

FOR AND ABOUT WOMEN.

DAILY THOUGHT.
 If all the pity and love unfolded
 Could scatter abroad in coins of gold,
 There wouldn't be on the whole round earth,
 One hungry heart, one wretched hour.

And, oh, if the kind word never said
 Could bloom into flowers, and spread
 Their sweetness out on the common air,
 The breath of heaven would be everywhere!
 —Exchange.

After each season is well started, and the various innovations that it has brought have all been given their fair trial, its own special vogues come gradually upon us—the survival of the fittest once again.

This year those cheerful Scotch costumes that do look so comfortable on a chilly autumn day have been finally established as the season's chief characteristic.

"It's ho for the bonnie Westmoreland, And hie for the bonnets o' bonnie Dundee!"

and many another good old Scotch tune comes tingling over the mountain wind, that sweeps down the Campus Elysae, for every clan is proudly represented in the morning promenade. In their legitimate state, or in a French modification of it, the Scotch colors play a part in almost every costume.

Occasionally one sees the entire Highlander's costume copied in detail, even to the fur ponch and a small turban made exactly in the shape of a Scotch cap. This is theatrical enough to be dangerous, and is not really appropriate beyond the school-room age. A much more charming idea is a kilted skirt in blue and green, or blue and black, plaid broadcloth. With it is worn a simple black velvet Eton jacket, which is knched off with the cloth. There is a wide belt to match the skirt. The Scotch idea is very subtly carried out in a big hat with a tan-o'-shooter crown—the new shade of green in color.

More substantial costumes are apt to be made up of the smaller Scotch checks; a skirt and an abbreviated Norfolk jacket out in the graceful pelaine shape.

Then there is the severe basque coat accompanied by a circular skirt—with its bias seam in front and back as usual. In fact, whole suits of this order are often made up on the bias, and usually of those cloths wherein the plaid is almost invisible, as they would be very trying and loud in the more defined varieties.

Little girls, however, wear the brightest of plaids that old Scotland boasts. Often those in which red predominates, with a plain red coat and real Scotch cap.

The livelier colors are suggested in storm coats, too, and in perhaps the happiest of all the Scotch vogues' innovations. In a peculiar way they are appropriate to the severe tailor-made required, and nothing is so grateful as the sight of one of these cheery affairs on a bleak wintry Paris day. E. D.

A country girl whose circle of friends was large and whose income was small, planned for herself a Christmas wedding which took both of these possessions into consideration and gave satisfaction all around.

Since country churches are apt to be cold and uncomfortable in the winter, she decided upon a home affair, and arranged her hour for 1 o'clock, as a train arrived from town at 12:30 and left the little country station at 4. Several weeks before hand she made arrangements with the one small livery stable-keeper in the neighborhood for securing the comfortable arrival and departure of her guests, and then, having settled these outside details, she devoted her self to planning for the wedding proper.

Her house, while by no means pretentious, was fairly large, and had a hall running its entire length, with a large dining room opening into it from one side, and a parlor, with a tiny library, communicating by means of a double sliding door, on the other.

It was deemed that the important ceremony should take place in this library for several reasons. It was at the back of the house and had a door opening into the hall, and it boasted a large bay window.

The question of decorations was soon settled. There were no florists in that rural neighborhood and a quantity of flowers sent from the city meant a heavy expense, but the woods near at hand were rich in evergreens of many sorts, and a Southern friend, who could not come herself, promised a proxy in the shape of a huge hamper of holly and mistletoe.

The entire first floor of the house—parlor, library, dining room and even the hall—was decorated with these carefully decorated, white here and there the red and white berries gleamed, giving a touch of color. All superfluous furniture was cleared from the room and the piano moved into the hall, where one girl offered to prove her devotion and run the chance of developing pneumonia from drafts by playing the wedding march.

The bride in white crepe de chine, carrying a bouquet of bride roses and maiden-hair fern, came then, leaning on her father's arm. A delightful informal little breakfast followed. Since this was a household where few servants were kept, and the expense of bringing them in from outside was a matter to be considered, the bride reluctantly gave up the notion of small tables, and bent all her energies to the arrangement of one big one.

The dining table in that family was a cherished heirloom of mahogany, which was left bare for the occasion, except for a handsome lace centrepiece. Upon this was placed a low, flat silver dish, also an heirloom, which was filled with fruit, twined about with smilax, with here and there a brilliant poinsettia blossom (one of the bride's few extravagances) to add color to the arrangement.

The half-fashioned silver candle-sticks, with their accompanying red candles and bell shades, were set about the centrepiece, and the rest of the table was given over to the various plates upon which the breakfast was to be served!

The collation consisted of bouillon served in dainty Dresden cups, bread and butter sandwiches, chicken salad and coffee, followed by ices and small cakes. No outdoor wa-employed, and everything was prepared at home with the exception of the lords and cakes, which were sent in from town with very little trouble or expense.

The big frosted wedding cake, in which were concealed the usual ring, thimble and piece of money, was put upon a small table, and, of course, cut by the bride. There were no boxes of cake distributed, as this was one of the luxuries she felt that she could not afford.

When the clock hands neared three the bride slipped away from the merry crowd to dress for her journey, and when she next appeared before them she wore her hat and furs. She stood at the top of the stairway, smiling down upon the upturned watching faces, then tossed her bouquet among them, where it was clutched at by many eager hands; for who does not know that she who gets one flower from the bride's bouquet will be a bride herself before another twelvemonth has rolled around.

DOMESTIC SCIENCE.

The Practical Way of Mastering It as a Profession.

Domestic science as a special branch for teachers is as yet in its infancy, and I cannot inform you of any college or of any university offering scholarships for the entire course. There are loan funds and small scholarships in several colleges with domestic science courses which will help you to complete your studies if your funds fail and you show that you are peculiarly adapted to the work; also in many of the larger cities domestic science and domestic arts are included in the free night school courses of the public schools and are taught in the night classes of the Young Women's Christian association.

But the woman who has met with reverses and has no funds at her command had best adopt more practical means of establishing herself by her knowledge of domestic science and household economics.

Through the influence of patronesses and the right persons on boards of directors she can perhaps secure an opening as matron or assistant matron or housekeeper of a small charity institution, but it requires powerful influence to overcome the feeling that a trained woman should have the place. Here again the personality or determination of the woman even more than her natural ability as a housewife plays an important part.

If you are brave enough to put your pride in your pocket and enter the linen room of a hotel you can study hotel housekeeping at close range and incidentally be in line for promotion. If you are willing to perform the menial duties of a working housekeeper in a big city until you form acquaintances and work your way into the good graces of the better class of intelligence offices you can secure a position in time as managing housekeeper in a family of wealth, but there is absolutely no chance of your securing such a position by correspondence.

Anna Steese Richardson in Woman's Home Companion.

CASE FOR JEWELS.

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The little case for jewels shown in the illustration is a decidedly better receptacle for pins, brooches and rings than the ordinary jewel box in which unworn articles are tossed about and soon tarnish. It is especially useful

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The center part should be slightly padded with cotton wool, so that pins may be easily stuck into it. The upper and lower portions are fitted with six little pockets, with flaps of chamolins that fold over and button down and in which may be carried rings, chains and other trinkets.

The case folds up and is fastened with ribbons. A nice idea is to have the outside of silk in a pretty design, with the lining of chamolins skin, or if the silk should be in a solid color a monogram or an initial may be embroidered on the outside.—New York Mail.



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—Mrs. Helen Bell, Rufus Choate's brilliant daughter, remarkable for her music and her wit, made that remark quoted without credit by Emerson: "To a woman, the consciousness of being well dressed gives a sense of tranquillity which religion fails to bestow."
 Dr. Holmes wrote me that the phrase so often attributed to him describing a ladies' luncheon: "Giggle, gabble, gobble," was not his at all, but belonged to a clever Boston woman.

—The old lady entered the taxidermist's shop in a haze of wrath, carrying a defunct cock-stoo in a glass case.
 "You can see for yourself, sir. You only stuffed my poor parrot in the summer, and here's his feathers tumbling out before your eyes."
 "Bless ye'm, an' that's the triumph of the art! We stuff 'em that natural that their moules in their proper season."

—The student of sociology handed the tramp a cigar. He wanted to learn about how such people viewed life.
 "Are you happy?" he asked.
 The tramp shifted into a stumpy spot. "I should smile," he answered, blowing a cloud; "too late to shovel snow, too early to trim lawns, nobody putting in coal and once in a while a sucker studying social conditions."
 He was a stout, pudgy person, liable to be irritated early in the morning—evidently subject to indigestion—and he walked into the dining room with anything but good grace.
 The Italian waiter he asked, "Haven't you people any conscience here?" The child of the sunny South only shrugged his shoulders and snarled replied. "Eet eet ees not on ze bill eet ees charged extra for."

"Riches have wings," the folks who note their curious habits say;
 But the magnet's fortune grows so fat It cannot fly away.
 —Life is a warfare.—Seneca.
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