

Today's Suggestion by Ellen Sta.

PRACTICAL SHIRT WAIST COSTUME.

THE one piece tailored cloth dress will be much worn for the early fall with furs instead of the jacket suit. This feature will interest women who are now planning their wardrobe for the coming season. The costume illustrated would be a pleasing model for such a dress, and later on it could be used for an afternoon suit. It may be made with or without the panel in front, and such materials as lightweight broadcloth and serge, cashmere, Henrietta and mohair, as well as the heavy weight silks, would be attractive and serviceable.



fold to finish the collar and cuffs of a soft silk in a pink shade would give a pleasing note of color to the costume.

A tobacco brown serge would be pretty as well as serviceable for street wear. The buttons can be covered with satin of a light shade of brown and decorated with dark brown silk to match the color of the material.

This costume closes on the left side of the front and may be made with or without the princess panel. The skirt is nine gored and in round length. The pattern is cut in seven sizes—from 32 to 44 inches bust measure. To copy it for the average person it requires 9 1/2 yards of material 27 inches wide or 7 1/2 yards 30 inches wide.

Fads and Fashions

(Guard Special Correspondence.)

New York, October 9.—And still they come—the new models for fall and winter styles, one more bewitching than the other and all of them tempting to distraction. There is an infinite variety of forms, ornamentations, colors and materials, enough to bewilder the eyes, but all of them, nevertheless, follow the general idea governing the prevailing style. The voluptuous lines and lovely curves so fashionable last season are no longer in vogue and artificial padding for bust and hips no longer in demand. Instead the long straight lines and curveless silhouettes of the Directoire and of the Empire are sovereign. The extreme models of the present style are, undoubtedly, becoming to the tall, slim and curveless women, with long necks and small hips, but for women of more general development they are almost impossible, or rather quite so. The reason is quite obvious; it is easier to supply lacking development by judicious padding than to eliminate the natural tissue that refuses to fit into the straight lines of the prevailing style. It is this fact which promises to cut short the life of the new fashion.

The new style skirts are so revolutionary in cut and so difficult to adjust to the figure, even to one that is naturally slim and graceful, that the American dressmakers have not yet mastered its intricacies. It will be some time before they will be able to become used to the peculiarities of the cut and to adapt themselves, at the same time to the modifications made necessary by the individual taste and physical development of their patrons.

The short walking skirt presents greater difficulties than the long, trailing skirt, owing to the prevailing circular cut and it is safe to say that many of the new short skirts will be hopelessly unbecoming to the average figure. They are glowering over the hips and plain in the back, much like the style of a few years ago. Fortunately there are some variations which afford some relief, clever tricks of goring, plaits introduced skillfully on the sides below the hips, etc., which make it possible to adjust these skirts in a fairly becoming way. A perfectly flat back line is fashionable to adjust these skirts in fairly becoming way. A perfectly flat back line is fashionable in conjunction with slender and narrow hips. But for a woman with ample and well accentuated hips, it would be absurd to attempt the straight back line. As it is, the excessively narrow long skirt which appears upon many of the imported French models is too extreme to be accepted without reservation by an overwhelming majority of the women. A few of them will be worn, but more ample models are turned out

by even the most authoritative French houses and the fashionable women in this country may, therefore, assert their individual taste at least to a certain extent, without fear of being out of style.

As the evening gowns of the winter are to be undeniably simple even when not fashioned upon purely classical lines, it is obvious that scarfs giving long, straight lines, will be more than ever in use. They offer a welcome means of subduing the tendency of voluptuous hip and bust lines to assert themselves too much to be in harmony with the demands of fashion. Women of generous development will do well to make a judicious use of scarfs and similar means of accentuating the long vertical lines of the Directoire style. These scarfs, of which a large variety may be seen in the fashionable shops, are in satin finished silk or in liberty, with ends bordered with netting fringe, tassels, heavy embroidery or merely cut into a sharp point and knotted about two inches above the hem. The scarf of medium length may be draped across the shoulders and drape the top of the raised skirt line, the ends almost joining under the left arm and falling over the hip at front and back.

Among the new gowns of recent importation are some black lace gowns, conspicuous not only for the glorious coloring of the materials under them, but for the artistic combination of modes, such as Japanese and Grecian, in company with the newer version of the Directoire. This latter is introduced in the long, clinging tunic skirt, while the oriental tendency confines itself to the bodice. A gorgeous, clothlike of that kind seen recently at a fashionable function, was of fllet net trimmed with matching bands mounted over coarse chiffon taffeta. Black silk drop ornaments dangled from every available point and huge ornaments of the same construction trimmed the front of the bodice. The sleeves were extremely long and without fullness at the top, the net being shirred over the foundation in mousquetaire effect and closed with small crocheted buttons, put on at less than a quarter of an inch apart. The general effect of the costume was rich without offending the eye by extravagance.

Satin seems to be the favorite material for evening wraps which are generally of the voluminous and sleeveless sort, and in shape follow Empire lines, when not of the straight effect, suggestive of ecclesiastical vestments. Just now the white evening wrap is suffering an eclipse in favor of the palest tints of blue, pink and gray, relieved with garnishings of white lace combined with parrameteries of fur, while the black evening wrap are in all the gull shades usually offset with a contrasting hue of the same range of color. The happy medium between these two extremes is khaki in its various shades, trimmed with passementerie applications, embroidery and soutache in matching metallic ef-

JAS. WITHYCOMBE WILL TRY AGAIN FOR GOVERNORSHIP

James Withycombe, of Corvallis, Republican nominee for governor in 1906, is going to try it again. Already, two years before the next election, he is holding his ear to the ground and is considering the call of the people.

Mr. Withycombe was a Portland visitor yesterday, and, so the story goes, opened the Pandora's box of his political ambitions while here in conversation with R. E. Williams, National Republican committeeman for Oregon. At that time, so it is reported, Mr. Withycombe said he was receiving urgent and insistent requests from friends throughout the state in large numbers urging him to be a candidate and that he was considering the proposition. Previous to this, also, Mr. Withycombe had intimated that he would get into the race again when the time came. Several times, however, since his defeat in June, 1906, he has been emphatic in his contention that he was out of politics for good. Recent utterances, though, show that Mr. Withycombe still desires to be governor, and that he will attempt to realize his ambition at the first opportunity.

The probable candidacy of Mr. Withycombe adds one more to the already long list of prominent men who have their eyes on the place. Up in Eastern Oregon, Judge Stephen A. Lowell, of Pendleton, is reputed to be a possible candidate. Superintendent of Public Instruction Ackerman is also a candidate. J. W. Bailey, state dairy and food commissioner, has his eye on the job, so his friends say, though Mr. Bailey himself will not admit it. District Attorney Cameron is also training his forces on the statehouse at Salem. Judge L. R. Webster is talked of as a possibility. Then in addition there are perhaps a dozen other men who either are being urged to train for the race or who are urging that they should do so. It is a certainty that there will be plenty of men to fill the place when the time comes for the people to decide who will be governor.—Journal.

THIRTY-SEVENTH CHICAGO FIRE ANNIVERSARY

Chicago, Ill., Oct. 9.—Today was the thirty-seventh anniversary of the great Chicago fire, one of the most disastrous conflagrations in the history of modern times. The event is not generally celebrated, but several societies, among them the Old Settlers and Pioneers, always hold anniversary meetings to exchange reminiscences of the exciting events that followed the act of Mr. O'Leary's famous cow in kicking over the burning kerosene lamp in its stable on DeKoven street.

The great Chicago fire burned about twenty-four hours and during that time destroyed within a district about four miles long and one mile wide, 18,000 buildings, including the most pretentious structures in the business section, blotted out about 100 lives and altogether destroyed property to the value of \$200,000,000.

Not only is silk brocade employed in the lining of these wraps, but it is used in large patterns for their outside, the finest threads employed in their weaving adding to its brilliancy and giving additional reason for the increasing popularity of fringes which appear on many of the latest and handsomest wraps imported from abroad. After several years of comparative retirement, sealskin is to be fashionable again this winter. But the insane craze for sealskin coats in former years, which led almost to the extinction of the fur-bearing seals, has made sealskin so costly that at present it is far beyond the means of the ordinary woman. Only the very rich women will be able to afford a genuine sealskin coat this winter, as they will be from five to seven eighths length, requiring a great deal of material.

As to fabrics the silk-covered hat undoubtedly leads this season, and the old fashioned ribbed or ottoman silk is greatly in evidence, which alone adds to the weight of the hat. Beavers are in vogue, the old-fashioned satin covered frames are in again and yet many felt hats are also shown, in combination with heavy silk trimmings. Velvet hats seem to have gone completely out of style. Extreme styles, suggesting the Merry Widow, seem almost to touch the shoulder. One of the most notable features in the trimming of hats this season are the large wings and feathered bandeaus, or Pouchontas effect that encircle the crown and in some instances droop over the back of the betm.

FLORENCE FAIRBANKS.

Had a Close Call

Mrs. Ada L. Croom, the widely known proprietor of the Croom Hotel, Vaughn, Miss., says: "For several months I suffered with a severe cough, and consumption seemed to have its grip on me, when a friend recommended Dr. King's New Discovery. I began taking it and three bottles effected a complete cure." The fame of this life-saving cough and cold remedy, and lung and throat healer is world wide. Sold at W. A. Kuykendall's store. 50c and \$1. Trial bottle free.

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Furniture manufactured for wholesale or retail trade. Factory at east end of Fifth street. Repairing solicited. Phone Black 5281. Residence phone, Black 5591.

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Beware the cheap imitations. Buy the Genuine Signature of J. C. Fletcher.

GUARD'S FINE PREMIUM MAPS ARE GOING FAST

The Guard has received a large shipment of its fine premium wall charts, consisting of the latest maps of Oregon, of the United States and foreign countries. These charts are nicely mounted, lithographed on heavy varnished paper, and contain as much valuable information as an ordinary atlas.

All subscribers of the Daily Guard, served by carrier, who pay \$2.50 for six months in advance, get one of these map-charts free.

All mail subscribers of the Daily Guard who pay \$5.00 (special offer) for one year in advance, are entitled to the premium as well as Weekly Guard subscribers who pay a year in advance. We have a large number of these maps on hand but they are going fast—one hundred were taken this week, so you should not delay until the supply is exhausted.

LA GRANDE WILL HAVE GRAVITY SYSTEM

LaGrande, Or., Oct. 8.—The council of LaGrande last night floated a block of bonds totaling \$160,000, bearing 5 per cent interest, to John Nuveen & Co., of Chicago, at par. The proceeds will be used to construct a gravity water system that will bring water for domestic and municipal purposes from Beaver creek, 18 miles away.

It is an act that has been tried before, but failed. Now, after two years' of constant effort, the council has accepted a bid which means that the city will in less than a year have a water supply equal from the standpoint of purity and sanitation to any in the state.

DEADWOOD ITEMS

(Special Correspondence.)

Deadwood, Oct. 6.—A very large crowd attended the funeral of Harry Stuckey, who was shot and killed at Alpha by Harry Tabor, which was a very sad affair. The funeral was held at Deadwood, with interment in the Deadwood cemetery. Rev. Bond conducted the services, which were very impressive. The bereaved relatives have the sympathy of many friends hereabouts.

L. Berkshire went to Blachley the 6th for a load of provisions. George Stuckey, of Salem, was called here by the death of his brother.

Pete Wilcutt went to Roseburg this week to prove up on a timber claim. Wm. Mead, of Indian Creek, was over breaking log jams on Lake creek last week.

The salmon hatchery has started up, having a few salmon in the boxes ready for spawning, and the yhave already spawned a few. Chinook salmon are scarce as yet.

There have been several bands of beef cattle picked up on the Siuslaw and tributaries lately.

Jesse Rust and wife visited on Deadwood this week. The neighborhood seems to be improving from the colds which have been going the rounds.

GOODS GIVEN AWAY

We want to clean out our lines of silver deposit ware and Bohemian glassware, and will give the entire lot of one hundred and thirty-five pieces away to our customers. With every purchase of \$5 or up to \$10 we will give one piece of Bohemian glass. With every purchase amounting to \$10 or over we will give one piece of silver deposit ware. The regular prices of these goods run from 50 cents to \$4.50. This will continue until every piece is gone. Optical work is included.

J. O. WATTS,

The Up-to-date Jeweller and Optician, Cor. 9th & Willamette, St.

Where Bullers Flew

David Parker, of Fayette, N. Y., a veteran of the Civil War, who lost a foot at Gettysburg, says: "The good Electric Bitters have done for me more than five hundred dollars to me. I spent much money doctoring for a bad case of stomach trouble, to little purpose. Then I tried Electric Bitters and they cured me. I now take them as a tonic and they keep me strong and well." 50c at W. A. Kuykendall's drug store.

REWARD

If the party or parties who took the mortar, used for firing bombs, the night of July 4th, on the battle, will return same to Eugene Gun Company's store they will get reward.

EUGEE GUN CO.

WILL SELL AT A SACRIFICE.

One of the best residence properties in Eugene, modern in every way. House is brand new, absolutely the best finished house in the city; cement walks, fine lawn, good barn—in fact, there is nothing to compare with it for the money. Call at 271 West Fifth street, or address Box 512, Eugene.

FOR SALE

At a great bargain, new \$250 cash register. Must be sold at once. W. L. Sanders.

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Oregon budons and pennants at Watts.

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PRICES ARE SMASHED

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GREAT

SALE

THE first week of this great sale drawing to a close. The crowd continue to come. They are as large if not larger than at the first days of sale. Many extra salespeople have been added, yet we cannot wait upon all with equal dispatch.

Tomorrow and Saturday promise to be the Big Days of the sale. We have made many special prices for these two days only. If you haven't attended this, the sale of the season do so now. Don't wait. Don't falter, for the time soon be passed when you can buy new Fall Merchandise at a saving from one-fourth to one-half.

Just to give you an idea of the littleness of the prices that prevail, scan the following:

- \$15.00 Men's Suits, Sale Price
- 2.00 Men's Hats, Sale Price
- 2.00 Men's Dress Shirts, Sale Price
- .75 Men's Underwear, sale Price
- 2.00 Men's Work Gloves, Sale Price
- .10 Men's Canvas Gloves, Sale Price
- 2.00 Men's Shoes, Sale Price
- 3.00 Men's Shoes, Sale Price
- 3.50 Ladies' Shoes, Sale Price
- 2.00 Men's Odd Vests, Sale Price
- .75 Child's Rompers, Sale Price
- .25 Ladies' Collars, Sale Price
- .50 Ladies' Underwear, Sale Price
- .35 Child's Underwear, Sale Price
- .20 Child's Hese, Sale Price

Sale Positively Closes Saturday, October 12

17th, at 10 o'clock p. m.

3 Doors South of 9th Street

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