HOME HINTS AND HELPS.

—Buttermilk Pies: One pint buttermilk, one cup sugar, three eggs, three tablespoonfuls flour, one tablespoonful of butter. Flavor to taste.

—Turkey Hash: Remove the meat from the bones of a turkey, and cut it into neat bits; stir two cups of this into two cups of white sauce; season to taste. Make the stuffing of the turkey into neat cakes, fry them, and arrange them on the dish around the hash.—Boston Budget.

—Sponge Cake: One pound of sugar, one of flour, ten eggs. Beat the yolks of the egg and the sugar until perfectly light; beat the whites of the eggs and add them to the flour; flavor with lemon. Three teaspoonfuls of baking-powder may be added to the flour if the cake be liked very dry, but it never fails without.—Demorest's Monthly.

—Pigeon Pate: Chop half a pound of fat salt pork; put it into a stewpan and let it fry until well fried out; then add three pigeons cut in quarters, a teaspoonful of chopped onion, a tablespoonful of chopped carrot, salt, pepper and a very little sage; just cover the whole with water, and boil until the pigeons are tender; line a pie dish with thin pie crust and put in the pigeons; add a tablespoonful of butter and sufficient flour to thicken the gravy, and pour it in; cover the whole with a crust brush; the outside with beaten egg, and bake moderately about an hour; be sure to make a deep incision in the top crust.—Boston Herald.

—Slippitie (a German dish one hundred years old): Two quarts of pared, quartered and cored sweet apples; boil until tender. Thicken the juice with a tablespoonful of flour smoothly mixed with cold water. Keep hot. Have ready a kettle with three quarts of boiling water, into which stir wheat flour until thick as corn-meal mush. Boil three minutes. Brown a handful of fine bread crumbs in butter in a spider. With a large spoon drop one spoonful at a time in the browned crumbs, turning it over, and place on a hot platter, dipping the spoon each time in water, so it will slip off easily. Dish the apples in a separate dish and send both to the table hot, to be eaten together.—Good Housekeeping.

—Pickled watermelon rind should be made from the thickest part of the rind. Some recipes require an unnecessary length of time for pickling; the method here given is quick and good. Pare off the hard green rind and soft inner pulp, cut into pieces of convient size, in plain or fanciful shape, and soak in a weak brine over night. In the morning boil them in clear water until soft, then remove from the fire. Take about two-thirds the weight of the rind in white sugar, and to every pound of sugar allow a pint of vinegar. Make a sirup of the vinegar and sugar and boil in it a little sliced white ginger and a bag of spices, cloves, mace and cinnamon to taste. Then add the pieces of rind to the sirup and boil them till they look clear, when they will be ready for putting up in glass jar.—N. Y. World.

STYLES IN STATIONERY.

The Proper Thing in Note Paper and in Visiting Cards.

Styles in stationery have not materially changed from last season, though some of the distinctions are a little more marked. New varieties of note paper, with florid decorations, eccentric dimensions and conspicuous tintings, are produced, but fail to become standard. The most elegant as well as genteel paper sold is a heavy cream white sheet folding once into a square envelope. This sheet may have a rough finish, and the curiously-mottled appearance of coarse wrapping paper, by the irregular arrangement of water lines, when it is known as Grecian antique. It may be smoothly finished, with no gloss and very heavy and silky in texture, when it is called "kid finished." It may have a rough cloth finish, or a peculiar rough effect, known as "parchment vellum." Quite the latest paper used is a so-called "etching paper," which has a rough surface with various irregular depressions, and rougher still, almost like felted board, is the so-called handmade parchment. A new variety of paper has broad water lines stamped across the paper horizontally, and diagonally applied to the envelope.

The same styles, too, are carried out in the thin lined papers for those who like a thin paper for the purpose of letter-writing. In all notes of invitation or regret and formal correspondence the heavier varieties are employed. The one new tint produced this year is a very delicate violet shade, which is sometimes used by æsthetic people. Another shade known as azure, which is in reality a dull soft blue, is also somewhat popular; dull stone color and chocolate are also sometimes seen, but the conservative woman of good taste selects always a plain cream-tinted paper. At the top of the page, and in the center instead of the corner, is her address stamped in colored letters, surmounted by her monogram or coat of arms if she has one. The monograms are much more used this season than they have been previously, and the fancy is to stamp them in embossed letters colored with metalic colors. The three initials in script are sometimes used instead of the monogram. For ordinary use the letters and accompanying monograms are of a clear scarlet or blue, printed smoothly upon the paper.

Gentlemen's visiting cards are a trifle longer and quite as narrow as those of last year, and have the address in the lower left-hand corner. The lady's visiting card is large, square and imposing, and engraved in large script, especially if the name is a short one.

Wedding invitations are in every respect the same, engraved on a sheet, note size, which folds once to be inclosed in the envelope. This envelope contains sometimes three cards besides the invitation proper—the card to be presented at the church door, another for the reception at the house and a third which may give the future at-home day of the bride. A card is sometimes used for church weddings indicating the hour and place at which the bridal party take the train, and which is practically an invitation to see them off on the wedding journey.—N. Y. Sun.

PROGRESS IN MECHANICS.

EDISON'S phonographic doll now speaks one hundred and thirty-five words. Formerly it could speak but thirty.

THE finest grades of razors are so delicate that even the famous Damascus sword blades can not equal them in texture.

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THE MARKETS.

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CATTLE—Native Steers	[illegible]	@	[illegible]
COTTON—Middling	[illegible]	@	[illegible]
FLOUR—Winter Wheat	3 65	@	[illegible]
WHEAT—No. 2 R. S.	[illegible]	@	[illegible]
CORN—No. 2	[illegible]	@	61½
OATS—Western Mixed	48	@	52
PORK—Mess	10 50	@	12 00

ST. LOUIS.

COTTON—Middling	9	@	9⅛
BEEVES—Export Steers	4 60	@	5 00
Shipping	3 75	@	4 50
HOGS—Common to Select	3 65	@	3 90
SHEEP—Fair to Choice	3 75	@	4 75
FLOUR—Patents	4 20	@	4 30
XXX to Choice	2 90	@	3 70
WHEAT—No. 2 Red Winter	92½	@	93½
CORN—No. 2 Mixed	53½	@	55
OATS—No. 2	41	@	46
RYE—No. 2	72	@	74
TOBACCO—Lugs (Missouri)	2 00	@	9 00
Leaf Burley	3 10	@	9 00
HAY—Choice Timothy	14 50	@	14 50
BUTTER—Choice Dairy	19	@	22
EGGS—Fresh	19	@	20
PORK—Standard Mess		@	11 00
BACON—Clear Rib	6¼	@	6¾
LARD—Prime Steam	5¾	@	5⅞
WOOL—Choice Tub		@	35

CHICAGO.

CATTLE—Shipping Steers	3 80	@	5 40
HOGS—Good to Choice	3 65	@	4 10
SHEEP—Good to Choice	3 75	@	4 75
FLOUR—Winter Patents	4 00	@	4 20
Spring Patents	4 25	@	5 00
WHEAT—No. 2 Spring	90½	@	91
CORN—No. 2		@	55½
OATS—No. 2 White	44½	@	44½
PORK—Standard Mess	9 80	@	9 12½

KANSAS CITY.

CATTLE—Shipping Steers	3 40	@	4 75
HOGS—Sales of	3 60	@	3 95
WHEAT—No. 2 Red	87	@	90
OATS—No. 2	45½	@	46
CORN—No. 2	53½	@	54

NEW ORLEANS.

FLOUR—High Grade	4 50	@	5 00
CORN—White	66	@	68
OATS—Choice Western		@	50½
HAY—Choice	15 50	@	16 00
PORK—New Mess		@	10 00
BACON—Clear Rib		@	6¾
COTTON—Middling	9⅛	@	9⅛

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WHEAT—No. 2 Red		@	92
CORN—No. 2 Mixed		@	57½
OATS—No. 2 Mixed	48	@	48½
PORK—Mess	10 75	@	11 25
BACON—Clear Rib		@	6¾
COTTON—Middling		@	9½

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