

BELTS OF GAY KID ARE POPULAR; SPRING WASH GOODS NOW ON VIEW

TO MOTHERS who feel the urge of spring sewing comes the message of plaids, both lightweight woolen and gingham, for little girls' dresses—and a third fabric is added, namely plaided taffeta. Here is a further word of advice: be sure to look into the matter of gay colored leather belts, for little daughter will be sure to insist on having her pretty plaid frock belted just to keep up with the vogue. It matters not if the dress be made in straightline one-piece effect, as the picture shows, or in jumper and skirt, be sure not to omit the leather belt, else little daughter may ask the rea-

Seems as if the advance displays of spring wash goods were never so alluring. Such lovely cotton reps, broadcloths and imported satens! Washable crepes there are by the score, also cotton and rayon mixtures, the newest among which is tub-rayon alpaca. To the aspiring home dressmaker they surely must whisper in unmistakable accents, "Do it now." And why not? Later the great outdoors will be calling to golf, tennis and springtime strolls. The frock in the picture is a true exponent of a sweet simplicity frock, such as can so successfully be made



Plaid Frock for Spring.

son why, for most of her school companions are sure to smilingly display a cunning belt of some sort this season. Fine woolen plaid was the chosen medium for the fashionable frock here pictured. This same model could be effectively reproduced in French gingham. That is such a pretty idea of using a solid color for the revers, the vestee, cuffs and pocket finishings. This model could be exquisitely copied in plaid taffeta and at this time of the year remnants are picked up at enticing reductions. The little highland lassie in the picture is thrice blest, in that her frock is plaid, boasts a sure-enough leather belt with a big square buckle, and crowning joy of all, the socks are striped in accord with fashion's latest edict. For school wear later on plaid ging-

ham at home. In choosing materials for home dressmaking let thoughts of pastel colorings guide you. Pastel blendings will especially find expression, in such ways, for instance, as bordering or piping a lively tone with another complementary shade. For the pretty dress here illustrated old rose cotton broadcloth is suggested, using buttons of lavender tinted pearl, matching it with wee velvet ribbon. Pretty pastel harmonies are accomplished by using wide borderings of a different shade. There is also every indication that we are also to enjoy a season of bordered patterns. Initial showings of spring cottons stress fascinating 54-inch bordered voiles. There is economy in the use of these wide materials, and patterns are available which call for the manipulation of the fabric without underarm seams. Cottons for the Southland include

The TALE of KIDDIE KATYDID by Arthur Scott Bailey

THE WARNING

IT MUST not be supposed that all of Kiddie Katydid's family made the same never-ending din at night. Actually it was only the gentlemen that so amused themselves. No doubt the ladies, too, knew the secret about the mysterious Katy—and what she did. But for some reason they never, never mentioned the matter. Even when they gossiped among them-



Mr. Nighthawk Was One of the Nightly Wanderers.

selves, as they sometimes did, they never touched upon that subject. Furthermore, in the daytime Kiddie and his fellows were as quiet as they could be. Having waked the echoes all night long, they were content, when morning came, to rest silently among the trees and shrubs. And a very good reason did they have, too, for such a habit. During the day there were altogether too many birds flying about, to please the Katydids. And Kiddie often remarked in a joking way that the only birds he cared about were those that didn't care about him! Of course, there were a few birds

that prowled about Pleasant Valley after dark. Mr. Nighthawk was one of that crew of nightly wanderers. And whenever the word was passed around that he had been seen in the neighborhood, Kiddie Katydid tried to lower his solemn chant, because he knew that Mr. Nighthawk was usually in search of something to eat. Now, when Kiddie Katydid felt hungry he drove away his gnawing pangs by browsing upon leaves and tender twigs. But Mr. Nighthawk had no taste for such fodder. He had an appetite for insects. And between dusk and dawn a good many of Kiddie Katydid's neighbors of one kind or another found their way into Mr. Nighthawk's tummy. So you see it was no wonder that Kiddie was not eager to attract the attention of that night rover. Some of the more timid of Kiddie's companions even begged him, at times, to hush. They said he was making such a noise that Mr. Nighthawk would be sure to hear it, even if he were a quarter of a mile away. But Kiddie Katydid usually laughed at those faint-hearted ones; and often he shrilled his Katy did, Katy did, more loudly than before, just to show them that he was not afraid. "A person has to take a few chances," he remarked one day. "If we were all afraid to make a sound it would pretty hard on Katy, for then she would have nobody to take her part. And what would people think of her?"

Evidently Kiddie's reason was a good one, because a number of his cousins spoke up at once and said that they agreed with him perfectly. But their sisters all exclaimed that sooner or later Mr. Nighthawk would hear them; and then there would certainly be trouble. Strangely enough, the words were scarcely out of their mouths before they heard a loud call that struck them cold with fear. "Peent! Peent! The cry came out of the air above them without the least warning. And everybody—including Kiddie Katydid—knew that Mr. Nighthawk had come. (© by Grosset & Dunlap)

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"What's in a Name?" By MILDRED MARSHALL Facts about your name, its history, meaning, whence it was derived, significance, your lucky day, lucky jewel

VERONICA Veronica has full rights to her claims as a holy name. It signifies "true picture" and comes from the Latin "verus," meaning true, and the Greek word for image. The two terms were strangely jumbled together by the popular tongue in the name of the crucifix at Lucca, which was called the Veronica and was that "Holy Face of Lucca" by which oaths were taken. Another Veronica is the same countenance upon a piece of linen at St. Peter's. The origin being forgotten, this is called St. Veronica's handkerchief, and the popular legend is that a woman who had lent her handkerchief to our Blessed Savior to wipe His face during the passage of the "Via Dolorosa" had found the likeness imprinted on it. In a poem on the life of Pilate, we are told that the suffering emperor of Rome, learning that a woman at Jerusalem named "Veronike" possessed this handkerchief which had the power to heal the sick, sent for her and was cured. In this way, Veronica became a saint, though there was a real Saint Veronica who lived near Milan in the Fifteenth century. The French love the name and call it Veronique. The Scotch, who have an exquisite blue flower known as Veronica, have given the name national popularity. Jade is Veronica's talismanic gem. It will bring her good health and long life. Thursday is her lucky day and 4 her lucky number. (© by Western Newspaper Union)

WHO SAID "No Violent Extreme Endures"?

THOMAS CARLYLE, author of this succinct axiom, was the son of a mason and farmer. He was born in Ecclefechan, Dumfriesshire, Scotland, December 4, 1795, and although his parents intended him for a ministerial career, his propensity to authorship at an early age convinced the young man at least that he was more fitted for the pursuit of literature. Although his first literary attempts were published in the Edinburgh "Encyclopaedia," his career may be said to have begun in the "London Magazine" in 1823, when portions of his "Life of Schiller" appeared. This work in later years was treated separately, and appeared in special form in 1825—Carlyle's first success of note in the literary field. Few authors have had their works studied so minutely as Carlyle, and his ease and fluency in writing have been seized upon by many as examples of the sort of literature which always will endure. Much time was spent on his "History of Friedrich the II of Prussia," and this production of his pen also was the largest the eminent author turned out. The last two volumes appeared in 1865, and although he continued to some extent in his field, this work in reality marked the end of a successful career. While in Scotland Carlyle received word of the death in London of his wife, accounting for much of his later seclusion. In his later life he was offered a government pension and a baronetcy, both of which he declined. He died at Chelsea, February 5, 1881. —Wayne D. McMurray. (© by George Matthews Adams)

THE WHY of SUPERSTITIONS By H. IRVING KING

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A LINE O' CHEER By John Kendrick Bangs

A VALENTINE

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A Sweet Simplicity Frock.

ham jumper frocks will be quite the thing. These are so easily made at home, and the gingham now on display are so very attractive. Why not make two blouses to the one plaited skirt? Sleeves and collars soil so easily and economy suggests several waists as a simple solving of the problem. Stripes are also greatly featured this season. One can buy nowadays such clever striped sateen or cotton broadcloth. The striped blouse with skirt in solid color bespeaks a favored mode.

rayon mixed crepes with borders blocked in tapestry effect carried out in light and deeper pastel tones. Hand-blocked linen showing colorful Chinese patterning is among the season's novelties. It is said that considerable lace will be used on simple daytime wash dresses. The ochre tinted lace is most popular. Girlish collars and deep cuffs, together with jabots of ochre lace, are rendered even a greater attractiveness by the addition of tiny ribbon bows and ties. JULIA BOTTOMLEY (© by Western Newspaper Union)