

for the best possible results, should be separated during certain stages of the nuptial process.

“Ladies take a very long time,” she explains. “Just hair and makeup can take four-to-five hours easily. A manicure, pedicure and a facial can make it an all day affair.”

Groomsmen, as Mr. Tipton asserts, enjoy a sense of camaraderie as do all good Bands of Brothers who stare wistfully into the fateful abyss.

Mrs. Blahnik theorizes that a kind of sisterhood borne of shared nail polish and hairspray likewise develops among the females. The rigors they go through to look their best bind them together eternally, but it’s also a social activity, a time to share in good cheer.

“They call it ‘A Day at the Spa,’” she relates.

There are such arcane details to be attended to by the women that men are better not EVEN knowing about, Mr.



Tipton and Mrs. Blahnik agree.

“It takes hours sometimes just to do a PRACTICE HAIR APPOINTMENT,” Mrs. Blahnik instructs.

And that’s not taking into account at all the HAIR TRYOUT, Mr. Tipton laments.

According to Mr. Tipton: “This is an event in which they select the hairstylist,” a battle of blow dryers, if you will, a snip-off among hairdressers, a brush and comb competition, dueling dye jobs, a parade of perms you get the idea.

This is a woman’s domain, and that’s a law of nature. Guys, go play golf or something.

Which brings us back around to the intended subject of this story. There are many fine things for the



 An advertisement for the Jekyll Island Club Hotel. The top half features a large aerial photograph of the hotel complex, with the text "Hand in hand with history." overlaid. Below this, there are three smaller inset photos: a dining room, an outdoor courtyard, and a lounge chair. The bottom half of the ad contains text describing the hotel's history and amenities, followed by the hotel's name and contact information.

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