

Feminine Fancies - Matters of Interest to Women.

Items of Interest to the Housekeeper.

Silk is a very hard material to clean, but if the following method is used it may be renovated in such a way as to retain its luster and will look as well as when new.

It is a mistake to think that a small roast is not palatable, provided sufficient pains are taken to make it rare and retaining the juices.

The walls and woodwork of this room should be finished in warm, harmonizing shades, so that they in themselves are a decoration as well as a restful background for the various objects to be placed in the room.

The Furnishing of the Living-Room.

The furnishing and decorating of the general living-room is very apt to be the hardest problem that confronts the family with a moderate income.

The Linen Gown and Its Popularity.

For daytime wear linen is possibly more in favor this season than ever, and certainly there are few summer fabrics that have the style and can be handled in quite the same way as a closely woven linen of the best grade.

The sides of the gown being joined by a strap of linen. The gown was of white linen, with rather a rough finish, in possession of a soft effect, and the bodice was slashed to show the under bodice or arrangement of heavy white lace.

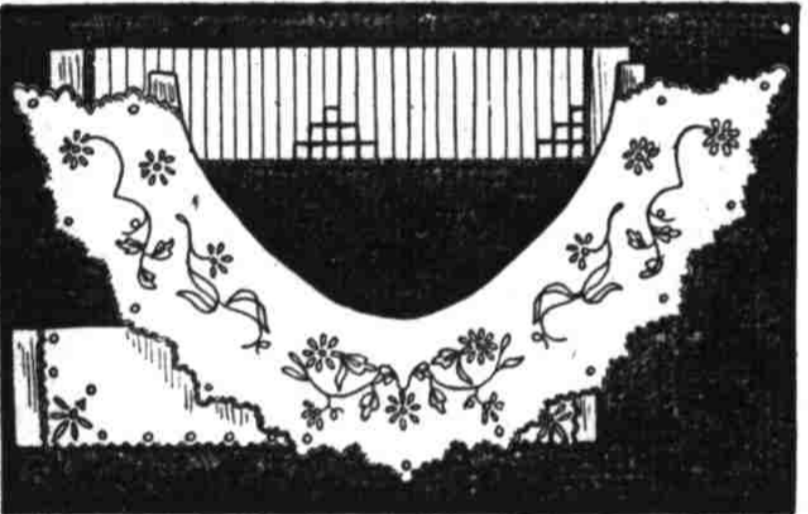
The middle figure shows a gown of blue linen, with bands down the front of darker blue moire and linen buttons. The curved forms about the tops of the sleeves and across the front and back of the bodice and on the skirt were of blue net, embroidered coarsely in shades of blue in linen thread.



Ways of Cooking Celery.

The value of celery when cooked is usually unknown by the average housekeeper. She usually contents herself with serving it raw or diced and used in salads.

Embroidered Coat Collar and Turnovers.



Anyone fond of handwork can make very attractive little collars at a small expenditure, and the accompanying cut shows several designs which are not hard to do, although they are effective.

The Men's Corner. By Charles Byng Hall.

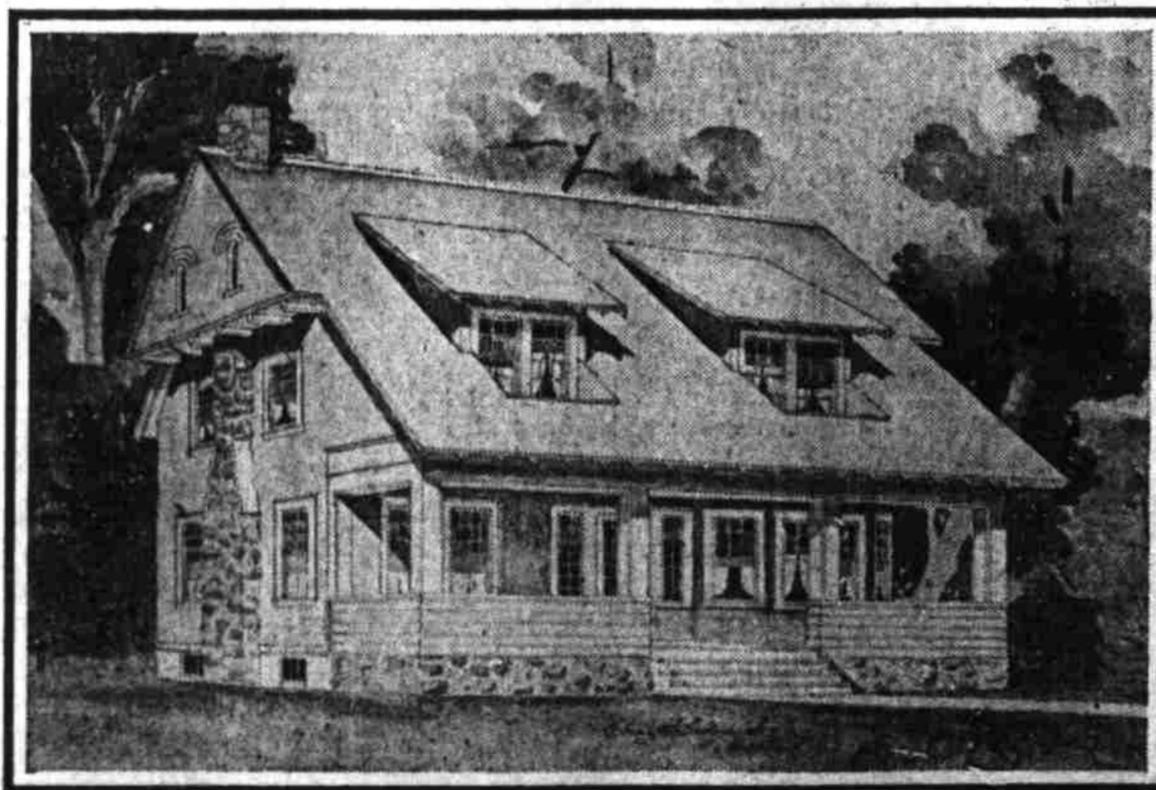
Hints for Health.

An Oil Rub. Oil rubbing is a pleasant, health-promoting procedure, which may be advantageously employed to relieve aches and pains in disease. The oil should be applied to a part at a time with long, sweeping strokes, then thoroughly rubbed in with shorter, circular strokes.

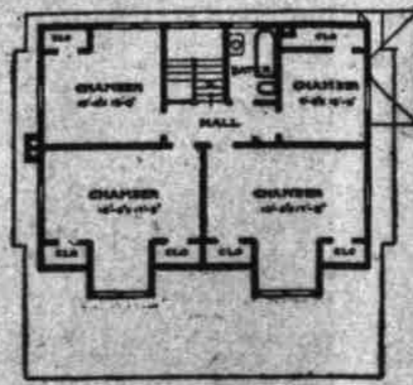
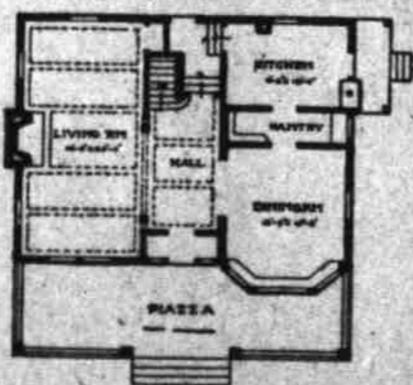
attention to their teeth. Yet it is the first thing the great majority of people, especially women, neglect to do.

A Two-Story Cottage of Bungalow Type.

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This house has all the advantages of a good two-story house, with full, square ceiling rooms in the second story, a broad frontage and the treatment of the exterior on the bungalow order.



Masculine Modes.

The fashionable straw hat is higher in the crown than last year's, and narrower as to brim. The latest model is three inches high, and has a brim of two inches.

when on parade. The most popular of men's canes are the very plain sticks, with a self-crook handle and the natural bark of the wood.

Be Ready for Your Luck.

The mistake which the "generally of men" make is not being ready for their luck when it comes. While they are still considering its possibilities it is up the flue and down the next street.

recognition Opportunity if they saw it. They are the sort of people who, when Fortune calls, have a sign on their door reading "Back in 10 minutes" and who do not really return for a couple of hours.

Epigrams. Every opportunity is also the time of test. Life has many shadows, but the sunshine makes them all.