

SUBURBAN ASSOCIATIONS.

List of Officers Together With Time and Place of Meeting.

IN THE ALTER OF THESE ASSOCIATIONS THE FIRES ARE BURNING FOR ALL THE PEOPLE OF THE SUBURBS.

Citizens' Northwest Suburban Association.

Meetings are Held the First Friday Evening in Each Month in the Town Hall, Tenleytown, D. C.

OFFICERS:

President, Charles C. Lancaster; 1st Vice-President, Col. Robt. I. Fleming; 2nd Vice-President, Hon. John B. Henderson; 3rd Vice-President, John Sherman; 4th Vice-President, Rev. Joseph C. Mallon; 5th Vice-President, Rev. J. McBride Sterrett; Secretary, Dr. J. W. Chappell; Treasurer, Charles R. Morgan; Chairman Executive Committee, Louis P. Shoemaker.

Total Membership about 150.

Brightwood Avenue Citizens' Association.

Meetings are Held the Second Friday Evening in Each Month in Brightwood Hall.

OFFICERS:

President, Louis F. Shoemaker; 1st Vice-President, Wilton J. Lambert; 2nd Vice-President, Edward T. Bates; 3rd Vice-President, Claude F. King; 4th Vice-President, A. G. Osborn; Secretary, John G. Keene; Assistant Secretary, Cuvier Green; Treasurer, N. E. Robinson.

Total Membership about 125.

North Capital and Eckington Citizens' Association.

Meetings are Held the Fourth Monday Evening in Each Month in the Church of the United Brethren, Corner North Capitol and R Streets.

OFFICERS:

President, Irwin B. Linton; Vice President, Washington Topham; Treasurer, W. W. Porter; Secretary, A. O. Tingle; Executive Committee The officers and Messrs. Jay F. Baneroff, Theo. T. Moore and W. J. Fowler.

Total Membership about 280.

Takoma Park Citizens' Association.

Meetings are Held the Last Friday Evening in Each Month in the Town Hall, Takoma Park, D. C.

OFFICERS:

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BENNING NEWS.

Washington Fenwick, colored, was killed by an express train on the Pennsylvania road Sunday night. He made a desperate attempt to clear the crossing ahead of the express, and death was the penalty for his foolhardiness. A simple-minded coroner's jury held the gateman, James E. Gates, responsible, and he was locked up.

Work on the abattoir, recently damaged by fire, will be completed in a few days.

CHESAPEAKE BEACH NEWS.

Mr. G. Marinella, proprietor of the Water Edge Hotel, is putting in about \$400 worth of new improvements for the benefit of the public.

The crabbing season is now at its height.

Landlord Bridwell, of the High View Hotel, has just purchased a fine piano for use of his guests. "Let everybody have a good time," is his motto.

AMONG THE DAIRIES.

Messrs. Nichols & Barber say they are in favor of the passage of Dr. Woodward's new dairy bill, for the reason, as they say, "that it will drive many small dairymen out of business, and thus be of benefit to those who can hold out, as they will get the trade of those driven out of business."

Injurious Lemon.

A singer in grand opera contradicts the statement frequently made that lemon juice is excellent to relieve a slight hoarseness. It may clear the voice at first, but only for a short time, and the strong acid is extremely injurious to the vocal cords. To soothe and relieve the congestion that produces the hoarseness, this singer says that nothing is better than the whites of an egg whipped to a stiff froth.

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WORK FOR LEISURE HOURS.

A Crocheted Edging Suitable For Silk Corset Covers.

Something comparatively new in the way of summer catch-up work is crocheted silk lace for the edging of silk underwear. It is executed with a fine steel hook and colored knitting silk, not too coarse, and the patterns closely resemble the linen torchon edgings. Any one who is skilled in crochet work can devise her own patterns, or a simple mesh of torchon lace may be used as a guide.

The newest corset covers, cut in the French mode, with plain backs and gathered fronts, are made of India or China silk, in blue, pink, violet and cream, and are finished with the neck and armholes with this crocheted edging, an inch or less in width. Sometimes it takes the form of a simple scallop, and again this is mounted on a "ladder" strip, through which narrow wash ribbon of the same shade is run, to be tied in full bows on the shoulders and in front. These French corset covers do not extend below the waist line, but are finished with a belt of the silk. Petticoats, drawers and chemises, when made of silk, are trimmed with the same silk lace in edging and insertion. This work affords the simplest and pleasantest form of occupation for idle moments on summer days.

Other useful forms of crochet work are dollies for finger bowls, plates and carafes done with linen thread. There is the tumbler dolly, in an open Van Dyke pattern; the finger bowl dolly, crocheted in a square, and the cake plate dolly, in eight small wheels joined in a circle. Interesting souvenir brushes also of sweet grass are easily made of the stems without the blossoms. These are cut in uniform length of about twelve inches, forming a bunch about twice the thickness of one's thumb. This is bound firmly together at the centre with a colored silk cord, leaving a knotted loop for a hanger. The bunch of grass is then doubled and spread out flat, like a whisk broom, and bound near the top with the same silk cord. One of these brushes, besides being useful as a hat brush, will perfume a room, and when it gets dried out may be renewed by dampening.

Pleasant souvenirs may be prepared during the summer campaign to send to one's remote and less fortunate friends from the illustrated pamphlets which are generally found at summer resorts. These, as a rule, are got up with handsome photogravures of the various points of interest, with cardboard covers. These covers may be smoothly bound in canvas or linen, with the title and date embroidered or painted by hand thereon. If preferred, the prints may be removed from the binding and placed in a portfolio, tied together with ribbon or floss. If decorated elaborately they contribute interesting additions to any library table. —New York Tribune.

Some Autumn Fashions.

The following bunch of gowns are made of the new stuffs and are intended to be worn in the autumn. The first is a crepon of a grayish blue. The skirt is plain on the sides and has considerable fulness thrown back. Down the sides of the skirt are panels of blue lace picked out with gold. The bodice is laid in fine tucks, and opens to show a deep yoke and narrow vest of white silk laid in lingerie tucks. This is framed in a collar and revers of the blue and gold lace and the lace makes deep cuffs to the sleeves. The front of the gown is laced with black velvet and tiny gold buckles.

Much more elaborate is a violet crepe trimmed with Renaissance lace and narrow black velvet ribbon. The front of the skirt to the knees is laid in tiny box pleats; below, the flaring flounce is covered with one of lace. Crossing and holding this pleated panel at the knees are three rows of velvet twisting in and out of the tiny box pleats and making three rosettes on the left side. The back of the skirt flares, but is plain at the top. The front of the bodice matches the front of the skirt, the velvet being run through the tiny box pleats in the same way and tied with a series of rosettes on the side. The sides of the jacket are trimmed with lace and there are close lace sleeves to meet the loose elbow sleeves. At the elbows the fulness of the sleeves is arranged in the same fine box pleats with velvet ribbons, making rosettes on the outside of the arms.

A light weight cloth in pale green makes the next gown. About half way down the front the skirt opens to show a panel of pleated white chiffon. The sides of the gown are heavily embroidered with white lace figures, white silk braid and gold thread, and this embroidery in a smaller pattern extends about the bottom of the skirt. The bodice is of pleated chiffon partly covered by a bolero of the cloth embroidered to match the skirt. The sleeves "bell out" below the elbows with an embroidered cuff. There is a full undersleeve of chiffon.

The Founder of Smith College.

The real Sophia Smith was conscientious, and she never missed going to church, except from illness, even though she became so deaf, after she was forty, that she sat in her pew year after year without hearing a word the minister said. But on week days her girlhood and her later life as well

were occupied with the things that specially concern women. After considering Sophia Smith without much enthusiasm as the vague and remote person who in some far past was responsible for the college, it is a real comfort to meet one of the few friends of her earlier days, still alive, and to be told that Sophia and her sister Harriet had ecru barege gowns with shaded maroon stripes, bought in New York. It is still more interesting to hear that these gowns were made in Northampton, and that the two Smith sisters spent as much anxious thought on them and on the Leghorn hats to be worn with them as any Smith girl to-day on her best party costume. There were other gowns of the sisters, too, rich and beautiful for that day, hanging in the closet off the guest chamber, where the great four-poster bed, with its valance all about, invited formal repose. The room was icy cold in winter, but if the guest was a curious little person with not too many dresses of her own, she could not forbear an awed examination of the treasures behind the closet door before she blew out her candle and crawled under the covers. —Harper's Bazar.

Chinese Ideas of Female Beauty.

General Tscheng-Ki-Tong gives some interesting information about Chinese ideas of female beauty. In a book by him, which has just been published, "In Europe," he says, "the preference is for large eyes, fair hair and a Greek nose. In China, on the contrary, we only admire small eyes, smooth black hair and dainty snub noses. In both countries, however, teeth white as pearls and small hands and feet are regarded as beauties. The Chinese poet says of his muse that her beautifully outlined and narrow eyebrows remind him of the silhouette of distant mountains, that her eyes are as clear as a lake in autumn, and that her lips resemble the sunrise in the richness of their color.

"A Chinese lady of to-day arranges her hair very simply, and never dreams of building it up, as formerly, over a turret-like wire frame. The ladies of the upper class have adopted a style of arranging the hair similar to that in Greece, but they never crisp or curl it. Curly, indeed, have never been fashionable in China, and hair which curls naturally is hardly ever seen. The chignon is kept in place by a broad gold or silver pin, which is curved in the middle, and around it are sometimes placed as ornaments tendrils of various small flowers.

Embroidered Batiste and Irish Linen.

French batiste can now be obtained in the most delicate shades of pink, blue, mauve, green or yellow. Yellow batiste is much used for lingerie now, and in the new trousseaux the net of yellow batiste or Irish linen so fine as to be almost as sheer as lawn, inset with black or cream-white lace is usually the pride of the fanciful collection. Much fine hand work and embroidery is expended on these garments. Embroidery is more favored than the lace, and there is a tendency to return to the Madeira and Swiss styles of work for frills and insertions in preference to great quantities of lace. Batiste corsets, plain or embroidered with colored flowerets, are charmingly cool and light to wear with thin dresses. It is a pretty fancy to have stays, lingerie, etc., embroidered with one's pet flowers, instead of with a monogram. Marguerites, rose buds, clovers, ferns, tulips and violets are favorite designs. If one has a flower name the one's choice is made for one.

Oak Leaves of Black Chantilly.

Giant oak leaves of black lace are applied to a fancy bodice of strawberry pink figured silk. So large are the leaves of heavy lace that very few are required. One leaf on each shoulder, stem pointing backwards and points of the leaf forward and down; one on each elbow, pointing upward from the line which marks the end of elbow sleeve, and one huge one, under each arm, coming forward like a bolero from the under-arm side seams, and one in the middle of the back, sewn on all, is the tale of this elaborate foliage. No leaves are used in front of the bodice, because it opens over a soft front of white mousseline de soie, which is strapped across with the strawberry and shows a few small but costly buttons, arranged one on each strap. Below the close-fitting elbow sleeve strawberry silk is a modish undersleeve of white mousseline de soie. These are close fitting, and have little in common with the old undersleeve of the Court of the Empress Eugenie.

The Surplice Style in Shirt Waists.

As many of the fancy shirt waists are arranged in surplice style, a demand is naturally created for every variety of chemisettes, fancy plastrons or shirt fronts of mousseline, pique, chiffon, embroidered fabrics or tuckings, with stock collars of various forms attached. These fronts being changed according to the fancy of the wearer, many varied effects may be permitted to the costume. The shops are showing complete lines of plique revers, sailor collars and detachable fronts, to be worn with these surplice waists.

Wrinkled Into Fulness.

For an organdy dress or one of Swiss Guelin you cut your sleeve so that it wrinkles into fulness over the upper arm. It is finished at the elbow by a frill of lace or a ruffle of the organdy. This ruffle may be bordered with narrow Valenciennes lace, or simply be finished with a hem. Do not have the hem of ruffle stitched by sewing machine, unless it is bordered with lace. The band hemming is more dainty for an untripped ruffle.

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