

OLD BIRD.



Mrs. Justwed—I want a chicken that I can fry, roast, stew or fix up any way I want.

NO HEALTHY SKIN LEFT

My little son, a boy of five, broke out with an itching rash. Three doctors prescribed for him, but he kept getting worse until we could not dress him any more.

Somewhat Disappointing.

He was a doctor and was patiently waiting for his first patient. Thought he: "If the mountain will not come to Mohammed, Mohammed must go to the mountain."

Rosin Rots Things.

Rosin is good for fiddle bows, but when it is put in a soap to give it weight and holds it together it gets into the clothes and rots them.

Undesirable Acquisition.

A scientist who lost his pet dog put a little notice in the paper headed, "Warning," which charitably described the animal as having "strayed," and added:

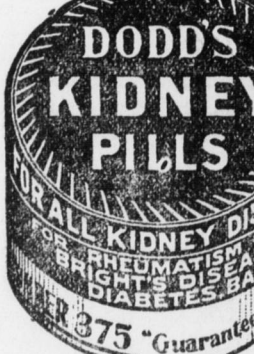
Satisfactory to Her.

"Woman," observed the epigrammatic boarder, "is a puzzle without an answer."

Takers of the United States Census will use Waterman's Ideal Fountain Pen because it is always ready and sure.

Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup. For children teething, softens the gums, reduces inflammation, allays pain, cures wind colic. See a bottle.

Vanity is due to a leak in one's wisdom tank.



5c afflicted with sore eyes, use Thompson's Eye Water

The Spring Suits



STRICTLY tailored lines are the accepted thing for spring suits. There is a smartness in these severe models which is not gained in the dressy suits.

The distinction of a tailor-made model lies in the arrangement of the cuffs, collar, and button placing, and it is a chic novelty in these details that marks the first showing of suits as entirely of this year's vintage.

Some of the cuffs and collars are faced with the material, but there is more cachet to the models having a darker touch for a finish. Nearly all the coats are single-breasted, or very slightly doubled, and they fasten with one, two, or three buttons.

There is no skirt so universally becoming as the plaited model, and it is to be the fashionable thing for the spring suit. The plaits are arranged in various ways, prettily grouped, or coming below a yoke.

Very fetching are the fabrics for the delightful spring raiment, and charming color adds its attractiveness to the beauty of the weaves.

fancies, and white threads are woven in, giving a lovely light silvery tone which it most effectively.

Green, rose, biscuit, tan, gray blue, and a grayish lavender are among the popular shades in the fashionable chevots, homespun and allied fabrics.

White serge is one of the loveliest of all materials for the better suit, and no modish outfit is quite complete without one of these smart creations.

The suits and coats of the accompanying sketch give a general idea of the trend of fashion for the first spring days. The loose coat of the first sketch is an all-around useful garment for motoring.

The second sketch is of a light soft blue homespun with black satin collar and cuffs, and an odd finish above the fastening made of matching soutache and wee crocheted buttons.

The long coat is of dark blue serge with collar, cuffs and pipings of copper colored cloth. The buttons are black and silver. Such a coat will be very useful for a woman who goes about a good deal on the cars or train.

The remaining suit is a practical, comfortable affair for everyday wear in green chevot with black satin buttons and collar, and revers of natural pongee.

DIRECT FROM PARIS.



Tricorne of mole-colored felt, lined with black velvet, a knot of velvet drawn through a steel clasp holding a mole-gray feather.

Little Girl's Dress.

A girl of six years has a pretty pinafore dress of white linen, having a panel front and back, with three large scallops, with small ones between, at the tops and bottom.

A Novel Dryer.

The woman who goes in for beauty fads has now adopted the slapping method of drying.

After the bath instead of drying with a Turkish towel she slaps herself dry with light even strokes of the palm of her hand and fingers.

This is supposed to have a beneficial effect on circulation and is especially recommended to those who are subject to a dead feeling of the limbs.

COLORS THAT SUIT YOUTH

Anything Bright is Good, But Combinations Are to Be Skillfully Handled.

There is undoubtedly an age in colors. The clear blues, reds, pinks and yellows belong to youth, and youth alone should wear them.

The time will soon come when the pastel shades, the lavenders, the shaded purples and the shadowy greens must be our lot. Therefore, "gather ye rosebuds while ye may" and glory in all the fresh, beautiful colors of youth.

It is not one color that is too bright, too loud for a young girl; it is the combination of two or more colors. If this be remembered when replenishing the wardrobe, and only those colors be chosen which will combine with those already got, fewer mistakes will be made, and the number of "perfectly hideous" hats or frocks hung in forgotten clothes presses would soon diminish.

It is a mistake for a young girl to eliminate all the stronger colors from her belongings, for she, and she alone, can do them justice.

Making a Paper Hat.

In these days of fancy paper costumes a girl should know how to make an effective hat. Tear crepe paper into two-inch strips the length of the sheet.

Cover a wire frame with these braids and face under part of brim with plain crepe paper or mull to match. Make a bunch of paper flowers—roses, poppies, or carnations—and arrange them on the hat with a band of dull green, brown, or black glazed paper to represent velvet.

Polka Dots.

Polka dots provide ornamentation for a plain lawn shirt waist and enrich the trousseau of a recent bride.

The colored dots form a line down the front box plait and the plaits on each side. They also run down the top of the sleeve and cover the entire four-inch cuff and the attached high collar. A plaiting of the plain white material extends down one side of the front plait, and this is edged with a narrow line of plain color.

The Paris Shades.

In Paris the red-pink shades of velvet find many admirers, but purples, greens and blues are close rivals.

WELL KIDNEYS KEEP THE BODY WELL.

When the kidneys do their duty, the blood is filtered clear of uric acid and other waste. Weak kidneys do not filter off all the bad matter. This is the cause of rheumatic pains, backache and urinary disorders.

Remember the name—Doan's. Sold by all dealers. Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, N. Y. 50 cents a box.

HE KNEW.



Bings—This is a hard, hard, old world.

Bangs—So you've been thrown out of an automobile too, eh?

Marriage.

A game of chance in which the chances are about even. The man leads at first, but after leaving the altar he usually follows breathlessly in his wife's trail. The rules are very confusing.

The Right Spirit.

Apropos of Valentine day a passenger on the Bermudian said: "Mark Twain once told us, in a little Valentine day speech on this boat, of an Irish wooer who had the right valentine spirit.

The Mystery of the Ages.

Youthful Student—Pa, Methuselah was the oldest man, wasn't he? Father—Yes, my son. Youthful Student—Then who was the oldest woman?

EFFECTS OF LIQUOR REMOVED IN 84 MINUTES.

Drunkness is unworthy when you can have it removed without anybody's knowledge. Acme simple home-treatment will do the work.

Bringing Up.

"They're bringing the baby up to be a mollycoddle."

"How so?" "They have the nurse take it out in a go-cart, instead of giving it an automobile."

Pettit's Eye Salve First Sold in 1807 100 years ago, sales increase yearly, wonderful remedy, cured millions weak eyes.

It is easy for the man who never wore a dress suit in his life to blame all the discredit things he hears on polite society.

DON'T NEGLECT THAT COUGH. It certainly racks your system and may run into something serious. Allen's Lung Balm will check it quickly and permanently.

Light to Banish Sorrow. Sorrow dwells longest where the sun is shut out.—Florida Times-Union.

FILES CURED IN 6 TO 14 DAYS. PAZO OINTMENT is guaranteed to cure any case of itching, blind, bleeding or protruding files in 6 to 14 days or money refunded. 50c.

A man reaps what he sows—and rips what his wife sews.

Have You Tried?

Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound? We can furnish positive proof that it has made many remarkable cures after all other means had failed.

Women who are suffering with some form of female illness should consider this.

As such evidence read these two unsolicited testimonial letters. We guarantee they are genuine and honest statements of facts.

Cresson, Pa.—"Five years ago I had a bad fall, and hurt myself inwardly. I was under a doctor's care for nine weeks, and when I stopped I grew worse again. I sent for a bottle of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, took it as directed, and now I am a stout, hearty woman."

Baird, Wash.—"A year ago I was sick with kidney and bladder troubles and female weakness. The doctors gave me up. All they could do was to just let me go as easily as possible. I was advised by friends to take Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and Blood Purifier. I am completely cured of my ills, and I am nearly sixty years old."

Evidence like the above is abundant showing that the derangements of the female organism which breed all kinds of miserable feelings and which ordinary practice does not cure, are the very disorders that give way to Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

Women who are afflicted with similar troubles, after reading two such letters as the above, should be encouraged to try this wonderfully helpful remedy.

For 30 years Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound has been the standard remedy for female ills. No sick woman does justice to herself who will not try this famous medicine.



Mrs. Pinkham invites all sick women to write her for advice. She has guided thousands to health free of charge. Address Mrs. Pinkham, Lynn, Mass.

RESINOL stops itching at once. Most effective remedy known for eczema and other skin eruptions—is the best dressing for burns, scalds, carbuncles, shingles, ringworm and a certain cure for itching and inflamed piles. 50 cents a jar, all druggists or sent direct on receipt of price.

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The Best 25c. Hosiery Made. We have perfected a hose made of silky fibre yarn, with a special heel and toe of 45-ly linen thread which makes them wear 3 pairs of ordinary hose.

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