Jane Broendel transcript

Work Environment
The women we could have culottes, but basically otherwise it was the pants, the shorts. But by the time I started in 1984 there wasn’t this issue with the way the clothing fit, with a separate line for women, a separate line for men. I imagine in the earlier days there was a uniform problem where they wouldn’t be able to get pants that fit, shirts that fit, but now you know you have got coats, you’ve got hosiery, you’ve got the shoes, men’s and women’s sizes, I guess the hats and sweaters, pretty much one size, between the genders. Even the shoe chains. You know in Iowa of course it gets snowy & messy. So when it was really bad out they gave us these chains, they were inside these rubbery kind of thing you slipped them over your feet to help you not fall down in the ice and the snow.