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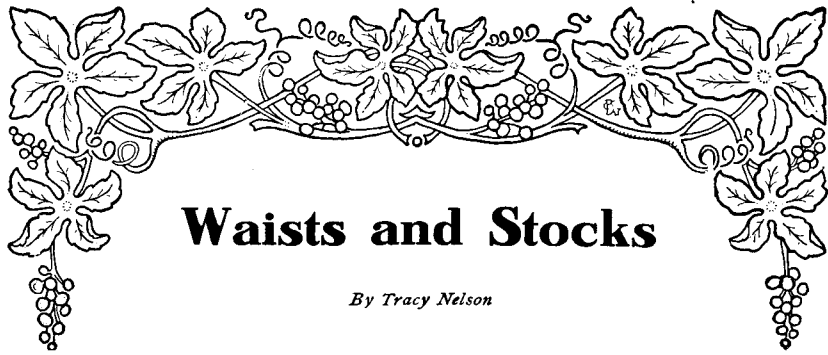
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Waists and Stocks

By Tracy Nelson

THE shirt-waist is still very nearly as popular as it ever has been, and is likely to remain so for some time to come.

The white waist seems to lead in popularity, not because it is more fashionable, but because it is generally becoming to young and old, and looks more dressy, even though plainly made, than the colored waist. The lovely revived needlework of all countries and all times, Hardanger, Russian cross-stitch, Irish crochet, hairpin lace, Egyptian embroidery, Teneriffe wheels, eyelet work, etc., are used in various ways to decorate the newest and prettiest of models.

For a serviceable, inexpensive waist, huckaback may be used, and darned in stripes or all over with wash silks or cottons in two or more shades of any preferred color, in the ocean wave pattern popularly used in decorating couch pillows. It is done by merely sliding the needle under the raised threads of the cloth, to form a wavy, triangular pattern from corner to corner. Pretty shirt-waist belts are made in the same way, and may be worn with any waist with which the colors harmonize. Another shirt-waist trimming consists of wrought Battenberg or hand-crocheted rings, placed three or four together to form the leaves of a shamrock, while a curved stem is worked on the cloth in chain or outline stitch. The shapes are placed down the centre of the front plait of a heavy linen waist and at either side, extending from the shoulders, in groups of three.

Next to the shirt-waist itself, the stock to wear with it, its suitability and becomingness, is of the utmost interest to the up-to-date girl. A new stock collar has a trimming of large eyelets cut fleur-de-lis shape and buttonholed around with silk. Underneath the openwork are puffings of thin China silk. Another, somewhat on the same idea, is worked with narrow oval-shaped eyelets, and all around and through these a soft, wide, silk ribbon is drawn, and tied at the front in a big, fluffy knot. Daisies in ribbon-work very prettily decorate another stock of white taffeta, to be worn with a dainty shirt-waist of white India linen, embroidered down the front with large white daisies some distance apart. The centres of the flowers are buttonholed around and the cloth inside cut away. Little, flat, gold buttons are fastened to the other side of the waist, the daisy eyelets being used as buttonholes.

Monograms are still embroidered upon shirt-waists, and a pretty touch they give to the simplest waist. They are worked, usually on the sleeve or tie-end, or even

upon the watch-pocket or front of belt. Sometimes they are padded heavily and worked in a close satin-stitch, or the outlines may be worked in a fancy embroidery stitch, with another fancy stitch worked in the centre.


Most needleworkers are familiar with the fancy stitches used in the popular embroideries and lace-work of the day, and these and their many varieties may be used to good effect in adorning the new shirt-waists. Of the simpler stitches, the satin, outline, cross, French knot, and chain stitches are the most important, being the most commonly used. The satin-stitch consists merely in laying the threads from side to side or lengthwise, taking but one stitch the width or length of the form to be filled, so close together that the stitches can hardly be separated. A little padding or stuffing with soft knitting cotton split into two or three strands may be necessary. In padding, the threads must run opposite to those with which they are afterwards overlaid. The chain-stitch may be used for stems and wherever the outline-stitch can be used. It is made like the buttonhole stitch in working the first stitch, except that the needle is inserted a little farther away from where it was first brought up. The thread should not be pulled exactly tight, but allowed to lie a little loose, to give the rounded curve necessary. The second buttonhole stitch is taken just inside of the curved edge of the first, working always toward instead of away from you. In place of the outline or chain stitch, a close, narrow feather-stitch or French knots may be used in following the outlines of the design.

A simple shirt-waist trimming for straps and collar and cuffs consists of three feather-stitches, then three French knots in triangle form, then three feather-stitches, and so on, worked in a row. Wild roses may be worked in long-and-short buttonhole, the centres also buttonholed and the tiny piece inside cut away, with a spider worked in yellow silk filling in the open space in the centre.

Another form of decoration consists of appliqué work. Outline upon pink silk or satin a wild rose pattern, then cut out, leaving a margin outside of the traced lines. Baste this carefully to the waist, then work in long-and-short buttonhole through both materials, following the outlines of the design, with the straight edge of the buttonhole toward the outside of the pattern. Cut away carefully that part of the pink silk or satin outside of the buttonhole. The centre of the flower is embroidered with yellow French knots.

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Suggestions for Home Decoration

Edited by Alice Chittenden

A **Seaside Bungalow** has the large living-room, which must serve both by day and night, divided into compartments by the use of large bamboo porch screens so arranged that they can be rolled up during the day.

A restful **Guest Room** is one of the chief charms of a house. If the keynote of color is a restful one, the other furnishings will readily fall into line. A simple greenish cream matting with walls in French gray and touches of rose and green in the furnishings is delightful by reason of its simplicity.

The **Den of a Literary Woman**, too small for a desk, has fitted in one angle of the wall, at just the right height, a board like a section of a circle supported by wooden brackets. Under this is placed a capacious waste-basket, and above it a corner Japanese cabinet in bamboo, containing many small shelves and pigeon-holes.

A **Narrow Hall** should always be papered in some tone of yellow, which is the only color that makes a room look wider. I have just had a den, 7 x 12, hung in a warm yellow, and the result is to increase greatly the apparent width of the room. The old shade of red seemed to bring the walls ridiculously close together.

The **Old-fashioned Bed** with its cumbersome headboard, a famous dust and germ collector, has been rightfully banished from our homes. Remember that if you have any of this sort that you cannot afford to part with, a judicious use of the saw will remove the objectionable portion and often, in this way, the beauty of the article may be enhanced.

A friend has just furnished four **Bed-rooms** all on the same floor with flower papers. In a west room, chrysanthemums from pale yellow to deep reddish brown; in a southeast room, apple blossoms from pale to rosy pink; in a northeast room, deep red roses. A room with only a north light is aglow with the yellow California poppy.

Old Bedroom Furniture may be successfully treated with white or cream enamel at home if the old paint is first thoroughly removed; when perfectly dry give a coat of white lead; forty-eight hours after a second coat, both applied as thin as possible. Then give a coat of enamel and afterwards rub down with pumice-stone and oil, finishing with a second coat of the enamel.

An old pair of **Linen Sheets**, yellowed with age, were ripped in two by parting the seam down the middle, worked with a rapid design, in "Walls of Troy" in red, blue, black, and variously shaded wash silks, using the odds and ends of a collection. The two pairs of curtains thus made have an imported air that makes beholders exclaim, "Where did you get them?"

If you are so fortunate as to have **Old Samplers**, black silhouette portraits, such as our grandparents used to exchange, old steel engravings or antique colored pictures, collect them all in one room, preferably a library, grouping them effectively. A lady who had a most marvelous bead bag, a positive work of art, has had it framed in narrow gold between two pieces of glass, suspending it so that both sides can be seen.

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new models with the shirring at the elbow line and a rather short cuff covered with embroidery, but the sleeve may be cut off at the elbow and finished with an insertion band and edging of lace to match the inset in the waist. An entirely new idea would be to work one half of the daisy spray used on the body of the garment on the top of the sleeve, as much more attention is now being paid to sleeve adornment than formerly. The pretty pattern for the stock and cuffs may be used on a set of any material to be worn with any waist. For light mourning, this pattern worked solidly with black silk on a waist of black China silk, either with or with-

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It will be noticed that this design may be used for nearly any form of embroidery, which is not usually the case with designs made particularly for one kind of work. For the popular shadow-work the daisies worked on the wrong side of the material, being solid, show through in a charming way, forming almost different designs as the pattern happens to be in light or shade. In solid satin-stitch for the leaves and flower petals, knot stitches for the centres and stem-stitch for the stems, perhaps this pattern is brought out at its best, but in eyelet-work it will be

very handsome, especially if worn over one of the dainty corset-covers which have been illustrated in preceding numbers of PRISCILLA. A combination of eyelet and solid work, which is preferred by many needleworkers, can easily be effected. For a whole gown of chambray or any plain wash goods, the skirt may be cut circular in the back, with two box-plaits down the centre of the front, each plait worked with the same design as the waist, for it will be seen that the vine-like spray can, by the aid of the perforated pattern, be used equally well for a skirt. Built of white lawn, or muslin, with both waist and skirt embroidered, nothing could be more charming for the class-day gown of the "sweet girl graduate." With a white waist, no matter what the material, the belt would better be of white of the same material and embroidered to match, or it may be of wide silk, with fancy shirrings. Both are now stylish.

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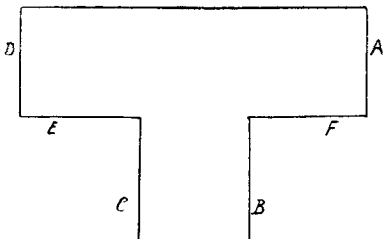


FIG. 1. PATTERN OF SLEEVELESS JACKET

1st and 2d rows—Knit plain. These two rows form a ridge or "purl." Knit 58 of these ridges, then cast on 58 stitches more, making 116 on the needle. Knit 58 ridges with the 116 stitches.

Bind off 58 stitches, taking care not to draw the edge; then knit 58 ridges with the remaining 58 stitches. Bind off loosely. This makes a knitted piece shaped as shown in Fig. 1.

Join the edges A and B together, also those numbered C and D, by sewing with some of the yarn, leaving the edges E and F loose for arm-holes.

Crochet scallops around the jacket and arm-holes and fasten with buttons and loops or bow of ribbon.

Crochet Plate Doily

By Helen M. Pattison

MATERIALS.—Spool and one-half of linen thread No. 50, and fine steel hook.

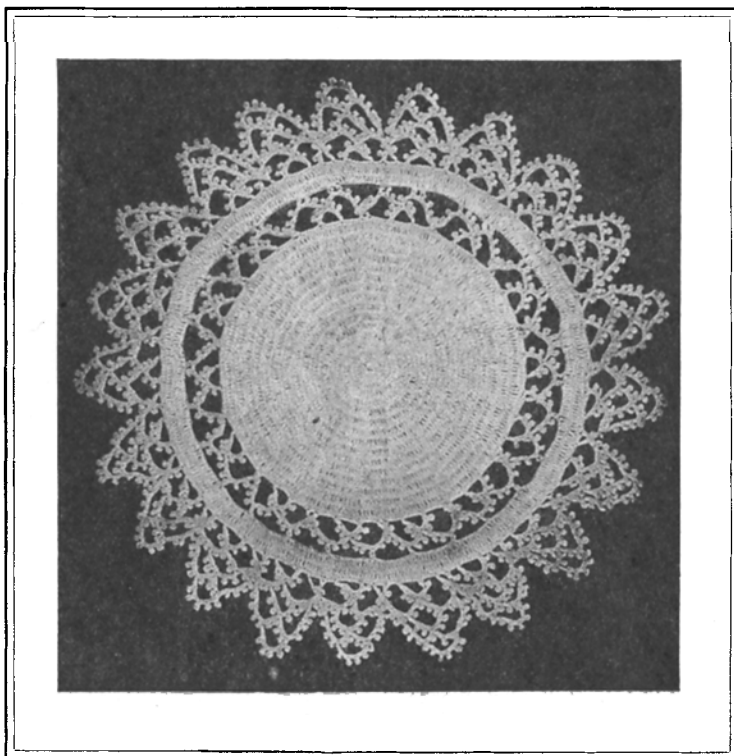
CHAIN 6, join.
1st row—Chain 3 for first treble crochet, 19 more, making 20 t c in ring, join.

2d row—Two t c in every one on last row, making 40 in all, join.

3d row—Increase on every 3d st, join.
4th row—Increase again on 3d st, join. This gives 18 widenings, which are continued to the 13th row, when they are decreased enough to keep the work smooth, the last row having almost no widenings. This finishes the centre, which has 15 rows.

INSERTION.—Fourteen double crochet along the edge of centre, turn, ch 10, fasten back in 7th st, turn, half fill loop with 6 d c, equally separated by 2 picots, (made thus: ch 5, fasten in 1st with s c) turn, ch 16, fasten back in 7th st on edge of centre, turn, fill loop with 14 d c equally separated by 6 picots, finish

BORDER.—Fourteen d c on edge of mat, turn, ch 10, fasten back in 7th st, turn, half fill loop with 6 d c and 2 picots (as in the insertion), turn, ch 16, fasten back in 7th st on edge, turn, fill loop with 14 d c and 6 picots, finish filling 1st loop with 6 d c and 2 picots, 7 d c on edge, turn, ch 16, fasten in top of 1st loop, turn, one-third fill with 2 d c, picot, 2 d c, picot, 1 d c, turn, ch 12, fasten back in 10th st (or top of opposite loop), turn, half fill with 2 d c, picot, 2 d c, picot, 1 d c, turn, ch 16, fasten back in 10th st, turn, fill loop with 14 d c and 6 picots, finish filling next loop. Then make 2 d c, picot, 2 d c, picot, 1 d c in next unfinished loop, turn, ch 16, fasten in top of last finished loop, turn, 2 d c, picot, 2 d c, picot, 1 d c in loop, turn, ch 12, fasten in top of opposite loop, turn, 12 d c and 5 picots in loop, finish next loop with 1 d c, picot, 2 d c, picot, 2 d c, picot, 2 d c, picot, 2 d c, then last loop with 1 d c, picot, 2 d



CROCHET PLATE DOILY

filling 1st loop with 6 d c and 2 picots, make 7 d c along edge, turn, ch 16, fasten in top of 1st loop, turn, fill loop with 14 d c and 6 picots, as at first. Repeat around mat.

Now ch 11, and catch in highest picot of each loop, all around insertion, make 2 rows of plain t c, widening enough to keep the work smooth, then make the border.

c, picot, 2 d c. This completes one scallop, of which there should be 19 for this doily.

The last rows of treble crochet on both centre and outer edge should have few or no widenings, and even lap a little, as otherwise the lace would be too full, in which case a skipped stitch would be necessary at each scallop.

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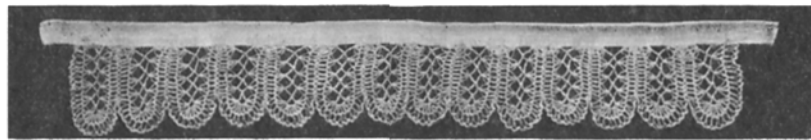
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ch 3, s c over next three loops. Repeat three times, ch 6.

Fold the lace back along the edge of the scallop. Now slip the hook through the first loop of the free lace and the last loop on the outside edge of the scallop, thread over and draw through both.

Slip the hook through two more loops, thread over and draw through both loops. Repeat until there are twelve stitches upon the hook. Thread over the hook and draw through two stitches. Repeat until there is but one stitch upon the hook, ch 6. Omit one or two loops at the outside of the turn, the number omitted depending upon the width of the lace;

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of each row to form the slope. 2d row—Purl. 3d row—* Purl 2, k 1, repeat from * all across. 4th row—Like 3d row. Repeat from 1st row until you have the required length. Owing to the decrease the number to be knitted or purled, as the case may be, at the beginning of each row must necessarily be irregular, but care must be taken that the one stitch forming the perpendicular rib is kept in a straight line. In the border of the skirt, if the holes are liked larger, throw the wool over needle twice instead of once, and dropping the second over when knitting back. Sew the top into a yoke or belt.

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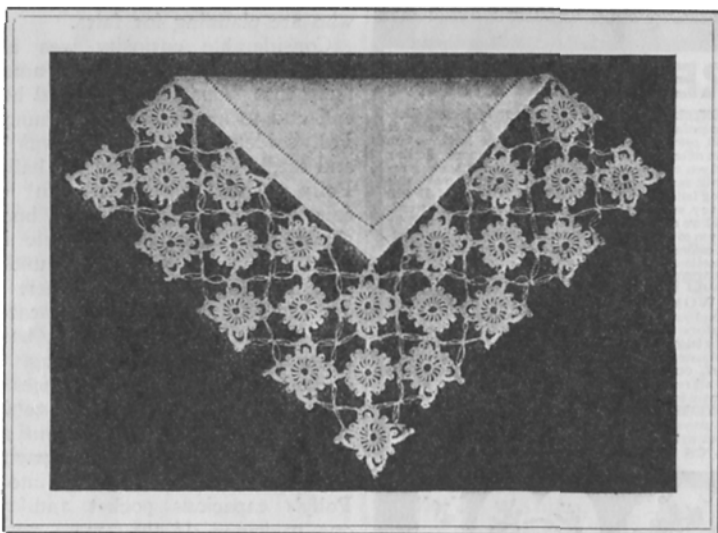
2d row—Chain 4, 15 treble with ch between in ring.

3d row—* Two single crochet in

SMALL WHEELS.—1st row—Chain 4, join.

2d row—Chain 4, 15 tr with ch between in ring.

3d row—* Two s c in space, ch 4, fasten in 1st ch, repeat. After the first wheel is made fasten the next to it by one of the picots. A glance at the design will show where all the joinings come. For the knot stitch fasten thread in large wheel half-way between the



CROCHET BORDER FOR HANDKERCHIEF

space, ch 4, fasten in 1st ch, 2 s c in space, ch 4, fasten in 1st ch, 2 s c in space, ch 6, turn, fasten in first picot, turn, 4 s c in loop, ch 4, fasten in 1st ch, 6 s c in loop, 2 s c in space, ch 4, fasten in 1st ch, repeat.

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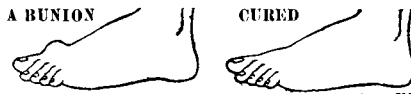
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By Jessie M. DeWitt

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Considerable curiosity was aroused previous to the fair by the announcement that "Aunt Polly" would be present, and to all queries concerning Aunt Polly's identity, the answer was "Come and see." Upon entering the hall, Aunt Polly, who represented an elderly country lady in old-fashioned hood and shawl, with a bulging reticule in one hand and a green umbrella under her arm, stood grimly in a corner. Upon one shoulder was pinned a placard with this inscription: "Aunt Polly has been doing her Christmas shopping. Her pockets are filled with treasures. You may relieve her of one package for ten cents." A young lady was in attendance, and the patrons, upon paying the fee, were allowed to reach into Aunt Polly's capacious pocket and remove one package. If they were not satisfied with their purchase, they were allowed to return it and draw a second time for three cents.

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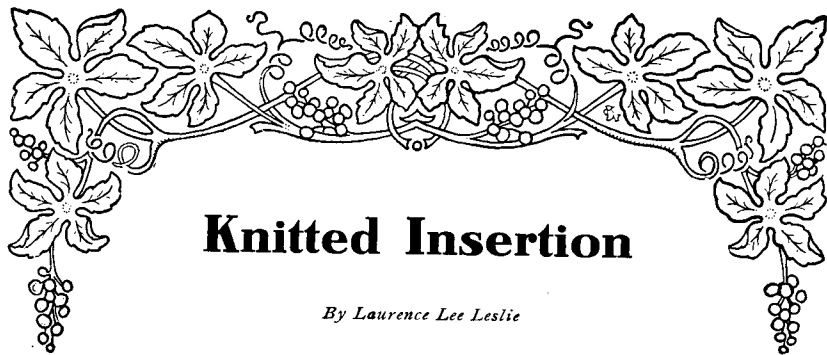
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Knitted Insertion

By Laurence Lee Leslie

NOTE.—P and k means purl a stitch and then, without taking it off the needle, knit it, making two stitches from one. It will be seen that in knitting back the two stitches are again made into one. This makes a very handsome heavy stitch, in the form of a coil, and is exceptionally pretty when knitted from heavy threads. This insertion matches the Knitted Lace on page 12 of THE PRISCILLA for December, 1905.

CAST on fifty-three stitches and knit across plain.

1st row—Knit 2, narrow, over 2, n; k 1; n, o 2, n; n, o 2, n; k 1, n, o 2, p and k 3, p and k 2 together; o; n, o, k 3; o, n; o 2, p and k 2 tog. p and k 3; o, n, k 1; n, o 2, n; n, o 2, n; k 1, n, o 2, n, k 2.

2d row—Knit the first and last four; purl the rest, except where the thread is over more than once, when as many stitches must be made as there are loops; and to cross the heavy bar where two stitches are made in one, purl each two together.

3d row—Knit 2; n, o 2, n; k 3; n, o 2, n; k 2, n; o 2, p and k 3, p and k 2



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tog; o, n, o, n, o; k 1; o, n, o, n; o 2, p and k 2 tog, p and k 3; o, n, k 2; n, o 2, n; k 3; n, o 2, n; k 2.

4th and all even rows like 2d row.
5th row—Knit 2; n, o 2, n; k 8, n; o 2, p and k 3, p and k 2 tog; o, n, o, n, o, k 3; o, n, o, n, o 2, p and k 2 tog, p and k 3; o, n, k 8; n, o 2, n; k 2.

7th row—Knit 2, n, o 2, n; k 7, n; o 2, p and k 3, p and k 2 tog; o, n, o, n, o; k 5; o, n, o, n, o 2, p and k 2 tog, p and k 3; o, n, k 7; n, o 2, n, k 2.

9th row—Knit 2; n, o 2, n; k 6, n; o 2, p and k 3, p and k 2 tog; o, n, o, n, o, k 7; o, n, o, n, o 2, p and k 2 tog, p and k 3; o, n, k 6; n, o 2, n, k 2.

11th row—Knit 2; n, o 2, n; k 5, n; o 2, p and k 3, p and k 2 tog; o, n, o, n, o; k 3, slip 3, o 3, k 3; o, n, o, n, o 2, p and k 2 tog, p and k 3; o, n, k 5; n, o 2, n; k 2.

13th row—Knit 2; n, o 2, n, k 4, n; o 2, p and k 3, p and k 2 tog; o, n, o, k 3; o, n, k 5, n; o, k 3, o, n; o 2, p and k 2 tog, p and k 3; o, n, k 4; n, o 2, n; k 2.

15th row—Knit 2; n, o 2, n; k 3, n; o 2, p and k 3, p and k 2 tog; o, n, o, n,

o, k 1, o, n, o; n, k 3, n; o, n, o, k 1, o, n, o, n; o 2, p and k 2 tog, p and k 3; o, n, k 3; n, o 2, n, k 2.

17th row—Knit 2, n, o 2, n; k 2, n; o 2, p and k 3, p and k 2 tog; o, n, o, n, o; k 3, o, n, o; n, k 1, n; o, n, o, k 3; o, n, o, n; o 2, p and k 2 tog, p and k 3; o, n, k 2; n, o 2, n, k 2.

19th row—Knit 2, n, o 2, n; k 1, n; o 2, p and k 3, p and k 2 tog; o, n, o, n, o, k 5; o, n, o, slip 1, n; o, n, o, k 5; o, n, o, n; o 2, p and k 2 tog, p and k 3; o, n, k 1, n, o 2, n, k 2.

21st row—Knit 2, n, o 2, n; n, o 2, p and k 3, p and k 2 tog; o, n, o, n, o, k 7; o, n, k 1, n, o, k 7; o, n, o, n; o 2, p and k 2 tog, p and k 3; o, n; n, o 2, n, k 2.

23d row—Knit 2, n, o 2, n; k 1, p and k 3, p and k 2 tog; o, n, o, n, o; k 3, slip 3, o 3, k 3; o, n, o, n; o 2, p and k 2 tog, p and k 3; k 1, n; o 2, n, k 2.

25th row—Knit 2, n, o 2, n, k 1; o 2, p and k 2 tog, p and k 3; o, n, o, n, o; n, k 5, n; o, k 3, o, k 5, n; o, n, o, n; o 2, p and k 3, p and k 2 tog; o, k 1, n, o 2, n, k 2.

27th row—Knit 2, n, o 2, n, k 2; o 2, p and k 2 tog, p and k 3; o, n, o, n, o; n, k 3, n; o, n, o, k 1; o, n, o, n, k 3, n; o, n, o, n; o 2, p and k 3, p and k 2 tog; o, k 2, n, o 2, n, k 2.

29th row—Knit 2, n, o 2, n, k 3; o 2, p and k 2 tog, p and k 3; o, n, o, n, o; n, k 1, n; o, n, o, k 3; o, n, o, n, k 1, n; o, n, o, n; o 2, p and k 3, p and k 2 tog; o, k 3, n, o 2, n, k 2.

31st row—Knit 2, n, o 2, n, k 4; o 2, p and k 2 tog, p and k 3; o, n, o, n, o; slip 1, n, o, n, o, k 5; o, slip 1, n; o, n, o, n; o 2, p and k 3, p and k 2 tog; o, k 4, n, o 2, n, k 2.

33d row—Knit 2, n, o 2, n, k 5; o 2, p and k 2 tog, p and k 3; o, n, o, n, k 1, n, o, k 7; o, n, k 1, n, o, n, o 2, p and k 3, p and k 2 tog; o, k 5, n, o 2, n, k 2.

35th row—Knit 2, n, o 2, n, k 6; o 2, p and k 2 tog, p and k 3; o, n, o; slip 1, n; o, n, o, k 3, slip 3, o 3, k 3; o, slip 1, n; o, n, o 2, p and k 3, p and k 2 tog; o, k 6, n, o 2, n, k 2.

37th row—Knit 2, n, o 2, n, k 7; o 2, p and k 2 tog, p and k 3; o, n, o, n, o; n, k 5, n; o, n, o, n; o 2, p and k 3, p and k 2 tog; o, k 7, n, o 2, n, k 2.

39th row—Knit 2, n, o 2, n, k 8; o 2, p and k 2 tog, p and k 3; o, n, o, n, o; n, k 3, n; o, n, o, n; o 2, p and k 3, p and k 2 tog; o, k 8, n, o 2, n, k 2.

41st row—Knit 2, n, o 2, n, k 9; o 2, p and k 2 tog, p and k 3; o, n, o, n, o; n, k 1, n; o, n, o, n; o 2, p and k 3, p and k 2 tog; o, k 9, n, o 2, n, k 2.

43d row—Knit 2, n, o 2, n, k 3; n, o 2, n, k 3; o 2, p and k 2 tog, p and k 3; o, n, o, n, o, slip 1, n; o, n, o, n; o 2, p and k 3, p and k 2 tog; o, k 3, n, o 2, n, k 3; n, o 2, n, k 2.

45th row—Knit 2, n, o 2, n, k 1; n, o 2, n; n, o 2, n, k 2; o 2, p and k 2 tog, p and k 3; o, n, o, n, k 1, n, o, n; o 2, p and k 3, p and k 2 tog; o, k 2, n, o 2, n; n, o 2, n; k 1, n, o 2, n, k 2.

47th row—Knit 2, n, o 2, n, k 3; n, o 2, n, k 5; o 2, p and k 2 tog, p and k 3; o, n, o, slip 1, n; o, n; o 2, p and k 3, p and k 2 tog; o, k 5, n, o 2, n; k 3, n, o 2, n, k 2.

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When the Men Entertained

By Helen M. Richardson

THEY were seated in the chapel, a company composed of ten disconsolate-looking women, called together for the purpose of discussing the ways and means of another Parish supper.

"Oh, dear! I am so tired of it all!" wailed one who looked a trifle more discouraged than the rest. "It is the same thing, over and over again; with a little extra worry added each time, for fear that we may not be able to keep up the reputation of our suppers. I'm going to resign before another one comes round."

"I've a bright idea," suddenly exclaimed a little woman, who had hitherto been silent. "Let's put the supper for this month into the hands of the men. We have catered for them, month after month, for years, and all that we have got for our pains has been that the beans were greasy, the oysters overdone, or the turkey tough. Nothing has ever yet seemed quite to suit their fastidious tastes. What do you say, sisters,—shall we do it?"

Every woman present instantly assented. No suggestion had ever been so simultaneously adopted at a meeting before; it was not even put to vote.

This was how it happened, therefore, that a notice was read in church, the following Sunday, announcing that the next Parish supper would be prepared and served by the men. The affair was thus put unreservedly into their hands without so much as saying, "by your leave."

The men were taken so completely by surprise that they offered not a word of protest, but accepted the situation graciously, and without a murmur. Men, as a general thing, are not in the habit of talking things over so exhaustively as their more cautious wives; and if the announcement took them by surprise, they had good sense enough not to show it. They immediately appointed a committee and set to work.

In one thing, however, they differed from their wives,—they worked in silence; they planned in silence. Heretofore, it had always been noised about, a week or two beforehand, what the next supper was to be. But no one could find out anything from the men; they simply said nothing.

No one could exactly tell when, or how it took on the name of "banquet." "Have you secured your tickets for the banquet?" "Have you heard that the banquet is going to be held in the chapel instead of the supper-room?" "They say the banquet is to be a full-dress affair," were a few of the many observations made, as the days went by.

The mystery of the occasion proved a drawing card. Whereas the attendance at these monthly gatherings for some time past had been growing lamentably small, tickets for this one were selling so rapidly that fear was expressed that all who desired them could not be accommodated.

The night at last arrived. There had been a furious snow-storm the day previous, and the roads in some places were very badly drifted, and zero weather was prevailing. This, however, made no difference to the ticket-holders to the "men's banquet." Early arrivals sought admission, as usual, at the chapel door, but were informed by an usher stationed there that the church was open for their accommodation, until music should announce a line of march to the supper-room.

Promptly at half-past six, the music struck up and the people filed in, and

stationed themselves behind the rows of waiting chairs, at a suggestion from a white-coated attendant, until a blessing had been pronounced by the pastor; then the stir and bustle of seating began.

For want of more available material for decoration, the tables held occasional bunches of pine branches, which lent an atmosphere of festivity and good cheer.

To and fro behind the tables hurried a bevy of young lads, dressed in short coats of white duck, each with a pink in his buttonhole, and armed with pitchers of steaming hot coffee.

As every detail, even to the laying of table-cloths and placing of dishes, had been undertaken by the men, all feminine eyes were alert for things amiss; but they were sought for in vain. A dearth of spoons seemed to be the only error; and smiles went round the tables when a sugar-bowl or a coffee-cup appeared, decorated with a table-spoon in place of a teaspoon.

The menu consisted of scalloped oysters, cold turkey, coffee and rolls, cranberry sauce, pickles and celery, ice-cream and cake.

After the wants of the inner man had been satisfied, there came an ominous rap upon a table running across the head of the room, and a toast-master, radiant in full evening dress, arose, and in a very happy and easy manner introduced a soloist, also speakers from adjoining cities, who for an hour and a half edified and entertained the company with songs and jests and stories.

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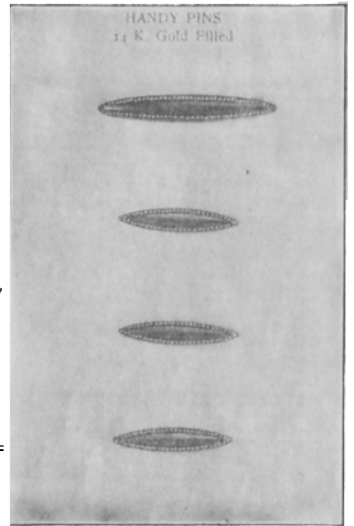


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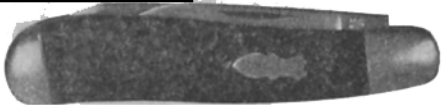
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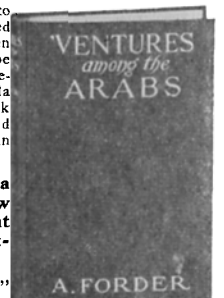
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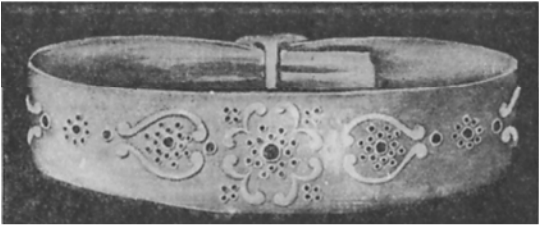
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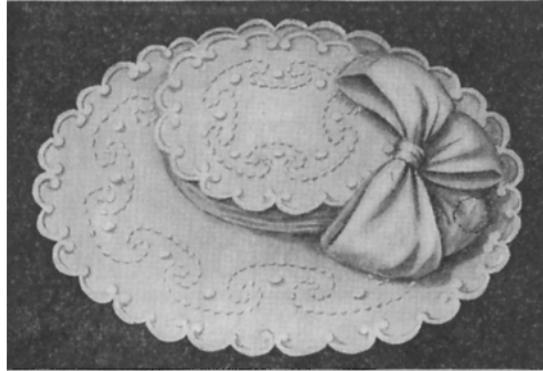
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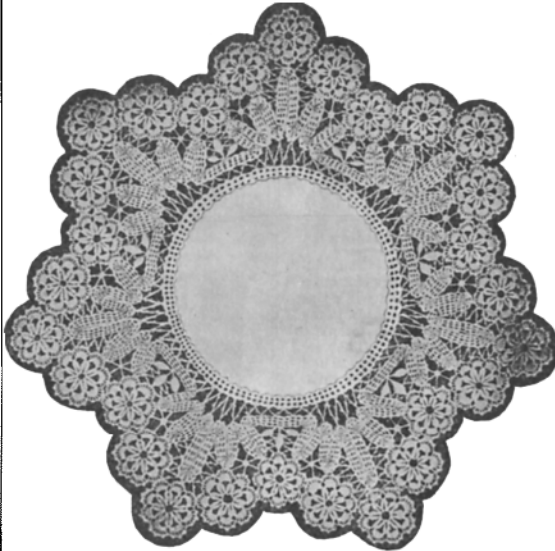
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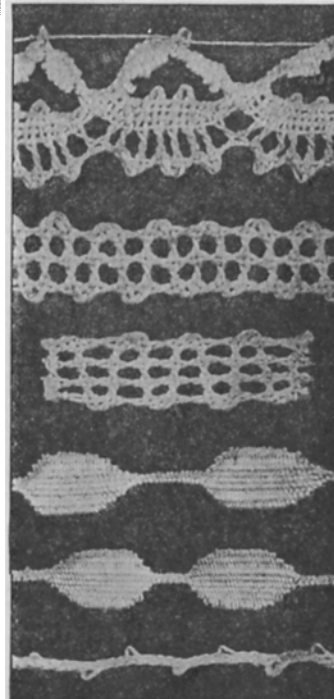
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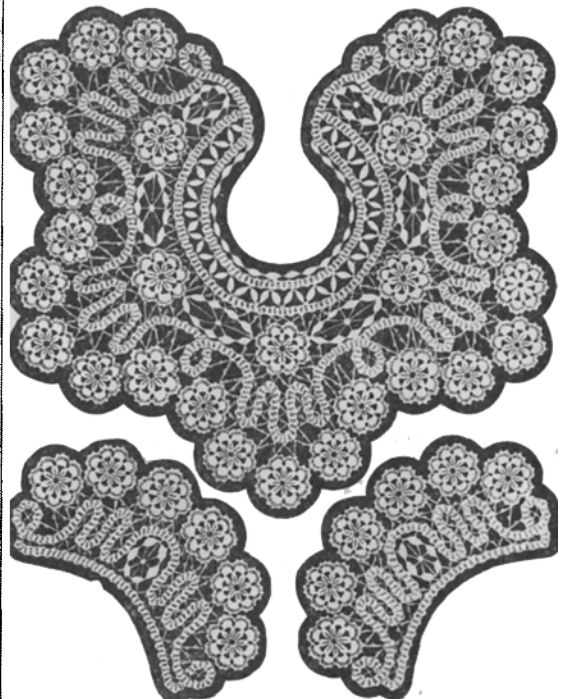
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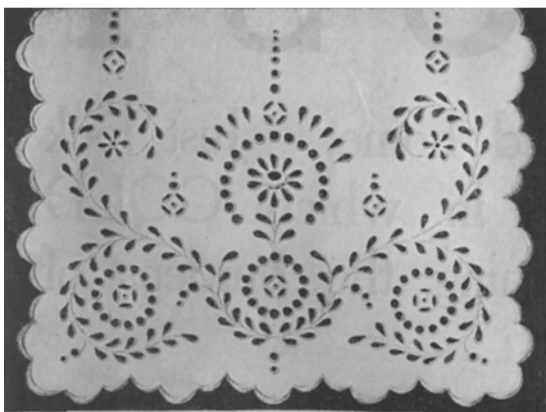
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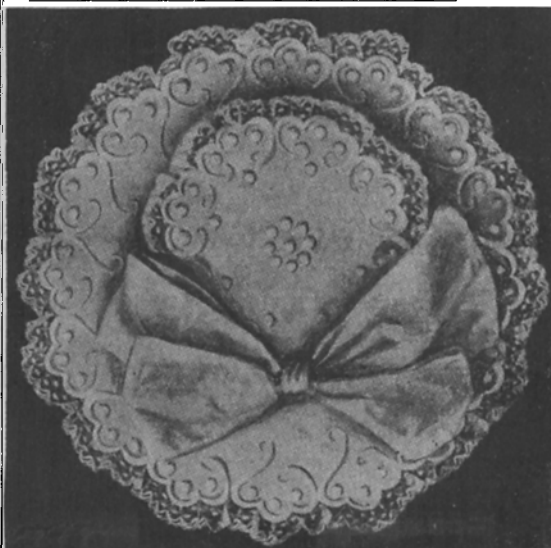
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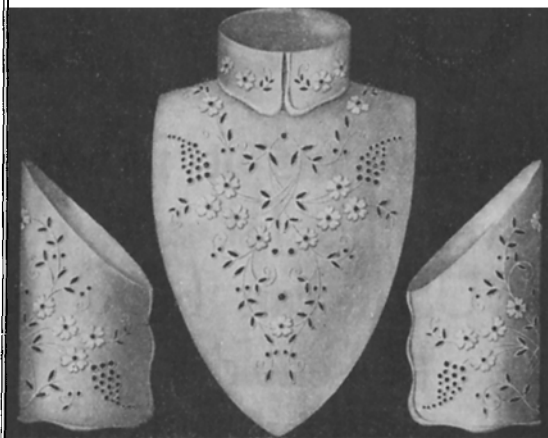
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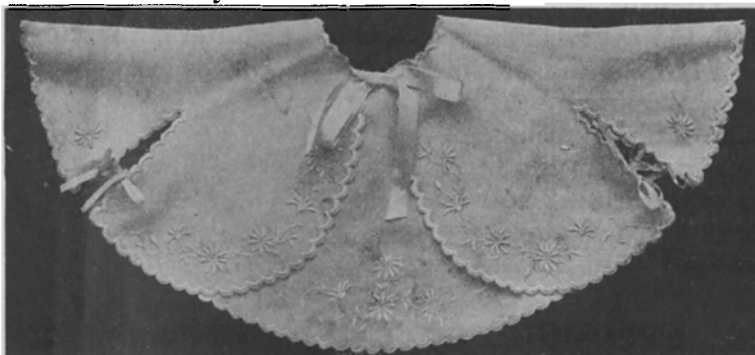
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