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She Never Knew She Did It.

By RUTH CAMERON.



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A friend of mine has a very fascinating mannerism. When she raises her eyebrows her left eyebrow crinkles and goes up farther than the right, thus giving her a delightfully quizzical expression.

I love to say things that I think will cause this expression to appear. I consider it one of the friend's chief charms, and I said so to her one day, hoping she might give me a hint on how it was done.

"I don't know what you mean," she said. At first I thought it was a pretense, but her expression of genuine puzzlement soon convinced me otherwise. She actually never knew that she had that expression! And yet she was a woman well over thirty!

Just think, no one who has met her in the last twenty-five years but has noticed that little trick of expression, and she, who has lived with herself, is ignorant of it!

One Does Not Raise One's Eyebrows At Oneself.

And yet, when one stops to think of it, one can understand. One does not raise one's eyebrows when one is looking in the glass at oneself.

It is an interesting thought, when you stop to consider it--how little we do know of how we really look. The face we turn to the glass is a face from which individuality and ordinary expression has been completely ironed out. We may smile self consciously at ourselves, but that is not the smile we really use when we are smiling from our hearts. Instead of just with our facial muscles. Incidentally, I have a friend who insists that the average glass does not give back anything like an exact image.

A Tip to Milliners.

Sometimes she looks over my shoulder when I am doing my hair before the mirror and looks from me to the image and says, "You think that looks just like you; well, it doesn't." The kindly inference in her case is that the glass does not flatter. And that I think is true of the average glass. There are glasses, however, that go to the opposite extreme. I have a hat that I bought from a milliner, part of whose stock in trade was

such a glass. I think that I should, if necessary, spend half my capital for such a mirror if I became a milliner!

Dimples and Gold Crowns.

To return to the main road. When we were discussing the subject of one's lack of acquaintance with one's own appearance, another woman told me of this experience. One of those kind friends who feel it is their duty to be frank, repeated to her criticisms to the effect that she was always drawing down the corner of her mouth in such a way as to make her dimple show. "It's a nice dimple," said the kind friend, "but we would like it so much better if you weren't always trying to show it." And the truth was, that the woman had a gold crown in her mouth which she much disliked and really drew down her mouth with the idea of hiding that.

You can make your own moral.

SICKNESS OR LAZINESS.



WALT MASON

I've never felt as good as new since I was laid up with the flu. My wife refers to many chores both in the house and out of doors, which should be done without delay, but I am weak as weak as whey. I simply lack the strength to go and shovel forty tons of snow. If I were only feeling good I'd gladly bring in coal and wood, and feed the warthog in his pen, and hump around like other men. But I feel like a castoff shoe since I was laid up with the flu. My wife regards my tale of woe as faked up stuff that isn't so. "You sped along on nimble feet to see that dog fight down the street; you vaulted over a six-foot fence and like a racehorse sprinted hence, when you were told by Neighbour Brown that some one's house was burning down. But when I say the roof leaks rain, you're twisted up with poignant pain; you're all unnerved and out of whack, and have the fantods in your back." Alas, my sympathy is mine; alone I weep the scalding brine. My wife at my complaints has laughed; she thinks I'm working Aesop's graft; she scoffs at crippled lung and limb, and talks about the Brothers Grimm. Yet I am sore in every thorn, since I was laid up with the flu.

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Household Notes.

Fresh air is the best cure for colds. Candy should not be stirred while boiling.

Never use a knife to clean starch from a gas iron.

Water should be freshly boiled in making beverages.

Melted paraffin will close a leak in the icebox lining.

Oysters and leftover meat make delicious croquettes.

Butter baster to cover fruit should always be thin.

Apples are delicious baked with raisins and marshmallows.

For scraping dishes a small wooden knife is very handy.

A little grated nutmeg gives a pleasing taste to milk toast.

Oyster force meat for stuffing vegetables is something new.

Food selection is a science and should be studied accordingly.

Put cold water in all sauce or stewpans when finished using.

More water or milk is required with some flours than others.

Apple dumplings are delicious when served with brandy sauce.

Little pies of the cottage cheese kind are attractive for luncheon.

Always put oysters into the stew last--long cooking toughens them.

Glass jars are the best containers for dried fruits and vegetables.

To remove scales quickly and easily soak fish in warm water first.

The smaller the hot biscuit the more thoroughly baked it usually is.

Mushroom sauce is the most delicious of sauces for parboiled oysters.

Three courses are enough at each meal to keep most families in health.

Before washing sweaters sew up the buttonholes to keep them in shape.

A delicate graham bread is very nice for invalids.

To prevent crumbling when cutting new bread heat the knife very hot.

Lessen the chances of breaking cut glass by washing it in a wooden bowl.

Cream of spinach soup can have strips of pimento cut into it for variety.

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French and German Losses.

The figures of the soldiers France lost in the war, are the more appalling when considered in proportion to her population. The 3,000 French officers and 311,000 men reported as missing, can, on the whole, be safely included in the losses, thus making with the 31,000 French officers and 1,040,000 reported as killed, a total of 1,385,000. The population of France has anything but increased since 1911, when it was 39,000,000, of which these losses are 3.50 per cent. The German losses were recently reported as 1,600,000 officers and men killed and 103,000 missing, a total of 1,703,000. The population of the German Empire must be about 70,000,000, of which these losses are 2.43 per cent; so that France lost of her best manhood 44 per cent. more than Germany, even without taking into consideration the many thousand French civilians killed, murdered, or starved, in the invaded parts of France.

—John C. Van Der Meer, London Editor of the Amsterdam Telegraph, in London Times.

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Man is not all-important here; life leans not on the few;
The old departs and youth comes in the tasks it leaves to do.
When strong men fall the fight goes on, for men of strength arise.
New sages follow sages dead, for wisdom never dies.
But all who have the will to serve may find their fame in this:
That they are men the world some day shall sadly mourn and miss.

We cannot look within our breasts life's secrets or its lore.
We die, but strength and wisdom live and will forever more.
We shall have reached fame's greatest height, if when we're traveled on
A few shall miss us from our post and mourn that we have gone.

Milady's Boudoir.

"I am going to give a card party, Marie," delightedly exclaimed Marjorie, as she burst in upon the French Maid one morning. "It is next week and I want to have some inexpensive but pretty prizes. Whatever shall I get?"

"I'll tell you what a young lady gave where I was once employed," returned Marie. "She gave beautiful French hat boxes, and all the guests were very much delighted."

"But how did she make them?" asked Marjorie.

"Well she first found a number of ordinary boxes stowed away in the closets of the house," began Marie. She next bought two rolls of wall paper at 12 1/2 a role, one a cream paper of quaint old-fashioned design in narrow stripes with garlands of tiny pink.

"On the outside of both boxes and lids we neatly pasted the flowered paper and on the inside the pink. It must be put on evenly and neatly--one cannot be too careful."

"Fifty cents was spent for one and a quarter yards of pink silk, which we found on a bargain counter, fifteen cents for one half yard of green ribbon, fifteen cents for one half yard of cherry ribbon and twenty cents for sachet power; total, \$1.25."

"The silk was cut in four inch strips to make the 'ties' which, when the sides had been neatly hemmed, looked almost as well as the usual ribbons; a rose of cherry and green ribbon finished the ends. With the pieces of silk left over we made a sachet for each box."

"Oh, that will be lovely, Marie, just the thing," said Marjorie. "They will be pretty and chic and so different from anything I ever heard of. I must go and hunt up some boxes right away," and Marjorie fairly flew out of the door.

Apt Quotations.

The old Tate and Brady version of the Psalms used to be as familiar to a former generation as was the Catechism. A good story is told of Lord Palmerston and Bishop Samuel Wilberforce, in which the once popular Psalm-book plays an important part.

These two eminent personages were visiting at a country house. One Sunday morning they were told that carriages were ready to take them to church. Lord Palmerston settled to go in one of these carriages, as he feared there would be rain; but the Bishop preferred to walk.

Before he had proceeded half way to the church a heavy shower of rain came on; yet the good Bishop struggled on, when the carriage containing Lord Palmerston overtook him, and his lordship called out from its windows a part of the first verse of the Tate and Brady version of the first Psalm:

"How blest is he who he's consents By ill advice to walk."

But Bishop Wilberforce, with the usual twinkle in his eye, promptly replied with the rest of the verse:

"Nor stands in sinner's ways, nor sits Where men profanely talk," and walked on.

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