Cynthia Grey's Mail-Box

[Correspondents are requested to make their inquiries as brief as possible, and to write on one side of the paper only. It is impossible to give replies within a stated time, as all letters have to be answered in turn. No letters can be answered privately.]

Matron's Little Scold.

Dear Miss Grey,-Many thanks for words of song and infermation concern ing shrubs. In return, I take much pleasure in being able to send the words of "The Rose of Tralee," requested by

ne of your correspondents.

I enjoy the column very much, but if lose young girls that want so much information about their "proportions," the way to wear their hair. etc., etc., would be wear their hair. ask their mothers, sisters, or girl chums, who would surely have a better idea, it would leave the column more space for something more useful and interesting. There I have had my "scold."

"MATRON." Ans .- Scold away, dear Matron. I assure you I should not feel one bit hurt If our young girl readers followed your advice, even to the desertion of the Mall-Box! At any rate, I am glad you enjoy the column, and hope you will long continue a reader, and also remain a go to Valcartier, or have they gone to contributor, as well, from time to time. the front? Thanks for the song.

Christmas Cake Recipe.

Dear Miss Grey,-I am much interestin your column, and I would like to in it? ask you a few questions, thanking you in advance.

1. Would you please give me a recipe for a Christmas cake? 2. I am 13, and weigh 105 pounds. Am

3. What way would be nice to make a winter dress for me. From MARY. Ans.-1. Two pounds raisins, seeded and cut in half; 2 pounds currants, 1 to Valcartier. pound dates, stoned and chopped; pound chopped almonds, 1 pound mixed war, you cannot do better than to buy peel, cut fine, 6 eggs, 1 pound butter, 3 one of The Advertiser "War Books."

Cups brown sugar, coffee cup molasses, one-half cup lemon juice, one-half cup cannot be excelled: Beat one egg light, lasses. Stir all together thoroughly, and use half the ingredients.

3. Watch the pattern department for

Birthday Party Hints.

Dear Miss Grey: 1. I an: going to month, as the plants then have time to bother you once more. I am intending get well settled before winter. Howp hold a birthday gathering at the ever, you end of November for a number of girls sooner the better. a birthday gathering at the ever, you can repot them now, the and boys. Having them just for the evening, how soon should they arrive? leading fabric. Is 5:30 too late? Where would you serve the lunch, in the drawing-room or lve. dining-room for about eighteen? Should the boys, as well as the girls be taken up to a bedroom to unwrap? What a dandy idea about that "stunt party," but would it do for boys, too?

I am enclosing some guessing games that are great. I hope they will home, as it but added fuel to the fire. help some of the readers of your paper. Judging by what you say, I think she is 3. Do you think we will have a spell a dangerous woman to be very intimate of warm weather again soon?

mer arrive? 5. Do you admire the French roll or

Could you tell me where I could herself and others unhappy. get some little Japanese magic flowers? I have read about them, but do not I should say, let her alone as much as know of any Japanese store. Could you possible; but when you meet, be kind Opera House, and every thing connected cup of shortening, three well-beaten Hoping you can help me. I remain.

MISS ANGEL. Do you not mean 8:30? This be a more suitable hour, or you could ask them to come at eight if you

Sult your own convenience as to your own convenience as to sometimes!
you serve lunch. If you are
2. Regarding what flowers to get you having light refreshments, such as sandwiches, cake and coffee, it might be just as well to serve them in the sweet peas, pansies, gladioli and saivia. parlors. But if you are including more pariors. But if you are including more elaborate "eats" like cold meat, salad, 4. The wire would be quite all right or ices, it would be best to have tables for the little grave. A good shrub is set in the dining-room. Have the lights the bridal wreath. It is hardy, and shaded with yellow crepe paper and use looks most beautiful when in bloom.



1047-A Splendid Style for Early Fall-Ladies' Eton Jacket. Practical, popular coat styles, such as

are easily and readily developed, and one "Nota Bene" was asking for, and form a serviceable adjunct to the new I am so glad you sent it, Della. gown. The model here shown has its a rolled shawl collar. The pattern is cut sanlo chose the leaden one, and won In five sizes-34, 36, 38, 40 and 42 bust measure. It requires 21/2 yards of 44-inch material for a 36-inch

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autumn leaves and chrysanthemums for decoration

The boys may leave their wraps in the hall. Certainly, the "stunt party" is all the more fun in a mixed crowd. 2. As you will have noticed, I have found these very useful already. Thanks. 3. Tut-tut!
4. The general theory is that indian

yet appeared. 5. Yes, on some. It will probably remain in style during the winter

6. Sorry, but I do not know.

Get a War Book. Dear Miss Grey: I enjoy reading your questions and answers in this column, and will you please answer a few for

Did the Twenty-Sixth Regiment 2. What is the cause of the war be-

tween Europe and Germany? 3. Can you give me a good recipe for salad dressing, without cream or oil 4. When or what month should

foliages, Christmas cactus and Jerusalem cherry be re-potted? 5. Will velvet or velour hats be worn the most this winter?

6. What will take a grease spot out of a navy blue dress-will chloroform? A.-1. Quite a number of volunteers from the Twenty-Sixth Regiment went 2. If you want to know all about the

ground mixed spices, 8 cups flour, wet a tablespoon flour in a little cold good teaspoon soda dissolved first in a milk and add more milk to make a this Paris model for an autumn street little hot water, then stir into the mo- good half-cupful; mix with the egg, add- coat has a great deal of distinction. bake in loaves in a moderate oven. This makes a large quantity and if do not half a teaspoon ground mustard, and a broad belt which is a feature of many bread spread with cream cheese with makes a large quantity, and, if desired, tablespoon sugar; place on a corner of of the fall models. the stove and beat in very slowly half a cup of vinegar. Beat constantly or broadcloth, trimmed with skunk fur, French dressing as a filling. the mixture may curdle. This dressing which is very popular just now. will keep one or two weeks if placed

> 5. I think the velvet will be the 6. Yes. Gasoline is also very effect-

Reply to Plump and Plain.

Ans .- So, you want me to be perfectly candid? Well, I think both of you are at fault. I am sorry you spoke quite so sharply to her about coming to your a suspicious mind, does not hesitate at Work, and Is a Help Rather Than a criticizing even those nearest and dear. Hindrance in Study. girls, and do you think it will est. One should really feel sorry for

to her. Never indulge in gossip about with it, for their patriotic her to other people—your neighbors, for Instance. They know her, and they know you; let them judge for themselves. Perhaps heretofore your thoughts and actions towards her have not been exactly calculated to win her friendship. Supposing you try a little kindness and love, for a change. It works wonders

Spirea is another with white blossoms. Advertiser Patterns 5. The name "Cynthla" was one of the several names given by the ancients to 5. The name "Cynthla" was one of the the goddess of the moon.

Dear Miss Grey: In a recent issue of your paper. "Nota Bena" inquires" for a poem about a garden, and as I ran across this poem in a book I happened to be reading, I am sending it, hoping it may be "the" one:

"A garden is a lovesome thing, God Fringed pool,

Ferned grot. Of peace, and yet the fool Contends that God is not-Not God! in gardens! when the eve

Nay, but I have a sign! 'Tis very sure God walks in mine." -Words by Thos. Edward Brown.

Also, will you kindly answer the following:
1. I have been "keeping company" with two young men who are equally estimable. What is a sure way to prove which is "the one?" 2, I have a brown broadcloth

which I had made very plain, and which is in good condition, only it is not "the thing" in style for now. How could I fix it up to make it look nore up-to-the-minute? I am yours, Ans.-The verse is very probably the

1. What a problem to bring to fronts lengthened by shaped extensions. Could you not plan some sort of test The sleeve is cut in one with the coat after the method of Portia, in the Mertody and is finished with a flare cuff. chant of Venice? You remember, no ne deep neck-opening is finished with doubt, the three caskets, and how Basthe fair Portia as his bride.

Seriously, Delia, if you don't know which one you like best, I think you may He, probably, is yet to come. 2. The coat may be hard to deal with. any address on receipt of 10 cents in Could you brighten it up with collars, cuffs and a waist-coat of some fancy naterial? 'The skirt could be shortened several inches, forming a tunic, and a piece of new goods. in a plaid to match, used for the under part.



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"Our Homes in Relation to the Public Library. The following debate was arranged to

PATRIOTIC LECTURE.

office receipts together with any con- a moderate oven from two to four hours. tributions will go direct to this fund to aid the Belgians.

The Women's Canadian Club are also gian refugees. direct from Pelgium, and her message around the table shows little same evening.

AND POEMS THE ROSE OF TRALEE.

The pale moon was rising above the green mountain, The sun was declining beneath the When I strayed with my love to the pure crystal fountain That stands in the beautiful vale of She was lovely and fair as the rose of Yet 'twas not her beauty alone that Oh, no, 'twas the truth in her eyes ever dawning

> were spreading And Mary, all smiling, was listening to me; The moon thro' the valley her pale rays were shedding When I won the heart of the rose of

That made me love Mary, the rose of

The cool shades of evening their mantles

Tho' lovely and fair as the rose of the Yet 'twas not her beauty alone that Oh, no, 'twas the truth in her eyes ever

That made me love Mary, the rose of Tralee. APPLE RECIPES

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APPLE SANDWICHES.

YOU WILL LIKE

Mince fine or grate highly seasoned apples and mix with French dressing made with lemon juice instead of vinegar. Spread on bread and before putting the slices together sprinkle the apple with chopped walnut meats. Anbread spread with cream cheese with a layer of scraped apple mixed with

APPLE GEMS

Pare and core tart apples, cook with a very little water until soft enough to mash. To one cupful of hot apple let cool. Mix together one tablespoonful sugar, two cups flour, two teaspoonfuls baking powder, a little salt and onethird teaspoonful ground cinnamon. Add the apple sauce, one beaten egg and milk enough to make a soft batter. Fil hot buttered gem pans about twothirds full and bake a half-hour.

SPPLE PANCAKES.

Add chopped apples to any good pantake place during the season: "That in cake batter. Bake on a hot griddle a dangerous woman to be very intimate that place during the season. That in the young Child's Training for Life, Play and serve with butter and sugar or Also, when does the Indian sum- trol her tongue, and being afflicted with Mork and Is a Greater Educational Factor Than with maple syrup. A delicious supper or luncheon dish.

DRIED APPLE CAKE.

Soak two cups of dried or evaporated The Women's Canadian Club, joining apples in cold water overnight. Chop As to what your attitude should be, with the women of London, have been them, add two cupfuls of molasses and given the privilege of using the Grand stew for one hour. When cold, add one be given in aid of the Belgian refugees seedless raisins, one teaspoonful cinnaby Mr. Frank Yeigh, of Toronto, on mon, half teaspoonful cloves, half nut-October 28. Mr. Yeigh will speak on meg (grated), and three cups of flour the war and present conditions in Belinto which has been sifted one heaping gium. The lecture will be interspersed teaspoonful of soda. Add sufficient with a number of patriotic songs. sour milk to make the batter of the Everything being gratis, the entire box right consistency. Bake in deep tins in

> HOUSECLEANING ECONOMY. in communication with Toronto, hoping to obtain Madame Vender Valde, who by sponging it as it lies on the floor. will speak on the subject of the Bel- Often where there is a family of chil-This lady has come dren the carpet in the dining-room will be a direct one from the war zone. spots. These may be quickly disposed It is hoped to have her speak on the of by rubbing well with one part salt

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