



FASHIONS

Given a Russian name, and almost any article of wear is largely patronized. A woolen brocade called "Muscovite" is a fashionable material...

In various sizes, and with various decorations. The more exaggerated shapes give a quaint and piquant look to girls with an abundance of wavy hair...

The neat, ladylike, and always appropriate French toque bordered and trimmed with fur has appeared en suite with very many of the handsome church and street costumes worn this winter...

The high, stylish collars attached to the jackets for Russian blouses worn this season are not infrequently made of the most expensive material, and becoming it is to most faces...

Some of the new poke bonnets of velvet or fine French felt, with a velvet-like finish, are more rounding in shape and not so narrow about the ears...

Many of the winter round hats are appalling in their general effect, but the majority of the bonnets are graceful, comfortable, and, as a rule, becoming.

The rage for women's trimmings very closely copying the most intricate and dainty hand embroideries in shaded effects, is increasing rather than diminishing, and inventive genius is continually exercised to maintain a variety of patterns.

The exquisitely fine weaves in drap d'ete Henrietta cloth, and double-faced cashmere displayed among attractive winter fabrics, in the daintier grades, present a wide range of rare and beautiful tints not attainable in any other fabrics of approximate price.

Six recent English bridesmaids were gowned in white velvet, trimmed with ermine, which was rather an innovation—and a costly one.

Cross Saddle Riding Habit. Mrs. H. P. Colgrove, a noted horse-woman of Chicago, has designed and patented a woman's cross-saddle habit which she believes will be popular as soon as it has become known.

Mrs. Colgrove's garment is the result of repeated experiments. She perfected it in 1896, and it may be described as a long, divided coat over a tolerably full divided skirt.

Christmas and New Year's tables are incomplete without a bottle of Dr. Siegert's Angostura Bitters. The only one of its kind in the world, it is a most valuable and healthful aperitif.

A dainty gown of cloth and velvet is in silver gray trimmed with violet. With this is a vest of deep-russet color, gullure lace which introduces another tone in the coloring.

BATTLE OF ANTIETAM.

HOW PRESIDENT McKinLEY SECURED PROMOTION. Serving Hot Coffee to the Soldiers Unmindful of Flying Bullets.

Two small tracts of woodland, a sunken lane, a cornfield of 100 acres, an old church of the Dunkars, many stone walls, several ledges of rocks, a peach orchard—these were the closely grouped features that the army of Antietam which Longstreet and Jackson occupied and against which Hooker, Mansfield and Sumner successively sent their thousands of brave men, says the St. Louis "Globe-Democrat."

The simplest and perhaps the most fashionable bodice for evening wear is the full-bodice shape of chiffon, drooping over a fitted silk lining, the top cut in square or rounding fashion, with a full tulle ruche, a narrow band of fur, a fall of lace, or beaded revers to the edges.

Among the guests at a wedding was noticed a pretty gown worn by a tall, slim girl. The gown was of velvet cloth, with a draped skirt opening at the side to show a very narrow panel of darker velvet.

The pleanated round waist and the full Russian blouse waist contest for favor with the numberless chic little coat basques, very short, very smart, and very much trimmed.

When you want to build a mill, you must put your trust in God. If you do not you will get left.

A few feet from the monument to the Philadelphia brigade glimmers one of the upright brass pipes to show where Stark fell. After the assaulting columns had strewn the cornfield with corpses almost as numerous as the ears on the stalks, they came a few rods further on to a lane which ran down a little slope.

Silver blue and pale golden russet colors are combined in demi-dress costumes of drap d'ete and repped silk.

Mrs. Colgrove's riding habit is the result of repeated experiments. She perfected it in 1896, and it may be described as a long, divided coat over a tolerably full divided skirt.

Christmas and New Year's tables are incomplete without a bottle of Dr. Siegert's Angostura Bitters. The only one of its kind in the world, it is a most valuable and healthful aperitif.

It against the Confederates posted behind stone walls on the corresponding heights across the Antietam. His regiment was taken out of its brigade and division to make the assault.

The wives of Kingsbury and Jones were sisters. They were nieces of Enoch Zachary Taylor and cousins of the first wife of Jefferson Davis. Kingsbury had married Miss Taylor a few months before the battle.

When the blood-stained relics were placed in the hands of the young wife in Washington two days after the battle the scene was heartrending. "I don't think that in all of my experience," said the officer who performed the painful duty, "I ever saw such intense grief displayed as was manifested by Mrs. Kingsbury when I delivered to her the personal belongings of the Colonel.

A posthumous son was born about two months after the death of Colonel Kingsbury. This boy became the heir to an estate which at the time of the war was worth \$200,000. He was also a central figure in one of the most sensational lawsuits of thirty years ago.

Major Kingsbury had a daughter, as well as the son who fell at Antietam. The daughter married the Hon. Oliver Buckner of Kentucky some time before the war. When General Buckner decided to go with the Confederacy the daughter of conscription of his wife's interest in the Chicago estate confronted him.

Teacher—Fritz, tell me the name of the animal that furnishes us with hams? "The butcher,"—Philadelphia Times.

Teacher—What is the meaning of one-twenty-fifth? Little Boy—I don't remember. Teacher—If you had twenty-five children visiting you, and only one apple for them, what would you do? Little Boy—I'd wait till they went, and then eat it myself.—Spare Moments.

Smythe—I wonder what idiot originated the phrase: "There's no accounting for taste." Tompkins—Why? Smythe—Because I'd like to get at him! I've just been accounting to the milliner and modiste for my wife's taste!—Brooklyn Life.

Theological Student—I have just written an essay proving beyond dispute the divine origin and truth of Christianity. Professor—Dear me! I didn't know that the condition of Christianity was so desperate as that.

Crocer—You butchers have a soft snap. You weigh the bones with the meat, and charge meat prices. Butcher—I don't see as you have any call to talk. When you sell Swiss cheese don't you weigh the holes and charge cheese prices for them?—Boston Transcript.

"Do you belong to so many clubs?" "No; but if we didn't read nearly all night we couldn't answer Bobby's questions."

This is hard work, most people think. But is it any harder for a man than the old-fashioned way of washing is for a woman? And yet how many women, apparently bright and intelligent, still persist in that clumsy, wearisome, expensive way of washing! Why don't they get Pearline and save the hard work, the ruinous wear and tear, the needless rubbing and wrenching? Pearline can't hurt the clothes. It's the most economical thing to wash with. Why don't they use it like millions of other women? 500 MILLIONS NOW USE PEARLINE

WE SELL China Ware Crockery Glassware

Cheapest Prices in America DAINY CHINA CUPS 10, 12, 15, 20, 25c each PRETTY CHINA DISHES 10, 12, 15, 20, 25c each FANCY VASE and 10, 12, 15, 20, 25c each ORNAMENTS DINNER SETS In great variety and decorations complete for six persons.

4 00, 4 50, 5 75, 6 90 PER SET. ELITE CHINAWARE A SPECIALTY. Great American Importing Tea Co. 617 J ST., SACRAMENTO.

Given Gold Music Bicycles Free Watches Boxes Air Rifles

WINES FOR THE HOLIDAYS.

H. WEINREICH & CO., 514 J STREET.

SUNSET LIMITED

WILL RUN BETWEEN San Francisco, St. Louis and Chicago THROUGH Los Angeles, El Paso, Fort Worth and Little Rock TWICE A WEEK.

From San Francisco, Mondays and Thursdays, 5:30 p.m. From Los Angeles, Tuesdays and Fridays, 10:30 a.m.

The superb service, that for the past three seasons has made this train the most popular in America, will be continued. No extra cost.

Advertisement for HINDO REMEDY, featuring a portrait of a man and text describing the medicine's benefits for various ailments.

A SIMPLE CATARRH CURE I have spent nearly fifty years in the treatment of Catarrh, and have effected more cures than can be fully stated in the history of medicine.

DYSPEPSIA INDIGESTION, HEADACHE, HEAVY BURDEN, NERVOUSNESS, STOMACH TROUBLES quickly relieved and cured by LORAPLEXON. Sample bottle free.

F.C. KNAUER'S CELEBRATED CULMBACHER.

MEN BE... It costs you nothing to try it. Von Mohr Co. 437 B So. American St. Cincinnati, O.

WHY PAY FROM \$0 to \$50 for an old-fashioned Electric Bell when we can furnish a first-class article at less than half the price!

H.G. Taylor, 718 J St. Dentist. PRINTING D. JOHNSTON & Co. 410 J STREET. — ORIGIN FROM THE COUNTRY PROMPTLY FILLED —