

# INTERESTING HOME PAGE of THE PRESS

## PLEASE TELL ME WHEN MY QUESTIONS ANSWERED BY CYNTHIA GREY.

Dear Miss Grey: My finger nails break easily. What can I do to harden them? J. E. K.

A—Rub vaseline or cold cream into the nails each night to nourish them. They will soon cease to be brittle.

Dear Miss Grey: A lodge wishes to give a dance. Would it be proper to issue invitations and charge admission to defray expenses? W. E. D.

A—Yes. Give the price of admission on the invitation cards, in order that it may be plainly understood.

Dear Miss Grey: Please suggest games for party of girl and boys. FRIEND.

A—Puzzle pictures are popular now, and anagrams are always interesting. "Hearts" and "I Doubt It" are fun-making games played with cards.

Dear Miss Grey: What can I do to keep my bread from cracking on the top? MARIE.

A—Use less flour in working out your bread, and do not put in too hot an oven. The crust forms too quickly in a hot oven, and the bread is sure to crack.

Dear Miss Grey: I am 5 feet 8 inches tall. What should my weight be? What should the weight of a girl 5 feet 5 inches be? HELELNA.

A—The first weight should be 148 pounds. The second, 134.

## Out of the wisdom of CYNTHIA GREY

An essence of pennyroyal is very objectionable to mosquitoes and flies. An application of kerosene, in which a quantity of this essence is placed, will assist in keeping them away. It can be rubbed on the screen doors and placed in saucers if the insects are in the house. One excellent method for killing either insect in the house is to close all doors and windows, place a lump of burning coal on a skillett and pour over this 10 cents worth of carbolic acid. Do not inhale the fumes. By the time the smoke has settled the pests will be dead.

## BERLIN GIVES THIS HAT GRAND PRIZE

BY CYNTHIA GREY.

Will anybody in America ever wear a hat like this? Let us hope not, for while it is the remarkable creation that won the first prize of \$1,000 at the imperial exhibition in Berlin, it is not half pretty enough for our charming American girls.

I really don't see much grace in the hat, do you? To my mind the sweet, demure face of the wearer must have contributed largely to its triumph.

If this hat is made, as of course it is, of velvet or felt or any other constructed, such dimensions would be so weighty as to be almost neck-breaking. Even the flowers and fabric of which winter hats are velvet with which this hat is trimmed are heavy.

But the hat looks well on the head of this German girl, because she is so charming, and we'll let it go at that. Its in far-away Germany anyway, and the size of the hat needn't worry us.

## TELL ME A STORY

CHILDREN'S  
PLAYTIME  
GREEDY TOM

Did you ever wonder where the catfish got his name? Well, if there hadn't been a greedy old man years and years ago there probably would never have been my catfish.

An old fisherman lived in a log

## WORK THAT NEVER DONE

Wash your green vegetables, such as lettuce and spinach, in covered dish and put in cool place. They will keep fresh and crisp for days.

To remove white spots from polished wood, make a soft paste of salad oil and hair and apply with soft cloth. Alcohol is also good, but must be rubbed off at once, as it spoils the polish if left on.

Sprinkle a liberal amount of baking soda in boiling water, immerse your silver, and it will come out clear and bright. If some stains are persistent, use a little alcohol and soda.

Spread broken crackers and small pieces of bread on a broad pan and place in warm oven until dried, but not browned. Cool, and put through grinder and keep in glass jar for scalloped and breaded dishes.

Clean brass candlesticks with a paste made of powdered pumice and alcohol, by dipping the brush first in the pumice and then in the alcohol. Polish with chamolis skin.

A room can be rid of the odor of paint over night by leaving in it a bucket of water in which a couple of onions have been sliced. The water and onions absorb the odor.

Unused bedclothes should be carefully packed in dry goods boxes but those boxes should be lined throughout with oiled cloth, the right side of the oiled cloth being tacked next to the wood. This keeps the box free from dampness and bedding will always have a fresh clean odor when not kept in a musty box in which dust can collect. Dampness causes valuable pieces to become musty. If bedding is packed in a box lined with lavender leaves, one will never hesitate to take out a comfort, blanket or quilt for the guest's bed.

## FAD AND FANCIES.

Handbags and belts are now being woven from fine white twine. They are exceptionally strong and launder beautifully.

Long chiffon veils are out, except for outings, or when they are worn to protect the neck with evening gowns.

but in the woods all alone except for the company of his cat. Every day when he came home with the fish he had caught in the river during the day he would cut off their heads and feed them to old Tom.

For a long time Tom was satisfied, but after a while he got to wondering how the rest of the fish would taste, so one night after the old fisherman had gone to sleep he crawled up on the shelf and ate one of the fish his master had hidden up there. It was so good he ate another, and then another, and then several more, but after a while his throat began to smart and burn, for they were salt fish and made him very thirsty.

He jumped down from the shelf and ran outside and down to the river to quench his thirst. As he ran along looking for a shallow place he began to feel queer. His legs seemed to get shorter and shorter, and he could scarcely breathe. At last he came to a clear, shallow place, and as he leaned over to drink he saw his reflection in the water. What do you think? He had begun to turn into a fish. He was so frightened he fell splash into the river and swam away.

How poor Tom shivered in the cold water at first! He wished he were back in his warm corner by the stove. But that was what he got for being so greedy, you see. Ever since then boys have been catching queer-looking fish they call "catfish."

## A MODERN NUISANCE.

"You accuse this aviator of trespassing in our garden?"  
"Yes, judge; I caught him among my air currents."

## A PRETTY HAT JUST FROM PARIS



Here's a jaunty hat of heavy corded silk in the very latest Parisian shape. Note the sharp turn-up on the left side and the decided turn-down on the right—all of which makes an attractive frame for a pretty profile. And the way the feathers are put on across the crown is unusual. The many looped bow; of golden galloon is also a new wrinkle.

It is safe to prophesy that our girl will keep the left side of her face turned toward the man she hopes to impress, for she undoubtedly does look charming enough to melt any man's heart.

## BEST HUSBANDS COME FROM EUROPE

FORMER NEW YORK HEIRESS  
WOULD RATHER BE MAN'S  
COMRADE THAN HIS IDOL.

(By United Press.)

NEW YORK, Aug. 30.—Countess Carlo Dentice di Frasso, formerly Miss Georgine Wilde, daughter of Mrs. Henry Segel of New York, now visiting her mother, is a stout champion of the international marriage.

"European marriages bring more contentment than American marriages," the countess said. "American girls who marry European men are sure of the comradeship of their husbands. American men relegate their wives to a position in their hearts alone, never permitting them the mental intimacy which is the foundation of friendship in matrimony."

"The American bride and bridegroom are madly in love and wildly happy, but it does not last. Americans rush into matrimony too hastily and unthinkingly. Divorce is too easily obtained. As the latest novelist declares, 'We have no downtown all full of business men and no uptown all full of society women.' My husband works as hard as any American, yet he finds time to come home to luncheon and to see me several times during the day."

## JUST FOR GIRLS

White and black moire hats are shown for late summer. Sashes are of all widths, beginning with four-inch ribbon.

For evening wraps, light gray moire is among the most desirable materials.

Screws which can be tightened upon the lobe of the ear hold new eardrums in place.

Fitted collars are lower than those of last year, and have a straighter top line.

Fringes and tassels of jet, and jetted braids are conspicuous among autumn trappings.

Colored stockings to match the ash may be worn instead of white hosiery with white dresses.

White silk fish net is used by girls to make one more of the many scarfs they are all wanting.

One of the newest and smartest of hats has a very tall crown, and a brim turning up close to the side.

Wonderful hoods made of the most delicate fabrics are among the accessories which girls are preparing for winter.

Girls are wearing college men's hat bands of striped ribbon for belts. To make them firm, they are lined with ribbed belting.

Instead of a band encircling the head, the Grecian fillet is modified to a narrow ribbon woven in and out among the loops and puffs of the hair.

White buttonholes, buttons and stitchings are noticed upon black suede boots, while white calf's leather trims oxfords of black buckskin.

## LISTEN! BACON GREASE IS 100 PER CENT GOOD

Better Than Lard, More Than a Rival of Butter—Great as a Flavoring for Stewed Vegetables—Best for Frying—A Pound of Bacon Gives a Pint of Grease—Never Too Dear When There is No Waste.

"Some nice breakfast bacon, ma'am?" said a grocer to a housewife of slender pocketbook the other day.

"We love it," was the answer, "but, dear me, it is too high."

Yes, it is high. But sometimes bacon is so high as to be a crime. That is when housekeepers fry bacon and pour the grease into the sink or into the garbage can. A mint of golden dollars has been wasted in this way, all through plain ignorance.

Bacon is no higher than any other good food, if there is no waste. There is no excuse for any waste in bacon. And it is good food. Bacon is a breakfast dish for convalescents in every hospital.

Now, here is the key to the economy of bacon: the grease. Bacon grease is the best available medium for frying. It is the most toothsome and the purest. Contrast the cleanliness and flavor of bacon grease with the insipid, unattractive taste of that pallid, ghastly looking product known as lard, made from who knows what. Pure leaf lard is rare, and even at its best the rich, tempting savor of bacon is vastly preferable.

Bacon, properly prepared for those who do not engage in heavy manual labor and therefore do not need much of the rich, heat-producing fat, should be fried to a crisp, until it is to all intents entirely lean. Then it is a dish fit for gods, and for mortals who know what is good. Then there is left the grease, golden brown and delicious. Now the usefulness of bacon only begins.

Hear this! From one pound of breakfast bacon you get one pint of precious bacon grease.

What do you do with it? That's easy. Fry eggs in it. You will never again use lard. Even butter is inferior to it.

Season boiled string beans with it. It is a substitute for cooking bacon with them. Two or three tablespoonsful will give the proper flavor.

Put it in potato salad. It beats olive oil. Melt and pour over the potatoes.

Fry onions in it. They will taste like something then.

Fry liver in it. You won't have to fry bacon with the liver.

Season potato soup with it—the finest soup that can be made without soup stock.

Fry apples in it. Yes, apples. It's great.

Use it for German fried potatoes. They will get nice and brown.

Flavor stewed cabbage with it.

Fry green corn with half butter and half bacon grease. Oh, the aroma of this dish!

Fry mashed potatoes in it, and with one half butter get that much desired, appetizing crust.

Season mashed parsnips with it. It is just the thing for frying cornmeal batter cakes.

It is the thing to shorten Johnny-cake with.

Grease the tins with it when baking corn bread.

Let other misguided persons throw away their bacon grease, but you hang on to it. It is 100 per cent pure and wholesome.

Sooner throw away your creamery butter than bacon grease.

N. B.—If the bacon is too salty, before frying let it simmer in the pan covered with water a few moments. This will boil out the excess of salt, which can be poured off with the water. You will lose no grease. If bacon or bacon grease sticks to the pan, it is a sign it is too salty.

## TROUBLE OVER SOME GASOLINE

Charged with the theft of six gallons of gasoline, in a warrant sworn out by Sam Berry of the Berry Clothing store, Virgil Emmerson, his former chauffeur, was arrested this morning.

Emmerson declares the arrest is merely spite work. He was released on his own recognizance by Chief Sullivan, to appear for trial in police court.

## FAMOUS GROCERY

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