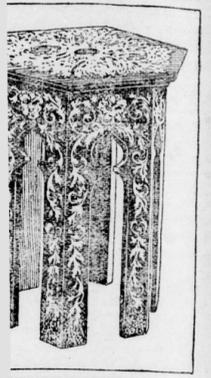


OF PYROGRAPHY

SATILE DECORATION CAPABLE OF MANY APPLICATIONS.

Necessary Instruments, Including Platinum Points, and How to Use Them - Preliminary Practice, and In-Poker Work.

variety of uses to which pyrography may be applied is endless. It is especially the broad and flat surfaces, but it can be used in the adornment of the tiny articles by delicate lines and shadings, says a Good House-keeper in preface to the following instructions:



DECORATED TABORET.

is used for poker work. It is the only metal that will be a gas of the naphtha by supply of heat is sustained. The outfit consists of platinum, a cork covered handle, a rubber tubing, a naphtha filled lamp and a rubber tubing attached. It is also to have some alcohol and to be sure to have the naphtha corked and never open where there is a light best spark of fire, as it is inflammable. The alcohol should be used when we're around.

Does he cut any ice in the town? Well, I guess yes! He is a coal dealer. Have you caught the murderer yet? No, replied the detective: we haven't caught him, but we've got him so scared that he doesn't dare show himself when we're around.

Experienced Corns and Warts. Your unsatisfactory experience with other preparations should not influence you against Putnam's. It was the first, best, the only painless corn cure. Give it a trial. A corn treated with other remedies wouldn't do so again if it could help it. Give your corn a chance. Druggists who sell only the best always sell Putnam's Painless Corn Extract.

Jenkins' mother-in-law was buried one day last week. Jenkins was visibly affected as he followed the hearse. "Beat up air," said the undertaker. "Don't cry." "I can't help it," sighed poor Jenkins. "Poor woman! Do you know this is the very first time we have been out together without quarrelling?"

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CASTORIA

For Infants and Children.

The greatest beer drinkers in the world are the Bavarians. The beer drunk in Bavaria annually is about 50 gallons per head of the population. The Belgians come next.

THOUSANDS OF CANADIANS can vouch for the efficacy of that peerless cough remedy, Pny-Balsam. It cures a cold very quickly. 25c. of all druggists. Manufactured by the proprietors of Perry Davis' Pain-Killer.

Indignant Bicyclist—Madam, your dog snaps at me every time I pass. Here he comes. Starts off. Old Lady—Sport! Sport! you foolish dog! Come here. Them ain't bones. Them's legs.

CHILDREN WILL GO SLEEPING. They return covered with snow. Half a teaspoonful of Pain-Killer in hot water will prevent ill effects. Avoid substitutes, there is but one Pain-Killer, Perry Davis'. 25c. and 50c.

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The Danger of Piles. Piles are usually caused by constipation, lack of exercise or sitting on wet seats or cold stones. They frequently develop into tumors, fistulae or ruptures of the intestines. Dr. Chase's Ointment has never failed to cure piles and put an end to the wretched itching and uneasiness. It is truly a wonder to all who have used it and is guaranteed to cure every case of itching, bleeding or protruding piles.

now almost moth-eaten or mouse-eaten. The mink is the fur, and mink is strawberry and pae-

A LIFE SAVED.

Marvellous Recovery of little Minnie Gallagher from Malignant Diphtheria.

Statement made by Mr. Gallagher, of Toronto, Regarding the case.

He says: "Minnie Gallagher is my niece, and with four of the other children was prostrated with a malignant type of diphtheria, and her life was despaired of; in fact, the physician in attendance had given up all hope, and before leaving for the night expected that her death would occur before morning, and had given directions for the disposal of the body. It was at this crisis I advised the family to try Dr. Arnold's Tonic Pills. I had used them before with excellent results in my own family, and owing to their germ killing properties I felt confident they would do more to effect a cure than any other method of treatment. The most wonderful results followed. During the night we administered seven pills in all, and by morning the girl was able to take nourishment. Within two days more she was able to be about, and at the present time is in splendid health." (Signed) H. Gallagher, 78 Gerard street West, Toronto.

The above are the actual facts of this most wonderful cure, and beside the testimony given by Minnie's uncle, a dozen others in the neighborhood who are familiar with the circumstances can vouch for every word stated here.

Dr. Arnold's Tonic Pills are sold by all druggists, large box 75c, small 25c, or sent postpaid on receipt of price by the Arnold Chemical Co., Limited, Canada Life Bldg., 43 King St. West, Toronto. Booklet sent free.

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Gold Beneath Dross

BY T. C. DEAN Author of "Cui Bono," "Love Tales of a Convent," "The Bread Winners of a City," Etc., Etc.

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CHAPTER V. A Consulship Declined.

When the Clarkflower received these papers two weeks afterwards, she took them at once to Hestmead. On the evening of her visit to him, she dressed herself in a plain, girlish costume, wearing no jewelry whatever, but fastening in their stead some simple flowers on her breast. Her hair was caught up in one massive roll beneath a narrow-brimmed plain black straw hat, which set into relief the marvellous symmetry of her faceless head. Though her toilet was a plain one, she lingered long over it, her aim seeming to be to dispense with anything that had the least tone of "loudness" about it, while wishing to make herself as beautiful as she could, and when at last she stood before her mirror, her toilet completed, she was what an artist would have termed a "dream in satin." She called a cab and was soon afterwards ringing the bell at Hestmead's private London apartments. He was at home, having been in the city on business for some weeks, and admitted her almost before he recognized her. As she entered his little parlor, the gas light falling full upon her, he saw who it was, and stopped abruptly, apparently dazzled by the vision that met his gaze. He was much changed and appeared to be very thin, but his great sad eyes flashed with sudden fire at sight of her, and the breath in his breast came and went rapidly. He seemed for a moment undecided what to say or do, and looked as if he was about to catch her to his heart, and she stood there, her ruddy lips half open in anticipation, her hands trembling as if that was what she expected him to do. The fire in his eyes soon died out, however, and he said quietly, "It is you!"

"Yes, it is I," she replied. "I have brought you some good tidings, I hope. Here is a letter for you."

He opened the envelope, scanned the contents, and then turned deadly pale. "You succeeded, then, where all others failed?" he questioned.

"Yes! are you glad?" "For reply he took the warrant of his appointment and deliberately tore it across the center, folded it, then tore it again, and continued tearing it until the paper was in fragments, then he tossed the small particles into his fire-tray grate.

"Oh, you foolish fellow," she said half sadly, "when I wanted you to have this promotion so much."

Silence then fell between them for a little time. He seemed collecting himself for a struggle. "You are not well," she presently ventured. "I can see that in your face."

"I am not ill," he said, "and am much better than I was two weeks ago."

His changed appearance touched her deeply. In spite of what he said he seemed weak and emaciated, and there was a foreboding of a coming illness in his sunken cheeks.

"The city air is bad for you," she went on. "The sea breeze would revive you. Let me put my yacht at your disposal for the next month."

"No, I thank you. I shall be busy at the department here for the next six weeks."

"You have not offered me a chair yet. Is that the way you treat your old friends?" "I did not know how long you would wish to stay."

As she helped herself to a seat, she became conscious that the fire of his previous demeanor to her when arguing with her had died out and that in its place had come a calm resignation that was extremely mournful.

"Can I not do something for you?" she asked, stung by his apparent helplessness.

"I am afraid not," he answered. "Then why do you not chide me, or berate me, according to past custom. I think I would rather you do so."

LAKEVIEW.

Mrs. Keet, of Duntoyne is visiting her sister, Mrs. McDiarmid.

Mrs. W. R. Adams is very ill with gall stones of the liver. Dr. Johnston is attending her.

We have heard it said that Mr. Norman McConnell has sold his farm to Mr. George Woodworth, consideration \$2900.00

A large number of citizens are down with colds, and the grippe.

The Rev. J. D. King will start evangelistic meetings in Calvary church on Monday evening, 18th inst.

Next summer will be a time of improvement with a number of our farmers. Mr. S. McDermid intends moving and rebuilding his barn.

Mr. M. H. Chute and Peter McCelland will build up to-date hog pens. Millidge McConnell intends putting in a cellar and F. Saxton will enlarge his house.

LETON.

Mr. J. Richardson has returned from a two weeks' visit with friends in Burlington and Lowellville.

A number from here attended the Art League and report a very pleasant time.

Miss L. Neil who has been spending the past year with her sister Mrs. E. Doolittle left on Tuesday for her home in Evansville, Ind.

Miss B. Knott, of Richmond, spent Saturday and Sunday with Miss L. Doolittle.

To the wife of Mr. F. E. Dunn a daughter.

Mrs. E. Doolittle entertained a number of the young people on Saturday evening to a very enjoyable tea party.

Mrs. W. Leonard, Mrs. W. Doolittle, Mr. F. and Mr. E. E. Dunn, are all on the sick list.

We have handsome Watches with Gold and Silver Cases, and second hand Watches, and also Gold and Silver Jewelry, and also Gold and Silver Chains, and also Gold and Silver Bracelets, and also Gold and Silver Rings, and also Gold and Silver Earrings, and also Gold and Silver Pins, and also Gold and Silver Buttons, and also Gold and Silver Buckles, and also Gold and Silver Belts, and also Gold and Silver Cuffs, and also Gold and Silver Studs, and also Gold and Silver Chains, and also Gold and Silver Bracelets, and also Gold and Silver Rings, and also Gold and Silver Earrings, and also Gold and Silver Pins, and also Gold and Silver Buttons, and also Gold and Silver Buckles, and also Gold and Silver Belts, and also Gold and Silver Cuffs, and also Gold and Silver Studs.

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MR. OGILVIE HAS RESIGNED. A Complete Overturning of Yukon Affairs Immediately Imminent.

Ottawa, Feb. 11.—There is to be a complete overturning of Yukon affairs. The long list of questions placed on the order paper by Sir Charles Hibbert Tupper coincides with the acceptance of Commissioner Ogilvie's resignation, which has just been decided upon by the Cabinet.

While it is true that the Yukon has been radically reformed by new orders-in-council, it is the further intention of the Government to appoint an inspector of licenses, who will have the same upon the eligibility of applicants for all sorts of licenses. This, however, will not be done immediately. Mr. Sifton will first get his own man in Mr. Ogilvie's room. The favorite is, of course, a West-erner.

Too many asthma sufferers give up their search for cure, believing that their particular case is beyond the control of scientific treatment. It is only necessary to point all such to a new hope in Dr. Chase's Syrup of Linseed and Turpentine, the one great remedy which has proven its efficiency not only as a prompt relief, but also as a thorough cure for asthma.

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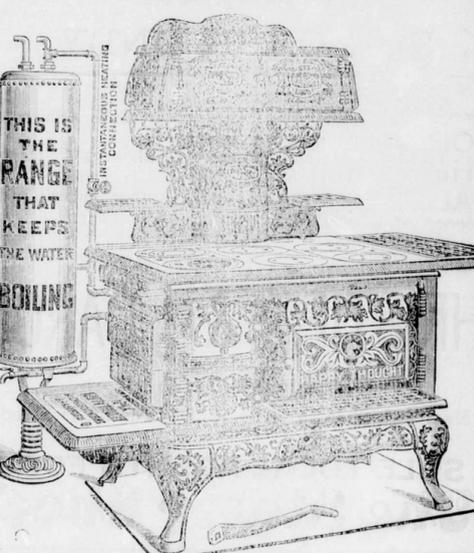
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