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HELPFUL HINTS IN THE ART OF CHINA PAINTING.

With the Lacroix Tube Colors Many Chances of Failure Are Obviated—Detailed Directions For Painting a Photograph Frame—Gold Work.

The great variety of undecorated china imported and manufactured renders the art of china painting as fascinating as popular as ever.

A maple leaf design offered is intended for a panel or photograph frame. If carried out in tones of green, yellow,



MAPLE LEAF DESIGN.

gray and brown, it will be found most satisfactory. The raised scrolls around the edge are touched up with gold, and the background is tinted a pale cream with ivory yellow.

After being fired the work is ready to receive the gold. It must be fired



ARRANGEMENT OF MEADOW GRASS.

again and then burnished with a glass burnisher. This process must be repeated if the gold is not so rich as desired.

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BOOTS AND SHOES.

Pointed Toes Have Lost Prestige—Walking Shoes, Dressy Shoes and Slippers.



STYLES IN FOOTWEAR.

Pointed toes have lost their prestige, and a round, roomy one has come in their place.

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THE LITTLE WHITE WAGON.

The little white wagon was passing by. Can it be but an hour—an hour ago since Edith's girlish suit me so?

The little white wagon was passing by. A sight that is common enough, you say? No! No! No! No! Not till today had I known how it looks to a mother's eye.

The little white wagon was passing by. My God! Can it be but an hour ago? How would the age long seconds how into minutes minutes were the days?

The little white wagon was passing by. Not till today had I thought how it feels. To be stilled by the hush where a babe lies dead.

CUSTOMS IN BELGIUM.

Oddities in Home Life and Dress That Started an English Woman.

Breakfast in Belgium proceeds in course, with a change of plates at each service. It is not a change of knives and forks. These implements must be used through successive courses, however dissimilar, resting between whites on glass or silver holders, placed beside each cover.

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The Clock Came Back.

A Louisville man has a cow with a peculiar appetite. A housecleaning servant left a small silver clock on the kitchen steps for a few moments, and on her return the timepiece was missing.

Later in the evening the small boy of the household was in the yard. Suddenly a silver chime floated on his ear. He listened. Another and another, until five times the chime had sounded, and he recognized it as coming from the lost clock.

There was nothing near the cow. The boy searched all around the yard and then concluded that the clock was in the cow. For while there was a sort of pandemonium at 6 o'clock the family heard the hour tolled from the cow's inside. A powerful emetic did the work. The clock was a little discolored, but was still ticking.

Get Out.

It is related of the late General Pleasanton that one night while he was in a Washington saloon a man entered and began to attack the character and courage of the Confederate soldiers.

Pleasanton gave a start of surprise as he recognized the man and asked if he remembered him. The stranger said he did not, whereupon the general said: "I am Alfred Pleasanton. I had you drummed out of my camp for cowardice before Antietam. Get out of this place, sir!"

The man hung his head and hurried out.

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PORK—P barrel— New Heavy Mess., 9 @ 10 Short cut, 10 @ 11

DRY SALTED MEAT— Bellies, 5 @ 6 Short backs P B, 4 @ 5

LARD—P B— Best refined, 6 @ 7 North Carolina, 6 @ 7 Compound, 5 @ 6

SALT, P sack— Liverpool, 5 @ 6 American, 5 @ 6

BUTTER—L b— Best Elgin, 25 @ 30 Good, 18 @ 20

FLOUR—P barrel— Extra, 4 @ 4.75 Straight, 4 @ 4.50

COFFEE—P b— Roasted, 17 @ 18 Green, 10 @ 10

SUGAR, P cwt—Standard A, 6 @ 7 White, 6 @ 7 Yellow, 6 @ 7

RAISIN, P bushel— Corn, 25 @ 30 Oats, 27 @ 32

EGGS, P dozen— Chickens, young, 29 @ 25 Chickens, old, 25 @ 40

POTATOES, P bushel— Norton Yams, 40 @ 50

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Farmers & Merchants BANK.

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THE NATIONAL BANK OF NEW BERNE, N. C.

Southern Railway.

Schedule Effective November 22, 1896.

GREENSBORO, RALEIGH, GOLDSBORO AND NORFOLK.

Table with columns for station names (Greensboro, Raleigh, Goldsboro, Norfolk) and times for various routes.

A. & N. C. R. R.

TIME TABLE NO. 2.

Going East [SCHEDULE] Going West

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CATARH HIS WORST ENEMY

DEFEATED

For Three Years He Suffered—Could Hardly Breathe at Night—One Nosed Closed for Ten Years.

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