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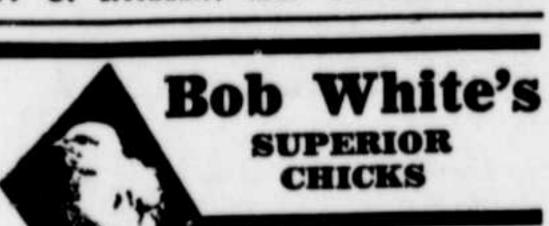
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or want doesn't matter!"

ing for both of us, dear."

cool alternation.

on's face.

do it! You-"

other in silent fury.

Carl looked at her in shaken sur-

"But-but I thought I was speak-

Her face softened, though she

almost rakishly, she stood between

"Perhaps you were, Carl," she

Leon went swiftly close to the

"And isn't that it, my love? Aren't

you just the spoils that belong to

The voice was drawling, a taunt.

Marta stepped back from him,

"No, you fool-I'll never belong to

A satyr-like smile spread over Le-

Then his arm shot out and the

With a brief moan she sank to the

it must be done and you could not

The words died as Carl lunged

A fierce moment of struggle and

Carl fell with him, pinioned the

thrashing arms, and drove his

"When - you're - dead," he

breathed gutturally, "she'll - be

At the fight's beginning Marta had

There, wide - eyed, emotionless,

But after the fall, horror and

great fear slowly appeared on the

pair. In her clenched hand was

something thin and gleaming and

Valdes gave one last heave and

from his throat. And then the man

She smiled at him with mock

"That's what you get for trying

The director had come onto the

Island of Trinidad Lake

All lakes aren't filled with water.

On the island of Trinidad, off the

coast of South America, there is an

asphalt lake covering more than a

hundred acres. The surface is

brownish-black and wrinkled, like

an old piece of leather. People can

For a long time, says a writer

in the Washington Star, it was

thought that there was no end to

The Hindus' Marriage

To the Hindus marriage is fulfill-

"Siva-Linga" they worship repre-

The invasion of American waters

tinental migrations, has unquestion-

These calamities of natural and

winter resting and feeding grounds

portant event in his life.

Choicest of All Wild Water Fowl

Of the deep-water ducks, the strict vegetarian and limits its

divers that love wide bays rather flight lanes to regions where its

than marshes, the canvasback is restricted diet can be accommodat-

markings of deep red head and by the German carp, an exotic "soft

neck, black collar and gleaming fish" which feeds on bottom vege-

white back and belly together with tation and in time destroys the food

its stocky build make it easily iden- supply upon which the canvasback

tifiable. It vies with the mallard ducks once thrived during their con-

Since the time of George Wash- ably been one of the most severe

ington and earlier, writes Ding Dar- enemies of the canvasback and red

the choicest wild water fowl in the artificial origin have so reduced the

world for the table. In market-shoot- canvasback population that in or-

ing days, they have sold for as much | der to insure its existence as a spe-

as \$6 a pair, wholesale; \$1.20 a cies, the Biological survey found it

days of bag limits reached as low | tected list until its numbers can be

The favorite food of the canvas- during the winters of 1936-37-38 have

back is eel grass, wild celery and shown the wisdom and practicabil-

succulent herbs which grow at the ity of this restrictive manage-

undressed and before the necessary to place it on the pro-

to steal the scene!"

drawn herself up and backed

against a table, ten feet away.

she watched their battle.

thumbs deeper into Valdes' flesh.

Leon went down, the heavier man's

fingers tight about his throat.

didn't go to him. Hands on hips,

By THAYER WALDO M Clure News, aper Syndicate.

THEN the kiss ended, Carl the two men, surveying them with glanced across the room and saw Leon. He stood in the archway, immobile, a said at last, "but it all sound like sober look on his dark face. Carl tightened his arm about the girl's an argument over a prize, or someshoulders and then, as Leon came thing." forward with deliberate steps, she heard the sound and also turned. Leon stopped again by the divan's

end and continued for a moment to the victor?" gaze silently at them. His expression now was of almost gentle amusement; yet in its depths flashing instant defiance. lurked sardonicism, too. "You know," he said at last, "it's really a most idyllic picture. The

personification of young love, and The girl withdrew from Carl's em- open hand struck viciously across

brace and leaned back, smiling a lit- her cheek. Leon lit a cigarette and went on. | floor and Leon turned to Carl, cry-"I can see you look on me as an ing:

intruder. Well, no matter-I'm not "There-you see? Now and then offended." Carl frowned slightly. "Your flippancy," he objected, "strikes me as being in rather bad | suddenly forward and grappled the

taste, old man." With a cat-quick movement Leon stepped forward, his eyes suddenly glittering. 'Would you prefer melodrama,

The tone was low, rasping. In a flash, however, poise had returned and he added: "Come-I'll be serious then. Why, sir, do I find you making love to

my friend?"

my fiancee?"

Carl stood up, his manner solemn. "Because," he began, "I-" "Because, Leon," the girl cut in, "your fiancee was willing." Both men turned to her, and Leon made the briefest of bows. "Of course, my dear; that much girl's face, and as Leon's writhings

is understood. You are always will- grew feebler she started toward the Carl confronted him, bristling. "Look here-I resent that," he pointed. flared. "It's a rotten thing to say about Marta, and none too compli- fell back, a harsh gasp breaking

mentary to me." "My apologies; but you mistake crouched over him and cried out me. I spoke of a quality, not hab- terribly and took away his hands. its. Marta, I repeat, is always ready | From one side of his disarranged for lovemaking; it's one of a black- vest protruded the ornamental hanhaired woman's intriguing foibles. | dle of a paper knife. indulgence to me-until now, that sharp in the stillness, and a sudden wanting will be an adorable oneis. And so, quite naturally, I look buzz of laughing voices followed. piece dress made of suede caressto you for an explanation of this." The man called Leon scrambled at ing as a rose petal to the touch and Under the man's searching gaze, once to his feet, while he of the Carl turned away and strolled back | mortal wound withdrew an unof the divan, stopping just behind | stained weapon and remarked geni-Marta. The girl saw quietly, her ally: eyes never leaving Leon's face. "There's really nothing to explain, that steel undervest. Believe you Valdes," Carl said. "Marta and I me, that girl has a thrust!" just all of a sudden discovered it was there, for both of us, and so- archness.

"And what?" Again Leon had moved with an set, one arm about the shoulders of agile, unexpected step, and now a pleasant-looking young man in stood just across the davenport horn-rimmed glasses. from Carl, his leg touching the girl's

well, I planned to come to you and

"Why, tell you we loved each

other-that you'd have to give her For a long moment Leon's gray-

green eyes, a little narrowed, looked into those of the man facing Visitors Walk Safely on him. Then they swept downward to meet Marta's, and almost at once a troubled tenseness came over the girl. In a voice hopelessly unsteady she old him: "Yes; Leon; it's true-. I was going to speak to you myself, .irst.'

Then Leon began to laugh. A chuckle it was at first—a chuck- walk on the lake without sinking, le that sounded, lazily, deep in his their feet leaving only faint prints. throat. But it swelled, became a throat. But it swelled, became a throat torrent, filled and swept and rocked asphalt to ship to all parts of the the room. In its wild abandon it world. A railroad track is laid was something fascinating and across the surface to the place something more than a little mad. where the digging is going on. Hearing it, Carl twitched and moist- Each morning the hole made the ened his lips. Marta sprang from the divan as it reached crescendo, road track sunken and twisted from and ran across to the window. the movement of the asphalt during There she had stood for an instant, the night. back to the others, when suddenly the laugh ceased. Leon was staring once more at Carl.

"You imbecile!" he almost with letters from well-wishers, one offering this, and another offering that marvelous remedy for fering that marvelous remedy for his malady, whatever it might be, says his daughter, Clara Clemens such a woman, and even I only by tons of asphalt have been removed, the surface of the lake has dropped the surface of the lake has dropped to such a woman, and even I only by vears to use up the supply, but some tyranny? What can you offer her— years to use up the supply, but some He tried to acknowledge all such messages and sometimes did so in tues? Listen to me, Drake; forget new substance with which to surney found her lips and arms willing a whimsical way. Here is one of you found her lips and arms willing, face his streets. and remember only that she's mine "Dear Sir (or Madam): I try | -mine whenever I choose to claim

> Carl, conquering rage, had won to a determined calm and now he ment of a divine obligation. The regarded Leon scornfully. "You're making an ass of your- sents the relationship of man and self, Valdes," he stated; "a double- wife. Procreation is a sacred duty, dyed, unpleasant ass. I'd really an inescapable obligation, and you'd take this thing in a person's marriage is the most imcivilized way."

without doubt the sovereign. Its ed.

ling in the Washington Star, the heads.

bottom of shallow lakes. It is a ment.

canvasback has been regarded as

characteristic flight, conspicuous

in weight and size.

Canvasback Duck Holds Favor as

Marta whirled around and came Fashion Says Suede From Tip to Toe "And I suppose what I may think

By CHERIE NICHOLAS



of suede. Keenly fashion-alert wom- | ter swagger coat. en are doing just that-dressing in

suede from head to foot. so light weight you will wonder with what magic tanners' art ever accomplished it.

Everyone loves the colors sucde "A wonder it didn't get bent on offers. They are that beautiful it can't be told in words, for when it comes to taking dyes there is nothing that surpasses suede.

combinations exploited, for the more unusual the color alliances this season the smarter. Per example the girl pictured in the oval inset is wearing a double-breasted suit presenting a most striking color "Kids, it was grand!" he boomed; "but here's the big hero. What a script he gave you! How about it, everybody - an orchid to Jed The cone-topped hat and laced envelope bag which she carries with this costume are in "sooty" black

a soft afternoon or sports dress of blue and cavalry red, honey beige lovely suede you will begin to look and others. about for accessories and here is

where you will cast away all restraint. You will find that a hat MAZINGLY supple, superbly and matching scarf of suede will colorful suede is making fash- top off any costume you choose to ion history this season. Prepare for | wear it with, to perfection. Pica revelation when you go suede shop- | tured above in the illustration Mary ping. Once glimpse the perfectly | Carlisle of Hollywood fame shows fascinating clothes designers are her yen for suede in that she is creating of this delightful medium | wearing a hat and scarf in Egyptian and it's our guess you will be want- clay-color suede which stunningly ing to acquire a whole wardrobe contrasts her pale blue three-quar-

One of the suede accessory items that will lay siege to your heart is When you sight the new collections | a separate bolero of colorful suede. FIREPROOF—NEWLY DECORATED However, she's lately confined her "Cut!" The director's voice rang the first item of apparel you'll be Wear it with any costume you will and it will take on new glory. The one pictured is quite simply tailored but it is possible to get suede boleros with decorative scalloped edges. You can get these in dark tones or entrancing ice-cream or bon bon colors. If it is from a sportswear viewpoint you are choosing, ask to see the lumber jacket types in suede or perhaps one of the sweater pullover models with wool sleeves as pictured in the group will Then there are startling color be your style. With plaid pleated

skirts they make the costume ideal. It gives a dress or a coat an unmistakable air of chic to enliven it with a collar and cuff suede "set' or newer still is the collar and tiegirdle twosome of colorful suede. scheme in that it tops a skirt of Some are finished with self-suede wineberry suede with a jacket in fringe in the cowboy manner as picsuede that is in gold-nugget yellow. tured, and still others have distinctive diamond cutouts bordering the collar and sash ends. These ensembles are to be had in such luscious colors as raspberry red, After you have bought a suit and oriole orange, gold nugget, yankee

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VEIL-TRIMMED HAT By CHERIE NICHOLAS

LINGERIE BLOUSE



Milliners are not only using veils as veils but the hat that is trimmed with veiling is a favorite type that is showing in great numbers. It is a navy colored veil that perks up the white straw as here shown. Furthermore, fashion declares that no costume is really complete without its flower accent this spring. This printed pique jacket worn over a navy dress uses a bunch of nasturtium-red flowers and, what's more, to complete the color scheme the young woman's nail polish is in matching nasturtium to carry out the flower motif.

IN STELLAR ROLE By CHERIE NICHOLAS

This is a suit season and a suit season means that the blouse is called upon to play a stellar role. A fashion of utmost importance is the revival of the exquisitely fine and daintily feminine sheer handmade lingerie blouse. We have not worn these charming blouses for seasons and seasons past to any extent but this spring they are the last word in chic. The finely pintucked batiste type is an outstanding favorite. In fact there is almost sure to be a showing of pin tucks somewhere about the blouse, be it lace-trimmed or not. Sprightly jabots are showing their frilly cascades between jackets from openings and even with the conservative tweeds these dainty blouses are correct as the feminine touch is a fashion

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"must" this season.

the new 1938 laces that are so enchanting. Every bride, whether she be married in church or in the garden or just "quietly," can have a States during the past year, aclace bridal dress fit for a queen, and this may mean the cobwebby Chantilly laces, or the angel skin patterns, or the sheer lace with cord outlines. The church bride, in a truly romantic manner, may wear a gown hinting of an earlier era made up of row on row of narrow lace with quaint puffed sleeves and square neck.

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What Women Want to Know About Fashions

Old-fashioned milan straw is a favorite for spring millinery. Trimming has never been so im-

portant, and everything goes. Dress designers have gone to the art institute for inspiration this a rampant of colors-are smart, as 10 cents apiece by the wagon restored. Increased numbers on the

Grosgrain ribbon and loosely woven woolen material are combined to produce some stunning spring coats.

smart zipper fastenings are popular.

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New and Pretty Fashions

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Dress With Bolero, that belong in the very forefront immediately threw herself down of fashion-you see them in the from the rock and was killed, and most expensive models. The shirr- Oedipus became king. ing at the waistline, the flare of "the skirt, the wide shoulders, with swing and gayety, make it smartest of the smart! In silk print, flat crepe, taffeta or (for summer wear) linen or sheer silk, this

A General Quiz

The Questions

. How is the date of Easter 2. By what name is the Chinese philosopher K'ung Fu Tze usually known to the Western world? 3. What were the "Three Es-

tates" in France prior to the Rev-4. Who makes the laws for the District of Columbia? 5. How many lawyers are there

in the United States congress? 6. How much raw silk does the United States import? What is the greatest depth

to which a diver has descended? 8. How can Anna May Wong be a citizen of the United States when she is a Chinese? 9. How much steel was used in

the United States during 1937? 10. What is the cleanest animal?

The Answers

It is the first Sunday after the full moon on or next after 2. Confucius.

3. Nobles, clergy and common

4. Congress. 5. Seventy-one out of the ninety-

6. During the calendar year 1937, 57,815,573 pounds of raw silk was imported, with an import value of \$106,594,358.

7. The greatest depth reached by any diver was attained by Dr. William Beebe in his bathysphere, in which he reached 3,028 feet below the surface, August 15, 1934. | PLENTY OF DATES NOW...DENTON'S

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grandmothers' lace dresses or in be citizens of this country are pores spoil skin-texture. Men love the soft those who are born here.

9. One billion tons of steel in all for unsightly skin. Ugly pores disappear, those who are born here. forms was in use in the United skin becomes firm and smooth.

cording to the Scientific Ameri can. This total represents an average of 17,800 pounds in use for every man, woman and child. 10. The raccoon is considered the cleanest of all animals.

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Oedipus solved it by saying it was man, who crawls on all fours as a child, walks upright as a man, and creeps about with a This charming dress has details stick as an old man. The Sphinx

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