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FRANKLIN SQUARE, NEW YORK.

March 13, 1895.

Miss Aimée Tourgee,

Dear Madam:

In reply to your

inquiry, we beg to state that we have been informed that a foreign habit has been devised for riding astride, made with a divided skirt so arranged that each division can be buttoned together (for riding), or each unbuttoned and the two buttoned to each other down front and back, when dismounted.

We cannot ascertain that there is anything of the kind made in this country, but you can probably obtain further information from such habit-

makers as

Redfern,

No. 210 Fifth Avenue,
New York City,

or

Carlson,

No. 239 Fifth Avenue,
New York City.

Very truly yours,

Editor "Harper's Bazar",
Per W.