

THE HOME CIRCLE COLUMN.

Pleasant Evening Reveries.—A Column Dedicated to Tired Mothers as They Join the Home Circle at Evening Tide

CRUDE THOUGHTS FROM THE EDITORIAL PEN

A well born man is always a mother's boy, and all great men have not been afraid to be called 'mother's boy.'

There is a charity which consists in withholding words, in abstaining from speech if to speak is to condemn. Such charity hears the tale of slander, but does not repeat it; listens in silence, but forbears comment; then locks the unpleasant secret up in the very depths of the heart. Silence can still rumors. It is speech that keeps a story alive and lends vigor to it.

The poor man imagines that \$100,000 would make him a man without annoyance for the balance of his life, and the man with three or four millions suicides because of the loss of one million. Your misery is mostly in your mind. Remember that the picture appears very much according to the glass through which you see it, and yet the lines of the picture are fixed and the modifying power of the glass is limited as compared to your control over your emotions. Be circumstanced as you may, there will be enough ragged edges in your life to keep you in a perpetual fret and fume if you so will it. Within limited bounds it is not what you have, or lack, it is not what you are or would like to be, that makes you cheerful and a source of happiness to those who must be with you. It is the way you take things; a power within yourself almost independent of all external affairs and surroundings. There is no position and no station in life in which many men and women would not be thoroughly miserable.

The foundation of society rests on its home. The success of the home rests on the wives. Therefore, first of all teach our girls how to be successful wives. Begin early to train their character. Teach them that jealousy is an immorality and gossip advice. Train them to keep the smallest promise sacredly and to speak of people only as they would speak to them. Teach them to look for the best qualities in everyone they meet, and to notice other people's faults only to avoid them. Train them to do small things well and to delight in helping others, that sacrifice made for other's pleasures is a means of soul development. Once given a firm foundation of character like this, which the poorest as well as the richest parents can give to their girls, and no matter what necessity arises they will be able to rise above it.

The mother who brings her children up in truthfulness and sobriety to useful spheres, and who looketh well to the ways of her household when the passing of time has left the frosts of winter in her hair, and the beauty of youth is fled, then is she worthy of all honor. To our mind, no nobler epitaph to a woman's memory could be written than that she has been a good wife and mother.

"The sanctity of the marriage relation must not be broken by divorce," says seedy sentiment, no matter though the ever-present specter of bruises, wounds, perhaps of a fearful death, may hang over the head of the victim, she would walk unswervingly by the side of the despicable brute whose brawny hand nerved by rum or reasonless passion may at any time strike down her frail form. The man who lays his hand upon a woman, save the way of kindness, deserves no companion but eternal banishment from her very presence.

TEMPERS.
Temper are queer things anyway.

We snap, and growl, and scold, and fume, and fret for no cause under the sun that we know of and when trouble really comes we smile and take it as unconcernedly as though it was the most common place affair. We will sulk for a week over a slight that was all in our imagination and grow all the madder because we know that the whole matter is an invention of our own. The fact is, when we feel good, a cyclone can't spoil our equanimity, but if we chance to be out of sorts and have the blues, we are going to get mad and stay mad and if we don't find any provocation we will make one. The man who gets the blues—and who is there who doesn't get them? is a most unfortunate creature. Ten minutes after the attack, begins he has concluded that he is the most abused man on the face of the earth. Every person in the town is working against him—he knows it and it is no use to deny the fact. If the unfortunate man is married, he wreaks his disgust upon his wife, the baby and the cow.

Cheerfulness! How sweet in infancy, how lovely in youth, how saintly in old age! There are a few noble natures whose very presence carries sunshine with them wherever they go; a sunshine means pity for the poor, sympathy for the suffering, help for the unfortunate, and benignity toward all. How such a face enlivens every other face it meets, and carries into every company vivacity and joy and gladness! But the scowl and frown, begotten in a selfish heart, and manifesting itself in daily, almost hourly fretfulness, complaining, fault finding, angry criticisms, spiteful comments, on the motives and actions of others, how they thin the cheek, shrivel the face, sour and sadden the countenance! No joy in the heart, nobility in the soul, no generosity in the nature, the whole character as cold as an iceberg, as hard as an Alpine rock, as arid as the waste of Sahara! Reader, which of these countenances are you cultivating?

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