as the Pennsylvania's President. In the BACHELOR GIRLS interim of seventeen years he won wide recognition as a breeder of race horses and an ardent promoter of the "sport of kings," greatly improved the hackney line in this country, helped to organize the Philadelphia Horse Show, and became a frequent prize winner at horse shows throughout the country; as road supervisor of his own township, gave to the country its model roads; gloried in the life of a gentleman farmer; conceived and built the New York, Philadelphia & Norfolk; and, barring a few months immediately following his retirement, was one of the leading spirits in the Pennsylvania's board of directors. He had retired that he might have time to rest and play. This somewhat incomplete list of the things he did will doubtless lead the reader to draw the conclusion that his play period must, indeed, have been of the very strenuous sort.

Mr. Cassatt was averse to becoming President of the Pennsylvania. In fact, when the honor was first offered to him, he unhesitatingly declined it. But later, when Mrs. Cassatt begged him to accept, he weakened, and when, for the second time, the directors called on him to head the Pennsylvania's army, he asked for a few hours in which to make up his mind for good and all, the general feeling was that he would surrender to the wishes of his wife.

Mr. Cassatt is a millionaire, of course, but it is doubtful whether he has a sufficient number of millions to give him standing among the "multi's." Nevertheless, he possesses what many a "multi" does not-a splendid education and a real knowledge of the higher things, such as fine paintings and statuary, for which many a "multi" spends his dollars lavishly because it's considered to be the proper thing.

Mr. Cassatt's liberal education-he is no mean linguist-was obtained abroad, ing at the Van Rensselaer Polytechnic, around it. where he graduated in 1859. Immedithe Pennsylvania as rodman. Little did hay crop gets poorer every year. he dream then that thirty-eight years "At Terryville and Waterbury all the

build township roads. His chief method there, too, supplies are drawn from New of escaping railroad cares for the time York. It is so all through that region being is to sit at the boards of the two and other regions like it. dining clubs to which he belongs.

its members. The one thing never talked who farms with brains. about is business in any shape, manner or form, and so the club gives one and carry the heavy burdens.

artists and writers. The meetings are into the hands of this class. held at the homes of members in the a guest, and members and guests alter-

and thoroughness. He entered upon the task of building put roads for his township with as much zest as he displayed when aiding in the development of the Pennsylvania. He has been an enthusiastic doer of deeds as well as a planner of them, and as such has won out in work and in play.

Mr. Cassatt has still a little more than three years left in which to serve as President of the Pennsylvania. Then he will have reached the age of three-score ars and ten, when, by a rule of his

making, he will perforce retire on What original, hold ideas he vibute to the history of Ameriding in these remaining years, cell?

FARMING IT.

An Experiment on One of the Berkshire Hilltops.

They are Trying if They Can Live From the Proceeds of Two Acres-Most of the Work They Will Do Themselves...The Eyes of Men Farmers to Be Opened.

WO bachelor girls of New York and their mother have started an experiment this summer to see if they can actually live from the proceeds of two acres of land. The land is situated on one of the Berkshire hilltops, near the village of Terryville, not far from Waterbury, Conn. Last summer was the first they spent there, and they sold fifty dollars' worth of garden truck, besides supplying their own

This spring they started early. They have ploughed and planted the whole two acres, half of it to potatoes. They expect to raise five hundred bushels of potatoes, to sell them for one dollar a bushel, and to clear \$250 or \$300 from that acre.. They are now selling hotbed radishes and lettuce, and have sold 1,000 tomato plants raised under cheesecloth from seeds planted in April.

The other acre will include a big vegetable garden, a strawberry bed and a scrap of pasture for the horse. Eventually they will have a greenhouse. They keep hens enough to supply their own dressmaker can achieve it. table. They hired a man to do the plowing and hoe the potatoes. The rest they expect to do themselves.

"I believe," said one of them, "that a great source of modest prosperity is being wasted by the absence of market gardening in the neighborhood of the smaller places. Terryville has about 1,800 inhabitants. There is one factory there.

"Before that came it was a farming his father moving there while he was village. The farms are all there yet, but still a youth. After going through the the farmers are all working in the fac-University of Darmstadt he returned to tory. There are no vegetable gardens America and received his technical train- in that village and no market gardens

"They raise nothing on their farms but ately thereafter he went to Georgia to hay. They will take a vacation in the help locate and construct a railroad line. When war looked certain he came north, they will hire a man to do it for them; and just before it broke out he went with but as they do nothing for the land the

later he would be called, Cincinnatus garden truck comes in from New York, fashion, from his stock farm to the presidency of the corporation.

and is, of course, expensive and not fresh. With great stretches of unculti-Since he has been President of the vated land all around, the people eat Pennsylvania, Mr. Cassatt has had very canned vegetables. There is some marlittle time in which to breed horses or ket gardening around Hartford, but

"Now, I don't blame a man who has One of these clubs is made up of na- always lived on a farm and farmed in tionally known financiers and captains of the old-fashioned, unscientific way for industry-such men as Clement A. Gris- wanting to get into town and go to work com, Henry C. Frick, P. A. B. Widener in a mill. It is another stage in his evoand J. P. Morgan. The club meets from lution. But it leaves an opportunity for time to time at the country homes of the scientific farmer, the educated farmer

"That sort of person is one who has got done with cities, who has been all a splendid opportunity to enjoy that through the mill, who has had enough, relaxation so necessary to all of us, and longs to get out of the treadmill most peculiarly so to those of us who of city life. Such a person finds interest and fascination in the life which the The second club likewise taboos busi- owner of the place abandoned to go to ness as a topic of conversation. Its mem- work in a woollen mill. I believe that bers are recruited largely from the pro- all the small farming of the East, which fessions; Dr. S. Weir Mitchell is a shin- is practically only market gardening and ing light, and besides lawyers, there are raising of specialties is going to pass

"I believe that every year will see winter time. Each member must invite more and more educated young men and women turning to scientific farming for nate at table. The club of millionaires a living. That sort of farmer will demeets in the summer time, and is not mand more than the old fashioned one. so generous with invitations as the Books, newspapers, periodicals, a bathtub and an occasional trip to the city Golf is Mr. Cassatts' present-day fa- will be necessaries to him.

vorite outdoor recreation, and he is a "He will make them possible to better methods, both of cultivating and better methods, both of cultivating and Summing up, Mr. Cassatt's career, in of marketing. He will raise high-grade active life and in retirement, has been specialties-fruit, butter, mushrooms characterized by boldness, originality violets-all sorts of things, and ship them straight to customers. He won't have very much money, but he will have as much at the end of the year as he had on his salary in the city. He will be free from the strain and grind of city life; he won't be afraid of being fired at forty, and he will be his own boss."

Two New Lincoln Stories.

It is related that at one time President Lincoln was conversing with an aristocratic American lady about the United States, when she remarked: "I love my country, of course, but am much grieved that the re are so many common people in it." He replied: "But, madam, think how Gold must have loved them he made in it." He replied: "But, madam, think how God must have loved them, he made so many of them."

A sol fier at whose house when a boy Lincoln paused in his tramps in Illinois, and who loaned him a whetstone to

Odd Facts.

Gold can be drawn into wire so and that 550 feet will only weigh one grain.

The total number of lighthouses in the world is about 3350. Of these the States possess the largest number, between 670 and 680.

It is said that sharks can swim at a fifteen-mile rate for a short distance, but usually goes about six miles an hour.

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Was place at Sunapee. Before going to bed at night I stick my head out of the window at six is easily put together and cut on such artistic lines that it is universally becomning. It may be trimmed with bands of the material, soutache braid and tiny but soldier.

In the visitor was not at all imdotted foulard dresses. This waist combines well with any of th

FADS AND FANCIES.

The Week's Review of Newest Fashions for Which our Readers May Obtain Patterns-Work that Any Home Dressmaker Can Easily Do.

By MINNA S. CRAWFORD.

department devoted to woman's interests as part of a costume or as a separate the most helpful, valuable and attractive garment, forms an indispensable article feature of the paper.

With this in view we have arranged beautiful model here shown has the mowith the foremost fashion authorities of dish fitted vest and elbow length sleeves Paris and New York for weekly advices of the very newest dress ideas as fast as they appear; and in order to make these fashion descriptions and illustrations of the utmost value to our readers, we have also arranged a special fashion service whereby those who may desire these exclusive styles may secure patterns of them direct from our New York fashion correspondent.

In the fashionable woman's wardrobe nothing can supplant the lingerie blouse. The one pictured in illustration No. 2021 comes to use direct from that fountain head of the beautiful in dress, Paris It is shown as part of a white Persian Lawn costume, is extremely dressy in effect, yet built upon lines so artistically simple that the veriest tyro of a home



The yoke as pictured is of all-over lace in an Irish Crochet pattern. These yokes are to be had ready-made in the shops. If preferred, the yoke may be made of strips of lace or of alternating embroidery and lace, or the yoke may be omitted altogether and a trimming of medallions substituted, as the pattern is cut high-necked and perforated for the yoke. Sizes are 32, 34, 36, 38 and 40 inches

The Skirt No. 2022 is also charmingly simple, although it suggests a very elaborate effect. It is a one-piece tucked model lengthened by a tucked flounce, and is a pretty style for taffeta and foulard as well as for lawn and wash fabrics. Sizes are 22, 24, 26. 28 and 30 inches waist.



stitching and buttons of white. All-over lace or embroidery may be substituted for the shaped band of material orna-New York women are wearing waists of this kind as part of the new polka

T is the editor's desire to make our knows no abatement. Indeed, it has Pictorial Color Magazine Section of taken a new lease of life in the Ponyinterest to every member of the fam- bolero coat No. 1982, which, made in ily, and we shall aim to make the Taffeta silk, or in Panama cloth, either

of woman's wardrobe this summer. The



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HUNTERS FEAR

TEXAS HAVALENES. the abundant game in the Gulf Coast Country of Texas there is lested by hunters, and that is as effective one species which is never momoderate. one species which is never mothe "havalene," which is the local name for the peccary. The havalene has tusks three or four inches long, which he is always ready and even eager to use on any creature he deems objectionable. If he is wounded he sets up a cry of distress which is instantly answered by every one of his species within hearing. The only thing for the hunter to do under such circumstances is to climb a tree. If there are no trees handy, and



he is a wise hunter, he will not venture a shot at a havalene. All attempts to hunt havalenes with dogs end in disaster, for the animals travel in small droves, and they will turn on the dogs and rip them to pieces in short order. Havalenes when full grown are three and a half to four feet long, and veigh 125 to 150 pounds. They have long, thick, dark gray hair. They resemble a pig, but have small ears, dainty feet, and are trim and neat. A pair of captive havalenes beside the station at Kingsville. Texas, attract a great deal of attention from travelers. They are very tame and like to be petted and scratched, but are rather too quick to resent fancied affronts to be agreeable

A Remarkable Echo. President Murphy, of the Chicago Na

tional League Club, told at a baseball dinner a remarkable echo story. "There Here is something new, dainty and was a man," he began, "who had a coun effective in an unlined yoke waist. The try house in the Catskills. He was showoriginal was of Dutch-blue lawn, the ing a visitor over his grounds one day, and, coming to a hilly place, said:

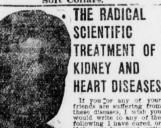
"'There's a remarkable echo here. If you stand under that rock and shout, mented with round pearl buttons, or for the echo answers four distinct times, the tucked yoke portion, with good effect. With an interval of several minutes be tween answers."

"But the visitor was not at all im-

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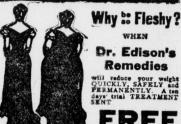
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