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## Some Interesting Letters.

By RUTH CAMERON.



The question as to whether it is better to spank or not to spank is still on the carpet. Anyone not interested will please read some other part of the paper.

"I have never been a spanker," says a correspondent who signs himself "A young bachelor," "but in my juvenile days was frequently a spanker. I do not believe in spanking, or other forms of corporal punishment, unless the child is afflicted with pure cussedness. In my opinion the parent who administers punishments which cause pain is long on muscular strength, and short on mental ability. He (or she) finds it easier to give the child a wallop than to logically explain to the child wherein it is wrong. It was a vigorous thrashing, given me by my father that impelled me to run away from home when I was fifteen years of age. (But I kept my mother posted as to my whereabouts.) It was corporal punishment that first made me feel the need of profanity in my vocabulary. My mother in all her life never did anything that could cause physical pain, and she was always gentle in her reproofs and admonitions. I know you will believe me when I say that it always pleased me to please her. You may be sure that with the normal child moral suasion is more effectual than the rod, the whip, the switch—or the spanking. Don't spank, or whip, or flog your children, unless you are willing to admit that they have inherited nasty tempers and vicious dispositions."

Here is the other side of the case, expressed by a woman:

"It seems to me that the modern method of bringing up children will be responsible for a national calamity. I believe in corporal punishment, a punishment which they understand, which is soon over, and always comes when promised, and of course suited to the age of a child. A little slap on the hand which persists in dropping toys, a smart tinging on the legs which run away, etc., are far less harmful than shutting up a child, depriving him of privileges, etc., which

know so often lead to deceitfulness, or an attack of 'nerves.' I am also sure that six months is not too early for a child to mind when properly instructed."

And here is a valuable letter from a woman who not only tells us what not to do, but what to do:

"I can't understand how a mother can strike, or beat, a little tender morsel of her own flesh and blood. It would be an impossibility for me to do that. Yet do not think for a moment I underrate the necessity for discipline—my girl of twelve has been made to mind from the time, as you so aptly put it, she was old enough to throw her toys down for the pleasure of having them brought back to her. Hers was given back to her once. She learned. Indeed, I have not a friend who has not criticised me here owing to the uncompromising she is a child for whom one 'no' suffices, and all my friends are glad to have her visit them. She has never been spanked, not even had the little fingers slapped, yet I have required implicit obedience from babyhood. It has required a great deal of thought, much patience, unlimited love, but is that any more than their due? She is that no 'angel child,' she has a strong will, but I always determine that mine shall be a bit the stronger. I strive hard to impress upon her that the wrong does not consist in doing what I tell her not to do, but in doing the thing that is not right,—that I do not punish her because she has disobeyed me, but because she has done wrong, and she must obey only because of my superiority in age and experience that enables me to judge better than she what constitutes right. I try to have her reason those things for herself, to show her where every wrong act has an evil result."

"We have great discussions of these subjects. My friends say, 'Oh, it is in the child,' but I will claim the credit for my system, for she is only a normal, healthy, strong-willed, naturally obstinate girl, and I know her good behaviour is the direct result of the way her mind has been trained from birth."

Both in these letters and the others that I have received, the anti-spanker certainly has the day, in numbers at least.

*Ruth Cameron*

## NATURE'S LAWS.

Nature's laws are perfect if only we obey them, but disease follows disobedience. Go straight to Nature for the cure, to the forest; there are mysteries there, some of which we can fathom for you. Take the bark of the Wild-cherry tree, with mandrake root, Oregon grape root, stone root, queen's root, bloodroot and golden seal root, make a scientific, glyceric extract of them, with just the right proportions, and you have

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## Cable News.

Special to Evening Telegram.

CONSTANTINOPLE, Jan. 31.  
 All officers and men of the Turkish Army on furlough have been ordered to rejoin their regiments within 24 hours. The military Governor officially denies that dissensions exist among the Turkish troops on the Tchatalja lines.

BERLIN, Jan. 31.  
 Pessimism regarding the Balkan situation is displayed in official circles here, owing to the uncompromising attitude of the Bulgarians. Germany, in conjunction with the other Powers, is doing all possible to effect a compromise, but a resumption of hostilities on Monday is highly probable. The German Government fears that if war should be resumed the Bulgarians may push matters beyond their own interests.

LONDONDERRY, Jan. 31.  
 The Londonderry election resulted in the return of David C. Hogg, Nationalist, over Colonel Pakenham, by 2,699 to 2,642, a majority of 57. This gives the Home Rulers a majority of the Ulster seats. Extraordinary efforts were made by both parties, and out of 5,642 possible votes 5,341 were cast. Many sick and infirm inhabitants were taken to the polls in ambulances. Much fear was expressed, but few disturbances occurred. A large force of the Royal Irish Constabulary was in readiness. Both Candidates were Protestants.

## FOOT BADLY FROZEN

After Escaping From Burning Home, Doctor Advised Amputation

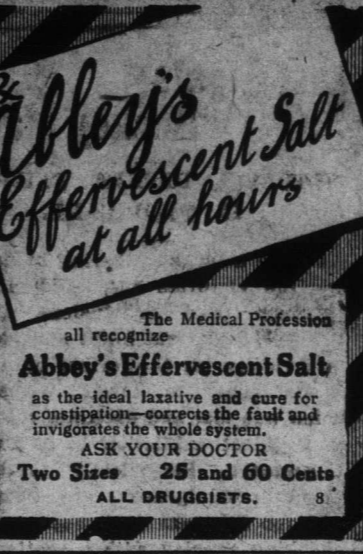
Mrs. Jno. Marks, of Cameron, Ont., narrowly escaped losing her foot. She tells the story this way:

"I had my foot so badly frozen after escaping from a fire which destroyed our home that the doctor in attendance advised immediate amputation. Before consenting to the operation I was induced to try Douglas' Egyptian Liniment, and it produced a most remarkable result."

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LONDON, Jan. 31.  
 A despatch to a News agency from Constantinople, says that advices received there are to the effect that there was skirmishing on the Tchatalja lines to-day.

BIRMINGHAM, Jan. 31.  
 Suffragettes destroyed the putting greens on the golf courses here to-day. In some instances the greens were torn up, and in others "votes for women" were burned into the grass with strong acids. All the greens must be re-turfed.

LONDON, Jan. 31.  
 The latest weapon of the suffragette is the catapult, with leaden discs, on which "votes for women" are stamped, as bullets. So fat they cannot aim straight, and not much damage has been done. The doctors say that the discs are capable of killing a man. An actress called "Jacky" Melford, was fined \$10 or a month's imprisonment for firing one from the top of an omnibus to-day. Her father paid the fine. Letter boxes are still set on fire.

LONDON, Jan. 31.  
 Baron Ilkerton, a distinguished member of the Liberal Party, in the House of Lords, died to-day, at the age of 73.

NEW YORK, Jan. 31.  
 During 1912, there were 2,712 persons killed in Manhattan by shooting, stabbing, assaults, self-inflicted wounds, injuries by falls, and other mishaps. This makes the average more than seven violent deaths daily.

NEW YORK, Jan. 31.  
 Although officers of steamers docking to-day report the Atlantic Ocean as at last becoming docile, the French steamer Mexico, which sailed from here a week ago, is still helpless off Sabie Island after an encounter with an easterly gale, in which she lost her propeller. The Leyland Liner Devonian, which was within 200 miles when the wireless call for help reached her, is probably now with her. The French line steamers Norma and Carolina were also notified, and one of them will probably tow her into Halifax.

BOSTON, Jan. 31.  
 The Devonian reached the Mexico and despite heavy sea and darkness, sent two steel hawsers aboard. Both steamers drifted to the Southward, but are making for Halifax, a distance of 400 miles. As the Mexico, with her cargo, is valued at more than \$1,000,000, the crew of the Devonian will divide at least \$50,000 salvage money, one of the richest prizes for many years. There are 14 passengers on board, and a heavy grain cargo.

LONDON, Jan. 31.  
 The Trade Union Congress to-day adopted the eight-hour clause for men and women. This means practically all organized labor in the Kingdom. The miners already have the eight-hour day fixed by law, but outside London nearly all workmen have longer hours. This was the cause of the removal of ship building and other works to the north of England and Scotland, as southern contractors found it impossible to compete with the northern men. Notice is to be handed in March to the employers refusing the demand that all contracts with them will be terminated at the end of April when the men will walk out.

LONDON, Jan. 31.  
 The Privy Council to-day, gave judgment in the celebrated Great Waterways case, allowing the appeal of the Royal Bank of Canada ordering the Province of Alberta to pay all costs. The Sifton Government passed a statute in 1911 confiscating the proceeds of bonds, amounting with interest, to \$6,000,000, then standing in the Royal Bank. The Privy Council declares this statute ultra vires, and gives judgment on all points for the Bank.

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