

What Smart Women Wear

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One Solution of the Bobbed Hair Problem—What is Called a Short Sleeve Muff.

I hear much speculation about bobbed hair among my friends who have been waiting their turn to get it. Word came from Paris recently that the bob is "demode" over there, and that it will soon be so over here. There were two opinions in camp when my bobbed hair friends heard this. One set asserted independence and defiance, and the other began worrying over what they were going to do about it.

The first say they don't care what Paris is doing. They have never been so happy as with short locks. The bob is so becoming, and so much more comfortable than long hair, they say—much more sanitary and easy to put up—or leave down, I should say.



FOR those who wish to give their bobbed hair time to grow again, or for those who wish to have a bobbed appearance without cutting off their locks, this transformation-bob, attached to a black velvet ribbon, is offered.

Even if they are to be outcasts, still they will not return to their old despised long hair. No crowning glory for them!

The second set are worrying, because even if they start right now to let their hair grow it is going to take some months for it to reach any length. And what are they going to look like in the meantime? Will they have to retire into private life during that awkward period, when the hair is still too short to do up properly, and too long to make anything but a lean and lanky bob.

I have told them not to trouble their precious heads. As if modern life and hairdressers did not provide for every contingency. To which end there is a special false bob that has come to fill their special need. It is a mass of curls and puffs, sewn onto a black velvet ribbon that goes around the head, the whole giving exactly the look of a bob. You will see it in the sketch. You can tuck up the short locks under the transformation and let them grow out again to the

desired length before you display them to the world, free and unadorned. It is a great little invention, this transformation, and can also be used, if you still crave to give a bobbed appearance in spite of Paris and without going to the extent of having your hair shorn. I know several of my friends who wear it.



The short-sleeve muff—a new Paris creation—supplements the sleeveless wrap, both of moleskin

The Short-Sleeve Muff.

As I remarked last week, the short sleeve is still with us. The latest invention for helping in its perpetuation is the short-sleeve muff. Observe it, my friends, in the second sketch! It is made of strips of mole, with long flaring cuffs. You push your arms into the muff, and these cuffs come away up on the arm. If you wish them only half-way up you can turn back the cuff, which is lined with a length of old-blue velvet ribbon and one of silver braid.

This short-sleeve muff has a companion piece in the shape of a short, sleeveless cape of mole. Sleeveless, of necessity! Otherwise the muff would be crowded out of its full value and beauty. The combination of the two, muff and cape—a French origination—make perfection. Muffs, by the way, "out" last year, are "in" again of which I shall have more to say next time.

CONSTRUCTION OF HOMES WILL TAKE BOOM, PREDICTED

WASHINGTON, D. C. May 10.—Construction of homes and apartment houses is beginning to boom throughout the United States, according to a statement by the federal reserve board.

There's Safety in Silence. People seldom find it necessary to apologize for saying too little.

COLLECTIONS FALL SHORT

ENTERPRISE, May 10.—Sheriff E. D. Rinehart has turned over to Treasurer E. T. Clayton \$132,587 as the tax money collected up to April 5, when the first half is due without penalty. As the total of the tax roll is \$501,995, the half due in April is \$250,997, and the payments fell short of this by \$118,410. That much more remains to be paid in the fall, or later on the delinquent roll.

The total state tax is \$106,972. This is less by \$29,792 than had been figured last fall. The latter sum is the elementary school tax which it was thought would have to go to Salem along with state taxes, but which remains in the county for distribution to the various districts by the superintendent. The first half of the state tax, or \$53,036, was sent to Salem last week.

This will leave a possible \$79,561 for the county to run on.

CONVENTION OF MERCHANTS TO BE IN AUGUST

PORTLAND, May 14.—The ninth annual convention of the Pacific Northwest Merchants' Association is to convene in this city August 1st to 6th. The importance of this convention is growing year by year. It is expected that this year's gathering will include delegates from Wyoming, Montana, Colorado, Alaska and from other far distant points, while the attendance from Oregon, Washington and Idaho will be much greater than any previous year, judging by the number of letters received by the committee in charge of the arrangements.

In connection with the convention, the ninth annual Buyers' Week, inaugurated by the manufacturers and jobbers of Oregon will be held. The committee has arranged one of the most elaborate series of entertainments in the history of the organization, including a "high jinks" for the men and theatre parties for the women. In addition there will be river excursions and trips about the city and its environs.

The committee has arranged with Portland jobbers and manufacturers to refund the railroad and Pullman fare of any merchant attending the convention, whose aggregate purchases from members of the association during the convention exceed \$500.00.

Cross on Fox's Back. The American red fox is found in many localities from Canada to Georgia, and westward to the great plains. says the American Forestry Magazine. When it exhibits a dark cross on the back and shoulders, it is known as the Cross fox, and when the animal is all black with a white-tipped tail, it is called the Black fox.

NOTICE OF BOND SALE

Notice is hereby given that the County Court of Union County, Oregon, will receive sealed bids until 10 A. M., on May 24th, 1921, at the County Court Room in the County House in La Grande, Union County, Oregon, for the purchase of serial bonds of said county for the construction of permanent roads there-in in the sum of \$400,000.00 in denominations of \$1000.00 each, and immediately thereafter, the bids will be publicly opened. The bonds offered for sale are dated May 15, 1921, and mature and become due and payable in numerical order, and at the following dates:

- Series No. 1, \$20,000 on January 15, 1925.
- Series No. 2, \$20,000 on January 15, 1926.
- Series No. 3, \$20,000 on January 15, 1927.
- Series No. 4, \$45,000 on January 15, 1928.
- Series No. 5, \$45,000 on January 15, 1929.
- Series No. 6, \$45,000 on January 15, 1930.
- Series No. 7, \$45,000 on January 15, 1931.
- Series No. 8, \$45,000 on January 15, 1932.
- Series No. 9, \$45,000 on January 15, 1933.
- Series No. 10, \$40,000 on January 15, 1934.

Said bonds to bear interest at the rate of 5% per cent per annum, payable semi-annually on January 15th and July 15th, of each year. Principal and interest payable in Gold Coin at the Fiscal Agency of the State of Oregon in New York City, N. Y. All bids for said bonds must be accompanied by a certified check for 2 per cent of the face value of the bonds bid for, and the successful bidder must be prepared to pay for, and receive said bonds within twenty days of sale.

The court reserves the right to reject any and all bids. The approving legal opinion of Teal, Minor & Winfree, of Portland, Oregon, will be furnished to the successful bidder.

By order of the County Court, C. R. MCCORMICK, County Clerk, La Grande, Oregon, Dly-Apr 30- My 7-14-21

NOTICE OF FINAL SETTLEMENT

Notice is hereby given that Edward L. Halley has filed in the county court of Union County, Oregon, his final account in the guardianship of James F. Halley, an incompetent person, and said court has set Monday, the 6th day of June, A. D. 1921, at two o'clock p. m., at the county court room in La Grande, Oregon, as the time and place for hearing such account and all objections thereto.

EDWARD L. HALLEY, Guardian of James F. Halley, incompetent. Dly. Apr. 29, May 7-14-21-28.

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Sales First Quarter, 1921 643 Cars
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There MUST Be a Reason Here It Is--

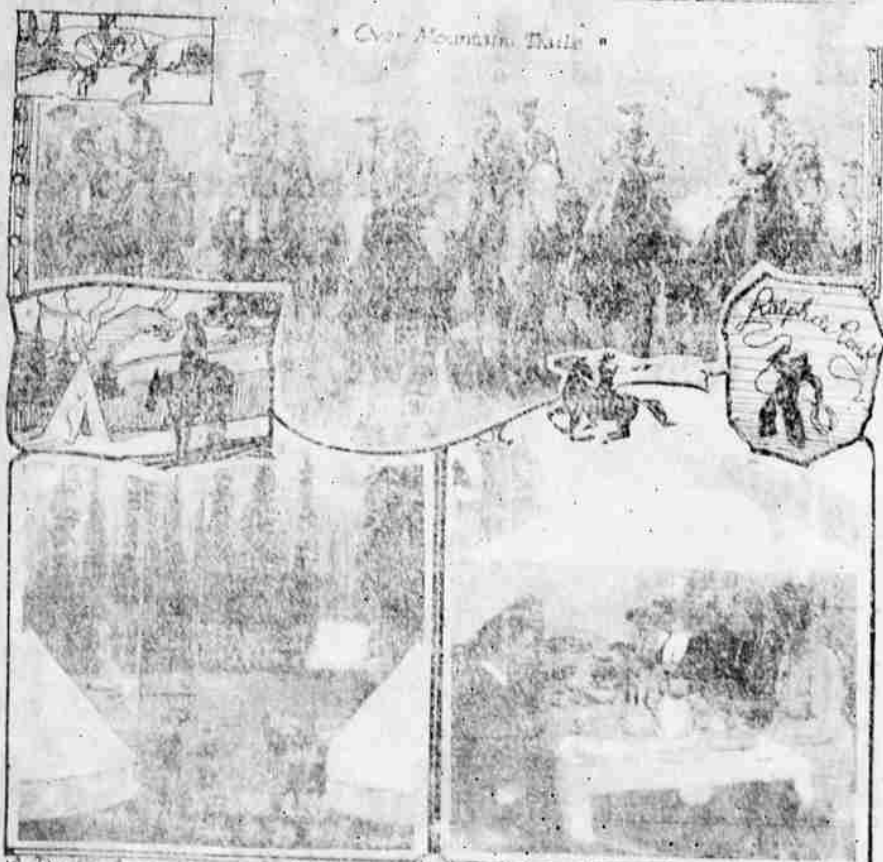
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Managers of fashionable hotels, as well as out-of-door enthusiasts are alive to the growing business of the traveling public for getting back to simple pleasures, as tennis, golf and swimming in the Canadian Rockies are being supplemented now by "Weekly Walking and Riding Tours." Among the thousands who visit the Canadian mountain resorts every summer, many express a desire to get back to the surrounding peaks and all the beauty tracks. Heretofore this has been possible only for the few, for the members of the Alpine Club or for parties who have made arrangements for guides, pack trains and coffins.

Now, however, known as the "McWhorter of the Rockies," is a three days' tour trip from Banff. This Pacific-Algonquian trip has been selected for the weekly tours. A large comfortable camp, located on an admirable site, will be maintained at Banff, Middle Springs. Accommodations may be had at this camp without taking the tour. Other camps are located at convenient distances along the main tour route which goes by way of Spray Lakes.

Excursions will be elastic. Should the scenery or trout fishing—which is very fine—of a certain camp seem to you, there is nothing to prevent a side-trip there as long as desired promptly, then joining another party for the balance of the tour.

Special side trips may be arranged to Kanaskia Lake and Banff, Jasper Park, Mt. Redoubt, Mt. Whiteman, Marvel Lake, Lake Gloria and other points of interest.

The return trip may be made by way of The Valley of the Rocks, Golden Valley, Castle Pass, Heavy Creek and Bow River.

The tour has been designed especially for tourists, mountaineers, artists, scientists, botanists, fishermen and lovers of nature, but is for the benefit of the general public. The route is laid among some of the most magnificent and spectacular scenery in the Canadian Rockies.

Comfortable camps, furnished food and beds, the fact that no preliminary arrangements are necessary as the tour will outfit you, should you decide to hand take the tour, reasonable charges. Also the fact that A. O. Wheeler, president of the Alpine Club of Canada, is the man behind the idea insure its popularity and success.