Home and Health Hints.

Many people spend double as much as is necessary from lack of care in domestic matters.

A few drops of vinegar added to the water for poaching eggs makes them set properly, and keeps the white from spreading

In selecting flour look to the colour. If it is white with a pale straw tint, buy it. If it is white with a pale blue tint, have nothing to do with it.

The requirements of health can be counted on the fingers of one hand. They are-Good air, good food, suitable clothing, cleanliness, and exercise and rest.

Four oranges eaten every day are effective in removing the desire for intoxicants. One should be eaten before breakfast, one each at 11 a. m., 3 p. m., and 6 p. m.

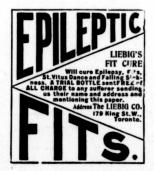
Potatoe Salad.—Two teaspoonfuls of sugar, a half teaspoonful of salt, a half cupful of sweet cream. Stir in two or three tablespoonfuls of vinegar. Pour over cold boiled sliced potatoes.

Neapolitans.-Make enough puff-paste for two pies, roll out half an inch thick and cut into strips three by one and one-half inches, Bake in hot oven. When cold, spread half When cold, spread half of the strips with jam or jelly; lay the others over with the jelly between. Cover the tops with frosting.

Chicken Fricassee.—Cook a young chicken until very tender, with only sufficient water to keep from browning. Season plentifully with butter, salt and pepper. For gravy, take a pint of milk, thicken with two tablespoonfuls of flour, and stir into the chicken and boil.

The New York Press sounds a note of warning against much drinking of strong tea. "The highly astringent quality of strong tea, it says, "produces an unhealthy constriction of the alimentary canal, obstructs digestion and leads to more than half the diseases of the human race. Necessity is the mother of invention, experience is the mother of learning, constipation is the mother of maladies.

If you have an accident with a piece of china, you can mend it so that it will not show, and cannot be broken again in the same place. Make a solution of gum arabic into which stir plaster of Paris until it be-Apply to the broken comes a thick cream. edges with a brush, hold together for a few minutes, set it away for three or four days, when the mended place will hardly be seen, and will be perfectly firm. The mixture must be made and used at once, as plaster of Paris becomes hard very quickly.—Table Talk.



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