A MARCH HARE LUNCH.

Unique Entertainment That Any Hostess May Easily Give.

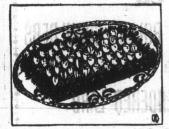
A timely and unique entertainment is a March hare luncheon.

For the centerpiece place a mound of dampened sand in a wooden box cover, then edge with ground pine and fill with seasonable blossoms—narcismess fulling or tonguilb. fill with seasonable blossoms—narcis-suses, tulips or jonquils. This mound should be placed upon a white embroid-ered or drawn work centerpiece, the polished table being used. Beneath ered or drawn work centerplece, the polluhed table being used. Beneath each cover a doily is placed which matches the center one in design. In the center of the flowers place two hares. Beautiful ones made of gray and brown velvet, with wild eyes, can be purchased in the department stores where children's toys are sold, but the cost being something like \$1.50 apiece it behooves the hostess to make her own. Draw on stiff bristol board twe hares, then cut four of these out. Cover both patterns of each with cotton butting. The ones used for the front view have the face stuffed out and the view have the face stuffed out and the eyes, inside of ears, nose and lips made of deep pink cotton. The bristol board legs are cut separate, covered and

For those who feel they cannot in-dulge their love for natural blossoms there are those made of French crape paper that can hardly be distinguished

At each cover place a name card, to which attach the "Left hind foot of a graveyard rabbit, caught in the dark of the moon," with ribbon corresponding to the color of blossoms used. If jor quils, then yellow ribbon; narcissused green and white; scarlet tulips, then

If the rabbit feet cannot be bought conveniently, then use the quaint cards which may be purchased from station-



THE CENTERPIECE.

These have rabbits and hares doing all manner of laughable antics, and if one is clever with water colors orig

course the hare plays an important part in the menu, but it must not make its appearance in the first course MENU.

Compote of Fruit.

Shrimp Bisque. Wafers.

smed Oysters in Individual Pie Shells.
Creole Hare. Currant Jelly.

Potate Ribbons.

Brussels Sprouts. Finger Biscuit.

lives. Grilled Almonds. Celery.

Hare in Aspic Salad. Wafers.

Ices. Cakes. Coffee.

When calling, a lady never rises from when canny, a lady dever rises from her chair when another visitor whom she does not know is announced. If you know her, rise and come for-ward to speak to her as soon as your

nistess has done so.

It is unnecessary to rise even if a lady is introduced to you. A bow is

If the host happens to come into the room when afternoon tea is going on, ladies do not rise to shake hands. He

es forward and shakes hands with them while they are still sitting.

Don't make a tour round the room when leaving to shake hands with all

the people you know. Do so with the host and hostess and bow to any other The hostess rises to receive her vis-

itors as they arrive unless she hap-pens to be an old lady. She also rises to shake hands with departing lady may pay them the compliment or not, as she thinks best.

If when staying with a friend a call-

whom you do not know is anwhen you are sitting alone in the drawing room, don't rise unless you offer to go in search of your hostess. edy appearance or something of a

Crushed Chiffons, Ties and Veils. Of these perishable articles many are nerely tossed and crushed without being soiled and will freshen up if laid der a slightly damp cloth and an

If dirty they may often be washed this process must be carried out dily with a warm soapy lather. Squeeze dry, but do not wring. Squeeze and swish through the

r. but do not rub. ently shake and press into shape.

If starch is required, gum water or water-one made by adding a other by straining the water off boiled rice are the only permissible stiffen-

French and English Husbands her husband is immediately bored and goes to his club or else he says: "You are not very well, my dear. Shall I send for a doctor?" The Frenchman, an contraire, has hysterics too. The Frenchman may fight with his wife, love her, hate her, kiss or kill her, but fferent to her, superior to

A Rehash.
"What shall I do with this hash?" said the cook. "We've served it four times, and there's some left yet."
"Put a little brandy and a few raisins in it," said Mrs. Sleek, "and make it into a mince pie."

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Clerk Steals \$1.300.

Winnipeg, April 19.—Chas. A'Court Winnipeg, April 19.—Unas. A Journal Beadon, a junior clerk in the Union Bank, yesterday confessed to stealing \$1,300 and was locked up.
He had two weeks of riotous living and had squandered half the loot.
He came here recently from On-

Duke On Tour. Quebec, April 19.—Accompanied by a friend and on pleasure bent, the Duke of Saxe Coburg arrived in the rity Wednesday night from Montreal, and is occupying rooms at the Cha-

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THE CLAFLIN CHEMICAL CO., LIMITED WINDSOR, ONT.

75.000 Die In Week

Simla, India, April 19.-There were 5.000 deaths from the plague in India during the week ending April 13. Seventy thousand of these occurred in Bengal, the United Provinces and the Punjab.

the Punjab.
The epidemic began in the Punjab in October, 1897 since which nearly a million and a half deaths have occurred.

The healthy old man wears his gray hairs like a silver crown. What if he be the threescore and ten What if he be the threescore and ten if there is still fire in his eye, firmness in his step, command in his voice and wisdom in his counsel? He commands love and reverence. Yet how few wear the mantle of age with dignity. Dim eyed, querulous of speech, halting in step, childigh in mind, they "lag superfluous on the stage," drawging put the fag end of speech, halting in step, childish in mind, they "lag superfluous on the stage," dragging out the fag end of life in a simple existence. The secret of a healthy old age is a healthy middle age. The man who takes care of his stomach, who keeps his body properly nourished, will find that the body does not fail him in all arms. The wast halt arms and taffets silks pour a quart of house-not hold appmonia into a twelve quart pail of the stomach to the stomach of the secret halt arms. find that the body does not fail him in old age. The great value of Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery lies in the preservation of the working power of the stomach and other organs of digestion and nutrition. From this centre is distributed the nourishment of the whole body, the salt for the blood, the lime for the bones, phosphates for the brain and nerves. A sound stomach means a sound man. A man who keeps his a sound man. A man who keeps his or a neutral tone that will be more stomach sound by the use of "Golden Medical Discovery" will wear the crown of gray hairs as befits a monarch, with dignity and tase. Formula printed on washing as above. mula printed on wrapper — not a secret, or "patent medicine," but of known composition.

The best way to bow before the Almighty is to bend to the needy.

Minard's Liniment cures Burns, etc

VOGUE POINTS.

The Easter Hat In Odd, Attractive Sailor Shapes. Sailor hats will be smart for Easte and general spring wear. They are to be worn in a variety of shapes, with upturned, downturned, curved and dented brims. By their general be-comingness, too, an uninterrupted vogue during the spring and coming summer seasons is predicted, so that a woman who invests in one at this early



A SMART SPRING SAILOR date may feel convinced that she has a shape that will be used throughout the summer.

The irregular models that will be stylish offer to the business girl of limited means an unusual opportunity for practicing a bit of clever economy on spring headgear, for flowers of every form, size and color are given ninence in trimming, and there are few women who do not possess a dis-carded mass of foliage from which they can in all probability extract for present use a bunch or two of blossoms and leaves that have done duty in a bygone season. With the proper fresh-ening processes applied, these flowers will come forth quite fresh and new again and serve admirably for the decoration of one's first hat.

A becoming shape in one of the new delicately tinted straws or braids may be ornamented with a few yards of malinette and ribbon for rosettes and bandeau trimming, a wreath or bunch of flowers and foliage, and one has a bonnet for Easter that is a hit of fash

ionable millinery which would do cred-it to any exclusive modiste's shop. Wherever the flowers are most becoming they should be worn, for in the coming season there is no definite place for a rose, a bunch of sweet peas or for large poinsettias. If the foliage looks best on the front of the hat—the latter twisted up in an attractive fashn the blos tally if leaves, etc., show to advantage



THE NEW TRIMMING at the side or in the back they she

be sewed in place where they best beshades will be the most pronounced feature of hat trimmings, tulle and sheer chiffon silk will be used as twist-

To Prevent Brass From Tarnishing. tightly, and leave it fill next day. Then pour off the clear liquid. Heat the brass slightly and paint the solution over it with a camel's hair brush.

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Victoria New Gretna Green. Victoria, B.C., which at present has the name among people who reside on the other side of the international boundary of being a sort of Gretna Green, where couples from the American side of the line may be united in the bonds of the line may be united in the bonds of holy matrimony without amy undue questioning, may lose its reputation in this respect. The clergy of the city are much irritated over several flagrant cases occurring during the last few weeks, where couples, prohibited from marrying under the American law, have come over to this side of the line and had the ceremony performed by a Canadian minister. side of the line and had the ceremony performed by a Canadian minister. The clergymen are extremely disgusted at the prevalence of this sort of thing, but point out that as the law stands at present they are unable to take any precautions against it. To protect themselves against such occurprotect themselves against such occur-rences in the future the divines may petition the Government for more stringent marriage regulations. The attention of Mayor Morley has been drawn to the matter, and the

civic authorities may act with the ministers in taking steps for the pre-vention of irregular marriages in this

CONSTIPATION CLOGS . THE BOWELS

ness as constipation, and therefore it is dangerous to allow the bowels to become clogged up. Bad blood, dyspepsia, headaches, biliousness, boils, pimples, and piles, are all caused by constipation.

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nature's remedy for all diseases of the atomach, bowels and blood. It acts on the bowels and promotes their free and regular action, curing constipation and all troubles which arise from it. It has been on the market for over thirty years so you are not using a new and untried remedy. B.B.B. you. Mr. B. Woodcock, Nashwask Bridge, N.S., writes: "For over two years my wife was troubled with constipation. She tried several physicians but could get no relief, but after taking three bottles of Burdoel Blood Bitters she was completely cured and is to-day in good health. My wife and I cannot speak too highly of B.B.B.

"Tidying-Up" by Gardeners.

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During the winter the gardener usually finds time "to tidy up the shrubbery," as he expresses it.

This operation, if it is permitted, is as painful to watch as tidying up the borders. It consists, firstly, in clearing away all fallen leaves, and, secondly, in turning over all the soil becoming a secondly, in turning over all the soil becomes the second of the sec tween the shrubs. The mischief which single able-bodied man can do in this way in the course of a day's work is incalculable. When trees and shrubs have occu

pied the same positions for a num-ber of years, the ground around them becomes densely matted with roots, and many must be destroyed by dig-ging. Nor is this all, adds The By-stander. The leaves serve two use-

ful purposes.

To remove this covering is to ex pose the roots, lying, as they do, close to the surface, to the risk of injury by frost, to say nothing about the effects of drought in summer.

Ethel—About how tall do you think girl should be to look well?
Jack—I don't know exactly. How tall are you?

> That pain in the kidneys won't trouble you, as long as you drink THE MONARCH OF MINERAL WATERS AT ALL DEALERS

F. A. Robert, Agent. Chatham, KNEW WHAT TO DO. Tom-I just kissed her when she

wasn't looking.
Clara—What did she do?
Tom—She kept her eyes closed the
rest of the evening. HUBBY KNEW

Hubby (in the early dawn)-It must Wifey-Why? Hubby-Baby has just fallen asle p.

Humor and Philosophy By DUNCAN M. SMITE

PERT PARAGRAPHS.

Nobody cares very much what a pret

Conventions are mere metho vorking the common social good of a community.

Lies are simply personal checks on the social bank. Getting the worst of it always se

to whet the appetite for the best. A politician has a code of his

and his wife isn't supposed to ask any questions concerning it. Bashfulness is the only demerit that

The less a man has his wife in his thoughts the more he expects of her.

ably couldn't recommend our acquaint-

Some people strain so hard for an ideal that they neglect to give a square In a good many cases out of sight is

out of pocket. Something Like It.
"Do you ever hear the call of the

wild?" "The call of the wild? No, I don't know that I have, but I have heard the cook easing her mind when things have not been going her way."

In Haste.
"What was the reason for your coming down the steps at Miss Bagley's home last night three steps at a time?" "Well, the principal reason was be-cause I couldn't quite reach to make



"These club women are fussing around about righting the world's "Yes?"

"Hadn't we better make a few

to keep them busy?" The Spring Freshet. The Spring Freshet.

Here I come,
Going some,
Lickety cut
And then a few.
I am due
Right now
To show how
Water can act
When people are so careless
As not to drink it
All up. All up. Would you think it? I come Without invitation, Scattering consternation And a few other things Along the banks. No, thanks; In never accept pay.
You may
Charge the damage up to me.
It's all free.
Cities that have carelessly lo In my path
Receive a bath
Without a ticket

Without a ticket.

I give swimming lessons
That were never ordered
I go about
Searching out
Loose furniture
And carrying it along
On my strong
Current to friends
In the next county. By the end of the week Look like canning factory goods. Look like canning facts
In short,
I am a public nuisance
And about as sassy
As they make them,
See?

"I suppose since the recent exposes that you eat nothing but pure food." "Yes; that is our regular diet at home. Of course when I want to en-joy myself I go to a restaurant."

"Do you think you can stand it to hear the testimony in this case?"
"Go ahead. Nothing can shock me.
I have seen women dressed in full so-

Took the Hint.

"He is not calling on Marie any "I thought he was making a great

hit with her."
"He thought he was, too, until he found she was setting the clock ahead when he called."

Different Brand. "Is your friend a pessimist?"
"Oh, no; he is a Prohibitionist."

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Panthers In Vancouver.

Nine panthers in one week was the record recently established by John C. Smith of Comox. The ground in which Mr. Smith made his bag was the valley of the Campbell River, near Comox, where panthers are said to be unusually plentiful at the present time. Mr. Smith went out for a week's hunting at the commencement of the month, taking with him two dogs. At the end of the week he returned to Comox, bringing with him the pelts of nine of the beasts. The animals were all in fine condition, and their skins alone are of considerable value. Altogether Mr. Smith will make a very good thing out of his trip, as, in addition to the proceeds of the sale of the skins, he can also procure bounty money to the extent of \$7 a skin—\$63 in all.

Mr. Smith took with him two dogs, and save for these, he pursued his quarry single-handed. The plan of battle was simple and yet effective in the extreme. The dogs would scent a panther and follow the trail until they came up with it. The panther then invariably took to a tree—these animals having a horror of dogs—and while in the tree he would be ignominiously shot down by the hunter from below.

Both the dogs which Mr. Smith had with him were trained to the chase of the panther, but one of them in particular—Dick, Mr. Smith calls him—is particularly expert. This dog has the proud distinction of having in his time tread the record-breaking.

him—is particularly expert. This dog has the proud distinction of having in his time treed the record-breaking number of 65 panthers.

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Queen's Life In Letters. That important chapter of history covered by "Letters of Queen Victia" is at last to become accessible

ia" is at last to become accessible to the public, for three volumes will be issued, in the autum.

The forecast indicates that the work, which is appearing "by authority of His Majesty the King," will be one of exceptional interest. The first volume covers the correspondence of the Queén until she was nearly 23 years old. Here she will be seen as a girl princess, then as a young queen under the guidance of a courtly, chivalrous premier. Next the reader that her called upon to select a hushand after her own heart. All through there is held up a mirror of public events as they appeared from the throne.

The second volume covers a long period, dealing with the repeal of the corn laws and foreign revolutions, of which the most sensational incident will perhaps be found in the story of the flight of Louis Philippe to New

The correspondence in the third volume bears on the eastern question, the Crimean war, the Indian mutiny, the China war, the Franco-Austrian war, and the struggle for a united Italy. This volume closes with the prime consort's life, so the whole work just covers a quarter of a century—that is to say, from 1837 to 1861. Queen Victoria was a woman of strong individuality and of decided preference and even prejudices. The object. ence and even prejudices. The object throughout the book has been to show the personality of the Queen, her method of approaching and deciding questions, her entlook, her sympathies, her shrewdness, her perseverance, and her diligence.

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His Wife—Why, sometimes I imagine you are the most generous man in the world.

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FUNNY.

I don't like the mountains in the winter. They look so cold.

Oh, I don't know; they have their

The beauty about castles in the air s that they need no plumbers.



Ask for Mionard's and take no other

FAMILIAR QUOTATIONS.

Sources of Many Sayings We Are Fre-

quently Using.
Some of the most familiar quotations have the most unfamiliar sour-ees. Two, which are ordinarily attri-tuted to the Bible, are: "Cleanliness is next to godliness" and "God temis next to godliness" and "God tempers the wind to the shorn lamb." The former is from the "Journal" of John Wesley, one of the founders of Methodism, and the latter is from Sterne's "Sentimental Journey." Sterne was a rector of the Church of England.

England. "Better late than never" is "Better late than never is all everyday expression, yet few know it to be from Don Quixote. "A thing of beauty is a joy foreyer" is of most familiar utterance. It occurs in Keat's. Endymion. "Brevity is the soul of wit" is in daily use by people whe do not remember that it was written by the soul of the s

do not remember that it was written by no less a personage than Shakespeare in "Hamlet."
"Care will kill a cat, therefore let's be merry," has a Shakespeaream sound, but in truth is from the pen-

of George Withers.

He that complies against his will a lis of the same opinion still.

A well-known expression, yet few people have ever read Samuel Butler's "Hudibras." the great satire in which it occurs which it occurs. "For men must work and women

must weep" has been made more fa-miliar through the poem, Kingsley's "Three Fishers," being set to music: In Scott's "Marmion" occurs the

couplet:
Oh, what a tangled web we weave,

Oh, what a tangled web we weave. When first we practice to deceive. A quotation every child hears in its lessons on integrity.

The hostess, wishing to pay delicate tribute to her guest, speaks of her visit as being "Like angel visits, few and far between," which expression. originated with Thomas Campbell in his "Pleasures of Hope." "Coming events cast their shadows before" isfrom the same source. Milton wrote: "They also serve who only stand and from the same source. Milton wrote:
"They also serve who only stand and
wait." "Damn with faint praise" is a
from Alexander Pope, as is also:
"Order is heaven's first law." Another
familiar quotation from Pope ist"Hope springs eternal in the human
breast," from his "Essay en Man,"
and yet a fourth welleknow Pope
quotation is: "A little learning is a
dangerous thing."

Dryden is responsible for: "None
but the brave deserve the fair," and
also: "Men are but children of as
larger growth," while from ThomasGray we have: "Where ignorance is
bliss 'tis folly to be wise."

In Oliver Goldsmith's beautiful.
"Vicar of Wakefield" we find the fol-

"Vicar of Wakefield" we find the fol-lowing paragraph:
"Well, upon my word, Mrs. Prim-rose, you have the finest children in the whole country."
"Ay, neighbor," she would answer, "they are as heaven made them, hand-some enough if they be good enough, for 'handsome is as handsome does."

College of Forestry. At the Canadian Institute, Torento, last week, Thomas Southworth took up the subject: "Do We Need a College of Forestry," and in a clear, incisive manner argued that such aninstitution, to affiliate with our agricultural schools would be of highly educative benefit in the preservations of our splendid timber resources in the north, and an important factor, in the gradual reforestry of the de-

the north, and an important factors in the gradual reforestry of the denuded districts of older Ontario.

The scientific value of such a college would in a few years establish as a common practical knowledge in forest propagation what is now confined to the few who have made a special study of the question, and would enable our agricultural districts to regain in timber what is essential to the successful economy of every farming country, as well as the climatic benefits in the way of regular rainfall and atmospheric moisture, climatic benefits in the way of regular rainfall and atmospheric moisture, both of which are essential to the highest results in crop production. Prof. E. J. Zavity of the Gueph Agricultural College gave an interesting lantern exhibition of "waste land planting," showing the success that had been attained in forest tree propagation and culture at the Ontario Agricultural College, as well as instances of successful reforestry in various parts of the province.

Fought in the Rebellion.

Prince Edward county can proudly lay claim to having as a resident one of the oldest men of the Province in the person of Mr. John Pymer, who recently celebrated his one hundred and third birthday. This very remarkable man is now living with his daughter, Mrs. Lovell, in the village of Bloomfield, near Pictorr. Despite his very long life, he is comparatively hale and hearty, thought necessarily feeling his weight of years. While he has been out of his home very little this winter, he was quite active about the village last summer. More than a centenarian, Mr. Pymer was born in Liverpool, England, on April 12, 1804. He was married when 29 years of age, and with his wife emigrated to Canada in 1835. In 1837, during the rebellion, he was present and engaged at the Fought In the Rebellion. he was present and engaged at the battle of the Windmill near Prescott. battle of the Windmill near Prescott.
For more than fifty years he farmed in the Burr settlement in this county.
However, since the death of his wife eighteen years ago he has lived retired. During his long life he has been years and light on the life has been and lif never used liquor or tobacco in any form, and he attributes his long life to the abstemious habits he has prac-tised.

Entr'acte Thirst.

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If I were a man, confesses a writer in London Opinion, I would invariable before going to a theatre take attenmile walk, smoke a couple of strong cigars, and drink three bottles of lemonade or sodawater.

Then when I had comfortably settled into my stall I should sit there as contented as a log, and should not be impelled by an ever-recurring, insatiable thirst, by an uncontrollable muscular restlessness, or by a fever for nicotine, to tread upon the toes, disarrange the hair, and exasperate the tempers of the hapless women when should chance to be along the route of my perpetual goings out and comings in.