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Jaunty Little Capes With High Collars—The Dolman Here Again.

The new spring wraps are capes in varying lengths between medium short and very short, longer dolman shapes for women past middle age and coats of all sorts and kinds. The cape reaching to the elbows is the jauntiest little garment for summer use, when a coat will not answer the purpose, and it is variously made of taffeta silk, moire, satin and mirror velvet in pale gray or some brighter color and elaborately trimmed with ruche edged plaited frills of black chiffon, chantilly lace and jet. The collars of all the capes are high, lined inside with shirred chiffon, liberty silk, lace or silk and finished in front with bow and scarf ends of plaited chiffon.

One little model in the shawl shape, pointing down in the back, is of jetted net over rich mirror velvet and finished all around the edge with a plain net plaiting, in turn edged with a ruche, which seems to be the universal finish.

Taffeta silk capes gored and gathered around the shoulders are another style made with long stole ends. Colored peau de soie, especially in the shades of tan, is another material which appears in capes, and cream lace frills are the trimming, one deep one perhaps with a heading made by shirring the lace into a narrow puff, supplemented by a band of applique lace. Whatever the length of the cape may be, it rounds up in front and in many instances reminds you of the capes worn years ago.

The dolman is here again and another garment of silk, panne and lace,

NEW CAPE WITH LINED COLLAR.

which has the appearance of a rather long sack, or a short sack, rather, with deep lace flounces and distinct sleeves. Pale gray moire is a very pretty foundation for a cape with black trimmings.

The variety in capes is not confined to silk and lace, however, for there is every kind in colored cloth which can be imagined. Tan and gray are especially good style, while cream white and red are both worn in Paris. Rows of stitching, stitched bands of cloth, satin bands and braiding are the modes of trimming cloth capes. The prevailing model is short, falling a little below the waist line, and cut with a scant circular flounce on the bottom. The high collars are lined with velvet and trimmed inside with lace.

Shoulder pelerines, very short and fanciful, made of chiffon shirred and plaited or of lace and jet, are very attractive novelties, but their mission is not one of usefulness. They are very pretty and not very expensive if you make them at home out of black point d'esprit, says the New York Sun, the source of the foregoing fashions and illustration.

Golf Shoes.

"To the golfer his shoes are almost as important as his clubs," remarks the New York Herald. The American golfer is following closely in the footsteps of his British cousins and adopting their thick waterproof leather, with heavy nail studded soles. The preference in Great Britain is for shoes rather than boots, or, as we would say here, for low cut rather than laced up shoes. Almost any sort of coarse grained, tough leather is used now, and tan is the orthodox color. Just now the fashion in this country is for shoes of horsehide, which makes a very durable and pliable leather.

The Best Hall Furniture.

The hall furniture is best of the simplest style—high backed chairs, a low oak seat, etc., says The Art Interchange. In the choice of hall furniture choose always that which is solid and with no upholstery unless of leather or corduroy. Carved chairs are rich and stately. There are artistic, massive, plain designs, however, that are as fully desirable

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A Story of European Diplomacy and Our Civil War.

The Outlook gives an interesting story of the Spanish administration, when, during our civil war, the Emperor Napoleon formed the ingenious plan of uniting European nations in a change of the international law governing blockades. The admiralty law of the world at present extends the jurisdiction of any nation for one marine league from its shores. If, therefore, any blockade runner could get within three miles of Jamaica, Cuba or Porto Rico, he was safe from any interference from our blockading fleet.

Napoleon proposed that, instead of one league, the limit of local sovereignty should be extended to three leagues from shore, and he persuaded the Spanish minister to come into his plan.

Such an extension of neutral limits would have greatly hindered the operations of our blockading fleets. All the negotiations were conducted with great secrecy, but orders were sent from Spain to the West Indies, instructing authorities there to extend threefold the range of their dominion over the sea. These orders had already gone when Horatio Perry, the American secretary of legation, got wind of the treachery of our ally.

Mr. Perry told his wife. She told the Duchess of Montpensier, who hated Louis Napoleon, and the duchess told her sister, the Spanish queen. Then the queen sent for Mr. Perry and asked what it was all about.

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The queen regent sent for her prime minister and interrogated him. He replied that her majesty had signed the order on such a day.

"But no one told me what it meant," said Queen Isabella. "No one told me that this is a heavy blow to my American allies."

No one had told her! The minister was sorry if her majesty disliked it, but it was too late to help it. Why was it too late? Because a steamer had gone to the West Indian fleet with the orders which changed one league to three.

Then said Isabella, "It is not too late for me to accept your resignations."

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Gems Gleaned From the Teachings of All Denominations.

Religion is a matter between yourself and God.—Rev. G. W. Stone, Unitarian, Kansas City.

The Supreme Interpreter.

The church will hold Christ as the supreme interpreter. In him is the interpretation of nature, of man, of God. —Dr. G. H. Combs, Kansas City

The Mind.

The mind has no conception of what it is to be tired or impaired, but it knows when its instrument is.—T. B. Wilson, Theosophist, Kansas City.

The Friend of Most Value.

The most valuable friend is the noble man or woman who inspires us to be something better than ourselves.—Rev D. N. McLauchlin, Presbyterian, Chester, S. C.

Human Glories.

How fleeting human glories are and how short is the duration of earthly happiness! The true happiness is founded on Christ in devotion to his religion. —Cardinal Gibbons, Roman Catholic, Baltimore.

Christianity.

Christianity has three C's—creed, code and cult. We do not want Christianity to be mere emotionalism. Neither do we want it to be mere intellectualism.—Rev. Dr. Patton, Presbyterian, Princeton, N. J.

Woman.

Woman is the most devoted creature on earth. Her devotion is not to an ideal, but to a person. Her devotion is steadfast, and in its expression she will hesitate at nothing.—Rev. William Radcliffe, Presbyterian, New York.

The Christian Faith.

It is perilous to dwell too fixedly upon any one article of the Christian faith alone, however holy. In thinking of Christ so ceaselessly as God the Christian world forgot he was a man.—Bishop Satterlee, Episcopal, Washington.

The Church.

The church by the preaching and practice and inculcation of love has it in her power to become a tremendous factor in removing the ills and wrongs so widely and loudly complained of.—Rev. F. R. Coyle, Presbyterian, Oakland, Cal.

A New Duty.

We must boldly face the new duty that confronts us and give to those distant islands religious liberty, the open Bible, self government, Anglo-Saxon law and the separation of church and state.—Rev. W. J. Chichester, Presbyterian, Chicago.

John Baptist.

The character of John Baptist stands out, like that of Savonarola in Florence, a light in dense darkness. John was a patriot moved by the dire needs of his country, who called to the support of a decaying government the brightest and best of the nation's youth.—Rev. Mr Rollins, San Bernardino, Cal.

The Painted Woman.

The woman who resorts to cosmetics is simply trying to pass a counterfeit bill and will sooner or later be found out, but she who trusts to her good will for all, her sympathy for suffering, her general kindliness, has her hand full of gold coins which everybody wants and appreciates.—George H. Hepworth, Congregationalist, New York.

Protestantism.

The essentials of Protestantism are moral unity and love. If you want God, God wants you. Any man who wants God is a priest. If God speaks to my soul, I need not get anybody to tell me what he says. The way is open between God and the human soul. True Protestantism is the joining of hands and walking with God.—Rev. Dr. Abbott, Congregationalist, Brooklyn.

Manliness.

Manliness is that which one weighs intellectually and morally. It is the substance of life with the chaff blown away. It is devotion to right in a larger way and on a generous scale. Manliness is more than titles or position. It is of intrinsic worth, and it abides in the world's memory and the world's love.—Rev. Dr. Kerr Boyce Tupper, Baptist, Philadelphia.

Faith Cures.

All cures are faith cures—there are no others—only faith in God is not folding your arms, but asking, "What can I do?" The man who goes to Havana and takes his life in his hand to ferret out and destroy disease is the man who has faith—Colonel Waring, not Harold Frederic. If you have the wish and behind it the expectation, all things are possible.—Rev Dr Abbott, Congregationalist, Brooklyn.

Church and Sunday School.

Our Protestant churches are too apt to let the Sunday school take the place of the church in the lives of the children, and this is a deplorable mistake. Let the church take precedence always. The Sunday school is a most excellent and blessed institution, but the child should be taught to regard it as secondary to the church, and the habit of church attendance should be deeply implanted in earliest youth in order that good fruit may be borne in later days.—Rev John Hemphill, Presbyterian, San Francisco.

Contentment Necessary to Spiritual Growth.

In the spirit of contentment with one's lot in life and in the faithful discharge of the duties of one's station lies the way of inward and healthful growth in body, mind and spiritual grace. Heaven is use. Not in the variety of our earthly experiences, but in the use that we make of them; not in the amassing of knowledge, not in the mere acquirement of wealth, not in intellectual culture, but in a loving faith, trust in God, leading a wise and loving use of what we possess for human uplifting, lies the path of growth in those genuine human graces which fit mankind for the angelhood which is God's one grand design in the creation of men.—Rev John Goddard, Church of New Jerusalem, Cincinnati.

Fashion's Echoes.

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Charity.

The church is not a charitable institution. Charity is incidental, not fundamental, in the church. Its business is to help people to help themselves by developing in them the best, working out their salvation—i. e., their character—according to the laws of development and saving them and their world, not from anything necessarily, but to all that is good and true.—Rev. William Rader, Congregationalist, San Francisco.

Strive For Perfect Manhood.

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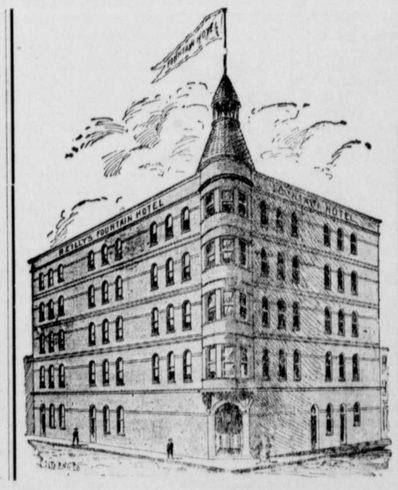

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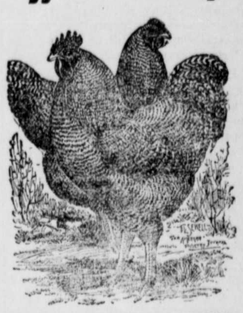

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COUNTY COMMISSIONERS' ANNUAL NOTICE.

The County Commissioners of Kent county will meet at their office in Chestertown, Md., TUESDAY, March 14th, 1899, at Eleven o'clock a. m., and will continue to meet every TUESDAY until the 24 day of May next, for the purpose of noting transfers and correcting assessments. All persons who have sold or transferred any assessable property since their last sitting for said purpose, are particularly requested to appear at an early day to have their assessments corrected and adjusted. After TUESDAY, the 9th day of May next, no alterations or corrections in the assessments will be made for 1899.

On first TUESDAY, (2d) of MAY next, a "County Health Officer" and a "Janitor" of Court House Buildings and Grounds will be appointed to serve for one year.

All persons having accounts against the county are requested to present the same on or before TUESDAY, the 6th day of June next, otherwise they may be excluded from the Levy of this year.

All accounts properly chargable to the county are required to be made out in a clear manner, itemized and rendered under oath.

All Applications for Pensions must be made in writing, stating the condition and circumstances of the applicant and vouched for by THREE or more freeholders having a knowledge of the facts therein set forth.

All Mortgagees or Assignees thereof, are particularly requested to have entered of record within the time required by Code of P. G. Laws, all mortgages executed since September 1st, 1898, and the payments on all mortgages executed since March 28th, 1896, that have not since been released; that the amount of mortgage taxes on gross amount of interest covenanted to be paid may be correctly estimated for the present year.

All Persons are also particularly requested to make application during the sittings for said purpose, to have any errors in their assessments corrected, otherwise allowances for taxes paid in error may be refused.

SAMUEL TODD, PRES'T;
DANIEL HILL,
JOSEPH H. USILTON,
GEO. W. HATCHERSON,
THOMAS J. FLETCHER,
County Commissioners.

Attest—T. WATERS RUSSELL, Clerk.
March 16, 1899—tm.

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