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These brands of Hosiery leave nothing to be desired in either durability or style. They have an air about them that is both charming and refreshing. They seem to say of the wearers— "This man knows clothes" or "Here is a woman of exquisite taste."

These hose improve with acquaintance, not only because they retain their beauty regardless of how much they are laundered.

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Men's and women's styles are made of pure Japanese Silk many strands to the thread. Also of fine Lisle, Mercerized Cotton Gold Ray and Fibertex. (scientific silks.)

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LUXITE and HOLEPROOF HOSIERY
FOR LADIES,

in shades of Black, Buck, White, Tan and Navy.
Prices range from 65c. to \$3.80 per pair.

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LUXITE and HOLEPROOF HALF HOSE
FOR MEN,

in shades of Black, Tan, Pearl, Gun Metal and
Taupe. Prices range from 55c. to \$1.20 pair.

One More Thing to Dust.



RUTH CAMERON

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The most fascinating tale came to me recently of a woman who went abroad with one steamer trunk and in that trunk were absolutely all her possessions!

She didn't have a lot of furniture in a storehouse, nor even a trunkful of clothes and letters and mem-

orabilia in some one's garage. She had given away, destroyed, or sold every living thing she possessed!

Perhaps She Regretted Some Things.

Doubtless, she lived to regret some of those things. There must have been books she wanted to consult, clothes she could have used, and household goods that she could not replace when she started in to furnish again.

But what a blessed sensation of freedom, from the tyranny of things, she must have felt at the time!

The mania to acquire and hoard is one of the primitive instincts of man.

We Want To Be Free, Even From Possessions.

But now and then arises, to combat it, the instinct to be free—even from possessions.

I think we all have moments of rebellion against the tyranny of things, when we feel like the old lady who, having spring cleaned a house full of the hoarding of years, sank back wearily in her rocking chair sighing, "Blessed be nothing."

I suppose the mania to collect and hoard is put in us for some good reason. It's like the instinct of self-preservation. One of the necessary main springs of the human race.

Both Instincts Need To Be Regulated.

But the instinct of self-preservation can be regulated in the interests of the higher civilization, and so, of course, can the instinct of acquisition.

A friend of mine has a criterion to which she refers every purchase she thinks of making: "This is going to be one more thing to dust. Will it be worth the dusting?"

Are there things in your home that are not worth the dusting?

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Your Boys and Girls.

Most children have the bad habit of throwing down their outside clothing when they come indoors anywhere they happen to enter. Their gloves are seldom to be found together when they are next wanted and the rubbers are kicked off hastily and left where they happen to fall.

Gloves are difficult to take care of, for which reason the children have some excuse for carelessness. One way to aid them to form a good habit is to fasten small brass rings to each glove. These will not show when the gloves are being worn and if a small hook is put in a convenient place in the hall closet, they will soon learn to hang up their gloves when they come in.

As for rubbers, spring clothes pins will hold them together. But what is very necessary and very seldom at hand when donning rubbers, is a shoe horn. By the use of it the difficult task may easily be accomplished and the mothers fingers and temper saved.

Minard's Liniment Co., Limited.

Gentlemen,—I had my leg badly hurt, the pain was very severe and a large swelling came above the knee. I expected it would be serious—I rubbed it with MINARD'S LINIMENT, which stopped the pain and reduced the swelling very quickly. I cannot speak too highly of MINARD'S LINIMENT.

AMOS T. SMITH.

Port Hood Island.

Milady's Boudoir.

SCRAWNY SHOULDERS.

If your shoulders are scrawny and show prominent bones, or if the skin is not as smooth and satiny as you would like, massage them with almond oil. The oil should be heated and placed in a warm bowl, a quantity placed between the hands and then both hands applied firmly but gently to the neck and shoulders and a soothing massage begun. As the oil is rubbed into the skin, the supply of oil upon the hands is renewed. Do not take too much upon the hands at one time.

Be cautious as to the weight of the massage given in such cases. It is well to remember that to plump the

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flesh an easy, light massage should be given, while to do away with fat a firm massage is used that will heat the parts rubbed and aid in dissolving the fat. A gentle pinching of the flesh aid in plumping it.

Daily exercise should be part of the daily routine. It will be simple and easy to make this part of the days duties after we get used to the habit. Each morning take five minutes for deep breathing, touch your toes with your hands holding the knees stiff, and raising and lowering your arms. The sleepy feeling will disappear at once.

Deep breathing has much to do with the ivory tinted skins that bear evidence to peach blossom glows. The Japanese woman has other beauty secrets as well. Some of them she guards jealously, but one by one they are being discovered and used by the

Farmers having broody hens should set them, and those who have none should buy or borrow from their neighbors. Each winter the importance of early pullets is brought home to us, but in the spring, when there is a rush of work, we are liable to forget.

Set your hens in a warm place, a box in the cow stable, high enough up that the dog or calves cannot reach it, makes a suitable location. The number of eggs given depends upon the size of the hen, but err on the side of too few this cool weather. Avoid the round, long, or abnormally large eggs for setting. The moderately large egg is better than the small one, because it provides more

With fingers that trembled with hunger, exposure and hope, Sidney Sandstorm, in his chill garret, opened the letter from the "Monthly Cerebrator."

"Dear Mr. Sandstorm," it read, "your article entitled 'Housing Conditions among the Buttonhole Stitches' interests us strangely, and we are herewith sending you our check for three dollars in payment for same. Will you not write us a sociological essay on the living conditions of beggars for our May issue?"

"Three dollars—not so bad, the article only took a little over a week to write," mused Sandstorm. And suddenly he thought of a splendid way to get first hand material for the beggar essay.

"I disguise myself as a beggar and actually spend a day begging and mingling with beggars—I'll feel for myself the poor devil's hopeless outlook on life," he thought.

And he sewed patches on his only suit and put on a pair of dark glasses and made a sign with "Please Help the Blind" on it and started to wander along the pavements, tapping with his cane, a tin cup tied to the third button of his vest.

At the end of an hour the tin cup was overflowing. Twelve times before evening he was forced to empty its contents into his pockets, which, long accustomed to being empty, almost

save way under the sudden strain.

That night he counted it up—\$9.80 in cash and forty tobacco coupons.

By begging steadily every day for five years, he earned enough money to buy a little farm and enough tobacco coupons for a hand painted cigar humidor, and he settled down on the farm and sent the humidor, anonymously, to the editor of the "Monthly Cerebrator."

THE CRIMSON PLANET.

I've lived to see this planet stained red with wasted gold, and men with hearts of granite shed blood and call for more; I've lived to see my neighbor, with whom I used to sword, take up the sword and saber, and I quit the peaceful chore. I've lived to see the nations rough-housing and death and gloom and care; here, in more quiet places, I've lived to see men's faces inscribed with lasting traces of sorrow and despair. I hope to keep on living, though life is a mistake, to see the Prussian giving a pledge he cannot break; a blood-sealed pledge assuring a peace that is enduring, a peace that may be curing the ills from which we ache. I hope to put off croaking until the world is free from cannon hot and smoking, from sword and snickers; I'd see the kings disarming with smiles serene and charming, their captains put to farming—then I'd shroud on me. I hope to be existing upon no faces advanced along the rivers twisting across the plains of France; I crave this life dod-rotted till Ludendorff is potted and Hindenburg is swatted and Wilhelm's name is Pance. Women of other lands.

WALT MASON.

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ST. JOHN'S GAS LIGHT CO.

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"Chill Chasers."

We have received another shipment of these popular portable heating stoves in three sizes which we are selling at \$6.50, \$7.50 and \$8.50.

We also call attention to our special "Humphrey" Gas Iron, in nickel finish, complete with flexible tube connection. We are selling this iron at \$5.00, and recommend it as a useful Xmas Gift.

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