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To make some provision for your physical health at this season, because a cold or cough, an attack of pneumonia or typhoid fever now may make you an invalid all winter. First of all be sure that your blood is pure, for health depends upon pure blood. A few bottles of Hood's Sarsaparilla will be a paying investment now. It will give you pure, rich blood and invigorate your whole system. Remember

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Hood's Pills are tasteless, mild, effective. All druggists.

## The Bergamot Tree.

There is but one spot in the world where the bergamot tree can be cultivated with profit—a fact of some importance, since its essence is indispensable in the manufacture of numerous perfumes and medical preparations. The spot referred to is Reggio, in Calabria, that extremity of the Italian peninsula which is familiarly known as the "toe of the boot." Mr. Kerrich suggests that there is a good chance here for enterprising capitalists of getting a highly profitably monopoly of the bergamot tree by buying up from the producers all that they extract. At present the Reggio bergamot suffers both in quality and reputation through the frauds of small traders, who, it is said, mix it with tea parts of adulterating matter.

USUALLY when a man quarrels with one relative, he does worse: he quarrels with his other relatives because they won't "take sides."



The Greatest Medical Discovery of the Age.

## KENNEDY'S MEDICAL DISCOVERY.

DONALD KENNEDY, OF ROXBURY, MASS., Has discovered in one of our common pasture weeds a remedy that cures every kind of humor, from the worst Scrofula down to a common Pimple.

He has tried it in over eleven hundred cases, and never failed except in two cases (both thunder humor). He has now in his possession over two hundred certificates of its value, all within twenty miles of Boston. Send postal card for book.

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## FOR THE FAIR SEX.

INTERESTING ITEMS OF THE FASHIONS.

An Industrious Girl. A Child's Hair Ribbon. The New Widow.

### AN INDUSTRIOUS GIRL.

One of the Kansas papers contained the following "society" item the other day: "Maud Hastings was pretty busy while here last week. She broke John Sayre's colt to ride, raked alfalfa, pitched wheat and killed a snake. Come again, Maudie."

### CHILD'S HAIR RIBBON.

There is just a new and pretty fashion of arranging a little girl's front-lock. These are often obtrusive and have an unbecoming way of hanging over the ears, even where there is some attempt to subdue the hair on the forehead with ears or a bang. These aforetime "self-locks" are now tied about with a bit of gay ribbon over each ear, and the result is very quaint and generally becoming.

### THE NEW WIDOW.

Lady Randolph Churchill is regaining her widowhood by riding the bicycle at Aix-la-Bains, with manifest improvement to her health. There is a new widow, as there is a new woman. A couple of centuries ago Montaigne remarked: "Never regard those blubbered eyes and that pitiful voice, but consider her deportment, her complexion, and the fine shade of her cheeks under all those false veils. It is there the discovery is to be made. There are few who do not men upon it, and health is the quality that can tell." The new widow makes no pretense of those "formal veils." She comprises a black sailor hat or Tam o' Shanter, and rides her bicycle with a smile over her face, glorying in her new found color.

### AN ENGLISH WOMAN AS A HOTELKEEPER.

In one of the current English periodicals there appears a picture of an exceptionally beautiful woman in evening gown, who possesses an unmistakably aristocratic air. Why this particular beauty is thus depicted one cannot help wondering until their wonder is mastered by surprise by finding "that the original was a gentlewoman hotelkeeper."

The hotel, it seems, was one of England's ancestral homes in one of the lowest shires, and, being unable to either support the mansion in its deserving style or let or sell it, the owners determined to utilize it in that way. So the wife became "secretary of the interior," and besides most ably managing the house and staff of servants, made a most delightful hostess. The husband superintended the stables and looked after the outdoor attractions of fishing, driving, hunting, etc.

The guests were thus able to enjoy an independent stay in an aristocratic, well-appointed and thoroughly managed establishment. The success of the venture emphasizes the fact that a woman who can conduct in elegant home is the proper person to be at the head of a high-class hotel or boarding house.

**TO IMPROVE THE NECK AND THROAT.**

An admirable exercise for expanding the chest and filling out the hollows of neck and throat is to rise upon the tips of the toes at the moment of inhalation and hold the breath, throwing it forcibly against the muscles of throat and neck, while you can count fifteen; then exhale forcibly and come down upon the heels.

Repeat ten times night and morning when there are no constricting bands about the body.

These exercises are no modern discovery.

Thirteen hundred years B. C., the people of India practiced full, deep breathing at regular intervals, daily, using it as a healing remedy for disease, and it was no secret to the old Greek and Roman physicians, who also prescribed lung gymnastics as curative means. A severe cold can be greatly relieved and quickly cured by conscious breathing; and if taken in the first stages, as soon as the usual symptoms of cold are felt, it can be thrown off in a half-hour's time. Many cases of headache, especially when accompanied by nausea and congestion, are quickly relieved; and phthisis when taken in the incipient stages can always be greatly alleviated, and is often cured, by this simple means.

### HAIR IN WEDDING DRESSES.

In pulling to pieces her wedding dress with a view to the reconstruction of the same, a lady recently found in certain parts of the hem of the skirt a quantity of small locks and tufts of hair, varying greatly in color, and evidently coming from different heads. Inquiries were made of a dressmaker, who had a very extensive business. "Why," she replied laughingly, "almost every dressmaker knows the reason of that, and I have no doubt that thousands of wedding dresses are turned out every year with quite a collection of bits of hair in them, for all the unmarried girls and women in establishments like mine believe that to sew a lock of hair in a wedding garment will bring a prosperous husband within the next twelve months, and I have known, in a big place of business, cases where thirty or forty separate small tufts or separate hairs have been sewn into one wedding garment."

This is especially the case with the richer and more costly dresses, and as most brides of the wealthier classes keep their wedding dresses intact for many years, the finding of the hairs seems quite a mystery when an old wedding dress is unpicked. To show that the custom is an old one, I have heard of wedding dresses fifty years old having these hairs found in them. In some establishments the placing of the hairs is forbidden. I am sure I don't know why, but the rule is always evaded, and the girls generally find fine fun in concealing hairs about a dress."

### WOMEN JEWELERS.

Whatever may be woman's future in the arts, there is no doubt that the wife or daughter of the jeweler, country jeweler especially, may become, and ought to be, an invaluable assistant to him, not alone in his capacity as storekeeper, but as mechanic as well. So far, saleswoman duties have satisfied unaroused female ambition, only because it has been un-

roused. There is no reason why the jeweler with a family should not educate one of his daughters as a jeweler proper, nor is there any reason why, when taught, she should not prove an adept at the art and an acquisition to the store. He could teach her, for instance, the art of engraving, for which her feminine instincts, fitness of fancy, and copiousness of patience peculiarly suit her. He could teach her, in a word, how to perform the numerous tedious tasks in a jeweler's and watchmaker's work in the performance of which application or delicacy of touch, both feminine characteristics, may be either a need or an advantage. Did she develop unusual talent, the transition would be easy to the more remunerative

position of setting precious stones and designing patterns. Curiously enough, women have as far as no obvious eye on this well-paid, most interesting, and dignified calling. At a glance one can appreciate that its requirements are many and severe. A careful course of apprenticeship in order to gain the mechanical skill, an artistic sense to guide, a firm and delicate hand to execute, are some of the elements necessary to success as a worker in precious stones and metals. Yet many jewelers' daughters endowed with just such qualities throw away their cleverness in fancy work, and exhaust their eyesight over a needle, when, as designers of jewel patterns, or as lapidaries a good fixed salary might be secured.

### FASHION NOTES.

Wraps and capes will be largely feather-trimmed.

A velvet gown of the new damson shade is trimmed with mink-tails of the darkest brown.

The smart little basques are becoming in their crisp fullness to figures possessing height and slenderness.

Waists continue to have the broad-shoulder effect, which is increased by the full sleeves, the broad collar and the little full-shoulder capes.

Garniture of heavy white or beurre lace is fashionable on barege gowns.

The popularity of black and the rich warm shades of brown increases.

A jaunty Hussar jacket of grayish-blue cloth is beautifully braided in black.

Mixed cloths in great variety are shown for traveling capes, to be made in golf style.

The high two-button, turn-over collar is the latest thing for the neck of the cotton shirt waist.

Some of the prettiest gowns for children are of silk-dotted wool. Bourbette and silk effects are also seen.

Buttons play a prominent part in fashions of the season and are used chiefly for ornament, except in tailor-made gowns.

Dressy black and colored woolen costumes are trimmed with a round or square yoke of white satin, overlaid with black or yellow applique lace.

Exquisite photograph frames are formed of enameled roses, violets, forget-me-nots, etc., having a tiny Rhinestone or pearl in the center of the flower.

A pleat-pleating of colored silk edges a stylish cap of black velvet. The neck has a ruche of the silk, and the cap is lined throughout with it.

Large buttons of rhinestones and dainty minatures are seen, while tiny black silk and small, round pearl buttons are sewn in rows as a bodice trimming.

A strictly tailor-made gown of royal blue serge, is trimmed with orange-colored leather, which is to be the fashion along with other things of this rich color.

Black velvet brims, plain or plaited, appear with colored velvet crowns, plain or in loose, full puffs. Rose, red or capucine shades are used for this combination.

Capes to match the gown are a feature of some of the new costumes, especially those for traveling when the cape is made with a large, serviceable hood, lined with taffeta silk.

The princess is slowly coming into form again, but it is made quite modern by the addition of epaulets, cape effects and all sorts of collars, such as appear on other gowns of the usual cut.

Hand-painted satins are one of the latest novelties, and they are used for bodices, parasols and capes; and hand-painted ribbons are already imported for various purposes of trimming.

Lilac crepon, both in tricotine and gauffered styles, is in demand in Paris. An imported waist of this material is trimmed with bands of dull gold embroidery on white taffeta silk.

Some of the gay chameleon taffeta silks are enriched with a stripe of black or very dark green satin. In making gowns of these silks plain satin the color of the stripe is used for bodice trimmings and sleeves.

The present fashion in skirts for mourning allows them to be made of any fine lustrous woolen material, with sidefronts of grape folds let into them. The bodice is of plaited cape with sleeves of the skirt goods.

The flower-trimmed gown to be really beautiful should be designed by one of an expert who knows what colors will blend prettily and what size of flowers to use, also how many are needed to get the best effect.

A combination of colors that women of taste are quick to appreciate is gray and heliotrope. A pretty full turban of gray twined about with heliotrope velvet had wings at the side that harmonized in color, and the whole was a very attractive hat.

The satin brocades that will be the most favored are as a rule in medium and small figures and in fine handsome qualities, that, however, are within the reach of the average purse. The very large showy designs appear on expensive brocades that are appropriate only for women of a certain style and figure and for very grand occasions.

Some of the new Empire girdles or belts are a quarter of a yard deep and are made of wide sash-ribbon or folded silk, velvet, or Dresden brocade with stock collar to match, which, however, on some of the newest gowns is devoid of the fluffy rosettes which have so long finished the collar, the latest idea being to make the throat appear as slender as possible.

Modistes affirm, notwithstanding, that it will be some time before these dressy little silk bows will be abandoned on either collar or belt.

**OLD-TIME FASHIONS NOW IN VOGUE.**

Dr. Julian Chisholm says that there are engraved stones and monuments in the British museum which prove that the present fashion, both in dress and headgear, is almost identical with that of the women of Babylon at about the time of the flood.

### ENGLISH SCHOOL STATISTICS.

In 1870, 1,500,000 went to school in England; in 1874, 5,000,000. In 1870 there were 12,000,000 persons in prison there; in 1874 only 5,000. In 1870 about 3,000 sentences for capital crime were pronounced; in 1874 but 800.

**HUNTERS' RATES** to points in Michigan and Wisconsin are offered by agents of the Nickel Plate road until Nov. 15.

**UNDER THE SPREADING CHESTNUT.**

There is a chestnut tree in Mansfield, Conn., whose circumference at the roots is fifty-four feet and the diameter of the spread of its branches in one direction is a hundred feet. Its height is eighty feet.

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