

# No One Can Gainsay the Fascination of the New Winter Coats



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By Maude Hall.  
Coats for winter are so fascinating that no one can gainsay their charm. In making preparations against frosty days the woman who can afford but one coat would do well to select the design combining the smartest air with the greatest possible service.  
The fabric world has been concentrating its energies toward perfection, so that women of fashion are offered some exceedingly smart and lovely materials for the development of topcoats. Among the most exquisite of these are mouquette, a wool velvet of unusual wearing qualities, duvetyn, panaela, a chiffon-weight velvet, velours de laine, peau de mamotte and velvet brocade.

These fabrics are trimmed principally with fur. In fact fur seems to be the beginning, middle and end of all things decorative in coats. Combinations are still in good demand, plush and satin and duvetyn and velvet being unerringly smart.  
Cloaks for practical wear are fashioned in whipcord, broad cloth, serge, cheviot, gabardine and the Marengo suitings, which show an Oxford background with almost invisible stripes and plaids. Models in these materials do not begin to cost as much as the richer velvets, etc., but excellence of workmanship, authoritative style and a peculiar quality of individuality make them distinctive.  
Broad bands of fur or fur cloths and cape collarettas will be seen on many of the winter coats. There are, however, designs made entirely in one material, depending upon their

line and finish for ultra-modish effect. Particularly handsome are the tweeds and English mixtures made up without the aid of contrasting fabric. One of the French coats recently "over" has the fulness at the waist held in by a band evidently fastening on the inside of the coat, for only gathers are visible on the outside. The cape is topped by a wide turndown collar and the width of the cuffs is a compromise between that of cape and collar.  
Foremost among the comparatively straight coats are the Raglans, which offer a tremendous field for creative work. Satin cords, pipings and bindings of various sorts are introduced in the treatment of the sleeves. The new Raglans are faithful to the lines of the figure only to the shoulders; below that point they begin to widen until they flare at the lower edge with utter abandon. Occasionally a

very high waistline enters into the scheme of a handsome coat, but more often the model widens gradually from the shoulders without girdling, or takes on a loosely girdled Russian air.  
Of the latter type is a model in iron gray duvetyn, with very high collar, rather wide belt—adjusted deep cuffs trimmed with buttons of self material. Collars, belts and cuffs are the triple alliance of topcoat diplomacy and work in unflinching concert for the success or failure of a design.  
Blue and gray are so fashionable in combination on frocks that they are repeated in some of the newest coats. Blue corded velveteen trimmed with grey cloth is most effective in a coat for dressy wear.  
A wide band at the lower edge of the coat, the girdle, collar and cuffs

are of grey cloth, with a band of chinilla added to the collar for a finish.  
A more luxurious type of garment it would be difficult to find than a coat of black velvet trimmed with unspitted ermine. This is the fur of quality for dressy models, black and white combinations continuing in favor despite the longevity of the fad. While a number of very beautiful coats have come from Paris this season, it is doubtful if the French mantau makers have accomplished greater miracles along this line than have their American rivals.  
Seal plush in such a clever imitation of Hudson seal that the closest scrutiny is required to distinguish the difference is used to trim coats of all lengths in all materials. Collars, buttons and cuff trimmings are very effective in this imitation fur, which is employed even upon expen-

sive models.  
Bright colors are fashionable for coats for young women, who have held rather tenaciously to white for the past season. Pastel, Nile, citron, blue and rose are the shades enjoying elite preference. Cloaks of velvet and broadcloth in these colors flare to a marked degree and are charming over dainty frocks. They are quite as long as the dress itself. The hat worn with these coats is a large beret (tam o'shanter) of black velvet.  
Many matrons affect coats of de-lours de laine and duvetyn in the deep purple, soft grays and beige shadings. Handsome all-enveloping capes of self-material with huge collars in fur are shown with the coats.  
Muffs are of reasonable size. It would mean bankruptcy, even for women of generous means, if muffs

were of corresponding size as collars and capes with furs as costly as they are this season.  
**Guide to Patterns.**  
The fashions shown on this page are Pictorial Review designs. Numbers and sizes are as follows:  
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**THE WORLD'S NEWS IN BRIEF FORM.**  
**Tidings From All Over Told In a Pithy and Pointed Way.**  
Manitoba's contributions to the Patriotic Fund this year totalled \$1,000,000.  
The Bank of Hamilton, at Caron, Sask., was robbed of \$9,000 by four burglars, who held up the watchman and had cut all the wires to town.  
Capt. and Mrs. Laurie, of the Salvation Army, Halifax, N.S., are visiting the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Round, Oak street.  
Three German aeroplanes brought down in two minutes and thirty seconds by a stop watch is the latest exploit of Second Lieut. Georges Guy-nemer of France. Incidentally Lieut. Guy-nemer, who is known as "King of the Air," fell 10,000 feet but escaped unhurt.

**TORIES WIN IN EIGHT.**  
Have Hopes That Soldier Vote Will Give Them More.  
Vancouver, B.C., Sept. 30.—Premier-elect Brewster is busy each day receiving delegations and deputations and discussing the formation of his Cabinet. Brewster himself is mentioned for the finance portfolio, and M. A. MacDonald is considered a certioned for the finance portfolio and tainty for Attorney-General.  
Reports to date give the Conservatives eight seats, Trail, Similkameen, South Okanagan, Slokan, Nelson, Lilloet, Prince George and Cowichan, while there are seven or eight ridings which the Conservatives consider they have a chance of winning through the soldier vote. In two of these, Alberta and the Islands, the Conservative candidates are serving at the front. Liberal headquarters have information that less than twelve thousand soldiers voted.  
Friends of Premier Bowser say that if he is not finally returned for Vancouver he will drop out of public life.  
H. M. Moxon has purchased the McAuley residence on the corner of Centre and Queen streets, Pictou.

**RAISED CAMPAIGN FUND**  
Road Supervisor Says It Was Done By Padding Pay List.  
Winnipeg, Sept. 30.—John Probi-sauski, formerly supervisor of road building in Emerson constituency, giving evidence before Judge Patterson, who is conducting the inquiry into road construction under the former government, said he went to the Minister of Public Works, the late Hon. Dr. Montague, about a campaign fund, and Montague said, "Go ahead and get it. You have got the chance." Witness said he raised about \$600 through fraudulent names on the pay list, and he identified twenty-one alleged fraudulent cheques which he cashed. He spent the money for whiskey among the foreigners of Emerson constituency during the provincial election of 1914.  
The death occurred at Baltimore on Sept. 12th of William Stevenson, aged ninety-five years, after an illness of about ten days. He was born in Prince Edward county.

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Applications Made by Germans and Austrians.  
Ottawa, Sept. 30.—Applications for naturalization are coming into the state department from numerous Germans, who for many years have been residing in Canada, and considered themselves possessed of the full status of citizenship. Several Austrians have also applied for papers, but none is being granted at present. The German applicants are mainly residents of Western Ontario. Even the naturalization of aliens born in Allied countries is being done cautiously. French, Russians, Belgians, Italians and Rumanians have to show first that they have fulfilled or been exempted from their military obligations.  
Veteran Resident.  
Tweed, Oct. 2.—Our esteemed townsman, W. W. Garrett, a resident for about forty-seven years, celebrated the eighty-seventh anniversary of his birthday on Wednesday. A number of his friends took advantage of the occasion to call and congratulate him. He is the second oldest citizen, Peter Courvoys, sr., being his senior to the extent of a decade, being in his ninety-eighth year.

Health authorities in New Jersey are searching for a tramp believed to be a carrier of infantile paralysis germs, on the theory that his case provides the best evidence available that the disease is spread by adult human carriers.  
The interested German auxiliary cruisers Kronprinz Wilhelm and Prinz Eitel Friedrich left the Norfolk, Va., navy yard on Friday for Philadelphia, where they are to be laid up for the remainder of the war.  
Sir William Henry Dunn was on Friday elected lord mayor of London, to take office in November. He will be the third Roman Catholic lord mayor of London in recent years.  
Greece is reported "haggling with the Entente over territorial terms before taking final action" which will bring her into the war against the Central Powers.  
A strike of the employees of the United Traction Company in Albany and Troy, N.Y., will be called on Monday.

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Jellett Barker, Montreal, who recently resigned a responsible position as assistant general manager of the Bank of Montreal to enlist with the 245th Grenadier Guards overseas battalion is spending a few days in Pictou, with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. J. Barker.  
Miss Grace Monaghan, Wellington, left on Monday for Windsor, where she has accepted a position.

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