

Only woman's Page



GOWN OF WHITE DUCK, DOTTED WITH LIGHT GREEN.

MONEY FOR MANY NURSES. MORE THAN TWO HUNDRED TO BE MAINTAINED BY THE RED CROSS AUXILIARY.

GENEROUS AND PATRIOTIC RESPONSE TO THE SOCIETY'S APPEAL—WORK OF SUB-URBAN BRANCHES.

The efforts of the women who form the Red Cross Society for the Maintenance of Trained Nurses are being attended with the most gratifying success, and already the funds they have collected will provide for considerably more than a hundred nurses until hostilities cease.

SCARBOROUGH BRANCH.

- Dr. Paul S. Kimball \$100.00
Mrs. R. H. ... 25.00
Mrs. ... 10.00
Mrs. ... 5.00

LENOX BRANCH.

- Through the Rev. J. H. Murphy \$100.00
Mrs. Warren ... 25.00
Mrs. ... 10.00
Mrs. ... 5.00

TUXEDO BRANCH.

- Mrs. F. A. Snow \$25.00
Mrs. ... 10.00
Mrs. ... 5.00
Mrs. ... 2.50

THE ADDITIONAL PLEDGES FOR MONTHLY SUBSCRIPTIONS RECEIVED DURING THE WEEK ARE AS FOLLOWS:

- Mrs. Edgar R. ... 10.00
Mrs. ... 5.00
Mrs. ... 2.50
Mrs. ... 1.00

The additional pledges for monthly subscriptions received during the week are as follows: Mrs. Edgar R. ... 10.00, Mrs. ... 5.00, Mrs. ... 2.50, Mrs. ... 1.00.

WHERE RELIEF IS NEEDED

SOLDIERS' FAMILIES, SICK AND DESTITUTE, RECEIVE HELP AND COMFORT.

A MEMBER OF THE WOMAN'S PATRIOTIC RELIEF ASSOCIATION OFFERS SHELTER TO HOMELESS ONES.

The Woman's Patriotic Relief Association met yesterday morning at the Hotel Manhattan, Madison-ave. and Forty-second-st. The treasurer announced the receipt of \$129.50 since the last meeting.

The report of the garden party given on Saturday last at Mrs. Charles Carroll's home, Staten Island, declared that \$50 had been netted, as expected.

A suggestion made by Mrs. James R. Franklin for helping the distressed families of soldiers was pronounced by some of the women to be so excellent as to merit special notice in a way that might induce others to make similar offers.

The further work of the association was laid on the table for the present. At the mass-meeting to be held at Carnegie Hall on July 6 a delegation from the Woman's Association will be present.

Several special cases were reported yesterday to the association, and relief was given where possible. The one which attracted most attention was that of a young woman, scarcely more than a bride, whose husband in a fit of anger had left her with no money, and being turned out of her rooms because the rent had remained unpaid for four weeks.

Another woman was found who in one week earned \$100. She was compelled to leave the baby in order to do the work, and she left herself four cents an hour.

FUN FOR THE CHILDREN.

WHAT THE OUTDOOR RECREATION LEAGUE IS DOING FOR BOYS AND GIRLS.

The Outdoor Recreation League met yesterday at 5 p. m. in the library of the Associated Charities Building, at Twenty-third-st. and Fourth-ave.

The League will erect a gymnasium in New York on an open-air basis, built on the same plan as the free gymnasium in Boston.

Another branch of the work is the Summer Camp for Working Boys. The money to pay for tents, equipment, and transportation is secured by public subscription.

THE DATE GOSSIP.

The International Temperance Congress will begin at Prospect Park, Staten Island, to-day, and continue until July 6.

A WOMAN OF SANTIAGO.

She is one of the descendants of Ponce de Leon and works for the Cubans. Mrs. Rosalia Challa Graham, a native of Cuba, now residing in New-York, is an active worker in behalf of the Cuban sufferers.

TO TEACH CHILDREN TO PLAY.

A number of teachers and ministers in the XVIIth Assembly District met yesterday afternoon in the Amity Baptist Church, No. 72 West Fifty-fourth-st., to perfect plans to advance the educational feature of the playgrounds.

CONCERNING SHORT ARMY COATS.

The Executive Committee of Auxiliary No. 5 is distressed to learn that the coats equipped and dispatched are considered to be short. It desires it to be known that "the coats and all their belongings were selected under the personal supervision of D. L. Cobb, of the Red Cross, who, of course, has the matter cordially invited to be present."

SHE IS A POSTMASTER.

Williamsburg, Mass., has a woman for postmaster. She is Miss Mary L. Carter, and was recently appointed upon the recommendation of Representative Lawrence, in accordance with the provisions of the city officials and a strong petition from citizens.

TRIBUTE TO SUNSHINE SOCIETY.

GOOD CHEER.

Have you had a kindness about you? Has it been a sunny day? Has it been a sunny day? Has it been a sunny day?

WISDOM.

For what shall I profit a man if he shall gain the whole world and lose his own soul? Mark VIII, 36.

Communications have come from Mrs. A. L. Mahler, G. S. C. E. W. L. Miss M. A. W. M. A. J. K. E. V. Emma W. Knettel, Mrs. Jeannette W. Kayser, Frances Stockwell, Mrs. M. B. Bliss, K. I. H. Helen B. Decker, Laura Walcott, A. S. Thorp, Mrs. J. D. H. J. Augustus Kline, Mrs. M. J. Wood, Mrs. C. L. Lewis, Mrs. S. Bernstein, Dana S. Carpenter, C. L. W. Mrs. L. T. Lyle, Joseph Gorkalcher, Mrs. R. F. Ashley, Mrs. L. L. Morrell, Mrs. S. C. B. Holcomb and Miss Martha L. Ponder.

The following contributions have been received: Reading matter from Mrs. A. S. Thorp and T. S. S. members: scrap pictures and calendars from Mrs. A. L. Mahler, two boxes, containing books, magazines, and a number of curios, shells and mosses, from Mrs. A. A. Foster, books and games from Helen B. Decker, paper dolls from E. W. K. and the first day of each month never fails to bring stamps from Mrs. E. H. from J. Augustus Kline, and it came as usual yesterday.

The sunshine distributed consisted of shells to Mrs. Sickmond, by request; cancelled stamps to Mrs. William Callahan and A. Lowkowski, and paper dolls to Ethel Varum.

Many Sunshine readers have sent in the name of Julia Child as the author of the poem, "The Master Has Come," published in the column June 2, but the following letter settles the question of authorship:

"President-General of the T. S. S. My sister, Mrs. Ursula Locke Bailey, of Providence, R. I., writes 'The Master Has Come' as it is called, in a small collection of her poems called 'Bardwoods,' and published after her death in 1883 by the 'Flowers,' also in a book called 'The Flowers,' which has been often reprinted on cards, in booklets and in newspapers.

"Christ and His Little One" she wrote for her own comfort when her little one was a baby, years ago, not suspecting then how many mothers it would comfort. Mrs. FRANCES LEE PRATT, No. 62 Orange-st., Brooklyn.

SUPERFICIAL PHILANTHROPY.

IT "KNOWS THE HABITS OF 'CASES' BUT NOT THE HEARTS OF THE POOR." The study of practical philanthropy, work, as it is now being carried on in the "Mass practical course of training at the Charity Organization Society, was first introduced by the late Mr. Fairchild in a paper given before the New York Federation of Women's Clubs at Buffalo in 1892, under the title, "The Scientific Study of Philanthropy." The paper was subsequently published in "The American Journal of Sociology" of the Chicago University, appearing in the January number of this year.

As Mrs. Fairchild's subject the study implies: "The scientific study of philanthropy is a method of careful investigation of all the facts; co-ordination of the facts; a determination of underlying general principles; the application of these principles to local conditions."

The scientific study of philanthropy implies to many persons an unimpassioned study. They object, and rightly, to the study of philanthropy, including the study of the habits of the poor, and the study of the habits of the poor, and the study of the habits of the poor.

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SHE IS ONE OF THE DESCENDANTS OF PONCE DE LEON AND WORKS FOR THE CUBANS.

Mrs. Rosalia Challa Graham, a native of Cuba, now residing in New-York, is an active worker in behalf of the Cuban sufferers. She was born in Havana and educated in Spain. Her father held many responsible places, including that of minister of marine, which he was awarded shortly before his death. Her grandfather was an admiral in the Spanish Navy. On her maternal side Mrs. Graham traces her lineage from Ponce de Leon, who conquered Porto Rico, and explored Florida in his fruitless search after the fountain of perpetual youth.

Mrs. Challa showed evidence of great musical ability at an early age, as well as of humanitarian impulses, by giving a concert with the assistance of her sister, in behalf of some poor old men, whose infirmities, added to their poverty, aroused her childish sympathies. The concert was such a success that it was the foundation of a permanent home. After her marriage to T. H. Graham she and her husband reside in Santiago, where they are a bombardment will in all probability be shattered into atoms.

The outbreak of the war Mrs. Graham identified herself with Cuban interests, and a few weeks ago gave a concert in behalf of Cuban refugees among the beautiful and interesting souvenirs which Mrs. Graham possesses she prizes most highly the silver crucifix which was a wedding gift from Pope Leo XIII.

Mrs. Graham and her husband look forward eagerly to the freedom of their future home under the new order of government.

DWELLERS IN ST. GELAND.

SOME CANDID OPINIONS ABOUT THE LIFE OF THE GREENROOM.

Minnie Madden Fiske encourages genius, but says that the mediocre only help to swell the waiting multitude.

"Appropos of the Tribune's discussion of livelihood for graduates," said Mrs. Minnie Madden Fiske, "I would say that the stage should, of all things, be the last resort of any young woman who simply wishes to earn bread. A young woman may, with legitimate hope, study medicine, dentistry, architecture or any of the professions into which woman has recently been introduced with the broad-winged idea, and even with expectation of distinction, but the theatre presents a different aspect. Success in any phase of art necessarily implies a special aptitude in the student. Who would recommend painting or music as a special vocation to a young woman who did not disclose a natural bent for either?"

"There is nothing in the theatre to encourage a woman who has not natural qualifications for it. Genius is welcomed on the stage when it has manifested itself, but even genius must be ever alert, ever industrious. Talent, too, is welcomed, but often it has to wait long for its best opportunities. There is no place in the theatre for mediocrity. The mediocre are crowded out, and stand waiting in a multitude outside. In other professions, when the student has qualified, she may much easier make a living in some other way than in the theatre. On the contrary, the future is distinctly discouraging to it, for when beauty is gone and the woman has nothing else to commend her she joins the multitude of the unemployed.

"A young woman with marked aptitude for the stage usually finds some medium for introduction to professional notice. Good amateur work generally attracts attention. While dramatic schools lack, from the nature of acting, these methods are necessary in order that a young woman, with excellent talents, they are undoubtedly beneficial to pupils. They are generally conducted, I understand, by principals—some of them actors of experience—who discriminate as to their pupils. They do not undertake to instruct those who show no fitness for dramatic work, and their graduates, when worthy, have some opportunity to find engagements, as they show what they can do at special performances. They do not have to be shuffled by managers to whom they are applied for a trial engagement. This is to be expected, because the offices of managers are besieged by aspirants for whom there is no possible opportunity.

"I believe the people of the stage are as moral as those in any other walk of life. Morality is a matter of individuality. Rectitude may be preserved in the theatre as in other places. The theatre is a place where the good and the bad are mixed together, and the good are not less good, and the bad are not less bad, because they are in the theatre. The theatre is a place where the good and the bad are mixed together, and the good are not less good, and the bad are not less bad, because they are in the theatre.

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FOUR PARTIES OF CHILDREN SENT OUT YESTERDAY.

THEY WENT TO ASHFORD HILL, TENAFLY, MIDDLETOWN AND CURTISVILLE—STAGE OF FUND.

The Tribune Fresh Air Fund did a good day's work yesterday. That is putting it mildly. A conservative account of the good that was done through the agency would fill more columns than a day of wholesale beneficence and relief of suffering, and it was the generosity of many charity that made such sensible and far-reaching charity possible.

Yesterday's work consisted of the sending of 26 children to the country for a two-weeks' visit. They started in four parties, bound, respectively, for Ashford Hill, N. Y., Tenafly, N. J., Middletown, N. Y., and Curtisville, Mass. They were all taken from the thickly populated parts of the city, where the heat was fearfully oppressive, and they were all poor, and suffering for the lack of just such an outing as they are now enjoying. When a hot wave strikes the city these children of the tenement districts are the ones who feel it first, and the suffering among them is intense and lasting. They are all too poor to go even as far as Coney Island, so that a fresh-air trip is a godsend, and often an actual saver of life. It is a source of wonderful pleasure and increase of health for every child, and with 26 children leaving for the country, the total of benefit is enormous.

The expeditions of yesterday all went to regular fresh-air homes, where a large number of children are together at the same time. The largest party of the day comprised about one hundred children, and went to the home at Ashford Hill, N. Y. The regular accommodation of the home is two hundred, and the remaining one hundred will go to-day. Ashford Hill is a short ride from New-York, but it is fine, open country, and the most beautiful spot imaginable. A healthy, better place for children to be sent to than any other place. The home consists of a number of cottages on the top of a little hill. All about are playgrounds, with swings, seesaws and other forms of amusement. Near by is a swimming place. As far as the eye can reach the fields and woods stretch away over the hills, and in a view of exceptional beauty. Indeed, there are plenty of diversions for a rainy day. The beds are marvels of neatness and cleanliness, and room and air are drugs in the market. The food is healthful and of unlimited quantity. The "early to bed, early to rise" truth is demonstrated every day, and under all these conditions of an ideal child life the children who leave the city weak and tired come back as rosy, plump and healthy as though they had just such another paradise to "Happy Land," the home at Tenafly, N. J., to which fifty children went yesterday afternoon. There is not a day in the whole summer that passes without the presence of fifty children at the home. Mrs. Lyle, of Tenafly, gives the home for this purpose, and the "fresh air" is kept on a great, roomy house. At Middletown, N. Y., is the Middletown-Goshen Convalescent Home, a beautiful, better place for children to be sent to than any other place. The children for this home are always those who have a few miles away, but do not recover from illness. This is by request of the committee from the city of Middletown and the village of Goshen, and is supported entirely by the people of those two places. The home is well fitted for its purpose, and the children who have been treated and invigorated there.

The party for Curtisville, Mass., had a long trip to the hills. They will spend their two weeks in the midst of the Berkshire Hills, and when it is added that the home is supported entirely by the people of those two places, it is a most commendable and invigorated there.

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THE TRIBUNE PATTERN.

A TISSUE-PAPER PATTERN OF CHILD'S REEFER JACKET, NO. 745, FOR COUPON AND TEN CENTS.

Hunting red cloth makes this smart little reefer, black braid in straight rows and scroll design, with gilt military buttons, adding much to its up-to-date style. This style of jacket retains its well-merited popularity, no child's wardrobe being complete without one. The stylish cape collar closing at the neck affords just the protection most necessary when a jacket is required at all during the summer months.

The pattern is a simple shaping includes under-e-r-m-grooves, shoulder and extra fullness being disposed in an underlying box pleat below the waist line. The center-back, the neck is finished with a rolling collar, trimmed on its free edge to match the cape collar. The two e-a-m-e sleeves are of fashionable shape, with modified flares at the top, and the wrists are decorated to match the collar. Serge in blue, tan or cream, piqué, duck, crash, as well as faced cloth, are used to make jackets in this style. The collar is white, blue or black, with embroidered frills and finished separately, so as to make when necessary.

To make this pattern for a girl six years of age or under of material 4 1/2 inches wide will be required. The pattern, No. 745, is cut in sizes for girls of two, four, six, eight and ten years of age.

COUPON ENTITLING TO ONE PATTERN. ANY SIZE OF NO. 745.

Cut this out. All in your name and address, and mail it to THE PATTERN DEPARTMENT OF THE TRIBUNE.

Name..... Address..... No. 745.....