

ONE FOOT UPON THE STAIR.

BY D. H. H. GOODALE.
The little child that stands,
One foot upon the stair,
Outstretching timid hand...

So all my days I climb,
With one foot on the stair,
Sure that the tasks of Time
Eternity obey;

THE HOME.

The Mother's First Work.

The first and most obvious work of the mother in her child's most development is with the essential substance of the child.

The character which is without the base of positive truth is not capable of being true even to itself, as no sincerity in its own outlook, is not even what its owner thinks it is.

The child needs about it the clear, personal and family atmosphere, never clouded by suspicion; it needs the gentleness about it that never drives to deceit through cowardice.

Experimenting with a severe cold, now trying this remedy and then that, is dangerous business; for like lightning one can never tell where a cold may strike or finally settle.

Hints for the Housewife.

The great scarcity of fruit this year will render it trying on the country housewife, who has been in the habit of serving her family during the winter with fruit pies, rolls and puddings, as well as frequently having canned or dried fruit stewed.

For such households a number of very acceptable and healthy desserts may be made with milk, butter and eggs, all of which will be found economical and easy to prepare.

BATTER PUDDING.—One egg, one cup of sugar, two tablespoonfuls of butter, two and a half cups of flour and one teaspoonful of baking powder.

MOLASSES PUDDING.—One cup of molasses, one of sweet milk, four of flour, two teaspoonfuls of baking powder, half a cup of butter.

CREAM PUDDING.—Mix half a cup of white sugar with one grated lemon. Beat six eggs to a froth, mix a pint of flour with a pint of milk.

SNOW BALL PUDDING.—Boil one quart of new milk and then add the flour. Beat the yolks of four eggs with three tablespoonfuls of sugar.

RICE PUDDING.—Boil a teaspoon of rice in a quart of milk, add a pound of sugar, half a pound of butter and six eggs.

POTATO PIE.—Boil four large potatoes, rub through a sieve; to a pint of mashed potatoes add a quart of milk, a teaspoon of sugar and butter each, a teaspoonful of lemon extract and half a grated nutmeg.

CHOCOLATE PIE.—Take four tablespoonfuls of chocolate, one pint of boiling water; let it simmer for five minutes and add the yolks of two eggs, two tablespoonfuls of sugar; mix and boil until thick.

SCRAMbled EGGS.—Two cups of brown sugar, half a cup of butter, half a cup of cream, three eggs. Flavor with extract of lemon.

CREAM PIE.—Beat the whites of two eggs, a tablespoonful of flour and a teaspoonful of sugar together; add a pint of cream. Bake in deep pie pans.

CHEESE PIE.—Beat a cup of sugar, three eggs and a cup of butter together, flavor with lemon. Bake in a rich crust and spread over with the beaten whites of eggs sweetened.

PASTRY CRUST.—Dissolve half a box of gelatine in half a pint of milk; beat six eggs very light, mix the yolks with boiling milk, add the gelatine, sweeten and flavor. Pour the whites of the eggs, well beaten, over the top.

CHARLOTTE RUSSE.—Cut slices of sponge cake and fit in the bottom of a mold, fill with one pint of whipped cream, sweetened and flavored, mixed with two eggs and half a pound of sugar.

Minard's Liniment cures Colds, &c.

THE FARM.

ROOTS IN POULTRY HOUSES.—Writing on this subject, a poultry authority says the best roots are strips four inches wide and one inch thick.

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THE TWO BUTTER MAKERS.—"Look on this picture and then on this," was our thought on reading what follows—a sketch of two persons not unfrequently found in real life.

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Cough-Cures

Are abundant, but the one best known for its extraordinary anodyne and expectorant qualities is Ayer's Cherry Pectoral.

I suffered for more than eight months from a severe cough accompanied with hemorrhage of the lungs and the expectation of matter. The physicians gave me up, but my druggist prevailed on me to try

Ayer's Cherry Pectoral.

I did so, and soon began to improve; my lungs healed, the cough ceased, and I became stouter and healthier than I have ever been before.

A few years ago I took a very bad cold, which settled in my lungs, and I had great difficulty in breathing.

Ayer's Cherry Pectoral, Dr. J. C. Ayer & Co., Lowell, Mass.

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TEMPERANCE.

Frank's Great Speech.

Frank Lane is a bright boy of twelve. He belongs to the Loyal Temperance Legion, and the rest of the boys regard him as a fine orator.

When Frank has a speech as part of the programme at the Legion, the other boys are sure to be on hand to hear. Yesterday I went in and heard Frank's speech.

"Last night I dreamed, I dreamed that a green, white flying horse came to me, and I got on his back, and rode out into the air.

"Then he flew a little north, over Missouri, and I saw corn-fields—miles on miles of corn fields. The corn stood straight as goldiers, and tall as a man.

"Then I flew over Northern North Dakota, and I saw fields of wheat, and I saw whole herds of beautiful tall barley.

"Then I flew over Northern New York, and I saw great orchards. There were thousands of trees full of apples.

"Then I saw two great buildings. They looked as big as the earth. They were full of windows and chimneys, and fires roared in them.

"This was considered Frank Lane's best speech."—Julia McNair Wright, in Young Crusader.

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"There may be times when silence is gold and speech silver; but there are times also when silence is death and speech is life—the very life of Pentecost."

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Trains will leave Saint John: Day Express for Halifax & Campbellton, 7:11 Accommodation for Point du Chene, 10:46

Trains will arrive at Saint John: Express from Sussex, 8:00 Fast express from Quebec & Montreal, 8:30

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A HARD FIGHT.

IT has been a hard fight. The long, cold Winter, combined with the severity of the storms, has produced countless colds and tended to destroy health.

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