

Daily Fashion Hint

Prepared Especially for this Newspaper.



MODES FOR VACATIONISTS.

The first dress pictured has a blouse of light gray tricotine worn over a one-piece dress of gray and black tricotine. The blouse has a collar, twin-belts and buttons of the skirt material. Medium size calls for 3 yards 44-inch light and 2 yards 44-inch dark material.

Plain and check taffeta gingham are used together in the second model, which also has a coat blouse. The blouse is trimmed with the skirt material and has an open front with long, narrow vest. Medium size requires 8 yards 36-inch plain and 3 1/2 yards 36-inch check material.

First Model: Jacket No. 8342, Sizes, 34 to 44 inches bust. Price, 20 cents. Skirt No. 7830, Sizes, 24 to 36 inches waist. Price, 20 cents.

Second Model: Jacket No. 8337, Sizes, 34 to 44 inches bust. Price, 25 cents. Skirt No. 7830, Sizes, 24 to 36 inches waist. Price, 20 cents.

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POPULATION OF WORLD.

All People in Canada Could Be Put in Hyde Park.

In spite of the fact that the world's population is widely distributed, the actual space occupied is comparatively small.

"Although," says the author of an article in "John o' London's review," "you could put half a hundred Englands and Wales in Australia, and yet have plenty of room to walk round them, all the people on that vast continent could be tucked up for the night in Kensington Gardens.

Although there is enough land in Canada to make the British Isles more than thirty times, Hyde Park would afford comfortable standing-room for every one of its inhabitants, with space to move their elbows.

King George's Indian subjects number some 815 millions, or nearly a fifth of the entire world's population; but, although they are scattered over approximately 1,700,000 square miles, they could all be accommodated in a space six miles by four.

As for the mere handful of people in France, some forty millions of them, Richmond Park would provide elbow-room for the last child of them all; or for the whole population of Italy, with 250 acres to spare.

If you would bring the entire population of the United Kingdom to London, you could find enough open spaces to provide standing-room for them all without trespassing on private grounds, though they number well over forty-seven millions. Even Bushey Park would accommodate half of them with a little squeezing.

Redskins Love Chaplin Films. Had Chaplin's Chaplin been a spectator at the first picture shown show put on at the Hudson Bay Co. post on Bear Island, Temagami Forest Reserve, his heart would have been warmed by the spontaneous appreciation accorded "Shanghaied."

The big store of the Hudson Bay Co. was crowded with red men, squaws, paposes and paleface tourists. The air was tense with suppressed excitement when the projector whirred under the direction of William Dawson, director of the Ontario Provincial Motion Picture Bureau.

When Charlie appeared on the screen a chuckle of approval rounded the circle of spectators, quickly followed by the query: "What makes them walk?" That seemed to be the puzzle. Some of the Indians had seen motion pictures at Halleybury and other towns, but even these had not solved the riddle of the walking pictures. Only one little Indian girl was afraid of the strange sight. All the others asked: "Why don't they show more of them?"

The picture, "The making of maple sugar," was watched with keen interest, and when a flash of a red squirrel running along a rail fence appeared a shout of genuine glee burst from the children as they recognized their familiar animal.

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A Conventional Corsair. The repatriation of Count Felix von Luckner, commander of the notorious German raider, the Seeadler, forms a somewhat unromantic conclusion to a buccaneering epic which the most proficient manufacturer of adventure fiction could hardly have improved upon.

Fraser River Fished Out. Fraser river fishermen and canners agree that the sockeye salmon run on the Fraser this season has been a flat failure. The conclusion is being forced, too, that British Columbia's noblest fishing stream can no longer be expected to make a profitable yield, in other words, that the Fraser is fished out. In good seasons, ten years ago, as high as a million cases of fish were packed. This year's fish crop will be less than a tenth of that amount.

Admiral Roosevelt. Archibald Tipper, a trapper, whose life has been spent in the sparsely-settled regions of Northern Canada, was among the three thousand or more persons who went to Young's Memorial Cemetery, near Oyster Bay, to place flowers beside the grave of Theodore Roosevelt.

First of the Kind. The airplane race from the Canadian National Exhibition to New York and return during the progress of the big Fair in August was the first international event of its kind ever attempted.

Misses Sweet, Brockville, have received information of the death of their aunt, Mrs. Mary Phillips, South Hammond, N.Y., who passed away at the advanced age of ninety-one years.

An Italian named DeCurti, Trenton, has recovered \$100 in a suit for \$2,500, for injuries caused by being hit by an auto. He was laid up for eight months.

WHERE FEMALES RULE.

A Tribe of Indians in Which Men Are Slaves.

The Seri Indians, an aboriginal tribe of unmixed blood inhabiting Tiburon (Shark) Island, in the Gulf of California, off the coast of the State of Sonora, and due west from the city of Hermosillo, afford an interesting study. In the first place, they present one of the lowest types of human kind in at least one respect—they have no local habitations, no permanent shelter of any kind, but wander from place to place as the whim seizes them. The nearest approach of shelter is made by gathering the limbs of scrubby mesquites together and fastening them at the top with a strip of palm fibre, or what not. But this is no great hardship, since the climate is of the mildest, and rain seldom falls.

The one feature of this tribe's life stands out sharp and clear in contrast with that of all other aborigines of the western hemisphere, is that the women are the heads of the families, and rule the men, if not with hands of iron, at least in the most determined and effective manner. Some see in this novel arrangement the foundation for the old legend encountered by the Conquistadores of a land far to the northwest of the Aztec kingdom inhabited by Amazons, and this indeed may be correct.

While of marriage ceremony there is little or nothing, nevertheless their customs in this respect are a trifle odd and interesting. When a young man wishes to marry a girl, he makes application to the mother. The father is ignored—it is none of his affairs. If the mother be disposed to look with favor upon the match, the youth must provide for all he wants of the family of his adored one. He must be the hewer of wood and the drawer of water, likewise the killer of sharks and the purveyor of food of all kind. He is not allowed to associate with the family, not even to reside in the shade of the particular mesquite bush which they may have selected as a temporary abiding place, but must keep at a distance and under the shelter of his own special bush, where he cooks and eats his own food and otherwise comports himself in the humble manner of a supplicant for a grant of favor—the acquisition of a feminine "master." At the end of a year, if he shall have proved himself a good provider, he is accepted as a member of the family without further ceremony and the young couple begin life together under another mesquite clump.

These Indians occasionally come to the mainland and even visit Hermosillo, the capital of the state. Old residents tell a blood-curdling tale of the wholesale massacre of a party who had been induced by the authorities some thirty years ago or so, to come to the mainland on an assurance of peaceable treatment, but which was merely a subterfuge for attempted extermination of the tribe. This undoubtedly accounts for the timidity of the present members of the clan and their eagerness not to permit strangers to visit their remote island home unless properly attended and vouched for. When they do visit the mainland, they are objects of curiosity to all. Their island is in the pearl oyster district, and they bring many pearls with them which they trade off at a fraction of their value. Many of these pearls are taken by them from beds of "dead" shells, and are without value, but occasionally they become possessors of "live" ouses which they have no difficulty in disposing of, since they have little or no idea of their real worth.

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Miss M. McCann, a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James McCann, Arrprior, has been appointed superintendent of the hospital at Blind River.

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