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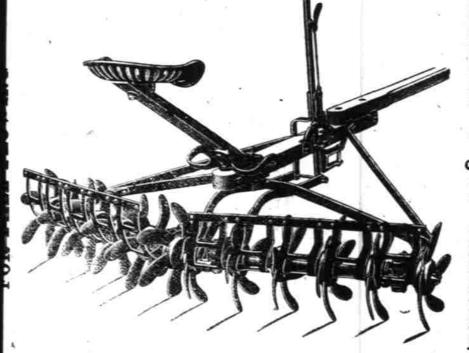
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TOILET HINTS.

of the Complexion and Hands in Winter. It is very important, especially in the winter time, that the skin should be thoroughly dried after the hands or face has been washed. A soft, dry towel should be used and every trace of moisture re-moved. Otherwise chapping, roughness and redness are almost sure to ensue. After walking or driving in an open carriage and always before going to bed the face should be thoroughly washed

CLOTH COAT. with warm water to remove all dust. To retire at night with the complexion covered with powder and atmospheric impurities is a practice which greatly impairs beauty. The French are fond of saving that one need not be beautiful, but one must not be ugly. To take care of the teeth, skin and hair, to dress neatly and ecomingly and to cultivate so kindly and cheerful a disposition that its reflection softens and brightens the countenance will effectually prevent any woman from being ugly, even if she has not a good

The illustration shows a coat of mastic cloth, close at the back and half loose in front. It is trimmed with bands of black relvet, which are arranged so that they follow the rounded outline of the coat. Horizontal bands of velvet cover the sleeves. The collar and double revers are of black astrakhan. A black satin skirt s worn, a white mousseline cravat and a hat of black velvet trimmed with white JUDIC CHOLLET. feathers.

ORNAMENTS.

Trimmings and Jewelry For the Winter Season. Louis Quinze knots continue to be a favorite motive in dress decoration. They are incrusted in velvet on cloth or applied in beads on tulle, and they appear in embroidery of all kinds, forming designs about the edge of tunics. A great deal of jewelry is worn with gowns of almost every sort, but especialy with evening costumes. Brooches,

barrettes, buckles and clasps are seen,

and pins representing flowers, birds, bee-

Strategy. Wife-Dear me! How are we ever to get through this crowd? We'll miss the Husband-Raise your umbrella and walk ahead. I'll follow.-Catholic Standard and Times. To His Credit. "That young Perkins who comes to see you owes \$40 at the laundry and \$15 at the barber shop."
"Well, papa, he deserves credit for try-



ing to look like a gentleman."-Chicago

North, South and Southwest. Schedule in Effect Nov. 5, 1899.

Train 41—Leaves Wilmington daily at 8:05 P. M., Lumberton 5:14 P. M., Pembroke 5:40 P. M., Maxton 6:12 P. M., Laurinburg 6:24 P. M., arriving at Hamlet 6:58 P. M., where onnection is made with trains for Charlotte, Athena, Atlanta and all points South, Southeast and Southwest. Also with trains for Raleigh, Portsmouth, Norfolk, Old Point Comfort, Richmond, Washington, Baltimore, Philadelphia and New York. Through sleeping cars from Hamlet to Washington and Atlanta; also through sleeping car Through sleeping cars from Hamlet to Washington and Atlanta; also through sleeping car to Portsmouth.

Train 41—Leaves Portsmouth 9:20 A. M., arrives Weldon 11:43 A. M., Baleigh 3:35 P. M., Banford 5:05 P. M., Hamlet 6:55 P. M., Wadesboro 8:10 P. M., Monroe 9:12 P. M., Charlotte 10:25 P. M., and Atlanta 5:20 A. M.

Train 38—Leaves Atlanta 9:50 P. M. Leaves Charlotte 5:00 A. M. Arrives Monroe 5:45A. M., Wadesboro 6:51 A.M., Hamlet 7:43 A. M., Sanford 9:52 A. M., Baleigh 11:13 A. M. Weldon 2:50 P. M., Portsmouth 5:20 P. M.

Train 28—Leaves Hamlet 8:20 A. M. Arrives Lauricourg 8:46 A. M., Maxton 9:05 A. M., Pembroke 9:31 A. M., Lumberton 9:53 A. M., Wilmington 12:05 noon.

Train 403—Leaves Washington 5:00 . M., Richmond 9:00 P. M., Portsmouth 8:45 . M., Weldon 11:10 P. M. Arrives Baleigh 2:14 A. M., Weldon 11:10 P. M. Arrives Baleigh 2:14 A. M., Walnord 3:33 A. M., Hamlet 5:07 A. M., Wadesboro 6:01 A. M., Monroe 6:53 A. M., Charlotte 8:00 A. M., Atlanta 2:50 P. M.

Train 403—Leaves Charlotte 8:10 A. M. Arrives Lincolton 9:23 A. M., Shelby 10:10 A. M., Ruther fordion 11:25 A. M.

Train 402—Leaves Rutherfordton 4:40 P. M. Arrives Shelby 5:53 P. M. Lincolnton 6:56 P. M., Charlotte 8:20 P. M., Monroe 9:30 P. M., Wadesboro 10:30 P. M., Hamlet 11:19 P. M., Sanford 12:55 P. M., Raleigh 2:00 A. M., Weldon 4:55 A. M., Portsmouth 7:25 A. M., Richmond 8:15 A. M., Washington 12:41 noon. Train 18—Leaves Hamlet 7:40 A. M.

Train 17—Leaves Hamlet 6:20 P. M. Arrives Cheraw 10:00 A. M. Returning, leaves Cheraw 5:00 P. M. Arrives Hamlet 6:20 P. M. Arrives Cheraw 10:00 A. M. Returning, leaves Cheraw 5:00 P. M. Arrives Hamlet 6:20 P. M. Arrives Cheraw 5:00 P. M. Arrives Hamlet 6:20 P. M. Arrives Cheraw 5:00 P. M. Arrives Hamlet 6:20 P. M. Arrives Cheraw 5:00 P. M. Arrives Hamlet 6:20 P. M. Arrives Cheraw 5:00 P. M. Arrives Hamlet 6:20 P. M. Arrives Cheraw 5:00 P. M. Arrives Hamlet 7:07 A. M. Arrives Cheraw 5:00 P. M. Arrives Hamle

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ture is of surah. It has a wide collar edged with a band of embroidery and a ruffle of lace, which continues down the front in a double jabot and around the waist. In front the blouse ties with two long ends, also embroidered and bordered with a lace ruffle. The petticoat of brownish a lace ruffle. che silk has two circular ruffles of plain silk edged and headed with silk ruches.

JUDIO CHOLLET. Sinnders. "Never waste time in denying slan-

ders," said the corn fed philosopher. 'Start a new slander about some one else, and yours will be forgotten."-Intianapolis Journal.

Mother and Son at the Zoo. I once watched a monkey, which had a baby in arms, being fed with grapes. The youngster was most anxious to have a grape, but his mother, being either too selfish to allow him to share her treat or afraid the fruit might not IN be good for her son's juvenile digestive organs, would not allow him to have any and boxed his ears soundly for being rude enough to attempt to take a grape out of her mouth. The keeper in charge said she did not "spare the rod and spoil the child" when he became

MORNING BLOUSE tles, butterflies, etc. They are used in the drapery of the bodice, at the belt, in the cravat, in the hair and upon milli-

One of the prettiest of hat or hair ornaments is composed of small peacock

plumes, the eye of the plume being set with jewels. Peacock eyes are also com-

bined with other feathers very effective-

ly. Butterflies of lace and spangles are

also worn in the hair with evening dress.

adopted, are very narrow, except where the buckle is attached. At that point

The morning blouse shown in the pic

they widen somewhat.

Black velvet belts, now fashionably

"obstreperous." As his parent would not give him any fruit, the little fellow endeavored to obtain some on his own account and several times escaped from her arms and began to climb the wire netting in the front of his cage, but was promptly hauled tack by the tail. At length he managed to get free, and, running up to the top of his cage, put one hand through the meshes of the galvanized wire and pleaded eloquently with his upturned dark little eyes for a "taster," while his mother actually bit herself in sheer rage over naughty boy's bad behavior. - Cassell's "Little Folks."

His Worst. She-Have you ever acted in private theatricals? He-No, the worst disgrace that ever happened to me was getting arrested

for staying up all night and working

a tick tack on a deaf man's door .-

Chicago Times-Herald.

Bast Carolina Curiosities In the Museum of a Clock Real Estate Agency. In the town of Schramberg in the Black Forest district of Wurttemberg,

CLOCKS OF BYGONE DAYS.

Making Village.

lection displays the gradual develop-

ment in the making of clocks for many

Among the curiosites are many of

great historical value. There is an

of shears clip the wick of the candle

automatically every minute to regulate

required hour arrives, the alarm is

sounded and at the same time the

movable slides fall, flooding the room

Among the curiosities is a Japanese

saw clock. The clock itself produces

the motive power by descending a

saw formed strip of metal, the teeth of

which operate the wheel of the clock-

work. In another Japanese clock the

hand is attached to a weight, which

sinks once in 24 hours. The time is in-

dicated by a hand on the perpendicular

SHE RAISED THEM.

A Georgia Widow's Recipe For

Bringing Up Her Sons.

During a visit to the army camp in

Savannah General Joseph Wheeler was

entertained by a party of northern men

at the De Soto. When, in the good hu-

mor of after dinner cigars, one of the

"How is it, general, that the sleepy

farms of the south produce such whirl-

wind fighters in such small packages?"

eral, puffing at a large man's cigar, "I

believe I'll have to give you the answer

an old 'cracker' woman once gave me

when I asked her a similar question.

Not many years ago I had occasion to

make a saddle journey through the

pine barrens of Georgia, where most

everybody is a 'cracker' and mighty

shiftless. One day, however, I rode

into a little community that showed

such signs of thrift as to be quite out

of keeping with the general character

of the barrens, I do assure you, gen-

tlemen. I rode up to a cabin where a

gaunt old woman stood in the doorway,

"'That farm on the left belongs to

my son Jabez,' said she, 'and the next

one to my boy Zalim, and the next to

my lad Jason, and the next is my boy

"'Hold on, sister, said I. 'How did

"'Waal, stranger,' she answered, 'I

am a widdy woman, and all I had to

raise 'em on was prayer and hickory.

but I raised 'em powerful frequent.' "-

you manage to raise such a fine lot of

boys way off here in the woods?"

and asked her who owned these little

farms that were so well kept.

Potiphar's place, and'-

Philadelphia Post.

"Well, gentlemen," said the little gen-

scale.-Chicago Times-Herald.

men said laughingly:

centuries.

with light.

Germany, where one of the chief industries is clock making, there has R. G. Grady & Co., Burgaw, N C recently been established an interesting museum of timepieces. The col-

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alarm clock constructed in the year 1680 for the use of travelers. In form We now offer the following valuable pro-It resembles a lantern and the interior Standing Timber is designed to hold a lighted candle. For sale, the timber on a tract of land near Bannermann's Bridge, North-East river, on tide-water. Over One Million feet of fine Cypress timber on this land. The candle is slowly pushed forward by a spring, which also controls the mechanism of the clock. A little pair

Timbered Lands.

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All set out in strawberries except garden and yard.

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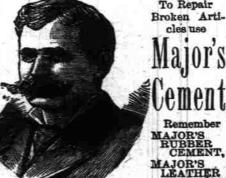
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DAILY No. 40-Passenger-Due Magnolia 8.20 6.50 P. M., Warsaw 8.88 P. M., Goldsborc P. M. 9.27 P. M., Wilson 10.20 P. M., +Tarboro 7.04 A. M., Rocky Mount 11.11 P. M. Weldon 1.04 A. M., †Norfolk 10.25 A. M., Petersburg 2.37 A. M., Richmond 3.23 A. M., Washington 7.01 A. M., Baltimore 8.30 A. M., Philadelphia 10.35 A. M. New York 1.68 P. M., Boston 9.00 P. M. DAILY No. 50—Passenger—Due Jacksonville except 4.13 P. M., Newbern 5.40 P. M.

M., New York 6.53 A. M., +Boston 8.00

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> SOUTH BOUND. DAILY No. 55-Passenger-Due Lake Wacca 3.45 maw 4.56 P. M., Chadbourn 5.28 P. M. P. M. Marion 6.84 P. M., Florence 7.15 P. M. Sumter 8.57 P. M., Columbia 10.20 P. M. Denmark 6.19 A. M., Augusta 7.55 A. M. Macon 11.15 A. M., Atlanta 12.55 P. M. Charleston 10.50 P. M., Savannah 1.50 A. M., Jacksonville 7.30 A. M., St. Augustine 10.80 A. M., Tampa 6.05 P. M. WEST BOUND.

9.00 No. 58—Passenger—Due Fayetteville A. M. 12.05 P.M., leaves Fayetteville 12.25 P. M., arrives Sanford 1.48 P. M. ARBIVALS AT WILMINGTON-FROM THE NOBTH.

DAILY No. 49-Passenger-Leave Boston #1.03 6.00 P. M., New York *9.30 P. M., Philadel-P. M. phia 12.29 A. M., Baltimore 9.55 A. M. Washington 4.30 A. M., Richmond 9.05 A. M., Petersburg 9.48 A. M., Norfolk 9.0 A. M., Weldon 11.50 A. M., Tarboro 12.21 P. M. Rocky Mount 12.52 P. M. Wilson 2.40 P. M., Goldsberg 3.30 P. M., Warsaw 4.23 P. M., Magnolla 4.35 P. M. DAILY No. 41—Passenger—Leave Boston 12 9.40 night, New York 9.00 A. M., Philadel

ohia 11.83 A. M., Baltimore 1 46 P. M., Washington 3.07 P M., Bichmond 6.48 P. M., Petersburg 7.21 P. M., +Norfol 2.20 P. M., Weldon 8.53, P. M., +Tarboro 8.00 P. M., Rocky Mount 5.40 A. M. Leave Wilson 6.20 A. M., Goldsboro 7.01 A. M., Warsaw 7.56 A. M., Magnolia 8.09 A. M. DAILY No. 51-Passenger-Leave Newbern

except \$.00 A. M., Jacksonville 10.23 A. M. Sunday 12.15

FROM THE SOUTH. DAILY N . 54—Passenger—Leave Tampa 8.10 1.15 A. M., Banford 3.07 P. M., Jacksonville P. M 8.00 P. M., Savannah 1.45 A. M., Charleston 6.33 A. M., Atlanta 7.50 A. M. Macon 9.00 A. M., Augusta 2.80 P. M., Denmark 4.17 P. M. Columbia 6.40 A. M., Sumter 8.10 P. M., Florence 9.55 A. M., Marion 10.30 A M., Chadbourn 11.85 A. M., Lake Wac-camaw 12.08 A. M.

No. 52—Passenger—Leave Sanford 2.30 P. M., arrive Fayetteville 3.41 P. M., leave Fayetteville 3.46 P. M. Daily except Sunday.

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Wilmington and Weldon Railroad, Bennettsville Branch—Train leaves Bennettsville 8.15

A. M. Maxton 9,30 A. M., Red Springs 9 53 A. M.,
Hope Mills 10.42 A. M., arrive Fayetteville 10,55

A. M. Returning leaves Fayetteville 4.40 P. M.,
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Maxton 6.15 P. M., arrives Bennettsville 7.15 P. M.

Connections at Fayetteville with No. 78, at Maxton with the Carolina Central Railroad, at Red Springs with the Red Springs and Bowmore Railroad, at Sanford with the Seaboard Air Line and Southern Railway, at Gulf with the Durham and Charlotte Railroad.

Train between Rocky Mount and Bichmond leave Rocky Mount 7.00 A. M., arrive Weldon 8 06 A. M., arrive Petersburg 10 A. M., arrive Richmond 11.05 A. M.

Trains on the Scotland Neck Branch Road leave Weldon 3.55 P. M., Halifax 4.15 P. M.; arrive Scotland Neck 5.08 P. M., Greenville 6.57 P. M., Kinston 7.55 P. M. Returning, leaves Kinston 7.50 A. M., Greenville 8.52 A. M.; arriving Halifax at 11.18 A. m., Weldon 11.33 A. M. Daily except Sunday.

rive Rootland Neck 5.08 P. M., Greenville C.57 P.
M., Kinston 7.55 P. M. Returning, leaves Kinston 7.50 A. M., Greenville 8.52 A. M.; arriving Halifax at 11.18 A. M., Weldon 11.33 A. M. Dally except Bunday.

Trains on Washington Branch leave Washington 8.10 A. M. and 2.30 P. M.; arrive Parmele 9.10 A. M. and 4.00 P. M.; returning leaves Parmele 9.35 A. M. and 6.30 P. M.; arrives Washington 11 00 A. M. and 7.30 P. M. Dally except Sunday, 5.50 P. M.; Sunday, 4.15 P. M.; arrives Plymouth 7.40 P. M. and 6.10 P. M. Returning, leaves Plymouth dally except Sunday, 7.50 A. M. and 11.00 A. M.

Trains leave Goldsboro, N. C., dally except Plymouth 7.40 P. M. and 6.10 P. M. Returning, leaves Plymouth dally except Sunday, 7.50 A. M., and 11.00 A. M.

Trains leave Goldsboro, N. C., dally except Sunday, 7.50 A. M., arrives Smithfield, N. C., 8.10 A. M. Returning leaves Smithfield, N. C., 8.10 A. M. Returning leaves Smithfield, N. C., 8.10 A. M. Returning leaves Smithfield, N. C., 8.10 A. M. Returning, leaves Spring Hope 11.30 A. M., 4.55 P. M., Spring Hope 10.40 A. M., 4.55 P. M. Returning, leaves Spring Hope 11.30 A. M., 4.55 P. M., Nashville 12.15 A. M.; 5.55 P. M., arrives Ranch, 11.60 A. M., 3.61 P. M., Spring Hope 10.40 A. M., 4.55 P. M. Returning, leaves Bowland 8.00 P. M., 4.55 P. M., Nashville 12.15 A. M.; 5.55 P. M., arrives Bunday, Train on Clinton Branch leave Wasraw for Chinton, daily except Sunday, at 11.40 A. M., and 4.15 P. M. Returning, leaves Bowland 8.00 P. M.; arrives Dillon 6.20 P. M., Latta 6.25 P. M., Pee Dee 7.00 P. M., daily.

Trains on Conway Branch leave Boardman at 3.00 P. M., Chadbourn 11.50 A. M.; arrive Boardman 12.25 P. M. Dally except Sunday.

Trains leave Florence daily except Sunday at 7.55 P. M., Eave Lane's 8.30 A. M., 7.40 P. M.; arrive Boardman 12.25 P. M. Dally except Bunday.

Trains leave Florence daily except Sunday at 7.55 P. M.; leave Lone's 9.30 A. M.; arrive Darlington 10.35 A. M.; arrive Darlington 10.35 A. M.; Bennettsville 7.10 P. M., Gleson 10.20 P. M., Leave Florence 9.15 A. M

cept Sunday.
Trains leave Elliott 10.35 A. M., and arrive
Lucknow 12.15 P. M. Beturning, leave Lucknow 2.10 P. M., arrive Elliotts 2.60 P. M. Daily now 2.10 P. M., arrive Elliotts 3.50 P. M. Dai except Sunday. *Sunday only. +Daily except Sunday. *Sunday only. H. M. EMERSON, Gen'l Passenger Agent! J. R. KENLY, Gen'l Manager. T. M. EMERSON, Traffic Manager. Ja 16 tf

Atlantic and North Carolina Railroad Time Table No. 9.



1899, at 9 A. M. GOING EAST. GOING WEST.

Pass'g'r Trains Pass'g'r Train STATIONS. Arrive Leave Arrive Leave Train 4 connects with W. & W. train bound North, leaving Goldsbore at 11.35 A. M., and with Southern Railway train West, leaving Goldsbore 2.00 P. M., and with W. & N. at Newbern for Wilmington and intermediate points.

Train 3 connects with Southern Railway train, arriving at Goldsbore 3.06 P. M., and with W. & W. train from the North at 3.05 P. M. No. 1 train also connects with W. & N. for Wilming ton and intermediate points.

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