

**A Gem For Every Month.**

**JANUARY.**

By her who in this month is born  
No gem save garnets should be worn;  
They will ensure her constancy,  
True friendship and fidelity.

**FEBRUARY.**

The February-born will find  
Sincerity and peace of mind;  
Freedom from passion and from care,  
If they the amethyst will wear.

**MARCH.**

Who in this world of ours their eyes  
In March first open shall be wise;  
In days of peril firm and brave,  
And wear a bloodstone to their grave.

**APRIL.**

She who from April dates her years,  
Diamonds should wear, lest bitter tears,  
For vain repentance flow; this stone  
Emblem of innocence is known.

**MAY.**

Who first beholds the light of day  
In Spring's sweet flowery month of May,  
And wears an emerald all her life,  
Shall be a loved and happy wife.

**JUNE.**

Who comes with summer to this earth,  
And owes to June her day of birth,  
With rings of agate on her hand,  
Can health, wealth and long life command.

**JULY.**

The glowing ruby should adorn  
Those whom in warm July are born;  
Then will they be exempt and free  
From loves doubts and anxiety.

**AUGUST.**

Wear a sardonyx, or for thee  
No congenial fidelity;  
The August-born without this stone  
'Tis said must live unloved and lone.

**SEPTEMBER.**

A maiden born when Autumn leaves  
Are rustling in September's breeze,  
A sapphire on her brow should bind—  
'Twill cure diseases of the mind.

**OCTOBER.**

October's child is born for woe,  
And life's vicissitudes must know;  
But lay an opal on her breast,  
And hope will lull those woes to rest.

**NOVEMBER.**

Who first comes to this world below  
With drear November fog and snow,  
Should prize the topaz's amber hue—  
Emblem of friends and lovers true.

**DECEMBER.**

If cold December gave you birth,  
The month of snow and ice and mirth,  
Place on your head a turquoise blue,  
Success will bless whate'er you do.

**Household Hints.**

Make a paste of soft soap and emery  
for polishing steel.

Use carbolic acid and water to purify  
sinks, drains, etc.

Old paint pails and cans may be thoroughly  
cleaned with strong, hot lye.

When washing cambrics, do not allow  
soap to come in contact with the fabric.

A spoonful of vinegar should always be  
put into the water in which fish is boiled.

A small quantity of turpentine added  
to stove blacking will make the stove  
easier to polish.

To keep insects from birds, scald the  
cage with hot water, if not brass; replace  
your bird therein; at night cover the cage  
with white flannel. In one week you will  
be rid of them.

To clear a cellar of flies, close up a  
cellar as nearly air-tight as possible, and  
burn two or three pounds of brimstone;  
keep closed twenty-four hours, and then  
open everything to ventilate; must be  
burned in the centre of the room, and not  
on a wooden floor.

**MIXED SANDWICHES.**—Chop cold  
chicken, tongue and ham very fine. Melt  
half a cup of butter, and a desert spoonful  
of good mustard if liked, a little pepper,  
stir it with the beaten yolk of an egg into  
the meat, and spread on thin slices of  
bread neatly trimmed and buttered. Or,  
chop fine such parts of a well boiled or  
baked ham as cannot be cut in neat slices  
for the table, add four teaspoonfuls melted  
butter, mustard if liked, and pepper, chop  
up two or three hard boiled eggs, and the  
well beaten yolk of one, to bind the whole  
together, and stir up the whole with the  
ham till well mixed, and spread on nicely  
cut slices of bread well buttered. Some  
like salad oil mixed with the butter. But  
in making sandwiches, unless for the  
family, where the taste of all should  
be well known to the mistress, it is not  
safe to use oil or mustard for the whole;  
but it can be divided, and part of the  
sandwiches prepared with oil and mustard,  
part plain, and a third part with mustard  
and no oil.

The hero of the hour at Paris is a man  
who, for a wager, led on foot, from Ro-  
morantin to Paris, a herd of fifty hares,  
twenty-five of each sex. Though the ani-  
mals had been carefully trained he had a  
good deal of trouble with them, and  
usually travelled by night.

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May 18—2aw

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July 3, 1878—

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THE above beautiful and popular watering place has been further improved this season in  
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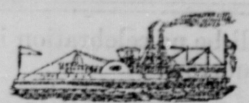
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