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ALL OVER HER BODY**

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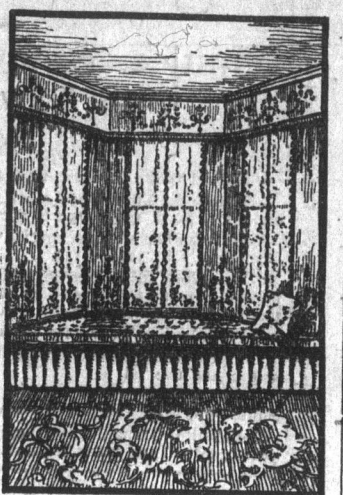
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THE BAY WINDOW.

How It May Be Draped in an Artistic
Manner.

Excellent possibilities are afforded
by a bay window for interior decoration,
although it is one of the most dif-
ficult features of a room to treat satis-
factorily. The light must not be ob-
structed, and the drapery or other
adornment must not be heavy or cum-
bersome. Window seats may be intro-



EMPIRE STYLE DRAPERY.

duced effectively and a pleasant nook
formed in which to read when the light
is falling in other parts of the room.

For a reception room a bay window
may be prettily draped with perfectly
straight valance and curtains of salmon
pink damask, with black velvet ap-
pliques outlined with gold embroidery.
The sash curtains are sheer, with a
small figure. The window seat is cov-
ered with velour and has a French
plaited valance. This is an empire
mode of treatment and should be used
in a room furnished in the style of that
period.—New York Herald.

Chamois Skin Dollies.

A person with an ordinary knowl-
edge of painting can make a handsome
set of the chamois skin dollies now in
vogue for the polished bare top of the
luncheon table. The common yellow
skin is frequently used, but gray skins
or those of a rich red hue can be pur-
chased at house furnishing or art sup-
ply shops. A skin three-quarters of a
yard square costs about \$1. A few oil
paints and a medium sized sable brush
complete the necessary supplies. Colors
should be carefully blended, as no
shading is permissible. Mix the paint
with turpentine to the consistency of
cream and apply in broad, flat washes.
Experiment on a little piece before be-
ginning, as some skins absorb more
than others. A rose design, with bloss-
oms in soft pink and leaves and stems
in pale green, is effective on a gray
skin. Chrysanthemums in dull pink
or reds are good on a red skin, and na-
turlings go well on a terra cotta back-
ground.—New York Journal.

For Croupy Children.

On a small table beside my bed
stand a lamp, two nails, a tin cup
containing one tablespoonful of mutton
tallow or lard, two tablespoonfuls of
turpentine, a deep bib with strings and
two safety pins, with which to pin on
a piece of flannel the shape of the bib.
As soon as baby coughs hard I light
the lamp, put the tin cup over it (on
the two nails) and heat the mixture un-
til it smokes. I then rub baby's chest
well, as hot as I can use the turpen-
tine, and then put on the flannel pinned
to the bib, tying the soft tape strings
around the neck. It may sound like a
fairly tale, but if the cough is not too
bad it absolutely disappears; if very
bad, it becomes so mild and the breath-
ing so different that a distracted moth-
er sleeps in peace. With this same
remedy used hot pneumonia has twice
been averted in a neighbor's family.—
Woman's Home Companion.

Women Now Look Younger.

A question which might elicit con-
siderable interesting discussion is, Why
are the typical modern women twenty
and even thirty years younger in man-
ners, dress and appearance than were
their grandmothers at the same age? One
might reply, says Mrs. Woodrow
Wilson in the Cosmopolitan very pertin-
ently, that, in the first place, they
have decided not to grow old, and be-
lieve me, it is largely a question of
will. Having made this decision, they
seek the means which shall enable them
to retain their youthful appearance. They
understand that beauty and ill health
are not congenial companions; con-
sequently the women of today live
much in the open air, loving the sun
and the breeze far more than the easy
chair and the open fire.

Bare Floors and Rugs.

An eminent physician who has made
a study of the germ theory is credited
with saying that "when the American
housewife becomes thoroughly edu-
cated in domestic sanitation she will
never have a carpet in her home." No
matter what care folks enter a house
they are bound to carry with them
some dirt from the street. This, of
course, settles into the carpet, and
each time sweeping day comes round
it is stirred up and the air of the room
is filled with it. The chances are that
such air is most unwholesome. Bare,
clean floors and rugs are more whole-
some.

Baked Milk.

Baked milk is an admirable food for
consumptive people and invalids. It
is made in the following manner: Put
half a gallon of good milk into a stone
jar and cover with writing paper, tied
down. Leave it in a moderately hot
oven for eight or ten hours till it has
become the consistency of cream. The
amount of nourishment to be derived
from it is marvelous.

Feet and Ankles Swollen

Could Not Sleep at Night.

Backache and Kidney Trouble
the Cause.

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Had Failed.

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to Directions.

Read what Mrs. Geo. H. Alward,
Whites Point, N.B., has to say about
them: "This is to certify that I have
used Doan's Kidney Pills for pain in the
back and kidney trouble and I do most
gratefully recommend them to any person
suffering in this way. I was so bad with
kidney trouble that I could not get around
the house. My feet and ankles were so
swollen and painful that I could get no
rest day or night. I tried several remedies
but could get no relief whatever until a
friend advised me to try Doan's Kidney
Pills. I soon perceived a decided change
for the better and had only taken two
boxes when I was able to do my house-
work again, and three boxes made a com-
plete cure."

Doan's Kidney Pills are 50 cts. per box,
or 3 for \$1.25, all dealers or

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IN THE ROCKIES.

Eighteen Volcanoes in the United States
and Eleven in Alaska.

There are eighteen volcanoes in the
United States and eleven in Alaska.
There are none in the Eastern
States, that is, none that have been
active in modern times, but several
of the Western volcanoes have shown
life within the last two centuries,
and may not now be dead. Cinder
Cone, near Lassen's Park, in California,
was in eruption about two
hundred years ago, and again about
fifty years ago. There is a distinct
cone at the summit of Cinder Moun-
tain, and the aspect of the place sug-
gests that it has been in action late-
ly.

Mount Hood, in Northwestern Ore-
gon, was ascended in 1888 by M. W.
Gorman, and he reported that there
are still rifts in the earth's surface
from which sulphurous gases arise,
and that silver was tarnished at a
distance of half a mile from these.
Arnold Hayne, however, examined
the summit and states that there
has been no eruption in the memory
of man.

Mount St. Helena in Washington is
said by scientists to be an extinct
volcano, but frontiersmen say that it
has been active in the last fifty
years. It is recounted that in the
Winter of 1841-2 that settlers living
within a radius of twenty miles of it
could pick up pins from the grass be-
cause of the light from the exploding
mountain.

M. W. Gorman climbed Mount St.
Helens in 1889, and found that it
had been active in recent years, and
that lava had flowed northward for
a distance of twenty miles, passing
through forests, and in places cool-
ing about large trees so as to take a
cast of their charred and seamed
trunks.

The most northerly of the volcanic
piles and the nearest to the present
eruption is Mount Baker. On clear
days it can be seen from Puget
Sound. George Gibbs, who wrote in
1873 that he had been told by offi-
cers of the Hudson's Bay Company
and also by Indians that Mount
Baker was in eruption in 1843, and
that "it broke out simultaneously
with Mount St. Helena, covering the
whole country with ashes."

It was reported that the neighbor-
ing river, the Skagit, was obstructed
and that the country for miles
around was covered with fire. Scien-
tists, however, are skeptical and say
that the flames were only forest fires.

The volcanic belt broadens in the
northern part of Mexico and in the
United States, but is unmarked by
active craters. From there north it
contracts and approaches the ocean
shore, in several instances marked by
island volcanoes, and then follows
the coast of British Columbia and
Alaska and extends westward
throughout the length of the Aleu-
tian Islands.

In Case of Frost Bite.

In cases of frost bite no warm air,
warm water or fire should be per-
mitted near the parts affected until
the natural temperature is nearly
restored. Rub gently the affected
part with snow in a cold room, and
make applications of ice water.

ALMOST A DYING WOMAN

Mrs. Jessie L. Sellars Shouts Aloud
Her Praises of Dodd's Dyspepsia
Tablets—Brought Her Almost from
Death to Life.

I believe Dodd's Dyspepsia Tablets
have made a sound cure of me after
being for seven years almost a dying
woman. Now, thank God, I am able
to do my daily work as usual.

This is what Mrs. Jessie L. Sellars,
of Western Bay, Newfoundland,
writes and she wants all the
world to know it. She feels as all
others do who have cast off the pains
and dependency of Dyspepsia—who
feel again that life is worth living.

"I cannot praise Dodd's Dyspepsia
Tablets too much," continues Mrs.
Sellars. "They have brought me al-
most from death to life. You can
use my name to recommend them. I
am only too glad I can do so."

It is curious like this that give Dodd's
Dyspepsia Tablets their popularity.
They not only relieve but cure per-
manently Indigestion and Dyspepsia
of all stages.

THE ART OF FICTION.

Mrs. Humphrey Ward, Famous English
Novelist, Talks Entertainingly About
"Novels With a Purpose."

As to "novels with a purpose," I
am inclined to think that if a nov-
elist imagines that he or she is go-
ing to conquer art by much preach-
ing, that the novel is merely the
pamphlet, or the sermon writ long,
that "prose is worse and verse is
merely prose," then, in the words of
Goldsmid h, "nothing can exceed the
vanity of his existence but the folly
of his pursuits."

It is no good opening out "could
hardly on practice and on moral-
ity."

Nothing has any power in the
world of art but the things of feel-
ing and the things of beauty.

On that we all agree. What is sin-
cere, what touches the artist before
it is offered to the public, that we
all agree is the first, almost the
only, condition of good work. If the
play of religious opinion or social
reform or political power as it af-
fects human life is what interests the
writer, and if that writer is drawn
toward the form of the novel, what
authority bars the way? Some of
the greatest authorities of the world
are on his side. The only points to
be considered are: Can he touch oth-
er minds? Can he throw what he
has to say into shapes that move
and live? And these turn upon an-
other question. Can he see these
things and reproduce them not as
the student sees and reproduces
them, but as the artist sees them in-
terpreted through the forms of hu-
man life and interlarded with beauty
with art? If he can, let the critic
say what he will.

The whole purpose of Tolstoy's
"Resurrection" is to lead up to
these last pages in which a man of
burning sincerity presses upon Eu-
rope a new view of the gospel mes-
sage.

For that purpose he has carried
the whole marvelous load of that
book, and put for the purpose he
would never have lifted it. Are you
going to glorify the book and de-
nounce the purpose? Perfectly true
that the purpose is nothing without
the art, but humanity, the reader,
the true and ultimate public, will
take care of that.

AUSTRALIAN FLAGS.

The Commonwealth's Ensign That Is Ap-
proved by British Government.

This is an exact reproduction, min-
us the coloring, of the Australian
Commonwealth Ensign, which has



THE AUSTRALIAN FLAG.

been approved by the Imperial Gov-
ernment. Many of the designs of
this flag, hitherto published in Aus-
tralia, were inaccurate, mainly in the
positions and size of the stars. The
flag has a blue ground. The merchant
flag is of similar design, but has a
red ground.

This medallion, the official flag of
the Governor-General of Australia,



GOVERNOR-GENERAL'S FLAG.

is to be placed in the centre of the
Union Jack. The star is yellow, the
laurel wreath green, and the crown
red, yellow and blue.

British Navy's New Plan.

An important naval reform is be-
ing gradually accomplished by the
British admiralty. At the present
time the British navy somewhat re-
sembles a disorganized body. Some
part of it floats in almost every sea,
but in disjointed squadrons that are
isolated from one another. The new
system is designed to keep the var-
ious sections of the fleet in touch
with one another by means of cruiser
divisions.

Already one has been formed in the
Mediterranean, and the nucleus of
another, of which the Good Hope is
the flagship, is in commission. The
Australian, the China and the other
important stations are also to have
their light cavalry divisions, each
under the command of a rear admiral,
as soon as these can be got to-
gether.

It is intended that the cruiser divi-
sions on the different stations shall
not be always kept in the shadow of
the commander in chief's flagship,
but shall be in a sense links in a
chain that will bind together the
British squadron all over the world.
There will be constant intercommu-
nication and a combination of forces
right from the channel to the furth-
ermost naval station, making in ef-
fect one big fleet instead of several
smaller ones. Separate commands
are to remain, but isolation will dis-
appear.

Thought He Had His Camera.

A local amateur photographer get-
ting the news late in the day rushed
to the station to get a snap shot of
the Kindergarten special, which passed
through here on Saturday after-
noon, but he found when he arrived
there that in his hurry he had
thrown his fish basket over his
shoulder instead of his camera. And
he couldn't take a picture with a
fish basket.—Gait Reporter.

KIDNEYS AND BLADDER.

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affecting the kidneys and bladder."
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water comes freely, a large quantity, light in color, with no peculiar sensations, while at
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tity, or you may have a mucous deposit or brick dust colored sediment in your urine give
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all day, do a hard day's work without my kidneys troubling me as before I took
your Latest Method Treatment; it has cured after others have failed; if I had
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