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The best means to all the machinery of the body, put tone into the liver, kidneys and circulatory system, is to first practice a good house-cleaning. I know of nothing better as a laxative than a vegetable pill made up of May-apple, leaves of aloe and jalap. This is commonly sold by all druggists as Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets, and should be taken at least once a week to clear the twenty-five feet of intestines. You will thus clean the system—expel the poisons and keep well. Now is the time to clean house. Give yourself a spring house-cleaning.—Adv.

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To Use Bags of Banana Fiber.
Sugar planters in the Hawaiian Islands are facing a shortage of bags used as containers for raw sugar. These bags have been imported from Calcutta. Recently machinery was sent to Honolulu from the state of Washington for the purpose of manufacturing the bags from fiber of banana tree trunks.—Popular Science Monthly.

Precautionary Measure.
Mrs. Flatbush—Will you tuck down that carpet for me, dear, before you go out to play golf?
Mr. Flatbush—No, I guess I'll go and have my game of golf first.
"Why not lay the carpet before you go, dear?"
"Because I can smash my thumb after I've had my golf, but if I smash my thumb before playing I'm afraid it would put me off my game, love."

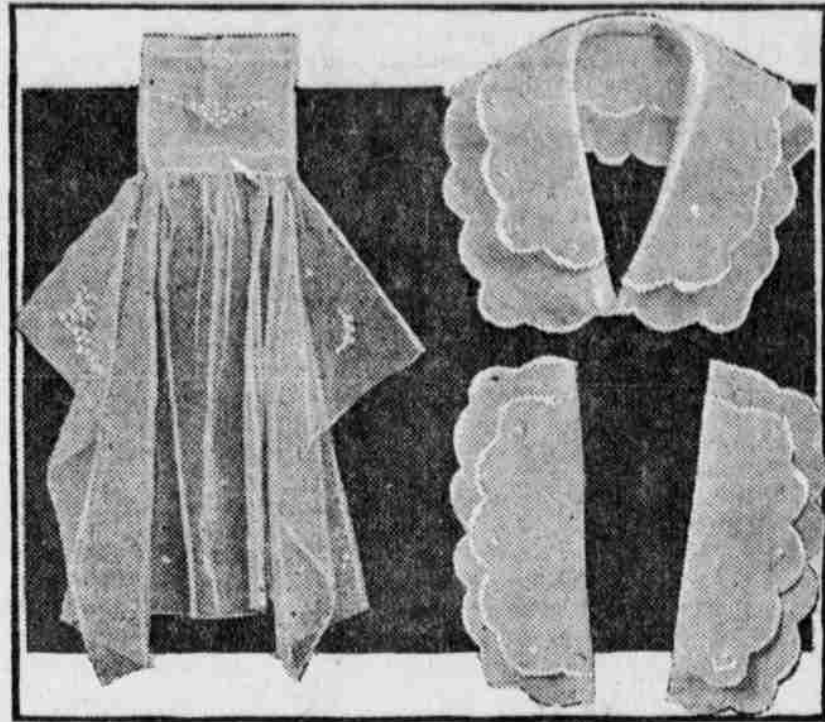
Flagler's Florida Railroad.
There is no railroad from Key West, to Cuba, and could not well be, as nearly 200 miles of ocean intervene. What Mr. Flagler did was to build a railroad along the eastern coast of Florida to its southern extremity, and thence on piles and artificial viaducts to Key West, and to provide for the transportation of loaded trains both ways between Key West and Cuba by huge ocean ferry boats constructed and equipped specially for the service. There are no figures at hand as to the cost of the work done by Mr. Flagler. It has been of great commercial value.

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Fads And Fancies Of Fashion



Unobtrusive New Styles in Neckwear

Women are not running after strange gods in neckwear this spring. There are some new departures in the styles but they are unobtrusive and no one kind of neckpiece is dominant, overshadowing others, as the jabot did last spring. Favor is divided among several good styles and much attention given to the development of them to the last degree of daintiness. This spring the gulmpe, the vestee with collar attached, the stock collar and the long collar with cuffs to match are receiving the greatest amount of consideration.

In so many of the new spring suits coats are open in the front to the waistline; that a waistcoat or vestee comes in as a matter of course as the most logical of accessories. But one must put up a brave front these days, whether the suit coat allows an expanse of waistcoat to show or not. Therefore, collar and cuff sets have been forged to the front with new vi-

talities. They are of white wash satin, of white organdie or crepe georgette, or of a combination of white and a color. They are simply and daintily finished; little frills, scalloped edges and embroidered dots holding first place in the choice of decorations for them. A set of this kind is shown in the picture, with a jabot and high collar of net in which embroidered dots also serve as a means of adornment. An added daintiness comes of using very sheer swiss-organdie and making the collar and cuffs double as shown in the picture.

Soft white collar fabrics like gaberdine, cross-barred with fine lines in black or blue, are used for high stock collars with four-in-hand ties attached. Vestees with high collars finished with rows of little pearl buttons are made of the same materials. These will all delight the woman who likes trim, mannish touches to add to her tailor-made suit.



Smart and Quiet Daytime Frocks

Daytime frocks that prove most interesting this season, whether they are made of silk or of wool materials, are those that provide a way of dressing for almost any occasion. Naturally foulard has come back to us, and has forged to the front, in an endless variety of patterns and made up in an endless variety of ways, proving itself a reliable resource in the wardrobe. Women have need of just this kind of frock now that war time makes them wish for a limited supply of dresses. Striped satins, in separate skirts, or combined with georgette crepe or chiffon cloth in frocks, plays the same sort of role as that undertaken by foulard in the apparel of today. It is the new understudy whose performance is proving equally as good as that of the star.

Just one more of those fine combinations of satin and crepe that have been plentiful this spring is pictured here. The tunic and the bolero strengthen its consciousness of being strictly in the mode while fulfilling its many duties. Its wearer will know herself to be smartly and quietly gowned—which knowledge is very comfortable—a consummation to be devoutly wished in daytime frocks.

For once stripes do not run diagonally; in this frock they proceed in water-of-fact directness about the figure, in a tunic that proves itself an exception to the rule of uneven lengths

in tunics. This tunic is finished with a band of crepe whose straightforwardness is emphasized by a row of beads on its edge. There is a short bodice of the striped satin and over it a long-sleeved bolero of the crepe. The sleeves have narrow cuffs of the satin. A narrow shawl collar of the crepe is extended into the ends, which prove the designer has originality and imagination. The edging of small beads that outline the bolero at the arm's eye and at its lower edge finish the tie ends and the cuffs, so that we are in no danger of overworking the clever details of this design. Such gowns as this force home the conviction that materials are less important than the way in which they are put together, in the making of successful clothes.

Julie Bottomley

Sweater of Satin Ribbon.

The new sweater is made of narrow satin ribbon, instead of worsted. The first one brought to this country from France contained 1,000 yards of baby ribbon, yet the cost was less than the average silk sweater. These sweaters are promoted by the French to conserve wool. The idea is very clever and will undoubtedly appeal to hundreds of women who can do the work at home.

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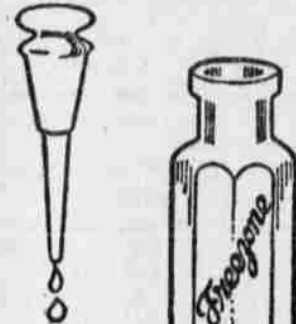
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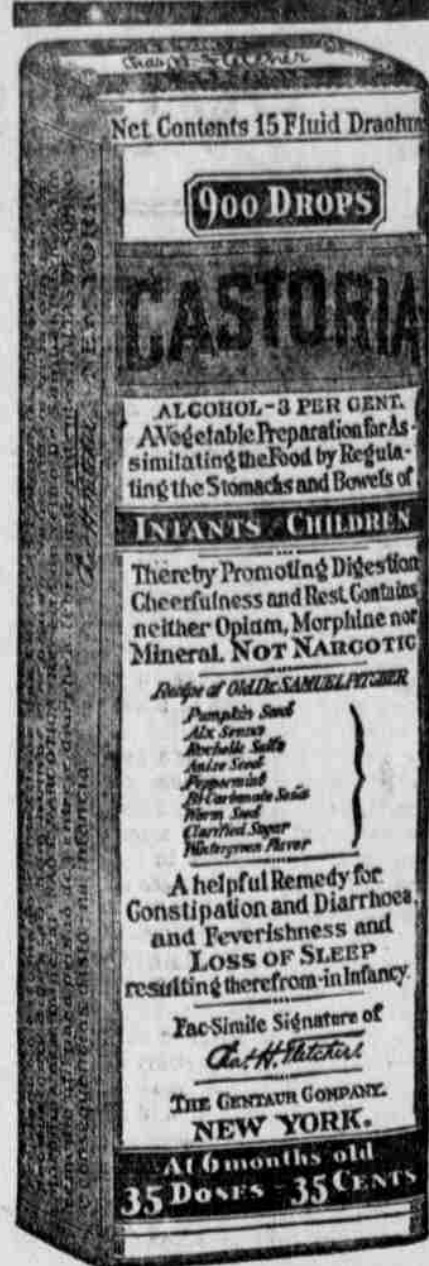
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