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THE ROCKING HABIT.

It is Bad For the Nerves and is Apt to Destroy Repose. It seems a pity that so many women form the rocking habit. It does them no good, and it annoys other people onsiderably. It is purely a feminine habit, men being saved from it possibly by the fear that their dignity would suffer, probably because they do not have nerves in the sense that most women have them. Rocking and nerves go together as sure as fate. Not all rocking is bad. The slow rhythmic swinging back and forth of a mother with her child is one of the world's sweetest sights. It is the nervous habit of rocking hard and steadily while talking that one would like to protest against. It would be an interesting computa-

tion, if one knew how, to consider how nany volts of precious energy go to waste in useless rocking. Some of the rockers will exclaim that they are so accustomed to rocking that it does no require any effort. But the energy is wasted just the same. Besides, rocking in this machine-like, ceaseless fashion is essentially inelegant. The author of "The Gospel of Leisure" denounced recking chairs as enemies of womankind. He found American women lacking markedly in repose, and without repose where is elegance? But few of us would be willing, however, to banish all of our easy, comfortable rocking chairs. A house entirely with-out them would look stiff and unhappy. But it might be well for women to take them a little more moderately. Their nerves and manner would gain vastly.-Indianapolis News.

CHILDREN'S AILMENTS.

Contagious Diseases and the Signs
That Proclaim Them.

Whooping cough develops slowly, and for several days it is no different from an ordinary cough due to a cold in the lungs. Then suddenly the cough becomes more violent and lasts onger, with that characteristic catch ing of the breath and redness of the

Diphtheria is characterized by a sore throat and a swelling of the glands of the neck, with white specks on the tonsils. It should always be treated by the best medical skill obtainable. Scarlet fever is most contagious durng the height of the disease and during the period of desquamation-that is, when the cuticle separates in small scales. The first symptoms are vomiting, a sore throat and a high fever. eruption appears first on the neck and chest and then covers the entire oody. This disease may be carried by well people in their clothing or it can be conveyed by the clothing of the pa-

Measles is a serious disease on ac count of frequently accompanying bronchitis or pneumonia. It is most evere in children under five years. The disease can be conveyed from the earliest stage-the catarrhal symptoms. It is less contagious after the eruption

disappears. Chicken pox appears gradually, first in the form of pimples all over the face, scalp and body. There is irritation of the skin, but little fever. This is, like measles and whooping cough, a very contagious disease.-New Idea Magazine.

CULINARY CONCEITS.

Pies will be soggy if set on top of a Thin sugar cookies if flavored with bitter almond make a good substitute for macaroons.

Raisins for fruit cake are much imslowly and then simmer until the skin

is tender.
Should your soup be too salty add a sliced raw potato and cook a few mo-ments longer, as the potato will absorb the surplus salt.

Soup is made into a most nourishing broth by adding about a teaspoonful of oatmeal to the pot. Any one of the many catmeals may be used for this

The toughest beef or chicken can be made tender and palatable by putting a good spoonful of cider vinegar in the pot in which it is boiling or in the juice with which it is basted if roasting in

Children and Chewing Gum. "The chewing of gum is generally re garded by the parents of children who are addicted to it as a pernicious hab-it," said a dentist. "And yet, in certain cases, I have no hesitation in say-In fact, on more than one occasion have I advised the parents of children whose faces were narrow and whose jaws were not sufficiently developed to make them chew gum. The constant exercise has a tendency to widen an otherwise narrow jaw and thus make room for teeth that show evidence of crowding each other out of shape. The constant chewing of gum for two hours every day is sufficient exercise to bring about a most desirable result in the dwarfed formation of a child's jaw. Even when no such treatment is necessary I see no reason why the children should be forbidden to chew gum. It can do no harm and may possibly do good in keeping the teeth white and clean."—Philadelphia Record.

White Silk Articles

A good way to restore white silk ar-ticles that have become yellow in washing is to dip them in tepid soft water containing to each quart a ta-blespoonful of ammonia water and a few drops of bluing. Wring them out and if still yellow add a little more bluing to the water until they are fully restored. Hang in the shade to dry partially and press with a hot fron between folds of cotton while

LUSTROUS LINEN.

Cheap Looking Cloths Will Spoil the

Charm of Fine Dishes Every woman of refinement loves to be the possessor of a liberal quantity of fine dining room and table linen. To achieve this desire it is necessary to use a great amount of discretion in the collection of her linens and in the care of them after they are collected. There is a pleasure in the possession of fine linens, even surpassing that in possession of fine glass or china, for, no mat-ter how fine the quality of the dishes may be, half the charm is lost when they are placed upon a cheap, sleazy or ill laundered cloth. Then again the durability of really good linen adds greatly to the pleasure of its possessor. Every dollar added to the amount paid for a really fine tablecloth is an economy, for its wearing qualities are increased at a greater ratio in linen than

in almost anything else.

A tablecloth measuring two and a half yards and costing \$5 will wear three times as long as one costing a dollar a yard. This is not the only advantage to be considered. The quality of the linen shows at a glance the difference between a cheap cloth and an expensive one. The patterns and designs are far more attractive, and there is a fullness as well as a body that adds greatly to the beauty of the cloth when laundered and causes it to hold its own when in use.—Table Talk

SYSTEMATIC HOUSEWORK.

Try to Arrange a Time and a Place

For Everything. In all your work be systematic. Have a time and a place for every-thing. Adopt the best methods. Teach the children early to help by the regular performance of daily tasks. quire order and neatness, beginning with the "wee toddler." Cook simple foods-few kinds at one time, but always deliciously prepared and daintily served. Use substantial foods and fruit, avoiding pastries and highly seasoned dishes. Vary the bill of fare. Insist upon the best homemade bread the more good brown or oatmeal bread the better. Make clothing simply, using good garments. Have all the conveniences about the house you can afford, but never live beyond your means. Have none but durable and useful furnishings. Discard all trappings and draperies that are simply for ornament. Use plenty of water internally and externally. Good food, pure water, fresh air and sunshine are cheaper than doctors' bills and superior to any patent medicine. For success study your housekeeping as you would any other business. Make of yourself a ray of sunshine under all circum stances, remembering that a happy home is the only paradise on earth. Woman's Home Companion.

DRESS HINTS.

Shoe laces if slightly rubbed with wax will not come untied.

Wash enameled shoes with sweet milk, wiping with a dry cloth. This gives them a good polish and will, it is said, preserve the leather from crack ing. pro-seculops

A gown is no better than its lining. That means that clothes are like houses. They must have the best of foundations if they are to present a good appearance.

White waists and dresses that have turned yellow from lying too long or from careless washing may often be restored to their original whiteness by dipping in boiling water in which some cream of tartar is dissolved, then rins-

A woman whose wardrobe includes a number of gowns in delicate hues keeps these dainty frocks in a large closet set apart especially for them. The dress skirts and silk petticoats are inclosed in wide bars of white or cream cotton goods.

Yellow and White Bedroom. For the wall have white paper decorated with large yellow roses and the ceiling covered with a white moire pa-per to continue down the wall about. two feet and finished where the drop ceiling ends with a narrow white molding. To cover the floor any light carpet may be used, or, for summer, matting will be found clean and cool The dressing table and chairs should be white, and either a white or a brass bedstead could be used. The pretty flowered muslin spread for the bed should be made with ruffles, and ruffled white lawn curtains should be tied with large bows of yellow satin ribbon hung at the windows. A pretty cushion for pins is made in the shape of a large yellow rose. This makes a dainty room for a young girl.

An Important Adjunct. It may seem a bit strange to place the seat of beauty in the stomach, and yet the fact remains that if one in-dulges in edibles that are too rich or not sufficiently nourishing the complexion will soon induce wrinkles. If the stomach be empty, there is a gnawing inside which is very productive of wrinkles, and pain of any kind will bring them into the face very quickly. Do not neglect the stomach. Reep it nourished and comfortable. Take something before going to bed if you are inclined to be delicate in body. Do not think that the stomach is un-

For Hot Dishes. The housekeeper who cannot have a tinc covered kitchen table will find several squares of hard wood an inch in thickness and about five inches across a great convenience for setting hot dishes on. The wood should be sand-papered and each block have a screw eye with which it is hung under the ledge of the table.

DEAFNESS CANNOT BE CURED

by local applications, as they cannot reach the diseased portion of the ear. There is only one way to cure deafness, and that is by constitutional remedies. Deafness is caused by an inflamed condition of the mucous lining of the Eustachian Tube. When this tube is inflamed you have a rum-bling sound or imperfect hearing, and when it is entirely closed, Deafness is the result, and unless the in-flammation can be taken out and this tube restored to its normal condi-tion, hearing will be destroyed for-ever; nine cases out of ten are caus-

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History of Child Slavery. It was not until 1819 that factors work for children under nine was proaibited or that children between nine and sixteen were not allowed to work more than twelve hours a day, and it was not until 1802 that the law requir ed an apprentice to be provided with two suits of clothing, one of which was to be new each year. Notwithstanding this partial protection, when Mrs. Trollope wrote the "Factory Boy" in 1840 it was illustrated by pictures of rag-ged and emaciated children which would now be regarded only as gross exaggerations of the truth, but which then produced no adverse commen and were perhaps as influential in re forming the abuses they displayed as was "Uncle Tom's Cabin" in calling attention to the evils of slavery.

A WELL KNOWN ALBANY MAN

Recommends Chamberlain's Colie Uno:era and Durrnoea Remedy. About eightern months ago Mr. W. Manning, of Albany, N. Y., widely S. Menning, of Albany, N. Y., widely known in trade circles as the representative of the Albany Chemical Co., was suffering from a protracted attack of diarrhoen. "I tried Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy," he says, "end obtained immediate relief. I cheerfully recommend this medicine to those similarly afflicted." Sold by Al' Druggists.

To break a mirror to many persons indicates the death of the person who last looked into the mirror or some serious injury to that person. The savage tribes of nearly every country believed that striking either the image or the shadow of any person meant an in jury to that person. They believed that the image or the shadow represented the spirit of a person, and many are the tales told of magicians who in flicted the injuries on persons they inflicted on their images. To drop a stone into water where the image of a persen was reflected meant death or

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and, when blood poison develops sometimes result in the loss of a hand or limb. Chamberlain's Pain Balm is an antiseptic liniment. When applied to cuts, bruises and burns it causes them to heal quickly and without matiration, and prevents any dan-ger of blood poison. For sale by All ger of blood Druggists.

Will Summon the Diet.

Helsingfors, Finland, Aug. 30.-The definite announcement of the conven-ing of the Diet on Dec. 6 has created an excellent impression in Finland, where it had been feared for months that it was the intention of the Rus sian authorities to refuse to summo

Antwerp Fire Subdued.

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Antwerp, Aug. 30.—The fire in the oil tank near here continued Monday, but it is now practically ended. Nine bodies have been recovered, and several are still mising. The loss is estimated at 10,000,000 gallons, and the damage at nearly \$2,500,000.

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A Queer Lake. A lake containing fresh water on top and salt water on the bottom is located in Kildin island, Lapland. The lake salt water evidently comes from the sea by an underground channel.

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THE LONDON TIMES.

Some Interesting Pages From the Life of Preserved Peace.

civilization, says a writer in The Daily Mail. For a hundred years it has belonged, with the Established Church and the British Constitu-

editor proudly said when a powerful man sought to silence its thunder, and the words might well be written

It has been so from the beginning.
The Times was a child of four when its founder, the first John Walter, was put into jail for censuring the Duke of York. But they could not imprison The Times. imprison The Times, and even while John Walter was in Newgate he was sentenced again for severely criticiz-ing the Prince of Wales and accusing the Duke of Clarence of leaving his

ship without leave.

The Government withdrew its advertisements and its printing contracts, but The Times went on its incorruptible way. It made Cabinets and broke them, exposed plots and averted them. At least once, at a cost of £5,000, The Times nipped in the bud an international conspiracy which might have ruined half the banks in Europe, and there are two scholarships in London schools endowed by a thanksgiving fund then raised by The Times. When the rail-way mania was at its highest, The Times sacrificed a fortune in advertisements by denouncing the spirit of recklessness which was abroad, and neither the penalties of the law, the enmities of statesmen, nor the loss of revenues has availed against the fearless determination of The Times to say the thing it thinks.

The history of the Times is the history of the world for a hundred and twenty; years. No historian, writing of any period from the French Revolution until now, can do

Shakespeare's Hamlet.

Shakespearean commentators have wondered why the poet placed the scenes of "Hamlet" at Elsinore, in the Island of Zeeland, whereas the Danish Prince lived and died in Jutland. But recently the municipal authorities at Elsinore have discovered thorities at Elsinore have discovered in their archives that an English company was acting in their town in 1587 or 1588, and among the names of the actors are several of those who were acting with Shakespeare in London in 1589. Obviously, these actors must have talked about their adventures in Denmark, and so Shakespeare became well acquainted with Elsinore, and when he wrote "Hamlet" naturally placed the scene in a place which he knew by description rather than in a place of which he knew nothing. he knew nothing.

A Princess' Hockey Tran

The London Times has made an arrangement whereby yearly sub-scribers may now have the paper delivered at a cost of two pence per day.

It is no vain compliment to say that The Times is part of British

ed by Catarrh, which is nothing but tion, to the historic greatness of the an inflamed condition of the mucous race.

in letters of gold across the portal of Printing House square.

without its files.

It was The Times which saved the world from one of the greatest catastrophes that could have occurred in modern Europe. All the world knows the story now, but the thoughts of the French scare sends a thrill through the chancelleries even to-day. It was Bismarck who, this time, was behind The Times—Bis-mark, the founder of the German Empire, who saved that Empire from itself and revealed to the correspondent of The Times the terrible plot which would have crippled France a second time. Jealous of Moltke, and perhaps honestly detest-ing his flendish conspiracy against a conquered foe rapidly regaining her strength, Prince Bismarck let Blow-itz know, and Blowitz, the Paris echo of the Voice of Europe, told it to the world. Those who remember the middle seventies remember yet the effect of the thunderbolt which The Times hurled against Count von

Moltke. The Times has missed its chance sometimes. In 1892 its editor received a long letter forecasting the alliance of Russia and France, but, as nobody but the writer seemed to believe it, the editor kept it back— until 1897, when it announced, with the rest of the papers, that the Franco-Russian alliance was an es-tablished fact. If it has lost prestige in error, it has sacrificed itself, no once or twice, but many times, for peace and the welfare of the world One of the most graphic stories in journalism is of the French Minister who sent for The Times correspondent and shouted a challenge to England in his ears, who flourished nulist's face and declared that The - should pay for it." correspondent went—not to the tele-graph office, but to bed, and the world was no wiser the next morning for the angry scene of the night before, which, had it been known, alcertainly must have caused a

It is something, surely, to have recorded for 37,399 days the affairs of the whole world. It is something more to have been, through all these more to have been, through all these generations, a fearless critic of princes and kings and the enemy of the wrong. "We thundered forth the other day," wrote Captain Sterling in a "leader" which gave The Times its nickname, "an article on the subject of social and political reform," and The Times is "thundering forth" still.

A Princess' Hockey Tram.

Once the daughters of the Duchess of Connaught were voted intolerably slow and shy, says a society writer in The Liverpool Post, but in the cheery atmosphere of Ireland they have developed, and are new as lively and vivacious as was Princess Charles of Denmark, Indeed, the reyal family are chaffing the two girls on the subject, but it is not easy to get the better of Princess Margaret in a verbal bout. She announces that she is going to collect a brilliant hockey team for next winter, not only from the patrician, but from the skilled point of view.

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AN ASTHMATIC STORY TOLD

Delineator

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Fashion's Echoes.

Linens, summer serges and tweeds, ogether with muslins, linens, duck and washing fabrics of all kinds, make very pretty boating gowns. For the prac tical rower linen and serge are best. Shoes have the high Castilian and Louis Quinze heels and are sharply

pointed at the to?. This season's wraps are of white, black or champagne colored lace, chiffon or net, accor ilon plaited and overlaid with motifs of heavy lace.

Medallions of lace are much used this

Profuse trimming of braid appears on silks as well as on cloth costumes. Narrow cotton braid trimming, with colored floral design, is used on linen,

pique and duck gowns. Valenciennes is an important lace number, yards and yards of it being employed in producing the foamy lightness of summer frocks.

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