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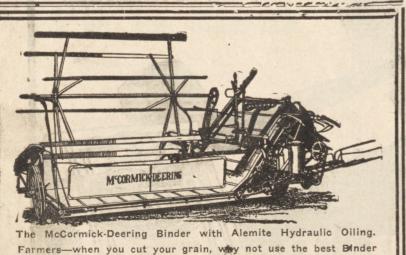
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Interest to Women

PLEATED SKIRTS GIVE WOMEN EXTRA HEIGHT

and down.

(By Betty Blair)

Beauty isn't measured in inches. Smaller girls can look just as atractive and smart as their muchenvied statuesque sisters; it's easy! Small stature isn't a handicap and reaching just to a man's shoulder was never a liability.

But smaller girls have a figure problem, since the ideal silhouette of the moment is tall and willowy. And if you look it straight in the eye, it's no trouble at all to solve.

Fashions of the day make it easier with nice long, slender lines to give the illusion of added height. Dress your five feet in one piece frocks with narrow belts that don't cut you in two.

Princess dresses are perfect to make you taller, for they are mostly unbelted, molded in streamline fashon through the waist and hips, with a graceful flare in the skirt.

Beware of flare or swing skirts, however, except those in princess dresses. Straight, slim skirts are the best for you. And so are simple lines.

All the ornaments and details of your clothes should be scaled to your size-dainty. Otherwise they'll swamp you, and you'll look tinier than ever. Avoid big, wide collars, wide sashes, heavy-looking, bulky lewelry, and large handbags.

Pleated skirts will give height and so will a V neckline rath- from the collar of your dress to the

clothes, girdles, and stockings are much kinder to the little girl, these help, and so will stockings may that are geared to smaller women. Plain colors are better for you than big, bold patterns in plaids, any, and narrow stripes that go up

For you are pert boleros narrow long ends reaching to the hem of height, and so will dresses with a contrasting slide fastener or piping down the front. Flat furs will be most becoming: beaver, lapin, sealskin, Persian lamb. You look sub- I am sure.-A BOY." merged in furs like fox, lynx and badger.

Suit the width of your hat to fallish hats with turned up brims. Look to your posture. Stand erect,

always so you'll have the benefit of your full height. Hold your head up and shoulders back; that alone will add inches to your stature. Wear high heels in the evening, at least, and built-up heels in the daytime if higher ones are out of the question. Good grooming will help, too.

you Look neat as a pin in every detail er than a high one. Manufacturers of hem of your smoothly pressed skirt.

on the position of the person's legs

crossed as he chooses players may

for some time bit some clever soul

will soon discover the secret. As

soon as he discovers the 'gag' he

says that he knows but does not ex-

CELEBRATE WITH WOOD FIFTH WEDDING DATE

(By Cynthia Proctor) Someone wants to give an anni- when he is passing the scissors. versary party-a fifth anniversary Whether he has them crossed or unparty, to be exact-and doesn't want nuests to think they must bring gifts be kept in a state of bewilderment combine a bridge party with anniersary entertainment and compromse on the gift problem by suggestng that each couple bring some wooden article from the 10-cent plain it. And the game goes on till store. These are to be used later as table prizes or rewards for winning games other than bridge.

Our old friend earthquake bridge s always good fun at such a party if you don't feel up to serious bridge We'll be glad to send you directions

if you'd like them. Invitations

Send your invitations on oblongs cut from wooden picnic plates since the fifth anniversary is the wooden wedding. The bride and groom may be presented with a string of wooden wedding rings-five in allwhich they must wear around their necks all evening. The rings are oldfashfoned wooden curtain rings. Flood may be served on wooden plates. Provide wooden forks and spoons if possible.

The menu, printed on very thin pieces of wood, consists of:

Chops, Chips and Coffee Individual Tomato Salads Crackers and Cream Cheese

Strawberry Mousse Cookies Doughnuts The chips are potato chips, the chops may be lamb broiled and serv-

ed with rings of pineapple; the salads are ripe tomatoes scooped out and filled with chopped celery and nuts with a mayonnaise dressing The strawberry mousse is served in a wooden churn and cookies and doughnuts are piled on wooden trays as are the crackers and cheese.

Use garden flowers in wooden nolders for the centrepiece, and use small wooden nut cups for favors.

For stunts during supper, have the guests make up sentences using the word 'wooden.' There will be some very amusing questions and statements, we feel sure. For instance, "Wooden' you know it wooden' rain? or "She wooden say yes and she wooden' say no.'

I Pass Them Crossed An entirely non-ensical but entirely amusing game is called "I pass

All you need is your group of guests and a pair of scissors. There may be one or two people in the group who know the game. The others must find out. The players sit in a circle, and the scissors are passed from person to person.

As each one passes the scissors he says "I pass them crossed" or "I pass them uncrossed." As you may have guessed the statement has nothing to do with the scissors—a person may say "I pass them crossed" and the scissors may be open or vice verse-the description given depends

STUDIES ARE MORE IMPORTANT _ THAN GIRL

(By Arthur Dean Sc.D.)

"Dear Dr. Dean: I have been reading your column and at first thought some things I have seen appeared to be silly but now I have a problem of my own and it all seems much different to me.

"I am a senior in high school-18 years old. Have taken a liking to a pretty girl whom I love very much. Really my first real love affair. Half size dresses and coats Have known her about five months and during that time I have taken her out quite a bit. She likes me a lot I am sure-but not in as big a way as I like her. Because this sitconstantly.

'Due to my late starting of my academic work in high school it is velvet riobon belts or sashes with necessary for me to 'hit the ball' next year. I want to get her off my your frock. Redingotes will add mind. How can I do this? Must I able to rise above a miserable envirstop going with her and forget I ever knew her? I wouldn't want to do this because it would hurt her feelings badly and she wouldn't understand,

Obviously studies come before a girl. Yet I don't quite like the idea of leaving a girl entirely out of a boy's your size. Very wide brims are de- life, because a girl can have a rathfinitely out; wear medium brims, off er nice influence over a boy. She the face hats, turbans, and the new doesn't always have a good influence but that does not denote any fault in the theory.

> A girl supplements, in many ways, boy. She has a little different way of looking at things. She may be refined, she may be more idealistic. She may have a desire for the finer things in life. She may like good manners and courtesy. She may be able to draw out the best in a boy.

Of course, there are girls who are exactly opposite to what I have been describing. They not only draw out the worst of a boy, but they put the worst into him. What few ideals the boy may have she laughs out of him, and tells him he is mamma's baby and that he is tied to mamma's apron strings, and is too good to live But for every girl that has influenced a boy in a bad way there have been a hundred who helped him go

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IS HAPPINESS IN MARRIAGE HANDED DOWN LIKE COLOR OF HAIR?

(By Edith Johnson)

Harmony runs in some families, inharmony in others.

Just as parents hand down to the children the color of their eyes and their tastes, prejudices and standards of living, so they often pass along a flair for making marriage either a heaven or a hell.

Figures tell the story in no uncertain terms. Not long ago one of our great universities analyzed 2,000 marriages and this is what it found:

Of the men who were happily marchecks or prints. Small prints, if uation prevails she is on my mind happy homes. Among the women 70 ilar attitudes into their own married per cent whose marriages were suc- life. cessful had come from harmonious

> Only 15 per cent of the men and 18 per cent of the women had been out whether his or her parents lived onment in childhood and build successful homes for themselves.

Looking at the records of the happily married and the unhappy and then turning to the successes or failures of their parents, it is plain enough that men and women are conditioned from infancy to make a go of marriage or to fail-allowing for some exceptions, of course.

Select any home you like and you can predict that one out of two children, two out of three or three out of four will follow the behavior patterns of their parents, for contentlous homes the world over are turning out grist for the divorce mills.

Psychic infection is the hifalutin term psychologists apply to handing on of behavior patterns from one generation to another.

The mother who runs after pleasure and who neglects her home and children need not be surprised if her daughter has as little flair for domesticity as she had shown. A ne'erdo-well father who left it to his wife to manage on nothing a year or whose laziness forced her to go out and earn a livelihood for the family may have a repeater in his son.

Penny-pinching is another unpleas ant habit which is often passed from parents to children. The husband who insists upon his wife accounting for every nickel probably learned that trick from his father.

More interesting than the men and vomen who inherit poor behavior patterns from their parents are those who disgusted by the discord in which they grew up are determined not to repeat their parents' mistakes.

Lovers whose memories of early childhood and home are haunted by the bickerings the harsh words and mean acts of their parents may exchange vows before the wedding day that never never will they fuss at hair, their stature, their physique, each other. Turning the tide which may have swept through their camilies for generations they do their best to rear children who will make happy homes for themselves.

Good behavior patterns are just as ertain to be handed down as poor nes. Husbands and wives who are onsiderate of each other and who treat each other with courtesy have ried 73 per cent had grown up in sons and daughters who carry sim-

> Before selecting a mate one should look carefully into the marriage record of the person's family and find in harmony.



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