

LONG BACK CAPE NEW FEATURE; POPULAR NECKLINE TREATMENTS

DESIGNERS are especially keen, this season in regard to back-views. Apparently the prevailing sentiment is that if the back view is alluringly designful, the front will take care of itself. At any rate we are being made to feel that prepossessing backs are absolutely essential to good styling, and if one view or the other must be sacrificed let the front be sacrificed to the interests of the back.

A very successful interpretation of the attractive-back-view theory is that

ing of backview elaboration is most frequently expressed. What with bustle effects, cowlings positioned to accent the extreme back décolletage, fanciful trains and such, the back-view theme becomes a matter of paramount interest.

It requires the genius of an arithmetician to keep tab on the multiplicity of capelets, scarfs and neckline drapes which so enhance modern dress.

Since the majority of necklines are



LONG BACK CAPE NEW NOTE IN STYLE

of the extremely long-at-the-back cape which ties in a scarf at the front. Note its effectiveness in the picture. This pretty informal evening gown is of yellow mousseline de sole printed in rose and blue.

While these deep-back capes are very charming made of self fabric as illustrated, they are even more flattering if the cape be made of fine lace. Among the delights in store for the style-seeking woman are lace capes, which can be obtained at the better neckwear departments, featuring unusually deep backs which narrow to shallow fronts where they tie in fish-like manner.

It seems that all roads of fashion lead to attractive back views this season. Not only are evening frocks distinguished with elaborate back treatments, but the new suntan backs which are a chief topic of conversation in style circles, are proving a genuine inspiration to the stylist to create novel and flattering effects.

All sorts of "dressmaker" touches are being invented to enhance these daytime décolletage backs, chief among which are pert little bows posed here and there to best advantage. At sight of a cunning gingham mode of recent appearance one was inclined to argue that a "turn about is fair

finished off with beguiling, novel, fluttering floating effects. It most assuredly behooves the seeker of things fashionable, to make a study of the cunning fantasies which now play such a picturesque role in concealing yet revealing unsleaved arms.

Graceful scarf collars like the one in the picture below interpret a popular neckline treatment. These oblong or panel-shaped lengths of fabric are manipulated in countless ways. If the material be very sheer then are they sure to fall into lines of alluring grace, which encourages the designer to take countless liberties in adjusting them.

One pretty arrangement is to bring the long scarf ends to the back where they are tied together or perhaps caught with a buckle or in some manner are ingeniously held in position. Quite clever is the thought of extending a single long streamer over one arm, the opposite end being fitted in to a delicate formation.

Considerable attention is being given to neckline treatments in fashions for fall. It is said that lingerie touches on silk, wool and velvet frocks will be featured, and that clever ideas will be exploited, such as deep capes of lace, elaborate jabot collars and other fetching conceits.



THE GRACEFUL SCARF COLLAR

play," for one could almost believe that the front of the dress had been shifted around to the back. At any rate most of the intriguing detail had been concentrated at the back, the front being conspicuously unadorned. Little bows of the gingham were tied in tiers across the half-way-to-the-waistline open space at the back and there was a tie-back of a gingham sash which formed a butterfly bow in bustle effect.

Perhaps it is in connection with formal evening modes that the feel-

Color contrasts, too, will be worked out for fall in these scarf and capelet details. The model in the picture is typical of modes "on the way." This pretty sleeveless frock is fashioned of Madonna blue flat crepe. The scarf collar is of eggshell tinted crepe edged with the blue.

For evening lovely scarf-yokes and collars are of silk net or tulle, which glitter with elaborate sequin embroidery together with fine metal thread stitchery.

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One of the curious superstitions of friendship is that we somehow choose our friends. To the connoisseur in friendship no idea could be more amazing and incredible. Our friends are chosen for us by some hidden law of sympathy, and not by our conscious will.—Randolph S. Bourne.

HELPFUL SUGGESTIONS

Do as much of the canning, pickling and preserving as possible each week as the fresh berries, apples and other fruits come on. One of the nicest sweet pickles may be made from the early Duchess apple before it has



matured. Pickle just as one does peaches and they will be enjoyed next winter. When the apples are quite green the peeling is best left on. Core and cut into quarters and proceed as for peaches as follows: Make a sirup of four pounds of brown sugar, one pint of mild vinegar and boil ten minutes with a loose bag of mixed spices stick cinnamon, cassia buds, allspice and a teaspoonful of cloves, one-half cupful in all. Skim and add the apples, cook until tender, then remove the apples, cook the sirup down a few minutes and pour over boiling hot. Peaches (the small hard ones) are nice pickled in this way, but they will need longer cooking.

Uncooked English Chutney.—Take one pound each of ripe tomatoes and tart apples, four medium sized peppers, eight medium sized onions, half a cupful of mint leaves, one and one-half teaspoonfuls of salt, two cupfuls of granulated sugar, and three cupfuls of vinegar. Chop the tomatoes, add the salt and mix. Chop other ingredients. Scald the vinegar and cool, add sugar and mustard, mix all well, and let stand two weeks before using, stirring occasionally.

Piquant Apple Jelly.—Cut up crab apples or any early tart apples add a cupful of vinegar, a bag of mixed spices and enough cold water to just appear between the fruit. Boil covered until mushy, stirring and mashing, then strain through a jelly bag. The next morning measure the juice, boil hard with the bag of spices ten minutes, remove the spices and add an equal measure of hot sugar. Boil three to five minutes, skimming carefully. Put in glasses.

Plum Conserve.—To six pounds of pitted plums add six pounds of sugar, three oranges and one lemon, put through the meat chopper, add one and one-half pounds of seeded raisins. Boil slowly until the consistency of jelly and put into hot sterilized glasses.

Midsummer Desserts

During the warm weather, light desserts and those that are frozen are the most acceptable. The following will be suggestive:



Grape Juice Parfait.—Boil one cupful of sugar, one-half cupful of grape juice until it threads, then pour in a fine stream slowly over the whites of two beaten eggs, beating constantly. Chill. Add one-half cupful of grape juice and one tablespoonful of lemon juice to two cupfuls of heavy cream, beat until stiff, then fold in the first mixture. Turn into a mold, adjust the cover and pack in ice and salt. Unmold after standing for four hours or longer. Serve on a lace paper covered plate, covered with candied violets.

Orange Tarts.—Make small pastry shells by baking them on the bottom of small gem pans. Fill with the following: Take one cupful of sugar, four tablespoonfuls of flour, a bit of salt and the grated rind of an orange, three-fourths of a cupful of orange juice, two egg whites beaten and one-half tablespoonful of butter. Cook ten minutes in a double boiler, stirring constantly. Fill the shells and spread with a meringue. Use orange extract to flavor the meringue. Serve cold.

Currant Pie.—Mix two and one-half cupfuls of fresh ripe currants with two cupfuls of sugar, one-half teaspoonful of salt, two tablespoonfuls of flour and two egg yolks mixed with two tablespoonfuls of water and a tablespoonful of butter. Bake in two crusts. Sprinkle the top with powdered sugar and serve.

Baked Tapioca Pudding.—Mix one-fourth cupful of minute tapioca with one-third of a cupful of sugar, one-half teaspoonful of salt, stir into three cupfuls of boiling water and cook until the mixture is clear then stir in three well beaten eggs. Turn into a buttered baking dish and bake in a moderate oven until the pudding is firm in the center. Pineapple sauce or any fruit sauce may be served with it. Apples cut in eighths, or peaches or pears may be baked with the pudding and serve with cream.

Junket Ice Cream.—Heat to lukewarm one quart of milk, add one junket tablet crushed and dissolved in a tablespoonful of warm water. Flavor with vanilla and add one cupful of heavy cream and one cupful of sugar. Freeze and serve in halves of muskellon well chilled. Top with bits of candied ginger.

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DAIRY FACTS

FEEDING GRAIN TO DAIRY COWS

Wise Feeder Will Supply Balanced Ration.

(By J. W. LINN, Extension Dairyman, Kansas State Agricultural College.)

Balanced rations are just as important to the dairy cow in summer as in winter. To maintain the balance and keep up the high production record, grain must be fed.

Grain feeding is always more expensive than roughage or pasture feeding in Kansas. If grain feeding is more expensive than roughage or pastures, there can be only one reason for its use, and that is to supply nutriment that the heavy producing cow cannot get from the roughage or pasture.

Profit from dairy cows is linked so closely with high production that it is impossible to separate them. In other words the cow producing 400 pounds of fat is making two and a half times as much profit as the one making 200 pounds of fat.

The wise feeder will feed a balanced ration and do so according to production. He will feed such as to have the same ratio between protein and carbohydrate—about one to six.

The grain ration that will usually be found most profitable is two parts of corn to one part of oats or bran. This will be true until the grass begins to dry up or grow short. It is important to again increase the protein part of the grain ration at which time the 4-2-1 ration which consists of four parts corn, two parts bran or ground oats, and one part cottonseed or linseed meal should be used.

The second important thing in profitable grain feeding is to use the grain according to production because the cow producing 50 pounds of milk will need about three times as much grain as the cow producing 20 pounds.

Production Best Guide for Feeding in Summer

It's the high producing cow that needs grain while she is on pasture, according to I. W. Rupel, of the animal husbandry staff at the Wisconsin State College of Agriculture.

Some have the idea that their cows do not require grain because they turn up their noses at it when they first go out on pasture. These men will find, according to Rupel, that as soon as the cattle have been on the new grass about a week, grain will keep them from slumping in production.

The proper way to determine how much grain to give during the summer, Rupel believes, is to feed according to production. A Holstein, producing over 30 pounds of milk per day, should receive grain at the rate of one pound for every four pounds of milk produced above 30 pounds. That is, a cow producing 50 pounds of milk should have five pounds of grain. Jerseys and Guernseys should have a little more grain than Holsteins, and when the pasture is poor, the grain ration should be increased.

Equal amounts of corn and oats make a good mixture for the summer grain ration. A little oil meal may be added to make the feed more palatable. Protein supplements are not usually necessary because sufficient protein is obtained from the average good pasture. When pastures become poor during the dry season, some protein feed is beneficial.

Dairy Facts

Heavy producing cows pay best.

To feed cows well is to feed them profitably.

In calf production, the influence of a good bull is of major importance.

Feeding dairy cows according to the amount of milk they produce is a profitable practice.

Milk can't be manufactured without salt and water. See to it, therefore, that the cow, the ewe, and the sow have plenty of both.

All kinds of young animals thrive best on green pastures. A green patch, enclosed with a temporary fence, often solves the grazing problem.

Creameries which buy whey cream should have no fear of ill effects from mixing it with the regular supply of cream. If the quality of the whey cream is equal to that of the regular supply.

To keep the average butterfat production on a steady increase, a herd owner must cull unprofitable cows.

Destroy all breeding places of flies by hawking away manure daily and preventing accumulation of any filth.

Since milk is one of the most easily contaminated foods, it is important that it be kept away from disagreeable odors and in a cool place. A brick or cement milkhouse furnishes the needed conditions in a most satisfactory manner.

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POISON IVY

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Restrictions as to passage through the Khyber pass apply both to men and women. The pass is open only on certain days of the week and at certain designated hours. It is the main strategic point of entry into India from Afghanistan and is, therefore, carefully guarded.

Such Ignorance!

"Nurse, there is a little boy at our school who has never seen a horse." "How strange!" "No, he hasn't, because I drew one today and showed it to him, and he said: 'Whatever animal is that?'—Stray Stories.

Christendom's Champions

St. George of England, St. Denis of France, St. James of Spain, St. Anthony of Italy, St. Andrew of Scotland, St. Patrick of Ireland and St. David of Wales were given the title "Champions of Christendom."

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Real Life Romance

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"I went out with a professional mind reader last night." "How did she enjoy her holiday?"

Enough Said

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Airplane Pilots Make Study of Bird Flights

New light on the height and speed of which birds fly, and upon bird migration, is being thrown by airplane pilots. Joint plans are being developed by bird societies and aeronautical associations to compile systematically such aerial observations of feathered folk.

It seems that birds are rarely sighted by airmen above a height of about 3,000 feet. Not long ago, however, one pilot reported seeing a couple of large birds, which he took to be eagles, at an altitude of more than 12,000 feet. It is believed that some birds, when on migrating flights, attain nearly 20,000 feet. Ornithologists are asking airmen to make special observations as to the speed at which birds fly. In one case, already on record, a pilot cruising at about 100 miles an hour, was approached by a number of swifts. These graceful birds not only overtook the airplane, but outstripped it with ease.

During the war pilots on patrol above the dunes of western Belgium often amused themselves by putting their airplanes against teal and mallard. Both these birds seemed capable of a speed of more than 100 miles an hour.

Longest Truss Bridge

With the completion of a huge structure across the mouth of the Waal river, the Netherlands claims to have the longest truss bridge in the world. It is two miles long, and connects the cities of Dordrecht and Moerdijk. The bridge is made up of a series of spans of rigid steel framework, supported by massive piers rising from the river, which is very wide and shallow at that point.

Defining Engineering

The following definition of "engineering," designed to be general enough to include the various branches, has been proposed by Col. P. E. Barbour, secretary of the Mining and Metallurgical Society of America: "Engineering is the judicious application of the technical sciences to the human solution of inanimate mechanical problems."

If It Isn't One Thing

"Why are you looking so down in the mouth, old fellow?" "Lost my new car." "Good heavens! Why don't you report it to the sheriff?" "No good. He's the one who took it."—Boston Transcript.

If Not, O. K.

"This the road to Coolanguboo?" "Keep on the way yer 'endin', an' if yer come to a 'ill with a church on it, you'll know yer took the wrong turn."—Sydney Bulletin.

"Baby" Airplane

Measuring only 25 feet from wing tip to wing tip, and capable of flying more than 40 miles per gallon of fuel, a new type of "baby" airplane was recently demonstrated in London.

The After-Dinner Talk

"The speaker seems to weigh every word before he speaks." "But you could never accuse him of giving short weight."

Can't Avoid It

Irate Father—What is that stuff on my new car? Where have you been? Calm Son—That's only traffic jam.

No Chance

"My wife wants all my wages." "Why don't you strike?" "Then she'll gimme the lockout."

The largest and richest emerald mines in Colombia are the property of the Colombian government.

A man who understands men can give you good advice about one without being able to explain it.

There is some hope for the fool who does not boast of his wisdom.

Don't trim your lamp so zealously as to extinguish it.

Future of Lighthouse

A further demonstration of the utility of wireless is to be found in the wireless direction finder with which many large vessels are being fitted. By means of this a vessel is able to discover position and direction without the aid of the lighthouse or light-ship, and irrespective of the state of the weather. So general is the use of this appliance becoming that the future utility of the lighthouse is being questioned. The shipowners anticipate it may lead to a diminution in the number of lighthouses and ships, for the upkeep of which they pay many thousands of dollars every year in "light dues."

Love may make the world go round, but it takes a little jealousy to accelerate the speed.

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