

## By Ed Brown

One of the weekly features in the Las Vegas Sentinel drawing much attention is produced by the paper's Fashion Editor Lei Stroughter. She has been writing for the Sentinel beginning with its first issue April 25.

A native of Detroit, Michigan, she became an "Army brat" at an early age while her father was in the military service. Later she attended Ferris State College in Michigan and it was while there that she became addicted to the "fashion" bug. While a student she worked at a boutique shop known as the TOGGERY SHOP. The Lei and taught her fashion touch. display, window display, fashion consulting, coordination and buying.

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Lei Stroughter

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Stroughter majored in engaged in her "first WEAR. court reporting while at love," it was Lei To date, Lei has left no after Stroughter back to the stone unturned. On the graduation moved to drawing boards. She cover of this issue she California where she pur- sought out girls in the Las very capably depicts sued employment in that Vegas area who had an in- through the camera eye of field. She later moved to terst in modeling and who John S. Riley, a Las Vegsa and became were dedicated to the art. fashionable lake style paremployed at the Las Thus the beginning of Lei ty. Vegas Mental Health Stroughter, the Las Vegas Lei Stroughter is a stroke Sentinel Fashion Editor. of genius.

Through the first eight weeks, she has covered many, many allied areas such as MOVEMENT IN FASHIONS, **FASHION** FASHION HAIRSTYLES, NEW ROLE Encouraged by her FOR HATS AND STUNfriends to become NING BATHING SUIT

## It's That **Time** of The **Year Again!**

Well, it's that time of year once again for taking a break from the job and getting away from it all! Yes, it's vacation time.

Of course, many will travel to cities all across the country, while others are planning exciting adventures right here at home.

Ladies, before the end of your vacation be sure to have that special gentleman take you to the lake for a Lakestyle Party, for a little summer fun.

If you're a bit undecided on what to wear, why not try a Sundress? The strapless "bare truth" look will make a hit at any party. These dresses are made from a light weight fabric for travel and comfort.

Of course, the popular jumpsuit is a natural for any party time and we've selected a jumpsuit with a strip top, nipped and belted at the waist, accepted with the white baggie leg pant.

The diaper dress is really making its debut in Vegas this summer and is very attractive for any occasion.

Maybe you'd feel a little more comfortable in a casual but dressy pants coordinate shown here. This oriental set with the satin pegged leg pant will catch many eyes, I'm sure.

And last, but not least, the crocheted dress has always been a "10" for any party. This sassy black dress with its very feminine and chic look will pull the attention of many people, I bet you.

I'm sure you'll have to agree, these ladies look absolutely beautiful.

And once again, we'd like to thank Mr. Bob Galloway of the Pug Boat Anne and Mr. Daniel Cros for sharing their boats with us, and a great party!

Fashions by Lei Stroughter

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