

Woman's World

Consort of Bulgarian King is Interested in Relief Work.



QUEEN ELEONORE OF BULGARIA.

Queen Eleonore was head of one of the most efficient Red Cross units in the Russo-Japanese war...

Her work in the great hospitals brought her in contact with King Ferdinand's peculiarities...

King Ferdinand is a very fond of pomp and ceremony but Queen Eleonore is reported to have the air of a simple girl...

But her labors have been appreciated by her adopted countrymen. A princess of Bulgaria...

In an interview granted recently Queen Eleonore stated: 'Red Cross supplies are almost impossible to get in Bulgaria...'

Tips on House Plants.

Palms are much used for interior decorations where there is no direct sunlight. Regular watering is essential...

Browning at the tips usually comes from overwatering at the roots. Trim off the brown tips...

Rubber plants are especially satisfactory to grow where there is a good light without direct sunlight. Water often enough to keep the soil moist...

Your Shoes and Gloves.

Good shoes, fresh gloves, a becoming hat, neat and fresh neckwear of good quality—these are extravagances which any woman who makes a pretense to being well dressed should indulge in...

SIRES AND SONS.

W. L. Douglas, former governor of Massachusetts, is now seventy years old.

Robert Tuttle Morris, who claims that microbes are working out the destiny of each human being...

General Friedrich A. J. von Berti hardt, one of the best known military writers of Germany...

Admiral Li of the Chinese navy is a Christian, and his firm adherence to his principles has of late months made his official life unpleasant...

Town Topics.

Mr. Harry Gordon Soffrage says that war is making London just like Chicago. 'Times' Washington Herald.

Baltimore has all ready adopted a municipal song. And it is not 'Back, Back Baltimore'.

According to the Toledo Blade, when it comes to ranking union stations, Cleveland is the rankiest.

If New York city can really look forward to getting out of the taxation woods in fifteen years...

Fashion Frills.

A fat woman wearing one of those ankle watches ought to be worth seeing. Detroit Free Press.

The new skirts look exactly like a balloon struck by lightning and trying valiantly to reach the ground.

The most interesting race in the world is the mind pursuit of the show-top to catch up with the retreating hem of the skirt.

The best dressed woman in Petrograd who advocates limiting facial makeup to the eyes and lips...

Curious Cullings.

An artist once painted a bright red lobster in a picture of the sea. On a fine day a weather glass...

The bellows of the organ in Seville cathedral are worked season fashion by a man walking up and down a long plank.

'Born between Eureka, Cal., and Pike county, Mo.' is the way a man described his birthplace in a government homebased application.

BRIGHT BRIEFS.

About everything goes by wireless these days except politics.

Temptations are banana skins on the straight and narrow path.

A fresh outbreak of Balkan names will now intensify the horrors of war.

Perhaps the new high water skirts are based on advance information of coming weather.

Many a foolish girl specializes in heart breaking, while her wiser sister, run repair shops.

Silence is protection alike for men who possess knowledge and for those who are ignorant.

Laugh, and the world laughs with you; weep, and the world does its best to get in out of the shower.

The man who attempts to get his billing by his wits often finds that the world is full of rival humorists.

America may be the melting pot, but for real melting Europe has all other continents backed off the stove.

If we could have all our desires gratified some of us would still be discontented because there were no more desires.

Speculators say now that the water has been squeezed out of every American stock. This is a stock joke...

A FETCHING NOVELTY.

A Chessboard Suit of Black and White Mixture.



A DAPPER EFFECT.

Princess is the first word about this suit, and the snug military collar and metal buttons are its points of interest.

ALMA INSERTION.

An Easy Pattern for Towels and Bureau Scarfs.

Abbreviations: C. ch.; S. st.; S. slip; A. at.; D. d.; C. ch.; S. st.; S. slip; A. at.; D. d.; C. ch.; S. st.; S. slip; A. at.; D. d.

Work the middle strip first. Begin with 22 R. 1 tr. in fourth from needle. 18 tr. by following 18 ch. 3 ch. turn (this 3 ch. forms 1 tr. at the beginning of every row throughout).

First Row—One tr. in second tr. 2 tr. in next 2 tr. 2 tr. under 2 ch. 8 tr. in next 8 tr. 2 tr. under 2 ch. 4 tr. in next 4 tr. turn with 3 ch.

Second Row—One tr. in second tr. 2 tr. in next 2 tr. 2 tr. under 2 ch. 8 tr. in next 8 tr. 2 tr. under 2 ch. 4 tr. in next 4 tr. turn with 3 ch.

Third Row—One tr. in second tr. 7 tr. in next 7 tr. 2 ch. miss 2 tr. 8 tr. in next 8 tr. turn with 3 ch.

Fourth Row—One tr. in second tr. 2 tr. in next 2 tr. 2 ch. miss 2 tr. 3 tr. in next 3 tr. 2 ch. under 2 ch. 3 tr. in next 3 tr. 2 ch. miss 2 tr. 4 tr. in next 4 tr. turn with 3 ch.

Fifth Row—Like the second. Sixth Row—One tr. in second tr. 2 tr. in next 2 tr. 6 ch. 1 tr. between eighth and seventh tr. 6 ch. miss 6 tr. 4 tr. in next 4 tr. turn.

Seventh Row—One tr. in second tr. 2 tr. in next 2 tr. 6 ch. miss 6 ch. d. c. in next 1 d. c. in 1 tr. d. c. in next ch. 6 ch. 4 tr. in next 4 tr. 3 ch. turn.

Eighth Row—One tr. in second tr. 2 tr. in next 2 tr. 5 ch. miss 5 ch. d. c. in next 3 d. c. in 3 d. c. 1 d. c. in next ch. 5 ch. 4 tr. in next 4 tr. 3 ch. turn.

Ninth Row—One tr. in second tr. 2 tr. in next 2 tr. 6 ch. miss 1 d. c. 3 ch. in next 3 ch. 4 tr. in next 4 tr. 3 ch. turn.

Tenth Row—One tr. in second tr. 2 tr. in next 2 tr. 6 ch. 1 tr. in middle stitch of 3 d. c. 6 ch. 4 tr. in next 4 tr. 3 ch. turn.

Eleventh Row—One tr. in second tr. 2 tr. in next 2 tr. 6 tr. in next loop. tr. in 4 tr. 3 ch. turn. Repeat from first row for length required.

The following rows are worked along each side of the strip: First Row—Two tr. in tr. loop at the end of a row draw the stitch of second tr. through the first throughout this row. 7 ch. miss 1 ch. turn. 1 slip. 1 d. c. 1 short tr. 1 tr. 1 tr. and 1 slip tr. respectively into 6 ch. miss 1 tr. loop on strip. 2 tr. in next and repeat from 1.

Second Row—One d. c. in point of first group. 4 ch. 1 d. c. in point of next, and repeat from 1. Third Row—Three tr. in 1 d. c. in next row. 1 ch. 3 tr. in next d. c. and repeat from 1.

DAMES AND DAUGHTERS.

Mlle. Marie Marvingt of France is considered the greatest female athlete in the world.

The New Mexico Medical society has elected for its president Dr. Evelyn Friable of Albuquerque. This is the first time in its history that the society has elected a woman president.

Mme. Caillaux, the French ex-premier's wife, who was acquitted of the charge of murdering M. Calmette, is now in command of a nursing corps at the rear of the main French army.

Lady Scott, the widow of the explorer, is a keen motorist and a first rate driver. She is now driving a Red Cross car at the Anglo-French hospital near Chaumont, in the Marne canton.

Dr. Anna Howard Shaw, the first woman in this country to receive the degrees of D. D. and M. D. is now in her sixty-eighth year, vigorous and forceful. She was brought to this country from England at the age of four years by her parents.

Miss L. Bernie Gallaher, one of the ablest woman specialists in the federal service, has for some thirty years been doing expert work in photography for the United States National museum. Miss Gallaher's X ray reproductions are said to be among the finest made.

Pert Personal.

No stickler for consistency will protest against the happy last act for Clara Morris' troubled life drama.

'Doc' Cook's arrest in Burma as a spy may have been staged as proof that he was actually there.

Jane Addams is only fifty-five, says a Pittsburgh paper. Nothing that has ever been printed about Jane probably has annoyed her as much as that.

Baroness von Kottenthal, famous classed dancer, says that Ty Cobb would make an ideal exponent of the barefoot dance.

PITH AND POINT.

Things left unsaid avert a great deal of trouble.

It is almost as bad to say mean things as it is to do them.

A grudge nursed in secret will poison the system of any person.

Fighting the hookworm ought to displace fighting human beings.

It is difficult to convince the head of the house that two heads are better than one.

War is expensive without holding any respectable status either as a necessity or a luxury.

The imprudent man reflects on what he has said and the prudent man on what he is going to say.

It is human nature to want more. The minute a man is able to live comfortably he isn't satisfied to live that way.

With the human voice carrying from Washington to San Francisco there'll be no escaping the siren tones of our leading orators.

It is estimated that \$750,000,000 a year is spent on education in this country. But you might not think so from the way some people act and talk.

A New York apartment house announces choice flats at \$30,000 a year. Just think of having to pay 5 per cent on a capital of \$600,000, or about \$82 a day, for house rent.

Horses must go, declares Edison. But if he can invent a way to make one go which is constitutionally inclined to balk the world will be ready to spell wizard with a capital W for the rest of time.

Animal Oddities.

When elephants are in the vicinity of tigers they beat their trunks on the ground.

If a chimpanzee is wounded it stops the bleeding by placing its hand on the wound or dressing it with leaves and grass.

Ants have the faculty of crossing water by means of the surface tension of the liquid, but they resort to it only under great pressure.

The teeth of the badger are very peculiar, for instead of resting on each other when the animal's mouth is closed they fit into each other.

With pigeons are known to be the most voracious eaters of the animal folk kingdom in proportion to their size favorable. One consumed a thousand grains of wheat in a day.

Short Stories.

Some water spiders are filled through the epout.

Men have a stronger sense of taste than women.

Saws were first fashioned in imitation of the jawbone of a snake.

Some machine guns have a firing power of over a thousand shots a minute.

For Young Folks

Girls Masquerade as Cowboys For Charity.



Photo by American Press Association.

New York society folks recently held a circus on Long Island, New York, to raise funds for charity.

The entertainment was held, is a most exclusive place, and only the most select are welcome.

The circus was a pronounced success, and a large sum of money was raised. Among the many interesting exhibits was a group of young girls who posed as cowboys and performed in a most daring and skillful manner.

The young girl here pictured is Miss Helen Leeming, a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Woodruff Leeming of New York city. She is standing on the back of her pony, the stirrup straps crossed over the back of her horse.

Penny For Your Thoughts. Provide each player with pencil and paper and a penny.

An emblem of victory (Laurel wreath). An emblem of royalty (crown). An Arabian fruit (date).

A spring flower (tulip—two tips). A portion of a bill (beak). A portion of a silver (mouth).

A messenger (one cent—sent). A piece of armor (shield). Mode of ancient punishment (stripes).

Means of inflicting it (whiskers). Something to be found in school (pencil).

Three weapons (three arrows). An animal (hare—hair). A parrot (a stove (lid)).

Plenty of assurance (check). The first American settler (Indian). Part of a duck (feathers).

A place of worship (temple). Two sides of a vote (eyes and nose). Yes and noes).

Music Puzzles. In each sentence a term used in music or the name of a musical instrument may be found.

1. In what was the club organized? 2. Violets have an exquisite odor.

3. The boy must be careful after his knife is sharpened. 4. He cast a net into the stream.

5. Did Lulu tell of the accident? 6. Prove and certify whether you are for or against the measure.

7. He sped altogether too fast for such a busy street. 8. The lamb and the dog were companions.

SHORT AND SHARP.

As the soldiers burrow, the warring nations borrow.

It's still an open fight in Europe, and anybody can get in.

Advice is cheap because there is so little demand for it.

It's easy for the man who never suffered pain to talk of patience.

If a home conscience fund were established, how it would help our family expenses!

One naturally wonders what effect a sudden treaty of peace would have on a floating mine.

If this wild war stock gambling keeps up there'll be a lot of killed and wounded in Wall street.

Next summer the outdoor lecturer is in danger of being crowded off the platform by the campaign spellbinder.

War is said to be popularizing whiskers, but it is really an exorbitant price to pay for re-establishing facial foliage.

Habit is something which the person who has it strongest imagines he could break at any time if he wanted to, but never does.

Mr. Edison rises to remark that the naval advisory board does not invent; it merely advises. Inventions are not made to order.

The people in Europe are for peace, declares an American suffragist returning. And an increasingly large number of men are finding it.

Albeit in rather a querulous spirit, John Bull admits once again that in the making of a bargain Brother Jonathan is there with 'the bells on.'

The Royal Box.

Four out of the last nine czars of Russia have been assassinated.

Emperor Francis Joseph of Austria was crowned emperor of Austria in 1868, when he was sixteen years old, and has reigned as such for sixty-seven years.

When what is called the dual constitution was adopted in 1867 he became king of Hungary.

Prince Leopold of Bavaria, the man who, technically at least, captured Warsaw, is a veteran in military experience.

His military education was received in the Austro-Hungarian army before Bavaria became a part of Germany. He took a prominent part in the Austro-Prussian Italian war of 1866.

He fought entirely through that war unscathed without a scratch.

The Writers.

William Dean Howells, the novelist and editor, as a boy set type in his father's newspaper office.

Boccaccio, Byron, Dante, Dickens, Dr. Johnson, Lytton, Moliere, Shakespeare and Socrates all made unhappy marriages.

Sir Arthur Conan Doyle has been instrumental in England with the writing of the official history of the war, a task which will occupy his energies for some years.

Charles E. Van Loan, the author, was for years a prominent newspaper man on various New York newspapers, where he was regarded as one of the country's greatest authorities on baseball and racing.

Flippant Flings.

It must be terribly trying on the eyes to be a European spy assigned to study American fortifications.

King George's order against treating will be locally observed by all Scots who have Wallace bled.

'Women in America dress better than women in Europe, but the men dress much worse,' says a woman writer.

Heavens, lady, we can't both dress well—Detroit Free Press.

Just to exercise his lungs the business man will soon be able to pick up his telephone and shout all the way around the world to the fellow in the office next door.

Current Comment.

Our idea of a wise political movement in Haiti would be to run from office—Washington Post.

Americans continue to consider themselves bright, even while they permit ripe fruit to be wasted by the carload every fall.

It never rains but it pours in Wall street. A while back they had nothing to do, and now they've got cots in the office and working all night.

One rather gets the impression that the engineers are finding out a good deal more about the instability of Cadiz pots than they had suspected.

Echoes of the War.

Europe continues to demonstrate that war is waste.—Chicago News.

Spades are trumps in the European war.—St. Louis Post-Dispatch.

War prompts each nation to wish its report of the enemy's losses. Boston Herald.