

## Cardinal Farley's Return

The high honor in which his episcopal city holds Cardinal Farley, both as a prelate and as a citizen (says *America*), has been amply demonstrated by the series of remarkable public demonstrations which have signalised his home coming. On Sunday evening, January 21, more than 8000 persons gathered in and around the Hippodrome for the formal welcome of the laity of the archdiocese. United States Senator O'Gorman presided, and eulogistic addresses were made by W. Bourke Cockran, Supreme Court Justice John J. Delany, Michael J. Mulqueen, president of the Catholic Club, and others. His Eminence was presented with a set of engrossed resolutions from the laity, thanking the Pope for the signal honor conferred upon the New York Archbishop, renewing pledges of loyalty to the See of Peter and congratulating Cardinal Farley. His Eminence made a modest address of thanks. The ecclesiastical ceremony proper took place in St. Patrick's Cathedral on the morning of January 25. The interior was beautifully decorated for the occasion, and the great edifice was thronged by the clergy and laity. After the sermon Right Rev. Mgr. Michael J. Lavelle, V.G., rector of the Cathedral, presented an address to the cardinal on behalf of the clergy of the diocese, and Hon. Victor J. Dowling, Justice of the Supreme Court, read an address on behalf of the laity. Two hundred prominent non-Catholics arranged a banquet in honor of Cardinal Farley, held on January 30, at the Waldorf-Astoria. The Hon. Herman A. Metz was chairman and Dr. Edwin Zimmerman secretary.

The Spanish Cabinet crisis induced by the Cullera criminal's condemnation has had an unlooked-for solution. Against the advice of his Government, King Alfonso thought well to exercise his royal prerogative to reprieve the murderer on whose behalf the Government objected to show mercy. Senor Canalejas' rapid resumption of office after his resignation as a formal protest against the modification of the sentence had been tendered, shows (says the *Catholic Weekly*) that the step was more simply to satisfy the Cabinet's abstract sense of justice, and was perhaps inevitable. But that kindness of heart which prompted King Alfonso to pardon the Barcelona murderer has provoked a reaction in favor of the monarchy, which proves that in the Spanish mind sentiment is stronger than that stern justice which in this case the culprit had certainly invoked on his own head. It would seem as if the chivalrous generosity of the King has touched the hearts of even the bitterest Republicans, for the Spanish Republican press now are united in a chorus of praise of the ruler whose authority they ostensibly deprecate. And the monarchy is stronger than ever in consequence.

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## Domestic

By MAUREEN.

### Home-made Glue.

Boil water and a lump of alum down to a thick paste. Must be applied while hot. This wears like iron. Any breakage in household may be fixed with it, such as dishes, furniture, or anything that needs fixing.

### A Boot Polisher.

A splendid boot polisher may be made out of some old or odd pieces of velvet. Make them into a bag 5 inches by 3½ inches, and fill it with odd scraps of silk and ribbon.

### A Laundry Hint.

To prevent clothes getting ironmould from the rust of the boiler, when the washing is done empty all the water, and while the boiler is still warm, rub it all over with soft soap and leave on till required for use again, when it may be easily washed off.

### Turpentine for Colds.

In the home treatment of ordinary colds few remedies are more efficacious than turpentine. It should be mixed with lard and sweet oil in equal proportions, and spread on flannel that has been dipped in very hot water, then placed on the patient's chest in the form of a plaster.

### Household Hints.

Do not throw away old linoleum, for, cut into strips, it is excellent for making fires burn, and saves firewood.

If there are any paint spots upon woollens moisten with benzine, and then well rub with French chalk.

Mortar or paint can be removed from window glass by rubbing a little vinegar on the spots.

### To Bottle Green Peas.

When full grown, but not old, pick and shell the peas. Lay them on dishes or tins in a cool oven, or before a bright fire. Do not heap the peas on the dishes, but lay them evenly. Stir them frequently, and let them dry slowly. When hard, let cool, then pack them in stone jars or bottles, cover closely, and store in a very dry place. When ready for use, they are almost as nice as fresh peas.

### A Home-made Floor Polisher.

Those who have not tried it can have no idea what a comfort a floor polisher is. Kneeling to polish floors is very tiring work. To make the polisher, get an old long-handled broom and cut the bristles off short, then pad the part that held the bristles thickly with old stockings, which should be tied and nailed on. Over all tightly strain a piece of velveteen, which should be firmly tacked out to the top of the broom-head. On this tie a duster and polish the floor quickly and easily. The duster may be removed for washing without any trouble, which is a great advantage. This will be found very effective for polishing linoleum.

### To Clean Wall-paper.

When wall-paper becomes soiled, wipe off the worst spots with a piece of dry bread, rubbing it on with a downward stroke. A piece of flannel dipped in oatmeal may be used in the same way. Walls should be wiped down when the room is thoroughly cleaned. Much dust accumulates on the wall after every sweeping. Care must be exercised to prevent streaking the paper. The wall should be gone over with a feather duster, passing it over the surface with long, even sweeps; the treatment should then be repeated with a clean soft cloth. When grease spots occur on the paper cover them with French chalk, powdered, and leave on for twenty-four hours. If the marks have not disappeared, repeat the application, laying a piece of blotting paper over the spots.

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