NEW YORK FASHIONS

New York, May 13.—With the open front jacket fashionable this spring, and a consequent multitude of little fillers in the way of chemisettes and guimpes, it is a little risky to ask a chance visitor to remove her coat, and sometimes a trifle embarrassing to receive an invitation. Later, when a high temperature makes unnecessary clothing a burden, such exigencies will multiply.

For open coats and bodices there are hosts of chemisette and undersleeve sets, at prices reasonable and the reverse. Many of the undersleeves are made in close-fitting mitten fashion, although puffed unders are also to be found. Some of the undersleeves are mere elbow puffs. There are chemisette and cuff sets too. The cuffs are wide, straight bands or reep pointed shapes.

Irish embroidery, real and imitation, is a great deal used. As to the chemisettes, their kinds are legion. They include everything from small Vs to long, wide fronts. They are also found in sets of a great variety of other toggeries, such as lapel-shaped collars for the open coats and bodices and long, straight bands for shirtwaist use over the front plait.

One of the newest fads for evening gowns is the little Louis XV. jacket of lace worn over lace or silk skirts. These jackets, to be quite up to date, must be made of deep ecru lace over a colored silk lining or of colored lace which matches the skirt in hue. They are a survival of the pretty dinner coats of brocaded and flowered or plain silk worn over gauze skirts during the winter.

The Empire modes which the fashion mongers are eyeing with admiration are more pronounced in coats than gowns. In the smartest wraps designed for summer butterflies there is a marked decrease in the width of the shoulders and a decided suggestion of drooping arm tops. Not that the langorous styles of a year or two ago are back. But the tide of wide shoulders has abated and the present finds them, as has been said, leaning more to drooping than military squareness.

Among little summer wraps, none is more popular than the cape which is springing up in all sorts of fantastic shapes. A pretty shawl-shaped cape, cut so that the points come to the top of the girdle at the front and nearly to the elbows, over the arms, is of pale tapestry blue cloth. Its only decoration is a velvet collar worked in Watteau pattern and colors and long tassels at each corner. These little cloth capes are made to match silk gowns. Silk capes are also worn with cloth gowns.

It is one of the whims of the season, the contrast of materials in wraps and skirts. Silk jackets with cloth skirts and cloth jackets with silk skirts are a feature at fashionable assemblies, such as church weddings afternoon receptions and musicales. The jackets are little Louis affairs cut, almost to a one, with jaunty basques and elbow sleeves.

In linen suits, the redingote is the prime favorite, but the redingote of this year of grace has taken on many shapes. There are the close fitting, the half fitting, the blouse body part and full or plain basque, and even a bolero effect hanging over a high girdle. The redingote, were it a talker, might admit as much confusion as to its real character as the old woman of Mother Goose fame who left it to her little dog to establish her identity.

ESTELLE CLAIRMONT.

Deafness Cannot Be Cured

By local applications, as they cannot reach the diseased portions of the ear. There is only one way to cure deafness, and that is by constitutional remedies. Deafness is caused by an inflamed condition of the mucous lining of the Eustachian Tube. When this tube is inflamed you have a rumbling sound or imperfect hearing, and when it is entirely closed, deafness is the result, and unless the inflammation can be taken out and this tube restored to its normal condition, hearing will be destroyed forever; nine cases out of ten are caused by Catarrh, which is nothing but an inflamed condition of the mucous surfaces.

We will give One Hundred Dollars for any case of deafness (caused by Catarrh) that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure. Send for circulars free.

F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O.

Sold by druggists, 75c.

Take Hall's Family Pills for Constipation.

James R. McGee, a Mohawk farmer, was badly injured Sunday afternoon by being thrown from his buggy on to a barbed wire fence. McGee was driving in the outskirts of Springfield, on his way home, when an automobile frightened his horse so that the animal became unmanageable and the buggy was overturned.

CASTORIA

For Infants and Children.

The Kind You Have Always Bought

Bears the Signature of Chas. H. Fletcher

Two women at Baker City narrowly escaped death by eating asparagus that had been sprinkled with arsenic to destroy insects.

The Yaquina Bay Telephone Co.

The Yaquina Bay Mutual Telephone Co. is not dead, has not even been sleeping, but has kept silently and steadily at work, says the Toledo Reporter. They now have paid stock sufficient to incorporate with the exceptsmall balance they expect to raise this week. They have been investigating and find that the cost of putting up a good telephone line is not so large as has been represented. Ten miles have recently been built just over the summit in Benton county, and well equipped, at a cost of about $300. The promoters of this mutual line are showing a good deal of pluck and enthusiasm, and are demonstrating that the people can build their own utilities if they set themselves about it.

Be in the Count.

Several days ago we urged upon the people to see to it that their names go on the enumerators books for the state census. In an editorial Tuesday the Oregonian covers much the same ground in a very pointed, forceful, acquirements, or possessions. There-

Scrofula

It is commonly inherited.

Few are entirely free from it.

Pale, weak, puny children are afflicted with it in nine cases out of ten, and many adults suffer from it.

Common indications are bunches in the neck, abscesses, cutaneous eruptions, inflamed eyelids, sore ears, rickets, catarrh, wasting, and general debility.

Hood's Sarsaparilla and Pills

Eradicate it, positively and absolutely. This statement is based on the thousands of permanent cures these medicines have wrought.

"My daughter had scrofula, with eleven sores on her neck and about her ears. Hood's Sarsaparilla was highly recommended and she took it and was cured. She is now in good health." MRS. J. H. JONES, Parker City, Ind.

Hood's Sarsaparilla promises to cure and keeps the promise.

manner that will bear repeating. It says:

"Here is something that all parties in Oregon, republicans, democrats, populists, prohibitionists, open-town, closed town people—every one—can join in, and will be foolish not to join in. This numbering of the people is not ordered to support any one man's pride or vain glory. No risk is attached to it. Just a good, common sense proposition for all. If law is needed for it, there it is to justify it, and every good citizen, young or old, is bound to take interest enough to see that his or her name goes down in the enumerator's book. Estimates of the result are wide enough apart to make it interesting for any who may be speculatively inclined.

"There are no knowing ones to get ahead of their fellows. Some think Oregon's rate of recent increase is better than Washington's. Our neighbors on Puget Sound scoff at the notion. The farmer will get a larger price the better settled is his district. Town and country alike refuses to accept the idea of race suicide in Oregon, place place and people are too healthy in body and mind for that. Figures will test that, among many other things. Each city and town wants to show that its pretensions to growth are better founded than its neighbor's. As for Portland much is at stake. On population, and especially on rate of increase, depends whether many of this year's visitors, seeking new homes, new business, will decide to stay or pass on from us to pastures new. On such action hangs the verdict whether the fair is to be a blessing or injury to us.

"Stuffing and padding returns has been heard of before—of course not in Oregon. What we want is the truth, but the whole truth. Ready response on the part of the people will make the census-taker's work easy and rapid. Let us all help.

"One more point: Many believe that Oregon is entitled to another congressman. Let us put ourselves in the way to secure one. Much may hang on that. This is one of the times when just numbers count, not character, or fore, again, let us all see to it that every one is counted."

X-RAYS

By all means let us celebrate. Let us be patriotic, even if we don't make back all it costs us.

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A free country, a beautiful flag and plenty of rain is all anyone could wish for in this world.

The war in Manchuria is illustrating the fact that quality counts more than quantity in war as elsewhere.

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Letting some sharper and his decoy ducks swindle you in a stallion deal is a rough, hard road towards horse improvement.

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The years a man has lived should not measure his age; how he has lived and his present condition of usefulness tell the story truthfully.

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The March arrivals of immigrants into this country beats all previous records for numbers. But it is complained that too many of them desire city life.

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If its critics are right, Minnesota's new capitol will have gone to decay while the pre-historic pyramids of Egypt are yet doing business at their old stand.

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There's so little bad in the worst of us,
And so little good in the best of us,
That it hardly behooves any of us
To talk about the rest of us.

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A Pendleton paper advertises: "A splendid showing of Women's shirt waist suits." You ought to be here, brother, on a Saturday, and see the swell showing of well dressed women on the streets of Salem. Salem shows the best dressed street crowds of any city in the West.

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It is a great convenience for passengers to be able to buy sandwiches, fruit, etc., of the boys at the trains, and they should be allowed to continue the business just as long as they behave themselves, which they are now doing. —The Albany Democrat.

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Two of the most interesting men who are doing politics in the city council are the Reform twins. They seem remarkably well adapted to fill the aldemanic chairs, and began to do politics together when they were boys on the farm. All matters that affect the welfare of the people they take to heart very seriously.

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There was a flag presentation at the Brooks school house Friday at 2 o'clock. Of course, Hal D. Patton was there. It seems he has determined that the flag shall wave over every school house in Marion county that is not already supplied.

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The Portland syndicate is said to have agents out renting all rooms in private houses up to a certain standard and paying $2 per day for them from June 1st to November, and will, in turn, charge $4 per day for the rooms to fair visitors. The New Lange Hotel announces that it will take care of all Oregon people at popular prices.

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Horace Greely was the author in style in editorial writing which has often been imitated, but probably never equaled. During his editorship two newspapers, neither of which was friendly to Greely, became engaged in a violent altercation. The argument grew warmer, until each paper openly called the other a liar. It was the opportunity that Greely had been waiting for. He announced in his paper that he had the honor to agree with both of his distinguished contemporaries.

Obstinate constipation, indigestion and stomach disorders are permanently and positively cured by taking Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea. 35 cents, Tea or Tablets. Stone's Drug Store.

Proposals for Wood.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned will receive sealed bids up to 2 o'clock p. m., Saturday, May 20, 1905, for furnishing fir wood to School District No. 24, at Salem, Oregon. Specifications as to quantity, quality and delivery of wood may be had of the undersigned or may be seen at the office of the clerk of the district school board.

Salem, Oregon, May 11, 1905.

E. M. CROISAN,
A. O. CONDIT,
Supply Committee.

CHILDREN CRY FOR FLETCHER'S CASTORIA.

BUY A GAS STOVE. BUY A GAS STOVE. BUY A GAS STOVE.

Buy a Gas Stove

Send your old cook stove to the scrap heap and you will save your wife many moments of ill temper. With a gas stove there is no kindling to worry about; no coal or wood to carry in. No cleaning of stove pipes that blacken your face and darken your temper. It does not burn fuel when not in use and is more economical than your old wood stove. It never smokes or objects to burn and it will heat water before you can get your old wood stove going. What a blessing in case of sickness to say nothing of the economy of time in every day use. Summer is coming and you do not want your kitchen heated.

Use a Gas Range

We can give you any number of reasons why you should use a gas stove and only one why you should not—the woodman might object, and if your woodman is no relation of yours his objections are invalid. Call on us and let us show you our stock of gas stoves and ranges, explain their workings to you and why they are better and more economical than a wood stove.

BUY A GAS STOVE. BUY A GAS STOVE. BUY A GAS STOVE.

CITIZENS' LIGHT & TRACTION CO.

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