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### Fads and Fashions.

Tan overdresses of net appear over silks of black satin.  
Hat, bag, scarf and parasol to match is a new wrinkle.

A favorite waistline trimming on a child's dress is a row of big buttons.  
An overdress of sage green chiffon combines with sage green grosgrain ribbon to make an unusual evening gown.  
Rick-rack braid appears on many of the new Summer frocks.

### Too Much Speculation.

One reason for the present high prices of fish is due to speculative dealers going to points of production and offering extremely high prices to shippers. Such action inflames the minds of the producers, and the result is that the fishermen is never satisfied and continually demands more for his catches. It is all right to solicit trade in the usual way and it would be much better for all concerned if goods were permitted to take their natural course. Let the selling price be based on the demand for the fish when they come to market, and not on a price that speculative dealers must ask because of the exorbitantly high prices paid for the fish at the point of production, which frequently is much more than the fish is worth.  
—N. Y. Fishing Gazette.

### Who Can Identify It?

The New York Fishing Gazette of May 3rd says that the steamer Walrus, Capt. Clayton Morrissey, arriving at Boston, Thursday, had a strange bird on board, which flew aboard last Saturday, when the craft was 25 miles southeast of Sable Island. The bird is about the size of a partridge, with a red bill two and one-half inches long, blue spots on the head, yellow legs and long toes. Fishermen say they have never seen a bird like it in all their experience.

### Drowned His Son.

Hull, Quebec, May 9.—Louis Forget, an aged farmer of Namur, Labelle county, was brought here yesterday to stand trial on a charge of having murdered his son, Ambrose Forget, aged 35, by pushing him into Little Range River. The son had been blind from infancy. The place was committed in October last, the elder Forget telling the neighbors at the time he was taking his son to a home of refuge in Ottawa. The body was recovered on May 1 by some river drivers. With the prisoner to Hull to-day came a confession, which had been put in as evidence at the preliminary hearing before a Justice of the Peace. Forget, it is alleged, states that owing to his straightened circumstances and the helplessness of his son, he had decided to do away with him.

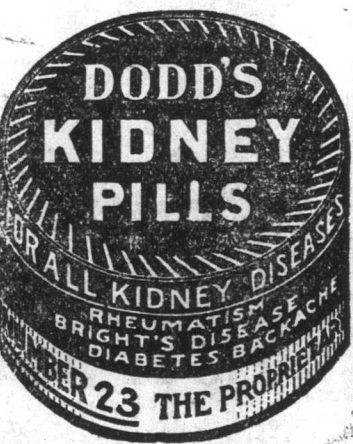
### Short Weighter Fined.

For having scales set to weigh out a pound at only 14 ounces, Lew Rothman, an Allentown (Pa.) fish and produce dealer, was fined \$10 recently. Judge Callahan, in the Superior Criminal Court at Boston, imposed a fine of \$75 on a fish company on a charge of allowing 50 boxes of fish to remain in cold storage for more than a year without permission from the Board of Health.

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### Obviously.

As illustrating the matter-of-fact way in which the average British bluejacket looks at things, Admiral Tyrwhitt relates how he was one day questioning a batch of them as to their accomplishments.  
"Which of you men can swim?" he asked.  
"I can, sir," said one.  
"Good!" answered the Admiral.  
"Where did you learn?"  
"Why—in the water, sir," came the unexpected reply from the rather mystified bluejacket.



### Manure Should be Spread When Hauled.

The common practice of hauling manure to the field, and throwing it into heaps has several serious objections. In the first place, the work of spreading is increased, as it must be handled twice. When manure is so piled there is danger of injurious fermentation, with consequent losses of nitrogen. In addition, the leaching from such piles increases the amount of plant food directly beneath, and produces a rank growth. It is not uncommon to find the next season's crop spotted by a more luxuriant growth and deeper green color on the areas where the manure heaps have been placed. It is highly undesirable, as it causes the crop to mature at different ages, and also endangers loss by lodging. A crop with a large plantfood supply will have a longer season of growth than one with a meagre supply. If the manure is spread directly from the wagon, the unevenness of growth is largely avoided and the cost of labor reduced. When very coarse manure is used, it should be dragged to break up the larger lumps and thus spread it more uniformly. — Wisconsin Experiment Station.

### Telegram Special Plate.

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2902.—This is a season of capes—and they are indeed comfortable and serviceable. The model here shown is suitable for day wear, in serge, velour, cravenette, cheviot, double-faced suiting and broad cloth. For evening wear, it would be of satin, velvet, silk, crepe de chine, or moire.

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### Marshal Foch's Choice.

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The Count de Chabrol, has told the following fact as authentic: At the end of last October M. Clemenceau went to the front for the purpose of speaking to Marshal Foch. On meeting the great soldier, the Prime Minister took a paper from his portfolio, handing it to the Marshal, said: "These are the conditions of the armistice we can get from Germany," and then answered: "I can obtain still better terms for you, and also the glory of capturing a German army of over half a million men." Clemenceau answered: "No one has any right to deprive you of any glory you are likely to acquire. It is for you to lose." The Marshal thought deeply some time, then he said: "In order to gain the victory 50,000 men will have to be sacrificed. What is human glory beside 50,000 souls pre-empted into eternity? I shall accept the armistice." Later a comment was made to the Marshal on all his victories he had gained over the enemy. His reply was: "My greatest victory was the one I gained on the day I signed the armistice." The words were spoken with the smallest tone of regret.

### Liberal Leader Appeals

Government to take action against ownership of butter—advises public ownership of cold storage plants.  
Ottawa, May 5.—In the House of Commons to-day Mr. MacKenzie, the Liberal leader, suggested that the Government should order upon a scheme of public ownership of cold storage plants in Canada. What was regarded, extremely

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