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The display of hosiery we are making this spring is far out of the ordinary. Our hosiery represents the best manufacturers of Europe and America, all colorings being the best. You will find it hard to match our qualities at the prices we ask. Ladies,' Men's, Misses,' Boys' and Infants' Hosiery at all prices.

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LATE DECREES OF THE TYRANT WHOM ALL OBEY.

Smart Evening Coat of White Broadcloth—Dinner Gown Worn at New York's Most Swell Restaurant—A Pretty Spring Hat.

To Cure Stiff Joints.

To keep the joints of the hands from getting stiff after holding the hands in water as hot as can be borne massage them both the backs and palms, with sweet oil. This should be thoroughly rubbed in. Then dip the hands in hot water again, using soap; rinse with clear water and rub on a lotion of glycerin and rose water. Do this at night and wear gloves.

Evening Coat of Broadcloth.

This smart evening coat is of white broadcloth, lined with chiffon, and is trimmed with black passementerie.

New Use for Raffia.

Women who enjoy embroidering have found a new use for raffia. The baskets and hats are as popular as ever, but its possibilities as material for the needle of the artistic worker are just being discovered. It lends itself to a great variety of the coarser stitches and produces a sketchy effect very desirable on burlaps and coarse linens.

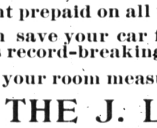
An inviting pillow for the summer porch is shown of olive green and red burlap made square and boxed. On the green side a great bunch of wheat, tied with a red ribbon, is embroidered in raffia. Around the edge of the pillow is a braid plaited or raffia, in yellow, red and green tones.

Striking Spring Hat.

The spring hat shown is of satin finished red straw, and is trimmed with clusters of ripe strawberries and foliage. Red velvet forms the scarf and ends at the back.

New Street Gowns.

Street gowns for spring and summer wear show three or four absolutely diverse styles, all of which are attractive. For ordinary everyday wear the skirt must be short; that is a positive command at present, says Harper's Bazar. Not so short as to show the feet, but at the same time to clear the ground and have a decided flare around the foot, to fit well around the hips, but not too tightly. The coat of three-quarter length or short, with a short skirt, is the favorite style for the moment.



Socalled bouton effects dominate novelty goods.

Etamine and voile are first choices for spring.

Barege and plaid grenadine will be favored next summer.

The three-quarter coat is more graceful with a seam down the back.

Three-piece suits are among the choicest—the coat, the skirt and the blouse.

All white will undoubtedly be "it" for spring and summer, as it has been in winter.

White wool lace, the novelty more brilliant than silk, is as interesting as it is pretty.

A soldier might have difficulty in recognizing the military in some of the voguish military styles.

Though sun-ray accordioned walking skirts are shown, their very circular cut is not advisable, because it will sag in most goods.

A New York Confection.

The above dipner gown, seen at Delmonico's, was of black velvet combined with lace, and the white lace toque, with its white aigrette, had a trail of white lace in the back reaching below the waist line.—New York Times.

Simple Home Remedies.

Sulphur is such an excellent thing to be used in sickness and disease that the wise wife and mother always keeps it in the house. Nothing is better in cases of scarlet fever, diphtheria and measles than sulphur, and it is one of the best blood purifiers known. As the spring approaches it is a splendid remedy if taken mixed with a cup of malosses. The right proportion is a teaspoonful to one cup of molasses. For fumigation it cannot be excelled, and should be frequently used when diseases are epidemic.

Another easy home remedy is mustard. When pneumonia threatens, or the lungs are congested, or a touch of pleurisy is felt, it should immediately be applied. Hot water applications are most satisfactory for reducing inflammation, and any one may always resort to this cure. Onions should be extensively used as a matter of diet. They are excellent for nerves and are very useful when one is laid up with influenza or a cold.

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It is a long polar expedition that has no turbine.

It takes a good man to stand in a slippery place.

Importance of Early Training.

It takes a long time for the beliefs and superstitions in which men are reared to be completely removed from their minds. The heathen-converts today find it hard to throw aside all their fear of evil spirits, all their dread of angry gods whom they once worshiped. Things that seem folly to us are very real to them, trained in them as they have been. So, how important the early training of children. How careful parents should be, and teachers, and all who have children under them.

A diplomat is a man who can pocket an insult in haste and get even at leisure.

We hears er many a man what has de wisdom er Solomon—but Solomon wuzn't wise in his own conceit.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, } ss. At a session of the Probate Court for the county of Oakland, held at the Probate Office in the city of Pontiac, on the 25th day of February, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and three.

Present, Joseph S. Stockwell, Judge of Probate.

In the Matter of the Estate of **Samuel Bell, deceased.**

On reading and filing the petition of Mary Bell pray that administration of said estate may be granted to herself or some other suitable person.

It is ordered that **Monday, the 4th day of May next,** at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at said Probate Office, be appointed for hearing said petition.

And it is further ordered that a copy of this order be published three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing in the BIRMINGHAM ECCENTRIC, a newspaper printed and circulating in said county of Oakland.

JOSEPH STOCKWELL, Judge of Probate.

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STATE OF MICHIGAN, } ss. At a session of the Probate Court for the county of Oakland, held at the Probate Office in the city of Pontiac on the 22nd day of April, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and three.

Present, Joseph S. Stockwell, Judge of Probate.

In the Matter of the Estate of **Eli S. Wooster, deceased.**

On application of Erastus H. Wooster, executor of said estate, for the examination and allowance of his final account and settlement of said estate.

It is ordered that Monday, the 5th day of May next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at said Probate office, be appointed for hearing said application, and examination and allowance of his said final account and settlement of said estate.

And it is further ordered that a copy of this order be published three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing, in the BIRMINGHAM ECCENTRIC, a newspaper printed and circulating in said County of Oakland.

JOSEPH S. STOCKWELL, Judge of Probate.

(A true copy) May 22.

STATE OF MICHIGAN—Suit pending in the Circuit Court for the County of Oakland. In Chancery. File No. 4,902.

William D. Curtis, Complainant,
vs.
The Unknown Heirs of William Wood and of Samuel Smith, Defendants

Upon due proof by affidavit that said William Wood and Samuel Smith are both dead, and their names, residences and whereabouts of their heirs are unknown, on motion of Elmer R. Webster, solicitor for complainant, it is ordered that said Unknown Heirs of William Wood and of Samuel Smith appear and answer the bill of complaint in said cause within six months and one day from this date, and in default thereof that said bill be taken as confessed by said defendants; and further that within twenty days from this date, this order be published in THE BIRMINGHAM ECCENTRIC, a newspaper printed and published in said Oakland County, and that said publication be continued once each week for six successive weeks, or that a copy of this order be served on said defendants at least twenty days before the time above prescribed for their appearance.

Dated March 12, 1903. GEORGE W. SMITH, Circuit Judge.

ELMER R. WEBSTER, Solicitor for Complainant.

Business address, Pontiac, Mich. Mar27-May 15

STATE OF MICHIGAN, } ss. COUNTY OF OAKLAND.

At a session of the Probate Court for the county of Oakland, held at the probate office in the city of Pontiac on the 14th day of April, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and three. Present, Joseph S. Stockwell, Judge of Probate. In the matter of the estate of Mary S. Park, incompetent, now deceased. On application of Almeron Whitehead, late guardian, for the examination and allowance of his final account.

It is ordered that Monday, the 11th day of May next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at said probate office be appointed for hearing said application and the examination and allowance of said final account. And it is further ordered that a copy of this order be published three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing in the Birmingham Eccentric a newspaper printed and circulating in said county of Oakland.

JOSEPH S. STOCKWELL, Judge of Probate.

PATTERSON & PATTERSON, Attys. for Ex'r.

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STATE OF MICHIGAN } ss. COUNTY OF OAKLAND.

At a session of the Probate Court for the county of Oakland, held at the Probate Office in the city of Pontiac, on the 14th day of April, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and three. Present, Joseph S. Stockwell, Judge of Probate. In the matter of the estate of Hugh Irving, deceased. On application of William Parks, executor, for the examination and allowance of his final account and the settlement of said estate.

It is ordered that Monday, the 11th day of May next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at said probate office, be appointed for hearing said application and the examination and allowance of said final account. And it is further ordered that a copy of this order be published three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing in the Birmingham Eccentric a newspaper printed and circulating in said county of Oakland.

JOSEPH S. STOCKWELL, Judge of Probate.

PATTERSON & PATTERSON, Attys. for Ex'r.

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STATE OF MICHIGAN, } ss. At a session of the Probate Court for the county of Oakland, held at the Probate Office, in the city of Pontiac, on the 22nd day of May, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and three.

Present, Joseph S. Stockwell, Judge of Probate.

In the Matter of the Estate of **Marion Wooster, deceased.**

On application of Erastus H. Wooster, executor of said estate, for the examination and allowance of his final account and settlement of said estate.

It is ordered that Monday, the 25th day of May next, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, at said Probate Office, be appointed for hearing said application and examination and allowance of said final account and settlement of said estate, and it is further ordered, that a copy of this order be published three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing in the BIRMINGHAM ECCENTRIC, a newspaper printed and circulating in said county of Oakland.

JOSEPH S. STOCKWELL, Judge of Probate.

(A true copy) May 1 to 22

STATE OF MICHIGAN, } ss. At a session of the Probate Court for the county of Oakland held at the Probate Office in the city of Pontiac on the 1st day of April, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and three.

Present, Joseph S. Stockwell, Judge of Probate

In the Matter of the Estate of **Alvin W. Wooster, deceased.**

On application of Frank F. Denison, executor, for the examination and allowance of his final account and the settlement of the estate.

It is Ordered that Monday, the 27th day of April next, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon at said Probate Office, be appointed for hearing said application and the examination and allowance of said final account.

And it is further ordered that a copy of this order be published three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing in the BIRMINGHAM ECCENTRIC, a newspaper printed and circulating in said county of Oakland.

JOSEPH S. STOCKWELL, Judge of Probate.

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PATTERSON & PATTERSON, Atty's for Petitioner, Pontiac Mich.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, } ss. COUNTY OF OAKLAND.

At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Oakland, held at the Probate Office in the City of Pontiac on the 14th day of April, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and three.

Present: JOSEPH S. STOCKWELL, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of **Hattie J. Cogger, incompetent.**

John Cogger, guardian, having filed his seventh annual account, and made application for the examination and allowance of same.

IT IS ORDERED, That Monday, the 11th day of May next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at said Probate Office, be appointed for hearing said application and the examination and allowance of said account

And it is further ordered that a copy of this order be published three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing, in the BIRMINGHAM ECCENTRIC, a newspaper printed and circulating in said County of Oakland.

JOSEPH S. STOCKWELL, Judge of Probate.

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MORTGAGE SALE—Default having been made in the conditions of a mortgage bearing date the thirteenth day of June, A. D. 1887, executed by Simeon V. Fornas to Mary A. Curran, and recorded in the office of the register of deeds for the county of Oakland and state of Michigan, on the twentieth day of June, A. D. 1887, in liber 8 of mortgages, on page 447, on which mortgage there is claimed to be due at this date the sum of $338.00; and no proceeding having been taken to collect the same, or any part thereof, notice is hereby given that said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises therein described as all that certain piece or parcel of land situate in the township of Royal Oak, county of Oakland and state of Michigan, described as a part of the southeast quarter of the southeast quarter of section thirty, in town one north, of range eleven east, commencing at a point in the south line of said section four chains and one-fourth links west of the southeast corner of said section; thence on said south eighty-nine and one-fourth degrees, west three chains sixty-five and one-fourth links, thence north three-fourths degree, west nineteen chains and ninety-nine links to a post in the north line of said quarter; thence on said north boundary north eighty-nine and one half degrees east, three chains sixty-five and one-fourth links to a post; thence south three-fourths degrees east nineteen chains and ninety-nine links to the place of beginning, containing seven and three-tenths acres of land, or so much thereof as may be necessary to satisfy the amount due on said mortgage with interest and costs, including an attorney fee of fifteen dollars, provided by statute, at the front door of the court house in the city of Pontiac, in said county, on the eleventh day of July, A. D. 1903, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of said day.

MARY A. CURRAN, Mortgagee,

Dated April 6th, A. D. 1903.

O. E. ANGSTMAN, Atty. for Mortgagee, 35 Moffat Building, Detroit, Michigan.

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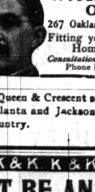

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