Russian Rules Forbid Kissing By Telegraph. Read "Tit-Bits" Today.

# WHAT EVERY WOMAN WANTS TO KNOW

Health and Home Hints. Some Sick-Room Recipes. Parisians Favor White.



White gowns for dress occasions are worn more than ever this winter. They are the acme of luxury because in the city they need constant cleaning if one wears them often. There is nothing more beautiful, however.

The one illustrated is exceedingly charming. It is of white Sicillienne and is a Premet model. The skirt is very long all the way around and has an overlapping drapery drawn up on one side. The coat is of white metelasse and is cut with a wide panel in back which reaches about to the knees, and is trimmed across the bottom with a band of moleskin fur. The coat also has moleskin collar and cuffs. The sleeves are three-quarter length. One delightful touch is the braiding at the back of the waist, on

the front side seams, where it closes, and inside of the cuff.

The waist worn with this costume is of white chiffon a touch of color for the whole costume is a soft bow the of American Beaut, colored berries made of silk, in the front. Nothing could be handsomer than this costume for carriage and afternoon wear.

## CAN'T TELEGRAPH KISSES IN RUSSIA---MIGHT MEAN BOMBS

The Russkoe Slovo gives some inter- against the skepticism of the official esting sidelights on the complications against he skepticism of the official. and general difficulties which a new Russian postoffice order has caused for private individuals who use the telegraph as a means of communicating their thoughts and desires as rapidly as possible. The telegraph employees were recently ordered to take special care in receiving private messages that contained any words or phrases that might be of an ambiguous meaning, and might be suspected to take the place of a code. Such messages were to be refused, and in cases of doubt when anything suspicious was found after reception, the offending dubious parts

were to be omitted from the message. In consequence of the literal way in which the officials fuffilled these in structions, many an agricultural deciler fell into despair as messages came to him containing nothing but figures, the question of how many ducks and cattle he was to send to market being made none the easier by the omission of all mention of such animals. No doubt the telegraph clerks had heard that the transposition of men and arms and ammunition into different kinds of live stock was one of the crudest beginnings of a code that had been used on occasions by war correspondents at the front.

Suspected a Code. 'A more amusing case, however, was witnessed in a postoffice by a correspondent of the Russkoe Slovo. He saw a young woman evidently of high degree, in angry altercation with the employee at the counter. The fact was only too evident that the two were flatly contradicting each other, and it was cross that were made to attest also plain that all the signs of the truth of her assertions were of no avail

Here is a case which seemed as bad and as hopeless as yours can possibly be. This is the experience of Mr. H. J. Brown, 384 Bathurst St., Toronto, in his own

mentioning to you the benefits received from your Na-Dru-Co Dyspepsia Tablets and can cheerfully recommend them. I simply had confirmed dyspepsia with all its wretched symptoms, and tried about all the advertised cures with no success. You have in Na-Dru-Co Dyspepsia Tablets the best curative agent I could find. It is now such a pleasure to enjoy meals with their consequent nourishment that I want to mention this for the benefit of others."

PAYING BUSINESS How One Woman Did It.

In the Woman's Home Companion appears an account of a woman who, left in financial difficulties, made a good living by starting a shop in your health and try to avoid minor allwhich she prepared daintily-cooked serious ones. Caution in all departfoods so reasonable in price that fam- ments of your daily life is the message ilies of two bought from her instead for the following year. Those born today will have impulsive natures and

'She worked from 7 to 11 o'clock of their own. ach morning, then from 2 until o'clock each afternoon. Each month she made him responsible for them he quarrelsome. was careful.

She asked her friends to save her all their empty one-half pound baking powder boxes, and in these she cooked old get married without her parents' er little suet puddings. She bought little paper ice cream shells and served Kindly answer this question as soon sauces, etc., in them.

vash, she found, as everything came ack clean and she had only to scald them. If the dishes she made were more than enough to fill her orders the surplus was put on sale in her front room. She also had an assortment of cakes and pies.

'As her fame spread, she often made

ness and a substantial bank account, and, while many have suggested that she make up her dishes in larger quantities and move to a larger place,

"So the little capital of \$100 left her a good practical accomplishment, the other's rights on personal matters. basis of a self-respecting livelihood.

### THE DAILY MENU

DINNER. Beefsteak with Brown Gravy. Fried Parsnips. Beet Salad Chocolate Pudding.

one well-beaten egg and two cupfuls The correspondent was then let into milk. Beat for two minutes and bake in the secret of the dispute. There lay on hot, buttered gem pans in hot oven fo

### Style in China

for both men and women of China have come under the disapproval of the cabinet of the republic and an edict has been issued calling on the women to ladies in waiting. The Queen has abandon their trousers for the occidental wondering whether he were ignorant or skirt, and the men to give up their com-disbelieving. ness and conventional evening clothes of

eplied the official, who was by no the Caucas'an. A copy of the edict has been received by Yung Yew, consul here for the Chinese republic, together with pictures of clothing prescribed for both sexes. The vernacular papers here printed the edict and illustrati ns yesterday. The business derby and the formal silk

at are the only two mentioned for men. Nothing is said of headgear for the women, who, aside from their ornaments never have worn head coverings.

loose-fitting garment on the lines of a kimono, is for house wear. An extremely conventional pleated skirt and shirtwaist evidently are supposed to

# Cleaning Blankets

who is believed to have been with his of blankets. Germs love to linger in all, for a long and driving rain, oil-father, John Cabot, when, in 1497, he them, and the better and more woolly skin or rubber will give more protecdiscovered the mainland of America, and the blankets, the greater the danger tion than any waterproofed planted the flag of England on our from this source. Choose a bright, coast. Sebastian had spent many years dry day for washing; if a good breeze damp and showery weather. in the service of Spain, and on hearing is blowing so much the better. Look hat he was in England the Emperior the blankets carefully over and baste Charles V, immediately demanded that a thread of white darning cotton he should be sent back to him. Cabot around all spots—large or small—then refused to go, and, as he was an Eng- you can find them without difficulty born at Bristol) the privy council de- soapsuds and mix with it either The cleansing process might be called washed, and it is pretty as well as "sozzling." Have another tub of practical. lear, but, whether or not he accomplished all that some of his biographers have cleaimed for him, it is certain that suds, ready, move the blankets along, he had acquired a great reputation as a seaman, and was in high favor with his young sovereign, whose interest in and of the same temperature—till all naval affairs amounted to "a sort of of ferments than benzoic acid and at Cloves, mustard, nutmer and allspice are also effective preservatives. Ginger, black pepper and cayenne pepper do not hinder the growth of germs.

Mcreover, ginger and pepper are ir-

## Problems of the Fair Sex Solved by Cynthia Grey

Birthday Calendar. Dear Miss Grey: Will you kindly give birthday calendar for Aug. 7 and Sept. 9 and oblige? CHARLES.

9 and oblige? CHARLES.

A—Aug. 7.—Take special care of a regular schedule of things for sale will be quick to imitate other people, each day in the week and developed whether good or bad. They should engood business. Following is an ex- deavor to form their own habits and thoughts and to have an individuality

Sept. 9-Do not let company or social pleasures draw your attention away she cut off every one of her items from the tasks which you wish to acthat was not popular and substituted complish. You are cautioned to avoid novelties. Her list of customers grew risks and new enterprises. Those born slowly, but surely, and with many today will have wit and vivacity, and she had standing orders. The day she delivered orders the boy collected the dishes left the day before; and as it foolishly. At home they will be

A Legal Query. Dear Miss Grey: Can a girl 18 years consent, and is the marriage legal? as possible. You are helping others; and There were only a few dishes to I thought you would oblige me. Thanking you in advance. I remain, yours,

A .- Yes, such a marriage is legal.

He Has a Moustache. Dear Miss Grey: I am 24, I have been keeping company with a fellow for almost a year. He is the same age as salads, eakes, etc., for parties, and most a year. He is good-looking and I think a made a rate for larger quantities. She made a rate for larger quantities. She great deal of him. The only thing great deal of him is he has a little parties and at various times directed have against him is he has a little the suppers given to businessmen's moustache. I told him to take it off and he will not. Don't you thak if he "She has today a steady-paying bus- cared anything for me he would take it

A .- I think you are rather presumptuous, unless you are engaged to the man, to comment on the moustache. she prefers her safe though small How would you feel if he commented on the way you wore your clothes or on the way you dressed your hair? There by her husband, has become, in the hands of this resourceful woman with life if each individual would recognize

> "Has Pleasing Actions." "Dear Miss Grey: I am a young girl not good-looking, but am aware of the fact that I have pleasing actions, have a great many boy friends, have never had occasion to entertain any of them at my own home. Many of them have taken me out, but now that one of them has asked to spend some of the long winter evenings with me at home I don't know just what to do. We have no hall-tree. Is it proper for me to take his coat and hat into time. another room, or shall I show him have to put it and let him make himself at home? Is it necessary for me to serve any refreshments? If so, do you advise a cold lunch, fruit or a warm

drink with pastry served? B. A .-- Invite him to call some evening. Introduce him to your family and treat him just like you would any other friend. No, he should take care of his own coat and hat. It isn't necessary to serve refreshments, still it would be very nice thing to do. I think coffee and sandwiches or coffee and cake would be appreciated.

### QUEEN MARY'S ECONOMIES.

Queen Mary has decided, it is said. hat she can do without maids of honor, and she does not intend to make any new appointment to this In future, maids of honor will only attend the Queen on the occasion of a court or a state ball. For some time past, the duties of a maid of honor have been almost nominal, since a good deal of their work is now carried out by her majesty's determined to cut down all unnecessary expenses in her household.

# For Moist Days

For rain and wet snow there are new things in oilskin waterproof coats that may be slipped on over the warmer coat and will afford better protection You may need it yet, before the robins than any waterproofed wool can guar- come, Men are allowed high calfskin and low lantee. The apotheosis of oilskin, this new stuff is as thin, light and supple as silk, and offered in many colors really Besides shoes, only three articles of beautiful, the dark purples, blues, browns and ambert tones being more satisfactory than brighter and lighter shades. With a smart coat of this oilskin and a sou'wester cap to match, the motor woman can defy rain and come through a storm looking shipshape and undrabbled.

The English and Scotch manufacturers of woolens have done admirable things towards density of weave and It is astonishing how much dirt will waterproofing of their high-class wool come out of an apparently clean pair stuffs suitable for coatings, but after though the latter will answer for all

### PROTECTING NEW COMFORTERS.

omforter for Christmas you will be in-

# Stock-Taking Prices This Week

Our stock-taking will be completed next Friday, and before then there are many lines which we wish to clear out. In every department you will find some goods specially priced. These are all needed goods, winter goods of all qualities and at all prices. We have a large stock of Ladies', Misses' and Children's Sweater Coats which must be cleared out as soon as possible. Also many lines in Ladies' Underwear, and many other lines at reduced

## Clearance of Ladies' Underwear

MANY odd lines must be cleared out betities of Ladies' Winter Underwear, "seconds," job lots and odd lines. These are selling at special prices.

39¢-A large quantity of White Vests 75 and Drawers. A few Gray Vests and Red Drawers. All worth 50c garment, for . . 39¢

59¢-Vests and small quantity Drawers in white and flesh color. Also Black Tights. 

79¢-All-Wool Vests and Drawers, in gray, white and flesh color; also Black Tights and Red Vests. Regular \$1.00 and \$1.25 

LADIES' WHITE COMBINATION SUITS -A good winter weight. Job line. Special 

# Tweed Suitings

LEARANCE this week of Tweed Suitings. These lots comprise our entire stock of Tweeds. There is a very large assortment of values and a splendid range of colors.

Oc Tweeds, for yard
5c Tweeds, for yard
1.00 Tweeds, for yard
1.50 Tweeds, for yard

# Sweater Coats 69c

A few still left of these remarkable values in Sweater Coats. Gray with red or blue trimmings. Size 32 only. Our price while 

REMOVAL SALE OF WINTER GOODS BEGINS SATURDAY, JAN. 11.

Anyone seeing Miss Alcott's play at ne Grand the other night could not ail to think that the dresses worn by the "Little Women" were much nice than the skimpy gowns of our own

Yet we must admit that they re-Mrs. Rose Hartwick Thorpe,

poser of "Curfew Shall Not Ring Tonight," is still living, and spends her winters near San Diego, Cal, She 62 years old.

Two thousand one hundred and inety women attended the University of Paris during the past year. Ninety nine studied law, 570 medicine, 248 sci ence, 32 pharmacy and the remainde were in the course in letters.

A horrid editor-man in Detroit asking why a woman always sits down on the floor to put on her stockings. Cause she can't sit on the wall of eiling, of course-stupid!

Boys and girls in Canada use grandfathers did. A late return shows moisten a cloth with Danderine and great deal more sugar than their that more than seventy pounds is eaten by every man, woman and child in taking one small strand at a time. This this country. The sugar refiners hope that by the new trade agreement with any excessive oil. In a few moments the West India Islands they will be you will be amazed. Your hair will be able to buy raw sugar cheaper than at wavy, fluffy and abundant and possess present. It was once thought sugar an incomparable softness, lustre and should be used sparingly, but doctors luxuriance, the beauty and shimmer o now tell us it is a good food. Neither true hair health. children nor grown people have waited for their leave to enjoy sweets of plication of Danderine dissolves every toilet counter and try it as directed.

Hint to Mothers-If little Willie hows a tendency to use the new saw up the Christmas tree for firewood.

days to decide whether it is better to of breaking her precious neck, or to sacrifice her high-heeled shoes for more sensible ones.

Christmas time.

When you see a girl studying dietetthings, it's a pretty sure sign that some joke when one remembers that custom

### OMOND'S 468-25c

Serious results easily follow a cough. This great remedy relieves coughs, sore throat, bronchitis, croup and wheezing quickly and safely. 'Tis pure and sure.

A great preventive of sickness. Try it.

Twenty-five Cents. PERCIVAL. 344 Richmond Street Phone 1920,

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# CLEANS THE HAIR AND MAKES IT BEAUTIFUL--25 CENT "DANDERINE"

In a Few Moments Your Hair Looks Soft, Fluffy, Lustrous and Abundant-No Falling Hair or Dandruff.

Surely try a "Danderine Hair | particle of Dandruff; cleanses, purifies, Cleanse" if you wish to immediately double the beauty of your hair. Just draw it carefully through your hair, Besides beautifying the hair, one ap-

### AN ARMENIAN WEDDING.

and invigorates the scalp, forever stopping itching and falling hair. Danderine is to the hair what fresh howers of rain and sunshine are to

vegetation. It goes right to the roots. invigorates and strengthens them. Its exhilarating, stimulating and life-producing properties cause the hair to abundantly long, strong, and grow beautiful. You can surely have pretty, soft,

lustrous hair, and lots of it, if you will ust get a 25-cent bottle of Knowlton's Danderine from any drug store or

An Armenian wedding is not readily that Santa brought him on the best forgotten. It lasts for several days and mahogany dresser, set him at sawing starts with a general meeting of friends and relatives, who are entertained by the arrival of the groom. In the midst Many a girl is trying hard these of the uproar it is Armenian etiquette face (it has just been whitened with a little powder) in order to go through Queen Mary is a patron of the the ordeal of preparation. He is first 'hildren's Happy Evening Associa- publicly shaved and then adorned with tion to give every child a happy the various gifts sent by the bride-time once in a while, especially at elect. His brothers next fall upon him and with such vigor that he speedily stands forth as nature made him. Then they completely reclothe him in new cs, calories, carbohydrates, and similar garments as best they can—a difficult young man is going to give her the chance to experiment on his digestive organs in a "built-for-two" bungalow. The evening terminates with bonfires,

more music and much dancing. Upon he following evening the bride puts in her first appearance by riding to hurch—the bridegroom walks. priest meets them at the porch and reads them a very seasonable little homily upon the obligations they are band of minstrels and dancers until about to undertake. They next march in procession to the altar, where their foreheads are bound together with gold chains. Even then, however, another days to decide whether it is better to that the "happy" man shall totter in three days must elapse before the exwith faltering footsteps and blanched pectant groom is allowed to take posthe Armenians.-Tit-Bits.

Is it really a mark of culture to have strong aversions - to hate popular nusic, for instance, or loathe the ordinary play, or detest uncultivated people? Perhaps it is a sign of narrowness. At any rate, one gets through the world most smoothly one can derive enjoyment from a very wide and varied range of interests.

# Hood's Best family physic. Do not gripe or cause pain. Purely vegetable, easy to take. 25c.

### **COMFORT SOAP** A Good Soap for All Household Purposes

FRY'S Nut Milk Chocolate Everybody Likes it. Try it Yourself.

WHOOPING COUGH

Vapo Cresolene

# WAS A CONFIRMED DYSPEPTIC Now Finds it a Pleasure to Enjoy Meals

go against his will."

"Gentlemen-I have much pleasure in

The fact that a lot of prescriptions or so-called "cures" have failed to help you is no sign that you have got to go on suffering. Try Na-Dru-Co Dyspepsia Tablets and see how quickly this sterling remedy will give you relief and start your stomach working properly. If it doesn't help you, you get your money back. 50c a box at your druggist's. Compounded by the National Drug and Chemical Co. of Canada, Limited, Montreal.

note from the young woman to her hus-

band. It finished with the rather con-

ventional ending, "10,000 X," which

plainly meant nothing more than what the four or five year old boy common-

ly sends to his mother before he has

enthusiast for such childish lyricism,

held the message up, and asked what

"Kisses!" said the young woman,

"But what do you mean by kisses?"

"The kisses of a wife, of course!"

"But how are we to be sure?" asked

the man. "It may mean bombs, or even

forbidden books. We cannot accept

cipher messages, and we must be quite

certain that the senders of telegrams

And as the official was not at all

sure of the literal accuracy of the "10,-000 X," that part of the message was

ultimately suppressed. - Victoria Col-

CANADIAN HISTORY

JANUARY SIXTH.

Upon this day, in the year 1548, Ed-

NATURE'S PRESERVATIVES.

e same time is quite harmless

ritating to the stomach.

Cinnamon is a more powerful enemy

ward VI. granted a pension of £166 13s

THIS DAY IN

really mean literally what they say."

means satisfied with the answer.

the official, possibly no great

earned to write.

said the woman.

was meant.

BREAKFAST. Steamed Prunes. Cereal With Cream. Scrambled Eggs.

Mashed Potatoes.

SUPPER. Baked Finnan Haddie. Escalloped Potatoes. Citron Preserves. Gingerbread, Tea or Cocoa. The Evening Advertiser

RECIPES. Popovers .- Sift two cupfuls of flour ito a basin, add one heaping teaspoonal baking powder, ha'f teaspoonful salt, the counter an apparently harmless 40 minutes. Serve at once,

an shoes, while the women are limited to high shoes to suit their taste,

# omplete her wardrobe.

very little, and have a soft, fluffy look. If everything goes well they should be ready to fold and pack at once.

safely and surely rids your feet of Oyster Stew—Three-fourths cup of "Little be professor."

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or of many years' growth. Price rich milk, 6 oysters, quarter cup of hot wants."—We water, 1 teaspoon of butter, salt and wants."—We wanter the salt and wants."—We water, 1 teaspoon of butter, salt and wants."—We wanter the salt and wants.

lish subject (he is said to have been when wet. Prepare a tubful of hot terested to hear of a good way to protect the top edges from becoming soiled. Catcided that "no reason or equity would household ammonia or a tablespoon that he should be forced or compelled to of powdered borax, dissolved in cold stitch a piece of mus in about twelve The pension was water. Put the blankets into the inches wide to the top of your comforter go against his will." The pension was given in consideration "of good and acceptable service done and to be done" by Cabot, but it is not quite clear what his duties were. In fact scarcely any point in the story of Sebastian Cabot is point in the story of Sebastian Cabot is clear but whether or not he accom-

PUTNAM'S CORN EXTRACTOR

as needed. DISPELS CORN SORENESS The real corn remedy, the one that be put through a wringer or hung out dripping, as you may elect. I profer the first way. Hang out on the line and give a thorough shaking not only at first, but several times during the day, as they dry. Leave out all day while the sun shines. If these directions are followed, blankets will shrink the least bit of pain. Putnam's makes you forget you ever had a corn. Goes to the root of the tormentor, absorbs at first, but several times during the day, as they dry. Leave out all day while the sun shines. If these directions are followed, blankets will shrink safely and surely rids your feet of you soap is removed. The blankets can always does its work, is Putnam's

# Dishes for the Convalescent

stock, orange and lemon juice, Separate egg, beat yolk light, combine, adding water. Pour on to stiffly beaten egg white, heat well and serve at once. To make syrup stock for sweetening acid drinks, boil together 2 cups sugar Have milk scalded. Pour into the egg

Grape Juice and Egg-One egg half up rich milk, I tablespoon syrup stock quarter cup grape juice. Separate egg. Beat yolk light and add milk, syrup

water, 1 teaspoon of butter, salt and wants."—Woman's Home Companion.

Orange Eggnog-Two tablespoons of pepper. Wash oysters, discard lique and steam over hot water till edges are syrup stock, juice of 1 orange, 1 teacurled. Scald milk, add to it the but spoonful lemon juice, half cup cold ter, pour in steamed oysters and liquor water, 1 egg. Mix together syrup season and serve with hot toasted crackers.

Coddled Egg-One egg, half cu milk, 1 teaspoon butter, an eighth of teaspoon salt, speck of pepper. Bea eggs and seasonings together slightly and 1 cup water for five minutes, using mixture, return to double boiler and cook until set. Serve on buttered toas or wheat crackers. A very absent-minded professor wa

"Little boy, little boy," mused the ofessor. "Well, ask him what he

solving a scientific problem when th