

## Designs That May Be Made at Home



**By SUE BURNETT**  
A beautifully simple frock (left) for the mother-to-be. Comfortable and practical, it has deep folds on each side for easy adjustment. Elastic in back makes for smooth fit. Simple to sew, too.  
Pattern 8286 is designed for sizes 12, 14, 16, 18, 20; 40 and 42. Size 14, 5 1/2 yards of 39-inch.

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**By MRS. ANNE CABOT**  
You won't have to coax your young son or daughter to wear this sweater (right); it has real pockets. Made of sturdy sportswear, the sweater is knitted in simple stockinette stitch.  
To obtain complete knitting instructions, stitch illustrations and finishing directions, sizes 2, 4 and 6 included, for Pattern 5715, send 16 cents in coin, your name, address and the pattern number to Anne Cabot, The Indianapolis Times, 530 S. Wells St., Chicago 7.



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## Selection of the Right Fabric Has Much to Do With Success In Home-Sewing Efforts

NEW YORK, Feb. 5 (UP)—With thousands of American women getting set today to sew their own spring wardrobes, the American Wool Council has come up with a handy set of instructions on how to select the best material for the job.

Prices of woolen yard goods are about 25 per cent above 1946 levels, the council says. Yard goods counters should have as much or more material for selection than they did last fall.

### We, the Women—Act Helpless To Get Work From Hubby

**By RUTH MILLETT**  
NEA Staff Writer

A COMMON complaint of wives is "My husband won't do anything around the house. If I want a job done I have to do it myself."

Such women profess to envy women who are married to men who do the jobs around a house that men are expected to do. But actually most women who make that complaint are one of two types.

Either they are perfectionists who have to have a job done just exactly so and according to their own ideas and standards and who will never let a man live down a less-than-perfect job.

Or they are the independent souls who would rather do a job themselves than wait for a man to get around to doing it.

THE MAN who does the man's share of the job of homemaking is usually married to a woman who expects him to do just that; who can get him to work at a task without nagging him; and who—if necessary—is willing to wait until he is in the mood.

So the woman whose husband is Mr. Fixit around the place shouldn't be envied. She should be admired. And her tactics should be studied.

For chances are that if a perfectionist or an independent type of woman had married him, he wouldn't be Mr. Fixit at all.

In turning a husband into a Mr. Fixit—a little helplessness on the wife's part works miracles.

### Herron Will Offer Fashion Course

John E. Herron Art School will offer a new evening school class this semester in the illustration, layout and reproduction of women's fashions.

Mrs. Betty Stone Bove will instruct the class, to be limited to 20 students. The course will include discussion of current fashions, methods of reproduction, drawing from models and work in pen-and-ink and wash.

### Ogdens Entertain

Mr. and Mrs. William P. Ogdens, 4945 University Ave., entertained recently with a dinner for Archie L. Wildman and John M. Davis of Oxnard, Cal. The two, en route from Detroit to Los Angeles, spent the week-end here with Mr. Wildman's mother, Mrs. Nell Wildman, 17 E. Gray St. Also attending the dinner with the honor guests and Mrs. Wildman were Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Hendricks, brother-in-law and sister of Mr. Wildman.

### SOCIAL SITUATIONS

**SITUATION:** You are writing a letter to a friend.  
**WRONG WAY:** Write about yourself, your family, and your affairs.  
**RIGHT WAY:** Let part of your letter be comments about your friend and the friend's life.

## Bridge Lesson—San Francisco Slam Bidding Is Outlined

**By WILLIAM E. MCKENNEY**  
America's Card Authority

"BRIDGE for the Joneses," by Maureen O'Brien Bailey and Ivy Oeschger of San Francisco, was published recently by William Morrow & Company, Inc. Back in 1942 Mrs. Bailey and Miss Oeschger published their first book entitled "Culbertson for the Joneses." Maureen also writes a bridge column for a daily paper in San Francisco.

One exceptionally interesting subject in the book is the San Francisco four-five no trump slam convention, widely employed on the Pacific Coast. However, I have never before seen a clear, concise explanation of it.

Although the most popular slam bidding convention today is the Blackwood, it is said that the San Francisco convention makes slam bidding more accurate. So here it is, as taken from "Bridge for the Joneses."

THE FOUR no trump bid is forcing for one round and asks partner to specify how many aces and kings he holds. Unlike the Blackwood bid, the original no trump bidder, in order to make the bid, should have three aces, or two aces plus the king of a suit bid by the partnership. The responses follow:

- 5 CLUBS: Denies any ace or 3 kings.
- 5 DIAMONDS: Shows 1 ace or 3 kings.
- 5 HEARTS: Shows 1 ace and 1 king, or 4 kings.
- 5 SPADES: Shows 1 ace and 2 kings.
- 5 NO TRUMP: Shows 2 aces, or 1 ace and 3 kings.
- 6 CLUBS: Shows 2 aces and 1 king, or 1 ace and 4 kings.
- 6 DIAMONDS: Shows 2 aces and 2 kings.
- 6 HEARTS: Shows 3 aces, or 2 aces and 3 kings.

It will be noted that each response after the first positive response of five diamonds shows one king more than the previous response. You will also note that three kings are treated as the equivalent of one ace.

IN ADDITION the San Francisco convention employs a grand slam force. When a suit has been agreed upon by the partnership, if one of the partners then bids five no trump without having previously used the four no trump bid, it is considered a grand slam force.

It asks partner to bid seven holding two of the top three honors in the agreed trump suit.

An opening bid of five in a major is a sister bid, asking partner to bid seven with two top trump honors, to bid six with only one, to pass lacking any of the three top honors.

### Feb. 13 Is Set For Dinner

The Indianapolis alumni of the University of Wisconsin will have a Founders Day dinner at 7 p. m., Feb. 13, in the Marott Hotel. The dinner will mark the 99th anniversary of the school.

Dr. Fay Elwell, dean of the university's School of Commerce, is to be the guest speaker. Jack Harding will be the toastmaster. The president of the group, Newell C. Munson, is head of the dinner committee. The committee members are Misses Kate Huber, Mildred Blackledge and Gertrude Brown; Morris Crain, J. O. Mogg and Fritz Harbridge.

### Here's a Tip to Avoid Lipstick Stains

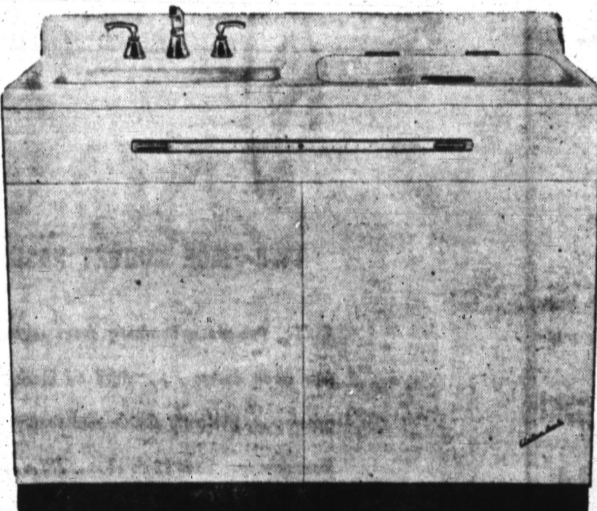
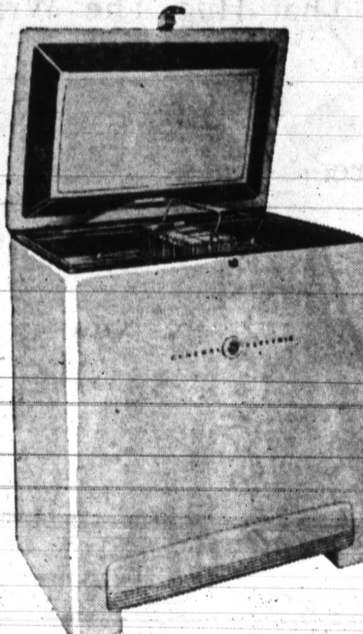
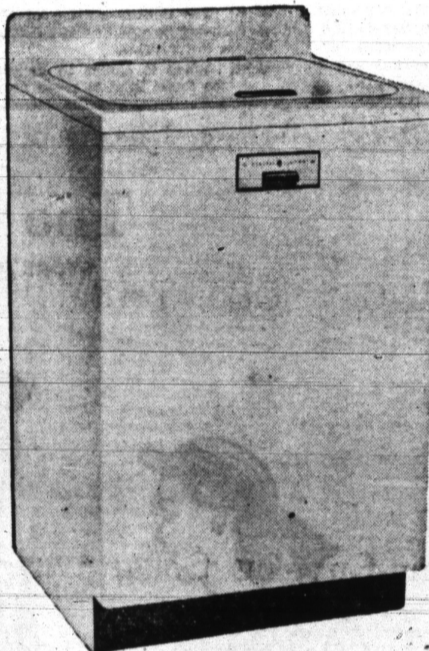
Every housewife knows how difficult it is to remove lipstick stains from linens. And every hostess dreads the guests who use her best napkins to remove lipstick, preparatory to refreshing their makeup.

There's a tactful way to forestall these makeup stains. Booklets of lipstick tissues, packaged like book matches, now are on the market. The booklets can be placed at each table setting as a favor and a reminder not to use the linen for makeup purposes. The booklets are inexpensive and are handy pocketbook size.

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