

### WHITE CUSHION TOPS.

5 dozen White Frilled Cushion Tops, nicely embroidered and complete. Wonderful value 80c. to \$1.40 each. Special Price for Friday and Saturday.

### COTTON BATTING.

12 packets only Cotton Battings, for making cushions or pillows, selling at a very low figure. Special Price for Friday and Saturday.

### WHITE TURKISH TOWELS.

Just a few dozen pairs of this big job line left. Special Price for Friday and Saturday.

# Sweeping Reductions

FOR FRIDAY AND SATURDAY.

## Kayser Silk Gloves!

A few dozen pairs of Kayser Silk Gloves. Colors as follows: Black, Navy, White, Copen, Black and White, Navy and White. Special Price for Friday and Saturday.

## Muslin Remnants!

Another lot of Muslin and Voile Remnants in assorted colors. Best value in the market. Special Price for Friday and Saturday.

### CHILDREN'S CUTIES SOCKS.

We have a large stock of Child's Cuties Socks, plain and fancy top. We have a full range of sizes which we offer at a very low price. Special Price for Friday and Saturday.

### WHITE LINEN HATS.

A few dozen of White Linen Hats for the kiddies. Just the thing for the warm weather. They are selling fast. Special Price for Friday and Saturday.

### RUG STRAPS.

2 dozen only Leather Rug Straps with metal handle. Special Price for Friday and Saturday.

**WASHABLE NECK TIES--3 dozen Gent's Washable Neck Ties, white ground with colored spot, regular warm weather ties. Special Prices for Friday and Saturday.**

# Marshall Bros

## Side Talks by Ruth Cameron

**SHE LIKED TO BE REMINDED**

A question of sending a birthday greeting to a middle-aged friend came up recently. Said someone, "Perhaps, as she is getting along in years, she would rather not be reminded of her birthdays." Said a middle-aged woman, "The older I grow, the more it seems to me to have my birthday remembered."

When you don't mind being reminded of the fact that you are getting older, by birthday greetings, the one who had originally had that objection. Being reminded that I'm getting older? Do you think I could forget anyway? The cards and gifts and the fact that people still care for me that people still care for me, even if I am growing older, and even if I am growing older, that's what I do."

**Child Ever More Pleased.**

Her vehemence reminded me of an elderly woman who was visiting at a neighbor's of ours when her day came around. Of course she let any of us know before, but when the day came and she brought her gifts and cards from friends, she showed them to us with a pride and a delight that I never equalled in a child.

Someone had sent her a basket of fruit and remembered the kinds she liked the best, and someone else sent her a home-made candy, and she glowed when she displayed and she insisted on sharing. There were two or three handkerchiefs and an array of wonderful attractive cards that she bought nowadays. Very simple things all of them, and yet she showed a world of pleasure in them. It is a lesson to me in simple ways of happiness.

**Too Long a Gift List.**

Many names of middle-aged or old people have you in your birthday book? I do not mean for gift-giving necessarily (I think it is possible to have so long a gift list that it becomes a harassing burden in-

stead of a spontaneous expression of affection) but just as a reminder to send a pretty card or friendly letter. The custom of getting up a post-card shower for invalids or elderly people on their birthdays, is one of our prettiest modern customs, and I think the telephone shower is equally nice—that is when some close friends reminds half a dozen other friends to call up and say "Happy Birthday."

I happened to overhear a conversation on the train the other day between a woman whose father retired after 50 years' work in a bank, and a young man who works in that bank:

**Which Would You Call It?**

"I don't know what he would do," said his daughter, "if you people at the bank weren't so wonderful about calling him and telling him any news. He just lives on these calls."

"Yes," said the young man, "Every morning the cashier gives his number to someone at the bank and that person is supposed to call him up some time during the day."

**Household Notes.**

Moisten mashed potatoes with thick sour cream. They have a delicious flavor.

A slice of pineapple put in each jar of canned apples gives them a delicious flavor.

Very convenient is an oblong piece of zinc fastened at the end of the ironing board.

Luminous labels should be pasted on all medicine bottles to prevent mistakes at night.

Place lettuce leaves loosely in glass jars and screw on tops. Set in cool place to keep.

If the wooden handle of the electric iron has worn out, run rod through three spools of the right size and shape.

## MATCHES!

- ON SPOT TO-DAY:**
- 35 cases Eddy's Sesqui Matches.
  - 50 cases Eddy's Safety Matches. (10 gross in case.)
  - 25 cs. Blue Ribbon Matches (100 family sizes boxes to case.)
  - 15 cases Sociable Safety Matches. (50 gross to case.)
  - 25 cases Horwood's Blue Tip Matches. (6 gross to case.)

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## Just Folks by Edgar A. Guest

### A FISHERMAN.

A fisherman's feller who loves running streams an skies o' blue;

A fisherman's chap who sees Great pleasures in the willow trees, An' hears, without the need of words, God's anthem in the song of birds.

A fisherman's a man who knows Just where the sweet arbutus grows; A fisherman's a feller who Sees something in the water blue, An' in the white clouds driftin' by, Which never strikes the artist's eye.

A fisherman's a man who takes Joy from the humblest thing God makes; A fisherman's a chap who sees Deep into Nature's mysteries, Learns how to think big thoughts of life.

Delightful card tables are made by enameling small tables with black enamel and in oil paints, decorating with flower designs.

### WASTED ENERGY.



For many, many weeks to come the orators, brave souls, will knock the welkin out of plumb, and shoot it full of holes. Wherever there's a stump or keg some orator will rise, and talk until he breaks a leg, dispensing truth and lies.

The men with messages will spoil the picnic in the doll, and when we'd fain go forth to toil, they'll bind us with a spell. If all their energy and steam were put to sawing wood, high prices soon would be a dream, and prospects would be good. We need strong men to guide the plow and see the pumpkins binned, but all the husky fellows now are busy dishing wind. If every man who speaks a piece would grow some wheat instead, one profiteering graft would cease, and we'd have cheaper bread. If every man who takes the stump, our bulwarks to defend, would grab a hoe and blithely hump, another graft would end. For weeks, and weeks the ancient tunes will in our ears be din'd, and when we plead for wholesome prunes, they'll merely hand us wind. The energy that's thrown away by orators, oh, cheer! If it were put to baling hay, where would our problems be?

### Burglary Doesn't Pay.

When the man in the street reads that "the thieves got away with jewels valued at \$5,000," he often thinks that crime is probably worth the risk, for one good burglary like that would satisfy a reasonable man for some time.

Now if there is one thing certain in this hard world it is this: Crime doesn't pay. It's only the big and spectacular burglaries and thefts which get reported. The average criminal is like the average man in the street. He earns little, and he runs a greater risk than if he were honest.

Here are a few figures by a well-known prison chaplain, who gained the confidence of many hundreds of prisoners.

Out of 488 burglars the average gain from their burglary was \$12 18s. 8d., and it mustn't be forgotten that for this paltry sum every single one was serving a sentence.

One man, who had the reputation of being particularly daring and expert, averaged less than thirty shillings a week from his crimes.

It mustn't be forgotten that jewels valued at £100 by the owner won't fetch more than £20 or £30 for the burglar, unless he's exceptionally lucky in disposing of his stolen goods. There is more profiteering among "fences" than among any other class.

Out of 448 pickpockets the average amount for which they had been sentenced was £4 11s. 9d., and yet most of them confessed they would gladly give up the game for a certain £1 10s. a week!

The average earnings of criminals throughout the country, despite the dazzling hauls they are supposed to make, do not average £1 a week year in and year out.

And take the case of criminals who have made big hauls.

Ned Lyons, the bank burglar who got away with over half a million in his career, died in a charity hospital in New York; Goudie, who robbed the Liverpool Bank of £170,000, died in prison; Johnnie Irving, who with some companions robbed a Northampton bank of £140,000, was shot by a fellow burglar, who died in prison.

It can be taken as a certainty that the average man can earn more by honest work, even of the humblest nature, nowadays, than he can hope to by crime.

If you wish to have warm popcorn at a sale or festival, pop corn over an oil heater. It is very convenient to shake rugs and bed clothes out of window screens with hinges.

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