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Unsolicited, some time ago Mr. W. S. Elburn & Son came into our office and said: "I believe your Peerless to be the best tomato goods I ever saw. You remember what an advocate I was of it when I lived out at the mill. Well, wherever I have lived since, on the Western Shore or elsewhere, I would have it, and last year I put some of this same goods on some onions grown from the seed, and they were as fine as Bermudas. Many measured 4 inches in diameter, and I grew over 600 bushels per acre, or at the rate of 1162 baskets. I used it on strawberries and picked 8000 quarts per acre.

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Feb. 19, 1906

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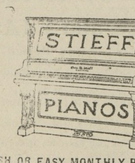

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The problem of how to make a good appearance with a small outlay is one which a large proportion of women are engaged in trying to solve.

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The subject of selection and preparation of raiments of a new season is, therefore, of vital importance. Ready-made clothes are the resource of business women, who have little, if any, unoccupied time. But it is to the woman with sufficient leisure to make her own clothes, or, at least, to oversee and assist in their making at home, that the series of articles we purpose to publish under the above heading will be addressed.

There is a right way and a wrong way to do everything, and almost invariably the right way is the simplest, easiest and quickest method of arriving at a desired result, and, therefore, it saves time and wear and tear of brain and nerves.

DESIGN BY MAY MANTON.
5292 Fancy Yoke Waist.
5293 Seven Gored Tucked Skirt.

THE FIT IS ALL IMPORTANT

The fit of a garment is of the utmost importance, and seems to grow more so each succeeding season.

Careful study of lines is the chief element of success in dressmaking, and one must have a clear conception of what are the correct lines in waist, skirt, and sleeves to achieve satisfactory results.

To acquire this, if one's residence is not in a fashionable center, the best way is to study the latest designs in a good fashion magazine. Notice the width and length of skirts, the shoulder lines, the adjustment of drapery, high or low the waist length, the curves of seams, how the sleeves are joined to the waist the length and size of sleeves, etc.

Nowadays excellent patterns are available. Much, however, depends on one's carriage, and with the best of patterns, if the figure is not held correctly, the back may be too long or short for the front, or *vice versa*. The pattern should always be held up to the figure before pinning to the goods, to determine if such a difficulty exists.

How to manage the pattern in either case, the proper allowances to make, the way to pin it to the goods and to proceed with the fitting will be explained in our next article; also the correct treatment of the skirt and sleeves patterns.

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There never was a time in the history of dress when a last year's gown could be furbished up for a new season with greater facility. The vogue of a silk coat or bolero worn with a skirt of woolen material, in the same or contrasting color, will be continued, also the bolero of lace or contrasting material and sleeve of lace with inserts of the same in the waist and skirt. All of these styles offer golden opportunities for the development from last year's gowns of "dreams" in the way of spring toiletts, to the woman with good taste, good judgment, deft fingers and a modicum of knowledge of dressmaking.

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