ELLEN ADAIR MEETS A AN AMUSING GIRL, WHO ADVISES HER

She Learns to Typewrite, and Takes Up a Temporary Position in a Large City Office.

The seeing eye and understanding heart find kindly folk abounding everywhere. My second night in Philadelphia I felt so sad, and then a kindly thing occurred to cheer me on my lonely, quiet way.

Outside the moving-picture house where I had seen that lovely play called "Hearts Adrift," I was accosted by a cheery,glrlish voice. "Gee whiz, there, kid! Ain't you the little English girl who didn't understand the working of the phone up in

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turned around, and saw one of the girls who had so laughed at me before. I nodded, and a lump came to my throat. I felt just like the story-girl in "Hearts Adrift -for 1 was drifting, drifting all alone, quite penniless, and with no friends

know I blundered dreadfully today,"

'Oh, Ish gebibble about that, my dear!' said she, 'after you left, we all did feel real mean. The boss pitched into us just right and left-said you were a real lady, risht and left-said you were a real lady, and we all were mutts! I know I'm tough, but I should werry. Still, I did feel so sorry after I seen you run right out like that. I chased right to the elevator after you, but you had gone."

"I know I acted stupidly, and proved quite inefficient, too," I said. "It was the Jest thing I could do, to so!"

The girl seized both my hands in hers. "Say, kidde now," she cried. "maybe

"Say, kiddo now." she cried, "maybe you ain't the sweetest, most forgiving little soul! Let me advise you about getting another job. Can you typewrite?"
"I cannot-but I'd like to learn," said I

She nodded sagely in reflective mood. "I have a gen'l man friend, a real cutey he is, just the dandlest lookin' chap, that works for a typewriting firm in town I'll tip this guy a wink, and then I guess he'll fix it up so's you can go and prac-tice on his firm's machines. I reckon you could learn within a week from now. if you just practiced hard. Do you get me, Steve?" Her language did seem strange, but

still I saw she was a kindly girl, and I accepted her kind offer then and there. A FRIEND AT COURT.

"If you are stuck for money" she continued cheerfully, "just take my tip, and pawn a thing or two! I have another gen'l'man friend, a Jew he is, who does a little business in that line. He has the date with him tonight, so I'll be off!
Meet me tomorrow right at Gimbel's
door at 8 o'clock!" and she was off.

I spent the following week in hardest work. I moved to a much cheaper lodging house and sold some little trifles of the Roman dances that were the prevailmy own to none other than the respect-ed Mr. Abraham Cohen, so that I could the scenes of the play are laid. have this one, clear week for cultivating the gentle art of typewriting. I practiced till my eyes and head and heart all starting out badly have developed into

ached together! "Why, kiddo, you can hit the ivories like a streak now!" said my new-found champion cheerfully, at the end of the

So I secured a temporary post as

mireet. LIFE IN AN OFFICE In all my life I never shall forget that tion of variety, that is all. week! The sun shone blazing hot until

temight, although the very heavens should fall! For heaven's sake, Miss Adair, don't you get nervous, too, or we are lost! Please, please, don't twist your fingers, or you'll make me lumpler than I am! Ges whiz, life is just one darned thing after another, isn't it?"

From 3 till 7 o'clock we worked away, the little man and I. Without a coal or collar he sat there.

the name and I. Without a coat or collar he sat there, the perspiration trickling down his anxious little face. At intervals, his zeal to help oute got the better of his common sense, and he would fall upon the top-swriter and turn

the better of his common sense, and he would fall upon the typewriter and turn its rolling wheel with such strange violence that it save one suffle sigh, and, with hurt dignity refused to act. No chauffeur ever cronzed his motorous with keener energy than dol the assistant manager that unclent typewriter. Three times he slipped a cog, three times he figures tively stalled its engine in that week! I had a trans time, but he was kind. I liked the little man exceedingly. He told me of his break and a transition of his pretty little daughter, still at school. I think her name was Deroins, or foot for short. A rouns, tall, merry her sat opposite to me-just what his sourcation was I do not know He did strange fests with paste jed and with lubels and he entered hisroglyphic signs in one large book, a sort of his aw pazie scheme it was his name was Ruckey and his duties seemed exhaustive and were beginn. They included quite a flow of humor toward the telephone operator, a dark-haired, pretty girl, whose wit quite matched his own.

I had a pleasant, though a rather tiring time, in that his office there. I could not typewrite fast chough yet the little assistant manager also awas so kind.

A fair-haired than from affices below tame in quite after just to talk to me. I think he thought my accent very strange, and feathd it curious just to hear me talk.

"I like that way you speak," said he.

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"I like that way you speak," said he,
"I'd like to let you see a bit of sporting
life some might. How would you care
to come with me to see a prize fight at
Olympia? I'd really like to take you."
I do not think that I could ever be a
stenographer. I would dislike it so. The
hours are so exacting, and so long. The
work is bard-not mentally but it wears work is hard-not mentally but it wears but one's strength and one's physique. I am a country girl, who loves the bills and woods and moors, and wild, salt-laden breezes far from city streets. An office life as a stemographer would coush the yery heart and soul of me'. I want, I want blue skies and an untrammeled, eare-free life.

"Ah, Loret could you and I with Fate con-To grasp this earry Scheme of Things entire, Would me not shatter it to bits and then. Hemould it neares to the Heart's Desire!"

Correspondence of general interest to women readers will be printed on netissa this page. Such correspondence should portrait oraddressed to the Woman's Editor, ~ Ledger.



BLOUSE OF LACE OVER CHIFFON

EXPONENT OF CLASSIC DANCE FOR ESEES ITS **ULTIMATE ADOPTION**

Miss Domina Marini Says the day when \$5 purchased the best sweater in the market might be relegated Modern Steps Will Lose Vogue, Which at Best Is Evanescent.

ina Marini, premiere danseuse, "everydun't thank me, because I always like to put a bit of business in Abraham Ebe-

dancing novelties" Miss Marini has the stellar dancing part in "Pilate's Daughter" at the Chestnut Street Opera House. She appears in the Roman dances that were the prevailing mode 2000 years ago, in which time

one separately, but designed so unmistakably for wearing together that no one would dream of buying only the sweater. The sweater costs \$7, the scarf \$2.50 and the cap \$2.50. They would be very suitable for the college girl.

The artificial silk introduced recently makes most attractive sweater costs.

"The modern dances," she said, "after very graceful and altogether delightful pastimes. But the novelty is bound to is \$12, stitute" in a big office close to Market of the classic dances, for the world at large, having tasted the joys of dancing,

will not abandon it. It is simply a ques-"Everybody should be able to do them.

ACROSS THE COUNTER

timely one.

fully colored, like a butterfly from its | black satin is used again for girdle and It is true that beauty has its price, and

to the Middle Age of those garments.

There is one at that price, however, that is most attractive. It is a woven mixture of the autumn reds and browns and streens, with the greens predominating. It has an one-on-like surface and

Knit sweater that are sold at \$6.50. These have collars and cuffs, pocket flaps and belts of a contrasting color to that of the sweater itself, or white on a color.

two weights. At \$9 a sweater similar in style but of nezer Cohen's way! I figure out that if own when people take them up and learn I work things well, why some day I what they are like in their pursuit of may be—why, Mrs. Abe! I have a heavy danging novelities."

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makes most attractive sweater coats.

wear off and people grow tired of them.

This will come, I should say, in two or

These are ugnt but colors are particularly beautiful.

From here the prices soar until the three years. Then will come the turn sweater becomes a rare exotic far re-

At a senside resort a lady bather got out of her depth, and her screams soon the very pavements cracked, and human heads seemed fated to emulate the strange antics of the cracked pavement, standing of the spirit of them. To dance the standing of the spirit of them. To dance the spirit of them to difficulties. A few strokes carried him to the spirit of them. To dance difficulties. A few strokes carried him to the spot, and he reached out a muscular

s called Angora cloth.

There are two weaves at this price and

With coat collars and lapels and cuffs, ockets and a belted back the price is the simple sweater form the price

ment of its origin. HE DID HIS BEST

too, its sympathy.

I sat all day at a large, awe-inspiring desk, with a great typewriter in front of me, and by my side the assistant manager sat all day. a little, dark, good-looking, nervots man. We worked from early more till dewy eve, and obting interest more till dewy eve, and obting interest me, confidingly, while he dictated. "for all those infernal orders must go through fall! For heaven's sake, Miss Adair,"

standing of the spirit of them. To dance as one feels is surely easier than to school oneself in the complicated sequences of mechanical steps such as a proficiency in the modern dances requires.

"Even if the classic dances do become a fad, I do not mean to say there will be many great dancers. The great exponents of the modern dances are few and far between. But I do believe that the average classic dancer will be just as proficient and just as casily so as the average classic dancer. The spent exponents of the modern dances are few and far between. But I do believe that the average classic dancer will be just as proficient and just as casily so as the average classic dancer. The spent exponents of the modern dances requires.

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DOMINA MARINI

Premiere danseuse, who foresees universal adoption of classic dancing.

EXTREME MODELS **EXAGGERATE NEW** IDEAS IN FASHION

They Are Sign Posts Indicating the Way, but Do Not Constitute the Way Itself.

A weman who shops with care and who selects the modified styles rather than the extremes runs no risk of finding herself in possession of garments that have become passe after a few weeks' wear,

Many of the models are an exaggeration of new ideas in fashion. In order to attract attention they must be conspicuous. But they should serve as sign posts to point the way rather than the way it-Only the woman who can afford to toss

a garment aside after appearing in it a few times should buy anything bizarre or extravagant in style. Not even then, in the opinion of some of the arbiters of good taste. The shops now are full to overflowing

with blouses from the simplest to the very elaborate and from the reasonable in price to the most exorbitant. The tailor-made suit has returned to us, at first unobtrusively, as if afraid of its

welcome, but now steadily gaining in as-For morning wear with the failored suit there are any number of simple blouses made of batiste and fine linen and the

thin, soft silks. For afternoon wear and for dress occustons there are blouses of chiffon

LACE COVERS CHIFFON NOW. Last season lace was veiled with chiffon, but now there is a reversement, s turning inside out, for the lace covers

the chiffon in the new blouses, This feature is illustrated by the blouse shown in today's picture. The pattern of the lace shows to much better advantage | Joins in Discussion on Relieving Woover chiffon than it would over satin or

It is a garment that has emerged from very severe form of the purely practical hold it in position. It is made of black something quite shapely and heautistic satin, faced with white satin, and the

The sleeve is not only long, but very long. The lace ruffle falls over the hand, coming out from under the pointed cuff,

which is ornamented with a motif of soutache braid.

The wide girdle of black satin is treated in an individual way. The inset at the back, which is defined by a piping

of the satin, is quite heavily trimmed with the braid. Last season soutache braid was seen

on an occasional silk or chiffon blouse, but this year, possibly owing to its military character, it is having a genuine Very often the single width is used in

quite intricate designs. Again it is seen in rows, set solidly or apart, as one The blouse pictured would not be a difficult one to make at home. And an original or individual design for the braiding would give it distinction.

PRESIDENT'S SWEET ABOUT CITY OF ROME

In Quaint Georgian Town He "Fell in Love" With Ellen Louise Axson and Wooed Her.

By BURTON K. STANDISH ROME, Ga., Sept. 30,-When some one

in years to come writes the life history of President Wilson much of it will be woven around this little city where Ellen Louise Axson-Wilson, the President's wife, was born, and where, on August 11, 914, sne was buried,

Almost every one here repeats at the least solicitation beautiful little stories about the President "love affair" with "Miss Axson." Almost every one knows "Miss Axson." Aimost every one knows that the President was formally intro-duced to her here in the First Presby-terian Church, where her father was pastor for 17 years. And many relate how, beside the Third Street Bridge over the Onawah River, President Wilson proposed to the minister's daughter.

When one knows that the President "fell in love" with Mrs. Wilson here, that

he courted her here, that he pledged his life to her here, one can understand why he, as President of the United States, should travel 700 miles away from Washington to bring her to her final resting The President's feeling is believed to be

exactly as expressed by his brother-in-law, Professor Stockton Axson, in a telegram after the funeral to a sister of Mrs. Wilson, who was ill in Oregon. When the funeral party was on the special train, Professor Axson sent this telegram to his sick sister:

buried in Myrtle Hill Cemetery beside her father and mother.

While the President remembers meet-

ing Mrs. Wilson here; in fact, he had met and played with her years before he was a young man. For one week, when the President was only three or four years old, Mrs. Wilson's father and mother went to Atlanta to visit Presi-dent Wilson's parents. There the Presi-dent met Ellen Axson, then a cute haby only a year old, and for the whole week refused to leave her. It is even stated that the President cried bitterly when the Axsons left Atlanta for Rome

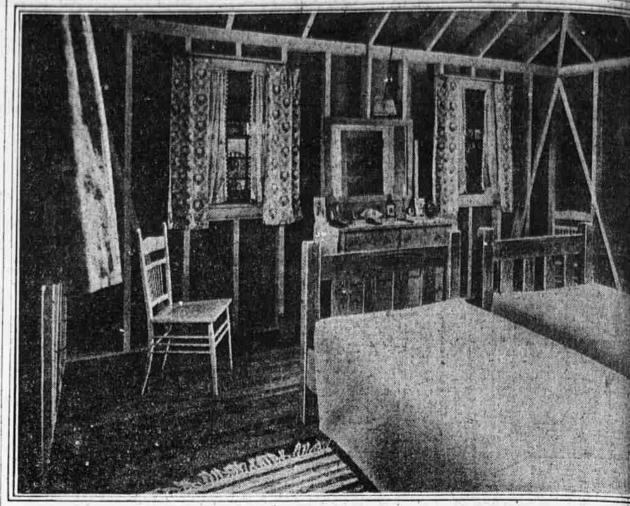
A few years later Thomas Woodrow Wilson and his father, also a minister, went to Rone, Ga., to visit the Rev. Mr. Axson. Here the President arain met the little girl. Then she was about eight years old, and they "ran hoops" nd played together along the Etowah River banks.
But the future President was destined

to make another shift, and from then until he was a young lawyer living in Atlanta he did not visit this city. Atlanta he did not visit this city.

Atlanta is about 68 miles from Rome.
One day when the President was carrying on his unsuccessful law practice he journeyed over to Rome, spent the Sunday here and attended the First Preshyterian Church. At the service he noticed a yquis woman whose beautiful face attracted him and he asked to be introduced.

It was another case of "love at first sight," and it is declared that the President

sight," and it is declared that the Presi-dent and Miss Axson "had an under-standing" very shortly afterward al-though they were not engaged for several weeks. Within a year or so they were married, and Rome, Ga., the scens of their early love, was endeared to them forever afterward. HINTS TOWARD THE HOME BEAUTIFUL



A BEDROOM ARRANGED WITH MISSION FURNITURE-THIS IS PARTICULARLY APPROPRIATE FOR A BUNGALOW

BACHELOR SENDS ADVICE ON KEEPING HOME HUBBY

man of Weary Drudgery.

Dealing with the topic of Wife's Dull Round of Household Duties, first discussed in the issue of September 28, many letters have been received. Great divergence of cpinion continues. The views of "Hopeful Bachelor" offer a solution to the problem. The Editor of the Woman's Page will be glad to publish letters dealing with this topic

Bachelor Offers Advice To the Editor of the Woman's Page, Evening

Madam-Woman's sphere is the homea very trite phrase, indeed! Is the woman perpetually bound to her four walls by the marriage vows? The modern woman fortunately does not take this archaic view. She is hungry for culture and self-development, the acquisition of which comes mainly from contact with the great world outside, far from her own Penates.

Recently I heard propounded a very workable and rational solution of one phase of the marital problem, whereby the irksome and monotonous round of existence can be much mollified and brightened by an occasional interlude of

of absolute freedom each week, for husband and wife. They may go whither-soever their interest may impel them, oever their interest may be not some other object of feminine interests. This occasional tred daily, aye yearly, intimacy the daily, aye yearly, intimacy the effect will be restless, an important feature to consider in a bedroom. Additionally, and the confice type marital mishaps.

As a bachelor, contemplating matrimony, I humbly offer this suggestion for

the careful consideration of those already in double harness.
HOPEFUL BACHELOR. Philadelphia, Sept. 29, 1914.

Happy Married Man Writes To the Editor of the Waman's Page, Evening

Madam - "Appreciative Husband," It seems to me, takes a very myopic view of the duties of a wife. In not taking his wife into his confidence, in not sharing with her his business troubles, snaring with her his business troubles, he fails to avail himself of one of the most blessed privileges of the married life. The wife should be a mate in every sense of the word. There should be mental accord. Neither should conceal anything from the other. Psychological comfort is more to be desired than physical. than physical. HAPPILY MARRIED MAN.

Philadelphia, September 29, 1914.

Like "Modern Wife's" Letter To the Editor of the Woman's Page, Evening Ledger:

Madam-I think the letter of "Modern Madam—I think the letter of "Modern Wife," as published in your paper of yesterday, is exceedingly sensible and very much to the point. I only wish I had the courage and the initiative to take up a stand such as she does in the home. My life seems to be one long round of cooking and preparing meals. and if I can find time once in three months to go to the theatre with an-other woman, I feel very lucky. My husband believes that the wife's place is in the home, and, indeed, I have so many household duties that his belief works out very thoroughly. I have been married for ten years, and have had very little of the galeties and pleasures that most women of my age enjoy. "Modern Wife's" letter of yesterday's "Everything was beautiful. We left sig-ter with father and mother." a determined stand in the future, for I And they did, for Mrs. Wilson was feel that I am growing old before my HARASSED HOUSEWIFE. Germantown, Sept. 30, 1914.

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MISSION COTTAGE FURNITURE ADAPTED TO BUNGALOW

Soft Dull Finish Preferable for Camp and Enameled for Seashore.

Mission cottage furniture is particularly appropriate in a bungalow bedroom of this type, and, with a wide choice of color and finish, it is possible to carry out any scheme of decoration at a very reasonable cost. The soft dull finish in the many brown

shades, silver gray or sage green, is enpecially desirable for camp bungalows, while the enameled finish seems peculiarly appropriate for the cottage at the seashore. Of course, all varieties of this attractive furniture may be used delightfully in the suburban house. The rafters in the room here pictured seem to be part of the furniture and add greatly to the cheeriness and bright effect of the room, the note of color, of course, being in the curtains. And what an endless variety of color

and pattern can be found these days at little prices Many reproductions of expensive English chintz patterns may be bought for 18 to 25 cents a yard, and wholesome relaxation.

This plan does not go to the Havelock Ellis extreme, but provides for one night transformed with dainty cretonne curtains, ruffled bedspreads and chair cushions made to match. If the wall paper

> are much more desirable and newer than the rods with the hopelessly ugly balls on the ends.
> Curtains with a valance ruffled or

Curtains with a valance ruffled or plaited are always attractive, but a new, or rather old idea revived, is the wooden cornice covered with cretome concealing the rod, on which the curtains may be opened or drawn at will by means of a cord with tassel ends, which can easily be applied making a very pretty finish. be applied, making a very pretty finish.
The floor of this dainty room, in two shades of wood, is a new and good effect, while the sturdy little mission beds complete an attractive room.

FOR SCIENCE'S SAKE The wife of the great botanist beamed

at him across the supper-table. "But these," she exclaimed, pointing to the dish of mushrooms that had been set before her, "are not all for me, are

"Yes, Mabel," he nodded, "I gathered them especially for you." She beamed upon him What a dear, unselfish old husband he was! In five minutes she had demolished the lot. At breakfast next morning he greeted her anxiously. "Sleep all right?" he inquired.

"Splendidly," she smiled. "Not sick at all-no pains?" he press-"Why, of course not, Archie," she re-sponded.
"Hurrah, then!" he exclaimed. "I have

discovered another spacies of mus that isn't poisonous."



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