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Elaine Roze's Paris Budget.

Another attempt is being made in Paris to oust the old favorite, the tailor-made. These attempts are periodical, as the French woman has always been deadly opposed to the severe style which, while it brings out the good points of the Viennese—who, by the way, were the first to adopt the style—and of the American woman, to whom it is particularly becoming, the French beauty requires frills and furbelows to appear at her best. But what the American woman likes and wears, from her C-B a la Spirite



corset with which the "American figure" is cultivated, down to her patri-

cian booted foot is, with the growth of the American invasion, becoming the last word in the fashion centers, and her tailor-made she will have, from the mixed tweed with fleckings of color for morning wear to her richly trimmed broadcloth or velvet for more formal occasions. With the continuation of the skirt and coat costume comes marvelous development along the shirt waist line, the most elaborate of them being called dress waists. The latter are usually embroidered or lace trimmed, and very often both, and velvet makes one of the most elegant backgrounds for such adornment. A beautiful Forsythe model is of moss green velour, worn with a mixed tweed skirt. Now as to house toilettes and gowns for theater wear. Never before were created such exquisite, delicate, cloud-like affairs, seemingly wrought by fairy fingers, reviving all the choicest coqueries of past generations. One exquisite model among the budget of beauties I have culled for you, from the great Parisian modiste's best, and which is here illustrated, is composed of pure white peau de crepe, silk embroidery and French lace. The trained skirt is made very full with three wide insertions of lace. The decoration of the bodice is a deep, drooping drapery of lace, falling over a full flowing sleeve, beneath which is a lace undersleeve. ELAINE ROZE.

Severely Burned.

Last Monday afternoon, Mrs. John Burgess, who lives just across the Nebraska line in Jewell county, Kansas, was severely burned while attempting to save her home from destruction. The house had caught fire, presumably from a defective stove, and when discovered had gained considerable headway. Mrs. Burgess succeeded in putting the fire out, but her clothing caught fire and she was so badly burned that her recovery is not thought probable.

To My Friends.

I have decided to remain in Red Cloud and will at once begin a series of sermons on special topics. It is my

plan each Sunday to handle two subjects of wide general interest and I desire the earnest co-operation of the people of the city. Subject for Sunday morning, "The Gospel of Child-Life." What did Christ mean when he said "Of such is the kingdom of Heaven?" Evening subject, "Graft and Grafters. We find them in politics, in business, in the church."—William Hauptmann, pastor of Congregational church.

Land Buyers' Excursion.

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Lost.

Friday, Oct. 16, a new pocketbook, containing a \$10 and a \$5 bill, between G. W. Francis' farm, northeast of Cowles, and Red Cloud. Reward for return to this office.

THE OLD RELIABLE



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BLADEN.

Fine weather after the rain. W. A. Brady was a Blue Hill visitor Monday. N. Bartlett is treating his barn to a new coat of paint.

Mrs. Ruah Springer left Thursday for South Dakota, where she goes to visit her brother, Charly Williams.

Wm. Thorn and wife spent Sunday in Juniata visiting relatives.

A. Reed, wife and daughter Grace spent Sunday in Holstein.

D. H. Clark and wife of Campbell came down Saturday to visit over Sunday with Mrs. Clark's parents.

Mrs. McCoy and children of Blue Hill were visiting with her parents Saturday and Sunday.

The Baptists are holding revival meetings this week.

Candidates are thicker than bees.

Mrs. John Paugh has gone to Illinois to spend a month or six weeks visiting relatives.

Mrs. George Newhouse of Red Cloud is visiting with her parents, Wash Keed and wife.

George Fish of Blue Hill was in town Wednesday.

Lots of grain is being hauled to town by the farmers.

Mrs. N. Springer purchased a new buggy this week.

The grand master workman of the A. O. U. W. gave an entertaining talk at the G. A. R. hall Wednesday night. After the speaking an oyster supper was served, which everybody enjoyed.

J. L. Grandstaff drove down to the county seat Wednesday.

Mr. Crosby is visiting his sister, Mrs. Hora.

LINE.

Mr. Kraut of Walnut creek was in Linethreshing grain for the farmers this week.

Mrs. Melvina Van Dyke-Reynolds of Montrose, Kansas, and Mrs. J. C. Fouz of Guide Rock were the guests of Wm. Van Dyke the first of the week.

The combination sale of L. A. Haskins and S. C. Shuck was not very well attended. Those who did attend meant business, however. Stock of all kinds sold for good prices. Spring calves sold at \$12 and yearlings at \$20, and shoats brought \$5 to \$8 per head.

Fred Wildey threshed something like 500 bushels of Russian and German millet this week. The Russian made 40 bushels and the German 30 bushels to the acre. The grain was planted with a press drill and yielded double what grain sown broadcast yielded.

Quite a number of candidates for office attended the sale—not to buy anything, but to solicit votes.

Line will go Republican this fall.

Last Wednesday Mr. and Mrs. Allen Carpenter gave a party in honor of Mrs. Carpenter's birthday. A large number of relatives and friends were present, and Mrs. Carpenter was the recipient of many handsome and useful presents.

Mrs. Joe Norris is visiting friends in Line this week.

GUIDE ROCK.

Subscribe for THE CHIEF at Colvin's office.

Wm. Sawyer is moving buildings north of town.

A Mr. Travis was here on a deal with Colvin for a farm this week.

Two weddings are scheduled for this evening, one northeast of town and one southwest.

Attorney McNeny was down from Red Cloud on business today.

Mrs. S. Croxton of Stillwater is expecting her sister and her husband from Illinois tonight.

J. B. Guy has taken his farm off the market and will move here from Iowa soon.

I. B. Colvin reports the sale of lots 19 to 21, 2, Talbot's addition, to C. F. Scherbacher.

Geo. Auginbaugh has arrived safely in Pennsylvania.

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RED CLOUD, NEB.

WALNUT CREEK.

Many of our enterprising men have been giving work to benefit our road through the bottom.

Mr. and Mrs. Sutton and Mrs. Frank Siebert were visiting relatives in Minden last week.

Frank Blankenbaker is building a new barn with the assistance of Mac Fulton.

A very enjoyable party was held at the home of George Middleton Thursday evening.

Mrs. Arneson was visiting with her daughter, Mrs. John Sutton, last week.

We hear that Mr. and Mrs. Adolph Jensen of Wyoming have a son.

Mrs. Guy Tennant, who has been visiting at her father-in-law's, returned home Saturday.

Mrs. S. F. Jones and Sara Arneson spent Thursday in Red Cloud.

CATHERTON.

Larson Bros. have just completed a new residence.

Miss Lou Wilson visited her parents Sunday.

Everett Bean and family visited with Frank Bean Sunday.

Bruce Payne sold a team to Herbert Williams the first of the week.

Mrs. Bean was the guest of her daughter, Mrs. Wisecarver, the first of the week.

H. Williams took a load of potatoes to Campbell Tuesday.

Gilbert Sorensen and F. Ekerson

were in Hastings the first of the week. Benj. May took some of his fine hogs to the Kansas city live stock show.

Marriages.

Mr. Frank Ondra of Adams county and Miss Christina Jobanek of Nuckolls county were married on the 20th by Rev. Braun.

George W. Moore of Riverton and Miss Irene Shoemaker of Franklin county were married on Wednesday by Judge Edson.

LICENSES

October 17—Guy E. Lindsey and Lydia M. Harris, both of Batin precinct.

October 20—Ralph C. Peters and Catherine Wickham, both of Guide Rock, and Wilbur G. Hamilton and Mattie Ferguson, also of Guide Rock.

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