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WOMAN'S WORLD

MRS. THEODORE W. BIRNEY

The Woman Who Originated and Organized the Mothers' Congress.

Mrs. Theodore W. Birney of Washington, a southern woman, a native of Marietta, Ga., is the mother of the Mothers' Congress. The idea of bringing mothers together in a national union originated with Mrs. Birney, who is well known in social life and philanthropic circles. She first publicly presented the idea at Chautauqua in 1895. The society was formally organized in 1896 and was informally organized and its first national congress held in 1897. Mrs. Birney was elected and re-elected president year after year until she declined longer to serve.

Mrs. Birney is one of those mothers who find in motherhood their greatest joy. She has three fine girls, who, in all the arduous duties Mrs. Birney has



MRS. THEODORE W. BIRNEY.

performed, have never lacked for a mother's care. All her life she has been, in one sense of the word, a reformer along the lines of philanthropy and carrying sunshine into desert places. Mrs. Birney conceived the idea that better mothers could be made of the thousands of young women who year after year take upon themselves the vows of wedlock, but who are as little fitted to face its duties and cares as are the babes that come to their often unwilling arms. There were clubs for everything on earth, but there was nowhere for the struggling young mother to turn for advice and counsel when deprived, as she often was, by distance or death of the aid and assistance of her mother.

"Orphan asylums are excellent institutions, reform schools fill a certain need and jails are a necessity," she said, "but if we had educated mothers, or perhaps I should say 'women educated to make competent, capable mothers,' the orphan asylums, reform schools and jails would want for inmates."

With this thought in her heart Mrs. Birney went to Chautauqua and there presented her idea. It took the audience by storm. "The world seemed ready for it," she says modestly. During the winter of 1896 the interest and invaluable co-operation of that truly great philanthropist, Mrs. Phebe A. Hearst, were secured. Her generosity made possible the first congress, which was successfully held in Washington in February 1897. Since then the National Mothers' Congress has held yearly sessions that have been fruitful in results, and numerous local organizations of mothers have sprung up all over the country, thus enlarging the scope of the good work begun by Mrs. Birney.

Home Hospitality.

Hospitality in the home possesses such a charm when dispensed in the right spirit that it becomes easily one of the chief features of home life. To keep always in the mood for meeting cheerfully any guest who may drop in unexpectedly as well as to receive those specially invited—this is the secret of hospitality. It is simple enough to extend the hand of welcome when every guest has been arranged for and the menu prepared ready to serve. But it is when the friend uninvited for a special occasion happens in at meal-time, more than likely some one the good man of the house brings home to dinner without consulting his wife as to the convenience of the act, that the real spirit of the mistress of the house is put to the test.

The day may have been a particularly harassing one, things may have "gone wrong" every hour, as they sometimes seem to do—wherever the fault may lie need not here be conjectured—the dinner may be practically a failure, the fire in the furnace low, the cook cross, and things at sixes and sevens generally. If under such circumstances the wife rises to the occasion, or above it rather, and meets and greets the guest with a hearty welcome, laughs away any seeming inconvenience and places before him such as she has without elaborate and embarrassing apologies, she has the true hospitable spirit, which is a quality as rare as it is delightful, and one well worth cultivating.—Detroit News-Tribune.

What Will People Say?

There is one question in the mind of the modern woman that is doing her more distinct harm than any other in the entire interrogative category, and that is the ever recurring one, "What will people say?" If the truth could be known, it is this question that influences seven-eighths of the actions of women, and the opinion which the question implies has a perfect terror to thousands of women.

It is this fear of "what people will

say" that is keeping many a woman away from her own fullest development and out of her highest estate. I firmly believe that thousands of women would today gladly push out of their lives scores of the things that really do not matter if they were not mortally afraid of what other people would say. They know that many of the things they do are of no moment, yet they do them and go on doing them because they fear the voice of the world in criticism. They play fast and loose with health and become burdens to themselves and to others around them; they push the big things out of their lives because there is no place for them; they miss the happiness of doing the things that are worth while—and why? Because they cannot incur the possible comment which, if they did otherwise and were themselves, might come to them from some neighbor, acquaintance or friend. And so the farce of living goes on with many women, and meanwhile they themselves, their husbands and their children suffer all because of "what other people will say!"—Ladies' Home Journal.

To Be Interesting.

To know how to interest ourselves is what makes us interesting. There is a wide difference between a dull woman and a quiet one. A dull woman may be quite talkative, and yet her conversation will be anything but interesting. The natural reticence of a quiet woman who possesses good characteristic qualities affords a gentle dignity which is a charming attraction. Forward women are generally disliked. They may be witty and bright, but the courage they manifest is too coarse to please refined minds. The woman who is too backward in her manner places herself at a disadvantage. She is generally a self-conscious creature whose society is rarely sought. A well bred woman makes herself interesting by endeavoring to unselfishly please others. She knows how to be a friend without being too familiar. She has an infinite amount of respect for the feelings of others, which is one of the secrets of her success.

A Plea For Cheerful Halls.

The hall and stairway being among the most important aesthetic factors in a house it is a pity that so many women insist on using dark browns and greens on the walls in preference to bright, cheerful papers. The visitor who enters from the street is open to first impressions, and certainly a dull, somber impression of this sort is hardly reassuring. If there are children in the household who would scratch or soil a delicate paper, the best way out of the dilemma is to have a darker wall-scoring, surmounted by a brighter paper, or a plain, dark paper in the wainscoting could be used. One of those brown wood imitation wainscoting might be applied if economy made it seem desirable, only provided a bright, attractive paper were used above it.

The Superior Woman.

Perhaps the most dreaded class of women are those who afflict others with a sense of their superior worth in a way that plainly says: "I am a very excellent personage. I am indeed quite perfect, and I want you to know it." One of the unflattering proofs of superiority is not to be inflated with the weight of one's worth. The truly great carry their honors very, very lightly, and those whose lives are the purest, noblest and sweetest make no show of the fact beyond the beauty of heart which they unconsciously impart. Beautiful characteristic qualities are the poetry of the human heart. They have their enchantments that are useful to life and to manners, for they give us both happiness and virtue.

The Shoulders and Neck.

As a rule, a lovely neck and shoulders should be left to speak for themselves. Oddly enough, women with really fine necks have the idea that by ornaments or trinkets they increase or at least call attention to their beauty. This is a mistake. The graceful lines of the shoulders and the sweep from the nape of the neck down the back are broken and have their value lessened by a necklace. However, if one must be worn, let it be of pearls for a neck of alabaster whiteness. One less clear in color should have rubies or sapphires as the most becoming stones.

Vaseline Stains.

Vaseline stains are about as obstinate as any to remove from clothing. If the stained garment is fine, it is worth while to go to the trouble of cleansing it with ether. Saturate the spots with the ether and spread smoothly on a clean surface. Cover tightly with a bowl to prevent too rapid evaporation. Ether will remove many grease stains, but it should be used with all possible caution.

Calamine for the Room.

Rooms where the paper is hideous or faded and where repapering is prohibited can be calamine in any preferred shade. The calamine will dry in a few hours, and if the design of the paper appears through at all it will be merely as a faint tracery.

If an iron bedstead is disfigured by spots where the paint has worn off, get white enamel paint and cover the spots. After these dry cover the whole with one thin coat.

Every housekeeper should inspect her kitchen and pantry towels every few days to see that they are wholesome, clean and well aired.

Bracelets always set off a handsome hand and detract attention from an unattractive one.

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Ontario Metal Output.

The Bureau of Mines has published a statement of the output of metallic minerals and works of Ontario for the first three months of 1903. Gold ore treated was 9,688 tons; gold product, 2,692 ounces, valued at \$45,218. Nickel copper ore raised was 52,866 tons; ore smelted, 47,880 tons; nickel in matte product, 1,059 tons, valued at \$567,211; copper in matte product, 780 tons, valued at \$112,676. Copper ore raised was 9,940 tons, concentrates produced, 236 tons, valued at \$10,388. Iron ore raised was 78,789 tons, valued at \$116,620; Ontario ore smelted, 7,392 tons; foreign ore smelted, 18,849 tons; pig-iron produced, 14,357 tons, valued at \$165,656; steel produced, 1,340 tons, valued at \$29,480. Arsenic produced was 216,000 pounds, valued at \$6,264.

As compared with the first three months of 1902, the total value of production shows a decrease from \$1,276,683 to \$1,055,513. This is chiefly accounted for by the falling off in the output of pig-iron, from \$397,838 to \$165,656 due to shutting down at the furnaces for repairs. Nickel rose in quantity from 1,485 tons to 1,059 tons, and in value from \$546,356 to \$567,211.

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