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A DOMESTIC MYSTERY.

It has always been a mystery to me why young married people so often begin life in a boarding house. I have sometimes wondered whether this custom partakes of the nature of a disease, or whether it is simply a fad, a practice which has grown to be considered "swell" in this part of the country.

Certain it is that for two-thirds of the newly-married couples, or for those whose wedding day is approaching, a sign of "Rooms and Board" has much the same attraction that a magnet has for a needle, or a Waldorf-Astoria crest for a monogram fiend.

If the simple securing of a place to eat and sleep be all that is desired, then this boarding house system is admirably fitted to supply the want: but when one bachelor maids and unmarried men.

rowed, and soon he finds his thoughts would be measured." revolving around a very limited orbit of matinee fiend!

that freedom from restraint which can be secured only in a home of his own.

the cuisine?

I am convinced that this forlorn and problem. homeles condition of boarding is respon-

Hurtful and Helpful Giving.

"When I was trying hard to get through the state university on very little money," writee Mrs. Cynthia Westover Alden, the president general of the International Sunshine society, in the Ladies' Home Journal for August. over, and taking out a ten dollar bill, handed it to me saying: 'You actually look as if you did not get half enough to eat. Take this money and straighten up a bit. Don't forget to pay it back to me when you can. I don't believe in giving money to anybody.' Now, I was not an object of charity, though I was in need of Sunshine. I put the bill away and cried as if my heart would break. After waiting some days I sent the same ten dollars back, saying I was glad I could return it to her so soon. To this day I hear of her telling how she helped me financially when I was "hard up."

"Another woman, that same week, asked me why I did not take my meals at the restaurant where most of the students took theirs. I replied that it was a little too expensive for me. The

next day I was called in by the proprietor of the restaurant, and asked if I could find time to look over the books of the concern and verify the work done by some one else, aud if I would take the pay out in meal tickets. I thought it merely a bit of luck that had come in my way. But at the close of the term the proprietor told me that my friend had paid for my meal tickets. Did the kindness offend me? I cried just as hard as I had cried over the ten dollar bill, but it was a different sort of a cry."

AS TO MUSICIANS AND HIRSUTE ADORNMENTS.

Through the columns of a Pittsburg paper the world is informed that a young lady, a member of the Castle Square considers the many advantages to be Opera Company, now playing there, is enjoyed in a private home, it is a wonder blessed by nature with 200 miles of that boarding houses are not given over golden hair. With mathematical exto the exclusive accommodation of actness "the number of hairs to the square inch of head has been counted. In a boarding house, particularly in a and the hair is five feet in length, so it large one, a person rapidly loses his in- is estimated that if the silken strands dividuality; his horizon becomes nar- were laid end to end two hundred miles

The value of this information is lesseating and drinking and sleeping. The ened by the failure of the writer to state very furniture in a rented suite of rooms whether there is a scientific reason for is characterless, and resists all efforts connecting the abundance of the young at home-life arrangement by the most lady's hair with her musical proclivities. enthusiastic bride who ever pinned up a On this point statistics are sadly needed. poster. Why should she plan and de- Everyone knows that pianists usually vise echemes for rearranging her rooms, have long, fine, silky manee, inclined to when they persist in looking the same curliness, and that the violinist, with an in spite of all her efforts? Thus many equal abundance of head covering, is of her housewifely instincts lie dormant, commonly adorned with a chevelure of and she is driven for entertainment to thick, coarse, straight locks. The inthe shops, the library and the concert jurious effect on the hair of the playing halls, and she may even develop into a of brase instruments is established, and the baldness of the trumpater is a joke The husband may find diversion dur- in every orchestra. But these scattered ing the day at his place of business; but observations have never been subjected when he comes home at night he misses to proper scientific scrutiny, and the singer and his (or her) hair have been left almost entirely out of the question. It The condition of the family purse may be suggested that the comic opera may not warrant the hiring of a servant, singer is chronically bald, and that and the young wife may not be an adept interpreter of tragic roles in opera has in the culinary art; but a beginning at abundant hair, usually coarse and growhousekeeping must naturally be made ing low over the brow. But in the first some time, and what time so propitious case the baldness may be due to the as the first weeks of married life, when funny man's humorous tendencies rathlove will sweeten the most unsavory er than his singing, and in the latter dish, and when the delightful table- some inquiry must be instituted into the talk will make up for many defects in habits of life of grand opera singers, so as to eliminate other factors from the

Then there is the question whether sible for much of the unbappiness of there is some scientific reason back of married life; it will eventually ruin the the convention which ordains that the sweetest of tempers, and many a quar- base shall wear a flowing beard, the rel and even divorce might have been baritone a closely trimmed Van Dyke at avoided in more congenial surroundings. most, while the tenor is permitted nothing more than the lightest of moustaches. But this is getting in too deep; the questions raised call for a new Teufelsdrockh, and a Philosophy of Hair. Concert-Goer.

Indian Educators

A congress of Indian Educators will "one day an old-time friend looked me be held in Buffalo commencing July fifteenth and lasting five days. The membership of this organization numbers several thousands and is drawn chiefly from the ranks of the teachers in the Government Indian schools, the various religious and private echools, and from the large number of educators throughout the land who are watching with deep interest the progress of teaching among the Indian tribes.

GOOD CHEER.

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