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INDIA

AND ITS PEOPLES

By Capt. L. R. Claud Robinson

BRITISH GOVERNMENT OF INDIA

WHEN the administrative powers of the East India company were transferred to the crown in 1858, it was provided that India should be governed in London by a secretary of state assisted by a council, and in India by a governor general or viceroy assisted by a small cabinet of officials. The provincial governments were organized on the same lines. This system continued until 1909, when Lord Morley as secretary of state in London, and Lord Minto, the viceroy, agreed upon giving India a measure of representative government. This was provided for by a piece of legislation known as the Indian council act.

The advance made by this act lay in increasing the size of the legislative councils. The additional members were nominated by representative Indian bodies such as chambers of commerce, universities and so forth, so as to secure representatives of different classes. It appears, however, that the powers of the councils were limited to discussions and recommendations which the government was not bound to accept. This system seemed to work well and give satisfaction.

The next step was a report in 1918 by Mr. Montagu, secretary of state for India, and Lord Chelmsford, the viceroy, in which proposals were made for a new constitution. These became the basis of the government of India act of 1919. Roughly, this scheme enfranchised five millions of the Indian population on a property qualification. These elect a large proportion of the central and provincial legislatures, the size of which has been much increased. The electors also appoint a new central council of state, which is really the upper house corresponding to the senate of the United States and the house of lords in England. The remaining members of all these bodies are nominated by the executive government which is irremovable, but of course the elected members are in a big majority.

In the provinces the functions of the legislatures have been divided into two categories. The elected members, that is those entirely Indian, deal with such subjects as education and public health; while the nominated members, English and Indian, control the police, the administration of justice and such matters. The British governor of each province is the keystone of these somewhat complicated arrangements.

The viceroy has powers of veto and legislation far exceeding those of the President of the United States, when deemed necessary for public safety. Contemporaneously with these great changes, local self-government was established and the civil service "Indianized" by raising the proportion of Indians to nearly 50 per cent. All these arrangements came up for reconsideration recently by the Simon commission.

A HINDU FESTIVAL

THE great spring festival of the Hindus is known as the Holi and is celebrated in varying form all over India. A feature of the observance which attracts the onlooker is the indiscriminate throwing of red powder and the squirting from syringes of a red liquid—significant of the blood of Hindu martyrs of the past. For days after the celebration men are seen going about with their white clothes still stained with patches of scarlet.

I witnessed this festival at Puri in the province of Orissa. Large numbers of pilgrims came into the town for the event and the streets were thronged with a good-natured holiday crowd.

Self-mortification, which India reveres and admires, is the chief motive of those who take an active part in the proceedings. At one point is a man with little to cover his nakedness beyond a coating of wood ash smeared all over his body, standing motionless upside down. His whole weight rests on his head and elbows. His legs are crossed in the air and a relentless sun beats down upon him. I learned that he had been in this position for three hours. Further along another man reposed upon a bed of spikes. He had been lying thus in the sun for four hours.

But the most popular practice seemed to be that of being buried alive. On patches of waste land along the road were rows of human arms and legs. These marked the graves of living sadhus, or those who are treading "the path of knowledge," the idea apparently being to illustrate the effectiveness of a system of breathing which is a part of the training of these men; a training which, it is claimed, ends by giving a man complete control over all the functions of his body. I took hold of a pair of protruding arms and the owner willingly allowed himself to be raised from his temporary grave. He stated he had been buried for an hour.

In addition to these performing sadhus, there were numbers of ordinary beggars, among them the maimed and the blind, exhibiting their physical imperfections for the purpose of exciting the compassion of the passer-by.



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