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lantic Division.

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THE LATCH KEY,

ted, is More or Less Flabby and Unsatisfactory. BY JULIA A, ROBINSON.

NO MORE GOOD OLD GHOSTS

Modern Substitute, it Must Be Admit.

How long is it since you shivered at

rowly.

a ghost story? You have read scores Red Cross Has 70 of These (6, 1920, by McChare Newspaper Syndicate.) of them in the last few years, stories Jack Martin had been married but of sennees and trances, of cross mesone month. He did not know a great sages and spirits trying to "break deal about wornen folks, and there through," but did a single one have was much in his young wife that puz- that hair-raising. marrow-chilling zled him. He was uneasy, constantly quality we are justified in demanding

afraid of doing something to offend from a real ghost story? What is the will be interested to learn that the At-The idea that she would some day matter with our modern spirits, anytake flight, offernded at something he way? In a day when the world has lantic Division, of which their Home had unwittingly done to displease her, gone mad on the subject of efficiency, Red Cross organization is a member, and leave him, inaunted him. He had why do we find our ghosts so utterly is well up among the sections of the heard of Such things happening, and incompetent, so unequal to their jobs ? country that are supporting an inhad always wondered how the hus- Their great trouble is their lack of creasing number of Public Health band could stand it. What would he definite purpose. There is no reason Nurses. No form of peace time activde if Moll le should take a notion to whatever for their being, and conse- ity undertaken by the Red Cross has run away? Would he dare risk go quently they are insipid, puerile, un made a more popular appeal than the ing after her to bring her back, or interesting things. They don't even plan of providing as many commuwould he let her take her own course, call themselves ghosts; they are spir- nities as possible with skilled nursing tinmolested by him? He tried his best its, a much flabbier term, and the same service. Reports just compiled at Dito please, but could not always be peneral debility runs through their en- vision Headquarters show that no less sure that he succeeded. Women were tire make-up. They have no wills of than seventy of these tireless and deso hard to suit. He imagined that their own. They wait respectfully till Mollie's smalle was not as bright as they are summoned by the very morvoted missionaries of good health are been received. usual, her greetings not as loving. tals they ought to terrify. They and now at work in New York, New Jer-Did women change, he wondered swer, like bell boys, to the call of sey and Connecticut, the three states after they were married? He tried such silly devices as oulja boards. comprising the Atlantic Division. not to thimk about it, the idea pos-Can you imagine a Shakespearean Every week sees an increasing numsessed him, and he watched her nar- ghost waiting to be summoned? Those ber of chapters arranging for the sery-

were specters with minds of their lices of one of these nurses. Chapters And there it ca me, the thing he had own. They appeared when it pleased which already have had the benefit of been dreading. The train from the them to appear, uninvited and more their labors have been among the first city was delayed one evening by an often than not undesired. You might to arrange for the coming Red Cross accident. It was quite dark when shout "Avaunt thee!" till you were Roll Call, which will be held in the Jack reached the door of his cozy hoarse; you might call them "foul three states from November 14 to 20. little home. Mollie would be worried. spirits" or any other uncomplimentary He ran up the steps, but the house terms you could think of, but until

was dark. There was no little wife their job was done not one inch , The field of endeavor covered by would they budge. The modern spirit the Public Health Nurse is practically could have happened? He fumbled vanishes if you give him half a chance, unlimited. She possesses more than nervously in his pocket for his latch- but then he only came in the first the qualifications of a trained nurse. place to oblige you, out of politeness She is teacher, dictitian, hygicne exand weakmindedness.-Margaret L- pert, inspector and welfare worker roll-Ferrand in the New York Evening Post_ ed into que.

Approximately 1,000 of these all once-perhans size was asleep. He VERBENA HELD AS SACRED around health agents are already at work in the United States. Following went around to the back door. That Romans Believed That Leaves of Plant are the thirty-eight now at work in lings of reason may result in disaster."

New York : Mrs. Lillian Wilcox, Albany ; Mrs. Caroline Metcalle, Albion; Miss Catherine Lambert, Amsterdam; The verbena plant was held in the Miss Ellen Murphy, Catskill ; Miss Augustine 'Stoll, Chester: Miss Mildred Beemer, Cobleskill; Miss Olive Wallace, Cobleskill; Miss Clara Greene Dansville, Miss May Merriman, Elms-Miss Elsie Sanders, Gowanda; Miss



The popular sailor in hatterst plush,

sidered in Matter of Gowns,

Stage Woman Says,

has a certain individuality of her own

-a temperament, if you will-that

makes her a little, or perhaps a good

deal, different from all other women.

ment-that' woman should dress up to,

make the person-ality more marked and

But an instinctive carrying out of

For example, there is always the wom-

an who weighs 200 pounds or there-

abouts, but whose personality is dis-

thetly kittenish. Is she to dress her

character or her figure? fivere is also

the very little woman who ought to be-

long to the cueldly, appealing class.

who yearns to be impressive and state-

ly. If she insists upon wearing the

convincing.

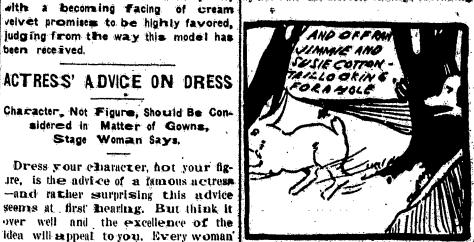
POPULAR SAILOR-IN PLUSH

FOX AND COTTONTAILS

M R. FOX decided that the only way to get all the wood animals a liave a good opinion of him was to give a big dinner, for he had somelow got rather a bad name among the mimals for being so tricky.

So all day long he went about tellng all the animals that when it was lark-quite dark-they were to come to his house and dine.

There were the Squirrels and the Coons, the 'Possums and the Bear famby and all the Rabbit family, including



Susie Cottontail and her brother Jimmie and many others.

You may be sure that no one ate any dinner that day. They all saved It is this individuality-this temperatheir appetites for Mr. Fox's nighttime feast, for, as Mr. Coon expressed according to the actress, in order to it, "We should be very ungrateful to Mr. Fox if we did not take to his dinner our very best appetite ; therefore, our stomache should be empty." this advice with no heed to the prompt-

Mr. Fox let them in one by one and was careful to draw all the shades and stuff the keyhole to the light would not show outside if anything handened that Mr. Dog should be roaming through the woods. - At last all the animals but Jimmie

and Susie Cotton tail were there, and

every one begun to wonder whore could be and what kept them so

It happened that Jimmle and Bus Cottentall were not at all sure the would enjoy Mr. Nor's dinner and Che had run over to the farm on the hill to have a dinner of some garden stal of which they were fond.

They had stayed longer than the and intended and when they started for Mr. Fox's house were not as caw tious as they usually were about throwing Mr. Dog of their track. Just as they were entering the wood ho should come bounding after them buit Mr. Dog, who had followed the from the farm, and off ran Jimmie and Susie Cottontail looking for a hole in which to hide.

Mr. Fox's house was the first refuge they came to and in the door they purst, with Mr. Dog at their heels.

Of course, there was no dinner and the party was spolled, for everybedy ran, and Mr. Dog, not knowing which ome to chase when he saw so many went home without having caught any one:

The next day Mr. Fox was talking with his friend, Mr. Coon, "No one of the animals would have gotten as into such a fix but those Cottontalian. he said.

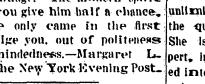
"In the first place their ears are an short they never heard quickly like some others of that family, and then those tails-why, they can be seen far y ymrds and yards! I should have known better than to have asked them.

"And every one knows they have not sense. The Cottontalts run into the first opening they see and never beep ors running as their cousins do. F have had my lesson. I shall cut them off my visiting list from now on." And, that is the reason the Cotton tall family are never lavited to any dimners that the wood folk give their rmils can be too easily followed by Mr. Dog.

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gaments of the grenadler woman she may spoll her c-hances of being fas-

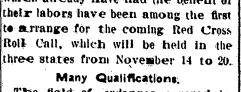
But between these two extremes here is a very hanny medium and Bols, Johnstown ; Miss Alice M. Ashthis Idea of dressing up to one's type there is also a very valuable suggestion. The importance of reflecting personal individuality in costume is appreclated by many women who design Alice Gayer, Lyons; Miss Alice Philtheir own clothes and hand the designs lips, New Hartford; Miss Mary Sailto tailor, diressmakers and milliner to man. Oneida; Miss Hannah Lord, reproduce in practical guise. The ac-Ramapo; Miss Clara Rathburn, Rama- tress in her part is always dressed in po; Miss Mary E. Lewis, Red Hook: conformily with the character she is Miss Catherine McDonnell, Saranne portraying, but her costumes-and here is an important point-are made Lake ; Miss Wilhemina Hoffman, Scheto suit her figure lines while expressnectady; Miss Myrile Steeves, Silver, ing a special sort of personality. 'reek: Miss Mary Stevenson, Sodus; lliss Emma G. Snyder, Springville; TIMELY FASHION HINTS Miss Nellie Saxe, Tannersville; Miss Matilda McNeilly, Walton; Miss Kathryn Keogh, Warsaw; Miss Emma G. Big plaids and little plaids are used Myers, Warwick : Miss Lucy French, galore,



Would Protect the Wearer From Injury.

be done? He might perhaps climb to the plazza roof and try the bedroom greatest veneration by the ancient window, but he reflected that Mollie Romans, who believed that a few always kept that locked when he was leaves of it worn on the person away, she imad to a hinx so; then, too, would protect against injury, and he would rate doubt be taken for a Roman brides who gathered and wore burglar, and it would be awkward, a wreath of verbena were considered ford : Miss Ella T. Rouse, Goshen: He found himself in the uncomfortable fortunate.

position of being locked out of his The plant came by its name from Mildred Peters, Hoosick Falls; Miss cinatingly charming. own house. Mollie might have become an old Roman custom. Whenever a Myrtle Boorn, Illon; Miss Grace Dutired of washing and dronned off to dispute was had with another nation sleep-if he could only wake her! an official called verbanerius was sent ton, Kenmore; Miss Bertha Morgen-Perhaps she was sick. The thought to discuss it with the offending coun- stern, Lancaster; Miss Nora Taft, Lefrightened Bilm. He knocked again try. This official wore a wreath of roy; Miss Ida Maurer, Little Falls; and called her name frantically. He verbena. If war was decided upon an Miss Elizabeth Riffel, Lowville; Mrs. must wake her-if she were there- iron-tipped spear with a sprig of verbena tied to it was shot into the en-



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in the door way to greet him. What

key; then he remembered that he

had lost it a week ago and had neg-

lected to get a new one. Mollie had

always been there to let him take

her key. It flashed upon him all at

knocked locadly. Still no answer. He

also was locked, and every window

tight. Mollie was afraid when alone.

He could raise up one. What was to'

The old thought took possession of emy territory as a declaration of him. Mollie had Left him! He paced the narrow plazza, perspiration starting from his face. He could not stand it. She might be dead. Horrible full moon. No one was allowed to nightmares assailed him. , Had she really gone-left Lim? What had he done to offernd her?' His kiss in the morning had been as tender as ever. He hadn't refused to do her errands in town. He had the pink silk in his pocket now-if he could only give it to her ! His weinried mind tried to think of something he had done to anger her, but he could find nothing. She had been more loving than usual that morning, he remembered with a sigh. She naust be dead or she would

even. "Hello, Jack! What's up?" called a

familiar voice. "Lost your latch key? their loneliness and married them. Can't get hE Walt a liffy, I've a skel- They were so happy in their connuoton. Here, try thats."

Jack was still pounding furiously.

and the two men sentered, Jack trem. where they wink at each other all the bling with fear, hardly daring to stir, year round, but are only allowed to His friend st ruck a light.

laughed. "Your wife locked you out, did she? Well, pay her back some few slicks of incense with some sweets day."

sorry. A tel-egrime tells me mother's sky. terribly sick. I must stay with her tonight. I tried to get you on the phone, but couldn't. Your supper's

You'll find the key under the mat. "Mollie."

an." lie mutt ered. put it."

"Yes, and leave the note inside," growled Jack_

Clever Smuggling Scheme.

by a smuggler who bought diamonds by old women is common. in Europe and concealed them in his stateroom. An American confederate; knowing in advance the number of vould arrive to take leave of him.

time, and efforts at resuscitation dis- tive name is Erzerum, or "Armenian, closed the stomes.

war. The Druids dedicated the verbena to their priestess, gathering it at the touch it with the hands. It was uprooted by being tied to the foot of a young girl. Hungarian gypsies believe that if a cut is made in the palm of the hand and a tiny piece of verbena leaf is placed in it and the wound allowed to heal over the person will be able to open all locks with a single touch.-Detroit News.

Pretty Chinese Legend.

One of the prettiest legends of Chihear his poir nding and open the door. nese mythology is that of the weaver SIMS PAYS TRIBUTE TO with gold. His knocks ought to wake the dead girl and the herd laddle who are said to be two stars in the sky.

In far off days, Jove took pity on bial bliss—this proves the date to have

He pulled a key from his pocket and been very long ago in the days of rarr up the steps to the door, which "once upon a time"-that they neglectcross for a brief spell of happiness on

"You look like a ghost, Jack?" he the seventh day of the seventh moon. On that night sly maidens place a and fruit on a table in the inner court

They entered the dialng room, where yard as an offering to the two stars, the table was spread with dainties for perhaps with an unexpressed prayer his late supper, and there lay a note, that in their own case the course of folded neatly, written in a fine hand. true love may run more smoothly than "Dear Hub by," it read, "I'm awfully it did for the immortal lovers in the

Varieties of "Smokes." The Burmese maidens do exactly all_ready for you. So sorry to be what Kipling says they do in his

a cigar ten inches long and as fat as a good-sized candle, and with a white

Jack whist led. "Just like a wom-paper covering. The longest pipes known are those used by the His friend laughted heartly, "Why natives of the Belgian Congo. These didn't you think of the mat?" he pipes have stems ten or twelve feet chuckled. "That's where they always long, with small bowls. If matches were used to light them a friend would he needed to apply the flame, but the native gets his light by merely thrust-

Liege, in parts of Ireland, and in the A dever scheme was that adopted southern United States, pipe-smoking

Armenian Language is Old.

The Armenian tongue, however mucheastern Roman empire. Erzerum, capi-Tival of the fittest.

depart, carrying the diamonds with less name of Rome. It was founded in her. The trick was discovered when the year 514, by Theodosius, a sebasthe woman fainted in the excitement tos, that is, emperor, of eastern Rome, backbonie he needs. of being barely able to get ashore in He called it Theodoslopolis; but its na-

Rome "-- Ernest .P. Horrwitz in Asia

Walkins; Miss Margaret Eagan, Wav-Formal tea gowns show long, clingerly; Miss Stella Healy, West Seneca; ing lines. Marry short jackets flare from the

Miss Lillan Johnson, Willamsville. shoulder

Tailored costumes are mostly of **RED CROSS SERVICE**

plain goods. The newest form of sweater coat is

a straight Jacket of white China silk Adrairal William S. Sims, one of the made of several layers and quilted and rommittee of ninety-one well-known It is worn with a pavy blue cape and Americans which is working for the

skirt. nuccess of the fourth Red Cross Roll Variety is the rule in the displays ed their tasks and were banished to Call, November 14 to 20, pays the fol of autumn tasts. They afe made up in With little effort the door flew oren opposite sides of the Milky Way, towing tribute to the work of the revelvet, duvetyn felt and laces. Many of them are trimined profusely with lief organization :

"Government officials can make no paradise. The newest French Lingerie is fash expenditures, even for the relief of suffering and in ald of our disabled ioned of firse pirck and yellow linen. Another favorite mote of the season is heroes, in the many urgent cases that to be found in white lines undergarhave not been foreseen and provided ments with appliqued designs in colfor by law, and often the necessarily ored linens. cumbersone machinery of government

Indications point to the long sleeve lepartments renders prompt action difas the popartar style for the new blouses. In spite of the favor shown "The Red Cross can and will per- to the three-quarzer-length'sleeves at form these essential services promptly the beginning of the season, the penand efficiently to the extent rendered dulum is swinging more and more topossible by public support. It has ward the lorig sleeve,

Brown net is

Applique and exelet embroidery are wo new features of the smartest sall blouses. One model shows a panel of taupe georgette with eyelet embroiderv posed over a foundation of Hindu color. A second model has tan welvet apples appliqued on a blouse of navy george fie. Tan filet lace and green satin bands give a further color contrast.

Black Lace and White Velvet. Some of the most striking combinations of black and white are seen in models of black lace used in conjunction with white velvet. A favorite way of making a dress from these materials is to develop a slinple formulation of black lace with long sleeves that hang loosely to about the elbow from where they fit fightly over the lower arm and wrist. The velvet is used to form the front portion of the dress, which is in a pron panel effect. Often the white velvet panels carry beautiful embroidery in black.

Millinery Matches Dress Trimming. Fall millipery matches the dress rimming in brillancy of color. This At least an ossified man has all the in offset, however, by unoderation in the size of the hars. Draped turbans in boat shape and in the Hindu styles!

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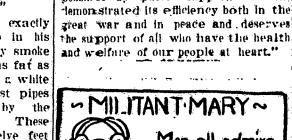
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away. I'll be back in the morning, "Road to Mandalay," for they smoke and welfare of our people at heart." Men-all-admire airls who earn

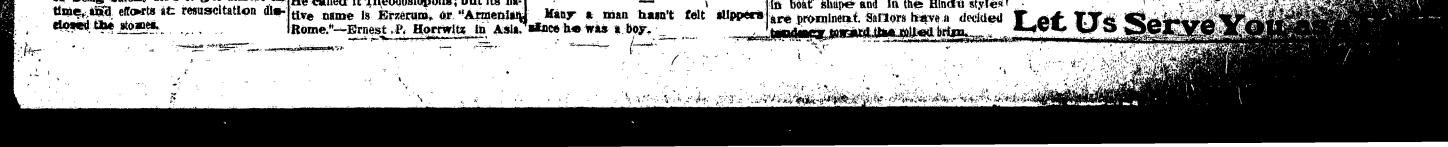
ing the bowl into his camp fire.In

the room, would a lways book it for it has changed in the course of centhe return passage. The original smug-turies, is descended from the language gler would leave the vessel without that Priam and Hector spoke. The Arthe genis. HIs confederate would go menjans hail, like Homeric Trojans, on board, and later on some incon-from Thrace, which subsequently bespicnously dre-ssed middle-aged woman came incorporated in the Byzantine or

Then at the last moment she would tal of Armenia, has retained the death-



ficult if not impossible.



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