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FASHION NEWS.

LIMIT NOT YET REACHED IN SKIRT FULLNESS.

Stout Women Like Nothing So Much As Big Vels, in Fashionable Clothes—Devices in Trimmings Without End—Kimonos Popular.

New York, May 7.—Word comes from Paris, the source of feminine fashions, that the fullness of the skirt has not yet reached its limit. There seems to be a tendency to expand the volume of the skirts, to the utter despair of all stout women. It seems, after all, those who predicted, when the skirts began to become fuller, that the new fashion would not last long and would certainly not go beyond a most moderate limit, were mistaken. At first the skirts merely showed a suggestion of fullness by flaring at the bottom. After a while the zone of fullness began to extend to the region of the knees, and step by step the fullness ascended to the hip region. Now, so it is reported from Paris, there is every reason to believe that the process of gradual expansion will not stop at the lower part of the hip, but that, after a while, the fullness will begin right at the waistband. Stout women, at a great disadvantage in following the new fashion. Even at the time when the fullness did not reach above the knee a stout woman, with modish skirts would resemble nothing more closely than a big bell, with its rim widely curved out. What are they going to do when full skirts, with the fullness beginning at the waistband, are the style? They will have but two alternatives. They have the choice between following the fashion and wearing skirts that make them look as big and clumsy as a barrel, or sacrifice stylishness for the sake of securing a more graceful appearance.

The slender and graceful women, on the other hand, could not possibly find any style more becoming to her than the skirts of the present fashion. The effect of the graceful lines formed by the judiciously full skirts upon a slender woman is exquisite and far prettier than anything shown for many years. There is, however, also an economic side to the new style. It is more expensive than the style in vogue two or three years ago when fashion decreed that the skirts must be almost skin tight. For the new style skirt a great deal more material is required than for the skirt of two years ago and that alone has caused a considerable increase in the cost of dresses. But that is not all. The trimming and ornamentation of skirts is infinitely more elaborate than it used to be and as many of the materials used, like lace, are quite expensive, the large increase in the amount of material required for trimming under the new regime, means a corresponding increase in the cost of modern skirts.

Some of the latest models imported from Paris are designed to produce a regular bell effect. They are fuller at the hips than below the hips and draw in markedly just above the knees, flaring out again below the knees, reaching their greatest fullness at the bottom. There is a decided tendency toward introducing odd and picturesque, sometimes even bizarre effects and the means required to obtain that result vary greatly between the introduction of unusual materials, the use of bizarre forms and the employment of methods of ornamentation original and quaint. Some of the costumes are actually dowdy. Many of the costumes contain peculiar features of styles belonging to various periods and which do not always harmonize very well. It must be said that the result of those combinations is not always happy and artistic and frequently betrays decidedly bad taste.

One of the most striking features is the fact that in the trimming and ornamentation of these modern dresses every resource of the dressmaker's art is drawn upon and sometimes a dozen different means are used in combination. There may be insertions, hand embroidery, lace, ribbons, corded gatherings, frills, ruffles, gaufrings, and stitches of every kind and description employed in combination on one and the same skirt. That the effect of a skirt thus overtrimmed and overornamented is not always pleasing will not be surprising. Of course, similar cases were by no means impossible with the former styles, but there cannot be the least doubt that the extravagance which has ruled in the domain of fashion for over a year now, has greatly increased the tendency to excesses in trimming and ornamenting dresses.

During the season just ended velvets of all kinds were rather an important factor among the materials used for fashionable costumes. There were a few new kinds of exquisite velvets in the market, besides the regular qualities of light velvets. The demand was unusually great and there is good reason to believe that there will be even a greater demand for that charming material next season. It seems that velours chifon and velours gaufré will probably be the most favored among the numerous varieties. Some new patterns are promised and all of them will be in the nature of improvements. Velours and gaufré, mostly be in small and medium-sized designs and principally on plain velvet grounds. It is scarcely probable that the globular and block effects of last season will again be in favor next season. One of the novelties promised is a combination of the chifon and gaufré effects, which will be shown in many new and original patterns. Plain velours chifon will be offered in various designs and qualities. As was to be expected there will be some inferior, but cheaper varieties, containing part cotton. Narrow stripes and small checks will principally be used on the higher grades, and there will also be velours crystal in light colors with wide stripes as a novelty in the better grades. Large dots with fine stripes on fine quality of velvet and velours raye will also be rather popular.

Silk is no longer the exclusive favorite for wedding dresses. Gauzes and crepes have supplanted silk in favor. Chifon makes an excellent and very handsome material for wedding dresses, but it comes high and, for that reason, is beyond the reach of many brides. It seems incredible what enormous sums may be spent on wedding

dresses. The basic material itself, be it silk or chiffon, is expensive enough, but what is that compared to the lace required for the trimming? Real point applique, ten inches wide, costs from \$5 to \$20 a yard, while duchesse lace of the same width costs from \$15 to \$100 or more a yard. However, there are other materials, also beautiful and not quite so expensive, that may be used for wedding dresses and the dresses of bridesmaids.

Among the many handsome materials available for wedding dresses there is mesaline crepe, which will undoubtedly be used to great deal by May brides. Chifon cloth is also a handsome material and considerably more economical. These materials are invariably used over very soft silk. The favorite color for bridal dresses, but this year it will also be used a great deal for the dresses of bridesmaids. Crepe, mousseline de soie and chifon cloth, also net gowns will be popular. All these materials are used over a foundation of taffeta with an underlining of chifon.

Although white will probably be more popular for bridesmaids this year than in former years, there will be many weddings at which the bridesmaids will not be uniformly dressed in white. Soft tints will also be worn, but for the sake of harmony it will be required that every bridesmaid adhere consistently to the tint once chosen by her. That means, that the tint of the material of their gown must be repeated not only in the laces and trimmings, but also in their hats, gloves, etc. It must be considered, however, that pale tints are not becoming to every complexion, and white may be worn without detriment by nearly every woman, no matter what her complexion may be. The flowers worn by the bridesmaids add just a touch of color to the general effect, and to brighten the monotony of white. Whether it is the friendly feeling for the Japanese, which has been reawakened among the Americans by the war with Russia, or whether there are other reasons for it, would probably be difficult to determine, but it is a fact that the Kimonos, for which the women of this country are indebted to the dainty women of Japan, are becoming more popular than ever. They are shown in various materials, among them in lawn, crepon, albatross and silk, and all of them are pretty and comfortable. There is one difference, however, the patterns are no longer as brilliant and gaudy as they used to be, but show subdued colors and pleasing harmony.

Broke His Arm.
Odessa, May 5.—Every person seems delighted with this beautiful spring weather we are having at present. The women all seem to be taking advantage of it in doing their housecleaning. The funeral of the late Mrs. A. Aylesworth, took place from her home to the funeral home, conducted by the Rev. W. McCall. Mrs. Aylesworth has been in very poor health for some time, a cancer was the cause of death. She leaves one daughter, Genevieve, and a sorrowing husband to mourn her loss. The remains were taken to Cataracti for interment. William Wycoff, Watertown, N. Y., is moving into the Royal Hotel, lately occupied by Daniel Snider. The hour of evening service in the Methodist church has changed to 7.30 p.m. instead of seven (Sundays). E. Gilbert has returned from Winnipeg, on account of illness. The body of the late Mrs. John McBurnet, Sr., arrived here last week for interment in the Roman Catholic cemetery. Fraser Hamm, son of G. B. Hamm, while playing, broke his arm near the wrist.

WEIRD SEA MONSTER.
It Was Seen In Chinese Waters.
Paris, May 6.—The officers and crew of the French gunboat Decide, on the Indo-Chinese station, report having seen an extraordinary sea monster in the Bay of Along, near Haiphong. In his report to the admiral the commander says: "I was standing on the bridge when my attention was directed to round a dark mass in the water, about three hundred yards in front. I took it to be a rock, but, on seeing it move, presumed it an enormous turtle, four or five yards in diameter. "Soon afterwards it rose out of the water, and by the undulatory movement that followed I saw that I was in the presence of an enormous sea monster, shaped like a flat-bodied serpent, of about a hundred feet in length. "It appeared to have a soft, black skin, covered with marbled spots, and the head, which rose about sixteen feet out of the water, closely resembled that of an enormous turtle with huge scales. It blew up two jets of water to a height of about fifty feet. "It moved slowly through the water at a speed of about eight knots an hour, and when about 150 yards from the gunboat plunged beneath it like a submarine, reappearing on the surface about four hundred yards away. "A number of the officers and crew also watched the monster, which gradually disappeared from view. "Curiously enough Lieutenant Lagresille, one of the officers of the gunboat while cruising in 1898 off the same coast in the gunboat Avalanche, met with a similar experience."

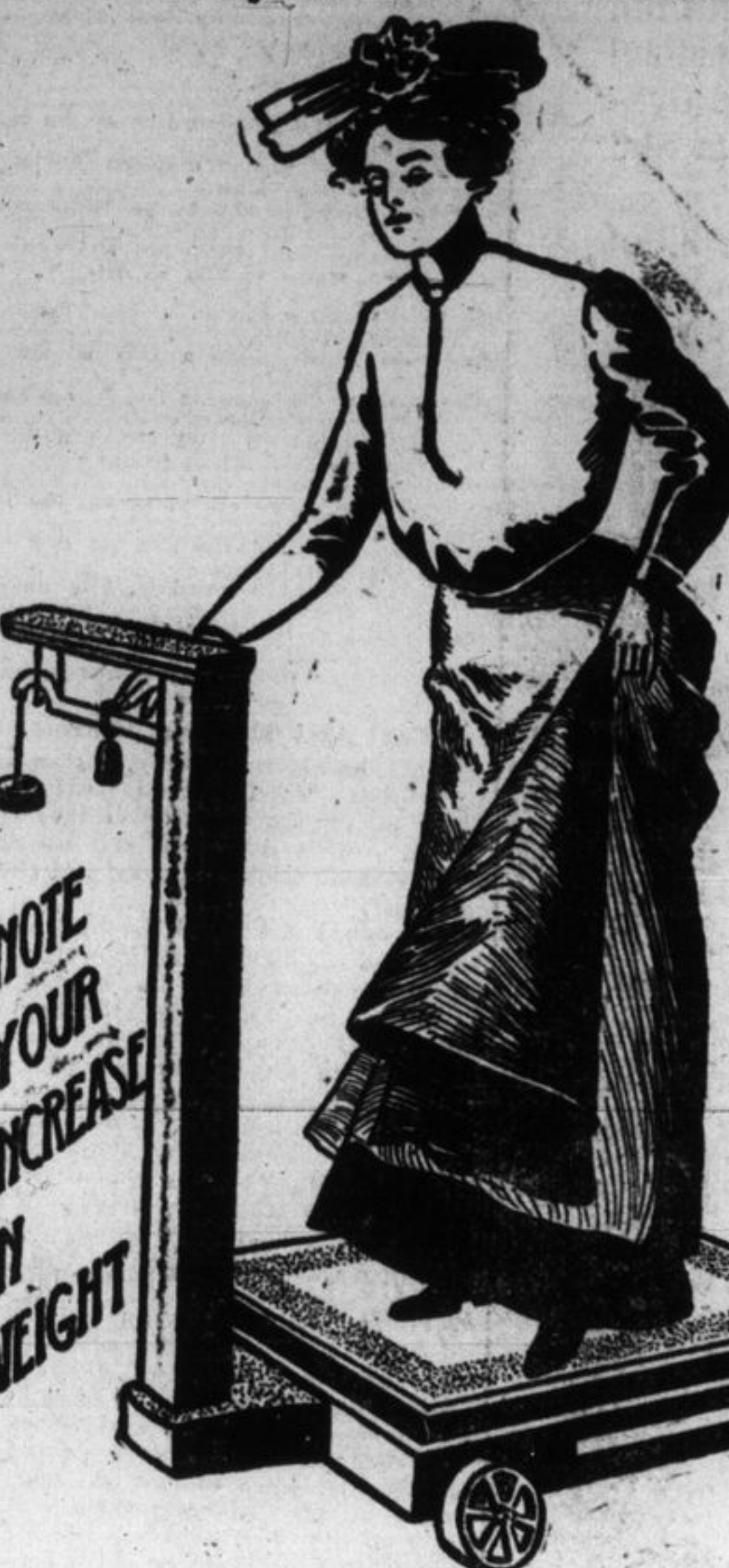
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IS LIKE BIG VILLAGE.

Sunday Is Now Well Kept in New York.

New York, May 7.—Visitors from Europe, who pay their first visit to New York and admire its cosmopolitan character without reserve, are usually surprised and disappointed when they see the city in its Sunday state. However, such it may resemble the great European centres of population during the week, on Sundays it assumes a character quite different from that of a normal city and becomes, in the eyes of the foreign visitors an overgrown and over-populated village. Play houses and concert halls, saloons and many restaurants are closed and although the visitor, under the competent guidance of a native friend, soon becomes convinced that there are many ways in which the Sunday closing laws can be circumvented, he never feels free and comfortable in one of those places which he has entered through the back door. It seems that even the New Yorkers feel not perfectly at ease under the feeling that from a moral standpoint, they are violators of the law. The visitors frequently give expression to their surprise and ask, how it is possible that such a condition is tolerated in a city the population of which consists to a great extent of foreign born citizens and an enormous number of foreigners who are not citizens. If one considers that undoubtedly one-half of New York's population is opposed to Sunday restrictions and a considerable part of the other half would willingly acquiesce in the abolition or limitation of the restraint, it is indeed remarkable that New York still has its puritanical Sabbath. Every year efforts are made to mitigate the rigor of the Sunday laws, but the ministers and the church members are watchful and oppose these efforts with such vigor that they usually lead to no-tangible result.

In The Shops.
One of the latest novelties in head work is the dog collar for evening occasions. This season's sailor hat is made of softer straw and the brim is turned up in three places a la marquis. The latest way of wearing long chains of jewels is to drape them across the corsage instead of around the neck. Lawn mowers and tennis rackets are in the shop windows. This looks like warm weather, in spite of the thermometer's assurance to the contrary. Brilliant shades seem to be the thing in hats this spring. Corn flower blue and apple green are the most noticeable colors, but red and violets follow closely. Now is the time to pick up such prizes for summer or fall purchases. The dismantling sales are going on in the shops and there are many pretty bargains. There are scores of paper covered books for summer trips to be had at reasonable rates.

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