

## MAN-MADE SUITS

Garments Modeled by Male Tailors in Greater Demand.

Work Regarded Superior to That of Women, Due to Certain Knack for the Work.

"This costume is the style you want, madame, but it is considerably more expensive than the one at which you have been looking," said an assistant at a big shop. "Oh, yes, the material is the same, but the cut of it is much better, and it is man-tailored throughout."

It sounded as if the last part of the sentence ought to be sufficient to explain everything, and there is no getting away from the fact that garments which are "man-tailored" have a great superiority in appearance over women's tailoring work—and, of course, are much more expensive.

It is not a matter of sex prejudice or imagination, for there are few trades which are so fully open to women as various branches of tailoring. Rather is the superiority due to the greater physical strength of men and a certain knack for the work which is natural to some men.

## YOUTHFUL SUIT FOR MILADY

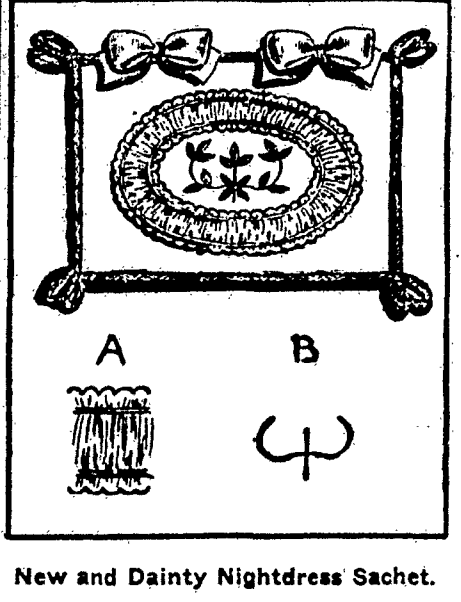


Bands of Squirrel Trim This Charming Green Suit. The Russian Blouse Effect Is Very Becoming to the Youthful Figure.

Blouses for Autumn Wear. Among the very smart blouses now being brought out for cold weather wear are straight overblouses made of soft panne velvet in suit shades. Many of these are just about hip length and finished at the edge with wide bands of embroidery in contrasting colors. Some are drawn in at the waist with cord or other girdles, while many hang perfectly straight and mocklike.

## TO MAKE NIGHTDRESS SACHET

Contrivance on the Same Lines May Be Made for Handkerchiefs and Gloves.



Hardscrabble farm was well named, and when John Lyle died and left the place to his son Allan, the latter viewed his heritage with grimness, but resolve.

## FALL MOTOR COATS OF LINEN

Natural Colored Material Best for Traveling—Does Not Show Dust and Soil Marks.

## FASHIONGRAMS

Mouffon sport hats are popular. Many of them are lined with velvet. Kollinsky and caracul lead in furs this year. Squirrel and mole come a close second. Dragonfly blue is a color that is seen much in combination with the new fall colors.

## The Secret of the Birch

By JESSIE E. SHERWIN

"I am going to change it—at least help nature along," declared Allan to his sister Meta. "The thousand dollars father so closely hoarded and left us will just about fix things up spick and span and quadruple the crops. Give me just one year of my own way, and I'll show you the modern little farm of all Daviss county. Then—"

"What do you think?" she spoke, "my rich relatives in the city, Uncle Reuben and Aunt Deborah Hunter, have sent for me to come and live with them. You know they are very wealthy and have no children, and they write that I must live with them for a year and go to a seminary near their home, and when the year is over decide to become their adopted daughter or return home, as I elect."

"That is grand!" replied Meta cheerfully, but by no means enthused, "Of course you will see lots of the world and live in luxury, and all that; but what about Allan?"

"No, I don't," fluttered Lura; "but I hope he does. He has been a true, good friend, and I shall miss him, too."

"Lura," said Meta with some gravity, "you are perhaps more to him than he to you, but don't forget him, the dear fellow! I want to show you something," and Meta led the way to a silver arch in the garden. Upon it a knife had cut the outline of two hearts entwined.

"What a long dreary year that was! Once a month Lura wrote a pleasant letter to Meta. She named Allan in a friendly way, but most that the breath of and sister heard was from outside sources. They learned that she had become quite a society belle and the Hunter set, and had grown more beautiful than ever. Then one day came a brief note to Meta. It mentioned that the hunters had come upon financial disaster; that they had tried to induce Lura to wed a wealthy, but obscure suitor, and that she was coming home to stay."

"Old Kid Gloves. You can cut up old kid gloves and use them for any of the following purposes: Doll or baby shoes, pillow covers, little traveling case articles or novelty belts.

Offended the Herring. In the fifteenth and sixteenth centuries Helgoland was a center of the North sea herring fisheries. Then the herring veered back to Scotland's coast and the Islanders handed down a tale of the impiety by which they forfeited the boon. Yearly they would form in procession to march about the island to invoke the coming of the fish. One spring, when they had gone but half the route, the herring were sighted. They abandoned the rite and made for the boats. The herring never came again.—National Geographic Magazine.

Moths in Closets. Get a wide-mouthed bottle, three ounces will do, and fill it with oil of mirbane. Leave the cork out of the bottle and place it in the trunk or closet in such position that it will not tip over. The fumes are very poisonous to insects. For a very large closet use a larger bottle and larger amount of oil. Renew the oil when needed. Sprinkle heavy blankets, quilts, etc., with the oil of mirbane before packing away.

Proofs of Bigness. To disagree with the other fellow and still remain friendly; to see the other fellow's viewpoint and still cling to your own opinion with a smile that is sincere; to travel the first 50 miles in company with a crowd quietly and not tell all you know; to smile at the breakfast table and then go to work, not willingly but anxiously, proves that you are a bigger man than the ordinary fellow we find on the pay roll.—Exchange.

Importance of "Now." "Now" is ever ticking from the clock of time. "Now" is the watchword of the wise. "Now" is on the banner of the prudent. Let us keep this little word always in our mind; and whenever anything presents itself to us in the shape of work, whether mental or physical, let us do it with all our might, remembering that now is the only time for us.—Selected.

Watch the Sun's Halos. The sun's halos are good weather signs. Many weather prophets based upon the observation of halos are founded upon sound scientific principles. Studies of the relation of halos to rainfall show that during the summer months 56 to 60 per cent of all halos are followed by rain within 30 hours. During the winter months 70 to 75 per cent are so followed.

True Poetry. True poetry, like true eloquence, is the voice of nature appealing to the heart with its utmost sublimity and power. Instead of teaching merely, it persuades, elevates, inspires, it excites a feeling where the other lends an opinion or a maxim. It proposes examples of ideal excellence, and raises virtue into heroism.—Hugh Swinton Legare.

Coal's Uncertain History. The story of coal is a very uncertain one. No one seems to know when it first began to be used for fuel. All through the centuries it pops in and out of English literature as something taken for granted, and when it is finally found well in the van of the great industrial expansion of a century or more ago it occasioned no special comment.

Quaint Baptismal Custom. A pretty custom is followed at baptisms in Helgoland. While a psalm is being sung, a procession of little boys and girls troop in, passing in front of the altar. Each child carries a pannikin of water, the contents of which are poured into the baptismal font.

Only Real Peace. No peace was ever won from fate by subtlety or argument; no peace is ever in store for any of us but that which we shall win by victory over shame or sin—victory over the sin that oppresses, as well as over that which corrupts.—Ruskin.

Thought She Was Serving. We took our 3-year-old son to a cafeteria for supper the other evening and when he saw me going around with the tray he said out loud: "Mamma, are you working here now?"—Exchange.

Not Right Kind of Laughter. One is tempted sometimes to laugh at another's mishap or disappointment, but the laughter that leaves a sting in someone's heart is not the sort of laughter that helps anyone.

Safe to Be Poor. Again it is proved that age is no guarantee against breach of promise suits. Poverty seems to be the only bar that is absolutely certain.—Kansas City Star.

Truth Hard to Down. Truth is tough; it will not break, like a bubble, at a touch; nay, you may kick it about all day like a football, and it will be round and full at evening.

New Telephone Table. An inventor has invented a compact telephone table which can be folded to even smaller dimensions for moving from room to room.



## JULIA, PILCHUCK INDIAN, RECEIVES "THRIFTY ORDER"

"Heap Big Snow Coming," She Says—"Better Save for Big Cold."

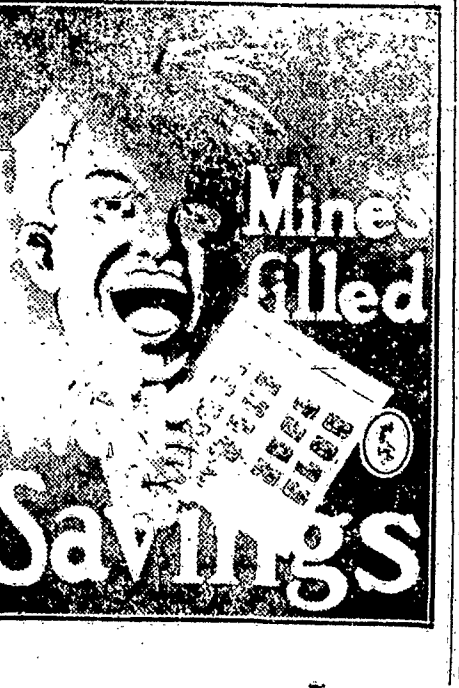
The Pilchuck Indians, in the State of Washington, are going strong for thrift. Visitors to their picturesque reservation have ceased commenting upon their wastefulness. And one of the most active boosters for War Savings Stamps among the members of her tribe, is Pilchuck Julia, an aged squaw, who is looked upon by her people as a secess of great wisdom.

All of the braves and squaws that were assembled to witness the ceremony, staged in a part of the country noted for its scenic beauty, nodded their heads solemnly in assent. Thousands of people in every part of the East are following the advice of the aged Pilchuck Indian and are investing regularly in War Savings Stamps, to be better able to combat the "Great Cold."

## A Liquid Investment That Prohibition Did Not Harm

Treasury Savings Certificates, which are in reality discount bonds of the United States Treasury, are very sound securities, with many attractive features. They carry valuable tax exemption privileges and cannot depreciate in value, as they are not subject to market fluctuations. They are a liquid investment, redeemable for cash upon ten days' notice, when the owner will get back all invested, plus three per cent interest, and they yield a substantial income, actually more than four per cent if held until maturity, January 1, 1924.

The new securities are the "big brothers" of War Savings Stamps, increasing in the same proportions as these miniature government bonds. During October the \$100 certificates cost \$87.20. Every month they increase twenty cents in price. The \$1,000 Treasury Savings Certificates cost \$832 during October, the price increasing at the rate of \$2 every month.



Shoulder Your Own Errors. We are shallow and selfish and lacking in dignity when we play one thing against another to gain our ends. Is it that we cannot think largely, comprehensively enough to realize that when we disown responsibility for our actions and sayings we are reflecting upon others to their hurt and discomfort? It is almost as great a crime to be indifferent or unhelpful of these matters as to be malevolent. There is something radically wrong with us inately if we cannot sponsor our own individual ideas and opinions without making some one a "but" for them.—Exchange.

Pathetic Query. The nurse had been entertaining her patient by singing some of his favorite songs to him. There was one song in particular that the little boy liked much, and he never failed to ask his nurse to sing it to him—every time she came into the room. She had already sung it a dozen times or more that morning, when on coming into the room after a few minutes' absence she heard a little voice from the other end of the room: "Say, nurse, do you think you have enough tone left to sing that song again?"

Making Improvement Sure. We can all do good work, for all that is required is to follow directions laid down by other people who have done good work before us. It may be that we can improve on what other people have done, and after a while it may be that we can strike out a line for ourselves. Most of us will find that if we do the best we can, even in the most plodding way, we shall find ourselves improving and rising, step by step, in our chosen task.—New York Evening Telegraph.

International Expositions. The first international exposition in this country was held in New York in 1853. The centennial exhibition took place in Philadelphia in 1876, the World's Columbian exposition in Chicago in 1893, the Pan-American exposition in Buffalo in 1901, Louisiana Purchase exposition in St. Louis in 1904 and the Panama-Pacific exposition in San Francisco in 1915. These were the most important exhibitions having an international character.

Crocodile's Agility. The moment that a young crocodile breaks its shell it is to all intents and purposes as active as it is at any time during its life. It will make straight for the water, even if it be out of sight and a good distance off, and it will pursue its prey with eagerness and agility during the first week of its free existence.

The Brainsy Bee. The following incident testifies to the remarkable sagacity and efficiency of bees. A hive was being "spied upon" by a wasp. When wasps ascertain a hive is worth attacking they often succeed in ousting the bees. Every time the wasp approached the small entrance hole a bee came out. An hour later the wasp was dead.

Didn't Seem Funny to Him. Little Augusta had never seen a bald-headed man closely until one day a friend of the family came to dinner. When we were all seated at the table Augusta looked very intently at his bald head for several minutes, then whispered in mother's ear: "Mother, hasn't Mr. Reid funny, shiny, pink hair?"—Exchange.

American Independence. Great Britain acknowledged the independence of the United States by a preliminary treaty of peace dated November 30, 1782, and by the final definitive treaty dated September 3, 1783. This treaty was ratified by the continental congress January 14, 1784.

Adhesive Tape. People who have spent hours of agony from wearing new shoes over corns will find that strips of adhesive plaster applied over corns and across the heels, where blisters so often appear, will insure solid comfort.

Durable Male Beauty. One reason why a man doesn't look into a mirror as often as a woman does is because he has more confidence in the durability of his beauty.—Galveston News.

Australia Has Spare Land. South Australia, with an area of more than 2,000,000 acres, has only slightly more than 3,000,000 acres under cultivation.

Public Shines for Turk Women. It is quite customary now for Turkish women to have their shoes shined at the public stands in the streets.

An Inch of Rain. An inch of rain descending on an acre of land would fill more than 600 barrels of 45 gallons each.

Chile's Poor Land. Of the 187,000,000 acres of land in Chile only about 25,000,000 can be cultivated.

Don't Knock! Don't knock! The only knocker that amounted to anything, was on a door.