

STYLES PROGRESS IN UNDERTHINGS



GENTLE women have always appreciated all the little subtle touches that are the essentials of good dressing. In days gone by our grandmothers learned the art of embroidery and occupied many hours of their time doing painstaking and beautiful work on their belongings. They replenished their store of undermuslins with dainty hand-made pieces, adding refinements to them in embroidery and other stitching. Underwear of fine cottons, decorated with exquisite embroideries, is as much admired as ever, but most of it is made in other lands than ours.

Meantime styles in underthings progress. They have not grown any less dainty but they have become more luxurious. Wash silks and satins, laces and even chiffons have been added to the materials used for making them and ribbons have replaced embroidery. The camisole petticoat and boudoir mantle pictured here reflect the mode in luxurious and beautiful underthings of silk which has eclipsed cotton in the favor of many fair women.

If it were not for embellishments of ribbon our underwear of today would

be uninteresting and tame. No matter whether of silk or cotton it is all designed with reference to ribbon decorations and no manufacturer could hope for any success who failed to reckon with ribbon. Lingerie bows, flower forms and ornaments that are detachable are taken as a matter of course in the wardrobe of today.

The petticoat pictured is made of white wash satin and finished at the bottom edge with a border of lace. Deep scalloped pieces with bound edges are set on instead of a flounce and headed with a band of lace insertion. Small flowerlike rosettes made of narrow pink ribbon are set at the top and bottom of the scallop. The camisole is made of a flimsy lace with narrow satin ribbon simulating flowers applied to it. The same ribbon supplies the shoulder straps and makes the little blossoms set on where they join the body. Wider ribbon with a plect edge takes care of the adjustment at the waist and supplies a pretty bow and ends for a finish. By such means the much-occupied women of today continue to have those delicate underthings that are essential to perfect dress.

INDOOR DRESS NOW GOES TROUSERWARD



NEGLEGEEES patterned after the garb of Chinese women are developing popularity at a rate that promises to make them rivals of the kimono. They prove to be comfortable, practical and unexpectedly becoming—especially to small women. Other skirtless models reveal a trouser-ward trend in boudoir clothes, as is apparent in any representative display of such garments. Turkish trousers of satin or even of silk and metal tissues, over low bodices, form the foundation for long, loose coats of crepe georgette or chiffon, in the showiest and most splendid examples of negligees; so there is plenty of precedent for the Chinese garments of much less magnificence, although nearly all of these are fashioned in silk or satin which is more than fine enough.

An excellent example of indoor dress of Chinese inspiration is shown in the figure at the left of the two pictured above. It is of plain, deep blue satin bordered with broaded satin in which palm leaves and irregular dashes of color appear with green, henna and blue figuring in the composition. Nothing could be much easier to put together than this cheerful negligee.

At the right, crepe de chine and

georgette make an equally simple indoor dress having a straight chemise slip of the heavier material and an over garment of lace and georgette, with square neck that allows it to slip over the head. A ribbon girdle and small spray of ribbon flowers acquit themselves perfectly as finishing touches. A bandeau of ribbons on the head is substituted for a boudoir cap and proves an advantage in the direction of dignity.

Very pretty negligees of lightweight broaded satins and in novelty crepe de chine are among the last addition to indoor clothes. They are usually cut like long, loose and slightly draped coats with long shawl collars that are a troth of lace frills and organdie. Bandeaux of frills and ribbon, with tiny chiffon roses for trimming, correspond with the collar and complete the daintiest and most easily put on of negligees, as they fasten with a single ornament (of chiffon roses) below the waistline. They look much like an opera cape in outline.

Julia Botwin

ROAD BUILDING

STANDARDIZING ROAD TESTS

Conference of Engineers Expected to Eliminate Confusion and Other Difficulties.

Confusion and other difficulties that have come from the use in different states of varying tests for materials used in road construction are expected to be eliminated by a recent conference held in the offices of the bureau of public roads, United States department of agriculture. Highway testing engineers representing most of the states attended. From their suggestions a system of standardized tests is to be evolved.

Manufacturers of road materials, as well as the federal and state highway departments, have been inconvenienced, because materials that would meet the requirements of one state would be rejected in another often because of different interpretations of specifications. Much of this work is done co-operatively by the federal and



Helping Carry Forward the Nation's Great Road Building Program, Support of Which is Urged by Secretary Meredith of the Department of Agriculture.

state governments under the federal aid road act, which is one of the reasons why it has been thought advisable to set up national standards that will be in effect in all states.

The conference was held under the auspices of the National Association of State Highway Officials. This organization will promulgate the standardized tests. It is expected that use of the tests will be generally adopted, although their use by the states will be voluntary.

A number of state highway testing engineers, in addition to a number of engineers of the bureau of public roads, attended the conference.

ADVANTAGES OF GOOD ROADS

Promote Self-Respect in Community and Cheaper Cost of Transportation to Markets.

Good roads promote self-respect in a community. They make possible social intercourse. They bring the benefits of churches and schools within the reach of all. They help to keep the boys on the farm. They cheapen the cost of transportation of farm products to the markets and thus add to the farm profits. They add to the value of farm lands much more than they cost. They mark the degree of civilization of the rural community.

GOOD ROADS AND DRIVEWAYS

As Essential on Farms as Public Highways to Enable Farmer to Handle Produce.

A well-ordered farm should have well-ordered roads and driveways to and around the buildings. In other words, private roads on the farm are as important to the interests they serve as the public roads over which the farmer's produce is marketed. A good road from the farmer's gate to his marketing place should not be depreciated by a poor road from the gate to the barn or packing house.

FEDERAL AID FOR MISSOURI

Bureau of Roads Approves Forty-Nine Projects at an Estimated Cost of \$5,946,910.

Forty-nine federal aid road projects, an aggregate of 459.29 miles at an estimated construction cost of \$5,946,910, have been approved by the federal bureau of roads. This announcement was made by the state highway board here today. The federal government is to pay \$2,000,000, and the state and counties the remainder.

IMPROVED ROADS AID FARMER

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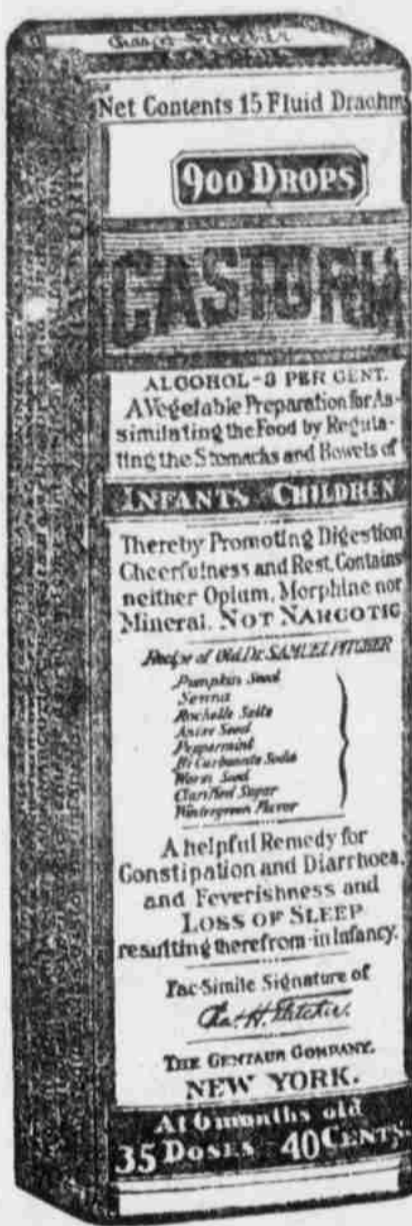
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A youngster held up his hand. "And what is it?"

"I can read my own writing better than anyone else can," said the boy.

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"That has been my custom," remarked the enthusiast.

"Well, I dunno, but it's a good idea to get so far away that the fish can't be expected to keep so's you could show your catch instid o' bruggin' about it."

No Objection to That.

"Jims was held up the other night—"

"By a bandit?"

"No; as a shining example."

Tired and Worn?

Does summer find you tired, weak—all worn out? Do you have constant backache, feel lame and stiff, and without life or ambition? There's a reason why you feel so badly. Likely your kidneys have weakened and are causing you to feel so miserable. Get back your health and keep it! Help the weakened kidneys with Doan's Kidney Pills. Doan's have helped thousands and should help you. Ask your neighbor!

A Nebraska Case

J. E. Stokes, blacksmith, 202 "C" St., Auburn, Neb., says: "My back became very lame and sore. I had sharp pains through my kidneys and at times when I would stoop over it was almost impossible for me to straighten. My kidneys acted irregularly and the secretions were highly colored and burned in passage. A friend advised me to try Doan's Kidney Pills and two boxes cured me."

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