

HE'S SICK.

When I'm really sick and I can't see any fun... I hate for all the folks about to come an' pat me on the face...

THE DAUGHTER'S MISTAKE

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HERE, put away the things; I'm tired to death! Theodora Evelyn tossed her faded ball bouquet on the side...

A FILIPINO TEACHER.

The black domino standing at the window. "Mamma, why couldn't you have come with me, instead of chatting away with those old fools by the door?"



A Filipino Teacher.

The advancement of education among the Filipinos under American influence is rapidly progressing. Not only are there now a large number of American teachers in the islands doing daily excellent work...

FILIPINO ARCHERS.



The Daughter of a Tagalo Chief, With Brother and Servant.

Filipino Archers

Archery has been practiced in the United States at intervals, in a desultory way, and on two or three occasions has seemed on the point of becoming popular. About 1830 it must have been practiced here to a considerable extent...

HOUSEHOLD AFFAIRS

TO PREVENT RUST. If steel grates, fire irons, knives, etc., be lightly rubbed over with vaseline, they may be left without fear of rust during summer holidays or any length of time.

IN CHOOSING LEMONS.

In choosing lemons select those that are firm and full, with a fair, smooth, thin skin, of bright yellow color and delicious aromatic odor.

PORCH BOXES.

Porch boxes are no longer stationary, but are made of light materials, such as tin or zinc case or deep pan, set in a matting frame with bamboo handles.

LITTLE THINGS TO KNOW.

Old stockings cut down the seam make excellent cloths for polishing furniture and floors, as well as soft iron holders. Gasoline put on stains on a white silk wash, followed by as much lump magesia as the gasoline will take up...

HOUSEHOLD RECIPES

Baked Sausages—Put the sausage in the oven in an ordinary baking tin, and turn often to brown on all sides. Ten to fifteen minutes will be needed for the cooking. Before cooking stick a steel fork into each one three or four times, for this will prevent them from bursting open.

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SELECTING FRUIT TREES. Only experienced people are capable of selecting varieties of fruit trees. Novices should always seek advice.

WHY NOT HAVE MORE APPLES?

Adapted to more than two-thirds of the farms of this country, going North, South, East and West, there are to be found many farms where it is a minus quantity.

THE FRUIT VS. FRUITLESS FARM

In point of economy the farmer who raises his own fruit has everything his own way over the one who does not, while the cost of production is very small, while the output is first cost insignificant.

PROPAGATING CURRIANTS.

The usual methods of propagating currants is to make cuttings of the new wood in the fall or early winter and keep them in a trench or in the soil for planting in the early spring.

TO MAKE WALKING EASY.

Who has not at one time or another experienced the tortures of walking in uncomfortable shoes, and who has not more than once wondered why some growing genius did not present to suffering humanity a remedy for the many evils that do beset the feet?



THE EASY-WALKING SHOE. The comfort of the wearer first, last and all the time. As will be seen by the picture the sole is so constructed that elasticity and ventilation are given with each movement of the foot.

SCIENTIFIC & INDUSTRIAL

Bridgeport, Me., has an "Acetylene Laundry," located on Acetylene Square. The proprietor claims that better night work can be done by the use of this illuminant than any other.

An annual subsidy of \$10,000 for seven years is offered by the city of Catania, Sicily, for the location of new industrial establishments in the city which will employ 100 persons.

The output of pig iron in Russia last year amounted to 2,364,523 tons; that represents a falling off of about 125,000 tons, as compared with the output in 1902, and of 460,000 tons, as compared with 1900.

A meeting of members of council of the South African Association for the Advancement of Science was held at Johannesburg in May. The Chairman reported that he had been in communication with the German, French, Austrian and Italian Consuls and was hopeful of the co-operation of these gentlemen in connection with the visit of Continental delegates to South Africa with the British Association next year.

An attempt has been made during the past year to collect information regarding the wild indigo of the Madras Presidency. It is supposed that among these there is one at least of great economic value, and the search has been commenced for it.

Mr. St. Emil had selected Hamlet as his character, and very handsome he was in the plumed cap, and velvet doublet of the young Prince of Denmark, but Mrs. St. Emil preferred no more conspicuous costume than a plain black silk domino wrapper and mask.

"I am past my acting days," she said, with a pleasant laugh, when Theo smilingly demanded why she, too, was not in character, "and I shall devote my greatest pleasure to-night from watching others."

"Darling mamma" cried Theo, turning with affectionate tenderness toward her mother, "you see you are in the fashion, after all! I tried my best, Mrs. St. Emil, to induce this mother of mine to don a character dress, but she would not consent. Oh, Mrs. St. Emil, is it time for the waltz already? Mamma, if you're quite sure it wouldn't tire you too much to hold my bouquet?"

And Theodora floated away on Grant St. Emil's arm.

Once, during an interval in the dancing, Grant came to his mother's side.

"Does she not look beautiful to-night?"

"Who? Miss Evelyn?"

"Of course. Whom else could I possibly mean?"

"Yes, she is beautiful; and you, Grant," Mrs. St. Emil added, with a half smile, "you are falling deeper and deeper in love with her. All the arrows in her quiver are piercing your heart through and through, my dear boy."

"Mother, you don't like her."

"I shall try to do so for your sake, Grant," said the lady, sighing softly.

"You still persist in thinking that she is not amiable. I am sure she is."

"I like her manner toward her mother, Grant," said Mrs. St. Emil; "it is very affectionate and devoted. Now go—they are waiting for you to take your place in the second set of Les Lancers."

And as he hastened away, she thought almost sadly to herself: "I must learn to love her, for Grant's heart is set upon her, and he is too good a son to marry without my cordial consent."

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