

Women's Doings.

Wisdom for Girls.

One of the greatest mistakes a girl can make is to argue with herself that a certain sultor is domestic by nature and will make a good and attentive husband because he prefers lounging about in the drawing room of her father's house and paying her pretty compliments to taking her out to theaters and concerts.

This is the mark of the stay-at-home lover and the never-at-home husband. But for the mistaken notion that he is a born "dreside companion," few girls would put up with such a sultor. Nothing so pleases an engaged girl as to be escorted here and there by her fiancé. She is in love, and is proud of him. She has acquired a valuable bit of property and wants to exhibit it.

She likes to imagine all the other girls mildly envious when they see her out in public places with this big, handsome fellow, like wax in her hands.

She knows that this is the most triumphant period of a girl's life—and what is triumph without an audience?

The fact about the stay-at-home fiancé is that he is lazy. He loves his ease. After marriage, if he finds his club more comfortable than his home, this is the sort of man who will gravitate back to his club life—after the honeymoon.

At present he cannot bear to be out of sight of the girl whose love he has gained.

After his day's work is over, and the inner man has been fed and comforted, perchance he sallies forth to her home, but by no means to suggest even a walk. No. Being there, there he stays; and the drawing room containing the family piano having perforce to be given up to the engaged couple, many are the uncomplimentary remarks passed by future brothers and sisters-in-law, many the more or less good-natured jeers hurled at his sweetheart's head afterward.—Hearst's American.

Chic Two-Piece Suit.



Here is a very chic two-piece suit for a miss of light green and gray plaid gingham trimmed with bands of stitched white linen. Both the gingham and linen should be shrunken before making up.

Men at Women's Work.

One of the most interesting features of census records of the number of persons above ten years of age occupied in gainful pursuits is the revelation of the number of men who are doing work that properly is within woman's province. For instance, it is the natural and inalienable right of the woman to teach school. So, too, nursing ought to be peculiarly the task of women, yet there are 12,291 male nurses. It is indisputable that women of more or less tender age ought to monopolize stenography and typewriting. Yet there are men bold enough to intrude upon 23,553 positions of the first kind and 2,753 of the second. Moreover, such is the fancy or the fate of some males that 1,718 of them are milliners, 2,116 are dressmakers and 4,837 are seamstresses.

To Furnish a Girl's Room.

I furnished my daughter's room very prettily at small cost. I had an iron bed, two old chairs and an old table. I bought twenty yards of India linen at 3½ cents a yard. For the two windows I made single window curtains with deep ruffles. This required seven yards. I also made a cover for the bed, with a six-inch ruffle all around, using ten yards. With the remaining three yards I draped the table, first making a foundation cover of five-cent flannel, which may be obtained in any color. I used blue. I purchased a square mirror for \$1. This was not large, but good. I procured a box three feet long, eighteen inches high and eighteen inches wide for ten cents. This I covered with three yards of denim, which cost fifteen cents a yard, making a very nice shirwaist box and window seat. I lined this box with a five-cent lining. I bought two and one-half yards of chintz—delft-blue predominating—and made cushions for the chairs, which I had had enameled white at a cost of

fifty cents. I fastened two iron brackets to the wall, and placed a board twelve inches wide on these, making a nice bookshelf. The floor of the room I covered with a delft-blue denim, which cost fifteen cents a yard. The walls I decorated with prints, half-tones, and two watercolor pictures. The mirror was suspended from a hook immediately above the table, making a dressing table.—Woman's Home Companion.

Nothing Poetic About Mar.

Some men are never poetic; others lose their poetic sense with the encroachment of years. At least that is the opinion of a matron now past middle life. "The only trouble with a man is that he loses the poetic side of his nature as the years roll by," she remarked.

"Now, only yesterday my husband took on the far-away look. I must confess it recalled the delightful days when he put all his talents into telling me how charming I was and how all his life was wrapped up in me, saying it as constantly and with as many enchanting variations as even a woman could desire.

"For a long time I watched him in silence. Then, at least, unable longer to bear the silence, I softly asked: 'What are you thinking about, dear?' 'I was wondering,' he answered, 'if I shouldn't be quite safe in leaving off my winter underwear.' Now, wasn't that poetic. Yet that same iconoclastic man is brave enough to complain at times that I have changed."—Exchange.

When Words of Wisdom Tell.

"Mother, dear," said a frank young woman to her parent, who had just been giving her a lecture, "if you would only stop when you have scored your point and said what I feel is a truth, you would make so much more impression, but you always go on and on, and say so much that it puts us both out of temper, and you lose all the advantage you have gained."

Moral teachers always make a mistake when they do not stop at the right moment. Many a truth would be carried home to a culprit and do good work if it were not diluted with discursiveness to such an extent that its effect becomes obliterated. But the fact is that the generality of people talk too much about everything, themselves, their affairs and their neighbors. Talking never does any good, and it is apt to do a great deal of harm.—New York Tribune.

Health and Beauty Hints.

Don't tip the shoulders from side to side when walking. It is an exceedingly ungraceful habit.

Don't bend forward when walking, but hold the body erect, with the chest well arched and the hips thrown back.

Don't bend over double when ascending a flight of stairs. Give the lungs full play, for you need plenty of breath.

Never fail to consult an oculist if you find that your eyesight is growing dim, or hesitate to wear glasses if you need them.

Never fail to wash the eyes every night before retiring, so as to remove any dust that may have gathered in the lids during the day.

Don't wear shoes run down at the heels and don't wear high-heeled and narrow-toed shoes. They are the inveterate enemies of grace.

Don't let tartar accumulate on the teeth, for it brings a whole train of evils in its wake. Have it removed by a dentist at least twice a year.

Don't use a tooth powder which contains gritty, acid or irritating substances, as the first two act injuriously on the teeth and the last on the gums.

Don't use one side of the mouth only when eating, for then the teeth have not all the same amount of exercise, and decay sets in more rapidly on one side than the other.

Don't fail to remember this rule—that in walking you should carry yourself so that a plumb line, dropped from your nose, would fall just an inch in front of your great toe.

Do not allow an infant to turn round that it may enjoy the fun of being giddy. Not only headache but fits, stupidity and even madness may be brought about by such practices.

The yellow complexion, which is the surest symptom of chronic biliousness, will disappear, as will the cause itself, if the victim, while bathing in the sea, swallows plenty of sea water.

When trying on new shoes do so at the latter part of the day. The feet are then at their maximum size. Summer footgear should be fully roomy, for the heat is apt to make the feet swell and tight shoes are the cause of much suffering.

To keep the hair in curl use a liquid made as follows: Take two ounces of borax, one drachm of gum arabic and a quart of hot (not boiling) water. Stir this together till the borax and gum are dissolved and then add three tablespoonfuls of strong spirits of camphor. Bottle and use for dampening the hair before curling it.

When you feel fagged try the harmless stimulant of hot milk. Heat the milk till a skin begins to wrinkle on the top of it and then drink it in sips. You will find it wonderfully refreshing when you are feeling "fagged out," and it will do you more good than the best beef tea, for hot milk is both nourishing and stimulating, whereas beef tea is only the latter.

FARM HAND KILLS HIMSELF.

DESPONDENT OVER AN UNFORTUNATE LOVE AFFAIR.

Plattsmouth.—After searching for nearly twenty-four hours for Thomas Spiers, a farm hand, the officers found the lifeless body of the man in a cluster of weeds two miles south of this city. The theory advanced is that Spiers concealed himself and deliberately took a dose of poison with suicidal intent.

No marks of violence were found upon his person. Blood was oozing from his mouth. This is supposed to have been caused by the drug.

One mysterious feature connected with the tragedy is that no bottle of other article which might have contained poisonous fluid could be found near the scene.

The dead man attended the Fourth of July celebration at Glenwood, Ia., yesterday, and it is said upon his return he shook hands with several acquaintances and informed them that he had decided to kill himself. The matter was later reported to the officers as there seemed to be good cause to believe that the man was insane. This led to the search, and the finding of his body tonight.

Spiers often referred to an unfortunate love affair and this may have had something to do with his rash deed.

Coroner Boeck empaneled a jury to hold an inquest, but owing to the absence of several witnesses the hearing was postponed until tomorrow.

Father Seeks His Child

St. Joseph, Mo., July 6.—Private detectives from Denver are in St. Joseph making a search for Jean McIntyre, the daughter of a wealthy mine operator, who lives at Walsenburg, Col. The child is seven years old and is said to have been kidnapped by her mother, Mrs. Annie McIntyre, and W. S. Conant, a male relative, on the night of April 7. The couple with the child were traced to Denver. Two weeks ago letters from Mrs. McIntyre postmarked at St. Joseph, were received by a friend in Walsenburg and the police here were asked to locate the pair, but were unable to do so. The father has offered a reward of \$100 for the recovery of the child and \$50 each for the arrest of Mrs. McIntyre and Conant. The parents separated several months ago and the father was given the custody of the child, which was kidnapped by the mother. The little girl is said to be the heiress to a large fortune. Conant is a former resident of St. Joseph.

Table Rock Man Missing

Table Rock, Neb., July 6.—W. L. Taylor, whose failure was recently announced in the Journal, has been mysteriously absent from home since Friday morning last, and his whereabouts are still unknown. With nothing but a small grip in the way of baggage he quietly walked out of his home unknown to his family, went to the depot, purchased a ticket to Pawnee City, boarded train No. 14 which was quite a little late, but did not get off at Pawnee City. It has since been learned that he rode as far as Superior at which point he left the train and since then no trace has been secured of him. He spoke to no one of his departure or his destination, and it is feared by the relatives and friends that he has become mentally unbalanced from the shock of the failure and may do something rash. Any information in regard to him will be thankfully received by his distressed wife and relatives. His mysterious departure was not chronicled at the time, as it was hoped he might return to his family as soon as the shock of the failure was over.

Millionaire's Son Angry

Denver, July 6.—W. A. Clark, Jr., son of Senator Clark of Montana, took a ride in the patrol wagon yesterday and was a guest at the city jail behind the bars. He was treated like an ordinary boy, although he rebelled strongly when the jailer turned the key. He entered the cell room vowing vengeance upon all connected with his arrest and imprisonment. The charge placed against him was violation of the bicycle ordinance. With E. E. Pardie, manager of the Colorado Automobile company young Clark had started for the races at Overland park. In turning a corner they ran into E. L. Stovell, Officer Wagner thinking the rate at which they were going exceeded the speed limit, arrested the two men. The young millionaire cursed the officer. As he stepped into the patrol wagon he shook his fist at the policeman and said, with an oath: "I'll have you fired for this if I have to stay in town a year!"

Angry Mob at Peoria

Peoria, Ill., July 6.—A mob composed of 300 white people sought the life of Minnie Pearl, colored, who beat Perry Combs, a white boy, aged eleven years with a club this afternoon until his body was covered with deep cuts and welts. The woman was arrested and taken to the police station before the mob could reach her house. When the mob discovered that she had fled they tore down her house and threw the household furniture into the river.

FRYMYRE'S CAME FIRST

DEFENSE OF THE MAN ACCUSED OF SHOOTING AND KILLING MRS. PULS

HOPES TO SAVE HONOR

WILL ATTEMPT TO PROVE HIS MARRIAGE PRIOR TO PULS

Story of the Shooting of Eunice Neb, February 21—The Trip to the House of a Neighbor—Discover Wife Dying

Hastings, Neb., July 6.—Charles Tanner of Stockville, Neb., has been in Hastings the past week in the interest of Charles Frymyre, who is in the county jail here, held to answer the charge of having shot and killed Mrs. Tracy Puls at Eastis, Frontier county, on February 21. Yesterday morning the prisoner was interviewed in the county jail. The prisoner appeared to be an intelligent and fairly well educated man, and apparently takes much pains in keeping up his personal appearance. He is 29 years old, about five feet eight inches and weighs about one hundred and forty-five pounds. He is of dark complexion, clean shaven and looks about nineteen.

The story is about as follows: For more than a year Frymyre had been keeping company with Miss Tracy Oldenberg near Stockville. Richard Puls, a bachelor ranchman in the meantime sued for the hand of the girl and became engaged to her. They were married. Three days after the marriage Frymyre put a pistol in his pocket and started for the Puls ranch. Upon reaching the house began discharging the pistol in the air. Puls heard the shooting and at the same time his wife cried: "Here comes Frymyre shooting." No sooner had she spoken the words than Frymyre appeared in the room. The two men instantly grappled and a revolver was discharged. Frymyre then ordered Puls to stay in the house and commanded Mrs. Puls to walk out of the room and accompanying him to the buggy. He then escorted the young woman to the vehicle, made her get in, and then started toward his bachelor quarters on Canon Bank.

They had been riding several minutes before he discovered she was shot. He took her at once to the nearest neighbors' house. Mrs. Puls lived five days before succumbing to the fatal shot.

According to the story which he told reluctantly the shooting was purely accidental. He said: Tracey Oldenberg and I were married fourteen months before this trouble happened. She was teaching school in a German community last winter and her folks did not like me. They tried to separate us, not knowing our relationship. Her parents, learning of her condition at the time, at once compelled her to marry Puls against her will. When I heard of this I went to where she was to take her home and save her honor. But in the excitement which followed she was accidentally shot, and nobody realized it until many minutes afterward. God knows I would not have harmed her intentionally. When I found she was hurt I took her to Mr. Oppers' house, the nearest farm residence and sent for a doctor. Then I stayed by and tended her until I was placed under arrest about 9 o'clock that night. From that hour to this my position has been misunderstood.

When asked if a civil marriage ceremony had been performed, Frymyre said they were married according to the custom of his people. It was then suggested that common law marriage was null and void in this state. He said: "Wait and see."

Frymyre has great hopes of being cleared when the trial comes before the district court. His parents reside at Holdrege, but he was reared by an uncle and aunt who reside near Stockville.

Attempt to Kidnap Wesleyan Student

Ashtand, Neb., July 6.—News has been received here of the attempt made to kidnap Miss Linnie Kackley, a former resident of Ashtand, whose parents now reside at Lena, McPherson county, Neb. The attempt to abduct Miss Kackley was made in the evening. She was a student of the Wesleyan university at 1 as she stepped out of the back door of her boarding place, which was located three blocks from the university. The villains were thwarted from carrying out their purpose by presence of mind of a young man, also an inmate of the boarding house, who was attracted by the girls' screams.

Th r Families Destitute

Hanna Wyo., July 6.—Great destitution prevails among the families of the 23 men who lost their lives in the mine disaster Tuesday. Charitable people in the western states are urged to send liberal assistance to the mayor of Hanna without delay. Everything possible is being done to recover the bodies of 230 miners still entombed, but fire, smoke and gas make progress very slow. It may be Monday or later before any more corpses will be removed.

TWENTY LIVES LOST

STORM IN TEXAS BRINGS DEATH TO FARM HANDS

PROPERTY DAMAGE HEAVY

CLOUDBURST AT BEEVILLE CAUSES RAGING FLOOD

Railroad Tracks are Washed Away and Telegraph Lines Prostrated—An Indiana Town Has a Flood During Storm.

San Antonio, Tex., July 3.—A cloud burst visited the southwestern section of Texas causing the death of several persons and entailing a heavy loss. No accurate reports of the loss can be obtained as the telegraph wires are down in the storm swept section, but enough is known to warrant the belief that at least twenty people mostly Mexican laborers and farm hands, perished in the flood.

At Beeville, one Mexican was swept away.

Near Normana, ten Mexican farm hands are reported drowned and twelve more are said to be drowned at Pettus.

The heaviest damage was sustained by the San Antonio & Arkansas Pass railroad. Several thousand feet of its tracks and one large bridge were swept away.

Dallas, Texas, July 3.—A special from Austin, Tex., says: Meagre telephone advices from Beeville says a cloud burst occurred there and that two lives were lost. Washouts are reported on the Arkansas Pass railroad. All wires are down to Beeville.

Memphis, Tenn., July 3.—A dispatch from San Antonio, Tex., states that ten lives were lost in the cloud burst at Beeville. Beeville is a thriving town of about 1,200 population on the San Antonio & Arkansas Pass railroad.

Peru, Ind., July 3.—A cloud burst in the hills just north of the city did much damage in this city. The water backed up to the Wabash railroad tracks and entirely submerged the north point. The greatest damage was at Elmwood where 250 families live. That suburb was under six feet of water in some places and in some of the homes the water stood two feet deep on the lower floors. The people were driven from their homes. In Cass county much damage was done by the storm.

Charles Alger Robbed.

Detroit, Mich., July 3.—Charles Alger, postmaster at Hannibal, Mo., is at the residence of his brother, Senator Alger, in this city, in a semi-conscious condition and physicians are unable to determine whether he is suffering from the effects of the excessive heat or drugs administered by revengeful enemies. It is said that Mr. Alger has been instrumental in suppressing the work of some green goods men who have operated in Missouri of late and it is feared his condition is the result of drugs they may have secretly administered to him. Mr. Alger came into contact with a representative of green goods men at Cleveland. At the hotel in that city, it is said he was robbed of his pocketbook. Later while paying his bill at the cashier's desk, he was taken ill and when he reached Detroit was partially unconscious.

Located in Europe.

Ashtand, Neb., July 3.—Word has been received in this county that Claude D. Kuhle, the Yutan saloonkeeper, who decamped a few years ago, after having fleeced several banks, by crooked transactions, is now in Europe. He has traveled extensively throughout Germany and the low countries, and recently was located in Rotterdam, Holland. At that place he was arrested by the local authorities and the American authorities were notified. Considerable delay ensued in the transmission of the extradition papers, however, and having been held as long as the law of Holland permitted, Kuhle was released and has again dropped out of sight. The banks that were injured are still seeking for the man through European agents.

Knapp Was Not Sane

Hamilton, O., July 3.—Several witnesses to whom Knapp, the alleged wife murderer was familiar, testified today. They all said his actions gave them the impression that he was mentally unbalanced. Knapp still expresses confidence that he will not be convicted.

Court Finds it Invalid

Portland, Ore., July 3.—Four judges of the state circuit court yesterday held that the initiative and referendum amendment to the state constitution is invalid. This opinion was given on a demurrer to the complaint of land owners against the city of Portland in a street assessment case. The court holds the amendment unconstitutional on the ground of irregularities on the part of the legislative assembly in dealing with the amendment.

Nebraska Notes

General Passenger Agent J. Francis of the Burlington has gone to Kansas City for a few days.

General Manager G. W. Holdrege of the Burlington has gone to Denver.

Travelling Passenger Agent S. R. Stinson of the Grand Trunk is in the city.

Tom Hughes, travelling passenger agent for the Missouri Pacific, has returned from St. Louis.

The Rhea evidence was gone over again at Lincoln yesterday. Rhea is resigned to his fate.

Alex Scott and P. O. Woodland have been re-elected to the school board at Stromsburg.

Alex McQueen and Amos Gates have been elected members of the school board at Silver Creek.

Charles O. Cox and Lulu C. Moffitt of Maryville, Mo., were married in Plattsmouth yesterday by County Judge J. E. Douglas.

Johnnie, the ten-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Andrews of Beatrice, fell from a tree and broke his left forearm and was otherwise bruised about the body.

Giltner shut Minden out in a well played game of ball. Score 6 to 0. The feature of the game was the pitching by Wanek for Giltner. Umpire, Brown.

At the home of the bride's parents at Plattsmouth Robert E. Long and Miss Adella T. Osborne were married by Rev. J. T. Baird. The happy couple departed on an evening train for a visit with the groom's parents in Iowa.

After an illness of seven years Mrs. Carl Gehm of Norfolk died a few miles north of that city yesterday afternoon. She leaves a son and daughter in Norfolk. Her funeral was held in the German Lutheran church at Hadar.

The Scotia ball team will play the Loup City ball team at St. Paul on July 4. Scotia is not celebrating this year, consequently most of the people from here expecting to celebrate will follow the ball team to St. Paul.

George E. Weissman, the man who committed suicide at Wayne yesterday afternoon, has been in Norfolk since May 14, conducting a cigar store. He left Norfolk on Tuesday noon, apparently in a cheerful mood. His friends are unable to account for his suicide.

At 11 o'clock yesterday at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. J. Wosika, of Beatrice, occurred the marriage of their daughter, Miss Emma Wosika, to George Francis Ashton, Rev. M. M. Merkl officiating. After the ceremony the couple, who are among Beatrice's most popular young people, received the congratulations of their friends, immediately followed by a wedding dinner, which was served in four courses. Mr. and Mrs. Ashton left on the afternoon Burlington train for a wedding tour of a few weeks and will be at home to their friends in this city after August 1.

The marriage of Mr. E. W. Cuff and Miss Doris G. Ferguson was solemnized at the residence of M. P. Meholin of Butte in the presence of immediate relatives at 9 o'clock last evening. Rev. N. E. Gardner officiating, the most beautiful ring ceremony being used. Mr. Cuff is president of the Bank of Butte and one of the leading and progressive business men of Butte. The bride is one of Nebraska's fairest daughters and has a state-wide reputation as a musician of rare ability. The bride was beautifully gowned in white silk mousseline and carried a shower bouquet of American Beauty roses. Immediately after the ceremony, in company with Mrs. M. P. Meholin and Mrs. T. S. Armstrong, they left for an extended tour of the Pacific coast.

A waterspout occurred at Jackson this morning and about a foot of water is in the main streets of the city. Elk creek is overflowing its banks and causing havoc between Jackson and Allen. The Great Northern tracks are reported under water. The crop damage in that vicinity is estimated at \$10,000. About 3,100 feet of the Chicago, St. Paul, Minneapolis & Omaha tracks are under water between Coburn and Newcastle. The Great Northern has lost a number of bridges and some of its tracks are washed out.