

BEFORE SPRING COMES

GOOD IDEA FOR SELECTING BETWEEN-SEASON COSTUMES.

With Allowance Made for Possibility of Changing Styles, the Main Purpose Must Be to Select Up-to-Date Designs.

As it is always a bit difficult to arrange for between-season frocks and suits, the best plan to follow is to select designs as up-to-date as possible, so that there will be no danger of going out of style too soon, writes Lillian E. Young in the Washington Star. Then, if there should happen to be fur trimmings, be sure that they are so arranged that they may be removed when spring comes. The shops are showing many modish fur-trimmed garments, which later in the season may graduate from winter service to spring; in fact, many of the very new light-cloth suits show removable fur collars and cuffs of bandings.

The illustrated model is particularly commendable for between-season service, made up in olive green Tipperary cloth with skunk band trimmings.

The coatlike blouse fastens in back. It must be cut in the form of a loose hip-length skirt, slashed to the bust line at either side of the front to form a sort of panel that is pouched over the waist line. The material at the



This Suit Shows Remarkable Fur Trimmings.

sides is then draped up under the slashes until the lower fur-bordered edge is even with the pouching of the panel. This only applies to the front, however, for the fur-bordered edge describes a slanting line toward the back, where the length of the blouse is unbroken. Long sleeves are finished with turn-back cuffs of cream colored grosgrain silk. There is an

COVER FOR SHIRT WAISTS

Dainty Fabrics Protected by the Use of This Contrivance Quite Simple to Make.

Every woman needs several cases for protecting dainty chiffon blouses or separate lace waists. Where such waists are made of soft and very pliable materials they may be laid away in cases or boxes, but with many fabrics their fresh, uncrumpled look is best preserved by hanging the waist on a wire hanger and protecting it from the dust by a thin slip cover of



swiss or lawn. A yard and a half of figured material is enough to make a protector. Fold together, make a slit at the center of the fold about an inch long through which the wire hook may be slipped. Seam up the sides and hem the two ends. Attach ribbons at both ends of the two hems so that the inverted bag can be tied together.

upstanding military collar of the same.

The skirt is in two parts. The under one consists merely of a gathered portion extending from hip to hip, its length broken by a false yoke seam running several inches below the belt. The back of this underskirt can be of satin or taffeta, for it is completely covered by the tunic. The tunic is full length across the entire back, but from the sides slants upward toward the center. It is slashed through the center and turned back over either hip, with just that turned-back portion bordered with fur at the bottom.

Later on in the season, when the warmer weather makes one tire of fur trimmings, the fur may be removed and an attractive change made by adding sand-colored faille collar and cuffs, which color combines beautifully with the olive green.

TO ACQUIRE SHAPELY ANKLES

In These Days of the Short Skirt its Possession is Something Greatly to Be Desired.

There used to be a time when our dresses, or at least the dresses of our mothers, reached to the floor, or so nearly so that brush braid or coarse binding on the bottom hem was necessary to preserve the fabric. In those days, if the tiniest bit of a feminine ankle showed above the shoe it was a cue for a woman to blush.

Praise be, these conditions do not hold today. What with our hobble skirts, slit skirts, tight skirts, short skirts and now short circular skirts, we have become accustomed to displaying our ankles. Woman's right to the possession of ankles has finally been recognized, consequently pretty ankles are greatly to be desired, as they add to one's general appearance—and beauty is indeed a duty.

To improve the shapeliness of ankles, exercise and massage will do wonders. It will be found that most ankles which are unattractive, or not quite so shapely as the possessor might wish, either lack sufficient flesh or else are too fleshy.

If your ankles are a little stout you can reduce them in a month, or two months at the most, by means of a little exercise ten minutes morning and night. Remove the shoes and stockings and cross the knees so that the support is removed from one ankle. Thrust out the foot and move it around from the ankle in a twisting motion, then bend it up and down, making sure that all this is done with the ankle bone. When one foot becomes tired shift position and exercise the other ankle.—C. Eleanor Mather in New York Press.

HEALTH AND BEAUTY

If sweet oil be applied to the skin after a blow or bruise, it will not turn black and blue.

Peroxide and ammonia will bleach superfluous hair, but will not destroy the growth.

Keeping the fingernails well manicured is a sure cure for the habit of biting them.

When baby bumps its head, rub salt butter on the spot. It will stop swelling and keep the place from turning black and blue.

If you are troubled by round shoulders hold up your chin and carry your head high and your shoulders can't bend and curve.

Perspiring hands indicate sluggish circulation and nervousness. Fresh air is the best cure. Bathe the palms of the hands with alcohol.

Rhinestone Patches.

Little beauty patches for the face are now covered by a rhinestone which is stuck to them. This gives a most amusing effect, for the patch does not show and the little sparks of light are quite mysterious. This, of course, is not a serious fashion, and is to be worn more in a spirit of fun or at a fancy dress ball.

FASHION'S FANCY FOR SILK

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While one's attention is centered upon cotton, one must not lose sight of silks. They occupy a very prominent place in the wardrobe of the up-to-date woman. All dresses intended for afternoon functions are made of silk. Delicate voiles or ottomans, soft taffetas, silk velvets and wool velour are all used in developing these dressy frocks. Distinctive effects may be obtained by combining these materials with gold-embroidered chiffon, jet pearls, or adding to them bands of fur, such as skunk, sable, ermine and the popular ape skin.

The evening dresses of this season are not so rich and daring as those of last winter, but in many ways they are more pleasing. The textures are exquisite, reminiscent of the lovely fabrics of the days of the Italian renaissance. There are soft gold and silver brocades, delicate taffetas, thin lace drawn through with metal threads, and crystal and jet embroidered chiffon and tulle.

To go back to the less costly materials, such as silk and fine cottons, in which the majority of women are interested in these hard times, a dance frock of bordered organdie, taffeta silk striped voile or cotton, crepe is now considered the correct thing.—Indianapolis News.

Children Love It— Don't Deny Them

Dentists affirm its helpfulness to teeth and gums. Doctors attest its aid to appetite and digestion.

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Activities of Women.

Miss Alma K. Boyd has been appointed private secretary to Lieutenant Governor McClain of Pennsylvania.

Mary Pickford, the moving picture actress, receives a salary of \$2,000 per week for 52 weeks in the year.

The only real profit-sharing industry in the United States is owned by a woman, Mrs. James P. Warbasse of Brooklyn.

German tailors and dressmakers have decreed that the prevailing color for the new spring fashions shall be the field gray of the German army uniform, and in regard to cut the military style will be followed.

LIFE INSURANCE COMPANIES

They Are Closely Observing Public Health Conditions.

An examining physician for one of the prominent Life Insurance Companies, in an interview on the subject, made the astonishing statement that one reason why so many applicants for insurance are rejected is because kidney trouble is so common to the American people, and the large majority of those whose applications are declined do not even suspect that they have the disease.

According to this it would seem that a medicine for the kidneys, possessing real healing and curative properties, would be a blessing to thousands.

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Precaution.

Nodd—You don't mean to say you keep a diary?

Todd—Not quite so low as that. I'm just looking up to see the day I was married. This year I propose to pass a safe and sane wedding anniversary.—Life.

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Love makes the world go round, but revenge tries to square it.

TOO MUCH FOR TENDERFOOT

Discovery That Western Life Was Not What He Had Anticipated Proved Fatal.

"Tough luck about the last tenderfoot that struck town," said Chuckwagon Cal.

"What happened to him?"

"Well, you know he come out here in fear and tremblin', thinkin' some cowpuncher here in Cactus Center was sure goin' to shoot at his feet and make him dance."

"Yes."

"And likewise he was sure somebody was goin' to git him on the hurricane deck of a pitchin' hoos and bust his neck."

"Uh-huh."

"And he was dead sartin that the fust time he stepped out on the street some frolicsome blade was goin' to rope him and drag him half a block jest for fun."

"Of course."

"Well, none of them things happened, and we buried him today—just natchelly killed by the shock of disappointment."—Judge.

IF HAIR IS TURNING GRAY, USE SAGE TEA

Don't Look Old! Try Grandmother's Recipe to Darken and Beautify Gray, Faded, Lifeless Hair.

Grandmother kept her hair beautifully darkened, glossy and abundant with a brew of Sage Tea and Sulphur. Whenever her hair fell out or took on that dull, faded or streaked appearance, this simple mixture was applied with wonderful effect. By asking at any drug store for "Wyeth's Sage and Sulphur Hair Remedy," you will get a large bottle of this old-time recipe, ready to use, for about 50 cents. This simple mixture can be depended upon to restore natural color and beauty to the hair and is splendid for dandruff, dry, itchy scalp and falling hair.

A well-known druggist says everybody uses Wyeth's Sage and Sulphur, because it darkens so naturally and evenly that nobody can tell it has been applied—it's so easy to use, too. You simply dampen a comb or soft brush and draw it through your hair, taking one strand at a time. By morning the gray hair disappears; after another application or two, it is restored to its natural color and looks glossy, soft and abundant. Adv.

As Ever.

"Since the war began the women have been taking the places of the men on the Paris street cars."

"Well, they'd do it here, but the men are too ill mannered to get up."

Attention, Mothers!

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If a man is miserable it is usually because he thinks he is.

The Zealous Youth.

The Employer—If my wife calls up say that I have just gone out.

The Office Boy—Yes, sir, I'll say it every time she calls up.

The Employer—You mustn't do that. My wife would have a poor opinion of your truthfulness.

The Boy—Yes, sir; she has it now.

The Employer—What do you mean?

The Boy—Why, she called up this morning and asked me if I was the new boy. An' I said, "Yes, ma'am."

And she said it was no place for a truthful boy. She said you had no use for a truthful boy. Then she said, "Did you ever tell a lie?" And I said, "No, ma'am."

"And what did she say?"

"She said, 'You'll do!'"—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

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His Turn Next.

Diner—See here, where are those oysters I ordered on the half shell?

Walter—Don't get impatient, sah. We're drestle short on shells; but you're next, sah.—Boston Evening Transcript.

Contrary Methods.

"I see that in Europe they are having battles in the clouds."

"Yes; that is how they are trying to get in the sun."

Makes the laundress happy—that's Red Cross Bag Blue. Makes beautiful, clear white clothes. All good grocers. Adv.

How much easier to make mistakes than to uncramble them.

Kissing Microbes.

Belle—I see a Swiss scientist declares that microbes do not exist in mountain air at an altitude of over 2,000 feet. How do you suppose he's discovered that?

Beulah—Oh, he's probably done some kissing at high altitude.

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