



Fads and Fashions. By Florence Fairbanks. NEW YORK, Jan. 25.—The long, slim lines of the figure that were predicted some time ago are now appearing very frequently in models and in gowns worn by the fashionable set in the evening.

There are very few sleeves that are new being made that can be called pretty, and it is really a pity to have them made of the same material as the rest of the gown. Evening dresses show sleeves of chiffon, lace or some transparent stuff.

Evening wraps are so very much in fashion that it is worth while to notice all these elegant garments. A very charming one was made of crepe cloth, finished with ermine, and had a narrow band of black crepe at the neck.

The little accessories of dress often count more in the appearance of a well-gowned woman than the expense of her costume. The gloves should match the waistcoat, the umbrella should go well with the gloves, with a wooden handle to match the gloves.

Waistcoats are becoming more and more popular. The French woman is wearing gloves of tan, old gold or bluish color, which are always attractive. Waistcoats are becoming made of black crepe, but lined with pearl or gold buttons.

Crepe de chine is having a decided vogue this season. It is a new fabric, made of a material that is particularly pretty in gray or a soft, lustrous texture. A gown of silver-gray crepe de chine noticed at a recent smart function was made with the Empire back, but with no trimming except silver embroidery.

Lace coats, it is predicted, will be the height of fashion before many weeks, and they will make very pretty and dressy costumes for street wear. Some models show the lace in a deep shade of tan, made tight-fitting and three-quarter length.

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get enemies to peace of mind and health of body that has been devised. One may know perfectly well that it is unreasonable and yet be haunted by foolish fears, and the doctor's duty is to help about repose and yet jump at the dropping of a teaspoon and start at the ringing of a bell.

Another way in which one can "hang on" is to avoid the quick, sharp report, the irritable word, that wounds others and that is a sure trouble-maker. This may be simply the result of over-wrought nerves, but it will not look upon it in that light. By a strong effort of the will one can remain silent under provocation and so avoid stirring up trouble.

When nervousness progresses so far that it results in sleeplessness, lack of appetite, indigestion and lack of concentration of the mind, the matter has gone beyond the effort of the individual and the advice of a physician is necessary.

Stray Topics From Old New York. NEW YORK, Jan. 25.—Fresh from Paris has come a new scheme for a first-class apartment house, generally by owners of New York's large apartment houses.

One result of the recent financial stringency, when so much gold came into the country, has been that many men have continued to carry their money in the yellow metal instead of in bonds.

It was a hard blow to aristocratic old New Yorkers to have the "slow but sure" Fifth Avenue coaches replaced by the "fast but sure" buses. They have been protesting ever since, because the buses are plastered with flashing signs advertising a certain kind of togetherness.

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think it necessary to consume much fruit and honey preparing waffles and fried chicken or sausage and buckwheat cakes for the beginning of the day.

To vary the cereal course, once a week have the main dish first, and serve the cereal course last. Try to have round cakes of boiled rice or farina with scraped maple sugar or with syrup, and once in a while give the family a treat of waffles or crullers.

The main course, however, is where some economy displays itself. What can we have that is cheap and good? Sometimes one has a little meat in the house that is not enough, or not good, to make a dinner of.

Dried beef is always an excellent breakfast dish; fry it or cream it and serve on toast, or try broiling the slices thick to heat and try with potatoes. It is best cooked in a very hot oven, putting it in the broiler and leaving it there for the broiling pan.

A Figure Seven Social. CARRIE MAY ASHTON, in the Boston Cooking School Magazine, gives the following description of a particularly unique entertainment given by a church society, in order to replenish their exchequer, in which the figure seven, being looked upon as a symbol of luck and good fortune predominated.

The general admission was placed at 7 cents. In one corner of the parlors a fish boiler was kept boiling and by paying 7 cents. Farther along was a table heaped with all manner of packages, more or less amusing and impractical, and for each one were offered for sale at 7 cents each.

New York Gowns and Doings. By Miss Josephine Mae Hogins. I HAVE just been having tea in the exquisite old rose-and-gold dining-room at the new Plaza.

The boarders are not very friendly; she herself sits in the dismantled dining room with an evening paper, and there she waits for the medical student when he comes to ask her if she would mind telling the Sheldahl shawdow not to bang on his wall in reproof when he is entertaining guests.

Evening Corsage of Tucked Chiffon and Bands of Satin. The boarders are not very friendly; she herself sits in the dismantled dining room with an evening paper, and there she waits for the medical student when he comes to ask her if she would mind telling the Sheldahl shawdow not to bang on his wall in reproof when he is entertaining guests.

Good Taste in Tailored Dress. YOU always look so well dressed on all occasions; I don't see how you do it on your allowance.

PRETTY THINGS TO WEAR. RHINESTONES in profusion trim many of the new dresses. They are put on generally in rows, or forming immense buckles.

Growing Bulbs in Water. VERY pretty sum of money can be earned by growing bulbs in water and disposing of them to one's friends and acquaintances.

filling of eggs not embroidered in different shades of blue. White fox fur and an immense hat of white beaver trimmed with white orchids, completed this stylish costume.

The "Rose of the Rancho" has one scenery; but in fact, the play, although I saw it twice.

Pity the Poor Landlady. ANNE O'HAGAN, who contributes an interesting article to the present number of Smith's, gives a heart touching description of the trouble that the landlady must take with her guests, and concludes a harrowing description of the landlady's average day with an account of how she must spend her evening.

Evening comes on, she says, "quiet evening that brings peace. The unmistakable odor of scorched soup salutes the nostrils of the diners as they descend to the common banquet hall.

At a candy booth, candy, popcorn, peanuts, gum, etc. sold at 7 cents a box. The following supper menu was served:

Baked Beans, 7 cents. Coffee and Rolls, 7 cents. Tea and Sandwiches, 7 cents. Coffee and Doughnuts, 7 cents. Fruit Salad and Wafers, 7 cents. Bread and Butter and Pickles, 7 cents. Pumpkin Pie and Cheese, 7 cents. Ice Cream, 7 cents.

Society's interest is centered now in the marriage of Miss Gladys Vanderbilt on Monday to Count Laszlo Stenbony. It is not going to be a large wedding, however, and there have been a number of disappointed ones who had sent invitations.

The recent \$5,000,000 fire, which revealed the inadequate equipment of the fire department in dealing with burning skyscrapers, has aroused new interest in the high-pressure system, that after four years of work will be ready for service by April.

New York is to have the largest clock in the world which distills London has held for a long time with "Big Ben" in Westminster Abbey.

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Pass It On. T O mend table linen—Holes in table linen, sheets, etc., may be successfully darned by the following method: Stretch the article smooth and tight in embroidery hoops.

A cheap filter—The most impure water may be purified by filtering through charcoal. Take a large flower-pot, put a piece of sponge or clean moss over the hole in the bottom, and fill three-quarters full of equal parts clean sand and charcoal.

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THE SUNDAY MENU. NO one can rise to the higher developments of the soul who does not regulate his life in accordance with the strictest hygienic rules and correct educational principles.

With the tailored suit should be worn a strictly tailored waist either in linen or silk the color of the costume. Thin or narrow-shouldered women should adopt the pleated bosom effect, made of one-inch pleats carved top across the front of the shirt, allowing the least pleat to extend about one-half inch beyond the shoulder instead of the severely plain shirt.

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