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There are three great questions which in life we have over and over again to answer. Is it right or not? Is it true or false? Is it beautiful or ugly? Our education ought to help us to answer these questions.—Lord Avebury.

CHILDREN'S COLUMN.

Earning His Living.
Hattie Plough, who is only 9 years of age, sent the accompanying picture and a little letter to the Brooklyn Eagle. In her letter she said:
"These are my two cousins and their pet dog. They are fixing him to the lawn mower so he can mow the lawn. He is a very nice dog. He does not bite at all. When I go up there, I play with him. He is very fond of children."



THE STOP FOR OIL.
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Father and Son.
Some soldiers came into a village during a time of war and asked for a guide. A poor day laborer was ready to go with them. It was very cold and snowed and blew in a fearful manner. He begged the villagers to lend him a cloak, but they paid no attention to him, but only one old man, a foreigner, who had been driven out of his own country by the war and supported himself in the village as a smith's journeyman, had compassion on the day laborer and gave him his own old cloak.

The soldiers marched on, and lo, late in the evening there came riding into the village a young and handsome officer in a splendid uniform, with a cross of honor on his breast. He asked for the old man who had lent his coat to the guide. The kind hearted old man as soon as he saw the officer cried out, "It is my own son Rudolph!" and he folded him to his arms.

Now Rudolph had been enlisted as a soldier many years before and had been promoted to be an officer on account of his good conduct and his valor. He had heard nothing more of his father, who was formerly a master smith in a market town. But the son knew the account of the guide that his father was at this time living in that village.

Father and son wept for joy, and all the people who stood near wept with them. Rudolph remained with his father all the night. He gave him before he rode away a supply of money and promised to take further care of him.
But the people said, "As the old man had compassion on others so God has had compassion on him and has let his son find him again, who has delivered him from all his necessity."—From the German of C. von Schmid.

He Meant Business.
A Davenport boy went to New York, says Success, to solicit a position to travel for a wholesale house. He went there with a letter of introduction and a tale told that they did not want to engage him. He tried to prevail on them to allow him to make a trial trip, but to no avail. Finally he proposed to them that he should stay in the city, and they were ready to sell.

He then went on the road on his own account and made money, so that when the firm saw he meant business they were ready to employ him, and he is now wealthy, being a member of the firm. Not a boy in a hundred would have had his persistence after refusal. There is nothing like courage or faith as an aid to success. Another member of that firm had only 14 cents when he reached New York to seek his fortune.

Can You Explain It?
A curious optical illusion is to be seen in the accompanying figure from La Nature. At the places where the white strips separating the black squares cross

each other a hazy penumbra may be seen. If, however, attention is concentrated upon one of the spots it disappears, though the others remain visible.

Wanted to See Her Minister.
A little girl, the daughter of a clergyman, was ailing and had been put to bed early.

"Mamma," said she, "I want to see my papa."
"No, dear," said her mother; "papa is not to be disturbed just now."
Presently came the pleading voice, "I want to see my papa."
"No," was the answer; "I cannot disturb him."
Then the little parishioner rose to a question of privilege.

"Mamma," said she, "I am a sick woman, and I want to see my minister!"—Exchange.

The Driver.
The driver whistled as he drove. And he drove the dust like a cloud of smoke. He drove the clouds like a flock of sheep. He drove the leaves in a hurrying heap. He whipped the bats from the pantry. And tossed them up till they seemed to fly. He drove the dust like a cloud of smoke. And raised in the tops of the tallest pines. He never paused in his greeting rough. For it seemed he could not go fast enough. But where he was going none could say. And all you would hear if you went that way, "Oh, what a dreadfully windy day!"
—Lout's Companion.

Cats Live In The Churches.
In Naples there exists a race of cats which live in the churches. They are kept and fed by the authorities on purpose to catch the mice which infest all old buildings there. The animals may often be seen walking about among the congregation or sitting gravely before the altar during time of mass.

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Mr. A. Forsythe, a well known resident of Manvers, Ont., used the great medicine with most happy results, he says:

"For two years I was in a low condition of health, suffering from nervousness, fainting spells, loss of appetite. I was under the care of two doctors, but received no benefit from their treatment; I was advised by a neighbor to use your wonderful medicine, Paine's Celery Compound. The use of this marvellous preparation soon produced the very best results. I am glad to report that my health is improved in every respect; I am stronger, sleep better, and my appetite is good and natural. I am pleased to recommend Paine's Celery Compound to all sick people, as I believe it is the best medicine in the world."

Many, indeed, think of being happy with God in heaven; but the being happy with God on earth never enters their thoughts.—John Wesley.

The Druggists are Busy.
Druggists report great demand for the new 25 cent size of Catarrhose, and to-day's sales almost cleared out their stock. They explain this rapid run on Catarrhose by the fact that it gives better satisfaction than any other remedy on the market. Druggists say that Catarrhose is the only remedy that really does cure Catarrh, Bronchitis and Asthma. It relieves quickly, is pleasant to use, and is a great guarantee to cure, or your money back. Readers suffering from Irritable Throat, Bronchitis, Catarrh, &c., are strongly advised to get Catarrhose; it never fails to cure even the worst cases.

No school is more necessary to children than patience, because either the will must be broken in childhood or the heart in old age.
—John Paul Richter.

A lazy liver may be only a tired liver, or a starved liver. A stick in the back of the liver is the worst. But it would be a waste of time to beat a weary man or a starving man because he lagged in his work. So in treating the lagging liver it is a great mistake to lash it with drastic drugs. In ninety-nine cases out of a hundred a torpid or sluggish liver is but a symptom of an ill-nourished body, whose organs are much overworked. Let your liver alone. Start with the stomach and its allied organs of digestion and nutrition. Put them in proper working order, and see how quickly your liver will become active and energetic. Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery has made many marvellous cures of liver trouble by its wonderful control of the organs of digestion and nutrition. It restores the normal activity of the stomach, increases the secretions of the blood-making glands, cleanses the system from poisonous accumulations, and so relieves the liver of the burdens imposed upon it by the defection of other organs.

Barber to Boy—How will you have your hair cut?
Boy—Just like pa's, with a hole in the top.

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When Mrs. Stowe visited the White House, Lincoln best she saying, "And is this the little woman who made this big war?"

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Soft corns, corns of all kinds removed without pain or sore spots by Putnam's Painless Corn Wart Extractor. Thousands testify that it is certain, painless, and prompt. Beware of substitutes offered for the genuine "Putnam's" Extractor. Safe, harmless. At all druggists. Sent by mail upon receipt of twenty-five cents. N. C. Polson & Co., Kingston, Ont.

"Can you let me have that ten dollars you owe me?" said Thornton to Perkins.
Perkins shook his head.
"But I really need the money."
"Do as I did—borrow."

Minard's Liniment—Lumberman's Friend.

HOUSEKEEPER'S CHAPTER

Interesting Things That the Good Housewife Will Read and Profit By.

WINDOWS ARE OPEN NOW ALL DAY.
And notwithstanding great care, dust is bound to settle on everything. The piano is the one piece of furniture that should be specially cared for. Many piano owners have never learned how to protect their instruments properly. Keep a space of ten or twelve inches between the piano and the wall. That will improve the tone, and the instrument will be safer from dampness and changes of temperature. Never put books, music or bric-a-brac on a piano. That deadens the tone and often causes unpleasant rattling.

When the keys grow yellow they may be cleaned by being carefully rubbed with very fine sandpaper. Another way is to dilute nitric acid in soft water, half an ounce of acid to five ounces of water. Apply to the keys by rubbing with a brush.

Then wipe every key carefully with a flannel dipped in clean water. Acquiring a wholesome furniture dealer, the best furniture polish is made of one-third alcohol and two-thirds sweet oil. Apply the polish with a soft cloth and then rub dry with another one.

BATHTUBS NEED ATTENTION.
If a bathtub has part of its enamel worn off it is hard to keep clean. It is very easy, however, to re-enamel an old tub at slight expense. Scrub it first with a strong solution of soda in water. When perfectly dry apply the first coat of enamel. Allow this two days in which to dry, and then put on the second coat. After drying for twenty-four hours fill the tub with cold water and let it stand twelve hours. Empty, dry thoroughly and add the third coat of paint.

There are several ways to clean an enameled tub. One that is easy and quick is to pour some benzine on a cloth, scour the bathtub well with it, and then wash with water and soap. Another method is to take a heaping tablespoonful of kitchen salt, wet it with turpentine and scour the bathtub with this. Then rub carefully with a clean cloth. Caution! Do not try to rub this plan to the tub in trying to get rid of the salt and turpentine mixture is used.

FOR A QUICK BREAKFAST.
First serve any good fruit that may be the market. At seasons of the year cut in halves, and season with sugar. Just now small fruits, melons, etc., are in favor. Follow with oatmeal porridge and cream. Bacon, sliced very thin, is quickly cooked through, and may be served with eggs on toast, or with milk, or a cup of milk, tea or coffee completes a breakfast that a physician of merit declares is fit to set before anybody.

TO WASH BLACK SATIN.
Do not discard a black satin gown simply because it grows limp and rusty. It can be made quite new again by sponging the material on the right side with equal quantities of spirits of wine and water. Rub well across, but down the fabric. Rub hard and wet the cloth well. While still damp, iron on the wrong side. A good wash for satin is also made of soap and water, and a few drops of ammonia. Rub with right side and iron on the wrong side.

PASTE THIS IN THE KITCHEN.
A pinch of bicarbonate of soda will prevent a quart of milk from turning sour in hot weather, unless left too long without use.

Give your bread plenty of time both for rising and baking. The secret of good bread making is never to be in a hurry.

Use macaroni or barley or vermicelli as a garnish in soup. It should first be partially boiled in plain water to get rid of any outside impurities. This is too often neglected.

In using arrowroot for the thickening of gravies, etc., it should always be mixed smooth with cold water in a cup and stirred well. This is to prevent it from caking in the bottom of the cup.

The House Beautiful.
A bay window affords the opportunity for decorative notions. The recessed window suggests a low seat running round it, upholstered in artistic tapestry and curtains, and a harmonious coloring. It is easy, at the cost of little thought, to produce something picturesque if we have the chief material ready to our hand.

In a large room an ordinary window may be treated by a young housekeeper that in effect it was "recessed." This effect was gained by an archway which stood out at a distance of about two feet from the window, the sides being shut in with screens and with palms in tall stands and a seat being arranged beneath the window.

Another way of "recessing" is by means of two brass arms jutting out from the wall, one arm on either side, these connected in front by a brass pole, hung with curtains, draped at each side. Curtains should also hang from the side arms and shut in the window. Finish with a window seat.

The Helpful Girl.
The helpful girl is a great factor in any home. It is rather better to be the helpful daughter than the amazingly accomplished one. Everybody loves the helpful girl. When your head aches it is the helpful girl who runs to get the smelling salts and coolest pillow for you. When there is to be company for dinner the helpful girl comes forward like a little captain and puts her shoulder to the wheel. As she busily sits about the dining room a sense of rest comes to you, for you feel certain that she will make things appear to their very best advantage. She brings out from hiding bits of china and glass you had entirely forgotten about and puts the odd dishes to some novel and handy use.

MISERY AND HEALTH.

A STORY OF DEEP INTEREST TO ALL WOMEN.

Relating the Sufferings of a Lady Who Has Experienced the Agonies That Afflict so Many of Her Sex—Passed Through Four Operations Without Benefit.

Throughout Canada there are thousands and thousands of women who undergo daily pains—sometimes bordering on agony—such as only women can endure in uncomplaining silence. To such the story of Mrs. Frank Evans, of 33 Frontenac St., Montreal, will bring hope and joy, as it points the way to renewed health and certain release from pain. Mrs. Evans says: "I feel that I ought to say a good word for Dr. Williams' Pink Pills, in the hope that my experience may be of benefit to some other suffering woman. I am now twenty-three years of age, and since my eleventh year I have suffered from the ailments that afflict my sex. At the age of sixteen the trouble had grown so bad that I had to undergo an operation in the Montreal general hospital. This did not cure me and a little later I underwent another operation. From this I received some benefit, but was not wholly cured, and I continued to suffer from pains in the abdomen and bilious headache. A few years later, having with my husband removed to Halifax, I was again suffering terribly and was taken to the general hospital, where another operation was performed. This gave me relief for two or three months, and again the old trouble came on, and I would suffer for days at a time and nothing seemed to relieve the pain. In February, 1899, I was again obliged to go to the hospital and underwent a fourth operation. Even this did not help me and as the chloroform administered during the operation affected my heart, I would not permit a further operation, and was taken home still a great sufferer. In 1899 I was advised to try Dr. Williams' Pink Pills, and decided to do so. I have used the pills for several months, and have found most relief from them than from the four operations which I passed through, and I warmly recommend them to all women suffering from the ailments which afflict so many of my sex."

Writing under a later date Mrs. Evans says: "I am glad to be able to tell you that not only has the great improvement which Dr. Williams' Pink Pills effected in my condition continued, but I am now perfectly well. I had given up all hope when I began the use of the pills, but they have restored me to such health as I have not before known for years. I feel so grateful for what your medicine has done for me that I gladly give you permission to publish my story in