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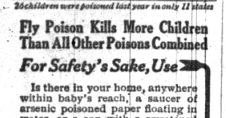

The Journal of the Michigan State Medical Society comments thus in a recent issue:

"Symptoms of arsenical poisoning are very similar to those of cholera infantum; undoubtedly a number of cases of cholera infantum were really cases of arsenical poisoning, but death, if occurring, was attributed to cholera infantum."

"We repeat, arsenical fly destroying devices are dangerous and should be abolished. Health officials should become aroused to prevent further loss of life from their source. Our Michigan Legislature, this last session, passed a law regulating the sale of poisonous fly papers."

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When Newton D. Baker became secretary of war, his predecessor, Lindley M. Garrison, considerately ran down from New York to show him a few of the ropes.

"You will find the place heavily infested with opportunity for arduous labor," remarked Garrison to Baker; "much more so, in fact, that I realized until I had tried it. After I had been here a week I was reminded of the story of the two tough boys who were walking by a fine home and saw a handsomely dressed rich boy playing all alone behind a big iron fence.

"'Come on out here,' suggested one of the tough boys.

"'No, I don't want to play,' replied the rich boy, shrinkingly.

"'Oh,' the tough boy assured him, 'this won't be play.'"

Very Sudden.

It was the last half of the fourth inning, and the home team had three men on bases and nobody out. The next man up was the best batter on the team, if not in the entire league. He advanced to the plate swinging three bats, and wearing a confident smile on his face. The stands were in an uproar of enthusiasm.

Suddenly the umpire stepped forward and held up his hand.

"Game called on account of darkness," he announced.

He leaves a widow and three children.

MEAL-TIME CONSCIENCE. What Do the Children Drink?

There are times when mother or father feeds the youngsters something that they know children should not have. Perhaps it is some rich dessert but more often it is tea or coffee.

It is better to have some delicious, hot food-drink that you can take yourself and feed to your children, conscious that it will help and strengthen, but never hurt them.

A Yorkstate lady says: "I used coffee many years in spite of the conviction that it injured my nervous system and produced my nervous headaches. While visiting a friend I was served with Postum and I determined to get a package and try it myself. The result was all that could be desired—a delicious, finely flavored, richly colored beverage. Since I quit coffee, Postum has worked wonders for me.

"My husband, who had suffered from kidney trouble when drinking coffee, quit the coffee and took up Postum with me and since drinking Postum he has felt stronger and better, with no indication of kidney trouble.

"You may be sure I find it a great comfort to have a warm drink at meals that I can give my children, with a clear conscience that it will help and not hurt them as coffee or tea would."

Name given by Postum Co., Battle Creek, Mich.

Postum comes in two forms:

Postum Cereal—the original form—must be well boiled. 15c and 25c pkgs.

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In Woman's Realm

Two Modish Coats of Checked Serge and Tan Covert Cloth, Cravenetted, Which Are Among the Best of the Season's Offerings—Simple but Extremely Effective Party Frock That Will Appeal to the Small Maid.

Two coats, made to brave the spiteful return of the north wind in May and the showers from spring skies, are shown in the picture given here. They are of checked serge and tan covert cloth, cravenetted, and therefore not hurt by dampness. Their style is excellent and distinctive.

There have been so many checked coats in the season's showings that it would seem almost impossible for anything new and also attractive to make its appearance among them. But the model presented, while cut on familiar

MADE TO BRAVE ALL WEATHERS.

and well-liked lines, shows a finish entirely novel. All its edges are finished with a piping of white and outlined with narrow flat silk braid, making the sharp and snappy contrast of black and white in a conservative fashion. It has a "chin-chin" collar.

The short coat of covert cloth trimmed with plain broadcloth is frankly a model for all-round wear, and does not commit itself to any sort of special occasion. It is pictured worn with an afternoon frock of taffeta.

PARTY FROCK FOR THE SMALL MAID.

Here is a party frock, for the little maid from about eight years up to twelve years old that will delight her and please her mother as well.

It seems hardly worth while to describe the method of making it, because it is so clearly set forth in the picture. But for the benefit of the inexperienced who may be encouraged to undertake it, it may be mentioned that the body of the frock is of cotton net and is merely a full slip set on to a narrow round yoke of lace and reaching nearly to the knees. Three scant ruffles of lace are set about the bottom of this slip, and it is shirred in about the hips with three shirrings set close together. This shirring shapes the slip into a long waist and short skirt. The sleeves are merely puffs of net edged with a double frill of net.

Over this slip of net a short overdress is worn. It is made of two lengths of yard-wide taffeta cut with narrow straps over the shoulder and scalloped about the bottom. The scallops are bound with a narrow binding of taffeta made from strips cut on the bias. The silk is shirred over a cord about the neck, and the arm's eye and shoulder straps are bound like the scallops. The fullness of the silk is drawn in about the hips with two shirrings over cable cord, forming a sprightly flounce below. The overdress slips on over the head. As pictured, it is made of light blue shiny taffeta with considerable stiffness.

The frock is worn over a petticoat or slip of fine lawn edged with ruffles trimmed with narrow linge rie lace. It is made as long as that there is a glimpse of these lacy ruffles under those on the net dress.

Julia Bottomley

Black Is Popular.

Black is popular this spring, and there are many frocks of black taffeta, very chic with their ruffled lines, and their trim little bodices fitted into the figure with featherboned seams. Most of the silk frocks have sleeves of Georgette crepe or chiffon, and sometimes the filmy material forms a large part of the skirt. The all-black frock is smarter just now than one brightened with a touch of color or relieved with white, and when well conceived is chic and dashing, in a season when fawns and grays are seen everywhere. Navy blue is also a pronounced favorite, and many are the combinations of blue taffeta with voile, georgette crepe, chiffon and figured silk.

Kid as Trimming.

Kid is used as a trimming in many of the new spring clothes. It is fashioned into very smart collars and cuffs and straps of it are used on skirts and coats. There are kid flowers, too, for trimming straw hats.

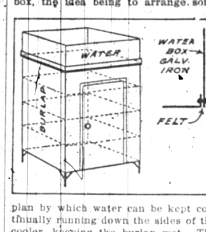
COOLER EASILY MADE

DIRECTIONS FOR ECONOMICAL, EFFICIENT UTENSIL.

Little Trouble to Put Together Convenient Article That Will Be Appropriate During Summer—Illustration Shows Method.

An easily constructed cooler which is economical and efficient is here illustrated. In some places these coolers are regularly manufactured, but any handy man can make them.

They may be of any size, but a good ordinary dimension would be 18 by 36 by 48 inches, with the water box in addition on top. The frame could be made by 1 by 3 strips covered with burlap and fitted inside with three or more shelves, these shelves serving to stiffen the frame, assisting the top and bottom, which should also be of inch stuff. The next thing is the water box, the idea being to arrange some



plan by which water can be kept continually running down the sides of the cooler, keeping the burlap wet. The cooler is usually placed on an airy back porch or under a tree where a breeze will cause rapid evaporation and necessarily lower temperature inside. This box may be galvanized, the bottom and sides in two parts and jointed as in the accompanying cut, or it may be wooden with partially plugged holes, sufficiently close together to answer the purpose.

The whole should be raised from the ground by legs formed by the extension of the corner posts of the frame.

A better idea of the construction is given by the engraving.—California Cultivator.

Cabbage Stuffed With Macaroni.

One head of hard, white cabbage, one and one-half cupfuls of cooked macaroni, one tablespoonful of flour, three tablespoonfuls of butter, one cupful of sweet milk, four tablespoonfuls of grated cheese, salt to taste.

Cut the outer leaves from the cabbage and cut off a thick slice from the top. Stand in a vessel of strong salt water a few minutes to kill any insects that might be among the leaves. Wash in cold water and boil in salt water until it will pierce with a fork. Remove from water, drain and then cut out the center. Melt two tablespoonfuls of butter, add the flour and, when smooth, gradually add the milk, cook until it thickens, add the cheese, and salt to taste. Put the remainder of butter over the cabbage and sprinkle over with cayenne. Fill the cavity with alternate layers of macaroni and the sauce and bake until cabbage is tender and browned over the top.

Grilled Mutton.

Slices from leg of mutton, one shallot, parsley, bay leaf, thyme, one tablespoonful salad oil, fried potato chips, one-half pint piquant sauce. Cut some one and one-half inch thick slices from the thick end of a leg of mutton, season with pepper, salt, chopped shallot, parsley, bay leaf, thyme and a little salad oil. Let the meat remain in the season for one hour before cooking, then grill or broil the slices for one-quarter hour and dish on a pile of fried potato chips. Serve hot with piquant sauce.

Mushrooms au Gratin.

For this appetizing dish select a dozen big mushrooms, trim and peel them and separate the tops and stalks. Chop the stalks fine, with two tablespoonfuls of parsley and two tablespoonfuls of fat bacon. Add salt and pepper to taste and two eggs, beaten well. Put the dozen tops of the mushrooms in a buttered baking dish and then add the chopped mixture. Sprinkle the top with fine bread crumbs and melted butter and bake until brown.

Stuffed Tomato Salad.

Peel a dozen large, smooth tomatoes, cut off the stems and scoop out centers, saving the solid portions. Chop and mix with one cupful chopped celery, one teaspoonful minced onion, two tablespoonfuls chopped almonds and salt to taste. Fill the tomato shells with the mixture, put a spoonful of mayonnaise on top. Stand each one on a fresh lettuce leaf and serve at once.

Delicious Soup.

Take two green sweet peppers, two onions and mince fine. Add one teaspoonful of butter and simmer on the stove (do not burn it) for about ten minutes, then add two cupfuls of tomato and one quart of water, salt and pepper to taste and a little sugar. This makes a delicious soup without the use of meat. You can add a little carrot and celery, but it is fine without them.

Flaked Fish With Onions.

Fry a good-sized onion in bacon fat enough to keep from burning. When tender add a pint of cooked fish which has been flaked and bones and skin removed (I use steamed haddock) and about one cupful of the water fish was cooked in. Cover the spider and cook slowly till water is absorbed. Fine for breakfast.

Tongue and Egg Salad.

Cut cold tongue in thin slices, then cut again into pieces about one inch square; arrange a layer of tongue on fresh lettuce leaves, and on the tongue place a layer of hard-boiled eggs sliced thin; then another layer of tongue, and cover all with a good mayonnaise. Decorate the dish with slices of cold beets and parsley.

Not Very.

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A Michigan Case

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Testimony from Oklahoma.

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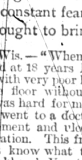

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