

sire to do some worthy act, say some kind word, improve existing conditions, is from God and should be acted upon. Every doubt that tends to keep us from putting forth the needful effort is from the Evil One and should be resisted as we would resist any other sin.

Just as we can, through God's help, and by means of faith and sincere efforts on our own behalf overcome the sins of pride, ill temper and other defects of character, so we can overcome this proneness to doubt. We must believe that with God all things are possible, we must rely on his promise to give us the strength and wisdom that we need and we must ask Him to help us. Just as soon as we do we will begin to find our doubts leaving us and a new strength, a new confidence, and a new joy entering our lives. Christ will be only too glad to come to our aid when we invite Him and just in proportion as Christ begins to mould and fashion our thoughts Satan will decamp. Satan fears Christ and flees at his approach. We must always remember that "My (our) God shall supply all your need according to his riches in glory by Christ Jesus."—(Phil. 4, 19).—I. H. N.

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Error Last Week

On page 16 of the August 4th issue of Farm and Dairy, under our Home Club, the first article in the Club appeared without any signature. It should have been signed, "Aunt Rachel." The second article under the Home Club of the August 4 issue, "The Farmer's Wife," was contributed by "The Daughter." "Aunt Rachel's" article only comprised a part of the first column on page 16.—Household Editor.

Special Household Issue

On October 6, we shall publish our second annual Household Issue of Farm and Dairy. We have been publishing special magazine issues all through the year, of interest to the men folks. Now comes the women's issue, and it is our intention and aim to make it the very best special magazine issue of the year. It will also be of interest to the men folks as well. Of course there are few women farmers as compared with the other sex, but when we come to look into the farm home, we believe that the women are the real backbone of the farm, who carry the burden of thought, besides doing far too much of the work on the farm.

Our special Household issue will be for all the women on all of the farms. The issue will be filled from cover to cover with live, up-to-date, interesting and valuable information written by women, and about women. It is our hope to have every article in this issue contributed by women. We want all the women readers of Farm and Dairy to help to this end. If you know of any women particularly interested in any special branch of farm work, send us their names at once, that we may write them, for a description and illustrations of their work. Every bright farm woman is asked to contribute some-

thing to this special women's issue. Send us the names and addresses today. Photographs of farm home scenes will all be welcome. Watch for the second annual Household issue of Farm and Dairy.

Our Back Yards

Leora Allen, Gray Co., Ont.

I have always been much interested in Farm and Dairy, and especially in the "Home Club." It is always very helpful and instructive to read and discuss matters pertaining to our everyday life.

If there is anything I place care and emphasis on in my home, it is the back yard—to keep it free from rubbish of every description. I will give you my plan. After I was married I had a receptacle brought (an old discarded rat barrel) and placed in a convenient place near the back kitchen door, where everything, such as old cans, bottles, bones, etc., are thrown. When it is filled it can easily be placed on a stoneboat, taken away and emptied. By so doing, one never needs to have an untidy yard with things strewn here and there.



A Comfortable Corner

A corner of the family sitting room in the home of Mr. Richard Allen, of Grey Co., Ont. Good taste is displayed in pictures, arrangement of furniture, and wall decorations. Our furnishings used not be elaborate, but always in harmony with our surroundings, and not gaudy. Have nothing without its use. "Prove all things, and hold fast to that which is good."

This is a matter I consider of great importance, and yet many people neglect it.

System in everything is what we need. Another subject pertaining to the back yard is that of the clothesline. How many people have their clothesline stretched on the front lawn or possibly on a line between the house and barn. Won't you agree with me that it looks ridiculous to see a lot of garments strung along in such a fashion, when with very little trouble one could have them placed in the back yard, where they would be out of sight as much as possible. We would by giving more attention to these little details be making a beginning in the problem of beautifying our surroundings.

Care Must be Given

We cannot urge too much on women ordering patterns, the importance of carefully giving name, address, size of pattern and number of same. Several orders are awaiting to be filled, each one of which lacks some one of these essentials.

To Hemstitch by Machine

Take three thicknesses of new paper and a needle large enough to penetrate without breaking and you can obtain a perfect hemstitch from any sewing machine. Use paper according to how fine or coarse you wish your stitch and after taking materials from machine open gently and you will find you have a nice stitch without using any attachment whatever on the machine. You can practise on small pieces of material which are of no use.

The Sewing Room

Patterns 10 each. Order by number and size. If for children, give age of child. For adults, give bust measure for waists and waists for skirts. Address all orders to the Pattern Department.

FANCY BLOUSE 660



The blouse trimmed with a fringe at the front makes one of the features of the season. This one can be treated in that way or left plain as liked. In the illustration it is made of messaline and rat-tail cord is applied over the frills being arranged over the front and their edges concealed by the braid. There is a little tulle of all over lace, top, and the blouse is altogether an attractive one. It will be found equally well adapted to the entire gown and to the odd waist.

Material required for medium size is 3½ yds. 24 or 27; 2½ yds. 32 or 2½ yds. 44 in wide, with ½ yd. of all over lace, 1 yd. of lace for the frills, and 3½ yds. of braid to trim as illustrated.

The pattern is cut for a 32, 34, 36, 38 and 40 in. bust, and will be mailed for 10 cts.

RUSSIAN BLOUSE COAT FOR MISSES AND SMALL WOMEN 663.



The simple blouse coat is one much needed. It can be worn with a belt as illustrated or left loose as preferred, and this one also allows a choice of three-quarter full sleeves or long plain ones. It is appropriate for all suitable materials, those of the summer as well as those of the fall, and a great many combinations are in vogue.

Material required for medium size is 2½ yds. of material 27, 2½ yds. 44 or 2½ yds. 32 in wide, ½ yd. 27 in wide for the trimming.

The pattern is cut for girls of 14, 16 and 18 yrs. of age, and will be mailed for receipt of 10 cts.

POINTED TUNIC SKIRT 666

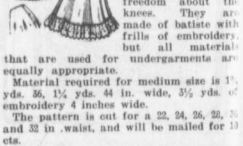


Every variation of the tunic skirt is fashionable but this pointed one is smart and attractive. It gives becoming lines to the figure and is a great many materials.

Material required for medium size is 2½ yds. of bordered material 31 in. wide with 1 yd. 36 for the gored portion; or 8½ yds. 27, 27, 6 yds. 32 or 3½ yds. 44 with 1 yd. gored upper portion.

The pattern is cut for a 22, 24, 26, 28 and 30 in. waist, and will be mailed for 10 cts.

CLOSED CIRCULAR DRAWERS 665



Circular drawers that are wide and ample are much liked. They mean smooth fit over the hips and give perfect freedom about the knees. They are made of batiste with frills and embroidery, but all materials that are used for undergarments are equally appropriate.

Material required for medium size is 1½ yds. 36, 1½ yds. 44 in. wide, 3½ yds. of embroidery 1 inch wide. The pattern is cut for a 22, 24, 26, 28, 30 and 32 in. waist, and will be mailed for 10 cts.

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