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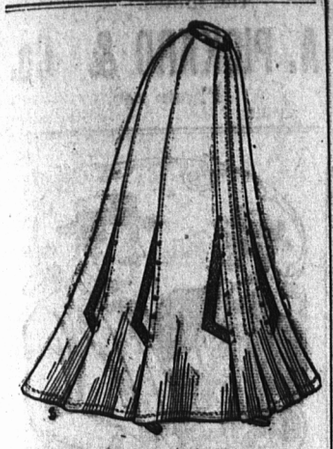

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"He was bad about eight months when we tried Cuticura. I had not laid him down in his cradle in the daytime for a long time. He had got so that he just slept in our arms all the time.

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A SUMMER COAT ALONG NEW LINES.

Women still continue to favor the all-enveloping coat for evening wear, and with the summer upon us the question of its material is a matter of moment. Cloth, of course, is an impossibility from a comfort standpoint in extreme hot weather, and even some of the heavier silks prove a bit trying in midsummer. A New York fashion leader has just had made a garment that combines extreme style with a certain practical quality that will commend it to the less fortunate of purse who must consider the practical side of things as well as their beauty. A Japanese habutai silk is the material, the color black. The entire coat is accordion-pleated, hanging loosely but not over full from the shoulders, and about the bottom finished with blind ruffles, as the new caught under-puff is called. The sleeves are full umbrella shape, also accordion-pleated and set over still fuller sleeves of lace that fall free at the wrist. A band of lace is inset in the sleeves, the material cut away and the undersleeve of lace showing prettily through this. Bands of lace set over white chiffon are disposed in stole-like effect down the front, and at the bust and just below the waistline are frogs of green velvet. While somewhat elaborate and perishable in appearance, there is really quite a bit of "secret service" about this garment, as the silk is waterproof and would form, perhaps, sufficient protection for the finery beneath in a chance emergency.

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RULES AND DISCIPLINE ON THE RAILWAYS

New System of Credits and Demerits Going Into Effect on the N. Y., N. H. and H. System in a Short Time.

Railway men who sometimes discuss "rules and discipline," will no doubt, be interested in the following reproduced from an American Railway newspaper:—

A new system of discipline goes into effect on the N. Y., N. H. & H. system on June 1. The central idea of the new system is to substitute for the present system, which involves the laying off of employes as a penalty for carelessness, inattention to duty and other causes, a system where a record of each employe on certain lines is kept, and credits and demerits are awarded. The present method of investigation and consideration of all offenses of employes will be continued. No suspension will be served by an employe at fault till his demerits have reached 90.

The system is explained by General Manager Higgins as follows:

This system is introduced with the belief that it will be of benefit, and that it will meet with approval and cordial co-operation of all concerned.

The objects to be obtained under the new system are: To avoid loss of wages by persons employed and suffering to those dependent upon their earnings; to stimulate and encourage all persons engaged in company service in the faithful and intelligent performance of their duties.

Superintendents will keep record of the service rendered by each employe under their jurisdiction. An accumulation of demerits or suspensions, showing that an employe is not desirable for the service, will call for special consideration.

Whenever the service of any employe is so generally unsatisfactory as to unfit him for further service, dismissal will follow.

No record shall be made against any employe without notice to him and an opportunity for explanation and defence with witnesses who are familiar with the case.

Each employe will be notified promptly in writing of entries made against his record. He will upon request be shown his own record, but not that of any other employe except on written request of that employe. If an employe leaves the service for any reason he shall upon application, be given a transcipt of his record.

Bulletins showing cases of discipline omitting name, date, train, location, and penalty, containing a brief account of the facts of the case and showing how the offence could have been avoided, will be issued from time to time as considered necessary or desirable.

Special credit will be given on the employe's record and may also be bulletined for notably excellent conduct, good judgment in emergencies, loyalty, etc.

The present method of investigation and consideration, of all offenses of employes will be continued, but, while reprimands and suspensions by record will be administered for a given number of days, no actual suspension will be served by an employe at fault except that when an employe's demerits have reached ninety, actual suspension may be imposed, and the number of days of actual suspension to be recorded, but not in demerit record. Employes at fault shall not be paid for any time lost an account of investigations.

When an employe's demerits have reached the number of ninety he shall be called in by the superintendent, duly cautioned, and advised that when his number of demerits amounts to one hundred he will be dismissed from the service.

No suspension by record will be made for a period of less than five days nor more than forty-five days.

A perfect record will be one against which no unfavorable entry has been made.

A clear record will be one on which unfavorable entries have been cancelled.

Cautions, reprimands, and suspensions by record will be charged against an employe's record as follows: A caution will be entered upon the record but will not call for a demerit; a reprimand will call for one demerit. Suspensions—The demerits will in each case equal the number of days of suspension.

Where demerits are given for unsatisfactory service it is logical that merits should be given for good service and cancellations upon record will be given as below.

A clear record for one year will cancel 6 demerits.

A clear record for two consecutive years will cancel 18 demerits.

A clear record for three consecutive years will cancel 40 demerits.

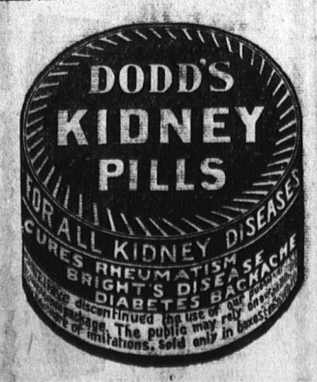
A clear record for four consecutive years will cancel 75 demerits.

A clear record for five consecutive years will equal a clear record.

Dishonesty, desertion, immorality, gross carelessnes, intoxication, insubordination, incivility; wilful negligence, incompetency, or disobedience of the company's rules will be considered sufficient cause for dismissal.

All employes affected by this system of discipline shall start on an even basis, that is, without merits or demerits.

Subordinate officers will see that information necessary to the proper keeping of the record of each individual affected is promptly forwarded through the proper channel to the superintendent.



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SCHOOL SPORTS.

At the annual Field Day of West Kent St. School observed on Friday last, John Dawson and Parker Hooper tied for first place in the aggregate, each having made 20 points. The running was especially creditable.

The following is a summary of the events:

100 yds. dash—1st, P. Hooper; 2rd, J. Dawson; 3rd, R. Watson.

Hop step and jump—1st, P. Hooper; 2nd, J. Dawson; 3rd, Craswell—34ft.

Broad jump—1st, Dawson; 2nd, Craswell; 3rd, Hooper—15-5½.

High jump—1st, Croskill; 2nd, Dawson; 3rd, L. Carleton.

Pole Vault—1st, Carleton; 2nd, Croskill; 3rd, Craswell.

16 lb. shot.—1st, Dawson, 2rd, Hooper; 3rd, Croskill—22.4½.

220 yds. dash—1st, Hooper; 2nd, Dawson; 3rd, Carleton.

Throwing cricket ball—1st, Craswell; 2nd, Croskill; 3rd, Dawson.

Kicking Foot ball.—1st, Croskill; 2nd, Craswell, 3rd Carleton.

Half mile run—1st, Hooper; 2nd, Dawson; 3rd, Watson.

Second Class—1st, G. Robertson; 33 pts, 2nd, A. Hodgson; 17 pts. 3rd, H. McMcEwen; 12 pts.

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will put the patient right; in old or chronic cases, the treatment should be persisted in.

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Time was when a good Spring coat was a luxury, not so now. We made up a number of coats during the dull winter months right up to the top notch of style and finish for $10.00, $12.00 and $15.00 that are really worth one third more, Chesterfields, Raglans and Coverts.

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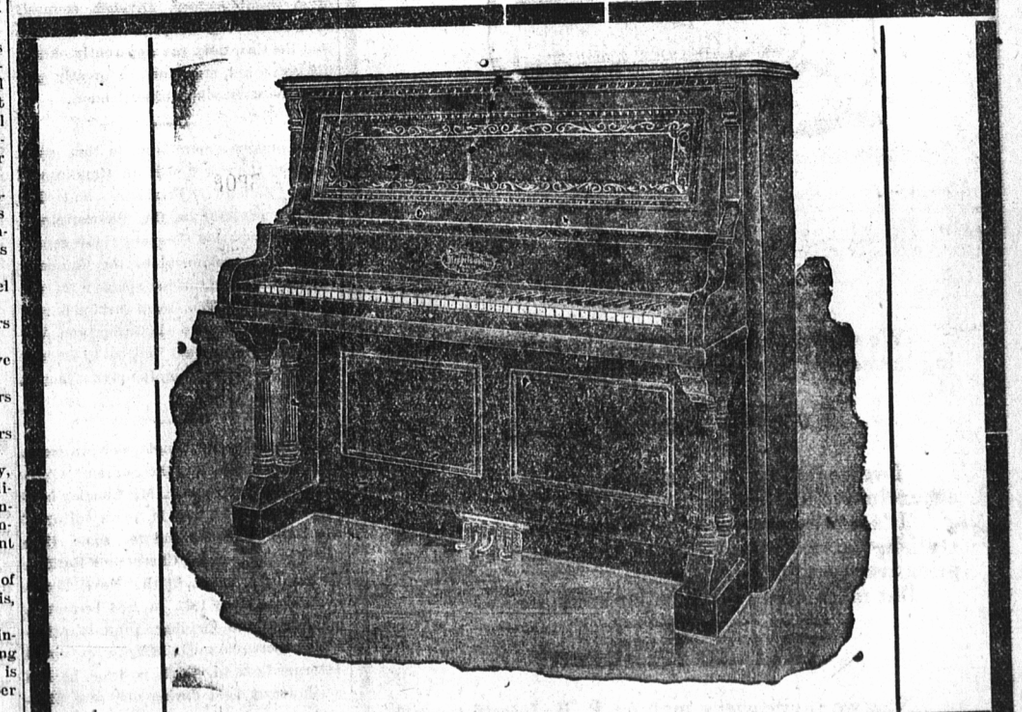

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