

NEW YORK FASHION LETTER

New York, July 16.—Present fashions may have their faults and drawbacks, their incongruities and unreasonable points, but they possess one great redeeming feature, which compensates to a great extent for all shortcomings; they possess artistic qualities that delight the eye of an artist. Present styles show a much greater appreciation of beauty in outlines, color, proportion and general effect than any fashion of which we have any record. Whether the artistic taste of the makers of fashions has improved, or whether the artistic qualities of the present styles are merely an accident, the fact of happy influences working harmoniously together to produce, unconsciously, an almost perfect result, I cannot decide, but the fact it self cannot be denied. The prevailing styles show a remarkable understanding of proportions, a simply marvelous appreciation of the fitness of certain materials to produce certain effects, a keen insight into the mysteries of artistic combinations of colors and delicate discernment in selecting the most effective lines.

Of course, not all makers of fashions possess the qualities of the eye and taste which make the artist, but the number of artists in their profession seem to be increasing from year to year. These creators of fashions have raised their profession to the dignity of an art and it cannot be denied that there is as much artistic merit in many of their modern creations as there is in a great many works of the painters of sculpture art.

The artistic instinct which seems to govern fashion at the present time manifest itself in various ways. First in the beauty of the lines, which are as delightful to the eye as the lines of a fine piece of architecture. The beautiful curves of the healthy and normal human figure are not disguised or hidden but rather displayed without accentuating them too much. The harmony of proportions is carefully

considered and preserved by various ingenious artificials. Of colors there has never been a greater nor more beautiful variety than at the present time and the fashion artists display a remarkable taste, for harmonious combinations. One of the most striking features, however, is the exquisite taste which these artists show in harmonizing the general effect of women's costumes by establishing close and artistic relations of lines and color between the various parts of the costume, including not only the skirt, waist or bodice and perhaps the coat, or wrap, but also the hat, the parasol, shoes, gloves, belt, etc.

There is probably no better place for studying new fashions, at least during the summer months, than at the "Grand Prix," as the great French derby is called. On that occasion every woman who can afford it and a great many women who cannot afford it, appear on the race track in new costumes and it is quite astounding how gorgeous the display on that occasion.

The display at the recent "Grand Prix," was unusually interesting and never before was a greater number of beautiful and artistic costumes displayed at a similar occasion than then. Perhaps the most striking feature was the bewildering variety of detail which, notwithstanding the fact, that in a general way the costumes were in perfect harmony with the present style, each one of the costumes represented a distinctive individuality.

Ribbons as decorative features of skirts and frocks were rather conspicuous by their absence. Many of the skirts were plaited. Although there were enough costumes in the 1930 style in evidence to introduce variety into the picture, they were by no means predominating. Some remarkably original and handsome effects in sleeves were noticeable. Some of the sleeves were open up to the shoulder, falling gracefully over rather tight fitting undersleeves of lace. Drooping shoulder patterns, high collars and a rather small number of pointed belts were characteristic of the display. Hats of every variety, some with, some without veils, were in evidence, and most of them were unusually handsome and picturesque.

The fashionable dressmakers of London and Paris have inaugurated a new fad, which will probably be taken up by the fashion artists in this country. The fad consists in giving names to dresses they make; not trade names, which might serve for classification, but individual names, which, as a rule, are of a symbolical character. "The first Kiss" was the name of a dress constructed by one of the most fashionable dressmakers of London. It was of delicate white material with edgings and ends of the same material, tipped with rose leaf shaped bits of crimson, probably suggesting the bright color of a maiden's lips. Another dress, called "A dream of Paradise," was trimmed with filmy lace, through which ran tiny threads of silver, with an occasional silver bead. Some of the gowns are named by the person for whom they are made and a beginning has even been made to establish a certain harmony between the general effect of the dress and its name. "Second Thoughts," for instance, was the name of a dress which was ordered by a handsome and young widow after her return from a house party that had been almost scandalously gay. It may be said here, that the costume was of a severe and plain gray and evidently suggested the

mood of the wearer. If this fad becomes popular, it may lead to the development of a symbolist school of dressmaking.

Petticoats with several detachable and adjustable flounces are becoming quite popular this season and they really deserve their popularity as they are extremely practicable. One of these skirts recently imported, has a Jersey top with three flounces, one block, one plaid and one of changeable blue and green material. These flounces are quite deep and frilled and ruffled at the bottom. All are of taffeta and are fitted with button holes at the top, concealed by a band. The Jersey part has a row of buttons at its lower edge. Detachable flounces of fine cambric and embroidery are also seen in the shops.

One of the most striking features of this summer's styles is the extensive use of handpainted decorations. This new fad has opened a field of remunerative employment for many young artists, art students and amateurs. There is scarcely any part of a woman's outfit which is exempt from that fad. Stockings, waist and hat ribbon, sashes, entire gowns, parasols, fans and even straw hats are decorated with handpainted flowers and other decorative designs. Particularly poor art students will welcome this fad, which enables them to earn enough money during the summer months, to continue their studies during the fall, winter and spring months at some academy.

One of the handsomest and most artistic costumes worn at a recent garden party was decorated in hand painted designs by the hand of a clever artist. The young lady, who wore the costume, a pretty and very wealthy girl, attracted considerable attention by the beauty of her costume. She was dressed in white and the same decorative design was consistently carried out in every part of her costume, from her skirt and bodice, to her hat, parasol, sash ribbon and fan.

The general tendency to simplify all non essentials in a woman's wardrobe and to avoid everything that would add bulkiness to her toilet, has caused many women to dispense with corset covers, except in cases where unlined blouses are worn. In place of the corset cover many women wear gauze scarfs, which are wrapped tight around the body and fastened under the arms with small gold pins. These scarfs give ample protection to the corset, without increasing the bulk. Many girls keep a supply of these scarfs in different colors on hand to be prepared for any emergency.

Combinations of black and white laces are worn a great deal this summer and, in some cases, the result is quite pleasing. White chiffon parasols, trimmed with black and white laces and hats, trimmed in the same manner seem to be quite popular and some of them, shown in the shops, are unusually attractive.

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7-14-21

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7-15-104

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The Portland-Seaside Flyer leaves Union depot every Saturday at 2:30 p. m., arriving Astoria 5:50 p. m. and runs through direct, arriving at Gearhart 6:40 p. m. and Seaside 6:50 p. m. In connection with this improved service, special round trip season tickets are sold from Portland to all Clatsop and North Beach points at rate of \$4.00 for the round trip, good for return passage until October 15.

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Saturday special round trip excursion tickets from Portland to all Clatsop and North Beach points on sale every Saturday at rate of \$2.50 for round trip, good to return Sunday.

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No. 2 for Yaquina	Leaves Albany	12:45 P.M.
	Leaves Corvallis	1:45 P.M.
	Arrives Yaquina	5:40 P.M.
No. 1. Returning	Leaves Yaquina	7:15 A.M.
	Leaves Corvallis	11:30 A.M.
	Arrives Albany	12:15 P.M.
No. 3 for Detroit	Leave Albany	1:00 P.M.
	Arrives Detroit	6:00 P.M.
No. 4 from Detroit	Leave Detroit	6:30 A.M.
	Arrives Albany	11:15 A.M.

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Oats—Buying, \$1.10 per cwt.
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Live Stock Market.
Steers—3 1/2@4c.
Cows—3c.
Sheep—3c.
Dressed pork—6 1/4@6 1/2.
Dressed Veal—5@6c.
Dressed hogs—6 1/4@6 1/2c.
Live hogs—5@5 1/2c.
Mutton—2 1/4@3c.

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Eggs—Oregon ranch, 19@19 1/2c.
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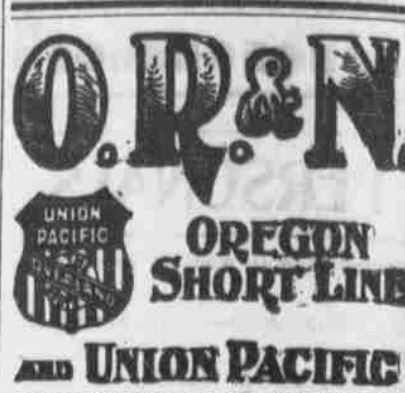
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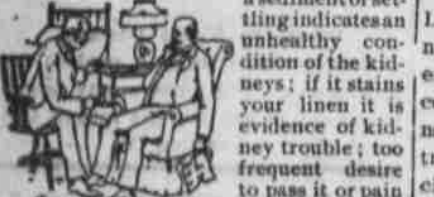
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