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The World's Home Magazine for Women

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Age

By William Winter, in Scribner's. Show and start the same as ever, in the days when I was young, but their silver song, oh, never, never now is sung.

Cold the stars are, cold the earth is, Everything is grim and cold; Strange and drear the sound of mirth Life and I are old.

The New York Suffragists.

The New York Suffrage Association has issued an August News Letter, which announces a program of interest to every suffragist. The New York state women are planning a regular campaign for the fall. They will have a busy time if they carry out all the proposed plans. In the first place, there is to be a double purpose of decoration at the annual state fair from September 9th to 14th. Speeches will be made, and very many workers are being secured. The U. is assisting and will share the special accommodation provided. During the months following a course of lectures, concerts, teas and receptions is mapped out which cannot fail to call every woman's attention to the cause. New York women are to be envied their enterprising spirit.

For the Summer Cottage.

A girl who was the happy possessor of many artistic and dainty photos of friends as well as some really exquisite hand painted postcards did not know what to do with them in the summer home. She missed the mantel of the private room at home, and yet hated to leave her photos, which are such an easily portable decoration for walls at home. At last she had a bright idea. She bought a great, rough-meshed fish-net and nailed it across the corner of the room, and she hung her photos in the meshes, where they caught admirably and the net served the double purpose of decoration and the preservation of the photos from rough, casual hands.

A Summer Occupation.

During the long summer hours sometimes even the society girl is at a loss for occupation. A really artistic and useful art, suited to the most tender fingers, is the coloring of the exquisite heads on the euclyre party tallies or dinner place cards which one buys at a dozen if not ready tinted. When done by professionals they are often carelessly dabbed with too brilliant colors, and the cause of the individuality to be lost. They can be tinted with ordinary photo tints such as do quite as well with a little practice. An enterprising girl who wished to make a little money quietly among her own friends or acquaintances would use this. One word of warning; beginners always put on the prepared flesh too strong. Be sure to dilute it well, and also all other deep tints as water-color mistakes cannot be painted over.

The Coiffure Beautiful.

The care of the hair is something so shockingly neglected nowadays as to constantly call forth admonitions in the columns of contemporary magazines for women. We have all heard till we are weary of the hair-dresser's admonition not to wash frequently, and of the old prophecy: "If you keep on teasing your hair, you'll lose it!" Yet what, may one ask, in the presence of the nowadays mode in hats and hair dressing, is one to do? Pads are a nuisance in summer time, and a downright aid to ugliness anyway. A padded head, like a bleached one, always shows it. What to do? Well, one wise woman suggested the other day that we might wear wigs and "save our hair!" Excellent idea.

The next best, after preserving enquiry, is said to be this: Save your combings and have them made into a little, soft, short-haired switch and a larger long-haired one. Leave the short-haired one, observing the rule never

World Pattern Department



2004—Infants' Underwear Set. Consisting of Petticoat, Pinnings, Blanket, Diaper, Drawers and Band. Paris Pattern No. 2004. All Seams Allowed. Patterns for making the pretty little first garments for an infant are always in demand, and this set will be found to cover most of the baby's immediate needs. There are four articles embraced in this set. The pattern is in one size. To make the petticoat requires 2 1/2 yards of goods 27 or 36 inches wide. The pinnings-blanket needs 1 5/8 yards of flannel 27 inches wide, with 1 1/4 yards of goods 36 inches wide for waist. The drawers call for 5/8 yard of goods 27 or 36 inches wide. To make three hand needs 3/4 yard of goods 27 inches wide. Price of pattern, 10 cents.

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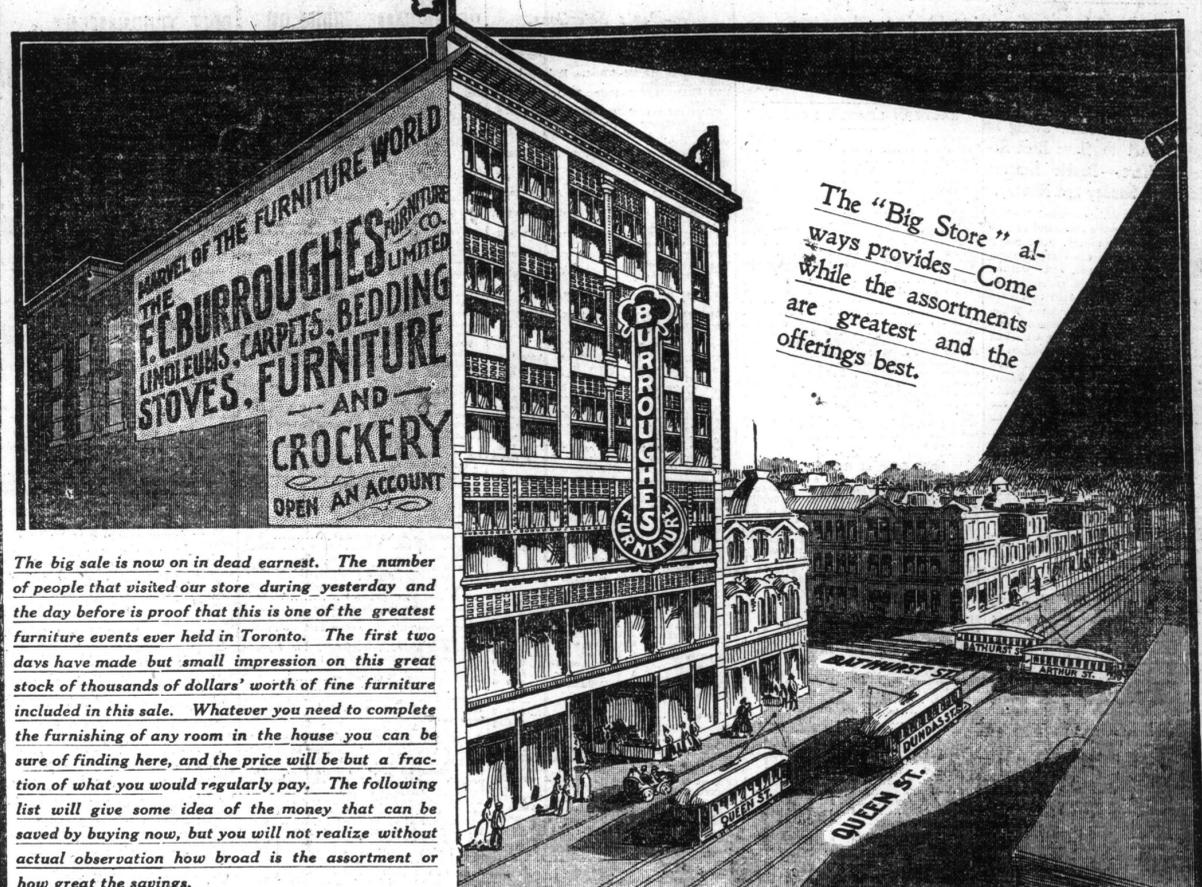
Send the above pattern to: NAME: ADDRESS: Size Wanted—(Give Age of Child's or Miss' Pattern).

WHAT TO WEAR

For late August wear nothing can be more desirable than an Etou of one of the summer materials so much in favor. A very charming dress of Panama, in a pale grey shade, was finished with touches of purple velvet, and had a slight-corseage headed with purple braid. The coat was scarcely such in the sense proper, but was over a lined lace waist, and was draped back and front with shirred pieces gathered in on the shoulder and brought together just above the belt with a large bow of purple velvet. The curve obtained in this way, leaving a long oval of lace visible both back and front, is the chief charm of the costume. The pattern is found in all the latter modes.

Another very charming dress was seen in one of our large stores. It is an early bird from the autumn flock now beginning to be due. It consisted of black voile and silk mull, combined with taffeta as a foundation, and was exquisitely Parisian in get-up. Abroad band of the delicately transparent voile was set into the taffeta skirt just below the knee, and was finished on both edges by stitched veil in simulation of braiding in a Roman pattern. The bodice had insets of silk mull, indescribably soft in effect, and the semi-jumper effect of bands of voile over the shoulders was completed by a Roman sleeve falling over a double puffed sleeve of mull, caught in with little bow knots of taffeta. The bodice had these same little

August Furniture Sale



The "Big Store" always provides—Come while the assortments are greatest and the offerings best.

The big sale is now on in dead earnest. The number of people that visited our store during yesterday and the day before is proof that this is one of the greatest furniture events ever held in Toronto. The first two days have made but small impression on this great stock of thousands of dollars' worth of fine furniture included in this sale. Whatever you need to complete the furnishing of any room in the house you can be sure of finding here, and the price will be but a fraction of what you would regularly pay. The following list will give some idea of the money that can be saved by buying now, but you will not realize without actual observation how broad is the assortment or how great the savings.

- PARLOR SUITES, five pieces, handsome upholstered in green Verona, regular price \$66.00, at \$35.50
- PARLOR SUITES, five pieces, upholstered in figured velours, regular \$54.50, at \$26.25
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- PARLOR SUITES, three pieces, mahogany finish, upholstered in green velvet, regular \$42.00, at \$22.50
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- PARLOR DIVAN, upholstered in green silk, regular \$21.00, at \$10.75
- PARLOR DIVAN, upholstered in Nile moiré, regular \$20.00, at \$15.75
- PARLOR DIVAN, upholstered in silk damask, regular \$16.00, at \$12.00
- COUCHES, upholstered in red and green velours, regular \$10.00, at \$7.50
- COUCHES, upholstered in red and green velours, regular \$8.75, at \$6.75
- BUFFETS, quarter oak, mirror, full length, two small and one large drawers, finished with two small feet, regular \$12.50, at \$33.00

- FANCY ROMAN CORNER CHAIRS, upholstered in silk tapers, regular \$21, at \$17.00
- ROMAN CHAIR, heavy mahogany finish frame, upholstered in best silk tapers, regular \$17.00, at \$13.50
- CORNER CHAIR, upholstered in figured velours, regular \$8.00, at \$5.75
- COUCHES, upholstered in gold and green velours, regular \$12.25, at \$9.50
- GO-CARTS, green upholstery, with red hood, nickel gear, one-half-inch rubber tires, adjustable back and front, regular \$22, at \$17.50
- GO-CARTS, green upholstery and parosol, green gear, one-half-inch rubber tires, adjustable back and front, regular \$22.50, at \$19.50

- CARRIAGES, green upholstery, lace parosol, green gear, one-half-inch tires, regular \$21, at \$15.00
- CARRIAGES, green upholstery and parosol, green gear, 3 1/2-inch rubber tires, regular \$18.75, at \$12.50
- GAS RANGE, square, with four burners, oven, and broiler, regular \$25.00, at \$21.00
- GAS COOKER, two burners, with oven, regular \$18.00, at \$16.65
- REFRIGERATORS. There are many hot days still to come. We have a few refrigerators left, which must be cleared out. We offer at these sacrificing prices—\$6.50, \$17.75, \$25, \$40.00, \$11.25, \$13.25, and \$17.75
- TOILET SETS, Big bargains, 10 pieces, large assortment of colors and patterns, specially priced 2.00 each

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- Balmoral Squares, in Oriental and self-colors: 3 yds. x 4 yds., reg. \$21, for \$16.00; 3 yds. x 3 1/2 yds., reg. \$17.75, for \$12.75
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- Special in 2-ply All-Wool Carpets, in new patterns and colors: Regular \$1 goods, for \$1.00; Regular \$1.50 goods, for \$1.00; Regular \$2 goods, for \$1.50
- Union specials in green and red, blue and fawn: Regular 60c, for \$45; Regular 50c, for \$35; Regular 40c, for \$25
- Linoleum specials: Inlaid, \$1.25, for \$1.00; Heavy printed, 65c, for \$1.00; Medium printed, 55c, for \$1.00

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knobs between the voile hands, which latter were arranged so that no stitching showed. A variation on the common and now becoming wearisome variety hat is seen in the handsome felts in white and light shades, seen lately in the better shops. Another pretty effect is that of the "scidien" straw in rough weaves, wired to the sandy shape of the hat, and lined with dainty ribbon in some delicately contrasting shade, such as pale linen, or deep brown.

Correspondence.

Country Girl writes asking what are the duties of a chambermaid, a parlormaid and ladies' maid. Several prominent Toronto ladies who were consulted differed on the subject in details, but united in ascribing the following functions to the chambermaid: She must do all the cleaning and tidying, bed-making, etc. in the bedrooms. If there be boudoirs or private sitting rooms upstairs, her duties extend to them. The floors must be swept, curtains and bed furniture changed when necessary, dusting done and apartment set in order generally. If a housemaid is kept, she will attend to all halls and passages, if not, the chambermaid must do these upstairs, and if a seamstress is not kept, would probably be expected to mend bed linen, etc. The parlormaid must be in the first place attend to the door, if no footmen are kept. She must rise very early and see that all rooms downstairs are fit to receive the household and guests, too, if necessary. Moreover, she must have the worst of the work done before breakfast, as if a butler is not kept, it will fall to her lot to wait on table. No sewing of any kind should be expected from the parlormaid, except in case of tatters, fringes on furniture or such. Of course a house which kept no laundress might expect ironing and occasional mending from a parlormaid, but that is really beside her duties. None of these things are

the same in every house, and a hard and fast arrangement should be entered into before taking service. Even where a butler is kept, the parlormaid would do all but the furniture polishing or the dining-room, unless an undermaid were kept for good service. As for a ladiesmaid, her task is perhaps hardest of all. In many Toronto homes she has to have a double more than one lady to dress, in which case less would be expected of her. But a really skilled ladies' maid is a person of considerable knowledge and must have a genteel appearance as well. She must be able to dress hair on any fancy method which is the mode. She would need to serve an apprenticeship at a hairdresser's or under another maid at a great house. Her mistress' clothes are her particular care, and every rent or alteration is for her to make. Practically, she should be something of a modiste. So many wealthy women are hopelessly ignorant on the subject of dress and style that they rely on the maid sitting rooms upstairs, her duties extend to them. The floors must be swept, curtains and bed furniture changed when necessary, dusting done and apartment set in order generally. If a housemaid is kept, she will attend to all halls and passages, if not, the chambermaid must do these upstairs, and if a seamstress is not kept, would probably be expected to mend bed linen, etc. The parlormaid must be in the first place attend to the door, if no footmen are kept. She must rise very early and see that all rooms downstairs are fit to receive the household and guests, too, if necessary. Moreover, she must have the worst of the work done before breakfast, as if a butler is not kept, it will fall to her lot to wait on table. No sewing of any kind should be expected from the parlormaid, except in case of tatters, fringes on furniture or such. Of course a house which kept no laundress might expect ironing and occasional mending from a parlormaid, but that is really beside her duties. None of these things are

PERSONAL.

Dr. Edward King and family left on Saturday for their summer home at Hastings, to spend the month of August. Mrs. James Crawford, Jr., and family are spending the summer months at the Hotel Strathcona, Niagara-on-the-Lake. The annual gathering of the Coatsworth Clan, in which the mayor of Toronto is a factor, will be held at Kingsville, Ont., on Aug. 23. Last year between 200 and 300 members of the clan were in attendance. Prof. H. L. Hunt of the department of horticulture, Ontario Agricultural College, is spending a vacation of a few weeks in Muskoka and Algonquin. The professor intends going as far as St. Joseph's Island, where he will attend the annual Farmers' Institute. At Cobourg, the marriage was quietly celebrated, at the home of the bride's sister, Mrs. Joseph Hays, of Miss Laura Usher, Toronto, daughter of the late Mr. William Usher, Wicklow, and Mr. S. F. Stephenson, Toronto, traveler for Christie, Brown & Co. The bride wore her traveling suit of navy broadcloth, with waist of cream all-over lace and Tuscan hat trimmed with blue velvet and wings. She was unattended. Rev. H. T. Lewis, Methodist clergyman, of Oshawa, former-

ly of Cobourg, officiated. A pretty pearl necklace, the gift of the groom, was noticed among the many gifts received by the bride. Mrs. Stephenson will be at home to her friends at 74 Homewood-avenue, Toronto, after Sept. 10. The dance at the Queen's Royal on Saturday evening was a great success, as usual the cool evening making dancing a pleasure. Among those registered at the Queen's Royal are: J. M. Gander, Mrs. Gerratt, Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Barnard, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Clarke, Col. Sir Henry Pellatt, Mr. and Mrs. Frederick Monro, J. William Mackenzie, Winder Strathby, George H. Hargratt, W. T. Brown, A. Wignore, J. Curry, T. E. Cuthbertson, Bernard Pickman, P. C. Larkin, A. S. Jarvis, Mr. and Mrs. C. Garney, Andrew Bell, E. L. Spalding.

Want Owner of Purse.

In the police court Saturday Magistrate Denison remanded Harry Clayton, alias Stephenson, who was arrested for acting in a suspicious manner in High Park. The police are anxious to find the owner of a purse found on the street, where he was found. In the purse was the address of Anna B. Gould, care of the N. Y. Chafoz, Miss Goldwig, Y. H. McPherson-Clipper.

Miss Josephine Fletcher of Lexington, Ky., spent the week-end as one of the house party at Mrs. Warron's, Chataqua Cottage, Niagara-on-the-Lake. Among recent arrivals from Toronto at the Royal Muskoka are: Miss A. Sinclair, Miss Elizabeth Long, J. Kiely, Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Burns, C. E. Hornung, Charles E. Jenney, L. M. Watson, Miss Byerson, Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Reid, Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Westwood, Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Playfair, Wilson S. Howard, E. P. Pearson, the Misses J. Pearson, J. Sinclair Robertson, J. E. him, Robertson, Miss M. Vanderhof, Miss L. Chafaz, Miss Goldwig, Y. H. McPherson-Clipper.

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Hamar Greenwood, M.P. for York (England), will sail for Canada Aug. 9. At the meeting of the British Medical Association, at Exeter, England, on Friday, Drs. Cameron and Dean Reese of Toronto took part in the discussion, and Dr. Helen MacMurchy of Toronto spoke on infant feeding.

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