

# The Women's Page

## Seen Along Fifth Avenue

Printed leather resembling leopard promises to be much used for sports coats.

The silk frock is trimmed with cordings.

Carnations of fringed lawn are used for boutonniere.

The more popular trimmings are gold and colored piping, tucks, gauze fringe and wool, silk and metal embroideries.

For fall trimmings we have subdued ribbon effects.

Skirts are longer in the front than in the back, and are frequently faced with contrasting material to make the difference in length more effective.

White plaid or lizardskin belts are very smart.

Scarfs and hats of matching velvet are a new and individual note.

Dull sage green and gray tailor-made dresses and suits are worn for morning wear. If you would be smart include at least one of these in your fall wardrobe.

Felt hats with brims of soft, short-haired fur, such as gazelle, are very smart.



"The young people of the day are too sophisticated," says mature Mitha. "About the only thing can shock them is a live wire."

## SOMETHING TO THINK ABOUT

By F. A. WALKER

### SUFLING OFF

**T**HIS cause for the increase of suicide among women has been variously accounted for. Some illogical reasoners have said that it was because women had taken up the work of men and found it too great a strain.

That is all foolishness.

The brain of the ordinary woman will stand a good deal more strain than the brain of the ordinary man before it yields to some impulse of self-destruction.

If all the problems which face each morning every wife and mother and demand solutions before nightfall were presented every twenty-four hours to the average business man he would quit outside of a month.

If he thought he had to be smilingly pleasant, as the ordinary wife, to a fault-finding companion, he would after a while begin to consider what was the easiest way out of the world and how soon he had better start on the journey.

It is not at all illogical to believe that the increase in the number of suicides among women is directly related to the increased prosperity among the men.

Men who a few years ago were earning moderate salaries, staying at home nights, and through their wives' economy saving a little of their earnings, are now making from four to ten times as much as they did then, have lost their sense of necessity for saving and acquired the idea that there are better places to spend the evenings than at home, and not infrequently have decided that there are other people more congenial than their wives.

It is pretty nearly certain that if a careful analysis were made of the circumstances surrounding the marked increase of women suicides it would be found that very many of them were led to take their lives because the increased prosperity had robbed them of their husbands.

If you know of a woman suicide, inquire as to the circumstances of her death and see if this is not true.

In the last analysis suicide is a confession of cowardice.

It says to life, "I dare not face you any longer. Your problems are too great for me. I cannot bear what you thrust upon me and there is only one way out."

Do not ever acknowledge defeat in anything.

There is always a way to victory if you fight hard enough.

Suicide never earned honor or respect for any man or woman.

Live and fight, as they did then.

That is the spirit with which to meet every problem and face every seeming disaster.

Neckwear plays an important role in the wardrobe when it serves to beautify and keep up interest in simple daytime frocks of dark wool or silk that must be worn continuously. Jabots, scarfs and collar-and-cuff sets are the most important items for fall but berths, gilets and vests also serve to add smart style to simple dresses.

## Smart Frock



This smart, practical frock for everyday wear is two-piece, of black, flat crepe. The white turnover collar is fastened at the throat by a pearl button.

## A BIT OF STYLE TALK

Fall fashion displays are in full swing now, and the fashion advisers are having no spare moments. This helpful service, which has been installed in so many shops, has produced increased individuality in dress, for these fashion artists adapt the modes, as expressed by the various couturiers, to the tastes of customers with the result that individuality is an outstanding feature in the fall modes.

With the opening of school most shops are expelling junior apparel. Plaids are very popular, challis frocks are much in evidence, and jersey cloths are favorites. Chin-chilla coats in bright colors with hats to match are attractive offerings for girls from six to 14 years.

Lace is a strong note in the new lingerie and there is a wide range in texture and designs. White, cream and ochre shades are equally popular, and are introduced as yokes, medallions, insets, bands and ruffles. New colors seen in the choice imported models displayed in the shops are water green, stone blue, wine and tortoise brown, and frequently the lace is dyed to match.

The displays of calfskin hats with matching bags in light tones are attracting attention.

Printed velvets jumped over velvet skirts are being shown as daytime dresses.

The nautarium shades are prominently exploited as autumn colors. They cover a wide range from a golden yellow to the rich brown tones and the rust red, and form several exquisite displays of garments and accessories.

A new item in the shops is an unusually light embroidery hoop, with the inner hoop fitted with felt and guaranteed to firmly hold any fabric. The hoop is adjusted by simply turning a button.

## LIGHT GARMENTS.

The best French designers are boasting of the light weight of their winter models. The modern dance has made heaviness the unpardonable sin in costuming.

**Hungarian Casserole**

Slice enough onions to make a pint and brown in two tablespoons butter or dripping. Add a pound of lower round of beef cut in half inch cubes and brown. Transfer to a casserole, put in a pint of thinly sliced raw potato, dust with salt and pepper, cover closely and bake 15 minutes. Then pour in enough water to cover the bottom of the casserole and continue cooking.

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From the sunny south beyond the Alps comes Parmesan and Gorgonzola. Those who have not tasted acquire by inheritance a taste for cheese are deprived of one of the choicest of foods save flour. As a finish for dinner there is nothing which takes the place of a bit of cheese, a cracker and a cup of black coffee. Roquefort is commonly served thus.

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Cheese crackers are prepared by sprinkling mild cheese grated over the crust of a loaf of bread, and then putting them into a hot oven to melt the cheese.

Many have never tried the good combination of cheese and rice; add the place of a white sauce, a cracker and a cup of black coffee. Roquefort is commonly served thus.

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## Will Princess Ileana Wed Here?



The visit of Queen Marie of Rumania and her daughter, Princess Ileana, to America has caused speculation as to the likelihood of their marriage in America. In the picture left to right are: Queen Marie of Greece, Princess Ileana, Queen Marie of Rumania, Queen Marie of Jugoslavia and the queen mother daughter-in-law, Crown Princess Helen, formerly Princess Helen of Greece.

## ABOUT WOMEN

Mrs. Ida Watkins, known as the "wheat queen" has an estimated yield of \$9,000 bushels from her 1,950-acre farm in southeastern Kansas, which will bring her about \$60,000 for the crop.

Mary E. Dillon, who began 22 years ago as a clerk with the Brooklyn Borough Gas Company, is now president of that \$5,000,000 corporation.

An Indian woman of Cranbrook, Conn., assisted in capturing three escaped circus elephants by feeding them apples while they were being tumbled.

## THE YOUNG LADY ACROSS THE WAY



The young lady across the way says this country has been paternalistic long enough and it's high time the women were getting their reforms through and filling some of the new federal jobs themselves.

Miss Ida E. Pearson, a sophomore at Swarthmore College is working as a taxi driver during her vacation.

Lady Aston has written an introductory article of commendation for a new quarterly magazine for women, established in London, called The Electrical Age for Women.

Miss Marion Talley, young operatic soprano, will set apart a portion of her earnings for a fund in aid of promoting joy and girl singers. Her Kansas City friends assisted her in gaining the musical education which has brought her world-wide fame.

Miss Caton-Thompson, a well-known archaeologist, unearthed basket work at least 12,000 years old, the first breadbasket of prehistoric days ever found, and the earliest known scribe, while digging on the Fayum prehistoric settlements 60 miles south of Cairo, Egypt.

The Ladies' Thrift and Savings society of Japan has launched a campaign for reducing the cost of weddings, and also advocates non-silk dresses for schoolgirls, reduction in the number of servants and the abolition of drinking and smoking.

Mrs. Callie Thomas of Valdosta, Ga., recently cast her first vote at the age of 92.

Madame Piron and Madame Peres, two French farm women, have been awarded the decoration of the Legion of Honor for their services to the nation. Madame Piron was the mother of 16 children and lost two sons during the war.

Miss Eva Kildow, who for several years has been the assistant to Editor Frank E. Johnson of the Roseville (O.) Leader, was named the newspaper by Mr. Johnson, who recently died.

Mrs. N. F. Lyon of Laurel, Neb., is reputed to be the best farmer in that state, having had no crop failure in 27 years.

Mrs. Alice Dickerman, postmaster at Tucson, Ariz., is a zealous worker in behalf of the welfare of women and children, and is said to be the best known woman in her state.

## BOYS AND GIRLS

Mary Alice, Julia Evelyn and Martha Belle Wickizer of Bucklin, Mo., are triplets now 15 years old and have enrolled for entrance to William Woods College in 1929.

Henry Wallace, Jr., aged 13, of Bardenburg, Ky., ran away from home and rode in a refrigerator car to St. Louis because his father spanked him.

Yoshiichi Ujimoto, a 14-year-old Hawaiian lad, had a prize agricultural exhibit containing a greater variety and number of products than any other shown at the Kona Fair.

Betsy Ann Hise, 9-year-old Hollywood girl, will play the part of Toppy in a big film production of "Uncle Tom's Cabin."

Irene Ganahl, school girl of Liberty, N. J., won the state championship and \$50 in a spelling match in which she spelled more than 1,500 words correctly.

Nicola Caporio, 15-year-old valet of Lecco, Italy, has become the protégé of Tito Schipa, famed opera star, who believes young Caporio will develop into a great singer.

Stanley Pendlebury, only 6 years old, has climbed Sawfell Pike, 3,210 feet high, the highest summit in England.

Lucretia Goddard, 17, of Boston, who has been engaged by the San Carlos Opera Company, is the youngest prima donna in America.

Miss Maxine Meitner, 17 years old, of Riverport, N. J., a licensed driver, and the youngest woman doing the kind of work, is now employed on the Delaware River.

Phyllis and Bernice Zitenfeld, 12-year-old twin blondes, swam 17 miles from Yonkers to the Battery in New York.

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