

HOPE FOR THE SICK.



A VICTIM OF LA GRIPPE.

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Too Much For Him.

A bachelor one day set the table in his lonely abode with plates for himself and an imaginary wife and five children. He then sat down to dine, and as he helped himself to food he put the same quantity on each of the other plates and surveyed the prospect at the same time computing the cost. He is still a bachelor.

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When the Kaiser drove through Hamelin recently hundreds of children stood along the route, dressed either as rats or in the picturesque costume of the famous "Pied Piper's" period.

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HOW CAUSED.

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These pills give rich blood, will purify the system, cleanse the bowels, and give you a healthy, vigorous, and happy life. They will cure all the ailments of the blood, and give you a healthy, vigorous, and happy life.

Prevent Teeth from Decaying.

Woman's Realm

Turban of Spanish Lace. An evening turban of old Spanish lace is all in white, save for the tips of the tails of two ermines. These two little animals are actually tied in a knot on the crown of the turban. It is beautiful rather than bizarre.

"Knobby" Combs. Jet combs and hairpins, plain and carved, are enjoying something of a vogue. The newest shell pins are not finished with a flat carved surface, but show a knoblike decoration which has been used on barrettes and combs. The effect of knobs sticking out all over the head does not appeal to the woman who likes the smoothly coiffed head, so the fancy will hardly last.

Early Morning Call.

A Fort Fairfield lady living in the country says that a short time ago she was awakened at about 3 o'clock in the morning by a furious ring of the telephone in her home. Feeling from the wildness of the ring that somebody's house was on fire or that somebody was bleeding to death, she scrambled down stairs and nervously seized the receiver. "Get your washin' done yet? Had mine out half an hour ago."—Lewiston Journal.

A Salt For the Links.

A brown and white check in a loosely woven tweed has been successfully converted into a stunning golfing costume by a famous tailor. The skirt is plain and graceful in its ankle length lines, and a russet brown cloth makes the chic banded coat, which is deliciously negligee, blousing just a trifle all round over a brown leather belt. The fronts are turned back and faced with the plaid, which material also fashions the small little waistcoat that buttons over a shirt of white linen. The neck is arranged with the now decreed turnover linen collar and small bow tie.

Strings For Bonnets and Hats.

Strings of thin satin are by no means exceptional, and make an effective finish to picture hats. Black liberty strings are attached under the brim of a black velvet hat, and knotted together once, so that the knot rests on the wearer's right shoulder. This hat has the brim somewhat raised on the right side, while curving down in the brim. The trimming consists of loops of the ribbon, each pleated into the shape of a dahlia petal, arranged in two halves, embracing two-thirds of the crown, joined by a handsome cut steel buckle of shield shape, and a plume of ostrich tips placed rather far back.—Millinery Trade Review.

Not For the Dumpty Wo!

The trimming of the new skirt covers the entire area of the skirt, reserving a slight bit of unclimbed surface at the top. When the material is adaptable a pretty conceit is represented by a skirt trimmed with three frills—to wit, a broad one at the bottom, a narrower one half way up, and the third and last hardly a quarter of a yard from the waist line. Lots of sartorial solecisms will be spared us if the fat, dumpty woman will relinquish all claims to this particular effect, leaving these frills to her tall, slight sister, and adopt the equally smart director's skirt, which, with its clinging, long lines, will accentuate her height at least several inches.

With Slung Sleeves.

A striking feature of a white cloth evening pelisse is the slung sleeve. This peculiar sleeve is very full and shirred up onto a shawl yoke. It is edged along the open part (the slung) with sable. From the front this opening is quite like some very old-fashioned garments. From the back the sleeves look like huge sagging puffs. In addition to being edged around the neck and down the fronts with the fur it is adorned with two puffs of the cloth. The lowest one is four inches above the edge. One goes around in a line with the bust. The sleeve, to return to the very novel feature, does not fall far below the elbow, which gives opportunity to show the dress sleeve.

Day of Rest.

The day of rest is a terrible snare and delusion for the wife and mother, and she is glad when Monday comes and she has seven workdays of relaxation before her.

Verily for the busy housekeeper there is no rest, for housework, be it done ever so well to-day, bobs up serenely on the morrow, to be done all over again, and children's appetites are of a fierce and terrible monotony, never satiated, and clothes wear out and dust gathers, and many a poor woman says with the prophet:

"Vanity, vanity, all is vanity."

If no one else deserves it the faithful house-mother of this and past generations deserves an especially choice slice of the good things of the next world, for their reward in this is small and of little renown.—Philadelphia Telegraph.

Employment of Women.

Our Government has never been very generous in the employment of women for clerks, as the records of the various bureaus show.

But Consul Monaghan, of Chemnitz, says that women have become an indispensable factor in the German postal telegraph and telephone service, in spite of the conservatism which prevented the utilization of feminine activities in public work in Germany until nearly half a century later than in France and England.

Some 4000 women in Germany are now engaged in the Government telephone service. The pay is not high and the conditions are rigid, but the hours are light and the salary (\$307 a year) offers a comfortable living.

But the most satisfying feature of female employment in Germany is the Government insurance policy against old age, and it is not to be forgotten active labor after the prescribed number of years of faithful work are

awarded a Government pension on the same plane with men.—Boston Globe

Coral and Its Imitations.

"If you wish to buy coral beads," remarked the jewel enthusiast, "you must go to a reliable dealer. Why, even celluloid may be so shaped and tinted that the average person would not know the difference. There's one way to tell, however, if the chain is cheap. In this case the very perfection of the beads will convince the would-be purchaser of their spuriousness. A string of small beads at, say \$8 or \$10, will be full of little imperfections, if they be real. The larger the bead of real coral the more expensive. The old carved coral jewelry of long ago went out because it was imitated in celluloid till you couldn't tell the difference between pieces that cost \$3 and \$50. Just because the pretty beads in delicate pink are so expensive most persons fancy the branch coral chains, five feet in length, that sell at \$1 and less, and are not real. But they are, and they are cheap because they are made of the tip ends of the coral branches, which are, too small to be carved into anything at all. All along the Italian coast these chains are sold for a lire and a half (thirty cents). Sorento being the favored purchasing place."—Philadelphia Record.

Plaid Shirt Waist Dresses.

The smartest shirt waist dresses for this season are plaid, the real Scotch designs, or color schemes in the browns and greens, or dull two-tone plaids. In the most expensive goods it is not at all difficult to find the actual tartan design, the Stewart, the MacDonald, the Bruce, the Wallace and so on through all the best known clans. And if you are Scotch-descent it is the very swag thing to have a shirt waist suit in the plaid of your own clan.

The materials are a heavy Scotch wool mixture, silk mouline, wash flannel, light Scotch flannel, taffeta, silk and wool voile and straight cotton stuffs. If you want to be most fashionable you have a wash flannel suit in some tartan color, a design that has been found under, sung to, and that has been an inspiration to the bagpipes on many a battlefield.

The wool or silk shirt waist suits all have a pleated skirt, wide box pleats or narrow knife pleats, or cut circular or accordion pleated. And the houses are pleated to match, full over the chest for perfect comfort, loose in the armhole, moderately full sleeves, with the comfortable elbow spring. They are very tailor made, all the pleats stitched and double stitched and flatly pressed, and the silk suits sometimes trimmed with bands, collar and cuffs of suede leather.

An excellent plan for washing these linings to prevent fading or the haggard look of well rubbed fabric is to wash in hot suds of castile soap and borax powder. It saves boiling, the use of a board and any possibility of shrinking. Have a tub half full of water that has boiled, add four tablespoonfuls of borax and half a cake of shaved soap. When this is prepared it is a good plan before putting in your linings to first rinse out any laces or ribbons or veils that you want to clean quickly without injury.

Your linings will come clean in a few minutes light hand rubbing, and should be rinsed in clear warm and then in clear cold water.

This is also a good method for doing up the plaid suits of wash flannel, which should never have permanent linings if there is any intention of submitting them to laundry worries. You simply can't wash two different sorts of materials out in different ways so that they will agree afterwards, and it is simpler to plan them separate from the start. It also makes ironing easier. The effort to iron a loose blouse with a fitted lining on the wrong side might imperil household peace for a week. Fancy if mere man had to accomplish such feats in his daily office routine. The world would ring with the achievement.

FASHIONS OF THE DAY

The princess velvet is the chosen model.

Velvet hats are worn with velvet costumes.

Sleeves are moderate in size, ending at the elbow.

Tiny velvet checks are chosen. The quality is usually chiffon.

Barbaric necklaces complete the finish of some stockless bodices.

That old favorite, the palm pattern, is worked out in a velvet-piped silk puff on the fronts of a novel waist.

Fur ties complete the collarless coat on a cold day. Ermine is first for dress wear and chinchilla is next. Broadtail is smart.

A velvet wrap—the darker the better—may be immensely brightened and enriched by pinning over the shoulders to the length of a deep yoke strips of bronzy gold galon.

Feather boas, or rather stoles, are worn by very many fashionables. At a little distance white marabout is often taken for fox, while brown marabout looks almost as much like some of the rich brown furs.

Some of the most magnificent velvet dresses show corded shoulder shirring in epaulet effect. These shirring extend out over and take in the sleeve top. The cut of many a creation is so involved as to be a mystery.

Shoulder trimmings are for the most part in the form of extension of outer trimming. A cut-and-dried collar, such as one of deep lace, is practically unobtainable. And cuffs are so cut up and disguised as to be hardly recognizable.

Household Matters

Caramel Cake.

Cream a tablespoonful of butter with a cup of sugar, add the beaten yolks of three eggs, a gill of water, the stiffened whites of the eggs and two cupfuls of prepared flour. Bake in layer tins, and spread each layer with caramel filling.

Caramel Filling.

Stir a pinch of soda in three-quarters of a cupful of cream, add a half cup of sugar and a tablespoonful of butter. Boil until it spins a thread; add to it four tablespoonfuls of burnt sugar or caramel and a tablespoonful of vanilla. When cool spread on the cake.

Pond Lily Toast.

Toast round slices of bread; butter and moisten slightly with hot milk one egg for each slice. Beat the white stiff, form an outer edge of toast, drop the yolk in the center; a dot of butter, sprinkle of salt and white pepper on each yolk. The toast should be placed in a pan before eggs are added and put in a good oven until yolks are cooked soft.

Macaroon Custard.

For six macarons use five cents' worth of macaroon, one quart bottle milk, taking off cream. Beat three eggs stiffly. Add the milk, three tablespoonfuls sugar, one teaspoonful vanilla. Fill macarons or custard cups. Separate macaroons, putting crumbs in custard and one-half macaroon in center of each cup. Bake in a slow oven.

Corn Bread in Squares.

Beat one egg with egg beater in earthen bowl. Add two tablespoonfuls of sugar, one cup cornmeal, one-third teaspoon salt; next one cup milk, two tablespoonfuls melted butter, one and one-half cups of flour with two teaspoonfuls baking powder. Place dough in hot, greased square pan. Now pour over the corn bread one-half cup of cold milk. Bake in hot oven. Cut in squares with sharp knife.

Cream of Lima Bean Soup.

One cup dried lima beans, three pints cold water, two slices onion, four slices carrot, one cup cream or milk, four tablespoonfuls butter, two tablespoonfuls flour, one teaspoon salt, half teaspoon pepper. Soak beans over night; in the morning drain and add cold water, cook until soft, and rub through a sieve. Cut vegetables in small cubes and cook five minutes in half the butter. Remove vegetables, add flour, salt and pepper, and stir into boiling soup. Add cream, reheat, strain, and add remaining butter in small pieces.

Let Husband Keep House.

Go away, sisters of the household, and let your husband keep house for a few weeks, says a man in Good Housekeeping. Here at home I had been importuned for a long time to put up a shelf for the lamps, to put shelves in a closet over the kitchen mantel for iron and soap, etc. I intended to do it all, but didn't see any especial need of haste. But after moving lamps from sink to table and from closet to sink, and hunting iron and other articles of everyday use from up attic and down cellar, I saw. The shelves were put up and several other conveniences, such as a closet under the sink and a new corner clothes closet—since no one was there to hand me my garments—and a row of nails on the back of the attic door for outside garments.



Alcohol will take out candle grease.

Brooms will last longer if dipped occasionally into boiling suds.

Cornstarch is recommended as a most effective agent for the removal of grease.

Always fold a skirt the right side out for packing, for thus only can you insure its smoothness.

To remove grease spots from wall paper cover the spots with clean blotting paper and press it with a hot flatiron.

Starchy foods should always be cooked in boiling water which contains a little salt to render the food digestible.

A few drops of turpentine poured on a woolen cloth and rubbed vigorously against the leather will cleanse tan shoes satisfactorily.

If silver is washed every week in warm suds containing a tablespoonful of ammonia the polish can be preserved for a long time.

When milk that is not perfectly fresh is used in a cream sauce or soup do not add salt until just before serving to prevent the milk curdling.

Carrots, beans, onions, turnips, cabbage and cauliflower are improved in flavor by parboiling, draining the water off and putting to cook in fresh water.

When adding cornstarch arrowroot or any starchy material to hot liquid, first mix it with enough cold water, or milk, to make it fluid; pour it in slowly and mix constantly until it becomes clear.

An experienced cook states that sour milk in which soda has been thoroughly dissolved in the proportion of one-quarter teaspoonful of soda to one cupful of milk can be used as sweet milk. If only a little less baking powder is used in the flour than with sweet milk.

The woman who keeps house with a cellar should pay it a daily visit and see that it is aired, even if she has to neglect her parlor. Enough germs may lurk in the willing leaves of a cabbage or a handful of decaying potatoes to cause inexplicable illness in her family.

Any one who is in the habit of making snow pudding will find preserved pineapple a ready addition to it. When the snow is ready, pour it into the mold until you have a good foundation, add your pineapple, and then the rest of the snow. When it is cold, serve as usual, with soft custard.

THE KEYSTONE STATE

Latest News of Pennsylvania Told in Short Order.

Assemblyman T. L. Kennedy announces that he will bring a bill before the next Legislature for the condemnation and purchase of all toll bridges in Pennsylvania by the State and the county in which they are located, the State and county to divide the expense. Some counties have already done away with toll bridges, and so has Pittsburgh within its corporate limits, but toll bridges still exist between Pittsburgh and Allegheny. The proposed law, it is believed, would be the Greater Pittsburgh project. Bridge companies pay a State tax, but no county tax, and for this reason the State could afford to pay its share out of the taxes it has received for many years, says Mr. Kennedy. The greater number of toll bridges in the State are in Western Pennsylvania, this being due to the fact that when they were built the counties were poor and preferred to give rights to private capital. Many Assemblymen have pledged themselves to support the bill.

T. D. Nichols, secretary of the Board of Conciliation, received Carroll D. Wright's decision in the matter of the grievance of the employees of the Executive Colliery, of the Lehigh Valley Coal Company. The men complained that the company, since April 1, 1903, has paid the sliding scale increase provided for by the Anthracite Strike Commission on the net earnings, instead of the gross earnings. Mr. Wright decides that the increase must be paid on the gross earnings, but says the men are entitled to back pay only since the time the appeal was filed, August 17 last. This matter of paying on the gross or net earnings was one of the questions that almost brought on another strike early last summer. The Lehigh Valley and the Temple Iron Companies are the only ones hereabouts who pay on the net earnings. All the rest pay on the gross earnings. Mr. Wright made a similar decision some time ago in the case of the Reading Coal & Iron Company.

In compliance with a request, County Commissioner M. L. Greider, of Mt. Joy, has shipped three pounds of Lancaster County tobacco seed to the Italian Government. Commissioner Greider had charge of the Government Experimental Station where Sumatra leaf has been successfully grown under cover.

Samuel Simmons, a demonstrator in a Philadelphia department store, was taken from the late Philadelphia express on the Reading Railway nearly dead from exposure to a temperature of 7 degrees above zero while riding to Pottdown from Reading on the platform of the baggage car. Simmons had been visiting his father in Lebanon, and by the time he reached Reading on his way to Philadelphia he had no more money. He tried to get a free ride on the platform of the baggage car, but the result was nearly fatal to him. One hand and both feet were frozen. He was taken to the Pottsville Hospital.

A reception was held in the hall of the Bayard Taylor Memorial Library, Kennerly Square, to celebrate the freeing of the library from debt. William W. Polk, of Phoenixville, who was president of the association until his removal from town two years ago, made an address. Prof. William Wickert, master of Westtown Friends' School and one of the trustees, also spoke. Prof. Walter E. Dengler, principal of the public school, spoke on the help the library has been to the pupils of the school. D. Duer Phillips, treasurer since the organization of the library, read his report, showing that the property is now free from debt. The building, which was erected in honor of Bayard Taylor, the poet, who lived in Kennett Square, was dedicated on September 12, 1896. The cost was nearly \$8800, and at the time of the dedication there was a debt of \$3500. The library contains about 4000 volumes. Besides the main library rooms there is a hall on the second floor for entertainments.

Dr. Joseph Kallfus, secretary of the State Board of Game Commissioners, has prepared his annual report, which will be acted upon at the meeting of the board in Harrisburg this week. The report recommends that a law be passed placing a tax of \$1 on every hunter in the State for the purpose of purchasing land for propagating purposes. Dr. Kallfus would like to set apart certain territory of the State forestry reservation where protection can be given to birds and animals and where nobody would be permitted to hunt. He finds that the law prohibiting the sale of game killed in this State is evaded by men who formerly hunted for the market and who now hire their services as hunters at a stated salary, their employer receiving all of the game that is slaughtered.

"Boys have fought since creation and will fight until doomsday," observed Judge H. K. Weed at Norristown in sentencing Charles R. Schoch, the 16-year-old boy convicted last week of involuntary manslaughter in causing the death of Luther Chaplin at Pottdown last month. Schoch was sentenced to three months in the county jail. He and Chaplin were employees of a silk mill and settled their differences after work hours in a fist fight. In the encounter Chaplin's skull was fractured, and he died several hours later.

Joseph Bierschmidt, superintendent of the Philadelphia & Reading colliery in Monitor, has condemned all the houses in the village on account of the large openings underneath them, caused by cave-ins. In the Spring the company intends to build a large number of houses, and the old buildings will be torn down.

The Reading Coal & Iron Company has issued an order saying: "No man need pay a cent to anybody to hold his job." This order was brought about by charges that a certain contractor compelled all his men to pay \$5 each to keep their jobs.

Because he was buried under a load of corn fodder, Morris Schaffer, of Gratersford, is an inmate of the State Hospital for the Insane, Norristown. A wagon on which Schaffer and Samuel Poley sat was upset on Thursday, burying the two men. They were held helplessly for several hours. When rescued Schaffer was unconscious. Later it was found that the fall had injured his brain, and treatment at the hospital was deemed advisable. Poley was not badly hurt.

In a mistake for medicine City Treasurer Frederick Scheffeld, of Altoona, swallowed carbolic acid, but his life was saved by prompt action.



Mrs. Rosa Adams, niece of the late General Roger Hanson, C. S. A., wants every woman to know of the wonders accomplished by Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

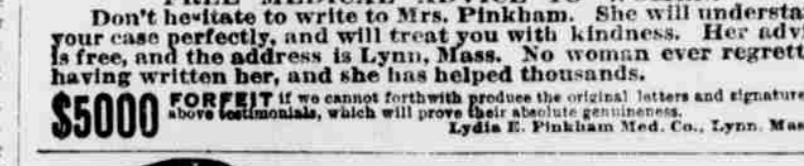
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Soaked Innocent Visitor. A newly married Nashua, N. H., couple were annoyed by Halloween pranksters and made several unsuccessful efforts to catch the boys and girls. Finally there came a long ring and a pall of water was poured from a chamber window over the front door, which soaked the new suit of one of the bride's dearest lady friends, who had come to call.

Partridges Tame in Maine. Mrs. J. B. Cole of Prospect Harbor, Maine, was sitting on her piazza when she was surprised by a partridge which alighted first on the rail and finally fluttered to the floor near where she was sitting. A few days afterward the lady living in the next house found one with her hens when she went to feed them at night.

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