

HINTS TO HOUSECLEANERS.

An Article of Interest by our Rockland Correspondent.

I do not know of anything more of particular interest to report from Rockland just now, for you know house-cleaning is the theme, and that means no visiting and no visitors. However, it may be well to state right here that at last after years of earnest search, I have found that for which my soul so long has craved, and I think the same will be hailed by our female brethren with unspeakable delight. The other day while ransacking an old pile of rubbish I came upon a valuable document headed, "A good recipe for whitewash, and directions for applying," which evidently some good old philanthropist has left to illumine the house-cleaner's path. Life is made up of these little acts of kindness, and to be well informed, and then to be able to spread that information around all over the country in such a way as to ameliorate the condition of our race, is a most fortunate thing for the possessor and a great boon to those who may be the recipients of that information. As I have the article before me I will give it verbatim, free gratis:

A good, durable whitewash may be made by taking pure lime with salt and a light solution of water, mix while cold and stir gently while boiling, so that it will not burn on. Let it stand ten minutes and then carefully skim it. If it does not settle readily drop in the yolk of an egg. Do not put glue in your whitewash in order to make it stick. It is a great mistake to mix glue or baking powder to whitewash that is to be used on the walls or ceiling of a parlour. A gallon of milk will improve a large quantity of whitewash, but the cream may be taken off before the milk is used. To apply whitewash on a ceiling is not a difficult process, and many people pay a professional when they might do it equally well themselves.

Take a whitewash brush of about medium height and dip it in the liquid preparation. Next carefully remove the surplus by gently pressing it against the side of the pail. You can then stand on the piano and apply the solution to the ceiling, a little at a time. If you do this, however, do not forget and step forward into the work of the piano, or set the pail on the strings while you are at work. After you have been at work a few minutes and get your sleeves well filled with whitewash you may empty them back into the pail, saving the surplus, which otherwise might have been wasted. Care should be taken in spattering oil paintings and bric-a-brac on the walls. Some oil paintings look better spattered with whitewash, while others do not. For this reason a keen discrimination is necessary, and every man may not succeed with the brush. Whitewash may be removed from the eye by the judicious use of muriatic acid, which cuts the lime and purifies the eye itself, removing any animal substance also that may have fallen into the socket, including the eye itself.

"The Railroad Kidney."

Railroad employes, bicyclists, teamsters and other men who are subjected to much jolting are often troubled with pain across the small of the back. This indicates the "Railroad Kidney," an insidious precursor of serious illness. On the slightest symptoms of backache take one Chase's Kidney-Liver Pill—one is a dose—and thus obtain instant relief. For all kidney troubles they have no equal.

Bicycle Superstitions.

What odd things we occasionally see carried on bicycles by utilitarian wheelmen. Stepladders, snowshoes, fishingpoles, paint pots, broken wheels, hockey and lacrosse sticks, baskets of groceries, and twenty foot lengths of gas pipe are only a few of the many articles seen on the bike. It seems likely that a bicycle with special provision for the carrying of bulky objects would meet with the favor of many cyclists.

It may not be generally known that Mr. George Orr, the well-known wheelman, is an authority on superstition and kindred subjects. As the result of his researches, Mr. Orr has promulgated the following list of bicycle superstitions, which may be regarded as authentic:

1. The wheelman who allows a hearse to pass him will die before the year is out.
2. To be chased with a yellow dog with one blue eye and one black eye indicates a bad fall.
3. To see a small boy with a sling-shot beside the road is a prophecy of a puncture.
4. If you pass a white horse driven by a red-haired lady, your rim will split unless you say "ejandrum," and hold up two fingers.
5. The rider who expectorates tobacco juice on the track will lose a spoke.
6. If you take your machine to the repair shop it is a sign that you will not buy that new suit of clothes.
7. Kicking the man who asks the wake of your wheel is a sign of high honors and riches within a year.
8. Lending the wheel is a sign of the double donkey.
9. To attempt to hold up a 275-pound woman learning to ride is the sign of a soft spot.

Are You Made

Miserable by Indigestion, Constipation, Dizziness, Loss of Appetite, Yellow Skin? Shiloh's Vitalizer is a positive cure. Sold by Garden Bros.

Echoes The Venezuelan Message.

NEW HAVEN, Conn., May 28.—Prof. William G. Sumner, head of the Department of Social Science and Political Economy at Yale University, publishes in the Yale Alumni Weekly today his views on the Venezuelan controversy.

"The great alleged Monroe doctrine, whenever it has been invoked in any forum of men competent to discuss it, has proved to be a ridiculous and irrelevant fiction as far as the present matter is concerned, but then recourse has been had to the 'principle' of it,

or the 'logic' of it, or it has been given a string of 'logical deductions.'

"It seems to me that among men of scholarly pursuits it suffices to appeal to the immense mischief which has been done in church and state by this method of discussing affairs according to big doctrines and their logical attachments. The method is utterly unstatesmanlike and undiplomatic, and it is a sign of half education to use it.

"The furor of the last winter has been a revelation of the crude prejudice against England which prevails in the minds of great masses of people in this country. It would be useless to try to reason with it. It is ignorant and unenlightened. Throughout our history it has been a mischievous political force.

"I have never read a document in my life every sentence of which excited my dissent as an educated man, and my disapproval as a citizen, to such a degree as the Venezuelan message. No one has been able to show that our honor, rights or interest are at stake anywhere or are threatened by anybody; no one believes it, for not a thing has been done to defend it. It seems to me that men of responsibility can only look upon the message with mingled shame, contempt and regret."

—N. Y. World.

A Great German Prescription.

Diseased blood, constipation, and kidney, liver and bowel troubles are cured by Karl's Clover Root Tea. Sold by Garden Bros.

Li Hung Chang Coming.

Moscow, May 30.—Li Hung Chang, the special envoy of the Emperor of China to the coronation of the Czar, intends to go to America after visiting Germany, France and England.

He has submitted to an interview on the subject of his mission to Russia and other countries.

The sole mission intrusted to him, aside from representing the Emperor of China at the coronation, is to study the European and American systems of government, he explains, with a view to introducing improved methods into China.

He formally denies that any treaty has yet been concluded with Russia, as has been so often asserted in the last few months. He insists that he has no thought of concluding any treaty with any power.

Russia and China are in accord on all points, he declares, and it is China's wish to maintain the same excellent relations with France.

Questioned as to the relations of China with Great Britain, Li Hung Chang said it is difficult to ascertain fully until he has visited England.

Nerves on Edge.

I was nervous, tired, irritable and cross. Karl's Clover Root Tea has made me well and happy. Mrs. E. B. Worden.

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NEW YORK, May 23.—The Journal's despatch from Pretoria says: The four Reform leaders of Johannesburg will be fined \$125,000 each and be sentenced to ten years' banishment, and the remaining 60 will be fined \$7500 each and given some term of banishment, but the Executive Council is inclined to make the period one year in the case of the latter.

Dyspepsia, stoppage of water and bowels, fever, worms, rough hair cured by the

GRANGER CONDITION POWDER

Fleeing From Cholera.

ALEXANDRIA, Egypt, May 21.—Seventy-three new cases of cholera and 20 deaths from the disease were reported here yesterday. For the week there were 216 cases and 161 deaths. Every steamer leaving the port is packed with people fleeing from the scourge.

CAIRO, May 21.—Eleven fresh cases of cholera were discovered here yesterday. The deaths numbered nine.

Pills Do Not Cure.

Pills do not cure Constipation. They only aggravate. Karl's Clover Root Tea gives perfect regularity of the bowels. Sold by Garden Bros.

Kind Words for the Queen.

The following brief paragraph is a graceful tribute from an American contemporary, to the Queen. It is from the Aroostook Pioneer.

"Queen Victoria has seventy-seven years old on Sunday May 24. May she live to see many returns of the day."

More than 40,000 sparrows have been destroyed in Gratiot County, Mich., during the past twelve months, as shown by the bounties paid; but the birds appear to be as numerous as ever. One man makes a good income as a sparrow hunter, collecting an average of \$60 a month in bounties.

Prof. Charles Lane Poor, of the astronomical department of Johns Hopkins University, has been honored with election as an Associate Fellow of the American Academy of Arts and Sciences to fill the vacancy caused by the death of James E. Oliver, Professor of Mathematics at Cornell College.

Director Asger Hamerik, who for fifty years has been the head of the Peabody Conservatory of Music at Baltimore, was the recipient this week of a silver loving cup from the alumni, present and former pupils, trustees of the institution, professors of the conservatory, Prof. Carl Faelten, of Boston, and many former members of the Peabody orchestra residing in Baltimore and in Washington.

Boston has hit upon an excellent plan for keeping her highways free from the abomination of paper and other refuse thrown about the streets. The public school children of the "Hub" have formed a self-appointed street-cleaning department, and have actively begun their campaign for clean thoroughfares. Probably there will be no great change for the better at once; but much good will be done by directing public attention more forcibly to this nuisance.

HAD INDIGESTION!

For a Matter of Some Forty Years or More.

Joseph Gardner, stove dealer, of Bath, Ontario, is a great believer in Dr. Chase's Kidney-Liver Pills for indigestion, constipation, dyspepsia, Bright's disease, rheumatism, and kidney, liver and stomach troubles generally.

"I was troubled for over forty years with indigestion and constipation," he writes. "At intervals I suffered from severe headache. I spent dollars and dollars without result until Mr. Ball, our druggist, advised me to try Chase's Kidney-Liver Pills. I did so, and must say that they are the only remedy that gave me relief. I would not be without them for anything."

Many people suffer from rheumatism. Bad blood and diseased kidneys bring it on. Dr. Chase's Kidney-Liver Pills will remedy all this and cure rheumatism, sciatica and all kindred complaints. Here is a sample case:

"My boy was all crippled up and suffered awfully with rheumatism," writes Mrs. H. Wills, of Chesley, Ont. "He also had a touch of diabetes. The doctors could do him no good, but Dr. Chase's Kidney-Liver Pills completely cured him."

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DRUGGIST.
Hartland Drug Store, April 18.

NOTICE OF SALE.

There will be sold at Public Auction at the Post Office at Woodstock, in the County of Carleton, on Thursday, the 16th day of July next, at the hour of 1 o'clock in the afternoon, all the right, title, interest, property, claim and demand whatsoever, either at law or in equity of David Elliott of, in, to, out of or upon the following described lands and premises, viz.

All that tract or land situate in the parish of Wilmet, in the County of Carleton, in the Province of New Brunswick, and bounded as follows, to wit: Beginning at a post standing on the eastern side of a reserved road, at the southwest angle of the western half of lot number twenty-six (26) granted to Adolphus Estey in Tier six Williams-town Settlement, thence running by the magnet south eighty-seven degrees east twenty-five (25) chains to another post, thence south three degrees west forty chains and fifty links to a cedar tree standing on the northern side of another reserved road thence along the same north eighty-seven degrees west twenty-five chains to the eastern side of the first aforesaid reserved road, and thence along the same north three degrees east forty chains and fifty links to the place of beginning, containing one hundred acres more or less and distinguished as the western parts of lots number twenty-seven and twenty-eight in tier six, Williams-town Settlement.

The same having been seized and taken under and by virtue of an execution issued out of the Supreme Court of the Province of New Brunswick at the suit of John Fisher against the said David Elliott.

W. D. BALLOCH,
Sheriff Carleton County.
Sheriff's office Woodstock Dec. 30, 1896.

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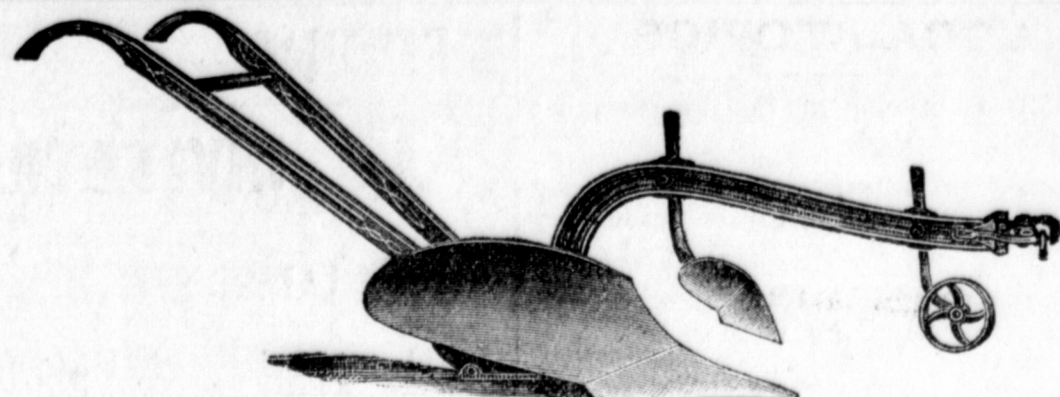
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N. Peck; "The doctor says that my trouble is only rheumatism in the lumber region." Mrs. N. Peck: "In the lumber region? Does he mean to say there is something the matter with your head?"

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"My baby had croup and was saved by Shiloh's Cure," writes Mrs. J. B. Martin, of Huntsville, Ala. Sold by Garden Bros.



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