

became ill himself, and recovered to find himself in a hospital with Mr. Roscoe his benefactor and daily visitor, and fully aware of the great sacrifice he had made.

Those days of convalescence when he was a welcome visitor to the Roscoe home! Oh, the renewed hope and ambition when he found that Mr. Roscoe was ready to offer him an editorial position on his pet publication!

And then Lois, loveliest of women! She seemed to read his innermost thoughts, and enchained him. And the fluid souls commingled, and love, love was the impetus that sent Ned and Lois out into the world hand in hand, to bring their fellow creatures a new propaganda of universal harmony!

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**RIPE WATERMELON AND RED TOMATO: NOT TO EAT; TO WEAR.**

(Written for The Day Book) by  
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Leg O'Mutton sleeves are coming in again.

Skirts will be shorter and wider.

These are only hints of the fashion ideas of TOMORROW you may gather at the American Fashion Exposition to be held in Chicago the week of March 13, under the auspices of the Fashion Art League of America. Leading designers of America will compete for the Gossard trophy, which means to an American designer what the Iron Cross means to a soldier of the kaiser.

In the last year and a half America has made great strides as an originator of fashions, and today the Fashion Art League is making the Parisian modistes look to their laurels as creators of the modes. New points in fashions to be exploited at the exposition:

- The combination one-piece suit.
- The Breton cape.
- The Ballet girl skirt.
- The white suit for street wear.

The use of ostrich in various ways for neck wear.

Wide, flaring collars of batiste.

Spanish motif, featuring boleros and sashes.

Some of the colors featured will be the new fair gray, tomato red, ripe watermelon, and all of the blues, especially the darker tints.

Owing to the shortage in the supply of dyes, the pastel shades will be advocated by the Fashion Art League.

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**PUZZLE! WHO'S BEHIND THE HAREM COLLAR?**



Off with the Harem veil! It's antiquated. At least two weeks behind the Harem collar, which is the latest fol-de-rol of Fashion.

The collar of double tiers of finely pleated black tulle is held up stiffly by a deep stock of ribbon with a "chow" or ribbon streamers perked covy at the back. Fantastic? Yes, but you can modify it so that it's simple enough for the demurest maid.