

STATE FEDERATION OF WOMEN'S CLUBS

Mrs. Solon Shedd, President

Endowment Fund

The Washington State Federation of Women's clubs is committed to raising an endowment fund to be used to finance the ever-increasing work of the federation. With the now rapid advancement of the movement for women more and more demands are made upon the state federations; there is more need of co-operation with the individual clubs within its ranks and with other organizations and movements which aim more and more seek its stamp of approval, and, often, substantial aid. In order to meet this situation practically all of the state federations have now adopted the endowment plan, or the raising and placing at interest of a certain amount, the interest alone being used. The General Federation of Women's clubs is made up of the federations of all of the states, including Alaska, and the idea of state endowment funds no doubt grew out of the establishment of such a fund for the General Federation, \$100,000 being its amount. In raising this fund each state was assessed in proportion to its size, or federation strength, and thus the idea of the need and possibility of a similar fund for state work developed until, as stated, the endowment fund figures on the committee list of all state federations. It is interesting and illuminating reading as to how the money is being issued in various states. Washington is never far behind in advanced, and also in the act of advancing, movements and we are proud to say that not only was our assessment for the General Federation endowment fund promptly raised and paid, but that there was a respectable surplus over and above the amount and by due action it was decided to make this surplus the nucleus of a Washington state endowment fund with the first and second trustees the committee in charge.

There is a founders' pool formed of those club individuals paying \$125 in the name of some one whom it is desired to honor. Already Washington's founder and honor rolls have assumed a goodly length but it is hoped that when the new state year book goes to press this summer that many more names will be ready to add to the lists; anyone interested in the work of the state federation is at liberty to contribute to the fund. The need of a state organizer or a field secretary, for instance, is especially felt and with the endowment fund available that need could be supplied. The duty of such a worker would be to travel among the clubs of the state, especially among the clubs of rural communities and small towns which too seldom receive a visit from the state president or other officials from lack of time and lack of funds to carry the personal message from club to club, organizing new clubs in communities where none exist, perhaps because of lack of a leader familiar with the club idea, or because no one knows just how to organize or has had the advantage of parliamentary training. It is desired to reach women in the state federation thus encouraging individual development and cooperation and unity of purpose. The endowment fund materialized, would permit of this plan and others of equal value being adopted and generally speaking, a matter which affects all the clubs in its fold since all share in the benefits. In the past year a considerable amount has been added to the fund which, with the balance on hand, is being placed at interest. Anyone is at liberty to add to this fund if interested in the work of the federation. At the Spokane state convention June 1915, in a memorable session for the purpose, clubs and individuals subscribed varying amounts to the fund, some pledging proceeds from the sale of products ranging from eggs, turkeys and potatoes, to fruit trees and railroad ties. These pledges are being redeemed and the committees hope to be able to report at the state convention to be held in Everett, June 1916, that all subscriptions have been paid and the fund thus very materially increased during the year.

When all work together in the same spirit the dreams may come true and visions be realized. Fruit thinning pays in money returns the first year. The earlier the thinning can be done the better will be the returns. Nature's plan is to cover up the waste places and weeds are provided for the purpose. Keep something growing and the cultivator going.

PETTICOAT RETURNS IN ALL ITS FLUFFINESS

It May Be of Linen, Net or Taffeta, Ribbon Banded or Lace Trimmed, Corded or Hooped—An Interesting Breakfast Coat

Breakfast Set—Coat and Petticoat Awning Stripes in a Morning Dress

There is something particularly appealing to the dainty well-groomed woman, about ribbon-trimmed, befrilled petticoats; they cannot be banished for long from the wardrobe. This season the petticoat has returned in all its old time fluffiness, to keep our airy, bouffant frocks in countenance.

Paris sends us, of course, the daintiest possible of linen, hand-embroidered, lace-trimmed ribbon-banded novelties, many of them so extremely fascinating that one is tempted to wear the sheerest of organdy, chiffon or Georgette frocks in order that their beauty may be shown. Many of these petticoats are boned, corded or wired, in order that the frocks, under which they are worn, may have the proper swing. For the dance there are net and taffeta creations, made with petal upon petal, in rose-like formation, the edges of the petaled ruffles pinked or picoted. For the organdy afternoon frock, the slip is favored, of net and organdy, lace- and ribbon-trimmed. The bodice of the slip is usually a straight, wide band of ribbon, lace, or a dainty embroidery flouncing, held in place with shoulder straps of ribbon or lace. It is not unusual to see a frilly petticoat of dark blue or red taffeta, the ruffles pinked and finished with an inset or edge of white Valenciennes, or similar lace edge.

The Underbodice

The underbodice, to keep pace with the petticoat, must be very dainty indeed. In a dark blue taffeta petticoat, the skirt portion is attached



Breakfast Coat and Petticoat

ed at the normal waist line to a pink moire bodice. The bodice is merely a straight band of moire ribbon held over the shoulders by narrow pink ribbons. The upper edge of the bodice is effectively trimmed with small silk rosebuds.

One of the novelties of the season is the breakfast set consisting of coat, petticoat and boudoir cap. The coat and skirt illustrated here show a particularly good combination; the coat is developed in pongee, and the skirt of taffeta, banded in the same taffeta, the bands edged with narrow Valenciennes lace. The deep strap pockets on the coat give it the appearance of a sport garment. A charming little cap of net and ribbon completes the set most attractively. Many of these sets are developed in plain materials, voile, wash satin, lawn and the like, and are trimmed with bands, collars, cuffs, and pockets of the charmingly colored cretonne. A cap banded in cretonne is practical and becoming.

Novel Ideas in Negligees

Negligees and petticoats for the June bride are dainty and fascinating to a degree. The negligees are simple and most becoming. Chiffon or crepe Georgette are the materials most favored for these airy garments, destined for the bride or the woman who has time to luxuriate in their charm. Pale blue with touches of yellow; rose pink with a touch of orchid at girdle or throat; white with pale green, and similar combinations, selected to harmonize with eyes and hair. It is not unusual to find the negligee or chiffon, belted

with a crush girdle of roses, or other artificial flowers; it is an attractive and artistic notion. The combining of several tones in the girdle, which is usually of net or chiffon, is another pretty way of introducing interesting combinations; for instance, a pale pink negligee is girdled with a wide sash, having long ends of several folds of vari-colored net or mulline, in pink, blue, orchid and similar French colorings.

Bayadere Striped Skirt

For sports and morning wear, the awning striped materials, linens, ducks, and canvas weaves are particularly well liked. The stripes may run up and down, or around the figure as shown here. This skirt is fashioned of linen, combining several of the vivid colors now modish, and is worn with a skirt blouse of voile with vest of the linen. The square neck is a becoming feature.

Among the simple waist models of the summer are many with the outside peplum. These are of voile, organdy or Georgette, in pink, blue, pale green and similar shades, intended for wear with skirts of black taffeta or with white and colored wash skirts. Pongee is also favored for these outside blouses. Tiny but-



Awning Stripes in a Morning Dress

tons, steel, gilt or gunmetal, and a belt of black or colored ribbon are about the only trimming for these unless it be a second collar of a contrasting shade.

Collars and cuffs are interesting details of blouses; the cuffs usually fit tightly about the wrist, flaring becomingly over the hands. The open throat is of course the modish arrangement for summer, although most of the shirt waists and other blouses are made with the adjustable collar which may be worn high or low, as fancied.

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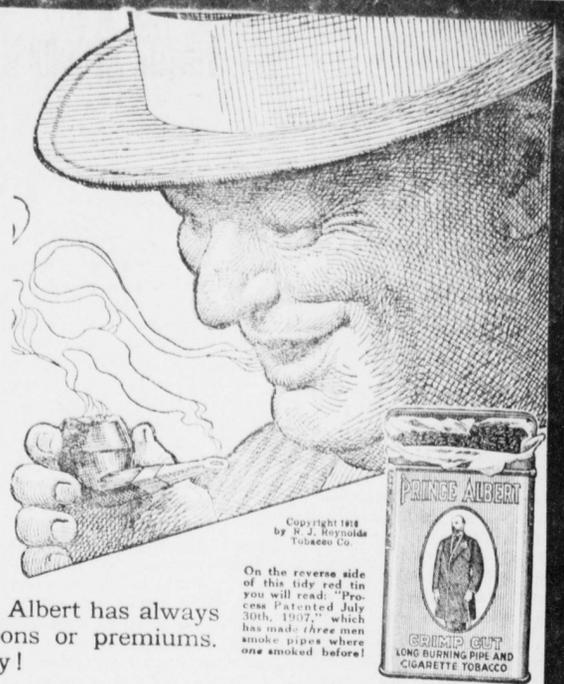
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Order to Show Cause Why Decree of Distribution Should Not Be Made

In the Superior Court of Whitman County, State of Washington. In the Matter of the Estate of Henry M. Aten, Deceased.

On reading and filing the petition of Ella Aten, administratrix of the estate of Henry M. Aten, deceased, setting forth that she has filed her first and final account of her administration of the estate of said deceased in this Court, and that the same is now in a condition to be closed, and the residue thereof distributed to the heirs and legatees entitled thereto; that all the debts and expenses of administration have been fully paid, and that a portion of said estate remains to be divided among the persons entitled thereto, and praying among other things for an order of distribution of the residue of said estate among the persons entitled.

It is ordered that all persons interested in the estate of Henry M. Aten, deceased, be and appear before the Superior Court of Whitman County, State of Washington, at the court room of said Court, at Colfax, in said County and State aforesaid, on Saturday, the third day of June, 1916, at 9:30 o'clock A. M., then and there to show cause why an order of distribution should not be made of the residue of said estate among the heirs and legatees of said deceased, according to law.

It is further ordered that a copy of this order be published for four successive weeks before the said third day of June, 1916, in the Pullman Herald, a newspaper printed and published in Whitman County, State of Washington.

Dated April 28th, 1916.
R. L. McCROSKEY,
Superior Judge,
State of Washington, County of Whitman, ss.

I, B. F. Manning, County Clerk and Clerk of the Superior Court of Whitman County, State of Washington, do hereby certify that the foregoing is a full, true and correct copy of an order made and entered of record upon the minutes of the said Superior Court.

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B. F. MANNING,
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