

Outgrowing a Prejudice.

From the Chicago Herald.

Men are getting more effeminate than they used to be in many ways. The man who wore a flower in the buttonhole of his coat a few years ago was looked upon as either a dude or a botanist, but to-day dozens of men are to be found in every hotel corridor with more or less prominent boutonnières, and from the way florists' windows are arranged it is quite evident a large share of their receipts come from what they call "buttonholes." From an æsthetic point of view the practice is a pleasant one and is generally liked, but it is also somewhat of an indication of what ten years ago would have been regarded as dudishness.

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