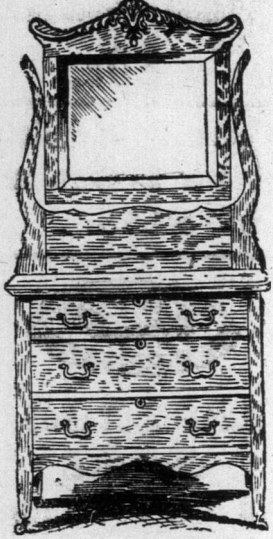


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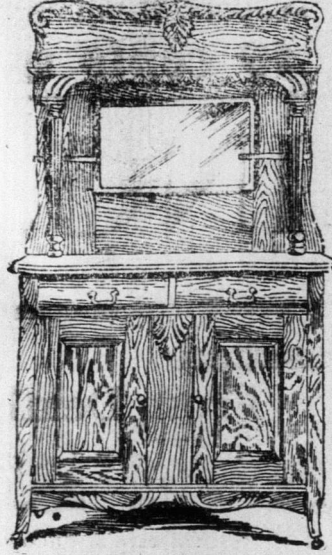


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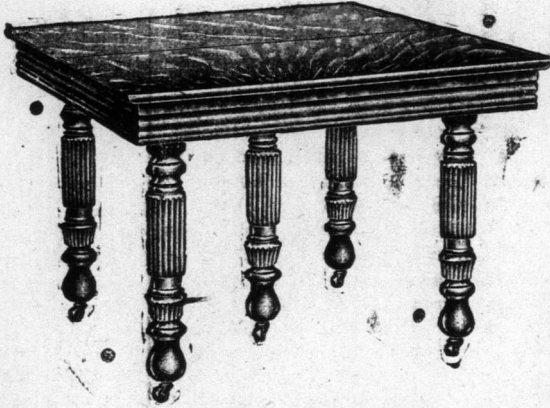
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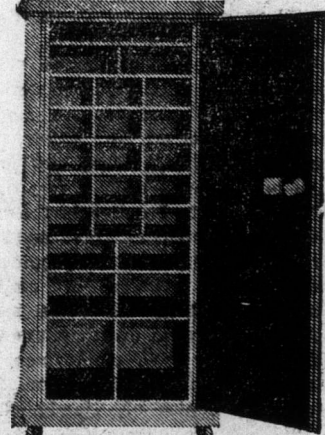


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The Evening Chit-Chat

By RUTH CAMERON



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Thinking that this had gone on long enough, my friend stood still and said with great dignity, "Madame, if you will stand on one side or the other, I will endeavor to pass you." At this moment, the floor walker caught sight of her and sprang to the rescue, pointing out to the astonished lady that the woman whom she had had so much difficulty in attempting to pass, was no other than her own reflection, as she was facing a mirror.

Now that is a very amusing and unusual experience, and was probably due partially to the lady's nearsightedness, but I doubt if there is one of us, no matter how keen-eyed, who has not sometime, in similar wise, caught sight of himself in an unexpected mirror, and for at least an instant, completely failed to recognize himself.

And, if so much can be true in regard to our outer selves which we see daily, and indeed many times daily, in our mirrors, tell me, friends, how would it be with our inner selves, our personalities, our individualities, if we could for an instant catch sight of them—"as iters see them."

Arnold Bennett has a fascinating essay along these lines, in which he quaintly asks, "Has it ever struck

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Fads and Fashions.

Mohairs are to be worn. Glossy coiffures are the fad. A normal waist line is talked of. Lovely velvet roses have leaves of taffeta.

Jet, crystal and porcelain buttons are everywhere. Sash ribbon shoulder throws are new and attractive. There are many millinery models in changeable taffeta. Gowns in black and silver combinations are much in vogue. Porcelain buttons embellish some of the latest gowns for girls. Many of the evening frocks are exceedingly simple in design. The spring styles bid fair to be wondrously quaint and pretty. Silk street gowns have silk cord loops and frogs for fastening. Colored veils to match the hat or costume are appearing in Paris.

Black mousseline de sole yokes are seen in dresses of any color. New wrappings of velvet or silk resemble a short jacket without sleeves. Wide belts of black patent leather are worn with many dresses of blue serge.

The distinctive feature of the new lingerie gowns is the prodigal use of flet lace. Hat crowns are smaller than they were, but sufficiently large to slip over the ears. Checked vests are seen in tailored suits and fold back at the top in small revers.

French lace veils are seen tied in a large bow of two loops and held by a barpin in the center. Most of the luncheon or "bridge" gowns are collarless, and the majority of the skirts are short. Khaki-colored silks, voiles, ratine, peau de chamois, etc., have a veat of white taffeta embroidered in metal.

Odd-shaped collars with scalloped edges are much in favor. These are worn with the one-piece dress or separate blouse.

Strands of beads made of colored wood are used to fashion buckles, cabochons and cords to adorn the spring hats. The lingerie and short dresses have some tucks or fullness about the waist, but they are not noticeably fuller at the feet.

Turquoise and imitation rubies are used on dull button bands for the coiffure, which is a fashion taken direct from harem beauties.

Soft belts ending at the back are finished with a rosette of side-pleated ribbon, held by an immense covered button in the center.

Blouses will be of very thin, transparent fabrics, and are introducing very high girdles and bretelle effects; if the fichu is not worn.

Dressy coats of seal have been seen.

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Taffeta silk bags to match the frocks are among the "to-be's" of the coming season. They will be ornamented with embroidered silk designs and silk cord handles.

Changeable taffeta especially in blue and green and shades of green, is considered very chic, but it is predicted that for the real summer time the "tub" silks will be worn.

Borders are here strongly, and the present style of dress encourages their use, but the best effect is secured by tearing off the border and stitching it on where needed.

Protests Publicly

AGAINST RELIGIOUS CONTROL AND SUPREMACY.

Editor Evening Telegram.

Sir.—The letter of Catholic Citizen in your issue of yesterday was certainly interesting from one point of view that is, its assumption of ignorance of a condition that is notorious not asking any one to judge of "funny people" by the "parrot-mouthings of shallow-pated pamphleteers" (very pretty, Mr. Editor). If Catholic Citizen will take the trouble to read current literature, I mean by that any ordinary newspaper that give news of the world he will find his statistics ready to hand, and one year's intelligent reading will give him some idea of the conditions obtaining in different parts of the world without troubling any man to compile statistics for his special benefit. And, Mr. Editor, let me advise Catholic Citizen to commence, if he wishes to investigate, in his own city, this St. John's of ours, and going below a certain circle or set what does he find. I ask the question, let him give a truthful answer after honestly comparing the poor of this city. Remember, I make no assertions on this point, let Catholic Citizen investigate.

Now, to the reason of my writing these lines I wish to protest publicly against religious controversy, especially during this season, as a great ideal of the conversation is not to education, and the spirit unchristian, if people must argue let them take some subject that will not excite passionate language and conversation unbecoming to people who call themselves Christians. What true worshiper of our Lord will call another a "black dog," yet such language is used—and stronger. And it is exceedingly difficult to avoid the subject in private life while such letters are being published, difficult enough at any time in some company, and strange to say those people who are certainly not "walking encyclopaedias" are the most anxious to talk, making the matter a mere pretext to air their views, very circumscribed ones, and themselves a nuisance.

Hoping you will find space for this expostulation.

I will sign myself,
 PROTESTANT.
 St. John's, Feb. 23, 1912.

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