

EF Apropos of marriageable girls, thus says "Jennie June," in the New York Sunday Times, "Girls are none the worse for being a little (wild, a little startling to very proper nerves, and much less likely, in that case, to spend their time gasping over sentimental novels, and imagining that every whiskered specimen they see is their hero, and that they are destined to become heroines before they have learned to make a shirt or a pudding, or cut a slice of bread smoothly. If they can run, jump, skate, swim, and mend their own torn dresses, they are in a better condition to be married, though the idea had never entered their heads, than if they had been confined to a daily promenade in the most fashionable of bonnets, and had spent two-thirds of every night in discussing with dear Maria the prospect of Mr. Simpson's proposing."

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