

HOUSEHOLD HINTS—COMMENT OF M'LISS—MARION HARLAND'S CORNER—QUERIES

GET NEW STOCK OF ADJECTIVES, M'LISS ADVISES WOMEN

Give Such Poor Hard-Worked Words as "Nice," "Good," "Wonderful," "Pretty" a Much-Needed Rest

A WOMAN of my acquaintance who prides herself on her mentality and on her discriminating and comprehensive taste in literature, to say nothing of her quick powers of observation and facile ability to grasp, superficially at least, the sum and substance of the most abstruse subject, was considerably chagrined at a man's remark that she didn't think.

"Women don't think," he said, generalizing, "but for that matter, neither do a great many men."

The woman bridled and replied with some heat that she didn't sit around in an attitude similar to Rodin's masterpiece; that circumstances did not permit her to set aside a number of hours each day for the purpose of meditation and concentration, but that still she did not believe she had allowed her mental apparatus entirely to atrophy.

To make a sweeping statement that women do not think is ridiculous. To wear the porch conversation of the rocking chair brigade at any summer resort is to be inclined to make such a ridiculous statement.

Women's thoughts exemplified in their conversation do not show a very devout or interesting process of reasoning or philosophical guessing. Here's a sample of the verbal gems dropped on the veranda of any summer hotel.

"Mary's got a nice complexion. I wonder what she does to keep it like that." "Isn't it wonderful the way some girls can do without cold cream and everything like that and still have a nice skin?"

"I had a friend once who had the prettiest complexion you ever saw, and she ate as much candy as she wanted and gravies and everything else like that."

Letters to the Editor of the Woman's Page

Address all communications to M'Lisa, care of the Evening Ledger. Write on one side of the paper only.

Dear M'Lisa—Please advise me whether or not I can go on a week-end party with a girl friend to visit a girl that is my girl friend's friend, but whom I have never met. Would she think me forward? Her invitation comes through my girl friend and sounds genuine.

If you really think she wants you, accept the invitation.

MARION HARLAND'S CORNER

SOME time ago I noticed in the Corner a request for literature for the blind. Nothing the enclosed article in a magazine. I thought it might be of interest. Requests for literature for the blind should be sent to Gould's Free Library for the Blind, South Boston, Mass. This Bible literature is in English Braille, American Braille and New York point. The literature will be loaned free and the postoffice will handle them without postage, if the package is marked plainly: "Literature for the Blind." Postage free."

Nut Basket Stiffening "I read the article upon stiffening nut baskets. My mother made a set and a large one. For the stiffening she used sugar and cold water. No acetate proportions. It must be quite thick. I hope this will prove helpful to the Cornerite who inquired."

More About the Same "I have noticed in the Corner that a friend would like to stiffen nut baskets made of crocheted paper. Melt paraffin wax (as for the top of jelly glasses). Carefully insert the basket into the hot wax. In a few minutes the wax will be cool and the basket is solid. Don't try to shape it after dipping, as it is apt to spoil it, and one is obliged to redip the basket. The intense summer heat may soften the wax, but mine have never changed shape. Of course, it may be reshaped again while soft. This is the neatest and best way I ever heard of doing. Should the basket become soiled from long standing it may be dipped again in wax, and it will become like new."

Concerning "Tenting Tonight" "I noticed an inquiry in the Corner about the old song 'Tenting on the Old Camp Ground.' It was written by a New England Yankee, Walter Kittredge. I saw him many years ago at a New Hampshire fair, and heard him sing this song and others of his own composition. He wrote many songs which were popular during the war, especially with the soldiers in the field. Kittredge played his own accompaniment on what looked like an old melodeon, and which he carried under his arm and held on his knees while playing. I believe that during a large part of the war he was at the front with the soldiers, visiting from camp to camp, singing his songs. They have what we would call a 'heart interest.' It is easy to imagine the old-time soldiers, away from home and friends."

Miscellaneous Hints "I will send in a few practical items that may help some one in the time of need: Iron a table cloth with—not against—the grain of the threads. Add turpentine to dry shoe polish to soften it. Sprinkle tal-

SEEN IN THE SHOPS



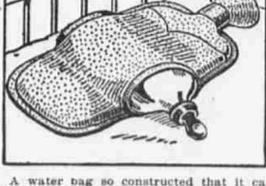
"FLAPPER" SUIT OF NAVY BLUE

THE college season is drawing near and the young girl's wardrobe must be thought of before all else. The practical model shown is built on simple but stylish lines. Sizes, 14 to 18. The collar is of ecrú faille; the same silk is used in a half-inch fold in the cuffs and belt. These are also machine stitched in ecrú on the serge; the same color is used for the heavy silk buttonholes and tops of the accorn ornaments, which are used in place of buttons. The dress fastens in front under the box pleats and the wide belt fastens at the side. The pleats start from the long yoke and continue to the bottom of the skirt. They are also used in the back. Price, \$15.

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50 CHANGES IN HIGH SCHOOL FACULTIES

Many Transfers, Promotions and Additions When Sessions Are Resumed

Important changes in the faculties of the various public high schools will be made when the new term begins on October 2, according to announcement made today at the headquarters of the Board of Education. About 50 new instructors have been appointed by the High Schools Committee to take the place of women teachers who were married last June and the men and women who have died or left the school system for other cause.

Numerous promotions and transfers from one school to another will also be made, according to the request of the instructors themselves. There will still be a number of vacancies to be filled after the schools have been opened, and these appointments will be made jointly by the High Schools Committee and Dr. George Wheeler, Associate Superintendent of Schools. Some of the changes already authorized are as follows:

- CENTRAL HIGH SCHOOL. Transfer—Carl F. Hausmann, to Germantown High School. Appointment—Frederic A. Child, English; Howard Drewes, Latin. SOUTH PHILADELPHIA HIGH SCHOOL FOR BOYS. Transfer—Charles B. McCann, to Frankford High School. Appointment—William A. Patterson, history; Leighton V. Smith, drawing. WEST PHILADELPHIA HIGH SCHOOL FOR BOYS. Appointment—John H. Annis, commerce. GERMANTOWN HIGH SCHOOL. Transfer—Marguerite Bencker, West Philadelphia Girls. Appointment—Lena Friedrich, German; Julia Simpson, Mathematics; Jessie Rodman, science; T. Edward Knapp, science. SOUTH PHILADELPHIA HIGH SCHOOL FOR GIRLS. Appointments—Janet Baird, English; Mary H. Howell, German; Anna H. Snyder, science. WILLIAM PENN HIGH SCHOOL. Appointments—Beale V. Smith, commerce; Edith G. Daggert, drawing. WEST PHILADELPHIA HIGH SCHOOL FOR GIRLS. Transfer—Marguerite Bencker, to Germantown High School. Appointments—Alice Greathead, French; Gertrude F. Grunert, history; Amelia K. Eren, commerce.

To One Persuading a Lady to Marriage

Forbear, bold youth; all's heaven here, And what you do aver To others courtship may appear, 'Tis sacrifice to her. And were't not very odd She should dispose herself to be A petty household god? —Katherine Philips.

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