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Raglan sleeves are very popular this They appear on gowns, coats, wraps and blouses. A pretty costume in peach colored chiffon taffeta has this style of sleeve in full length, and cut in one with the back. The waist fronts open over a vest of striped silk in pretty, light tones. A Japanese collar and broad cuffs are also of the silk. A collarless chemisette of shadow lace, is worn with this model. The skirt has plaits over the hips, and is finished in raised waistline.

Fine French serge in a new shade of brown was used for a smart frock that has a waist with Gibson plaits over the shoulders, and the fronts with diagonal closing. A design in brown soutache braid trims waist and skirt front edges Collar, cuffs and a neat little vest are of white crepe de chene. The skirt is a three-piece model, with gathers at the back.

A stylish wrap is made of black moire. It has a raglan sleeve, and the fulness circular band five inches wide over the front and graduating to twice that | tive features of this model.

A new collar is shown that is called the Normandy or Gladstone collar. flares at the edges and forms a sort of vest over the fronts

Plain and flowered or figured materials may be combined effectively. One sees for instance a tunic and waist of plain voile, with skirt of flowered crepe

A pleasing afternoon dress was made of figured batiste in dainty pink and white for waist, and a tunic cut in deep vandyke points and lengthened by a gathered flounce of plain pink batiste; the skirt and waist trimming are also of the plain material. A vest of fine tucked net goes nicely with this cool summery frock.

How welcome and practical a style is that of the separate blouse and skirt. With a little ingenuity they may represent several changes in costumes. A charming blouse of this kind is made of flowered silk, with under vest-blouse at lower edge of wrap is joined to a of net faced with the silk. The raglan sleeve and Japanese collar are distinc-



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width at the back. The fronts are turned back to form revers facing of feta, topped by one of Irish lace.

Green and white striped taffeta made a pretty little suit, composed of a short loose fitting coat, that is finished with a collar of white embroidered linen. The four-piece skirt has a tuck lap at side front and side back, and is cut with raised waistline.

A simple but becoming gown is made of new blue foulard dotted with white. The unlined blouse with set-in kimono sleeve is finished with collar and cuffs of Madiera embroidery. The skirt is in "peg top" style, and finished with a gracefully draped girdle and sash ends.

Terra cotta charmeuse was selected for a blouse waist with Japanese collar, and a skirt made with uplifted drapery and headed ruffles over the hips. Frills and a narrow inserted vest of batiste supply the only trimming and contrast. The effect is neat and charming.

The newest departure in tunics are those in ripple and corkscrew style.

Paris shows coats so short they can hardly be termed boleros. These are fashioned in all kinds of materials, but are much favored for general use, in shepherd checks, mixtures and woolens. The sleeves in these coats vary from full length to elbow length; some are set in, others are in ragian, and others in kimono style. Some indeed are sleeveless with the armscye edges piped in a contrasting color.

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A clever adaption of the bustle effect is shown in a simple two piece skirt, white faille which meet a collar of taf- | that is arranged on a four-piece foundation, to hold the drapery at the back. The fronts are plain and straight, the fulness being caught up from the sides. Pockets are again in fashion although

many are merely ornamental. A late Paris middy blouse shows a

raglan sleeve.

this style.

Balma caan coats in smart checks and plaids are fine for sport or outing wear. A smart model has the back cut to form a yoke over the shoulder, and with raglan sleeve effect lengthened by a one-piece sleeve proper which is finished with a very deep cuff. The coat is open at the throat and finished with a rolled collar with tab fronts. Big pockets and a wide belt are features of

Smart little frocks are made of inexpensive cotton materials. The skirts may have a ruffle at the foot, and above knee heighth one or two ruffles. The full waist cut with body and sleeve in one, has a round yoke edge with a heading of gathered net or self material. With or without a chemisette this style is sweet and simple.

There are many pretty designs for children's summer dresses, that are ef-

fective in embroidery. Soft fabrics, like Swiss, mull and dimity are nice and cool for children's

dresses. A cute dress of white pique is made with diagonal closing, and a flat round collar and cuffs. The plaited skirt joins the waist portions under a sach



