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Going PLACES

A vintage travel memoir provides a map to the season's far-flung inspirations.



THE ZEBRA-striped book cover may be familiar from self-consciously stacked coffee tables, but the name below the title is less so. In 1910, Osa Leighty, of Chanute, Kansas, married Martin Johnson, a collaborator of

Jack London's. The couple set out for the South Seas, Africa, and Borneo and chronicled their journeys in books and movies for 20th Century Fox. *I Married Adventure* was Osa's 1940 memoir of their wanderings. It's worth the \$150 or more it fetches at vintage bookstores for the pictures alone. Her pioneering spirit came to mind during a spring collection season that was all over the map, in the best possible way. We had to wonder: Where would Osa go?

1. TRAVELER

Top: Johnson, photographed on one of the many early-20th-century journeys she wrote about in her 1940 memoir.

> santa fe?

The spirit of pioneering women like Johnson, Georgia O'Keeffe, and Louise Dahl-Wolfe loomed large. So did the colors of the landscape.

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> the far east?

Johnson had a taste for zebra stripes, which pair well with the exoticism of chinoiserie.

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> the tropics?

Johnson witnessed tribal rites, including cannibalism. She wouldn't be scared away by a bold print.

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