

TUBE-LIKE DRESS COMING VOGUE IN FASHION CAPITAL

By Diana Merwin
(Associated Press Fashion Editor)

PARIS—As the banks of the ever-crowded and the street will not be turned by a style makers' decision that normal waistlines are smart.

On the contrary, it looks as if most of us will have to take a still more rigorous course in calisthenics to qualify with the flat-front, hipless, willow figure Paris has put on the 1929-30 pedestal.

Given some professional mannequins who look as if they never tasted potatoes or heard of a chocolate sundae are in training to perfect themselves to wear the new, tube-like evening dresses that hug the figure to the knees and accentuate every curve.

As first aids in wearing the new, high-waisted, tight-fitting dresses, leading dressmakers insist on the foundation of a good corset that reaches several inches below the waistline and extends more than half way to the knee.

At one important house the rule is, no fittings until the proper corset has been ordered. And it is a stout affair, with bones up the front and back and laces if required.

Stylists who have watched the pendulum swing back and forth predict the early passing of casual ribbon and elastic girdles as the foundation for evening gowns and say that it is only a matter of time until figures take on the classic lines lent by whalebone and stout satin.

STAMBOUL, Turkey (AP)—A

trance of modernization is how a

recent bicycle ride of a Moslem

priest here was described.

Turkish priests often ride in

solemn dignity upon the backs of

donkeys but this was the first re-

corded case of a "Hodja" on a

bicycle.

CLASSMATES OF TALENT AT TEA

TALENT, Ore., Sept. 2. (Special)—Miss Violetta and Jeanette Miller gave a tea recently in honor of eight classmates of the Ashland normal. A very enjoyable afternoon was reported. Dainty refreshments were served by the hostess, consisting of ice cream, cookies, punch and mince.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Rush are moving to Medford where Mr. Rush is employed by the Virgin radio station.

Mrs. Stella Hutchinson of Oakland, Cal., is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Rush during her stay in Southern Oregon.

William Chilton is in the city for business, after a vacation of two months.

C. F. Estes is employed in building an addition to the home of Mr. Ed Gelling, south of Ashland. Mrs. G. L. Bullen left for Portland Aug. 30, where she expects to meet her husband, who is employed in the U. S. navy yards at Bremerton, Wash.

Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Estes and daughter, May, returned Aug. 26 after a month's vacation on the coast. They visited Newport and other coast cities as well as at Albion and Eugene.

Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Hammond of Berkeley, Cal., called at the home of Chas. Estes Aug. 31. Mr. Hammond is employed as assistant chemist by the U. S. navy at Mare Island.

SPOKANE MAN BUYS PROPERTY IN TALENT

TALENT, Sept. 2. (Special)—Frank Heath formerly of Spokane, Wash., recently purchased the home of George Irvine just south of this city on the highway. Mr. Irvine expects to make his home in Ashland in the future.

CLEVELAND AIR RACES ATTRACT FAMOUS FOLK OF AIR



The great and near-great of aviation flew to Cleveland for the national air races. Center is "Lindy" arguing with his baby plane. Right is Louise Thaden of Pittsburgh just after she had won the Santa Monica, California, Cleveland woman's derby. Ruth Elder (left) didn't win anything but she made the trip anyway. Upper view is of Blanche Boyce of Cleveland, receiving the husbandly kiss at the end of the journey.

WINTER RACE PROGRAM OF 55 DAYS FOR FLORIDA

JACKSONVILLE, Fla. (AP)—

Frank A. Keeney plans to open Keeney park on Christmas day and run a horse racing meet of

55 days. He said that interest among prominent New York horsemen promises a good reason for the Florida course.

HAMILTON, Bermuda (AP)—Dr. William Beebe, noted naturalist,

who is spending the summer at Nonsuch Island, in deep sea exploration, has caught an early deep-sea fish that they number hundreds of varieties. Never satisfied with his enormous finds on the ocean floor. He is reported

to local scientists to be searching for an elusive fish that is his own mother.

Kansas City police are warning against bombing racketeers.

BLOODTHIRSTY PIRATES OF AIR CONGREGATING AT NEW CITY AIRPORT

(By Mary Greiner)

It might have been expected that with the rapid development of aviation the past year? Count now the pirates of the air—immense numbers and growing more than the old sea pirates ever aspired to be.

Medford has had its share of them, and is just waking up to the situation. They have been using the new Medford airport as a landing field for the past two months or more—grasping it, unfortunately at night, so as to avoid detection.

Publicity to the effect that the local post would not be ready until October at the earliest, and that any attempt on the part of pilots to use this ground before it was properly graded and graded would be nothing short of disastrous to all parties concerned, struck no qualms in the callous hearts of these intruders.

Waiting patiently until the workmen on the Medford post had retired from the scene and the place was enveloped by darkness, the fliers frequently turned their noses toward this city. Circling over the local field, the pirate air crew began scouting some of them pulling tail spins—some nose dives, and others indulging in the most fiendish and grotesque aerial gymnastics ever conjured by human imagination.

The whirr of their motors were inhuman and yet unmechanical. It might have been Heinie Kihlner, or one of the other equally well known pilots of Medford who, sensing something amiss, parked in an obscure corner of the new post one night, and discovered the strange caravan carrying out their nocturnal mission.

At any rate, although their visits here have not been given any newspaper publicity, the local airport officials have been aware of them, but have kept the knowl-

edge to themselves. Members of the Mail Tribune staff have kept the story under their hats. Nor have they been bursting to spring it on the public. Who wants to give any publicity to a flock of misquitos anyway?

TRYON CO. TO RESUME TALENT COPCO AGENCY

TALENT, Ore., Sept. 2. (Special)—The Tryon Mercantile company will resume the duties of agent for the Copco company and Archie Edmondson will have charge of the city water department for the city of Talent and vicinity.

A. H. Adamson, who has had charge of this office, has resigned, due to moving from Talent to Ashland.

TALENT TEACHER TO HEAD MALIN SCHOOL

TALENT, Ore., Sept. 2. (Special)—Roland Parks of this city left recently for Malin, Ore., where he has accepted a position as principal of the school at that place. Roland graduated from the Ashland normal in June of this year.

DANISH FIGHTER STARTS PREPARATION FOR BOAT

COPENHAGEN (AP)—Knud Larson, popular young Danish contender for the world boxing championship, has concluded an engagement with the Copenhagen theater to get into condition for his bout with Al Brown in Copenhagen, August 28.

BERLIN (AP)—Automobile driving, which until recently was considered rather "unladylike" in Germany, is rapidly gaining popularity with women. The number of women obtaining licenses in Berlin has more than doubled in the past two years.

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