



Linen and Gingham For Swell Morning Gowns. HOW THEY MAY BE TRIMMED. For Evening Wear There Are Light Colored Tulle Gowns by Lace Applique...



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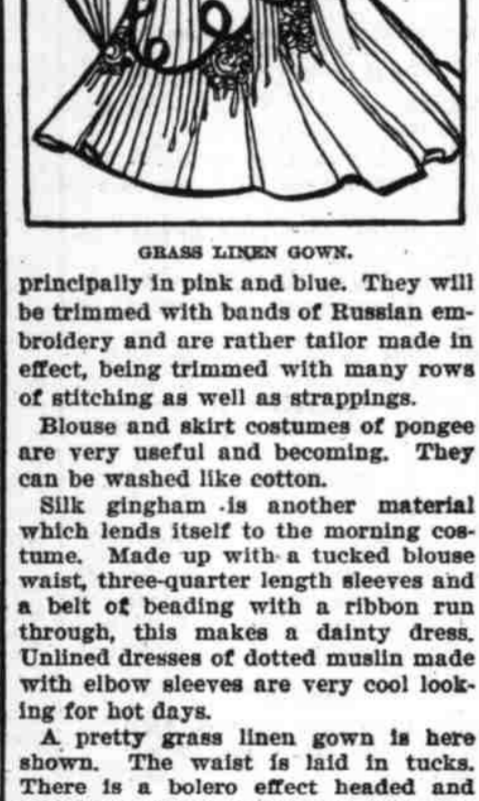
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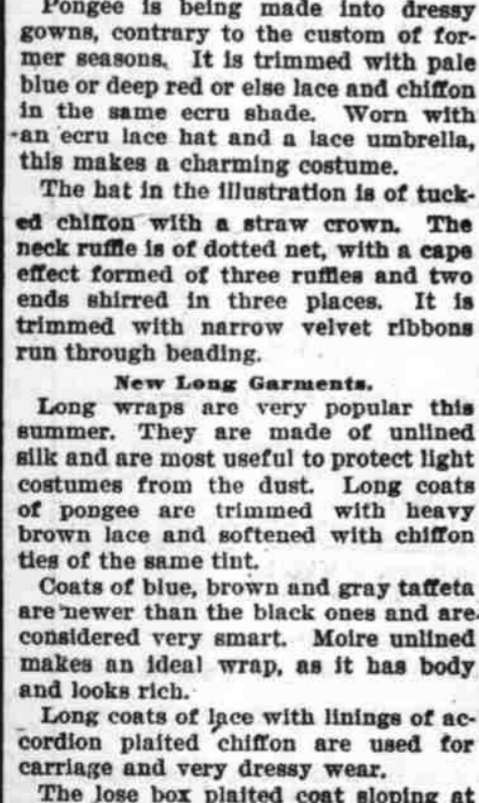
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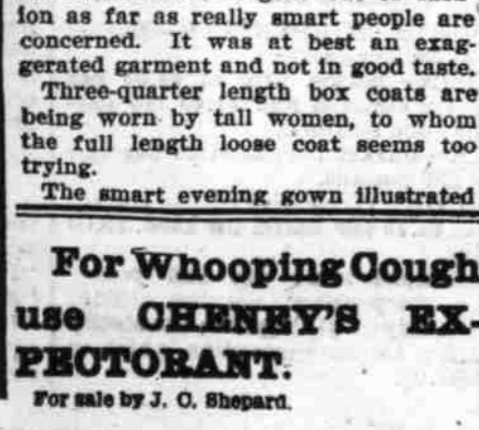
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