

Ski and Skating Togs Make Fine Gifts



Light colors are smartest for ski jackets—du Pont "Zelan" durable repellent makes them practical. These make grand gifts. Left: Reversible in cotton poplin hat matching or contrasting cap, mitts, belt, bag. Right: New longer jacket in pima cotton fabric.

Winter sports are attracting more and more enthusiasts every year—and age is no limit! Any lady on your Christmas list, from six to 60, is apt to be, and

probably is, a winter sports addict. Which brings us to the subject of sportswear for Christmas gifts—and the variety is practically limitless. A very nice feature of this gift idea is the colorful, cheerful eye appeal of the merchandise itself. It's just about irresistible!

Light colors are new and smart for ski jackets, in luscious wools with a bon-bon look about them; and stout, warm linings on the practical side. They're zippered, fly front, buttoned or hooked, with a generous lap-over to keep out stray breezes. There are dark colors, too, for more conservative tastes; and bright colors that always go over big with the younger set.

Ski Instructor Trousers
Ski trousers favor a long-stemmed, professional silhouette—in the best instructor tradition, that inspires confidence just to look at them. Twill, wool gabardine, wind-resistant fabrics or corduroy makes a happy choice—with zipper pockets that keep cigarettes and hanky dry, even in a snow bank.

Skating Costumes Starred
Skating costumes grow more professional looking every season, probably to keep pace with the amateur skaters who grow more proficient every season, too. Wools are the favorite, particularly wool jersey—light in weight, and nice and warm. Bright color hemline facings, that flash color when in action, are often matched in border treatments which, in turn, tie-up with jacket, cap or blouse color. Very gay, and a wonderful ensemble gift, for favorite nieces or good little sisters. Velveteens and corduroy, of course, continue to bring color and verve to skating costumes. They borrow wool for facings and trimmings, too, and very effectively.

There are all sorts of wind-proof fabrics available in ski and skating togs, and you can't do better for thoughtful gift giving. They are amazingly light in weight, too, with absolutely no bulk—but plenty of resistance and durability. The grays,

greens and tans are practical, neutral—and wearable with just about anything. Jackets of this type, with or without hoods (and many of them are detachable), make gifts par excellence.

Simple Welcome for American Troops On Paramaribo Arrival

Paramaribo, Dutch Guiana, Nov. 26.—(P)—United States troops have reached this Netherlands South American colony and have received a "heartily and simple welcome," the official Netherlands Indies news agency, Aneta, reported last night.

The time of their arrival, their numbers and their deployment were kept secret.

There was a minimum of ceremony and the arrival of the troops caused little excitement, the agency said. An order of the day issued by J. C. Kiestra, the governor-general, stressed the cooperation of the United States "in the struggle of The Netherlands."

The troops are here under an agreement among the U. S., The Netherlands government and Brazil, by which the United States undertakes protection of the bauxite mines.

Berlin, Nov. 26.—(P)—The sending of troops to Dutch Guiana was called "the first military attack of the United States on South America" today by the authoritative commentary, Dienst Aus Deutschland, which said the action was directed against French colonial possessions in the western hemisphere.

"Greatest attention" is being given in Berlin to this latest development, the commentary service added.

Navy Recruiting in Portland District Tops Entire Nation

Portland (Sp)—A bulletin from the navy department's bureau of navigation has informed Lieutenant Glenn F. DeGrave, officer in charge of navy recruiting in this district, that his territory led the entire country in recruiting, on the basis of comparative populations, for the month of October.

Under DeGrave's supervision, the Portland district garnered 16 men per 100,000 population during the month. In second place was San Diego, with 15.63 men.

During October Portland and its substations enlisted 233 men from among 468 applicants, almost 50 percent of all men seeking enlistment having been found acceptable.

For the year, Portland stands second in enlistments, having enjoyed the stimulation of the current advertising campaign for a much shorter time than the majority of the country's main recruiting stations. A total of 770 men have been enlisted here during the year.

Lack of Discipline, Poor Leadership Is Seen in Maneuvers

With IV Army Corps in the Carolinas, Nov. 26.—(P)—Instances of rocks in sacks of flour used to simulate bombs in the army maneuvers and the throwing of acid smoke bombs that were intended to be used as mines "are so numerous and flagrant as to show clearly a lack of discipline and, back of that, inadequate leadership," Lieut. Gen. Lesley J. McNair says.

It was one of the points stressed by the chief of staff of army general headquarters at a critique late yesterday of the first week's training battle between the first army and the IV army corps.

"No great fighting force can be built on such a foundation," the general said.

He disclosed that an acid-drenching cost one soldier an eye. In another instance, several soldiers and some umpires fought with fists and swung rifle butts in a skirmish that got beyond control.

Among the latest additions for the army are the "cleaning stations" which are combination units for disinfecting clothing and providing bathing facilities for troops in the field.

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WIDE VARIETY OF GAMES OFFERED FOR FAMILY FUN

Mothers, fathers, aunts, uncles and cousins usually participate at some time or other during the holidays in the games that sister and brother receive from Santa Claus and so we find the staple "bread and butter." Dominoes, checkers, anagrams, Chinese checkers, "Bingo" and "Par-chesi" still good.

Football Board Games Popular
Boys and girls are exceptionally keen about baseball and football board games. An all star baseball game of this type features big league stars playing their own regular positions on the field. The game was designed by a former Giant baseball star.

Dart games, steady year round sellers in toy, adult game and sporting goods departments are exceptionally good at Christmas. These have appeal for young and old . . . many of them have double face with a baseball game on reverse side.

Old Games Modernized
Among the old-time games which have been modernized is a fishing game with colored

metal fish, fish poles with magnets and "frying pans."

Card games of all kinds make nice gifts and other old-time numbers are all available in adult game and toy departments.

A table top bowling game introduced early this year is a dollar number, which appeals to all those who want to "bowl" right on top of the bridge table.

"Treasure Hunt" is a favorite party game which comes attractively packaged in a simulated treasure chest, a game for young and old which is found in most toy departments.

"Gin Rummy" is widely featured in adult game departments and enjoyed by young and old alike . . . played like old-fash-

ioned rummy with a new gambling twist.

WPA APPROVES

Washington, Nov. 26.—(P)—Senator McNary was notified today of presidential approval of three Oregon WPA projects including Portland, \$280,834 for sewer system improvement; Independence, \$56,390 to improve the sanitary system, and La Grande, \$18,907 for an emergency airport.

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