

Best Food in the World is Good Homemade Bread, Made of BEAVER FLOUR

When you bake the bread yourself, and know that anything you put in is as good as "Beaver" Flour, then you have a product that cannot be equalled.

Bread made of "Beaver" Flour will nourish and sustain you longer than any other one article of diet.

Bread, made of "Beaver" Flour, is the least expensive of wholesome foods. The cost or living becomes a very reasonable cost, when you make the principal part of every meal this good home-made bread.

You can eat bread, made of "Beaver" Flour, three times a day for a lifetime, without wanting a change. This shows it's good for you.

All this is true because "Beaver" Flour is a blended flour. It contains exact quantities of nutritious, full-flavored Ontario Fall Wheat blended with a little Manitoba Spring Wheat to give added strength. Western Spring Wheat flour is too strong and flavorless to make real home-made bread or good pastry. Ontario Fall Wheat makes the best flavored and finest pastry flour in the world and, with a little Spring Wheat added for strength, makes the ideal Flour for both bread and pastry.

"Beaver" Flour is not like the woman who can only make one kind of cake or one kind of fancy pastry. "Beaver" Flour is like the attractive, capable, clever housewife who can make Bread, Rolls and Biscuits—Cakes, Pies and Pastry—and makes them all equally well. Isn't this the kind of Flour you want? Then order it at your grocer's.

THE T. H. TAYLOR CO., LIMITED,
CHATHAM, ONT.



R. G. ASH & CO., St. John's, Sole Agents in Nfld., will be pleased to quote prices.

Household Notes. Special Stock= Taking Sale!

A dry rubber "sponge" is excellent for cleaning woolen materials. They should be laid flat and the sponge swept over them briskly, care being taken to rub the wrong side of the nap.

Dampers should be placed in all pipes leading from heaters and kept closed in summer, as air from the furnace should not be allowed to flow into the house when the fire is out.

When pressing a skirt, it is always advisable to lay a damp cotton cloth over the material so that it is not touched by the iron. This prevents the material from becoming shiny.

If the house is infested with ants, dip a sponge into sweetened water and lay it where they can get at it. They will soon cluster upon it, and the sponge can then be dropped in hot water.

Cookies put into an earthen jar, lined with a clean cloth, while they are still hot, and kept covered close, will be much more melting and crumbly than if they are allowed to cool in the air.

The label on a glass jar will keep clean and will stick much longer if pasted on the inside. Of course, this applies only where dry materials are stored in the jar, such as seeds, rice, tapioca, etc.

If a gas stove is not equipped with a broiler, try heating a pan piping hot. Put the steak into this without greasing and turn as soon as it is seared on the bottom. Keep turning till the meat is done.

A mixture of finely powdered fuller's earth and alum is excellent for cleaning white gloves. It should be rubbed in well, then brushed off, and the gloves sprinkled with dry bran and whittled.

To clean a burned kettle, turn out the burned contents, but do not fill with water. Set it aside to cool, and then place in a handful of washing soda and water and let the solution boil for an hour or more.

Patent leather shoes should be carefully wiped off with a soft cloth when they are removed and then a few drops of olive oil should be rubbed into them. This will keep the leather soft and prevent them cracking.

When the knob of a teakettle cover, coffee pot or kettle lid falls off, many a burn can be prevented by using as a substitute a medium-sized cork, held in place by a slender screw driven from the under side of the lid.

The most practical use for old corks is to make a low fire burn up. Empty spoons also make good kindling, and if these things are saved it will be surprising how many will accumulate in the average household.

To remove an iron rust stain, hold the fabric over a teakettle of boiling water and press a cut lemon over the spot. Remove the fabric occasionally to allow evaporation, and the spot will disappear before your eyes.

To turn the hems of table linen easily and accurately, remove the needle from your sewing machine, adjust the hemmer to the desired length, and pass the goods through. They are then ready for hemming by hand. This saves a great deal of time, and gives a straight, even hem.

Take Notice.

We publish simple straight testimonials, not press agents' interviews, from well-known people.

From all over America they testify to the merits of MINARD'S LINIMENT, the best of Household Remedies.

MINARD'S LINIMENT CO., LIMITED.

ARRESTED FOR LARCENY.—The young man of the West End who was arrested by Detective Byrne yesterday on a charge of larceny, pleaded not guilty before the Magistrate. He is remanded for eight days.

ASK YOURSELF THESE QUESTIONS

And find out if you have kidney disorders—Also make this test.

Have you pains in the back over the kidneys?

Have you urinary disorders?

Do you suffer from severe headaches, dizziness or defective eyesight?

Is the skin dry and harsh?

Are you failing in health and strength and suffering from rheumatic pains or swelling of the limbs?

These are a few of the symptoms of kidney disease, and here is the test.

If the urine after standing for twenty-four hours is cloudy, milky or has particles floating about in it, or if there is a sediment in the bottom of the vessel, your kidneys are diseased.

There is no time to lose in beginning the use of Dr. Chase's Kidney-Liver Pills. They will help you more quickly than any treatment you can obtain, and that is one reason why they are so successful and popular.

Dr. W. A. Chase's Kidney-Liver Pills, one pill a dose, 25 cents a box, at all dealers or Robinsons, Bates & Co. Toronto.

PIANO.—Get it this week. Come to-morrow morning and select. Our discounts are no humbug. We have to sell. CHESLEY WOODS.—dec18, 11-

In order to reduce our stock before the 15th of January, when we finalize our year's work, we make the following very special reductions on Fresh and Seasonable Goods, which we mention below. In addition to the articles named, in which the reductions range from 20c. to 25c. on the dollar, WE WILL GIVE A 10 PER CENT. REDUCTION on any article purchased for cash in our store between the dates of January 2nd and 13th. This includes everything we handle. No exception whatever.

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| Underwear | 25 Ladies' Black Cloth Coats, regular prices, \$3.50, \$4.00, \$5.00, our latest shipment. Sale prices \$2.80, \$3.20, \$6.80 |
| Misses' Fleece-lined Underwear, regular price, 30c. Sale price 26c. | Misses' Coats, in Navy, Green and Scarlet, all reduced to clear. \$4.00 Coats for \$3.00. Other prices at similar reductions. |
| Ladies' Cream Fleece Lined Underwear, Vests, button front, nicely trimmed, regular 35c. Sale price 29c. | Children's Cream Bear Coats, regular prices \$1.70, \$2.80, \$3.50. Sale prices \$1.30, \$2.20, \$2.80 |
| Ladies' White Fleece Lined Underwear, good heavy garments, regular 60c. Sale price 47c. | Children's Cloth and Velvet Coats, regular prices \$1.80, and \$2.30 in Green, Cardinal, Navy and V. Rose. Sale price \$1.40, \$1.80 |
| Ladies' White Fleece-lined Corset Covers, heavy, long sleeves, regular 40c. Sale price 33c. | Hats and Caps. |
| Men's Fleece-lined Underwear, good, heavy garments, regular 50c. Sale price 43c. | Ladies' Hats, in Felt, Velvet and Satin, reg. \$1.10, \$1.20, \$1.30. Clearing at 90c. |
| Boys' Fleece lined Underwear all sizes, 24 to 34, reg. 33c. Sale price 29c. | (See our western window for styles) |
| Men's and Boys' Underwear, in better qualities at greatly reduced prices. | Children's Cream Bear Caps and Bonnets to be cleared at 25 per cent. off regular prices. |
| Men's Heavy Grey Flannel shirts, with bands, reg. 55c. Sale price 45c. | Ladies' and Messes' Wool Rinker Caps, the most fashionable cap this season, in navy, green, cream, cardinal, reg. 45c. Sale price 35c. |
| Men's Heavy Grey Flannel Shirts, with collar attached, regular 75c. Sale price 60c. | Ladies' Tweed Motor Caps, newest shapes, reg. 75c. Sale price 55c. |
| Men's Fancy Neglige Shirts, regular price 85c. Sale price 75c. | GENERAL DRY GOODS —10 per cent reduction on every cash purchase from January 2nd to 13th. |
| Ladies' & Children's Coats. | Remember—This sale is for TEN DAYS only. |
| 25 Only Ladies' Knitted Jersey Coats, reg. \$1.60 and \$3.30 in Navy, Green and Cream. Sale prices \$1.20 and \$2.50 | Remember—This sale is for cash only. |
| 12 Ladies' Tweed Coats, reg. price \$4.00 and \$7.50 all this season's styles. Sale prices \$3.20 and \$6.00 | Remember—That this sale is absolutely genuine. |

FURS and MUFFS.—The balance of our stock of Furs and Muffs, which include Squirrel, Marmot, Hare and Grebe, selling at three-fourths our regular price.

If you are not interested in any of the above SPECIAL reductions, REMEMBER the TEN PER CENT DISCOUNT on any article from our stock.

STORE OPEN UNTIL 9 O'CLOCK EVERY EVENING FROM JANUARY 2nd TO 13th.

ALEX. SCOTT,

Popular Drapery Store, 18 New Gower Street.

This is to give notice that we have purchased all the right, title, interest and good-will of the Tea Business of the H. W. De FORES I TEA CO. and Mr. F. V. CHESMAN.

On and after January 1st, 1912, the business will be conducted from our office.

All debts due to the said Company will therefore be payable to us.

HARVEY & COMPANY.

SLATTERY'S

Wholesale Dry Goods House.

WE OFFER to our Customers, the Trade and Outlet Buyers, this Autumn, the best selected Stock of Dry Goods of all kinds—American and English—yet put on the market.

See our Stock of Fleece Underwear, Muslins, Embroideries and Dress Goods before purchasing elsewhere.

W. A. SLATTERY, Ognary Build'g,
Deer North and George's Street—near City Hall.

The Evening Chit-Chat

By MITX CAMERON



"Why, how comes it that you are reading this?" I questioned.

She looked shame-facedly down at the magazine, which she had made a partial attempt to hide under her bag. "Well," she said, "you see, I had to wait at the dentist's one day, and I picked up one of the summer numbers and got tremendously interested in So-and-So's new serial. And since then, I've been buying the magazine just to follow that up. Yes, I know it's a silly story and not a particularly nice one, but really it's awfully clever and interesting."

Let me tell you something about this magazine and this story. The story, which was written by a well-known modern writer, was offered first to another magazine of good repute and good standing. The editors read it and acknowledged that it was tremendously interesting, and that it

would be a big card, but they said: "It is not the kind of stuff we want to offer to the young men and women of America," and they refused it. The less scrupulous magazine accepted it, and by dint of combing several similar stories with it, actually succeeded in completely selling out one particular issue of their publication.

And this was the kind of magazine and story my friend was advertising, by admitting that the story was so awfully clever and interesting that she had to follow it up against her better judgment. To be sure, she also said that it was not particularly nice, but to how many people would that be an efficacious deterrent? Consider the magazine's success with its collection of morbidly salacious and sex-flaunting stories, it is impossible to blink the fact that that disparage would be to many a most powerful magnet.

My friends, the women of America, I think there's only one way for us to treat the decadent and salacious literature that is being offered to us so abundantly just now. And that way is most emphatically NOT to read it, and say we don't like it, because it isn't particularly nice, and yet all the time advertise it by talking about it—even though we talk against it! Any publishing agent will tell you that such talk is often

the very best kind of advertising, and is always preferable to silence.

No, the way to put our foot down on such literature and trample it right out of existence, is not to buy it, not to read it, not to talk of it—in fact, to ignore it as completely as possible.

Don't add your dime or your dollar to strengthen the "box-office" argument that makes the publisher think the American public wants that sort of thing.

Don't add your voice to the discussion for and against that makes everybody want to read the book or the story, so as to be able to talk about it.

For every head that you chop off this serpent by denunciation, two more heads grow—for every story that you advertise in this way, two more stories will be published.

No, the only way to kill the serpent of salacious literature is by ignoring him. Don't look at him, don't feed him with the silver and gold he must have to support life, and I think you will be surprised to see how very soon he will die and his ugly body dry up and blow away and be forgotten.

Red Cannon Girl Murdered

AT Hyde Park Last Night and Italian Suspected.

Hyde Park, Mass., Dec. 23.—Efforts of the police were renewed with considerable activity to-day in an endeavor to locate the slayer of Miss Bridget Pritchard, the 18 year old girl who was stabbed to death last night. Because of the girl's dying statement that it was an Italian who stabbed her, the police visited the Italian sections of Boston and Hyde Park, but their search failed to reveal any clue to the identity of the slayer.

The residents of this town are deeply stirred over the murder. Less than five minutes after being stabbed in the back on West Glenwood Avenue bridge she died in the arms of her aunt, Mrs. Thomas Pritchard, to whose house she had feebly walked, after being attacked near the spot where the murder was committed. The handle of a knife, which apparently was used by the assailant, was found. The police say that robbery could not have furnished a motive for the murder.

Sidewalk Sketches.

By H. L. RANN.

THE LAWYER.



The lawyer is a pillar of society who makes a juicy living by selling his vocal chords to the highest bidder for cash. When a lawyer's voice falls him, all is lost save honor.

The lawyer who can express an unbiased opinion of the defendant in a six-hour argument filled with deep thought and bench-legged English, without introducing creeping paralysis and hardening of the arteries into the jury box, will never have to have his larynx pushed back into place by some rude specialist with an obtrusive forefinger and an acetylene searchlight. One of the lawyer's most pleasing duties is to gather in a little loose alimony for some deserving divorcee who has thoughtfully deposited a corpulent retainer in his collection box. Owing to the increase in litigants, the legal profession is loaded up at the present writing with lawyers who can't tell a writ of habeas corpus from a marriage certificate, and this has caused the state to require an examination based on lung expansion and freedom from throat trouble.

Every lawyer has a very sensitive conscience, which will not permit him to take a case when there is nothing in it. Some lawyers win cases with a ten-inch flow of legal verbiage, while others pack the jury with near and dear relatives. The latter process is considered sounder practice.

The lawyer is said to be in contempt of court when he refers to the judge as a mild crook who ought to be foreman of a corkscrew factory. The shyster is a new lawyer who comes to town and beats the old heads to a melancholy frazzle. The legal profession is very loyal to its members, and no one ever heard of a lawyer being disbarred by anything except an unexpected demise.

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's Name ever Known.

Anonymous Sent to Recommended Persons.

Dec. 26.—Many poor New York City received Christmas gifts of from gold by express and will their source.

Announcement was made Friday the New York Association improving the Condition of which made known that they running into the thousand each year by a association, is to be dissonant persons whose needs ascertained, but who would for charity through the or- of the.

of cases, with a brief de- of the needs of each, is sent for, who marks opposite the amount of money to be given, in gold pieces, is then press, and great care is ex- keep the beneficiary in ig- of the identity of the bene-

Beauty Fad in Paris.

Ultra-Violet Rays.

Dec. 19.—The latest science by science to the cause of beauty is the discovery of the ultra-violet rays of the spectrum, which have been used on discolored teeth, to a dazzling whiteness. The dentist has to wear a mask of which leaves only the gums exposed to the light, for about a quarter of an hour in the rays of a very powerful mercury lamp, over which a glass has been fitted, as well as necessary cooling apparatus, to prevent any ill-effects, the teeth are moistened with oxygenized water, and the operation is completed by the ultra-violet rays in the which bleaches such things as the teeth, says the doctor, and he makes his patients comfortable at home by sitting their bare teeth to the sun-

TO ST. GEORGE'S.

I. G. Sullivan had a wire to Goodland to the effect that the body of Capt. Molesworth, found dead from a bullet wound in Grassy Place, had been found at St. George's yesterday, and that the cause of his death will be determined.

ULTRA-VIOLET RAYS.—We understand that the Government has sent to Canada one of the trainees at the General Hospital, to study the manipulation of the ultra-violet rays instrument.

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HINE'S Three Star Brandy

Guaranteed Twenty Years Old

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