

How to Select Your Corsets



We give you five simple rules, or guides, that will turn the selection of your corset into a real pleasure:

- FIRST**—Decide that your figure is individual—that you need a corset designed for you, and it should be a front-lace corset.
- SECOND**—Go to the store where a competent graduate corsetiere is employed. Insist on an experienced sales person for your fitting.
- THIRD**—Remember that your corset dollars go further if you select two corsets at a time. One for home wear and another for social engagements and street wear.
- FOURTH**—Unless the corset you select gives you all day comfort, good wearing service, and style that is exclusive, your corset fails, regardless of what you pay for it.
- FIFTH**—You can forget the other rules if the Gossard label is sewn in your corset. There is a Gossard for every figure.

Our corsetiere will deem it a pleasure to fit you, without obligation, to a Special Gossard designed for your figure, at \$3.00, \$3.50, \$4.50, \$5.50, to \$12.50.

Hill's Department Store

ARCADE

DAINTY ENID BENNETT HERE.

Theme of Biggest Show On Earth Is Exciting and Dramatic.

Hurrah! The circus is on its way to town—the K.T. Mammoth One-Ring Circus! Only it will be seen on the screen at the Arcade Theater today and tomorrow, when "The Biggest Show on Earth," the latest Paramount picture produced by Thomas H. Ince and starring charming Enid Bennett, will be presented. When they see this beautiful motion picture the spectators will get all the thrills of the big top with a dandy motion picture drama thrown in.

Enid Bennett as Roxie Kemu, the circus heroine, is delightful. Jerome Storm, who directed her former Paramount plays, also directed "The Greatest Show on Earth," which was written by Florence Vincent. There is a particularly excellent cast, composed of Earl Rodney, the leading man; Ethel Lynn, Blissa Chevalier, Carl Stockdale and Melbourn MacDowell, the latter famous as an interpreter of Sardou roles.

The story is of a little girl of the sidewalk ring who learns on her seventeenth birthday that her mother was a lady of wealth and position, not of the circus, and that she is now to be educated according to her mother's wish. She is sent to school and there meets a young man and between them a friendship springs up.

Later the show comes to town but Roxie is fearful that her actual position in life will be found out and goes surreptitiously to see her father. She is insulted by one of the men at the circus and the latter is kicked out by her dad. The wretch seeks revenge by teasing the lions and scaring the woman trainer so that she refuses to go on with her act.

To save her father's reputation, Roxie goes through the lion taming act herself and is recognized by the man she has learned to love. Just as she is denounced by his proud mother, the father of her sweetheart enters, and tells them that he is the other half owner of the circus. Thus all is fixed up nicely for the two youngsters.

Miss Bennett is dainty, beautiful, clever, and serene wonderfully. In ideal in pictures and under Thomas H. Ince's supervision her work is invariably works of art and highly successful.

Chamberlain's Colic and Diarrhoea Remedy

Now is the time to buy a bottle of this remedy, so as to be prepared in case that any one of your family should have an attack of colic or diarrhoea during the summer months. It is worth a hundred times its cost when needed.—Adv.

SHERRY'S

CHINESE ACTOR WITH BUSHMAN AND BAYNE.

Johnathan Messa Chi Wu Lung is the name of the Chinese servant and bodyguard of Francis X. Bushman in "Cyclone Higgins, D.D."—D.D. don't stand for anything, he's a cyclone—a Metro All-Star Series picture in which he stars with Beverly Bayne at the Sherry Theater. Charles Fang, a real Chinaman, and an actor by profession plays this unusual character role of the Lung. This capable Oriental has played with Bushman and Bayne in several pictures, but in none of them has he done as clever acting as he does in "Cyclone Higgins, D.D." Just imagine the sight of a rustic parson and this droll Chinaman, astride a balky mule, entering a wild mountain village, where preachers are serenaded with pistol shots.

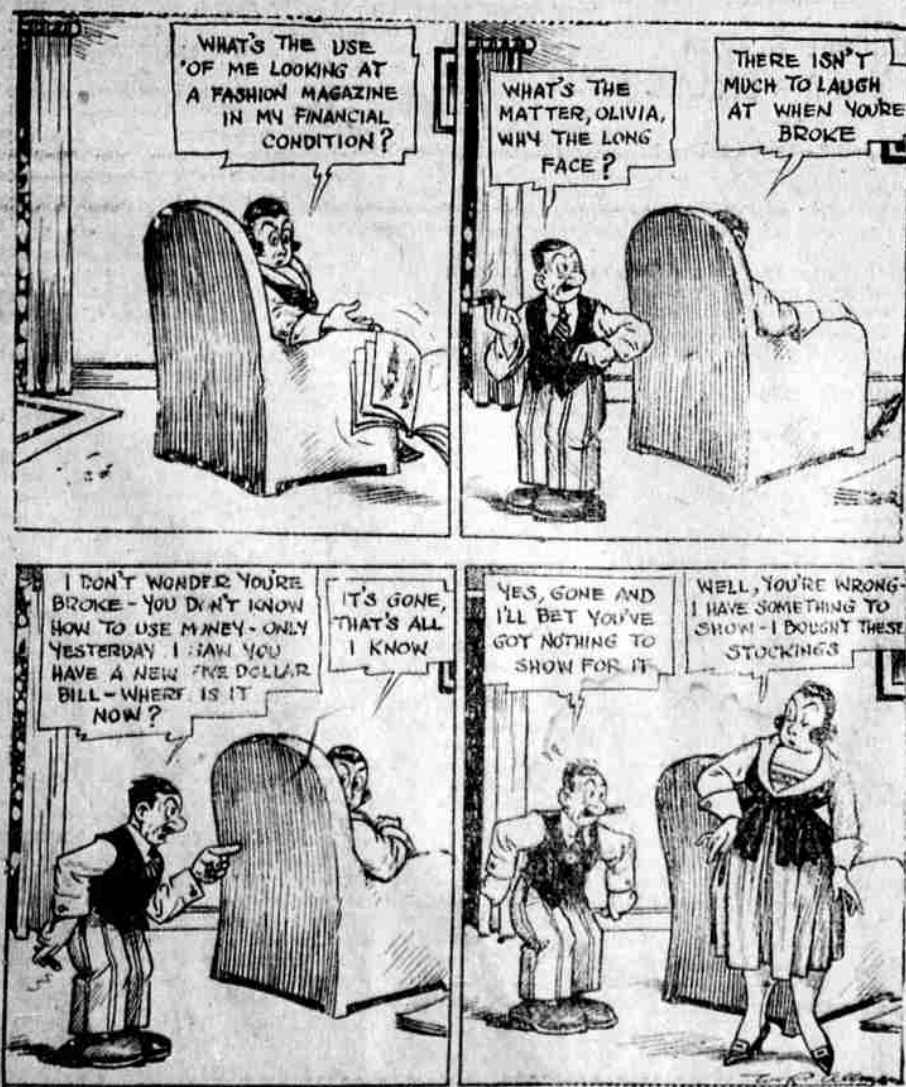
Also big Bill Hart in "Double Crossed," a great two reeler.

NOTICE.

All who have not returned the books used by the Community Chorus will please bring them to the special meeting at the Presbyterian church Wednesday evening. These are borrowed books and must be returned.

DOINGS OF THE DUFFS

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CONGRESSMAN SINNOTT TO GIVE OREGON A CHANCE

Examinations To Be Held In October Simultaneously In La Grande And Other Cities

Congressman Nick Sinnott will hold a competitive examination, open to every eligible boy in the Second Oregon District, for the West Point Military and Annapolis Naval Academy on October 19, 1918.

The examinations, which will be given for the congressman by the United States Civil Service Commission, will be held simultaneously in the following eight cities:

Klamath Falls, Ontario, Baker, Pendleton, Lakeview, Bend, La Grande and The Dalles.

Those candidates standing highest in each examination will be appointed as principals and alternates in order of standing to fill the one vacancy in West Point and one in Annapolis. Such successful candidates will take the official examinations in the spring of 1919 and if successful in same will enter the academies in June.

Candidates to be eligible must be bona fide residents of the Second Oregon District; and if trying for the West Point cadetship must be between 17 and 22 years of age on the date of admission; and if for appointment as midshipman at Annapolis between the ages of 16 and 20 at date of official examination.

Those interested should write at once to Hon. N. J. Sinnott, Room 242, House of Representatives, Washington, D.C., stating whether they prefer the naval or military academy and requesting copy of booklet giving full information and sample questions.

Are You One Of Them?

There are a great many people who would be very much benefited by taking Chamberlain's Tablets for a weak or disordered stomach. Are you one of them? Mr. M. R. Searl Baldwinville, N.Y., relates his experience in the use of these tablets: "I had a bad spell with my stomach about six months ago, and was troubled for two or three weeks with gas and severe pains in the pit of my stomach. Our doctor advised me to take Chamberlain's Tablets. I took a bottle home and the first dose relieved me wonderfully, and I kept on taking them until I was cured." These tablets do not relieve pain, but after the pain has been relieved may prevent its recurrence.—(Adv.)

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SOME CORSET FACTS



There are, of course, good corsets and bad corsets—A good corset molds you to its shape. You mold a poor corset to your shape. That is why your figure improves under the influence of an artistically designed and well made corset.

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PAULINE LEDLERE

BROWNIES

If a man has too much iron in his blood he may turn to steel.

Know of a man so struck on himself that he struts in his sleep.

Thrift stamps will help stamp militarism out of a troubled world.

When lovely women stoops to folly, 'tis time for men to scoot, by golly!

Some women are never perfectly happy unless they are perfectly miserable.

Leaves have their time to fall but fall never seemed to know when it was time to leave.

Nothing in the world speaks with more authority than a woman who has had three husbands.

Even if a woman has the best husband on earth it is no sign that she will meet him in heaven.

Women are not so blamed smart. Only about one in five knows how to put up her own hair.

What is wanted in this world is a brand of religion that would make a man eager to pay his taxes.

When it comes to fighting for democracy Uncle Sam appears to be the capable party who can go it a loan.

SOUP LORE OF ALSACE

He is as cheerful as sausage soup.

The weather clears off like four soup.

You have dished out your soup and now you must eat it.

You marry? Why, you don't know how to make water soup.

She must have had giggle soup today. (Of a girl who cannot stop laughing.)

If I did such a mean thing I should have to eat it with my soup every day.—Boston Transcript.

Observer advertising will bring results.

Those pound boxes of Talcum at 40c and 50c are bound to please every buyer. They are beautifully put up and nicely perfumed. They are the most economical Talcum Powder on the market, at Silverthorn's. By 6-29 '18

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The Harvest Season this year faces greater difficulties than ever before—we are referring, of course to the labor shortage.

Yet the Flag must be "planted" in the furrows! Uncle Sam needs help to meet the enormous demands the war has made upon his National resources. He needs our united efforts to send him "Over the Top" to victory.

Farmers and Patriots

It is the earnest wish of this Bank to show in every possible way, the real admiration we feel for the farmers of this community. Our appreciation of every man's effort leads us to make this suggestion: If we are able to save you a trip to town during the summer, we want you to phone or write us.

We will be glad to transact any small business, or to make purchases—such as a new part to replace that bit of broken machinery, for instance. Perhaps you may want us to send a check or draft away, or if necessary, even write a letter of importance for you.

Just give us good, clear instructions and you will find us ready and willing to assist you. Of course, there is no charge for this service.

With best wishes, we are Cordially yours,
T. J. SCROGGIN,
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A granary of this size can be moved anywhere and can be filled directly from the thresher, doing away with high priced labor handling and sewing sacks.

The boys in the trenches need the sacks for sand bags for the protection of their very lives and perhaps your boy is among them.

Spend your money in your own valley by buying lumber manufactured at home. When you buy sacks part of the money goes to India.

BUILD YOUR GRANARIES NOW

Be prepared by building them before the farming season opens up. Be sure to get good lumber, well seasoned, as low grade lumber will give you trouble in a few seasons. Don't use green lumber.

Save money—keep what you spend at home—prevent loss and damage from exposure to weather—leave the sacks for our boys in the trenches; help win the war by building granaries now.

Portable granaries of this type are universally used in other sections. One trip with a good team will haul the material for one granary. For particulars as well as prices on Union County lumber for all farm purposes, see

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