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German ladies are proud of being called "the most domesticated women in the world," and certainly, from the German empress down to the most humble hausfrau, the German women have due regard for what the German



MOVABLE TEA TABLE AND CHINA CLOSET.

emperor called the three K's—kinder, kitchen and kirchen (children, kitchen and church). The way in which German women have made domesticity into a science was well illustrated at a recent domestic exhibition, where the very newest domestic appliances and many inventions to save time and trouble were surrounded by day by interested crowds of housewives.

Not for the German woman is the dishcloth that has been used many times, that has reposed in an unsanitary heap on the kitchen sink and that is, more often than not, when left to the mercies of "merely Mary Ann," simply a dirty and unsightly remnant. The German hausfrau has a bunch of dried grass, which she leaves to soak in a dish of pure cold water when she has finished with it. The grass does its work better, lasts longer and is much cleaner in use than any cloth.

A German woman doesn't hang things from the shelves which are also stocked, and if you think for a moment you will recall that it is this habit of ours that causes so much breakage and vexation of spirit in the American kitchen. A good plan, too, is that of having glass doors to the dresser shelves, for think of the many weary dusting downs and incidental breakages this plan saves. In a corner there is always the kitchen rubbish box, which yawns complacently and receives all the rubbish except the refuse food, thus keeping the kitchen scrupulously clean.

The German stove always stands like a great iron table in a convenient part of the room, a spot from which all the little dressers and ice cupboards can be readily reached. It has, too, numerous little apertures for the saucepans and kettles to stand on, and these are all composed of a variety of iron rings, by the removal of which, one after the other, the heat may be regulated to any degree of intensity. The firing of these stoves is managed by bristles of pressed coal, perfectly clean to the touch and so cheap that the cooking of a large family can be performed for twopenny a day.

A new and most ingenious apparatus for cleaning windows consists of a flat piece of board furnished with an India



A SAFETY LADDER.

rubber edge. The window is first wiped with a wet cloth, then the board is drawn across it, and, lo, it is as clean and clear as crystal. A new patent household ladder, furnished with a movable platform, on which a servant may stand to dust the walls or ceiling or clean windows, is a very ingenious contrivance. The platform is furnished with railings round it, so that one cannot fall off, and is so safe that a child might stand on it. It can also be adjusted to any height on the ladder.

For the Late Sleeper. In the morning when thou risest unwillingly let this thought be present: I am rising to the work of a man. Why then am I dissatisfied if I am going to do the things for which I exist and for which I was brought into the world? Was I then designed for nothing but to doze and batten beneath the counterpane? Do I exist then to take pleasure and not at all for action or exertion?—Marcus Aurelius.



RED ROSE TEA

Good Wearing Qualities.

Donatello is a Greek who has amassed a small fortune in Boston in the sale of fruit, and that in the face of the fact that he writes the advertisements which decorate his stand. A recent sample which he produced and displayed is this:

American and Foreign Fruits
Noted
For Their Durability.

Verdict for Dr. Pierce

AGAINST THE

Ladies' Home Journal.

Sending truth after a lie. It is an old maxim that "a lie will travel seven leagues while truth is getting its boots on," and no doubt hundreds of thousands of good people read the unwarranted and malicious attack upon Dr. R. V. Pierce and his "Favorite Prescription" published in the May (1904) number of the Ladies' Home Journal, which never saw the humble, groveling retraction, with its inconspicuous heading, published two months later. It was boldly charged in the slanderous and libelous article that Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription, for the cure of woman's weaknesses and ailments, contained alcohol and other harmful ingredients. Dr. Pierce promptly brought suit against the publishers of the Ladies' Home Journal, for \$200,000.00 damages.

Dr. Pierce alleged that Mr. Bok, the editor, maliciously published the article containing such false and defamatory matter with the intent of injuring his business, furthermore, that no alcohol, or other injurious, or habit-forming, drugs are, or ever were, contained in his "Favorite Prescription"; that said medicine is made from native medicinal roots and contains no harmful ingredients whatsoever; and that the libelous article was wholly and absolutely untrue. In the retraction printed by said Journal they were forced to acknowledge that they had obtained analyses of "Favorite Prescription" from eminent chemists, all of whom certified that it did not contain alcohol or any of the alleged harmful drugs. These facts were also proven in the trial of the action in the Supreme Court. But the business of Dr. Pierce was greatly injured by the publication of the libelous article and its great display headings, while hundreds of thousands who read the wickedly defamatory article never saw the humble groveling retraction, set in small type and made as inconspicuous as possible. The matter was, however, brought before a jury in the Supreme Court of New York State which promptly rendered a verdict in the Doctor's favor. Thus his traducers came to grief and their base slanders were refuted.

Proverbs For All Occasions.

"I lost heavily at the races yesterday."

"A fool and his money are soon parted," replied the sardonic person.

"Ah, but I won today."

"A fool for luck."

I would rather be ignorant than wise in the foreboding of evil.—Aeschylus.

The asperities and enemies of youth should be forgotten in middle age.

Fame throws its circles so wide that it makes not a ripple near home.

A SLAB OF BLACK STONE.

Key to All the Ancient Writings of the Egyptians.

There is a slab of black stone in the British museum which if you could walk away with it and establish your claim as the owner you could sell any day for a quarter of a million and find half a dozen money kings in England and America ready to buy it.

There is nothing very striking about this stone. It might be a piece of black marble with some peculiar hieroglyphics upon it. But it is just these hieroglyphics which make it so valuable, because they are the key to all the ancient writings of the Egyptians, and without this stone, called the Rosetta stone, we should be unable to read the Egyptian writings which have been discovered from time to time.

Some French tourists found the Rosetta stone in Egypt and transported it to Paris, where an Englishman took a fancy to it for a garden ornament. He paid £5 for it—£5 sovereigns—and got a treasure which you could cover with gold and yet not represent its value, but till the day of his death he did not know what that bit of stone was worth.—London World.

Comet Panics.

Joseph Jerome Lafrancais de Lalande, the popular French astronomer of a century ago, differed from Newton's view that Providence had so arranged matters as to make collision of the earth with a comet impossible and wrote a paper to prove that it was only very improbable. This paper, which was to have been read with others before the French academy on a certain day in 1773, got crowded out, but the Parisian public, hearing of it, made up its mind that Lalande had predicted the impending destruction of the earth and such panic ensued that the police had to order the publication of the paper to reassure the public mind. But even then it was popularly believed that the paper had been deliberately toned down and comet panics continued for a quarter of a century.

The Printing Press.

The most useful all round invention to humanity is the printing press. Generations ago some philosopher said, "In the world there is nothing great but man, and in man there is nothing great but mind." That is to say, while there are many great things, the greatest is mind. It is by and through his intellect that man has risen to the mastery of the planet, and whatever sharpens the intellect at the same time advances the world's civilization. This the printing press has done as nothing else has done, and therefore to the printing press belongs the honor of being the most useful all round invention known to man.

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