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WE exchange properties of merit. H. H. Culver, 312-313 N. Y. Life. Douglas 7305.

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(Continued.)

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GOOD Japanese wants to work in private family. Address A 861, Bee.

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NOTICE FOR BIDS FOR STATE PRINTING—Bids will be received by the State Printing board at the office of the secretary of state at Lincoln, Nebraska, on or before Monday, November 28, 1910, at 10 o'clock a. m. for printing 500 copies each of all senate files, house rolls, resolutions and memorials to congress and 300 bill titles.

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Lincoln, Nebraska, November 17, 1910.
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English Humor

Canon Rhoades Bristow, who is to succeed Canon Benham as chairman of the Poor Clergy Relief corporation, has had a large and varied experience of life in the underworld of London.

He once had an amusing experience at a christening. Infants usually cry while undergoing the ceremony, but this one was as quiet as a lamb. Throughout it smiled cheerfully in the canon's face.

"Madame," he remarked later to the young mother, "I must congratulate you on the little one's behavior. I have never christened a child that has behaved so well as yours."

"No wonder he behaved so well," was the unexpected reply. "His father and I have been practicing on him with a pail of water for the last ten days."—M. A. P.

The confirmed bachelor came back to the club lunch from the end of the earth and we all asked him if he was married yet (he is near 50).

"I shall marry a clever women if I do," he replied, grimly.

"Thought you didn't like those clever women?" said the youngest member, simply.

"I don't," said the bachelor, whose views are well known and widely spread. "But if I ever marry it'll be an infernal clever woman who does it."—London Chronicle.

All Doing Something.

A farmer was sawing wood, when it occurred to him that he ought to have the help of one or more of his five boys. Lifting up his voice, he called, but not a boy appeared. At dinner, of course, they all appeared, and it was not necessary to call them.

"Where were you all about two hours ago, when I wanted you and shouted for you?"

"I was in the shop, settin' the saw," said one.

"And I was in the barn, settin' a hen," said the second.

"I was in gran'ma's room, settin' the clock," said the third.

"I was in the garret, settin' the trap," said the fourth.

"You are a remarkable set!" remarked the father. "And where were you?" he continued, turning to the youngest.

"I was one the doorstep, settin' still."—Denver News.

Bigger, Better, Busier—That is what advertising in The Bee will do for your business.

THE BEE'S HOME MAGAZINE PAGE

Dottie Dialogues
BY WALTER A. SINCLAIR.

Thanksgiving Feast of Reason With All the Side Dishes.

"Will you take a drumstick or beat it Thursday?" asked Dottie.

"A man who doesn't like to carve has invited me to conduct the autopsy," I responded, gloomily.

"Are you a licensed juggler?" she persisted.

"Just as I have a new suit to smear, too," I mourned.

"A suit for damages," she comprehended.

"I should think some genius would invent a platter with hooks on it to hold the bird firmly," I grumbled.

"Ah, then you could shoot the whole platter into your lap," she remarked.

"The lap of luxury will catch many a turk Thursday," I replied, moodily.

"Maybe you could devise some system of weights and pulleys like they hold up fire-horse harness with," she suggested.

"Making food aviate like the cost of living," I added.

"What? And have a wing go flying up to the ceiling?" she demanded.

"Wings ought to fly," I insisted.

"But legs oughtn't to," she corrected.

"Whenever I get the wishbone somebody else always takes an unfair hold," I grouch. "I'm never lucky when I get the wishbone."

"Cheer up," she cried. "Can't you bury the past?"

"Nope; but I can cranberry my shirt front," I chortled.

"Cranberrying always suggests the gravy," she shuddered. "Jolly thought."

"If I were a navigator I would know how to keep a gravy boat on an even keel," I complained.

"As it is, it even keels over?" she queried.

"Your naughty-cal references suggest the need of pie-lots," I added.

"Do you prefer mince or pumpkin?" she asked.

"Somebody says pumpkin musses the ears so," I demurred.

"You don't mince matters. Do you mince pie?" she demanded.

"A nightmare would be handy during the taxicab strike," I ventured.

"Speaking of plays, do you think that on the day before Thanksgiving the turkey is 'The Bue Bird?'" she asked.

"Yes, if he's a sold storage turk, chilled blue," I replied. "But, why always be talking of plays?"

"I'll admit it doesn't do much good," she murmured.

"Let us return to the groaning festal board," I begged.

"THE BLUE BIRD."

"The only boards groaning this week are the state boards composed of republicans who expect to be splintered," she remarked.

"By the way," I queried, "have you paid off any of your election bets yet?"

"Not yet. Why do you ask?" she countered.

"Because girls only win bets, they never pay them," I asserted.

"Is that so?" she flared. "Well, I intend to pay mine just as soon—just as soon as it was agreeable."

"Agreeable? Well, why haven't you paid then?" I demanded.

"Because I have a cracked lip," she giggled.

After pondering this in deep silence and meditation for awhile, I meekly inquired:

"Did any of my friends win any bets with you?"

"Why do you care to know?" she interrogated.

"Oh, I was thinking I could collect it for them," I answered.

"How would I know you delivered them?" she quizzed.

"If you doubted me I could bring them back again," I explained.

"Aren't we getting away from Thanksgiving?" she inquired.

"I thought we were just getting to it," I replied.

"Think of that seven-course dinner," she reminded.

"All I want is a course of true love," sighed I.

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Delicious Turkey Dressing

Chestnut Stuffing—Peel one quart of large chestnuts and cook in boiling water until the skins loosen and rub off easily between the thumb and forefinger. Then put the nuts into stock or boiling salted water and cook until tender. While still hot, pound smooth or rub through a course colander. Divide the amount of mashed nuts, and lay aside half for the sauce to go with the turkey. Mix with the remainder one cup of fine cracker crumbs, a teaspoonful of salt, one-half teaspoonful of pepper, a teaspoonful of chopped parsley and the grated yellow rind of one-half a lemon. Moisten with just enough hot water to swell the crumbs, but not enough to make the force meat soggy; add one-half a cup of melted butter, mix thoroughly and stuff. One-half cup raisins seeded and cooked in water to cover until plump may be added, if desired.

Oyster Dressing—Add to one pound of bread, grated fine, omitting the crusts, one scant cupful of melted butter, two stalks of celery and half an onion minced fine, and salt and pepper to season. Next add two quarts of fine oysters, with enough of their liquor to moisten. Be careful that no pieces of shrell get in. Fill the turkey and baste with equal parts of oyster liquor and water.

Old-fashioned Dressing—Have enough bread soaked in cold water to fill the turkey. As soon as softened drain off all the water, press fine and mix with the crumbs a heaping tablespoonful of butter or a little raw chopped pork. Season with salt and pepper, add sweet herbs, particularly sage and parsley—just enough "to animate the whole." An egg in the dressing makes it smooth when cut. A little lemon peel grated or a quarter of a nutmeg added would be an improvement.

Dry Philadelphia Stuffing—This is much like the English dressing. Crumble two quarts stale baker's bread into small pieces, omitting the crusts. Season with two tablespoonfuls of salt, a teaspoonful of pepper, tablespoonful each of powdered summer savory and minced parsley and a teaspoonful of sage. Rub a cupful of butter through the dressing, then stuff. In many families where there is a diversity of tastes the body of the bird is filled with this dressing, while the craw is stuffed with mashed and well seasoned potato.

Daughters of Famous Men

Miss Jane Oaker, the American actress now appearing in "The Importance of Being Earnest," is a daughter of the late Christian Peper, the famous millionaire of St. Louis, who made his enormous fortune as a tobacco manufacturer.

In private life Miss Oaker is Miss Dorothy Peper. Her early days were spent in her native city, St. Louis, where she attended college. At the conclusion of her college course she had developed some power as an amateur actress and was incurably imbued with a fascination for the stage.

She came to New York and prepared herself for professional life at the American Academy of Dramatic Arts. It was during the season of 1900-1901 that Miss Oaker made her debut in a leading role with Louis James and Miss Kathryn Kidder. She remained with them throughout the season as Hermia in "A Midsummer Night's Dream." The following year Miss Oaker appeared with James K. Hackett and made the most of her opportunities in the roles of Maritana in "Don Caesar's Return" and Princess Alicia in "A Chance Ambassador."

The next season she spent with George Fawcett's admirable stock company at Baltimore, where she played a wide variety of parts and acquired much valuable training.

The next year she became leading woman for Wilton Lackeye, in whose company she remained for three years. She created the role of Laura Dearborn in Channing Pollock's dramatization of "The Pit," by Frank Norris. She won new laurels as Du Maurier's famous heroine in Mr. Lackeye's revival of "Trilby."

In 1908 she organized her own stock company, which bore her name, and had a profitable season at Denver. In the following year she was seen with two prominent stock companies—the Hunt Stock of Chicago, and the William Farnum Stock company of Buffalo.

She reappeared in New York in 1907, supporting George Fawcett, and after further stock engagements has been successful this season under the Frohman management in the support of A. E. Matthews, the English comedian.

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Much Wanted Recipes

Nut Cookies—Use for these little cakes a cupful hickory nuts or any other nut preferred. Rub to a cream one pound of light brown sugar and one cupful of lard and butter mixed. Add two well beaten eggs and one cupful of sour milk into which a pounded teaspoonful of soda has been beaten, the cupful of nuts and flour, a little at a time, until the dough is stiff enough to roll out. Roll thin, cut in circles or any fancy shape desired, place on a well greased pan and bake in a quick oven for four or five minutes.

Molasses Taffy (Light and Porous)—Cook together one cupful of granulated or coffee sugar, two cupfuls of New Orleans molasses, one tablespoonful of vinegar and a piece of butter the size of a small hickory nut. Do not let it boil hard and do not stir or it may grain. As soon as brittle when dropped into cold water turn into buttered pans and set away until cool enough to handle. The pulling really requires two persons, one to hold the hands in position of a hook for the puller to throw the stretched candy upon while she folds the lengths together. The more delicately the candy is handled the lighter in color and texture will the taffy be. When it is of a light cream color stretch into a long, wide, thin strip and lay on a marble or moulding board. With the left hand lift the end of the candy from the board and with the back of a knife held in the right hand break into pieces any size desired. Cut the lengths and press the ends together to make the candy less porous.

Walnut or Hickory Nut Taffy—Place over the fire in a kettle three pounds of sugar and one pint of water. When the sugar is dissolved and the syrup comes to a boil add one-half teaspoonful of cream of tartar and cook to the crack degree. Spread in a buttered pan a pound and a half of shelled nuts, hickory or walnuts. Pour the boiling candy over them and when cool break into pieces.

Peanut Brittle—Put two cups of granulated sugar in a clean pan over the fire and stir constantly until brown. Add a cupful of chopped nuts and pour into a buttered pan to cool.

EMMA PADDOCK TELFORD.

Chinese Notion.

A Chinese laundryman in Oakland, Cal., recently had his troubles with a watch that habitually lost time. So he took the timepiece to the nearest watchmaker.

"Watchee no good to Charlie Lee," said he briefly, pushing it across the counter. "You fixee him, eh?"

"Certainly," said the watchmaker, "what seems to be trouble with it?"

"Oh, him too muchee by 'n by," said Charlie Lee.—Harper's.

Practical Home Hints

The best way of securing work of any kind is first to go where work is, and if a position is not found in this way then watch the advertisements and advertise services.

It may sound harsh to say "go look for work," but it really is the kindest advice I can offer. To teach folks to help themselves brings far better results than to give help. Assistance I am always ready and glad to give.

A person hears so much about lack of work, but I am sure every housekeeper knows how difficult it is to get work done properly in the house or out of it.

There are always plenty of mediocre workers, but few experts.

For this reason the latter class is always in demand. Therefore it seems the most sensible plan to qualify for one particular kind of occupation. It does not matter what the occupation is, as long as it is something the learner likes to do better than anything else. There will surely be a demand for her services.

In looking for work it is not necessary to wait until some one advertises for help. For instance, one morning I was passing a dainty little store. Over the door I read, Madame——, maker of fine lingerie to order. Stepping inside, I asked Madame if she had any work she could give out to two sisters who were exquisite needlewomen, but who did not wish to leave home. She said, "In two weeks' time I can give them both all the fine needlework they can do all winter, and I will be only too glad to give them work."

"I can get plenty of poor sewers, but expert needlewomen are few," she added.

"I am doing my cutting now, but shall have the work ready very soon."

So you see, this business woman is saved the trouble and expense of advertising, and two young women will be kept employed all winter just for the asking.

Of course, it might happen that a person would apply to several places before finding work, but the chances are that she will find it, if she proves her competency.

I doubt whether you could get the kind of work you want to do at home, but try. The publishing houses might be visited. Those places, too, where you gained the knowledge of proofreading and revising should be a guide to you as to where such work is required.

WHAT AILED HIM

"I suffer with noises in my head."
"It must be the wind blowing in one ear and out of the other."

COULDN'T BE

"Good deal of the brute in him, isn't there?"
"No, he's a vegetarian!"

UNANSWERABLE

"What goes up must come down."
"Not always! How about the price of food?"

Length of Time Young Folks Should Wear Mourning for a Parent

Age has something to do with the length of time mourning is worn for a parent. Of course a child does not continue in black as long as a grown person.

One year is now considered long enough for the latter, but the majority of persons feel that two years shows more respect for the deceased. During the second year the black is lightened. In other words, during the second year half mourning, meaning the use of such colors as are neutral, prevails, so that a woman does not change from a heavy black into gay effects.

From the age of 18 on all black, but no crepe, is suitable for a woman to wear after the death of a parent. There is no objection to a middle aged woman using crepe as a trimming, if she prefers, but more and more the feeling is against swathing one's self in heavy black, and crape is both distressing and unhygienic if worn in quantity for a long period.

Instead of crape, dull black should be chosen. In this finish there are thin crapey stuffs, soft silks and dead finish cloths. It is also to be remembered that dull finished white materials are correct now, for mourning frocks, when indoors. Such stuffs are specially made, and it is usual to trim them with a white English crape, which leaves no doubt as to their being mourning, and yet is not depressing in effect.

All white, when treated in this manner, is deeper mourning than black and white.

Hats may be dull felt, or silk, with a little crape, if a woman chooses. Fancy face veils, with three bands of ribbon, are correct for the first year.

The combinations suggested are all suitable for the first year, and after twelve months, black and white, gray, purple and lavender may be used.

If much crape is employed during the first year, the colors I have just mentioned must not be put on at the end of twelve months. Instead, the change after the first year must come in leaving off crape, and wearing all black.

After eighteen months the black may be lightened with neutral colors, so that at the end of two years a woman goes into bright colors without the appearance of having suddenly donned them.

ROSANNA SCHUYLER.

Quaker Quips

What He Got.

Bella—He fell in love with her photograph and asked for the original.

Fred—What developed?

Bella—She gave him a 'negative.

His Excuse.

Sunday School Teacher—Tommy, I saw you running the lawn mower this morning. Do you think it was right for you to do that?

Tommy Tucker—Yes'm. It kept the grass from growing on Sunday.

A Bright Message.

A young man lived at some distance from his bride-elect. On the eventful day he set off for the station in good time, but, being delayed, missed the train. Then he bethought him of the telegraph. "Don't marry till I come—William," was the message he sent.—Philadelphia Inquirer.

Cases Cited by Crippen's Friends.

Friends of Dr. Crippen, condemned to die in England for wife murder, who insist Belle Elmore may be alive, recall several cases famous in criminal annals to sustain their contention.

In 1538 two brothers of the Bourne family living in a little Vermont village, quarreled over a financial matter. The younger of the two disappeared a few weeks later. The elder brother was arrested and charged with murder. A mutilated corpse was found near the scene of the alleged crime. When confronted with the circumstantial evidence the prisoner confessed and told a detailed story of the murder. He was sentenced to death, but the case was finally carried to the supreme court of the state and was reversed and a new trial ordered. Again was the prisoner convicted and sentenced. But a few hours before the time of the execution the supposedly dead man returned and demanded the release of his brother. He gave no account of his whereabouts, but it is supposed that he was away at sea.

In 1841 three brothers named Trailer were arrested charged with the murder of Abraham Fisher. In the Illinois courts this case has become a classic. The skeleton of a man was found near the scene of the disappearance of Fisher. One of the brothers broke down in court and confessed the details of the killing. The death sentence was passed on the other two prisoners, but before the execution took place Fisher was found in the southern part of Indiana.

The famous Lesurques case in France was a parallel to that of the Bournes and Trailers in many respects. "The Lyons Mail," one of Henry Irving's great plays, was founded upon one of the features of the Lesurques case.