

Wichita Eagle SUGGESTED BY NATURE.

A WONDERFUL COMBINATION OF GRAY AND COPPER.

Some of the Latest Dainty Fixings for Women Who Are Beautiful and in the Fashion, Too—The Use of Astrakhan and Persian Lamb.

NEW YORK, Nov. 29.—A couple of years ago I was sailing down New York bay, and over to the west great masses of leaden lead clouds were banked up, thick and morose looking, as if heavy with impending storm and disaster.



DAINTY THINGS FOR PRETTY WOMEN. The tall sentiment with her uplifted hand appearing to point out new beauties and glories I cannot paint, but it was all one gorgeous opaline flame on its background of cold, dull gray.

I sat back and watched its ever changing forms and tints, and then wondered why some one did not think of it and devise a gown that should be all somber, leaden gray with a bordering of this rich, luminous, coppery red, and now I find as among the most elegant and stylish combination of colors just these very ones, which proves that great minds do sometimes run in the same channels.

The combination of these two colors is a daring one, but indescribably rich, but it must be made by a master hand with the royal lining. One newly imported gown for home wear that I saw at a grand opening of the finest Paris costumes was of soft and rich fall in dark slate gray, with the front breadth of coppery red velvet and with sleeves of the same.

Another toilet had a skirt of gray ladies' cloth embroidered in darker shades. With it was worn a jacket of coppery red, closely braided with very dark gray sateen, with vest and upper sleeve of gray velvet, darker still, and with a vest and rolling collar of the same. The hat carried out the same idea, with its chandron bows and yellowish pink plumes.

It seems as though the use of astrakhan and Persian lamb is growing in favor every day, and sleeves to house dresses are often made of one or the other. Sleeves are made of material contrasting with the dress as often as of the same material, and the dress or cloak can be made of two materials combined and the sleeves differ from both. They are made very long, and, while large at the top, grow very narrow at the wrists, some of them buttoning closely up the forearm and others being loosed.

Flouncings and ruffles are very pretty, and form a desirable break in the severity of the clinging style now so general. The old style of having four or five narrow pinked out ruffles scantily gathered and overlapping each other is very pretty and dainty. This is for silks and light goods.

Hardly any home toilet is now thought complete without the addition of one of the fancy little ruffs, ties, jabots, or feather or lace boas. In the illustration

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A DANCE OF DEATH. Annie Hefferman Got Her Summons to a Bowery Saloon. When the somewhat famous "girl" of a very famous burglar falls dead in a New York Bowery saloon on the most brilliant night of the season even "tough" circles may be pardoned if they confess to a "shock."



"THE KID'S" SWEETHEART. daughter of an honest shoemaker, and her "fellow" was the noted Kid McManus, 22 years old, but already a skillful burglar, and now serving a term in the penitentiary.

It was a star night at the saloon on the northwest corner of Pell street and the Bowery. In the long outer room crowds were drinking as fast as a corps of attendants could serve them.

"Come, brace up. This ain't no wax-work show." So spoke a young man as he dashed a little seltzer in her face from a siphon. A woman followed it with some gin.

"Doctor nothin'! No doctor in New York can help that one," was his verdict. "Leave her set where she is—I'll call the cop," and so he did.

Chicago's Criminal Court Building Falling to Decay. Chicago is grieving somewhat over the rapid decay of her famous criminal court building.

IN A COURT ROOM, many noted criminals have been tried, and the answers, jail and jail yard some of the worst have taken the drop for eternity.

Not Closely Allied. "Is Deborah related to Charley Henderson?" "Yes. She is his sister by a refusal of matrimony."

Gratitude. It is a rare virtue; but the grateful people, that S. S. S. has cured, after physicians had declared them incurable, number way up in the thousands.

PHYSICIANS. The disease affected my eyes until I was almost blind. I am thankful to say that a few bottles of S. S. S. cured me entirely.

A Little Too Rough. Oh, may I love you though. And dearie do I love you. But our sweet dream of joy, alas! is never now to be.

Young Calloway—Miss Twilling, I love you so I do not know just how to express myself. I feel—I feel—I have it—just as if I were going down in one of those fast elevators.

Wouldn't Be His Presumptuous. "You can't make a fool of me, Salley Beveridge!" he said, when he found her taking tea cream from the doorman's hand.

Always Happens That Way. The editor left a note on his desk: "Be back in a year or so."

A Mean Advantage. Jack—I'll never smoke in the presence of a lady again. Tom—Why not, if she doesn't object?

A White Lie. Did lovers tell truths as they know 'em. Their luck would be very much worse. I should be a beautiful person.

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