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would lie on his back with his paws as limp as though he had no strength. When asked if he were sick, he would drop his ears, and look very doleful; then he would be pitied, and asked to show his tongue, which he would do.

But one had only to say hens, when he was up and away after real or imaginary fowls. His master's father lived next door, and when the dog was told that his father was down at his grandfather's he would act as though he was crazy, till he could get out doors. If you fooled him once, the next time he would try to ask in every way that he could, if you were fooling. He would dance, and do a great many funny things, which endeared him to his owners.—Bert Browner, Halton Co., Ont.

#### KEEP HOUSE FOR PAPA

I am 14 years old. Mamma is dead, so I, with the help of my younger sister, keep house for papa and brother Wesley. We have three horses, but one of them is so afraid of electric cars, and another one is so frisky, that I cannot drive either of them, and have to drive our old horse. I can pick peaches, drive old horse to harrow, rake hay on, use horse rake, drive to haul the hay, and do many other things to help Papa. We have three cows, one dog, and three cats, and, last, but not least, 5,000 peach trees, although some are too young to bear.—Jennie Smith, Wentworth Co., Ont.



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#### Packing Away Winter Garments

Moths are most active in April, May and June, so it is wisdom to clean and pack away all woollens and furs as soon as they are taken off for the season, before the moths have an opportunity to deposit their eggs. Never put soiled articles into the store room, or chest, for these busy little creatures are sure to find them first. Garments that can not be washed, and are safest when tied up in cotton bags. Suits, overcoats and cloaks should be closely inspected before they are hung away. Turn the pockets inside out to remove all dust and lint; wash the garments vigorously, sponge out all spots, press neatly, then see that all buttons and loops are secure, so that the articles may be in perfect readiness for the wearer when needed in the fall. Use a patent hanger to keep them in shape, and cover with cotton bags made for the purpose, drawing the strings securely, so that no moths may find their way inside. Blankets, shawls and underwear are safe if put into cedar chests, but an ordinary trunk will do, if one of the many preventives for insects is placed inside.

See that all underwear and hosiery are neatly mended; that which is unfit for next season's use, may be cut up into cleaning cloths, mops, or otherwise disposed of, but should not be allowed to hang about, taking up valuable room, and inviting moths and Buffalo bugs. Woollen gowns that can not be washed, should be thoroughly aired, brushed, and all spots removed. It is better to fold these than hang them, especially the skirts, as they lose their shape when stretched upon hangers for a long time.

Be sure that the bottom of the skirts are cleaned and the binding repaired, before packing them away. Gowns that are to be made over for the next season, should be ripped, washed and pressed, ready for the shears. In this way one economizes bureau or chest room. Inspect the winter woollens, once or twice during the summer. It is a wise plan to hang them out in a strong wind at such times, as it keeps them sweet, and may remove the one pest that has settled in the folds. Buffalo bugs, especially, make ripe work, when once they begin their labors.

It is easy to be good when you are alone, or alone when you are good. The man who makes two promises, and keeps one of them, is better than the man who keeps all the promises he makes if he doesn't make any.

#### The Washing Problem

Since publishing an article relating to the benefits derived from the use of the washing machine, in a recent issue, the following letter has been brought to our notice. It was written by a farmer's wife in the United States, and we quote parts from the letter that our Canadian women may see how universal the satisfaction is, from the use of the washing machine.

"I feel that I may speak of the family washing as a problem—a live one which cannot be side-tracked, because the family must have clean clothes, and somebody must wash them every week. Care, labor, annoyance and expense are indispensable in having clean clothes. When these are reduced to the minimum, we may consider the family-washing problem solved.

#### THE PROBLEM SOLVED

My solution of the problem was to get a good washing machine, and make a scientific application of the best methods of cleaning clothes with the washer. I did this, and made a success of it. In selecting my machine I found that it made very little difference what I bought. Any and all of the various machines that have been on the market for years, will clean the clothes when used properly. Getting the clothes clean with any washing machine is, therefore, only a matter of methods. If the clothes fail to come clean, it is the fault of the operator, not of the machine. But the question for me to decide was which did it the easiest, and with the least injury. This was important, because the work had to be brought within my strength, and the clothes must be saved.

#### BEST KIND OF MACHINES

I found after some experiments that it paid to analyze carefully the principle on which the different washers operate, and choose the one that created the necessary water force with the least friction. It was important, also to avoid lifting, so I chose a washer that had no unnecessary weight, no clumsy covers, agitators and operating devices that had to be lifted. The item of convenience was also studied; my washer was easy to move when loaded; easy to lift and carry when empty. It is also easy to clean and to keep clean, and is of such construction that it does not have to be kept soaked with water to prevent drying out, and leaking. I feel sorry for women who wash by hand."

E. F. B.

#### For the Big Boys

Get into a business you like.

Devote yourself to it.

Be honest in everything.

Employ caution; think out a thing well before you enter upon it.

Sleep eight hours every night.

Do everything that means keeping in good health.

School yourself not to worry; worry kills, work doesn't.

Avoid liquors of all kinds.

Shun discussion on two points—religion and politics.

And lastly, but not least, marry a true woman, and have your own home.—Cosmopolitan.

#### A Boy Cook

I have been a reader of The Canadian Dairyman and Farming World for nearly two years. Your Cook's Corner and Pattern Department are just fine. I have been giving cooking lessons to a young boy in our neighborhood. He makes fine cookies. It would be much nicer if more boys would take to baking as they could help the tired mothers on baking days.—Mrs. Jennie Russell, Elgin Co.,

#### In the Sewing Room

When sending for patterns kindly do not omit to mention the size desired, several reasons for this have been lately did not give size wanted and the editor has sent a medium size in all such cases. When ordering patterns, state number of pattern and size desired. It is not necessary to mention the size of the pattern with order. Allow a week or ten days, before pattern may be expected.

#### BOYS' BLOUSE SUIT, 5885.



The suit consists of the blouse and the knickerbockers. The blouse is tucked at the front to give the wide box plait effect. The knickerbockers are of the regulation sort and also are finished with hems at their lower edges, in which elastic is inserted to regulate the size.

The quantity of material required for the medium size (8 years) is 2½ yds 52 in wide of 1½ yds 52 in wide.

The pattern is cut in sizes for boys, 4, 6, 8, and 10 years of age, and will be sent to any address on receipt of ten cents.

#### CHILD'S YOKE DRESS 5882



The round yoke with the gathered frill becoming in most cases a full skirt is a choice allowed between that and the square yoke and the sleeves can be long or short.

The quantity of material required for the medium size (2 years) is 2½ yds 24, 2½ yds 32, 2½ yds 36, 2½ yds 40, 2½ yds 44, 2½ yds 48, 2½ yds 52, 2½ yds 56, 2½ yds 60, 2½ yds 64, 2½ yds 68, 2½ yds 72, 2½ yds 76, 2½ yds 80, 2½ yds 84, 2½ yds 88, 2½ yds 92, 2½ yds 96, 2½ yds 100, 2½ yds 104, 2½ yds 108, 2½ yds 112, 2½ yds 116, 2½ yds 120, 2½ yds 124, 2½ yds 128, 2½ yds 132, 2½ yds 136, 2½ yds 140, 2½ yds 144, 2½ yds 148, 2½ yds 152, 2½ yds 156, 2½ yds 160, 2½ yds 164, 2½ yds 168, 2½ yds 172, 2½ yds 176, 2½ yds 180, 2½ yds 184, 2½ yds 188, 2½ yds 192, 2½ yds 196, 2½ yds 200, 2½ yds 204, 2½ yds 208, 2½ yds 212, 2½ yds 216, 2½ yds 220, 2½ yds 224, 2½ yds 228, 2½ yds 232, 2½ yds 236, 2½ yds 240, 2½ yds 244, 2½ yds 248, 2½ yds 252, 2½ yds 256, 2½ yds 260, 2½ yds 264, 2½ yds 268, 2½ yds 272, 2½ yds 276, 2½ yds 280, 2½ yds 284, 2½ yds 288, 2½ yds 292, 2½ yds 296, 2½ yds 300, 2½ yds 304, 2½ yds 308, 2½ yds 312, 2½ yds 316, 2½ yds 320, 2½ yds 324, 2½ yds 328, 2½ yds 332, 2½ yds 336, 2½ yds 340, 2½ yds 344, 2½ yds 348, 2½ yds 352, 2½ yds 356, 2½ yds 360, 2½ yds 364, 2½ yds 368, 2½ yds 372, 2½ yds 376, 2½ yds 380, 2½ yds 384, 2½ yds 388, 2½ yds 392, 2½ yds 396, 2½ yds 400, 2½ yds 404, 2½ yds 408, 2½ yds 412, 2½ yds 416, 2½ yds 420, 2½ yds 424, 2½ yds 428, 2½ yds 432, 2½ yds 436, 2½ yds 440, 2½ yds 444, 2½ yds 448, 2½ yds 452, 2½ yds 456, 2½ yds 460, 2½ yds 464, 2½ yds 468, 2½ yds 472, 2½ yds 476, 2½ yds 480, 2½ yds 484, 2½ yds 488, 2½ yds 492, 2½ yds 496, 2½ yds 500, 2½ yds 504, 2½ yds 508, 2½ yds 512, 2½ yds 516, 2½ yds 520, 2½ yds 524, 2½ yds 528, 2½ yds 532, 2½ yds 536, 2½ yds 540, 2½ yds 544, 2½ yds 548, 2½ yds 552, 2½ yds 556, 2½ yds 560, 2½ yds 564, 2½ yds 568, 2½ yds 572, 2½ yds 576, 2½ yds 580, 2½ yds 584, 2½ yds 588, 2½ yds 592, 2½ yds 596, 2½ yds 600, 2½ yds 604, 2½ yds 608, 2½ yds 612, 2½ yds 616, 2½ yds 620, 2½ yds 624, 2½ yds 628, 2½ yds 632, 2½ yds 636, 2½ yds 640, 2½ yds 644, 2½ yds 648, 2½ yds 652, 2½ yds 656, 2½ yds 660, 2½ yds 664, 2½ yds 668, 2½ yds 672, 2½ yds 676, 2½ yds 680, 2½ yds 684, 2½ yds 688, 2½ yds 692, 2½ yds 696, 2½ yds 700, 2½ yds 704, 2½ yds 708, 2½ yds 712, 2½ yds 716, 2½ yds 720, 2½ yds 724, 2½ yds 728, 2½ yds 732, 2½ yds 736, 2½ yds 740, 2½ yds 744, 2½ yds 748, 2½ yds 752, 2½ yds 756, 2½ yds 760, 2½ yds 764, 2½ yds 768, 2½ yds 772, 2½ yds 776, 2½ yds 780, 2½ yds 784, 2½ yds 788, 2½ yds 792, 2½ yds 796, 2½ yds 800, 2½ yds 804, 2½ yds 808, 2½ yds 812, 2½ yds 816, 2½ yds 820, 2½ yds 824, 2½ yds 828, 2½ yds 832, 2½ yds 836, 2½ yds 840, 2½ yds 844, 2½ yds 848, 2½ yds 852, 2½ yds 856, 2½ yds 860, 2½ yds 864, 2½ yds 868, 2½ yds 872, 2½ yds 876, 2½ yds 880, 2½ yds 884, 2½ yds 888, 2½ yds 892, 2½ yds 896, 2½ yds 900, 2½ yds 904, 2½ yds 908, 2½ yds 912, 2½ yds 916, 2½ yds 920, 2½ yds 924, 2½ yds 928, 2½ yds 932, 2½ yds 936, 2½ yds 940, 2½ yds 944, 2½ yds 948, 2½ yds 952, 2½ yds 956, 2½ yds 960, 2½ yds 964, 2½ yds 968, 2½ yds 972, 2½ yds 976, 2½ yds 980, 2½ yds 984, 2½ yds 988, 2½ yds 992, 2½ yds 996, 2½ yds 1000.

The pattern is cut in sizes for children of six months, 1, 2, and 4 years of age, and will be mailed to any address on receipt of ten cents.

#### PRINCESS CHEMISE 5735

To be tucked or drawn in at the waist.

Combination of the blouse and the knickerbockers. The blouse is tucked at the front to give the wide box plait effect. The knickerbockers are of the regulation sort and also are finished with hems at their lower edges, in which elastic is inserted to regulate the size.

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