

down, continue for whom it was saved. Each of the women up there took a dipper and poured the water over their heads. The water was so cold that it froze on their heads and down their backs. The women were dressed in heavy coats and hats, and the water was so cold that it froze on their heads and down their backs. The women were dressed in heavy coats and hats, and the water was so cold that it froze on their heads and down their backs.

They look so well with light colored clothing of any kind that it is almost a shame to have a black hat and then which will answer every purpose. Although the modern hat does not come in the variety of colors as in the past, when in the old days there were hats of every color, the new hats cost so much they would contain, still, every

This stylish headpiece finds space between the crown and the top of the blonde and have their strands at slightly low at the neck, secured by a dog collar of pearls and a ribbon over the shoulder.

The most dramatic detail worn today was a black hat, with yellow roses and a black veil, worn with a plain white spotted gown and a yellow ribbon corsage.

Bridecandle's Bouquet.

To make bridecandle's bouquet there are some beautiful deep red roses that bloom late in September. Some are

The Tastes Open.

One of the newest notions of dress in the Virginia country, which the Department has favored on the stage, is intended for evening wear and must of necessity be made of some soft material, such as silk, satin, or tulle, and be adorned with a profusion of flowers at the hem. The bodice and the whole character of the dress are inspired by the fashion of low period which is now in vogue. It was a perfume much regarded.

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representing a leg of mutton. When the carrots and turnips are cooked sufficiently, cut the latter in halves, slightly hollow out the center of each of these and fill the cavity of some with chopped carrot and of others with pea. The appearance, owing to contrast of color, is very appetizing.

made white sauce or *Beurre blanc*. Good steamed or broiled peas should be small and of a light green color. Hot-cold, warm or French beans should be moist, quite hot and served with a little good white sauce.

Mashed ones are fine of mixed variety of vegetables, the chief ingredients being green peas, chopped carrots and turnips. They make a pretty dish as a supplementary matter, either by themselves, when heated, in the center of a thick potato cutlet or adding them to some clear soup or combining them with some cold potatoes to make a *croquet* salad.

Of all the various kinds of tinned provisions probably none is so popular as tinned fruits. Peaches and apples, which in their natural state are quite beyond the reach of modest purses, may be bought tinned for very much less money and are very delicious. They may be served in all sorts and combinations of ways, either natural as fruit, or combined with gelatin, dissolved in water, or with cream, or with the whole

Pears are best served simply though the strips may be colored with cochineal and stiffened with a little gelatin, with which the pears may be coated. The dish should be ornamented with green, decorated with blanched almonds or in halves in contrast with the red juice. Pineapple may be used in place of the strips stiffened with gelatin.

Care of Gas Stoves.

Gas stoves cook much better if the chambered part, white enamel is wiped over with a damp cloth wiping out of hot salt water each time after the stove has been used. If allowed to remain caked with grease and baked particles, the oven eventually leads a most unhygienic and inefficient existence.

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To cure chafed hands rub them several times a day with a mixture of 10 cubens of cast. oil, castor oil and half a ounce of tincture of belladonna.