

Benson Society

Benson Woman's Club. Mrs. C. N. Wolfe, chairman of the program committee of the Benson Woman's club, submits the following programs to be studied during the club year: October 27—Nebraska law, including inheritance, school, labor, property and citizenship. November 10—Exhibit of Nebraska art, painting and pottery. December 8—Membership tea. January 5—Nebraska history and industry. January 19—Book review, "Brimming Cup," paper, "Who's Who in Nebraska Literature." February 2—Book review, "Song of the Lark," paper, "Naturalism in American Literature." February 16—John Neihart's "The Three Friends" (1920 prize poem), and "Two Mothers," paper, "Contrast Fame and Publicity of American Poets." March 10—Paper, "Technic of the Short Story." Review stories from Richardson, Keene Abbott and Besse Aldrich. March 30—Book review, "Age of Innocence" paper, "Who's Who in American Fiction." April 14—Book review, "Alice Adams," paper, "General Philosophy of Literature," and "Contrast and Comparisons of Year's Literature Study." Union Services. Union sacred services will be held Sunday evening on the Presbyterian church lawn. Rev. L. W. Meyers, pastor of the Benson Christian church, having charge of the service. Music will be furnished by the Presbyterian choir. Zion Brotherhood Entertains. The brotherhood of the Zion Lutheran church entertained Tuesday evening, July 26 on the church lawn. Rev. Bloomquist, formerly of Benson, was the principal speaker of the evening. F. B. Oliver sang two selections accompanied by Mrs. Robert S. Allen. Belle Rebekah Lodge. The regular meeting of the Belle Rebekah lodge will be held Monday evening, August 1, in the I. O. O. F. hall. Sunday Dinner Guests. Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Young sr., son, Robert and daughter, Grace and Gladys, were dinner guests Sunday at the country home of Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Sager. Royal Neighborhood Kensington. Mrs. Charles Thompson, 6040 Binney street, will be hostess Friday, August 5, at an all day session of the Royal Neighbors Kensington. Basket luncheon will be served at 12:30. All members urged to be present. Picnic at Carter Lake. Dr. and Mrs. W. A. Wilcox and daughter Hazel, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Wilcox and Mr. and Mrs. B. W. Combs and family picnicked Saturday evening at Carter Lake club. One O'Clock Luncheon. Mrs. C. N. Wolfe was hostess Friday at a 1 o'clock luncheon at her home in honor of Miss Katherine Evans of Winner, S. D., and Mrs. J. M. Hacker of Omaha. Covers were laid for 10. Motor Party. Mr. and Mrs. C. O. Hurd and 12 friends motored to Glenwood, Ia. Sunday, where they enjoyed a picnic dinner served on the lawn of the institution grounds. The evening was spent in Fairmont park, Council Bluffs. Mid-Summer Festival. Benson Epworth league members will entertain a Friday evening August 5, on the Methodist church lawn at a mid-summer festival. A moving picture screen will be erected and pictures shown at 7 and 8 o'clock. At intervals during the evening, a colored quartet will sing old plantation, camp meeting and popular selections. Fish ponds will add another attraction. Tables laden with homemade cake and candy, ice cream and lemonade, watermelon and cantaloupe sundae will be presided over by the young ladies of this society. Proceeds of this entertainment will go to the Willard Memorial fund. Entertains at Luncheon. Mrs. Claud Reed entertained at a luncheon of eight covers at her home in Benninghurst Friday. Miss Edith Mulholland of Malvern, Ia., was honor guest. Mrs. Schaeffer Entertains. Complimentary to her sister, Mrs. J. A. Graham, and Dr. Graham of San Francisco, and her brother, A. O. Nelson of Crofton, Neb., Mrs. A. Schaeffer entertained 25 guests at her home Wednesday evening, July 27. Dr. and Mrs. Graham left Thursday evening for Milwaukee, where he will attend the National Dental convention. Vacationists. Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Whistler and Mrs. C. H. Stephens left Friday for Yellowstone park, Sheridan, Wyo., and Denver, Colo. The party will be gone three weeks. Rev. O. W. Ebright and Mrs. Ebright leave Monday, August 1, for North Platte, Neb., where they will spend three weeks visiting relatives and friends. Mr. and Mrs. Gorton Roth are at Estes Park for a few weeks. Mr. and Mrs. Harry Knudsen were dinner guests Friday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. O. Hurd. Picnic for Orphans. The children of St. James orphanage were entertained at a picnic Tuesday at Krug park. Ladies' Aid Picnic. Members of the Presbyterian Ladies' Aid and their friends will picnic Tuesday, August 2, at Krug park. Basket luncheon will be served at 12:30. West of Benson Improvement Club. The West of Benson Improvement club entertained at a lawn social Saturday evening, July 23, at the home of A. C. Thomas, Keystone park. The Rev. John Calvert, John Hopkins and Charles McDonald gave interesting short talks. Music was furnished by Mrs. J. R. Koch and daughters, Edith and Jeanette. Ice cream, cake and cherry punch was served. Surprise Wedding. Camouflaging a vacation motor trip for a honeymoon was the part played by Miss Donna Lucile Hawes and F. W. Smith, jr., of Beatrice, Neb. Miss Hawes, daughter of Mrs. Belle Hawes of Omaha, accompanied Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Smith and

Miss Dunn Returns



Miss Bernice Dunn

Miss Bernice Dunn returned Wednesday from Charleston, Ill., where she has resided during the past year. She has been in charge of the reading and expression department

F. W. Smith, jr., of Butte, Neb., and Dallas, S. D., while at Dallas the young couple drove over to Armour, S. D., and were married at the home of the Master Mason, M. B. Boylau, J. C. Brown, pastor of the Baptist church, officiating. Mr. and Mrs. Smith returned to Omaha with the party and will be at home after August 1 at Beatrice, Neb.

Sunday School Picnic. Members of the Presbyterian Sunday school picnicked Saturday afternoon at Elmwood park, leaving the church at 1:30 and returning at 8 p. m.

M. E. Standard Bearers. Members of the Methodist Standard Bearers will be entertained Monday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Reishaw, 6561 Maple street. Subject for the lesson study will be "The Children of the Orient." Refreshments will be served.

Birthday Surprise. Mrs. Harry Reed of Dundee entertained Friday evening at a birthday dinner in honor of her husband. A large birthday cake adorned with pink and white candles formed the centerpiece for the table. The decorations and favors were also in pink and white. Covers were laid for 12.

Persons. N. H. Tyson is ill at his home in Dundee. Mrs. James Maney has been ill during the past week. O. Arthur Melcher is convalescing from an attack of pneumonia. Mrs. Howard Hutton arrived home Sunday from a visit in Chicago. Anna Marie Brodegaard is home from a camping trip at Lake Okoboji. Miss Edna Snell spent the early part of the week in Plattsmouth, Neb.

Floyd Norman returned Sunday from a three weeks' visit at Stockport, O. Mr. and Mrs. John McColl will return Sunday from a two weeks coast trip. Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Goddard and daughter, Virginia, returned Saturday from Fort Smith, Ark. Mr. and Mrs. Joseph MacGrath of Sioux City spent Sunday at the home of Mrs. K. Liljenstolpe. Miss Dora Brumfield is at the home of her brother, C. W. Brumfield and Mrs. Brumfield. The Misses Marian and Thelma Wolfe returned Monday from a two-weeks visit at Gregory, S. D. Mr. and Mrs. R. L. McCurley have as their guest, Mrs. McCurley's sister, Mrs. C. B. Monroe of Denver, Colo. Frank Corbaley of New York was a guest during the past week of his brother, J. L. Corbaley and Mrs. Corbaley. The Misses Mary Belle Smith and

of the Eastern Illinois State Teachers' college there. En route home Miss Dunn made an extended visit in St. Louis, Mo., with friends. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Dunn of Benson

Lavonne Anderson of Red Oak, Ia., guests of the Misses Hazel and Grace Giles. Mrs. Allen Smith of Cheyenne was a guest the latter part of the week at the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Palmquist. Mrs. L. E. Dean and niece, Miss Leah Edgerton of Meckling, S. D., will spend the remainder of the summer with relatives and friends in Benson.

Mrs. William Correll and son, Chester, left by auto Saturday for Pipestone, Minn., where they will spend a month with relatives and friends.

J. L. and Robert Goodbody, who are enroute to their home in New York from a trip to Glacier park, Montana, spent the early part of the week at the home of their brother, J. M. Goodbody, of Keystone Park.

Plan for Garden Clothes. This is the time to make your garden clothes. Of late years the garden smock and the garden apron have proved themselves to be really worth while parts of a woman's wardrobe. This is largely, of course, because American women have gone in for gardening more and more. They have followed England in that matter and now there is a really large body of American women who garden in a real sense of the word. They really dig and plant and weed and water.

This new phase of American outdoor life naturally called for new clothes. A garden party frock was well enough for walking down a grassy path between blooming rose bushes, and a little white Swiss morning frock was quite suitable to wear when one went in the dewy morning to gather sweetpeas from the garden. But when one went after cur worms and dandelions, when one mixed lime with soil and transplanted seedlings from the cold frame to garden bed—then, you see, one needed workaday clothes.

Well, fashion, as always, has come to the rescue. There are always clothes when clothes are needed and charming ones, too. And now we have practical but really beautiful garden clothes for everybody. It is really a very good plan to have an all enveloping smock of the kind artists wear for the roughest sort of garden work. Get it, if you can, in brown or tan, so that earth stains will not show badly on it. This you need wear only for the really rough garden work. It is well worth while for that, however, for it covers one's frock and protects it and at the same time is not delicate enough to show garden stains.

But for the ordinary work in the garden, the pruning, the weeding, the small job of transplanting, picking flowers and making garden plans on the ground, the more ornamental garden clothes are quite satisfactory.

PERMANENTLY established in the heart of every woman is the sweater and sports skirt costume. The Mode Pleating Company, fourth floor Paxton block, Sixteenth and Farnam, suggest, most sensibly, too, that one take time by the forelock and have her pleated sports skirt re-pleated and cleaned for early fall wear. "Before the fall pleating rush begins," as Mrs. Tarpenning, owner and manager of this great shop, whimsically expresses it.

Sweaters and Pleated Sports Skirts in Higher Popular Favor Than Ever Before. A SHOPPING bureau is conducted by "Polly" at the disposal of all out-of-town readers. Visitors at lakes or in distant cities may find it necessary to replenish their summer outfits, require an additional stock of toilet requisites, stationery, or materials for fancy work. Enclose stamped envelope for statement of mailing date of purchase, your only expense for service rendered!

25% DISCOUNT During August

- On account of our inexpensive location we are able to give better values for less money. 36-inch Hudson Seal Coat with large Marten collar and cuffs. \$280.00 36-inch French Seal Coat \$98.00 36-inch Marmot Coat \$98.00 36-inch Muskrat, at \$145.00

Mink Capes, Stoles, Chokers, accordingly. Remodeling our specialty.

F. Berkowitz Fur Co. 2818 Leavenworth St. Harney 2763.



Fur Style Exposition an August Institution in All Great Fur Stores

Quite excellent all former fur style expositions is the August showing of furs in the retail shop of the National Fur & Tanning Company, Athletic Club building, Seventeenth and Douglas. In readiness for the opening day of the sale are regal coats, gracefully draped expanses of furs in exquisitely fashioned peltries; unusually charming stylings; ravishing fur combinations. The linings show a tendency to tread a quiet path for the greater part, most of them choosing neutral colorings with glinting brocading by way of variety, keeping the resolution for quiet coloring until the very hen when they are quite apt to break into a great band of embroidery in metal stitching.

Perhaps the most striking piece in the show of art fur pieces is an American broadtail coat, novel in the fur style world. With lines that follow a graceful snugness, inclined to be a bit circular, the great collar with tuxedo muif effect at the front waistline is fashioned of Russian squirrel dyed an exquisite Kolinsky brown. Heightening the charm of the circular back is the pointed belt, tightly stitched to the body of the coat, a color contrast of rich brown to the light tan of the silky broadtail. Other luxuriously fashioned coats to be noted are in Alaska Seal, Hudson Seal and Mole.

Interesting to know is the fact that the August fur prices are 25 per cent below the regular marked prices and the authoritative statement of furriers that nothing is to be gained by waiting as the market shows a steady price increase. Furs today are selling in some instances at half what they were a year ago, and you'll find the National Fur & Tanning Company's selection an unusually large and beautiful one with prices to take one's breath with their reasonableness!

Artistic Standard Frames Offered at Less Than Prewar Prices.

ON display in the picture department of the Brandeis Stores, southwest corner fourth floor, are three lots of standard frames, a sample line secured from an eastern manufacturing company. They would be attractive, indeed, even if much higher in pricing, and prove truly irresistible at the liberal discount prices quoted. Lot 1, \$2.98 each; lot 2, \$5, and lot 3, \$7. A 25 per cent discount price has also been placed on all hanging frames and moldings, making this an opportune time for the framing of new pictures, or reframing some of the old ones. Twenty more of those lovely polychrome mirrors have just been received to sell at \$8.98.

Until One Has Personally Observed the "Ins and Outs" of a Permanent Wave

WATCHED it go into the water with a loose swathing of Roman striped rubberized silk, emerge dripping but more way than before being wet, to hold one's breath the next morning for fear the precious curls might have straightened during the night, then wondrous sensation to know beyond a doubt that the wave was "in" and "in" to stay—until I say one has done all of this one can't properly appreciate a permanent wave. For traveler or stay-at-home the boundless pleasure of a wave done at the Comfort Shop, fourth floor Securities building, Sixteenth and Farnam, cannot be properly estimated. I'll be glad to send price quotations upon request.

Vacation Togs Cleaned in Modern Manner at Home.

OMAHA'S ultra-smart vacationers are planning to bring all of their vacation togs for the splendid cleaning service rendered at the great plant of Fresh Brothers, Twenty-second and Farnam. The popular organdie and swiss frocks which needs must be dry cleaned, sweaters in the novelty knitted wools, lustrous silks and fibers, sports hats, vividly tinted ribbons, party frocks of delicate sheerness, exquisitely fashioned gloves, sports frocks and separate skirts, all of the swagger bits of apparel that go to make up a successful summer.

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I am part of the greening grass, A part of the stars and sun; My heart is a part of the falling dew, The rose and my soul are one. I shall live in a silver-maple When the winds and the rain are old; In the sunset light of a winter night I shall sail in a ship of gold. For I am a part of a day gone by, A part of the years to be, A part of the strife and the joy of life, And they each are a part of me. —INTIMACY, by HERBERT RANDALL.

MY DEARS:

"Mi-Saison," the sparkling crest of the wave of Summertime just before it breaks upon the shores of Autumn—jubilant with the festivity, frivolity and freedom of informal summer pleasures, has been chosen as vacation time by your shopping lady. There will be no shopping column the first two weeks of August while Polly enjoys the summer panorama in far-distant cities, returning full of zest to bring you the latest and best in voguish vagaries of Fashion for the coming season.

Furniture Store Joins the Ranks of August Sale Promoters.

THE H. R. Bowen Furniture Store, Sixteenth and Howard, is starting a gigantic furniture clearance sale of everything in their store starting early Monday morning. Surprising, indeed, are the prices resulting from the sweeping reduction—many pieces selling at just one-half their regular selling prices. Exquisite separate pieces to add artistic touch to any room, great roomy davenport or arm chair, luxurious da-bed upholstered in softest napped velours delicately tinted, dainty little spinet desks and telephone sets in selected woods, period dining room suites, comfort promising bedroom furnishings, the new pieces revelations of space conserving. Unusually large selection is offered in the sun parlor furniture department, hundreds of wicker in exceptionally fine finishes beautifully upholstered in exotically shaded flowers and foliage or in the more neutral colorings of gray, blue and brown. I'll be glad to do your "salsing" for furniture this week!

Flappers will love the new pongee blouse shown in one of the blouse shops—smartly tailored its pleats follow an ordered beauty much to be desired.



Lace blouses will hold first place for dressy wear. Some of the smart trimmed ones are fashioned in dyed Irish and deep cream chantilly. Net trimmed with Valenciennes is also considered good.

Champagne-hued and taupe stockings are in the lead for both street and evening. Black silk stockings are almost passe, according to reports from Parisian fashion centers.

Corset News For Flappers And Forties.

FIFTH in Hattie Putnam's corset talks: "Half the women who complain of backache would have no backache if they would support the abdomen with a proper corset. The best illustration of this I know is that in England during the war corsets were put on the non-essential or luxury list. Then the women were called upon to work in the munition plants and to do other heavy labor. And it was found that these women could not do the work without corsets. So true was this proved after expert investigation that in many cases the factories and government had to furnish the corsets in order to get 100 per cent efficiency out of the women workers. Women have not the physical strength of men, so they must get it artificially and corsets protect the muscles and take the strain off the nerves. Corsets are no longer only a matter of fashion—they are a hygienic necessity." You will find Hattie Putnam's Nu-Bone corset shop on the fifth floor Karchak block, Fifteenth and Douglas.

Vacation Pictures Can Never Be Repeated.

HOW necessary then is it to have them properly developed and printed! The Kase Studio, second floor Neville block, Sixteenth and Harney, will take splendid care of all films "snapped" during vacation jauntings. Mail them in en route, marking the ones you especially wish to preserve. They will use their expert judgment and if the possibilities promise good enlargements will enlarge tiny prints into any size desired. Their tinting service is unusually fine, too. I'll be glad to send prices upon request.

Gift Shop Which Makes Special Effort to Fill Small Gift Needs.

THE John Henrickson Jewel Shop, Sixteenth and Capitol, has assembled a most charming collection of small gifts in silver pieces, intimate toilet vanities with tiny compartments for powder, mirror, coins and cards, uniquely fashioned wrist watches, smart dinner rings and pins, baskets, trays, composites in silver and Libbey and Hawkes cut glass. Links for the masculine member of the family who chooses only the more quiet vanities of dress, conservative scarf pins, cigarette cases and those new wine cups in leather cases which prove most pleasi g gift offerings.

Picnic Lunch Hamper Service Up-to-Date.

THE New Delicatessen, Eighteenth and Farnam, have a well-planned picnic luncheon hamper service which quite fills every picnic need. Salads, sandwiches, relishes, fruits and cakes, one will find in dainty wrappings upon opening the hamper. Napkins, forks, knives, spoons and cups are provided as well, all without a bit of worry to the picnicker. Lunches are cleverly provided too for the business houses upon their annual picnics. Call Douglas 5772 stating number you wish provided for, time of starting, etc.

A Shop Which Makes Beautiful Furniture.

THERE is a shop in Omaha which makes exquisitely beautiful furniture—The American Upholstering Company, 617 South Sixteenth street. Quantity carved mahogany frame-work of unusual designing holds overstuffed cushioning expertly constructed covered in imported tapestries and art velours. You'll find the price of two and three-piece suites of a surprising lowness. Their re-upholstering and reupholstering of furniture is excellent.

What They Are Wearing.

Tablecloth frocks are being noted. Pearl bracelets are the latest jewelry fad. Cire ribbon is proving its value as a trimming. Velvet and hatters plush are being worn. Many fall garments will be pleated, it is reported.

Automobile Upholstering A Fine Craft.

THE Universal Auto Top Company, Nineteenth and Douglas, have developed their service into one of which Omaha may well be proud. It is not unusual to see luxurious cars on their floors in process of re-upholstering to new loveliness, for the owners of Pierce-Arrows and Packards feel that the redecoration of their cars can be left to the excellent judgment and workmanship of Mr. Stevenson, the manager of this shop. A four passenger Packard Sedanette, owned by one of the beautiful young society women of town, is now on the floor with its cushions taking on new beauty as they're being covered in a richly tinted light tan fabric.

Pleasing Contrast To Green Surfaces of Velvety Lawns—Lovely With Colorful Masses of Flowers

ARE the bird baths and benches at the Ideal Cement Stone Company, Thirty-first and Spaulding. Exceedingly low in price, indeed, quite within the price range of everyone, these exquisite are proving a source of delight to beauty lovers. I'll be glad to send illustrated folders with price quotations upon request.

Tempus Fugit—Time Flies.

HOW often one hears the above. Nowhere is the passing of time more noticeable than in the ready-to-wear shops. At the Lamond Specialty Shop, Second floor Securities building, Sixteenth and Farnam, they are offering adorable apparel at startling price reductions. One little lady out in the state would now be delighted to buy a Marvella wrap in reindeer shade, a lustrously lovely big drape affair trimmed in tailored points of the same material. Formerly priced at \$97.50 it may now be bought for but \$49.50. You'll find the Elton suits delightful for wear as little frocks all during the winter. These at \$37.50 and \$39.50 were values up to \$100. A closing out sale to make ready for the opening of the new store, Seventeenth and Farnam, on August 10.

Milady's New Fall Tailleur An Expression of the Designer Tailors Art.

IF she is a wise person milady will have early designing and tailoring of her fall suit. L. Kneeter, second floor Sixteenth and Howard, is even now making up the graceful long-coated suits which Dame Fashion has declared ultra-smart for the fall and winter semi-formal functions. You'll find a marvelous line of personally selected fabrics for suits and wraps in this tailoring shop.

Talented Girl Designer of Children's Frocks.

MISS LOIS THOMPSON, 2817 N. Nineteenth avenue, has proved herself a designer of note and many of the younger members of Omaha's Smart Set owe their chic appearance to Miss Thompson's cleverly designed frocks. Just send her the material and measurements, she will do the rest and a charming "rest" it is to be sure. Phone Webster 4092 for information as to prices, etc.

Fashion still clings to the lace evening gowns.

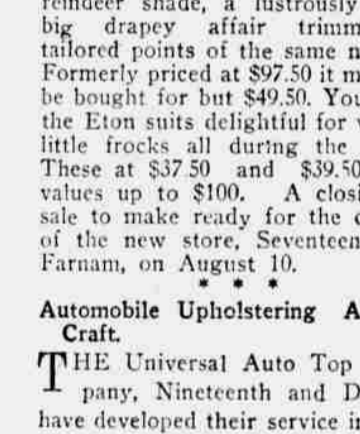
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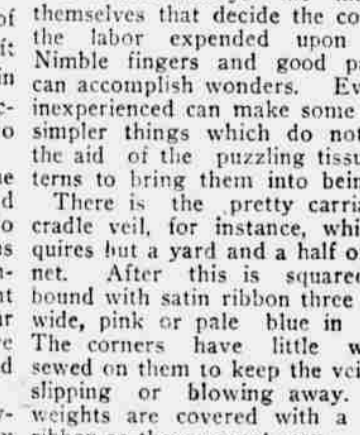
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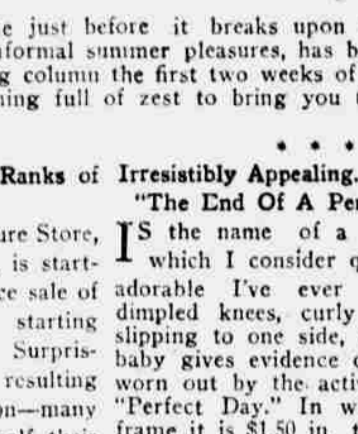


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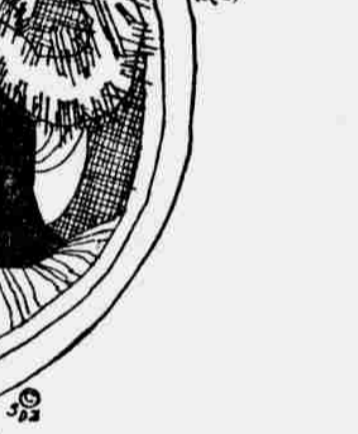
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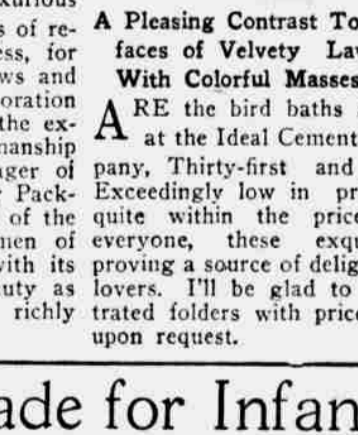
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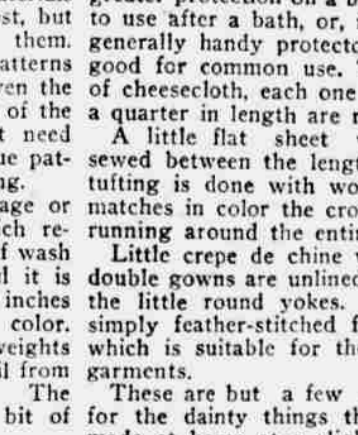
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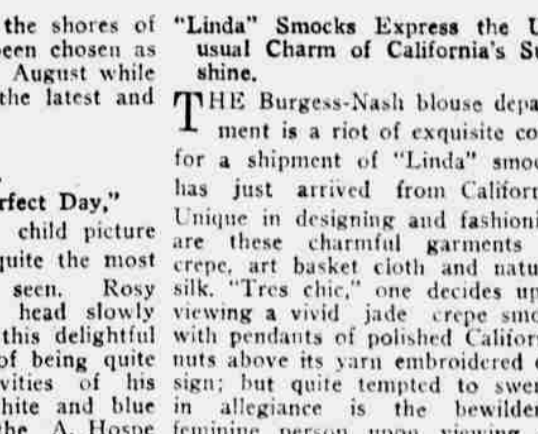


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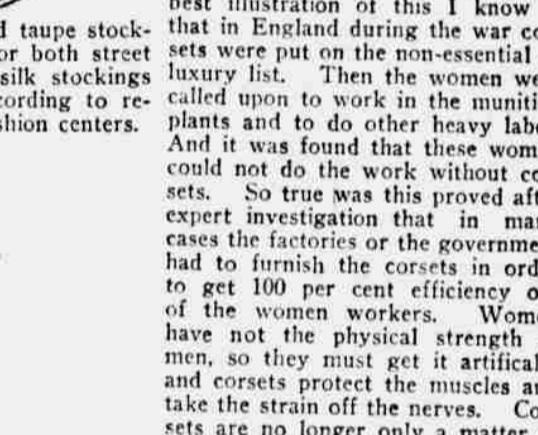
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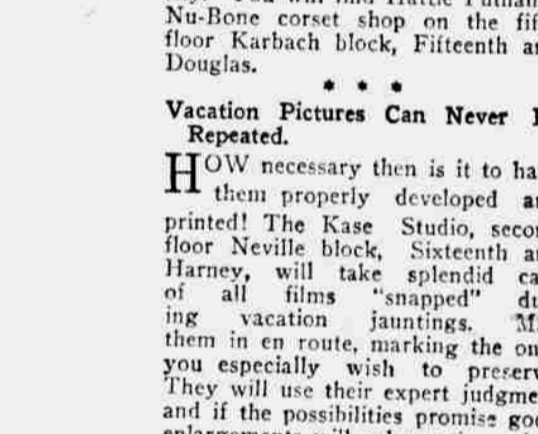
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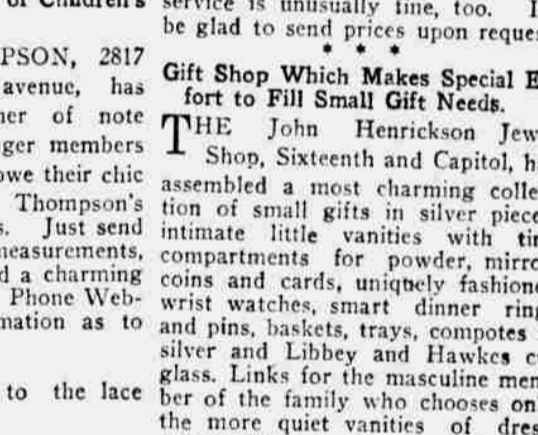
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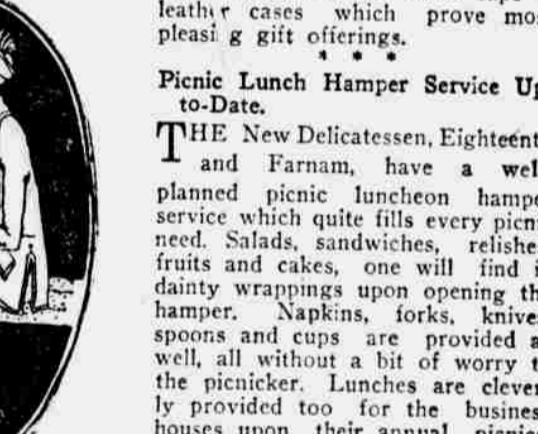
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