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Side Talks by Ruth Cameron

WHY FATHERS-IN-LAW AND SONS-IN-LAW DON'T QUARREL.



RUTH CAMERON

A letter friend wants to know why it is that though one hears so much of the trouble that mothers-in-law and daughters-in-law have in getting along together, one so seldom hears of fathers-in-law and sons-in-law or of fathers-in-law and daughters-in-law disagreeing.

He (at least I suppose it was he) from the content of the letter, which was signed "Humble Inquirer," wanted to know if I didn't think that the lack of a father-in-law problem showed that men have much better dispositions than women.

What do you think?

Here's the way I look at it:

They Are Not Business Rivals.

The first and foremost cause of tension between feminine in-laws that they are either in business together in one house or rivals in the same business in two houses.

Looking after a home, looking after their own charms, and looking after their children, constitute the average woman's business. Men, on the other hand, have infinitely varied business interests and there is less likelihood of clash or rivalry. If, for every family in which there is a mother-in-law and daughter-in-law living together, there were a father-in-law and son-in-law in business together, I suspect "Humble Inquirer" would have less reason to be complacent about the latter disposition possessed by his sex.

Course They Get Along All Right.

As to fathers and their daughters-in-law, well, isn't there a reason in the nature of things why they should get on well together? An older man always has a certain charm for a young woman, and is it not natural that she will put her best foot forward in her relations with her father-in-law? And as for men of 50 upwards, presumably the age of the average father-in-law, did you ever see one who wasn't always ready to like a young woman?

And now, having told Humble Inquirer why I dispute his complacent assumption, I am going to tell him that, after all, I do agree with it to a certain extent.

I think another reason why sons-in-law and fathers-in-law do get on to-

gether better than their respective wives, is that men do have better dispositions than women do so far as concerns getting along equably with members of their own sex.

They Have So Many Outside Interests

Men are not so critical and exacting with each other as women. They are not so jealous (in their relations with their own sex) and their interests are so much broader that they do not put the same strain on friendship and the family relations that women do.

There, I hope "Humble Inquirer" (somehow I seem to doubt the quality of his humility) is satisfied.

Just Folks by Edgar A. Guest

WHAT CAN I DO FOR MY COUNTRY?

What can I do for my country—I that have little of skill, I that am one of the common run, with the humblest of places to fill?

Faith, I can bring up my children to love the old flag and be true.

I can teach them to reverence the land of their birth, and that I will patiently do.

What can I do for my country—I that know nothing of fame, I that must stand by the work of my hand, how can I honor her name?

Faith, I can talk of her splendor, I can rejoice through and through that mine is a country of freedom, and that I cheerfully do.

What can I do for my country—I that have little to give, I that must fare with a burden of care, how can I serve while I live?

Faith, I can honestly labor, loving the red, white and blue, worthy the freedom she gives me, and that I will earnestly do.

What can I do for my country? Neither sailor nor soldier am I. Mine is to wait when the dangers are great, while younger men march out to die.

Faith, I can cherish her teachings and be dear to the alien crew. Who would poison the love that I bear her, and that to the end I will do.

A smart sports hat is made of jade green and navy blue straw and has for ornament a braided band of straw.

A triangle of silk, its corners weighted with beads and an applied design across one side, makes the latest bathing cap.

Fads and Fashions.

A white organdie muslin frock is embroidered in black celluloid tubes. Tweed and striped flannel scarfs go well with the new tweed sports suits.

The latest rompers are wide Dutch bloomers buttoned on a plain waist.

A sports jacket of white leather is embroidered with high chenille frills.

Bright little corsages of crocheted posies are worn with the sweater blouse.

The plainest, most correct suit may be guilty of a lining of astonishing hue.

The gingham frock sometimes uses bias folds of the material for trimming.

A red taffeta sports hat has narrow pleatings of white organdie as trimming.

On gowns of every material little bunches of red cherries are worn at the waist.

A flesh-colored charmeuse gown is embroidered all over in black and white pearls.

A somber costume was brightened by a vivid tam made entirely of velvet poppies.

Chiffon and soft, creamy lace make a good combination for the informal evening frock.

Charming little handbags are made of painted Japanese silk lined with some brilliant satin.

Mummy cloth embroidered in Egyptian reds, yellows and blues is used for enchanting Egyptian frocks.

Serge dresses are being made of an accordion-pleated skirt and a smart little braided jacket with a satin vest.

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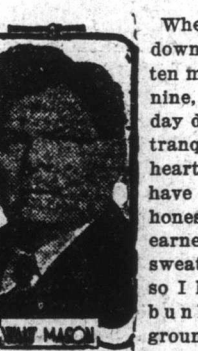
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AT NIGHT.



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When I lay me down to rest, at ten minutes after nine, having all day done my best, tranquil is this heart of mine. I have gained an honest plunk earned it in the sweat that pours; so I lie upon my bunk, springing ground and lofty snores. I have done no evil trick, I have done no neighbor ill, I have done no merchant's bill. If I've injured any gent, if I've caused the least distress, 'twas not done with full intent—'twas pure awkwardness, I guess. So I seek my humble cot, and in dreams my spirit soars; and the neighbors hear, I wot, all my plain and fancy snores. Oh, the long and dragging nights that the crooked people know! Then it is that Conscience smites with a solar plexus blow. In the day the sinful guys may proceed with haughty tread; in the night the ghosts arise, and stand grinning round the bed. If you'd know a sleep profound, if you'd know what sweet dreams mean, if you'd have no ghosts around, you must have a mind serene. There is sorrow in the night, there are phantoms breathing woe, if your conscience isn't white as the well-known driven snow.

Don't Bite Your Penholder.

Penholders, such as most of us frequently use in post offices, banks and other public places, may be as deadly carriers of disease germs as public towels, and so on.

The next time you use one of these public penholders, look at the wooden handle and notice how it is covered with little dents. These dents are the imprints of the teeth of persons who have used the pen before you; and as the mouth is the favourite port of entry for disease, each dent is usually full of microbes.

To run the risk of sickness and death, therefore, all you need to do is to bite on the penholder. Every time you do this—and it a habit that grows—you take into your mouth the germs which scores of other persons have left by similar bites.

Health authorities have time and time again suggested abolishing the public penholder altogether.

His Not to Reason Why.

(From Tit-Bits.)

A dear old gentleman noticed a laborer walking along a railway track and diligently tapping the wheels. Having nothing better to do, the old gentleman approached and asked: "How many years have you been working for this railway, my man?"

"Thirty-eight, sir," replied the laborer, still continuing his work.

"I suppose you have had many varied experiences in your time—plenty of change of occupation, I expect?"

"No, sir, I've always 'ad this same job. I've tapped the wheels of trains for eight-and-thirty years, sir."

"A long time, my man, a very long time; and if I may say so, it shows a steady character. An, by the way—what is the reason for tapping the wheels? Why do you do it?"

The man stood up, scratched his head, and said, "I'm darned if I know."

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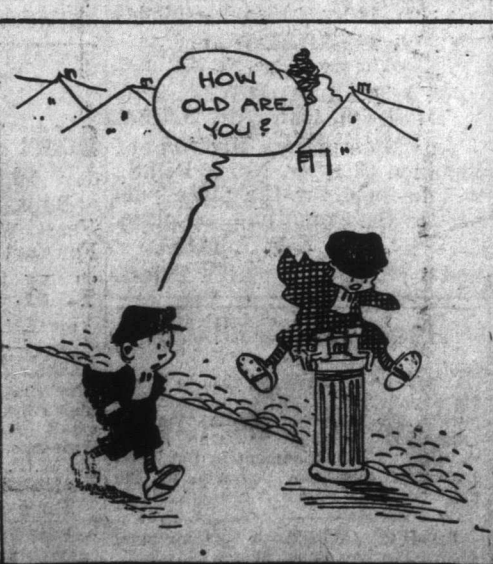
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