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March 8, 1901.

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stimulated, the continuation of the effect below the belt blended bodice and skirt in line, thus adding grace and slenderness to the figure. A bib and collar effect at the neck suggested the turning back of the blouse, while the portion that is supposed to show under was cut away in a thin yoke. This was fitted in with folded chiffon that swathed the throat in a high stock.

Epaulettes prevail. As a rule, the blouse itself is cut to extend over the armhole, or is provided with shoulder collar that extends in epaulette fashion over the arm, but often epaulette pieces are set in along the top of the armhole. This last method was employed in the particularly dainty blouse remaining of the pictured three. Gray penitide sole was the material of this blouse, which opened from throat to belt, narrowing towards the waist, and was held together by tabs of embroidered white satin, one tab buttoning on each side. At the opening an under bodice of white tulle showed, and at the throat revers of the satin turned over the edge of the blouse. Gray is a favorite color for house-dresses, though in the last month the flame orange shade that promises to be popular is appearing.

Blouses for the street may be as plain as you like, and are ordinarily made so plain that relationship to indoor blouses is not at all clear. Some of the models are fairly austere. Such a one comes first in the three the artist shows and was sketched in nut-brown cashmere. It fastened on the shoulder, the little pleats necessary to take in the fullness at the neck were covered by a few rows of narrow braid, each finished by a little loop and button, and the round plain stock was stiffened by

rows of braid. The blouse hung scant, the fullness being only from lack of darts, and the belt was very narrow and braided. Except for a touch of braid at wrists and basque, to harmonize with the lines on the shoulder, there was no further trace of trimming on the bodice. The skirt was braided at the foot to match the rest. Such a dress may as well be of broadcloth, serge, mohair, or heavy jacket over silk, and with a champagne in it was another wearer would clumsily bundled up in women's furs.

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That same older sister is near to driving dressmakers insane with her demands for novel elaborations. Especially is this true at present of house dresses. The bodices are built upon the blouse idea, of course, but with so much for a start, they are next worried out of all comfort by the application of braiding dits, off sides, needless buttons, epaulette effects, etc. Some of these modifications of the blouse are very clever and it was not a difficult matter to choose three attractive models for illustration. The first one ingeniously produced a princess effect, and was in lavender crepe trimmed with black silk braid and buttons. A simulation of jacket stoles set low on the blouse was extended below the belt, giving the look of the corners of jacket stoles. At the same time, since only the front edge of the jacket was thus



CONTRASTING PLAINNESS ABOVE THE BELT OUTDOORS.

was an odd combination of colors, scarlet chevrot giving skirt, sleeves and vest, the blouse and band at foot of skirt being caramel colored stuff. Perhaps a look of warmth was sought in the matter of color as well as of cut. The remaining garment, though true to the current fancy for blouses, was for the woman who regrets the bygone blazer. Both skirt and bodice were of swaggor necked gray serge, the necks, in bunches of eight or ten, running diagonally. With this was a little plain cloth jacket that opened all the way down. It curved off at the hips to almost nothing at the back, and mounted in a high curved rolled collar at the neck. It is essential that such an under bodice should be very plain in the shirt fashion and end at the belt. A linen collar is worn and a tie, the ends of which are tucked in at the belt. Copyright, 1901.

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**Planting too close.**

**Growing small trees.**

**Planting too many varieties.**

**Using dirty, second-hand fruit.**

**Not cutting straight across.**

**Pacing too high.**

**Using new fertilizer for strawberries.**

**Index 1899-1900.**

The Index 1899-1900 is a volume of 219 pages, and contains nearly 20,000 volumes which the Roman Church forbids the faithful to read, says the New York Sun. Eight thousand authors are named in it. Everything that Roman Rome is condemned, but only the more profane, from a Roman Catholic standpoint, of Voltaire's works appear in the Index. Taine's "History of English Literature" is under the ban, but his studies on the French revolution are omitted from the list of prohibited books by the wish of Leo XIII. All of Cousin's books are condemned, but only four of Lamartine's.

For obvious reasons Eugene Sue's "Wandering Jew" and the "Mysteries of Paris" are both forbidden reading. The Index contains a complete catalogue of the works of both the elder and the younger Dumas, but only two of Victor Hugo's books are found in it—"Les Miserables" and "Notre Dame de Paris." There are two Zolas in the Index—one is the author of "Rome," the other is a theologian of the last century.

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