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A MERRY CHRISTMAS TO ALL.

Poor Relations and Christmas Gifts.



The Lady-Who-Always-Knows-Somebody is how was engaged in embroidering a monogram on a little island of cambric completely surrounded by lace, called by courtesy a handkerchief, when the Author-Man's wife came into the room.
The Author-Man wife condescendingly admired the handkerchief and then frankly inquired for whom it was intended, as at this time of year it goes without saying that anything which one is making is intended for someone's Christmas stocking.
"That's for Julia," said the Lady-Who-Always-Knows-Somebody.
"For Julia," cried the Author-Man's wife. "You don't mean our washer-woman's Julia? Really? Why, don't you think it's too nice for her?"
The Lady's eyes flashed fire. "Indeed I don't think it's too nice for her," she retorted. "Why should it be?"
"Oh, I suppose she'll like it all right," said the Author-Man's wife, "but wouldn't half a dozen plain handkerchiefs or something else useful be better for her? You know they have a terribly hard time to get along."
"Yes, I know," said the Lady, "and I'm going to give her mother some money. But the way I feel about it is this. You can starve for the luxuries of life just as much as for the necessities. People always give poor folks plain, useful things, while they may need something beautiful and useless just as badly. You see I was a poor relative once myself, and I know. Most of our relatives gave us useful things; flannel petticoats and school shoes and things of that sort. But there was one aunt who used to

send us each some beautiful unnecessary thing like a silk scarf or a pair of Paris gloves or a bit of beautiful lingerie. Of course the school shoes or the flannel petticoat were more necessary, but it always seemed to me I could do without them better than I could without my lovely scarf or my long white gloves. Perhaps I'm foolish about it, but I'd rather give my poorer friends something that doesn't seem like a direct hit at their poverty, something lovely, something I'd like myself."

What do you think of the viewpoint of the Lady-Who-Always-Knows-Somebody?

Perhaps I need a little modifying, but it is worth considering, isn't it?

For we all know that it isn't the things we need the most that we want the most; and that we can often do without the necessities better than the luxuries.

As I heard the Lady expounding her theories I remembered a gift a friend of mine once received. She was a working girl, wholly self-dependent and earning a very modest salary. One Christmas her uncle sent her \$50 with the express instruction that she should get something she would not otherwise have. She bought a marvelous negligee of ashes of roses silk and lace. An absolutely ridiculous thing for a poor working girl? I don't think you would say so if you could have seen all the happiness she got out of that one bit of luxury which she adored. I don't think you would say so if you could have seen her face light up years afterward when she spoke of that gift.

Of course our less fortunate friends need our sensible gifts, but remember they are human and beauty loving just like other folks even if they have made the fatal mistake of being poor and don't be afraid to mix in a little of the frivolous too.

Paul Cameron

FOR THE WOMAN WHO THINKS AND FEELS.

Some women complain that they periodically suffer from dull and heavy feelings, or dizziness in the head, nervousness, pain and bearing-down feelings which should not occur to the normal healthy woman. But most every woman is subjected to these pains at some time in her life, due to abnormal conditions in life, such as corsets, over-taxed strength, bad air, poor or improper food, wet feet, sluggish liver, etc. A regulator and female tonic made from native medicinal roots with pure glycerin, and without the use of alcohol, called

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Balkan Women are not the first to go into battle with their men folk. Persians were assisted by Gentler Sex four years ago and many individual cases of Women Troopers are known.

Women and young boys were among the victims of the fighting. Many Albanian women fell with rifles in their hands.

This extract from a war telegram from the Balkan States not only illustrates the fighting spirit with which the wives and daughters of the Montenegrins and Albanians are imbued, but it recalls to mind the fact that since the days of Joan of Arc there have been many women who have gloried in the clash of arms and have won

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broke out, went to Cape Town. His wife followed, and got into touch with the Boers, to whom she supplied certain information. She was engaged by the famous DeWet as his despatch runner, and her natural daring and skill in the saddle, combined with her marksmanship, enabled her to be of great service to the famous Boer general. Ultimately she transferred her services to the British, and, donning military attire, she passed off as an ordinary trooper, joining the army just before the Modder River battle. Ultimately, her sex being discovered, she took up nursing duties at the ration camp at Johannesburg.

One of the most famous Amazons of modern times, however, was Signora Mario, who died in 1906, and who, played such a prominent part in the Italian revolutionary movement, afterwards writing the life of Garibaldi, and editing the letters of Mazzini. She was born Jessie White, and was the daughter of a famous Cowes boat-builder. While in her teens she left her home to study art in Italy, and it was thus that she became acquainted with the Garibaldi family. She married one of Garibaldi's officers, and plunged actively into the struggle for liberty. She went through the whole of the exciting campaign in the Sicilies, and rode up to Naples through Calabria with the ever-conquering red shirts.

One who saw her in these days gives the following vivid picture of her: "A very bright, intelligent, intellectual, energetic little lady, lithe as a reed, with pale blue eyes, a freckled face, and auburn hair. She spoke Italian and French with great fluency and wielded a remarkable fluent pen. She had a good seat in the saddle, which she sat in the orthodox feminine fashion. She smoked big cigars, and tackled a long drink like a man when she felt the 'vay.' She was generally mistaken by the French as Garibaldi's daughter."

Then, of course, there was Louise Michel, known through the terrible period of the Commune as the "Red Virgin," who shouldered arms and fought at the outposts, and barricades. But France had many gallant women soldiers in those days. There was one Therese Figueur, a female dragon, who fought during the Revolution and the First Empire.

The best known of the French fighting females were the Fernis, whom General Dumouriez called his children. These young Amazons fought at the outposts and barricades the fortune of the day at Neerwindt by rallying the cowards of Chancel's brigade who were running away.

A woman named Catherine Pechelate was promoted sub-lieutenant at Jemappes after a horse which she was riding was shot under her. Two others, Mme. Barreau and Mme. Boudillon, joined their husbands as volunteers, and two girls fought in the light cavalry of the Republican army.

Eph Wiley says the best thing about his neighbourhood is that the people do not give cornets for Christmas presents.

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