

Our Women and Children

Conducted by Lucille Skaggs Edwards.

A WISH.

I would be true, for there are those who trust me;
I would be pure, for there are those who care;
I would be strong for there is much to suffer;
I would be brave, for there is much to dare.

I would be friend to all—the foe—the friendless;
I would be giving, and forget the gift;
I would be humble, for I know my weakness;
I would look up—and laugh—and love—and lift.
Howard Arnold Walter.

FASHION NOTES

FRESH FROM PARIS

Women's gowns this season are more beautiful than usual, more tempting than usual, but they are also more expensive than usual. One thing that can be said in their favor, however, is that they are more wearable than usual.

The cleverly shaped, little trimmed modeled hats, narrow brimmed and high, straight crowned or with brims clasping the head closely, seem to be the favorites, but women seldom look well in them.

Marvelous laces, sumptuous brocades, jeweled embroideries, furs, velvets, and such rich decorations show up on many of Callot's latest models.

Practically all of the French houses are showing a liking for the skirt with an uneven bottom. Paquin shows an underskirt of vague and illusive character, allowing it to show slightly all the way around beneath a rippling tunic hem.

Turkish trousers are being shown this season.

Long straight blouses of one kind and another are features of many costumes.

The swathing Oriental sash with Turkish trousers is being adopted by many stylish American women for negligee costumes. They are no doubt comfortable and rather pleasing to the eye.

Chinese, Japanese and Greek negligees are quite common this season.

The front of the evening gown is not to be cut as low as the back this season, say the designers.

The women of France have removed all stiffening from their skirts, but Americans seem backward in this respect.

Anything that makes the figure bulge at any part of its length is wrong this year.

Many of the decorations on gowns this season are so striking as to almost appear barbaric. But there is genius in their makeup and the often barbaric, they are beautiful.

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Wednesday the Colored Progressive club held a rousing meeting at the Masonic hall. J. Silas Harris of St. Louis gave a splendid talk. The other principal speakers were democrats, among them ex-Congressman Maguire.

Almost 300 people heard the celebrated pianist. Blind Boone, at the Mt. Zion Baptist church Wednesday. The concert was excellent. Each number was heartily applauded. The company were the guests of Mrs. S. Smith, 9th and S streets.

The Rev. Mr. Burkhardt was painfully injured last Saturday when hurled from his bicycle by an automobile. He is rapidly improving.

Miss Viola Walker has been ill.

The Davis club is planning to give a dinner in the first part of November.

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PLATFORM OF TENN. REPUBLICAN LEAGUE

Memphis, Tenn.—The Lincoln Republican League has issued a four-page pamphlet setting forth the platform upon which the Negro Republican candidates are basing their campaign for election. R. R. Church, Jr., is chairman of the committee, with C. R. Bowles as secretary.

The platform covers all questions that concern the Republican party, especially dealing with the relationship of the Negro voters to the party. Candidates nominated by the Lincoln Republican League for Congress and for State offices are as follows:

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