

Method of Dressing Hair is in a Transition Stage

THE fashionable coiffure seems to be in a transition stage at present and women who follow varying methods of hair dressing experiment unceasingly.

The vogue of the puffs by the yard has suffered because of the speedy burlesquing of their effects, and the tendency is toward the use of less false hair than the winter coiffure required.

The hair, round puffs posed with systematic regularity and other disregard of their obvious reality are not seen upon the head of the really modish woman, and the caricature of the puff and curl chignon which are seen in such profusion are an offense against taste without the saving grace of being actually a la mode.

The woman who knows her own type has the good taste and discernment to discover exactly the style of coiffure most becoming to that type and, having found it, holds to it through the changing fashions, is content, let her have the time and patience and energy to perfect herself in accomplishing this arrangement.

The very simplest of coiffures are the best for some faces, and indeed for almost all girlish faces. Girls make a sad mistake in taking up the exaggerated forms of hairdressing as so many of them do, and false hair of any kind seems particularly out of harmony with youth.

The loosely ruffled pompadour of very moderate height and a soft coil at the crown of the head is permissible and becoming for the girl in her teens, but still prettier for her if it chances to be becoming in the mode of the part, the rolled sides and the low coil or the thick braid turned up and used to fill in the space between the sides, with a bow or comb at the top.



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Soft curls and puffs and braids are still used to fill in awkward angles and give the fashionable contour to the head, but the hair drawn up very high on the head and massed there behind a big pompadour is distinctly out of fashion.

But one must be sure that the style of hairdressing which she has adopted is new in the one style best suited to bring out the good points of her head and face before she determines to cleave to it through all the varying modes.

A soft riband run carelessly in and out through the soft waving locks is one of the most popular modes of coiffure adornment in Paris and nothing could be prettier for the debutante if she is to wear any hair ornament at all.

Sometimes, as in one of the cuts, the fillet is a straight narrow band, jewelled and going entirely around the head, with the hair a mass of soft curls and curls covering the head limits within the band.

Activities and Views of Women in Various Walks of Life

FROM the general wisdom of years of observation of both sexes, Mrs. John A. Logan insists that man, not woman, is the party guilty of the throwing money at the birds.

Women's follies and follies are rarely based upon the spending of large sums of money—their tastes run to trifling things—men spenders must have bigger things. Cheap ones never satisfy them and besides they love to show off by literally throwing money away, as, for instance, lighting high-priced cigars with bills of greater or less denomination, according to the lack of brains amount of money and sobriety of the prodigal.

When women are charged with extravagance, and their husbands are puffed on that account, if the cases were fairly investigated it would be found, nine times out of ten, that the men's own recklessness was the cause of their desperation.

The stock market, the races, gambling? No. Questions of association, expensive cigars, cigarettes and liquors are not infrequently causes of men's downfall, although before their fall they may have been regarded as models of morality.

Many American women are shamefully extravagant with and thoughtless about money, but few are heartless, and it is the exception when they are deaf to the appeal of their husbands to be more economical.

It has been proven that men's dresses are more expensive than women's, and if they were obliged to have as many clothes as women have the most discerning man in the world would find it hard to be economical on the same amount which his wife expended for her clothes.

While American men are the most generous in the world to their families, there are but few who do not know exactly how much they give their wives. They are the exception who exceed what they can afford in their allowance to their families.

Enormous Cost of Weddings.

It is said to be a fact that dergymen of New York, Baltimore and Pittsburgh have perhaps not united in an opposition to expensive and ostentatious wedding ceremonies, but each are more than a little perturbed at the doing what they can to discourage the lavish waste of money, countenanced by good society. In counting up the reasons why there are not more marriages, the necessary occasions for a great expenditure from the moment an engagement is made until the return from the wedding trip make many young men pause before undertaking what is so great a drain on their finances.

The bride gives a luncheon to her dearest friends; the groom gives a bachelor dinner. Any sum, even thousands of dollars, may be spent on these entertainments. The minister's fee may be any size, but \$5 is the average fee in the city. These need include only a portion of the expenses, but even these mount up to very pretty sums. No wonder there is race suicide—how can marriage be afforded?

A Feminine Hobbies.

Chicago has a woman hobbyist, but she is temporarily off the "job" of "toting" bricks and mortar up a twelve-foot ladder. Her name is Mrs. Martin. She is 44 years old and lives at 1555 Wrightwood avenue. She is staying at the Chicago avenue station at present because she persisted in wearing the jumpers and other male apparel that her fellow workmen wear.

The fact that the manly looking woman who was carrying "mud" on the building was a woman would probably never have been known had it not been for her unruly hair.

Mrs. Maud was tripping up the ladder with heavily laden hod when her hair, which had been coiled under her slouch hat, started to fall down. With a little screech she dropped the hod and grabbed for her falling tresses.

Folkman Warner of the Sheffield avenue station happened to be passing and, hearing her screams, ran over to the assistance of the "totter." To his surprise he discovered the hobbyist to be a female.

She tearfully acknowledged her sex. She asserted that her husband had been dead for two years and that she had tried in vain to obtain other means of support. She declared that she was strong and liked her work.

Women Nurses in the Navy.

The medical officers attached to the Bureau of medicine and surgery at the navy department (says a Washington dispatch to the New York Tribune, are busy engaged in forming the rules and regulations governing the appointments to, and administration of, the new corps of nurses which now becomes a part of the navy by virtue of a provision in the navy appropriation act signed on the 13th inst. The first step in this direction will be the appointment of a superintendent, who will be selected from among qualified women nurses, several of whom have already filed applications with the surgeon general. These women will be for the most part stationed at naval hospitals within continental limits. Some of them will also be sent to the new naval hospital at Cebu, in the Philippines. That is the most important of the United States naval hospitals on the Asiatic station. Another hospital has been maintained for years at Yokohama, Japan, and later on, when all the other hospitals are provided with women nurses, it is probable the institution at Yokohama will have women nurses also. Much interest is taken in this employment of women nurses by the public. The general system which has been adopted by the army medical department in this particular will be followed by the navy, but as the services are not identical, of course there will be some minor differences.

Opposing Woman Suffrage.

Mrs. Andrew Carnegie and Mrs. Grove Cleveland have accepted the vice presidency of the League for the Civic Education of Women, an organization that is opposed to woman suffrage. The president is Mrs. Richard Watson Glazier and one of the most prominent women of New York are on the board. The women declare that their desire is to fully acquaint themselves with the subject and

that they are not opposed to suffrage except that they feel that the suffragists have in a way misrepresented the true state of affairs.

"I always believed that women should vote," said Mrs. William H. Taft, "but I should like to put in a prohibitory clause debarring them from public office. With women running for office I think the natural scheme would be disrupted, and the end aim of the home destroyed. Their voice is nearly always the voice of wisdom and I see nothing unwomanly in their casting the ballot and exercising every right of the free citizen."

What Women Wear.

Black chip hats, faced with white straw, the crown banded with white mulline and veiling white wings.

Small pearl headed pins to catch the hair up to the brim of the hat.

Waistcoats of striped pique filled in with a tucker and a grandfather frill of mulline and lace.

Japanese kimono of burnt orange, embroidered in light yellow chrysanthemums. Girlish skirts that are in puffed and the waist line, and that do not require a belt.

Shirt waists of dark blue and white striped velvet to wear with suits of blue mohair.

Striped English mohair in all colors for skeleton suits for hot weather wear. Long chains of colored pebbles and silver links for watches.

Cuff buttons and three-bar pins of sardonyx for those who were born in August.

Square Alsatian bows of colored silk and velvet to pin in front of the untrimmed straw hat.

An invisible net in the form of a circle that has a drawing string which pulls it in to fit the head and is fastened into place with a hairpin.

A square pin for the back of the lace or fine mesh stock made of one's initials set in brilliants.

A large bow of colored satin ribbon pinned in the hair under the hat brim. This makes the crown of puffs.

Dark blue sailor hats with crown bands of cretonne.

Bernhard pink and black mercury wings on natural straw hats.

Sashes of soft silk, fitted to the waist, with loops at ends at left front. These go even with the dark coat suits.

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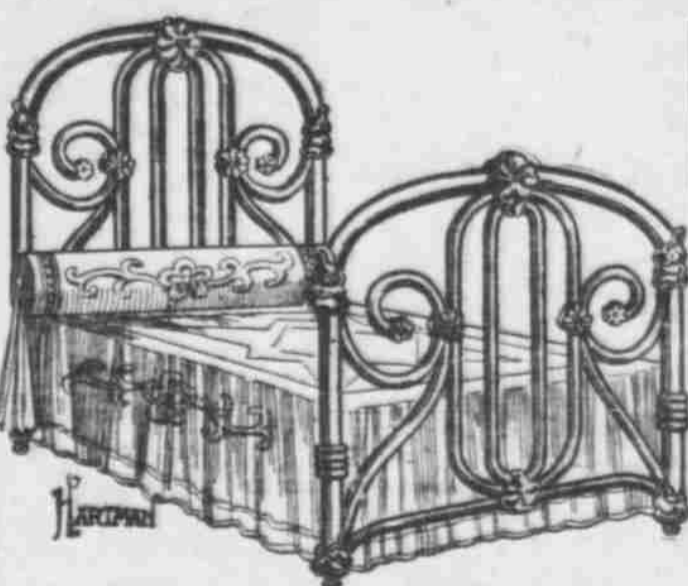


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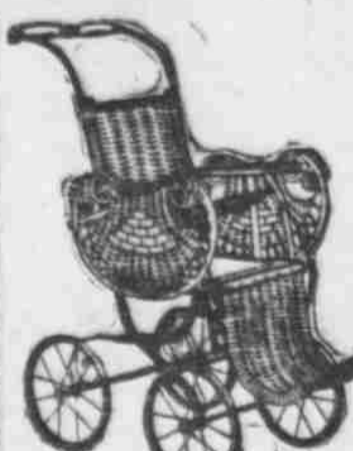


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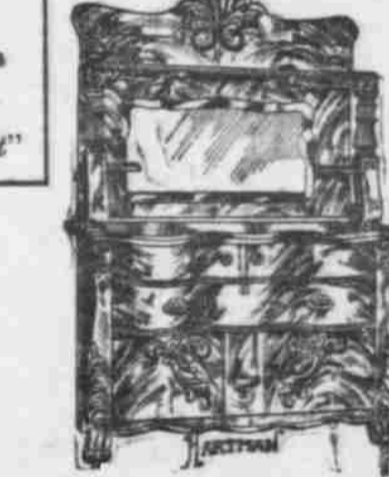
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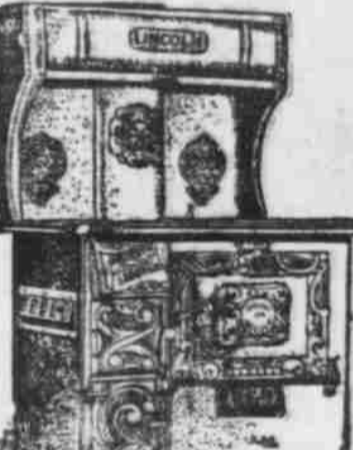
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HARTMAN'S 1414-16-18 Douglas St.

affix to tripod. It will do for a makeshift poker table. Set the decanter inside the crown and arrange glasses around the brim. This will be quite unique for serving liquid refreshments.

Leaves from Fashion's Notebook. The braided suits are becoming very popular and one of the new costumes is made of skirt and coat of the same material, brodered with soutache. The color is a golden brown and the soutache is a pale blue.

Women who have cling silk waists put away will be glad to know that they are again in style, and are certain to be worn this summer as much as in world's fair year. The silk is in colors, with fine stripes, and a linen collar may be worn with the waist, or a stock of the same material may finish the neck.

Two women were among the successful applicants for the Carnegie two week award—Miss Helen of New York and Miss Davis of Rockaway, N. J. Since the organization of the commission in 1904 awards have been made out of a total of 2,400 cases investigated.

Chat About Women. Mrs. Ida P. Wilson is the owner and editor of the Lebanon (O.) Patriot and is said to exercise a very great influence in the politics of her country. Her first husband had a newspaper that amounted to the social part of the administration.