# Activities of Modern Women in Social and Business Pursuits LAID UP3 MONTHS

Promoting Unionium

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thing cannot be overdone, the to unionism, individually and coltively, hence a lovely promoter of the se. It has not yet been reduced to debut the principle is to make the ount conditional on the number of years bride-to-be has been a member. or the benefit of "apinaters" and those

for reasons of their own may choose remain single, an amondment was added o the plan providing for the payment of "vacation dowers" to them, in lieu of the "marriage dowries" they would have received in the event they had entered the state of conjugal bliss.

The proposition came before the convention in the shape of a report of the committee on organization, read by Miss Rose Schneidermann of New York. It was shown that inducements along similar lines have been tried among working women in England and, according to Miss Mary R. Macarthur of London, the scheme has proved a great success there.

thorized to work out the plan on the basis and even at the expense of sacrifice in of a graded scale and put it into operation other directions, be as large as possible, as soon as possible. It is likely that special says the Woman's Home Companion. funds will be put aside for the purpose and Abundant space is a great good for everyeach member credited with \$10 a year to body, but the boy has even more need of apply to either the marriage dowry or the it than his sister, to whom usually is alvacation benefit.

marry would be entitled to \$100, and a sim- terests and activities of the boy should be flar sum would go to spinsters as a vaca- provided for. His collections, his printing tion benefit.

much the amounts will be," said Mrs. skates, hockey sticks and pucks, folls, etc., Raymond Robins, national president of the should, if possible, be all gathered into league. out by the executive board. We believe, rious places about the house, where he however, that whatever is decided upon, cannot in justice be expected to be solely the scheme will be an inducement to unor- responsible for their care, as he should be. ganized working girls to join labor unions." An extra closet or an arrangement of Originally the plan was drafted to apply built-in cabinets and shelves, ample in only to girls who decided to marry. Miss space, easy to get at and so see into, with Emma Steghagen, secretary of the Chicago no curtains or glass doors, should provide league, declared, however, that "we old for all these things in such a way as to maids heard about the discrimination and make habits of order possible. we kicked up a fuss."

have a chance to enjoy the bounty of the ceive attention in the minor furnishings, changed all that. organization. As a matter of fact, who are or a dull, soft yellow would make a good Gradually the supply of modish dressy more entitled to a benefit after years of combination. service in the unions than the old maids?"

### - Ann

### "Cheer Up."

the Upper West Side, but it is to be only being kicked up into wrinkles by careless tailored suit. the tiny seed of a huge pational organiza- feet or involuntarily dragged into post- One may pay a high price for the readytion, according to plans of Miss Theora tions which give a look of disorder and made blouse if one is willing to do it. Carter, its founder. Unrest to the room. There are chic imported models replete

Miss Carter, who has only recently come to this city, described those plans.

ing the sick, particularly the convalescents, spilled on it.

1.1.Y convinced that a good Probably not.

his lady's back without a single start of in their night clothes. terror.

### Good Year for Servants.

were dropped from families during the guished consideration. panic of 1907 that the result is a great number of girls doing general housework. Many girls are preferring that work, for

where there are several servants in the family there is more likely to be trouble than where only one is kept. The highest priced servants are the Irish, who are greatly in demand. Many of them are younger sisters of Irish girls known to New York families for years.

Furnishing a Boy's Room. The national executive board was au- The boy's room should, by all means, lotted the "second best" bedroom of the In ten years the girls who decided to average family house. The manifold inpress, his magic lantern, fishing tackle, "Of course, we have not decided how books, base ball bats, mitts and masks, 10 2 20 "That is a matter to be worked his own domain, and not scattered in va-

"As the proposition stands now we all the boy's love of red might very well re- possibility.

The floor covering should be as low- risen to meet the demand, and this fall toned in relation to the rest of the furnish- any observing student of things connected ings as is consistent with the practical with dress must needs be struck by the That little red and white deak motto is problem of keeping it clean, yet suf- number of really charming blouses ofthe sign and seal of the newest girls' club ficiently dark to give a feeling of the fered in the better shops-not commonof New York. It is the Society of Good greatest color weight being under foot, place shirtwalsts and bunglesome attempts Cheer, which has just received its certifi- and not about or above one's head. Its at something more ornate, but just such cate of incorporation from Supreme Court color would of course be determined by dainty blouses as the fashionable woman Justice Amend. At present its member- the other furnishings; its material should has been in the habit of ordering from ship consists of fifteen young women of be stout and heavy enough to prevent its her dressmaker as the complement of her

The furniture should be of a variety with original details and bearing an unwhich will stand hard use and the test of mistakably Parisian stamp, and these, of "The society isn't a money charity." she time. Ample in dimensions, simple and course, come high; but such a biouse if said; "it's a time charity. The girls who dignified in line, refined in color, with no made to order by a dressmaker capable of join it pledge themselves to give as much varnished surface to show every scratch producing such work would cost as much time as may be required of them to visit- and keep a record of every drop of liquid or more than the ready-made model and mean more trouble and time.

comfort and 'good cheer' by reading or use only for study-work and writing pro- ceedingly elaborate, handsome and enough talking to them. We shall systematically vides properly for a boy's "home-work," for wear even with the most stunning of visit hospitals and other public institu- and lends dignity and charm to the letter velvet or slik or cloth costumes and espe- fon over a lace foundation is very prevalent tions to ascertain the needs of any and writing, which, when a matter of

lage of Perry, O., and its sleeping inhab- man whose horse was drawing a very of the Philadelphia School for Nurses, re- can, by addressing the school at 2219 Chestitants, these girl operators, instead of heavily laden truck, and advised him to cently invited Dr. Eugene Underhill, the nut street, Philadelphia, Pa., get full de-

But now, thanks to Miss Farrar, all the acreaming for help or fainting in send the animal, which looked thin and founder of the institution, to visit her, and talls of the work, and the scholarships now Woman's Trade Union league, marital unhappiness and the obstacles to fright, rushed to the switchboard and miserable, to the model stable. This he be present at a conference in her sommer available. in session in Chicage recently, marriage caused by the gowns that button, aroused the town to its danger. Nor did did, and in a month's time its condition home in Oxford, for the purpose of conadopted a system of granting button, and still button in the back may they stop there. They had presence of was vasily improved, because of the nour- sidering the advisability of reproducing the 'marriage dowries' to members, be removed. The husband may yet hear mind as well as courage and devotion to inhment it received. Another instance is work in the larger New England cities. The system is regarded as a desirable in- that summons, "Just a minute, dear!" in duty. They called up the fire departments reported of a young black horse on the At a public reception, representatives from the slightly muffied tone that indicates " Painesville and Madison and summoned verge of pneumonia, which was taken to Lowell. Salern, Worcester, Springfield, there is a hatrpin in the mouth without she help that saved the town, even if, while the stable and cured and then given, a Bridgeport. New Haven, Providence and feeling that the bitterness of desolation they were still talking, the fire burned vacation at the Home of Rest for Horses, other manufacturing centers called attenhas come. The lover may yet look upon through the wires and they had to escape another of Mrs. Smith's activities. Mrs. tion to the need of this service for their Smith writes that an immense amount of What a testimonial of woman's devotion good can be done by all humane societies

to duty, even in the sphere outside the if they will establish boarding stables for home, of ability to meet an emergency, of working horses in their cities and homes A New York woman who places house resourcefulness and courage! Let man for of rest outside the cities, but near enough servants says there are more than the the moment abate himself and offer these for the horms to walk there and for their usual number this year. So many servants girls the assurance of his most distin- owners to visit them.

### Free Scholarships for Nurses.

Philadelphia has an exhibition of prac-A Woman's Equine Enterprise. A woman, Mrs. Huntington Smith, con- tical henevolence in the work of the Phila- those living in the smaller towns and cittes, ducts a model boarding stable for horses delphia School for Nurses. The annual re- and the rural districts. These scholarships in Boston. For working horses there are port showed that during the last year include room, board, laundering, uniforms, wide stalls, oats that have nourishment 10.275 patients were supplied with nurses, all necessary instruction, and railroad fare in them, not more shells, mash when who otherwise would not have secured paid to the student's home town upon the they need it, good water to drink, and skilled nursing care. Four-fifths of this completion of the course. A preparatory good beds, all of which are usually be- service was rendered gratuitously. It was home study course and a short resident yond the means of poor truckmen and shown also that in teaching facilities, avail. course are also available to those who depeddlers. Indied, to the horses of these able workers and number of students, the sire to quickly prepare themselves for self-

classes, as well as others, the model sta- school ranks as the largest school for support, but are unable to devote two years ble is proving a godzend. In Boston re- nurses in the world, Clara Barton, having to study. Any reader of this paper who cently a philanthropic woman stopped a for many years observed the efficient work may be interested in the general subject

she took up art, but, unsatisfied, tried to find her work in helping less fortunate women. To facilitate her efforts she has respective cities. Several large classes of been made deputy constable at Long Beach students are about to be enrolled in the Miss Hattle Barnett is said to be doing

Philadelphia School for Nurses, who will, good work in the detective department at doubtless, witness the extension of the work Atlanta, Ga. Miss J. Sullivan is a policeof the institution in accordance with plans woman in Chicago. Bayonne, N. J., is now developing as a result of the recent agitating the subject of women on its police New England conferences. A large numforce. ber of free two-year scholarships are avail-

able to young women throughout the entire country, preference being given to

The evening gown with the round neck and short mousquetaire sleeves will be very popular. One of the most popular waists for dressy wear this season is the model with the bib effect.

Inst year.

high collar.

The star belt is made of dull gold, cov-red with tiny silver sequins in the shape of stars.

of stars. The tunics, which are many and va-rious, are reserved mostly for visiting gowns and house dresses. Velvet belts, cut in the design of flowers, each biossom holding a gem, will be a pretty fashion. The latest whim of the Parisian is car-the latest whim of the Parisian is car-

Women Law Guardiane.

Miss Fanny Bixby is a wealthy Call-

fornia giri, a graduate of Weliesley, who

first tried society, but to no avail. Then

Leaves from Fashion's Notebook.

Large collars and deep closings are mong the most notable features of au-umn coats.

The new coats are long, decidedly, and narrower in every way than they were

The walst for afternoon wear can be

sue with dutch round neck or with the

The latest whim of the Parisian is car-rying the evening gloves in the hand instead of wearing them. The Franch tailors are making a great effort to give the back of the new coat a small, contracted look. Rings have grown to such large size and are so enormous that the wearing of gloves has become a question. For evening wear elaborate gold and sliver belts, hand painted, jeweled or em-broidered, will be popular.

broidered, will be popular. While the plain nets are popular, those with the dot and the vermicelli design are more in first style. With a tailored suit it is fashionable to wear a stock of satin with a narrow linen line turned over at the top.

The transparent effects are in full sway among the silks, gray over nattier blue, green or black over Sevres blue being

ovely. Serge, broadcloth and any of the seasonable suitings that are not too heavy to pleat are particularly good for walking skirts.

The one-button coat is very effective, and though one covered with a coat ma-terial might be used, the jet button is more striking.

more striking. So far as the new trimmings are con-cerned, we have been threatened with a return of the puffings and frillings and flutings of the seventles.

All-black hats of French felt or veivet will be worn, the crown made entirely of iynx fur, with a fur head at the side the front.

It is noticeable among well dressed women that the walsts either match the skirt exactly or at least blend with it. It is quite apparent that draperies of kinds, tunics, panniers, overskirts and hus are the distinctive notes of present styles.

styles. Curious as it may seem, the predomi-nating influences at work among the new styles are those borrowed from the fash-ion of the 1870's and '80's.

One of the newsat fashions in waist-bands, for morning wear, is of softeat suede or kid, fastened with a buttonhole and large, flat button.

It really seems as if the gowns of the present year had been specially designed to make plain women lovely and lovely women still lovelier.

### Chat About Women.

Mrs. Richard Watson Gilder, president of hirs. Richard Watson Gider, president of the National League for the Civic Eudca-tion of Women, has written a letter against woman suffrage which the anti-suffragists have published and are distributing as a tract.

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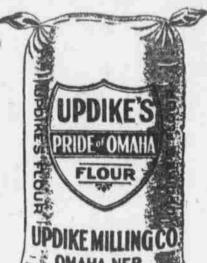
"My case was a very bad ulcer sore on my ankle and I was laid up three months with it. I was reading an advertise-ment in the newspaper one day about the Cuticura Remedies so I purchased a cake of Cuticura Soap and one box of Cuticura Ointbox of Cuticura Oint-De l ment and a large bot-tle of Cuticura Resolv-7 // /, f ent. After using one cake of Cuticura Soap and one box of Cuticura Oniment my and one box of Cuticurs Ointment my ulcer was healed, by washing twice a day with the Soap and using the other remedies as directed. Before I used the Cuticura Romedies my sore was getting worse all the time under other treat-ments. Furthermore we have a baby boy here and we have found that Cuti-cura Soap has been a fine thing for hira. He had sourf on his head and we tried every way to remove it but failed until every way to remove it but failed until we used the Cutioura Soap which re-moved it almost at once. George M. Hall, Brushton, N. Y., Dec. 24, 1908."

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Quality Is Our Guide



cream net or lace or silk, but it is admitted only on suffrance. The blouse matching the costume in color is the cor-"There are some of us who don't expect is a medium green, neither sharp and blue When the law was first laid down by lace over gold net. to making and we objected to letting all the on the one hand nor muddy brown on the Mme. La Mode, women signed and turned The use of net or good things go to other girls. It was a other. If the treatment of the wall spaces to their dreasmakers. Buying the desir- fine veiling or chifwas very plain, and the total effect restful, able blouse ready made was no longer a But the merchants have

blouses in all the prevailing colors has

in the city, and administering to their A writing desk or table which he shall Some of the imported models are ex-

Blouses to Match the Suit EW YORK, Oct. 9 .- The blouse dressy. The fine dark blue net, shirred for wear with coat and skirt and tucked here and there, veils a fina costumes has undergone a cream net on which are embroidered change in recent seasons. Once where they will be most effective rather upon a time it was a gay and bold floral sprays in shades of blue and in

more or less frivolous affair gleaming gold thread. The outline, color and metal are visible adapted to general use and bearing no spe-cial relation to any one costume, but the through the dark blue net, but are day of the thoroughly independent softened, elusive, infinitely more chie than separate blouse has gone by, save ial would be, Under the embroidered cream

> whose cobwebby pattern shows but faintly. Giumpe and

insofar as tub shirtwalsts and lingerie blouses fill the bill. Occasionally, fine cream lace too, one sees a smart blouse of white or

hospital work.

convalescence.

"And so-I just thought I'd like to help some other people out of their woes. That's how I happened to organize this moved and not devoted to any regular use club. It's a small beginning, of course, would be a great boon in the carrying out but I plan later to organize branches of of boy activities-sorting stamps, drawing, the society all over the country, particu- printing, etc .- would prevent the disorder larly in all the big cities."

- R Buttonless Dress.

Miss Geraldine Farrar, the sweet singer, returned from Europe the other day, according to a dispatch from New York. clad in a buttoniess one-piece gown that

was a marvel to behold. chief recommendations, its buttoniessas, is enough for us to speak about at present, exclaims the Chicago Inter Ocean. A buttonless gown! We can see joy light the eyes of multitudinous husbands even at the thought. It is the one thing they must have longed to see invented. It spells relief from one of the most painful of their duties.

Breathes there a married man who has not had the sad experience of being called in "for just a minute" to help fasten a dress that opens in the back, and who has not felt, as one by one in sadness and sor-

The Shoe with a

distinctive

Style

duty, cially designed with a view to and others who keep in close touch with soft and very comfortable, for quiet is desirable.

be all alone in the city. And then I found the head of the couch is not raised, cush- not merely accessories of certain cos- tion, with cream net over gold or cream color of the costume with which it is to be out the utter dreariness of a friendless ions should be added to raise the head to tumes; but these models are few and must net and fine narrow gold lace in the head to tumes; but these models are few and must net and fine narrow gold lace in the head to tumes; but these models are few and must net and fine narrow gold lace in the head to tumes; but these models are few and must net and fine narrow gold lace in the head to tumes; but these models are few and must net and fine narrow gold lace in the head to tumes; but these models are few and must net and fine narrow gold lace in the head to tumes; but these models are few and must net and fine narrow gold lace in the head to tumes; but these models are few and must net and fine narrow gold lace in the head to tumes; but these models are few and must net and fine narrow gold lace in the head to tumes; but these models are few and must net and fine narrow gold lace in the head to tumes; but these models are few and must net and fine narrow gold lace in the head to tumes; but these models are few and must net and fine narrow gold lace in the head to tumes; but these models are few and must net and fine narrow gold lace in the head to tumes; but these models are few and must net and fine narrow gold lace in the head to tumes; but these models are few and must net and fine narrow gold lace in the head to tumes; but these models are few and must net and fine narrow gold lace in the head to tumes; but these models are few and must net and fine narrow gold lace in the head to tumes; but these models are few and must net and fine narrow gold lace in the head to tumes; but these models are few and must net and fine narrow gold lace in the head to tumes; but these models are few and must net and fine narrow gold lace in the head to tumes; but these models are few and must net and fine narrow gold lace in the head to tumes; but these models are few and must net and fine narrow gold lace in the head to tumes; but these models are few and must net and fine narrow gold lace a proper height for reading, as it will have great smartness to excuse their lapse guimpe. certainly be used for that.

from the generally accepted rule. The loveliest of them are in metallic effects, A table light enough to be readily with touches of cream or white lace for relief, and so fine and soft are the metallie nets, laces, etc., that such a blouse is by no means the barbaric thing one incident to borrowing from other rooms.

Deal kitchen tables are respectable furniture, and one would not at all detract has been sketched for this page and was from the appearance of the room if it were stained, and in the top of a kitchen table one need not shudder at pinholes, tackknife digs and the like. These articles of furniture added to the positive necessities. and with the bookcases and closers or cabinets mentioned, should amply provide for

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comfort and orderly living. To sum it all up, the boy's room should recognize his potential manhood in its strength of treatment and his present abounding physical strength and dislike of restraint in the sturdiness of the furniture, simplicity of arrangement and serviceability of color scheme.

-3-Heroisms of the Hello.

The world has paid its meed of tribute riage was a bollow mockery? We doubt it. Let it give a tribuie, too, to Hazel Chris- shops. Is there a bachelor whose ardor has not tian and Alice Warren, heroines of the The material is a fine dark blue net and round guimpe square lines, and folds or or another by the sight of that appailing ling of the flames that were devouring the pany any good dark blue coat and shirt saeves of cream net. row of little buttons down the back and room beneath their telephone exchange, suit, yet it is extravagantly smart and Another more complicated idea is worked the thought that a husband is expected to and threatening the destruction of the vil-

who are unfortunate and helpless, has been known to take the combined luncheons, matinees, etc., where a tailored glinting threads of gold in its pattern. Lists of friendless patients will be fur- efforts of the whole family to accomplish, costume is the most comfortable and prac- Such fine gold run lace may be bought at nished us, too, by doctors and ministers At least one chair should be deep and fical attire, and yet a hint of elaboration prices by no means high and the woman who wants a pretty homemade blouse to

hours with books. A broad, low couch. There are among these blouses some match a suit can achieve excellent results "You see I was sick myself not long with the head placed near a window, pro. models which, like the old-time favorites, by using chiffon or net matching her suit ago, out in Chicago. And I happened to vides another restful lounging place. If are in accordance with any color and are over such a cream and gold lace founda-

net and fine narrow gold lace in the worp, and trimmed, too, by folds or applied hems of net in the color of the embroidery. Colored net trimmed in lace dyed to match, relieved by touches of metal and throat without sacrificing the becoming where chiffon and a white cream guimpe, designers have, in some foundation is not a new blouse scheme good blouses of creae satio ability. made over white chiffon and a white cream guimpe, designers have, in some certainly deciding in value. foundation is not a new blouse scheme good blouses of creps, satin, chiffon, etc., but is developed with new details, and very embroidered the blouse with self color and pretty, simple and inexpensive models carried the embroidery design in the suit are made up in net or chiffon matching color on up over the shallow cream guimpe the suit, trimmed only with a little self and collar. This effect when handled artist

blouses of which it is not the principal ele-ment and the results obtained are often admirable: Colored net is laid over gold is cleverily sounded, sometimes, by narrow whole upon s white foundation, or per-haps the colored net matching a gown is trial by a hemstitch. boldy in metal and in tones of the velling tocolor. To give a better idea of such and the body of the bouse cut into small squares by lines of pin tucking. The shill was bedrered by color. To give a better idea of such and the body of the bouse cut into small squares by lines of pin tucking. The shill shown in one of the Twenty-third street the blouse might appropriately accom-the blouse might appropriately accom-the blouse might appropriately accom-the blouse of dack het edged the little under-same of dack blue ceat and shirt szeres of cream net. sult, yet it is extravagantly smart and Another more complicated idea is worked

row he went down that unending line of to the heroism of Eccles and Binns of effect let us look at a charming model squares by lines of pin tucking. The shallittle buttons and buttonholes, that mar- wireless fame, says the Pittsburg Dispatch, shown in one of the Twenty-third street low guimpe of cream net was bordered by

been tempered, if not cooled, at one time wires. Aroused from sleep by the crack- the blouse might appropriately accom- hems of black net edged the little under-



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Is by no means the barbaric thing one might imagine.
A clever example of this type by Dumay has been sketched for this page and was built up in tucked gold net, gold ince and laid over this last type which have contram lace, the whole made over white chiffon and deliciously cobweby and gleaming without being spectacular. Another metallic blouse in dull gold net embroidered in soft Persian colorings and design was a thing of beauty which would tone in with almost any of the darker.
Metal is introduced freely upon many blouses of which it is not the principal element and the results obtained are often ment sind the results

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RICE et al against Walker et a heritage, a legacy received from predeal," droned the clerk of Judge cessors now dead, which is to be handed P Windes' branch of the circuit down to coming generations, see no other court recently. The judge sat end for the case. It has passed through motionless as the attorneys on so many vicissitudes that it is hard for

Long Drawn Out Litigation

hoth sides arose as from old its legal guardians to believe it ever can on and asked to have the case set ahead die. ninety days. At one time the suit seemed to have

It might have been "Jarndyce against suffered a mortal injury. The principal Jarndyce," the clerk called, and no one complainant became the chief defendant would have smilled in the hall of justice, and there appeared to be no way to keep "Price et al against Walker et hl," the breath of life in the aged friend. The has been in the courts of Cook county for legal physicians injected older precedents forty-five years. And now it is set ahead and more obscure arguments into the for ninety days-that is all, just ninety controversy, and the patient was brought days. But no one around the court ex- around hale and heary as ever. And repects the venerable chancery suit to pass cently "Price et al against Walker et al" out of existence at the end of that period, was at the top of the chancery calendar If a concrete illustration of the law's when Judge Windes opened court. It went delays which President Taft in his Fecent over two days, and has now been given Chicago address pointed out as a blot on further life.

American jurisprudence had been sought, The story opens with the migration of "Price et al against Walker et al" would Samuel J. Walker to Chicago in 1853. He have served the purpose. Nor would it started in the real estate business, and have been the only illustration afforded many a piece of Chicago property passed by the records of the Chicago courts. through his hands. One of his deals was Another case, "Holladay against Ewing." opening Walker's subdivision, in Canalpulled, hauled, dragged, showed, motioned, port, along the river bank, from Twentypetitioned, demurred and appealed through second sireet to Thirty-first, and extendthe courts for nearly forty years. Then it ing as far west as Western avenue. In literally diead a natural death. All the is some of this property that still is in original litigants had passed to their ac- litigation, and, although it is occupied, count and there was no one left to prose- and has been for many years, by railcute or defend. road tracks and buildings, the title is Perhaps "Price et al against Walker et said to be ao clouded that even the suit's al" may go the same way in time. At- oldest friends cannot see through it -torneys and their clerks, who view it as Chicago Tribuns.



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