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What the Fashionable Are Wearing

Illustrated Dressmaking Lesson Furnished With Every Pattern

By Anabelle Worthington



Shoulder and hipline bows reveal feminine influence in mode.

You can copy it exactly for a very small outlay.

Style No. 2900 is designed in sizes 16, 18 years, 36, 38, 40 and 42 inches bust.

It is a dress that will meet everyday requirements admirably for the business woman, college miss and socially busy woman of today.

It is also very effective and wearable in black crepe satin with matching sheer velvet bows, navy blue canton crepe, tomato red crepe de chine and myrtle green crepe Romaine.

Georgette crepe, chiffon, plain silk crepe Elizabeth and wool crepe also appropriate.

The long-waisted bodice makes it especially easy to make. A few seams to join and it's finished.

Later in season it will make up beautifully in black transparent velvet or in printed velvet.

Pattern price 15 cents. Be sure to fill in size of pattern. Address Pattern Department. The New Fall and Winter Fashion Magazine is 15 cents, but only 10 cents when ordered with a pattern.

A Princess suggestion, a stunning adaptation of molded lines with swatched treatment through the hips, employs novelty silk crepe in lovely plum tones. The diagonal line of bodice adds considerable length to the silhouette. The double tiers of skirt swing gracefully each time wearer moves.

faces. (3) Use a commercial freckle bleach or a lotion made of equal parts of lemon juice, glycerine and rose water. Use it daily but do not expect immediate results. Bleaches that act slowly are safer than quick ones.

LOIS LEEDS

MR. X. Y. Z.'S PROBLEMS

Dear Miss Leads—(1) Is tar soap good for complexion and hair? (2) Although I am 19 years old, I smoke very little. Instead of tobacco I smoke tea and coffee. Is this better than tobacco? (3) I hate to shave and would like to have the hairs on my upper lip removed permanently by electrolysis. Would this be advisable? Is it painful and about what would it cost? (4) Does lemon squeezed in water prevent dandruff?

MR. X. Y. Z.

Answer—(1) It is fine for the hair. For the face I prefer to recommend pure castile soap or a good, mild shaving soap. (2) Is it necessary to smoke at all? Doctors tell us that tobacco is bad for young people be-

cause it makes the heart and nerves irritable interferes with the digestion and with normal development of the body. Growing boys and girls should not drink tea or coffee either unless it is very weak. I have no statistics showing whether it is more or less harmful to smoke tobacco than to smoke tea or coffee, but my feeling is that tobacco smoking is more harmful. (3) The electric needle must be inserted into each tiny hair follicle to burn it out. The lips are sensitive so that the operation is likely to be rather painful. Only a few hairs can be treated at one time. The cost depends on the number of hairs treated; the operator in electrolysis usually asks from \$5 to \$8 an hour. Men usually prefer to shave than to have the hairs removed in this way (4) No.

LOIS LEEDS

WHEN TO START CURLING THE HAIR

Dear Miss Leads—(1) Do you approve of a girl 13 years old curling her hair with hot irons? (2) How can I straighten her nose and improve my profile? (3) How can I fatten my forearms and rid them of hairs?

QUESTIONNAIRE.

Answer—(1) No. If you are going to a party you might have your hair marcelled for the occasion, but do not begin curling your hair so early with heat. If you notice the hair of other young girls who use irons constantly you will see that the ends are split, broken and faded. Keep your hair as healthy as you can and when you are older you might have a permanent wave if you do not like it straight. (2) One inherits one's type of features and I do not know of anything that you could do to change your nose materially. Try to be satisfied with it, my dear, and play up your other good points. (3) You must bring your weight up to normal. Playing tennis will help develop the arm muscles. Bleach the hairs with peroxide so they will not show.

LOIS LEEDS

For The Cook

TEA BISCUITS

Two cups flour, 3/4 teaspoons baking powder, 1 egg, 2 1/4 tablespoons shortening, 2 teaspoons sugar, 2-3 cup milk, 1/4 teaspoon salt, a few gratings of lemon rind. Mix and sift dry ingredients; then work the shortening into mixture with a fork. Beat the egg until light and add to milk. With a knife mix the liquid with dry ingredients, making a soft dough. Add the grated lemon rind. Place on a greased board and pat or roll gently to a thickness, cut into small squares on greased sheet and bake on 12 or 15 minute

How to Live With a Mother-in-Law Dorothy Dix Gives 4 Tips to the Trembling Bride

It is Always a Hazardous Venture for a Bride to Go to Live With Her Mother-in-Law, Says Dorothy Dix, but She can do it Successfully by Perpetually Putting Honey on Her Tongue and Keeping Hands off the Housework

A young woman writes me: "I am going to marry the dearest fellow in the world, and because there is no other way out of it, I am going to live with his mother, and I am determined to get along with her. Can you give me a few tips on how to do it?"

It is always a dangerous adventure and one that nearly always ends in disaster for a mother-in-law and a daughter-in-law to attempt to live under the same roof because, for one reason, it takes more breadth of character and generosity of soul and unselfishness than most women possess to keep them from being jealous of each other. The human triangle never presents more acute points of it more full of tragedy than when the "other woman" is the wife or the mother.

And for another reason mothers-in-law and daughters-in-law who live together generally have a Kilkenny cat time because they cannot keep from interfering with each other, and for still another reason they do not harmonize because they represent the clash between two generations, the old way and the new way of looking at everything, and doing everything from matters of etiquette and propriety to rocking babies to sleep.

Still, however hazardous the venture of a bride going to live with her mother-in-law, there are those who must gather up their courage in both hands and make it, and if they have enough patience and forbearance and wisdom and determination, they can make a success of it.

For, after all, mothers-in-law are not ogres, waiting to devour hapless little brides. They are, for the most part, good, kind, well-meaning women, a little set in their opinions and determined on having their own way. Just a fair average sample of the mill run of women and as like a girl's own mother as two peas in a pod. Also, they react to the same stimuli her mother does.

So my first tip to the young wife who is going to live with her mother-in-law is not to go into her new home with a chip on her shoulder looking for a fight and determined that no mother-in-law shall put anything over on her. Instead, approach mother-in-law with the olive branch in your hand and make more effort to vamp her than you ever did to get her son. Spread the olive and put honey on your tongue. Be more deferential to her than her own daughters are.

Don't resent her every suggestion any more than you would your own mother's. Ask her advice. After all, she has had a lot more experience in the world than you have had and knows many things that it will take you thirty or forty years to find out for yourself. And, anyway, you won't have to follow her advice if you don't want to, but it will tickle her pink for you to pay her the compliment of seeking her opinion on matters.

My second tip is: Disarm her jealousy. Don't flaunt the fact that her son belongs to you now in his mother's face. Don't monopolize him. Share him with her. See that he pays her even more attention than he did before he was married. Leave them alone together for little talks.

Keep in mind that it is a better thing for a mother to see the son that she warships and who has been her one thought and interest ever since the day he was born, preferring another woman to her, putting another woman above her in his heart and turning to another woman for companionship.

The great fear that every woman has when her son marries is that she will lose him entirely, that his wife will separate him from her, so if you will make your husband's mother see that you have no desire to do this she will spend the balance of her life burning grateful incense at your feet.

My third tip is: Hands off the housekeeping. In her own home every woman is a Jealous Turk who bears no rival near the throne. Not even her own daughters, nor her own mother. Still less will she stand for an in-law interfering with her sacred ways of doing things.

It is funny, but a woman is amenable to suggestions about her religion, her politics, her morals, her literary taste, her clothes, but woe betide the one who is rash enough to attempt to introduce a new routine in her household and to substitute dollies for tablecloths if she had been in the habit of using tablecloths for thirty years, or to make a cake with three eggs if she has always used four. I know of a quarrel that split up a family that originated in the daughter-in-law refusing to wash the dishes in three waters as her mother-in-law had always done.

Of course, it requires superhuman self-control for any woman to see another woman making a pie without sticking her finger in it, but keep yours out if you want to keep it from being burned. So if you want to get on in peace with your mother-in-law, leave her in sole and arbitrary command of her house and bite your tongue off before you tell her of any modern improvements.

My final tip is: Jolly her. Show her some affection. Call her mother and make her feel that you are her daughter and not her daughter-in-law. Treat her as you do your own mother. Give her the kind of spontaneous kiss that you give your own mother, instead of one that is just a perfunctory peck on the cheek.

Show her genuine appreciation of her kindness to you and put some warmth in your thanks for the things she gives you and does for you. Remember that it isn't any easier for her to live with you than it is for you to live with her, and that it is just as hard for her to put up with your little ways as it is for you to put up with hers.

Pap her compliments. The older we get the hungrier we are for flattery and the greedier we gobble it up. Perhaps it is because not many people bother to notice us. So turn the spotlight on your mother-in-law's good points and she will eat out of your hand.

It isn't easy for mothers-in-law and daughters-in-law to get along together, but they can do so if they will, and when they do it brings them both great happiness. So try out these tips, daughter, and Heaven send they work.

DOROTHY DIX.

Etiquette

By Roberta Lee

Q. When entering a theater, if an usher is at the entrance to the aisle, should the man precede the lady he is accompanying? A. No. The lady should follow the usher, then the man.



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Household Hints

By Roberta Lee

To Clean a Violin Bow

Wet a small piece of flannel in cold water and rub on a little soap. Double the flannel over the bow and gently rub back and forth until clean. Rinse the flannel and rub again. Then wipe with a dry cloth. Do not resin for an hour or two.

Water Treatment

When water has a milky appearance it can be quickly cleared by dissolving a small piece of rock alum in a pint of boiling water, and using this much to a tub of water.

The Baby

Do not awaken the baby to show him to admiring friends, unless just before his feeding time; and do not permit anyone to bounce or trot him.

A Morning Smile

A citizen of Cleveland, Ohio, spending his vacation in Northern Ontario, landed a huge maskalonge. Being a bit of a wag and generous to a fault he caused to be placed in the interior of the fish a bottle containing a quart of the very best rum procurable. He then shipped his catch, rum and all, to a friend in Cleveland. In due course he received an acknowledgement of the gift with a complaint that the fish was not fresh as on close examination it was found to be pickled.

COL. MURRAY IS BRITISH VISITOR

(Special to the Guardian)

MONTRÉAL, Que., Sept. 9.—Year by year the British Empire is being moulded more firmly into a unity which will some day be even more of a wonder to the nations of the world than it is today, declared Lt. Col. Eric Murray, O. B. E., Secretary of the British Empire League, who arrived in Montreal today among the many prominent passengers aboard the Cunarder Antonio from British ports.

Col. Murray will spend a few days in Montreal and will then visit Toronto and other Canadian cities. He spoke with certainty and enthusiasm of the expected results of the league, which has for its main object the cohesion of Great Britain and her loyal dominions. Particularly was this work successful, he asserted, in cooperation with the Empire Marketing Board. With this cooperation it is hoped to make substantial increases in the amount of Canadian and other empire products used by the British housewife. The visitor will confer with Canadian manufacturers. This is his first trip and he prefers to be reticent with his opinions of Canada and her future until he has spent a while in the country.

Fifteen miles of mountain road in Brazil have just been paved with concrete.

SERIOUS FIGHTING AT RAILWAY TERMINALS

TOKIO, Sept. 9.—Renewed and more serious fighting at both eastern and western terminals of the Chinese Eastern Railway in Manchuria were reported today to Rengo, Japanese news agency, in despatches from Harbin, Manchurian railway centre. Messages to Harbin from Pogranichnaya, eastern border point on the Chinese Eastern Railway, said Soviet bombs Sunday afternoon set

fire to the railway station and surrounding houses there, burning them down. A considerable section was burned.

Shortly afterwards Soviet infantry advanced to the frontier under the protection of artillery fire. Chinese troops defended themselves and returned the fire with machine guns. Residents were panic stricken and hid themselves in cellars. Chinese losses in the border fighting on Sunday totalled 500, including deserters, it was announced today. Pogranichnaya was deserted by its residents.

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REDUCING THE BUST

Miss Leads—(1) Is exercising the arms good for reducing the bust? (2) I have a long neck. Would a collar help to become? (3) I can get rid of freckles that numbers in the skin washes. FREE.

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