

Facts of Interest To Women Readers.

Symposium of Information, Partly Grave, Partly Gossipy and Partly Gay.

THE SUMMER GIRL: She is pretty, She is bright, She is ever A delight. She is short and She is tall, She is great and She is small.

and numerous, and to be miles from home, off railway or street car or cab routes, with a broken bicycle, after dark, is an appalling contingency.

drapery curtains is a Scotch muslin that has a deep cream-colored ground, on which are figures in soft, rich colors.

of which a very small portion will suffice. A VACATION PRELIMINARY: His eyes had a dull, uninteresting stare.

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Miss Wellington—"I think I made quite a sensation in my antique costume at the levee last evening."

GLINTS OF WIT: Life is made up of about ten bits to one fish.—West Union Gazette.

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She is wealthy, She is poor, She is anything But sure.

Employment Agent—"You did not stay long at that last place."

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Banana Shortcake.—One pint of flour, one large tablespoonful of good baking powder, one-third cupful of shortening made moist with milk.

She is dutiful, She is trifling, As she may choose Plump or slim.

Domestic—"I couldn't stand that woman's insulter and vulgar language."

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She is gentle, She is wise, Even stupid When she tries.

Mrs. Dorcas—"Our League of Emancipated Women is going to have a lecture on the social equality of the sex. You must be sure to come."

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She will flirt you If she can; So be wary, Foolish man.

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She is all things In a lump, And she knows that Man's a chump.

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"When I grow to be a man," (So the wee one's prattle ran) "I shall build a castle so grand; With a gateway broad and grand; Here a pretty vine shall grow, And the tower shall be so high Folks will wonder by and by."

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Shuffle-Shoon quoth: "Yes, I know; Thus I build long ago; Here a gate and there a wall, Here a window, there a door; Here a steeple with a spire, Here a tower more and more; And the years have leveled low What I build long ago."

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A contributor to the New York Sun makes an earnest plea for greater gaiety in bicycling. "Everyone knows," says she, "that a helpless woman is a nuisance; that men won't take her fishing, or on a shooting trip, and that it is no news thing for them to admire sporting qualities in a feminine companion in sport. But there are a good many things they like to do for women; and no man would let his wife or any lady in his party do hard work, such as carrying canoes or cleaning guns. In bicycling, whether it is the age, or the tendency or what it is, there is certainly nothing like such care shown to women in matters pertaining to strength or safety. To begin with, it is most dangerous for girls, at any rate, to ride alone long distances in the country, and most of all after dark. It is as unsafe as walking, for traps have not ceased their prowling, and to stop a bicycle is easy. Yet men, with curious indifference or ignorance, appear to think that the presence of a bicycle protects a woman from harm. The dangers of breaking down are constant.

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