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A LACE FICHU DESIGNED TO WEAR WITH SUMMER DRESSES.

Pretty Jackets, Dainty Matiness and Tasteful Dressing Gowns for Warm Days at the Seashore-Decorative Collars and Bows for the Neck.

Laces and ribbons play an important part in the accessories of summer toilets for ladies' wear this season. Numbered with other attractions in the way of neckwear are standing collars, with throat bows, similar to the ones illustrated in the first cut.





STANDING COLLARS, WITH THROAT BOWS. These collars are designed to wear over the collar of a high dress. One is covered outside with folds of pale blue crape and lined with blue ribbon, the picot edges of which are turned over to form, the binding. A ribbon bow covers the fastening, in which pale blue and heliotrope and blue striped ribbon are blended.

The remaining figure shows a similar collar made of pink crape, with a fold of pink feather edged ribbon at the top. The bow is composed of numerous loops of narrow pink ribbon grouped with pointed loops of crape.

Loose Jackets and Matinees.

Very pretty loose jackets and matinces, says The Season, are being worn in the country and at the seashore, trimmed with beautiful emproidery worked with ingrain cotton in various colors, Japanese, Russian and Bulgarian embroidery carrying off the palm. On some of these jackets the embroidery is executed on the material itself, while on others it is made on bands of the same. dainty effect is given to the front by pleating it in the center and fastening down at the side under a broad band of embroidery. The sleeves are very often pleated-also gathered into a deep worked band to harmonize, and the high pleated collar finished off with small coquettish bows.

Matinees, for indoor wear, are composed of very beautiful stuffs and trimmed in a most elaborate manner. Favored materials are: plush, faille, surah, figured silk and foulard, and for the trimmings the richest laces are chosen. On the pleated skirt the ornamentation often consists of pleatings and small frills of the same texture and lace, or it is entirely of lace and ribbon run through the latter, finished off on one side with small hanging bows.

The jacket worn with this reaches down a little below the skirt trimming, and must be decorated to correspond.

The front is made as a rule with a plastron of same kind, and therefore open, yet diagonal fastenings are also in good taste. The plastron either forms a puffed front by being gathered or pleated, and drawn in by strings at the waist, or it is of a scarf shape, arranged in irregular folds, and combines a jabot and panier draperies, the lower part being caught up with a bow or ribbon resette:

Tasteful dressing gowns are made of fine, soft, colored woolen materials with yokes, upright collars and cuffs of dark plush or velvet. The front is arranged below the yoke in large pleats falling straight down to the feet, and the back and sides fit tight to the figure as far as the waist. At the back the skirt is draped in a graceful bunched style, while at the side it is caught up lightly in folds.

Very stylish dressing gowns have open fronts filled in with gathered lace or soft silk stuff, kept in place by a pointed Swiss band of the same material. Princess shapes are also worn, yet only the front of the gown is made in one piece; the back is cut short and rounded, and the back breadths mounted full on this.

Attractive Lace and Eibbon Fichu.

The accompanying cut represents a dressy fichu, composed of pink ribbon and white lace. The collar is made of the ribbon, which is folded to form a pointed plastron on the front.



LACE AND RIBBON FICHU. A lace jabot borders the point on each side. Underneath it are attached two lace scarfs, which extend downward in folds, and meet in a point at the waist under a ribbon bow. The scarfs are composed of three strips of white lace sewed together lengthwise.

The above models, with descriptions, are from Harper's Bazar.

Fashion Notes. Bright scarlet, or blue and white canvas striped woolens, make gay and pretty dresses

. The old time fan waist is receiving considerable attention this season. The fancy for the sailor hat is decidedly on

the increase. Tea gowns of pale yellow China silk trammed with creamy Fedora lace are coo!, fashionable and generally becoming.

ALL AROUND THE HOUSE.

Up Stairs, Down Stairs, in the Kitchen and

in the Lady's Parlor. Cherry'is a very highly favored wood just now for comfortable working chairs and easy chairs of every description, both large and small. Oak also ranks among fashionable woods in furniture, and is especially liked by those who have a preference for the antique. Its use is in hat racks, chiffoniers, desks and dining chairs, rather than in parlor or bedroom suits. In higher priced woods mahogany is the chief attraction. Black walnut, while it still holds a place, has lost its prestige of a few years ago.

A Food for Cage Birds.

A universal paste good for all sorts of cage birds, and that will keep for quite a while, may be made as follows: Bake some wheat bread made without salt; when it is stale, put it into an oven from which a baking has just been removed and let it remain till the oven cools. Then pound it fine. To feed this, mix a teaspoonful of it with three times as much warm milk. Be sure that the milk does not boil. For birds that eat insects, a few ant's eggs, meal worms, flies, etc., may be mixed with it

A Serviceable Scrap Basket.

Serviceable scrap baskets are made by adjusting a strip of matting to a round bottom of stiff paste board or wood. The place where the edges join is concealed by the trimming, consisting of a large bowl and many loops of ribbon. Do not line a scrap basket. It is unnecessary and the lining soils very easily.

Pineapple Pie.

Grate a pineapple, take its weight in sugar and half its weight in butter. Cream the butter and beat it up with the sugar and the yolks of five eggs until very light; add one cupful of cream, the pineapple and the whites of eggs beaten to a stiff froth. Bake with an undercrust and serve cold.

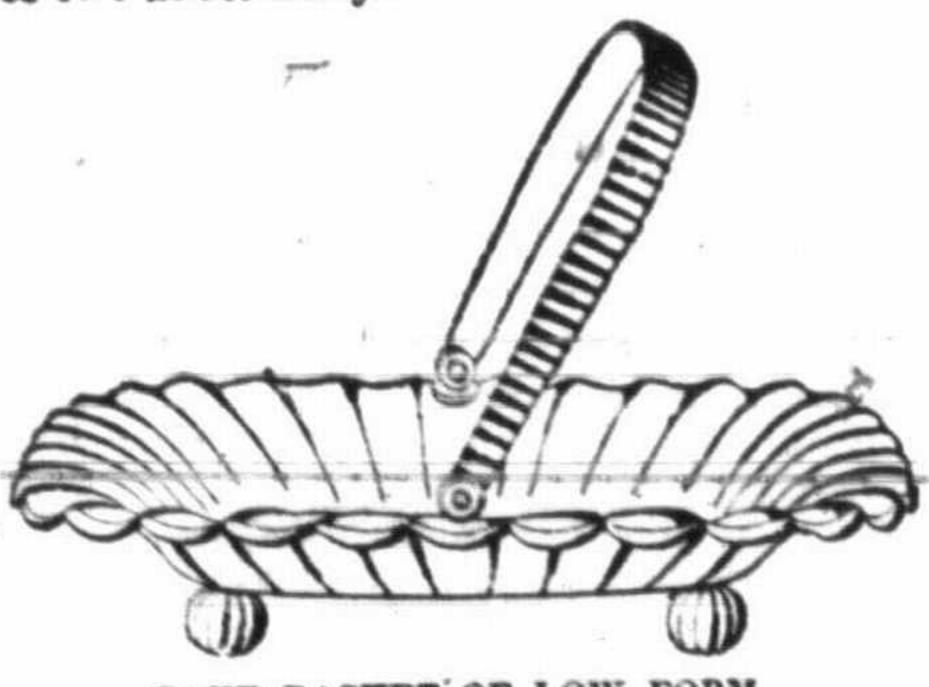
The Way to Apply Furniture Polish.

In using oils, polishes and the like a common mistake is to put on a great deal too much and to apply it directly to the furniture. The right way is to put a few drops on a rag, rub the furniture quickly and smoothly and then polish thoroughly with a clean, soft cloth.

Honey Cake.

A cake somewhat different from the ordinary concections is the following, which is said to be nice for tea while warm and equally good when cold: One-half cup of honey, one-half cup of sugar, one-half cup of butter, one egg, two cups of flour, one cup of cold water, two teaspoonfuls of baking powder; flavor with lemon or vanilla. This recipe will make one large loaf, or can be baked in gem pans.

Cake Baskets, Pickle Stands and Casters. Staple articles, the country over, in sterling silver or plated ware, are butter dishes, pickle jars and cake baskets. In the first mentioned there is little that is new to be said. In pickle stands the preference appears to be for those containing single jars, instead of two as formerly.



CAKE BASKET OF LOW FORM. Cake baskets appear in both high and low forms. In New York and other eastern cities, however, the low forms prevail. These represent at the present time the fashionable cake basket. The basket may be square, oblong or round in shape, and ornamented with any of the various prevailing styles of finish. The basket shown in the cut represents a popular style, being low in form and

finished in the favorite fluted pattern. Casters continue to be a staple article, the small breakfast one being employed at breakfast and luncheon by many households, even at the east, where the old time dinner caster does not often appear. These latter, however, continue to be largely produced, notably in the southern and western states, and are out in style to harmonize with the decoration of other portions of table service.

Where the dinner caster is not used, there are substituted one or more salad sets, according to the size of the table, consisting of two or more glass bottles or jugs in light silver stands, the salt and pepper being furnished in individual shakers or cellars, as fancy dictates. In the making of individual salt cellars, as well as of the little butter dishes so popular, silversmiths have wrought many curious and pleasing designs.

Time Table for Boiling Vegetables. Good Housekeeping gives the following convenient time table and general rule for boiling vegetables:

Potatoes, half an hour, unless small, when rather less. Peas and asparagus, twenty to twenty-five

minutes.

Cabbage and cauliflower, twenty-five minutes to half an hour.

String beans, if slit or sliced slantwise and thin, twenty-five minutes; if only snapped SPENCE & CRUMLEY, across, forty minutes. Green corn, twenty to twenty-five minutes.

Lima beans, if very young, half an hour; old, forty to forty-five minutes.

Carrots and turnips, forty-five minutes when young, one hour in winter. Beets, one hour in summer, one hour and a half, or even two hours, if large, in winter. Onions, medium size, one hour.

Rule.—All vegetables to go into fast boiling water to be quickly brought to the boiling point again, not left to steep in the hot water before boiling, which toughens them and destroys color and flavor.

Sundry Suggestions. Green salad for breakfast is fashionable

Hot sunshine removes scorch from linen To prevent lamps from smoking soak the

wick in strong vinegar, and dry thoroughly before using. Sardines skinned and served in a dish of lettuce hearts or watercresses furnish a novelty

for luncheons. Finely powdered whiting, mixed to a paste with ammonia and water, is excellent for

cleaning silverware.

An Attractive Tennis Blouse. What is popularly termed the "tennis blouse" is made of blue and white striped flannel or any of the fancy tennis cloths, and may be worn with skirts of woolen or muslin. These are belted, gathered waists, with basque like piece on the hips, making them of the same length as the Norfclk jacket, and with a deep sailor collar opening over a shirt plastron of white flannel, upon which tennis rackets are embroidered. A sailor hat of plain flannel, or of straw, with a striped band matching the material, is usually worn with the blouse.

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