two of some flowers (annuals), such as asters, popples, etc. It will make the garden spot prettier and more attractive, also gives you flowers to cut for the table, thus feasting for the eyes as well as vegetables for the mouth. When transplanting any plant, be sure and pour a cup or so of water into the hole before putting in the dirt around the roots. Tomato plants should be laid down with their roots northward in the hole, then covered up with earth as far as the first leaves, to insure good rooting. The most important item about gardening is in the care of it after the sowing and planting. Should be hoed often. Providing the garden ground is good, with plenty of hoeing, weeding and watering (in very dry weather), the garden should be first class. I think gardening is a very healthful recreation, and raising chickens is quite interesting as well as healthful. For farmers girls it provides a chance to be out in the fresh air.

Let's see what there is to be said about this dancing and kissing party question. I don't think any of "Highland Laddie's" definitions would apply to the last mentioned. Here is a definition I heard once for a kiss: "It's

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One-piece dresses are so much more girlish and simple for 14-year-olds, and don't you know they are much more stylish this year than "waists and skirts"?

stylish this year than "waists and skirts"?

2. Does your "friend" mean to aver that there is no Canadian literature?
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A Difficult Stain.

Dear Miss Grey,—Kindly answer a few questions for me.

1. What will remove coffee stains from an apple-green chiffon taffeta drass? On what day did September 19,

895, fall?

3. Which is the more popular way or young girls of 20 to dress the hair high or low?

4. Who is the minister of militia in M. Canada? M.

Ans.—I would be afraid to suggest anything, for fear it might ruin the color, and your last state be worse than the first. If any reader can advise a cleaning agent, please do so?

2. Thursday.

3. One sees both worn to a great extent; with the little turbans worn so much this season, many girls adopted the low form; for dress occasions, the theatre, etc., the high dressing is often seen.

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to the last mentioned. Here is a definition I heard once for a kiss: "It's nace finition I heard once for a kiss: "It's nacy for inche gand kissing parties are not elevating to mankind. There are many excuses why people attend these forms of amusement, but no real reasons. One excuse is, "It is customary." Why is it that it is condemned or wrong for a minister or his wife to go? There is only one law for every man, minister or layman, Christian or unconverted. With best wishes to you, Miss Grey, and the rest, I will sign myself.

P. S.—By the way, "J. O. G.," "them's my sentiments, 'zactly,' which are expressed in your letter, as I am just another girl.—S. B.

Ans.—We all love the dainty little pinky blossoms that peer out from beneath the brown fallen leaves in the spring beauty's" signature this sunny day, made one long for the time to gather them. Welcome to the Mail-Box, little "Spring Beauty."

What She'd Like.

Dear Miss Grey,—1. How would you decorate a box for a box social, also what would you put in the box for lunch? Please give me two suggestions, if not, why one will do. Our school is What was the date of Lord Rob-4. What was the date of Lord Roberts' death?

5. I am sending a very good recipe for dried apricots, 5 pints of boiling water poured over them, and let stand 48 hours. Put all in preserving kettle and boil three-quarters of an hour. Add 4 pounds granulated sugar and 10 cents worth of skinned and chopped almonds. Let sugar dissolve and bring to boll again for three-quarters of an hour.

6. What is a good thing to make a cat's fur glossy? I hope I have not asked too much, but it is all for this time.

HONORIFICABILITUDINITY.

decorate a box for a box social, also what would you put in the box for lunch? Please give me two suggestions, if not, why one will do. Our school is having a box social the 23rd of this month.

I have a brother in khaki, and am proud of him. He went back last night, as he spent his last day home. He has been in the army for a year and a half now, and likes it fine.

Well, Miss Grey, I guess I will give you a good recipe for Canadian war cake, which is eggless, milkless, butterless, and have always found it good.

DISCONTENTED.

Ans.—I haven't a single solitary idea

asked too much, but it is all for this time.

HONORIFICABILITUDINITY.

Ans.—Well, friend "Honor-and-ail-the-rest-of-it." I am surprised at you being so unpatriotic as to indulge in this variety of measles? And what guarantee have I that a few germs did not stick to your letter?

1. Brown shades, especially in two-tone shoes, are likely to be worn a great deal.

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2. For raisin ple filling, cook together one generous cup of raisins, half a cup of sugar, and hot water to simmer well; cook in a saucepan until the raisins are tender; mix a tablespoon of flour smooth in a tablespoon of vinegar, add to the filling. When partly cooked, pour into the pie-shell, add top crust and bake.

3. Here the tendency seems to be to put the accent on the last syllable. In England, I am told, the accent is given the first syllable. So govern yourself accordingly.

4. Saturday evening, November 14, 1914.

5. If a cat is fed regularly, and is in good health, its fur should be glossy. Get some catnip at a dealer's and give one a day; you'll be surprised to see how eager pussy is for it.

A Fine Exercise.

Whenes, tarts, cake, and that of should be sufficient.

The Greatest Woman.

To a few moments, to thank "Lover of Flowers 2" for so kindly informing me about the eanned meat.

"Country Mother," you're a real lady. I once saw in a magazine a prize offered for the best answer to the question, "Who is the greatest woman of the world today?" and among the many answers sent in, the one selected for the prize ran something like this: "The busy farm woman, who raises a family, at the first of the prize ran something like this: "The busy farm woman, who raises a family, at the first of the prize ran something like this: "The busy farm woman, the fill of the fill of the country Mother" and many more are filling that b

A Fine Exercise.

Dear Miss Grey,—May I join hands in this active circle of yours? I'll just tarry a moment, as this is my first call. I enjoy the manner in which the writers voice their opinions on the different subjects brought up for discussion. Some are quite sensible, and others very funny inded.

Here is an inexpensive gingerbread recipe, which requires no eggs: It is tried and true, and not found wanting. Into a flour sifter put 3½ cups flour, 1 cup granulated white sugar, 1 dessert-spoon each of ginger, cinnamon and baking powder, 1 teaspoon of ground cloves. Sift them all into a bowl, pour over it 1 cup (small) molasses, half cup shortening; stir till smooth. Then add 1 cup of boiling water, mix well and bake.

Now for some garden hints: In your garden of vegetables, plant a row or

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