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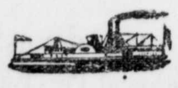

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Silas Saul, alias Mary Davis, was taken to the House of Correction from Kent last week. He or she, as the case may be, had insisted upon being a woman, while the Kent county officials had insisted that he or she was a man, and ordered that he or she don male apparel.

When the prisoner was entered at the House of Correction, the perplexing question reached a climax.

All went along well until Superintendent King happened to see the new arrival. He at once called to the female assistant, and said that "woman is a man." To this the prisoner answered: "I am neither man nor woman."

The matron, in the meantime, had taken a good look at Saul, and she became convinced that some mistake had been made in defining the prisoner's sex. Superintendent King questioned the prisoner, who asserted that she was Mary Davis, and not a man. The Superintendent ordered the prisoner to the clothes room to change her wearing apparral for prison garb. Steward Hagadorn, in whose custody she was placed, insisted that the matron should be called, as the prisoner was a woman. Superintendent King, however ordered him to proceed to the clothes room with the prisoner.

When the prisoner had donned the prison apparel the steward found that he or she had taken off a tailor-made gown, a corset-cover, a pair of corsets, five underskirts, a pair of fancy female hose and other female garments.

When questioned by the guard the prisoner told the following story:

"I don't know exactly how old I am. I was born in West Virginia. When a small child I was attired in female clothing by my people, and in Washingtan and in various places I have served many prominent familes as cook and house servant. All during these years I have associated with women, with the exception of times when I have had steady company with gentlemen. I have never worn male attire, and really I am ashamed at myself when I look down and see these trousers. No one has ever questioned my sex during all these years and I have always been considered a woman. I am a first-class washer and ironer, and have also been hired out as a maid and nurse."

The prisoner then held out both hands and said: "Do these hands look like they ever worked in a harvest field?" and added "I think it is a shame that I have been treated this way for wearing women's clothes. I don't know any other kind, as I have worn them for so many years. I always have my dresses made for me at the dressmaker's, and at my home in Chestertown I have hats to match my gowns."

While the prisoner was making this statement he or she stood with eyes downcast and told the story with a well-modulated voice, and with evident embarrassment. The prisoner stated that the trouble was due to envious people of his or her own race in Kent county. He or she seemed particularly affected when they cut his or her hair off. The long tresses were wrapped and braided about the head in a neat plait, resembling an old-time water-fall.

Superintendent King says that this is the strangest case that has ever come under his notice, and he doubts if there is a similar case in the country. The deputy keepers have registered this new arrival as "The what-is-it."

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