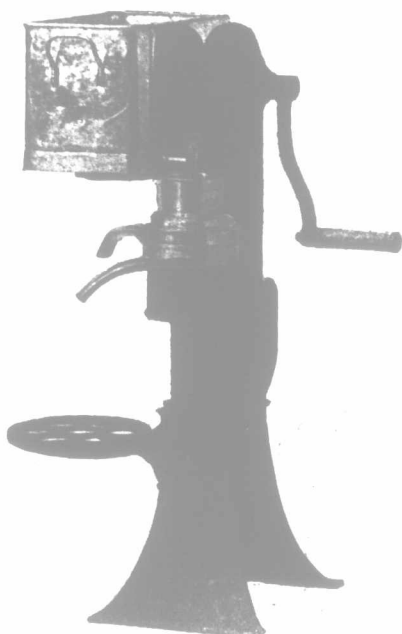


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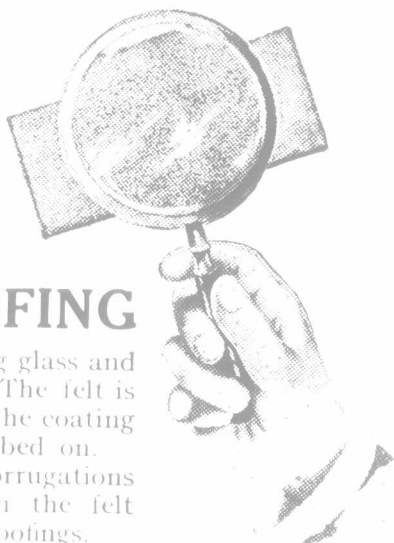
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beauty, and expressed a desire to engage the services of so talented a youth. But Josiah was not yet twenty-one.

As soon as that event was accomplished, he visited Sarah, and fell more deeply in love than ever. Burslem would not hold him now, and so we find him flitting from one work to another in Sheffield, learning everywhere, and improving on everything that he learned. He was also reading and studying, of nights, and making of himself an educated man. Most of his brothers and sisters, it is said, could neither read nor write.

At last a great day arrived. He had added a last shilling to one hundred pounds of savings of his own, and so he hastened to lay his suit before Sarah's father.

Catastrophe! He left more speedily than he had arrived. The irate father had called him "a lame Burslem potter" and had told him in plain enough terms that anyone who married his daughter must be able to match her big fortune, guinea for guinea. Before he was well off the premises, however, his lady came running to him and whispered a few words that made him feel like a Hercules.

"Burslem?" he wrote to her before long. "Burslem? The name shall yet be a symbol of all that is beautiful, honest, and true—we shall see. I am a potter—yes, but I'll be the best one that England has ever seen."

And so he made his plans for building his own potteries two miles from Burslem, and for founding the Art Colony, which he subsequently named Etruria.

In the meantime, he continued to visit his cousin, was forbidden the house, and, finally, as his pounds sterling increased, and his love did not diminish, was permitted to be party to an arrangement which said that when he had £10,000 in his own name, he might marry Sarah.

He now began to get orders for dinner sets from the nobility. He was becoming the fashion. And the Art Colony was becoming an object of curiosity. He had finally come to the point when the ladies of the colony, and the ladies of the colony, both artist and business, had decided that work was a part of the colony. One of Bentley's first orders was for a china set, a dinner set, and a tea set, which was not as common as the other, and so before long the colony was a success.

with carriages, and it was necessary to issue cards of admission to keep back the crowds. Bentley at once sent a messenger post-haste to Wedgwood, with the order, "Turn every available man on vases. London is vase mad!"

And so the new partner helped on Wedgwood's love affair.

By New Year's of that winter, the necessary shekels had all come in, and the pound of flesh was saved. The marriage took place quietly on January 29, 1764, when Josiah was thirty-four and Sarah twenty-nine, and the big fortune which eventually reverted to Mrs. Wedgwood, did much towards helping to build up the vast works at Etruria. A more important issue still hung on this marriage, for the daughter of the house, Susannah, became the mother of Charles Darwin, the greatest scientist the world has ever known.

Towards the close of his life, Wedgwood was looked upon as the richest man in England, but he was possessed also of riches which could not be reckoned in pounds and shillings. A man at once individual, artistic, intellectual, generous and kindly—who could think now of his lameness and his pockmarks? Least of all, perhaps, his wife, who had never thought of them, and who remained to the last his admirer, as well as his inspiration.

Vermin on Hens—Recipes.

Dear Dame Durdan.—May I, a trembling stranger, come in? I have often, in thought, sat among you, but never got up the courage before. Sit over a little, Lilly Ann and Springbud, please, so I can get in the corner out of sight. I have got so much help from the letters, and I think if we have a good thing we should pass it on.

I am a very busy woman, so thought I would take an easy way to get rid of the vermin on my hens by feeding them sulphur. I mixed a half cupful in chop four times a week—I should say I have 100 hens—and it cured a scaly leg. Any-one troubled with scaly leg among their poultry, try it. I only learned it by accident.

If any of you have rheumatism, try 5 cents' worth iodide of potash in one pint of water. Take a tablespoonful before meals.

Now, I will give you a simple and nice breakfast dish:

Fried Biscuits.—Take soda or baking powder biscuits left over from the day before, split them in two, dip them in pancake batter, and fry like pancakes. Eat with syrup.

Isn't this a beautiful world, Chatterers, all clothed in green? But I think there is a better. Well, I must be up and do me, or I am afraid this will find its way into that terrible basket I hear stands in the corner.

Can any of you tell me how to get a new cork for the rim of my churn cover? It is a Leader churn, and leaks badly.

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Preserving Without Cooking.

Dear Dame Durdan.—I have been reading your department with pleasure and profit for a number of years. I often see things in the Ingle Nook to which I would like to add my humble opinion, but till now I have refrained from doing so, but when I saw Jaunita's letter on canning strawberries without cooking, I thought I should tell her that they would keep just as well whole, and look so much better. When I do mine, I first see that I have a supply of sterilized jars. I mean jars that have been well washed, then put in cold water and heated to boiling point, take off the fire and let cool, then drain and fit covers to them. Now we are ready for the berries. Pick them over carefully, weigh them, also an equal quantity of sugar; now put all together in a large porcelain or earthen vessel, let stand overnight. In the morning, stir till no more air bubbles come to the top, then put in your jars and seal, and you will have something very like fresh strawberries all winter.

I have not seen in the same way, but I have seen the raspberries must be done the same way, except that you must expel the air, and do it by the same way. They make a delicious preserve, and I have not been too