

Summer 'Sissy Pants'



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NEW YORK—Sissy pants outfits combining comfort and frills will be many a girl's first choice of togs for summer wear, because slacks are basic and tops can be switched from fancy to plain.

This practical angle boosted dressmaker slacks suits to the top at many winter resorts—proving ground for next summer's styles. Their generous cut gives them a feminine look as do such cutie-pie tops as the midriff-baring, sash-draped blouse shown right—a combination which proved its style spurs early in the season at St. Petersburg, Fla.

Another hit was the bell-hop suit, left, which combines pleated trouser-styled slacks with a fine rayon gabardine vestee jacket laced up, peasant-style, over a classic white shirt.

Corner In Grain Market Charged In Federal Action

CHICAGO, May 29 (UP)—A government complaint on file today charging four individuals and firms with cornering the Chicago grain market was the most sweeping action ever taken against such alleged activities, according to La Salle street dealers.

It marked the fourth time in nearly 20 years that a government agency had brought a cornering charge, they said.

The latest action was taken yesterday by the war food administration. It charged General Foods Corp., New York; Daniel Rice & Company, Chicago, and four individuals—including a former board of trade president—with violating the commodities and exchange act.

The government claimed the individuals and companies had manipulated the price of rye and rye futures from December, 1943, to May, 1944. This was said to have resulted in a corner on the May, 1944, market.

Union Girl Will Get College Degree

Among the seniors who will be graduated June 6 from Brigham Young university in Provo, Utah, is Miss Marian Westenskow, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Irvin Westenskow of Union.

She will receive a bachelor of science degree in the department of applied science, where she has majored in vocational home economics.

She attended Eastern Oregon college for a year prior to going to the Utah college, where she is a member of the Fidelas social unit and Gamme Phi, honorary home economics sorority.

FALL INJURES WOMAN

Mrs. John Fleshman, 59, 1306 Cherry street, is in Grande Ronde hospital where her physician is x-raying for a possible vertebrae fracture in her neck, the result of a fall about 1 o'clock this morning. The extent of the injury had not yet been determined early this afternoon.

Milk more than 50 hours old cannot be sold in Chicago.

Historical Group Hears Review of Chinese Settlement

Union county Historical society met last night at the home of Mrs. Grace Mollitor for their regular session. George Cochran paid tribute to the late Mrs. Hattie Eckley, one of the founders of the organization.

A committee report was read of a partial list of relics to be turned over to the society when a suitable display place is acquired. The association is making a survey of relics in the county and is seeking a permanent building in which to house them. Anyone having relics to present to the society may contact Mrs. Kate Hanley or Mrs. Charles Spencer.

Frank Jasper outlined the history of the settlement of the Chinese on the west coast before the coming of the white race. He included settlement in Oregon and in Union county to the present time when now only four Chinese remain in La Grande.

He told a story of how the Orientals were banished from La Grande and Cove in 1893 and of the long war of 1915. Discussion following the story revealed many more interesting facts and incidents concerning the Chinese in La Grande during the settlement period.

Mrs. Hattie Oliver Johnson became a new member.

The June meeting will be held with Mrs. Julius Roesch.

Senate Approves Boost in Power, Irrigation Funds

WASHINGTON, May 29 (UP)—The senate appropriations committee today approved a \$140,000,000 interior department appropriation bill, adding \$39,000,000 to the house-approved figure.

Sen. Carl Hayden, D., Ariz., said many of the senate committee additions were to provide funds to plan construction and development projects that have not been possible during the war.

The committee bill still was nearly \$4,000,000 under interior department requests, however.

Senate committee additions included:

Bonneville power administration, \$3,500,000, bureau of Indian affairs \$3,939,174 and bureau of reclamation \$17,739,750.

The committee also voted \$10,000,000 for a government pilot plant to experiment an production of liquid fuels from coal and shale. The house authorized only \$6,000,000.

Specific increases voted by the senate committee for operation and maintenance included:

Owyhee project, Oregon—\$210,000, increased \$10,000. Klamath project, Oregon-California—\$126,000, up \$10,000. Deschutes project, Oregon—\$500,000, up \$50,000.



HAS ITS POINTS—Thirty-six thousand toothpicks and three months' work went into the making of the seven-foot replica of the Eiffel Tower, pictured above with Peter Ohlwein, 13, of Highland Park, Ill., who made it. Exhibited at the Highland Park Rotary club hobby show in Chicago, it won a special prize.

Hospital Note

St. Joseph's hospital:

Admitted—Mrs. Ray Hutson, Richard Lewis, La Grande, Thorwald Ronne, Union, Judy Williams, Cove, Mrs. George Hearing, Wallawa, medical; Bruce Carter, Enterprise, x-ray.

Grande Ronde hospital:

Admitted—Hulda Cosner, La Grande, Mrs. George Miller, Wallawa, surgery; Mrs. Laura Piercy, Perry, L. D. Sutherland, Cove, Mrs. Nedra Parish, Jimmie Lamkin, Mrs. Fred Wendt, M. F. Wilkerson, La Grande, medical; Mrs. John Freshman, La Grande, accident.

Discharged—Mrs. Paul Lively and son, Summerville, Mrs. Charles Johnson, Mrs. O. L. Wayt and son, Elgin, Joan Graves, Heppner, William Whitmore, Mrs. Ira Wilson and son, Cecil W. Parson, Clinton Thompson, Mrs. Ella Britz, La Grande.

SLAYER HELD INSANE

SAN BERNARDINO, Calif., May 29 (UP)—Aircraft mechanic Albert H. Summers, 36, who bludgeoned his wife and four children with a flatiron March 20, today was adjudged insane by psychiatrists and ordered committed to Mendocino state hospital. His youngest son, 16 months old William, died of head injuries after the attack.

New Members Are Initiated at Rites Of Rainbow Girls

Initiatory degrees were conferred upon 17 members of the Order of Rainbow Girls last night in the Masonic hall.

Principal initiating officers were Lorna Leffel, worthy advisor, Betty Murray, worthy associate advisor, Joyce Miller, Charity, Della Jean Dahlstrom, Hope, and Barbara Murray, Faith.

After the ceremony, refreshments were served to the Rainbow Girls and their guests, members of the Order of Eastern Star and Masons.

Initiates were Donna Mae Dahlstrom, Mary Ratliff, Delpha Morehead, Patty Burns, Mary Rosenberger, Barbara Metsker, Rosalie Wilson, Merlyn Talney, Janet Leffel, Jane Hudspeth, Rosella Price, Betty Lou Drummond, Pat Michel, Lucille Carver, LaVerta Chadwick, Helen Pierson and Betty Harold.

Big Dutch Force Will Fight Japs

SAN FRANCISCO, May 29 (UP)—The Dutch are preparing a force of 200,000 men to help smash Japan and recapture the rich Netherlands East Indies.

Their plans for the Pacific war were outlined by Dr. Hubertus J. Van Mook, acting governor general of the Indies and a delegate to the United Nations conference.

Cabinet Appointment Is Given Approval

WASHINGTON, May 29 (UP)—The senate education and labor committee has unanimously approved the nomination of Judge Lewis B. Schwelienbach of Washington to be secretary of labor. The nomination probably will be acted upon by the full senate at its next session on Thursday.

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Society Briefs

Mrs. William S. (Bill) Thomas, and her daughters, Marie and Kathy, of Twin Falls, Ida., are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Claude Berry.

Miss Marion Christensen of Salem, spent the weekend here visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. M. Christensen and with friends in Walla Walla. She returned Sunday night to Salem where she is director of certification in the state board of education.

Mrs. Walter McKay and daughter, Janice, have returned to their home in Juntura after visiting in the home of Mrs. McKay's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Oran Lovan, for the past week.

Miss Barbara Dyal returned to Boise last night after spending the weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. L. Dyal.

PLAN MEMORIAL RITES

Daughters of Union Veterans congregated in the Neighborhood club house yesterday afternoon for a special business meeting to plan for Memorial Day and to discuss the convention which will occur soon.

Initiation is Held By Royal Neighbors

Mrs. Grover Loveless, Mrs. Lester Neukirchner, Mrs. Alma Kizer, Mrs. M. L. Poff, Mrs. Helen Berry, Mrs. Lillian Hermann and Mrs. Leon Turner were initiated into the Royal Neighbors of America last night.

The charter was draped in honor of the late Mrs. Logan Thompson, and memorial services were held.

Mrs. Lyman Huff and Mrs. Lester Courtney presented a vocal duet. Membership pins were presented to Mrs. Carl Mtsker and Mrs. Art Johnson.

Refreshments were served by the committee which included Mrs. Charles Carroll, Mrs. Bessie Williams, Mrs. Neil Suydam and Mrs. Walter Swart.

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This year there will be only two War Bond drives, not three. But only by buying more bonds during the 7th War Loan can two drives take the place of last year's three. Almost as much money is needed this year as last to fight the war.

When peace comes you'll be glad you have

War Bond savings for educating your children, maybe a new home, a new car, travel, retirement and a lot of things you can't buy now.

The point of a bond drive like the 7th is to buy extra bonds—above those you regularly buy. You are asked to buy at least one additional \$100 bond during the 7th War Loan—May 14th to June 30th.

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