SABBATH READING.

Trust.

Count not honors-at thy feet Some favorite may arise, Whose newer name the world shall greet And laud it to the skies. Count not on favors from the mass

Who shout thy name to day The wind may change, and turn, alas!

Their fickle breath away. Count not on pleasure, though thou kneel A votary at her shrine,

Some hand may glide unseen, and steal The joy thou deemest thine. Count not on riches--vainest trust

Unstable—slippery thing, In fortune's gale, as lightest dust, Borne off on viewless wings.
What may we trust?—ye wise disclose.

On what his heart rely?

For eares and fears disturb repose,

And sigh re-echoes sigh His confidence has widest scope Who for the right has striven-Whose watchword, faith, whose Man then may count on Heaven

"I want to be an Angel"

"O mother, I am weary," my little darling "I'm tired, but not sleepy : ch, put me to bed

But take me in your arms, and rock me for a while. For I have been very good to-day;" and

sweetly he did smile. "My playthings are all put away, so tidy and so neat.

Except my little spade-It's on the arborseat. He had spent almost all the day among the

trees and flowers; For in our little garden he loved to And, dearest mother, will you sing that

little hymn to me, 'I want to be an angel?' Do you think I'll ever be You've often said I must be good; and very

For 'I want to be an angel,' away up in the I looked into those eyes—always so clear and

bright-Which as he spoke did shine with an unearthly light

He whispered in my ear (and how bitterly

I cried,) "Mother I'll be an angel, and stand by Jesus' side !'

The Two Pillows. Mention having been made of some one who had received a considerable inheritance, one of the company remarked that it would be a comfortable pillow for him; meaning that with such affluent means, he would now have no occasion to vex his mind, or disturb his rest with cares. Said Gatthold And so you fancy the softest pillow on which to recline the head is a bag of money. What growing up to that little flicker of light if I could prove that they who have most money have least sleep, and that, with great riches, there is often little rest? We all of the following night, thinking how to spend them, made it his business in the morning to distribute them among the most shows us that wealth is often accompanied night he pitches his tent in some pleasant by avarice, than which there is no greater valley, the child is charmed with the spot

when he comes to die? in the divine grace and mercy, or in the go for to-morrow we must depart." Now sincerity of our sins, or in a deathbed rependance, or in our right to eternal life—of and strangers, homeward; but we desire to who can transform himself not only into an is God." angel of light, but also into a comforter. He suckles his children with false hope,

men have the best of all pillows; and that is that it did not hurt them, they would at the bosom of Jesus, in which they find the last join the outmost circle, and feed with grace of God, rest for their souls, and the others. How many faces have I seen peace to their conscience. They are like in those galleries, wearing a wistful children who, after having walked all day look as they gazed down upon us while we in filial obedience, when evening comes kiss, were celebrating this ordinance of commutation parents hand, receive their blessing, nion. May God give all such wings, that go to bed with them in the same chamber, they may fly down and be among his and calmly and securely fall asleep under people, and partake with them of heavenly their eye. He who in faith has reclined tood.—Beecher. his head upon the breast and heart of Jesus. resigned himself wholly to God, and learned

The whole force of life and experience goes to prove that right and wrong doing, whether in relation to the physical or the spiritual nature, is sure, in the end, to meet its appropriate reward or punishment. Penalties are often so long delayed, that men think they shall escape them; but some time they are certain to follow. When the they are certain to follow. When the tong the provider of the stop of whirlwind sweeps through the forest, at its nor grow dry. There is no power on earth first breath, or almost as if the fearful still. ness that precedes had crushed it, the giant tree with all its boughs falls, crashing to the ground. But it had been preparing to fall for twenty years before it had received our laziness. Like a boat, they are to be rowed by our ears, but means are to be rowed by our ears, but means are to be fall for twenty years before it had received a gash. Twenty years before the water began to settle in at some crotch, and from thense decay began to reach in with its silent fingers towards the heart of the tree. Every year the work of death progressed, at length it stood all rottenness, only clasped about by the bark with a semblance of life, and the first gale felled it to the ground.

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decay. They have been preparing to fall for twenty years, and the first disease strikes

them down in a moment. Ascending from the physical nature man to the mind and character, we find the same laws prevail. People sometimes say, "Dishonesty is as good as honesty for aught see. There are such and such men who have pursued for years the most corrupt courses in their business, and yet they prosper, and are getting rich every day." Wait till you see their end. Every year how many such men are overtaken with sudden

destruction, and swept forever out of sight and remembrance! Many a man has gone on in sin, practising secret frauds and villanies, vet trusted and honored, till at length, in some unsuspected hour, he is detected, and denounced by the world, he falls from his high estate as if a cannon ball bla by the French was received with satishad struck him-for there is no cannon that faction. can strike more fatally than outraged public sentiment-and flies over the mountains, or across the sea, to escape the odium of his

building him up in fame and fortune; but financiering is the devil's forge, and his every act was a blow upon the anvil shaping mixed 28s. the dagger that should one day strike home to his heart and make him a suicide. The pea contains the vine, and the flower, and the pod, in embryo, and I am sure when I plant it, that it will produce them and nothug else. Now, every action of our lives is embryonic, and according as it is right or wrong, it will surely bring forth the sweet flowers of joy, or the poison fruits of sorrow.

Such is the constitution of this world, and the Bible assures us that the next world only carries it forward. Here and hereafter, "whatsoever a man soweth, that shall he also reap." The young sometimes say, "By and by

we mean to separate the evil from the good, and to become religious; but first we wish a little liberty for enjoyment." At the waters, and to separate from each other the drops of the various streams that poured into it on either side-of the Red River, the vessels to the Scuth Seas. Arkansas, the Ohio, and the Missouri; or habits formed one after another, are the side streams, to throw a little dam of con-And as I pressed my treasure, I could not version across, and separate the bad from cockles and other vile weeds with the wheat. his sleep.

My little darling faded, e'en from that very and say, "When the grain is ripe, I will go seed by Mr. Campbell, seconded by And when at last he'd gone beyond all earth-by power. Would it not be easier to sow clean wheat than to cleanse dirty wheat? You who are young are now at the sowing end of the harvest field.

> only the golden grain. What a thrifty, robust plant is the potato when out in the field it grows beneath the sun? Its leaf so course and green, its stem so stout and succulent, it is a pleasure to look upon a thing which seems so to take hold of the elements of life. But when it has sprouted in the cellar which has but one north window, half closed, it is a poor, candaverous, etiolated, melancholy vine,

Scatter only pure seed, that when you reach

the reaping end you may find no tares, but

know the story of the Emperor Sigismud, of fear. But let him go forth, with the who having on one occasion received forty liberty of God, into the light of love, and thousand ducats, and lain awake the whole he will be like the plant in the field, healthy

A Father, with his little son, is journeydeserving of his courtiers. Experience ing overland to California, and when at foe to sleep. Granting, however, that a large fortune is a comfortable pillow to a main there; and he begins to make a little man while he lives, what will it do for him fence about the tent, and digs up the wild flowers and plants them within the enclos-Let me also remind you that there is another kind of pillow—I mean a false trust our home is far distant. Let these things which many a wicked man, though contin-build here, and must often be overthrown uing in presumptuous sine, ventures to before we can learn to seek "the city that boast. This pillow is prepared by Satan, hath foundations, whose Builder and Maker

I have seen birds sitting on the boughs sings to them a sweet song, and rocks them | and watching while other birds were feeding into the sleep of security. May God, in below. They would hop from twig to twig, his mercy, preserve us from such a pillow and look wistfully down upon them; then, s this!

Gatthold proceeded: Believers and good their perch and back again, and finding

How does one begin to learn Latin? Not to trust in his fatherly goodness and care, charmed with the numbers of Virgil, but and to keep a conscience pure and void of stumbling over the grammar; digging at offense, cannot but sleep in peace; for roots of verbs. As it is with study, so it though his body wake, his soul reposes upon is with religion. No one should be disappointed if the early experiences of his early life involve many doubts and fears. A new life, like a new river, has to pick its way and find its channel. The water will gather

to a certain class of male and female operatives to the United States. The Belfast Northern Whig says that the steamer Hercine, plying between Belfast 8th do, Robert McNeil; 9th do, John Quin, pated and who have been in other fights

Details are published of the atrocious piracy and kidnapping of slaves by Peruvian

Puebla. Reports were current in Paris e good! Let the stream run pure from 12th instant, that orders had been sent to For "I will be an angel!" he murmured in its source. The stream run pure from the good: Let the stream run pure from the good: Let the stream run pure from the good: The good: The stream run pure from the good: The g

> The Liverpool journals urge an early ter- kin and Robert Stead be paid. mination of hostilities between France and

eipt signed by the National Government It was reported that the notes of the

The Common Council of Bireaw had deided to send a deputation to the King, to

against the Press, and convoke the diet. The deputation has gone to Berlin. COMMERCIAL. LONDON MONEY MARKET .- Funds on

count was moderate, and rates easy at Breadstuffs. - Richardson, Spence & Co.,

day; a full council present. The minutes of last session having been ead, approved, and signed, the following

locuments were presented and read. A letter from the council of the Village of Lanark stating that, under existing circamstances, that council declines engaging in rebuilding Kerrs bridge, likewise that rom a Report of Committee of that council. apon the subject of the proportion to be paid y the Municipality of this Village, of the the County Jail, and Debentures Rates, the council are convinced, that the full propor-tion thereof has been already paid; and urther a proffer of payment of a note drawn by that council, in favor of the Municipality of the Township of Lanark, and falling due in January 1864, upon condition of being allowed a discount thereon. An application from the Township Road

gage in the duties of his office. Mathie, That the Road Surveyor be, and he is hereby authorized to purchase a chain and charge the cost thereof to this Mani-Moved by Mr. Campbell, seconded by Mr. Moved by Mr. Campbell, seconded by Mr.

Surveyor, for a chain to enable him to en-

Mathie, That this council do now go into

mouth of the Mississippi, where it pours its immense flood into the Gulf of Mexico, how immense flood into the Gulf of Mexico, how the Confederate Government.

Sth. do, Robert McNeil; 9th do, Souli Quit, pared and who have been sold to an agent of Jun.; 10th John Stevenson, Esq.; 11th say it was most desperate—such cutting and the Confederate Government. McCoy; and that it shall be the duty of fore in our encounters with the rebel cavalcustodians of road scrapers to deliver the ry. The force engaged was in the advance scrapers to the Path Masters of road divis- of the rebel General Stuart's Cavalry, who regulates the conduct of the upright man sailor, on being interrogated, said he was Arkansas, the Ohio, and the Missouri; or to sitt grain by grain from the detritus the particles of sand that have wasted from the Ozark, or the Alleghany, or the Hocky Mountains; yet how much more impossible would it be, when character is the river, and or derivers of the Red River, the Arkansas, the Ohio, and the Missouri; or to sitt grain by grain from the detritus the particles of sand that have wasted from the Ozark, or the Alleghany, or the Hocky Mountains; yet how much more impossible would it be, when character is the river, and or derivers of the Path Masters of road divisions first applying therefor, and orders upon it is alleged by prisoners, was advancing thus through Aldie with the expectation of business. He is strict in keeping bis taking his clethes to a wash woman to be thus through Aldie with the expectation of business. The policeman insisted on examinating them latest in the served, and it shall be the duty of the policeman arrested him, and after a severe struggle brought him to the station-once of the robid General Stuart's Cavalry, who it is alleged by prisoners, was advancing thus through Aldie with the expectation of business. He is strict in keeping bis taking his clethes to a wash woman to be use of them to the Path Master next seeking the it is alleged by prisoners, was advancing thus through Aldie with the expectation of thus through Aldie with the expectation of the business. The policeman insisted on examinating them latest in the proper place; leaves nothing undore which son to return them to the Custodians, who ought to do what he can be a hurry; employs nobody to do what he can be a hurry; employs nobody to do what he can be a hurry; employs nobody to do what he can be a hurry; employs nobody to do what he can be a hurry; employs nobody to do what he can be a hurry; employs nobody to do what he can be a hurry; employs nobody to do what he can be a hurry; employs nobody to do what he can be a hurry; employs nobody to do what he can be a hurry; employs nobody to do what he can be

Carried. James Rankin, Assessor; Robert Steady, forcements to Mexico, but the evening Treasurer, presented their accounts for offi-

Mr. Yuil, That the accounts of James Ran-

Moved by Mr. Affleck, seconded by Mr. Mexico, in order that the French Govern- Yuil That from the information in possesent may regain freedom of movement in sion of this council, it appears that the construction of a safe and convenient highway, In the place of the notes and gold abstract- on that part of the 6th concession line, pced from the Warsaw Bank, was left a re- titioned for by William Millar, and others, is impractivelyle, except at a cost exceeding the resources of the Municipality; that hree Powers to Russia regarding Poland, therefor the examination of that concession would be despatched to St. Petersburg on line be ommitted in the By-law providing

Breadstuffs.—Richardson, Spence & Co., and others, report flour tending downward. American, 21s. to 25s. Wheat heavy, and all qualities slightly lower. Red Western, and of filling the first blank of the to 9s. 5d.; white Western, 10s. to 10s. 5d.; second blank with the words five inches, it is also ascertained that Longstreet was on the health, and tend to prevent the pro-

A Wonderful Discovery.

Whilst (says the Ballymena Observer) some turf cutters were engaged at work this week in Craigywarren Bog, on the Bally-mena estate, they found, about four feet below the surface, a roll of butter which had no doubt been deposited there some centuries ago. It weighed over eight pounds, and is in a perfect state of preservation, but consolidated into a substance resembling cheese. It melts readily, and has all the essential qualities of tallow. When found it was enveloped in a decayed fibrous wrapper, supposed to have been the bark of a tree. Butter of like description has been trequently discovered throughout the bogs n this part of the kingdom, and it is generally believed to have been hidden there by the owners on the approach of hostile clans, whose incursions for plunder were very frequent in the carlier ages. Near the same was also found

SERIOUS AFFRAY .- On Thursday even Now, there are men who for twenty years have shamed the day and wearied the night with their debausheries, but who yet seem strong and vigorous, and exclaim, "You need not talk of penalties. Look at me! I have revelled in pleasure for twenty years, and I am as hale and hearty to-day as ever."

Now abideth Faith, Hope, Love, these three; but the greatest of these is Love, "Gampbell, seconded by Mr. Mathie, That from the admission of Robert Craig, Sen., on account of the absence of Assessment of personal propery, Moved by Mr. Mathie, That from the admission of Robert Craig, Sen., in presence of this Court, there be added to prove fatal. Quebec Mercury.

the King of Prussia on the capture of Pussia on the Casturature of Pussia on

Gen. Gregg had carried the stone wall near all times, either in buying or selling; and tain several dresses, stockings, and other small profits, in credit cases, with little risk articles of female apparel; several men's 335 men and 24 officers. On arriving at memory which he can and ought to commit Middleburg he was informed by ladies to writing; keeps copies of all his important specifying where the school is located. He that a force of rebel cavalry, greatly out- letters which he sends away, and has every said in the station house that he got the bag numbering his own, were encamped around letter, invoice, &c., belonging to his busi- from a boy near the Wellington Bridge.

entrance, and were then making tions upon him from another point. He leaves it, it will leave him; is constantly was also told that the whole of Stuart's examining his books, and sees through all for the appointment of a fit and proper per- force were in the vicinity, but that Stuart his affairs, as far as care and attention en-The Patrie says the Russian Government son to examine and report upon the com- himself had just left by another route to re- able him; balances regularly at stated times nclines towards an arrangement with paritive facilities of certain concession lines enforce Lee, who was then falling back on and then makes out and transmits all his Prussia, notwithstanding the whinning to for the construction of a safe and convenient Aldie. Determined to carry out his instruction of a safe and convenient Aldie. highway to improve the communication be tion, he sent back messengers to Aldie ask- as much as possible, all sorts of money mattween the south-eastern section of this ing for re-enforcements. In the meantime ters and law suits where there is the least Township and the Town Hall; that the extithe rebels in force attacked Col. Duffie at hazard; keeps a memorandum book, in petition him to withdraw his late ordinance amination of the 7th concession line be several different points. Finding himself limited to the swamp opposite the 9th and overpowered by superior numbers and sur- tive to appointments, addresses, and petty 10th lots, of the 8th concession line from rounded on every side, he attempted to cut cash matters; is cautious how he becomes the Carleton round to the proving line between his way back toward Aldie. Failing in ef-security for any person, and is generous the 15th and 16th lots, and of the 10th feeting this, he turned toward Thoroughfare only when urged by motives of humanity the 12th were firmer, closing strong at a concession line from the Carleton road to slight improvement. Application for dis-On the motion of Mr. Mathie, seconded commanding the grand centre of Lee's by Mr. Affleck, and carried for the first army, and that Lee was thereabout in per- less than butcher's meat, weight for weight reading, on the motion of Mr. Affleck, second. Col. Duffie then defiled to the left, and in effect it may be more nourishing. therein with the name of William Scott, the cation of Lee and Ewell. From this source stance which may have a beneficial effect second blank with the words five inches, white Southern, 10s. 5d.; white Southern, 10s. 5d. to 11s. Corn declining; mixed at 28s.; white, 30s. to 32s.

Provisions.—The same authorities report beef dull and unchanged. Pork quiet, but steady. Bacon irregular; and quotations barely maintained. Coffee quiet and unchanged.

London June 13.

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Baring Bros. report breadstuffs quiet, and barely maintained. Sugar tends downward. Tea quiet. Coffee steady.

Minutes of Lanark Council.

Middleville, 30th May, 1863.

Pursuant to adjournment the Municipal Council of the Township of Lanark met this

Moved by Mr. Mathie, seconded by Mr. Affleck, That the contractor for finishing the Town Hall be directed to employ a mason to repair the foundation wall thereof and charge the cost thereof to this Municipal to the 13th day of June.

Middleville, 30th May, 1863.

Pursuant to adjournment the Municipal Council of the Township of Lanark met this

Lanark, June 16th, 1863.

Moved by Mr. Mathie, seconded by Mr. Affleck, That the contractor for finishing the field, are returning to officers draw the conclusion that Lee is advanced to the Potomac in three columns; his right, under Hill, by way of Occoquan and Maple Run Shoals, his centre, under Long-and his left, under Long-and his left, under Long-and his left, under Long-and his left, under Long-and his centre, under Long-and his left, under Long-and his centre, under Long-and his left, under Long-and his centre, under Long-and h who were visiting the field, are returning hither to-day, and there are other indications of an approaching conflict.

To PREVENT THE ROTTING OF WOOD. In order to prevent the rotting of wood whenever it comes in contact with the lead, and one part of sulphuric acid mixed together. The resin, chalk, sand and oil are hoated together, and the red lead and sulphuric acid added, They are then care-

GOOD WAY OF COOKING ONIONS .- It is

The North Care Res. Date 1. The state of the Bear Property of John Blackbe, Nored by the certain of the East Property of John Blackbe, Nored by the certain of the certain of the the State of the state of the the State of the S by ing persons be, and they are thereby are particularly and sale cure, viz., the fee who had not been killed being capbroined Custodians of road scrapers viz: 1st the fee who had not been killed being capbroined bottle. Then again both these remedies are building, are all regulated with precision, Yuil; 3 do, John McDonald; 4th do, Duncan Ballantyne; 5th do, Robert Watt; 6th do, John Millar 7th do, Andrew Campbell; but the victory was dearly bought by the loss of the gallant Col. Douty, who can Ballantyne; 5th do, Robert Watt; 6th hours, and some of the officers who parties.

But the victory was dearly bought by the loss of the gallant Col. Douty, who cheap that it is thought they cannot do good.

JACOB FRITZ. Fort Walla Walla, W. T.

The Habits of a Man of Bus-

A sacred regard to the principles of justice forms the basis of every transaction and with a carpet bag filed with clothing. The Run and Kattockton ridge.

From the statement of Col. Duffie, it appears that on Wednesday afternoon when said the credits to long ones, and eash to credit at and searching his bag it was found to conand decisive with his customers, and does in the station house, although he said the nickersville, he (Duffie) was ordered to to the chance of better gains with more summer coats, and a quantity of tea and rocced to Middleburg, and hold that point. hazard. He is clear and explicit in all his sugar. There were also in the bag a num-His regiment went into engagement with bargains; leaves nothing of consequence to ber of good conduct cards of a Sunday the town.

This was evidenced by the fact that had dispersed a brigade who opposed his entrance, and were then making demonstra. nonstra- of his business, well knowing that, if he which he notes every little particular relasecurity for any person, and is generous

large families, handsomer women, more robust and active men, or a greater exemption from maladies.

A Great Melting Furnace. We learn from the Pittsburg Despatch that a great melting furnace-probably the whenever it comes in contact with the ground, such as posts and piles; a certain paint is now used which has the hardness of stone, resists dampness and si quite cheap width and thirty one feet in length—dividof stone, resists dampness and is quite cheap. It is composed as follows: Fifty parts resin, forty parts finely powdered chalk, about three hundred parts of fine, hard sand, four parts of linseed oil, one part of red exide of the lead and one rart of sulphuric acid mixed immense mass was completely reduced; the

sulphuric acid added, They are then carefully mixed and the composition is applied while hot, and when cold and dry furnishes a varnish the hardness of stone. If the mixture is too thick, add more lineed oil. A smaller quantity than the above can be made by using the parts in a reduced proan ever-increasing velocity, to the bottom of the shaft, and every one killed on the spet.

GOOD WAY OF COOKING ONIONS.—It is a good plan to boil onions in milk and water; it diminishes the strong taste of that vegetable. It is an excellent way of serving up onions to chop them after they are boiled, and put them in a stew pan, with a little milk, butter, salt and pepper, and let them stew about fifteen minutes. This gives them a fine flavor and they can be served up very hot.

STRAM ON CANALS.—The experiments with steam navigation on the Eric Canal are waid to have proved unsatisfactory. One firm have taken the engines out of their boats and are baving them converted into horse-towing boats, and the Rome, Water-town & Ogdensburg Railroad Company have withdrawn their eight propellers and sold them to the owners of the Delaware & Rar-item to the owners of ended itan Canal.

should be spread above and below the spot which should be then exposed to the sun.

A Scotchman asked an Irishman why were half farthings coined in England? The answer was "To give Scotchman an opportunity to subscribe to charitable main is three hundred bales. The cotton mill at Mattineaque is running half its magintions."

In Manchester, N. H., the Amoskeag Company are now using about thirty bales. The Stark mills use thirty bales, their maxim am is three hundred bales. The cotton mill at Mattineaque is running half its magintions.

A Thiet Caught.

About two o'clock on Wednesday morn ing Constable John Cherry met a sailor specifying where the school is located. He parently in order to detach the bag from some place to which it was made fast. He was remanded for examination .- Montreal

WHAT SHRUBBERY SHALL I PLANT ?every one acquinted with the subject, has flowering shrubs. But there is a group of them which, by universal consent, everyone admires and desires to see upon his premises. They are as follows:-The several Spirmeas, especially Reevesii and Prunifolia, Deutzia Gracilis, Forsythia Veridissima. Colutea Arborescens, Wienese Apple, Pericantha, Magnolia Soulangeani, Gelia Rosea, Snow Ball, Philadelphus Coronatus, Pyrus Japonica, Double-flowering Chi Magnolia onspoua, Mist Tree, Weeping Cherry, Persian Lilac, Enonymus, Flowering Al mond, Double flouring Peach, &c.

There are numerous others which, when carefully cultivated, are very pretty and add much to the floricultural appearance of the premises .- Germantown Telegraph.

Mrs. C. D. Ketchum, of Jackson Co., Wis., sends the following hint to the Amer ican Agriculturist: "In knitting common woolen stockings, knit cotton thread in with the woolen yarn, the size of the thread to be governed by the size of the varn. For very coarse socks, skein cotton will answer. but even in such socks, very fine smool cot ton will add greatly to their durability. In old stockings I have found every stitch of cotton perfect after the wool was entirely worn away. The thread prevents the pull ing and breaking of the tender varn.'

Query.—As cotton yarn is now so cost-v, would not linen thread answer an equalgood purpose, and even be better at any The above plan may be old to others as Mrs. K. suggests, but it is new to us, and appears to be a good one.—ED.]

GERMAN MODE OF PRESERVING OR RANSMITTING CUTTINGS OF PLANTS TO DISTANCE .- Cylindrically shaped glass ottles with wide mouths are used, into which the cuttings are thrown just as they are taken from the plant; from a teaspoonful to a tablespoonful of water is put in the bottle and the stopper hermetically sealed up, Cuttings kept in this way for a month have grown most freely, and instances have occurred where they have sent out roots during a journey from Edinburg to Vienna and being immediately potted on their arriral have grown treely.

A FINE CUSTARD PUDDING,-Mix by degrees a pint of good milk with a large spoonful of flour, the yolks of five eggs, some orange-flower water, and a little pounded cinnamon. Butter a basin that will exactly hold it, pour the batter in, and tie a floured cloth over it; put in boiling water over the fire, and turn it about five minutes to prevent the egg going to one side. Half

CLEANING OIL PAINTINGS. -To remo dirt from old oil paintings, aponge with warm water, then cover with spirits of wine renewed for ten minutes, and washing off with water, but without rubbing. Repeat the process until the whole is removed.

BLACK SPOTS ON PLATE -- Boil the ticles in three pints of water with an ounce of calcined harmhorn; drain, dry by the fire, and polish with bolt linen rage which have been boiled in the sume liquid and after-wards dried; using purified whitening as the