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If both parties remembered that they married for worse as well as for the better.

If men were as thoughtful for their wives as they were for their sweethearts.

If there were fewer silk and velvet street costumes, and more plain, tidy house dresses.

If there were fewer "please darlings" in public and more common manners in private.

If men would remember that a woman cannot be always smiling who has to cook the dinner, answer the bell half a dozen times, and get rid of a neighbor who has dropped in, feed a sick baby, tie up the cut finger of a six year old on skates, and get an eight-year-old ready for school. A woman with all this to contend with may claim it as a privilege to look and feel a little tired sometimes, and that word of sympathy would not be too much to expect from a man who, during the honeymoon, would not let her carry as much as a sunshade.

The Latest Cabinet Shuffle.

The recent changes in the Dominion cabinet have terribly weakened that body, and are so utterly at variance with good horse sense that I see in it an indication that Sir John has made up his mind to defeat upon the reassembling of parliament. If he had any chance of carrying through he would not have dreamed of appointing McLellan minister of finance. McLellan used to be a senator, and while a member of that august body delivered a speech on the Canada Pacific railway question that was credited with being a giant effort. I don't know where he got that speech, but it brought the into prominence, and Sir John, eager to seize at anything and everything that would strengthen him, called the senator to his support. McKay, of Truro, N. S., created a vacancy by retiring, and McLellan resigned from the senate and was elected in his place, being created minister of marine and fisheries. He has made no more big speeches, and when put up to reply to Cartwright during the budget debate last session was an utter failure. If he should ever have to introduce a budget of his own, Cartwright will simply wipe the floor with him. As for Foster, his elevation is designed, I suppose, to placate the New Brunswick temperance vote, but both appointments are so poor that I am forced to believe that Sir John has made up his mind that this game is up, and is evening things with his followers. Forlister was originally elected to parliament as an independent temperance man, but soon became a thorough-going, servile Tory and a chronic office-seeker. He has at last been rewarded for the sacrifice of what he called his principles by being called to the ministry to offset Carling and restore the equilibrium on the temperance question destroyed by Sir Tilley's resignation. He has a certain amount of ability, but not nearly as much as he thinks he has, and his manner is expressive of pedantic self-consciousness. [Toronto News, (Ind.)]

Good and Bad Underclothing.

A notion exists that red is particularly advantageous color to give to the undergarments, and drawers worn in very cold weather. There is no foundation in fact for such an idea. It has been said that the dye stuff used for the purpose of producing the color in question is more irritating to the skin than the other substances employed, but even if this were true—and I am strongly inclined to question the correctness of the statement—it would be no reason for using red-colored undergarments in preference to brown or white. It is not irritation of the skin that is wanted, we put on underclothing for protection from cold and sudden vicissitudes of temperature. When it is necessary to irritate the skin it is better to make use of a mustard plaster or blister and not to divert the clothing from its proper objects. Underclothing should be made of white material. Theoretically, black would be preferable for winter use, as it is a better non-conductor of heat and a better absorber of moisture than any other color, pink being being equal; but it would probably be difficult to get people to clothe themselves in clothing of this color or to find the necessary articles in the shops.

How the Tories Look.

The Hon. Peter Mitchell is a member of Parliament, a supporter of the Conservative Government, and the editor of the Montreal Herald. His opinion is the opinion of the journal he owns, and is worth while knowing, in view of the facts, how the Herald looks on the present upheaval in Quebec. In a article a few days ago that journal remarks:

"This crisis through which this Province is passing is not without its lessons, and its warnings. Men are forecasting their political leader, but the question is not they ever drawn to him by ties of respect and confidence? Have not one and all, underlying this tidal wave, some grivance, not of a personal kind, but connected with the administration of public affairs? Have they not been neglected because they are not influential? Have they not been treated as instruments of the party, and not as individuals? It is altogether likely. The one man-power that dominated the caucus dominated the party and through the party the entire country. The party machines were too tightly bound to admit of anything but such action as the party interests seemed to call for. The independent opinion of an individual was treated with contempt, and the only hope was the destructive of the individual's political future. But suddenly the people, their constituents are noted by a great wave of emotion, indignation, and resentment towards the Government. These men, who were unable to spare party restraints. They discover new strength. They fling from them their party bonds. They find in the popular will a protection against party threats and party retaliation. They remember the days of their bondage with bitterness. They bid good-by to the one man-power, and they are glad of the chance; they spurn the caucus and the party whip, and they look back with disgust on their long continued thralldom."

Sleeping Shoulders.

This is a serious evil. It compromises both appearance and vitality. A slooping figure is not only a familiar expression of weakness or old age, but it is. The cause of careless habits, a direct cause of contracted chest and defective breathing. It is a sure sign of decay in the system, while at school you will probably go bent to your grave. There is one good way to cure it. Shoulder braces will not help. One needs, not an artificial substitute, but simply means to develop the muscles whose duty it is to hold the head and shoulders erect. I know of but one bull-eye shot. It is to carry a weight on the head. A sheepskin or other strong bag filled with twenty to thirty pounds of sand is a good weight. When engaged in your morning studies, either before or after

Household Hints.

Honey should be kept in the dark, or it will crystallize. The bees, knowing this, work in dark hives. It might be entered the honey would become solid and the bees would starve. [Toledo Blade.]

To remove grease spots, says an exchange, apply dry buckwheat flour at first, and you will be delighted to find in the morning the spots have totally disappeared without injury to texture or the color of the choicest fabric.

Mullein for catarrh: To use it simply smoke it in a pipe, like tobacco, only inhale the smoke by drawing a long breath and forcing the smoke through the nose. Tea made of mullein is good for coughs and colds.

It is a common occurrence for children to get bean-grains of corn and other foreign substances up their noses. This simple remedy is worth remembering: Get the child to open its mouth; apply your mouth over it and blow hard; the offending substance will be expelled from the nose.

A deal of breakage among glass and crockery can be prevented by the simple precaution of placing lamp chimneys, tumblers and such articles in a pot filled with cold water to which some common table salt has been added. Boil the water well and allow it to cool slowly. When the articles are taken out and washed they will resist any sudden changes of temperature.

A cream pudding:—Make a nice paste, as for any other pudding that is baked in plates. Line as many pie plates with it as will serve your family. For each pudding, take a small tablespoonful of butter. Break it into very small pieces and dot closely over the bottom of the pastry. Sprinkle well over with white sugar, then with sifted flour. Repeat until the plate is nearly full, and then cover it over with new milk into which you have poured a teaspoonful of extract of vanilla, or any other seasoning you prefer.

Tea cakes:—Rub one heaped teaspoonful of baking powder into a pound of flour. Add two ounces of butter and a quarter of a pound of sugar and two ounces of currants. Mix with two eggs well beaten and stirred into half a pint of buttermilk or new milk. Roll out and make of the quantity six tea cakes. Bake in a moderate oven, when done wash over with the yolk of an egg beaten up with a teaspoonful of milk. These tea cakes are very nice set in slices and buttered cold for tea.

Glossy starch:—Take two ounces of white gum arabic powder, mix with water and pour it on a pint of boiling water, according to the degree of strength you desire, and then, having covered it, let it stand all night. In the morning pour it carefully from the dregs into a clean bottle, when you have poured a teaspoonful of gum water stirred into a pint of starch that had been made in the usual manner will give laces, either black or printed, a look of glossiness, when nothing else can restore them after washing. It is also good, much diluted, for white muslin and bobbinet.

Scalding Pigs in a Hoghead.

A hoghead or big barrel, is often the handiest thing a farmer has to scald pigs in. When it is inclined to one side, and the pigs are slid into it from a wood shed, used for a scalding table, it works very well, but the small quantity of water it will hold when in this position soon gets cold, and long delays are often caused if many pigs are to be scalded. To avoid this delay, and use the hoghead in an upright position, a lever may be rigged like a well sheep, using a chain and pulley. Let the pig, and a strong pole for the sheep, white oak stick—such as every farmer who can do so, should have laid up to season. The iron rod on which the sheep moves must be strong, and stiff. A trace chain, as for a saddle, is attached to the end of the chain has the upper end, and if the end of the chain has a ring instead of a hook it will be quite convenient. In use, a table is improvised, unless a strong one for the purpose is at hand, and this is set near the barrel. A noose is made with the chain around the leg of the pig, and he is used in going entirely under water, lifted out when the bristles start easily, and laid upon the table, while another is made ready for the next animal. [American Agriculturist for December, 1885.]

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