

THE CLEVER FLIRTATION; ITS SPECIAL REQUIREMENTS

Carnival Time in Italy, and the Girl Who Found That Doing in Rome as the Romans Do Brings Trouble

By ELLEN ADAIR

It's all very well for love to be blind, but it isn't dumb as well. A clever flirtation requires speech to mask its barrenness.

Thus writes an eminent authority on the subject. "Why shouldn't we flirt better than we do?" she continues.

I hear that a German professor has just made the interesting discovery that it was through the hated Saxon that the Teuton maiden ever came to flirt.

An interesting flirtation requires a certain amount of brain power, of which the average girl is not capable.

All this is due to lack of brain power, and particularly to the part of the girl she doesn't see ahead; she doesn't handle matters with the light and delicate touch essential to an affair as fragile and of so short duration as a flirtation.

The American girl abroad must curtail her flirting propensities, for the European mind—masculine, of course—does not understand the ways and wherefores, and certainly not the subtleties of the American feminine flirt.

Once upon a time I knew a very charming American girl who went to Italy. It was carnival time in Rome, and everything was perfectly wonderful.

The American girl thought the Italian officer a handsome fellow, as, indeed, he was. And so she used to peep at him from behind her curtains and smile, and sometimes come out on the balcony.

Finally he got to serenading his American lady-love below her balcony in the moonlight. He sang divinely, and it was as romantic as a storybook.

To her intense surprise, the Italian Lothario turned up in Venice and followed her around everywhere. Did she take a gondola, he followed rapidly in another, forcing the gondolier to bring it alongside and making impassioned love to her in Italian.

Then her American fiance turned up, a solid, rather lethargic youth, who was yet not too lethargic to resent the unwelcome attentions of the over-gallant Italian cavalier.

All of which goes to prove that there are times and places for everything, even flirtations, and that these can bring about some unpleasant sequels if not handled in the right way.

FIGURED MATERIALS FOR AUTUMN AFTERNOON FROCKS

AFTER the ravages of summer dances one's wardrobe begins to assume a most depressing aspect just about this time of the year. The problem of renovating, selecting, and—unfortunately for old favorites and romantic reminiscences—discarding gowns is the task the home-comer finds in front of her when autumn comes.



A RECEPTION-GOWN OF TAFFETAS

Mr. Gardner Toad Introduces Worker Ant

WHEN Tommy Tittle-mouse saw the speck of dust at the new back doorway of his home, he was quite as frightened as Mrs. Tommy had been!

They will not hurt you; don't get excited about them! "Ants!" exclaimed Tommy. "Ants moved in over us!"

GERMANTOWN SUFFRAGISTS AND BANNER THEY WILL RAISE TONIGHT



The woman suffrage party of Germantown and the Equal Franchise Society of Chestnut Hill, will jointly raise this flag tonight, at 8 o'clock, at Germantown and Cheltenham avenues.

DOCTOR C. R. BLACKALL EIGHTY-FIVE YEARS OLD

Dr. Henry Berkowitz Blames Nietzsche System for Anarchy and War

BEGGAR WOMAN STEALS COAT OF GIRL THAT ASSISTS HER

Mendicant Leaves With Garment After Being Fed at Shanley's

SUFFRAGE BANNER RAISING

Votes for Women Advocates to Raise Standard Tonight

BIRTHDAY OF FAMOUS TWINS

John J. and Thomas P. Curley to React Amusing "Comedy of Errors"

"BIG SATURDAY" AT PERKASIE

Attendance at Bucks County Fair Breaks All Records

PERKASIE, Pa., Sept. 18—This is "Big Saturday" and the closing day of the Bucks County Fair.

Lieut. L. H. Smith Wins Fielder Medal

SEA GIRT, N. J., Sept. 18—Shooting over a field of 50 contestants, Lieutenant L. H. Smith, of the Marine Corps, won the Governor Fielder medal in the Sea Girt championship match this morning.

PARADE IN KENSINGTON MARKS "PREPAREDNESS DAY"

Colonel Fred Taylor Camp No. 2, Sons of Veterans, Celebrates

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DR. STOUGH APPEALS FOR HOME BUILDERS

Mothers Go to Church, Boys and Fathers Go to Hall Says Evangelist

LEBANON, Pa., Sept. 18.—The tragedy in home after home in Lebanon today is that of the girls and mothers going to church while the boys and fathers are going to hall.

Addressing himself to the fathers, Dr. Stough said: "The reason why so many boys are hell is simply because they have you and will only do as you say as they have to."

Yardley Women Organize

One hundred and twenty-five women of Yardley, Bucks County, recently conducted a carnival there to a large degree of success.

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