

NEWS AND VIEWS FOR WOMEN READERS

LIFE'S SOCIAL SIDE

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Badminton at the armoueries was more than usually interesting on Wednesday for the finals in the King cup tournament were played. The winners who will have the honor of having their names engraved on the cup given to the club by General King and Mrs. Shuttleworth King are Major Lafferty and Mrs. W. G. Beaman. Mrs. Frederick Carson also gave prizes for a ladies' tournament which were won by Miss Aileen Rogers and Mrs. Victor Tremaine. The prizes were very charming strings of beads. Among those present were Col. and Mrs. Victor Anderson, General Elmsley, Col. and Mrs. Harris, Col. and Mrs. G. H. Ogilvie, Mrs. H. J. Dawson, Mrs. Eric Greenwood, Mrs. E. J. C. Schmidlin, Mr. and Mrs. Holloway Waddell, Col. Ritchie, Prof. and Mrs. (Halifax), Miss Ritchie, Prof. and Mrs. Campbell, Prof. and Mrs. Hicks, Prof. and Mrs. Douglas Jemmett, Col. and Mrs. Beverley Browne, Major and Mrs. Victor Tremaine, Major and Mrs. Noel Carr, Mrs. A. Carr (Ottawa), Major and Mrs. Victor Williams, Capt. Roberts, Mrs. Tyrrell (Ireland), Mrs. J. B. Tyrrell (Toronto), Capt. and Mrs. Westmoreland, Col. and Mrs. Reginald Brook, Mrs. H. T. Cook, Miss Mollie Cartwright, Miss Hora, Miss Helen Strange, Miss Laura Kilborn, Miss Marion Lesslie, Miss Gwendolyn Dawson.

The Speaker's Chambers in the Parliament Buildings presented a scene of gaiety on Tuesday when Mrs. George S. Henry and Mrs. W. F. Nickle entertained at luncheon in honor of the wives of members of the legislature. In the reception room, which was a bower of spring flowers, ferns and palms, the hostesses received their guests. Mrs. Henry wore a lovely creation of cocoa brown tulle with leaf-green hat. Her jewelry were amber beads and bracelet. Mrs. Nickle's very becoming frock was of navy blue silk, with navy blue and grey hat and emerald pendant. Yellow daffodils intermingling with fern in crystal and silver vases, decorated the long luncheon tables in the dining-room. Mrs. Anthony Rankin and Mrs. G. Hunter Ogilvie were among the Kingston guests.

Mrs. Charles Constantine, "Bolton Royd," who has been visiting Mrs. Donald Macdonald, is now the guest of Colonel Worsley and Miss Worsley, Ottawa. Mrs. Constantine is expected to return to Kingston this week.

Rev. G. A. Brown, Mrs. Brown and their three sons have arrived in the city. The family residence will be on Aberdeen street.

Mrs. Everett Townsend, Winston Apartments, has gone to New Jersey to visit her daughter.

Mrs. Vrooman and Miss J. Vrooman.

man, who have been spending the winter in St. John's, N.B., are expected in Napanee this week. Mrs. L. A. Zufelt, Kingston, is visiting Mrs. K. R. Haskett, Brockville.

Miss B. Copeland, Brockville, has returned home from visiting her sister, Mrs. J. B. Phillips, Alfred street.

Sir Thomas and Lady White are cruising on the Mediterranean. Mrs. Alfred Gandier, St. George street, Toronto, entertained at tea on Tuesday. The guests of honor were Mrs. Nickle, Kingston, Mrs. Alex. Laird and her daughter, Miss Hilda Laird.

Mrs. H. A. Lavell, Earl street, went to Toronto on Wednesday. Mrs. H. P. Lowe, the Winston apartments, is in Toronto.

Mrs. Noble Steacy and Miss Sullivan are spending a few days in Toronto.

Major and Mrs. Noel Carr and Mrs. A. Carr, left for Quebec today to attend the wedding of Mrs. Carr's sister, Miss Cooke.

Mrs. J. B. Tyrrell, Toronto, and Mrs. Tyrrell, Ireland, are visitors in town. Mrs. G. S. Hobart, who has been with her sister, Mrs. Hobart Dyde, University Avenue, for a few days, left for her new home in London, Ont., today.

The Leopard's Envied Spots

By ELEANOR GUNN

Every dog has his day, so dogdom must be in a state of confusion and dismay since tailors, furriers and dressmakers are holding nothing sacred to their shears, which grows a coat which may be converted into something smart.

The leopard may not be able to change his spots, but should be quite reconciled to that condition, since at present the leopard is the queen of beasts in the fashion world. Just why, no one seems to know, but the guess is hazarded that it is because leopard skins are so extremely difficult to get. Last season, badger and natural lynx were found bordering and collaring coats and capes. This season, Palm Beach indicates that leopards are more desirable, and Palm Beach has provided more than its accustomed opportunities for study.

Leopard is also used to bind the front of the straightline type of coat, often in narrow striped patterns and applied for all the world as we bind our blankets. Leopard is also used to band hats. It is a flat and soft felt, and therefore applicable to many uses. In all events, leopard is the rage and is extremely smart, not only on soft green which seems to be its most usual affinity, but on white. The white topcoat has detracted this season from the

undisputed prestige of the white cape.

It is not likely that the usual weather conditions are alone responsible for the many fur-trimmed models worn South as well as North. Fur trimmed evening gowns have been among the smartest worn this winter. It makes little difference whether the gown so trimmed is of velvet, brocade, chiffon or crepe, to say nothing of lace or tulle.

Those who enjoy having an alternative, find it in clipped ostrich and in marabou and for that matter, ostrich need not be clipped to find favor. Willow ostrich, which is, as everyone knows, the drooping straight flue knotted to extraordinary lengths down the side of many a frock, is embroidered into the skirt in such a way as to produce an effect more or less similar to silk or beads, but at the same time providing a fringed shagreen which is very feathery and soft on the dance floor. Vionnet was among those sponsoring ostrich last season, but it must be admitted, it is not as important as fur in the present scheme of things.



Another interesting treatment of fur for day wear is the use of it for boyish collars and even for a bow tie, ermine or its substitutes frequently being chosen as a finish for the black velvet or cloth gown. It seems a bit odd, even now, to write of cloth gowns, so accustomed have we become to crepe and satin ones. The cloth frock has an important place even here among the palm trees, where the middy or garcon type of dress is more often found in wool than in crepe. (Copyright, 1924, Fairchild.)

Efficient Housekeeping

TOMORROW'S MENU

- Breakfast: Stewed Prunes, Cereal, Codfish Cakes. Coffee, Pop Overs. Luncheon: Baked Peppers with Vegetable Stuffing, Wholewheat Bread, Marmalade. Tea. Dinner: Baked Smelts, Sauce Tartare, Baked Potatoes, Escalloped Tomatoes, Fruit Salad, Gelatine Dessert. Coffee.

Some New Fancywork Ideas. Once more I have journeyed through city fancywork shops with the idea of reporting on some of the latest handwork ideas for my readers' sakes. Here are a few of the attractive novelty articles I saw:

The New Hairpin Boxes: These were made in the French style; covered with either old-rose or old-blue silk brocade and decorated with gold braid, gold lace and clusters of tiny, colored-silk flowers. Apparently boxes of almost any shape had been chosen, so long as they were suitable for holding hairpins. These were covered on the outside with silk brocade, then decorated with gold braid along the seams and corners. Gold lace covered the top of the lid, and small silk flowers gave a dainty finish in the centre. All of these hairpin boxes were hand-made, and the maker had used her originality so that no two of them were alike. When I opened one of them I discovered that it was lined with old-blue silk grosgrain ribbon. This little fancywork article is not only extremely useful, but also very effective on the top of bureau or dressing table.

Silk-Flower Boudoir Pins: Wherever I found boudoir garments in the

shops—kimonas, bed-slippers, bouc-caps, etcetera—I also found small pins as follows: Take a small fickle safety pin (the ordinary kind, measuring one inch long) and wind it with pale pink sewing silk till no nickel shows (or you may use twisted embroidery silk for this winding). The next step is to make tiny pink silk flowers with yellow (embroidered) centres and place these closely together on the top wire of the safety pin, securing them there with stitches. Add a few leaf-green ribbon-tips, for leaves, and the work is done. Of course the wound pin-part must be completely covered by the flower decorations. These boudoir pins are used to fasten the kimono together, or to catch up a ribbon on ones' boudoir cap—in fact, used in any way that is useful when one is in negligee.

Silver-Bags for the Suitcase: Every woman who has silver toilet articles will want a set of the new flowered-cretonne bags with gray flannel linings and ribbon drawstrings, into which she can slip her toilet articles before putting them into her traveling bag or suitcase. In this way, the silver is protected from scratches. These bags are washable, but, owing to the dark gray lining, they do not soil rapidly. (Cretonne with dark colors may be chosen for this same reason.) Make them with square corners, just the size of the various toilet articles—one to fit each article.

Tomorrow—Some Good Contributed Recipes.

All inquiries addressed to Miss Kirkman in care of the "Efficient Housekeeping" department will be answered in these columns in their turn. This requires considerable time, however, owing to the great number received. So if a personal or quicker reply is desired, a stamped and self-addressed envelope must be enclosed with the question. Be sure to use YOUR full name, street number, and the names of your city and state.

MOTHERS And Their Children



"Let's Pack a Trunk." One Mother Says: I noticed that when my children played "go visiting" they piled their doll clothes in trunks, satchels and boxes all rumpled and mixed. I stopped my work one day to show them how to sort the articles, fold them neatly, and fill the spaces to the best advantage. I have made other little suggestions about how to do things when they "play house" so that in future years the best and quickest ways of doing things will fall naturally to the hand.

AUNT HET



"Men may work hard, but on Sunday they don't do nothing but loaf and eat; and I ain't had a good rest since I had that spell of sickness three years ago."

Beware of the man whose promises are lighter than the breath that utters them. Happy a subject when the prince is guided by justice, not his passionate will.

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Careless Shampooing Spoils the Hair

If you want to keep your hair looking its best, be careful what you wash it with. Do not use prepared shampoos or anything else that contains too much free alkali. This dries the scalp, makes the hair brittle, and ruins it.

The best thing for steady use is Mulisid coconut oil shampoo, which is pure and greaseless, and is better than anything else you can use. Two or three teaspoonfuls of Mulisid is sufficient to cleanse the hair and scalp thoroughly. Simply moisten the hair with water and rub it in. It makes an abundance of rich, creamy lather, which rinses out easily, removing every particle of dirt, dandruff and excess oil. The hair dries quickly and evenly, and it leaves the scalp soft and the hair fine and silky, bright, lustrous, fluffy, wavy, and easy to manage.

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THE JOYOUS WARFARE.

Passionatey betwe' the voice of God is pleading Pleasing wan men to arm them for the fight, See how those hands magestically bleeding, Call us to rout the armies of the night.

Not to the world of sorbid, selfish saving Of our own souls to dwell with Him on high, But to the soldier's splendid selfless braving, Eager to fight for Righteousness or die.

Peace does not mean the end of all our striving, Joy does not mean the drying of our tears, Peace is the power that comes to souls arriving, Up to the light where God Himself appears.

Joy is the wine that God is ever pouring Into the hearts of those who strive with Him, Lightning their eyes to vision and adoring Strengthening their arms to warfare and grim.

So would I live and not in idle resting Stupid as swine that wallow in the mire, Fain would I fight and be forever breathing, Danger and death for ever under fire. G. A. Studdert Kennedy, M.C.

Women Street Sweepers. Paris, March 27.—The old women who shiveringly sweep the narrow streets of Paris have lost their fight against modern machinery. The city has decided their usefulness is ended. Henceforth only one vacancy in three will be filled, and before long these jobs will be abolished as their holders die or leave. These women once were among the picturesque sights of Paris, swinging their long-handled, brushwood brooms, beginning at dawn.

The Editor Hears

That although spring is not very advanced as yet, the C.P.R. gardener is busy and has even begun work with his lawn-mower. The lovely flowers that bloom in his well-kept gardens give pleasure to hundreds of people during the summer.

That some of Kingston's well known historians are taking a live interest in the pageant which it is to be hoped will be put on in September to celebrate the 251st birthday of our historic city.

That on March 7th, the anniversary of the death of Pauline Johnson, members of Vancouver's I.O.D.E. journeyed to her grave in Stanley Park with bouquets of spring flowers, and friends of the late Miss Johnson visited the rustic fountain erected in the park in her memory, just "at the parting of the ways," where the walk leads down to her beloved Sitash Rock.

That the snow of Wednesday made the pessimists prophesy that March would go out like a lion.

That after Mascagni had written "Cavalleria Rusticana," he threw it into the fire, from where it was rescued by his wife.

That strenuous protest against the "Widespread evil effects by the popular adoption of Mah Jongg" in Christian countries, has been made to the Conference of British Missionary Societies by the National Christian Council of China.