heir favor with the women simply beme they found they could not wear without spraining or injuring the ankle, Shoethe high-heeled shoe fact, the higher the heel the more it is

For High-Heeled Shoes,

MEEL ATTACHMENT liked. A Virginia woman claims that any high-heeled shoe or slipper, especially, can be made perfectly safe for the wearer by the introduction of a small supporting plate placed inside the shoe, close to the beel. This plate is of metal and curved to conform to the heel of the foot of the wearer. It is placed in the shoe in combination with the sole. the plate lying under the heel and extending upward at each side, ending in m T, which engages the side of the foot effects are high in favor. fumediately below the aukle.

Women True to Themselves. Mr. John M. Coulter, head of the for street coat and skirt suits, department of botany of the Chicago University, who with his wife and children was on the ill-fated Republic, says that the heroic conduct of the women was something that can never be forgotten. When the order came to put on life preservers the women put them on as coolly as if they were no panie and they even joked among might have as they adjusted the un- year, usual preservers. They conducted themselves, he says, in a manner to make one forever proud of American womanhood. It gave one an understanding of the nobility of woman's nature, he declared, that does not present itself often in an ordinary life-

Randsome Afternoon Costume.



sketch was made. It employs the purebudger is elaborately teinmed with charges accordingly." Bays Russian law, and the entire tight long sleeves are made from allover lace, matching in design that used a hand of sable. A white faced brown satin hat and sable muff complete the costume.

Reducing Flesh.

Whatever else fashion hints there is not the slightest rumor that flesh is to he stylish in the near future. Therefore women who are not thin are keeping up all kinds of methods to make them so. Live on noodles, is the cry. Consequently this diet is strictly kept by women who are willing to sacrifice anything to be thin. The latest remedy, however, is to drink camomile tea without sugar, an hour after eating. This is said to cure the most rebellious case and turn one of barrel shaped proportions into sylphiike lines.

A Candy Patt.

A nice party to have is a candy pull. to bring an apron.

better be put on before the guests come. While waiting for the candy to cook say."-The Strand Magazine a lively game of cards may be played. such as "pit" or "old maid."

When the candy is all pulled put it on a marble slab to barden. Refreshments may now be served.

After this a game or two of charades may be played.

Purpose of Exercise.

Exercise should be taken to increase the circulation and tissue change; to stimulate the elimination of waste prodnets; to develop the muscles; to promote healthy action of the digestive organs, and to clear the brain and bead, thus fitting us to do more work and better work than we would otherwise he able to perform.

Put Thought Into Menis.

One mother of growing sons learned almost too late the folly of so catering to an individual peculiarity. The husmeals consisted of a dreary round of ing flesh. meat, coffee and a vegetable. Then the Warts and wens are sometimes cured linoleum. When slightly dampened it

paulous.

It pays every housekeeper, if only to spare herself family grumbling, to put more thought than she does into ordering the meals. If systematized it takes little time, even in a busy life, to provide more varied cooking, and the trouble pays from an ethical as well as health standpoint.



Shot velvets in wonderful two-tonet

Wide tulle strings finish the hat signed for the picturesque girl. Corded silks are making up warsts

Jet butterfly backles are the latest and daintlest things for slippers.

With the black tailored costumes gold embroidery is in great favor. The popularity of suede is waning out any apparent advantage. and richer colors are in evidence.

Embroidery in heavy worsted or silk shirt waists. There was no fainting, is employed on many new cloth gowns. The butter bowl shape hat is still themselves to conceal any fear they shown and threatens to stay another

> Women, young and old, are wearing jet jewelry with gowns black and

> Nowadays nearly all women wear jabots and among the prettjest is the grandfather frill.

> Open-meshed stockings are now litthe favored, filet net in liste and silk being the rage.

Royal blue, golden brown, mulberry and maize are fashionable colors in high-class costumes.

Embroidery dots of various sizes are used in dainty ties. The dots may be white or a color. Nearly all of the hats are more

without bandeau, and must be worn with the dat hair dressing. This words, which notice up into

charming house gowns, are found in all the fashionalde shades and tones, Bracelets are being worn sgain in quantities and this year they need not match in design, size or material,

There is nothing newer in veils than the directoire veil and ruff combined. The veil is drawn into a band of rib ben around the throat or ends in a silk nursiln with lining, would also thick ruff made of the veiling.

The breakfast cap is a dainty fast of fashionable women. It is of lace of the finest quality, hand embroider ed, and is ornamented with a mesegray of old-fashioned flowers made of rib

finds Less to Fred Women. In a small Philadelphia restaurant that enters to persons on economy bent the bill of fare is headed by this nothee: "Regular dinner- Men, 25 cents women, 15 cents." "How is this? asked a chance customer belonging to the organist heavily taxed. "You charge us fellows in cents more than ion do the women. What have we done that we should be so discriminatof against?" "You cut more," was the y so much to feed women part of town that has been bence chough to say so in plain print. Many

Protect the Finger.

on the work, especially when doing silk embroidery, and is almost impossible to keep clean. There is a new protector for this finger that seems to protect without getting in the way of the sewer. It is ninde in a specially prepared glass that does not blunt the needle, comes in several sizes and, best of all, is cheap enough for every sewer

Sardon's Opinion of Women.

"I have the highest opinion of the fair sex. I consider women superior to men in almost everything; they possess the intuitive faculty to an extraordinary degree, and may almost al ways he trusted to do the right thing in the right place. They are full of When inviting the guests ask each noble instincts, and, though heavily handicapped by fate, come well out of Boil the candy for an hour. It had every ordeal. You have but to turn history to realize the truth of what



Reeping the feet warm and dry will ald in making the cheeks red. Cold feet will bleach out the skin and bring color to the wrong place, namely the

A glass of hot water before break fast is a cleanser and tonic for the entire system. For an oily, greasy skin, squeeze half a lemon into the water, drink without adding sugar.

Spirits of camphor dries up fever blisters when they are just commencing. It is well, however, to cover the band and father liked neither souns. lips lightly with grease, to keep the dessert, fish nor salad, and the family campbor from irritating the surround-

fled with such plain fare, were seeking | daily with an Irish potato. Cut off one Eligh heels on shoes and slippers lost a more varied menn in restaurants and end of the potato and rub the tumor gay hotels, with none too desirable com- with the pared surface. After each operation remove a slice of the potato,

If the cuticle about your nails seems tough and there is a tendency to "hang uails," rub in a little vaseline or cold cream every night before retiring. Soon you will see a marked improvement in the condition of the nails.

The worried housekeeper should go out on the verauda for a few moments. take several full breaths of fresh air shake the stiffness from fingers, wrists, elbows and all other joints of the body, stretch, yawn, smile and laugh if possible—a good, deep, muscular laugh.

Takes Pensimistic View. Prof. Hagerty, of the University of Ohio, said at the meeting of the Soefological Society in Washington re cently that educated women did not marry as early in life as women used to, that they had fewer children and the offspring are not as strong. The State has taken care of the education of the child, the kitchen is practically the only survival of the old industrial aspect of the home, children being thus relieved of household duties. The resuit, along with the tendency to live in boarding houses and flats, tends to destroy the solidarity of the home with-

Charming Combing Jacket.



Rather longer in the besty than the rental run of such garments is this fasteating combing backet, made from cubroidered crope de chine. There is no trinuming save two silk from for being purposes. China silk, challis or serve for this piece of daintiness.

To Clean Shirlds.

Many think it is impossible to wash dress shields in other than co'd water. They should first be daugened with old water and covered with white emp rubbed into the covering. Put them into a basin and pour very warm water over them and let them stand until the water begins to cond, then wrub with a stiff brush. Rinse in cold sater and let them gradually dry away from artificial heat. The not attempt or private therm.

Dry Senip Cannes Gray Hair, Nothing will so quickly cause the neurishing oils, and it is for this reson that fonies containing such ingred ients are invaluable. When there is a decided tendency to whiteness a formuin that has been found useful, if mas things. sugal nightly into the head, is one offeet in front with long foreign restaurants have recognized dram each of terchone, boras and sulshort-waisted that fact, and have regulated their plant and six onners of lavender water.

He Tattons a Blush.

A Scotchman is now in this country elaiting some of the cities, his stock in trade being the apparatus with which in tittoes a blush upon the face of the society woman, no matter how roughened edge unsightly, but it eatches faded her cheeks may be. Tattoying is said to be quite a fad this winter. not only in the checks of women, but for men as well.

in One Own Kitchens.

Mrs. Ellen II. Richards, one of the best-known civic workers in Boston. says that she believes that nine-tenths of all human illnesses are caused by food that is eaten and six-tenths are caused by unclean food. And she says that 75 per cent of the contamination is caused in our own kitchens.

Homemade Clothes Hanger.

Excellent shirt waist and cost hang ers can be made by cutting small barrel hoops in two. Half-barrel hoops are the best. Wrap the hoop with cambric and fasten in the center of same a loop or wire to hang it up with. The ad vantage of these over the wire ones is that they do not crease the garments.

Men Are the Gonniga. Little Devereaux Blake says that the gossips of the country are the men. and not the women. She thinks men are on the whole pretty good fellows.

but they do not constitute the silent

sex by any means, she says, and they

acruse women of gossiping to cover

up their own transgressions,

soap would.

When Bureau Drawers Stick. floor way, rubbing it to a gloss. This trimmings. is much better than the old, untidy way of using soap, which is rarely satisfactory, and, hesides, the wax will not catch and bold dust and dirt as the

A Sweeping Hint. A square of house flannel of the stoutest and coarsest description made into a bag and put over the broom is the best means of sweeping boards or mother found that her boys diseatle by rubbing them two or three times takes up unstead of scattering the dust.

AMERICAN WOMEN ARE MOST PETTED.

That we are the most indulged and petted women in the world is undoubtedly true: it is difficult to see way we should claim a powerful place in the national life, says a writer in Appleton's. While the women of other countries are making and saving, our women are wasting and

The light-hearted Italian women are a source of wealth to their country by their frugality and their not inconsiderable business ability. Their less light-hearted and less comely Gorman sisters are miracles of hardworking thrift. No one who has lived in Germany can fail to have observed what comfortable homes and what substantial meals the German hausfran of all classes conjures from incomes so tiny that the American can only wonder how they manage to live at all.

It is also interesting to observe that for her success in homemaking the German woman reaps her reward. The German husband may seem to us unchivalrous in the minor details of life. He may talk with brutal But your home throughout is free disparagement about the brain," but when he goes out to four walls, and mistress of yourself amuse himself it doesn't occur to him | and your days. Think what it would to go alone. He takes with him his be to rise up early to face a day's wife and his children. That pathetic drudgery, and lie down late, conperson whose husband neglects her scious that tomorrow and all tomorfor the society of men, for whom rows would mean the same. Fancy our tears flow so often in this coun- yourself at home only in the kitchen try, is not found in Germany.

romen are bad homemakers and ery. Would your temper always be while we undoubtedly learned some sweet, your inclination obliging? of our lessons in inefficient and waste. Would you smile when your afternoon ful cooking from our English kins- out was denied, or take it kindly if women, English women of the upper | the mistress was to have a company classes put us to shame in the par! | luncheon upon washday? And you they play in the political life of the are yourself with, presumably, 2 country. They have their definite gentlewoman's sense of justice and part they are expected to play to self-control. Put yourself as nearly the game of politics. The well-edu- as you can in the place of some lone cated English women do not exist creature, ignorant, low-bred, developwho cannot talk intelligently on the ed only along the lower human plane, political situation.

an has the most power. From the perhaps, she should be grateful for peasant up she takes a more active food, shelter and wages. But ask part in the affairs of her country yourself how long she would get than do the women of any other land. either if your need of her suddenly The prosperity of France is builded | ceased? The answer, if a candid one on the amazing thrift of French wom- will put an end to the claim for en. She combines with this thrift a gratitude. You know you would not supreme talent for home-making, keep her a day, no matter how de-Housekeeping does not give her neer i sperate her need of you.-New Haven yous prostrution, and the brisk cheer. Register, fulness of all French women is the one thing that notably atrikes the traveler in France, whether he comes The French woman's business ability; when she first thinks of it will never to pre-eminent. With her thrift, gayety and business ability it is not surprising that the wields the power that she does.

PRINCESS DRESS TO BE RE-TAINED.

With the old Princess gown the waist was in its natural position, immediately below the ribs. But it is now shorter, though not so very short as with some of the Directoire Surried housekeeper. In this day of frocks of last summer. The outline is very graceful in the new models. the lines of the shoulders and arms being closely followed, not a single fold or scrap of fullness being permitted in the sleeves herond the tucks that help to fit them to the

hair to turn gray as an absence of the waist is in its natural position, day. concerned. A curve upward to the there is time to do it in" is responback being all that there is to re sible for many a broken-down house min-I us of the previous order of keeper. Extra time gained in the

new skirts closely define the figure. and the clinging form still prevails; also the inconvenient but becoming BIG HATPINS GROWING BIGGER. length in front and at the sides. The tunic, copical from old prints of the It can be made of a little fluffy on-Directoire and Empire periods, when I trich tip attached to a long pin and they were borrowed directly from the it must be of a shade with the feath-Greek, is confined to house and even lers in the hat. Hatpins have never ing gowns: The slimness of the all, been as extraordinary in design as housette is still imperative, and all at present. The big hat today, with supple materials, such as cashmere, its masses of flowers or feathers, has crepe de chine, and the softer qual- I resulted in the befitting hatpin, which Ities of cloth with chiffon velvet and gives its aid in building up still furits cousin germanry, are consequent, ther the gigantic millinery display It in the greatest favor.

of the flat kind, as embroidery or or a bird's head. Such a head is used braiding. Frilis and even tucks as a parrot's seagull's or a magpie's would be regarded as destroying the Fruit, made of velvet, is also a pret clinging in effect. Everything possi- ty fancy. Only the larger fruits are ble is done to preserve the slender used, such as peaches and plums. outline. Those whose adipose tissue Watermelons and pineapples have not declines to conceal its unfashionable, yet appeared in this form of head exuberance are to be condoled with, adornment, but they may make their and recommended to abstain from the appearance any day. "China hatnitra-fashionable frock.

cessfully is to have the corset and tumn."-New York Press. other underwear cut on the same lines as the gown itself. The skirt and boilee of the petticoat, for instance, must be continuous. One may even buy satin knickers and corset made in one. This makes for slimness.-New Haven Register.

FASHION NOTES. The flowers in cretonne are tamped in many colors this season.

have been of pique. brunette types will find becoming.

There is nothing which gives daintier touch to hand embroidery on the shirtwaist than the lines of Madeira fagoting winding in and out among the raised design.

The fact that short gloves will be in fashion and the long ones only needed once in a while will save many a dollar for every woman. Taupe, which has been seen only occasionally during the past season

or two, is to be one of the season's

Very plain, but quite elegant a the best of the new hats.

The hat for festal occasions is white satin, with its low round crown draped in white rabbit skip, which is a good imitation of fox. Soft messaline petticoats for cling ing skirts come in all colors.

Transparent materials, such a chiffon, mousseline and lace, made us over matalite tissues, are a good deal used for choice evening gowns. Yokes of cream colored chintz,

bearing the marking of old-fashloned designs, have been noticed on several modish gowns. The most beautiful of the evening

shades are found in inexpensive materials that give better service than many of the costiy ones.

The one feature that almost all the new coats have in common is the semi-fitted cloak and cutaway effect that has a thousand different varia-

THE SERVANT PROBLEM. You, madam, think yourself held and bound, hampered with many cares, troubled about many things. "female to you-you are supreme within its or the uninviting bedroom, shut away While the poorest class of English almost wholly from human comradthen judge what a servant's grief American women cannot. Politics and grievances may be. The first and most intolerable is that she can It is, however, in France that wom- | be nothing but a servant. You say,

PROCRASTINATION

Prograstication is a breeder of flurfrom America, Germany or England, ry. The woman who does a thing pass her life in a deadly scramble not to be found wanting.

A procrastinating mother is almost as great a stirre up of family tronble as the slovenly mother; indeed, the two traits are almost inseparable. Johnny is never disgraced by a huge hole in his knee at school if his mother does not postpone the family

mending. Late rising is a sure cause of the many demands upon one's time, an hour or two wasted in the morning can never be caught. It may be horribly disagreeable to get oneself out of bed at an early hour, or, worm yet, see that the family is stirred up in time for breakfast, but it is not half to disagreeable to feel as And in many of the very newest pursued by flurries all the rest of the

morning defrauds the serve special-Immediately below the waist the 1st and promotes family peace.-New Haven Register.

Have you seen the newest hatpin? Such a pin can be fushioned of an If there is trimming, it is always enormous rose, poppy or carnation, pins," says a fashionable milliner. The great secret of wearing it suc. "are likely to be in favor this au-

WOMAN'S PAPER IN CHINA

Of the many signs of progress in China, one of the most interesting is the editing and publishing of a daily newspaper by a woman named Mrs. Chang, a native of Pekin. After marriage to a Chinese official, she spent several years in central China, where she learned much about the condition Some coats seen with smart tollets of the people; and subsequently, apon the death of her husband, returned An effective hat, an Indian like once more to her native city in North | "Good of you to may so, old chap," rehead dress, made in varied tones of China. Meanwhile Mrs. Chang's mind had become intent on the progress of afraid I wouldn't find anyher her country, and she courageously bright and cultured people Empire and directoire effects are decided to start a daily newspaper Catholic Standard and Times. To prevent bureau drawers from decidedly a feature of suits, while for women called "The Pekin Womsticking wax the hearings. Use a good braid and buttons are the favored an's News," which, on its own lines, is said to be without a rival in the whole world.-Dundee Advertiser.

> During the year ending last month there were 485 new electric plants put into operation in the United States, Canada and Mexico, which makes the total 5,498.

The management of the steam roads entering Paris is considering proposition to electrify all lines for some considerable distance into the

set American hen, who during the year may well have crackled with prid over the production of nearly 1,300, 000,000 dozens of eggs! Do you realise what that means? says the Woman's Home Companion. Well, listen:

If, instead of remaining quietly at home in Iowa, she had chosen to demonstrate her powers to the universe at large the hen might have laid those It is smart, it is generally been eggs, each two inches long, end to end, it is simple, it is available for a gry in a continuous chain reaching 238,818 many occasions and for a variety of miles up to the moon, back again, and | materials. This model is one of the then more than half way around the best and can be made with the high world for good measure a total of rolled-over collar illustrated or be cul 492,424 miles of eggs. Furthermore, if to form either a V-shaped or roun those eggs had been made into one omelet half an inch thick that omelet would easily have covered Manhattan island, an area of twenty-two square miles.

An old Mohammedan legend tells that King Solomon used to travel through the air with all his armies on a wouderful flying carpet, protected from the rays of the sun hy the wings of a host of birds. Now, according to the poultry census, there are in the United States about 280,000,000 of chickens, guinea fowls, turkeys, geese and ducks of the poultry voting age, which is three months or over. If required to furnish a moving canopy like that of King Solomon the barnyard of this country, allowing only a foot of apread to each, could easily shadow a space of 149 square miles.



"Why is the moon called silvery?" "Because it comes in halves and quar-

"Only fools are certain, Tommy; wise men hesitate." "Are you sure, uncle?" "Yes, my boy; certain of it."

Dobbs-I understand she was his bookkeeper before he married her Dobbs-Yes; now she's his cashier.

Ethel-No, I wouldn't. The man marry I am going to tame myself .- Individual taste, for either such finish The Tatler. Hob - Would you like to see women

At the North and South Poles .- Se- | Scud all orders to the Pattern Deliarts wance Tiger. Max-How did you happen to go to old Gotrox to borrow money? Climax

to do him.—Stray Stories. "My cocoa's cold," sternly announced the gruff old gentleman to his fair waitress. "Put your hat on," she sweet-

ly suggested.- New York Observer. Jack-Was her father violent when you asked for her hand? Tom-Was he! Great Scott, I thought he would shake my arm off .- Boston Transcript.

"Yes," she said, "I have seen twentythree summers." "Say," be queried, 'do you think it is too late to consult an eye speciaffst?"--Chicago Daily She-What did papa say when you

He-No; your mother was there!- while it can be made from almost any Tonkers Statesman. Arthur Askem-How did you like

Europe? Bertha Binthare-Not very well. Why, actually, every place we isited was overrun with foreigners .-Chicago Daily News. "I suppose your wife was tickled to

death at your raise in salary?" "She will be." "Haven't you told her get?" "No, I thought I would enjoy myself for a couple of weeks first." "I do miss Mrs. Jones. She told me all the news of the parish." "Oh, that

was only gossip-no truth in it." "Well, there. I liked to 'ear it. Truth or lies, 'twas all news to me."-Punch. "I sometimes think," remarked the regular patron, "that the snare drummer should be the best musician in the theater orchestra." "He usually la."

said the drummer.—Chicago Tribune. "Why don't women have the same sense of humor that men possess? asked Mr. Torkins. "Perhaps," answered his wife gently, "it's because we don't attend the same theaters."-

Washington Star. Her Mother-Mahel, dear, do you ever feel timid about saking your hushand for money? The Bride-No. indeed, mamma; but he seems to be rather timid about giving it to me .- Chicago Dally News.

Tommy-Pop, a man is a backelor until he gets married, isn't he? Tommy's Pop-Yes, my son. Tommy-And what does he call himself afterward? Tommy's Pop-I'd hate to tell you, my son.-Philadelphia Record.

Constable-Now, gen'l'men, we've traced these here cleos-the futprints e' the hoss an' the futprints o' the man -to this stump; from here on that's only the futprints o' the home. Now, the question is-wot's become o' the man?

"Hello, old man!" exclaimed Dubley at the Literary Circle reception: "It's a pleasant surprise to meet you here." plied Brown, "Yes, you see, I

Cheering Hop. Macdougal (to his new fourth wife) -The meenister doesna approva o' my marryin' again, an' sae young too! But, as I tell't him, I e aye buryin' buryin'.--Panch

When a girl is sixteen she much time in looking out into with a mid expression on her mothers who know all about not alarmed. When she is teen she will find enough f appointing in life without in the dark for it.



The street gown is one of the year latest developments of fashion and his a great many features to come



neck. The scalloped edges are fashton-Maud-Would you marry a widower? able and effective, but here also there in the opportunity for the exercise of

or straight edges can be used. The above pattern will be mailed to voters at the polls? Nob-Yes, indeed, your address on receipt of 10 cents. ment of this paper. Be sure to give both the number and size of pattern wanted, and write very plainty. For -I heard he was well to do, so I tried | convenience, write your order on the

following coupon: Order Coupon. 81ZE NAME ADDRESS

Infant's Wrapper. Such a little garment as this one belongs in every layette. It can be slipped on at a moment's notice, and mornings asked for my hand? He-Why, he are exceedingly apt to be cool and to couldn't say a word. She-He couldn't? require such a comfortable wrapper



soft, warm material, French and Scotch flannels are favorites, but many of the flannelettes are pretty and satis-

factory. The above pattern will be mailed to your address on receipt of 10 cents. Send all orders to the Pattern Department of this paper. Be sure to give

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First-class tramway cars were run in Liverpool September 30 for the first The professional criminals of Lon-

The Welland Canal, connecting Lake

Erie and Ontario, is 75 years old.

son outnumber the policemen in proportion of three to two. New York City, with twice the pe lation of Chicago, has current es

nearly four times as great, The British navy has a propelling a 700-ton gunbout ically with gas eng

was made, however