

Teetotalism Among Old World Rulers.

Abstinance of Sovereigns Traced to Mother's Influence.

The announcement by the press that the president of the United States and members of his cabinet are opposed to the use of liquor at the White House, or at social functions, has occasioned much discussion, favorable and otherwise, in both the American and foreign papers. In an article entitled, "Teetotalers Now on Many Thrones," by an "Ex Attache," recently published in the Chicago Tribune, an interesting list of sovereigns who are abstainers is given. According to this writer teetotalism is the rule rather than the exception among the rulers of the old world. He says that "Alfonso XIII of Spain and his mother, Queen Christina, are both total abstainers. So, too, is Victor Emmanuel III of Italy, as Queen Wilhelmina of Holland, and her mother, Queen Emma, the two queens of Sweden and King Gustavus Adolphus, Czar Ferdinand of Bulgaria, and George V. of Great Britain."

"In Sweden," explains the writer, "the present king and his consort have undoubtedly been influenced in becoming teetotalers by his mother, the dowager Queen Sophia, who for over forty years has been the most powerful supporter and advocate of the temperance movement in Scandinavia."

The House by the Side of the Road.

There are hermit souls that live withdrawn
In the place of their self-content;
There are souls like stars that dwell apart,
In a fellowless firmament.
There are pioneer souls that blaze their paths
Where highway never ran—
But let me live by the side of the road.
And be a friend to man.

I see from my house by the side of the road,
By the side of the highway of life,
The men who press with the ardor of hope,
The men who are faint with the strife;
But I turn not away from their smiles
Nor their tears,
Both parts of an infinite plan;
Let me live in my house by the side of the road,
And be a friend to man.

I know there are brook-gladdening meadows ahead
And mountains of wearisome height,
That the road passes on through the long afternoon,
And stretches away to the night,
But still I rejoice when the travellers rejoice,
And weep with strangers that moan,
Nor live in my house by the side of the road
Like a man who dwells alone.

Let me live in my house by the side of the road,
Where the race of men go by,
They are good, they are bad, they are weak, they are strong.
Wise, foolish—so am I.
Then why should I sit in the scorner's seat,
Or hurl the cynic's ban?
Let me live in my house by the side of the road,
And be a friend to man.
—Sam. Walter Foss, in the Golden Age.

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HOME NEEDS SUNLIGHT

DETAIL TOO OFTEN NEGLECTED BY THE MEN OF THE HOUSE.

Living Rooms in Which the Women Spend Almost the Whole of Their Time Should Be Made as Pretty as Possible.

The wife is the mainstay of the entire family, but too often she is painfully neglected, and her natural yearning for comfort and beauty in her home life is never satisfied. All our troubles are unloaded upon mother and her hands are always strong enough to sustain us and her heart big enough to take in all our sorrows. The very least we can do is to let the sunlight of the sky into her home, and the light of our love into her heart.

Too many of our homes in the country lack the sunlight—not the sunlight from the sky, perhaps, but the sunlight of comfort and beauty. We put too much money into the barns, live stock and shiny red machinery and not enough in the home, where mother and the girls must live and provide for the wants of the entire family.

The men and boys are out-of-doors all the time in the summer, except when eating and sleeping, and during the evenings in winter, and may not feel the absence of pictures and carpets and hangings and the little decorations that go to make a home restful and satisfying as much as do the women-folks.

Appreciation of these things is almost certainly a matter of education even in men and boys.

If they are brought up in a home whose walls are bare of pictures, whose floors are uncovered and whose books and magazines and newspapers are unknown, they may in time become resigned in a way to its discomforts, knowing no better. But the lack of comfort and beauty in a home is a distinct loss in the softening and purifying influence upon character.—Laura J. Van Benthuysen.

Spaghetti With Meat.

Put a teaspoonful of butter into a frying pan and when hot put in a sliced onion and a clove of garlic, cut fine, frying to a light brown.

Next add one pound of chuck steak and two or three slices of bacon, cut into short lengths. Let this cook for about five minutes and then put in a cupful of canned tomatoes and a few mushrooms. Season with a little salt and paprika and let all simmer for an hour and a half, or until the meat is soft. In the meantime cook spaghetti by putting into boiling salted water and cooking twenty minutes. Drain and lay half on a large platter. Pour over half the contents of the savory pot and sprinkle a little grated cheese over all. Add the remainder of the spaghetti, cover with the rest of the meat and gravy and serve very hot. This quantity is sufficient for eight persons.

Fruit Roly-Poly.

Make a biscuit dough, roll it out into a sheet about half an inch thick and spread it with fresh or canned fruit, or evaporated fruit which has been soaked into plumpness and flavor. Use your discretion about the amount of sugar you sprinkle over the fruit—the ripe, tart varieties, such as oranges or apples, will require more than that which is canned. Dredge with flour and roll the dough up with the fruit inside. When you have made it into a loose roll pinch the edges together, wrap in a piece of cheese-cloth, and lay in a steamer. Cook one hour and serve with hard or soft sauce.

Woven Markings.

Marking tapes with the full name woven into the fabric in bright red are decidedly practical; there is no danger of the color being faded in the laundering. These tapes, of course, have to be made to order, but the shops keep a very complete line of similar tapes marked only with the given name, ready for the purchaser. It is said that in stock there are at least 1,000 names now to be had. When the laundry work is done at home, the given name is quite sufficient.

Honey Fudge.

Boil together a cupful each of sugar and milk until it forms a soft ball if tested in cold water; add a cupful of honey and boil until the mixture can be tested as before; then add a nut of butter and a tablespoonful of vinegar; mix all together and pour into shallow tins to cool.

Sauce.

One teacup of milk, one tablespoon of butter and one of cornstarch. Boil until thick. Beat one raw egg and beat in slowly, adding liquor of salmon, one teaspoon at a time; one teaspoonful of good tomato catsup. This is a delicious dish and will always find favor with the men of the family.

Under Baby's Plate.

Babies are babies and cannot help spilling things at the table. Place large sheets of waxed or oiled paper under the baby's plate, beneath the tablecloth. This prevents wetting the table mat and saves much labor.

Salmon Loaf.

Four eggs beaten separately, three tablespoons melted butter, half teacup bread crumbs, dash of red pepper, one can salmon without the liquor, a little chopped parsley, a pinch of mace. Mix all well together and bake one hour.

BLOUSE SLEEVE IS NOVEL

Genuine Comfort and Artistic Appearance Combined in a Recent French Importation.

There is a genuine comfort in the sleeve displayed in one of the recently imported French blouses. It is long, of course, for all Paris is wearing long sleeves with the same éclat with which they adopted the short ones in the winter, and is tight from the elbow to the wrist. It fits comfortably into the armhole under the arm, but the upper portion runs right up over the shoulder to the collar. This affords an excellent opportunity to use a long length of lace, from three to four inches in width. The effect is very much like that of the popular raglan sleeve. The under-sleeve may be of tucked net, chiffon or nylon. The long lines of lace from collar to waist lend the kimono effect without any of the looseness of the kimono sleeve under the arm.

This sleeve is generally buttoned from the wrist to the elbow with tiny lace or silk buttons, for the glove-like snugness of the sleeve demands an opening. The ruffle at the wrist is often extended to the elbow, sometimes on the outer seam, again on the inner. To have a ruffle dainty, however, it must be fresh, and unless this can be accomplished it is advisable to omit it.

MUSLIN DRESS FOR GIRL



This is made in Swiss spotted muslin and has the skirt prettily trimmed with tucks, insertion and a lace edging.

LONG SLEEVE MOST POPULAR

Variety is a Great One, But Most Frocks Are Made With Decidedly Long Ones.

Since evening dresses and little dance frocks are in a class by themselves and presupposes the use of long gloves, their sleeves are less apt to show any decided changes. There is so little of them, in the first place. But fashion has given her flat anent afternoon dresses and suits. Here are some of the changes:

In the majority of dresses the long sleeve prevails.

Most of the sleeves are set on the garment about three inches below the shoulder, thus giving a long shoulder line.

Some frocks show the cuirass effect or separate large sleeve over the set-in sleeves that are on the underbodice.

Fullness is the keynote. There is given in ruffles at the elbow, in wired puffs on undersleeves, in the general cut of a bishop or leg-o-mutton type.

Shirring is used on cuffs and on the under-arm seam to dispose of material in full lines.

Fullness is shown on the edge of the sleeves and running up the outer seam. They also edge the upper and under lines of the cuffs.

Fullness is given to the sleeves of storm coats and evening wraps by having them cut in one with the garment, dispensing with armholes, yet departing from the kimono type by having decided cuffs and a fitted end at the wrists.

Hats From French Milliners.

Three unusually attractive hats embody many of the smart new ideas for fall. Among the most interesting of these is one from Suzanne, which is of the sailor type. Developed in black velvet, with a band around the crown of golden wheat, which finishes in the center front with red velvet puppies, this flower trim has met with favor and is being worn by the fashionable Parisian. A small Suzanne hat is also shown, developed in black velvet, the feature of which is the soft fall of the brim. A band of white skunk is used around the head band of this hat, which is finished at the side with a small American Beauty bud. A chic black plush sailor from Madame Dalany has marked distinction. White coque are placed gracefully at each side of the hat.—Millinery Trade Review.

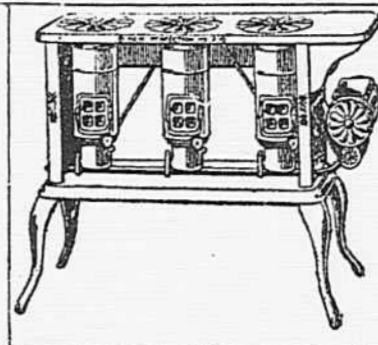
Crepes Draperies.

The young daughter's room may be made dainty nowadays at a small cost. Among the new draperies being shown are those of new cotton crepe. The goods can be laundered frequently and need not be ironed; the draperies can always be kept fresh and clean. The crepe is manufactured in lovely designs and in almost any color.

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Augusta Corn Show Will be Big Event.

The premium list of the Augusta Chronicle's Corn Show and Canning Club Exhibition to be held in connection with the Georgia-Carolina Fair at Augusta, Nov. 5th to 15th, ext has been received here and the booklet is one of the most elaborate and complete of its kind ever issued. It is four color work, made up in folder style and carries the rules and regulations of the contest together with the prizes aggregating over \$2,500 to be awarded to contestants in the Augusta territory. This county is included in the district and all are eligible to enter from here.

The movement is purely a public spirited one and co-operation on the part of the public is sure to bring great results in developing this section of the south. Mr. J. C. McAuliffe, at Augusta is manager of the corn show and will be glad to furnish premium lists to any one requesting it. Special information will also be cheerfully supplied along any line of farming. The movement is receiving cordial support and undonated the next Augusta corn show will be the biggest thing of the kind ever held in this section of the country.

A Decision of U. S. Supreme Court Concerning Overdrafts.

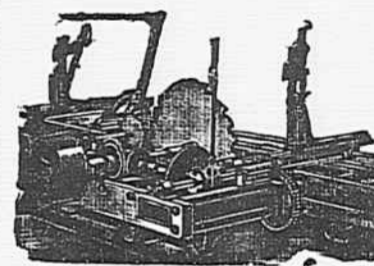
The following is a decision that has been handed down by the United States supreme court concerning the over-checking of an account with a bank:

"A usage to allow customers to overdraw and have their checks and notes charged up without present funds in the bank, stripped of all technical disguise, the usage and practice, attempted to be sanctioned, is a usage and practice to misapply the funds of the bank; and to connive at the withdrawal of same, without any security, in favor of certain privileged persons. Such a usage and practice is surely a manifest departure from the duty, both of the directors and cashier, and cannot receive any countenance in a court of justice. It could not be supported by any vote of the directors, however formal; and therefore, whenever done by the cashier, is at his own peril and upon the responsibility of himself and his sureties. It is anything but 'well and truly executing his duties as cashier.'"

Teachers' Examination.

The next regular teachers' examination will be held at Edgefield first Friday in May. Work will begin at 9:30 a. m. and close at 4:30 p. m.

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