

IN THE REALM FEMININE

Events in Society

It is imperative that those contributing news for the society page should have it ready by the desk of the society editor not later than Friday morning...

Popular Fad.

CHICAGO women have been wearing socks—men's socks—all summer. Neither St. Louis nor Berlin can claim credit for establishing this novelty in the fashions...

"We have sold several hundred pair of socks to women this summer," he said. "At first we thought the women were merely making purchases for their husbands, but they also bought men's garters and we knew that the fad was on."

According to the clerks at the department stores and haberdasheries, the women who purchase socks are always careful to explain that they are for "husband or brother." But if a woman comes out when the size of the socks are mentioned, Chicago, St. Louis and even Berlin, need not take undue credit for precedence in the matter of women wearing men's socks...

Suffrage Tea Series.

Mrs. A. E. Clark has sent out invitations for the first of a series of suffrage teas to be given tomorrow at her home 819 Johnson street.

PRISON BARBARITY

Selected by Edwin Markham. DONALD LOWRIE, formerly a prisoner in San Quentin, but evidently a man with a sense of justice and honor, has written a startling book "My Life in Prison," telling without malice of certain barbarisms in prison methods.

him a cinching, the operator places his foot upon the victim's back in order to get leverage as he draws the rope taut, and when the lacing is finished the remnant of rope is wound about the trussed body and tied.

WHAT THEY QUARRELED ABOUT

By Christine Terhune Herriek. NEVER can understand why a woman wants to keep a room as dark as a pocket.

"You make it so dark I can't read," he commented. "There's no sense in having everything sprawled wide open like that. It makes the house look horrid to have the shades clear up to the top of the windows."

Golden West Coffee Cleaner. Steel Cut Coffee is as clean as cubes. Nothing but little cubes of coffee. No dust—no chaff.

AMERICAN FASHIONS

By Cora Moore; Design by Lillian

Young women weather negligees there are some most unlooked for effects, or which the one sketched is illustrative. It may be fashioned of any thin material—batiste, China or Japanese silk, crepe de chine, or of the finest quality of French crepe, and is worn over a lingerie petticoat.



American women are showing a revived interest in the lounging robe or room gown.

Some of the new house gowns are of dotted Swiss, which is having some little vogue again after several years' retirement, but only the better qualities of the Swiss should be considered for the purpose, because the others are a bit stiff, and the room gown, of all things, should be gracefully soft and clinging.

Mousseline de soie in any of its grades is acceptable in this capacity. It comes in a goodly gradation of shades, and always lends itself readily to silk trimmings, as, of course, do most of the other suitable materials.

American women, latterly, are evincing a tendency to follow somewhat the lead of their sisters in Paris—making use of the lounging gown instead of confining their negligee apparel to the kimono, which should be treated purely and wholly as a bath robe.

Between the kimono, however, and the regulation morning dress, there is the negligee, the lounging robe or the room gown, all of which are nearly synonymous, and which permit a woman to appear at once tidy, smart, dainty, and comfortable. They are worn without corsets.

Lace is so much used in this capacity that, not infrequently, it forms the entire garment, especially the matinees, which are but half or three-quarter length, and are often made in tunic effect to be worn with "just any petticoat." These matinees are extremely fascinating and so easy to make, if one has any ability at all with the needle,

that it seems a pity to expend the sums asked for them in the shops, for compared with other articles of wearing apparel, lounging robes of all descriptions are inordinately expensive.

Sew strips of lace together to produce an all-over pattern, or use all-over lace or embroidery, cutting it kimono-wise, slashing it about the waist; run a wide ribbon through the apertures, and cut the lower edge, say, in deep points below the hips, line the whole with a colored china silk or a muslin, and there you have as pretty and convenient a matinee as you would care to own at very little cost.

Out of the Mouths of Babes

"How much are nine and nine?" asked the teacher of the juvenile class. "Ninety-nine," promptly answered the boy at the foot.

Teacher—"It is said that a camel can go seven days without water." Small Boy—"Please, ma'am, how long can he go if he has water?"

"Minnie," said a mother to her little daughter who had the telltale habit, "why is it you can't keep a secret?"

"Because, amamma," explained the precocious miss, "two of my front teeth are gone, and the secrets just slip out."

SOUTHWEST DEVELOPERS WILL TALK GOOD ROADS

(Special to The Journal.) Centralia, Wash., July 30.—The Southwest Washington Development association, at its next quarterly congress in Southland, held the last week in August, will have as the principal subject for discussion good roads, it being the aim of the association to pull together in inducing the next legislature to pass an appropriation for the completion of the Pacific highway in this state.

American cotton seed is gaining in favor in India as it has a shorter growing period than the native.

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