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Thorn of a Rose Kills Countess

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NOW CHAIRING WALLACE REID, in "ACROSS THE CONTINENT"

Cynthia Grey:

How Long Should the Long Skirt Be?—One Woman Condemns "Drabbly, Swishing, Tangling" Garment That "Mops Up Streets"—Asks Readers for Opinions—What Do the Men Think?

BY CYNTHIA GREY

How long should women wear the skirts of their walking suits and dresses? Should they trail, in spots, on the ground and lap up the dust and dirt of the street?

Should women go to the other extreme now that the "long skirt edict" has gone forth from fashion centers of Paris? Or should the American woman make up her mind what is reasonably attractive and sensible, and set her own limit on the length to which skirts shall go?

A woman reader puts these queries in the accompanying letter and asks Star readers to give their opinion. The best answers will be published. Please make letters brief and to the point.

LONG SKIRT PROBLEM NEXT

Dear Miss Grey: I think it is time women took up the matter of the long skirt. If they don't it will get away with them.

It seems to me we are in more danger of being made fools of by the extreme long skirt than we were by the extreme short one. Common decency kept most women from going too far in the matter of short skirts, but what is there to stop them from mopping up the sidewalks and the crossings with swishing, tangling, drabbling skirts that touch the ground. I think it is time women decided to reach a happy medium on the skirt question.

They have tried the long, long ago, and hated it for the most part. They have tried the short recently and liked it for the most part.

I would like to know what women readers of your column consider the correct and reasonable length for a street skirt. READER.

Glad of the suggestion. Think the matter is timely and of general interest. Would be glad to hear from men as well as women on this subject.

Who said: "A woman preaching is like a dog's walking on his hind legs. It is not done well; but you are surprised to find it done at all." This is ascribed to Dr. Samuel Johnson in Boswell's "Life of Johnson."

Who was Melusina? The most famous of the French fairies. Tradition asserts that she appears periodically on the so-called Tower of Melusina, announcing the approaching death in the family, and that after the family was extinct and the castle had fallen to the crown she came in the same way before the death of a king of France, dressed in mourning and uttering heart-piercing lamentations. The castle of Lusignan was destroyed in 1574.

How many kinds of elephants are there? Throughout the ages there have been many kinds, but at present there are only two, Elephas indicus and Elephas africanus. The African elephant is larger, with much bigger ears, with a more sloping head, without the two rounded bosses of the

Miss Grey will receive callers in her office Monday, Wednesday and Friday from 1 to 3 p. m., and on Tuesday and Thursday from 11 a. m. to 12 m. each week. Please do not come at other times as it seriously interferes with her writing.

Indian, and the tip of the trunk has two triangular processes, one above and one below; the Indian species is the only one used as a beast of burden.

What does "squeeze" mean in printing? "Squeeze" in printing means the same as it does in other cases. For example, if the type happens to be a little loose, "squeezing" it means to make tight; if it is desired to make a heavier impression a little more

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Constance Talmadge



In her interpretation of Ming Toy, principal in "East Is West," at the Coliseum Saturday.

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THE Screen

LIBERTY

Wallace Reid, supported by Lila Lee and Walter Hiers, scored again at the Liberty theater last night in his new Paramount starring vehicle, "The Ghost Breaker." It is a picture that is well worth seeing. There is an excellent mixture of comedy and drama in the production.

"Skin Deep," with Milton Sills and Florence Vidor, opens Saturday.

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COLUMBIA

"Under Two Flags," with Priscilla Dean, the story of Algiers army life breaking all records for attendance at the Columbia theater. Because hundreds of people are being turned away each night, Manager R. W. Case has decided to hold the picture over for another week. Miss Dean as "Cigarette," the daughter of the regiment, is said by critics to be one of the greatest feminine characters ever presented on the screen.

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COLISEUM

"Heroes and Husbands" will close at the Coliseum today and "East Is West," with Constance Talmadge, said to be the greatest picture ever produced, depicting a combination of Chinese and American life, will open Saturday. The story deals principally with Ming Toy (Constance Talmadge). Many exciting moments follow her escape from the Chinese "Love Boat," where she was about to be sold into bondage.

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BLUE MOUSE

Vitagraph has again done the unusual in an attractive adaptation of both a song and a story—each one a classic—to the screen. "My Wild Irish Rose," which opens at the Blue Mouse Friday, slips the sweetness from both Chauncey Olcott's song and Dion Boucicault's famous success, "The Shaughraun."

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WINTER GARDEN

What is described as one of the best vehicles of his screen career is Eugene O'Brien's Selznick picture, "Clay Dollars," which is showing at the Winter Garden this week. The production is somewhat unusual in that there is no preponderance of ballroom or drawing room scenes, but is a straightforward story dealing in a humorous and original way with events typical to every small town in the country.

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STRAND

"Pink Gods," a story of the South African diamond fields, closes at the Strand today. The picture features Babe Daniels with an all-star cast. "The Old Homestead," with Theodore Roberts, will have its first showing Saturday. It is the story of life in a small town and a boy's adventures in a trip around the world which took place after he had been disgraced in his home town.

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COLONIAL

It is not often that motion picture fans are given the opportunity to see the latest and most stylish costumes presented by one of the most attractive artists of the screen in a story vibrant with romance and adventure, but that is what Mae Murray's latest picture, "Peacock Alley," which opens at the Colonial Saturday, is said to include.

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PRINCESS

"Across the Continent" featuring Wallace Reid, is showing at the Princess theater this week. It is a story of a transcontinental race, in which a filver, driven by Reid, beats many of the world's best racing cars. Reid has appeared in many racing stories, but "Across the Continent" is said to be his greatest picture.

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OUT AGAIN, IN AGAIN FOR TIM

CHICAGO, Oct. 27.—It was "out again, in again," for Big Tim Murphy. Five minutes after being released on a disorderly conduct charge, the Chicago labor czar was arrested for "sassing" an officer.

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BLUE MOUSE



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Remembrance A picture you will remember forever—and forever is a long time!