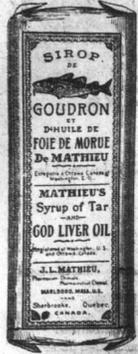


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Dear Sirs,—We telegraphed you to-day to ship immediately 5 Gross Mathieu's Syrup. We hope you will send it promptly, but if you are not able to send the whole amount at once, please send us some as our stock is getting low.  
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**The Evening Chit-Chat**

By RUTH CAMERON

"I have done one better thing than all the worthies did. And yet a better thence doth spring, Which is, to keep that hid."



John Donne.  
Columbia University received a gift the other day of \$350,000.

That amount wasn't so very unusual, I suppose. But the condition under which the gift was given was rather exceptional. For the donor of this huge gift insisted upon remaining entirely unknown.

Several other colleges and charities lately have also received lesser but none the less respectable donations under the same conditions.

It looks rather like an epidemic of anonymous giving.

And I hope the epidemic will become chronic.

For there are few people for whom I have a more thorough admiration than those who, atop the charity to do a good deed, have also the fitness to want to keep it hid.

I never hear of an anonymous gift without thrilling with admiration to think that, somewhere in the obscurity behind it, is a man or woman fine enough to be able to absolutely do without praise or gratitude.

Charity is a beautiful thing. Quite too beautiful to be tainted by any unworthy motive.

And isn't the man who gives openly and deceives the gratitude of his beneficiaries and the approval of his fel-

lowmen just a bit too apt to let these things make up some part of his motive for giving?

Is that making too cynical a statement?

I wonder. But apply the test to yourself. Doesn't the thought of the approval of your friends and the gratitude you will receive from those you benefit even influence your giving the least bit?

Not at all?

Think a bit, brother.

If that is true why did you feel a twinge of disappointment when you found that the sums given towards the minister's Christmas present, or which your contribution was head and shoulders above the rest, were not to be made public, or communicated to the minister at all?

You were doing just as much for the minister. Whence that twinge of disappointment, then, if the congregation's approval and the minister's gratitude had absolutely no share in helping to extract that crisp pinky yellow ten dollar bill from your bill folder?

I suppose some people will say that this is a needless hairsplitting discussion, and that the charity for the college or the individual who receives a gift anonymously, is not a whit the better off because of that anonymousness.

Granted. But I think the donor is, for no matter how generous or kind a deed you do, a better still awaits you—

"This is, to keep that hid."

Ruth Cameron

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**Fads and Fashions.**

While most of the coat sleeves are long, one also sees elbow sleeves and no sleeves at all, the sleeves of the blouse supplying sufficiency. Many rows of Russian braid, tubular braid, plain silk braid an eighth of an inch wide, embroidery and soutache associated, trim the tailored models.

Although brocaded materials have been exploited and are employed, there is no question that the plain, self-colored fabrics are in the ascendancy.

Coarse Russian braid, row upon row, soutache in intricate patterns and soutache in hanging knots, constitute the trimming for outdoor garments.

Among the new designs in table linen are napkins and square table cloths with circular designs. The corners are filled in with handsome separate patterns.

Skirts are drawn back tightly, the fulness massed at each side or directly in the back by a broad strap about a hand wide or sometimes by a hand reaching to the sides.

For outing days there is a stunning model of a sailor hat with a slightly rolled brim and trimmed with a plaited cord and two quills placed quite flat at the side.

Not only are the woollen materials utilized for the short, tailored suit, but crepon in wool and silk, gulle satin, foulard, voile and tussore, are making a bid for favor.

Socks of a solid color with plaid tops will be worn this summer by the small folks even more extensively than last year. White socks with colored bands, too, will be in favor. "Salome" is a fabric in great favor

for that type of gowns, and has just enough of the uneven threads to give distinction, and lustre dull enough to be correct. It drapes beautifully. Many of the new coat sleeves are of masculine coat shape without an perceptible fulness at the armhole and finished at the wrist with soutache or a cuff stitched or embroidered.

Young women are wearing suits of dark colors, brightened with a belt of scarlet, carnation pink, flag blue or enameled green, the collar and cuff of satin or stiff taffeta corresponding in color.

Among new belts are those of moiré elastic, broad and with heavy gilt buckles, others are of gold galleon encrusted with a pattern in thin scrolls and often worn with a chatelaine bag hanging at one side.

The Hedebro embroidery in many respects is suggestive of the exquisite Madeira embroidery. The designs, however, are distinctly different, being far more suggestive of filet net than any other kind of handwork.

Paisley effects are again with us in chiffon, net, satin, foulards and pongee, giving touches of rich coloring. Indeed, the Paisley printed pongee is used extensively as trimming for frocks and suits of natural color, pongee, shantung and tussore.

A story is told concerning Prince Edward of Wales, who recently was asked by a companion at Dartmouth College what he felt like being the eldest son of the Prince of Wales and future King.

"Don't you feel it is a great responsibility being the eldest son?" asked the friend, who was of a serious turn of mind.

"Well, I don't know about that," said the Prince. "I've never thought of it that way—it's always seemed to me great luck to be born the eldest, because when you're eldest you haven't got to wear any of your brother's old clothes!"

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Boys to be Hanged for Brutal Murder of Little Girl.

Deland, Fla., April 11.—Irwin Hanchett, a 14 year-old Connecticut boy, was found guilty in the criminal court yesterday of the murder of Cleve's child, 13 years old, and was sentenced to be hanged. The crime of which the youth was convicted was one of the most brutal in the annals of the State. He met the girl while she was on her way to school and after he had rejected his proposals he stabbed her to death. Her body was a mass of wounds. One physician testified at the trial that he counted seventy-five wounds. After the boy's arrest he narrowly escaped lynching. Throughout the trial Hanchett maintained a stolid indifference to the testimony, and received the death sentence with the same demeanor. His attorneys allowed him to go on the stand and relate the details of the murder in hopes of substantiating their plea that he is insane. Hanchett is a former inmate of the Connecticut State reform school.

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**Dance and Supper at Mr. Farrell's.**

Dear Sir,—Please allow me space in our valuable paper to make a few remarks about the dance and supper at Mr. M. Farrell's. A very enjoyable time took place at Mr. M. Farrell's, Popsal Road, on Sunday, April 17, a fairly good gathering being in attendance. Dancing and singing began at 8 p.m., which was kept up till 12 in the night, when the gathering sat down to partake of a very dainty supper provided by the Misses Farrell, etc. After supper was partaken of singing and dancing was indulged in until 6 a.m. Monday, when the gathering after an enjoyable time wandered to their homes. Great praise is due to the Misses Farrell for their kindness, also for services rendered in supplying the good things, and I take this opportunity on behalf of the gathering to extend our sincere thanks to the Misses Farrell and to wish them many more years of enjoyment. The following ladies and gentlemen were in attendance: Misses N. and M. Walsh, Alice Connolly, Agnes Dunn, M. Dunn, Edith Lawlor, F. Nash, Lizzie Walsh, Halley (2), Mrs. Wm. Byrnes, Messrs. G. A. Hardy, R. Connolly, James Nash, T. Connolly, James Power, Wm. Byrne, D. and R. Neville, D. Walsh, R. and J. Farrell, J. and W.'Brien, M. Druken and several more. Thanking you for space, Mr. Editor, I remain, Yours, etc., ONE WHO WAS THERE.

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