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USES FOR PLAIDS IN JEWELRY FADS

May Afford Decoration for Chiffon and Other Fabrics.

Wool Jersey One of the Most Desirable for Plaided or Gathered Sport Skirts.

One of the most interesting developments of modern design is the subtlety with which plaids have been incorporated into its schemes.

Once upon a time plaids were plaids and no bones were made about it. Consequently the brilliant and startling woolsens were relegated to the children's wardrobe or to the realm of sports skirts.

Now plaids have become a motif in design which may be carried out in bead or silk embroidery and is as likely to be used in decoration of chiffon and other silken fabrics as it is in the cheerful and childish gingham and woolsens.

Wool jersey is one of the most desirable fabrics for the gathered or plaided sport skirt, and it is expected that later the cartridge silk which was left on the hands of the war department at the signing of the armistice and which is being dyed and utilized most successfully for dress purposes, will come into its own as a sports fabric, a use to which it is especially adapted. In this interesting silk there is an excellent choice of plaids among the many designs and plain colors.

With the plaid skirts, whether they are worn on the golf course or the street, the solid color blouse or coat, repeating either the most conspicuous or the most neutral tone of the plaid, is a foregone conclusion. With the suit coat, the trimming accessories, pocket flaps, scarf collar or revers are usually of the plaid. By contrast to this rule of plain above and plaid below, plaid taffeta blouses of an adorable crispness and smartness have been provided to add a gay touch to the plain navy blue gabardine suit.

Serge is embroidered in raised lines in a plaided pattern, either in color or in black, and this decoration is ap-

Decorations Sensational Rather Than Extravagant.

Throat Latch and Pendant With Matching Earrings Brings Forth the Most Comment.

The present mode of wearing all sorts of striking jewelry has passed the stage where it may merely be referred to as extravagant; now it has become positively sensational, according to a Paris fashion writer. Quantities of remarkable jewelry were seen everywhere during the season in the south of France.

The jewel which created the most comment was a throat latch and pendant with matching earrings. These were very large and were made of platinum and diamonds. The earrings and the pendant were the same size and of the same design, the delicate chain which held the three together being of platinum and brilliant to match the three pendants.

A famous Parisian beauty wore this extraordinary ornament with the simplest possible coiffure, the hair being brushed straight back and twisted into a low knot at the nape of the neck. Her dress was an extreme décolleté in black and she kept a sable coat on most of the time, as her back was absolutely nude to the waistline. No other jewels were worn, not even a finger ring, but the marvelous brilliancy of her throat latch and earrings was the more pronounced because of the severity of the remainder of the toilette.

Another striking novelty in jewelry is a double bracelet of onyx set with rows of pearls with little chains of pearls holding the two together. This, like many of the new bracelets, is worn above the elbow.

Very large earrings are much in vogue. They, like other present-day jewelry, are usually in combinations of black and white or white and one colored stone, green and white being the combinations most often chosen. The preference for green and white jewelry has brought the emerald into even greater prominence and, despite the fact that the prices of these stones have become almost fabulous, quantities of them are worn.

Watches are quite as elaborate in their design as earrings and bracelets.

FEMININE FANCIES

Scotch heather sweaters are prominent. The new Balkan blouse has a high collar.

Real laces are used on tailored lingerie.

Figured net is the latest lingerie material.

Figured voile is used for children's play frocks.

The entire hat today is expressed in the crown.

Shot taffetas are printed in pompadour patterns.

Eccentric trimmings are features of the overblouses.

Colored cotton embroideries are very charming.

The new up-and-down trimming is much in vogue.

Some tailored and Irish-trimmed negligees are of heavy, lustrous silk.

Black satin, draped with black tulle, is a wise choice for an evening gown.

A smart accessory is a dressy scarf of silk tissue, bordered in printed silk.

An all-white evening dress for second mourning is made of ring dot silk net.

Angora cloths in Scotch plaids, or with blazer stripes, are used for sport coats.

Entire capes of gray squirrel fur are among the most luxurious garments.

Bulgarian embroidery, in bright colors, is seen on some of the spring blouses.

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Certain fashion authorities profess to see a return to Victorian modes in the recrudescence of plaids and stripes.

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