

Father won't appreciate well chosen travel aid

If dad's a travelling man, on a business or pleasure, chances are he'll like a Father's Day gift for the road — elegant leather luggage that's light, sturdy and spacious.

For the executive, a two-suitler is an ideal travelling companion. Made of tough but flexible stretch, it's roomy enough to hold a week-long cross-country trip.

The modern soft-sided two-piece will save dad extra baggage at the weight-in counter when he goes by air. It has an aluminum

frame on which is mounted lightweight leather. The handles of men traveling by air each year, leather luggage has been designed for "carry-on" use. A club bag, leather duffel or one-suitler can now be obtained in compact shapes suitable for sliding under an airplane seat.

Leather luggage comes in a variety of styles, in tan, brown, and black, the latter in both high polish and matte finishes. The color of the leather of a smooth leather will help dad keep his business papers orga-

nized and at fingertip accessibility. One slightly larger model has a removable zippered leather envelope to hold papers. A flopped compartment keeps bottles of articles under control and conveniently at hand at all times.

In addition to luggage there is a host of masculine leather gifts that will please Dad this Father's Day. Leather belts are always available in cowhide, calf and alligator. Smooth grained and textured leather wallets are popular. They can be bought with matching leather belts, key cases and cigaret lighters.

SCORE A BIG HIT WITH FOOTWEAR

Sportsman or spectator, dad will get more enjoyment from his leisure steps in cool spring-weight leather shoes styled for fun, freedom and fashion. Choose your Father's Day gift from among the dozens of trimly styled leather shoes that pace this season's sportswear fashion.

A whole range of smart, moderately-priced leather dress and casual footwear puts a fashion lense under spring-into summer wear.

Slip-on and moccasins in warm brown, black, olive and white leather tones accent this season's dark slacks, bold sports jackets, and glen plaid or tweed suitings.

As the weather grows warmer and men place a premium on comfort, many a businessman at his desk will wear dress-casual shoes. A good choice for Father's Day is a handsome brown slip-on with hidden goring under the tongue that does double duty for business and sportswear. Another handsome slip-on has a half-inch "booster top" of elastic to give him a no-slip hold.

For the dad who's long on casual shoes but short on dress or business footwear, select dress shoe of new springweight leather which bring comfort and fashion right into the office. Smooth and grained leather blucher ties, slip-ons with plain or wing-tip toes, and moccasins with refined or hand-stitching are both smart and easy on the foot.

The all-leather moccasin is an all-around masculine favorite. You are sure to score with dad if you give him either a slip-on or moccasin. Soft, supple leather uppers flex readily as he walks, relax without weight or pressure as he stands.

You can give him a moccasin "air conditioner" this summer with a pair of punched or perforated leather shoes.

If you don't know his size, you can play it safe. Give him a gift certificate from his favorite shoe shop and let him have the fun of inspecting the new styles.

Model kit ideal gift

If your Dad is a member of the growing legion of model builders, this interest may well cue your gift. The tyro may start with molded plastic kits to assemble, and work his way up to creation of exact scale models starting from raw wood or metals.

Model fans may specialize in ships, motor cars, airplanes or machines. One of the most popular in model railroading. Some acquire their miniature engines and cars already assembled—others buy the components and assemble them.

GIVE DAD SAFETY SIGNAL As a little "extra" give dad a safety signal light for night road emergencies.

New summer fashions solve many problems

Your Father's Day gift to dad or granddad can carry the plus factors of comfort and fashion when you express your sentiments with presents of wearables.

During the warm months ahead, featherweight suits, shirts, underwear, sport jackets, slacks, shorts, sport shirts, socks, ties, pajamas and robes will make it easier for your dad to face the 'dog days' and the sweltering, humid nights.

Of course, some of these gifts are more practically given via those convenient gift certificates that are available in your dad's favorite men's wear shops or departments.

Among these are the new summer suits. Tropical suits are made of drier worsted or blends of mass-made fibers with worsteds.

Dad will select the model, color and pattern he likes best. His choice may also be one of those easy-care washwear suits. Easy-care in appearance, washables can be tossed in a washer-dryer and removed ready to wear.

Of course, new constructions are available in sport jackets and slacks as well as walk shirts. There is no limit to the varieties of sport jackets this summer. Bold and subdued patterns, vivid and subtle shades of all colors and the weight range from

lightweight wools to feather-weight cottons.

The same is true of slacks and walk shirts. Select solid shades in those for wear with patterned shirts, and patterned styles of shorts to wear with solid color blazers.

In dress shirts, dad will go for those open-weather short-sleeved beauties that are now made in a variety of collar styles. Colored and patterned shirts are very popular this year and there are some very smart whites, too, particularly in washweaves.

Sport shirts run the gamut from soft, solid pastel tints to boldly patterned brilliant hues. Collars include the smart Italian, the favorably collared styles and many novelty treatments.

In all sportswear gifts look for the new "British Accent" style—a welcome addition to sports-wear styling. Summer underwear takes advantage of the cool knit athletic shirts and the sheer bulge-like shorts. Many of the new washwear shorts are now in colors and patterns as well as in whites. Even the popular, briefs series have been given a dash of fashion via woven and printed patterns.

Specially designed summer pajamas are made with half-sleeves and a walk-short length trouser. Borrowing liberally from the styling of sports shirts

and walk shorts, some of these summer sleepers could be worn out-of-doors without causing a raised eyebrow.

Summer robes include cool cottons, blends of mass-made fibers and cottons, and light-weight silks and silk-like fabrics.

A word to the wise in the selection of neckties. Take stock of the ties that your dad or granddad wears most frequently; note the colors, patterns, fabrics and width he prefers; select his Father's Day tie with those factors in mind.

If dad has a hobby, gift is no problem

Fathers and grandfathers who "tick a hobby" offer no problem when it comes to shopping for Father's Day gifts.

Both the tyro hobbyist and the expert of long standing in his chosen diversion will be grateful recipients of gifts that aid or abet them in the pursuit of their pastimes.

Take the growing group of weekend artists, for instance. These fellows range from beginners who "paint by the numbers" to creating masterpieces from pre-conceived works of art, to really serious craftsmen who in pencil, charcoal, water color, encaustic or oils start from scratch in the manner of the professional.

Visit his favorite art store to get a line on his needs or make him a present of a medium others use. The one he usually works in to broaden his interests.

Philatelists are among the most ardent slaves to their favorite pastime. Key your gifts to

their specialty. It may be historical issues, rare imprints, covers or one of the hundreds of other types of collections.

Coins, both ancient and modern, hold an equal fascination for collectors with a bent in that direction. Rare mints, ancient, numismatic, dated series and even historic medals find places in the hearts of numismatists.

These collectors also have their albums, catalogues and books relating to their hobby as well as special mounting boards on which to display their treasures.

Hi-fi fans are apt to be found in a maze of woofers, tweeters, rectifiers, turntables and pickups. They are always in need of other parts and certainly appreciate gifts of their favorite recordings.

Of course, there are many other hobbies, one of which may be your Dad's or Granddad's.

Stylish cuff links much in demand

The shortest and most memorable way to Dad's heart, says the Jewelry Industry Council, is through a gift of jewelry he is sure to cherish for years to come.

For this Father's Day, the jeweler has a wider assortment than ever of exciting personal jewelry gifts that will accent his wardrobe. These gifts combine practicality and style. They will

Much in demand this year are the stylishly designed cuff links that are welcome additions to every masculine wardrobe. Whether in karat gold, gold filled or silver, with colored stones or in his favorite sport hobby motif, or other motif, cuff links are bound to be popular. In addition, the bars, tie tucks, pen and pencil sets are always much wanted

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