

The New Chintz Bedrooms

BY LOUISE GOODLOE FALCONER.

AMONG the recent novelties in bedroom furnishing, the chintz room is one of the most attractive and most appealing very strongly to the heart of the young girl who loves novelty and brightness. Although serious objections can be brought on the score of its limited time of usefulness in respect to cleanliness, still its first charm is not to be questioned.

There seems to be a universal love of pink among the young and rose-holds the first place among the flowers, consequently the entire set which I saw on exhibition, having just been finished for a debutante, was all in pink rose chintz, and the wood in white enamel.

First, the room had white wood-work—mantele and tiling being also of white. The rug was of the softest green, with a border of pink roses. The wallpaper was white with a chintz border of rose buds. The bed was white enamel wood with large panels in head and foot board of the rose chintz, while the day covering of the bed was of a heavy and light linen, embroidered with a large monogram and used over a pink silk slip.

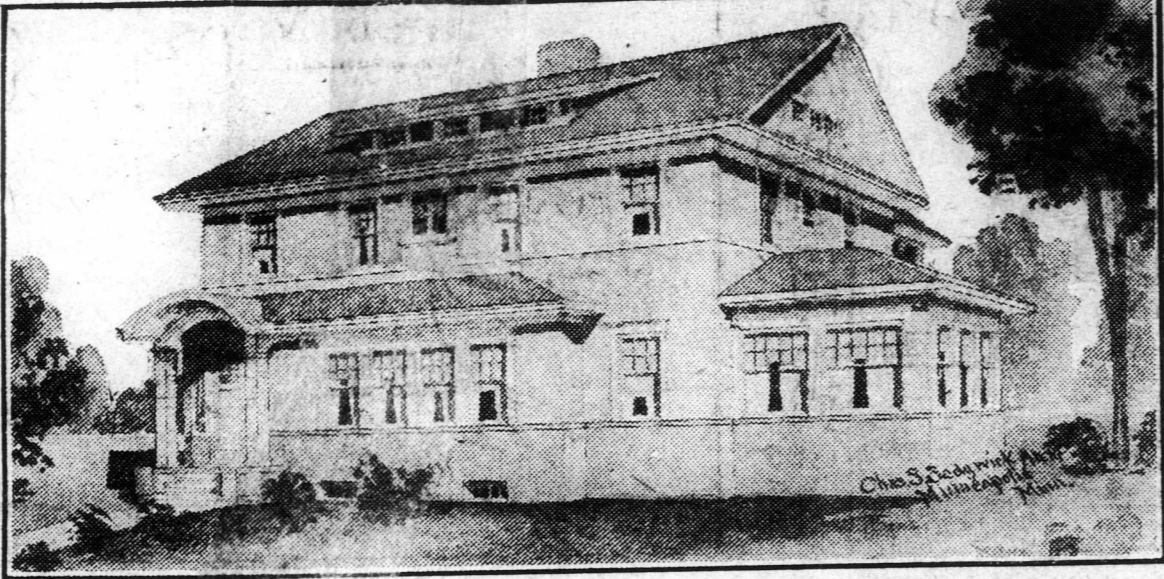
The bed table had a white wooden pedestal with a glass top over the chintz. The toilet table was of the same way—the glass over the chintz—but here matching the bed, each drawer had a panel of the chintz. The chair to be used with the table had a cushioned top of the chintz.

One skeleton frame of white, held four floor covered hat boxes, while another frame was built more on the order of a chest of drawers in the small boxes across the top, and long ones at the bottom. This was intended for gloves, veils, handkerchiefs and the other small articles of clothing, while the lower ones held handkerchiefs, undergarments. A third frame held a dozen shoe boxes, all of course covered in the same rose chintz. Each and every one of these boxes, including the shelves and drawers in the room, were lined and perfumed with rose sachet powder, so every article of clothing was scented alike. Inside the dress closet every dress hanger was treated the same way as was done across one end of the room was a screen with panels of the chintz, while just in front of it was drawn a couch upholstered in the same chintz with the cushions of shaded pink silk. The desk of white had a desk set made from the same chintz, and at the win-

dows, over the white dotted Swiss muslin curtains, with fluted edges, hung again the rose patterned chintz.

A Modern Two-Story House

DESIGNED BY CHAS. S. SEDGWICK, ARCHITECT.



CHAS. S. SEDGWICK has all of the modern conveniences of an up-to-date two-story frame house. The exterior is finished in cement stucco on metal lath with Oriental brick from grade line to window sill course. It is thoroughly well built in every respect and substantial with a good full basement under the house, built with concrete foundation wall, cement bottom and divided into rooms for heating, laundry, vegetable cellar, etc., and provided with a grade entrance under the main stairs. The size of this house is 34 ft. front by 30 ft. in depth exclusive of porch and piazza projections.

The plan is suited to a west front and comprises a large living room 26 ft. 8 in. by 16 ft. 6 in. with a glassed in sun piazza connected on the south side by French windows. The main entrance being on the left or north side of house with a liberal vestibule and projecting porch. The vestibule opens into a hallway 7 ft. wide with white col-

ored, and the item of renewing would not be a simple one. So if I were a girl and wanted a room like this I would make such a good imitation of it that the fraud could not be detected, and at the same time make it last for many years.

In places of the chintz panels to bed and dressing table, I should have it all wood, leaving the glass covered chintz tops to both. The shirtwaist, hat and shoe boxes would also be done in all wood, but here you could still have linen while the chintz with or without the perfume, but across the tops of all these pieces you could have the chintz squares.

Rugs, sofa and sofa cushions could remain the same, and as all intents and purposes the room is the same without the perishable qualities. Of course any color can be substituted, and much darker patterns can be effectively used if set done in all goods that I saw was as enduring as wood and made a very charming room. Here the boxes and all exposed pieces were done in a dark green, while the woodwork was of white. Under the glass was used a green linen with an elaborate design of white shamrocks. This design was also used for the cushions on the sofa.

At the rear a platform staircase leads to the second story with basement stairs underneath. The kitchen at the rear is separated from the front of house by a small hallway from which the stairs lead down to the basement on the left and on the right is a large coat closet. The dining room opens back of the living room through a screened piazza off the dining room and a liberal pantry between the dining room and kitchen. There is one main chimney for heating apparatus and a large fireplace in the living room with book shelves on either side. The four grouped windows in the front of living room form a pleasing feature. This room is designed to be finished in birch, stained mahogany red with the dining room finished the same. The hall and stairs finished in dark mission.

The house is kept low with the first story 8 ft. 6 in. high, and the second story 8 ft. On the second floor are four good chambers and a sleeping porch on the east over the screened piazza and opened with French windows out into the chamber. This chamber has two fine closets and a toilet room in connection. The bath room is large and centrally located over the pantry. Each chamber has fine closets, and in addition to this is a hall closet and linen closet. The floor is of birch and the casings of white enamel with red mahogany doors. The attic is left unshaded, but has ample space for two good rooms if desired. It is estimated to build this house complete for \$5,000 to \$6,000, exclusive of heating and plumbing. There has been much careful study given to this plan to make a very complete and modern house. The general character of the exterior is colonial in design with a neat colonial stained light cream color and all of the trimmings painted white and all roofs stained red.

restoring rubber. ARTICLES of rubber frequently lose their elasticity through oxidation, and yet the material may be restored to its original condition by a simple process. Soak the article in a mixture of one part of ammonia to two parts pure water. This is said to be particularly well adapted for the restoring of rubber bands, rings and small tubings which are ready to become dry and brittle.

Correct Method of Washing Bed Furnishings

BY HILDA BARKER.

SO many mists in March you see, so many frosts in May will be." Thus runs the old proverb, but because the month of March is more often blustery than misty housekeepers usually choose this time for washing bed furnishings, as blankets, coverlets and pillows. Blankets can be made to look as good as new again if washed according to the following directions and dried on a windy, sunny day.

Prepare good hot suds by dissolving white soap (the cheaper kinds are apt to contain soda which will turn the blankets yellow) in boiling water, adding one tablespoonful of borax to each gallon of water. As soon as the suds cool off put in the blankets, cover the tub and allow them to remain there twenty minutes to soak. Lay the washboard across the tubs and scrub the edges only of the blanket upon it. To cleanse the other parts squeeze through the hands sousing up and down in the water. This motion sends the water through the blanket, taking the dirt with it. When fairly clean put through a second suds of the same temperature as the first and proceed as before, except for the scrubbing.

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City News Items

To Call Upon Chief.

Chief Slemin asks that the man who wrote to him with regard to chickens running about at large call at his office where he will be advised.

Special Committee Meeting. There will be a meeting this afternoon in the City Hall of the special committee in charge of the arrangements for the visit of the Governor-General to this city on May 9th.

Wants Lane Closed. When the pavement was laid on Colborne street a lane was left to 304 Colborne street but since then a store has been erected there and Mr. J. F. Cross, the proprietor wants the lane closed up and the curb continued along in front of his store.

Not Much Chance. President T. J. Nelson of the ball club this morning received a letter from a right-handed pitcher of Elmira, N.Y., who wants to catch a place on the local team. John H. Garlinger is the player's name, and the claims to have had considerable minor league experience in various leagues and also semi-pro connection. His application will be forwarded to Manager Deneau, but there is small chance of his getting a place, as Deneau has all the pitchers signed that he wants.

Easter Among Other Nationalities. The people of the foreign quarter have spent a quiet and decorous Easter, and nothing exciting has eventuated in which they have participated. The Russians of the Greek Church will celebrate their Easter next week, when the commemoration will last for four days, commencing Sunday and finishing on Thursday. Today those of the Jewish faith will commence the four high holidays, preparatory to the final two days of dedication, which forms part of the special Easter services, namely the Pass-over.

SERVICES WERE VERY INSPIRING

"The Resurrection" Was the Theme on Sunday in Story and Song.

A special service of songs, music and prayer were given at St. Andrew's Church in commemoration of the Resurrection of Jesus Christ. At the morning service the Rev. J. W. Gordon gave a splendid sermon entitled, "The Beginning of the End." His theme was that the first Easter morn was the beginning of the end of all forces of evil. The beginning took place upon the rise of Christ from the dead. At that time it was a case of might versus right. The soldiers of Rome were at that time all powerful, but Jesus had since proved victorious. Our minds were brought back especially to this each year by the advent of Easter. A crowded church welcomed the Rev. J. G. Shearer, Secretary of the Board of Social Service and Evangelism. He spoke of the work in which he was engaged and delivered a very interesting address in the manner of an excellent story teller, taking as his text, the parable of the "Good Samaritan."

Mrs. G. Chamberlain, Mr. Harbord and Mr. J. Howarth were the soloists of the morning and Messrs. Anderson and Howard were the solo singers of the evening service.

The service of song "From the manger to the Cross" given by the Salvation Army in Victoria Hall last night proved a great success and drew a crowd that filled the building almost to the doors. The readings were all based on the outstanding incidents in the life of Christ, beginning with the nativity and ending with the crucifixion; the singing was appropriate.

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appropriate. Some of the selections were most touching and sung with a fervor that carried the audience with them. The band played "Memories of Childhood," "Echoes of Calvary," and an Easter selection. Perhaps the most effective part of the service was the tableau, "The Wondrous Cross." At the front of the platform a large white cross had been erected, this was decorated with Easter lilies and ornamental electric lights. Following the bands playing of "Echoes of Calvary," all the lights in the building were turned off, at the same time the cross was illuminated, and from either side of the platform marched six girls dressed in white. As they approached the cross with arm raised and hand pointing towards it an unseen choir sang "When I survey the wondrous cross." The effect was thrilling and proved a fitting conclusion to one of the most impressive services ever held in Victoria Hall. Adj. Hargrove who was in charge of the meeting announced that to-night in the Citadel another special service, "The flowers awakening" would be given by a company of young ladies led by Mrs. Hargrove.

COLBORNE STREET. The Easter festival was celebrated at Colborne street church on Sunday by very large congregations both morning and evening. The altar was attractively decorated, the music was of a high order, all in harmony with the Easter truth.

At the morning service the pastor, Rev. T. E. Holling baptized eleven young people and received seventeen into the church. After giving a short address on the meaning and privilege of church membership, "the Reverend Doctor Lily" preached an appropriate sermon, in which he related his history and experience from the time of being a bull in the dark cellar to putting on his Easter clothes and also taught valuable and timely lessons from his experience. The congregation was deeply impressed with his message and will be glad to hear him again.

At the song service in the evening the choir rendered selections from Handel's Messiah appropriate to the Easter occasion. The choruses, "Lift up your heads," "Worthy is the Lamb," and "Hallelujah" were rendered with much spirit and religious feeling. The quartettes, "Since by Man," etc., were sympathetically interpreted by Misses Butler and Iles and Messrs. Glanville and Hills. The aria "I know that my Redeemer Liveth" was sung by Mrs. Leeming with great effect and Mr. J. B. Hills' rendition of "The Trumpet Shall Sound" was exceedingly good.

The work of the male quartette, Messrs. Sils, Ayliffe, Smith and Hills in "Low in the Grave He Lay" proved to be a very attractive number. The pastor gave a brief address on "Some doctrinal and practical aspects of the Resurrection." Mr. George C. White, the able organist and choirmaster of the church gave an organ recital prior to the song service.

DISEASE DUE TO BAD BLOOD

To Cure Common Ailments the Blood Must Be Made Rich and Red.

Nearly all the diseases that afflict humanity are caused by bad blood—weak, watery blood poisoned by impurities. Bad blood is the cause of headaches and backaches, lumbago and rheumatism; debility and indigestion, neuralgia, and other nerve troubles, and disfiguring skin diseases like eczema and salt rheum show how impair the blood actually is. No use trying a different remedy for each disease, because they all spring from the one cause—bad blood. To cure any of these troubles you must get right down to the root of the trouble in the blood, and that is just what Dr. Williams' Pink Pills do. They make new, rich blood, and thus cure these diseases when common medicine fails. Mrs. John Jackson, Woodstock, Ont., suffered from both nervous troubles and a run down condition and experienced a complete cure through the use of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. She says: "I was a sufferer for a number of years and was forced to wear elastic bandages about my ankles. The pain I suffered at times from the neuralgia was terrible. I had almost given up hope when I began the use of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. In the course of a few weeks I felt an improvement, and I gladly continued the use of the Pills until I was once more quite well and able to attend to all my household duties."

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MARLBORO ST. CHURCH
Easter Sunday was observed at the Marlborough St. Church, where impressive services were held during the day. The church was tastefully decorated with ferns and flowers in keeping with the occasion.

In the afternoon the Sabbath school held an open session and 164 scholars and visitors were in attendance. The school is in a prosperous condition, having 256 names on the roll. Rev. Mr. Snyder of Sydenham St. Church gave an excellent address in his own inimitable manner, and members of the school rendered solos and choruses in a very pleasing way. The evening service was conducted by Mr. John Mann of Colborne St. Church. The speaker in his address

dwelt on "the abundant mercies of God," and advised his hearers to keep in close touch with God if they expected to succeed in the Christian life.

Special Easter music was rendered by the choir, and Miss Mayot of Paris sang the Choir Boy, as a solo in very fine voice and expression to a large congregation.

ST. JOHN'S CHURCH
Easter Sunday services in St. John's church were conducted by the pastor, Rev. Rural Dean Saunders, and were of a most joyous nature. The text for the morning service was taken from Col. 3:3: "For ye are dead and your life is hid with Christ in God." The power of the resurrection was dwelt upon. In the evening a masterful and stirring address was given, the text being Rev. 22:4: "And they shall see His face." Large congregations were present, and the number of communicants was the greatest in the history of the church. The offertory for the day was most liberal, amounting to \$350, out of which the Sunday school contributed \$86 in their Lenten boxes. The music under the capable direction of Mr. Todd, the choir leader, was well rendered. The anthem was based on the words "Awake thou that sleepest Caleb Simper. New lights were placed in the chancel by a member of the congregation, which added much to the appearance of the edifice.

ST. JAMES' TERRACE HILL
At St. James' Church, the Easter services were particularly bright and the congregations, morning, afternoon and evening, more than filled the church. The Rev. H. A. Wright conducted all the services and delivered earnest and appropriate sermons. The musical part of the services was much appreciated, particularly the communion service by the choir in the morning. The gifts were made to the church on on Easter day: A new altar from the girls of the chancel guild; reredos from Mr. Edman Brown; altar vases from Mrs. Dymnd and Mrs. Simmond's; chalice veil from Mrs. F. Muir. The chancel guild is also presenting a set of colored stoles, altar frontals, curtains, etc. A special service is to be held on the morning of Sunday the 20th, at which all these Easter gifts will be dedicated.

HE PAID THE COSTS.
EDMONTON, April 13.—The application of a ratepayer for an injunction restraining the city council from publishing the official Edmonton Gazette, a weekly publication devoted to municipal news, was dismissed by Chief Justice Harvey with costs against the applicant.

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Skin Is Dry
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