

WEARS TROUSERETTES

Miss Eleanor Sears, Whose Costume Startles Polo Crowd.



SHE MADE CROWD GASP

Miss Sears Causes Stir With Trouserettes and Forms Club.

San Diego, Cal., March 24.—During a polo contest at Coronado, Miss Eleanor Sears, the eccentric millionaire of Boston, caused the 7,000 society people that gathered to witness the contest to sit up and take notice when she appeared astride a polo pony in knee length skirt over a well made pair of trousers.

Although her trouserettes divided attention with the poloists, Miss Sears did not seem to be the least bit mindful of the furore she was creating.

In fact, she enlisted in the cause Miss Elizabeth Clare Fish, the daughter of Nicholas Fish of New York. Miss Fish announced that she has consented to arise at 5 o'clock each and every morning and don man fashion garb and join a club that is being formed by Miss Sears to tramp along the Coronado peninsula before breakfast.

MORE TAKE THE BATHS

Source of Pittsburg Graft Fund Will Soon Be Revealed.

Pittsburg, March 24. — William Brand, president of a previous common council, who is under three and a half years' sentence for grafting, and Attorney Hugh Ferguson, formerly a councilman and one of the leading attorneys of Pennsylvania, made sworn statements of what they knew of grafting. Councilman Joseph Watson, who completed the "big trio" in council, was brought from Riverside penitentiary, where he had already begun to serve his sentence, and he also made a full confession to the district attorney.

It is admitted in the district attorney's office that the confessions of these three may bare the source of the graft moneys which went into the pockets of Pittsburg councilmen in the last few years. The "man higher up" will probably be made public through indictments. Nine more councilmen came into court and admitted that they had received money for their votes in council.

LIVE STOCK AND GRAIN

CHICAGO—Cattle: Steers, \$5 75-88 70; heifers, \$5 00-60 90; stockers and feeders, \$3 75-45; cows and heifers, \$2 80-37 15. Calves—\$8 25-109 50. Sheep and Lambs—Native sheep, \$5 00-9 00; western, \$2 80-4 80; native lambs, \$2 75-10 00; western, \$2 50-10 00; yearlings, \$3 00-10 00. Hogs—Light, \$10 45-10 85; mixed, \$10 55-10 95; heavy, \$10 00-11 00; rough, \$10 00-10 75; pigs, \$4 75-10 00. Wheat—No. 2 red, \$1 18-1 19. Corn—No. 2, \$1 10-1 11. Oats—No. 2, \$1 00-1 01.

EAST BUFFALO—Cattle: Export cattle, \$5 00-8 50; shipping, \$3 50-7 50; \$2 25; butcher calves, \$5 75-9 00; heifers, \$5 25-9 00; fat cows, \$2 75-10 25; milkers and springers, \$23 00-45 00. Calves—\$11 00-14 50. Sheep and Lambs—Mixed sheep, \$3 00-8 50; western, \$2 75-10 00; ewes, \$7 25-10 25; lambs, \$10 00-10 75; yearlings, \$5 75-10 15. Hogs—Heavy and mediums, \$11 15; Yorkers, \$11 00-11 10; pigs, \$10 75-10 90; rough, \$10 30-10 45; stags, \$8 50-9 25.

PITTSBURG—Cattle: Choice, \$5 40-6 00; prime, \$5 20-5 80; city butchers, \$7 25-8 00; heifers, \$4 50-6 00; cows, \$2 50-6 00. Calves—Veal, \$7 00-10 50. Sheep and Lambs—Prime wethers, \$3 30-6 50; good mixed, \$3 00-8 25; lambs, \$7 00-10 50; clipped sheep, \$4 00-7 25; mixed lambs, \$5 50-9 00. Hogs—Prime heavy, \$11 15; mediums, \$11 10; heavy Yorkers, \$11 05-11 10; light Yorkers, \$10 85-10 90; pigs, \$10 70-10 80.

CLEVELAND—Cattle: Choice steers, \$6 50-7 00; heifers, \$5 00-6 75; cows, \$2 00-3 00; bull, \$1 25-1 50; milkers and springers, \$30 00-60 00. Calves—\$10 50 down. Sheep and Lambs—Mixed sheep, \$7 50-9 00; ewes, \$7 50-8 50; best sheep, \$8 25; lambs, \$7 00-10 25. Hogs—Heavy, \$10 85; mediums, \$10 85; \$10 50; Yorkers, \$10 85; pigs, \$10 50; mixed, \$10 85; roughs, \$10 00; stags, \$8 75.

BOSTON—Wool: Ohio and Pennsylvania No. 1 washed, 40-41c; delaine washed, 37-38c; XX, 35-37c; 1/4-blood combing, 25c; 3/4-blood combing, 24c; 1/4-blood combing, 24c; delaine unwashed, 29c; fine unwashed, 25-26c; Kentucky and Indiana 3/4-blood, 25-26c; 1/4-blood, 24-25c.

CINCINNATI—Wheat: No. 2 red, \$1 18-1 20. Corn—No. 2 mixed, 50-51c. Oats—No. 2 mixed, 45-47c. Hye—No. 2, \$2 00-2 05. Lard—\$14 50. Bulk Meats—\$12 50. Bacon—\$14 75. Cactus—\$13 00-13 50. Sheep—\$4 00-6 65. Lambs—\$5 50-6 65. Hogs—\$7 50-11 05.

TOLEDO—Wheat: \$1 18; corn, \$1 14; oats, 45c; rye, 50c; cloverseed, \$7 50.

HONORS AWAIT NOTED POLAR EXPLORER

New York, March 24.—A notable welcome awaits Sir Ernest Shackleton, the English Antarctic explorer, who with Lady Shackleton and a party of friends will arrive heretomorrow on the Lusitania. Sir Ernest is coming over to lecture in the United States and Canada, and also to receive some of the honors prepared for him on this side.

The public reception of the explorer in this city will not be held until early next week as immediately upon arrival here the party will proceed to Washington to spend several days as guests of the British Ambassador. The stay in the national capital will be made notable by the presentation of the National Geographic Society's gold medal to Sir Ernest Shackleton. The presentation will be made by President Taft in the presence of a great audience composed of statesmen, scientists, men of letters, educators and others.

The first of the week Sir Ernest and Lady Shackleton will return to this city and on Monday night the explorer will be presented with the gold medal of the American Geographic Society of this city. The following evening Sir Ernest will deliver a lecture in Carnegie hall, under the auspices of the Civic Forum. On that occasion Commander Peary will introduce Sir Ernest, and it will be the first time that the discoverer of the North Pole and the man who penetrated farthest south ever met on the same platform.

MYSTERIOUS BLAZE

Delaware, O., March 24.—The Union Handle Factory at Ashley, this county, was burned today at an early hour. Loss \$25,000; insurance small. The origin is a mystery, and the fire occurred after the resignation of the nightwatchman and before his successor took charge.

SHORT LOCALS

Eggs 20c. Butter 30c. Mr. O. Ransom went to Centerburg Thursday morning on business.

Mr. Frank A. Woolson left this afternoon for Millersburg on business.

Rev. L. W. Mulhane was a Columbus visitor this afternoon.

Mr. O. Poppleton was a Columbus visitor this afternoon.

Mr. Frank Mardis went to Newark Thursday noon on business.

Mr. Robert M. Greer went to Dayton last evening on business.

Mr. Alfred Mill went to Orrville Thursday morning.

Mr. Elmer Collier went to Newark Thursday noon to attend to some matters of business.

Mr. L. C. Penn went to Newark Thursday noon to attend to some matters of business.

See our window display of Stearns & Foster mattresses. J. M. Blocher & Co.

Mrs. Frank Harper and son, Kenneth, went to Chillicothe today to visit relatives for several days.

Hon. W. M. Koons went to Columbus Thursday morning to attend to some matters of business.

Mr. Charles White of Delaware, O., is spending several days in Mt. Vernon, the guest of relatives and friends.

Mr. Harvey J. Moore of this city has accepted a position as manager of a theater at Lorain.

Mr. Edward Wing of this city has accepted a position playing cornet in the Hippodrome theater, Cleveland.

Mr. Clyde Brentlinger left Thursday morning for his home in Cleveland, after spending several days in Mt. Vernon, the guest of friends and relatives.

Mr. Sherman Congden, who is attending college at O. W. U., at Delaware, is spending several days at his home on East High street.

Mr. William Thompson left Thursday morning for Toledo, Ohio, where he will attend to some matters of business.

Miss Amelia Boerschig of Milwaukee, Wis., who has been the guest of Miss Mae Bower, left this afternoon for Dayton, Ohio, to visit with relatives.

Mrs. J. F. Guenther, who has for the past several days been visiting with relatives in Loudonville, spent Wednesday in Mt. Vernon, enroute to her home in Glenmont.

Miss Lizzie Moore was taken from the Mt. Vernon hospital to the home of her brother, Mr. Frank Moore, on East High street Thursday morning in McCormick's ambulance.

Mr. Frank L. Beam of Mt. Vernon was re-elected president of the Ohio Independent Telephone Association at a meeting held in Columbus on Wednesday.

Messrs. Park Blair, F. V. Owen, S. G. Dowds, F. H. Huntsberger and D. B. Grubb went to Newark Thursday noon in the case of DeCrown vs. the Bennington Oil and Gas Company, which will be tried this afternoon in the circuit court in Newark.

The Meyer-Lindorf Company's

Easter Offerings

EASTER—the one time of the year when Fashion requires that a woman's toilette be not only new but absolutely correct. The feeling of pride and satisfaction that attends one in the consciousness of being well and properly dressed, can not be estimated in dollars and cents, yet a small outlay here will insure all this to any woman. The best Eastern markets have been carefully searched by our expert buyers in an effort to secure only such new and worthy merchandise as would come up to our high standard of excellence. Just how well they have succeeded a visit will determine as no description of these offerings can give any adequate idea of their real beauty and merit.

Suits for Easter

No matter what your ideal you will surely find it in our superb stock. Every late style innovation finds representation here. Skirts have both side and cluster pleats some braided others plain or in tunic effect. Jackets are from 32 to 36 in length. The former predominating. Some are daintily trimmed in braid, others in moire or embroidered linen with gold, bone or self covered buttons. Collars have long roll terminating in a one, two or three button effect. Materials are sharkskin, fine French serges and worsteds, diagonal weaves, Chiffon panamas, etc., in shadow stripes or plain. A wonderful assortment.

\$13.50 to \$70.00



Ladies' One-Piece Dresses

A splendid and attractive selection of ladies' ready made dresses in batistes, voiles, foulards, plain and changeable taffetas, shantung and various fancy weaves. A great variety of styles, daintily trimmed in lace, buttons or braids including the new sunburst effect. Also a large line of wash dresses in ottoman cloth, linen and linen finish materials. These must be seen to be appreciated as a description can give no idea. Prices range from

\$6.00 to \$25.00

Attractive Jacket Styles

A complete line of ladies' and misses' jackets in semi and seven eights fitted models, notched and shawl collars, skeleton or full lined. Coverts, worsteds, serges and diagonal weaves, linen and silk fabrics in all the new colors. All lengths from 32 in. to 52 in. Priced from \$5.00 to \$25.00

Special Ladies' Skirt, \$1.95

Just received a lot of new style, panel front, side pleated skirts in tunic effect, trimmed in self covered buttons, colors are red, grey, tan and shepherd checks. A good \$3.50 value, special, \$1.95

Infants' Wear

A new assortment of infants' dresses, bonnets and coats that surpass any previous showing we have ever had. Bonnets in straw, embroidered or lawn, daintily trimmed; ranging in price from 25c to \$3.00. Dresses from 25c to \$3.00. Coats in cashmere, pique, serge, etc., from \$1.35 to \$5.00

Children's Dresses

A beautiful line of children's dresses for school or dress wear in white lawns, ginghams, or percales. An endless choice of styles in all sizes from 2 to 14 years. Priced from 50c to \$5.00

Artistic Spring Millinery

A surpassing collection of spring millinery for children and ladies' embodying all the late style conceits, and revealing distinctive treatments that give individuality and refinement to the wearer. You will find just the hat to complete your Easter outfit if you visit our large department on the second floor.

Dress Accessories

Innumerable little necessities to complete your Easter toilette such as new belts, collars, jabots, combs, barrettes, bags and jewelry.

COME IN AND SEE THE NEW THINGS

The MEYER-LINDORF COMPANY

Sweet pea seeds, 2 oz. for 5c. Woolson's Department store.

Judge B. Waight went to Columbus Thursday morning.

Curtain stretchers 89c and up. Woolson's Department store.

Mrs. Walter Bockover is confined to her room in Sparta by a severe attack of illness.

Come! Come! Attend the administrator sale for bargains at Back's furniture store, West Gambler St. 17

Mr. Isaac L. Workman of Brink Haven spent Thursday in Mt. Vernon, the guest of friends and relatives.

Bulb Nasturtium seed, 2 oz. for 5c. Woolson's Department store.

Mrs. P. L. Kuhns of Muncie, Ind., arrived in the city today to spend several weeks with her mother, Mrs. Truman Vernon.

Badger stock feed is the best for horses, beef cattle and sheep. Begin to feed by blending with bran, or some other feed for the first few feeds, increasing the quantity of Badger each feed eliminating other feed about the third day. We will sell any quantity for trial. This season of the year all stock should have Badger feed before turned on grass. The J. S. McConnell Co.

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Mr. and Mrs. John Frye returned to their home in Weyersville Thursday morning after a week's visit with relatives in this city.

Garden seed in bulk at Woolson's Department store.

Dr. F. G. Mason, adjutor for the North American Insurance Company, spent Thursday in Mt. Vernon, attending to some matters of business.

Who ever heard of a clothes basket being sold for ten cents? Woolson's Department store have one of their windows filled with a lot of pretty good looking willow clothes baskets with the announcement that they put them on sale Saturday morning at 10c each.

Miss Cora B. Rimer of Centerburg spent Wednesday evening in Mt. Vernon, attending the O. W. U. alumni banquet.

Moth balls, 6c pound, Woolson's Department store.

Mrs. J. J. Starnor returned to her home on North West street Wednesday afternoon after a several days' visit with relatives and friends in Loudonville.

Bulbs for flowering plants—plant them now. For sale at Woolson's.

Dr. George F. Smythe of Gambler will conduct service at the Pleasant Valley chapel, near Monroe Mills, next Sunday evening at 7 o'clock.

Onion sets, 5c per quart; potatoes 40c per bu. Secor's W. Gambler

Cut rates on all watch repairing. Main spring, 75c; cleaning, 75c; crystals, 15c; jewels, 25c to 75c. Work guaranteed 1 year. Owens, corner Main and Gambler streets—up stairs.

It has been reported from pretty good authority that in the near future the C. A. & C. will put on a new passenger train running through from Cleveland to Cincinnati. The people of Westerville also want better service and are asking the railroad people to restore the Columbus-Mt. Vernon run that was on a year or two ago.

Just in, a line of women's and misses' capes; all colors, \$10 to \$16.50. A. A. Dowds Dry Goods Co.

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Good Friday Services.

The Good Friday services at the St. Paul's Episcopal church will be as follows:

9:30 a. m. morning prayer, litany and sermon at the church.

9:30 a. m. Morning prayer, litany dress at the chapel at parish house. The children of the parish are expected at this service.

On Saturday, Easter evening, the baptismal service for infants and children at the church at 4:00 p. m.

He Knew Her.



Young Wife—Thank heaven, that horrid servant has gone for good. Wise Husband—Bet she doesn't find it.

Society News

Wright-Youngblood Nuptials

At the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Youngblood, on Monroe street, at 10:30 o'clock Thursday, Rev. G. W. Tulloss solemnized the marriage ceremony between Mr. A. Bart Wright, son of Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Wright, and Miss Marie Alta Youngblood. The members of the immediate families of the contracting parties and Miss Madeline King were all that witnessed the ceremony. The ring service was used. After partaking of a sumptuous dinner the bride and groom departed on the 12:36 train to be gone for a few days visiting friends at Columbus, Kenton and Marion. A pleasing coincidence was that 21 years ago Mr. Tunloss solemnized the marriage between the groom's parents at the home of Mr. Bart Lewis on the Lovelidge farm, north of town. Mr. and Mrs. Wright will be at home to their friends after April 1, at No. 202 North Sandusky street.

ERUPTION

Of Mt. Etna Serious And People Are Fleeing

Rome, March 24.—The eruption of Mt. Etna, already more serious than the last outburst in 1892, today increased in severity, according to dispatches received here.

Inhabitants of villages on the slopes of the volcano are fleeing, and three towns are threatened with total destruction, Nicolosi, Castello and Albanelli are the towns threatened.

Sicily and Calabria are shaken hourly, by earthquakes and a new crater has formed on Etna.

You may have noticed that a woman never finds a play uninteresting if the leading lady wears a different gown in each act.

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A Shot That Made Trouble. An odd incident happened in the then Danish West Indies in the last century that nearly caused serious international complications. An American marksman, paying a visit to Charlotte Amalia, amused the governor by an exhibition of his skill with the rifle. Sitting on the veranda of the government house, he said that he could cut with a bullet the signal halcyons on the flagstaff of the fort and lower the Danish standard to the ground. As the lines were almost invisible in the distance the governor was willing to bet that he could not do it. The shot rang out, and the flag fell. Presently a horseman dashed up, informing the governor that some one had fired on the flag. There was great excitement. The governor, none too popular, it seems, with the military, ruined his political future by admitting that the affair was a joke in which he connived. Report being sent to Copenhagen, highly colored, of course, by the commandant, his excellency was summarily removed.

Doctoring the Pictures. "Before and after" pictures which many quick display are often better doctored than the patients they portray. —Kansas City Times.

Easiest Way. Bill—I never sleep at Sunday chapel any more. Jack—Broke yourself of the habit? Bill—No; quit going.—Leslie's Weekly.

March of Science. "Just what I've been expecting!" "Wailed mamma. "It's the croup!" "No, ma'am; he's been neglecting 'To fetterize his soup." —Chicago Tribune.