

A PAGE FOR WOMEN

KITS COLUMN

With the least satorial effort pos- goings and comings according to sible, fortified by a mighty pitcher of them. God gave man brains—what lime juice, in which the delicious Edison calls the soul of man—and re- fingle of ice sounds gently, filling my son to use them and direct them. soul with its music; surrounded by Look at the wonderful things man has whirr of saw-mill and factory, by the done with the elements, the minerals, screech of the street cars which add the gases of the earth. And consider so much to the safety of "our town," the mistakes he makes. The Titanic and, stimulated by the flirtations broke against an iceberg, and thou- gable which arises from a neighbor- ands perished. Why? Not because God ing sloop. "I take my pen in hand and ordained it or wished it, but because hoping you are in good health as I in his vanity man had made a mis- am at present," and beg you to be- take. The Empress broke apart in lieve, that there are more amusing the river, and hundreds perished. occupations than "writing for the Why? Not because God ordained or newspapers" this merry day in June, wished it, but because in his vanity Doubtless, out of pure contrariness, it man had made a mistake. The Empress will be a cool and pleasant day when press-broke apart in the river, and this appears in very cold print, and hundreds perished. Why? Not be- you will have forgotten what the cause God ordained it or wished it, weather was like two weeks ago, but because some rule of navigation at this moment we are experiencing a mistake. At Balacava countless of Satan's Palace when one waits heroes fell in the slaughter of war. there to be called presently into one Why? Because "someone had blunder- ed." of the Devil's private ovens. There will be no mighty ice-jangling pitcher of delicious concoctions in that ves- tible, nor will there be—please the impel—any writing to do. The last "30" will have been signed to the last "printers' copy," and yours truly will doubtless be wishing to be back in the place of ice in which one is now sitting with the little thermome- ter pointing to 89.

Which would you rather have? eighty-nine up or nineteen below and a breeze blowing?

The Furies

At last the old country is on its feet against the militants. These misguided and unwomanly women have gone beyond bounds. They are outlawed now, as they should have been long ago. They are out to wound and per- haps kill. What they will give they will get, and justly. The militant sur- fragees, who after what has just occurred—goes on a hunger fast should be permitted to please her- self. Should she die of it, she will not be regretted, except by her accom- plices. These women have beaten up several men who very foolishly per- mitted the viragos to go to perilous lengths. The vote, when women get it, will forever be stained with the re- membrance of the outrages of the Furies. The militants have had their way too long. It is time to be rid of them. In the old days they used to send those unfortunates termed "fal- len" to far lands. The fighting surfra- gettes should be served in the same manner. Deport them. But do not send them to Canada. There is no room here for Mr. McKenna's pets.

Blaming the Greater

Several letters touching on the recent terrible tragedy, which sad- dened the whole world, have reached THE COLUMN.

One opines that "If God knew any- thing about it—which I doubt—then He did a cruel thing." Another at- tributes the Empress' fatality as "all others which occur" to chance. This letter ends with a sentence in which unbelief in God is too profanely ex- pressed to find room in print. A third correspondent throws the dread- ful occurrence and everything else of the sort on what she calls "The Will of God."

Personally, we do not think any of these "solutions" of the sufferings and calamities which fall upon men and women at one time or another are correct. To deny God is easy, but it gets you nowhere. To acknowledge Him and then call Him "cruel" is not a touch of childish humor; while to bow resignedly and unques- tionably to His will is undeniably good and wise, yet it seems to us such pec- cing as the writers of the above sen- tences seem to be satisfied in calmly leading the Supreme Being with every misery and unhappiness which like the proverbial water on the back afflicts humanity. No poor humble human dare hold brief for the Al. have made themselves impossible, mightily, but did it ever strike you and it is regrettable that decent can- that God made the universe and made it pretty perfect; that He also made all that moves upon it, and man, the greatest of these. He made in His Own Likeness and endowed with the mag- nificent gifts of reason and free will. The universe—nature—these never failer in their pre-ordained duty. The stars shine serenely, moving at stated times across the heavens. The seasons come and go unerringly. The sun shines; the rain falls; the light is suc- ceeded by the darkness; the winds rage; the lightning flash among the clouds. So perfect are the seasons that for years we plan in advance our

EDMONTON GIRL MADE WONDERFUL RECORD IN TYPEWRITING CONTEST

Fourteen Year Old Competitor Wrote Nearly Seven Hun- dred Words in Ten Minutes.

Edmonton, Alta., June 17.—Teach- ers in the commercial department of Victoria high school here claim a world's record for Winifred Martin, 14 years of age, who wrote 680 words in ten minutes in an official typewrit- ing contest. The test was witnessed by more than a hundred disinterested persons and officials of writing ma- chine companies. It is claimed that the girl broke the Canadian school record by 14 words a minute for ten minutes. Miss Martin also wrote at high speed in five languages, English, German, French, Latin and Greek from unfamiliar dictation and copy, being blindfolded during part of the demonstration.

Weddings

LARSON—SAUNDERS.

The marriage of Miss Maud Sand- ers to Mr. Albert Larson, both par- ties of Douglas, Man., was solemniz- ed yesterday by Rev. H. Edmison.

SAMPLE—BARBER.

Yesterday, June 16th, Miss Annie Barber of Borrest, Man., was united in the holy bonds of matrimony to Mr. Thomas Sample of Rapid City, Rev. H. Edmison performed the ceremony.

STEVESON—RICHEY

Last evening at 7 o'clock, at the home of Mr. J. Hurst, 608 Tenth St., a quiet wedding took place, when Miss Edith Richey, of Moore Park, was united in Marriage to Mr. James A. Steveson, of the Brandon Asylum staff. The bride was attended by Miss Edith Hurst, Mr. Thos. Bunnett supporting the groom. The ceremony, which was performed by Rev. J. Knox Clark, was followed by a very delightful lunch- eon. The young couple left last even- ing for Port Arthur, where they will reside.

STEVENARD—NAIRN

A quiet wedding was solemnized in St. George's church at 10:30 this morning, when Miss Annie Edith Nairn, of this city, was united in the holy bonds of matrimony to Mr. Geo. Nunn Stevenard, of Carberry, by Rev. J. McKinney. The young couple were attended by the bride's father and mother and a few intimate friends. They will reside in Carberry.

THOMAS—JAHRIK

A very pretty wedding took place at 6 o'clock Wednesday afternoon at the home of the bride's father, Mr. Chas. Jahrik, of Porrest, when Miss Mabel Ethel Jahrik and Mr. Richard Alfred Thomas, of the fire department staff, of this city, were united in the holy bonds of matrimony by Rev. J. Wilkin- son. The bride was charmingly at- tired in a gown of silk embroidered net over ivory satin and was attended by Miss E. Thomas, groomed in pale blue brocade silk, and her little bridesmaids, Elsie Rogers and Ruby Jahrik, who wore dainty little dresses of white silk.

Following the ceremony, a very de- lightful wedding supper was served with speeches and toasts. The guests were relatives and intimate friends of the family.

Among the numerous, useful and beautiful presents was a cabinet or pearl handled silverware, from the Brandon Fire Department staff, and a handsome leather chair from the Reliance Motor Co. The groom's gift to the bride was a beautiful pearl necklace.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas will spend a short honeymoon with friends in the vicinity of Porrest, and will later pro- ceed to Brandon, where they will take up their residence on Princess Ave.

MILITANT CHAINED

HERSELF TO STATUE; JEERED BY CROWD

London, June 17.—A militant sur- fragee today created a diversion in the centre of the city by chaining herself to the statue of the Duke of Wellington, in front of the Royal Ex- change. She then shouted to the passing business men, calling on them to intervene in behalf of the imprisoned women. She was event- ually removed by the police amid jeers of a large crowd.

Kaiser Frowns on "Smiling Princess" and Baby That Ought to be a Girl



Berlin, June 19.—The "Smiling Princess" has called down the wrath of her royal father, the Kaiser, upon her again. The royal infant born to Princess Louise and the Duke of Brunswick is a boy, and the Kaiser wanted it to be a girl. The birth of the hereditary Guelph princeling opens up the feud between Brunswick and Prussia, and the war lord is conse- quently sadly displeased.

In their castle at Gmunden, the "royal love birds" are very happy, however, and proud of the sturdy boy baby that has so provoked his grand- father.

The Very Latest Fashions

New York, June 18.—A letter fresh from the French mails, gives many details of new fashions that are worth knowing about. Of course there are many that do not "deserve passing mention," but such is always the case. Extremists continue to live and they must air their ideas; and, truth to tell, sometimes we get our best modes by taking the "extreme" styles through a severe process of el- imination.

The woman who has a thousand needs for her summer wardrobe can supply them all, for there seems to be more than a thousand new things in the French shops. And what is there in Paris that one cannot find in dear old New York? As fast as new modes are exploited abroad, there are couriers ready to breeze them to this side of the Atlantic, so that if they are at all behind the times, Amer- ican women cannot be more than ten days later than their French sis- ters. Frequently they are not so much in arrears, as the financiers say. Unusually important styles are cabled from Paris and reproduced by up-to-date establishments a few hours after they make their appearance in the rue de la Paix, rue Rivoli, etc.

This was done only a few days ago, when the fashion representative of a large New York house cabled word about the new big sailors with flat trimmings that had just appeared. The firm set expert milliners to work immediately, copied the French mod- els from the descriptions, and adver- tised them for sale on the following day.

Speaking of hats, the shops are showing most novel designs. Shapes are growing larger and leghorns are coming into favor again. There have been so many black and white effects and vice versa, that the largest French models in leghorn, trimmed with crowns in watered ribbon out- lined by shadow lace, will find a warm reception. Pink and blue are highly favored, and combined with the ribbon crowns are trimmings of flowers and fruit.

A hat designed for one of the French summer resorts is in white French lawn, having a crown of pink watered ribbon outlined with lace. In the front are placed a cluster of blackberries and a lovely La-France rose. On the underbrim is a little piece of shadow lace, set against the hair.

Hats trimmed with tulle, just yards and yards of it, arranged in compact form, are also in great favor at the Paris summer resorts. There is no- thing daintier than a large white hat wreathed about the crown with ac-

cordian plaited silk. Sometimes the tulle has an edging of narrow silk lace. Tiny bunches of rosebuds smuggled between the tulle add to the effectiveness of such an arrange- ment.

French dressmakers are paying a great deal of attention to the back view of frocks this season. A lovely pink and white marquisette is worthy a place in the most elaborate ward- robe. The waist has a vest in front and a yoke in the back of white crepe. The front is fastened with five covered buttons. A stand collar, trimming the waist in the back, is made by hand. The striking feature of the dress is the skirt. It is made with a long tulle, draped in bustle effect in the back, where it is lifted to show a ruffled underskirt. The belt is of pan velvet, which joins the waist and skirt and is finished by a picot edge.

This design is effectively carried out in figured materials, and an exceed- ingly dainty frock in flowered net has the skirt trimmed with ruffles that are bound with pale blue moire silk, since the leading tone of the dress is blue.

Polka dots are being revived with a furor, and there are many exquisite frocks trimmed with collar, cuffs and girle of dotted silk. This is particularly true of plain taffeta, serge and voile. A deep collar of silk turning away from a vest of embroi- dered batiste is an exceedingly decor- ative scheme for any frock.

Blouses are as numerous and beau- tiful as the colors of a summer sky. The most acceptable models are still developed in sheer, soft materials, crepe de chene being most highly favored. Plain and figured effects hold sway with equal success, and the simpler the design of the blouse, the more fashionable it is. Japanese, cowboy and plain sailor collars are liked for neck trimmings. Many are plain while others are hemstitched; still others are finished with a picot edge.

Flowers are used on everything this summer. On negligees they are particularly charming. They encircle as well as border the short sleeves of the net lace tunic belonging to a flow- ered silk negligee in white and pink. And they edge the rounded necks and the loose-falling chignon.

Roses, forget-me-nots, daisies and

New York Day by Day

By Charles Henry Adams

A Modern Rip Van Winkle
New York, June 17.—There has re- cently arrived in this city a hale and hearty gentleman of eighty-two, whose last visit was paid to exactly forty-seven years ago, George Shaw- Lefevre, Lord Eversley, of Winches- ter, England. A few of the "new" things he finds are skyscrapers, Brooklyn and the other big bridges, elevated railroads, taxis, the subway and the telephone. "I realized some- thing of the changes from the mo- ment I had the first glimpse of your skyline," he said. "I have been here twice before, coming over in the old sidewheeler Niagara, and of the sec- ond visit fourteen years later I have a vivid recollection. Not a single one of the tall mountains of steel and stone in the lower part of the city was then erected. There were no bridges—New York has changed en- ormously and yet it has not chang- ed," he mused. "The streets now are longer and wider, yet their general character is not different—you hurry then and you hurry today. Fifty years ago New York stopped at Fifty-ninth street. The transportation is very different, then there were only horse cars, carriages and omnibuses. There was no Central Park, no electric light and no Great White Way." Lord Eversley will be able to make many dramatic contrasts between "little old New York" as he remembers it and the blatantly big New York of today.

Gotham's All For Women

Do cities have sex? Of course they do! New York is feminine beyond question, while London is as mascu- line as a mustache cup. Paris is most certainly feminine, while Ber- lin, on the other hand, is aggressive- ly male. This may not be a new dis- covery, but the fact that New York is almost foolishly feminine has just been called to our attention by a visit- ing Australian girl, Miss Marjorie Rouse, who is touring the world with

a throng of tiny flowers seem to be- long inseparably to the fashionable woman's wardrobe. In daintiest tones of chiffon or net or silk, they trim gaudy spreads, sunshades, brassieres and garters.

Boas wholly in flower petals are worn with elaborate frocks by quite young girls, and occasionally, in the evening, at exclusive semi-public places, flower muffs are carried.

Elderly matrons have lorgnette bags wholly in flowers. When resting on the lap these receptacles look like carelessly thrown down masses of flowers.

A certain white rose with a silvery sheen on its petals makes the lov- eliest of girldes separating the tulle bodice from the silver brocade blue satin skirt of a dinner gown.

There is no garment on which flow- ers may not be worked with perfect taste. When it can be worn sepa- rately, it is worked into the embroi- dery of waists, lingerie, etc.

WINDOW PLANT CULTURE

AWARDS FOR TEACHERS. ANNOUNCED BY SOCIETY

The result of the inspection of the window plant cultures of the schools were:

For the window display of plants as viewed from the outside, of any room in the city, to have been at least one month in the window—1st, Miss Johnson, Alexandra, grade IV; 2nd, Miss Paisley, Park, grade III.

For the window box of plants, not grown from seed—1st, Miss V. Paw- cett, Alexandra school, grade I; 2nd, Miss I. Fawcett, Park school, grade IV.

For the best individual plant grown from slip this year—1st, Miss Potter, Alexandra, grade III; 2nd, Miss Gil- roy, Alexandra, grade I.

Best single box of flowers grown from seed this year—Not awarded, not being sufficiently mature.

Special prize of Mr. H. Brown, for the best showing of plants in any class room over all the city schools, \$5.00—Miss Johnson, Alexandra, grade IV.

Judges—Jas. Kirkcaldy and B. J. Hales.

The prizes will be given at the June flower show, Tuesday, June 23.

WEDDING OF DAUGHTER OF FAMOUS INVENTOR

West Orange, N. J., June 17.—Miss Madeline Edison, will be married to- day to John Sloane, son of Dr. and Mrs. T. O'Connor Sloane, at the home of the famous inventor, in this town. The Right Rev. Mgr. J. M. Mooney officiated.

BRITISH LADY GOLFER WINS FRENCH HONORS

Versailles, France, June 17.—Miss Cecil Leith, holder of the British wo- man's golf championship, today won the French woman's championship, by defeating Miss Gladys Bastin, also an English woman, by two up and one to play. The match was played

her daddy. "My first inkling that this was strictly a woman's country," said Miss Rouse, who is slim and pretty, "came at the first hotel we stopped at. I noticed all the ladies walked in to dinner ahead of their husbands. But in Australia and London the man comes always first, don't you think? Then in New York the most beautiful shops are for women, with expensive luxuries displayed everywhere. Men's shops are tucked into odd corners. Newspapers, magazines, benches in the parks, and even tables in the restaurants are for women. New York is feminine in another way—it always gets what it wants. The world is ransacked that New York may be made happy. And it is so strongly personal, too. Meet a New Yorker anywhere in the world and he will instantly compare everything with his New York counterpart. And being personal— isn't that the most feminine of traits?"

Negroes Have Theatre

The long cherished plan of the ne- groes of New York to have a theatre of their own are now completed. The Bijou theatre, for years one of the famous playhouses of the city, has just been reopened as a theatre for colored people. Very few white per- sons are connected with the venture. A colored stock company has been inaugurated to play musical comedies, and the opening production was "The Darktown Folies of 1914." This was an all colored show which had no small success last winter and which has been seen at Hammer- stein's. All employees of the Bijou are colored persons, from the man in the box office to the ushers and water boys, and the orchestra, too, is made up of colored musicians. It has been announced that on certain afternoons the management plans to give performances when white per- sons will be admitted to "hear some real singing and see some real dancing."

EVERY PRECAUTION TAKEN TO PREVENT TROUBLE FOR KING

Opening of Royal Asot Race Meeting Today is Cause of Much Excitement.

HUGE ARMY OF POLICEMEN

Queen Mary Has Threatened to Cancel All Remaining Social Engagements of Season.

London, June 17.—Never before have such precautions been taken to guard members of the royal family from the suffragettes as were taken at the Asot race course yesterday. The opening of the leading society race meeting found more than 1,000 London policemen and hundreds of detectives from Scotland Yard, as- sembled on the historic course as re- forcements for the regular Ber- kshire county police force which had been mobilized in full strength. The six mile route from Windsor Castle to the course was lined all the way by policemen.

The militants, in spite of the threat to the Queen to cancel the rest of the season's social engagements, showed themselves more determined than ever to obtain publicity for their cause by attacking the King.

The arrangements for guarding the entrance to the royal enclosure on the race course were more stringent than ever. Every applicant for a ticket had to be vouched for by some responsible official.

The track was closely guarded and there were triple rails to prevent any unauthorized person from reaching it. For several days past throughout the day and night, men accompanied by watch dogs, have patrolled the course and alarm guns have been placed in position around the stands and lawns.

TO SETTLE METHODIST HISTORY AT BALTIMORE

Baltimore, Md., June 17.—This city has been selected for the final settle- ment of a long-disputed question of Methodist history, and today special commissions have gathered here to decide whether the same Creek church, in Carroll county, or John Street church, New York, is the oldest Methodist church in America. Both churches are Methodist Episco- pal institutions, and the issue is one between the Maryland Methodists and those of New York. The Southern Methodists and the Methodist Pro- testants, whose commissions are also attending this meeting, are anxious for the question of priority to be set- tled, for each claims to be the real Methodism of the type founded by Wesley. Efforts to dispose of the question in the past have been un- availing.

REGINA GIRL VANISHES IN MYSTERIOUS MANNER

Regina, Sask., June 17.—Ida Green- ing, a girl 18 years old, has mysteri- ously disappeared. The last heard of her was on April 9th. She is said to have taken the train to Regina from Maple Creek. Her home is in Spokane, Washington, and relatives at Krupp, Sask., request information.