## Fashions of the Day.

## My Dearest Adelaide: I really think

 I ought to write a letter for the press on "Shopping made easy," for 1 have discovered the greatest thing! I re-turned-from my summer jaunt a wreek-a wreek physically tired-and warbrobe wrecked. Of course, you know that is my usual condition after a summer's outing. Well, I kept out of sight of the avenue, and sneaked down Sixth avenue to replenish a bit before I met anyone I knew. Somebody told me that "Altman" had the loveliest hats to be found in New York, and somehow, if your hat's all right-your hat and your shoes-you feel at least respectable. To make a long story short, I found these "loves" of hats, and before I came son, and had not left the chair which I took before a duplex mirror, to try the effect of their exquisite head-coverings! Really, it was such a comfort. The third floor of the establishment was refitted, and the whole of it given up to convineing their patrons that shopping is a luxurious pleasure instead of a burden.In the millinery and dressmaking department are spacious rooms. There are reception rooms, dressing rooms, order rooms, sample rooms, an "evening room," all furnished elegantly and in taste, that almost make one dissatisfied with home-the dissatisfaction coming in because here there is such attention paid to coloring and furnishings; the cool, greenish olives showing up dresses and hats and yourself in a way to prove how much this has to do with fine effect and personal beauty. As I sat there trying on those beautiful hats, and trying the effect of this material and that trimming against this summer-tanned
mine-well, 1 was not bad.
The hats, Adelaide. all turn back from the face. They are decidedly pieturesque, and of the sixteenth and seventeenth century stylesplumes and buckles, and rich velvets and brocades. One hat had a red velvet shirred crown with jet brim caught back at the side front with a eut steel buckle, and holding two faney curled quills. Other hats with jet brims held ostrich tips, fastened with jet steel or rhinestone buckles. Shirred or corded velvet crowns in colors and jet brims seem to be a special feature of fall millinery. A dainty and
stunning hat-if these two words ean go together-was a crown of white duchess satin with soft folded brim of castor-color velvet, and steel buckle holding two faney-curled quills white and peacoek shades.
Another hat had a jet crown with brim and standing loops of geranium red veivet-standing in all directions caught in the center with daggers having pearl and rhinestone hilts. This geranium red is a new shade, brilliant yet softened into a pinkish light. It is the prettiest red we have had in a long time. It is prettier than the artillery red we have been wearing all summer, and that sounds al most like treason. You must know it
is superb, though, or I would not say it; the artillery red and cavalry yel low still hold their own, but you know these two colors are so much more becomming to brunettes than to blondes. Geranium red ean be worn by one as well as the other.
But to return to Altman's. My hats I hea success, but then I discovered I had nothing to wear with them. My tumefor suge of them in suitable costumefor one of them in the most mod-
est manner, and then brough in some material to show me the effect. From
one thing to another, before I was conscious of "shopping" or being troubled at all about deeisions, 1 had ordered two street costumes and a theatre dress. For the theatre dress 1 did leave my chair and go into the "evening room," which is furnished in white and gold delicate, Frenchy style, and lighted brilliantly, to show "color seen by candle light."
In coming out of the spacious apart-ments-by way of parenthesis, Adelaide, you never saw such extravegance in the way of room. It struek me as something entirely out of com-
mercial economy. I spoke of it. My attendent said: "Mr. Altman believes in comfort, and never thinks of economy from that point." On my way out of the dressmaking and millinery apartments-the appointments, the orders and the show rooms-the work is all done somewhere else-I found myself among some beautiful shoes and slippers. I halted again and stocked up. Think of that: Me, who never thought I could wear anything hut shoes made by my old stand-by, Ralph." I will never desert Ralph, but my summer shoes were actually sight from sea and mountain climbing. These shoes of Altman's were as perfect in fit as those of my own shoemaker but, of course, I cannot tell as But that was wear
But that was not all. In taking the elevator to go down my eyes lighted on some dreams of pillows. You know me, Adelaide! There's not much more room for pillows in my cosy nooks but these pillows were too tempting. The consequence was I came away from my Sixth avenue "sneak" with all of my "nooks," as well as myself, newly draped-and, of course, my allowance all gone. I went over there thinking just to make myself presentable until I could do my usual Fifth avenue shopping. Altman, preparing for peace during the quiet business of war, captured my last dollar for the month, but he will get my next. I discovered something more than the eleganit spacious rooms, and the perfect comfort, and the latest Parisian fashions; I found that my allowance had doubled. I actually bought some Sadik rugs out of my dress money! I could not do that in the avenue, eh, Adelaide? In my next letter I will give ou a description of my dresses.

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Notice to Non-Resident Defendant
James A. Dewore. Plaintiff,
Michael Bannin, Mrs. Miehael Rannin, his wife, first name unknown, et al,
efendants.-23-240.
To Michael Bannin, Mrs. Michael Bamnin, his wife, first and real name Inknown, Levi C. Sloan, Lederer \& of Chariton, the First National Bank You are hereby, notified thation:
You are hereby notified that on the Devore filed his petition ins, James A. Court of Lancaster County, Nebstrict in the above entitled cause araska, you and each of you as defendants, the object and prayer of which said petition are to foreclose a certain tax lien on the following described reat estate situated in Lancaster County, Ne braska, to-wit: The northeast quarter (n e 1) of section thirty-five (35) in Township twelve (12), Range six (6), which suid tax lien was obtained by plaintiff by purchase of said above described real estate at pubic tax sale for the delinquent taxes interest, penalties and costs for the year 1894, and the payment thereafter of the subsequentraxes for the years 1895 aand 1896 the time of redemption from said tax sale having expired. That there is now due plaintiff upon said tax lien
the sum of $\$ 110.40$, which amount draws interest at the which amount draws interest at the rate of ten per tiff prays that in defaist of payment of said taxes, the above describeal premises be sold to satisfy the amount due him and that the defondants, and each of them be foreelosed of all right, title, interest and equity of redemption in said premises.
You are required to answer said petition on or before the 10th day of October, 1898.

GILKESON \& REPSE
Attorneys for Plaintiff.
First publication September 3.) 4. In the District Court, in and for
ancaster County, State of Nebraska. Notice to ngn-resident defendants. James A. Devore, Plaintiff, vs. Lincoln Park Association, a corporation; Illinois Trust and Savings Bank, a corporation, et al., defendants.-23-241. To Illinois Trust and Savings Bank, corporation, J. A. Weart, first name to plaintiff unknown, Christopher C.
Woif and Mrs. Christopher C. Wolf, first and real name to plaintiff unknown, and Amoskeag Savings Bank, a corporation.
You and each of you are hereby notifjed that on the 16th day of August, 1898, James A. Devore filed his petition in the district court of Lancaster ed cause against you and each of you of defendants, the object and prayer of which said petition are to foreelose a certain tax lien on the following described real estate situated in Lancassouthwest quarter of the wit: The quarter of section two (2), in township vine (9), range six (6), also lot seven (7), in the northeast ${ }^{(6) \text {, also lot seven }}$ three (3) in township nine (9), range six (6). Also lot eighteen (18), in the northeast quarter of section three (3) in township nine (9), range six (6); which said tax lien was obtained by plaintiff by purehase of said above deplaintifl by purchase of said above de-
seribed real estate at public tax sale for
he delinquent taxes, with intere penalties and cost for the year 1893, and the payment thereafter of the and 1895 , the time for redemption from said tax sale having expired. said tax lien the sum of $\$ 476.14$ with interest thereon at the rate of ten per cent per annum from this date. Plaintiff prays that in default of pay-
ment of said taxes the above deseribed ment of said taxes the above described premises may be sold to satisfy the amount due him, and that the defendants and each of them, be foreclosed of all right, title, interest and equity You are required to answer tition on or before Oetober 10, 1898. GILKESON \& RFFSF Attorneys for Pla.ntif.

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 In the Distriet Court in and for Lancaster County. Nebruska.Notice to Non-Resident Defendaints. James A. Devore. Plaintift, vs. Michael Bannin and Mrs. Michael Bannin, his wife, first name unknown, Mary Fitzgerald, widow of John Fitzgerald, decensed, et al.-23-238.
To Miehael Bannin, Mrs. Michael Bannin, his wife, first and real name o plaintiff unknown, D. W. Tryon, first and real name to piaintiff unknown, Lederer ${ }^{[ }$Strauss, Thomas E. Jordon, Lillie B. Bronson, Levi C. Sloan, and the First National Bank You and each of yon eorporation,
You and each of you are hereby noti-
ied that on the 16th day of Anguli 1898, James the 16th day of August 898, James A. Devore filed his petiCounty. State of Court of Lancaster above entitled cause agains, in the each of you, as defendants, you and and prayer of which are to torejeet a certain tax lien on the following de soribed real estate situated in caster county. Nebraska, to-wit. Lansouthwest quarter of section twentysix (26). Township twelve (12). Range six (6), which said tax lien was ob tained by plaintiff by purehase of said above plescribed real estate at public tax sale for the delinquent taxes, interest, penalties and coats for the year 1893, and the payment thereafter of the subsequent taxes for the years 1893 and 1894, the time for redemption from said tax sale having expired. That there is now due plain$\$ 130.89$, which amount the sum of at the rate of ten per cent per anterest at
from this date. Plaintiff per annum in deffult of payment of said prays that abovedeseribed premises be sold the abovedeseribed premises be sold to satisfy the amount due him, and that foreclosed of all right, title, intere be and equity of rutiemption interest premises.
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