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As Paris Sees Our Spring Garb.

By ELEANOR GUNN

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The influence of China is undiminished, and is exploited in tailored costumes as well, which as the whole fashion world now knows, dominates the spring showings.



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Each Other Foiled

By ANTHONY REIMERT

It was because three men had already plunged to death off the new bridge that Leach quickened his steps as he saw the prowling figure ahead of him looking down into the water.

At the same moment Leach grabbed the man began struggling violently. Leach held on like grim death.

"Well, supposing I was? That ain't no business of yours, is it?" "Well, I guess it is," answered Leach.

"Don't worry about me," answered Leach. "Just worry about yourself. Let's put our heads together and see if we can't hit on a better plan for you than jumping off the bridge."

"There's a lunch wagon at the end of the bridge. Suppose we go and have some coffee and an egg sandwich, and then if you want to take the leap, why I guess I won't want to stop you."

"Ya see," he explained, "I've been out of work for weeks, and my wife's sick, and there's a kid, and there ain't no fire, and then my mother-in-law, who brings us food, why, she's always on at me for a wastrel, and Oh, it's hopeless, boss, that's what it is."

"I've been out of work, too," said Leach. "I haven't got a wife and a kid, but if I had it would take more than a mother-in-law to make me take that jump. Pull yourself together, mister. Go home and thank the Lord you didn't jump. When you tell your wife and child be if you had done it?"

"That's true," muttered the other, as he devoured his sandwich ravenously.

"There'll be plenty of work in a little while," Leach continued. "You know how things are looking up. Why, say, you were just off your head, weren't you?"

"I guess I was," mumbled the other sheepishly.

"Why, once you get work—you've got to trade, haven't you? Cabinet-maker? Why, man, you'll be earning fine wages, and then you'll begin putting a little aside against a rainy day, and in a short time you'll have a swell bank account, and maybe a car. And you'll be able to tell your mother-in-law where to go."

The other stared at him. "Say, that's the stuff, mister!" he answered. "You're dead right. No more of the morgue for mine. I'm going straight home. And I dunno how to thank you."

"That's all right," Leach answered, and he accompanied the man a little distance and watched him striding off in the distance with a hopeful stride.

He looked back whimsically at the bridge. He felt the solitary nickel that remained in his pocket.

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