

SHAWL IS PARIS FAD

Spanish Shoulder Decoration Attracts Attention to Gown.

Noted Dressmaker Stresses the Japanese Note in Exquisite Outfit for Formal Wear.

The Spanish shawl has brought out an entirely new type of evening dress which is nothing more than a simple crepe de chine, low neck, sleeveless robe which matches the shawl in color. There is nothing more lovely being worn in all Paris at the present time, says a writer in the New York Tribune, than this type of dress, a fad, as it were, among chic women who wish to attract attention by their striking clothes. When wearing such a costume one looks like a brilliant-hued tropical flower or a bird of rare plumage.

Recently at a fashionable restaurant in Paris a charming outfit of this kind was seen. A beautiful red-haired girl wore a vivid empire green crepe de chine dress and Spanish shawl. The shawl was embroidered in enormous peonies in dahlia shades, covering a range from the beautiful dahlia pinks down to a deep clematis blue. This, in contrast with the vivid green of the foundation, made indeed a brilliant spot of color. The woman wore a chain of silver beads, braided through her auburn tresses.

Another restaurant gown in burnt orange crepe de chine had an extremely low neck, sleeveless bodice and draped skirt. It was entirely without trimming and had a matching Spanish shawl, this embroidered in the most vivid colors with deep fringe having knotted ends.

It is to Paul Poiret, the eccentric though admittedly talented Paris man dressmaker, that fashion owes some of her more remarkable turns. Just now M. Poiret distinguishes himself by emphasizing the Japanese note.

At a recent ball given in connection with the dressmaking trade of Paris a Poiret mannequin wore an exquisite dress decidedly Japanese in effect, with her coiffeur a la Japonaise and

GAY CRETONNE GARDEN APRON



An apron and bonnet covered with flowers—a cretonne garden outfit—offers a summery touch that will interest many women seeking something different.

her face made up to resemble a Japanese masque. The dress was developed from black satin, silver fringe and a gorgeous silver brocade, on which there were Japanese flowers in natter blue and rose.

SMART RIBBON BOWS ON HATS

Colored Strands Supply Simple and Attractive Trimming; Black Shapes Preferred.

Wide ribbon made into loops and ends or tied in very smart bows of good size, is making the trimming for many of the hats shown for immediate wear. Black shapes particularly show the preference for the bow trim and models of hair, malines braid and, of course, milan, are used for this purpose.

In using these wide ribbons it is noticed that the hanging end is still employed, in some cases the ribbon reaching almost to the waistline at the side. Many of the large shapes in poke effect that have the new cut-off back brim, employ the ribbon to fill in this space with a long soft bow reaching far out on each side. In other cases, when a shape is raised slightly at the back, the ribbon loop or bow may be placed on the underside of the brim well toward the back.

Gray Umbrellas.

In contrast with the bright-hued umbrellas of the moment is a new demure umbrella in fashionable gray tones. The cover is of dove gray silk and the handle is of gray bakelite hand-etched in black and white. Frame, tips and ferrule are of silver. Nothing could be daintier or more elegant than this silver-trimmed gray silk umbrella, and because of its very quietness of tone it is a conspicuous asset of the costume on a rainy day.

Fashion Hints.

Lace and beading and plaited panels are the favored forms of trimming for several evening and dinner dresses. Velvet ribbon in a basket weave pattern forms the decoration of an all-yellow georgette gown.

MADE BUSINESS OF MURDER

William Burke, Infamous Irishman, Also Instrumental in Adding Significant Verb to Language.

Burke and Hare were two notorious body-snatchers, or resurrectionists, who carried on their infamous trade in Edinburgh. William Burke was born in Ireland in 1792, and went to Scotland as a laborer about 1817. In 1827 he was living in a cheap lodging house kept by another Irish laborer named William Hare. About the end of 1827 one of Hare's lodgers, an army pensioner, died, and Burke and Hare sold the body to Dr. Robert Knox, an Edinburgh anatomist. Hare thereupon suggested body-snatching as a business and Burke agreed. The two men then started in to entice poor travelers to Hare's or some other cheap lodging house. The victims were piled with liquor and then suffocated under mattresses, without marks of violence. Doctor Knox took the bodies and paid up to £14 (\$80) for them. At least 15 people had been murdered in this way before Burke and Hare were arrested. Hare turned king's evidence, and Burke was found guilty and hanged in Edinburgh on January 28, 1829. Hare found Scotland too hot for him and went to England, where he is believed to have died under an assumed name. The verb "to burke," meaning to suffocate, to strangle, to suppress, or to put out of the way secretly, had its origin in Burke's method of doing away with his victims.

WHERE GREAT EXPLORER LIES

South Georgia Island, Tomb of Shackleton, Lonely Spot in the Great Antarctic Region.

An interesting picture of life in South Georgia Island, the "Gateway to the Antarctic," where Shackleton was buried, was given by an explorer who made a research expedition there a few years ago. At that time there was only one woman on the island, and she was the domestic in the household of Capt. C. A. Larsen, a former Antarctic explorer who had settled down as head of a Norwegian whaling station on the island. "Below my solitary tent," the correspondent writes, "the grassy bank sloped sharply to a milk-colored glacial stream entering an inlet of the sea only 50 yards away. A quarter of a mile across the inlet stood the perpendicular front of a beautiful valley glacier, coming down between peaked hills from the lifeless, silent interior. Penguins bobbed out of the sea below the glacier and were my most interesting callers for their curiosity could not resist a human being. Sea elephants crawled unconcernedly up the stream below me and went to sleep among the hummocks on the beach. Above the tent, on the plateau of the little promontory, seven pairs of albatrosses carried on their courtship and nesting, along with giant petrels, skuas, kelp gulls and the pretty little antarctic titlarks, the only land bird of the Far South, whose cheerful song was almost the sole homelike sound."

Details Needed.

A woman, blessed with a masterful disposition and considerable property, died, leaving behind her a will in which her husband was cut off with a dollar, on the ground that he had deserted her a year before.

The lawyer finally located the man and broke the news gently by telling him that he had received only a small bequest.

"How much?" carelessly asked the man.

"One dollar."

With the same carelessness, the man turned toward the door. Just as he reached it, however, a sudden thought struck him.

"Say," he called back anxiously, "Did she specify what I was to do with this dollar?"

Sarcasm From the Grave.

The will of Alexander Louis Teixeira de Mattos, the English translator of Fabre, Maeterlinck, Couperus, Zola and many other continental writers, contains one bequest that will interest a good many booklovers who have loaned their favorite volumes not wisely but too well—at any rate, too generously, says the Living Age. The estate of Mr. de Mattos was not large, its gross value amounting to less than £3,000 (\$15,000), and many of his bequests take the form of books. He leaves books to many of his friends. One volume in particular is left to a certain friend and is described as one "which he borrowed many years ago and has not returned."

Increased Tractor Power.

A new attachment designed to give the small tractor greater bearing area and increased pulling power, replaces the round wheels with two large sprockets, according to an illustrated article in Popular Mechanics Magazine. Outside of each sprocket is a cast-steel arm which projects forward and downward, carrying at its front end a smaller idler wheel. A track tread passes around the sprocket and idler wheel, giving the tractor increased bearing area.

Lightest of Liquids.

Many experiments here and abroad have shown that liquid hydrogen is by far the lightest of all known liquids. Its density is one-fourteenth that of water, and, curiously enough, this happens to be the same ratio of density that hydrogen in the gaseous state bears to air. For long the lightest liquid known was liquified marsh gas, which possesses about two-fifths of the density of water.—Washington Star.

Children Cry For



Special Care of Baby.

That Baby should have a bed of its own all are agreed. Yet it is more reasonable for an infant to sleep with grown-ups than to use a man's medicine in an attempt to regulate the delicate organism of that same infant. Either practice is to be shunned. Neither would be tolerated by specialists in children's diseases.

Your Physician will tell you that Baby's medicine must be prepared with even greater care than Baby's food.

A Baby's stomach when in good health is too often disarranged by improper food. Could you for a moment, then, think of giving to your *ailing* child anything but a medicine especially prepared for Infants and Children? Don't be deceived.

Make a mental note of this:—It is important, Mothers, that you should remember that to function well, the digestive organs of your Baby must receive special care. No Baby is so abnormal that the desired results may be had from the use of medicines primarily prepared for grown-ups.

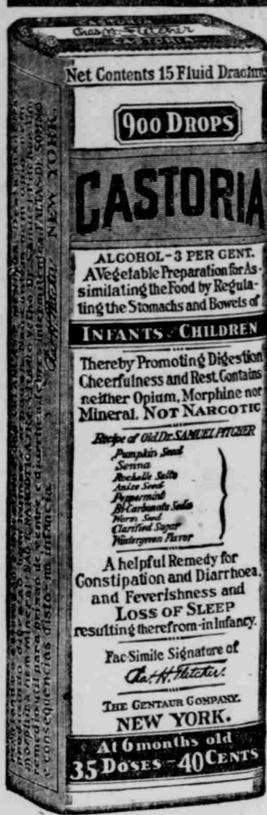
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SORRY SHE DIDN'T LIKE IT

But Anyway, That Particular Hat Wasn't for Sale, and It Made Little Difference.

In and out of department stores and millinery shops went the Woman and her friend, trying on hats trimmed with ribbon, hats smothered in feathers and hats where bloomed flowers that never were on sea or land. The Woman's friend was as hard to suit as the little girl in the "Three Bears." They were all "too" something. The Woman was growing weary, and spying an attractive black hat with some spidery white feathers in a heap before another fussy shopper, she pointed it out to her friend.

"Try to get a chance at that unusual hat. It has a great deal of distinction," she whispered.

The friend sidled up to the showcase, and when the fussy shopper was trying on a yellow-flowered creation, she seized the hat and viewed the effect in the glass, exclaiming: "Ugh! I don't like this one a little bit."

"Excuse me, madam," icily said the fussy shopper, "that is my own hat I bought in Kenosha. Sorry you don't admire it."—Chicago Journal.

So Fussed He Named Wrong Verse.

The minister was putting on a brand new collar and was having the usual trouble with it. "Bless the collar!" he ejaculated as he tugged and tugged. "Bless the blessed collar!" "My dear," said his wife, "what is your text for this morning's sermon?" "F-fourteenth verse, f-fifty-fifth Psalm," he replied in short gasps. "The w-words of his mouth were (tug) s-smoother than butter, but there was (tug) w-war in his heart."—Boston Transcript.

There isn't much criticism of the man who always comes back with flour in the flour barrel.

Biblical Picture.

Mother—"Now, this is a ford at the Jordan." Little Mary—"That isn't a Ford; it's a camel."

Cuticura for Pimples Faces.

To remove pimples and blackheads smear them with Cuticura Ointment. Wash off in five minutes with Cuticura Soap and hot water. Once clear keep your skin clear by using them for daily toilet purposes. Don't fail to include Cuticura Talcum. Advertisement.

VERY CLOSE TO THE TRUTH

Porter Had Fairly Reasoned as to Why the Boots Were Placed Outside the Door.

I had been tramping through the Virginia mud all day, and stopped at the little inn. I was tired and immediately went to my room, a small one with a large bed occupying most of the space. As usual, I placed my shoes outside to be cleaned. Next morning there they were, as muddy as the night before, and being number twelve, they carried considerable soil. I went down to the lobby, and in order to teach the porter a much-needed lesson I called him up before the onlookers who were sitting in the office.

"Why didn't you clean my shoes, boy?" I asked gruffly.

"I didn't know you wanted 'em cleaned, sah," was the reply.

"Why in thunder do you reckon I put 'em outside the door?"

"Well, sah, I allowed there wasn't room inside for 'em, sah," was the answer.—Exchange.

Shaw's Latest.

Introducing an American admiral at a dinner in London, the irrepressible G. B. S., after telling how pleased he was to present a representative of the great American people, added: "We speak the same language, but through different organs."—Boston Transcript.

ALLEN'S FOOT-EASE FOR THE FEET

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SAVED SHOPPERS FROM BEES

Potent Magic Exercised by California Constable Earned Him Vote of Thanks From Women.

We have all heard of the snake charmer, but a bee charmer is the latest.

To Constable Al La Cunha of Hayward, Cal., goes the medal. Alone and unaided, La Cunha rounded up a swarm of angry bees and conquered them without a single sting.

The bees in question, having outgrown their dwelling of ten years over the shop of Edward S. Warren, swarmed toward the courtroom of Judge Jacob Harder, Jr., through streets filled with women shoppers.

La Cunha witnessed the flight of the bees and then his magic became apparent.

He beat a tattoo with a stick upon a tin can and the bees became "charmed." They ceased their flight and settled on a nearby tree.

The shoppers hearing of his daring, gave the constable a vote of thanks.

Modern Kansas Reformers.

An Atchison young man is trying to make her young man friend quit drinking, and he is trying to make her quit smoking.—Atchison Globe.

DRESS AND CHIC OVERBLOUSE



The feature of this charming outfit, worn by a popular film favorite, is the pointed overblouse. Note the buttons under the arm.

VARIETY OF MODISH FOOTWEAR

Great Array of New Styles for Women of All Ages and for Various Occasions.

For the last two years footwear has played an increasingly prominent role in the mode, growing ever more elaborate until the present season discovers in every shop such a multiplicity of trimmings and such unusual combinations of colors and materials that the woman of taste and caution finds herself forced to watch her step lest she lose her way in this elaborate maze.

For example, she now selects as a walking shoe for town wear either an entirely plain or simply trimmed oxford shoe with a medium heel, or the slightly more elaborate type of shoe—a low street shoe of black patent leather and gray suede, with elastic inserts and high patent leather Spanish heels. Another walking shoe of the more conservative type is an oxford of suede and patent leather with a broad, low, suede-covered heel. Heels of varied types are seen among the street shoes, including the leather box heel, very broad and low, the familiar Cuban heel, and finally the slender Spanish heel, which is a fraction lower than the French heel.

For the afternoon, simple slippers of suede or patent leather with steel buckles are the favorites of the woman who seeks distinction in dress, and they bid fair to displace the ubiquitous strapped sandal. These slippers of distinction seek the softer tones of suede to harmonize with frocks of the fashionable colors. Gray, beige and black are set off with steel

buckles, while brown suede is combined with a buckle of bronzed steel. Black patent leather is extremely smart for the afternoon, particularly when it is simply made and set off with a colonial buckle, or an ornament of cut-steel beading. The slipper that is worn for formal afternoon occasions is invariably accompanied by the high, slender French heel.

For Morning Wear.

Morning clothes are not much trimmed. The material itself is frequently made into pin tucks, shirtings, tight groups of gathers, hemstitching, even on serge, and groups of pleating which are found everywhere. Embroidery has not disappeared from the mode, every house having used it in some fashion or other, but it is not a really embroidered season for all that. It never is when lines are draped to the extent that they are at present.

Cool Nightgowns.

Hand-embroidered, sheer white nainsook is made into lovely nightgowns. Tucks, masses of them, are popular in lingerie, supplanting the gathers of former years. They launder well, although a deft hand is required for the act.

Demand for Knit Wear.

So active is the sale of knitted smocks at the present time that, by some manufacturers of novelty garments for women, they are said to constitute from 90 to 95 per cent of the business now being done in that merchandise.



"Watch me," said the strong swimmer, "I'm not afraid"

So he matched his strength against the swirl of the rapids, and laughed at the danger, and kept repeating the stunt, until—

It was the day the life-savers had been waiting for—that day the call for help came.

It's an easy matter to smile at coffee warnings when you're going strong.

But a good many strong swimmers won't risk the rapids, and a good many coffee drinkers are beginning to think of the caffeine in coffee.

Coffee can disturb nerves and digestion, and often it does.

There's a safe and satisfying course for everybody in the selection of a table drink.

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