

## Now Is The Time To Paint

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### Fashions and Fads.

A gown of black and white chiffon is trimmed with deep black alluring. Colored organdie, which are extremely effective on dotted Swiss dresses.

Cost sleeves are either long and belted, long and straight or long and close fitting.

Long fringe of black, gold or silver sequins, knotted shawl fringe and bead fringe are used.

Organdie frocks are either embroidered in color, trimmed with knots of flowers, or tucked.

Tulle skirts are generally straight and narrow looking with overlapping panels or plaits.

The fashionable wide straw hat is trimmed with satin ribbon and a charming spray of flowers.

An evening gown of black lace has a neck which is high in front and slopes to the girdle in back.

A frock of pale rose crepe de chine

has a girdle of cube beads and a long cascade of pink rings.

Very smart is the wide draped girdle extending from just below the bust to a rather low waistline.

Evening bodices are generally straight across the front and shaped into a V or a deep U in back.

A frock of cream lace has a fichu collar and slight pinnies topped by a narrow girdle of burnt orange velvet.

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## Side Talks by Ruth Cameron

### ON PROMISING TO LOVE.

A friend of mine objects to the part of the marriage service in which the parties concerned promise to "love, honor and obey."

You think you have heard that objection before? But wait a bit. It is not the word "obey" to which she objects. She is willing to leave that in. What she objects to is the absurdity of promising to love anyone all one's life.

"How," she says, "can anyone promise to love? You don't love by an effort of the will. You just love people because you do and that's all there is to it. What's the good of promising to love when you can't help yourself one way or the other?"

It is a goodly sounding argument.

Is Love Controllable?

There was a time, and not so long ago, when I would have thought there was nothing to be said on the other side.

I am not so sure now. (The older one grows, the fewer things one does seem to be sure about.)

There is so much to be said for the uncontrollability of love, but I think there is something to be said on the other side.

You cannot make yourself keep on loving anyone, but you can prevent yourself from getting into the attitude of mind in which love has a hard time to live.

You cannot love by an effort of the will, but you can keep yourself out of a critical, censorious attitude by an effort of the will.

### "How Can She Stand Him?"

A few years ago I met a woman who, almost everybody admires, but who is married to a man whom almost everyone else has little use for. He is not in her class, either in brains or character, and on top of that he is decidedly disagreeable to her. "How can she stand him?" is the question her friends constantly ask each other. They would like to ask her—but her manner, unlike that of many women similarly placed, does not invite that kind of sympathy.

One day, however, she was one of a group who were talking about another woman who also has a disagreeable husband and yet manages to put up with him, and she said:

"She is married to him, she has children, she doesn't want to break up the home, and she probably is just hanging on to the love she had when she married him as hard as she can. There's no use in allowing yourself to dislike anyone when there is no way out you want to take."

If she had been talking about her own case (as doubtless she was) I fancy that is just what she would have said.

Keep the Spirit of Her View.

And it helped to explain the fine serenity of her manner and her life. I think that woman was keeping the true spirit of her marriage vows.

It is very easy indeed to let oneself get into a state after marriage in which one feels the right to be aggrieved by every imperfection in the other party's character or ways. It is just as possible, though not so easy, to realize that no one is perfect, that one is not a recording angel but a husband or wife, and to decide to "hang on" to as much of the love one had at the beginning as one possibly can.

## Jan Smuts, Founder of New Relationships Within Empire.

"I am here to-day as Prime Minister of South Africa on an equal footing with Lloyd George."

This is one of the most significant of many moments of decision by Premier Smuts during the recent South African election campaign. It was made in an electoral address at Magaliesburg on Dec. 14, 1920.

Premier Smuts' triumph is rightly hailed as a victory for those desiring the maintenance of the British commonwealth. His chief opponent, Hertzog, favored an independent republic for South Africa. Smuts favored continued British affiliation.

But it is not the old idea of a British Empire that Smuts favored, and his victory is even more significant on its positive than on its negative side.

Without much friction, Smuts' policy brings the new day nearer, for he is in the position of combating a republican separatist movement at the same time that he is advancing a constitutional nationalism.

Smuts, in this campaign, has added to a reputation that was already unusual. There were many observers in Great Britain during the period 1917-1919 who were convinced and who did not hesitate to say that Smuts was an abler man than Lloyd George.

Without making invidious comparisons, however, it can easily be said that Smuts and Lloyd George were the two ablest men conducting the war for Britain and the Dominion.

Smuts was the only man coming from the outside who was a member of the "war cabinet."

During the frequent visits of Dominion Prime Ministers and their colleagues, they became members of the "Imperial War Cabinet" which discussed and acted upon war matters affecting the whole Empire. But these Prime Ministers came and went.

Smuts was not the Prime Minister of South Africa at the time, but he came over to represent the Prime Minister, Botha, at the Imperial Conference of 1917. He remained in Great Britain and, despite all constitutional barriers, became a member of the War Cabinet of Great Britain, that body of five men who ruled Britain in war time.

There were scattered objections from constitutionalists that a British Cabinet Minister must be a member of the British Parliament. This was admitted, but Smuts continued to be a member of the British Cabinet for at least a year, if not longer, although he was not a member of Parliament.

The point is that whether this constitutional anomaly was justified or not, Britain needed Smuts' aid so much that it simply couldn't be dispensed with, rules or no rules.

It wasn't only during the war that Smuts had so pre-eminent a place. At the Versailles Peace Conference he was a dominating figure, again sharing the canvas with Lloyd George.

But whereas the latter, publicly at any rate signed the Peace at Versailles without reservations, Smuts signed it only with written and public reservations, criticizing the spirit in

which it was framed and also specifically the economic clauses of the treaty.

Without entering into the controversy as to the morality or the expediency of the Treaty of Versailles, one must admit Smuts' prescience in anticipating the criticism which has poured out against the treaty ever since its signature.

When you speak of Smuts' therefore, you are speaking of a giant. When that giant turns his attention to Dominion affairs, outstanding developments are inevitable.

It will be sufficient here merely to mention some of the details in the platform of which Smuts has been re-elected Prime Minister of South Africa.

Not only does he desire his equality with the Prime Minister of Great Britain, but, in the Pretoria speech during the campaign as well as elsewhere, he declared that the old Empire ceased to exist as a result of the war, and that no longer would there be central supremacy and subordinate Dominions.

In his Pretoria speech, he also declared that South Africa would have power and authority, not only with respect to domestic questions but also over international and foreign relations.

South Africa also, he declared, can be involved in war only by the action of the South African Government and Parliament, and they alone can make peace for South Africa.

"We are out for a sovereign status," he declared. "We are opposed to closer union either in the shape of Imperial Federation with legislative powers or an Imperial Council with executive power."

South Africa, according to Smuts, will be an independent sovereign state in friendly association with the British Empire. It will favor the development of the periodic conference system between the various Governments of the Commonwealth.

In the South African Parliament, Smuts has declared that his country will have her own flag.

Already, under its constitution of 1908, South Africa has the power to confer appeals to South African courts, except in admiralty cases which are usually international in character.

South Africa has also the right to amend its own constitution.

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