## **EVERY MAN IS DEPENDENT UPON SOME MERE WOMAN**

Several of Them Attempt to Make Ice Cream Up in Camp, but Fairer Hands Than Theirs Do the Running-Masculine Starts Are Brilliant, but Lack Finish

DEAR PLAIN JANE: The other the gentleman who was directing af-DEAR PLAIN JANE: The other day I wrote and told you about the feminine folbles that come to light at a camp. From the way the men made fun of us up here it seems as though we had all been cut out by exactly the same pattern—plenty of yearning for cretonne, a unanimous aversion to putting worms on the fish hook and a tendency to read love stories out loud. Well, last night all the femininity in these whereabouts argument, in spite of the cookbook, about whether you did use cornstarch: made fun of us up here it seems as though we had all been cut out by exactly the same pattern—plenty of yearning for cretonne, a unanimous aversion to putting worms on the fish hook and a tendency to read love stories out loud. Well, last night all the femininity in these whereabouts got together and decided there had been a bit of duplicating when the opposite sex was turned out. We have discovered an amazing likeness among overed an amazing likeness among all the men we have ever known.

What started things yesterday was the freezing of the ice cream. It seems there's an old rule up here that the men make the ice cream. Well, things started out fine. There was a regular campaign about it. Maple rup instead of sugar for sweetening.

PLAIN JANE, why is it men can't ever do anything for themselves? The ice cream freezer was just out-side the middle camp, and, honestly, from the time they first put the eggs in the mixture until the stuff got so hard it was ready to set away, all the women within a radius of three camps were running madly about waiting on women within a radius of three camps were running madly about waiting on those four men. They, the men, got into their bathing suits to put over this big stunt of theirs, and absolutely all they did was to stand there, let the breezes blow through them and watch the electric freezer freeze the ice cream. Yes, they had an electric freezer. Imagine the hardship!

Can you picture it, Plain Jane? We left them all alone in this middle camp. This was upon orders from

Dattern. They cannot do anything absolutely alone. Every man is dependent on some woman. A little stenographer who is up here assured us of that. We made up our minds that women are the salt of the earth, even them, in spite of all they say, men would make a lot of brilliant starts, but they certainly would never get anywhere. What do you think, Plain Jane?

Yours, COLETTE.

argument, in spite of the cookbook, about whether you did use cornstarch; and if it was when you used cornstarch you cooked it. All the women were called to attend this conference. Then when there was enough ice there wasn't enough rock salt, and when there was enough rock salt more ice had to be cracked. But hever for an instant did the men desert their posts at the freezer. Fairer hands than theirs fetched the salt. And that night when we sat down

to a community supper all of our dearly beloved men swelled with man-ly pride when the ice cream came in and wanted to know why under the sun the women made such a fuss about housework.

AND so last night we decided that all men are cut from the same pattern. They cannot do anything

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

By MARTHA KEELER

THE WOMAN'S EXCHANGE

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TODAY'S INQUIRIES

1. Mrs. Charles E. Stoddard is head of the conservation committee of the Congress of Mothers, District of Columbia branch. What is her special work? 2. What is the l'atriotic Play Week?
2. Haw is wool used in some of the latest accessories?

4. What is the approved method of blanching fruits or vegetables for canning?

5. In fixing over last rear's suit, what new touch will add style as well as freshening up the skirt?

6. How can inexpensive cuff buttons that will not fall out be made?

Do Children Have to Waste Food?

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To the Editor of Woman's Page:

Dear Madam—May I. a "bird of passage" in your Stafe, come to the Woman's Page for help? When I tell you that I have two brothers, three cousins and one neglect if he had not been a cripple you can understand why I am so intervented in food constant why I am so intervented in food constant of the had not been a cripple you can understand why I am so intervented in food constant of the had not been a cripple you can understand on a thing which is widespread and no one seemed to have taken the matter up.

I travel wild. We stay only a short time in one city or town, which means we must an one createurants. The amount of food sate restaurants. The amount of food sate restaurants. The amount of food sate of the considerably may be the wheat two biscuits are brought you, some times with the milk on, but sleways broken to an adult. If you order shredded wheat two biscuits are brought you, some times with the milk on, but sleways broken to any one else.

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YESTERDAY'S ANSWERS

artially worn silk stockings have been found useful in making garments for French and Belgian orphans. Geraldine Farrar, the famous prims donna, was the first woman to practice this economy.

this conomy.

Watermelon is very good frozen. Mash
the red portion fine, add sugar to taste
and the Julee of a lemon to bring out
the flavor. Freeze the same as for
cantaloupe sherbet. . Fresh fruit stains can be removed with borax, ammonia and hot water. 5. Tailors prophesy that the long, narrow skirt will be in style this fall. In making jam, save much time and trouble by cooking the fruit soft and seeding by passing through an ordinary rotary flour sifter.

Come Again, Little Newlywed

I have called the attention of the food administration to this matter about children in public eating places. And I have been told that it is supposed to be the rule that a little from the parents portions be served to the child on a sparate plate upon a slight payment for asparate plate upon a slight payment for asparate plate upon a slight payment for extra service. If there are eating places that will not do this I think it would be wise to report them to the food administration has a tremendous job on its hands. A. K. and it is by co-operating in this way that we can help.

The second part of your letter I am long is to discuss in an editorial article at the top of this page some night this week. It is well worth discussion and thank you for your thoroughly interesting letter and hope other readers will need to have some after lunch as they find it.

When to Leave After Luncheon

To the Editor of Woman's Page:

Dear Madam—When invited to lunch at a friend's home how some after inneh should need to be small yellow variety. To make the yellow-tomato marmalade blanche, skin, core and cut the tomatoes in large slices. Then strain the julce, adding to it about helf a plint of water. For every two cupfuls of granulated sugar. Boil the sugar and opinit. When to Leave After Luncheon

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## The Daintiness of Neckwear

A Daily Fashion Talk by Florence Rose



Neckwear still continues to be a very important part of a smart girl's attire. Here are shown some very attractive pieces. In the lower left of the picture is the popular round-necked piece which does not wane in popularity. At the extreme right is a blue foulard collar, the edges which are bound with white taffeta. The white set is of organdie and ornamented with black jet beads

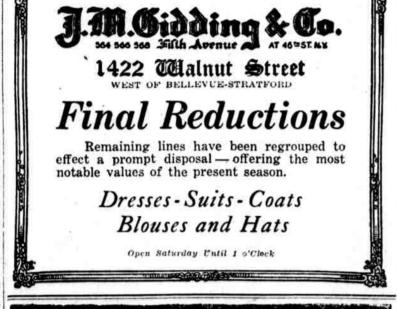


is is a real woman who knows and understands girls. In this depart-stands ready to help them with the intimate problems somehow easier in a letter than in any other way. If you are worried or perpiced "Cynthia," in care of the woman's page, Evening Public Ledger,

Constant Reader

The letter you write about your father and his pro-German sentiments is of such important interest that I have turned it over to the editor of the woman's page to be discussed at length in the leading article which appears each

free home canning manual issued by the National War Garden Commission. Inclose two-cent stamp for postage. Send now.





Sawtay Belgian Salad Wash large prunes and soak them over night. In the morning steam until tender, then remove the pits, and fill with colory and walnuts chopped together and moistened with Sawtay Salad Dressing. Press together and serve on lettuce leaves with cream obsesse halle. Pass Sawtay Salad Dressing with the salad. Sawtay Salad Dressing % tablespoonful flour, % teaspoonful salt, dash tard, 1 egs. 1% tablespoonful method Sawtay, if cup milk, 2 tablespoonful mustard, 1 egs. 1% tablespoonful method Sawtay, if cup milk, 2 tablespoonful vinegar. Mix dy ingredient theroughly. Ack egg beats sightly, and the milk. Cook over bolling water until musture theckes. Remove from fire, and the vinegar gradually. Strain and cool.

Community Stores
We Serve You Seve Peruture.

Keep Sawtay at normal pantry temperature.

# Reduced Prices on Wanamaker-Standard Merchandise Are Making Busy, Thrifty Days In the Down Stairs Store—

## Black Ribbon Watch Wristlets, 50c

It is ever so convenient to wear one of these wristlets. They are made of strong, black ribbon, and the clasps are gold filled.

Bath Sprays, 65c

The extra-large heads mean cooling showers for you, and the fine white rubber that is used speaks for durability. And — what do you think of the price? Cool, too, yes?

#### Hair Nets 50c a Dozen

-and women are buying them, —and women are buying them, five dozen at a time! They are good nets, made of real hair in either straight or cap shape. The shades are: blond, black, auburn and various shades of

Soothing Talcum

Talcum powder of a velvety softness is so soothing on hot nights and days that it is almost worth its weight in gold, as far as comfort is concerned. A special pound can of talcum powder comes in various fragrances at 20c a can.

#### Three Light-Weight Corset Models at \$1.50

All three are made of snowy white coutil that is a much lighter weight than coutil is usually made—really light enough to keep cool in.

They take care of all figures from the slight to the mediumstout, so offering a corset opportunity to the majority of women. (Central)

#### Special Prices on White Materials in 10-yard Pieces

A good quality of longcloth 36 inches wide is to be had here in the Down Stairs Store at today's wholesale cost - \$2.25 for ter

Bird's-eye, too, is specially priced at \$1.50 for the 20-inch (Central)

#### Special Little White Frocks, 85c

A large number of fresh white dresses for babies of 6 months to 2 years of age are marked at

The frocks are made of crisp white lawn with prettily hem stitched hems, and they are finished with edgings of pink, blue or white embroidery. (Central)

#### Women's Cotton Drawers. 35c, 3 for \$1

The cotton is thin and finely ribbed for coolness in these open drawers, which are finished with (Central)

Curtain Nets

are easily made into curtains

that let in all the air that is

blowing and yet form a screen

that passersby cannot see

through - which, after all, is

They are attractive, too,

with their wide choice of dainty figured designs. Nets

in both white and ecru are 36

(Chestnut)

inches wide, at 30c a yard.

what curtains are for.

motoring and traveling. All now \$5.

embroidered medallions set in them. \$1.75 to \$3.75.

These women's mohair coats are in navy blue, black and dark gray and of a good quality. Excellent coats for

Clearing Away at Half Price

**Good Mohair Coats** 

(Market)

New, Fluffy Petticoats

have just come to us, and it is a pleasure to look at them with their lovely laces and insertions. The white nainsook is soft and fine, and

all of the petticoats have underlays. Many of the lacy ruffles have

Convenient Princess Slips

are made of white nainsook. The top part is trimmed with lovely,

dainty embroidery and the petticoat is edged with an embroidered ruffle. Ribbon goes about the waist and keeps it snug. \$3.25.

Crepe Pajamas

Neat Corset Covers



# **FROCKS**

## of White Taffeta or Light Georgette Are Pretty Summer Thoughts

The silk frocks glisten and shimmer and are lovely for intending Summer resorters. They are smartly simple and show deep tucks. Special at \$15.

In Georgette crepe there are many models in white, flesh pink, peach and some dark colors - you'll note both deep and narrow fringe on these. \$23.25.

### Cotton Crepe Frocks in Pale Shades Summery as can be, with their deep,

rolling collars of white organdie against the pale tint of the frock. About half price at \$6. Youthful Organdie

#### contrives a host of gay and pretty frocks in pale shades, which are most moderately priced at \$5.75.

Odd Ginghams Reduced to \$6.50 Checks, stripes and plaids in all the color combinations you can think of-only one or

## Men's Cool Cloth Suits Reduced to \$7.50, \$8.75 and \$11.75

They are just as cool as they sound and the best things men can wear this weather. A suit bought now has still at least a month's wear ahead of it and will be ready next year to start a new season. Next season we will doubtless have to pay this much wholesale for such suits as these.

All are in cool gray mixtures, and there are fittings in all regular sizes, though the choosing in sizes 34 to 38 is the widest. Every suit is marked much less than (Gallery, Market)

## Special-Boys' Hats Reduced to 50c

They will fit boys around the ages of 4 to 9 years. This is an assorted lot of straw hats in various shapes and of cotton cloth hats in various colors or in khaki that will be good for the Summer and Autumn.

> Special 90 Straw Hats at \$1.25

These are also boys' hats and include both black and white straws in good shapes. (Gallery, Market)

#### Women's Union Suits, 50c

Finely ribbed white cotton is used, and the suits are quite carefully finished at the top. Lace trims the drawers. These have slight imperfections. (Central)

## Cotton Stockings Special at 18c a Pair

or 3 pairs for 50c. The garter tops are double, and the feet are re-enforced.

Unbleached Mahogany (Central)

#### **House Dresses** Good Enough for Outside

are made of blue chambray in Billie Burke style finished with white collars. \$2.50.

#### Neat Dresses in Extra Sizes

Women who wear sizes 48, 50 and 52 will be glad to know of these neat dresses for house and porch wear. One is of checked gingham in blue, pink or black combined with white. Another is striped with dark blue and white and finished with chambray collar and cuffs. Both are made quite straight, pleated from yokes, but they are furnished with belts, so that you can pull them in. \$3.85.

(Central)

#### **High White Shoes** to Step Along the Boardwalk

Trimly clad white ankles will be wearing such boots as these. They are of a white leather that is much like buckskin and are cut to lace high. With high, curved heels, they are \$4.75 a pair; with medium heels they are \$4.50 a pair.

Women's Bathing Shoes, 60c High-laced surf satin shoes are in many colors.

(Chestnut)

#### White Skirts Are Reduced to Meet All Pocketbooks

At \$1-which is a good price to begin with, there are skirts of white rep made in several good

At \$2\_there are many attractive extra-size skirts.

At \$2.50 an interesting lot of all kinds of white skirts offers good picking and big sav-

At \$3.75 are all kinds of lovely white skirts in both regular and extra sizes.

## When You Picnic

it is much pleasanter to have plates and holders that you do not have to wash and bring back are prettily pink and are made straight from the neck to the elastic with you. Napkins, knives and at the ankles. Blue satin ribbon trims the neck, the sleeves, the forks, cups, plates and all the pocket and the waist. Blue hemstitching adds its pretty touch, too. \$3. other various picnic things are here in quantity inexpensively priced. of the better kind are mostly all prettied with good embroidery. 75c.

### Women's Milanese Silk Gloves of Unusual Quality

A firm and heavy quality in white, with white or black Paris point stitching on the backs, and in gray, pongee, beige or black. All are in two-clasp style. \$1. (Central)

## Wool-and-Fiber RUGS

At Low Prices The prices quoted on Au-tumn shipments are much higher than those marked on these good rugs.

27x54 inches, \$2. 36x63 inches, \$2.50. 7.6x9 feet, \$10. 8.3x10.6 feet, \$9, \$10.50 and

9x12 feet, \$11.50, \$12.50 and

(Chestnut)

## A Middy Blouse and a Skirt

is the combination a girl likes best in summertime.

White linene middies in sizes 8 to 14 have blue collars and white braid trimming and are \$2.

Navy blue skirts of wool panama are pleated on to a white underbodice that hangs from the shoulders. Sizes 8 to 14 years, at \$3.

## Cool Voile Frocks for Juniors

There are dainty little checks and figures with crisp sashes of organdie and plain-colored voiles with a bit of handwork here and there in the form of embroidery. Not to be overlooked, either, are the youthful gingham frocks in rose, maize or Copenhagen blue. \$3.75, \$6.75, \$7.75 and \$8.50.