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Much sympathy is felt for John Richter and family, of the 2nd con., Bosanquet, who have been down sick for some time. On Wednesday Mr. Richter and his two daughters, Hazel and Fannie, aged 12 and 10 respectively, were taken to Sarnia hospital, and a few hours after their removal his eldest son, Earl, died. Another son, Robert, is also sick at his Uncle's in Arkona. A simple and cheap medicine.—A simple, cheap and effective medicine is something to be desired. There is no medicine so effective a regulator of the digestive system as Parmelee's Vegetable Pills. They are simple, they are cheap, they can be got anywhere, and their beneficial action will prove their recommendation. They are the medicine of the poor man and those who wish to escape doctors' bills will do well in giving them a trial.

DESTRUCTION DAY

Rid the House of Clutter to Cheer It.

WHY NOT THE SIMPLE LIFE?

Throw Out All Furniture, Pictures and Odds and Ends That Are Unnecessary and You Will Make Home More Attractive. Every one—certainly, at least every woman—sometimes undergoes a revulsion against "things," particularly things that clutter up the house, and she longs for the simple life. To put this new system of simple living in effect begin with a destruction day. Fix in your mind that it is the clutter of civilization that really bothers you and determine that you will rid yourself of much of this clutter.

Begin in your living room. Think of the beauty of Japanese houses, the furniture of which consists of a few screens, a few pieces of good pottery and some embroidered wall panels. Get a picture of a Pompeian house and study the effect gained therein by bare spaces and roomy airiness. When you have once filled your mind with a desire for space and simplicity begin the process of destruction. Take down all but the best of your pictures. If you don't want to throw them away give them away, and if you don't want to do that put them in the attic until you have forgotten you like them.

If you have many really valuable and interesting ornaments put them in a cabinet with glass doors, where they will seem what they really are—a collection of curios. After you have rigorously thinned out the ornaments and pictures tackle the furniture. Remove any of it that is rickety and broken and either have it mended or else throw it away. At any rate, have every piece of furniture left in the room in usable condition.

AFTERNOON TEA. It's the Custom Nowadays to Serve Callers With Light Refreshments. Afternoon teas are the fashionable fad of today and without doubt will become even more popular as time goes on. This custom of serving tea to guests in the afternoon is such a simple affair, conducted with so little ceremony, that it cannot fail to bring hostess and guest nearer together in a spirit of congenial hospitality, says

Sure. It was the third day at sea, and the Boston man who sat next to the Chicago man in the diner of the steamer was sick and irritable. "Why do you bolt your food in that manner?" asked the Boston man as he watched the Chicago man eat. "To keep it down," replied the Chicago man.—St. Louis Post-Dispatch. Norway's Climate. The average length of life is greater in Norway than in any other country. This is attributed to the fact that the temperature is cool and uniform throughout the year. An Old Story. "Did that palmist tell you the truth about yourself?" "Yes, but my wife has been doing that for years."—Birmingham Age-Herald. Signs. "Do you believe in signs?" "Certainly, when they are to let people know what business you are in."—Baltimore American.



NEW TEA SERVICE. the Modern Priscilla. The stiffness and formality of the call are relieved by this pleasant invention, and everybody is sure to feel more at home after tea is served. When a tea table and its equipments are not a part of the drawing room it is quite good form to have the maid bring in the tea service on a prettily arranged tray. Japan, as usual, is to be depended upon to supply the housewife with artistic wicker trays for this use. The tea sets seen in the illustration are also from the mikado's realm. One is decorated with a cherry blossom design, and the other set depends for its charm upon the oddity of the spouts used on teapot and cream pitcher.

An Afternoon Tea Apron. Daintiest among afternoon tea aprons is the one made of a half yard, half width, of finest batiste or organdie, finished at the lower and side edges with cotton lace picot bordering that is scarcely more than a series of long, loose loops and at the top slightly gathered into a waistband of narrow ribbon, decorated at both ends with bowknots, from which fall a half dozen or more ends in quarter inch wide ribbon, bowknotted midway of the length. The center of the apron is ornamented with two insets of embroidered filet lace. One of these, placed six inches below the waistband, is a four inch square, and the other, placed six inches above the lower edge, is a 2 by 4 inch oblong. Of course lace of any other substantial sort could be employed.

and white net, soutache embroidered, is equally as pretty as filet.

Marking the Garbage Can. If the garbage can becomes shabby treat it to a coat of aluminum paint and save the price of a new one. To mark a garbage can print the initials on it with metal eating acid, then coat with black paint over the letters. One housekeeper, finding that pails got mixed up on the dumbwaiter in an apartment house, had her husband paint different numbers of red bands all the way around the pails belonging to the neighbors using the dumbwaiter—one band for the ground floor, two for the second floor, three for the third, and so on.

Broke the Charm. "Well, you are a good little boy. Are you usually as quiet as this?" "No fear, but mother's going to give me a clockwork engine and a hobby-horse if I don't say anything about your dreadful red nose."—London Opinion.

Literary Aids. Knicker—What books have helped you most? Bocker—The ones I didn't read; they saved my time.—New York Sun.

The most beautiful of altars is the soul of an unhappy creature, consoled, thinking God.—Victor Hugo.

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A Fair Jury. In a suit some years ago between father and son before an Indiana justice of the peace the sextet comprising the jury came in after three hours' deliberation with the following impartial verdict: "We, the jury, agree to find judgment for neither plaintiff nor defendant and find that each pay half the costs." It is said the verdict struck every one as being so unusually fair that even the parties to the action were satisfied.—Case and Comment.

Both Were Riding to Lose. A story of "pulling." A dying jockey commending his son to the gods that govern racing added as a parting memento: "Never talk, my boy. I talked once too often. I was riding a match with J., and we were neck and neck. 'You needn't ride so hard,' I said; 'I'm not going to win.' 'Oh, aren't you?' he said, whereupon he fell off his horse, and I had to win."—London Nation.

Children Cry FOR FLETCHER'S CASTORIA. By the addition of magnesia and an oxide an extremely elastic glass has been brought out in France. X-ray apparatus has been invented for killing the tiny parasites that eat small holes in leaf tobacco. Worms cause fretfulness and rob the infant of sleep, the great nourisher. Mother Graves' Worm Exterminator will clear the stomach and intestines and restore healthfulness.

During the evening of the terrific storm, Nov. 9th, Mrs. Peter Panion heard a confusion among her poultry, but thinking that a favorite cat had gone to roost with the chickens and they objected to his company, she went to the door and shouted, "Come out of that you rascal," when as if the storm had subsided out rushed a man with two fine Plymouth Rocks, but realizing his position dropped the birds and put off in the storm at a two minute clip. Miller's Worm Powders can do no injury to the most delicate child. Any child, infant or in the state of adolescence, who is infested with worms can take this preparation without a qualm of the stomach, and will find in it a sure relief and a full protection from these destructive pests, which are responsible for much sickness and great suffering to legions of little ones.

Changes of Climate. A scientist who recently investigated the causes of secular variations in temperature at the earth's surface thinks that they are more probably due to changes in the amount of carbonic acid in the atmosphere than to variations in the heat of the sun. If the amount of carbonic acid that the air now contains was diminished a little more than half the mean temperature all over the earth would, it is stated, drop about eight degrees, which would be sufficient to bring on another glacial period. On the other hand, an increase of carbonic acid between two and three times its present amount would raise the mean temperature 15 degrees and renew the hot times of the eocene epoch.—Boston Post.

The Fall of Rome. Odoacer, the Goth, was proclaimed king of Italy A. D. 476. This ended the Roman empire of the west. The Byzantine, or eastern empire, founded A. D. 395, with the division of the empire by Theodosius, fell A. D. 1453 with the capture of Constantinople by the Turks. In truth it cannot be said that any, or even two, nations overthrew Rome. Rome was overthrown by the pressure of the whole barbarian world, assisted by the inherent corruption of the Roman people.

No Mercy. Mistress—Sarah Jane, what has happened? Sarah Jane—Oh, mum, I've fallen down the stairs and broken my neck! Mistress (firmly)—Well, whatever you've broken will be deducted from your wages.—Sydney (N. S. W.) Bulletin.

Quite So. "There is nothing like the loneliness of a great city." "Especially to the man who doesn't advertise."—Louisville Courier-Journal.

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A complete cooking outfit for campers, folding compactly enough to be carried in a coat pocket, has been invented.

CHRISTMAS APPEAL FOR THE Hospital for Sick Children COLLEGE ST., TORONTO

Dear Mr. Editor:— Thanks for your kindness in allowing me the privilege of appealing at this Christmas time on behalf of the Hospital for Sick Children, Toronto. It would take more space than you can spare to tell of the good work done for the sick and deformed children of this Province. Let me, however, in a few words, tell you of the progress of the work of the Hospital. One nurse, six little white beds, a few dollars, a few friends—this was the beginning. The beds have grown to 250, the dollars to thousands, the friends to hundreds. 1875, the first year, 44 in-patients, 67 out-patients; 1913, last year, 1,648 in-patients, 25,507 out-patients; 1875, 1 nurse; 1913, 70 nurses. Since 1875, thirty-eight years ago, the Hospital has admitted within its walls 21,018 children as in-patients, and 159,231 as out-patients, a total of 180,249, or an average of 4,743 per year. Of the 21,018 in-patients, 15,200 were from Toronto, and 5,818 from other parts of the Province; 19,150 of the total in-patients were cured, and 6,867 were improved. In the Orthopedic Department last year, of the 1,648 in-patients, 278 were treated for deformities, 25 hip disease, 37 Pott's disease, 2 knock-knees, 19 bow-legs, 62 club feet, 8 lateral curvature of the spine, 44 infantile paralysis, 6 wry neck, and 75 tubercular disease of knee, hip and ankle. In 1913, the Surgical Apparatus Shop manufactured 427 appliances for in-patients and out-patients, including ankle braces, spinal braces, hip splints, bow-leg splints, club-foot splints, plaster jackets, etc. In this Department in 33 years nearly 800 boys and girls have been treated for Club Feet and 650 corrected. Half of these came from places outside of Toronto. Surely we have a fair claim for help from the people of this Province. Will you, the reader of this letter, help to give crippled children a fair start in life? Busy dollars are better than idle tears. The sympathy that helps is good, but the Hospital has to have the sympathy that works. While Christmas Bells are ringing to the glory of Him "Who made the lame to walk and the blind to see," give, give, give, and help the Hospital to help God's little ones, upon whom the heavy hand of affliction has been laid. Will you please send a dollar, or more, if you can spare it, to Douglas Davidson, the Secretary-Treasurer of the Hospital, or J. ROSS ROBERTSON, Chairman of the Trustees, Toronto

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