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### Family Vocabulary.

By RUTH CAMERON.



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Did you ever realize that there is such a thing as a family vocabulary in almost every family? The other day I was listening to one of the members of the family who was talking over the telephone. By the way, when it is permissible, don't you love to do that? It is so interesting to reconstruct the other side of the conversation from what you hear and then find out afterwards if you were right. Quite like a game. To return to the main road, I heard her say, "Yes, I'd like to come, I don't see any reason why I can't, and I will unless— and quick as a flash, before she could finish, my mind supplied the rest of the phrase, "unless something unforeseen turns up." And that was just what she said.

How did I know? Well, I asked myself that question and answered—because that is part of our family vocabulary. Given these circumstances, that is what any member of our family would probably say.

A day or two later, I had another instance of family exclusiveness in the matter of vocabulary.

Did You Ever Hear The Word "Rambunctious?"

Some member of the family used the word "rambunctious." "Where did you get that word?" asked the visiting lady. "I never heard it before. Did you coin it for the occasion? It certainly was pat." (It had been used to describe the actions of my small nephew when put up in the house on a rainy day.)

"Never heard the word 'rambunctious'?"

"Where did you get that word?"

"Why that's a common word!" And so it does seem to us, because it was a favorite word of my mother's. Doubtless, there are reader friends who will recognize it as a part of their family vocabulary, just as there will be others like the visiting lady, who never heard of it.

Words With a Flavor.

Certain words, like that one, are peculiarly part of the family atmosphere. The sound of them will bring back one's childhood, as poignantly as the most memory-freighted fragrance. Two other words which I can recall offhand are "spudge" in the phrase, "Now let's spudge round and get this done quickly" and "ride-out" in, "What have you children been doing? This room looks like ride-out."

The flow of family life grooves the mind into certain ruts as the flow of rain-water grooves the hillside.

The Family Menu Gets In A Rut

The family menu is one groove—too much of a groove in a good many families.

And the family vocabulary is another groove which also may become too deep.

Of course it is fine to have as a family possession words with a flavor like those I have quoted, but one can get into too much of a rut in the use of common words.

We ought not to be able to tell what another is going to say, because we ought to employ different words for the same sense from time to time, and keep ourselves from saying things in a routine way.

With My Letter Friends.

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 Girls! Have Wavy, Thick, Glossy Hair Free From Dandruff  
 Save your hair! Double its beauty in a few moments—try this!  
 If you care for heavy hair, that glitters with beauty and is radiant with life; has an incomparable softness and is fluffy and lustrous, try Danderine.  
 Just one application doubles the beauty of your hair, besides it immediately dissolves every particle of dandruff; you cannot have nice, heavy, healthy hair if you have dandruff. This destructive scrub robs the hair of its lustre, its strength and its very life, and if not overcome it produces a feverishness and itching of the scalp; the hair roots flinch, loosen and die; then the hair falls out fast. If your hair has been neglected and is thin, faded, dry, scraggy or too oily, get a 25-cent bottle of Knowlton's Danderine at any drug store or toilet counter; apply a little as directed and ten minutes after you will say this was the best investment you ever made.  
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**Canadian Patriotic Fund**  
 GETS A HANDSOME DONATION.  
 Galt, Ont., Feb. 8.—Fifty thousand dollars, representing the profits on insurance for the year 1915, was the handsome donation made to the Canadian Patriotic Fund to-day at the annual meeting of the Gore District Mutual Fire Insurance Company, held at its head office here. In moving the resolution authorizing this subscription, E. W. Nesbit, M.P., for North Oxford, still bearing mark of his experience in his narrow escape from the fire at the Parliament Buildings, said he was confident that this liberal grant would meet with the approval of all members of the company throughout the province. The motion was carried unanimously, the meeting rising to its feet and singing the National Anthem.

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**American Women to Send Auto to Gen. Joffre.**  
 Indianapolis, Ind., Feb. 8.—General Joseph Joffre, Commander of the French army, soon will be presented with an American auto for his personal use, according to plans of Mrs. E. Bliss Thomson, widow of a Seymour, Indiana, man, who was lost when the Lusitania was torpedoed. Mrs. Thomson has brought the car to Indianapolis where it is being overhauled preparatory to shipping it to France. Mrs. Thomson says the car was a favorite of her husband's, and she thought General Joffre would "make the best possible use of it."

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## War News

### Messages Received Previous to 9 A.M.

OFFICIAL.  
 LONDON, Feb. 14 (Official).  
 The Governor, Newfoundland:  
 The light cruiser Arethusa struck a mine off the east coast and it is feared is a total wreck. About ten lives have been lost.  
 There was considerable fighting in France last week. The French retook notable portion of trenches captured by the enemy south of the Counter-attacks were repulsed. At Vimy the enemy penetrated sectors of the French trenches, but were afterwards driven out by a cross-attack. Three hundred metres of enemy trenches were captured. The Meuse ridge, in Champagne, County attacks were defeated. The enemy also attacked, unsuccessfully, on the Yser Canal and northeast of Soissons.  
 The enemy penetrated the British lines near Pilken, but were driven out by a bombing attack.  
 The Russians have captured an important position of Ucieczko, and have crossed to west bank of the Dnieper.  
 In the Caucasus the Russians progress in Erzerum region. Latest reports announce the capture of Turkish regulars and seven of the bombardment caused an explosion in Erzerum fort.  
 General Smith-Dorrien is returning to England owing to ill-health. General Smuts is appointed to the command of the British forces in Africa.

### FRENCH OFFICIAL.

PARIS, Feb. 14 (Official).  
 In Artois the day was marked by number of German attacks from Hill 140 up to Neuville La Folle. During the morning the first attack failed west of Hill 140. In the evening, after a fierce bombardment, the enemy attacked our positions on three different points. Three of these attacks were shattered and broken up by our cross-fires. During the day the enemy managed to gain a foothold in our trench west of Hill 140, but was immediately thrown out by counter-attack which inflicted heavy losses on the Germans in killed and wounded. A German plane shot down by our batteries, grounded east of the city, a mass of flame. Elsewhere there was artillery activity, especially at Soissons and Chassigny districts.

### NICARAGUAN TREATY.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 14 (Official).  
 That Germany had offered Nicaragua a larger sum than the United States for an option on the Nicaragua Canal route, was urged in the Senate to-day as an argument for early ratification of the treaty.

### BRITISH CRUISER ARETHUSA STRIKES MINE.

LONDON, Feb. 14 (Official).  
 The British cruiser Arethusa struck a mine to-day off the east coast of Newfoundland, according to a statement issued by the British Official Press. It is feared, the statement said, that the vessel will be a total wreck. About ten men were lost in the sinking of the cruiser. The statement said that His Majesty's ship Arethusa, commanded by Reginald V. Tyrwhitt, struck a mine off the east coast of Newfoundland and it is feared she will become a total wreck.

### T. J. Edens

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