

Webster County Supplies for 1894.

Notice is hereby given that until January 1st, 1894, sealed bids will be received by the county board of supervisors of Webster county, Nebraska, for supplies to be furnished said county for the year 1894 and to be ordered from time to time as needed, bids to be accompanied by a good and sufficient bond to Webster county in case contract is let guaranteeing faithful performance of contract.

IN WOMAN'S WORLD.

LATEST NEWS FROM THE CITADEL OF FASHION.

Some Remarkably Pretty Gowns Designed for Winter Receptions—Short Chat with Dame Fashion—Hints for the Kitchen.

[New York Fashion Letter.] Some intrepid interviewer has caught the fair goddess of Fashion in a communicative mood and coaxed from her the answer to the oft-repeated, but hitherto unsatisfied query, "How is Fashion created?"



wings, the Sara Bernhardt 'Fedoras,' the boleros that came in with the Macarons of the Champs-de-Mars and the iridescent gauzes of the latest terpsichorean idol.

As for the inspiration of the mode to succeed the 1830 style that is now at its height, and consequently approaching its decadence, Fashion does not "wish to be quoted in the matter at present."

Meantime, in the intermediary period, we who search the newspapers for hints instead of ordering our gowns direct from Paris or London, are wondering if something can not be done with the last year's gowns that we can not afford to discard.



without a hint of trimming, but about the neck was a wrinkled collar of magenta velvet, and in the belt were two folds of the color.

"ripple" basques not gathered, but cut so on the circle that they fall in flutes of themselves, added beneath a jet belt finished with a long oblong bow.

All sorts of the lace gimps, both in silk and jet, are very much employed in the new gowns, laid on over a color. Brown gowns have a finish of magenta overlaid with black.

As the season advances one's thoughts naturally turn to evening gowns, and much rejoicing will there be among the women of ample figure to know that bodices for balls and evening parties will be pointed, and that the full bodice with a waistband will soon be a thing of the past.



short, clearing the floor, leaving the pretty slipper very much in evidence. The favorite materials will be beaded and spangled tulle, figured and striped crepes, iridescent chiffons, and light brocades.

One pretty new gown, suitable for the opera or a reception where dancing is not the main feature, is of the brocade mentioned, yellow, with a tiny spray in deeper yellow, with a bit of gold in the weave, has a deep Vandyke collar, with fluted folds of yellow velvet around the low neck, and a decoration and girdle of gold passementerie.

Another ball dress, designed for a young girl, is of light blue silk mullin. Three ruffles of lace cross the full gathered skirt, and another forms the little basque. The belt and sleeves are of velvet, in a rich shade of olive green.

Another new gown, which happily solves the problem of how to utilize a last winter's scant skirt, is slashed up to the knees around the bottom, and has panels of watered silk let in broadening from a point at the top to a width of four inches at the bottom.

WHY BOYS LIKE A NOISE.

It is a Healthy Symptom and Grown People Oughtn't to Mind It.

"I wonder why it is that boys do so enjoy making a noise?" exclaimed Mrs. Boggs, holding her ears with both hands, while her two youngest darlings paraded through the house with a drum and tin horns which a wicked uncle had given them for Christmas.

"Well, then, you must comprehend that each of these coils has a nucleus, just as an egg has a yolk in it. The nuclei of the cells which make up a child's body are much larger than those of the cells which compose your physical system or mine.

"As I was about to say," continued the doctor, "the nuclei keep on diminishing in size as one grows older until the grown person finds excessive excitation disagreeable and is annoyed by noises. I believe that you were forty on your last birthday, my dear?"

"That may all be true," admitted Mrs. Boggs, "but my observation is that this business of knowing all about how one is constructed and how soon one must wear out in the course of nature does not conduce to happiness. I would much rather remain in ignorance of what you call physiology and not be obliged to think of myself and my children and our inside works as if we were so many machines."

Professor C. L. Morgan, in his recent work, "Animal Life and Intelligence," says that the talking of parrots "gives us evidence of remarkable powers of memory, an almost unique power of articulation, a great faculty of imitation, and some intelligence in the association of certain linked sounds which we call phrases with certain objects or actions."

At dinner, when he saw the vegetable dishes, he generally said, "Polly wants potato," at tea he would say, "Polly wants cake," or "Polly's sop," or "Polly's toast."

Major D'Arlandes, like many another French soldier, was tired of waiting for promotion and opportunities to distinguish himself. He seized an opportunity to enjoy a little excitement, and at the same time to remind Louis the Sixteenth of his baffled ambitions.

Mrs. Cumso—Indeed! She invariably comes just before dinner. Cumso—That's what I say. Dinner is what she's after.—Brooklyn Life.

Cumso—After-Dinner Caller. Cumso—Mrs. Bobbit is a regular after-dinner caller. Mrs. Cumso—Indeed! She invariably comes just before dinner.

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