

WHAT EVERY WOMAN WANTS TO KNOW—SPRING FASHIONS, USEFUL HINTS AND IDEAS

THE ENGAGED GIRL

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Things She Should Not Tolerate
The engaged girl is occasionally rather unreasonable in the demands she makes on her fiancé's time and attention.

How some girls can permit their fiancés to treat them the way they do is really surprising! Their long-suffering is pathetic—more than that, it is humiliating.

I get so many pathetic letters from girls who are being badly treated by their fiancés that a few words on this subject would perhaps be advisable.

"Please take my fiancé to the movies and let me go with him," said a girl who writes me. "I don't want to go with him, but he says I must."

"I am dreadfully unhappy about the way my fiancé treats me," wrote another girl recently. "He always says that he cares for me, but his actions certainly don't show it."

Another young woman who is finding that the course of true love never did run smooth complains that her fiancé treats her with less courtesy than he would even his own brothers and sisters.

THE DAILY STORY

A Peripatetic Wooing

Eloise was having thoughts. That they were not pleasant thoughts was proved by the hurry with which she donned her tan ulster and close brown walking hat and slipped out of the house.

She looked up at the huge, ugly "rubberneck wagon," now fairly transformed into a bower of beauty by red, white and blue electric lights and Chinese lanterns bobbing in the chill breeze.

George had dared to insinuate that she should not get along without him. He had acted as if he were as much a part of her life as her daily ride in the park, her nights at the opera, her cotillon favors.

Ladies and gentlemen," he said, "wait a few minutes and I will explain this interesting plan. There are some people present who did not come with the party and who are waiting in the hope that they will get the benefit of what I am about to tell you."

"Do you mean me?" she demanded. "I guess you have a good right to be here as anyone. And we'll stay here till we are ready to go."

"The conductor turned to Eloise for approval. The members of this party have each paid two dollars for this valuable information and it is not fair to them to allow you to hear this for nothing. I know your kind, you have been following me around just to get this information free. Not a nickel passes but I have trouble of this kind and it's got to stop."

There was a commotion in the doorway as two men pushed through and thrust their fists under the conductor's nose. "I'll report you," she yelled, "for insulting a lady."

"What are you doing here?" he demanded. "Why, you have never been down here before. I have been following you. I'm here to see you."

"What if I haven't?" she said, somewhat breathlessly. "I am old enough to do as I choose and I'm not in the least your affair."

"I know of a good recipe for skinning tomatoes which is very easy and will not harm the taste. Instead of pouring boiling water over tomatoes I hold same on a fork over stove or gas range and keep turning until skin cracks and it will peel off very easily."

"I have a Chinese laundryman," she exclaimed passionately. "And I never will have one!"

She ran almost blindly down the stairs and into the street, trying to get her bearings and find her way to the nearest subway station.



A SMART SUIT FOR THE CHILD

started her into action. She sprang forward. "Eloise!" A man's voice echoed her name commandingly among the skyscrapers.

"None at all, except from the ogre me," he laughed shortly. "And there wasn't any real danger!" she asked, wide-eyed. "Oh, what a simpleton!"

"The snake in the modern woman's Eden is always another woman," LONDON MAIL.

"American-made hats at reasonable prices" is a big feature of the new department which is opened for the first time at Blum's today.

One of the largest openings held this season is the Page & Shaw opening and reception in its new quarters on Chestnut street.

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A SMART GIRL'S DIARY

A Child's Linen Suit

The mother of the pretty little girl in this hotel has been talking to me quite a lot today about the bringing up of a child. Certainly her little girl is a credit to her.

"I am old-fashioned enough to believe in the saying that children should be seen and not heard," was the answer; "that is, in front of visitors."

Extremely large hats will be most fashionable this season, and the picture hats are the newest thing.

There are quite a few pretty black turbans, and the pouge shape is exceedingly popular. Imported hats are in the minority.

Quills are very popular, as are also feathers and soft bows, but very few plumed hats are to be seen.

Little hats are severe in line and trimming, but the big hats have a soft effect. One lovely hat was in pouge shape, trimmed with rosebuds and blackberries.

Another exquisite model was in Dolly Varden shape, of leopold, with a large roll brim. It had a chiffon crown in that lovely shade known as French blue, with blue streamers and one large pink rose in front of the crown.

The military note is in evidence everywhere, occard ribbons, tricolor shapes and Belgian colors being seen on all sides.

One very smart hat was four-cornered in hemp braid and trimmed with little gilded berries.

There is a strong tendency toward the transparent hat, Georgette crepe and French balise being popular. Bead motifs and a tendency towards the Egyptian is seen.

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TOMORROW'S MENU

- The soup was a sort of puree of dried peas.—Charlotte Brown.
BREAKFAST: Dates and Cream of Wheat, Sausage, Hot Biscuit, Coffee.
LUNCHEON OR SUPPER: Sardines and Toast, Oranges and Grape Fruit Sliced, Cake, Tea.
DINNER: Cream of Pea Soup, Cold Roast Beef, Escalloped Potatoes, Lettuce Salad, Rice Pudding.

Love's Devotion

I fear thy kisses, gentle maiden; Thou needest not fear mine; My spirit is too deeply laden Even to burden thee.
I fear thy mien, thy tones, thy motion; Thou needest not fear mine; Innocent is the heart's devotion With which I worship thine.
SHELLEY.

CHILDREN'S CORNER

WHAT THE GOMME TOLD THE CLOWN

WITH a clatter clank the gomme settled down to tell the story of his life. "Years and years ago," he began, "my family lived in the mountains. Way off in the part of the mountains where no human being ever dared come. There we lived our lives. There we had our games and our sports. And a great life it was, too."

The Kids' Chronicle

US FELLOWS was playing war this afternoon, and we was awl standing around the lamp post talking about who was going to be submerseans and who was going to be aeroplaneans, and awl of a sudden Sam Krawas sed, Hah, I spy a spy up at the cornir. And we looked, and who was standing up there looking down but Flatfoot, being the cop, wich we call him Flatfoot awn akcounp of the way he wawks and not because its his reel naim, which it properly snt.

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