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The Evening Chit-Chat By RUTH CAMERON



Even those disagreeable to them, and I expect that query sometimes finds an echo in all our hearts. But seriously, if "Please" and "Thank you" and all such courtesies are natural expressions of a spirit of love and consideration, instead of artificial forms which ought to be entirely discarded, surely there is no place more meet for their use than the home, where are assembled those whom we love the most, and to whom we owe the greatest consideration. When I read in the newspapers of the doings of high society, meaning that kind of society which is founded on wealth, which is entirely independent of breeding or education, and which includes women who smoke, drink and swear, and men who have no manly occupation than to give parties to monkeys, I never feel a pang of envy that I was not born into that class. For you see I have my own ideal of high society. And it consists of those who have generations of breeding and education behind them and who, if they happen to be wealthy, use the leisure "which is granted them out of the sweat and toil of other men's lives" for study, for social service, for intelligent travel and for converse with other really fine folks. Now isn't that a circle to which you would like to belong? And don't you feel sure that such folks as these are at least almost as careful about the little amenities of life in their homes as outside them? I do. Now perhaps you are conscious that you lack the ancestry, the bringing up, and the opportunity to belong to such a circle. But wouldn't you like to have your children or grandchildren help constitute such a class in their day? If you would, I think one great step towards that end would be for you to try to have a home life, in which courtesy and good breeding are part of the atmosphere.

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Fads and Fashions. Changeable taffeta hats are and will be very popular. Shoes are becoming a little more ornamental in their effect. Small bows of black velvet are much used to trim blouses. Newest dress models show a continuance of one-sided effect. Wide girdles appear on most of the elaborate afternoon frocks. Shortening sleeves mean an inevitable season of long gloves. There is a prophecy of plain effects in everything fashionable. Tassels and ball fringe are popular trimmings for the new satin suits. Among the new velvets, the loveliest come in shades of vieux rose.

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The Widow's Age. It was a wise young man who paused before he answered the widow who asked him to guess her age the other evening. "You must have some idea about it," she said, with what was intended for an arch sidewise glance. "I have several ideas," he admitted, "but I hesitate whether to make you ten years younger on account of your looks, or ten years older on account of your brains." Then, while the widow smiled and blushed, he took a graceful but speedy leave.

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