

# BEAUTY CHATS

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**ANSWERED LETTERS.**

**R. H. C.**—It is practically impossible to change the shape of the nose. There are facial specialists who can operate on a nose that is actually deformed and improve it, but these operations are expensive and must be performed by a well trained man. If the shape of the nose is clear, its shape will not count against one's appearance. The "hump" in the middle of the nose is due to the shape of the bone which is the bony structure of the nose and cannot be removed. The lump at the end of the nose may be a fatty deposit which could be removed if it is noticeable. If the nose were massaged and pinched with wax sticks.

**W. C.**—Some hair seems to grow naturally so that it is very difficult to make it lie back on the head. If you wish to train your hair to grow smoothly let it grow quite long on the top, then begin to comb it back after you have shampooed it and when the hair is soft and pliable from the shampoo, tie it back at night. This will keep it flat over a period of several hours, and may be the only thing necessary.

**L. H.**—It does not matter whether you use vaseline or white vaseline. The best way to get this to improve the brows, have the following formula made up instead. It is much more effective.

**Cosmetics:** 1 dram: Parawax, 4 grains; Lanolin, 1/2 dram; Oil of sweet almond, 4 drams; Rose oil, 2 drops.

Apply everything in this formula to the growth of hair. This formula makes a rather stiff cream which can be massaged into the eye brows and

eyelashes as often as you wish to use it.

**Thank You.**—A girl 16 years old 5 ft. 1 in. in height should weigh about 110 pounds.

**Trying To Be Healthy.**—120 pounds is about the correct weight for a 19-year-old girl who is 5 ft. 4 in. You could weigh within five or ten pounds of this and still be perfectly healthy.

**E. J. K.**—The following treatment will make the skin on the arms as smooth and white as you desire. These enlarged pores, which are often called "goose flesh" are very much like the familiar pimple on the face. They are caused by excretions from the skin which collect in the pores and harden and finally become visible as a small lump. The treatment follows:

Scrub the arms very thoroughly with hot water, a moderately stiff brush and white castile soap. Put a handful of bran in the water, for this is cleansing and makes the skin soft and white. Rinse the arms with clear warm water and then with cold. If the arms chap after a few days of this treatment rub them with a little olive oil immediately after the hot rinse. This treatment is simply a way of cleansing the skin and stimulating the pores to throw off this hardened matter.

All inquiries addressed to Miss Forbes in care of the "Beauty Chats" department will be answered in these columns in their turn. This requires considerable time, however, owing to the great number received. So if a personal or quicker reply is desired, a stamped and self-addressed envelope must be enclosed with the question.—The Editor.

# HEART AND HOME PROBLEMS

BY MRS. ELIZABETH THOMPSON

**Dear Mrs. Thompson:** A young lady of mine asked me to teach her how to run her father's automobile. The father also said it would oblige him if I could teach her because he didn't have time to do it. I made plans to meet on Sunday afternoon at two o'clock. That day my car was using our car and I walked down to get to her house. When I reached there at ten minutes of two I found a note tacked on the front door. It said she wouldn't be home that afternoon and that I should come back next week time. She has a telephone and I have written her.

I don't bother her by going back next week time. Now I have heard from her that she is very angry at me and says I haven't treated her right. What do you think she was the one who should treat me right? I never intended to go back. Do you blame me?

**JOHN.**

Do not blame you in the least for going back. The girl was to blame.

**Dear Mrs. Thompson:** I have been married a year and during that time my husband and I have lived with her widowed mother. Mother is very kind to me, but I do not think she is fair to my husband and everything he does and doesn't do makes her angry. My mother-in-law does as many things around the house as he should do when he fixes something she complains the way he does it and says she wishes father would have made it for her.

My husband says that the first of the year we are going to move. He says mother can come and live with us if she wants to, but he won't live with her any longer. He says that in the new home it will be his own business and how he has things.

My mother is heartbroken and says she will live alone and will not go with us. What do you think we ought to do?

**TROUBLED WIFE.**

I think that you are your husband's best friend to get into a home of your own. There are worse things than living with her. You can go to see your mother often and have her come to see you. Perhaps she will enjoy having things her own way. Your husband is doing his part in telling her she can come and live with you.

**Dear Mrs. Thompson:** (1) Is it 11 o'clock today to come home about three days a week?

(2) What should a young man say when he is introduced to a girl?

(3) How many times a month is it sufficient to go to a dance?

(4) What should I send to a college

boy for Christmas. He is three years older than I am. M. P. M.

(1) For a young person between sixteen and twenty-one I think three times a week too often to be out as late as 11 o'clock.

(2) "I am glad to meet you?"

(3) I would consider once a week ample.

(4) A book would make an appropriate gift.

**Dear Mrs. Thompson:** I am a boy in my teens and I am in love with a girl one year my junior. She attracts me by her ways, although she acts very cold toward me. I have heard that she has big ideas and only cares for boys older than she. Please give me some advice.

**KURLY H.**

You are very young to decide that you are in love. I would advise you to try to put her out of your mind for a while and when you are older if she still interests you, ask permission to call or to take her somewhere. It might be that she would go to school parties with you now.

**RIVER AT CINCINNATI GRADUALLY RECEDING**

Cincinnati, Dec. 28.—The Ohio River here early today registered 55.8 feet, having fallen two-tenths of a foot from the crest stage of 56 feet, reached late yesterday. The Government Weather Bureau announced that the river would continue to fall and that by tomorrow night would probably be below the flood stage.

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\$65.00 Frocks	\$48.75
\$79.50 Frocks	\$59.63
\$98.50 Frocks	\$73.88
\$135.00 Frocks	\$101.25

## All Skirts—Half Price

Wool Poplin, Serge, Tricotine and Plaid and striped Prunella, are the materials of which these Skirts are made, and may be had both in solid dark shades and a number of very pleasing color combinations. Both regular and extra sizes.

\$5.95 Skirts	\$2.98
\$8.95 Skirts	\$4.48
\$10.00 Skirts	\$5.00
\$13.50 Skirts	\$6.75
\$17.50 Skirts	\$8.75

## Women's Sweaters Half Price

All wool College models and Worsted Tuxedo and Mohair slipover styles are included in this stock of Sweaters. Navy, Cardinal, Maroon, Henna, Jade and Black and White combinations are the shades.

\$4.95 Sweaters	\$2.48
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\$15.00 Sweaters	\$7.50
\$25.00 Sweaters	\$12.50

## Silk Petticoats Half Price

All our pretty Silk Petticoats of Jersey, Satin, Taffeta and floriswh are offered for this sale at just half the original prices. Practically all shades are included in the lot.

\$2.95 values	\$1.48
\$5.50 values	\$2.98
\$7.95 values	\$3.98
\$9.75 values	\$4.88
\$12.75 values	\$6.38

## Friday and Saturday

An After-Christmas Sale of China, Glassware, Silverware and Household Novelties in our Downstairs Section.

## All Fall and Winter Suits Half Price

Every Fall and Winter Suit in stock will be offered during these two days at just half the original prices. Plain tailored, fur-trimmed and novelty models are included, and the materials are Tricotine, Poiret, Velour, Moussyne and Marvella. Colors are Navy, Brown and Black.

\$25.00 Suits	\$12.50
\$39.50 Suits	\$19.75
\$75.00 Suits	\$37.50
\$125.00 Suits	\$62.50
\$175.00 Suits	\$87.50
\$250.00 Suits	\$125.00

## All Gingham House and Porch Dresses—Half Price

All our Gingham Dresses will be offered during this sale at half the regular prices.

\$2.95 values	\$1.48
\$3.50 values	\$1.75
\$5.95 values	\$2.98
\$6.50 values	\$3.25

## \$1.50 Cotton Crepe Kimonos 59c

There are just ninety of these Cotton Crepe Kimonos, in rose, pink, light blue, copenhagen and lavender. They are to be marked at the ridiculously low price of 59c ea

## Breakfast Coats and Negligees Half Price

All our Breakfast Coats of Satin and Satin Francaise and all negligees of Georgette, Chifon and lace will be put out in this sale at just half regular prices.

\$12.50 values	\$6.25
\$15.00 values	\$7.50
\$18.50 values	\$9.25
\$25.00 values	\$12.50
\$29.50 values	\$14.75

## Children's and Misses' Frocks Half Price

Large groups of the very prettiest and most attractive frocks imaginable, all marked at just half regular prices.

\$7.50 Serge Frocks	\$3.75
\$12.50 Serge Regulation Frocks	\$6.25
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\$19.50 Coats	\$9.75
\$39.50 Coats	\$19.75
\$69.50 Coats	\$34.75
\$79.50 Coats	\$39.75
\$98.50 Coats	\$49.25
\$135.00 Coats	\$67.50
\$165.00 Coats	\$82.50
\$155.00 Coats	\$92.50



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Children's and Misses' Coats in splendid fabrics and most attractive styles, marked for this two-day sale at just half the usual prices.

\$12.50 Coats	\$6.25
\$16.50 Coats	\$8.25
\$25.00 Coats	\$12.50

## Novelty Suit Blouses Half Price

Suit Blouses of crepe de chine, georgette, Canton crepe and lace, developed in many attractive and elaborate styles. Many are prettily embroidered and beaded.

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\$5.95 blouses	\$2.98
\$8.95 blouses	\$4.48
\$10.00 values	\$5.00
\$12.50 blouses	\$6.25
\$15.00 blouses	\$7.50

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