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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

It is a thousand times easier to contract a new habit than to get rid of an old one.

The sky is not less blue because the blind man cannot see it.

The other day we read the following letter printed in a city newspaper:

"Dear Editor: I am a good young man who always had plenty of girl friends, and who has recently come to the city. Now my temperament is such that I must associate, but do not know any girls and have no friends in the city."

Thousands of our young people leave our country homes every year to live and work in our larger cities. They may not be wise in taking the step but the ambition of youth is deaf and blind to saner advice. One of the greatest inconvenience and temptation is that they are strangers among strangers. Making friends with anybody and everybody is both dangerous and foolish, especially so in a large city. There are too many rogues and gilded dens of immorality in cities for the inexperienced young man or woman to promiscuously select company and places of amusements. Before they know it they may be entangled in some vice blighting forever their purity and honesty.

We would sound this note of warning because of the youths that have left or are thinking of leaving our own community. While at home you know with whom you could safely associate. You had also many friends to advise you. That is all different away from home

among strangers.

Without preaching a sermon, but only seeking to give wholesome advice, we would say that the safest way to become acquainted with the best people is to connect yourself with some church. Go to the Sunday school and join the Bible class. In this way you will meet the most moral young men and ladies of that locality. Inform the head of the church that you are a stranger, and they will see that you will have friends. This method of gaining friends, when away from friends may not be the purest, but they are a thousand times better than purest of the foul found upon the streets, in saloons and in questionable places of amusement.

THE BRIGHT SIDE.

We believe that the world is a good place and is growing better. This world began with a garden and it is going to end with a garden. It's a pleasant place to live in and if we had been consulted as to which of the stars we should choose for a habitation, we could not have done better than to select this. We have always been glad that we got aboard this planet. It just suits us. For our mind the very best color in the universe for water is blue; the very best shade for grass is green, and the very best for water is a crystalline flash. The mountains are just high enough for me, the valleys just low enough, the rivers just swift enough. The human face is most wonderfully adapted for its use with sunshine in its smile and tempest in its frown;

with two eyes, one more than is necessary, so that if one is put out we still may see the beautiful things God has placed around us; with one nose, most admirably arranged to take in the sweet perfumes of earth.

Art, even at its best, may be justly criticised, but where is the blasphemer who would dare criticise the arch of the sky, or the crest of a wave or the flock of fleecy clouds that the shepherd wind is driving over the pastures of the sky. There is only one discord to a thousand harmonies. There is a whole sky full of robins to one hooting night owl, and to every destructive torrent there are hundreds of placid streams with water lilies anchored at their banks and stars laying bright reflections to sleep in their bosoms.

WOMAN'S WORK.

The quiet faithful way in which a woman often of superior intellect, and decided talent for higher things, will dish-wash her life away for her husband and children is a marvel of patient endurance. Here the servitude of woman is the heaviest. No sooner is her work done that it requires to be done over again. Men take contracts of work on them, finish them, and they are over for all time the prospect of ending them and drawing pay for them is alluring. And woman's work holds no such promise. She washes on Monday after Monday the same garments until there is no more of them to wash; then they are replenished by new ones like old, and the rubbing and wringing goes on until the wornout hands are folded for their eternal and only rest. She mends stockings, with tireless fidelity, week after week, and year after year. Every morning the same rooms are to be put in order, only to be in the wildest disorder by evening. The same stockings, the same washing, the same cleaning and cooking in endless rotation, which, if done promptly and properly, leaves no time for reading and self-culture which, aside from the pleasure it affords the woman, is the only means of fitting oneself for the intellectual culture of children.

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