

# Society

Mrs. William H. Snell will entertain the French club next Wednesday afternoon.

Mrs. C. A. Pratt entertained the Angelus Study club this afternoon.

The Illema club will be entertained tomorrow afternoon by Mrs. T. B. Clause.

Assistant Prosecutor George M. Thompson will speak Thursday at the last of a series of meetings of the Business Woman's club at the Tacoma hotel.

The marriage of Miss Lucile Burritt, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Burritt, to Emmett Anderson, son of Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Anderson, which will take place May 7.

Central W. C. T. U. held a mothers' meeting this afternoon at their hall on South Ninth st.

The Aboma club will entertain May 1 at a dance at Sloan's academy.

Members of the Aurora club will entertain their husbands next Friday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. N. Allen.

Mrs. H. H. Johnson entertained the literary department of the woman's club this afternoon.

The St. Paul M. E. church will give a social Friday night in the church parlor, 43rd and L sts.

"Bill Kalnit has bought a milk-ma'chine", but he's disappointed in it. He has ter git up mornin's, same as ever, ter milk."

"Soy Bean, our village cutup, wants to know whether it's better to call a veterinary surgeon or a tree doctor to save a dying horse chastnut."

"Why doesn't Edison or somebody invent a story that'll sound plausible to a man's wife between midnight and 5 a. m." Smith, Florist, Main 4978. 908C.

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# After-Supper Talks

With Cynthia Grey

**LONKSOME**  
Dear Miss Grey: I have read the "White Capped Nurse" letter a few days ago and others, and am going to try and tell you how I feel. I am forty, a workingman, honest, kind-hearted and loving. I have a home all paid for, and some good land. I am not bald. I do not chew, smoke or gamble. I am not a wizard on the girl question. The only love I have ever known has been my mother's and sister's, as I have never had a sweetheart. And how I do want one! Someone I can give Christmas and birthday presents to; take out and go to visit once in a while. I would not care what kind of dress and shoes she wore, nor would I object to few freckles. Now, I do not believe that all workmen are dirty. I know that they have hearts in the right place, as big and white as anybody's. Why is it that all the girls fall for the fellow with the good clothes and Big Talk? I have never gotten acquainted because I have been afraid getting baited out, if I popped the question. Besides, I do not want a woman to marry me for the cage. I have built for her. I am not a woman hater, but an admirer of the sex and would so like to get acquainted. Anything from four to forty would suit me. What shall I do? OLD BACHELOR.

A.—"Old Bachelor," did you ever see a man who amounted to anything take a liking to an untidy, looking girl? Well, the same thing applies to women, and that is why the well-dressed fellow stands the best chance. If more fellows, after they came home from work, would get into a starched shirt, with a nifty collar and tie, and a nicely pressed suit, they'd have better chance with the girls. Often a fellow will score a woman away before she has become well enough acquainted to know his good qualities by airing his views on matrimony. Then she thinks all he cares about is saving his board, by getting married. When talking to girls, don't emphasize your good traits. She'll find them out soon enough without your so doing. Talk to her like she was a sane being with a head of her own which she knew how to use. If these tactics don't succeed, "Old Bachelor," you can at least make some deserving youngster happy, by giving it a home. There are lots of little waifs who are more lonely than you will ever be because they haven't even a mother's and sister's love.

**TWO "COBKERS" ON "TO TELL, OR NOT TO TELL"**  
Dear Miss Grey: I fail to understand why people, especially men, concern themselves so much about women's pasts, when they are unable to give absolute virtue in return. Instead of sympathizing with women who have to bear the traces of their error, we condemn them, while men go on sowing wild oats.

Surely they forget that the health and morals of the following generation depends upon them as well as upon the women. If they but knew the innocent, defective children that are the result of wrong-doing, they would perhaps set about correcting their own morals and leave their sisters alone, for they are heavily battling with their own problems.

Where would more men be if kind-hearted women did not say: "It makes no difference what you were, it's what you are today?" Why not apply the same to women, instead of adding oil to fire by demanding them to repeat their sorrowful tales to husbands, when the poor souls are battling to erase these black marks from their lives? It is unjust for one to demand what he cannot give. AN EQUAL-MORALS BELIEVER.

**Accepting Unwelcome Attention.**  
Dear Miss Grey: Do you think it right for a mother to be angry with her daughter because she does not go with the man she wants her to? ROSAMOND.

A.—Did you tell the whole truth? Is the mother angry because the girl will not accept the attentions of the one she has picked, or because the girl prefers another? I do not think any girl should be compelled or persuaded to accept attentions for which she does not care.

**For the Money Craze.**  
Dear Miss Grey: Please tell me what you would do with a girl that pretends to be in love with you and wants you to spend money on her all the time. I love her, but she loves money better than anything else. Do you think she should be broken of that habit? R. H.

A.—Yes, but she would have to "show me" that she was well over it before I would think of marrying her.

**Love-Making.**  
Dear Miss Grey: I have been going with a girl for two months and love her dearly. She told me that she likes me more than anyone else. When I first started to go with her, I used to kiss and squeeze her, and she even wanted me to kiss her sometimes. I know it is not right, but when I got started I could not stop. The other day she said she did not want me to kiss her, but that she was not mad. I asked what the matter was, but she would not tell me. The more I asked the less I got out of her. I still go with her and am friends with her. What shall I do, try to find out or give up about it. I see her every day. DARKY.

A.—She is probably afraid she can't trust a man who "could not stop." Your love-making may be so vigorous that it is offensive. Treat her with greater reverence rather reverence her womanhood more, than you evidently have in the past.

**Interest the Boys.**  
Dear Miss Grey: I am interested in your column and like your advice. Can you tell me what can be done to keep boys from killing robins and other song birds with a silngshot? What will remove scorch from a white serge skirt? I ruined my suit pressing it. Could a tailor put in a new gore. What is most fashionable in neckwear?

I have light hair, blue eyes and a round face, what kind of a hat would become me? Small or a merry widow? CONSTANCE.

A.—If you will get the boys interested in nature studies and make them acquainted with the "home life" of birds, I think they will stop it themselves. I would have a tailor insert a new gore. A rather large hat will prove more becoming to you than a small one.

**Dear Miss Grey:** I hope to see this letter soon with an answer. Which is best to do; put the "disfiguring" bangs, as you called them, in the edge of the hat, or on the bands that girls wear on their heads?

**TWO SCHOOL CHUMS.**  
A.—If you are taking part in

# Hats For The Little Girl

For a darling little girl of three or four a lovely bit of headgear is of pure white straw trimmed with a circlet of tiny moss rose buds. The straw is soft and pliable and the brim turns back wing fashion at the ears. The moss roses are of a delicate pink shade with tiny green leaves.

Big roses of pink velvet mingle with small ones of chiffon on the hat of a girl of 11. The hat is made of yellow straw braid, the brim slightly rolling off the right side of the face. The crown is high and is surrounded with rose pink velvet ribbon, and at one side are the velvet roses, while the pink chiffon ones are at the foot of the velvet band.

**Cynthia's Answers to Many Questions**  
In a restaurant, or cafe, a lady with an escort should give her order first.

There is no law in this state preventing marriage between step-relatives. It applies only to blood relation.

I know of no satisfactory way to clean chiffon, but an alcohol or chloroform bath will sometimes improve it.

Peroxide applied daily will remove cigarette stains from the fingers. Pumice stone is good also.

The parent has full control of the child until he is of age, unless the juvenile judge removes the child from the parents' care.

Only persons who shall have been dead ten years are eligible to the Hall of Fame. The following women have their names inscribed: Mary Lyon, Emma Willard, Maria Mitchell, Harriet Beecher Stowe and Frances E. Willard.

A judgment obtained on a note holds good for six years in the state of Washington. If obtained through error, after the note is outlawed it can be set aside upon showing the error.

The old Indian way of tanning was to remove the brains of the deer, or calf, dry gently by fire, put into a cloth and boil until soft; cool the liquid until blood-

# Swimming Is Best Way For Women to Reduce or Build Up

The most perfect woman in the world is in Tacoma this week. Leastwist Prof. Dudley Sargeant, of Harvard, after having had thousands of women measured for a series of magazine articles on the effect of physical culture on women, picked her and her sister and Annette Kellerman—all swimmers of the best.

She didn't look like the abbreviated-costumed lithographs in front of the theater when the interviewer found her in her dressing room at the Empress today. She was modestly dressed in black skirt and big white sweater. She was doing up her hair for the next plunge. She looked more like a young college girl getting ready for a fudge party at her sorority.

"My real name," said La Diva, "is Lillian Berle, and I am 23 years old and was born in Boston."

**Is Great Exercise.**  
"My main work is music," said the swimmer. "I took up swimming for my health. And let me tell you swimming the best exercise in the world to develop the body. If a woman wants to reduce or build up, let her learn to swim and work hard at it. Nature will do the rest."

Miss Lillian is one of nine sisters and every morning dating back to the day when the oldest of them was able to swim "dog-fashion," the sisters have been swimming in the Atlantic near their home.

Lillian was the best swimmer of the nine and won many medals and cups. She did a mile in 35 minutes in a race once. Last fall, John F. Conroy, a swimming teacher and Carnegie medal winner, showed her how to dive. She learned so fast that the two of them got a vaudeville offer, and here she is.

"A message to Tacoma women?" she repeated. "Just tell them to learn to swim—that's the best word I can send them."

For the benefit of the women who want to know what is the right build, here are Miss La Diva's measurements:  
Weight, 131 pounds; height, 5 feet 3 in.; neck, 13 1/2; chest, 31 1/2; chest expanded, 33 1/2; lower chest, 27 1/2; waist, 23; hips, 37; thigh, 22; calf, 13 1/2; ankle, 8; upper arm, 10 3/4; forearm, 9 1/2; wrist, 6.



Miss Berle as she posed for a series of articles on physical culture. She doesn't wear this costume on the stage.

## MAID WHO CARES FOR MRS. ASTOR

When the fr lends of Mrs. John Jacob Astor saw the name of Rosalie Bidois among those of the survivors of the Titanic they breathed easier, for they knew that Mrs. Astor was in good hands.

Rosalie Bidois is Mrs. Astor's maid. She has been in Mrs. Astor's service since her marriage, and is counted a marvel of faithfulness and resourcefulness. On this trip, owing to Mrs. Astor's delicate condition, she was assisted by a trained nurse. The nurse, Miss Caroline Endres, was also saved.

Miss Bidois is a French girl from the Guernsey islands.

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**25c Braids for 12 1/2c** Novelty White Braids in the rick-rack style for trimmings or making ornaments; regular 25c grade. Friday 2 bolts for ..... 25c  
**10c Lace for 3c** Curtain Lace and Insertion in cream, white or ecru, assorted styles and widths; reg. 8c to 10c grade. Friday the yard ..... 3c  
**\$1.00 Corset Waists 69c** "Ferris" Corset Waists for women, assorted sizes, popular styles with latest equipments; regular \$1.00 grade. Friday special ..... 69c  
**2 Kerchiefs for 5c** Children's School Kerchiefs in nice fine quality, pure white, hemmed edge; reg. 5c. Friday special, 2 kerchiefs for ..... 5c  
**\$1.50 Kid Gloves 75c** Ladies' Kid Gloves in assorted colors and black, a miscellaneous line of most all sizes; reg. \$1.25 and \$1.50. Friday, the pair ..... 75c

## FRIDAY'S HOURLY SPECIALS

**FROM 9 TILL 10**  
Large size 3-lb. Cotton Batts, in the clear white flaky kind; regular 75c grade. For 1 hour Friday, the roll ..... 57c

**EXTRA**  
**15c Percales for 12 1/2c** New Spring Percales in neat figures, stripes and dots, 36 inches wide; regular 15c grade. Friday special, the yard ..... 12 1/2c  
**29c Sheet for 23c** 8-4 Unbleached Sheeting in good standard make, smooth firm weave; reg. 29c grade. Friday, yard ..... 23c  
**35c Irish Poplin 25c** Colored Irish Poplins in a choice assortment of the popular shades for dresses, waists or skirts; reg. 35c grade. Friday, yard ..... 25c  
**22c India Linon 15c** White India Linon in the fine, sheer quality for waists, foundations, skirts and dresses; regular 22c grade. Friday, the yard ..... 15c

**FROM 10 TILL 11**  
46-inch White Persian Lawn and Sheer Batiste, suitable for lingerie dresses and garments; regular 59c grade. Friday for 1 hour, the yard ..... 27c

**FROM 10 TILL 11**  
Cotton Challies in a large assortment of popular spring patterns, light or dark colors; regular 8c grade. For 1 hour Friday, the yard ..... 4 1/2c

**EXTRA**  
**60c Dress Linens 39c** Colored Dress Linens in a variety of desirable tones, crash weave; regular 60c grade. Friday special, the yard ..... 39c  
**\$1.00 Table Felt 89c** 56-inch White Table Felt in the soft, meshy weave, good weight; regular \$1.00 grade. Friday special, the yard ..... 89c  
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Sea Island Nainsook in the fine soft finish grade, very desirable for lingerie garments and children's clothes; regular 35c grade. For 1 hour Friday, the yard ..... 25c

**FROM 11 TILL 12**  
25-inch White Cheese Cloth or Surgeon's Gauze; a good 5c quality. Friday special for 1 hour, the yard ..... 3c

**FROM 2 TILL 4**  
42-inch Bleacher Pequot Pillow Casing, the best grade, extra close firm texture; reg. 24c. Friday for 2 hours, the yard ..... 19c

**\$2.00 Corsets \$1.39** A varied assortment of popular styles in the "Henderson" Corsets, all new, up-to-date models, reg. \$2.00. On sale extra special Friday at, choice ..... \$1.39  
**12 1/2c Lining Canvas 6c** Three shades in the Cotton Lining Canvas, gray, tan and brown and plpk or red in the good wide silsesia; reg. price 12-1c to 18c. Friday special, yard ..... 6c  
**2 Pairs for 25c** Ladies' or Children's Hose Supporters with latest attachments and good heavy elastic; come in black, white and colors. Friday special, 2 pairs for ..... 25c  
**50c Wool Challies 39c** A choice assortment of patterns and colors in the new Wool Challies, pretty stripes, polka dots and border effects; regular 50c grade. Friday, the yard ..... 39c  
**\$1.75 Black Petticoats for \$1.00** Ladies' Black Mercerized Petticoats in saten, moire and near silk; with deep flounce generously tucked and banded, finished in dust ruffle; reg. values to \$1.75. Friday, choice ..... \$1.00

# Underwear and Hosiery Bargains

**89c Union Suits 65c** Ladies' Medium Weight Cotton Union Suits with high neck, long or short sleeves, ankle or knee length; reg. 89c grade. Friday, suit ..... 65c  
**Union Suits 25c** Ladies' Union Suits, low neck, no sleeves, cuff or loose lace trimmed knee, all regular sizes. Extra special Friday, the suit ..... 25c  
**\$1.00 Union Suits 75c** Ladies' Union Suits, low neck, no sleeves, cuff knee, or lace trimmed umbrella style; some are finished plain, others have fancy yoke; reg. \$1.00 values. Friday, suit ..... 75c

**\$1.50 Union Suits 95c** Ladies' fine grade Lisle and Cotton Union Suits, pretty lace yokes or plain hand finished cuff knee or lace trimmed, low neck, sleeveless; values to \$1.50. Friday, the suit ..... 95c  
**Children's Union Suits** Children's White Cotton Union Suits, high neck, short sleeves, or low neck, no sleeves, knee length; sizes 3 to 15 years. Friday, the suit ..... 35c  
**Children's Bloomers** Children's Black Knitted Bloomers, medium weight, nice fine quality; sizes 3 to 14 years; reg. 50c grade. Friday special, the pair ..... 39c

**35c Lisle Hose** Ladies' Lisle Thread Hose in black, white, tan and all popular colors, extra double heel and toe, wide garter tops. Our leader at 35c. Friday, pair ..... 25c  
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