MAN-NECUINS PARADE - Bathing fashions of

bygone days on parade at Norbreck, Blackpool.

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<u>Picture</u>.:- A mannequin parade in the good old days of 1880. Aren't these bobbing costumes of our grandparents just awful ? What an uncomfortable thing bathing must have been, both to engage in and--

--- to look at. To see one's beloved in one of these was surely enough to smash any romance (splash). I suppose that is how they damped the ardour of an amourous swain ! I said swain ! I daren't tell you what he said !

Ah I Well of course 1, that's different 1 I don't mind dreaming of the past if I wake up to realities of this kind 1