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WOMAN AND THE HOME

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Little Beauty Chats

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LAURA JEAN LIBBY'S DAILY TALKS ON HEART TOPICS

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LIVING WITHOUT EACH OTHER.

"Alas! how light a cause may move... Dissension between hearts that loved... Hearts that the world in vain had tried."

When a man and woman wed they make a mistake in thinking they have only themselves to please in their after life. They may have little quarrels during their courtship, in which she finds out he has an irascible temper...

The relatives of both sides are dubious as to the outcome. They have their little differences after the knot is tied. She has stopped flirting, but the temper which has been his besetting sin since boyhood cannot be so easily subdued.

But instead the wrangling grows worse. Nothing that the wife does seems to please the husband. They are at odds on points over the merest trifles. His anger even extends toward the children because they are girls and look like the mother. There is no son for him to turn to, who perhaps could have understood him.

There is a turning point in the lives of such wives—one central more bitter than all others. In the anger of the moment the wife turns to the divorce court as a refuge. A disposition of the children has to be made. The mother gives them into the father's keeping, knowing that he is better able to support them than she is.

Then commences the struggle of the family to live without each other. A score of times each day the father keeps knowing that he is better able to support them than she is. Sickness falls upon them. Tossing on their bed of pain, the girls cry out for mother, giving them into the father's and mother are living apart.

If he asks them what they would like for Christmas, New Year's birthday, the answer is always the same. It is to have their mother back in every room in the house bears a motto worked by his children's hands, framed, hung where his eyes falls upon it.

"What is home without a mother?" The girls insist upon having their mother's empty chair always at the table. In time he comes to his senses. He sees it was his duty to have turned out each other. Love conquers pride and anger. He calls on his wife to return to him and the children. Then...

one most of the time. Or day, however, they were playing on the beach near their home when they saw a rowboat at the end of the wharf. They knew it was wrong but Fred said: "Come on and let's go rowing!" So they tumbled into the row boat, after untying the rope, and then looked around for the oars. But there were no oars.

"By jove, the oarsman had taken the oars home and there were no oars," Minnie rapidly drifting out to sea with no way of guiding the boat to a safe place. Then, too, just out beyond the end of the wharf, the boat was seen as soon as they got into it hid ever-thing from their view. Minnie began to cry but Fred because he was a boy simply muffed her and then put his arms around Minnie and tried to cheer her up.

They could see nothing and as they got out in the big waves the boat began to rock and toss and frightened them all the more. They tumbled down in the bottom of the boat and both cried in each other's arms as hard as they could.

"Fred," she looked out of the window and saw the boat with her little ones in it just as it went out of sight in the fog. She was very much frightened and ran yelling from the house to where the men were working and cried to them that her children were out in a boat in the fog and she was sure they would be upset and drown or would drift out to sea and die anyway.

The men ran to the beach and finally found a boat and a pair of oars and started to rescue the children. They rowed out into the fog but when they got there they didn't know which way to row for they, of course, couldn't see the children and could not see where they were going themselves.

After rowing around for an hour or so yelling "Fred" and "Minnie" and "Hello" all the time they bumped up against something and there was the boat with the crying children in it. When the men carried the children to their mother you may believe they were tickled to feel those loving arms around them and the both promised faithfully never to go in a boat alone again.

I guess you would promise too if you had such a scare, wouldn't you? President Menocal of Cuba has accepted an invitation to take part in the Boston exposition next October.

The 3,000-foot tunnel through the Sandy Ridge in the mountains near Danville, Va., has been completed. The tunnel was bored through solid rock at a depth of 1,500 feet.

Three brothers named Crohulik, who lived on a farm near Ord, Neb., were killed by lightning as they stood in the doorway of a barn.

MAY PARTIES POPULAR.

Miss Farley and Miss and Master Brabner Entertain At Beardsley Park. The warm, beautiful days of the past week, the wonder-time of the year, when things spring into exquisite loveliness in a night, has sent the children scurrying about to form May parties.

Miss Madelyn Farley entertained a number of her young friends at a May party Thursday. The pole was prettily trimmed with yellow, red, and black streamers. Irene Minty was queen and William Minty king.

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Dear Miss Libbey: I am a young man nineteen years old and I am very anxious to meet a young lady to whom I have taken a liking. I met this girl twice a week at my place of business where she comes to do shopping. I am not beautiful, but I am not used to being around girls. I am very quiet, being that I pay strict attention to business, also to study.

Dear Miss Libbey: I am a young married woman. Having only one child, I am much alarmed about my husband's unappreciation of my home. He never seems to appreciate anything I do for him. He says and does things that are anything in our house at all. When I speak of buying anything new for the house he objects.

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CLARK WAKEMAN

Miss May Wakeman, the daughter of Mrs. Samuel Wakeman will become the bride of Mr. Clarence Clark of Lewiston, Idaho, at the home of her mother, 1281 Noble avenue, at 12:30 tomorrow noon.

The Rev. Gerald H. Beard, pastor of the Park Street Congregational church will perform the ceremony. Spring flowers, of which the dogwood blossoms will be the chief variety, will decorate the house.

The bridal gown will be of white crepe de chine and she will carry a bouquet of white orchids and lilies of the valley. The young couple will be unattended.

They intend to reside in Lewiston, Idaho, where they will go after a short wedding trip.

Mrs. S. H. Davis sings in Derby. Mrs. Susan Hawley Davis was the soloist at Memorial Day exercises held in the Sterling Opera house, Derby last night. Mrs. Davis sang "O Rest in the Lord," from Elijah. A chorus of public school children led by Superintendent of Schools Bailey sang "The Song of the Flag," Beethoven. Mrs. Davis singing the solo part. The chorus also sang Kipling's recessional.

Flowers for Memorial Day. An appeal is made by the women of the Relief Corps of the G. A. R. for flowers for Memorial Day. Any kind that are suitable for the decoration of graves and monuments will be welcomed. The flowers will be used in connection with the Memorial Day exercises and should be sent to the Grand Army hall, 925 Main street, by Saturday morning.

The Woman's Relief Corps of the G. A. R. will meet at the G. A. R. hall on Thursday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock.

"Orchid Club Dansante". A very large attendance is expected by the "Orchid Club" for its first annual affair given for the benefit of the Hebrew Children's Aid Society at Slocum's tonight. Speidel's orchestra will furnish the music.

MARRIED. GOLD-GREEN.—In New York, May 20, Frank L. Gold and Miss Theresa B. Green of Torrington.

THOMAS-SWATHE.—In Stamford, May 19, Alfred Swathe and Miss Edna J. Thomas.

NICHOLS-BENTON.—In Shelton, May 18, Daniel A. Nichols and Miss Oia E. Benton.

DIED. LAMPHER.—In Pine Meadow, May 20, George Washington Lampher, Sr., aged 85 years.

SEERY.—In Winsted, May 20, Thomas Seery, aged 80.

QUINN.—In Stamford, May 18, Michael Quinn.

BAKER.—In Greenwich, May 18, Anselme A., widow of William Baker, aged 54.

MADDONEY.—In Torrington, May 19, James Maddoney, aged 65 years.



"Would it be proper for me to send a gentleman a birthday gift?" asked Alice. "It is always best to refrain from giving or accepting gifts from men unless one is engaged," replied her oldest brother.

"MOVIES" TO SHOW U. S. FACTORIES IN OPERATION. Several of the largest, representative manufacturing plants in full operation are to be taken to South America by means of the "Movies" in order that the merchants there may see the advanced method of making American goods.

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The Norman Co., of Havre, has received an order from Turkey for 12 torpedo boat destroyers. The boats are to be delivered in 1915.

"Uncle Joe" Cannon formally announced his candidacy for Congress. Vases and Window Boxes Filled JOHN RECK & SON.

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PARK THEATRE TWO NIGHTS ONLY Wed., Thurs., June 3-4 The Operatic Association of Bridgeport Will Present PRISCILLA Or a Pilgrim's Proxy For the Benefit of THE DAY NURSERY WITH a cast and chorus of 150—LOCAL PEOPLE—150 Reserved Seats on sale Monday, June 1st. 10 25 50

PATENTS A. M. WOOSTER, Attorney-at-Law Late Examiner U. S. Patent Office 1115 MAIN ST., BRIDGEPORT, CONN. Send Postal for Booklet on Patents

The Roth line freight steamer, Baitwell, three weeks overdue from Annapolis to Montreal, was reported off Fame Point lightship.

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THE FOUNDATION OF ALL BEAUTY. A good complexion is the foundation of all beauty and the first requisite for a good complexion is cleanliness. If you would carefully scrub your skin at least three times a week you would never need a bleach or whitener, except for an occasional coat of tan.

First, be sure the water you use is soft. If it isn't, add a teaspoonful of magnesia to a basin full of water. For the greatest foe to good skin is hard water. It causes fine wrinkles and enlarges the pores, besides it doesn't cleanse. Your laundryman would not expect your clothes to wash clean in hard water. Why, then, should you expect your skin to be cleansed with it?

After softening the water, which must be hot, dip a fine complexion brush into it, then rub castle soap on your hand until it forms a lather. Rub this on the brush, but do not rub soap directly on the brush. You want a lather, but not particles of soap on your face. Scrub the skin vigorously, especially about the sides of the face, rinse in water also scented by the addition of almond meal and a little magnesia. Then rinse again in cold water softened only with the magnesia.

Be sure you never use hard water on your face and hands if you would keep your skin smooth. In drying your face, first pat off all the water with a Turkish towel. Then rub vigorously to bring the blood to the surface. Never retire after washing your face without first rubbing cold cream into your skin. You have scented out all the natural oils and you must replace them or the skin will become harsh and dry.

When rubbing on the cold cream, work in a rotary motion using two fingers on the chin, cheeks and forehead and one finger about the corners of the eyes and nose. Make the upward stroke a little harder and firmer than the downward stroke. Pat the skin gently if you would build up the flesh, and make your strokes firm if you would reduce.

A good complexion is the basis of all beauty. Fire destroyed the Lehman Mill, a Lumber Co., and several other buildings in Lehman, Wash., loss, \$300,000. Eugene Hontling, station agent for the Wash. Railroad at Tappan, N. Y., was killed by burglars, who stole \$18,000. A safe containing \$400 was untouched.

The United States will import from Austria a new dirigible balloon which will carry 15 passengers, a crew of five men, and three machines guns. Captain John Dougherty and 15 firemen were overcome by smoke and gas in a fire which caused \$2,000 damage to a hotel in Brooklyn.

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Early & Practical Home Dress Making Lessons Prepared Especially For This Newspaper by Pictorial Review

A MISSES' COSTUME. The front and a blouse, having raglan sleeves. Required to make this dress are the following materials: 6 1/2 yards 36-inch material at 60c yard, 11 1/2 yards webbing 2 inches wide for stay, 2 1/2 yards 3-inch lace for neck and 2 sleeves at 20c yard.

The left and right halves of the skirt are cut on the open material, placing the left half first, about an inch from the edge of the musquitos. From the remaining material the outer belt and undergarment may be obtained. If the undergarment is placed opposite the right half of the skirt advantage may be taken of the extra width of material gained by making an incision in upper part for the draped section.

Now double the material and on this place the large collar, the sleeves and front; then from a double fold get the back and the stay. The outer belt should be cut as a leather or crosswise fold of the goods, but with the exception of the back, which is placed on a lengthwise fold, all of the remaining pieces are cut on a lengthwise thread of the musquitos.

It is probable that a little difficulty will be experienced with the construction of the skirt on account of the lap-over effect at the front. First, turn under the front edge of the right half of the skirt as perforated, lap on left half to double small "oo" perforations, notch even and stitch. Adjust undergarment to position underneath upper front edge of right half, double and triple notches even; join edges having single notches to form draped effect. First upper edges of both halves, placing "oo" on corresponding small "oo" perforations and tack. Turn hem at front edge of stay on large "O" perforations, which indicate center-front. Adjust stay to position underneath both halves, centers even and tack at corresponding small "oo" perforations. Close back seam as notched. Sew skirt to lower edge of waist over inside belt, centers even. Now stay to lower edge of inside belt, centers even. Adjust outer belt to position, center-backs even.

Fit the neck and sleeves with lace ruffles, and if it is desired to have the ruffle to stand upright about the neck add an invisible stay.

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