

FOR WOMAN'S BENEFIT

Few Statues to Women. There are only four statues in the United Kingdom erected to the memory of women other than royalties.

Woman Chosen as Sculptor. Miss Gail Sherman of Syracuse, N. Y., has been chosen as the sculptor of the monument to be erected in that city to the memory of Hamilton S. White.

Mr. White was known as the citizen chief of the fire department of Syracuse, and gave his services without compensation for 20 years. He met his death while fighting the flames at a fire in March, 1899.

The Use of Perfumes. All strong, overpowering odors are tabooed by the woman of taste and judgment. Instead she finds out what odor is most agreeable to her and at the same time delicate, and she uses no other.

Empress Haruko of Japan attains her fifty-first birthday in May, being two years older than her husband, and is a woman of remarkable character, as her face plainly shows.

But the empress's public work has never caused her to neglect her duties as wife and mother. A more devoted couple cannot be found in the island, and the emperor has frequently shown his fondness for her by dedicating poems "to my darling Haruko."

Separate Waists. Separate waists are made of taffeta with lace. Those of taffeta are in wide pleats with the edges of the pleats stitched, and the newest are trimmed with round cape collars, the lowest collar edged with a fancy braid.

Cape de Chine is considered as a fad for bridal gowns. Among the latest importations are white satin dinner gowns elaborately embroidered with jet.

High crowned and broad trimmed hats are in prospect for the coming season as a suitable accompaniment for the wide lace collars.

Fashionable color combinations for delicate silks, trimmings, and French millinery, will be white and green, pink and green, and gold, mauve, and green.

White and tinted chiffon, in the forms of various kinds of flowers, some with jeweled centres and petals simulating dewdrops, will be used on some of the handsomest of the evening round hats for spring wear.

Care of the Teeth. If the teeth are neglected they will decay, and indigestion and a foul breath are sure to follow. If the teeth are decayed the inability to masticate food follows, and the food, not being properly masticated, cannot be properly absorbed, hence a foul breath. Even in small children the teeth should never be neglected, and mothers

should, with the appearance of the very first, care for them. As soon as a baby is old enough it should be taught how to brush its teeth. The first teeth, when neglected, infect their successors which are first to appear, and when once the mischief is begun it is very difficult to stop.

Never were there more novelties in hosiery and underwear than the shops are showing at the present time. It seems settled that fancy stockings are to be worn almost exclusively, and that colors are to take precedence of black.

The straight front corset is growing in popularity, and the indications are that the old styles will have disappeared entirely in another year. Summer corsets in girle and empire fashions are shown in large quantities, so it is evident that the merchants expect a demand for them.

Corset covers are the simplest, most artistic creations imaginable, to suit the extreme delicacy of the coming shirtwaist. They, too, are made to conform to the straight front corset model, being longer in front.

Slit skirts, like the white, are being fitted to the new corset, and are so perfectly adapted to the dress skirt that the sheath effect is increased. Many of them would serve admirably as drop skirts under the transparent fabrics that are to be so popular.

Most ornate effects are seen in the chemises worn by many fashionable women. They are really a combination of corset cover and underwear in a woman's wardrobe.

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JAPANESE BABIES.

According to our modern scientific ideas as to the careful treatment of babies, those of Japan would seem to have a hard time, and yet there are no healthier, nor fatter looking little mortals on the face of the earth.

A widowed resident of Iowa City dashed into police headquarters there the other evening and announced that a lot of grave robbers were at work in the church yard.

Mrs. Mary Wardell has retired as organist of the Greenwood Baptist church, Brooklyn, after serving continuously for thirty years.

Final St. Jacobs Oil Sciatica. There is an end to acute suffering when St. Jacobs Oil promptly cures Sciatica.

Dr. Bull's Cough Syrup. Best cure for all throat and lung troubles.

Thompson's Eye Water. Guaranteed to cure eye troubles.

Siberia is the birthplace of a new style of men's "Blouses of Christ." They teach that the earth is flat and stands on three whales and that in the middle of the ocean there is a gigantic chandelier which crows at sunrise. Railways, telegraphs and telephones are attributed to anti-Christ.

There is a class of people who are injured by the use of coffee. Recently there has been placed in all the grocery stores a new preparation called GRAIN-O.

Garfield Headache Powders keep one well, for they relieve nervousness, headaches, fatigue and the "weary-day" ills; they are made from herbs; they cannot harm.

The trend of invention is toward processes that cheapen production. Thirty minutes is all the time required to see with the new FARELASS DYE.

Great Britain is shipping firewood from Victoria, Australia, for the use of her troops in China.

One authority on botany estimates that over 30,000 species of plants are now known and classified.

South Australia there are only eighty-five women for every 100 men.



Hospitals in our great cities are sad places to visit. Three-fourths of the patients lying on those snow-white beds are women and girls.

Freya's Vegetable Compound. Dear Mrs. Pinkham - I have received much benefit from using your Vegetable Compound and Sanative Wash.

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FREY'S VERMIFUGE. In the same good, old-fashioned medicine that has saved the lives of millions.

Lawson's Kidney and Bladder Pills. All ages hail with delight the coming of the most wonderful, meritorious preparation that will lighten the ills of humanity and will do away with the taking of obnoxious, violent purges, inconvenient liquids, and pills that tear your life out.