

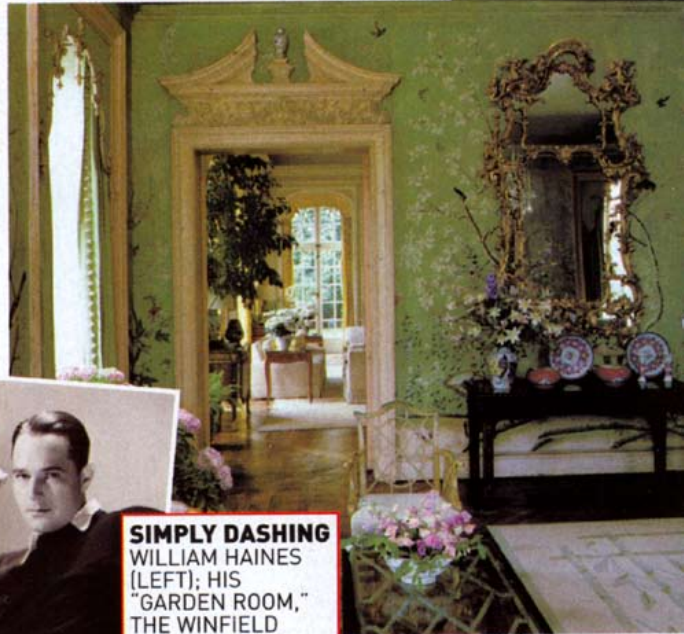
William Haines
designs

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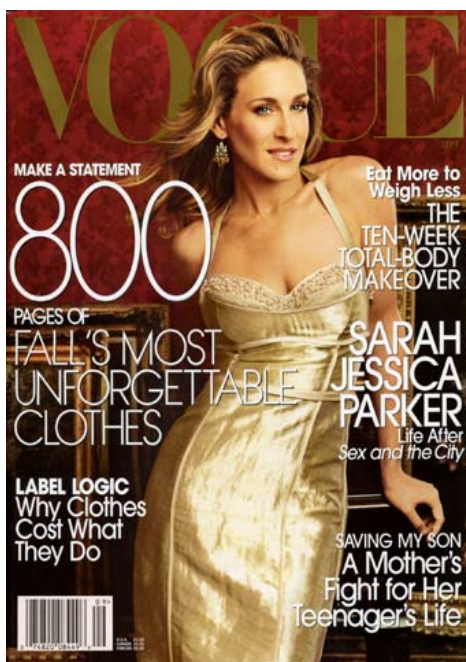
Suzanne Slesin has edited another gorgeous tome—*Class Act*, by **Jean H. Mathison** and **Peter Schifando** (Pointed Leaf Press), about famous Hollywood interior decorator **William Haines**.

Haines was a silent-screen idol before he got into design, and he was golden-age movieland’s golden-boy interior designer—his clients included everyone from **Carole Lombard** to **George Cukor**.

The Haines style was “Hollywood Regency”—part English stately home and part Far Eastern—and, in summing up life he once said, “I would rather have taste than either love or money.” Wise man. —A.L.T.



SIMPLY DASHING
WILLIAM HAINES
(LEFT); HIS
“GARDEN ROOM,”
THE WINFIELD
HOUSE, LONDON.



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