The Turkens are yet to be proven profitable and as to their beauty-they do not have any. It is claimed by some that if such a cross is possible the eggs would not produce chicks. It is best not to experiment very heavily with the new breeds There are many good ones among the standard breeds.

Cause of Hay Fever.

Certain plants which have been accused of contributing to hay fever may be removed from the blacklist. Those plants and flowers which are pollinated by certain insects, such as the goldenrod, the honeysuckle, the lily of the valley, the daisy, the chrysanthemum, and the rose are no longer considered to be important causative factors in hay fever. The blacklist group which extends all over the United States, however, is made up of trees, grasses, goose-foots, amaranths, docks, ragweeds and wormwoods.

The first important step in the prevention of hay fever is the education of the public to the fact that common weeds are responsible for the disease. When the public realizes that weeds are the cause of suffering to many people who may be living at a distance it will view them from a new angle and will make use of one of the many ways of destroying them, or at least of preventing them from reaching the stage of pollination.

Hay fever is a catarrhal affection of the mucus membrane of the upper respiratory tract, with symptoms very similar to those of an acute cold. It is a condition of hyper-sensitiveness to pollen proteins and is produced primarily by breathing of wind-borne pol-The development of hay fever about haying time led to the belief that hay was the cause, and it was not until 1870 that the relation of pollen to the hav fever was established

Investigators are now largely agreed that while there are many plants whose pollen may cause hay fever when applied to the nostrils, only those pollens which float in the air and can reach the nostrils in the coarse of all normal breathing are responsible for this condition.

It also appears that hay fever in difdegree, but also in the character of Ending Dis-burse- Balance burse-ments Balance burse- Balance

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Red Seal Lye in the dairy keeps utenils spick and span. Separator bowlsisually so difficult to clean—are quickly ade bright and odorless. It should not be used on aluminum utensils.

By sweetening hog-swill with lye hogs are made plump and healthy and protected from becoming a prey to dread cholera germs. The lye mixture acts as a stomach-cleanser.

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must be flushed out with about a gallon of cold water, after each using, and they must be taken apart and thoroughly washed once a day—in the the growing wheat in the following morning so that they may have a chance to air all day before being put together again. If it is not washed every day the filth which collects in the bowl and tinware will cause these parts to corrode. It will also become sour and will affect the keeping qualities of the cream, as well as the product-in most cases butter-which is made from it. Then too, it will result the seed bed and plenty of available in actual loss of cream, which will adhere to this refuse as it passes through.

After the separator has been taken apart, it must first of all be rinsed off with scalding water, to wash off most of the greasy refuse. If one were to try to wash it thoroughly without rinsing, he would find that his brushes, cloths and water would be so slick and greasy that he could do nothing with them. After being rinsed it can be washed thoroughly in hot water, to which a little washing powder or soap has been added, taking special care to brush all crevices and spouts well. It is then wiped dry, to prevent rusting, and placed in the milk tank, which may then be set in the bright sunlight to finish the job of killing all germs and bacteria.

If the dairymen and farmers in general would only pay more attention to the above rules and advice, they would find that it would greatly lengthen the life of their machines, as well as enable them to do better service.

Carleton H. Miller. Muscatine Co., Iowa.

The Shy Breeder.

If you have a cow hard to get with calf, feed a teacup of hemp seed shortly before you serve to the bull. I have tried it with good success. Eli Wise. Carroll Co., Ind

Focling the Hessian Fly.

Proper fertilizing of wheat is an invaluable aid to control of the Hessian fly. This statement is not an opinion but a fact, substantiated in one of the oldest fertility experiments in the country-at the Ohio experiment station. In the period from 1895 to 1919, there were seven years that were bad Hessian fly years and 18 years in which the fly did very little damage. In the 18 years when the fly was not unfertilized wheat yielded 13.7 bushels per acre, and fertilized wheat ran 28.1 bushels per acre. Fertilizer in these years doubled the yield, which is as much as any one

could ask for. Now let us turn to the seven years in this period when the damage from Hessian fly was the greatest. In these years, unfertilized wheat yielded only 3.1 bushels per acre,-practically a total loss, not worth harvesting. Fertilized wheat in these same years yielded 14.6 bushels per acre,-not a large yield, but enough to avoid serious loss on the crop, and over four times the yield of unfertilized wheat.

The explanation of these figures lies in the increased resistance which fertilized wheat offers to ravages of insect and disease pests. It is a matter of common knowledge that wheat that has been fertilized comes through the winter with less winterkilling. In the same way, fertilized wheat is better able to overcome attacks of the Hes-

No one should be led to expect that fertilizer alone can completely over-come this fly; a little strategy, combined with the use of fertilizer, is necessary. To fool the Hessian fly, it is only necessary to understand the habits of the insect. In order to reproduce and cause destruction, the adult fly must lay its eggs on young wheat in the early fall. Apparently the wheat plant is the only plant which suits the purpose of the fly. If the young wheat plants are not available at the time when the fly is ready to lay eggs, the eggs are not laid and the fly dies. If the fly finds wheat plants, duction considerably each year.

machinery, can not give satisfactory the eggs which are faid at the base of service unless in proper running order. the leaves soon develop into larvae In cleaning, the bowl and tinware and go down into the base of the young wheat plants and destroy them. The larvae pass through the winter in the "flaxseed" stage, seriously damaging season. Finally, after the wheat is harvested, the flies emerge from the stubble, looking for young wheat on

which to lay eggs. Fooling the Hessian fly consists of delaying seeding until the egg-laying season of the fly is over. Delayed seeding is hazardous from the standpoint of winterkilling. Good preparation of plant food in the soil overcome the disadvantages of a late seeding, and the fly is avoided.

Notes for the Beekeeper.

It is sometimes desirable to keep comb honey for a better market, or that we may have a supply for the whole year. To keep it with unimpaired flavor it must not be subjected to dampness or freezing temperature. If kept in a damp place water will be gathered on the surface of the comb and soon dilute the honey so that it will sour. On this account it should never be placed in a damp room, but kept in a place that is absolutely dry and at a high temperature, nearly 100 degrees F. For a small amount a cupboard in the kitchen near the stove is a good place, but in such places beware of mice, ants and flies.

In transferring bees from box hives, blow a little smoke in the entrance of the hive and place it bottom upward and about a foot back from the stand, then place a new hive upon the same stand. Next remove the bottom from the box hive and after removing it, place a small box large enough to cover the bottom (not the top) of the box hive. Tap on the sides of the box hive till most of the bees run up into the small box. Then remove the same and place it in front of the new hive.

The sides of the box hive, which are parallel with the combs should now be

emoved. A smooth board about the size of a hive cover should be placed flat on the ground near the open side of the box hive and upon this place several thick nesses of paper, so as not to harm the sealed brood when the combs are placed therein. With a sharp knife cut the first comb from the box and place it upon the prepared board. Place an empty frame on the comb and run the knife all around the inside of the frame on the comb. Then remove the frame and cut all along this mark. The frame can now be slipped over the If it will not stay in the frame it should be fastened by tying pieces of string around the frame and comb The rest of the combs may be removed and placed in the frames in like manner and be placed in the new hives as fast as prepared. V. M. C. fast as prepared.

Was It the Corn?

Last year being a bad year to save good seed corn, many farmers this year used the 1922 crop for seed. A farmer not far from here sold a large quantity of old corn for seed, thinking it was good, but it proved almost absolutely worthless and these buyers had to get seed elsewhere. Some then used the 1923 crop and had good re-

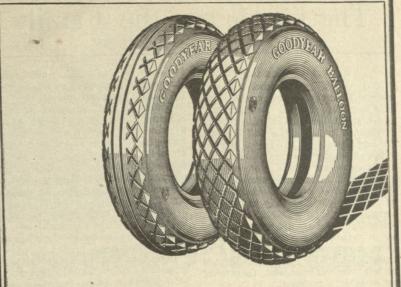
Talking with some farmers about it they said they would never use old corn any time for seed, as they thought it too risky on account of slow germination and liability to rot in a rainy

Naturally old corn is a few days later in coming up and this year those few days seemed just enough for the seed to rot, while the new corn came on quicker and got above ground before it had time to rot. So whether it was altogether the corn or the weather this year, is a debatable question.

Preble Co., Ohio. A. V. Priddy.

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Lice and mites decrease the egg pro-



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every person comes in contact with it, yet only those who are sensitized develop the fever. Also, there are people who are sensitive to the pollen of the ragweed and not sensitive to the pollen of grasses. Other people react to the pollen of wormwood but are not affected by the pollen of grasses and ragweed. Still others react in various degrees to all these pollens.

There are in the United States usual-

four well-defined seasons of hay ver. The dates vary greatly in diffever. The dates vary greatly in the fever that the country, and are dependent on the flowering season of the other new one can be substituted when the first one gives away. the hay-fever plants. The fever, com-mon in some parts of the country in wood, ash, elm, walnut and maple trees. Large amounts of pollen are wind borne from these trees and un-doubtedly are a cause of hay fever ocfrom this source is of no great prac-

tical importance.

Hay fever which begins in April and extends through May, June and July, is probably caused principally by the pollens of grasses. In the east, red-top is sometimes the offender but more particularly timothy and June grass. In the middle west, June grass and sweet vernal grass are the principal hay-fever producers during these In Indiana by far the most important single causative agent is timothy.

June and extends through July, and August to September, is caused largely by the goose-foots, docks and amaranths. These groups are minor causes of hav fever in many states but are important principal causes of hay

The type of hay fever which begins in August and continues until the first frost is caused largely by the pollen from the ragweed which is found in nearly all parts of the country east of Kansas, although in the set the amaranth group again is the principal cause of fall hay fever.

Medical science has found that skip.

Medical science has found that skin tests will show to which pollens the individual is sensitive and in many cases physicians are able to prevent hay fever by the early or preseasonal administration of solutions made from the offending pollen.

Indiana Medical Ass'n.

Care of Clothes.

Just because you are wearing ex-pensive clothes is no reason that you are well dressed. In some cases the average woman might be really well dressed while a wealthy society woman might appear positively shabby with the most expensive garments on.

The whole secret in being well groomed is found in the daily care that is given the wardrobe. How few people realize this necessity of keeping up their wardrobes, is apparent by the number of semishabby people we meet in a day's trayel.

gioves may soiled parts with cornmeal moistened with enough gasoline to keep the mean from scratching the gloves, then driven the gloves in the open air.

Mrs. W. A. Holt.

Do not wait to get a garment on be-

Philadelphia Ice Cream.—Mix to-gether 1/2 cupful sweet cream, 2 cup-

fuls milk, ½ cupful sugar, 2 teaspoonfuls vanilla. Scald the milk and cream and then add the other ingredients

after they have cooled. Freeze and let ripen before serving.

Vegetable Salad .- Mix together well

8 chopped beets, 2 cupfuls cold potato, 1 can peas, 1 head lettuce chopped or

shredded, a little chopped onion and celery. Salt to taste and use a good mayonnaise dressing. Garnish with

shredded mango or pimiento.

pollen is so widely distributed that fore realizing that it lacks a button snap, hook, eye, tape or ribbon, or has a loose hem or a rent that should have been mended long since, but was forgotten. Immediate attention should be given to worn places in a garment if you wish to prolong the life of it. This is especially so of the heels and toes of stockings. It is often economy to buy two pairs of stockings alike so that when one is so full of runners that it is beyond repair, and the other one is good you will not need to discard them but substitute a new one for the

Quite often we see a woman or man February, March and April, is due usually to the pollen of oak, cotton-spoil their whole appearance by wearing shoes with the heels run down or very much in need of polish. If we would keep our shoes in good condition by regular polishing and keeping curring during these months in many states. The period of tree pollination in Indiana is so brief that hay fever their shape we should keep tuem on shoe trees or stuffed with paper when not in use. Patent leather shoes or slippers, not worn constantly, should be kept in a flannel bag where it is dry and warm. Brushing them over with milk occasionally keeps them from cracking. While speaking of shoes we should say something of shoe strings. Shabby strings or ribbons are inexcusable. There is nothing more annoying than to have a string break on a hurried morning and realize that it is the only one in the house. Instead of buying only pair at a time, why not buy a half a dozen pairs?

To look well groomed and to make our clothes last as they should, we must keep them cleaned and pressed. Overcoats and outdoor wraps should be thoroughly brushed, pockets turned out and brushed well, then properly pressed at least once a month, and they should be hung on hangers. A square of cheesecloth, linen or cre-tonne with a hole in the center should be hung over the hanger to cover the shoulders of a garment to keep the material free from dust. Dust resting on the shoulders of a garment makes it appear rusty. No matter how clean the house may be, some dust is bound

Street suits should not be worn in the house by women. They should be slipped off and a house dress substituted as soon as the wearer comes in.
Brushed and hung properly, they last
twice as long and look a hundred per
cent better while they last.

There are a number of millinery effects that stamp a woman as being shabby, such as a faded flower, a drooping bow, dusty velvet, shabby ribbon and broken or chipped orna-

Small rips in gloves should be mended as soon as they appear. Kid gloves may be cleaned by rubbing the soiled parts with cornmeal moistened with enough gasoline to keep the meal from scratching the gloves, then dry

Pulaski Co., Indiana.

Pour this over the well-beaten egg

yolks and stir a few minutes. When

Tried and Tested Recipes

To-morrow's Telephones

So vital a factor has the telephone become in American life that the demand for it would undoubtedly grow even without increases in population. New businesses are founded; others expand. New homes are established in town and city, in suburban dwellings and apartment houses.

To meet the needs of America, to-day and to-morrow, with the best and cheapest telephone service, is the responsibility of the Bell System. The telephone will grow with the population and prosperity of the country, and the plans of to-day must anticipate the growth of to-morrow.

The service which is given to-day was anticipated and provision was made for it, long in advance. Money was provided, new developments were undertaken, construction work was carried through on a large scale. The Bell System, that is, the American Telephone and Telegraph Company and Associated Companies, has continuously met these requirements. It has enlisted the genius of technical development and the savings of investors for investment in plant construction.

Over 315,000 men and women are owners of the American Company's stock and over half a million are investors in the securities of the System. With a sound financial structure, a management which is reflected in a high quality of telephone service, the Bell System is enabled to serve the increasing requirements of the American public.



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worth cinnamon bark and 2 cents worth whole cloves. Place in a stone jar, tie shut and keep in a cool cellar. These will keep a year and can be opened from time to time as used.

Tomato Preserves,-Cook. 1 quart chopped pineapple in water to cover until tender, or use canned pineapple Add 21/2 pounds sugar and 1 quart yellow tomatoes, simmer for a while and then add 2½ pounds sugar and the grated rind and juice of 2 lemons. Cook intil thick and pour into jelly glasses If placed in glass jars, seal when cold.

Corn Relish .- Mix together the fol lowing ingredients: 6 ears fresh, ten der corn, 6 large onions chopped, red peppers, 6 green peppers, 3 sweet peppers, 6 large cucumbers, 1 bunch celery, 3 tablespoonfuls ground mus-tard, 1 pound sugar, 1 quart cider vinegar, a small amount of salt. Cut all vegetables fine, boil fifteen minutes and can hot.

cool add the beaten whites of the eggs and the cream. Mix well, add nut Good Mayonnaise.-Mix well together 2 tablespoonfuls sugar and 2 of flour. Work into this 1 teaspoonful mustard. Be careful not to leave any Bean Salad.—Take 1 can of kidney beans or 1 pint home-cooked beans. Drain off all juice, add 1 cupful chopped celery, 1 small onion chopped, small lumps. Add ½ teaspoonful salt and 3 beaten eggs. Beat together well and add 1 cupful good cider vinegar. Then place on stove and pour in ½ cupful boiling water, stirring briskly 1 cupful chopped cucumber or sweet pickles, a little mango or pimiento. Season with salt, pepper and a little to prevent curdling. Add 1 tablespoon-ful butter or more if a richer dressing is desired. When well cooked and smooth remove and cool. When ready sugar, and cover with a good mayonto use add half as much whipped Maple Nut Ice Cream.—One cupful spiced Beets.—To 1 gallon cooked cream and you have a delicious dress-ing for either fruit or vegetable salads. It too sour weaken with water. Add you can use without the cream if desyrup on stove and let come to boil. 2½ cupfuls brown sugar, 5 cents' sired in a heavy vegetable salad.

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To Save Shoe Laces.

here. A simple remedy for shoe strings that lose their tips in their youth is to dip them in glue—that is the tip. If necessary you may have to repeat this until the tip becomes stiff. Then you are able to string your shoes with much less bother.

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WAGONS (STEEL WHEELS

The metal tips on shoe laces have a habit of pulling off. When they do so, it is rather inconvenient to string our shoes and it wastes a lot of our time and patience. Although the strings are new or practically so, we either discard them for new ones or else they soon ravel out at the ends and we are forced to spend money for new ones.

but Franklin said, "A penny saved is a penny gained" and we can apply that here. A simple remedy for shoe

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RED BELTS

A Stirring Tale of Early Days in Tennessee

BY HUGH PENDEXTER.

CHAPTER III. (Continued.)

It lacked an hour of ten o'clock when Jackson finished trailing Thatch to his lonely cabin. After completing his horrid business, Thatch had proceeded to an isolated Indian hut and hung about near the clearing waiting for an opportunity to steal the furs. Polcher had told him the furs were not necessary, but possibly the old man planned to palm off the scalp as having belonged to the owner of the pelts and thus doubly insure his supply of strong drink. But the Indian owner had remained near his cabin door, and as the shadows gathered the old man sought his shadows gathered the old man sought his

cabin.

Jackson had planned-to follow Thatch
until he went for his whisky, but as time
pressed he abandoned his purpose and
hurried back to find Sevier. He was much chagrined to find no candle burning in the court-house. If he was to keep his appointment with Elsie, he could not waste any time looking for his friend. He hesitated for a moment, then set off for the Tonnit cabin.

Tonpit cabin.

He stood at the edge of the clearing just as the moon climbed above the forest crown. The cabin was dark, and a hush hung over the place. He proceeded to the arbour and softly called her name. Even as he paused for her to answer, he was convinced she would not come. Not only did the clearing and the cabin exhale the atmosphere of something abandoned, but the queer fancy obsessed him that life had never dwelt there; that his meeting with the girl in the morning hours was a dream.

He had promised her he would not seek her at the house, and he had assured Sevier he would seek her father there. The silence was oppressive and grew upon him and his first feeling, which was of sadness, gave place for alarm.

sadness, gave place for alarm.

Groping his way to the log, he brushed it with his fingers and was rewarded by finding a scrap of paper. This should have brought him happiness and should have dispelled his morbid imaginings, for it proved she had been there a short time since and, therefore, must even now be in the cabin. The effect on his melancholy was quite the contrary; it savoured more of some memento of old, dead days, like the finding of a keepsake in the debris of ancient things.

"Idiot?" he snarled at himself, "One—

the finding of a keepsake in the depris of ancient things.

"Idio!" he snarled at himself. "One would think I was bewitched. Elsie has been here and left a word for me. Now to see what she has to say."

He hastened out into the thin moonlight and essayed to read the paper but was baffled. It was maddening to know he must wait until he reached a cabin light before he could know her message. It was a small, irregular piece of paper, suggesting it had been torn hurriedly from a larger piece. This in itself, betokening great haste or need of secrecy, was disquieting. He turned, eager to reach a light, then remembering his word to Sevier. Thrusting the paper into his hunting-shirt, he strode through the clumps of shrubbery and made for the

cabin.

Elsie had said her father retired to his room at this hour but not to sleep. He walked the floor much of the night, but no light shone in the cabin. To make sure, Jackson made a circuit of the house before approaching the door. Then as he raised his hand to rap his first premonition of emptiness came back to him. He pounded lustily and gained no heed. The cabin was dead. He seized the latch-string only to drop it. He knew he could gain an entrance easily. Tonpit would not bother to lock the house.

If Sevier were correct in his surmises, the thieves in the settlement would respect the place as belonging to a friend of McGillivray. Honest men would not Elsie had said her father retired to his

intrude. But what would it profit for him to enter? He had no light, and he doubted if a crumb of fire would be burning in the fireplace now it was July. His fumbling hands would find many reminders of the girl, and he needed no more than his heart now held.

Turning away, he regained the trail and

girl, and he needed no more than his heart now held.

Turning away, he regained the trail and hastened back to the settlement. As he approached each cabin, he pulled forth the paper, hoping to find a lighted window outside of which he could pause and read his message. The settlers, however, retired early in the Watauga region, and each cabin was a squat, dark mass. But ahead there did gleam a light, a tiny beacon, and he knew Sevier was awaiting his return to the court-house.

He ran swiftly and noiselessly and without pausing to announce himself pushed open the door and jumped across the threshold. Sevier was seated at the table, his right elbow resting on it, his hand gripping a long pistol, the muzzle of which covered the door.

"You, Jackson!" he softly exclaimed, dropping the pistol. "You come as if the devil was after you."

"There's no one in the Tonpit house. She left a message for me, and I haven't had a chance to read it." panted Jackson, snatching up a candle and holding it close to the paper. Sevier watched his face closely and saw the dark features change from a frown of perplexity to a scowl of understanding.

"Read!" choked Jackson, restoring the candle to the table and dropping the note. Sevier bowed over it and read—

Little Talassee.

"Little Talassee! Where McGilliv-

Then the borderer excessions of the girl!"

"That's more important than the disappearance of the girl!"

"No, no. Calm yourself! Miss Elsie will be safe in McGillivray's town. But, if it's known a peaceful Cherokee has been murdered, we'll have joining with Watts without waiting for any help from the Creeks. That will be the chance McGillivray has been waiting for—and the Lord help the Watauga, the Holston and the French Broad and poor John Robertson down on the Cumberland!"

"But no Cherokée will be missing, let alone be dead. It's a Creek that furnishes the scalp," reminded Jackson.

When I have 'nough whisky."

Polcher reappeared above the sill and seized Thatch by the arm and hoarsely accused:

"What the devil does this mean? This ain't a prime, fresh scalp. It's more'n a dozen hours old."

"What ye tryin' to make out now, "What ye tryin' to make out now, and the keep his terror from showing. Polcher?" choked Thatch, striving in vain to keep his terror from showing. Then with a smothered oath he hissed—"Creek hair! You—"

"Don't! Don't!" pleaded Thatch, his voice squealing. And he sought to tear his arm loose.

"And we can't afford to have the Creek's murder known any better than we could a Cherokee's," creid Sevier. "Mc-Gillivray would never forgive the slaying of his messenger. The office is almost sacred. — Hubbard for getting us into such a mess! Oh, why didn't I examine the brushpile when down there! I found it easy enough but thought it could wait till I had more time. Time? Every second fights against us!"

"If Major Hubbard hadn't killed the Creek, then Thatch would have wiped out a Cherokee. It's six of one and half a dozen of the other."

"Not so. You would have stopped Thatch. But we're wasting time. Make for the tavern. If Thatch isn't in Polcher's room in the back end toward the garden, he hasn't arrived. You must hold him up and take the scalp from him."

"And you?"

"Tm off to do what I should have done before—bury the Creek where none will find him. Report to me here. Remember what is at stake!"

"Tm an American," growled Jackson, snatching up his rifle and gliding from the tap-room of the tavern contained

Poicher held him firmly and stared with lack-luster eyes into the frightened face for nearly a minute. His gaze seemed to exert a hypnotic influence on the wretch, for the struggling ceased, and the plead-

for the struggling ceased, and the processing stopped.

"Now tell me where you got a Creek scalp," gently commanded Polcher.

Mumblingly and often inaudible to the eavesdropper behind the currant bushes, Thatch blurted out his story of having found a warrior buried under some brush. The man had been dead only a few hours, and he supposed it was a Cherokee.

"It was atween the three black oaks

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"It was atween the three black oaks an' a clump of poplars," he explained. "An' I couldn't see why his sculp wasn't jest as good as if I'd done for him."
"It's just as good," slowly replied Polcher. "It's much better. And the Watauga will pay the price when Mc-Gillivray hears of it. His messenger killed by the settlers! By the Almighty, but won't he rage! And I know who killed him and scalped him, and we'll prove it."

"Polcher! Ye don't go for to throw me, do ye?" whispered Thatch.
Polcher laughed.
"None of my friends did this."
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