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A PRECIOUS GIFT.

Marry For Love and Not for a Fat Pocket Book.

The average maid of today takes unto herself a husband, one who is to share her joys and sorrows, her doubts and perplexities, who is to become the intimate companion of her existence; how much time, I wonder, does she give to the contemplation of his individual traits, to the lights and shadows of his masculinity, to the harmonies and discords of daily intercourse? asks Diana Humecker in the New Idea Woman's Magazine for November. A wise woman who understands a man may be gently led, but violently balks when driven; she gains her way by methods totally unknown to the sledge-hammer sisterhood. Neither does the normal man care to feel insignificant beneath his own vine and fig-tree and while it is true that woman can rule no better kingdom than home. Instead, she coolly and dispassionately weighs the wage-winning capacity of the chosen one, and if he fills the bill of her anticipations at once appropriates him with the sole idea that he will feed, house and clothe her. Not one thought does she give to his expectations of a sympathetic companion, his dream of a home-maker or the ideal almoner of his perhaps limited income.

Not so with the woman who marries for love of husband and not of pocket book. The way may be thorny and rough, with many hardships, but hand in hand the wedded pair go bravely along, making light of misfortune, if they may share it together. Taught is a powerful weapon in the hands of the wife yet it is well to remember that a royal consort may with perfect propriety claim a few inches of the throne.

The bond of combined interest is one that holds fast; that makes man and wife partners as well as lovers.

Love is the thing that we all crave, yet it receives scant consideration at our hands. We neglect it, we insult it, but break our hearts when it flees from our dwelling place. Grief and lamentation fail to bring it back. We smother the flame with our tears and there are no ashes quite so dead as those of a dead love.

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For Infants and Children.
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MEANT BUSINESS.

"Oh, Help!" cried a girl worth eighteen millions, "do you think the Duke is sincere?"
"Sincere?" was the reply.
"Why, of course he's sincere. He hasn't a shilling to his name."
—Life.

A Bold Step.

To overcome the well-grounded and reasonable objections of the more intelligent to the use of secret, medicinal compounds, Dr. R. V. Pierce, of Buffalo, N. Y., some time ago, decided to make a bold departure from the usual course pursued by the makers of put-up medicine for domestic use, and so has published broadcast and openly to the whole world, a full and complete list of all the ingredients entering into the composition of his celebrated *Golden Compound*. Thus he has taken his numerous patrons and patients into his full confidence. Thus too he has removed his medicines from among secret and confidential formulas, and made them the property of the common people.

By this bold step Dr. Pierce has shown that his formulas are of such excellent quality that he is not afraid to subject them to the test of publicity.

Not only does the wrapper of every bottle of Dr. Pierce's Golden Compound, his *Golden Compound* for weak stomachs, his *Golden Compound* for liver and biliousness and all catarrhal diseases wherever located, have printed upon it the plain English, a full and complete list of all the ingredients composing it, but a small book has been compiled from numerous extracts from the writings of leading practitioners of medicine, containing very practical and readable information, each and every ingredient contained in Dr. Pierce's medicines. These little books will be mailed free to any one sending address on postal card or by letter, to Dr. R. V. Pierce, Buffalo, N. Y., and requesting the same. From this little book it will be learned that Dr. Pierce's medicines contain no alcohol, narcotics, mineral acids or other poisonous or injurious ingredients, and that they are made from native, medicinal plants of great value; also that some of the most valuable ingredients contained in Dr. Pierce's *Favorite Prescription* for nervous, over-worked, "run-down," nervous and debilitated women, were employed long years ago, by the Indians for similar ailments affecting their women. In fact, one of the most valuable medicinal plants entering into the composition of Dr. Pierce's *Favorite Prescription* was known to the Indians as "Sweet-Weed." Our knowledge of the uses of not a few of our most valuable native medicinal plants was gained from the Indians. As made up by improved and exact processes the "Favorite Prescription" is a most efficient remedy for regulating all the womanly functions, correcting displacements, allaying irritation, and relieving the most distressing painful periods, before the onset of the "menstruation" and a general tonic. Sold by all dealers in medicines.



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"SMITING THE ROCK."

The stern old Judge, in relentless mood, Gazed at the two who before him stood. She was bowed and haggard, and old; He was young, defiant, and bold. Mother and son—and to look at this pair Their different attitudes, look and air, One would believe, 'ere the truth was won, The mother convicted but not the son.

There was the mother, the boy stood nigh, With an impudent glance and his head held high; Age had come over her, sorrow and care, This mattered but little so he was there. A staff to her years, a light to her eyes, And prized as only a mother can prize; But what for him, could even a mother say, Waiting his doom on the sentence day!

Her husband had died in his shame and sin, And she was a widow her living to win, Had toiled and struggled from morn till night, Making with want a wearisome fight, Bent over her work with resolute zeal, 'Till she felt her old frame totter and reel; Her weak limbs tremble, her eyes grow dim, But she had her boy and she toiled for him.

And he—he stood in the criminal dock, With a heart as hard as a flinty rock; With a reckless glance and an impudent air, Braving the scorn of the gazers there. Drenched in crime and encompassed round, With proof of his guilt by captors found; Ready to stand as he phrased it "game," Holding not crime, but penitence—shame.

Poured in a flood o'er the mother's cheek, The moistening tears where the tongue was weak; And she saw through the mist of those bitter tears, Only her boy in his innocent years, She remembered him pure as a child could be, The guilt of the present she could not see, And for mercy, her wistful looks made prayer, To the stern old Judge on the cushioned chair.

"Woman!" the old Judge crabbedly said, "Your boy is the neighborhood's plague and dread, Of a gang of reprobates the chosen chief, An idler, a rioter, a ruffian, a thief! The jury did right, the facts were plain, Denial is idle, excuses are vain; The sentence the Court imposes is one—" "Your Honor," she cries, "he's my only son."

The tipstaves laughed at the words she spoke, And a ripple of fun through the courtroom broke. "Don't laugh at my mother," aloud cries he, "You have got me fast and can deal with me, But she's too good for your coward jeers, And I'll"—here his utterance broke in tears.

The Judge leaned forward, bent his head, Looked at him keenly and then he said:—"We suspend the sentence, the boy may go." But the words were tremulous, forced and low. "But stay," and he raised his finger then, "Don't let them bring you hither again; There is something good in you yet, I know, I'll give you a chance—make the most of it, go!"

The twain went forth, and the old Judge said, "I meant to have given him a year instead; And it may be a difficult thing to tell, If clemency here be ill or well, But a rock was smote in that callous heart, From which a fountain of good may start; For one even when on the ocean of crime long tossed, Who loves his mother is never quite lost!"

We accept our trial of the spirit just the way a man accepts a territory building when it falls on him.

The truly dignified man is never ashamed to lay aside his dignity for the purpose of performing his duty.

One of the delights about gambling is how the men who do it can always tell when they win and never when they lose.

A girl would much rather you told her how pretty she is, than how much brains she has, but you might just as well tell her both.

There's nothing quite so horrible to a married woman as what if she weren't.

"I AM POOR."

"You Manage as Mother Does and We'll Get Along."

A young man presented an engagement ring to a lovely girl he had won with the remark, "I am poor, but you manage as your mother does and we'll get along nicely." The young lady investigated "how mother managed." She was a wife, a mother, a housekeeper, a business manager, a hired girl, a laundress, a seamstress, a mender and patcher, a dairy maid, a cook, a nurse, a kitchen gardener, and a general slave of a family of five. "She works from five in the morning until ten at night, and I almost went when I kissed her hand—it was so hard and wrinkled, and corded and unloved. When I saw her polishing the stove, carrying big buckets of water and great armfuls of wood, often splitting the latter, my heart failed me and it is needless to say, the ring was returned." If the wife must drudge let the husband share it. If she must cook let him carry the fuel, if she must scrub let him carry the water, if she must churn let him milk the cows. The girl did what every girl of sense and wisdom would do.

HOME LOVE THE BEST.

We think home love is the best. The love that you ere born to is the sweetest that you will ever have on earth. You, who are anxious to escape from the home nest, pause a moment and remember that it is so. It is right that the hour should come when you in your time should become a wife and mother and give the best love to others, but that will be just it. Nobody, not a lover, not a husband, will ever be so tender or so true to you as your father or mother. Never again after strangers have broken the beautiful bond, will there be anything so sweet as the little home circle of mother, father and children, where you were cherished, praised, protected and kept from harm. You may not know it now but you will know it some day.

Whomsoever you marry, true and good though he may be, will, after the lover days are over and the honeymoon has waned, give you only what you deserve of love or sympathy, and usually much less, never more.

If your Stomach, Heart, or Kidneys are weak, try at least a few doses only of Dr. Sloop's Restorative. In five or ten days only, the result will surprise you. A few cents will cover the cost. And here is why help comes so quickly. Dr. Sloop doesn't drug the Stomach, nor stimulate the Heart or Kidneys. Dr. Sloop's Restorative goes directly to the weak and failing nerves. Each organ has its own controlling nerve. When these nerves fail, the depending organs must of necessity falter. This plain, yet vital truth, clearly tells why Dr. Sloop's Restorative is so universally successful. Its success is leading drug lists everywhere to give it unusual preference. A test will surely tell. Sold by

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Abstain from the appearances of evil.

OPPORTUNITIES.

How Often Have We Thought Favorably of Many Things, Yet Said No Word.

Let us not wait for chances for doing good to come to us, but go out to meet them. Too many beautiful opportunities escape us otherwise. As charity begins at home, so should love. We don't care much for either the care or love that would leave its nearest to want for duty or affection, and go out into the world to work. We find it a delightful plan to make each one of our homelocks happy about some one thing each day of our life—plan little surprises for their delight, do little deeds for them, brighten a dull hour, or congratulate them upon some achievement of their own.

Of thing we are certain, we are too chary of our commendations, too stingy of our praise, and, alas! too lavish of our blame. "Thoughts are things," and words, if true, are their manifestations. How often have we thought favorably of many things, yet said no word. For all such sins of omission we must ever suffer deep regret. How easy it would have been to have said, "That is so beautiful!" Or "How well do you do!"

We think of things like these when our opportunities are flown forever; when the dear head we love lies low—when the brave hands are still. If we had only spoken, the way must have been more bright, the labor less dull and wearing!

A MOTHER'S LOVE.

The Three Things That Attracted The Attention of the White-Winged Messenger.

There is an old legend that runs in this wise: At creation's dawn an angel came down to earth, and before returning looked about for something to carry back to heaven. There were three things that attracted the attention of the white-winged messenger—a bouquet of sweet flowers that had been gathered from one of earth's fair and blooming gardens, the smile of a little baby that had been playing with a sunbeam, and a mother's love. These three the angel carried away, but when it reached the pearly gates of paradise the flowers had withered—the baby's smile had vanished. Only the mother's love remained the same, and being found as pure and eternal as the waters that flowed by God's throne, all the angels that ranged above exclaimed in unison: "There is nothing on earth as pure as a mother's love!"

This was a tribute containing a sublime thought. And through all the ages it has been human experience that the angels referred to in that legend were not over extravagant in the message which they passed out through the open windows of the "many mansions" along the banks of the "River of Gold."

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