



IN WOMAN'S REALM

White Picture Hats.
Large white picture hats, inset with lace and adorned with one large ostrich feather, are among the season's novelties.

Melon Pink a New Shade.
Melon pink is a new shade which should be intense enough to suit even the present liking for vivid effects. It is found in the cotton voiles, silks, etc.

A New Hair Decoration.
An entirely new decoration for the hair consists of a couple of large flowers on a narrow fillet. These are intended to come on each side of the hair in front. They are in brilliant, and the effect of the shadows in the blossoms is given by an inlay of cut rubies.

Where Woman Suffrage Helens.
"Mesdames," declared the political orator vehemently, "you cannot logically, reasonably or consistently vote for Timothy J. Dunn for the office to which he aspires!"

Which was all that was necessary to insure Mr. Dunn's receiving an overwhelming majority of the female vote at the regular election.

Which also proves that a politician will resort to any means to secure votes for his candidate.

A Countess on Beauty.
It is the duty of every woman to make the best of herself. Certain defects of complexion and figure can easily be remedied. Physical exercise, fresh air and good diet will work wonders with these, and by the addition of a smart dressmaker, milliner and clever hair dresser many a plain girl has been transformed into a pretty one. If a woman's nose is inclined to absorb too much color and her cheeks too little no doubt a few judicious dabs of powder and rouge in the right places may be excusable.

Her Brother's Overcoat.
One of the smartest and newest raincoats bears a striking likeness to a man's spring overcoat, with wide back and straight loose sleeves, but in without any fulness. In fact, it might be mistaken for that garment, but for the fact that it has a belt across the back and reaches to within ten inches of the skirt edge. This is the most recently ordered length for raincoats, it being found to drag less and keep the skirt quite as dry as the older full-length sort. Severe to mannishness is the new raincoat.

Mothers' Vocal Duties.
Mothers and those who have the education of children in their hands, says the London World, are chiefly responsible for our abuse of the English language and our elocutionary shortcomings. A mother should make it a special duty to correct every mistake in the sound of her child's voice and in its choice of words; and if voice production, the right pronunciation of words and distinct reading aloud were made part of a child's training we should soon become an intelligent and musically voiced people. Unchecked, we shall ultimately bark.

For Tired Feet.
Many women suffer terribly from sensitive feet these hot days. Massage is very soothing, and most chiropodists give it nowadays. The process is simple. The feet are first bathed in warm water, strongly impregnated with sea salt. Five to ten minutes of this, followed by a dash of cold water, takes all the soreness out. The chiropodist then rubs in a pink paste, which looks very much like the paste used for facial massage in barber shops, and which consists principally of mutton tallow.

Her Afternoon Hat.
In the afternoon the girl who is not athletic and sailor-hatted dons a hat of chip or leghorn. Such a hat is one of the faintest tone of cinnamon, with a widely spreading brim and a very tall crown, draped round with scarfs of soft pale pink and blue satin, finished at the sides with roses, pink, blue and cream. To wear with a white embroidered muslin frock is another hat of the same type, built of lemon-colored legion, the crown of which is draped with pearl-strewn lilac gauze, while at one side plumes of lilac and lemon ostrich decorate the brim.

Quite an appreciable number of hats are given gauge strings, such appendages finding their best place upon those hats that are very abruptly turned upward from the brow in a far away imitation of the early Victorian bonnet.

Bonnet Chat.
Figured cotton damask is the latest and smartest thing for slip covers. The ground is light gray, with a narrow-twilled white stripe and a design of floral stripes of various colors.

An American lady just back from Tokio has shown her admiration for the Empire of the Rising Sun in calling a little daughter born there Japonica.

At a dinner party the daughters of the host and hostess are taken in after all the other lady guests, the host himself going in first with the principal lady guest, and the hostess last, except when there are more gentlemen than lady guests; then they go into the dining room immediately behind the hostess.

The recent occurrence of a fresh birthday for the Princess of Wales has

brought out some gossip in England of the difference between the part played by the present Princess and that which fell to her predecessor, Queen Alexandra, when Princess, and to supplement the activities of Queen Victoria. She was, in a manner, Vice-Queen. In the new reign the Princess's role is more like that of an understudy. Very few women can have any amount of self-respect if they can't work themselves up to the belief that they might have married somebody if they wanted to, comments an Eastern paper. The man who talks learnedly about the bad industrial conditions that force a woman to go out and work for a salary thinks it is all right when she works much harder at home for him for a miserable pittance that he chooses to give her.

Disension in families often arises from a lack of mutual consideration among the members of the family. The "soft answer that turneth away wrath" is forgotten for the hasty reply, the unkind retort, that kindles the ire of ill-feeling, says the Brooklyn Times.

It is not the extreme type that interests. It is the blending of the ideal and the practical. Give us the woman who, when necessity demands, can go ahead and work like a steam engine at any task that happens to be at hand and who, when time for dressing comes can build ideals and sweet hopes and dig up tender memories as well as the next one. She's the right sort!

FRILLS FASHION

Hats are either very large or exceedingly small.

Chameleon and opal colorings are favored in the taffeta silks.

It seems to be a serious mistake not to invest in a silk waist suit.

The fichu may be made of the gown material and edged with lace.

A collar band of real lace is the approved finish for thin blouses.

The Monte Carlo toque is pointed, fruit trimmed and hung with lace.

The sweet summer parasol must be made of the same stuff as your gown.

A little cape which forms a sleeve drapery marks the most distinctive gowns.

Sleeves may be one large puff or a succession of puffs, only so they achieve largeness.

Fine lace dyed to match the gown or coat in color is the latest development in sleeve frills.

Have the soiled white lace waist dyed in gray or brown and get a veiling skirt to match it.

The tendency in light colors is to ward gray, heliotrope, almond green and pale golden yellow.

Fashion doth make piano lamp shades of us all, with her mandates of ruffles and again ruffles.

Shoulder capes are numerous and are novel in outline, giving excellent excuses for ornate effects.

Illustrated is bloused slightly over the belt, but can be drawn down snugly whenever preferred.

The waist consists of the fitted lining, fronts and back and is fitted by means of shoulder and under-arm seams. The effect of the box pleats is obtained by wide tucks which are turned one outward and one inward in each group and the closing is made invisibly at the centre front. The sleeves are wide and full below the elbows, but tucked to fit snugly above, and are finished with straight cuffs. The novel stock is a feature and is adapted not to this waist alone but also to the separate ones which are always in demand.

The quantity of material required for the medium size is five and one-half yards twenty-one inches wide, four yards twenty-seven inches wide, or three and one-eighth yards forty-four inches wide.

Taffeta Still in Favor.
Black taffeta costumes, it was said in the early spring, and it was thought by the best authorities, would not be fashionable during the summer, as they were to be bought ready made at so many of the large department shops. Yet there has been a succession of the most charming designs furnished for black taffeta gowns, and these have been made up in large numbers for women who know how to dress well.

The skirts are trimmed with tucks or folds of the taffeta, with bands of embroidery or lace ruchings. The waists are tucked or pleated, and have white lace yokes and bands overlaid with embroidery or lace. Shirtings and cordings, such as were the delight of olden times, are most fashionable, says Harper's Bazar.

Poke Bonnets Again.
The latest somerset of fashion is to turn from the lorgnette hat, with its floppy brim of lace or fine embroidery, to the old fashioned poke bonnet.

A well dressed woman must have at least one poke in her hat box to wear with gowns having a downward droop from the shoulders, after the style seen in old Gagnerrotypes. This new poke, however, is modified and altogether charming.

Very smart milliners did their best to introduce the real 1850 poke of Florantine straw with orchard truck ornamentation, but it was no go, and instead woman has accepted a bonnet of hand made satiny straw braid trimmed simply with a band of very

forty-four inches wide, with one-half yard of all-over lace and two and one-half yards of insertion to make as illustrated.

A Leland Sanitarium.
The advantages of a far northern climate in the treatment of consumption having been established, it is proposed to establish a sanitarium at the farthest extremity of the Ofote Railroad in Leland. This is the most northern line in the world.

Fashion Notes

New York City.—Box pleated effects are exceedingly fashionable and any combination of those of full length with shorter tucks is sure to make a



ROUSE OR SHIRT WAIST.

broad soft ribbon around the high crown and a huge broad bow across the front.

A few wearers take kindly to strings of black velvet tied in a chic way under the left ear, but most of pokes are stringless.

Summer Suits.
Summer suitings, which are to become tailor made costumes, are trimmed at present in many cases very inexpensively with Shantung silks, in contrasting colors. Dark blues and greens look as smart as possible upon both mixed and simple colored materials and upon shepherd plaids, in black and white. By trimming by means a silk collar employment, possibly the fronts also of bolero or bolero the cuffs of the sleeves or a more tab. It is by these color touches that many suits get their smartness.

Think It In Again.
The household which has cherished grandmother's old pinking iron may now bring forth the treasure and put it to good use. For all the ruckings employed so largely this season a pinking edge is most effective, and the iron can be bought in scallops of various sizes. Point d'esprit frocks have ruckings of ribbons or pinked tuffets, hats are trimmed with pinked ruckings and all the smartest petticoats have pinked ruckings set on the frouces.

In Black and White.
The vogue for black and white is one to encourage, when it can be carried out regardless of expense, for it cer

A LATE DESIGN BY MAY MANTON.



tainly wants doing well, or should not be done at all. Black Brussels lace posed upon white chiffon makes a delightfully dainty evening dress.

Negligee With Round Yoke.
Tasteful negligees are among the desirable things of life of which no woman ever yet had too many. This one is graceful, becoming and simple, with al, and can be made from a variety of materials. The round yoke, extended well over the shoulders, gives the broad line of fashion and the pointed sleeves take the long lines and folds that always are desirable. The model is made of white batiste, with the yoke of all over Valenciennes lace banded with narrow folds of the material and the sleeves edged with lace insertion, but the design will be found admirable for soft silks and wool fabrics as well as for washable ones.

The negligee is made with full fronts and back, that are joined to the yoke by wide, full sleeves. As illustrated, it is closed by means of ties of ribbon but buttons and buttonholes can be substituted if preferred.

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Beef Loaf.
Have three pounds of round of beef chopped fine, add half a cupful of cracker crumbs, two eggs beaten, two tablespoonsful of melted butter, two teaspoonsful of salt, one-half teaspoonful of pepper, a little sage and nutmeg if liked; mix well, pour into a loaf like bread, sprinkle it with cracker crumbs, put bits of butter over it, and put it in a double baking pan and bake one and one-quarter hours in a quick oven.

Apricot Compote.
Take a dozen fine apricots, halve them, remove the stones, crack them and blanch the kernels by pouring boiling water over them. Put three-quarters of a pound of sugar into a saucepan with a pint and a half of water, and when it boils skim, lay in the apricots and simmer gently for a few moments until the apricots are clear. Take the fruit out with a skimmer and arrange on a dish. When the syrup is cold pour over the fruit and put half a kernel upon each piece of apricot. Where the dried apricots are used an almond blanched may be substituted for the apricot pit and a teaspoonful of extract of almond added to the syrup.

White Caps.
Whites of four eggs: one cup sugar three-quarters of a cup of butter; one cup of sweet milk; three cups of sifted flour; one teaspoonful of baking powder; flavoring to suit the taste.

Chocolate Junket.
Melted chocolate can be added to the milk used to make junket, then proceeding as with plain junket. This is delicious served with whipped cream and the most delicate chocolate custard than can be made.

FOR THE HOUSEWIFE



Olives Pickle Sandwiches.
Olives and little sour pickles wiped dry and cut in slices make good sandwichwiches. The bread is spread with butter mixed with anchovy paste.

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Fried Bread.
Cut slices of bread one-third inch thick; dip each slice into milk, then dip in beaten egg and fry in the frying pan in half butter and half dripping, turning as each slice browns; sprinkle with powdered sugar and serve hot.

Rabbit Pie.
Skin and wash the rabbit and cut at joints and place in a deep dish; take four slices mixed pork and one small onion, pepper and salt and one cup of water and sprinkle with flour; make a crust and cover the dish over and bake in a moderate oven until done.

Pickled Peas.
Ten pounds peas, three pounds light brown sugar, one quart vinegar, one ounce cinnamon, one ounce ground cloves, one-quarter pound citric acid. Put all in together and boil until the peas are tender; strain the peas out and let the syrup boil half an hour longer.

Apple Cream.
Peel and core tart apples, slice and weigh them, and to three pounds add one cupful of sugar; put these in a granite kettle with the grated rind and juice of one lemon, two cloves and an inch piece of stick cinnamon; simmer slowly until the apples are tender; then run them through a strainer; add one pint of fresh cream, mix with it the apple pulp and serve cold.

Date Gums.
Separate two eggs; add to the beaten yolks one cupful of milk; pour this over one and one-half cupfuls of entire wheat flour and one tablespoonful of melted butter; beat well; then add one cupful of chopped dates, two teaspoonsful of baking powder; stir in half a cupful of boiled rice and the whites of the eggs beaten to a stiff froth; bake in greased pan half an hour.

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The Closest Car in America.
The car that stands in the roundhouse at Plainville, Mass., is the oldest railroad coach in the United States and as such makes a pathetic appeal to all people who remember the earliest days when it was admired by all the country as it rolled over the rails between Boston and Providence at a pace which today would be regarded as almost funeral. Today it stands neglected and many years, and embossed by countless cobwebs—a rusty, useless old thing in a remote corner of the roundhouse.

To the younger generation it seems almost incredible that this primitive vehicle could possibly have been the predecessor of the magnificent Pullman of today. Its outline suggests a stage coach rather than a railroad car, and the jolting of the crude structure was but little broken by the dull creaking springs beneath it.

The roof of this venerable conveyance was used to accommodate passengers on days when travel was "heavy" or the weather fine. Time has made many ravages on this old coach, and to keep it from further injury it has been necessary to nail boards across the sides and over the wheels that mar the quaint effect.

It Walked In.
Early in the morning L. H. Haney, landlord of the City Hotel at Barnstable, Cambria county, was aroused from his slumbers by a crash in his room. Opening his eyes, he was startled to see a big bear. The noise had aroused Mrs. Haney, and she screamed for help. Her husband sprang out of bed and seized a chair to protect himself and wife.

Bruin came toward them, and Haney swung the chair. Mrs. Haney was still screaming and the guests of the hotel were coming from their rooms about this time the bear concluded that things were getting too interesting and he decided to leave. As he emerged from the landlord's room in to the hall there was a rush to get out of the way. Arms were quickly outstretched, and the bear driven off.

Immense Stalk of Rhubarb.
Asa G. Bunker of Asheville, Me., has gathered a rhubarb stalk from his garden that measures 60 inches in length, 39 inches across the leaf, 7 inches around the butt and weighed 3 1/2 pounds.

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Drove Away Hungry Lynx.
As Roland Scribner of Stafford, Vt., was out fishing the other day in a stream within eight of the house, he happened to glance behind him and saw a lynx coming toward him from the woods, growling and snarling, his mouth open. The boy waited until the animal got within a few feet of him, and as it crouched to spring dealt it several blows with his fishing rod, whereupon the lynx turned and ran back into the woods.

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