

stand his conversation, but Tommie

if dogs are the boy's fad, then make a place in your home and your heart for a dog. If it is white mice, stifle your natural dislike, and re-member that the mice fad, as a rule,

member that the mice fad, as a rule, does not last long.

Jimmie is a little older, and his taste runs to catching bugs. A dead bug is perfectly safe and immensely interesting,—for Jimmie. If he wants to see what a pollywog does, leth lim have a fruit ean and a window sill for pollywogs. Trash! Not a bit of it. Not nearly as trashy as the evil Jimmie could learn if he had time to spare from bugs to go after the evil.

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your sons in that beautiful, dreamy land of Fadville.

—Taken from The Housekeeper.

Try These

How often a page, which has a slight tear in it is left unmended until the tear gradually grows larger and then finally part of the page is gone altogether. The best way to mend a torn page is to paste over it a piece of thin waxed paper. The distribution of the page is almost as strong as when new. as when new

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A string is always handy. Wind all you string in a ball, and you will be sur, rised to find how quickly the ball wi grow. Keep it in a special place, and know where that place is. Then there will be no hunting in a hurried moment for a piece of string in the una parcel.

Little Helps

Left over scraps of laundry soap can be boiled into a jelly, or soft soap, for washing dishes, or shaved into the wash boiler on wash day. Try scalding milk for custard pies. It adds greatly to the flavor of the pie. An addition of a teaspoonful of brown sugar or molasses, is also

helpful.

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A rubber hose long enough to reach from the water supply to the atove, will save lifting the heavy pails of water on wash day. In this state of water on wash day. In this state of the hose is small, compared with the benee is small, compared with the content of the small, compared with the season of the small compared to the

out for a while.—Jean Miller, York Co., Ont.

If your mattress is a new one, or is a clean one, make two white slips, just the right size, with a two inch lap at one end. On this lap work several buttonholes, and on the slip sew the buttons. Then cover tho mattress. With these slips, the ticking on the mattress will be clean as long as the mattress is in use. Having two of these cases, enables you to have one laundered whenever necessary.—Mrs. Jack Mason, Leeds Co., Ont.

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To keep pillow ticks clean, cover the pillows with covers made from the pillows with covers made from the pillows snucly. These will not require washing more than four or five times a year. Where the pillows have become soiled, they can be cleaned, by pushing all the feathers to one end of the tick, and using a brush, rinse off the tick, and using in the sun to dry—Nettle Woods, Nwa Scotias cold, or croup, take a flannel and cover with castor oil, then sprinkle with plenty of grated nutmeg and apply to the chest. Make a new application night and morning. My little one haan't had the croup since I began using it.—Mrs. J. G. Frost, Halton Co., Ont.

If you should ask prize Butter-Makers what salt they use - they would say, "Windsor." For Windsor is the choice of Canadian dairymen everywhere. Ask your grocer.

In the Sewing Room

When sending for patterns kindly do not omit to mention the size desired. Several requests for patterns received lately did not give size wanted and the editor has when ordering patterns, simply state number of pattern and size desired. It is not not send to the pattern with order. Allow a week or ten days, before pattern may be expected.



5894 Misses' Seven Gored Box Plaited

The skirt is cut in seven gores and is laid in box plaits, which conceal all the seams. The closing is made invisably at the back. The quantity of material required for the sixteen

of material required for the sixteen year size is 7% yards 27, 5% yards 44 or 52 inches wide. The pattern 5894 is cut in sizes for girls of 14 and 16 years of age, and will be mailed to any address on receipt of price, 10 cents



5883 Shirt Waist or Blouse. 30 to 40 bust.

This blouse can be made of washable material and left unlined or it can be made of silk or of wool and used with or without the little chemi-

sette. The quantity of material required for the medium size is 4½ yards 24, 3½ yards 32 or 2½ yards 44 inches wide with ½ yard of tucking for the

chemisette.

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