WILDEST IS A COLLECTION AIMING TO CHALLENGE THE PERCEPTION OF GENDER IN CLOTHING, SPECIFICALLY HOW CLOTHING CAN DEFINE THE CONCEPT OF MASCULINITY. THE WAY THE DESIGNER HAS CHOSEN TO APPROACH THIS OUTLOOK IS THROUGH THE VIEW POINT OF THE WILD WEST AND THE CROSS-DRESSING WHICH ACCURED DURING THIS PERIOD. CALMITY JANE WAS AN EXAMPLE OF THIS WHOM PROVED THAT CROSS DRESSING CAN CHANGE PEOPLES PERCEPTIONS OF YOU AND THE WAY YOU ARE TREATED BASED ON THE GENDERED CLOTHING YOU ARE WEARING.

THE DESIGNER AIMS TO CHANGE HOW PEOPLE VIEW CLOTHING BY BLURRING THE LINES IN THEIR GARMENTS OF WHAT IS FOR MALE OR FEMALE. THIS WAS ARCHIEVED BY MAKING EACH PIECE OF THEIR COLLECTION GENDERLESS AND FITTED TO EITHER BODY TYPE. TAKING AWAY THE PREJUDICE OF WHOS ALLOWED TO WEAR WHAT, WHICH IS A STIGMA THAT IS HOPEFULLY STARTING TO FADE WITH TIME. THROUGH OUT THE DESIGN PROCESS THE DESIGNER MADE SURE TO PAY CLOSE ATTENTION TO DETAIL. THIS INCLUDED KEEPING EVERYTHING IN THE COLLECTION TIME PERIOD APPROPRIATE IN REGARDS TO WHAT MATERIAL CHOICES WERE MADE ONLY USING FABRICS THAT WOULD BE CHOSEN IN THE WILD WEST.

MATT TOMPKINS.





CALAMITY JANE 1880

Calamity Jane

CROSS DRESSING WOMEN 1910

## WILDEST

WILDEST A COLLECTION AIMING TO REDEFINE THE MASCULINE IMAGE SET OF THE AMERICAN WILDEST WEST THROUGH THE REIMAGINATION OF THE MEDIA IMAGERY OF THE PERIOD.





WILDEST'S SILHOUETTE INSPIRATION IS THE CONCEPT, OF GENDER SWAPPING CLOTHING. LARGE SILHOUETTES ON FEMALES OVER SIZED "MENS GARMENTS" AND TIGHT FITTING SLIM SILHOUETTES ON MALES. CLASSIC GARMENTS ASSOCIATED WITH WOMENS CLOTHING ADAPTED TO FIT AND FLATTER THE A MALE STYLE AND FIGURE.

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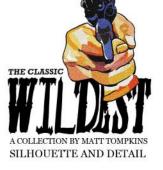


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CROSS DRESSING LATE 1890S AMERICA

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LEATHER COW HIDE LIGHT BROWN



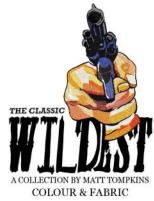
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WAX COATED LUGGAGE TWILL DESERT KHAKI DARKGREEN COTTON CANVAS





LEATHER COW HIDE DARK BROWN



GREEN MOHAIR



100% COTTON LINING



KHARKI COTTON LINING



DESSERT KHAKI POLY COTTON



WADDING





## MODEL I : INTERNETCRUSHO4

## MODEL 2: LILYMAEDWHITE











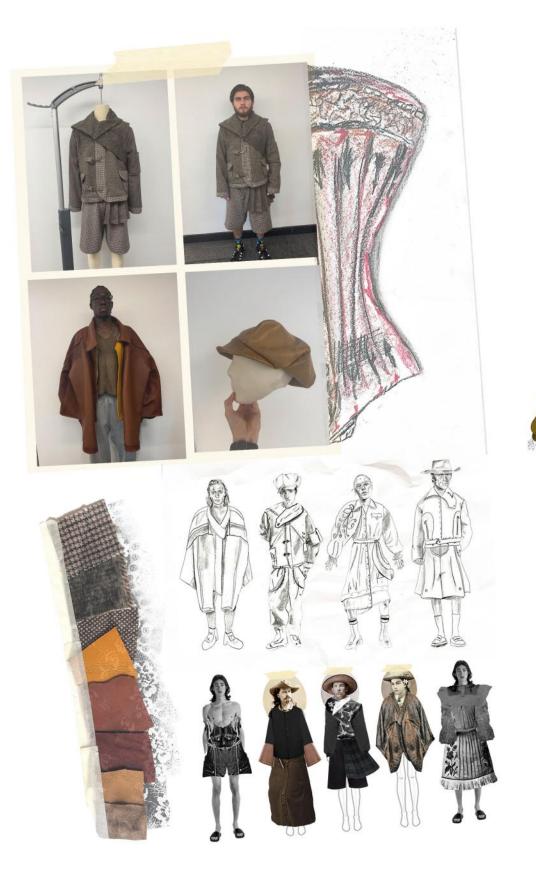




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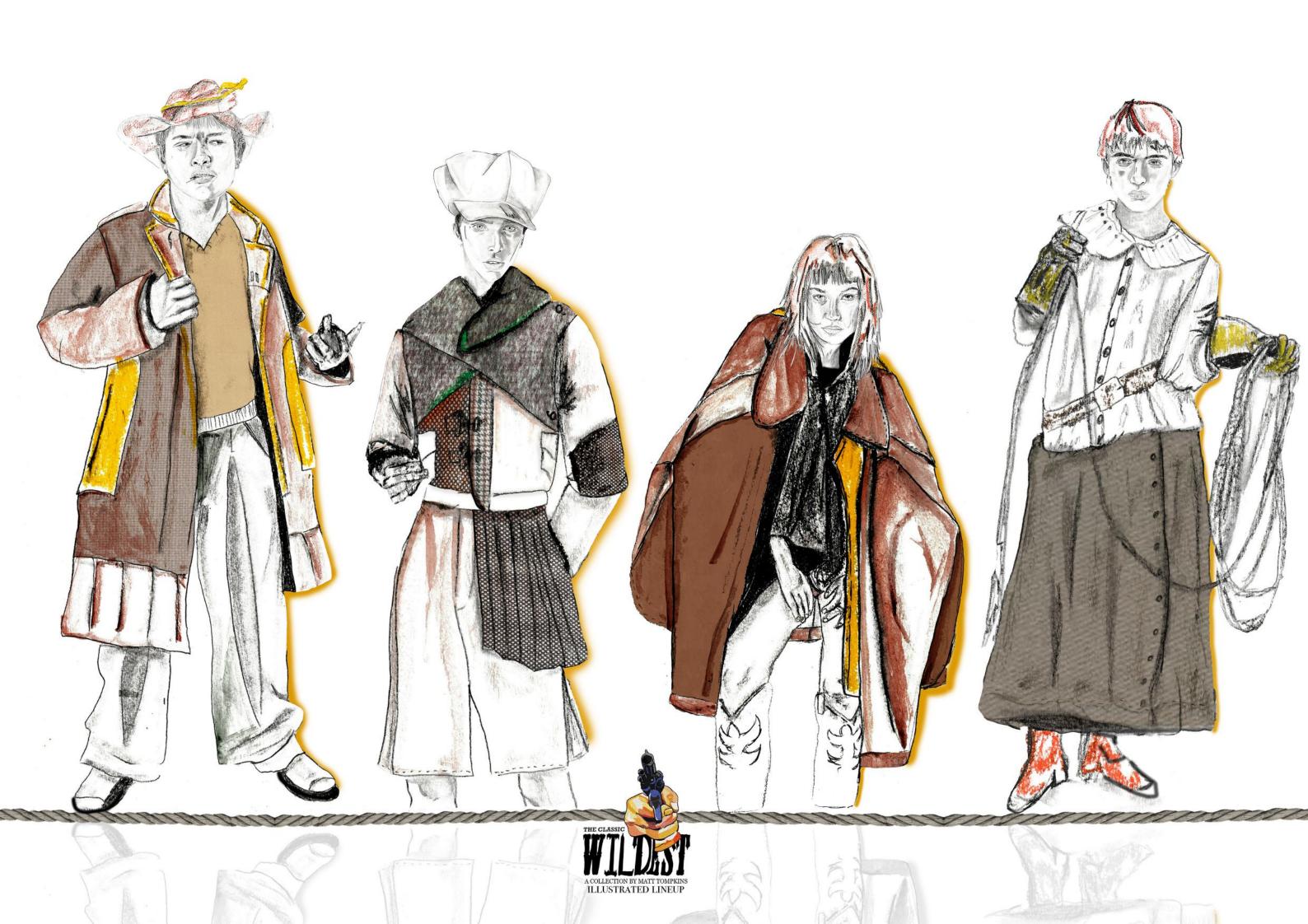


















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