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Being Unsportsmanlike About Bill.

men use, abuse and misuse all the privileges the department stores vie with each other in giving them (I wonder if women realize that the extension of

these privileges is leave me." one of the reasons that the de-

partment stores find it hard to pay

heir girls what they should. Surely f they did they would be willing to forego such costly rights as changing hings so freely and having even the tiniest bundle sent.) At that time I believe I said that men were more fair about matters pertaining to business dealing than

When Men and Women Are Equally Unscrupulous

I have just had my attention drawn to one matter in which men and women are equally unscrupulous. And that is in their attitude to

ward any merchant who tries to have them pay back bills. Anent our discussion of the credit system, several merchants wrote me fetters. One of them told of a man

who had owed a small bill of two dolars for over a year. He had rendered this bill in monthly accounts (at a cost of thirty-two cents) and then one day when the man was in the store had called it to his attention The man had paid it and then had said angrily, "That is the last time will ever trade in your store." Again, a dentist once told me that

a certain young man owes him sixty dollars. This man was making little money at the time the bill was con- M. TRASK & CO., 140 Water Street.

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since then he has had money left him wrote about the and has a machine and many other way in which wo- luxuries. Yet he entirely ignores the

dentist's bill. Why He Couldn't Send a Bill Collector

"Why don't you send a bill collecor?" I asked. "Couldn't do that," he said, "be cause I have several of his relatives for my patients and they would all

There's two examples of what I call a thoroughly unjust attitude toward business dealings on the part of mer and women alike.

To retaliate against a perfectly just neasure such as the merchants asking for the two dollars or the den tist's sending a bill collector, by with drawing one's trade, is downright mean and unfair.

Honor Ought to Keep You From

Using Your Power-To be sure, you have the power bu nor ought to withhold you fro

what I richly deserved." Suppose the people who paid you alary paid you that way, where would ou be? And these people have bills pay just as you have.

Letting bills run like that unless you are hard pushed (and even then you could surely plan to pay a certain proportion on them week by week) or unless there is some question of adjustment that you are not satisfied with, is an unsportsmanlike thing to do and kicking when your creditors kick is still more so.

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pose, and war's red dog, that's driven and should have their vision operated us, back to its kennel goes, that peace on by the grand jury. may be withstood, no fabric woven stincts. shoddily, or "something just as good." When gentle peace has come again, it must have come to stay; no king shall cooked sausage minced fine, mixed

Household Notes.

strong enough to kill.

should once again determine he was

When canning apples be sure have plenty of syrup in each jar or mould will find its way into the jar of

tennis racquet before putting it away and it will come out in spring in bet-

Things that are good for your skin are all green vegetables, particularly pinach, onfons, eschalots, eggs and arly all fresh fruit.

Rann-dom Reels.

The refrigerator is a popular kitch utensil which holds everything ccessfully but ice. For some reason finally evaporates in the form of sawdust and water, which is later de posited in a neat puddle on the kitch en floor by the law of gravity.

Refrigerators are filled with mour ul regularity and by an independent citizen who owns the only ice-house in town and is extremely deliberate deliberate in his movements. Nobody an iceman who was in a hurry to reach an empty refrigerator before last night's milk was turned into a cottage cheese. One of the saddest epochs in the life of woman is to place large pan of undiluted milk in the refrigerator, wearing a thick coating of cream on its bosom, and then discover that during the night it has turned sour from the ankles up, owing to the ice having gone out the back way. If there were some way to pen up a fifty-pound chunk of ice yould be more happy and contented

All kinds of foods can be placed in a first-class refrigerator without fear of infecting any of its neighbors. This is proven by setting a mammoth white onion alongside a fresh brick made in Germany cheese, neither of which will affect the allies do not the taste of the other. This expericare; it would ment, which is widely used for debe cheap a n d monstrating purposes, ought to satis

verminy, not war- fy the most hardened skeptic. ranted to wear. Before the refrigerator was invent-The peace the ed people had to keep food that was kaiser's ponder- subject to sunstroke in the cellar, ing, and planning which required the housewife to chase with a gun, would up and down stairs at a depressing surely fade in canter. As this wore out the cellar laundering t h e stairs and also the lower limbs of colors all would thousands of estimable wives, the run. This war! keen, analytical mind of man brought hating it, but peace out the refrigerator with an overflowwould be more punk, with Germany ing drain pipe which is filled with ice dictating it, and handing out the weighed by the calculating eye of the bunk. The allies are much wiser iceman. Some icemen have excellent dumb, and wielding sword and creese, eyesight and can measure one hunthan arguing with kaiserdom about dred pounds of ice to a thousandth of the terms of peace. When peace an inch, but others are troubled with again is given us, and people know re- chronic, double-barreled astigmatism

must be no platitude, no phrases neat- The refrigerator does not cost s ly turned, of wide and yielding lati- much to run as a hard-coal furnace, tude, to be ignored or spurned. No but it needs more watching than a paper written gaudily, whose terms married man of gay and festive in-

A savory dish for a winter day is make things bum again by starting up with mashed potatoes and browned in a fray. The peace that comes from Germany would last till Kaiser Bill



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CHARGES ALLIES' A LON

A. J. Balfour, Seci

eign Affairs, replying to a peace motion pr Lees Smith, Lib, me ampton, declared tha which Britain entered not and are not eith or vindictive, but on noted for the double emancipation and sec Balfour asked the Ho an overwhelming ma believe in the cause struggling and which made, we are ready and to continue them til the great righteo objects we have in secured. Andrew Bor cellor of the Exche cheers moved the clo carried by 282 to 33 motion was then nega division. Lees Smith resolution, maintaine ive secret agreemen Allies had carried the beyond their original clared that the recent many, in addition Lorraine, was to be ritories on the left b had been confirmed sion of the French Ribot, Foreign Secret terjected here that such an agreement. iterated that it was made between Franc while Nicholas was E was carried out, said of discontent and d which would once a rope in war blood.

U.S.-DUTCH AGREEMI

and Holland on the by the war trade box steamer Nieuw Amst turn trip across th vessel will leave th shortly carrying as of freight for Hollar tons of corn for Be several hundred Du passengers. Wire ca ed for the operation mines, will make up go. Licenses for the dam's cargo was held erican authorities wh Government refused ances that she would for safety as soon as other side. In the followed the Americ refused to recede fr and finally the Dutch agreement as to the other Dutch vessels h ports was believed t sight. The principal agreement, it is rep vide that a large n Dutch ships enter the wise trade to release sels for overseas se of the tonnage be pla the Dutch East Indies of Holland and the Al limited numer of ship to ply between Hollan carrying cargoes to the War Trade Board. who will sail in the A gathered in the U.S. fr of the earth. Some Dutch East Indies an

