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Same in End.
Smith—Did you know that Dr. Sawbone frequently accepts no fees from his patients?
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AIR OF THE ORIENT

Chinese Influence More Pronounced in Summer Frocks.

Tendency of Past Year Has Grown Stronger This Season—Idea Prevalent Even in the Sweaters.

Many months ago—in fact, with the showing of extreme models in the spring of 1916—a decidedly oriental note was heralded, and a great many garments that borrowed either line or coloring from the far East were shown. In the year that has passed this tendency has grown stronger, and especially the Chinese influences recognized. The summer crop of tub frocks shows many tailored dresses and sport suits with coats or blouses suggest-



Chinese Note Even in Sweaters.

ing the mandarin jacket, and negligee garments have not escaped the same influence. In fact, Chinese mandarin coats and accompanying Chinese trousers have been found extremely desirable and becoming for boudoir wear.

The sweater shown in the sketch is of fine white wool jersey cloth, cut in a mandarin coat, and embroidered in Chinese blue soutache braid. The garment is quite straight, as will be noted, held in at the waist with a loosely caught sash and equipped with generous pockets. It is also shown in the shops in Chinese blue, embroidered in white or in colors. It might really be made at home, as it is a simple affair, fashioned of wool jersey fabric, not a conventional knitted sweater.

If home-made, great care must be taken to apply the braid neatly and firmly, as poor workmanship appears at its very worst on the jersey weave fabrics.

In purchasing a sweater this season it is well to bear in mind that the slip-over-the-head models are the very latest, and they are practical as well. A sweater that does not have to be buttoned and unbuttoned certainly keeps its shape better than one that does.

TOUCHWOOD IS USED ON HATS

French Responsible for Adoption of This Unusual Material—Real and Imitation Coral in Demand.

In this country we have known what touchwood is. Small ornaments of it have been bought by women and given as gifts or carried in purses for luck. But it was left to France to introduce it as a trimming for hats. The French women have been wearing ornaments made of this wood, many bits of it being mingled with precious stones arranged in rings and bracelets. It was a bit of superstition that came into use at the beginning of the war and it rapidly grew into a universal French fashion.

New hats are trimmed with touchwood ornaments as crown bands and for piping on brims.

Coral, real and imitation, will be used in the new spring millinery. Italy is supplying a large demand for it. Coral figures are placed against the straw and satin hats, embroidery is done in coral beads, and one new spring hat has large blue woolen roses, with the hearts made of coral beads.

Pockets.
Two-in-one pockets are a style feature of interest. These are two pockets in one panel, the patch pocket being slit at the bottom to hold small coins for change.

CHECKS ARE REALLY PLAIDS

Fashion This Year Has Decreed That to Be Smart They Must Not Be Less Than Two Inches Square.

We have progressed very much in our definition of the word "checked" since last year, says a fashion authority. Then a check was understood ordinarily to mean a combination of white and black, or of colors, of small dimensions, so that at a short distance a monotone effect was given.

Now, however, fashion has decreed that to be absolutely smart the checks of the fabrics of the present season must not be less than two inches square. This means that what we term checks are really plaids, excepting that fewer colors enter into the design.

Fortunately, most of these enormous checks are taken for sports skirts, and the latter are plaited from waist to ankle and the area of black and white blocks is happily broken. Along with the popular black and white there are such combinations as gold and purple, red and gray, green and tan and yellow and blue.

They are to be worn with the lingerie shirtwaist, usually topped by a sweater whose color matches the most vivid or striking one introduced in the skirt design.

NEW EFFECTS IN POCKETS



Pockets have been playing an all-important part in the vagaries of fashion. Many new styles have been woven around them. Pockets have been seen in every shape and form. Those shown in the photo are the very latest turn. They are gathered up in a tunic effect on the sides and extend pretty near half-way around the frock. They are wide, but not deep, unusual for pockets. The collar, cuffs and edge of the skirt are paneled in a bright-striped border. The frock is made of rose-colored Yosan silk.

A Knitted Sports Costume.

Among the costumes lately arrived from Paris is a knitted sports costume consisting of a narrow skirt and sweater blouse, the model made of white yarn showing a border effect of large red roses placed at intervals around lower part of skirt. The mannequin wore with this costume a knitted tam to match. Another idea was a knitted yarn blouse worn with a skirt of "Kasha" and still another unique sports suit was developed of white Kasha showing narrow skirt slit up to the knees; a band of woolen embroidery in a Paisley pattern defined the slit on either side. The jacket was adorned with embroidery to correspond.

Paris Is for Green.

Green figures largely in the Paris color card, but mostly in the bright and light shades and the soft, cool, medium tones. Clever sports coats, sports costumes, afternoon and evening frocks, sweaters and separate skirts are shown in greens, and some of the prettiest linen and cotton models are built up in green and white, while in millinery and the little things of dress there is plenty of green.

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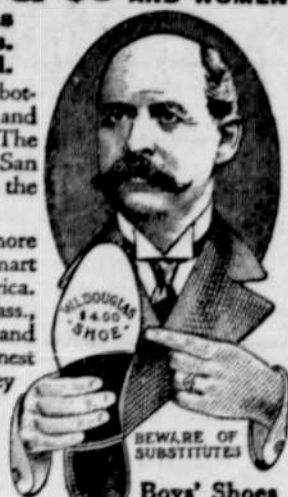
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