

In the Sewing Room

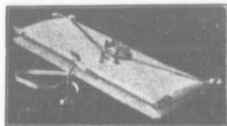
Suggestions for Christmas Gifts

In the patterns of this issue there are illustrations of doll's clothing. Nothing will give more joy than these patterns and the material for making up the garment, if the recipient is old enough to make them herself. If not, mother or auntie will perhaps see that they are made before Santa Claus calls.

The work apron, sleeves and cap made of pretty gingham or print, or for special occasions of butcher's linen, would be a most acceptable gift for the busy daughter who helps with the housework or the faithful maid.

Fancy aprons are much in vogue and make a dainty, inexpensive gift. Bainty collars or stocks are a great luxury to the busy girl in the office or shop. She cannot have too many.

The fancy belts embroidered on white linen, Indian head or similar material practically cost only a few cents and a little time, and are highly valued by the girl who cannot do or who has no time for fancy work.



A most useful case to carry turnover collars in. Two boards are padded and covered in pale blue silk. The ribbons match the silk and are fastened across the inside so as to hold the collars.

WORK APRON, SLEEVE AND CAP 5815.

Whether the busy woman be housewife, artist or occupied in any other pursuit that makes possible soil to her clothing, she will be quite certain to welcome this very practical and satisfactory outfit. It all can be slipped on at a moment's notice and it really protects the gown and covers the hair. The big patch pocket is a real boon and sleeves are easily drawn on.

The apron is made with front and side portions that are extended to



5815 Work Apron
Sleeve and Cap,
Small, Medium,
Large.

5802 Dolls "Prince
Chap" Suit, 18, 22 and
26 inches high.

The pattern 5815 is cut in three sizes, small, medium and large. The pattern 5802 is cut in sizes for dolls 18, 22 and 26 inches in length.

form a skirt that meets at the back, while the neck edge is cut to form a strap and there is a belt at the waist line. Here buttons and button-holes serve to keep it in place. The cap is in one piece with a casing near the edge in which elastic is inserted. The cuffs are made in one piece each and are held in place by means of elastic inserted in casings or hems.

DOLL'S PRINCE CHAP SUIT 5802.

The demand for smart and up-to-date clothing which is so keenly felt by the women of to-day, is apparent in the realm of doll-dom quite as well as that in real life. Every truly devoted little mother wants to see her play children gowned correctly and smartly, and such a little suit as this one consequently is certain to meet a hearty welcome. It combines the fashionable plaited skirt with the Prince Chap coat.

The suit consists of the coat and the skirt. The coat is made with fronts and backs, and is finished with a Tuxedo collar, while it includes the long plain sleeves of the correct tailored garment. The skirt is straight and made in one piece, while it is trimmed with applied bands and laid in backward turning plaits.

DOLL'S UNDERWEAR SET 5794.

Dolly's clothing always is a matter of moment. Her little mother feels keenly the need of having it dainty and up-to-date, and garments that can be changed and cleaned with ease are eagerly sought. Here is a complete set of underwear that is as carefully modelled as if it had been designed for the living, human child and which can be relied upon to carry joy to the heart of every child mother. In this case fine nainsook makes the entire outfit and embroidery and beading the trimming, but dolly's garments are as susceptible of variations as is her mamma's, and lawn, batiste, dotted Swiss muslin, all materials of the sort are appropriate, with finish of either lace or needlework. If a birthday is in prospect, or any gift-making occasion, the ready-made set can be relied upon to carry pure joy to the recipient's heart, but there are so many desirable lessons to be learned from the making that it often is desirable to let the little mother cut and sew the garments herself, or at least to assist in the work. Skill acquired in such ways is gained without friction and is, perhaps, more perfect because of that very fact.

The set consists of chemise, drawers, petticoat and nightgown. Each is shapely yet simple. The drawers are closed, buttoned at the sides. The chemise is a full one drawn up by means of heading threaded with ribbon. The petticoat is made in three pieces and the nightgown in jumper style.

DOLL'S JUMPER COSTUME 5806.

Consisting of Skirt, Jumper and Gimpie.

Every normal little girl likes to see her dollies well dressed and daughters of wise mamma are apt to make the garments themselves. Here is a dainty yet simple little dress that will not strain the powers of even the beginner in needlework, while it is smart and altogether attractive. The jumper waist is of the newest sort with narrow Mandarin sleeves, and the plaited skirt is just like the favorite one of the real, live school-girls.

The costume consists of skirt, jumper and gimpie. The jumper is made with front and back and is closed invisibly at the back. Its lower edges being joined to a belt. The skirt is made in one straight piece laid in over lapping plaits, and the gimpie with plain front and backs and full sleeves.



5806 Doll's Jumper 5794 Doll's Underwear
Costume, 18, 22 and 26 18, 22 and 26
Inches long. Inches high.

The pattern 5794 is cut in sizes for dolls of 18, 22 and 26 inches long. The pattern 5806 is cut in sizes for dolls of 18, 22 and 26 inches long.

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