

NEWS OF THE MOLE.

A NEW WAIST THAT IS MUCH ADMIRER.

Combinations It Suggests—Tailor Gowns—The Redingote—Children's Frocks—Variety in Waists.

The Louis XV. style of waist has many admirers, and is represented made up in a beautiful combination of blue brocade silk, white satin and white mousseline de soie, with jeweled passementerie over the shoulder straps and on the jacket fronts, and a belt of darker blue silk completing the charming ensemble.



Louis XV. Waist.

Highly favored for dressy wear with a skirt that may match the dominant shade in the waist or contrast harmoniously with it.

Every shade of violet remains popular. A cloud came over the sun of its popularity six months ago, but the czar's visit to Paris reinstated the color.



A Winter Jacket.

that we were but just assured would be the only sort of wrap this winter, appears the long close-fitting redingote.

son's models—is made of black and gray-blue novelty goods. The skirt is gored, and hangs to perfection, and is trimmed with two rows of black galloon.

Varieties in waists, which are stylish with the inevitable black silk skirt which nearly every woman possesses, is the one thing useful just at present.

A Man Modiste's Wisdom.

A man modiste has at last supplied the bit of wisdom which it seems to have been impossible for women to arrive at unaided.

Here, however, are the pearls of wisdom which the celebrated man dress-maker has advanced.

How Furs Will be Worn. This season one has a fine opportunity of using advantageously all the furs new and old, in one's wardrobe.

Washing Fine Underclothing.

Use one pound of dissolved soap in four gallons of warm water, in which well rinse the articles to be washed, drawing them repeatedly through the hand.

Millinery.

The last winter in the way of head-gear is that turbans are coming in, especially for evening.

Laundering Fine Linens.

Linens and denim, whether embroidered or in white colors, do not need any starch; they should be ironed when damp, and then will be sufficiently stiff.

A NOVEL UNION.

An American Belle to Wed a Turkish Diplomat.

According to the New York Herald, the engagement has been announced in New York and Paris of Miss Edith Lyman Collins, only daughter of Mr. Clarence Lyman Collins, of New York city, to Rehid Bey, Count Czaykowski, Councillor of State of the Turkish Embassy at Rome.

Miss Collins, whose engagement to her guardian, Mr. Chauncey M. Depew, was rumored without authority, is descended from a long line of distinguished American ancestors, among whom, on her father's side, were two Colonial Governors—Governor William Bradford, of Massachusetts, and Governor William Leete, of Connecticut.

Count Czaykowski, who is looked upon as one of the most brilliant diplomats in Europe, is highly esteemed by



Miss Edith Collins.

the Sultan and is one of his advisers. He was, until quite recently, First Secretary of the Turkish Embassy at St. Petersburg, where a year ago he met Miss Collins, who was there on a visit, at the special invitation of the dowager Empress of Russia, to take charge of a booth at a great bazaar for charity.

The father of Count Czaykowski, a man of great power in Turkey, comes of a noble Polish family who were exiled during the great insurrection and have since lived in Turkey.

The young diplomat was in especially high favor with the present Emperor of Russia, and previous to his promotion in diplomacy he was entertained at dinner so frequently at the imperial palace that at the time he was the most talked of man in Russia outside of the imperial family.

Miss Collins inherited a handsome fortune from her mother, who died a few years ago, which was largely increased on the death of her grandmother, Mrs. Robert Niven, which occurred in Paris last June.

Count Czaykowski's attentions to Miss Collins have been most marked, and he has been received most cordially by her relatives in Paris, and by her father, who was with Miss Collins in Russia at the time of her first meeting with her fiancé.

In all probability the wedding will be celebrated in Paris during the latter part of January. Mr. Collins will sail early in the new year to be present at the wedding.

For Slender Women.

Columns of conflicting advice have been written from time to time for the benefit of women who wish to get thin, and as it is not enough for the woman who desires to put on a little extra flesh to draw her conclusions from the reverse side of the fleshy woman's instructions, she is coming in for a goodly share of counsel, too, which is all excellent in a way, but the regime of exercise and diet which is advised for perfect development from the standard of too much or too little flesh is usually an absorbing process which leaves very little time for other things, and the average woman soon wearies of it if she has the courage to attempt it at all.

A Swedish servant-maid, finding that her mistress was troubled with sleeplessness, told her of a practice of the people of her country who were similarly afflicted. It was to take a napkin, dip it in ice-cold water, wring it slightly and lay it across her eyes.

Sleeplessness.

After a ham is nearly eaten there remains a good deal that is not nice enough for table. Cut this off; chop fine as powder; put a layer of ham in jar, sprinkle pepper, cloves and vinegar over it, then a layer of ham, and so on until the jar is nearly full; finish with spices, and cover with vinegar an inch in depth; let stand two or three days. It is delicious for tea or luncheon. Cold meat may be prepared the same way, and is economical, as well as very nice.

Potted Ham.

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COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS.

The Regular Monthly Meeting Held on Thursday Night.

The President and all the members were present. Minutes of the last meeting were read by Secretary R. H. Ringer, and approved.

Complaint was entered about the bad condition of the road at Second and Leonard Street after each rain, and it is requested of Council to take hasty action in the way of arranging some means by which the water may be carried off.

Building permits were granted to Robt. Hartman for dwelling and store on corner of Eighth Street and Ferry road. To Joseph Ratti for stable on rear of his lot on Fifth Street.

The Friendship Fire Company wish to form two companies No. 1 and No. 2, and Council is asked to give Company No. 2 the cart, &c. which formally belonged to the disbanded Rescue Company.

Robert Buckingham, attorney for Dr. J. R. Evans, appeared and made a proposition, that if the Town pay the Doctor \$1772.25, the suit for damages will be withdrawn on account of the opening of Jefferson street.

The Fire Committee reported the arrival of the new hose truck, and that it was in the hose house ready for use.

Mr. Kocher of the Finance Committee reported that T. L. Gunton offers to donate his strip of ground along Jefferson street if Town or some one will put down a pavement of stone.

Mr. Kocher reported against a light at Sixth and Jefferson streets, as it was resolved by Council at a previous meeting that no new lights be put up at present.

Complaint was entered by E. M. Kester, about a couple property owners on Leonard street who failed to put down pavements.

The secretary was directed to issue orders for the following bills:

- J. A. Hess, \$ pair gum boots \$20.00
M. S. Williams, putting down Brown's pavement on Fourth St. 4.50
J. L. Wolverton, sand for Brown pavement and elsewhere 12.90
Thos. Gorrey, cobble stone 21.25
Water Co. for stone 4.80
Ella Sidler, costs for ground hauled, eatables &c. (damage) 9.00
E. J. Brown, for sprinkling 6.00
D. Laycock, for arrests 2.82
Low Bros., for cobble stone 27.25
Water Co. for water 3.67
F. E. Miller, mantle for light 50
Water Co. fire hydrants 89.17
Wm. Gerguson, brick for Brown's walk 12.00
Moyer Bros. Chloride 1.50
Policemen Knorr and Culp 80.00
R. H. Ringer, Secretary 20.00
A. L. Fritz, attorney for Sarah E. Evans, notified council of a defect in the gutter at Main and Iron Streets, by which the water runs through the foundation of the Evans building to the cellar, and asked that the same be repaired. J. R. Schuyler, who occupies the building, was present and said that the water was damaging his goods. The street committee was directed to repair the same at once.

George M. Hughes was present and requested that East Third Street be cindered, he said that he would do the work and wait a reasonable length of time for the pay. It was stated that several others were willing to work on same and apply the wages on taxes. By votes of Gorrey, Brobst, Rawlings and Richard, it was ordered that the street be cindered. Kocher and Kunkle voting no.

George Yost complained of grade in front of his property on Second street. Referred to street committee. The business being completed, Council adjourned.

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Prof. Coles for January.

Prof. C. Coles, of Kingston, Pa., in his weather predictions in Storms and Signs gives the following "Words of Warning" for this month:

The Atlantic coast will be storm swept. Pestilence and famine will sweep thousands away to death in the Old Country.

The eastern and middle states will be storm swept this month unless the electrical currents ground and give us an earthquake instead.

The fever epidemic will still continue and increase in virulence.

Two new forms of disease microbes will make their appearance, the blood-tappers and the flesh-eaters. The bloodtappers will get into the throat or stomach and tap the blood veins, causing hemorrhage. And the flesh-eaters will consume the flesh. They will attack both man and beast.

Some beautiful sunsets will occur between the 5th and 20th.

Another meteor is headed toward the earth and will cause an earth shock or quake wherever it happens to fall, on the land or on the sea.

The moon will be close to the bright shining star Venus on the 6th inst; close to red warrior Mars on the 14, and very near the big planet Jupiter on the 21st. Watch for these interesting exhibitions.

Let those troubled with heart disease or in a run down condition avoid all over exertion or exposure on the 11th and 15th of this month.

A New Counterfeit.

The secret service division of the treasury department reports the discovery of a new counterfeit \$10 national bank note. It is a photographic reproduction of a note issued by the Union National bank, of Detroit, Mich., letter B, series of 1883, signed by W. S. Rosencrans, register, and C. M. Jordan, treasurer. Chief Hazen, of the service, says it is the product of the same hand as a counterfeit note recently discovered of the National bank of Commerce, New York.

President elect McKinley has almost completed the first draft of his inaugural address. Chairman Hanna was kept very busy warding off eager place-hunters and thus enabled the major to work at his leisure in the chairman's Cleveland office.

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