IN WOMAN'S WORLD

The Smart Set

"HOW Fear Came," as originally set forth by Kipling, was largely, as may be remembered, a matter concerning tigers. But that was in the jungle. In San Francisco it is different. Here fear has just arrived. It is not fully established yet, but it is beginning to creep into corners of men's minds and stir things up a bit.

Not tigers here, but chauffeurs.

Some of the recent unfortunate affairs of the smart set have called the attention of the world at large to the personality of the man behind the wheel. Heretofore he has been James or Jacques, polite or surly, capable or incapable, trustworthy or given to flying far afield during the night hours. Sometimes he was a wonder at repairs, sometimes he seemed to save gasoline in a marvelous way.

He had his virtues, and sometimes it has been noticed that he was unusually neat and trim in his appearance.

But now—who is the man who has driven your wife or daughter for so many miles? How much has he said to them? How much have they noticed him and his real self?

In New York and other eastern cities they have had elopements enough of the chauffeur class and the elect to make them suspicious. Out here, where there is less money afloat, where there is not that same multiplicity of interests, domesticity has seemed a cosier affair. Men have seemed to know their families more intimately; but now—

From the suburban world, in one direction or another, has crept a tale of a fascinating chauffeur who counts more in the scheme of the universe of a pretty young matron than does her husband.

Butlers and their charms have been under consideration from time to time even here, but how much more dangerous is the chauffeur.

There is so much more verve and dash to the latter. The butler can only go in for deadly dignity, which is apt to pall. He has no opportunity to display verve, and if he does any dashing with any of the appurtenances of his occupation, he is more than likely to find himself out of a position.

Things are looking a trifle black for the personable chauffeur.

If he have broad shoulders, a languishing eye, a neat but distinctive taste in dress, winning, yet respectful, manners, which threaten to be a trifle more pronounced at times—let him go in for flying machines or the taxicab trade. He is discredited for the present.

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One of the pretty weddings of the season, which will be quietly celebrated at home, will be that of Miss Alexandra Shields and Harold Casey. The marriage of the young couple will take place Wednesday afternoon, February 14, at 6 o'clock. The bride will be attended by Miss Margaret Casey, sister of the bridegroom, as maid of honor, and Hal Shields, brother of the bride, will fill the office of best man. The ceremony will take place at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Shields in Jackson street and none but relatives has been bidden. Mr. and Mrs. Emory Winship, who are in the south, will arrive in this city Monday and will remain until after the wedding. Miss Margaret Casey is a guest at the Shields home and will remain for several days. The young couple will pass their honeymoon in the south, but will return to reside in this city.

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There were 50 young people at the dancing party given last evening by Mrs. Harrison Smith at her home in Clay street, when she entertained for her debutante daughters, Miss Alice and Miss Henrietta Smith. There were several dinner parties preceding the dance and among those who entertained and later attended the dancing party with their guests were Miss Evelyn and Miss Genevieve Cunningham and Miss Cora and Miss Fredericka Otis. The Harrison Smith home was attractively decorated with greens and daffodils. Mrs. Smith was assisted in receiving by Dr. and Mrs. Alexander Garceau, Mr. and Mrs. Henry J. Crocker and Mr. and Mrs. James Otis.

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Mrs. Eugene Bresse was hostess at a luncheon and bridge party given yesterday at her home in Washington street, when she entertained over a score of friends. The affair yesterday was the second in a series that Mrs. Bresse has been giving at her home.

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Mrs. Eugene Lent has sent out cards for a luncheon to be given Monday, February 19, at her home in Pacific avenue, when she will entertain more than a score of friends. The hour at luncheon will be followed by bridge.

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Miss Dorothy Fries, the attractive young daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Fries, will be the complimented guest at the dance to be given this evening at the Fairmont, when Mrs. Helen Hecht and Bert Hecht will receive 100 young people at a fancy dress party.

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Mrs. C. H. Hopkins of Santa Barbara entertained a group of the younger girls at one of the theater parties of the week. The feted guest was the niece of the hostess, Miss Edna Kewin Booth, and after the matinee party the young people were bidden to an informal tea at the Palace, with Mrs. Hopkins presiding at the tea table.

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Mrs. John Harold Philip entertained at an informal tea given this week for Mrs. Sewall Dolliver, who has lately returned from the orient, and for Mrs. Charles Stewart, who has recently come here to reside.

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Mrs. Scott Brooke, who was formerly Miss Christine Pomeroy, is being entertained at a series of affairs during her stay in this city as the guest of her parent, Mr. and Mrs. Carter Pitkin Pomeroy. Mrs. Brooke was the feted guest at a tea given yesterday by Mrs. Germaine Vincent. Mr. and Mrs. Brooke are at the Pomeroy home in Clay street.

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Mrs. Vernon G. Lyman and her daughter, Miss Dorothy Lyman of Chefoo, China, are at the Hotel Victoria and expect to remain here for several months.

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Miss Inez Manon has sent out cards for a tea to be given Saturday, February 17, at the home of her mother, Mrs. C. V. Meyerstein, in Octavia street.

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The friends who assembled Thursday on the dock to meet the Korea were disappointed to learn that Mrs. Marguerite Hanford did not arrive on that steamer. She has written that she deferred her return a week. She is expected February 15 on the Nippon Maru. Mrs. Hanford will be the guest of Mrs. George R. Wells in her apartments at the Bella Vista. Miss Emma and Miss Louise Mahony, who accompanied Mrs. Hanford on her trip to the orient, will not return with her, but will remain until after the wedding of Mrs. Hanford and Frederick Wilhelm Schuetter, which takes place in June in Hongkong.

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Miss Retta Hunter was hostess at one of the enjoyable tea parties of the week given at her home in Alameda in honor of Miss Alice Poorman, the bride of Lieutenant Sherman Hoyt, U. S. A. Among the guests from this side of the bay were Mrs. Lewis Risdon Mead, Mrs. Charles Stewart, Miss Marion and Miss Gertrude Mills.

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Mrs. George J. Bucknell has returned to her home in Franklin street after a visit with Mrs. Phoebe Hearst at her home in Pleasanton.

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Mrs. John Birmingham and her daughter, Miss Alma Birmingham, will entertain at an elaborate tea to be given this afternoon at the Sorosis club rooms in Sutter street.

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Mr. and Mrs. Talbot Walker were the honored guests at an elaborate dinner given last evening by Mrs. Russell Wilson at her home in California street.

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Miss Ethel Frances Graham will entertain this evening at a supper and dancing party, to which she has invited about 150 guests. The affair will be held in the ballroom of the Keystone apartment, which has been artistically arranged in a unique decorative scheme of flowers and greens. Assisting the young hostess in receiving will be her mother, Mrs. Thomas F. Graham, and Miss Violet Cook, Miss Anita Flavahan, Miss Marie Louise Bryant, Miss Nordine de Oylda, Miss Gertrude Graham and Miss Edmee Artigues.

Veils Tattooed Throw Shadow of the Jungle

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IF milady would be smart—ultra smart—then she must wear the latest in veils—the "tattoo veil," which is pictured above. The novel "swirl" on one cheek has caught the fancy of fashionable folk, and the afternoon toilet is not complete without this filmy novelty. These veils carry every conceivable design, from an alligator to a rosebush, and give a curious tattooed effect to the wearer. When competition for the newest in designs becomes too keen, who knows but what some daring miss will appear dressed for her afternoon promenade with the likeness of a favored "gallant" emblazoned on her veil.

RICHMOND IS READY FOR GUESTS

Women's Clubs to Entertain Fair Sisters

RICHMOND, Feb. 9.—The official program of the annual convention of the Alameda district of the California Federation of Women's Clubs, which meets in Richmond this month, was announced today. The clubs of the city are uniting to entertain the several hundred delegates that will attend the session. Mrs. Kate Smith is president of the local board. Mrs. Annie Little Barry is president of the district.

The convention will open on Thursday afternoon, February 15, continuing through Saturday. All the sessions will be open to the public.

Following is the program as announced by the district board:

THURSDAY

1 p. m.—Credential committee in session. President's afternoon.

2 p. m.—Biennial rally. Mrs. Cora E. Jones, chairman of the promotion committee, presiding. Greeting, Mrs. E. G. Denniston, president local board 1912 biennial. "Is My Club Interested in the 1912 Biennial?" Responded to by club presidents. Former biennials, personal impressions. Music, quartet. Club presidents' reports. "The Work and Play of My Club." Singing, "America."

7 p. m., Fraternal hall—Banquet given by hostess clubs. Guests, officers, chairmen, delegates and alternates. Cards of admission in envelope given out by credential committee.

FRIDAY

9:45 a. m.—Opening of convention. Invocation, district president. Report of credential committee, Mrs. E. H. Harlow. Adoption of program. Report of committee on rules and regulations. Report of officers: Recording secretary, Mrs. Charles Allardyce; corresponding secretary, Mrs. Charles Downes; treasurer, Mrs. A. B. Cary; auditor, Mrs. Fisher Clark; president, Mrs. Annie Little Barry. Discussion of resolutions. Report of chairmen: Art, Mrs. Annie Single; club extension, Mrs. Reuben Mastick; legislation, Mrs. T. B. Rickey; history and landmarks, Mrs. W. S. Peters; waterways, Mrs. Lee Adams. Address, "The High Calling," Mrs. A. P. Black. A group of songs, Mrs. George Haight.

1:45 p. m.—Mothers' clubs, Mrs. H. N. Rowell. Address, "Peace," Mrs. Emily Hoppin. Music. Report of chairman, Mrs. Charles Z. Ellis. Public music, Mrs. Rose V. S. Berry. Education, report of chairman, Mrs. George D. Louderback. Address, "Some Laws of Mental Health," Rev. Albert Palmer. Report of nominating committee.

3:45 p. m.—Automobile ride. Courtesy arranged by the local board.

8 p. m.—Mrs. John Lynch, vice president, presiding. Half hour of music: Violin solo, Ward McRacken, (a) "Adagio" (Charles de Beriot), (b) "Minuet in G" (Beethoven); the Twentieth Century club of Berkeley, choral; Mrs. L. V. Sweesy, director; Mrs. H. H. Buhring, accompanist; solo, Mrs. William Waste, (a) "When Roses Bloom" (Rogers), (b) "Japanese Lullaby" (De Koven). Address, "A Survey of Child Problems," Dr. Richard Gause Boone.

SATURDAY

10 a. m.—Election of officers. Adoption of resolutions. Press, report of chairman, Mrs. J. H. Wood. Philanthropy, report of chairman, Mrs. L. P. Crane. Question box, answers. Health, report of chairman, Mrs. Amos Evans. "Some Practical Suggestions in Nursing," Miss Minnie Taylor. Household economics, report of chairman. Paper bag cookery, Mrs. Edna B. Felch. "The Humble Household Fly," Mrs. E. D. Knight.

1:45 p. m.—Invitations for next convention. Music. Richmond High School orchestra, Mrs. Louise McKee Robinson, director; (a) "Sleep Well" (Franz Abt), (b) "Chiquita." Civil service reform, report of chairman, Miss Ethel Arthur. Address, "Civil Service," Prof. Thomas Reed. Civics, report of chairman, Mrs. Cora E. Jones. Address, "Child Labor," Miss Helen Todd. Reading of minutes. Miscellaneous business. Reading, Mrs. Oscar Maillard Bennett. Adjournment.

CONCERT FOR N. E. WOMEN

Paper on Hawaiian Flag Is Read

With a program of diversified interest, the members of the Colony of New England Women observed their regular monthly meeting day yesterday afternoon.

The opening feature was a concert by Clark's Hawaiian Serenaders, who were secured for the afternoon through the kindness of the chairman of the music committee, Mrs. J. E. Gorham.

A paper on the lowering of the Hawaiian flag on the annexation of the islands by the United States, written by Mrs. M. E. Johnson, was read by Mrs. G. H. Fairchild.

Miss Emily E. Hoffman sang, Mrs. Franklin Hale played a piano solo, and to close the program Mrs. L. H. Danhauer and Mrs. Emily Parent gave an amusing skit, "A Superior Being," which dealt with the servant question. They also sang a humorous duet.

The next meeting of the colony will be held Friday afternoon, March 1, and will be a card party.

ITALIAN CLUB HOLDS FIRST ANNUAL MEETING

OAKLAND, Feb. 9.—The Columbus Italian club, with a membership of over 500, held its first annual meeting last night, at which G. Ghiglieri, president of the organization, presided. Speeches telling of the objects of the club and pointing out the benefits of the organization were made by Philip M. Carey, chief deputy district attorney; F. N. Belgrano, M. Martino and G. Ghiglieri.

A feature of the evening were selections by the Columbus Mandolin club, of which L. Cerutti is director and G. Cassara, secretary. Mrs. A. Cappelli, accompanied by Professor Cappelli, sang an aria from "Lucia," and Miss Lucia Cianciarulo sang "La Spagnola" and "The Sunshine."

Although the club is but a year old it has had a rapid growth and numbers among its membership the prominent Italian residents of the east bay cities.

Officers for the ensuing year were elected as follows:

President, G. Ghiglieri; first vice president, B. Delucies; second vice president, A. Fornaries; corresponding secretary, M. Martino; financial secretary, G. Dezzuti; treasurers, G. Angeli and G. Arena. Ghiglieri was the only official to be re-elected. Tony Mazziotte was chosen as organizer.

WOMAN CANDIDATE FOR UTAH STATE TREASURER

SALT LAKE CITY, Feb. 9.—Mrs. Margaret Zane Witcher, twice elected county clerk of Salt Lake county, announced today she would be a candidate for state treasurer at the coming election. She is being urged in her candidacy by a number of women's clubs throughout the state. This is the first time a woman has run for a state office in Utah.

SCHOOL BOARD TREATS PUPILS FOR ADENOIDS

ST. JOSEPH, Mo., Feb. 9.—In an effort to improve the standard of intelligence in the public schools here, the board of education has arranged for surgical operations at the expense of the school district to remove adenoids from throats of all affected pupils. Twelve children were operated on today.

ALIENS' WIVES MAY NOT VOTE, SAYS WEBB

SACRAMENTO, Feb. 9.—According to an opinion handed down today by Attorney General Webb to Secretary of State Jordan, a native born woman who marries a foreigner or alien loses her right to citizenship and also to vote. This decision will bring disappointment to those women born in the state of California or other states of the union whose husbands have not become naturalized and who desire the right of suffrage. It is understood that some of these women have already been registered by county clerks.

JAPANESE AMBASSADOR COMING—Honolulu, Feb. 9.—Viscount Sutemi Chinda, the newly appointed ambassador from Japan to the United States, arrived here today on the Japanese liner Shinyo Maru. He will reach San Francisco February 15.

OSTEOPATHS MEET AT ST. FRANCIS HOTEL

The seventh annual meeting of the San Francisco Bay Osteopathic association will be held in the blue rooms of the St. Francis hotel this afternoon and evening. Besides election of officers and other business, addresses by members of the association will be given.

The afternoon session, beginning at 1:30, will be opened with an address by the president and a business meeting, after which Dr. Otis Akin will speak on "Mechanical Aids Other Than Manipulation in the Treatment of Visceral Ptosis and Structural Scoliosis." Following him will be the clinic demonstrators, Drs. Charles F. Ford, T. W. Sheldon, J. L. Near, Ernest Sisson, H. F. Miles, J. C. Rule, W. W. Vanderburgh, D. C. Farnham, N. R. Rundall and W. H. Ivie.

The association will meet for dinner at 6 o'clock at a downtown hotel. The evening session will consist of another address by Dr. Otis Akin and a symposium by the feminine doctors of osteopathy, led by Dr. Mary V. Stuart.

LAKESIDE PARK BAND PROGRAM FOR SUNDAY

OAKLAND, Feb. 9.—The program to be given by a band of 40 pieces under the direction of Paul Steindorff at Lakeside park Sunday has been announced as follows:

"Star Spangled Banner" ..... Key
March, "Gate City" ..... Welden
Overture, "Light Cavalry" ..... Suppe
Waltz, "Dreams of Childhood" ..... Waldteufel
"Siamese Patrol" ..... Lincke
Grand phantasia, "Bohemian Girl" ..... Balfe (By request)
Overture, "Mignon" ..... Thomas (By request)
Selection, "The Chocolate Soldier" .. Oscar Strauss (By request)
(a) Humoresque ..... Dvorak (By request)
(b) Paraphrase, "La Paloma" ..... Irradier (By request)
"Awakening of the Lion" ..... Kontski
Gallop, "Inferno—Dance of the Demon" ... Holst
"America."

Art of Having Spare Time Almost Lost---By Ruth Cameron

RUTH CAMERON

"THE hurried restless pace at which we live, each day filled to the brim with things which are hardly as important as we think of them, and which have cost us the old, rich hours of leisurely thought and inaction." —Agnes Repplier.—

In the world of science and invention there are many lost arts. For instance, the other day an antiquarian showed me a beautiful vase of ruby glass, in which the glass had been colored all the way through. The art of doing that has been completely lost. Nowadays glass is merely colored on both sides. Again, everyone knows that the art of making the fascinating, old fashioned lustre ware has long since slipped from the minds of men into impenetrable oblivion.

Now, it seems to me that in the world of living there are also many lost arts. And the chief of them is the art of having time.

This is pre-eminently an age of time saving devices. And yet it is an age of time starvation. Why is it?

There is no room for doubt that our ancestors had more time than we have for many good things. If you have any skepticism on that subject look up a packet of your grandmother's letters. Or, if you don't keep such things, accept my assurance that, if she were like her contemporaries, those letters were many pages long and probably crossed. In an old trunk in the garret we have my grandmother's diary. It is written in a fine handwriting and a year of it occupies a good sized volume. And yet my grandmother was the mother of four children and the hard worked wife of an underpaid Methodist minister who, according to the laws of the church, changed parishes every year or two.

Look at the books people used to read. Compare a novel of Dickens, Scott or Thackeray in length with one of our modern novels. Go back a little further and glance at Clarissa Harlowe in seven volumes or Tom Jones in six.

Think of the visits people used to pay. In our grandmother's day a visit cut shorter than a week would have been thought almost an insult, and in Jane Austen's works the heroines and their friends think nothing of a six weeks' visit.

Compare all this with the customs of today. Our letters are notes, our diaries—in the rare cases in which many are kept—are line-a-day books, our reading is mostly magazines and our visits are chiefly "weekends."

And yet the twentieth century is the age of time saving devices. There's the telephone, the limited express, the automobile, predigested housekeeping, the fountain pen and a thousand other devices to save us seconds or hours, many of which have become such an accustomed part of our living that we scarcely recognize them as time savers.

It seems to me that this generation is just like a man whose income has increased at a rapid rate and who has felt so delighted and expansive at this increase that he has allowed his wants and his expenditures to increase just about twice as fast.

It seems to me that some of the discontent and restlessness of this generation, of which we hear so much, may be due to the fact that it never lives within its time income.

POUNDMASTER A WOMAN

Appointment Made For Economy

LOS ANGELES, Feb. 9.—Los Angeles has a woman poundmaster, but her appointment was not made as a concession to the women voters.

The official is Mrs. Elspith M. Waddell, who has been secretary of the humane animal commission.

The city council has decided in the interests of economy to consolidate the offices of secretary and superintendent of the animal pound, and Mrs. Waddell will fill both offices.

MRS. MARY TOBIN WINS RIGHT TO DEPUTY'S STAR

OAKLAND, Feb. 9.—Mrs. Mary Tobin is a full fledged deputy sheriff, the appointment having been made today by Sheriff Frank Barnet. Mrs. Tobin has won recognition for her nerve and coolness and physical strength in a long series of services to the county rendered in escorting women patients, many of them violent, to state hospitals.

The task of keeping patients quiet on long journeys to state institutions is no small one, but Mrs. Tobin has had a high average of success. She will continue in this line of duty and will also have the custody of women prisoners from the county jail in going to and from court and to prison.

Mrs. Tobin is a member of Brooklyn parlor, N. D. G. W., and has been prominently connected with that organization for several years. She lives at 764 Brush street.

EXCURSIONS ON HONOR FOR WOMEN PRISONERS

LOS ANGELES, Feb. 9.—Excursions under the "honor system" for women prisoners is proposed by a society woman of South Pasadena as a means of reformation.

Mrs. L. P. Hilles, who conceived the plan, is willing to devote a large part of her time to conducting such excursions.

She announced today that she had received the sanction of Chief of Police Sebastian, who will be the judge as to what women it will be safe to release under the "honor system."

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