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VERY NEWEST EVENING FROCKS

Many of the new gowns demonstrate a trend toward the Medieval.



Note the Upward Trend of the Drapes on These Charming Dresses.

By Annette Bradshaw. Many of the season's smartest frocks tend toward the medieval. A decided medieval indication is the upward drape, which is the newest note. Some of the typical frocks of the Middle Ages had their folds caught upward and held by a fancy ornament at the girdle.

This mode follows through in both afternoon and evening things. The gold-colored evening gown here is a fair example of the way of frocks for

evening. The medium is chiffon, and it's of that rich gold color which is so smart just now. To heighten the effect of the chiffon, the bodice is of gold tissue and the girdle ornament of amber and gold.

The afternoon dress is of almond-green crepe. Its plain bodice moulds to the lines of the figure and wrinkles its surface low about the wearer's hips. The skirt is made with a long-er tunic whose ends are caught in front by a jade and gold ornament.

NEW OUTER WRAPS

Street Garments Feature Artistic Quality and Beauty.

Parisienne Are Paying More Attention to Coats and Capes Than to Dresses.

Whatever the occasion, be they the morning hours of shopping or working or the afternoon hours of leisure and pleasure, the Parisienne still wears a street wrap that has every artistic quality and beauty about it, says a Paris fashion correspondent in the New York Times. This is the age of the beautiful coat. Women are paying more attention to their outer wraps than to their dresses, and are learning to wear them with more grace and character.

In Paris, especially, the street wraps are developing with marked success. The season's openings prove that fact as the many examples of recent wrap building make their debut. Chanel shows a wrap of beige crepe which is completely covered with an all-over pattern in gold embroidery and gold thread, imitating the gorgeous cashmeres of the ancient Hindus. Patou has an exquisite collection of black capes trimmed with fur, and generally with fringes of black monkey. The collars are extremely high, rising at the back until they touch the brim of one's hat. Certain of the wraps express the freedom and dash of the Cossack's robe.

At Renee's the afternoon wraps have more or less the semblance of elaborated and elongated costume blouses. The fur collars of her fabric wraps are not so exaggerated as in some of the other showings. But the fur jackets amply compensate for this apparent slighting of the luxurious taste and are created with a lavish hand. A woolen wrap is bordered with black fox, and worn with a black dress trimmed with the same fur. A wrap of the smart fur "sea dog" and another of caracul imitate the Russian blouse. Each is worn with a black dress trimmed with the same fur.

Paul Caret makes his wraps extremely long and surprisingly narrow.

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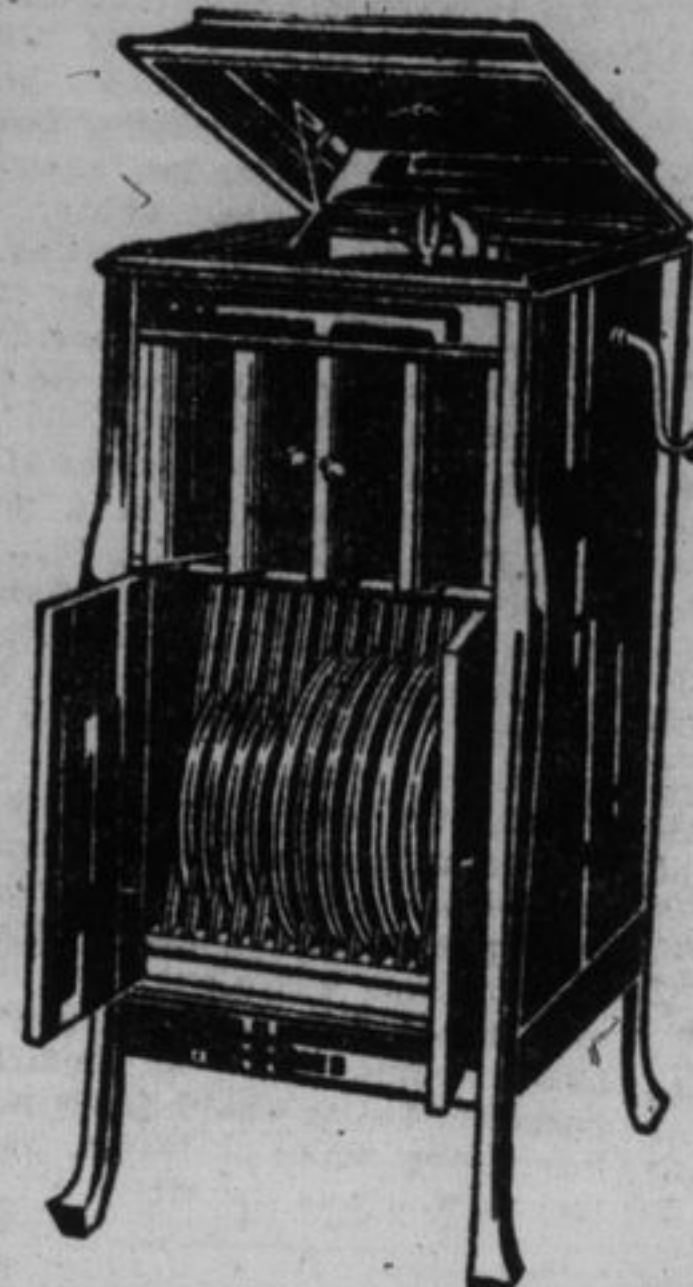
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There is Horse, Hog, Hoop—how many more can you find? Write them down and send them in as soon as possible. See how easy it is. Everything is in plain sight. No need to turn picture upside down. This is a game of skill. Effort and perseverance will win.

IT COSTS NOTHING TO TRY. If you send in your list of "H" words and the Judge decides your list is the largest which correctly names the visible objects beginning with "H," then they will award you the first Prize.

DO NOT SEND ANY MONEY. You need not expend one cent in order to enter this Contest. As soon as we receive your list we will write you with reference to a simple condition that must be fulfilled in order to qualify in the Contest. The simple condition suggested does not involve the spending of one cent of your money.

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Goloshes to Reappear

Notwithstanding unsettling reports to the contrary, local merchants state that goloshes will quite certainly be worn this winter. In spite of the fact that they have been over done in being left undone by the ultra smart, they have been found to be too comfortable and too convenient for the women to give them up lightly.

Spats are not attractive for indoor wear, and the endless buttons, when frequently one's button-hook is elsewhere, are nothing less than a nuisance to the person who goes out more than once or twice a day.

Merchants point out that goloshes need not be untidy, but for those who do not like them and who also—being out and in much—and spats inconvenient, something new has been made for this season—namely, spats with buckles down the front.

Then, of course, there are the Russian boots. In wearing the latter, however, it is necessary to be careful not to give the appearance of a human sandwich—dark shoes, white tops, dark hose, light dress, dark coat, light fur, dark hat. Don't do it. The rest of the outfit to be worn with Russian boots, must be chosen with care, if the wearer would not be amusing.

But to return to the prime bit of news in this article, goloshes are to be worn again this winter, no matter what else is.

Hot Sandwiches

A housekeeper says we should remember there are possibilities for other hot sandwiches as well as "hot-dog."

Roast beef or pork is good with two crusts of a hot roll or bun. Roast beef or pork, with a thin slice of mustard cucumber pickle, is another hot sandwich frequently sold at resorts. Quite often there is no butter in these sandwiches and the bread is a very "light" and yeasty quality, but we enjoy them just the same because they are hot, easy to handle as they are eaten, and inexpensive to buy.

Because they are also easy to make, they are a suggestion to the busy housekeeper who really needs a "hot bite" at noon, fully as much as her husband, but because she is "too tired" or "busy" does without it, and actually breaks down her health. Another advantage of a home-made hot sandwich is that one can use good bread and butter and have a variety of fillings.

If there is no left-over roast to warm up in gravy for sandwich filling, a sausage or a small portion of hamburger stirred three minutes in a hot frying-pan with a slice of onion, is good. An egg broken on a slice of bread can be baked in a slow oven at the same time the bread is toasted.

An egg fried and placed on either cold raised bread, toast, or between the top and bottom crusts of a round roll is an equally good luncheon. Cream cheese with a dash of red pepper is another appetizing hot sandwich.

which that can be toasted all at once the same way as the first mentioned egg sandwich.

Many a filling nutritious lunch can be made by putting combinations of odds and ends of meat, vegetables or cold boiled macaroni through a meat grinder and heating it hot with enough gravy, milk or even hot water to moisten it and then eating it with a fork on hot buttered toast.

Salmon, tuna, or any white dry fish like halibut, is good creamed for a hot toast sandwich. Salad dressing, too, is as good on hot sandwiches as it is in the cold. A filling club sandwich is considered a meal in itself. Catsup or any piquant tomato sauce will add zest to most any hot sandwich filled with left-overs.

TO-DAY'S FASHION

By Vera Winston.



Novel Sleeves Add Distinction to This Lovely Brown and Gold Brocaded Gown.

The material of the frock above is beautiful, combining as it does rich gold and brown in a brocaded design, and one must understand how they're made to get the true effect.

The material is cut in a V-shaped piece long enough to cover the arm. The point of the V is attached to the armhole at the back and the lower end is shirred into a cuff of kolinsky.

Note also the smart skirt treatment. All its gathers are at the left side.



Two Tones of Gray Velours—One Very Dark and One Very Light—Combined With Embroidery in the Same Tones to Make Smart Street Wrap.

with the waistline indicated by a Japanese kimono effect. Much matelasse is used and some of it is combined with leatherish tones of cloek.

Afternoon mantles and daytime wraps at Jenny's have snugly fitting collars, from which swing large panels as far as the waist, where they are fastened by wide girdles. These panels extend to either side to form the wide sleeves, which are really only slits for the arms to pass through. One sees a number of short, furry jackets. A short coat in of white kasha, trimmed with white and black braid.

NEW SCARF GAY AND DAINTY

Colorful Accessory as Filmy as Finest Silk; Wool Used in the Home-spun Weave.

Among the most colorful accessories to a lady's fall wardrobe are the new fiber scarfs. They are as filmy as the finest silk, but with a somewhat firmer texture. Composed of inch-wide strips, no two of which are the same color, they rival Joseph's coat of gayety. Added daintiness is gained by an all-over eyelid embroidery and the extremely long fringe.

Another very delicate scarf is developed in wool in the popular homespun weave. Although the pattern is very much like that used in burlap, the threads are so fine that the thing is scarcely heavier than a thick veil, though by virtue of the wool decidedly warmer.

When Sewing Lace.

Never make a seam in joining lace. Whip over and over or else buttonhole together with buttonhole stitches. Endeavor to join on the edge of a design so as to hide the joining piece.

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BIG FIRE AT WESTPORT.

McEwen's Bakery, Grocery Burned—Other Buildings Damaged.

Westport, Dec. 12.—A fire broke out Saturday about two o'clock in H. C. McEwen's bake shop, which was burned. His grocery store, ice cream parlor and feed store were totally destroyed. Very little was saved as the fire spread so rapidly Thomas Butler's hardware store and dwelling, and barn were badly damaged.

A. C. Bradley attended the wardens' banquet in Brockville on Thursday evening last. Messrs. Speagle, Alfred Bennett, B. Ellerbeck and V. Lescaux spent the week-end visiting friends in Perth and Smith's Falls. The ladies of St. Edward's church held a successful sale and dinner in C.W.L. hall on Tuesday. The booths

were all very attractive with lots of lovely things that met a very ready sale. They were presided over by the members of the League with their assistants. A splendid sum was realized. James S. Myers spent the week-end in Havelock.

Mrs. Edward Egan passed away this morning after a long illness. The annual turkey fair on Tuesday was the most successful for years. Tons of poultry were sold at prices ranging from 40 to 45 cents for turkeys, 25 to 27 cents for geese and 25 cents for chickens. There were several receiving stations on Bedford street and the day was a busy one.

Miss Martina McCann has taken a position in S. E. Blair's store. Mr. and Mrs. E. G. Ewing spent the week-end in Watertown, N. Y. Messrs. Howard Coburn and Ralph Adam left on Friday for Detroit.

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