

Color, Texture Help Define Slim Shoes

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New leathers, textures and colors combine to put Fall shoe silhouettes in great shape! Brown is the leading high-fashion color in new leather shoes.

Deep chocolate and charcoal browns, double-rich in luxurious suede, smooth and grained leathers, cool tailored tans and beige, nutty luster leathers and bronze-brown patents are but a few of the scores of new browns in the shoe parade. Following brown in the leather fashion pageant, not only in shoes but also in leather accessories, are cherry and wine reds, deep blues, olive and forest greens, gunmetal and other grays, and black.

TO POINT UP the elegance of the soft leathers in the new slimmer-than-ever shoes, ornamentation often becomes an shoulders in the Ivy, squared integral part of

the shoe. And when the ornamentation is not "built in," it takes on a conservative touch in tiny off-side buckles, small crushed bows, delicate leather appliques. Typical of the "built-in" styling are such effects as pleating at the vamp, high-peaked tongues of stitched or softly crushed leather, insets, draping, designed-in bows and many versions of slim straps which are shown on pumps and sandals for both daytime and dress wear.

NEW TOUCHES are seen in various throat treatments. Some are round, others deeply V'd, others have curving pieces that resemble half-moons.

New lightweight leathers are featured prominently in styles for round-the-clock wear and highlight the slim silhouettes.

For dress there will be more open shank treatments, deep V-throats, asymmetrical straps and narrow instep straps. Many also feature linings of gaily colored leather.

FOR DAYTIME and casual wear there'll be a greater use of contrasting leathers, both in textures and colors.

Silky brushed leathers are accented with touches of smooth or finely textured leather at the vamp, in small tailored buckles, collar treatments and strap details.

Oxfords, shown with combinations of leathers and ranging from two-eyelet to five-eyelet patterns, and spectator pumps will be popular and often seen with stacked leather heels.

Spectator styling will be more conservation with toe tip perforations and fine stitching, a simple but elegant note to all fashions.

A La Russe

A controversial new item is the Persian lamb fabric Cossack cap. It may very well prove to be a surprise best-seller this coming fall and winter season. It fits the new "fur look" vogue, and it goes with the normal yen for odd show-off headwear at the ski resorts. Watch for it . . . it may very well make the transfer from ski hill to suburb!

Quilted Jacket

The new garment men will favor to keep warm in, is a below-waist length all-quilted jacket from Switzerland. It has rolled and draw-stringed quilted collar, zipper closure and pockets. It comes in three sizes, worn by men, women and children.



WEARING A KNIT one-piece dress accented with stripes is Mrs. W. P. Henderson of Kirkway drive, Bloomfield Hills.

Style, Color Highlight Fall Gloves

New shorter hemlines and sleeve lengths call for attention to the legs and arms which all totals up to good looking leather shoes and gloves!

New launderleather gloves beckon to fashion beautifully. They are handsomely detailed and cut, come in a variety of lengths, although most are on the longer side . . . from four to eighteen button length.

Color is rampant, and for the first time you'll be able to match your leathers in shoes and bags with your gloves.

Most important new colors, after brown (appearing in all shades), are bronze greens, greys, blues and reds.

And of course, there's the formal white launderleather kid gloves that sometimes reach as high as the shoulder.

STYLES ARE VARIED and detailing is emphasized. Some are punched with tiny airy perforations; others have jeweled trims, light embroidery and floral touches, applique treatments, bows and buckles.

Stretchy, stretchy! No, it's not baby-talk, but your introduction to Fall's daytime glove scene.

Stretch gloves that fit snugly will be seen on every hand, in every color.

Attractive, practical and so easy to dunk and dry, it's no wonder women have been buying more and more until they have become a most important part of the fall glove picture.

WOOL GLOVES with leather palms are important when winter winds really hit, and again will be seen in color combinations not usually associated with this type of glove.

The fabric glove standby is more important than ever, and the featured colors will almost make the standard black or brown fabric glove seem dated.

White, camel hair and the various coffee tones are bound to please the feminine shopper.

Brown and moss green blend with the new muted costume tones, with mineral gray an important neutral tint. Rich, deep-plum colored gloves are a high-fashion accent shade.



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