



NEW YEAR BELLS

In every town and village the bells do ring. O'er woods and grass and tillage, hey ding a ding...

THE NEWSBOY'S GREETING

It was a frosty morning in the days of Franklin stoves. The paper carrier, a small boy wrapped in a red and black striped muffler...

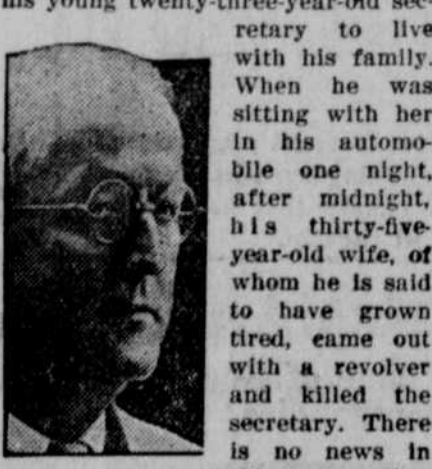
BEGINNINGS AGAIN

I would love to live my life again, said my dear little old lady friend of ninety-four years, during the last of my regular visits to her...

One true measure of success, one modern philosopher said, is the ratio between what we might have been and what we might have done...

BRISBANE THIS WEEK

11 Husbands, 1 Bachelor Fish at 12,000 Feet Measuring Beauty Homes and Automobiles



Arthur Brisbane Mrs. Reisman is to be tried by a jury of 11 husbands and one bachelor. It would seem that one or two women might have been placed on the jury...

The highest navigable body of water on earth is Lake Titicaca, 12,000 feet above sea level, belonging to Bolivia and Peru.

Uncle Sam has agreed to send experts and show those countries how to stock the lake with fish.

Some physicist might answer this question: "Will the fish be affected by the high altitude as human beings are affected, or would the fact that water (with its ball-bearing molecules) is not compressible keep the fish from knowing whether the atmospheric pressure is great or slight?"

An English professional beauty, Rosemary Andree, convinced that her figure is the world's most beautiful, is challenged by an American girl named Mardee Hoff.

Nothing is said about what is back of the forehead, or the size of the head, but both are probably satisfactory. Science says, "Intelligence goes with beauty," and that is probably true, except when intelligence is spoiled by flattery.

You read with horror about the number of deaths by automobiles on highways, and then read with surprise the report that 34,500 persons were killed in their homes by accident last year...

Men that work in crowded rooms, travel in crowded trains, sleep with their windows closed, may learn something from the sad fate of vast schools of salmon crowding in to spawn.

An ancient Jewish writer said: "The blood is the life." He might have added: "Oxygen is the life of the blood."

Members of congress are bothered by thousands of letters from advocates of the Townsend plan, asking: "Will you vote to give everybody past sixty \$200 a month pension, or will you not?"

Doctor Townsend says many congressmen have promised to support the bill. You would ask: Have they told how to get the \$8,000,000,000 that the Townsend plan would cost every year?

The Republican party decides to hold its 1936 convention in Cleveland, casting 54 votes for Cleveland, 39 for Chicago and 6 for Kansas City.

In Peiping, Chinese students, young men and women, "stormed through the streets" demanding that China defy Japan and fight to prevent further seizure of Chinese territory.

Students shouting "Down with Japanese imperialism!" cannot do the work of airplanes, tanks and explosives. No use in shouting if you are not prepared for war.

Those who have doubted that this earth is round, including one colored clergyman in the South, who writes frequently on the subject, would be convinced by photographs of the earth taken in the stratosphere, 72,000 feet up.

Blouses Gain New Fashion Heights

By CHERIE NICHOLAS



Blouses are stepping out of their one-time obscurity under a suit jacket and are appearing at gay social functions in their own right complete with slim skirts of silk satin, wool or silk velvet.

The blouse of silk lame is a favorite for dressy afternoon wear, and those "little evenings" when your hostess says: "Don't dress."

The shirtwaist or jacket type of blouse of scintillating lame is prominent, fastening with long rows of self-covered buttons, rhinestone studs set on a front tuck, or with elaborate frogs of self-fabric.

The other metallic blouse shown is of gold silk lame. It is a glittering little affair which can be worn for formal afternoons or "little" evenings.

Blouses worn without suits under fox or mink capes for theater, night clubs or the cinema are smartly new.

BLACK AND WHITE IS SMART AS EVER

That the Parisian black and white is just as smart as it ever was is proven by the winter collection of Chanel, who trims with white touches almost as lavishly as in the summer collection.

Outstanding is the sheer black wool, which looks like a silk crepe. The dress is in two pieces, with a shorter, straight skirt whose fullness comes from box pleats at the side seams.

Hats for Country Outfit

There is lots of choice for the hat which completes one's country outfit. The suede or chamois can be matched in a beret trimmed with a bright quill, or the sweater and jacket lining can be matched with a soft, perky woolen hat.

"Rag-Rug" Tweeds

New wools called "rag-rug" tweeds are being shown in Paris. They are woven with bits of multi-colored fabric among the threads, to resemble rag rugs.

Full and Slim Silhouette Now Appear for Evening

Both the slim silhouette and the very full one appear in the evening mode. Mainbocher, the clever young man from Chicago, who has become one of the leading designers in Paris, favors slim frocks with all the fullness gathered in the back.

Miniature Mesh Bags Miniature mesh bags with painted metal frames and silver chain handles are the newest thing in the very young lady's wardrobe.

Vanity News

Clothes may make the man, but make-up makes the woman. Make the eyes as dramatic as possible. Keep eyebrows faint and unobtrusive. Use rouge lightly to leave the emphasis on the eyes.

Two Barriers to Success and How to Rid Ourselves of Them

There are three words which are great barriers to success. One is Someday, and the other two are, I can't. Persons who use these words fail to do what they would like to because they put a hindrance in the way.

It is a serious matter just to think "I can't" do whatever there is to be done, or what one longs to get accomplished. It is promoting failure.

African Planter's Wife Catches Thief by Trick

The wife of an African planter tells how she turned detective—and caught a thieving native:

"While in East Africa a few months ago I employed a staff of four native 'boys.' I missed several small items—tea, sugar, etc.—and when a pound note disappeared from my handbag I decided it was time to do something.

"The following morning the four 'boys' smilingly brought their pieces of cane for my inspection. The first two pieces were of the correct length, but the third 'boy's' cane was one inch shorter than the others.

Smiles

The Neglected Negative

"A young man," said the ready-made philosopher, "should learn to say 'no.'"

He Knew Pat

Mike—I haven't seen my Uncle Pat for ten years. I wonder what he's been doing all that time.

Poetic

Banker—This is the tenth time you have had this note renewed, Mr. Rhyme.

Like Father, Like Son

Fearful Father—My boy, the next time you have an urge to kiss the new maid, I'd suggest that you use a more secluded spot.

EVERY DAY IN THE YEAR - WRIGLEY'S SATISFIES



tured in Someday is one of maturity. One looks down a long vista into the dim future and finds no view of the indefinite Someday.

It is true we cannot expect fruition in the budding season, but we can know that fruition does not come without bud and blossom.

We do not have to wait for the miraculous Someday. Now is what we have in time, in power, and the opportunity for enjoyment.

Snug Bloomers to Protect the Tots

PATTERN 9621



Warmth is mother's first thought when winds blow cold. It's then that two-to-ten-year olds need the extra protection of snug bloomers 'neath their brief frocks.

Pattern 9621 may be ordered in sizes 2, 4, 6, 8 and 10. Size 6 requires 2 1/2 yards 36 inch fabric and 1/4 yard contrasting.

Send fifteen cents in coins or stamps (coins preferred) for this pattern. Be sure to write plainly your name, address, style number and size. Complete, diagrammed sew chart included.

WAS THAT YOU?



He—Don't you remember me from Atlantic City? She—I tipped so many people while I was there, I can't remember 'em all.

State of Confusion

"Does your wife play bridge?" "I don't know. She tried to show me how it is played, and if bridge is the game she tried to teach me, nobody can play it."

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