

New Clothes Offer Cure for 'Blues'

Stormy Days Often Are Brighter, Too, After Housecleaning.

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NEW YORK, Jan. 9.—Will some clever young Ph. D. please explain why it is that New Yorkers are so susceptible to changes in the weather? As soon as a thin coating of grimy ice spreads on our streets—as soon as the first snowflake whirls down from murky sky—people begin to brood on the money they owe and to decide that nobody loves them.

If they have nothing tangible to worry about they worry about the imperfections of the NRA and the possibility of a Communist revolution. Everything is very, very sad in this city until the thermometer goes up.

Where are those bouncing spirits who used to talk about the fun of riding in a one-horse open sleigh, anyway? Probably dead of pneumonia—and serves them right, too, your New Yorker decides as he shivers behind the panes of his radio-infested cab.

New Clothes Help

In view of the general listlessness of these days and pending our Ph. D.'s recommendations a few words on conquering the dumps are hereby offered. They may not bring you to the stage of dancing a fandango in Times Square, but they are better than brooding.

Your degree of cheerfulness is partly dependent on how pleased you are with yourself, man being the most incurable of egotists. So you had better go out and buy a new gown if you can possibly afford it. (The number of women who have committed suicide in dresses they were wearing for the first time is very small indeed.)

Another bit of materia medica to the spirit can be offered by a trip to the hairdresser and advice to that delighted man to give you a new way of doing your hair. Good, giddy nail polish should follow your manicure.

From this point on there are two courses of procedure open. You can go calling or you can go to work. Armed with the self-assurance your trim appearance gives you, companionship should be an excellent tonic—but only if it is easily obtainable.

To go on desperately calling telephone numbers after the first three have failed to answer will only strengthen your conviction that everybody else in the world is out attending a glamorous, confetti-throwing party from which you have been deliberately excluded. And then heaven help you, weather or no!

Housecleaning Is Sure Cure

The second course is, perhaps, the most sure-fire of the lot. Get a good grip on yourself and clean the hall closet. In extreme cases you may have to do the medicine cabinet, too.

Sooner or later the discovery of a number of interesting relics of last summer will begin to make you forget about the miseries. You will find yourself sitting on the floor reading the diary you started when you were 15, glancing through the old photograph album, completely impervious to the world outside.

It is our profound conviction that *Follywanna* was a dreadful little prig. But just the same—before you have finished all your chores of correspondence and tidying up (which ought to have been done before—and you know it)—the snow will have stopped and you will find it is a very pleasant day.

MRS. DAVIS WILL

INSTALL OFFICERS

Mrs. Anna Davis will be installing officer for the A. D. Straight Circle 16, Ladies of the G. A. R., Thursday night at Ft. Friendly.

The following will be installed: Mrs. Emma Shurcraft, president; Mrs. Anna Cole, senior vice-president; Mrs. Lula Toten, junior vice-president; Mrs. Elizabeth Arbutkel, treasurer; Mrs. Margaret Howery, secretary, and Mesdames Vina Hampton Chaplin, Mrs. Winnie Wickson; Daisy Hays, Bertha Osborn, Ida Hoffman, Margaret Free, Maud Henninger, Blanche Cole and Edna Fitzpatrick.

ALUMNAE TO MEET WITH MISS YOUNG

Miss Marguerite V. Young will entertain members of Alpha Xi alumnae chapter of Zeta Tau Alpha sorority, at 8 tonight at her home, 1142 North Pennsylvania street. Bridge will be played following a business session.

Miss Laura Schultz is president of the alumnae and active members include Mesdames Corbin Patrick, Theodore Applegate, Carl Turpin, H. Hunt, Josephine Richey, Claude Vane, Louise Meng, Robert Andrew and Misses Mary Hester Smith, Josephine Graf, Hildreth Seifert, Ruby Bell, Lois Carter and Frances Dearborn.

Class to Entertain

Ladies Bible class of the Emerson Avenue Baptist church will hold its regular meeting at 7:45 Friday night at the church. Members of the Shortridge high school concert orchestra will present a program. Robert Schultz is director of the band. The public is invited.

A Day's Menu

Breakfast—

Grapefruit, cereal, cream, crisp broiled bacon, toast, milk, coffee.

Luncheon—

Eggs baked in hominy, mixed vegetable salad, baked apples, milk, tea.

Dinner—

Salisbury steak, mashed potatoes, buttered carrots, banana and peanut salad, Indian pudding, milk, coffee.

RECENT BRIDE



Mrs. Edward Vespo
—Photo by Kindred.

Bridal Aids Chosen by Miss Magee

First Baptist Church Will Be Wedding Scene.

Miss Dorothy Magee has named attendants for her marriage to George T. Purves Jr., which will take place at 5:30 Saturday night at the First Baptist church. Dr. Carlton Atwater, assisted by Dr. O. R. McKay, will read the ceremony.

Mrs. Harold B. Magee will be matron of honor and Miss Mary Alice Purves has been named bridesmaid.

Mr. Purves has chosen his brother, Robert P. Purves, best man, and ushers will be Howard M. Magee, William Kenneth Miller, Paul C. Moore and James P. Cook.

Several parties are planned in honor of Miss Magee. The first will be given Friday night at the home of Miss Purves, 5261 Carrollton avenue. Mrs. Miller will entertain with a shower and bridge party at home, 4046 Rookwood avenue, Tuesday night, Jan. 16.

Miss Alice Evans and Miss Winifred Cassel will be hostesses Thursday night, Jan. 18, at the home of Miss Evans, 2350 North Pennsylvania street. Miss Magee will be honored at a bridge party and bridal shower.

Luncheon Follows Ride

Mrs. Frank Hoke and Mrs. Clayton Mogg were chairmen of a luncheon held yesterday at the Bob Brown riding stables. About twenty women attended following a morning ride.

Silver anniversary of the Indianapolis Federation of Parent-Teacher Associations will be observed at the annual founders' day program Wednesday, Jan. 24, in the auditorium of the Washington high school.

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hausen, teacher at Arsenal Techni-

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of School 35.

Events will be traced in resumes

of the administration by several

past presidents. The program is

being arranged by Mrs. Lucien

King, federation historian; Mrs. S.

M. Myers, Mrs. A. F. Westlund and

Mr. T. V. Petranoff.

A brief founders' day pageant will

be presented by a group of the

School 35 association, where the

first parent-teacher association was

organized. Musical program will be

given by pupils of Washington high

school.

Mrs. William E. Balch, president,

announces that all past and present

Parent-Teacher patrons and friends

are invited. Other officers are: Mrs.

Edward J. Thompson, first vice-

president; Mrs. Austin J. Edwards,

second vice-president; Mrs. Ben

Harris, recording secretary; Mrs.

Edgar V. McKenzie, treasurer, and

Mrs. Petranoff, corresponding secre-

tary.

Proceeds will be used to purchase

articles which the guild members

will donate to the pre-natal clinic

of the Methodist hospital.

Helping Hands Guild, a children's

Guild Officers Will Be Chosen at Ebner Home

White Cross Children's Cheer Guild will elect officers at the meeting at 3 tomorrow afternoon at the home of Miss Gertrude Ebner, 62 North Jefferson street.

Final arrangements will be made

for a benefit bridge party to be held

Jan. 20 in the Banner-Whitethill

auditorium. Miss Martha Baker is

party chairman, and her assistants

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HEBREW GROUP TO HOLD CARD PARTY

Mrs. Samuel Z. Davis and Mrs. Harry Peale are chairmen of a card party to be held at 8 tomorrow night at the Columbia Club by the ladies auxiliary of the United Hebrew Congregation. The public may attend.

Officers of the auxiliary recently installed are: Mrs. Davis, president; Mrs. Jake Friedman, first vice-president; Mrs. Lena Pozner, second vice-president; Mrs. Peale, secretary, and Mrs. Robert Bellach, treasurer.

Sorority to Meet

Mrs. L. A. Hart will entertain members of the alumnae club of Alpha Delta Pi sorority at her home, 328 North Ritter, at 7:30 to-night.



Ladies! Here 'tis! A Grand and Glorious SALE of New Spring Cotton Dresses

9 Dainty Youthful Styles
Made of Beautiful Spring Prints
. Guaranteed Fast Colors!

SIZES:
14 to 20 for
Misses!

38 to 44 for
Women!

44 to 52 for
Larger Women!
(Broken Assortments)

79¢

- Florals
- Geometrics
- Plaids
- Dots
- Stripes
- Novelties
- Two-Fabric Combinations

THESE new spring wash dresses have got a lot of what it takes to "get along!" The patterns and the youthful styles have plenty of dash and splash that make them harbingers of spring. There are cotton crepes in 3 styles—and fine woven broadcloths and 80-square percales in 6 charming styles that are cut to fit you perfectly. And they'll come out of the tub looking as bright and new as the day you first bought them. There's a gay new spring cotton dress for every woman who wears size 14 to 44 in this grand and glorious sale! Also larger women's frocks (44 to 52) in broken assortments, greatly reduced, to 79c.

Be Wise! Come Early! Doors Open at 9!

—Downstairs at Ayres.



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Chapter Will Meet

Mrs. Samuel H. Fletcher, president of the Indiana Woman's Republican Club, will entertain members of the board of directors at luncheon Thursday at the Columbia Club. The club meets the fourth Thursday of each month at the Columbia Club.

Y. M. I. Group to Meet

Wayne auxiliary of Y. M. I. will meet tonight at St. Anthony's hall. All members are urged to attend.

Benefit Bazaar Set

Bazaar for the benefit of Holy Rosary church will be held at the parish hall at 520 Stevens street, to-night. The public may attend.