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A movement in the line of temperance work that is gaining great headway in some States is the Anti-Saloon League. The saloon is an unmitigated evil. The judgment to this effect is almost universal. To do away with it would be a great step forward, and to bring this about all temperance workers can unite, and members of all political parties and of all Churches can assist. Many a drinking man would be only too glad to help in removing this seductive and almost omnipresent tempter. Many a business man, too who might not approve of all measures that some would like, will gladly help suppress this filcher of his customers' pockets.

When the demon of drink enters the home the angel of peace departs; poverty follows in the demon's wake, for drink is a spend thrift vice. It is terrible to ruin the body, it is terrible to ruin the soul, that spark of God's intelligence. We despise the thief, we shrink in horror from the murderer, but they are men. But the drunkard—who will say that this unloving unthinking, unreasoning thing is a man? God made man little less than the angels, but the drunkard makes himself little less than the brute. The demon of drink goes up to high heaven and defies the mercy of God, for no drunkard can, enter the Kingdom of Heaven. The lower side of the drunkard rink will do, what will you do? We cannot sit down and fold our hands. If we have a heart that loves humanity we must do something, and there is one thing we can do, we can abstain from the use of intoxicating liquors. The way to straighten a crooked stick is to bend it in the opposite direction. If you are strong, give to your neighbor of your strength if he is weak.—Rev. P. A. Doyle.

#### An Omelet With Herbs.

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A perfectly made and perfectly turned omelet is always welcome on the breakfast table. The best omelet pan is a smooth French frying-pan. It must be kept perfectly smooth. Some foreign cooks go so far as to insist that an omelet pan should not be washed but merely wiped out, and that water will roughen it. This is an absurdity. A well-polished French frying-pan will remain smooth as long as it lasts, providing it is kept clean and bright, and it will last a lifetime. It must be kept for omelets and must be occasionally cleaned with boiling vinegar and salt. This removes all the dark stains that may have gathered and leaves the pan smooth as glass to the touch. It will require a pan about eight inches in diameter to cook an omelet containing four eggs. Beat the eggs, yolks and whites, together just enough to mix them. If they are mixed too much the omelet will not be so tender. Most persons add the seasoning of salt when the eggs are beaten, but others prefer to add it at the last moment, under the belief that salt causes the eggs to harden when it is cooked in them. It is certainly desirable to keep an omelet soft and creamy in the centre, and at the same time firm on the outside. It should be a pale yellow outside as well as inside. Do not brown it. It is easy to keep an omelet from becoming hard by serving it the moment it is ready. If an omelet must wait, add a table-spoonful of milk or cream to every egg used.

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To cook an omelet melt a tablespoonful of butter in a hot omelet pan, and turn the beaten and seasoned eggs in it. Stir them gently with a fork to prevent the eggs clirging to the pan. As soon as the eggs are set aprinkle over them for an omelet of "fines herbes" a teaspoonful of minced chives, a tablespoonful of minced parsley and a tablespoonful of chervil. Add about two or three drops of onion juice to the omelet when the eggs are beaten if you like the flavor with eggs. The omelet should be soft and creamy in the centre when the seasoning herbs are added and just ready to roil. To cook an omelet melt a tablespo

Mutton and Rice.

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Cut up into small pieces the neck and cheap parts of a nice forequarter of mutton. Reject all the fat, but retain the bones. Dredge the mutton with salt, pepper and flour and brown it in two large tablespoonfuls of butter. Also fry in the butter half a carrot and half an onion cut into dice. After this put in about a tablespoonful of flour, which should be well stirred in the butter until it is browned, and add slowly enough boiling water to cook the mutton, putting in a blade of soup celery, two sprays of parsley, a bay leaf and sprig of thyme. When the mutton has simmered for about two hours, or when it is deliciously tender, heap it on a hot platter and strain the gravy over it. Make a border of boiled rice around the mutton. Serve turnips cut in quarters and boiled with it, and an acid salad of bleached dandelion leaves or cellar-grown beet and turnip tops seasoned with salt and pepper, and served with two tablespoonfuls of vinegar to two of good oil. If it is preferred the tried-out strained fat of young chickens may be used in place of oil, and make a fairly good substitute for it.

#### Washing Bedding

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