

After washing a voile blouse dip in a solution of gum arabic (a teaspoonful to three-quarters of a pint of water), roll up in a towel and iron while damp. The blouse will look like new.

Quite wonderful are the effects that can be provided in a wardrobe if its owner be a resourceful person addicted to economy with an eye to smart result, says a writer in an Australian paper. A chic girl, just 19 years of age, with hair like the golden tassels of maize cobs, eyes like sapphires, and a complexion smooth, soft and fair as white velvet, recently received a wonderful inspiration from a pair of blue blankets hanging on the clothes-line, which had been used for camping out purposes by her brother and were undergoing the benediction of the wash-tub. This coming winter season (let's get away from the 101's in the shade and luxuriate in the thought of it) it is predicted that there will be a great vogue for topcoats of heavy cloth trimmed with fur. Now this clever girl thought of that, and also concluded that fur trimming is rather old for the young and attractive, and it suddenly struck her that she possessed a coat of heavy black frieze that wanted smartening up. So she commandeered brother's blankets, cut off the red and blue striped borders, packed them up with her coat, and flew—literally flew—by motor to a tailor in town. The black coat now looks the most striking garment possible, with a very broad cape-like collar of the striped blanket cloth, deep cuffs of same, and two narrow strips of it down the front. All the trimmings, collar, cuffs, and fronts are outlined with snailstitch in brilliant red worsted, and has saved her, so she says, 10 guineas for a new coat, besides being the only one of its kind in Melbourne.

LADIES' GOLF.

Auckland.
The match for the first Red Cross medal played this season by the Auckland Ladies' Golf Club on April 16 was won by Miss M. Cooper, 82-11-71. Other cards handed in were:—Miss K. Clarke, 89-14-75; Miss K. Holmes, 86-11-75; Miss E. Culling, 91-15-76; Miss Hanna, 101-24-77.

Maungakiekie.
The following were the best cards sent in for the medal handicap match, played on Wednesday, April 17:—Miss P. McGovern, 107-27-80; Miss Cooke, 101-18-83; Miss B. McGovern, 112-29-83; Miss Neill, 122-36-86; Miss Grove, 112-25-87.

A flag match will be played on Wednesday, April 24, for a prize presented by Mrs. Rodger. Post entries, and players to choose their own partners.

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