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Plans for End of Term Vacation Feature Spring Time Fashions

"Ah, vacation! No books or term papers for 10 days or more," will be the cry of most Michigan State students coming March 24.

The enrollment will file from the campus to settle down to a good vacation, some restful, others more tiring than school life.

The greatest percentage will head home. For some that will be a small town, complete with parents, old friends, local movies and just time to polish off all those things that couldn't be worked into the busy college student's schedule. Casual clothes, skirts and sweaters for the roads and sport shirts and flannel slacks for the fellows will be in order.

Detroit, Chicago and New York will be the destinations of another group of students. Some will go home while the

other group of them will visit the city and partake of its entertainment.

The city usually calls for dressier costumes than the small town. Hats, suits and heels will be necessary for the town wear while most men will be decked out in suits and ties.

Nightwear in the city usually consists of silks and satins made up in dressy costumes in fashionable blacks and stylish navies.

The southland will call many State students. Plans are being made on a mass to spend the term-end rest in Florida, Cuba and Bermuda. Arizona will take its toll of college vacationers.

This trip for the tan will call for cottons, swimming suits, and other casual summer clothes, which will hit the north later.

Marie Riley, Grand Rapids Junior, will travel this spring in light plaid suit with coat of a large plaid design. She will carry medium sized dark purse and wear a petit white hat. William Foster, Flint senior, will journey in a navy blue sport jacket and grey flannels with dark suede shoes. A white shirt and tie complete his ensemble.

Designers Fashion Travel Wardrobe

By SUE HENDERSON

Spring is almost here and with it comes vacation time and dreams of traveling.

The rush of term-end activities, the change of climate, the effort involved in packing appropriate clothes in a minimum space are a challenge to the fashion designers. This season's styles have greatly simplified the problem.

Non-wrinkling nylon, rayon and cotton are a life saver for travelers. Delicate party clothes can be packed and still remain fresh and crisp. For a change of climate, the fashion spotlight is focused on light wool and cashmere suits and dresses, which are appropriate for warmer climates as well as cold. Light-weight wool jackets, hip length and bolero styles, as well as wool fleece coats and long flowing coats of cashmere, are popular whether they are worn over a spring cotton or suit.

Wool jersey, famous for its resistance to wrinkle and its softness, is fashioned in suits and early spring dresses, as well as summer strapless and off shoulder styles. This is excellent for traveling and the change of temperature.

Materials of taffeta, rayon and nylon all follow the same style and are suitable for both warm and cold weather. This year the soft light wool materials and knit dresses are spotlighted for traveling. They take up only a small amount of space and are wrinkle resistant.

Darker cottons are preferred for travel, while delicate silks highlight evening wear. Glorifying cotton, dresses of cotton lace and quilted cotton are suitable for formal affairs and all the gay events that go with vacationing.

Accessories almost always include a hat, pumps, purse, gloves, unless traveling in a car when one can dress more casually to fit the occasion. Plainer styles and dark colored colors are usually more favored for their ability to better resist the wear and tear of lengthy trips.

Men stress conservative clothes with plain suits and ties, appropriate for almost every occasion. With little concern about clothes for change of season in traveling, light suits are comfortable in various temperatures. For warm Florida sun casual seersucker suits, sport shirts and jackets are a favorite, because of their ease and comfort.



Spring will usher in new frothy ruffled formal of nylon net such as the one Carrie Considine, Detroit Junior, is modeling. The boned, strapless bodice is softened by the matching net stole she is wearing. Light

pastel chiffons will highlight the formal season for evening wear. Charles Buckel, Saginaw Junior, models a black, double breasted tuxedo. A wing-collar and butterfly tie complete his ensemble.

Subdued Styles Fit City Travel

Whether leaving campus for a week-end or a vacation, clothes for visiting the city with its range of entertainment sometimes pose a problem.

Usually the plainer, more subdued and conservative outfits are favored for touring, sight-seeing and shopping. Hats and plain jewelry, as well as pumps and gloves, are usually required. Flat loafers of suede and leather are a lifesaver for coeds who have a great deal of walking to do. They are practical as well as comfortable.

For entertainment, as stage shows and visiting the theater, materials are usually dressier, as taffeta, less casual wool dresses and suits. Such ensembles are suitable for dining out and can be transformed into dressier outfits by adding jewelry and additional accessories, as flowers, scarves and clips. Daintier pumps of velvet mesh materials and delicate fabrics also add a more elegant effect to the simpler dress.

Party dresses of dark wool crepe, silk, nylon or more elegant designs of lace, satin and tissue faille are suitable for city night spots and dances, depending on the occasion.

Spring styles are seen throughout the city. Light pastel suits and dainty colorful hats are worn with fur coats or the new striking white or pastel pyramid style coat of cashmere.

For men visiting a large city, a wide assortment of styles is offered. Very popular in the East are suede or plaid wool vests with plaid bow ties to match. Round collars similar to the peter pan style on women's blouses are all in style. Carrying out the plaid trend, bow ties and matching cummerbunds worn around the waist are being worn with tuxedos and ties.

For touring the city, light weight wool suits of gray, brown and tan are usually suitable for most daytime events. Sport jackets and slacks are also favored for their casualness when attending more informal events. With darker, subdued colors stressed for the city, bright colorful wool shirts occasionally have a chance to shine on informal occasions.

Navy blue suits and dark grey colors are fine for city night life and can be worn on most occasions whether to a party or to the theater.



Ward Ouradnik, Ann Arbor senior, attired in blue shorts and topped off with a white tennis sweater trimmed in red and blue, hands Gloria Clyma, Grand Rapids sophomore, two tennis rackets after helping her into her convertible. Miss Clyma is wearing red shorts with a white terry cloth T-shirt. She will play in blue tennis shoes.

Southern Vacations Call Casual Clothes

By KAY MYERS

The call of the south is now being heard here in East Lansing as a large percentage of the students are setting sights on Florida as the perfect spot to spend that 10-day term-end vacation.

Swimming suits will be a must in the southern wardrobe. One-piece suits are again making headlines while many coeds find two-piece ones more flattering.

Lastex, both rayon and nylon, are among the favorite swim suit materials. Cotton is worked into many suits, especially into the boxer shorts style. Men's suits are often made of cotton gabardine.

Nylon 'maillot', which is often pocketed to look like a heavy ribbon knot is a popular, fast-drying material. All nylon suits have the advantage of being fast drying.

Polka dots and stripes plus solids of grey, black and white are making hits this season in the fashion department.

Coats to wear over swim suits are almost a must. Matching ones are popular along with the terry cloth middie which both fellows and coeds are buying for beach wear this spring and summer. Denim and heavy ribbed cotton are being made up into time-styled jackets and short smock-like coats.

Saddle stitched coats and Irish linen outfits are on the high style list this spring.

Cottons for women and sport shirts and slacks for the men will make up the casual ensembles.

High necklines, full skirts and bright colors highlight the cottons this spring. Tangerine, amaranth gold, robin red and royal blue are making big news.

Bright sport shirts of flowered, checked and plaid fabrics are being packed into many a suitcase for that Florida vacation. Light gabardine slacks of greys, tans and blues are being put beside them.

Silk organdy and taffeta, acetate nylon and rayon crepe will be favorites of the feminine vacationers. They are cool and give a soft flimsy air, just right for the Florida evening.

Play suits, complete with halter-like bodices, shorts and over-skirts are practicable for varied wear. Plaids, stripes and polka dots are running neck and neck for the favorite spot. Plaid play suits with black or other plain colored bodices are being shown in various fashion magazines.



During vacation the Easter bonnet will be selected by many a coed. Myrna Lloyd, Grand Rapids freshman, picks out her new spring hat from a selection of small straw creations. Both small hats for women with short hair and the larger hats for those with longer locks will be fashionable this spring. Flowers and bits of ribbon will be the main trimmings.

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Designed to be worn over another dress as a light coat or worn alone as a dress, the coat-dress, which made its initial appearance last spring, is expected to lead the list of fashion favorites.

The adaptable style will be manufactured in every material ranging from soft wools to silk shantung. Cotton will be fashioned in sophisticated outfits for a new twist. Some designers add linings of a bright and contrasting color.

The loose coat will again be high on the list of fashion favorites. The bat-wing sleeve has changed to a leg-of-mutton style, reminiscent of the Gibson Girl vogue.

Modern Colors

Although the style may recall the old-fashioned girl, the colors will be strictly modern. Shocking pinks, bright chartreuses and

burning yellows will be used for the entire coat this spring, instead of being seen only in accessories.

The belted-back coachman style, long a fashion stand-by, appears again this spring. Innovations include the use of nubby materials, and a slimmer look.

The American woman has taken the white polo coat to her heart. Carrying out the white theme, flowing coats will be shown in most stores. The underpart of the rounded collar will be lined in jewel colors, designed to be set off by matching accessories.

Tapered Skirt

The short coat, worn with a tapered skirt, features pocket details and stand-up collars. Following the narrower look in men's fashions, lapels will be smaller. Fashion experts prophesy that the hip length style will be most popular.

Rainy days may be dreary days, but not if the fashion stylists can help it. Exciting colors are being employed in rain coats, and the styles are suitable for sunny weather also. Belts will be optional, with the leaning-to-work fuller designs and a manipulated line in collars. Matching umbrellas will also make fashion news.

The general trend is toward solid colors. The larger wardrobe may also include novelty checks in soft wools. However, accessories are featuring stripes and colors that will be eye-catching, but at the same time, versatile and basic enough to serve for any occasion.

Dress Trend Complemented By Footwear

Versatility in color and combinations of one-hue keynote footwear news for spring. Shoes ranging from light pink kid to navy suede complement this year's feminine trend in dresses.

For the most formal occasions, high heeled sandals in multi-colored violets, roses and helios and to the color wardrobe. However, black and navy suede open pumps are still predicted to carry her from morning into next fall. To create a matching ensemble she may use liner pumps the exact shade of that special dress.

The Boulevard heel is the solution to the tall-heel problem. Found in almost every style, it is a half-inch to an inch shorter than the usual pump. The heel of the Boulevard shoe follows the line of high heels thus avoiding a squatty look.

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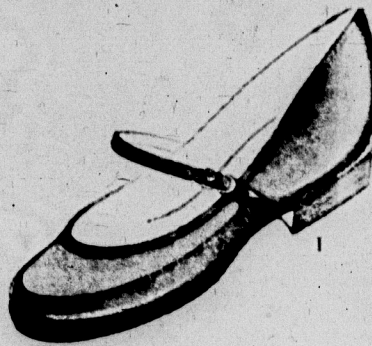
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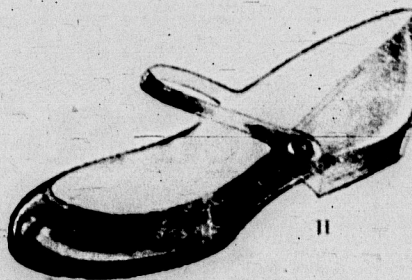
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Designers Favor Flares, Tiny Jacket In Suit Collections

By INA MAPPEN

The soft line will characterize suit fashions this spring. American, French and Italian designers are favoring softly flared skirts, topped with small fitted jackets, signed for a more feminine look.

Interest will center on the jacket details. Jackets will be slightly arched for a softer hipline. Sleeves will fuller with little or no padding at the shoulder.

The jacket will be fitted for wear with the full skirt. Fashion shows are emphasizing the narrow waist.

The tailored suit, the favorite of American women, also gain in femininity. Here again, jackets are the attraction. Lapels will be narrow, tapering down to smaller waist. Some styles will have peter pan collars.

In the casual styles, the belted jacket will be favored. One American manufacturer is showing the narrow skirt accented by a belted waist for an even slimmer look.

The unlined suit, which took the fashion world by surprise this past year, is expected to continue in popularity. The suits combine fashionable lines with crease-resistant materials, and they retail at a budget price.

Cotton twill emerges as the new material, used effectively in casual, dressy and cocktail suits. Even is given to the material by the use of startling colors.

For the more conservative buyer, wool will be used in many styles. The wool will be softer to allow for the feminine line. The influence of the English market will be apparent in the use of hand-loomed and imported wools.

As in past years, navy will be the fashion color for the unusual twist, bright yellows, reds and greens should rank high. In the basic color emphasis, navy will be provided by bright accessories.

Skirt lengths still vary although fashion leaders and most buyers choose the length that is most flattering to themselves. In general, the length will remain mid-calf.

Polka dots will be used in all clothes this spring, in dresses, scarves and accessories. Stripes and checks are good this season. The striped coat is an innovation for the chic dresser.

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Wide Collars Break Height Lines

A hint to you sky-scraper lassies—be proud of your height, make the most of it and stand tall.

Strive for anything and everything that breaks your height and fills out your silhouette.

Make your waist as small and as narrow as you can. The fashionable wide belts are made just for you. Cumberbunds will be a good bet.

The designers had tall coeds in mind when they created full coats, both the long and short varieties. Big fat furs will be up your alley and so will voluminous stoles.

The new wide collars were created for you so take advantage of them. Watch to see that your head does not look too small.

Shy away from jackets that are too short for they have a tendency to make you look taller. Set your skirt length by the length of your legs in proportion to the rest of your body.

Don't think that you can't wear heels. Do keep away from the four-inch spikes, but don't stick to flats. They are fine for sports, but for dressier occasions deck out in medium high heels.

Spot the large economy-sized handbags and don't carry the small ones. Stay away from all other tiny accessories. Be sure to wear long gloves and don't settle for the wrist length styles.

Wide collars will do nice things for your looks. Wear them whenever possible and stay away from clothes lacking collars.

New Hat Styles Include Veils, Flower Trim

"There's a hat for any type" could be used as the password to spring fashion this year.

Tiny Rocker Bonnets, picture hats, veiling and rhinestone pins play up the new nipped in waistline and full skirts.

Small hats will be worn on the middle of the head for the first time in years. The Rocker Bonnet or "Watteau," which is styled after 18th century French designs, appears to be almost pancake-shaped in front. Flowers and gathered material form soft back detail with veils completing the hat.

The perennial sailor hat adds a finished touch to tailored clothes. However, veiling and smaller brims give it a more feminine appearance. It will also be worn forward. Coeds with long hair will favor the large picture hat.

For formal occasions a mere suggestion of a hat is given by veils covering the face. They may be trimmed with small flowers for afternoon wear or rhinestone clips and pins for evening. Often rhinestones are woven into the material itself.

Stark white hats are predicted to outnumber any others by six to one this spring. Touches of navy blue and vivid colors will provide a bright contrast for them. Carrying out the dead white theme, manufacturers are designing matching white jewelry.

New Cottons Require Little Cleaning Time

The new cottons for spring will require a minimum of time in washing and pressing.

They can be easily laundered in warm, sudsy water. Remove any stains first, then squeeze through warm water and rinse. Hot water tends to fade the bright colors.

Press while still damp and place on hanger in warm room to prevent wrinkling until garment is thoroughly dry.

The new sheer nylon blouses may be gently washed and rinsed and hung to dry on a hanger. Smooth and pull into shape while wet and no ironing is necessary.

Dresses and blouses should be mended before laundering.

Spanish Influence

The Spanish influence is evident in both men's and women's casual wear. Light cumberbunds are showing up frequently at the better eating places.

The bolero suit, copied from the madadors, is high fashion. Coeds can also purchase lounging slacks tapered at the ankles for a conquistador effect.

Pleats are the password in the skirt department. There are real kilts which hug the hips, box and false pleats. The knife pleated skirt is a slimming illusion.

Stormy Spring Days to Feature Checked Gabardine Raincoats



Gerry Hansen, Grand Rapids senior, is all set for the spring showers with her bright yellow oiled slicker. The matching rain-hat was stolen style-wise from the chief of the fire department. The oil slickers come in red and blue also.

Coeds Wear Oiled Slickers Of Red, Yellow

Checks in the rain will be the word for spring rainwear in both men's and women's fashions.

Men will be wearing houndstooth raincoats in brown, blue, black or green checks. Navy blue with red or white gabardine will be suitable for coeds on their way to classes on rainy days.

The damp weather coats will be similar to spring coats in style and line. Raincoats for men will be styled as top coats and will be warm enough to wear in all kinds of weather.

Red, blue and yellow slickers are number one in campus raincoats for coeds. They are accompanied by the rain hat which was stolen style-wise from the chief of the fire department.

Wet rainwear should be hung on a hanger to dry after coming inside. Never fold when wet and do not dry near heat are the hints for longer service.

Plastic head seaves are becoming more and more popular for wear on rainy days.

Formal Affairs Call for Tuxes, Accessories

The tuxedo will go to many formal functions spring term.

The tux jacket can be black, dark blue or white (the latter is usually for warm weather) and is single or double breasted. Trousers are dark blue if the jacket is white. Otherwise they match the jacket. Occasionally white flannels are worn with dark jackets.

A wing-collar shirt with stiff front is usually worn, while the conventional type is also considered correct.

A dark tie, the narrow or "butterfly" type, is required. Socks are dark, as well as dark shoes.

Jewelry includes studs and cuff links and a key chain, if desired. Other accessories are usually optional at college affairs.

A new spring trick is a linen bag which can be detached from its frame for washing.

Neck-Lines Going Up

Wide Skirts Take Spring Fashion Spotlight

By JEAN CUSHMAN

High neck-lines and wide, wide skirts are the highlights of the new spring cottons.

Bell sleeves and belled hips plus the turtle neck style are fashion hits this season. Crinoline underskirts are a "must" under the full, flowing skirts.

Large floral prints, bold stripes and polka dots are making fashion news. The big exotic flower designs are found in bright, daring colors of gold, red and blue.

Licorice and steel grey accented with tangerine or red is being used in many new ensembles.

New quilted cotton dresses and skirts with large flowers will be practical for classes and those extra-curricular activities. Flared skirt in black and white stripes will be worn with white sleeveless blouses or blouses of matching colors.

The princess silhouette in cottons is the coming style for date

dresses. Unlike the classroom clothes, these will be in deep, plain colors. Embroidered pockets and trim around the neck-line and add an extra splash of color.

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Blue Suit Takes Top Fashion Spot

SC Students Favor Striped, Plain Pajamas

By PAT YAROCK

News is scarce this

are one of the slowest-selling items of wearing apparel, according to local clothing merchants. The biggest selling novelty in the last few years was the con-

striped pajamas done in black and white with a red heart-shaped design. College men generally buy from too many weird sources. They buy the more conservative stripes and plain colors. A new idea that pleases the

ling cords is the pajama sold up into a little bundle when the pocket is turned out. They come in several colors and need no ironing. Just fold and fold and they are ready to go. Pajama sets are popular in dormitories. The pajama matching quilted coats are MSC coed favorites. As of the same material or color are sellers for

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comes out with the winter

but some students wear

patent-leather spring.

most popular styling is the

button down the front

style. Some votes also go to

the top.



A double breasted blue suit gets a top rating for spring wear from college men throughout the country. Toss Burgess, Traverse City junior, models a suit which is one of the durable and versatile outfits for spring.

Men's Spring Ensemble To Feature Gabardines

By PHIL GUNRY

Let's face it, men, we'll have to buy our clothes the way the coeds do—by comparison with hair, eyes, complexion and build.

The old faithful blue suit is still the best bet. It goes with almost all complexions, and there are plenty of accessory variations that can be doped out, in the line of shirts, ties and jewelry.

The light seersucker type suit will be high on the list for spring and summer wear. The coat can be worn with slacks of all varieties and occasionally with matching trousers.

Popular Gabardines

Always popular for warm weather are gabardines. Both matching and contrasting coat-slack combinations will be worn.

Midwest college men are reviving the tweed suit. Its informal lines add casual appearance and must be fitted with care. Flannel suits are also popular with campus men.

Grey suits come next in popularity, followed by brown and other variations. For casual wear, the single-breasted suit is popular at present.

And here's an angle if you're tired of the red cord sports jacket. The "Ivy Leaguers" seem to be favoring a tweed jacket, usually brown.

Patch Pockets

The jacket is of the patch-pocket variety and is worn with the reliable grey flannels and white bucks. A "loud" vest is sometimes worn underneath, but this variation is rarely seen here.

Another variation is a bright check sport coat that is cord, but

resembles anything but corduroy. In white and blue, they make quite the combination with greyish-blue slacks and a grey tie.

Collarless sport coats are not seen as often as before, but they still far from extinct. Features shades remain the most popular.

Suit coats that can be worn with sport slacks and sport jackets that can be worn with suit pants are money and worry over clothes.

Smoked Elk Shoes Hit Popularity List

Light colored shoes of shiny smoked elk skin are favorites for spring wear at MSC.

The colors range from a light cream hue to a dark caramel shade. Some are fastened with a zipper while most are laced up the front.

Choice of Ties Depicts Personality, Individual Tastes of Each Wearer

By MIKE WRIGHT

Ties display the personality as well as the taste of the individual more than any other piece of clothing.

The type of neckwear depends upon the individual person. Each man has his favorite variety.

Four-in-hand ties are the biggest seller over the counters of college-featured stores. The narrow bow neck-piece is crowding the number one place.

Repp and knut ties have always been popular with college men. A black knut is practically indispensable with the grey suit and a medium width blue and red striped repp is the regular college wear with the blue suit.

Hand Knit Ties

Hand-knitted ties in the traditional argyle patterns have rated many compliments. Chevron and stripes are favorite designs in the hand-knitted department. Solid colors with cable stitching for variety have made a hit with many men.

Bow ties are making hits with plaids and checks. The trend in college is away from the butterfly type toward the narrow bow. Like the repp, it is becoming a sign of college appropriateness. Again, bow ties can be had in any number of styles.

The midwestern college student might try something different and try the very narrow black bow

that has been so popular in the to, an individual's hobby make East or perhaps go western and thoughtful presents.

As a rule the more conservative man likes a sedate design while the extrovert is more apt to wear the flashy. The wide styles are hitting the college campus.

Hand-painted neckwear is still a thing. Shantung, linen, organdie, chiffon the popular list. A personal monogram pattern or one style in the fabric races.



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Swim Suits, Sun Togs Get Call for Florida

Florida horizons call for appropriate sun togs. The average MSC student has to give allowance for a little "elbow room" in planning his vacation wardrobe.

For coeds, bathing suits are more covered up this year. The flared effect, which was the basis of the new volumous trend in skirts, is reflected in this year's swimming suits.

Manufacturers have taken advantage of new processing of taffetas and metallic materials in beachwear. Besides the use of unusual fabrics, many types of cottons have been utilized.

To go with the pretty suit are practical beach jackets. For the coed who is denim happy there are long shirts which can double with pedal pushers for hiking.

Terrycloth for Accessories

Terrycloth has taken the center of the stage in practical beach accessories. Besides beach coats, shoppers can get beach sandals and towels to match. Some sets come in celluloid carrying cases that have enough room for sun oil, pocket books and cosmetics.

For those cool southern evenings are tiny wool jackets in a rainbow of colors. Some of the toppers have bat and winged sleeves. Most of them are cut on a semi-circular pattern and give a butterfly effect.

Dressy cottons are a must for a journey into the southland. With the exception of the traditional gathered skirt styles, all of them have made way for the crinoline. Stores offer crinolines in pastel shades and in styles to give that springy effect.

Color Mad

Men have a chance to go color mad with vacation togs. Sports shirts depicting fish and fowl in garish colors are available. In the more conservative vein, men can also get pastel colored shirts to wear in the tropics.

Also for men are many light weight packable suits which look brand new after a long day in the sun. There are selections of contrasting ties and socks for every outfit.

Cold Spring Icy White To Subdue Warm Hues

By GWEN EVANS

It looks like a cold spring. This season's fashions are subduing the warm colors with frosty white overtones.

Beiges, greys and blues will dominate the spring scene with most of the brilliant colors confined to prints. Checks, polka dots and stripes will be featured in accessories as well as in dresses and suits. White will still be the most popular in spring gloves, shoes and hats.

The new icy look should go well with coeds blessed with rosy complexions, but palefaces should steer clear of the battle-ship greys and mushroom whites. The dull denims and subdued silks are for flushed femmes, not fallow sallies.

The lavender and lilacs so much in evidence last spring are still good for this season. Navy blue with white trim is also expected to continue its popularity gained in the past few years. This combination is suitable for almost any type complexion and hair color.

Naturalness is the keynote in women's fashions this spring. Clothes that lie between the exaggeratedly narrow and the exaggeratedly wide.

New Shades Of Lipstick Take Lead

By VICKY CONWAY
State News Society Editor

With spring just around the corner, new bright shades of lipstick and nail polish have begun to take the spotlight for fashion colors.

The new shades vary this year from a shocking pink to a subtle tangerine to provide different effects with spring colors. To complement a deep tangerine lipstick with matching nail polish may be worn to blend in with skin color and provide striking contrast to pastel clothes.

Colors from a pale pink to a vibrant rose take a sharp contrast the more clear reds worn in winter styles. After the sun has been given a chance to brighten winter pallor, pink shades blend well with most spring fashions.

Matching Sets

Lipstick and nail polish may be purchased in matching sets varying shades. However, same basic color should be worn on both lips and nails.

To achieve a velvety effect lipstick, a coating of lotion should be applied to the lips first. Then, after the lotion has dried, apply powder to the lips. Then apply a coating of lipstick and blot. Apply more powder and one more coat of lipstick. Then thoroughly blot. This gives a smooth, natural effect and prevents lipstick from running the corners of the mouth.

To prevent lipstick from smearing, a few drops of cologne may be applied after lipstick. Blot lips after the cologne has dried.

Prevent Peeling

Skin and nails have a tendency to dry out during the spring. To prevent nails from peeling or cracking, apply lotion freely after washing and exposure to the sun. A treatment with a cuticle remover containing lanolin will prevent hangnails and brittle nails.

In applying nail polish, it is wise first to give fingers a manicure and lotion treatment. A coating on nails will last longer. To prevent polish from chipping, wipe the nail with a fraction of an inch from the tip, leaving a thin white line. This way polish cannot peel.

Spring brings hands and feet into prominence. Good care of them will add to good looks.

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Leap Year Brings Strategy, Remedies for Male Situation

ROSEMARY CORCORAN forgets that women own five-sixths of the country and harbors the delusion that she is a sweet little helpless thing without a thought in the world. During that time they are most susceptible to subtle remarks about their physical and mental stature.

Every four years the women are given an extra day to accomplish their diverse purpose. In leap year Kitty Coed has an extra license to be more unsuitable about her tactics and a legal right to use any old bait she can think of.

Throughout the World. This is leap year. Already throughout the world hundreds of women, indoctrinated with the

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Glove Fabric Designs Step into Limelight

New Handwear Fashions to Feature Confetti Dots, Diagonal Stripes

Gloves step out into the fashion spotlight. Splashy cotton prints in gloves have put the handwear up front. They require that the rest of the accessories be simple and plain.

Confetti dots and diagonal stripes are two of the top sellers in the unusual glove department. Grosgrain striped cuffs on short white cotton gloves are being used. Leather piping on short cotton gloves comes in shades to match the new leather colors used in shoes.

Lace designs and a glove with a bird in the palm called "bird in the hand" are on the market.

Another new twist this season are curved cut elbow length gloves. They make soft crushed folds on the wearer's arm. This effect is impossible with the usual slip-on style in heavy cotton.

Fabric gloves, washable and inexpensive, account for about 90 per cent of all women's gloves sales.

Long cotton string gloves will hit the stores for the first time this spring. They come in white.

Cotton string gloves are showing in pastels: pink, orchid and light blue. The chartreuse and navy combination is back this year.

Navy along with white is again the traditional glove shade this spring. Checked linings will add zest to the solid colors.

Nylon Featured In-Blouse Choices

Nylon will be the favorite blouse material for spring.

Filly whites and pastels will be worn on campus plus dark colored cotton blouses.

The sleeveless blouse and bodice are favorites again this spring. The peter pan collar is found on many new cotton blouses.

Rhinestone buttons will be the newest fad on the casual and date blouses alike this spring.

A best-seller is the silk suit. The jackets hug the ribs and the skirt spreads wide to the sides. Both plain and flowered fabrics will be used. A taffeta scarf will make fashion news tied at the neck with the silk outfit.

Scarves Play All-Important Spring Role

Scarves make up an important part of any coed's wardrobe—spring, summer, fall or winter.

Many tricks are employed in the use of the all-important scarf. They can be transformed into hats, blouses, aprons, halters, skirts and even complete beach outfits.

The stole is one of the season's headlines. It will be worn with many spring dresses, formals and beach ensembles. About two yards of silk, cotton, net, organdie or knitted wool can be made into a stole. Black and white checked stoles will be popular for accenting spring cottons and linens.

Organdie stoles can easily be made into halter sun-tops. Also organdie finds its way into many formal stole ensembles.

Tiny neck scarves still rate on top even after a season of constant use. Striped and polka dot numbers are hitting the stores for spring wear. Flowered and figured designs are used.

The large head scarf is still an integral part of the coed's wardrobe. Again figures and floral patterns are used. For rain wear the ever popular plastic scarf still holds a top billing.

Earrings to Top Pearl Bandwagon

Large pearl earrings will lead the pearl bandwagon for the coming season. No matter what costume is worn the pearl earring is tops.

Around the neck one, two, three or more strands of pearls will spruce up most ensembles. Pastel tinted oyster jewels will be seen this spring.

Coeds to Sport Varied Purses For Spring Use

No outfit is complete without a purse, and this year's crop of purses is varied enough for any style.

First on the college women's list come the cowhide saddlebag and pouch purses. Some of them are stitched in contrasting colors and have a steel construction through the stitching. They come in natural, suntan, ginger, British brown, dark brown, green, red, navy and black.

In pace with the gay 1952 color pattern are the pure silk shantung dress bags. These come in a tiny envelope style and in pouches. They are designed in candy stripe colors and can also be found in polka dot fabrics.

"Date Bag" For a more conservative date a coed can use a "date bag." These purses, also small, come in faile, India prints and patent.

If you like to cram all your belongings in your purse, the original Parisian drawstring pouch is a good bet. It comes in Lanahide which is softer than most cowskin and has outside pockets for change.

Lambskin "Carryalls" Designed for a spring suit are minute lambskin "carryalls." They come in blue, bittersweet, soft green, tan and aqua.

Essential to every MSC coed is her wallet. Retailers have them in a rainbow of colors in plastic, cobra, calf, cowhide and even patent leather.

Bracelets of pearls plus other colored jewels will reign around the arm.

Dream Theme Slated For Fashion Review

A coed's dream of trapping a man during leap year is depicted in the Union Board-Retailing Club fashion show, "Looks Before You Leap" in the Union Ballroom Wednesday night at 7:30.

The show will display current fashion trends that will appear on the campus this spring.

The appropriate costumes for local events will be shown. What to wear to the Lambda Chi push cart races this spring, the Spinners' Spin, the ROTC parades and the president's reception will be a part of the evening's program.

Walk Down Center

The models will start from the ballroom stage and walk down a ramp in the center of the room. Models to appear in the style show are: Marcia Moore, St. Johns senior; Rita Wibbelman, Grosse Pointe senior; Alice Ewing, Crystal Lake, Ill., junior; Nancy Moriarty, Grand Rapids senior; Joan Abbott, Toledo, O., freshman; Mary Peden, Birmingham junior; and Jackie Galbraith, Detroit senior.

Other models will be: Martha Hicks, Florence, Ala., junior; Sue Foraker, Detroit junior; Sally Gleason, Detroit junior; Norma Neeb, Grosse Pointe junior; Helen Elias, Detroit junior; Jean Howard, Highland Park, Ill., junior; Marlene Doherty, Park Ridge, Ill., junior; Ginny O'Brien, Birmingham senior; and Donna Mathias, Royal Oak junior.

Fake Flowers Remain Stylish

Artificial flowers will be in high style again this spring. Daisies, in white with yellow centers plus the painted daisies in light pastel hues will be especially featured for spring wear.

The full, bright artificial carnations take a top spot in fashion accessories. A bright, almost real, red carnation will pep up any dark suit or dress.

The addition of a bunch of spring flowers will convert a winter ensemble into a smart Easter outfit.

More fashion show models will be: Beverly Bennett, St. Clair Shores senior; Bette Kreutz, Detroit junior; Sue Metz, New York, N.Y., junior; Edith Kerstetter, Garden City junior; and Alicia Cumiskey, Birmingham sophomore.

The male models include: Al Jones, Chevy Chase, Md., senior; Rowley Hanson, East Lansing senior; Doug Weaver, Lathrop, Ind., junior; Doug Bobo, Reed City junior; Keith Kimble, Grand Rapids senior; and Ward Ouradnik, Ann Arbor senior.

Other men featured in the show are: Lee Collins, Caro senior; Dick Blanchard, Detroit senior; Lloyd Schultz, New Buffalo junior; and John Wavrick, Detroit senior.

Coeds-Like Knitted Suits For Travel

Ensembles Reflect Flaring Skirt Trend

Knitted ensembles are more popular than ever in the college wardrobe.

Knitted outfits are easy to keep, to pack, and they travel perfectly. They belong to every season in a variety of colors.

This year knitted dresses and suits reflect the trend toward little jackets, flaring skirts worn with crinoline petticoats and sheath dresses.

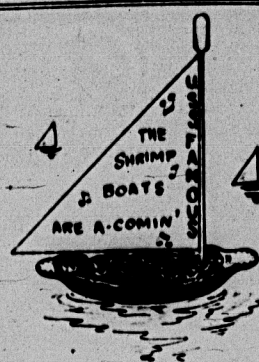
Tiny bolero jackets of matching or contrasting colors will be worn with knitted dresses. Knitted bodices with quilted cotton skirts will make a hit this season.

Metals braid is used to add an extra attraction to the knitted outfit for spring. Embroidered with simulated pearls and jewel-tone baguettes, the new dresses will be especially fit for the coming season.

Coats fit this year. They follow the figure to the waist and then open into full, wide skirts. Short coats grasp the hips and fit tightly. Checked and striped linings will be featured.

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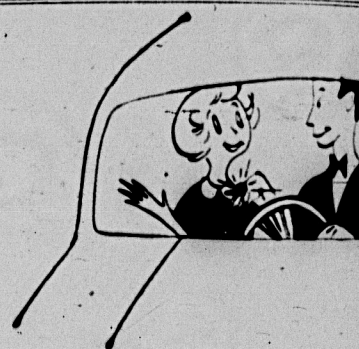
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