

FRESHENING SUMMER TOGGERY

HINTS ON RENEWING DRESSES THAT BEGIN TO LOOK OLD - HOT-WEATHER UNDERWEAR

UNLESS it is constantly renewed or freshened, August in the month when the Summer wardrobe takes on a faded air...

For one thing, all diaphanous gowns, whether of wool or cotton, should be kept well pressed; first dampening muslin with a weak solution of gum arabic and water...

A bewitching afternoon costume is in novelty Swiss—big black balls on a white ground. The skirt has two deep founces, cut on the straight and edged with bias bands of plain white...



THE DAINTY FROCK OF THE CLEVER NEEDLEWOMAN.

piece shaping a banique effect at the back and hips. The lower portion of the blouse bodice is of the plain ergandy. The upper consists of an embroidered yoke...

ready-made production a dear possession, but women clever with the needle find in such styles agreeable outlets for superfluous energies.

A SUMMER LUNCHEON

COLD DISHES, BUT TASTY AND SUBSTANTIAL, ARE NEEDED - HINTS ON SERVING

AMONG Summer functions the luncheon often takes precedence of the dinner, especially if one is entertaining friends for a day in the country.

deep pudding dish, fill with the chicken meat, and add the chicken broth. Then season to taste. Cover the top with a layer of crisp and baked bread...

bottom of the bowl. After the handkerchiefs have been washed and dried in the usual way, dip each one separately in this starch...

- MENU. Grape Fruit, Iced Bouillon, Cold Soft-Shell Crabs, Sauce Tartar, Cold Chicken Pasty...

Select ripe fruit, peel and remove the seeds. Cut in a pineapple in half and separate with a silver fork, leaving the hard core in the hand...

As a fertilizer for the kitchen garden the water in which dishes have been washed is highly recommended. Tomato plants are said to thrive particularly well if treated to a bath of this water...

halves, and thoroughly chilled. Cut the tough membrane from each section, so that it can easily be removed, sweetened slightly and flavored with sherry. Stand on ice until needed, then garnish with candied cherries.

Flannels and lace striped scrims make dainty draperies for fancy bed dressing. A pretty way to make the spread is to join the widths of net and scrim with insertion and finish with a three-inch frill to match.

one of yeast dissolved in a gill of warm milk; mix it lightly and quickly with a knife, handling it as little as may be, shape it into scones or buns, putting these into shape with the mixing knife...

In so simple a matter as slicing bacon there is a right way and a wrong. Lay your bacon on a board with the rind side down. Then with a very sharp knife cut down to the rind, but do not try to cut through it...

A starch for handkerchiefs that will make them look exactly as they did when taken from the box in the shop is made by placing six drops of bluing in two quarts of water and adding a piece of raw starch the size of a walnut.

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Notes of Fashion. Linen gowns in the pretty new shades of green, blue, pink and gray are made with Gibson waists, attached with white.

Notes of Fashion. Marie Antoinette fichus and Corday berths are a distinctive and attractive nature of some of the prettiest Summer gowns.

THE AMERICAN GIRL'S VOICE

ONE THING HER ADMIRERS DO NOT PRAISE IN HER - INHALATION AND FUMIGATION GOOD FOR THE VOCAL CHORDS

The laudation which has been so freely given to the American girl in recent years has not included praise of her voice. Her beauty, dress, manner, vivacity, style and wit have all come in for praise...

Modern writers abroad have avoided the blunderous error made by so many of their predecessors in attributing to all American women a fondness for the use of slang spoken through the nose. Only a very few women from certain parts of the East talk with the nasal twang...

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