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Straw Bonnet for Curly-Locks



This little bonnet is most charming on a childish face, particularly when the face is shaded with curly locks.

Most little girls look well in pink—it is the color of dawn—the color of youth.

The bonnet illustrated is made of cream lace braid over very pale pink silk and the ribbon trimming and streamers match the pink silk facing. A delicate wreath of pink rosebuds, mingled with fine blue forget-me-nots, adds a finishing touch of daintiness.

Problems of the Fair Sex Solved by Cynthia Grey

[Correspondents are requested to make their inquiries as brief as possible, and to write on one side of the paper only. It is impossible to give replies within a stated time, as all letters have to be answered in turn as they are received.]

Brown Bread Recipe.

Dear Miss Grey: This is the first time I have written you. Please give a good recipe for making brown bread and bran cakes. Hoping to see it in The Advertiser soon. NELLIE.

A.—To set the bread, use one pint warm water; stir in one-half a yeast cake dissolved in a little warm water, and make a thin batter of white flour; one cup of mashed potatoes may also be added if desired. Set aside to rise, which will take about five hours. When quite light add another pint of warm water, one tablespoon salt, and flour (one-half graham and one-half white), to make a thick batter. Cover, and let rise over night. In the morning knead in enough graham flour to make the batter quite stiff; allow this sponge to rise, and then mold into loaves, using sufficient white flour to handle easily. Put into well-greased tins and stand to rise until double the size. Bake in a moderate oven for one hour. This quantity will make four or five small loaves.

2. Two cups sour milk; level teaspoon soda, half-teaspoon salt, two cups white flour, one cup bran; beat together well and drop into well-greased pans. Bake in a quick oven for 20 minutes.

Did Not Speak.

Dear Miss Grey: Could you please answer the following for me:

1. What do you think of a young man whom you met on the street, and spoke to, and he did not answer you? 2. A young lady was on her way home one night when she was introduced to a young man, who asked her to go for a walk. She declined, thinking that it was too late. The young man left her standing on the street. Do you think that she should speak to him?

Hoping to see these answers printed soon. F. S. G. B. E. B.

A.—Either that he did not know you, or was rather impolite. 2. It would be quite proper, but under the circumstances, I should think she would not care to do so.

The Others Don't Count.

Dear Miss Grey: Will you kindly answer the following questions:

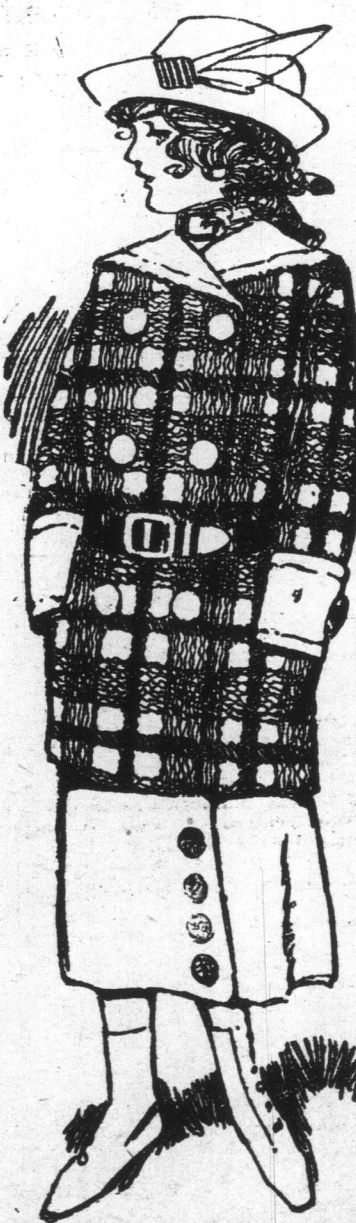
1. What is the birthday calendar for July 13?

2. While at a party last winter I met a boy whom I knew before, but never cared for him much. I have often walked to school with him, and I like him so much that all other boys seem nothing to me. I have heard that he thinks a great deal of me, but he is rather shy. How can I win his affections, as I would like to have a boy friend to escort me out evenings? Would it be right to send him a card? Thanking you for your trouble, and hoping to receive an immediate reply. ANXIOUS.

1. "Keep your money safe, and avoid friends who always want to borrow. If you do lend money, consider it given, thus avoiding disappointment. Those born today will be quick, and intelligent, but unless they learn to govern their tempers they will fall short of the place which they should occupy."

2. If he really likes you he will find a way, I am sure, to express it, and overcome the shyness. Better restrain your affections and leave him to make the advances.

A Hint of Autumn



The plaids for autumn promise to be more distinctive than for many years. This little suit is made of two materials, the plain being a pale fawn color and exactly matching the lighter part of the plaid.

Both skirt and coat are reversible, and the buttons used are flat molds, covered with the material. The colors in the plaid are chocolate brown and amethyst.

Billie Burke Says:

Look Only For the Best

[BY BILLIE BURKE.] FIRST WORD: Train your eyes to see only the best.

I wonder if you realize that our eyes are being trained all the while to pick out certain things which form the every day pictures of life about you. Two people will go along the same road and see totally different things. One will pick out the best and the other the worst.

One of the greatest illustrations of this eye training is the way in which we first dislike a fashion and then after seeing it on our friends come to like it and at last reluctantly put it aside for something new. You can remember how you laughed the first time you tried on one of the hats that came down over your head. You would probably laugh just as heartily today if you should find one of your old head covers and perch it up on your crown. Your eyes have become accustomed to the hat which covers the head and they like it.

It is said that people with scarred and marked faces become so accustomed to them that they have no idea of how the sight of them affect others, and it is very probable that we become so accustomed to our small imperfections of physique that we forget about them.

Once in a while when I am shopping I take a little time and study the faces of the women about me, for you know it is much easier to see a fault in others than in yourself, and after you have found it in the other woman you can look over your own face to see if you have it or not.

One of the things which girls and women neglect more than almost anything else is their eyebrows, and yet, NOTHING WILL MAR A FACE MORE THAN UGLY EYEBROWS.

Eyebrows to be fine, should curve slightly over the eyes and have plenty of space between them over the nose. The hair should be of uniform length and dark in color. EVERY WOMAN IN THE LAND CAN HAVE NICE EYEBROWS IF SHE WANTS THEM, but only about one woman in ten does have them, consequently, she must look at them with unseeing eyes many times a day. The ugliest eyebrows are those which meet over the nose, as they make one look very hard. This can easily be obtained by pulling out hairs with tweezers and dabbing the place with ammonia and peroxide of hydrogen. If this smartens use a little cold cream afterwards. While you are about it, pull out all the scraggly hairs and shape your eyebrows to a pretty crescent, beginning wide near the nose and trailing off to a point near the temples.

In the larger cities there are men who do nothing else but shape the eyebrows of society women and actresses. They do it with a razor and carefully shave off one half at a time until the desired shape is reached. A friend of mine who found this rather expensive, does it for herself, using one of her brother's safety razor blades. She cuts the hairs off one by one, using no soap and water for that would make them stiff. She tells me she only has to do this about once a month, and her eyebrows are very much admired.

I do not blame any girl who has very light scraggly eyebrows for darkening them. The best thing to use for this is mascara, a water color. Put it on very carefully, using the little brush that comes in the box with the color. This is perfectly harmless and if used with discretion cannot be detected, but you must train your eyes to detect the first bit of paint on your skin. Just lightly darken each hair.

JUST THE LAST WORD: It is the little details which make great beauty.

Billie Burke

Leaves From Mother's Cook Book

Stuffed Beefsteak.
Prepare a pound and a half of rump steak as for boiling and spread over it a filling made as follows: One quart of stale bread crumbs, one small onion cut fine, one teaspoonful of sage, one teaspoonful of melted butter, one teaspoonful of salt and a half teaspoonful of pepper. Roll the steak, tie with a cord and place in the pan with one pint of water. Bake one-half hour, basting frequently.

Beef Loaf.
This requires two pounds of chopped beef, two teaspoonfuls of salt, one teaspoonful of pepper, one teaspoonful of sage, one teaspoonful of cinnamon, three-quarters cupful of bread or cracker crumbs, one cupful of milk, one egg, well beaten. Put one tablespoonful of butter in a bread pan and when melted put in the meat made into a loaf shape. Bake one and one-half hours. Serve cold for tea or lunch.

Cucumber Salad.
Cucumbers sliced thin, cover with

The Birthday Calendar



IF THIS IS YOUR BIRTHDAY Good fortune will be yours and some of your dearest hopes will be fulfilled. You will meet new friends, which you will value highly.

Those born today will have the faults common to this month, which are selfishness and insincerity, but their high intelligence will cause them to overcome these.

water, in which has been placed one teaspoonful salt and one-half soda. Stand one hour, drain, rinse, slice one onion thin, mix with cucumbers. Dressing: One cup thick, sour cream, one-fourth cup vinegar, dash of pepper; pour over salad; sprinkle with minced parsley. Serve on lettuce heart.

Tomatoes and Cheese.
Peel sliced cut in thick slices some firm tomatoes; put one slice on a plate and cover with a very thin piece of American cheese, spread with mayonnaise; put on a second slice of tomato, and add a heaping spoonful of mayonnaise; press half a stone olive or pimento into this and serve on white lettuce with water crackers.

Tomato Salad.
Open the sardines, cut off the tails and lay on a piece of brown paper to drain. Chill these as well as the tomatoes. Arrange slices of the tomatoes and fish on leaves of crisp lettuce with a few sprigs of mint. Cover with French dressing and serve.

Stuffed Tomatoes.
Select large, ripe, fair tomatoes, scoop out the inside at the top, leaving the bottom whole, and fill them with dressing prepared as you would for turkey. Stir in to this dressing the part of the tomato you have just scooped out, fill it neatly back into the tomato shells and bake in a moderately hot oven, care being taken that the tomato does not cook enough to wrinkle the skin, as that spoils its beauty. Mix grated cucumber with whipped cream to be served as a sauce.

Raw Food Needful

Some raw, fresh food should be eaten at least once a day. During the summer there should be no difficulty in arranging the menu to include fresh fruit, salad, greens, and the succulent vegetables which can be served as salad.

Taking the cabbage, celery, cucumber, lettuce, onion, radish, and tomato; all can be most appetizingly prepared: they can be served plain, hot, crisp and cold, or with a variety of dressings.

There are natural digestive ferments called "enzymes" in these raw, fresh foods which aid digestion and nutrition.

SERGE SPECIAL! REGULAR 75c QUALITY, FOR 49c YARD.

50-inch All-Wool Serge, in navy, Copenhagen, red, brown, gray, green, reseda and black. This is a big special which should save you much in your fall dressmaking. Our special price, per yard49c

Black Silk, 79c Yd.

Yard-wide Black Faillette Silk. This is the best quality we have had for this price. See it Saturday. At, per yard79c

Smallwares

KNITTED STRING TIES, in all shades, full length, at25c

WASH BELTS. Just arrived, a few new lines in Wash Belts. Special at, each21c

DUTCH COLLARS—A few soiled Dutch Collars, also Jabots and Ties. Clearing at, each15c

DUTCH COLLARS—Lace and Lace-trimmed Dutch Collars, in all styles, regular 50c, for each, 38c

LACE AND LACE-TRIMMED COLLARS in better lines, all reduced in prices also.

JABOTS—Latest styles in Jabots, regular 25c and 50c, each,19c and 39c

Mill Ends Flannelette

In stripes and plain white, all kinds of qualities and widths, in lengths of from 1½ and 2 yards to 5 yards; and we are offering these as a week-end special at the very lowest prices.



Millinery!

UNTRIMMED SHAPES—All our Untrimmed Shapes clearing out at...39c or \$1.39 TRIMMED HATS—We have only a very few Trimmed Hats left in stock. These we will clear out at the lowest possible prices. Come early Saturday.

WHITE FELTS—White Felts, the hats now so much in demand. We have a few of these in stock. The prices are\$3.50 and \$5.00

New Fall Kimono Cloths

Just arrived, a very select assortment of colors and patterns, very pretty, stylish designs in good quality kimono cloths. Prices are, per yard.....18c, 20c, 25c and 30c

GRAY'S

WE CLOSE TONIGHT AT 5 P.M. SATURDAY 10 P.M.

GRAY'S

Over-Zealous Friends

By Beatrice Fairfax.

[Copyright: 1912.] "I have not so many friends that I shall grow confused among the number and forget my best ones."—Nicholas Nickleby.

This is the season when every girl who has the inheritance Nature planned for her is interested in a flower garden. Or it may be a window box. Or it may be nothing more pretentious than a window box. Or it may be as much ground as she likes.

But whatever the size of her garden, I am sure that Nature, the most devoted of all teachers, has taught her that she must not attempt to grow too many plants in a limited space.

If she makes that blunder she has no flowers, for the light for space becomes a fight for life, and every plant dies. If any survive, it is those of rank growth, and for which she cares the least.

The same wise little girl with her flower bed is often not so wise in the cultivation of friends.

She confuses number with popularity, and believes that she can be popular only by being a friend to all she meets.

She is crowding her little flower garden. The result will be that she has no friends at all.

FEW FRIENDS A HELP.

A girl cannot have a large number of friends and be a good friend to all of them. The very difference in their temperaments forbids it.

A few friends are a help. Many friends become a hindrance. In trying to be kind to so many she is not kind to herself.

With this friend pulling this way, and another friend pulling that way, she gets the feeling that she is being pulled to pieces. What she may prize, or she would not be the bosom friend of every girl she meets.

What she does to please one friend is the thing that displeases another. In trying to be a friend to all she has found it necessary to so conduct herself that the charge is not wholly without foundation.

When she falls in love, some of this many of friends approve and some disapprove. The former urge the match; the latter come to her with tales and gossip and discourage it.

Every few days I get distressing letters from girls who are in love. "My parents approve," writes one girl, and her letter has been going with an- nounce, "but some of my friends tell me he has been seen going with another girl."

They may be concerned for her welfare. They may not be. And how is the girl to know?

THE MISCHIEF DONE.

"One of my girl friends," writes a distressed little girl, "tells me my sweetheart is fickle. She says he once made love to her just as ardently as he is making it to me. What shall I do, for I love him more than my life?"

What can she do? The mischief has been done in giving to every girl she knows the right to come to her with warnings and gossip and advice. If she attempts to let her many friends select her lover, she will never have one.

If she refuses to marry until she has found a man who loves her, she never qualified approval of Mary and Susie and Jane; she will be a spinster all her days.

Not an unhappy lot, if one is a helpful contented spinster. But one can't be that with the haunting regret of having refused a good man because Lizzie didn't like his habits, or Mary didn't like his hair, or Louise called him a trifter. She will find, after she has grown older and become a hopeless spinster, that she is lonesome. For Lizzie and Mary and Louise, and all the other girls who restrained her from marrying, have married the men of their choice and soon off and left her.

And it has happened many times, my dear little friend-hampered girl, that these girls married the very men of whom they disapproved to you.

"I have not so many friends that I shall grow confused among the number, and forget my best ones," said Nicholas Nickleby.

I beg of you to learn to say the same.

Hot Weather Baths

A cupful of bicarbonate of soda added to a full bath increases its hygienic usefulness because in addition to softening the water it cools the skin, allaying those heat eruptions that are apt to occur in summer. A spray of aromatic vinegar is not only decidedly cooling after the bath but refreshing for hours afterward.

Since the activity of the skin is highly necessary to comfort in hot weather, frequent bathing affords great relief. Stout people find the heat unbearable unless they are enabled to take several baths daily, and it is a practice that deserves encouragement. After a fatiguing day nothing rests and tones up the system so quickly and effectively as a cool plunge followed by the clean, fresh

Women's White Cambric Princess Slips, Regular \$1.25, 89c Saturday for

Trimmed with deep flounce, tucked and lace-trimmed sleeves, and neck finished with lace and baby ribbon; all sizes. Regular \$1.25. See these Saturday, at89c

Cambric Underskirts, Saturday 50c

Women's White Cambric Underskirts, of good quality English cambric, trimmed with deep blouse, with tucks and insertion; sizes 38 to 42. Clearing Saturday at50c

Corset Covers Clearing at 22c Each

Six dozen Cambric Corset Covers, nicely trimmed with lace and ribbon, all sizes. Special Saturday at22c

WHITE CAMBRIC DRAWERS, in two different styles, trimmed with lace and insertion, all sizes. At23c

Gingham Dresses, \$1.25

Table of Gingham and Scotch Zephyr Dresses, in neat check and stripe patterns and in good washable colors, square neck and high collar style. All are neatly trimmed; sizes 34 to 38. These regularly sold at \$2.50 and \$3.00. Clearing Saturday at\$1.25

Misses' White Lawn Dresses at \$1.29

A few only Misses' and Small Women's White Lawn Dresses, nicely trimmed with val. lace and lace insertions, square neck edged with lace; skirt trimmed with insertion and four rows of tucking; sizes are in misses' or small women's only. Clearing Saturday at\$1.29

Advance Showing Fall Suits and Coats

Our new styles for fall are now in stock. Everything that is new and stylish in ladies' and misses' ready-to-wear. The latest cut and finish and the most stylish cloth. These are now ready for your inspection on the second floor.

Dress Skirts, \$2.29

Stylish Dress Skirts, in brown and navy vicuna cloths, panel backs, and neatly tailored. A good serviceable separate skirt. Sizes 36 to 40. Worth \$3.50, for\$2.29

White Wash Skirts, \$1.50

Made of good quality Indian-head cloth, neatly tailored and very strikingly designed, panel front and back; sizes 37, 38 and 40. Sold at \$2.50 and \$3.00, now\$1.50

Table Cloths, \$1.50

2½-yard All - Linen Tablecloths, pure bleached, borders all round. Special at, per cloth, \$1.50 and\$1.98

SHEETING SALE

Saturday will see the end of our big sheeting sale. Bleached and unbleached sheetings, in twilled or plain cloths. The prices are lowest, and if you need any or expect to need any, Saturday will be the most economical day to buy them.

Camphorated Chalk

"I used to think it strange," said a customer not long ago, "that sometimes my Camphorated Chalk had hardly any camphor taste. I noticed that it was kept in paper packages, and, of course, the camphor evaporated."

P. L. & O. keep their Camphorated Chalk in glass-stoppered bottles, preserving the full strength till it reaches you.

TEEN CENTS AN OUNCE.

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THE PROGRESSIVE DRUGGISTS.

We close Wednesday afternoons during July and August.

clothing; one is then ready to enjoy the evening meal and to digest it. Avoid all heavy foods, pastries and sweets and also the continual drinking of large quantities of lead water. It is better to allay thirst with a little lemon juice. Cooled (not iced) buttermilk and soured milk are also not only refreshing but valuable food and intestinal antiseptics as well.

AIDS FOR THE AMATEUR LAUNDRESS

Some of the prettiest lingerie waists are so simple this season that laundering them at home is by no means difficult, and if one only has the time to spare for it there will surely be a saving of money, for one needs quite a number of waists during warm weather and laundry bills soon run up.

To wash, lay the blouse in warm water made sudsy with a good white soap and a little borax. If much soiled leave overnight. Next morning squeeze out and wash in warm suds, lifting up and down in the water, but not rubbing. Squeezing will be enough. Never rub soap on fine fabrics, because doing so thickens the threads and makes the material look coarse.

When clean rinse in warm water and then in cold. If the blouse looks yellow use a few drops (very few) of liquid bluing.

Starch is necessary to success, but only in the smallest quantity. Mix a tablespoonful of raw starch in a little cold water and pour on boiling water until it becomes the consistency of cream. Pass the blouse through this and squeeze.

Next lay on a clean towel and roll up. Leave for some hours, and then take out. Shake well, and if still wet, hang up until quite damp. Have good hot irons and see that they are thoroughly clean. Use good mat, and if necessary, use fine emery paper. Any bits of black on the irons will surely be transferred in flecks to any starched goods, as most amateur laundresses know.

Embroidery and laces are ironed on the wrong side. To iron, first do collar and cuffs. Next the sleeves. The backs come next in order, and, lastly the front.

In case of the blouse being made of a delicate color or white combined with a color, a few drops of ammonia should be added to the last rinsing water. That will restore any color that may have "come out in the wash." Very hot irons will destroy the color even more than soap and water, so take care they are only medium. Should the color change when ironing there is nothing wrong.

It is because oil has been used in the manufacturing of coloring rather than of the materials, and when this has dried out after ironing the original color will be found. Some people think the change means scorching, but this is not so. Should, however, one be so unfortunate as to scorch, raw starch mixed into a paste should be laid on and the spot exposed to the sun.

If this is done at once the scorch will disappear. All colored materials will have a better finish if ironed on the wrong side. If the colored fabric is washed for the first time it should be laid in salt and water or vinegar and be used for pink and blue shades and the latter for green and mauves. The proportions are a handful of salt or a half teaspoonful of vinegar to a gallon of cold water.

Do You Know?

the New Palace Livery, 619 Dundas street, Phone 838. George Ross and Harry Boss, Proprietors.

An Eye Trick—No. 6



This is an illusion of subdivided space. "D" seems higher than it is broad, while "E" seems broader than it is high. They are really squares, exactly alike.