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Society

By MELLIFICIA—Dec. 4.

The Humor of Opera.
To show my absolute confidence in all the readers of my little column I am going to make a confession. I don't know a thing about grand opera! And when I do go I am afraid I see the humorous side instead of listening to the entrancing music.

As you have probably all noticed, there are funny things even in grand opera if you only see them. At last night's performance of "Giocanda" I was amused to see a table and chair at one side of the stage, while the other was set for a street scene. The two articles of furniture seemed very convenient for when any of the actors became weary they would just drop into the nearby chair and rest. That seemed unusual, to say the least.

Of course, the singers must always face the audience, no matter what they are singing. In a scene where one of the lady performers placed a rosary around the neck of another (please don't ask me their names) the singer had to look at the audience, sing and hang the rosary at the same time.

Really, it was a crucial moment! I was awfully afraid she would miss the neck of the one to be adorned, but she accomplished all three stunts at one time, much to my relief.

The boys in khaki lent a war-time atmosphere to the opening night, and as they say, open confession is good for the soul, I will admit right here that they interested me far more than the song birds on the stage.

When Milady Goes Shopping

Today we learn of "co-operative" furniture—versatile furniture—furniture that works in many different capacities.

By ADELAIDE KENNERLY.

Now that we know all about the "Library-Dine" with its 101 uses, we must figure on chairs to co-operate.

No, that isn't the wrong word. "Co-operative" is exactly what I mean. In these small apartments it is impossible to have things match. Every piece of furniture must work. In fact, it must be versatile and do many things well and so we select pieces that will co-operate—or work together.

There is something lovely about a certain kind of dining room chair, upholstered sometimes both back and seat; sometimes only the seat, but arms always. They are straight, with high backs. The arms and upholstering give them elegance enough to grace any living room.

Strictly Modern.

These chairs have a semi-colonial appearance—which means that they are strictly modern—and are made of many varieties of wood, so that in selecting a "Library-Dine" and chairs the wood should match. The upholstering should be of neutral shades unless one intends to carry out a pink or blue or rose or some other effect.

These co-operative chairs are comfortable, good looking and serve as dining chairs, reception chairs, desk chairs and general utility seats. Rockers are made to match and, since the small apartment is paramount in our minds at this particular time, these chairs "co-operate" better if one buys enough for both bedroom and living room. We shall learn more of what they can do, if put to the test, when we furnish our next room—the bedroom.

Someone Thankful.

"Adelaide Kennerly," said a young business woman whom I chanced to meet on a windy corner, "I am thankful this Thanksgiving day for the article you had in this morning's Bee on furnishing a small apartment. I have longed to keep house and entertain my little circle of friends in an informal way, but the thought of furnishing up a big place and the burden of keeping it clean has killed every new idea I had on the subject. Now that one may rent, for a reasonable sum, a small apartment, furnish it for another reasonable sum and keep it clean with a minimum of effort—well, I say why not keep house?"

See for Yourself.

And so that Thanksgiving day I was thankful that I had written something to give new hope to one deserving person, for I am sure there are hundreds who feel about housekeeping as this young woman does. And think of the women who must move to small apartments in self-defense because there are no servants to be had!

If you don't believe everything I say about furnishing a tiny home is true visit Omaha's furniture stores with your Diogenes lantern and make sure of it. I'm willing.

Toys of Real Value at the Central

Our Toyland covers a large section of our large second floor—at our new location, between 15th and 16th on Howard St., and is now ready for the Christmas rush. Make your selections early.

Our old location at 17th and Howard will not show Toys this year and will be closed finally Dec. 15th.

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Vote "Yes" on Both Amendments is the Slogan of Suffragists

"Vote 'yes' on both amendments." This campaign slogan Nebraska suffragists will put into use to avoid confusion incident to the submission of two suffrage issues in the coming election—if the convention now meeting at the Young Women's Christian association votes not only to protect the partial suffrage given by the legislature last year and now threatened by the referendum invoked by the antis, but to ask for full suffrage at the same time.

The straw indicating what the con-



Mrs. W.E. Barkley

vention's action would be was gathered preliminary to the executive board meeting held this morning. Mrs. W. E. Barkley of Lincoln, state president, and members of the board refused to be interviewed directly on the policy they would pursue in the coming campaign.

"The convention will vote on the question at Tuesday's session," said they.

Mrs. Barkley, who leaves Friday for Washington to attend the national suffrage convention, is certain that a federal suffrage bill will be passed this winter.

"Women's war work will prove a strong factor in the coming suffrage campaigns and in preparing women for their duties as voters. War work has brought suffragists and anti-suffragists to work side by side as nothing else has brought them together in the past. They are amalgamated workers now," said Mrs. Barkley.

Melting Pots Are Rapidly Filling.

The melting pots which are in the window of Brown's jewelry store and in the war relief rooms at the Baird building are rapidly filling up with odd bits of jewelry. Old ring settings, small silver boxes and broken bits of silver toilet articles seem to be the principal contributions so far. Miss Gertrude Young, who is one of the committee, expresses herself as being delighted with the way the women are responding to the call for their cast-off jewelry.

P. E. O. Sisters.

Chapter M of the P. E. O. Sisterhood has formed a Red Cross unit which will meet in the library hall of the South Side library. The next meeting will be Saturday at 2 o'clock.

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Miss Ritza Freeman of Chicago Here to Help in the Work of a Free Dental Dispensary



Ritza Freeman

Miss Ritza Freeman of Chicago, social worker and widely known as "the story telling lady," arrived in Omaha today to help organize for the dental dispensary drive for funds Saturday.

The Omaha free dental dispensary, for the benefit of which the campaign is waged, is a work very close to Miss Freeman's heart. She came here last spring to help institute the movement.

The importance of good teeth is always emphasized as a health measure in the Chicago settlements where Miss Freeman works.

PERSONALS

Mrs. Milton Sanderson of Rapid City, S. D., who is the guest of Mrs. Charles E. Knotts, will remain for another week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Connors of Havre, Mont., are the guests of Mrs. Connor's mother, Mrs. J. C. Leitch, and will remain until after the Christmas holidays.

Mr. Herbert R. Hammond, jr., of Omaha, who is now in governmental service at Wakefield, Mass., is expecting a commission in the United States reserve corps.

Captain Taylor Belcher of the quartermaster's department is now stationed at El Paso, Tex.

Dr. and Mrs. William M. Barr leave this evening for St. Louis, where Dr. Barr will attend the meeting of the American Institute of Chemical Engineers.

Among the many prominent people who were guests at the Hotel Clark, Los Angeles, recently were the following: E. L. Jarboe, F. W. Smith, W. H. Smith, W. W. White, C. M. Dobson, B. L. Brown, J. H. Laughlin and E. B. Young.

Dance for School Set.

Cards are out for a Christmas dance to be given at the Blackstone December 25 by Mr. and Mrs. Edgar M. Morsman, jr., and Mr. and Mrs. William A. Pixley in honor of their daughters, Miss Mary Morsman and Miss Virginia Pixley. Miss Morsman, who attends St. Timothy's school, near Baltimore, and Miss Pixley, who is a student at Dana Hall, are two of the most popular young girls of the school set and this dancing party will undoubtedly be one of the most enjoyable affairs of the Christmas holidays.

Interest in Benefit Show.

A great deal of interest is being shown in the benefit performances which will be given at the Muse theater Wednesday. Several of the officers' wives from Fort Crook and Fort Omaha are planning parties and other parties will be given by Mrs. F. H. Davis, Mrs. Barton Millard, Mrs. O. C. Redick, Mrs. T. L. Davis and Mrs. Harold Gifford. Mrs. George Jewett, who has the benefit in charge, hopes to realize a goodly sum for the war relief fund.

Hands an Index to Character

The hands really tell more of a story than most people realize. Long, slender hands with tapering fingers indicate an artistic temperament, the expression of which may be along literature, art or musical lines, or it may find an outlet in architecture, designing or the pursuit of some one of the learned professions.

It is quite possible to give a slightly tapering effect to rather blunt fingers by pressing them gently at the tips from childhood, but, after all, the temperament or disposition cannot be changed by such means.

A thick, stout, stubby hand is sure to belong to a thick-set, practical individual who is wrapped up in the everyday, necessary affairs of life. Blunt fingers usually indicate a disposition not overcautious.

It is quite possible to keep one's hands in attractive condition no matter what their shape if the nails are carefully manicured, blemishes avoided and the skin kept smooth.

As much of the natural oil of the skin is removed by constant washing, it is necessary to replace this by suitable lotions and applications. The old-time habit of having a pair of white cotton gloves to draw on at night after the hands have been anointed with something healing or whitening was really very sensible. It protected the bedding, held the medication just where it was needed and hurried the beautifying process as the warmth of the gloves was in itself an aid.

A great many people neglect their hands, giving them no attention whatever other than the regulation washings with soap and water, and then wonder why they are roughened and sore.

If the hands become stained a little care will usually repair the damage. If they are stained by strong alkaline solutions they will often be turned yellow or brown. Wash with a solution of vinegar and water in equal parts and rub with a cut lemon.

If the hands are stained with a mineral acid they should be washed with a good lather of soap and rubbed in freely. Rinse in a solution of baking soda and water, a heaping teaspoonful to a pint.

If the hands are strong acid has been spilled on the hands, wash well and soak in water to dilute the acid as much as possible. If the hands are burned, make a paste of soda and water and spread on. Cut lemon or a ripe tomato are popular home remedies for removing fruit and vegetable stains.

Make Your Own Perfume

Royal Palm Florida Water.
Oil of lavender..... 3 drams
Oil of bergamot..... 2 drams
Oil of lemon..... 2 drams
Oil of rose geranium..... 20 drops
Oil of rose geranium..... 20 drops
Oil of ylang-ylang..... 1 dram
Tincture of turmeric..... 1 dram
Cologne spirit..... 1 quart
Distilled water..... 1 pint

Mix the oils with the cologne spirit. Dissolve by agitation. Add the water and cork tightly. Set aside for 10 days, filter and bottle.

Or, if you have a lot of fragrant blossoms in your garden or can coax some one to save them for you, try this potpourri with which to make your rooms refreshing and delightful. If you haven't everything for which the formula calls, put in the most essential other fragrant petals:

Lavender flowers..... 4 ounces
Rose petals..... 4 ounces
Ground orris..... 4 ounces
Ground cloves..... 1 ounce
Powdered cinnamon..... 1 ounce
Mace..... 1 ounce
Pimento..... 1 ounce
Allspice..... 1 ounce
Talc..... 10 grams
Musk..... 10 grams
Oil of rose..... 10 drops
Oil of sandalwood..... 15 drops
Oil of lemon..... 20 drops
Oil of bergamot..... 20 drops
Extract of vanilla..... 1 ounce

Mix all the flower petals and spices together, blend the oils and sprinkle upon the dry ingredients. Again mix thoroughly and place in a covered potpourri jar. If you haven't the lavender flowers, use 15 drops of oil of lavender instead. Once in a while stir the mixture with a spoon.

Making Your Own Sachets.
Most of us would use sachet powder more freely if we were able to make it ourselves. We can use it for good purpose also in the preparation of Christmas gifts to our friends.

Corsage sachets, perfumed pin cushions, lingerie pads, perfume balls and countless other things can easily be made to carry a fragrant thought with them during their lifetime.

Of course, after the sachet has been mixed it should be stored in a glass-stoppered jar that it lose none of its delicate fragrance until wanted. Now that wartime economies are concerning us all we can save even the flower petals in our garden for our own use and that of others as well.

By the way, did you ever send a handsome sachet or a perfume ball to a sick friend or one in the hospital? If it is delicate it is sure to be appreciated, as it is much more agreeable than antiseptics.

Heliotrope Sachet.
Powdered orris root..... 8 ounces
Ground vanilla beans..... 1 ounce
Musk..... 1 ounce
Oil of bitter almond..... 10 drops
Attar of rose..... 10 drops

Or, you may enjoy a rose sachet:
Jack Rose Sachet.
Rose petals..... 4 ounces
Ground orris root..... 4 ounces
Ground sandalwood..... 2 ounces
Patchouli leaves..... 1 ounce
Oil of rose geranium..... 20 drops
Attar of rose..... 10 drops
Oil of bergamot..... 10 drops
Musk tincture..... 1 dram

Mix the powders and blend with the oils.
A rather rare and unusual sachet is that which smells like fresh verberna flowers.
Verberna Sachet.
Powdered orris root..... 16 ounces
Civet..... 19 grams
Oil of lemon grass..... 20 drops
Attar of rose..... 10 grams
Ground lavender flowers..... 1 ounce
Ground rose leaves..... 1 ounce

Christmas Bazar.
The Christmas bazar given by the women of the Holy Name parish opens today at the Knights of Columbus lodge rooms. All kinds of fancy articles and home cooked goodies will be on sale and some valuable prizes will be given away. The sale will extend for three days.

Radcliffe college is giving a special course in dietetics.

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Housewives Now More Than Ever Before Realize the Importance of Purity in Food Products

While on my lecture tours, meeting housewives in all sections of the country—I have observed that women are now wide awake to the vital necessity of utmost purity in articles of food.

It used to be that unscrupulous manufacturers were at liberty to foist rankly adulterated food stuffs on the unsuspecting housewife. This production of low grade, frequently worthless and often injurious merchandise gained such strides that the government stepped in with Pure Food legislation and checked it. This measure of protection aroused housewives to the situation and the importance of purity in articles of table use. And as a result of this awakening wise housewives have set a higher standard of purity than the Food Laws demand. The federal and state authorities have cut off to a great extent the manufacturer of products of an injurious nature. The great majority of housewives have gone even farther—and insist on absolute purity.

Take Baking Powder for example. There are many different brands of baking powders on the market. All that are on the market are made within the limits of the law—as pure as the law demands.

But there are other things to be taken into consideration—will they give the best results—are they economical in use?

The housewife now insists that baking powder be as pure as it can be made. That it possess no impurities—no adulterants—no useless fillers—no injurious properties of any sort. They want—and are entitled to—a baking powder so proportioned and blended it remains pure in the baking.

After testing many different brands of baking powders, I am thoroughly convinced that Calumet Baking Powder extends far beyond the standards of purity demanded by the food laws.

Critical experiments establish the fact that Calumet leaves no harmful residue, as do many powders that comply with pure food requirements. The bakings it produces are not only light, fluffy and tasty—but wholesome and healthful—which really is the final test of a baking powder's purity.

The housewife of today wants something better than "just as good." She wants the best, and in my articles on Baking Powder I have no hesitancy in recommending Calumet

Maudie Marie Costello

NOTE—Miss Costello is already well known to most of the ladies of our city. She is of the Domestic Science Branch of the University of Chicago, a graduate of Lewis Institute, Supervisor of Domestic Science in Public Schools, Special Lecturer on Domestic Arts and Economy, Special Lecturer to the Women's Clubs.

We are publishing a series of her most important articles.

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