

WOMAN AND FASHION

Suit For Young Girl. Here is a smart model designed with an eye to the youthful charms of the young girl. Its good style recommends this suit for church wear, but it is practical for every day as well.



BOLEDO COSTUME

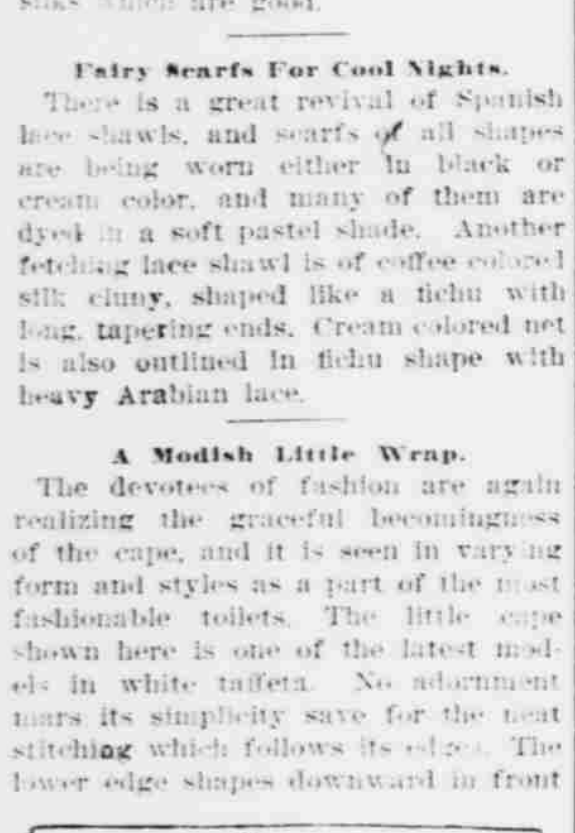
good effect in this suit, and if one selects a longer blouse to wear under the short coat so much the better. Poplin is also well liked, as are mohair, sheep-wool plaid and rajah silk.

The Sack Jacket. The sack jacket, made on the square lines of the Chinese mandarin's coat, threatens to become most popular.

Concerning Wrappers. The old-fashioned idea of the cashmere wrapper which was once the vogue in every family in the land has been superseded by the one made of silk and of the fine silky velvets.

Early Searfs For Cool Nights. There is a great revival of Spanish lace scarves, and scarfs of all shades are being worn either in black or cream color, and many of them are dyed in a soft pastel shade.

A Modish Little Wrap. The devotees of fashion are again realizing the graceful beauty of the cape, and it is seen in various forms and styles as a part of the most fashionable toilets.



LATE 1921 MODEL

and opens in a V at the neck, which is finished with a collar of fanciful outline. This garment owes its entire style to the cut, there being no seam or other feature where a mistake could possibly be made in the reproduction.

The Blazer. The name "blazer" was originally applied to the bright red uniform of the Lady Margaret Boat club of St. John's college, Cambridge.

Not Playing Futures. "Yes, mum, O'll make jey as good a cook as the next wan."

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CHOICE MISCELLANY

Millions at a Mule's Hoof. In the World's Work this story is told of the discovery of the famous Coeur d'Alene mines. Half the land that has been mined in the United States has come from the famous Coeur d'Alenes.

Sea Animals in the Desert. Scientists of the University of California who have been searching for prehistoric animals on the Nevada desert for the last few months have succeeded in finding skeletons of some sea mammals on the dry wastes.

Russia's Cheerless Cities. There is something terribly depressing about these ungaily Russian cities, vast in extent, though comparatively small in population and more like overgrown villages than real towns.

Deeply Disappointed. Congressman Adams of Pennsylvania was talking about his bill for the establishment of a whipping post for wife-beaters.

Quit at Goats. "This talk about goats and cutting down rail schedules is calculated to make one laugh," said Representative Grosvenor of Ohio.

His Rule Barred None. The late Bishop Elder of Cincinnati tried vegetarianism for some months during his residence in Natchez, but soon abandoned the practice.

Boarding United States Criminals. A female pickpocket, known all over the United States, got off with a four months' sentence in Toronto the other day because Judge Morgan believes that Canada should not have to support United States criminals.

A Rare Butterfly. The British museum has in its collection a rare butterfly which was obtained in a remarkable manner.

A Modest Duke. The Duke of Norfolk's dislike of pompousness has given rise to many stories. A school treat was being held in Arundel Park, his splendid ancestral home, and the duke was crossing one of the lawns when a teacher, unaware of the duke's identity, rushed across to him and shouted: "Come off the grass at once!"

Early Timekeepers. The clepsydra, or water clock, was used at Babylon at a very early date and was introduced at Rome by Septimius Nasticus about the year 158 B. C.

Curtailed the Bills. Cyrus Townsend Brady tells the following story of a young married couple here in town: One morning at breakfast, after looking over a pile of bills, the husband inquired: "Why do you have an account at so many stores, my dear?"

It Rained. When a highfalutin editor is in a hurry he doesn't waste words by saying, "It rained." He simply writes, "After many days of arid desiccation the vaporing captians marshaled their thundering hosts and poured out upon scorched humanity and the thoroughly inclemented vegetation a few inches of aqua pluvialis."

Agreed. Wife—If I thought a thing was wicked I wouldn't do it. Husband—Neither would I. Wife—Right! I think smoking cigars is a wicked waste. Husband—Then you should not smoke. Hand me a match, please.

AN INDIAN LEGEND.

How the Autumn Leaves Were Transformed Into Birds. An Indian story that has been handed down and is still believed by many Indian tribes is one about the transformation of leaves into birds.

The Great Spirit saw them and thought they were so lovely that he did not want to see them die, but live and be beautiful forever, so he gave to each bright leaf a pair of wings and power to fly. Then he called them his "birds."

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NEW SHORT STORIES

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WASHINGTON LETTER

[Special Correspondence.] Emperor William of Germany has presented a silver watch and chain to George Ellis, the negro who saved from destruction the statue of Frederick the Great erected in the grounds of the War College at the Washington barracks. The watch and chain were sent to the department of state by Baron Busche, charge d'affaires of the German embassy.

Dunning Government Employees. The question of claims for debt against employees of the navy department having been brought to the attention of Secretary Bonaparte, he has issued the following order after consideration of the practice of the different governmental departments. This order applies to civilian employees only and of course not to the commissioned or enlisted personnel of the navy.

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HUMOR OF THE HOUR

Undecided by Phone. There is a young woman up in the Bronx who has a friend in Wall street. He calls three times each week and tells her she is the only girl he ever even looks at.

His Remarkable Memory. "Excuse me," said the absent-minded professor, "but haven't we met before? Your face is strangely familiar."

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FACTS IN FEW LINES

Comparatively little milk is consumed in southern cities. A trooper's sword measures thirty-three inches, while a lance is nine feet long.

Chicago did not get a place on the map until 1840, when its population was 4,470. In the early days of railroading horses were used to help the locomotives on up grades.

The total number of all known varieties of postage stamps used by all the governments of the world up to date is 19,242. A London cleric dealer has in his window a placard reading, "Several bits of armor for sale, suitable for motorists."

There are more railway tunnels, viaducts and railroad bridges in Switzerland than in any other country in the world. Sheerness, England, though an important naval station and a town of over 15,000 inhabitants, does not possess a single telephone.

Owing to the rapid growth of the United States the English language is now spoken by more persons than any other civilized tongue. The percentage of Jews engaged in trades and doing manual labor for a living is greater in New York than in any other city in the world.

In defense of a charge of selling milk wholly devoid of fat an English cow keeper said that his cows had been eating cabbage, but the defense availed him not. A cat which had been driven into a shade tree by the dogs at Nashua, N. H., was rescued the other day after it had remained in this position for three whole days.

Sark, one of the Channel Islands, has a prison that contains four cells. But in the last five years it has had only three occupants. Sark has a population of about 600. While chasing a mouse the other day Mme. Delator of Paris broke through the floor of her room and found in the hole a brass box containing gold coins of the value of \$1,000.

Ye Olde Cheshire Cheese, a famous London hostelry, among whose customers in bygone days were Goldsmith, Johnston, Boswell, Thackeray and Dickens, is to come into the market. Australia has found a new use for discarded tram cars. Sydney ladies have them painted green and white, hang them with baskets of flowers, train creepers over the roof and then utilize them as afternoon tea rooms.

A Somersworth (N. H.) woman recently found in the family Bible \$15 in bills which, judging from the dates of the bills, must have been concealed in the book about a century. They were among the first paper issues of the United States government. An automobile transportation service has been recently established in the Kongo Free State. Coal is scarce and it was found necessary to use wood for fuel. The machine makes twelve miles an hour and has the capacity of a ton.

One of the funniest consequences of young Alfonso's visit to England is the birth of the "hidalgo" hat, a modified Spanish urban hat with which Englishmen are beginning to deck their heads. Although distinctly more suitable for winter, it makes a gallant appearance. Torrey and Alexander admit that their revival campaign in London was a failure, and Dr. Torrey remarked in a recent address there, "I suppose it would be safe to say that during the last year there have not been five persons definitely converted in any one church or chapel in London."

New York alone has 924 libraries, with 9,079,863 volumes; Massachusetts, 624 libraries, with 7,616,064 volumes; Pennsylvania, 491 libraries, with 4,580,312 volumes. These three states have about 30 per cent of the number of volumes reported for the whole United States. Russia has probably the most curious tax in the world. It is called the "amusement tax" and was instituted a year ago to fund an institution for the poor under the title of the "Empress Marie Foundation." The tax is laid upon every amusement ticket sold, and the managers increase the price accordingly.

A block of granite weighing over 300,000 pounds, flat on top and with clean breaks on two sides, has been found near Woodbury, Vt. Three hundred feet north is seen the ledge from which the block broke away. The two are on about the same level, but between them rises a barrier of granite fifteen feet high. Local geologists are trying to figure out what natural causes brought about the shift in the position of the block.

It has been discovered that the judge has no discretion under the Vermont liquor law and that he is bound to sentence a convicted seller for a certain length of time for each offense. William Caulstone was recently convicted on twenty-five counts in Bennington county, and it was figured that he was in a fair way to get a sentence of sixty-one years. When he discovered this fact he took "leg ball" and left his handmen to settle with the law.

Joseph W. Wilson of Springfield, Mass., has a whip which is a work of art. It was the first whip made by Clinton Cannon of Wakefield after he had finished his apprenticeship. It is an ordinary coach whip of one piece of whitebone, with a piece of ivory set in the butt. The whole butt is studded with ivory to make it have the appearance of blackthorn. The whip was never used, but has been in the possession of the Cannon family since it was made in 1842.

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