

IRONY OF FATE

By R. H. WILKINSON

BEGINNING with the day Sheila Flake commenced her duties at the Bellevue hospital, she promised herself that, under no conditions, would she fall in love with Dr. Julian Oakes.

A door was flung open, and a doctor emerged. He stared wildly about him for an instant, and his eyes fell on Sheila. He gasped excitedly. "Quick! It's Doctor Oakes! We must operate at once! He's collapsed as a result of overwork and strain!"

"Man of Mars" Is Myth, Scientist's Photos Show

There are no men of Mars. There is no life on the great planet that has intrigued the world for many years. The statement was made as a scientific fact by Dr. Walter F. Adams, director of the Mount Wilson-Carnegie Institution observatory.

Embassies and Legations

The United States government now owns 22 embassy and legation buildings at the following capitals: Tirana, Albania; Buenos Aires, Argentina; Rio de Janeiro, Brazil; Ottawa, Canada; Santiago, Chile; Peiping, China; San Jose, Costa Rica; Havana, Cuba; Prague, Czechoslovakia; Paris, France; London, England; Tokyo, Japan; Rome, Italy; Mexico City, Mexico; Managua, Nicaragua; Oslo, Norway; Panama, Panama; Teheran, Persia; San Salvador, El Salvador; Bangkok, Siam; Istanbul, Turkey; Tangier, Morocco. This last mission ranks as a legation, although Tangier is not the capital of Morocco, but a city having an international status.

Parachute Packing Taught

Students at a California aviation school are required to learn to pack parachutes and they test their efficiency in this work without leaving the ground by opening them in the slipstream created by an airplane engine and propeller.

Lace, an Ideal Choice for the Matron

By CHERIE NICHOLAS



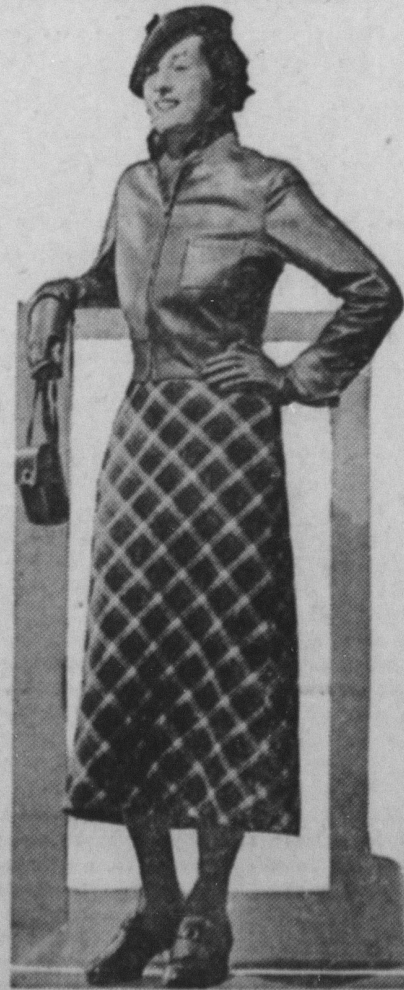
YES, the fashions paraded in style shows and pictured in newspapers and magazines are attractive enough, but they are only for slim and swifly young creatures, why don't they ever consider the needs of women who have reached forty and plus!

Just to prove to mothers and matrons that they are not left out in the scheme of things, look what's here in the picture—two of the loveliest flatteringly lace gowns imaginable, for women of stately grace be they young or not so young.

The fact that lace is scheduled to play so important a part in fashions coming and here, is a good omen for matrons who appreciate the magic which flattering apparel yields in erasing the years, and as every woman knows, there is nothing more flattering, more exquisitely feminizing than beautiful lace.

SMART SPORTWEAR

By CHERIE NICHOLAS



For fun and right smart jauntness, look to the leather hip-length jacket. It is easy to slip into, comfy, free with action back, and inside it has a Johnny collar to keep out wintry blasts.

A New Velvet

A new velvet with a pile of shiny cellophane on a silk back is recommended for making accessories, such as hats, bags, capes and evening jackets.

FASHIONS INSPIRED BY PEASANT THEMES

Peasant themes, with their lovely colorfulness and freshness, are inspiring the season's fashions. In virtually every branch of apparel there are innumerable details that bear the unmistakable imprint of peasant inspiration.

Trains Are Short for the Evening, Gowns Are Slit

Most likely your new evening frock will have a slit skirt to show an alluring few inches of silk-clad leg, but if it has a train, the train will be short. And it is quite likely that it may have a tunic and it may be trimmed with fur.

Patou Uses Moderate Slit in His New Dress Designs

Patou has surpassed himself with the simplicity and elegance of his "little season" collection. He probably never before has designed such completely lovely things.

Let Our Motto Be GOOD HEALTH BY DR. LLOYD ARNOLD Professor of Bacteriology and Preventive Medicine, University of Illinois, College of Medicine.

GRANDMOTHER'S COLD REMEDIES ARE BEST

If your head aches and your back aches and your legs ache, and you shake with a chill in a hot room, and your eyes are watery, your nose stopped up, and you keep sneezing and sneezing, you do not have to see a doctor for a diagnosis that you are beginning a head cold.

Now when you have a cold just starting, the most sensible thing is to stop it immediately, and the sooner you start the more successful you will be.

If you say to yourself, "I won't bother now, but I'll do something to-night," you may be in for a three-day siege, which is the normal run of a cold that gets a good headway, or you may be in for a longer siege that may end in bronchitis, sinusitis, pleurisy or pneumonia.

Medical science has been moderately successful in proving out ways for building up the body's resistance against colds, but thus far in the way of stopping a cold that has started, modern science has not been able to make any improvement upon grandmother's remedies.

Grandmother figured that these heroic measures were lots better—and lots less bother in the end—than having you hang around the house for days coughing your head off and perhaps getting worse, and besides the rest of the family wouldn't be in such danger of catching the cold from you.

The hot lemon juice or the hot vinegar water helps get the digestive system in order, which was put out of order by first the chilling and then the heating of the body skin, with the consequence that the normal action of the stomach was upset and no acid could be secreted into it.

Likewise the flannel cloth moistened with warm turpentine and wrapped around the neck is sound in its scientific principle. It is a form of counter irritation, which has been good therapy for centuries and centuries.

It is estimated that the average person engaged in gainful industrial employment loses about two and one-half days per year from his work because of colds.

This causes a loss of millions of dollars in wages alone, and in addition there is the loss in energy and efficiency for many days following an attack, the loss from illness due to colds, and there is the cost of medicine and the medical and nursing services.

Lengthy Fasts Common Among Lower Animals

When it comes to fasting, man is a poor second in comparison with the ability of various animals to go for long periods without food. Human beings can go for ten or twelve days without food or water, and for weeks if they take water, but animals can do much better than this, according to Professor Hartkopf, a German scientist.

The Fallen Mighty A \$100 suit on his back, a \$1,000,000 deal on his mind—and his lunch in his pocket. That's Wall Street today.—Stock Market Technique.



If You Eat Starches Meats, Sweets Read This

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For Coughs due to Colds, Minor Bronchial and Throat Irritations. JAS. BAILY & SON, Baltimore, Md.

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INDIGESTION, GAS

Mrs. Kathryn Neuter of 23 E. Washington St., Grifton, W. Va., said: "I had a poor appetite and my digestion was bad—certain foods I could not eat without distress. After taking Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery a short time I could eat anything I liked without being upset, and I have since been in the best of health."

OLD AGE PENSION INFORMATION. JUDGE LEHMAN, HUMBOLDT, KANS.