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WHAT EVERY WOMAN WANTS TO KNOW-THINGS THAT INTEREST MAND AND MATRON tion of the tunic. It is open in the front, showing the underskirt. It is slightly full and only a few inches shorter than

## **TOO MUCH ECONOMY UNWISE, AS HUSBAND GROWS PROSPEROUS**

Thrifty Wife Could Not Conditions and Differ-Court.

From time immemorial, the economical of womanly goodness and virtue, and, in who rose so early and worked so unneces. a most tiresome persistence cited as the gressional candidates. real model.

But the reverse side of the picture is seldom shown, and recently a sad case of it was noticed. A little girl, who would have been a sweet little girl, but for one fault. She was "desperately" economical. Every little rag about the house she hoarded for dolls' clothes, every Satarday nickel she save, and even candy was laid by for a future occasion. Oh! the pleasures of life that that little girl missed!

As she grew up, the other children wather shunned her, for she grew harder as this spirit of economy developed with the years.

Then she met a man, who fell in love with her, and they were married. And at first they were happy. For he was poor and struggling, and she was a good, economical wife. But as the years slipped by, his income grew-and grew-and he wanted his wife to pause-only an occasional pause and share his well-earned pleasures.

But alas! and alack! Did he decide to take her to the theatre, and take tickets for the best seats, she sat unhappily in their "box" or orchestra seats and urged the necessity for cheaper seats upon him. "Tom" she would say, "we could have

took her to gay little tele-a-tete dinners i town, he chose the best res-taurants and indeed he could well afford pounce the over its amount. sadly at

adly sight over its another And then the insvitable happened. Since is wife could not happily share his wellhis wife could not happen and the utterly failed carned brackets, since she utterly failed to adapt herself to altered circumstances, he sought consolation elsewhere, and soon found it, in the society of women were only too willing to help him s: his pleritiful income. And the sad

his pier find, income, and the same per-was, that he really preformed his same wife the these-but she had failed him in that wareat essential, complete comrade-ship. The result of her the economical 

traitered circumstances would have surely averted this.

Correspondence of general inter-est to women readers will be print-ed in this page. Such communica-tions should be addressed to the Woman's Editor, Evening Ledger.

#### WOMAN SUFFRAGISTS OPEN WAR ON DEMOCRATS

Congressional Union Orders Members Adapt Herself to Altered to Oppose Candidates of That Party. WASHINGTON, Sept. 14 .- "Withhold your support from all candidates for reelection to Congress whose names appear ences Ended in Divorce on the Democratic ticket." was the appeal sent today from the Congressional Union of pro-woman suffrage head-

quarters. A "suffrage special" car left here today wife has been held up as the true ideal for Chicago with leaders to campaign for ture and its dreadful air of solitude-and "the cause" in States where woman suf- my heart is so full of memories that I company with the good lady of Proverbs, frage legislation is pending. The women can scarce write! Ah! memories and old voters in the nine suffrage States will be regrets, I will drive you away tonight, sarily hard, has been eternally and with asked to "knife" the Democratic Con- and be the old light-hearted Ellen Adair

> sional Union, explained the union's policy this lille dreaming is of no avail, today of antagonism to the Democratic The rain is dripping on the roof tonight nominees, regardless of whether such nominces individually favor equal suffrage, by downpourings of this strange, wonderful stating that the union holds the party country-and the sound of it on the roof which is in power strictly responsible for takes me back to my little English village not heeding the demand for suffrage leg- on the Sussex Downs, where life ran in shipa

WASHINGTON, Sept. 14 - Predicting Predicting that the seven States which will vote on woman suffrage in November will turn down the proposition to give the franchise to women, Miss Minnie Bronson, ish, thoughtless person, who vegetated in general secretary of the National Asso-ciation Opposed to Woman Suffrage, left Washington last evening to assume per-is learning a harder lesson, and in a new paigns in Nebraska, North Dakota, South Dakota, Montana and Nevada. Co-operating with Miss Bronson v will be these speakers and field workers: Miss Marjorie Dorman, of New York; Mrs. Orville D. Oliphant, of New Jersey,

DARK COLORS IN FALL HATS

Bonwit and Teller's Opening Reveals Extremes in Size.

and Miss Markeson, of Ohio.

Darker shades characterize the fall and winter styles this season and they seen this piece, or heard this music, just are being used on the really smart hats. as well from the amphitheatre, where we Brown is the favorite color. Flowers, ned to go. Next time, we must go back particularly roses, will be used to lighten and brighten the sombre velvets and

beavers which will form the foundations of the hats, models of which were shown taurants and indeed he could well anord to do so. But all through the meal, that stupid little wife was sadly counting the cost, and with the check, she would proached with the check, she would pounce upon it before her husband, and

A smart model for evening wear is made with a silver metal crown and rather narrow brim. The crown is edged with skunk fur and a large pink we with a rich ospray ornament is stened at the side, the arrangement hg a chic effect.

specially stunning chapeau is fashuned with a brown beaver crown and wide satin brim of the same shade. This hat is trimmed on either side with large tridescent wings.

A rather large toque of black velvet a trimmed with very high ostrich feather "fancies" arranged at either side and meeting in a graceful spray.

# THE STRIVINGS OF ELLEN ADAIR IN PHILADELPHIA

Being the First of a Series Detailing the Experiences of a Real Flesh and Blood English Girl.

I have sat here, pen in hand, for hours here in my shabby lodging, with its drab walls and flaring gas jet. its cheap furnionce more. Away with failure and loneli-Miss Alice Paul, leader of the Congres- ness: I must win out, I shall make good:

-a gentle, quiet rain, unlike the wild islation, regardless of individual friend- as gentle courses as the falling rain, and I was young and sheltered. Youth and happiness! Oh, the sheer music of the words! Yet there are greater things in country, fighting a better and a worthler fight.

It seems years, instead of a bare two months, since that sunny summer morning when I sailed away from Southampton dock-with a big lump in my throat, ny wordly all in my shabby trunk, \$10 tucked away in a corner of my shabby nourning frock, and a desperate determination to make good in the new and wonderful country to which I was going What crowded experiences have intervened since then! and I, Ellen Adair, an English girl, young and strong, and ah! dear Heaven, still hopeful, am facing this new world alone. And the sheer lonesomeness of this rainy night is driving me to write the story of my life-I feel and think like 40, but I am only 24-and in the old cracked mirror posite I see a young face, with new, ed lines around the mouth. But there added strength and resolution there. I must begin my tale in earnest now, and away with sentiment. In my life there can be but little room for that. I

m a worker, and must cease to dream. My childhood was a happy one, and, being happy, was uneventful. I was an only child, and in spite of much petting re-mained comparatively unspolled. How well do I remember those old happy days well be i remember those old dappy days in the English seaside town. My father, a country doctor, was so busy that i tarely saw him, but my mother was my constant companion, and I idolized her. She was the kindly sharer of my joys and of my sorrows, a real friend and companion

age of 15. I was sent off to boarding school in London, a quiet, unpretentious, iddle-class school, where for two years was a pupil. But in that sheltered

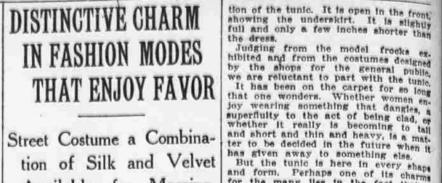


#### SMART STREET COSTUME IN SILK AND VELVET

of the season.

but few, and most of these were married. In our seven years there I had but one proposal of marriage. He was the village apothecary, he sang in the village choir, he squinted dreadfully, and I hated him! But I had just one vestige of a love affair the year before mother died, when I was 23. At a neighboring cottage that summer an artist arrived. Not a professional artist, but an amateur one. He stayed six weeks, and he made a painting of our

The first break in my life was at the little cottage, with the roses and honeysuckle clambering over its whitewashed walls and peering inquisitively in at the sex latticed windows. He thought it all beaunaven we saw but little of London life. tiful, Many a day he took afternoon tea occasional visits to the opera were a with mother and me in our small garden overlooking the rolling downs. I thought the crowds of beautifully gowned him very good looking. He was curiously it is hard to know just when a coat is a tall and dark, with a certain



Street Costume a Combination of Silk and Velvet Available for Morning, amateur. The illustration shows so effectively the fashion notes of the season that it would make an excellent model for the Afternoon or Evening.

There is a distinctive quality of feminity about many of the present modes, something of the charm and grace of a bygone day. That this can be achieved without loss

of the practical is well illustrated in the street costume shown today. It is a combination of silk and velvet.

velvet for the collars, buttons and ribbon Popularity of Fitch Capes Also Is sash, but it would be quite as effective in The early autumn fur-wear is already serge or cheviot.

and form. Perhaps one of its charms for the many lies in the fact that it can be made at home by the skilful

college girl or even schoolgirl. And it has the advantage of being suitable for the classroom or the street without change or addition.

Assured for Fall Wear.

Fitch will be as popular this season as

Vestees and walstcoats of fur will mod

ernize the old fur styles which this season

are to be reincarnated. The caped vester

style is exceedingly charming, and offers

A really handsome fitch cape was noted

the other day, not so full that it rippled

at the waist line, but controlled in clever

fashion by being invisibly fastened to an

under vest of girdle-styled outlines made

of seal. These capes, so important a part

of the winter tollette of our debutante

grandmothers, have once more come to

the front, and will hold a prominent place

A charming combination was accom-

plished with a melon muff of fitch

trimmed with sealskin rosettes, and with

a black seal bow of tailored dimensions

monkey fur will hold their own.

a wide scope for variety.

all winter.

WILL BE AUTUMN VOGUE

MARTEN AND LYNX TIES

decreed and actually on the market. A The basque, the basque girdle the semibasque; we are ringing the changes, but great demand will obtain for small neckthe motif is the same for morning, aftertles of marten and lynx, together with noon and evening wear. Yet its severity smartly designed fancies in ermine and white coney. To be in the height of is modified in almost every instance to conform to modern standards. This gen- fashion, the smart woman will include marten and dyed coon in her wardrobe, eration refuses to be backrammed and while broad-shaped stoles of muskrat or boned into immovability and a higher seal will be seen everywhere. value is set on supple muscles than on a bedies without wrinkles. last, while chinchilla, otter, beaver and

Here, the basque is buttoned down the front quite plainly, but the fulness that starts at the side seam is one of the innovations of the present day modiste. The stiff high collar shows the trend away from the low-necked blouse. There is a decided movement this season toward restoring the collar to its place and to doing away with the open-necked

blouse. Here, happily, we have a compromise. It is buttoned quite high, yet enough of the throat is free for ease and comfort. The long sleeve, that comes not only over the wrist but almost to the knuckles, is in evidence. It is a dictate of the fashion authorities from which there is no reprieve for the present. The sash, that appears at the back

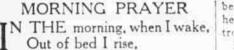
or the side or front in nine out of ten costumes, is a narrow ribbon affair in the illustration. It is fied loosely and falls into place naturally over the skirt proper and be-

adorning the oval-shaped cape at back and front. Handsome novelties in fur pelts will abound this fall. low the basque. There a is particularly graceful adapta-





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JUST BEFORE THE SANDMAN COMES

And to God this prayer I make, Kneeling with closed eyes :---

Father, dwelling everywhere, Help me in this morning prayer For the long day to prepare.

Thou hast kept me by Thy might As I slept all through the night, Keep me ever in Thy sight.

Give me all that I may need; Let my eyes no evil heed; Make me kind in word and deed.

All I love, bless and defend: Be to them a Guide and Friend; Aid in weakness to them lend.

As Thy Son lived here with men, May we live as He did then; In His Name I ask. Amen. Copyright.

JIMMY SOUTH BREEZE

\* Whoever wants to be a nice, quiet, proper little breeze and do everything just as their mothers say-can just do so; I won't, so there!" and little Jimmy Southbreeze gave himself a flop and settled under the pear tree. "So-so!" exclaimed his father, Mr. Southbreeze, "then we know exactly

how you feel about it." "Yes you do!" declared Jimmy,

with a great deal of energy-for to tell the truth he was quite disappointed to find his father so calm.

"I'll scare my mother, anyway," he decided and he meandered around to where she was resting under the caves of the big barn.

"I'm tired of minding and doing things properly all the time, mother," said Jimmy, "I'm going to do some-thing bad-bad!" And Jimmy blew the words out so positively that two little sparrows thought a storm must surely be coming and they flew away

to their nests! "That's all right, Jimmy, dear, I guess it's just the heat that bothers you," replied Mrs. Southbreeze placid-ly. "You go ahead and do whatever up the and maybe you'll feel better."

you like, and maybe you'll feel better." Oh, dear me, but Jimmy was angryl If any one thing made him crosser

than another it was to have his mother talk to him as if he was a weeny-tiny baby instead of a big, strong, healthy breeze able to do things and take care of himself!

things and take care of himself! "I'll just show her how bad I can be and then I guess she'll be fright-ened and she'll know how very grown-up and important I am" exclaimed Jimmy as he blew out of the yard in discuss! disguit1 "I'll never go back there till I have

done something so dreadful they will

be afraid of me," declared Jimmy, and he started on a journey in search of trouble.

Now usually if you search for trouble you can find it easy enough, but Jimmy had very bad luck-he simply couldn't find anything bad to

You see he had been such a nice. proper, helpful little breeze for so long that no one even guessed he was looking for trouble and wouldn't even believe when they were told-stupid things!

The baby birds thought he had come to help them and they welcomed him joyously; the sunbeams thought he had come for a frolic, the flowers asked him to stop and play.

"No-no-no," shouted Jimmy Southbreeze, "I've turned over a new leaf-I'm hunting something very bad to do-no time to play today!" and he blew away as fast as ever he could. But they didn't believe him-not they; they knew Jimmy! They said to each other. "Let's just wait and see

what he does." And if you wait, too, you will hear all about it tomorrow.

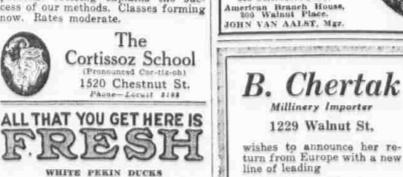
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men and their conve tonally garbed male escorts, the swarming taxis-it was all so wonderful. The green beauty of Kensington Gardens or Regent Park one day, "some day you will wake up and was a favorite haunt for our afternoon walk, and I shall never forget my first slimpse of the King and Queen, then stay here; one day you must learn the rince and Princess of Wales, outside uckingham Palace. How beautiful she realities of life. Live up to the highest always. You have great possibilities." ooked with her golden hair, blue eyes and delicate complexion! I fancied that he smiled at us school girls, and we all through me at his words, and just then

ved her. But a shadow fell on these happy days. father, the hard-worked doctor, died suddenly, bequeathing to my mother and me a mere pittance, and a little cottage he owned in the south of England, in the heart of beautiful Sussex. There we took up our abode. I was barely 17 then. At first I found the peaceful village life a little dul. But I anon area necessationed

ittle dull. But I soon grew accustomed to our quiet existence and mother and i regetated happily there. Books our plano and long walks on the Sussex downs were nd long walks on the Sussex downs were ur hobby. Oh! the beauty of the rolling noorland, with its clumps of trees and he lazy cattle resting beneath. Its hum-oing insect life and its beautiful English lowers. For seven years these things al-nost satisfied me. I say "almost," for t times a vague longing for a wider of the world action me. To you longing n would selze me, a vague long ne crowded hour of glorious l youd the narrow negative happiness o

y present quiet existence. Of men in that Sussex village there were

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her heart out, to the very heavens. It seemed emblematic of his words, "Live up to the highest always'" And the artist man leaned back in his chair and slowly

Just Received the New

uoted the great words of Browning: "The lark's on teh wing \* \* 'God's n his heaven, all's right with the world." Remember that always, little girl," said he 'When things go right, and when things go wrong-God's in His heaven, all's right with the world!"

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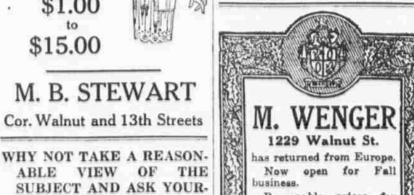
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