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almost fifty years now, but he done what few men are able to He has bequeathed his birthday

coln's birthday is a holilay in states that have agreed to forhe civil was and focus their on on the somewhat inspiring e. On this day men stop cheateach other and walking over the of those who can't get out way nul gather of beng ets and olitics, unseitishness and other esting phenomena It is generagreed on Lincolu's birthday, by speaker engaged in commemor is it, that if Lincoln were still e he would adhre firmly to the itical party to which the speake

ongs. Lincoln is one o

few American statesmen who be

party after their death, when they about Lincoln at the age of ten he

growing brain of a child more good wisdom from a pine knot and a hor than to plant a few ideas about Lin-



may possibly pause at the golden On this day also the public schools age of twenty, while worrying over cease from their pursuit of the cur- the fact that his college allowance riculum and educate the children is only \$200 a month, and reflect on about Lincoln. Nothing does the the fact that Lincoln extracted more rowed book than most people have

squeezed out of a public library. It also does the politician a lot of good to stop once a year and refirst upon Lincoln. Lincoln was a politician and got himself elected president of the United States. But he didn't do it by trading off his im-mortal soul for delegates. He acred a principle carly in his career and stuck to it though at times the reathed with pleasure. Lincoln heame a great leader because he instead on remaining in front where shopting was good. But he did not enjoy his job. He left the pleasure of his work to posterity. A great

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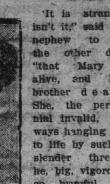
to life by such a

Stronge? I could hardly agree with ny nephew. True, Mary, the invalid, s still alive, and Jim, her great, husky brother is dead. He did not die suddenly, by accident, but affer a linger-

ther had little hope of saving her.

ood, to husband it, to use it but sparnot drink, it is true, but he overate, underslept and overworked. He did ot have any bad habits, except the vorst of all, he never took any care

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ways hanging on- chine is a very complicated, very won are healthy take no bother to stud

overhauled. He had had been eating the wrong things for a year, and too much of them. He had persistently liver and his kidneys, He got his

one sees it but the sick." It is equally ne had been sick for weeks at a true that only the sick really valu The greatest tribute that can b

Household Notes

aved, will make an excellent shampoo solution. Melt them until a soft soap consistency, then add some water and rub on the head; it will be ound much easier to clean the scalp.

When logs of wood have been laced on an open fire and are partly when the family is about to put water over them. They will not ndanger the house nor burn to

All white leathers, excepting kid re best cleaned with soap and water Jse a stiff nail brush and plenty of soan and water. After the shoe is

A mustard plaster is a good old remedy, serving as well as an emetic, it should not be kept in the same place all the time. It acts jus as well if placed just a short distance from the spot affected as it does i directly over it. Tan shoes should not be polished

If they become soiled, moisten a soi cloth and rub it across a piece of pure white soap. With this wash off the dirt, allowing the soap to remain palm of the hand.

If the skin beneath the fingernails tips of your fingers into cold cream, allow the skin to take up as much of the cream as possible, then dip the fingers into talcum power and wear

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pan, fill it with water, adding a lump boil for a few hours. When this is finished, wash it with soap and water After this there is no danger of po

To ventilate a child's room with out creating a draught, place a strip of board made to fit the window be reath the lower sash. Raise the low er sash, insert the board, making space between the lower and upper tashes through which fresh air may enter the room without a draught.

Two layers of buttered stale brea put into a shallow baking dish an covered with grated cheese and atter of three well-beaten eggs, ups of milk, one teaspoonful of salt. nd one teaspoonful of four, and aked in an oven for twenty menutes, vill be found an excellent dish.

Try bringing a little novelty into he home life by serving Sunday anch or tea around the open fire in he living room. If the maid is out ou will be surprised how gladly the nildren will enter into helping ake the sandwiches and arranging ne lunch. It all has a picinic quality which appeals to the children. Also it lightens the Sunday tasks.

When furs become dingy and sodin the leather, and polish with the den looking, hang them out in the air, then take a whisk broom, dip i in grain alcohol and brush vigorous s very rough, before retiring dip the ly the wrong way of the fur. Use plenty of alchol and brush until every inch is covered. Then let hang until thoroughly dry, pounding them occasionally with the flat side of the broom. When well aired, brush with a stiff brush the right way.

Fishing.



wanes and soon rains Spring w i 1 1 start the grasses and trees will bud and streams in - flood will thunder dows the passes. Oh Spring, sweet Spring, you dear

old thing, fo

an drill o'er vale and hill, to spend the long day fishing! Spring comes apace and soon the face of earth will smile and chuckle, and dames will say to husbands gay, "To work get down and buckle!" We greet with roars the grist of chores, with pshawing and with pishing! We take a pole to some deep hole and spend the long day fishing! Spring is the time when people climb from age clear back to childhood, when each heart burns and throbs and yearns for open air and wildwood, Spring is the joy without alloy, the best the gods are dishing, when we can speak down to the creek and spend the long

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