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## WEEKLY FASHION LETTER.

New York, March 21.—Some one with a penchant for nomenclature, ought to be called upon to name the intervening time between Easter week and the last of June, the bridal season, for fashion's schedule this year for this period consists of an almost unbroken series of weddings. Even May, which is usually regarded as "unlucky" for marriages, is crowded with weddings.

The most exclusive and original features of all the modes are combined in the designs that make up wedding trosses. Bridal gowns vary in effect from Puritanical simplicity to prodigal elaboration and economy is the sheep sacrificed before the shearer beauty.

Green and white promises to be a fashionable color scheme at smart spring weddings. The delicious new shades of the former shown this season are responsible for the vogue. Decorations will consist of hyacinths, lilies of the valley designs, immense white and rare green roses gloriously entwined with trailing, graceful greens, all of which will form an effective setting for bridesmaids' gowns of pale green voile, silk and crepe de chine, mousseline, chiffon and vaporine.

### Elegant Bridal Gowns.

In many very elegant bridal gowns Brussels lace will usurp the function of the time-honored satin design. For instance one charming design in the lace shows the skirt caught slightly at one side with a large bunch of orange flower blossoms and lilies of the valley. Where the lace is lifted by the drapery a rich petticoat of white peau de soie is shown finished around the foot with graduated ruffles of plaited chiffon.

The bodice is trimmed around the square tucked chiffon yoke with pearl and silver embroidery and finished at the waist with a satin belt, while the full tucked chiffon sleeves are smugled between wristbands of Brussels lace embroidered in silver.

A novelty is shown in the train, which is made of peau de soie, ruffled with chiffon and orange blossoms.

The bridesmaids at this particular wedding will wear frocks of apple-green broche silk dotted with white and patterned with misty flowers. They are trimmed with rich white silk applique lace which covers the fronts of the bodices and forms a panel on the front of the skirts.

The deep pointed belts are of lace and lace is caught in the fanciful sleeves, but also arranged to fall to the wrists.

At another smart wedding where the decorations will be carried out with bridal roses, white sweet peas and palms, the bride wears a gown of ivory white crepe de chine, finely tucked and threaded with chiffon and trimmed with richly embroidered d'Alencon lace and silver motifs. Over a wreath of bridal flowers a lace veil—an heirloom—is arranged confined in place with jewels.

### Gown of White Satin.

For the bride who cannot separate herself from the old tradition, however, there is an exquisite gown in ivory white satin and chiffon embroidered with moth of pearl and silver. The skirt has an extremely long train ruffled with frills of chiffon, while the bodice has a transparent yoke and long hanging sleeves of the same material. Stoles of rice lace fall from the yoke to the hem of the skirt and the waist is finished with a girle of white satin embroidered in pearls and lace.

The misty daintiness of tulle commends it highly as a wedding gown material. This, however, is always more effective when made over a taffeta foundation because the silk has a crispness not possessed by other lining materials.

An especially pretty bridal dress of white tulle has the skirt trimmed with three fairy-like ruffles and rouleaux of white satin, with the fullness at the top shirred around the hips. The youthfulness of the design is enhanced by a bodice threaded with white silk bebe ribbon while soft ficu fronts of tulle complete the trimming. The bridal veil is of tulle edged with the most delicate tracery of Brussels lace.

### Smart Traveling Gowns.

Just as satin has been replaced by other fabrics as a wedding gown material, grey has been forced into less prominence as the color of the going-away dress. Some of the smartest traveling gowns this spring are of mauve, olive, ecru and even oyster white cloth. The latter shade, however, is a luxury for the bride who takes her honeymoon trip in a special car with the comforts of a fashionable hotel on wheels.

An effective violet cloth dress trimmed with old ivory lace is accompanied by an immense Gainsborough hat trimmed with shaded purple plumes. The skirt has applied plaite under which are applied wide insertions of the lace. On either edge of the lace are stitched straps of violet taffeta with tabs at even intervals with the plaits which hold the latter in place. There are three rows of the lace insertion on the skirt.

The waist carries out the same idea and is distinctive because the customary vest effect is omitted. Instead the lace is applied all the way across the bloused front and aranged transversely across the snug fitting back. The collar is a transparent affair composed only of lace stitched top and bottom with bands of taffeta and supported by strips of whalebone.

### Going-Away Gown.

Another going-away gown in royal blue Amazon cloth has a long trailing skirt that flares gradually along its many gores until about a foot above the ground, where the flaring is more decided. Each seam is strapped from belt to hem with a narrow band of lustrous silk braid.

The coat is tight-fitting and extending quite some distance—say half a yard—below the waist line, with plain skirts. The design is intended for a

tall bride-elect to which figure it is strikingly becoming.

The lapels are only moderately large and embroidered in silk braid. The sleeves are bishop in shape, gathered into cuffs to match the lapels. Beneath the jacket is worn a blouse of primrose satin laid in stitched box plaits, all narrow and tapered into the belt in a modified shield shape. The hat is one of the new "plateau" turbans made of blue chiffon and trimmed with blueettes and lace.

### Flower Hats.

The spring bride affects flower hats to a marked degree but they are not of the geranium and forget-me-not type duplicated so cheaply and worn by the many. Instead she selects designs composed of pond lily petals, poppies, immense silk Marguerites and lilies of the valley. These designs are so decorative in themselves that little additional trimming is required unless it be a choux of lace or soft satin to conceal the places of jointure. The newest—and prettiest—flower hats have shirred tulle alternating with the rows of petals.

MAUDE GRIFFIN.

### Would Check the Tip Evil.

Pittsburg, Pa., March 20.—The officials of the Pennsylvania railroad are waiting with much interest the results of the measures recently adopted to check the tip nuisance on their lines. The new rules are of a stringent character and positively forbid the car porters or other trainmen to do any services for passengers in order to receive tips in return. It is said that if the measures already adopted fail to prove effective in putting a stop to the nuisance it will be made a rule to discharge any employe who receives tips while in the service.

### Michigan and Wisconsin in Debate.

Madison, Wis., March 20.—The debate between representatives of the University of Michigan and the University of Wisconsin for which both institutions have been preparing since last fall, takes place here tonight and it promises to be the event of the university year. The subject of debate is embraced in the following: "Resolved, That the adoption of a general income tax levied by the United States government, would be for the best interests of the nation."

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