

WHAT EVERY WOMAN WANTS TO KNOW—THINGS THAT INTEREST MAM AND MATRON

TOO MUCH ECONOMY UNWISE, AS HUSBAND GROWS PROSPEROUS

Thrifty Wife Could Not Adapt Herself to Altered Conditions and Differences Ended in Divorce Court.

From time immemorial, the economical wife has been held up as the true ideal of womanly goodness and virtue, and in company with the good lady or two, whose rose so early and worked so tenderly, early hard, has been eternally and with most throned persistence cited as the real model.

But the reverse side of the picture is seldom shown, and recently a sad case of it was noticed. A little girl, who would have been a sweet little girl, but for one fault, she was "desperately" economical. Every little rag about the house she hoarded for dolls' clothes, every Saturday rick she saved, and even every cent was laid by for a future occasion.

As she grew up, the other children rather humored her, for she grew harder as this spirit of economy developed with the years. Then she met a man, who fell in love with her, and they were married. And at first they were happy. For he was poor and struggling, and she was a good, economical wife. But as the years slipped by, his income grew—and grew—and he wanted his wife to pass—only an occasional pause—and share his well-earned pleasures.

But alas! and woe! Did he decide to take her to the theatre, and take tickets for the best seats, she sat un happily in their "box" or orchestra seats and used the necessity for cheaper seats upon him. "Tom," she would say, "we could have seen this piece, or heard this music, just as well from the amphitheatre, where we used to go. Next time, we must go back there."

JUST BEFORE THE SANDMAN COMES

MORNING PRAYER IN THE morning, when I wake, Out of bed I rise, And to God this prayer I make, Kneeling with closed eyes:—

Father, dwelling everywhere, Help me in this morning prayer For the long day to prepare. Thou hast kept me by Thy might As I slept all through the night, Keep me ever in Thy sight.

Give me all that I may need; Let my eyes no evil heed; Make me kind in word and deed. All I love, bless and defend; Be to them a Guide and Friend; Aid in weakness to them lend.

As Thy Son lived here with men, May we live as He did then; In His Name I ask, Amen.

JIMMY SOUTH BREEZE

"Whoever wants to be a nice, quiet, proper little breeze and do everything just as their mothers say—can just do so; I won't, so there!" and little Jimmy Southbreeze gave himself a fop and settled under the pear tree. "So—so!" exclaimed his father, Mr. Southbreeze, "then we know exactly how you feel about it."

"Yes you do!" declared Jimmy, with a great deal of energy—for to tell the truth he was quite disappointed to find his father so calm. "I'll scare my mother, anyway," he decided and he meandered around to where she was resting under the eaves of the big barn.

"I'm tired of minding and doing things properly all the time, mother," said Jimmy. "I'm going to do something bad—bad!" And Jimmy blew the words out so positively that two little sparrows thought a storm must surely be coming and they flew away to their nests!

"That's all right, Jimmy, dear, I guess it's just the heat that bothers you," replied Mrs. Southbreeze placidly. "You go out and breathe a little like you like, and maybe you'll feel better."

WOMAN SUFFRAGISTS OPEN WAR ON DEMOCRATS

Congressional Union Orders Members to Oppose Candidates of That Party.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 13.—(Withhold your support from all candidates for reelection to Congress whose names appear on the Democratic ticket," was the appeal sent today from the Congressional Union of pro-woman suffrage headquarters.

A "suffrage special" car left here today for Chicago with leaders to campaign for "the cause" in States where woman suffrage legislation is pending. The women voters in the nine suffrage States will be urged to "snuff" the Democratic Congressional candidates.

Miss Alice Paul, leader of the Congressional Union, explained the union's policy today at a luncheon to the Democratic business, regardless of whether such nominees individually favor equal suffrage, by stating that the union holds the party which is in power strictly responsible for not heeding the demand for suffrage legislation, regardless of individual friendships.

DARK COLORS IN FALL HATS

Bonwit and Teller's Opening Reveals Extremes in Size.

Dark shades characterize the fall and winter styles this season and they are being used on the really smart hats. Brown is the favorite color. Fawns, particularly roses, will be used to lighten and brighten the sombre velvets and heavy furs which will form the foundations of the hats, models of which were shown at Bonwit-Teller's opening this morning.

A smart model for evening wear is made with a silver metal crown and rather narrow brim. The crown is edged with shaggy fur and a large pink rose with a gold ostrich ornament is fastened at the side. The arrangement gives a chic effect.

An extremely charming hat is fashioned with a brown beaver crown and wide satin brim of the same shade. This hat is trimmed on either side with large jet-eyes.

At earlier large toque of black velvet is trimmed with very high ostrich feather "fancies" arranged at either side and meeting in a graceful spray.

THE STRIVINGS OF ELLEN ADAIR IN PHILADELPHIA

Being the First of a Series Detailing the Experiences of a Real Flesh and Blood English Girl.

I have sat here, pen in hand, for hours in my study looking, with its drab walls and flaring gas jet, its cheap furniture and its dreary air of solitude—and my heart is so full of memories that I can scarce write! Ah! memories and old recollections, I will drive you away tonight, and be the old light-hearted Ellen Adair once more. Away with failure and loneliness! I must win out, I shall make good; this all dreaming is of no avail.

The sun is dripping on the roof tonight—gentle, quiet rain, unlike the wild downpours of the sons of it on the roof takes me back to my little English village on the Sussex Downs, where life ran in its gentle courses as the falling rain, and I was young and sheltered. Youth and happiness! Oh, the sheer music of the words! Yet there are greater things in life than these, and I am learning them now. For the old Ellen Adair was a child, thoughtful person, who vegetated in her quiet English village; and now, she is learning a harder lesson, and in a new country, fighting a better and a worthier fight.

It seems years, instead of a bare two months, since that sunny summer morning when I sailed away from Southampton dock—with a big lump in my throat, my words all in my shabby trunk, \$5 tucked away in a corner of my shabby mourning frock, and a desperate determination to make good in the new and wonderful country to which I was going.

What crowded experiences have intervened since then! I, Ellen Adair, an English girl, young and strong, and my dear Heaven, still hopeful, am facing this new world alone. And the sheer loneliness of this tiny flat in a city—driving me to write the story of my life—feel and think like 43, but I am not—and in the old country, with my friends, I see a young face, with new, fresh lines around the mouth. But there is added strength and resolution there.

I must begin my tale in earnest now, and my heart is so full of memories that I can scarce write! Ah! memories and old recollections, I will drive you away tonight, and be the old light-hearted Ellen Adair once more. Away with failure and loneliness! I must win out, I shall make good; this all dreaming is of no avail.

ACROSS THE COUNTER

The autumn and winter suits displayed by the shops show a number of features that stamp them definitely as the product of the season.

The plain coat and skirt that looked well from year to year is a thing set apart for sports' wear, in this fashion era, and absolute simplicity of cut and design is monopolized once more by the masculine sex.

When the tide turns, however, woman will, no doubt, appropriate whatever pleases her fancy in the tailored line. But now, the coat is cut not of many colors, but with so many variations that it is hard to know just when a coat is a coat and not the upper part merely of the costume.

The sash is often the line of demarcation and the coat ends in a wide flaring skirt, that at a distance resembles the tunic. In reality, it is the redingote adapted to present modes.

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SMART STREET COSTUME IN SILK AND VELVET

DISTINCTIVE CHARM IN FASHION MODES THAT ENJOY FAVOR

Street Costume a Combination of Silk and Velvet Available for Morning, Afternoon or Evening.

There is a distinctive quality of femininity about many of the present modes, something of the charm and grace of a bygone day.

That this can be achieved without loss of the practical is well illustrated in the street costume shown today. It is a combination of silk and velvet, velvet for the collar, buttons and ribbon sash, but it would be quite as effective in serge or cheviot.

The basque, the basque girde the semi-basque, we are hating the changes, but the motif is the same for morning, afternoon and evening wear. Yet its severity is modified in almost every instance to conform to modern standards. This generation refuses to be backcracked and based into immovability and a higher value is set on supple muscles than on a bodice without wrinkles.

Here, the basque is buttoned down the front quite plainly, but the fulness that starts at the side seam is one of the innovations of the present day modiste. The stiff high collar shows the trend away from the low-necked blouse. There is a decided movement this season toward restoring the collar to its place and to doing away with the open-necked blouse.

Here, happily, we have a compromise. It is buttoned quite high, yet enough of the throat is free for ease and comfort. The long sleeve, that comes not only over the wrist but almost to the knuckles, is in evidence. It is a dictate of the fashion authorities from which there is no reprieve for the present.

The sash, that appears at the back or the side or front in line out of ten costumes, is a narrow ribbon affair in the illustration. It is tied loosely and falls into place naturally over the skirt proper and below the basque.

There is a particularly graceful adaptation of the fashion notes of the season that it would make an excellent model for the college girl or even schoolgirl.

And it has the advantage of being suitable for the classroom or the street without change or addition.

MARTEN AND LYNX TIES WILL BE AUTUMN VOGUE

Popularity of Fitch Capes Also Is Assured for Fall Wear.

The early autumn fur-wear is already decreed and actually on the market. A great demand will obtain for small neckties of marten and lynx, together with smartly designed fancies in ermine and white coney. To be in the height of fashion, the smart woman will include marten and dyed coney in her wardrobe, while broad-shaped stoles of muskrat or seal will be seen everywhere.

Fitch will be as popular this season as last, while chinchilla, otter, beaver and monkey fur will hold their own. Vestees and waistcoats of fur will modernize the old fur styles which this season are to be reincarnated. The caped vestee style is exceedingly charming, and offers a wide scope for variety.

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