

Black Velvet Bridge Gown



Black velvets are for fall and winter, and suits and costumes, both for afternoon and evening wear.

WHAT'S THE USE?



Things You Want to Know

The Government at Work—The Navy Department.

Few of the departments of the government have shown such a remarkable growth in a single decade as the Department of the Navy.

The newest guns in the navy are to use 14-inch projectiles, weighing 1,400 pounds, and their recoil will be equivalent to 8,000 foot-tons.

The bureau of construction and repair is responsible for the structural strength and stability of naval vessels, and designs and superintends the building, fitting and repairing of the ships of the navy.

The average warship begins to decline in usefulness after ten years. It is then said to become obsolescent.

The administrative details of the department are handled by a number of bureaus. That of navigation looks after the issuance, recording and enforcement of the orders of the secretary to the individual officials of the navy.

The naval observatory looks after the question of time on shipboard, furnishing all navigating officers with full equipment of astronomical charts and other information to enable them safely to navigate the seas under all sorts and conditions of weather.

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The DIARY of DOLLIE A Summer Girl BY M.F.

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FRIDAY—Tom has been frightfully unkind to me. He said such positively brutal sort of things that the tears really came into my eyes the other night.

He said I played fast and loose with him. In fact, he said a great many things that I didn't like at all, though I must admit he seemed very clever. What a wonderful character he has to refuse to allow me to play fast and loose with him.

Even though I care nothing at all for him, I don't like to see these stout blondes trying to flirt with him. I asked him afterward what he thought of her and he said she had a good figure. So then I asked him what he thought of her hair.

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Brightside and His Boy

BY LAFAYETTE PARKS

"Now that the long winter evenings are approaching," begins Brightside, "what plans are you making for spending them profitably?"

"The bunch has been after me to chip in on a bowling club racket," replied Son, setting himself in the Morris chair and digging up a "soffin" cigar.

"When one travels abroad there is nothing like a knowledge of French and German," continues Father.

"That very pretty little motto is standing on top of the desk of every boss I ever met in New York," relates Son. "I don't object if it makes him any happier, but that line of business will never make anybody work as fast as a couple of extra bucks to real money."



SHE'S JUST CRAZY ABOUT ELOCUTION

"If you can't think of any study that will aid you in your business," persists Father, "why not try some mental exercise that will prove a recreation?"

"I am a bold campaigner who fears naught—I was proved of yore—save one thing, which I'll name to you. And that I fear full sure A room would settle over the land Where daily I rejoice; An editorial article would take command If I should lose my voice."



"TOM HAS BEEN FRIGHTFULLY UNKIND."

"I think she is too much too fat, and she was very poor I know all the men would think so, too. But she gets such expensive and wonderfully fitting gowns and corsets that they think her figure is superb.

Items of Interest for the Women Folk

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One-Piece Models for New Gowns are Trying to the Stout Women

Stout women will learn with regret that the long lines so becoming to them are absent from the advanced models in gowns designed for the coming season.

The empire is a good model for the short woman, unless she is unduly stout, because the short waist effect makes the skirt longer and length below the waist line suggests height.

ELIZABETH LEE

OFF Season. The pugilist must take a rest. This is his day of gloom, while making a hole in the wall. He has to stand around and wait. And give the foot ball room.