Indian Scores Dress of Women At Washington

Convert of Harding's Sister Says Scanty Clothes Worn At Capital Outdo the Harems of East.

By Universal Service.

Washington, Nov. 30.—American women, particularly those in Washington, dress far more immodestly than the half-clad-be-jewelled women of the eastern harem, according to the Rev. A. H. Williams, of Rangoon, India, who is visiting at the home of Mrs. Carolyn Votaw, sister of President-elect Harding, in an interview here today.

Mr. Williams is a native East Indian, and was converted to Christianity 14 years ago when Mrs. Votaw and her husband were missionaries in that country.

Denunciation Is Bitter.

"If the inmates of a harem were to appear on F street," said Mr. Williams, "it would cause no perceptible stir, because they are already outdone by the Washington women who frequent that thoroughfare.

"In the far east decollette is reserved for the harem but in Washington it is the habit of the streets. Indeed, the scant clothes, fancy high heels, and earrings after the manner of the harem, seems to be the ideal of the American woman in dress.

"I can imagine how admiringly a Turkish sheik would gaze on the promenade of fancily dressed women on F street. Women should be more modest. As a missionary from foreign parts I must confess I am a little shocked at the prevailing fashions of English and American women.

Dress Problem Solved.

"The women of Burmah have solved the dress problem, which seems more than their American sisters have done. In fact, throughout Indian both sexes wear pajama skirts, depending upon what part of the country they are from. Some still wear the Sari costumes, which is a sheet-like garment that is wound around the body.

"I might tell about the sun dancing on golden domes and minarets as the boat pulls into Bombay, or about the mysteries of Bagdad and the beautiful veiled women.

"But I prefer to emphasize that the most surprising thing about India is that it is modern. It is covered with a network of railroads. There are telephones, street cars, modern houses and magnificent public buildings.

"I refer, of course, to big cities like Calcutta, Bombay and Delhi. The inland people are still crude, but we call that the backwoods."

Dry Candidate for President In Two Elections Dead

Long Beach, Cal., Nov. 30.—Eugene Chafin, prohibition candidate for president in 1908 and 1912, died at his home here today from burns received November 20, when his clothing caught fire while he was lighting a gas heater.

Mr. Chafin was born November 1, 1852, at East Troy, Wis. He studied law in the University of Wisconsin and was admitted to practice in Waukesha in 1875, continuing practice there and in Chicago for the greater part of his life.

He was a temperance advocate and lecturer from his youth and was a candidate on several occasions for local and state offices in both Wisconsin and Illinois. Shortly after his presidential campaign of 1908 he moved to Arizona for his health and came to Long Beach four years ago. He was active in councils of local temperance organizations to the last.

Organize Office Help.

St. Louis, Mo., Nov. 30.—The American Federation of Labor is preparing to start a nationwide campaign to organize office help, according to E. H. Fitzgerald, grand president of the brotherhood of railway and steamship clerks, freight handlers, express and station employes.

South Side

Two Men Are Fined In Police Court On Liquor Charges

Two men charged with illegal possession were fined $100 and costs in South Side police court yesterday. Mike Dagmechich, 3526 U street, was found to have a still and two quarts of liquor. Flaryan Salynski also had a still, a small amount of booze and numerous empty bottles.

Clothing Is Stolen

Theft of $625 worth of dresses, silver and a sealskin cape was reported by Mrs. J. T. Rohr, 4818 South Twenty-fifth street. Upon returning from downtown at 10 o'clock Monday night, Mrs. Rohr found that a burglar had broken in a front window and ransacked the house.

Pays for Recklessness

It costs $5 to run into a safety zone and drag it around the streets, William Zarp, 4329 Parker street, discovered in South Side police court yesterday. He was arrested for reckless driving at Twenty-fourth and N streets last night.

South Side Brevities

Illinois coal, $13.75. Howland Lbr. & Coal Co. Phone So. 1614.—Adv.

Charging that his wife, from whom he is separated, had disturbed the peace, Al Larson had Marguerite Larson, 3195 Q street, arrested Monday night.

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This question will be answered Dec. 12th. Watch for the answer.

A PAIR OF STOCKINGS

By SAM HELLMAN.

"He who steals what isn't his'n must give it up or go to prison," said old Ben Franklin, who should have known more about the law than that unless he meant the giving up was for eminent counsel. Yet the fact remains that he who steals what isn't his'n probably will go to prison if he hasn't got a good lawyer or an alibi and pleads guilty and isn't pardoned before the sentence is pronounced. There are some men in jail, aren't there? Well, then.

Sadie Hall had sold stockings so long at the Peerless department store that she knew more about hosiery than the man who wrote the book. Sadie loved pretty hosiery. She fingered the $5 and $10 silken sheens with all the tenderness of a bride smoothing out her first wedding gown.

Sadie, however, didn't wear expensive stockings for 89 different reasons, the first being that she didn't have the money, and the other 88 being immaterials. But Sadie was content. Her skirts came to her shoe tops.

Then someone in Paris decided over night to establish closer relations between the waist line and the hem of the skirt, leaving Sadie's cotton or near silk stockings exposed to the public gaze, er, that is, a considerable cross section of them.

Then Sadie stroked the real silk stockings with a greater tenderness and the light of a desire flamed into her dull eyes.

She would buy a pair of the $10 kind for herself. How wonderful they would feel! How fine they would look! She was going to a dance the next night with Hanson, the furniture buyer, and she would use the occasion to give her fast stockings a run for the money.

At her home that evening Sadie counted out $10. It was all that she had or would have until her next pay day, which was several days away. In the morning she placed the money in limbo. When she reached the store Sadie knew she needed stockings badly. There was a hole in one of those she had on and the $10 was gone.

Napoleon after Waterloo, Cornwallis at Yorktown and the Christians thrown to the lions couldn't have felt any worse than Sadie did that morning. Shortly before the store closed Hanson passed by the counter.

"Don't forget the dance tonight, Sadie, I've just bought me a new suit."

Sadie decided upon that moment she would have the stockings. Before her was a small stack of the handsome slim boxes containing the $10 pedigree brand. The store wouldn't find out for several days and then she would blame shoplifters. She took one of the boxes, placed it in the inside pocket of her long coat, which she had put on.

"Miss Hall," came the sharp voice of the superintendent, Simmons, "you'd better see Mr. Campbell tomorrow."

"Tomorrow," faltered Sadie.

"Yes, he's gone for the day. Huh? No. I don't know what about. Don't you know?" and the superintendent passed on.

As Sadie left the store she wondered why she hadn't been arrested. She cast a look over her shoulder. A man was walking behind her. She was being followed. Sadie read the newspapers. She knew now why she hadn't been arrested. They were expecting to track her to the place where the loot was stored and then seize her and her accomplice.

The man behind followed for several blocks and then turned off at a side street, first looking sharply at Sadie.

She took a car. There were 50 advertisements strung along the inside and they were all about stockings. Sadie read: "Use Lavarine Soap, Good for Stolen Stockings." "Rubberine Rubbers Keep Stolen Stockings Dry," "Tara Tobacco, Smoother than Stolen Silk Stockings."

Sadie gripped the slim box. Everybody on the car was looking through her coat at it and smiling meaningly. "Steal stockings, stolen stockings, steal, stock"—hummed the trolley.

She got off two blocks before her destination. At the corner near her boarding house stood a policeman. She had never seen one there before. She passed him rapidly. On the porch was a man. A detective! Sadie looked back. The policeman had followed her. What was the use? She half staggered up the stairs.

"Are you looking for me?" murmured Sadie.

"Lou? No," said the stranger. "I'm waiting for the landlady. I want to rent a room."

Sadie looked toward the street. The policeman had continued beyond the house. As she entered the telephone rang. Sadie's heart missed a beat and she stared blankly toward the wall. The landlady answered the telephone.

"It's for you," she said.

"Hello," said a voice "this is Ida. Congratulations."

"Congratulations," echoed Sadie, mechanically. "What about?"

"Didn't Simmons tell you you were to be the new buyer in hosiery? I heard the boss tell him about it."

Ida was Campbell's stenographer.

"Are you fooling me," asked Sadie in a grating voice. "Simmons didn't say anything to me."

"Honor bright. You know what a stickler Simmons is."

Sadie in her room nearly collapsed. For a bauble, a pair of stockings, she had thrown away the big chance, the chance she had waited for for years. In a sudden rage she took the stocking box from her coat and hurled it on the bed. It burst open.

Sadie had stolen an empty box.

Red Cross Donates $400,000 for Relief Of Russian Refugees

Washington, Nov. 30.—Appropriation of $400,000 for the relief of the 139,000 south Russian refugees in Constantinople was announced by the American Red Cross, in response to a cable from Rear Admiral Bristol, describing the situation as "catastrophic."

"This sum with the $300,000 appropriated by the Russian embassy in Washington which is to be administered by the American Red Cross," the statement said, "makes a total of $700,000 available for the relief of these stricken thousands in whose ranks are many women and children."

Admiral Bristol's message appealed for immediate aid and said relief resources were being rapidly exhausted. "Every hospital in Constantinople is filled and hundreds of sick have no place to stay. Danger of an epidemic is very great," it said.

Labor Board to Get Reprisal Views in Dublin

London, Nov. 30.—The labor commission of inquiry into the reprisals in Ireland left Dublin this morning. The party comprises representatives of the labor parliamentary party and the labor executive body.

Government Asks Trustee Be Named To Dispose of Yards

Washington, Nov. 30.—The government petitioned the district supreme court to appoint a trustee to take possession of and sell the stockyard properties of the big five packers.

The petition which accompanied the government's objection to the various plans of the packers for disposing of those properties declared that the packers had failed to present a suitable plan to the court, although nine months had elapsed since they undertook to formulate such a plan.

Appointment of a trustee or trustees with power to take possession of all stocks, bonds and other securities owned by the defendant packers representing their interests in stockyards properties, was asked, and the government also asked that the trustee be directed to sell these properties in such manner as the court may direct after due notice to the defendants. The petition is made returnable on December 14.

An easily attached wire guard has been patented for protecting infants' milk bottles against breakage.

Federal Prisoner Held After Pardon by Wilson

Leavenworth, Kan., Nov. 30.—Edward Therek, who began serving a ten-year sentence in the federal prison here in April, 1917, for violating national bank laws in Boston, was released on commutation of sentence by President Wilson. On his release Therek was arrested by local authorities and lodged in jail here at the request of California authorities, who say a criminal charge is pending against him in San Francisco.

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ONE CENT SALE

Sample Bargains

The seventh big "One-Cent Sale" of the Sherman & McConnell Drug Co. is now in full swing, and the sales thus far beat all former records.

Only those who have attended one of these sales and made actual purchases can realize the "Bona Fide" bargains given. There have been many imitations of the "1c Sale" as originated by the United Drug Co. of Boston for the Rexall Agents—nearly 10,000 in number—yet no other sale has approached this in the important essential of really and truly giving the bargains described.

A full carload of goods was purchased by the Sherman & McConnell Drug Co., as the "first gun" in holding this sale, and to this merchandise buy was added such items as would be particularly seasonable just now. The sample items named below best tell the story. There are nearly 1,000 different articles in all. This sale lasts through Wednesday and Thursday of this week.

18c Colgate's, La France and Dactylis Talc.....2 for 18¢
35c Symond's Inn Cocoa.....2 for 36¢
75c Blackberry Grape Jam, ...2 1½-lb. cans for 76¢
50c Violet Dulce Face Powder.....2 for 51¢
35c Shermac's Witch Hazel and Arnica Salve..2 for 36¢
35c Rexall Cherry Bark Cough Syrup.....2 for 36¢
60c Armour's Cold Cream, ...2 for 61¢
25c Rexall's Tooth Paste, ...2 for 26¢
25c Nyal Laxacold...2 for 26¢
50c Abonita or Amorita Almond Benzion and Cucumber Cream Lotion.....2 for 51¢
60c Harmony Cocoa Butter Cold Cream and Skin Food, ...2 for 61¢
65c bottle of 100 Aspirin Tablets.....2 for 66¢
40c Imported Tooth Brushes in all approved shapes, 2 for 41¢
20c and 25c Wool or Velour Powder Puffs, 2 for the price of one plus 1c.

Hundreds of other items, including Talcs, Face Powders, Tooth, Nail and Hair Brushes, Rubber Goods, Toilet Soaps, Candies, Stationery and various Perfumes and Medicinal Articles.

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OLD SCROOGE of Dicken's "Christmas Carol" fame, were he living today, would need no bidding to do his Christmas shopping early, for Scrooge had learned the full meaning of Christmas, and with the arrival of those most wonderful of all shopping days, Scrooge would be first to drink of the happiness which comes from finding just the right gift for each and every one near and dear to him.

Scrooge, too, would have spent most of his time in the Jewelry Shops, for Scrooge appreciated Gifts of real worth—usefulness—things that last and that serve best the true spirit of Christmas.

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"Only One Thing Breaks My Cold"

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