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Summer Care of Blankets.

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A stone wall almost a mile in length with an average height of 18 feet, has been built along Second Ave., in Pittsburg, by the Baltimore A Ohto Railroad Company. This is part of the half million dollar improvement that the Company is making at that point,

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The Mexican Herald says of a recent fatal panic at a bull fight: "The young lady was frightened to death, but be haved with much courage and self-possession." This, we believe, is thoroughly characteristic of American corpses,

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STYLISH VARIATIONS IN DESIGNS FOR DAMES AND DAMSELS.

Recogning Proper Blones Walst for Young Miss is Fashioned in Figured Barege, With Narrow Black Ribbon Decoration-Ladies' Shirt Walsts. May Manton describes this design

a a stylish waist, fashioned in figured barege, showing a full vest and back guimpe of surab, suitable for a young



MISSES' FRENCH BLOUSE WAIST.

Narrow black velvet ribbon provides the decoration, and a fine divided frill of lace finishes the neck. The foundation consists of a glovefitted lining, with the usual number of seams and single bust darts entering into the adjustment. It closes invisibly at the centre-back. The becoming fulness of the vest or front is disposed in gathers at the neck edges and at the waist. The side-fronts, which are included in the shoulder and under- carried over the shoulders to extend

Is the basis of good health, WAISTS THAT ARE WORN. the handsome yoke, of material in steady nerves, mental, phys. WAISTS THAT ARE WORN. plaits and stitched on the curved edges. The fullness at the waist line is regulated in the front by gathers and at the neck by close overlapping plaits, the lower edges at the waist being worn under the dress skirt. stylish sleeves are of the width that

fashion dictates for the coming season; they are gathered at the top, and at the wrists finished with under and over-laps. The turn-down collar that finishes the neck is mounted on a high neck-band. Percale, dimity, gingham, lawn, organdie, batiste and wash silks are all suitable and light-weight taffetas in

effects make pretty waists of this description. To make this shirt waist for a lady in the medium size will require three and one half yards of thirty-six-inch

checks, plaids, stripes or changeable

Pretty Dress for a Little Girl.

material.

This pretty little dress is desirable or washable as well as other fabrics, As here pictured it is made of plain gingham in a pretty shade of blue trimmed with Hamburg edging, all-over embroidery and insertion. The waist is arranged over a fining that is simply adjusted by shoulder, under arm-seams and single bust daris and closes invisibly at the centre-back. The front shows a short yoke of allover embroidery, shaped in rounded outline, to the lower edge of which the frill portion is joined, the becoming fulness being arranged at the top by gathers that finish with a frill of embroidery. At the waist the material is again gathered and sewed to the foundation breadth, drooping slightly. The backs shows fulness at the upper and lower edges where it is drawn close to the centre back.

An attractive feature is the pretty bolero fronts reaching to the waist line that is included in the shoulder and under arm-seams. A handsome Vandyke collar falls deeply at the back where it forms two points and is



arm seams, fit smoothly at the top, with the slight fulness at the waist standing collar overlaid with a band of laid in forward-turning plaits. Smooth insertion and decorated at the top the top, where they are cut in low, rounding outline, showing a gathered completed with insertion and edging. rounding outline, showing a gathered yoke of surah above. At each side of the closing the backs have a slight full straight, full skirt is gathered at the top and joined to the bottom of ness, arranged in close, overlapping plaits. The upper edges of the side by a dainty sash of satin ribbon. fronts are also rounded, presenting the guimpe effect that is a feature of the season's style and becoming to all tiste, dimity, silks in India, China, youthful figures. The neck is completed by a standing band, surmounted by a fuil ruche of lace. The two-seamed sleeves have short puffs and are finished at the wrists in Venetian

Challes, cashmere, novelty and canvas weaves will make up prettily in combination with silk, surah, mousseline, chiffon or crepc-de-Chine, forming the vest and voke back. The free edges may be trimmed with either ribbon, braid or passementerie.

To make this waist for a miss of fourteen years will require two and one-half yards of forty-four-inch ma-

A Variation in Ladies' Waists. Glace silk showing white and violet was selected for the stylish waist depicted in the large illustration and de-scribed by May Manton as that making a decided variation from the regulation shirt waist. The white linen collar and cuffs are adjustable, but the waist can be made with permanent collar and cuffs if preferred. A soft GIRLS' DRESS WITH BOLERO FRONT tie of white surah finishes the neck, and the waist is encircled by a white leather belt closed with a handsome gilt buckle. The fronts have tucks arranged at yoke depth, and the closing is made at the centre-front through the applied box-plait that finishes the right edge. Under-arm gores are inserted, making the adjustment exceed-

ingly trim. straight lower edge of a lining yoke; tongue.

under-arm gores separate the fronts with a frill of embroidery completes from the backs, which are smooth at the neck. The sleeves are coat-shaped

The mode will develop satisfactor-



glace, or taffeta with trimmings of either lace, embroidery or insertion.

To make this dress for a girl of eight years will require three and onehair yards of thirty-six-inch material.

A case of periodical hiccough lasting several months in a man of forty-two has been traced by a Norwegian phy-The back is plaited and joined to the sician to a tumor at the base of the

CONGRESSIONAL.

June 14. The house to-day adjourned until Thursday after a session that lasted 45 minutes. Before the session began the hub of a wheel wound round with a monster petition, said to contain 6,000,000 signatures, appealing to congress to recognize the Cuban insurgents as holligerests. gress to recognize the Cuban insurgents as belligerents was wheeled into the space in front of the speaker's rostrum. It had been in circulation throughout the United States for about six months, and was presented to congress by Representative Sulzer, of New York.

June 15. Senator Tillman gave notice of an amendment to the tariff bill providing for a head tax of \$190 on all immigrants of the United States. The amendment also makes it a misdemean-

immigrants of the United States. The amendment also makes it a misdemeanor punishable by fine and imprisonment for any person to enter the United States for the purpose of engaging in trade or manual labor without intending to become a citizen. These provisions are modified by a provision to the effect that they "shall only remain in effect until silver shall be admitted to our mints for coinage at the ratio of 16 to 1, on the same conditions with gold."

At the request of Senator Allison, the Hawailan provision in the tariff bill has been passed over by the Senate.
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consideration to-day. Two amendments offered by Mr. Vest and one by
Mr. Jones (Ark.), reducing the duties
on fresh milk, condensed milk and
cabbages, were rejested. Mr. Vest
made a humorous speech when the
paragraph relating to cider was racked. He appealed to New England to
come to the rescue of "cider, the liqour of our boyhood, the beverage
which cheers, but not inebriates;
which sparkies in every New England
festival, and in the west and south,
wherever the apple is raised and
used." Mr. Deboe presented petitions
from a large number of citizens of
Kentucky favoring a modification of
the civil service law.

Kentucky favoring a modification of the civil service law.

June 16. The house passed the Simon bill requiring municipalities to purchase electric light plants holding franchises in their limit before erecting or seeking to operate plants of their own.

A resolution ws passed requesting congress to make an appropriation for a United States exhibit in Paris, 1900. The governor's veto was sustained on the bill making it lawful to erect wire fences along public highways. The Young bill, giving trolley companies the right of eminent domain was defeated.

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In the senate a bill to tax both home and foreign beer one cent a gallon was laid over. A bill was passed creating a state board of arbitration to settle all labor disputes. A bill providing for the physical education of children in the state schools was defeated.

The Senate was in session less than half an hour June 17, on account of the meagre attendance and consequent peril to bills on third reading, the calendar having been cleared of bills on the other readings. The Farr bill, to make eight hours a day's labor for mechanics, workingmen and laborers make eight hours a day's labor for mechanics, workingmen and laborers in the employ of State or municipal corporations, was called up by Mr. Magee, of Allegheny, and passed finally without opposition. Mr. Thomas, of Philadelphia, introduced a bill increasing the tax on the Fennsylvania business of foreign incurance from 2 to 4 per cent., and imposing 4 mills on the market value of bank stock.

German method appears in the compression of all the religious nutriment needed by the soldier in the field into a little book weighing four ounces, the "Evangelisches Militair Gesang and Gebetbuch." Cromwell's Ironsides, too, carried their religious literature about in a very compact shape, while the modern British soldier's outfit weighs one pound. It is calculated that with armies of 100,000 men the Germans would carry 11 tons of sacred literature to the Britishers' 44, leaving them room for 33 tons more of cartridges.

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tracted heat were women whose energies were exhausted by sufferings peculiar to their sex; women who, taking no thought of themselves, or who, attaching no importance to first symptoms, allowed their of themselves, or who, attaching no imfemale system to become run down. Constipation, capricious appetite, restlessness, forebodings of evil, vertigo, languor, and tweak-

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