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For Friday and Saturday.

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A nice assortment of Ladies' Gloves, Silk, Cotton and Lisle, 40c. to \$1.50 pair. Assorted shades. Special Prices for Friday and Saturday.

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Just opened a small shipment of Ladies' American Hose, all Black, 90c. pair. Special Prices for Friday and Saturday.

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Several different lines of Men's Braces, including the famous "President" Brace. Special Prices for Friday and Saturday.

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70 dozen Men's Silk and Cotton Half Hose, assorted shades, 40c. to \$1.50 pair. Special Prices for Friday and Saturday.

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A large variety of Pocket Handkerchiefs, Ladies', Children's and Men's. Special Prices for Friday and Saturday.

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Side Talks by Ruth Cameron

WERE YOU TOO BUSY?

How often one hears people justifying themselves for neglecting some duty or some courtesy or some opportunity by saying, "I was so busy." I simply didn't have the time. And yet one knows perfectly well (and they know, too, if they would be honest with themselves) that they did have the time if they cared to take it.

There is an old saying, "If you have something important you want done, do it at once; if not, it will never be done." It is a busy man to do it; the other kind has no time.

No Busier Man Ever Lived.

I thought of that when I read in Roosevelt's letters to his children that no matter what he was doing, no matter what the pressure at the White House, he found time to write each child every week.

Think how many men there are who would go on a business trip without being one half so busy as Roosevelt, and think themselves far too busy to write the kiddies at all, at most, not more than a postcard or two.

But Roosevelt found the time, because to him that thing was important. Tell me what a man finds time for, and what he has to neglect because he is "too busy," and I will tell you that kind of a man he is.

Just Think of It.

I have a young married friend whose children were taken one day with a mysterious disease (which to her horror suddenly turned out to be mumps). The house was quarantined and her husband could only reach her by telephone. She was very busy, and naturally her mind was chockfull of the children and her anxiety about them. And yet she found time to think of the approach of Mother's Day, and to telephone her husband to send her mother flowers.

How many young mothers there are who with half that reason, with perhaps an ordinary children's disease

on their hands, would have felt justified in being too busy to remember. The reason she didn't forget was not because she wasn't as busy and anxious as anyone could be, but because she cared so much for her mother that she had room in her heart for the thought and room in her day for the execution of it.

When I am Ashamed.

Whenever I find myself writing or saying or thinking, "I was too busy" to do some thing that I know I should have done, I stop and look back and I am pretty apt to find that I wasn't really too busy, but that I let other things, actually less important, crowd in on me.

To keep the less important things out of one's life (mind you, that doesn't mean necessary rest and recreation) and to make room for the things that really count, is surely an ideal worth having.

You can get a nice Tweed Suit, made smart and stylish, for \$60; and you can get some of the best Serges in the country at SPURRELL the Tailor, Water Street, aug 7, 1920.

Some Umpire.

Lord Harris, the veteran cricketer, who, although he is in his seventieth year, is still going strong, has been telling a very laughable yarn about a match in which he once played.

It was to be a grand "two days" match, organized by a local club to open the season. Great preparations were made, and the services of a local man were requisitioned as umpire. Everything went very well but, unfortunately, the game seemed likely to finish on the first day, as by luncheon time each of the teams had finished an innings.

On resuming, one of the bowlers made several appeals for "leg before," but the umpire's decision was always in the batsman's favour.

"How's that, then?" asked the bowler triumphantly, as a particularly swift ball scattered the stumps far and wide.

"No ball!" roared the umpire. "And look here," he added angrily, "it ain't no use you bothering! This 'ere match 'as got to last two days. I own that refreshment tent over there!"

Booking Orders.

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Fashions in Games.

Of course, mere grown-ups have a cricket season and a football season, but they have to mark them on the calendar, lest they forget. With children it is different. Their games come round of themselves exactly as the swallows come, as regular as the clock, and right on time.

Nobody but a boy knows when it is the time to whip a top, or shoot a marble, or fly a kite. All that grown-ups know is that one day every boy will be busy seeing how many marbles he can knock out of a ring, and talking about "knuckling down" and "knuckling up," and the next week every marble will have disappeared for a twelve-month hibernation, and hoops will be the rage.

Girls are just the same, except that their games are different. They play hoops, certainly, wooden ones, which they hit with a stick, whilst the boys prefer iron ones, with a bowling hook; but their recurring games are such as "hopscotch," skipping-ropes, and battledore and shuttlecock. Each of these has its long close season--each its reappearance at stated times.

Nobody seems to know who starts first. It's like Paris fashions--they come from nowhere. But let any

girl be found playing hopscotch when she ought to be skipping "pepper-and-salt"--let any boy shoot an alley-taw when he should be playing "peg-in-the-ring," and he or she will just as surely be ignored and sneered at as the woman who dares to wear wide sleeves when tight one are vogue.

The Would-Be Tempter.

This is a story of a very modest man. He went to a dinner party, and the partner allotted to him was very, very ultra-modern in her attire--bare shoulders, bare arms, almost bare back--and really quite a shock to Mr. Modest Man. But he got his own back when the dessert came on. He offered her an apple.

"No, thank you," she said.

Modest Man--"Do have one. They look very good ones."

Decollete Lady--"No, thank you; I really do not want one."

M.M.--"But do change your mind. I do want you to have one."

D.L.--"Why do you want me to have one?"

M.M. (with outward innocence, but secret glances)--"Well, you see, I've never realised her inefficiency of clothing till she had eaten the apple!"

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THE PELICAN.

Some pelicans around me sail, as I wind up my lyre, that I may earn a slice of of kale, to buy a rubber tire. The pelican is most absurd, it has no warbling skill; it is a bonehead sort of bird that largely runs to bill. It catches fish before my door, by every artful means, instead of going to the store and buying canned sardines. It hangs around in my front yard, close by its feeding place, and doubtless thinks an old fat bard should sing its charms and grace. I've witnessed many tinhorn fowls in my long, sad career; I've gazed on buzzards, crows and owls, in countries far and near; I've looked on roosters large and small, on mudhens and such things; the pelican outclasses all, for homeliness, by jings. And yet it thinks it's pretty fine, as graceful as a bride; it stands before this but of mine, and seems to point with pride. Along the beach, and to and fro, I watch its vain parades; as silly as an ancient beau who orles blooming maids. It thinks it is a shining star, pure radiance to spill; but, like the chaps who fix my car, it mostly runs to bill.

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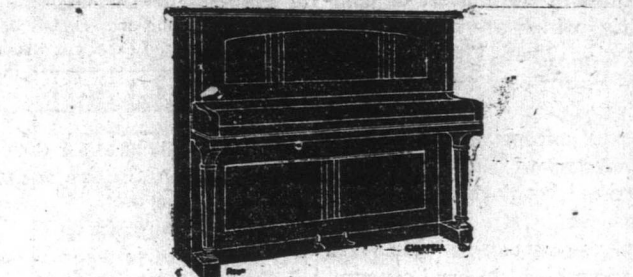
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Shipping Notes.

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By Bud Fisher.

