

FUGITIVES FROM ROMPERS

Ignoring the example of their elders, New York's younger generation prove that tots at any rate look better in abbreviated skirts. For two sisters, these matching outfits of brown and yellow checks provide a blending compromise.

Patsy is only three - but she'd even make the Parisian boys sit up and take a look at her pilgrim-collared blue coat. And Angela - just escaped from nappies - is decked out in a pink Banbury coat.

If Stafford Cripps had met Susan of the pigtails he wouldn't have dared to clamp the purchase tax on children's clothes. He's put it off now, for not even austerity's big brother wants anybody to go without a coat just because of a tax. But Evelyn is prepared to shed her load. For her, there is no hidden look.