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RTIME MAKES IT DIFFICULT TO DEFINE A LADY-INTERESTS FOR THE BRIDE-SUMMER STYLES

W CAN WE TELL A LADY IN THESE SHIFTING DAYS?

Best Families Orate From Soap Boxes, Drive Trucks and Wear Overalls-All the Old Sure Indications of

Judging Have Gone-What's Left?

AT is a lady?

on the Liberty Loan committee ever has there been such an wouldn't stand on a soap box if she could get at the crowd better in that time to find out as now. way. And now we come to what used the supreme test. Bifurcation when no hady was ever walking on the street alone at without an escort. I remember driving an automobile was con-if far from becoming or lady-And bless your heart, we like them; they're so free and easy!

I remember that the shameless in who spoke from a scap box on treet corner was all right, but it do to have one's wife chum her. Next it comes to mind that wore skirts! Divided forms of obe were all right for Della Fox. performers and the more darutertriennes. But trousers. rs on ladies? Oh. me! Oh, my lit me to withdraw and blush.

a it is particularly inter-answer the question lady?" now is because I of the beyond-thepale med above at the present reason it is particularly interag to is a lady?" now is because do all of the beyond-the-pale mentioned above at the present

ing. ho would wait for a man to take down the street? Besides, our mg men have gone to war and les must live" and see the movies the the street? Or does being a lady con-of ladies? Or does being a lady con-of ladies? Or does being a lady con-the street of some vague mysterious thing We don't think it's particularly ex-citing any more to drive a touring mar. We would like to have a truck. If you please, sir? And as for scap we orators: There wasn't a woman Who is willing to give an opinion?

ADVENTURES WITH A PURSE

PEARLS FOR BRIDES AND GIRL GRADUATES

Not Real, of Course, but 10 cents each. Lovely-An Exceptional **Sports Suit**

THE sweet girl graduate and the which are cooler, anyhow, are most welshing bride have several things sible a fresh pair of gloves for any ocalong bride have better the caston. I discovered today white non in the matter of dress. Un-chamols liste gloves, eight-clasp length, for 65 cents. They also may be had in and pearls. No other necklace gray ns quite right. Of pearls that neckust be. We all know, of course, ant real pearls are most expensive, but nder if we also know that there acceedingly attractive strings to be exceedingly attractive strings to be at low prices. I was delighted with tring I fell upon of three-quarter th. Their price is only \$1.90. There only a limited number of these

you a "hankering" after a sport It of jeracy cloth? But have you it perhaps that your purse could not stretched to the thirty or thirty-e dollar point? If such be the case. How you will be interested in hear-of a discovery I made today. I md a very smart suit of khaki-colored may cloth, with large patch pockets the cont, ending in a point, and ex-ming a little below the bottom of the a. The back is straight, and a belt the material gives a loose, easy ef-ot below the waist. The skirt is plain, e price-mand this is the best part of of jersey cloth? But have you

rice—and this is the best part of only \$21.75.

OLD FAMILY WASH BOILER IS ALLY OF UNCLE SAM'S IN CANNING TIME The day you went away to France

I came back through the streets alone With burning eyes and feet that dragged. And for my happy heart a stone. Folk passed me smiling, so I smiled.

His Girl

To see how dark the world had grown.

came home to my father's house And stood beside the empty stair Where you had stood and where we said

Our blind good-bys; the twilight air Was full of you: I had not known That life would be so hard to bear.

STRIPPED of all these unfailing in-dications that a lady was in the neighborhood, how are we going to tell one? What is there left to go by? And yet-God hears!-no dusk nor dawn Could bring me peace had you not gone All my life a little copybook motto has been floating around in the back of my mind. Maybe you remember it, too? "Politeness is to do and say the

-Fannie Heaslip Lea. in Good Housekeeping.

Hunting a Husband By MARY DOUGLAS

(Copyright) CHAPTER LXXIX The Girl Who Blushed

MargoL Winthrop Carter and Mr. Arnold were to come to dinner. My heart gave a sudden wild twist. Then I looked at Bennie. His face was set sullen. He did not look at either of us. Bennie was suffering. And I was the cause

us. Bennie was the cause. I will do something—find some way to I will do something as they are. But make him see things and some as to make him see things as they are. But now--I would see George Arnold again. I said the name over softly to myself. As we went into the house. I rang for Julia. "Would you do my hair to-night".

night"" With pleasure, Miss Lane."

In the warm weather, soon become a real extravagance, and so fabric gloves, which are cooler, anyhow, are most welcome. Their easy washing makes possible a fresh pair of gloves for any occursion. I discovered today white chamols liste gloves, eight-clasp length, for 65 cents. They also may be had in for 65 cents. They also may be had in gray.
 For the names of shops where articles mentioned in "Adventures With a Purse" can be purchased, address Editor of Woman's Department, Walnut 3000.
 LAY STRESS ON HEALTH Prevention of Epidemics to Be Emphasized at Meeting. The importance of keeping a high standard of health and preventing epidemics will be emphasized at a public meeting townorw night at the Settle-

South Philadeiphia.

Krusen will preside and speak. Doctor Krusen will illustrate his talk with stere-opticon views. Philip H. Goepp will play drink to the girl who can still blush. the organ.

It's all very well to plant seeds and wait for the garden to grow, provided you know enough about planting seeds and growing gardens. But the problem of how to plant those seeds and when, will gometimes perplex sorely us amateur

With Tight Cover and Rack It Makes Ideal Sterilizing Equipment

Detailed Directions for Preparing for Summer Conservation Given

Who Can? Everybody

This is the first of a series of three articles on canning to appear in the EVENING PUBLIC LEDGER. The second will take up all the actual processes step by step. The third will deal specifically with canning fruit.

Who can can? Mother, of course, and big sister,

Father, if he has time. That little girl, eleven or twelve

years old. The boy just finishing grammar school, or older.

> And even grandfather will not find shelling peas or stringing beans so dull when he is working

of the nation.

brow process to those who have never contents are reasonably certain to keep. tried it. Looking at the matter from a A false bottom for the processing vesdistance, too, canning seems to require sel is practically an essential. Its pur-

Alice Kent and the Day's Work The Story of a Business Girl Who Would Not Fail

By MARTHA KEELER Copyright, 1918, by Public Ledger Co.

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The Art of Cooking Rice

Nasturtiums and Geraniums Turned Out Southern people, who use more rice to Admit Row of Onions other people of the United States, have many good methods of cook-

ing it. They will tell you that rice, when well cooked, has each grain well swollen but separate from every other

grain. To Boil Rice Southern Style—Have a quart of water boiling rapidly. Aid a level teaspoonful of sait. Wash a cupful of rice carefully and add it a little at time, slowly so that the boil-ing does not stop. Boil for about twenty minutes or until a grain taken between the finger and thumb is soft. Drain through a colander and pour a little hot water through the rice to separate the grains. Cover with a cloth and set in a warm place on the stove for about tem minutes to allow the grains to swell, or place it in the upper part of a double boiler over hot water, cover and allow to steam. If you cook rice in this way the water in which the rice is cooked should be saved, as much starchy ma-terial is left in it. Use it for thickening soups. One cupful of raw rice makes four cupfuls of boiled rice. Other Ways to Cook Rice-Some peo-

grain.

big pail fitted with a false bottom of laths or wire and partly filled with boll-ing water. (c) Heat to keep the water bolling. (d) Tight-sealing jars and rubber (d) Tight-sealing jars and rubber (f) The ordinary enameled pans. (f) The ordinary enameled pans. (f) The ordinary enameled pans. Even sugar is not essential. Fruits and bereise can be canned in plain hot water. fruit juice or fruit sirups made from concentrated fruit juice. (c) Heat to keep the water bolling. (d) Tight-sealing jars and rubber (f) The ordinary enameled pans. Some steps in the procedure may seem unnecessary to the amateur, but the (f) The concentrated fruit juice. (f) The ordinary enameled pans. (f) The ordinary enameled pans to the test ordinary enameled pans to the test ordinary ename

Rice Cooked in Milk — If you have plenty of skim milk, try this way: Use four or four and a half cuptule of milk to one cup of rice. Add the rice to the hot salted milk and cook until the milk is absorbed and the grains soft. The milk greatly increases the food value of the dish.

Rice prepared in any of these ways may be used for making many dishes. Scouring the Floor

Try a Treatment



This simple home canner made from an old washboiler and fitted with a rack of wood is all the "machinery" necessary to translate the products of a garden into the neat little jars that help the nation and make good defense against the long, cold winter

(a) Good, sound fruits or vegetables, kitchen and utensils, or a fire and clean (b) A large metal vessel, with tightfreshly gathered. fitting cover, such as a washboiler or doors, the housewife will need only to big pail fitted with a false bottom of follow directions carefully work onlat-

water, fruit julce or fruit sirups made from concentrated fruit juice.

The Hot-Water Bath

unnecessary to the amateur, but the operations of blanching, boling or steaming of jars, attention to rubber rings and final seeing have an impor-With a hot-water bath outfit the home now. But a great many have vague fears—canning sounds like such a high-or cans so that when finally sealed the tant function in aiding to kill molds, yeasts and bacteria that cause the canned goods to spoll.

A false bottom for the processing ves-sel is practically an essential. Its pur-pose is to allow free circulation of the bolling water around and under the iars

NEW-STYLE WINDOW BOX

Teaching Conservation In Delaware a colored woman has been employed to teach food conservation to the colored people. A smull traveling exhibit has been arranged for her, and

her work has been a great suc Brass Beds Brass bedsteads will keep in better condition if occasionally over with a little sweet oil. Aftu wipe well with a dry duster and with leather.



Grandmother will like to help. with a family group for the good

Miss Lane." They drank the toast, but there was a subtle difference. No one told another $E_{\rm mind}^{\rm VERY}$ provident and patriotic woman is thinking of canning just

gardeners. If you do not have very t good luck with planting seeds in the litgood luck with planting seeds in the lit-tle flower patch front of the "truck." why not have a "ready-made" garden. As a start you can purchase some rose bushes, field-grown, the assurance is, for

bushes, field-grown, the assurance is, for 10 cents each. One cannot have too many pairs of white gloves in summer time. White tid gloves, requiring frequent cleaning one cannot have too many pairs of white gloves in summer time. White kid gloves, requiring frequent cleaning in the warm weather, soon become a real extravagance, and so fabric gloves,

demics will be emphasized at a public meeting tomorrow night at the Settle-ment Music School, 416 Queen street. South Philadeiphia. The meeting will be under the direc-tion of the Board of Health, and Director Krusen will intertate his talk with stere.

TODAY'S INQUIRIES

L. What is the proper way for a woman to me four women poets whose names neve become well known to the Bres-nt-day public.

What are the simplest and most effective requests for summer freekles? . How can strawberries be preserved in the

at is the newest type of sewing stand

cocking fish what utensils should be

Many Different Matters iditor of Woman's Page:

Editor of Woman's Page: Addam—What church did Lincoin My Sinte: does not like to play out-Bhe reads a mood deal and is a great Bhe reads a mood deal and is a great Bhe reads a mood deal and is a great Bhe reads a mood deal and is a great Bhe reads a mood deal and is a great Bhe reads a mood deal and is a great Bhe reads a mood deal and is a great and the house would like to give her and books, aspecially Colonial or Kevo-by differ nays at parties the attend by sites and your opinion on My sites any at parties the attend by the more that a part is the site of the best part at parties and the pin. The best part of the fully a mood book and the site of the site of the best part of the site of the pin. The best part of the site of the pin. The best be others knit and we play that the book and plays, etc. Bhen me gord advice. Thanking to. Dooln never joined any church, but a site of the site of the site of the best poined any church.

L D. coin never joined any church, but tended a Presbyterian church in ington for four years. t because a little girl sulks when asked to do a thing is no reason the should not be asked to do it. the girl twelve years old needs lots the girl twelve years old needs lots the should for her. It is splendld for girl to help around the house the bar to be a housekeeper, but is planty of time for this without her stay indoors a great deal of the to interest her when she goes if the doean't like to play, why not bave a war garden and try to have a war garden and try to Interested in it? Get her a all and a basket to throw it a tennis bail and racquet, and my of these interest her. Go for with her and take ber friends,

good books that have Revolu-stories in them are "Paul Re-Ride." "The Green Mountain nd "The Battle of Bunker Hill." Washington Irving, and "Ad-in 1777" bout the bission

n about the kissing games incohere in the column but a similar query seems inted another little girl of

Clark's address is 50 Cen-

are not lived with tou do not think it advisable in bed with you or be too

your club the "Good nee you always have a The Ten Club," or The decem being the Latin Other names that would "Jolly Sisters." Work or "Red, White and Blue

fomos's Pape: am a constant reader of affor reading about how and others I want to take adding the following ques-must use he to be able to rea, also to be a fredman?

Letters and 'questions submitted to this department must be written on one wide of the paper only and violed with the name of the writer. Special queries like those given below are institled. It is understood that the editor does not secessarily indorse the sentiment er-pressed. All communications for this department should be addressed as for laws. THE WMAN'S EXCHANCE. Evening Public Ledger, Philadelphia. Pa.

A Friend Who Takes Us With Her

THE WOMAN'S EXCHANGE

To the Editor of Woman's Page: Dear Madam—You have been so kind and noded in publishing my ples for homes for placed three very fine kittens in good homes. Some short time ago I wrote about another kitten, but it seemed no one wanted it then. It is growing rapidly and is very clean and good. As we leave Atlantic City, this week if took this wee arrival to Philadelphis and left if with a friend, who was good enough to keep it until some one adopts it. Who have to have it can obtain it be forwarded safely to that party. I have not the heart to this address and it will be forwarded safely to that party. I have not the heart of dispose of this gentle little animal, so very pretty. So let some one who sym-and treat it kindly as I wild me starting more adjustion. It is wonderful, being the more scientific and most instructive Woman's Pam are I am accualinted with many of the pare of any daily paper I ever read, and I may are it and most instructive Woman's parents of our most important clies. W-are is wing here for the West, but I must have the Excision Fusion Linking you for ta column's many aids to me. (Mrs. F. J. *) To the Editor of Woman's Page;

Two Cleansing Preparations

d lay for a couple of days. d brush thoroughly. Perhaps by re-able cleanser you meant some prepared per that could be purchased in a drug gree. In case that you did I am sending ou the name of a prepared product. Centimeters and Inches To the Editor of Womon's Page: Dear Madam-I am a Dittle stirl of to wrive I often so to parties where the ar boxs and stirls missing sames. I do not like to refuse because I dou't want to refuse the refuse I monther to refuse because I dou't want to refuse the refuse the refuse I monther to refuse I monther to refuse the refuse I monther to refuse the refuse I monther to refuse I monther to refuse I

YESTERDAY'S ANSWERS iong blue vell on a Red Cross worker identifies her as director of a depart-

Identifies her as director of a depart-ment. One way to tell a genuine diamond is to make a hole in a card with a needle and look at the eard through the dia-mond. If it is genuine only one hole is seen; if false, two. Diang-room chairs should be placed achiest the wall and not around the table when it is not in use. Black borders and occasional rows for rag rugs can be made from old stock-inss. They are easy to work with. Haddock can be planked as well as shad. To prepare this for planking, first when the fish with a damp cloth and then cut into pieces, as though for frying, then roll the pieces into small chunks and fasten with toothpicky or ite. When the fish with a later of the plank-time, and place in the year for samp-utes. Then ararulan with mashed pola-toes and not through a to the full.

Jarelle water, applied with a small kitchen mon, will remove the "jelp-making" stains from the kitchen sink, The sink should be thoroughly rinsed

Invite Son's Fiancee to Visit

Invite Son's Fiances to Visit To the Editor of Woman's Page: Dear Madam—My son's engagement to a very sweet skill has been announced. She lives in New York and my husband and I have met her only once. My son is at camp and the family are anxious to know nit fahewe. Would it be proper for me to invite her here to stay with us? If I do must I entertain her? ANXIOUS MOTHER.

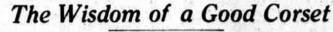
column's many side to me (Mrs.) F. J. 2 Thank you very much indeed for the kind words in praise of the column and the page. It is nice to think that away across the continent you will still be one of us who read and write this little cor-ner. We are complimented, too, that your husband has learned to like the Woman's Page. Before your letter came letters applying for the little kitten had to fay we learned that the kind friend who takeeping it for you. By telephone to-assured. Do not forget us in your west-assured. Do not forget us in your west-ern home. We shall be glad to hear from you.

Give Him a Little Help

Two Cleansing Preparations
To the Editor of Woman's Page:
The Editor

Well, this isn't true. Canning is neither high-brow nor does it require a lot of tools that have to be bought. Fruits and vegetables may be success-fully canned with very simple and cheap appliances. Thousands of women, girls and boys every year can fruits and vegetables successfully with home-made equipment—in fact, so successfully that for their surplus home-canned prod. their surplus home-canned prod-

enables the housewife without trouble to To can almost any fruit or vegetable or fruit juice especially for home use the conserver needs only: With such equipment, a clean, airy



A Daily Fashion Talk by Florence Rose

THE decided change which is taking

I place in the routine of the life of the present American woman is leaving its mark on her mental attitude toward everything, and many things that heretofore seemed vitally important to her happiness are never even given a passif I do ing thought, while common sense is very

much in the limelight. One of the strongest indications that common sense is very much with us is the interest women are taking in the . buying of corsets. Hitherto, many women have seen the corset as an unimportant adjunct. They now realize if they are to be correctly costumed in the business or public world the correct corset ranks as the most important part of the costuming. It is also vital to health. A corset that fits

gives them the substantial aid that nothing else can do. It is a well-known fact that for years the doctors fought the corset, as an in-jurious piece of wearing apparel, but as science has developed, the doctors

as science has developed, the doctors now got only advocate corsets, but re-quest that a woman who desires to do her best work should wear a corset that fits and one that has been constructed on scientific lines, which is the case of all the representative makes now offered. Every woman may secure this help, be she rich or poor, as the selling price is also figured carefully, so that the poprer sister may be made just as comfortable as the woman who

works because she enjoys it, and not because it is necessary. To return to the "good form" of the corset. There is no dress that, requires corset. There is no dress that requires good corseting more than the jersey. Jersey, by the way, is as far in the foreground today as it has ever been. One of the new jersey dresses is de-picted for you today. This was made of tan-colored jersey with plain bodice and sleeve. The panels front and back on the shirt builton with four builtons.

and sizeve. The panets from and back on the skirt buttop with four buttons to the waist; the sides of the skirt are plaited. The collar, cuffs and belt have cro-chated edges done in yellow, blue and black yarn. The tie which slips through the eyelet al the front is crocheted in these colors: the pocket flats are size

the syster at the front is crocheted in these colors; the pocket flaps are also crocheted. The turban shown is one of the big successes of this season. This has a crown of straw and the twisted trim-ming is of tuils, edged with straw. Insulrise are articled and may be

the conserver tried to kill by heat and keep out by sealing are present in the jars and all effort and labor is lost. Examine jars or cans carefully. Throw aside bent lids, even if the lower lip is aside bent lids, even if the lower lip is dented only slightly. Discard jars with faulty screw threads or unevenness where the rubber must fit. Take no chances with leaks. Every leaky con-tainer must be reprocessed and sealed absolutely tight before it can be expected to keen to keep.

Use only new rubbers and test them by stretching between the thumb and forefinger. If the rubber does not spring back it is dead. Don't use it.

More Elaborate Canning Outfits Those who wish to save time and labor in canning can purchase steampressure canners, which produce temperatures higher than 212 degrees F., or that of boiling water, and shorten the period of processing.

period of processing. Pressure cookers, which are light to handle and which may be obtained upon the market in various sizes, are espe-cially, well adapted to home canning, and at the same time are most valuable for the quick and effectual preparation of such foods as cereals, beam, meats, etc., which ordinarily require long cook-ing. They may be used to advantage three times a day, the year round, and the investment of the small amount of money required o purchase one of these is real kitchen economy as regards time, fiel and work. The use of such an out-fit and also full directions on filling, heating and sealing ordinary cans are given in bulletins supplied free on re-quest to the Department of Agriculture. Washington, D. C.

Went Crabbing One of the new jersey dresses is shown here. It is tan with the edges of collar, cuffs and belt crocheted in yellow, blue and black yarn. The tie, which slips through the eyelets in front, is crocheted in these collars, and so are the edges of the pocket flap. The panel, which fastens to the wajet with four fur-tons, is in the back we would be the from The line back we would be the

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When Jim

he came back with some beauties, and, of course ha thought they were . going to be boiled in the old-fash-ioned way. But I surprised him. After boiling I took out all the firm white meat, made a create stated Par-ments of butter, and run them into a vision o

not let filled jars cool before they are sealed. Seal them tight while they are still hot from the bath. The hotter the product when sealed the less chance that molds and bacteria from the air will enter the jar, live and cause the canned goods to spoil.



