

Even Soviet Can't Crush Femininity

Russian Women Become Fashion-Minded by Official Consent.

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NEW YORK, July 18.—"Soviet women," according to a recent report, "with the consent—even the encouragement—of their government, are poring over fashion plates these days and soon may be dressed as stylishly as their sisters of 'bourgeois' countries."

And so the sisters of the soviet are joining us in our frivolous pursuits.

It is, of course, one of the most fundamental of feminine instincts to pretty up for men. We are a sex to whom coquetry comes naturally. And for any economic system to try to eliminate our urge toward minor beautification is simply suicidal.

Once your correspondent visited a prison for women where no men visitors were allowed. Even so, she discovered that one of the major problems of the place concerned the priming of the inmates. They took red tissue paper and soaked it in hot water for rouge; they used plaster off the walls for powder.

The instinct toward self-adornment is as great in women, perhaps, as the instinct toward procreation. For we women are inclined to make of marriage a profession, as men rarely do—to cultivate the arts and graces that attract the other sex, to the detriment of our further achievements.

This has been true since Adam delved and Eve span. It is likely to be true for several centuries more. And the fact that the Russian government once came out in strong opposition to coquetry is not likely to make much difference. For this is something far older and deeper than communism.

Economic theories should stick to economics. With emotions they have slight trafficking, for emotions abide by their own laws. And the fact that a nation is living under a dictator instead of a president or a king, will never remove from its women their desire to be well dressed.

SERVICE LEAGUE RECEIVES REPORT

Miss Leafie Williamson, delegate to the annual national convention of the Women's Overseas Service League held in Detroit July 3 to 7, described the meeting at a picnic supper of the Indiana unit last night at the home of the president, Mrs. Marie Reynolds Ford, 3157 North Delaware street.

Special guests were Miss Mary Ann Culbertson, superintendent of nurses of the U. S. Veterans' hospital; Miss Gladys Cline and Mrs. Bertha Tilton.

ALtenheim Party Set for Friday

The monthly card party of the Altenheim will be held at the home, 2007 North Capitol avenue at 2:15 Friday. Mrs. Joseph Griggs, chairman, will be assisted by Mrs. William E. Kliiger and Miss Kate Kerz.

Correction

Lines with Mrs. Clarence J. Schneider's bridal picture last Saturday read, "Mrs. Alfred G. Belles, formerly Miss Julia Marie Schneider, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Michael Schneider." They should have been: Mrs. Clarence J. Schneider, formerly Miss Margaret Stoiber, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Stoiber. Mr. Schneider is a son of Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Schneider.

T. W. Bennett Circle, Ladies of the Grand Army, will meet at 2 tomorrow afternoon at Ft. Friendly, 512 North Illinois street.

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NEWS OF SOCIETY FOLK

Mrs. William Barger has returned to her home at Minneapolis, Minn., after visiting Mrs. Elmer Saunders.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert S. Gadd will go to Clear Lake tomorrow for a short visit.

Jobs Daughters, Bethel 9, will entertain with a lawn social Saturday night at 2401 Station street. The public may attend.

Mr. and Mrs. George L. Mills and son George L. Mills Jr., have returned to their home in Springfield, Mo., after visiting Mr. Mills' sister, Mrs. B. H. Smith and Mr. Smith, 3617 East Washington street.

Mrs. Mary Gertrude Koers, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles J. Koers, has returned from Chicago where she attended Our Lady's Sodality convention as delegate from St. John academy.

Mr. and Mrs. Hilton U. Brown will sail from New York Saturday for France.

Miss Mary E. Griffin is in New York.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence R. Martin have returned from a visit with Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Steers, Lake Tippecanoe.

Mr. and Mrs. O. L. Maberry, their daughter, Miss Helen Maberry, and son Donald, Winona, Minn., are visiting another daughter, Mrs. Ralph Lambert, and Mr. Lambert, 3760 Broadway.

Mrs. Mary Melissa Denehie, Detroit, is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Charles A. Kelley Jr. Mrs. Denehie will go to Terre Haute soon for a short visit.

Mrs. John W. Kern left Monday for a visit at several eastern points.

Mr. and Mrs. John F. Morrison and daughters, Misses Marcella and Frances, will leave Thursday for a three weeks' motor trip to Texas.

Miss Orlida Lee Yeager, Oklahoma City, Okla., is visiting Mrs. Howard Day and Mrs. Frank Wood.

Miss Patricia O'Connor is in Chicago as a guest of Misses Mary and Ann O'Leary.

Miss Josephine Deery will spend next week in Chicago as a guest of Miss Gladie Rochleau. Miss Deery and Miss Rochleau are classmates at St. Mary-of-the-Woods.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Scott, formerly of Indianapolis, have returned to Boston after visiting Mrs. William D. Lally.

L. P. De Velling and his daughter, Miss Helen De Velling, will leave Saturday for Washington and Chesapeake bay, where they will be the guests of Mrs. Susan T. Waite and Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Cameron.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Helms and daughter Mary Ann, Detroit, are visiting Mr. Helms' parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph W. Helms. Mr. and Mrs. Helms with Mr. and Mrs. James Helms will spend the weekend in Cincinnati.

Whilden Amos, supervisor of music in Southport schools, will sail Friday from New York for a tour of Europe where he will study music and attend the "Passion Play" at Oberammergau.

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Couple to Wed Aug. 18 to Be Honored Guests

Several parties are planned to honor Miss Lella Belle Shipman, before her marriage to Wallace Pickens Dagg, which is scheduled for 3:30 Saturday, Aug. 18, at the Tabernacle Presbyterian church.

Mrs. Fred Hoffmark will entertain for Miss Shipman and Mr. Dagg. Friday night at her home, and Mrs. Robert Horn will give a luncheon bridge and personal shower Tuesday at her home, 3537 North Pennsylvania street.

Mrs. Marvin Cochrane and Miss Margaret Mozley will be hostesses Aug. 3 for a bridge party and crystal shower, and Mrs. Joseph Buck and Mr. Bert Elert will entertain Aug. 9.

The bride, enterin' with her father, wore a gown ' white satin, with train and peplum lace jacket, which was designed with sleeves puffed to the elbow. Her tulle veil, falling from a cap, was edged in lace and the cap embroidered in seed pearls. She carried a shower bouquet of bride's roses and lilies of the valley.

The bride's sister, Miss Rosamond Gardner, attended as maid of honor. Her gown of green mouseline de sole, designed with sweeping hared skirt and ruffled sleeve jacket, was worn with a picture hat and slippers of canary yellow. She carried yellow roses. Lillian May Davis was ringbearer. Her dress was of flowered organdy. She

Vivian Likens and John Gardner Wed at St. Joan of Arc Church

Pastel shaded gladioli and greenery banked the altar of St. Joan of Arc church this morning for the wedding of Miss Vivian Likens, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Evert Likens, and John L. Gardner, son of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Gardner.

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carried the ring on a white satin pillow outlined with greenery.

Several out-of-town guests were among those seated by the ushers, Raymond Gardner, the bridegroom's brother, and Robert Cline. Leo Lauber was best man.

Among the guests were Mr. and Mrs. Leo Gardner, Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Brooks and Mr. and Mrs. Fred Shepherd, Lafayette; Mr. and Mrs. William Hughes, Mr. and Mrs. William De Long and Mr. and Mrs. Fred Shepherd, Frankfort; Mrs. Joseph Schmidt, Ft. Recovery; O. Mr. and Mrs. Augustus Reichert, Akron, O.; Miss Ferina Lauber, Wynnilin, O.; W. T. Shepherd and family, Houston, Tex. and Misses Jennie, Nettie and Carrie Bynam, Brazil.

A wedding breakfast was held following the ceremony at the bride's parents' home 1016 West Twenty-ninth street. Mrs. Likens wore a hyacinth blue gown with white accessories. Mrs. Gardner's dress was of black and white print.

The bride's going away dress was of shell pink, worn with white accessories.

Camp Dellwood to Be Opened by Y. W. C. A.

Young Women's Christian Association will open its summer camp for employed girls, Camp Dellwood, Saturday for a week. Miss Louise E. Noble, recreation leader, will be assisted by Miss Ruth S. Martin and Miss Helen Swoyer, members of the Y. W. C. A. staff in charge of work with business girls and industrial girls, respectively.

Business girls will be guests Wednesday night and industrial girls will be entertained Thursday. Members of the Tuesday morning matrons' gym class of the association will meet for luncheon Tuesday following swimming at Northern Woods beach.

Included in the camp activities are tennis, archery, baseball, swimming, shuffle board, pingpong, cross country hikes, a party and a treasure hunt.

Pledges to Entertain
Members of Delta chapter, Phi Sigma Tau sorority, will be entertained by pledges at a novelty party tonight at the home of Mrs. T. A.

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