

raspberries, and the following day the same; at no time squeeze the fruit, but let it drain only, as dry as possible. The last time pass it through canvass, previously wet with vinegar, to prevent waste. Then put it into a stone jar, with a pound of sugar, broken into large lumps, to every pint of juice; stir it when dissolved, and put the jar into a saucepan of water on a hot hearth or *store top*; let it simmer and skim it. When cold, bottle it. Be careful to use no glazed or metal vessel for it.

**DOMESTIC YEAST.**—Persons who are in the habit of making their own bread can easily manufacture their own yeast by attending to the following directions:—Boil one pound of good flour, a quarter of a pound of brown sugar, and a little salt, in two gallons of water, for an hour: when milk-warm, bottle it, and cork it close, and it will be fit for use in 24 hours. One pound of this yeast will make eighteen pounds of bread.

**CURE FOR A SORE THROAT.**—Mix one penny worth of pulverized camphor with a wine-glass full of brandy; pour a small quantity upon a lump of sugar, and hold it in the mouth till dissolved; repeat every hour till cured. Another remedy, more in accordance with teetotalism, and perhaps equally as good, is to boil half a pound of figs in a quart of water till the water is reduced to one pint; strain the liquid, and add two table-spoonsful of yeast and the same quantity of honey. Gargle the throat with this liquid, and a cure is almost certain.

**CURE FOR A SORE MOUTH.**—Mix together honey and white borax, equal parts, and with a linen rag tied to the end of a skewer rub the mouth three or four times a day.

**HOW TO TREAT CHILDREN IN CONVULSIONS.**—Deluge the head with cold water and put the feet into warm water, till medical assistance can be fetched.

**SUPERIOR WHITEWASH.**—There is nothing which so much improves the appearance of a house and the premises as the painting and whitewashing the tenement and fences. The following recipe for whitewashing has been found by experience to answer the same on wood, brick, or stone, as oil paint, and is much cheaper: *Recipe.*—Take half a bushel of unslacked lime and slack it with boiling hot water, covering it during the process. Strain it and add a peck of salt dissolved in warm water, three pounds of ground rice boiled to a thin paste, put in boiling hot, half a pound of powdered Spanish whiting, and a pound of clear glue, dissolved in warm water. Mix, and let it stand for several days. Then keep it in a kettle on a portable furnace, and put on as hot as possible, with a painter's or a whitewash brush.

**FIRE AND WATERPROOF CEMENT.**—Pour a pint of vinegar with a pint of milk, when the latter has fully conglutated, clear off the lumps, and let it settle, then mix the whole together: now sift into the liquid quick lime, till upon stirring the whole we obtain a thick paste. This cement will permanently unite china, earthenware, marble, &c.

**WASH FOR TREES.**—The best wash for the bodies of young trees is lye made of ashes or potash: one pound of potash will be enough for one gallon of water. This should be applied with a brush or swab to the body of the tree in the month of July: for this is the season when insects lay their eggs on the body, and at the roots of the trees. This wash will destroy all the moss on the body, and all the lice and eggs and young worms that come in contact with it.