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Linen Assumes Important Role As Fabric for Summer Wardrobes



N ASSEMBLING the new summer wardrobe, don't overlook the importance of linen for all-occasion wear. There really is no material that more faithfully holds its own than handsome Irish linen. With

women of discriminating taste, fine linen is a tradition, and now, because of scientific processing, the new linens are rendered practically non-wrinkable.

Aside from the practical view, which ranks linen high because of its complete washability, creaseresistancy and adaptability to any type of wearing apparel, style experts are suggesting linen because of the beautiful colors in which it may now be purchased.

A trend this season is the combining of linen with another fabric. You'll see many linen dresses with wool coats, lined and collared to match the dress. Linen also may be combined with silk or rayon prints very effectively. Often a monotone linen coat is lined with the print of a matching frock. In these instances, the linen used is one of the heavier, sturdier weaves, either plain or with self-plaid woven into the fabric.

A fashion highlight this season is the newly styled longer jackets of solid colored linen, worn over bright gingham checks or printed cottons. The attractive ensemble centered in the photograph illustrates the idea. The jacket, of deep green linen, is cut as expertly and fits as suavely

vogue. Two shades of Irish linen, a

li for gay young folk.

It's 'three cheers for the redwhite-and-blue" when the classic shirtwaist dress shown to the left in the group marches along in the fashion parade. The dress is of blue wrinkle-resistant Irish linen. The double blue-and-white collar and cuffs are edged with red rickrack, and the chic crocheted belt also combines the three colors.

A fashion that women will welcome is the redingote that is styled rifice and then of linen in handsome dark monotones. This is worn over print frocks very effectively and over linen downtown in an dresses of a contrasting shade. A imperial limoupractical as well as smart item in sine they got held any wardrobe is the linen suit that is up three minutes fashioned with the longer jacket. In by a defense parade. navy or dark green or toast brown it invites many uses, for the jacket may be worn over casual frocks when not worn with its matching cause a new defense aviation base skirt.

The young set glories this season it made him nervous while putting. in the new line middy blouse fash- Elmer-You can find plenty of ions. As summer advances, dance floors will boast linen dinner dresses. On beaches, dressmaker bathing priority to the shipment of bombers suits in linen will take to the water and many play suits and beach dresses of Irish linen will be worn by vacationers. (Released by Western Newspaper Union.)

White-Ground Prints New

In Summer Fashion Picture

It is the white-ground prints that

have the coveted "now" look. The

black-on-white combination is espe-

cially smart. Wear with these black-

and-whites one of the very voguish

"style."



LUKE AND ELMER ON SACRIFICE

Luke-I suppose you've heard the President's warnings on the sacrifices every American man and woman will have to meet now that the all-out aid program is in full swing. Elmer-Yes, and no truer word

was ever spoken. But I doubt that more than one American in a thousand appreciates it. Luke-I hope it don't come to a

point where I have to stay home week-ends.



don't mind sacrificing as long as it don't make 'em lay up the big car, shorten up the pleasure trips

or cut down on the night club parties. Luke-Ain't a guy got a right to

his own idea of what a sacrifice means?

Elmer-Not up to the point where he thinks it's strictly a baseball term.

Luke-You don't expect people to go around demanding a chance to sacrifice, do you?

Elmer-Not yet, but I think it will be strictly a routine impulse before the year is over. Mr. Roosevelt gave a plain warning in strong language, but the people still need to be stirred up to a full appreciation of what it all really means. This rich tan and a deep green, combine country has been in an atmosphere to dramatize the South American in- of marathon waltzing, express fluence shown in the simulated bo- speedways, de luxe settings, special lero of this good-looking dress. This upholstery and bottle feeding for so is a fashion designed by Schiaparel- many years that too many people still think it's a sacrifice to get up the first time the alarm goes off instead of waiting for the repeat.

Luke-I guess maybe you're right. I know some fellers who would think they was making the sacrifice of a lifetime if they had to work twenty minutes overtime in even a soft job like judging a Miss America contest. Elmer-And I could point out a lot of 'em who could applaud every

word the President said on sacset up a yelp if on their way

Luke-I read where some guy made a squawk the other day bewas so close to his golf course that



To keep the inside of a gas range in good condition, remove rust that may have accumulated with coarse sandpaper, then rub over entire surface with olive oil.

When rooms are to be painted, coat windows with a cleaning powder. If paint splatters on the glass it comes off easily when the powder is wiped away.

A teaspoonful of vinegar added to any boiled frosting before spreading will keep it from becoming brittle or breaking when it is cut.

Shrinkage in woolens is usually due to over-washing. In ordinary circumstances, three minutes is long enough for them.

To give shingles the appearance of being stained, use a paint with low gloss, or a flat paint. .

Many kitchens have a bare, unused wall space that could be usefully and attractively transformed into recessed shelves.

Before baking potatoes, let them stand in hot water for 15 minutes. Then rub with butter or lard and put in oven. They will bake in half the time and will not shrink.

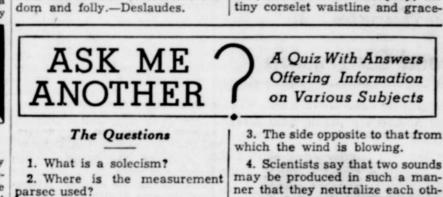
If sugar is added to water when making flavored ice cubes, the cubes will not freeze clear or solidly. . . .

Two tablespoons chile sauce or catsup poured over top meat loaf when half-baked gives a good flavor and rather crusty covering.

If kerosene is added to the water with which linoleum is washed it will loosen dirt and make washing much easier.

Unlikely Sentiments

I distrust those sentiments that are too far removed from nature, and whose sublimity is blended with ridicule; which two are as near one another as extreme wisdom and folly .- Deslaudes.



3. The side opposite to that from which the wind is blowing.

EVERY line and detail of this

slim figures-the sweetheart neck-

line, the soft bodice drapery, the

charming basic is flattering to

4. Scientists say that two sounds may be produced in such a manner that they neutralize each oth-

7. Egypt. Consanguineous mar-

8. Yucca flower stalks in Cali-

fornia grow from 7 to 11 inches in

riages are those between half-

er and the result is silence.

5. Cortez. 6. Casabianca.

brothers and half-sisters.

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Gardeners

GARDENS OF QUALITY

THERE have been changes in recent years in garden practices that are worth reporting. Gardeners formerly allowed vegetables to grow as large as possible. This procedure gave a higher yield in pounds, but very often it lowered the quality of vegetables. Some vegetables, of course, like tomato, must be mature to be palatable; but carrots, cucumbers, beets, summer squash, turnips, radishes, and others are more tender and tasty when not much more than half grown.

Gardeners are finding that it is wise to plant oftener than once or twice a year, to maintain a regular supply of proper-sized vegetables. Gardens prove more enjoyable, and more profitable when successive plantings of favorite crops are made every two or three weeks, providing garden-fresh vegetables for the table over long season.

It is also true that few gardeners today save flower seeds. Fine flowers growing in the home garden often are cross-pollinated by others of the same species, making flowers grown from their seed inferior, and untrue.

Laws Gravitate

Laws and institutions are constantly tending to gravitate. Like clocks, they must be occasionally cleansed, and wound up, and set to true time.-H. W. Beecher.



Easing Relaxation

relaxation relieves the mind .--

Straining breaks the bow, and

SOUTHERN OREGON MINER

nstakingly tailored any pa It tops a black, white and green checked dress which follows carefully the lines of a classic shirtwaist frock. The use of linen in two-toned com-

binations is a this-season theme that stresses the popular contrast-color

Dramatic Bags

Dramatic bags, with swank shoes

of shiny perforated leather to match,

are smart as can be. In the under-

arm bag designed by Jenny which

the young modern pictured is carry-

ing, shiny black patent leather is

cleverly used to form wings of ruf-

fled and perforated patent. This bag

is roomy but compact and is styled

with all the "last word" improve-

ments. You will find it the perfect

complement for your new tailleur

and particularly chic carried with the

now-so-voguish black faille jacket

suits. By the way, the topknot that

surmounts the pretty head of the

young lady here posing is a very

Newest wrist watches are square,

made of pink gold, set with diamonds and rubies and fastened with

new-fashion chapeau.

a maroon wrist cord.

people who think a major sacrifice is involved if the government gives the result being silence? as against pool tables and electric queror of Mexico? music boxes. . . .

THE PENCIL SHARPENER You'll find this odd utensil In every office joint: It sharpens up your pencil-And then breaks off the point!

-Merrill Chilcote. . . .

Can You Remember-Away back when cigarettes were said to stunt growth?

. . .

We understand Harold Ickes hadn't been at sea on the President's yacht an hour before he was advocating federal censorship of the

. . . Hitler is the kind of man who not

only celebrates spring by shooting the first robin but justifies it on the ground it was planning to attack him.

There is a large demand for handknit apparel. Even the machine Notes," has reached this departknits have been brought to such a ment. John says that the dragon point of perfection that they have fly of "darning needle" does not sew the handknit look. Dresses are so up your ears as we were taught in expertly fashioned that they do not childhood, but is harmless, and, in miss any of the styling details that fact, beneficial. If your ear has give distinction to fabric treatments.

For Bra to Match Dress and down, almost to the waistline. With this type of dress, comes a bra chow but write home that the food to match. You can fasten the open is lousy. point high or low, as you wish. The latest blouses have open-throat col- know you finished a job quicker than lared necklines that may be adjusted anybody else, thinking it gets you at will.

Brims Large, Small

It's a far cry from the tiny little flower topknots milliners are pleased to call hats to the wide, wider, widest brims that are forecasted for wear with summer frocks. A properly equipped wardrobe of headgear should include both. The cunning flower hats have captured women's big red professor should never sufancy to the extent that they will persede the little red schoolhouse. continue in the picture for a long time to come, but from now on they must share honors with the stunning All my protests do not faze herbig pompadour brims, Mexican She cuts cloth still with my razor. gaucho felts and the face-framing

"covered wagon" types.

. . . John Kieran's new tome, "Nature been sewn up a dragon fly is so kind and gentle it will take the

YOU'RE A ROOKIE DRAFTEE WHEN-

1-You take reprimands from corporals seriously.

2-You're a low private but you have the idea it is necessary to yell at others when given a detail to

3-You demand three helpings of

4-You always let the sergeant

. . .

-A. B. Watac.

OUT OF THE RED

The New York board of education has made membership in any Communist, Fascist or Nazi group sufficient grounds for dismissal of any teacher in a city college. It got around at last to the belief that the . . .

A WIFE'S WORST FAULT -Merrill Chilcote.

4. May one sound be produced so as to neutralize another sound,

3. What is the lee side of a ship?

5. Who was the Spanish con-

6. In the famous poem, named after the hero, what "boy stood on the burning deck"? 7. What country is noted for its

consanguineous marriages? 8. How fast do the stalks of the yucca flower grow?

The Answers

1. A grammatical error. 2. In astronomy (used for measuring space between the stars).

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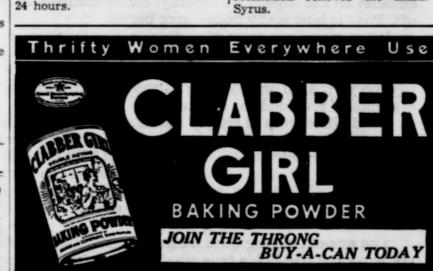
Reciprocating

it than to consume wealth without We have no more right to con- producing it. - George Bernard sume happiness without producing | Shaw.

Study Reveals

The more we study, we the more discover our ignorance.-Shelley.





large Milan hats, carry a patent bag matched with pumps, splash a dash of red or yellow in gloves and your boutonniere-the sum total will be waves. Blue on white is also new and the prints that pattern red or yellow on white are exceedingly chic.

Handknit Apparel Enjoys

Increase in Popularity

Sweaters and cardigans abound in stitches out, we take it. unique trimmings, such as wool yarn fringe, dangling tassels, embroideries and knitted skirts are now made with pleats or gores.

Low-Cut Necklines Call

Necklines are on their way down direct. ahead.