

Woman's World

Miss Alcott's "Little Women" Dramatized by Miss De Forest.



MISS MARIAN DE FOREST.

Miss Marian De Forest, who dramatized "Little Women" is the dramatic critic for the Buffalo Express. She has a considerable reputation as a dramatic critic...

IN THE OLDEN DAYS.

Equal Suffrage Obtained Among the Norsemen in the Viking Age. Many of the women of today who pride themselves upon being "modern" and "advanced" and who are making such a brave struggle to obtain rights and privileges which certainly should be theirs without any contention would be surprised to know how far equal suffrage obtained among the old Norsemen...

What a Wife Needs.

She needs a good temper, a cheerful disposition and a knowledge of how her husband should be treated. She needs a capability of looking on the bright side of life and refusing to be worried by small things.

The Length of Skirts.

Several inches longer. Away with chopped ones. Two inches and two and a half. Is the proper height from the ground. The shoe top will now go into retirement.

Milady's Mirror

The New Complexion. "What a splendid color you have" said one of the girls who met at a fashionable soda fountain after not having seen each other for a month or so. Have you been away on your vacation? "Oh, no," the other replied "I've been at home right along."

To Whiten the Teeth. To whiten the teeth an excellent powder is made by mixing one ounce of chloride of lime ten ounces of prepared chalk, a half ounce of Peruvian bark and one teaspoonful of myrrh. This should be used once a day until the teeth are sufficiently white...

Sleep and Beauty. Sleep is the generator of energy. It is the cooling station of time where we store enough fuel to take us through the hours to come.

Skincare. For the yellowish skin nothing is so satisfactory as fruit juices, and the woman who puts her faith in this delightful remedy will surely reap the reward of her trust in nature.

Fruit Juices. Fruit juices are beneficial principally in that they stimulate the sluggish liver to renewed activity thus throwing off the poisons which accumulate and are distributed along the surface of the skin.

Orange juice poured into a cup of hot water and taken before breakfast each morning brings almost immediate results. Grapefruit has much the same effect, but should be taken more sparingly...

THE GHOST HUNT.

Jolly Sport For the Halloween Party.



HALLOWEEN JACK HORNER PIE.

Have a ghost hunt if you are planning a Halloween party. It's really lots of fun and your guests will want to come again next year. Have James Whitcomb Riley's famous words "For the gobbie uns 'il git you ef you don't watch out' in large letters over the door...

The Camera Pose. It seems a rather blunt thing to say that no woman without a little affectation takes a good photograph—unless, of course, she is a beauty, but the statement is true none the less.

The Season's Latest Style Note. Fashion has decreed this season that for dressy suits the coat and skirt shall be of a contrasting color and material.

Fall Hat Predictions. Fancy feathers in profusion. Stiff wings on smart walking hats. Push is to have a decided vogue.

Contrasting Coat and Draped Skirt. Cold drawn through slits at the waist line a very fetching and quite in keeping with the general character of this costume is the jacket of yellow lace.

Fashion Proverbs. A rolling fashion catches no wardrobe. When fashion enters the door bills fly in at the window.

Every woman must have one of these sartorial luxuries in her wardrobe. A woman is known by the length of time she keeps a fashion. Styles and sales wait for no woman.

LABOR SAVING DEVICE.

The Vacuum Washer Aid to Housewives.



NEW VACUUM WASHER.

No more rubbing of soiled clothes on a washboard now that the housewife has this new vacuum washer, which, placed in the boiler of steaming clothes, keeps the garments whisking around in the hot suds until they are almost entirely clean.

The Game of Gossip. The game of gossip is played thus: One of the company invents and writes down a short, striking narrative, say in about a dozen lines. This he reads to himself carefully and then folds away out of sight. Taking the paper on his left side, he repeats to him as accurately as he can what he has written.

Nervous Children. If when parents notice the nervousness of a little girl they would give it just a little daily treatment besides the proper diet and rest it is more than likely that the trouble would be soon overcome.

Alphabet Pumpkin. In a doorway hang a pumpkin on whose fat, yellow sides you have previously burned the outlines of all the letters of the alphabet with a hot poker.

Bobbing For Apples. In bobbing for apples the hands of the contestants are tied behind them in the heart of each apple a name may be placed, carefully incased in tin foil.

Why is the horse the most humane of all animals? Because he gladly gives the bit out of his mouth and returns to every yoke.

Halloween. Halloween! Popcorn's snapping in the hearth. Chestnuts roasting, apples roasting. Taffy steaming thick and sweet. How the frisky shadows dance! Like black goblins in a dance. Down the mantelpiece an air runs with twinkling feet.

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Points for Mothers

The Rainy Day Closet.

It is almost time to lay away materials for the "rainy day closet," a device intended for the alleviation of the care of mothers. Interest is now centering in school playthings are tossed aside for the more serious business of life, but they should not be tossed so far that they cannot be found again in case of need.

Furniture catalogues appeal particularly to little people and mismatched decks of cards sorted over can absorb a good bit of time. A few good new games should be among the collections of this wonderful room.

Envelopes from which the used stamps are to be cut will afford some boy amusement. All the odds and ends of lead pencils and crayons can go into the closet and some day find a use.

Number two repeats this to number three, and so it passes round till it reaches the last player. The last player recites the story, and it is then compared with the original record. It is never the same, and the variations are generally very amusing.

Take three glasses, one of which shall contain clear water, one soapy water, the other nothing. Blindfold one of the party and lead him or her to the table on which the glasses are arranged. With the left forefinger she or he tries to dip into one of the glasses. Should it be the empty dish she will remain single, if into soapy water, she will marry a widower, if into clean water, her husband will be young and handsome.

By "infectious" is not meant a soft and downy bedding, but rather it would be better to throw away all feather pillows and wool mattresses and substitute bolsters and beds of hay. This would mean real comfort and a sweet and clean bed, and the wonderful relief that would come to a weak nervous or timid child one has no idea of. There is always a hayfield odor about it, and that in itself is better than the heavy odor the other bed ding has, especially when it becomes damp with perspiration.

It's by far the best plan to choose an attractive baptismal name for a child, and the name once given, stick to it. Elizabeth should never become Betty, Hetty, or Liz. Mary is far lovelier than Mamie. Caroline is a worthy and beautiful name but Carrie is not. Jennie is a common diminutive of the stately and infinitely to be preferred Jane. Dollie for Dorothy, Louie for Louise, Gertrude for Gertrude, Nell for Helen, Mattie for Martha, Kitty, or Katie for Katherine—oh don't!

And don't let the children nickname each other. When Tommy begins to call little Margaret "Buttons" because she has a row of shiny buttons on her new coat discourage Tommy with earnestness. And when loving grandpa puts and uncle and aunts insist on calling Baby Rosamond by such names as Rosie-rose, Pet and Precious check them tactfully, lest there come a time when Rosamond rises up in wrath and denounce you for letting her be called out of her name.

For the Children

Halloween Fortunes Told by the Lucky Candle Game.



There are many time honored ways of peeping into the future on Halloween, such as paring apples, roasting chestnuts, the apple seed game and many more, too numerous to mention. All are supposed to foretell with more or less accuracy what the future holds in store for the players.

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