

HOUSE AND HOME

CONDUCTED BY HELENE.

When you stop to think it over, good cheer is a wonderfully contagious thing.

COLORED WOMAN MAKES MARBLE STATUE OF BLESSED VIRGIN.

There is a pretty statue of the Blessed Virgin Mary in Carrara marble by a colored woman sculptor, Edmonia Lewis, in St. Francis' Convent, Chase and Forrest streets, Baltimore.

FEATURE OF LIVINGROOM.

Now that the living-room is made such an important part of a house it is well to make it as interesting and as comfortable as possible.

NOBLEWOMEN IN CONVENTS.

Many Catholic noblewomen of England are in convents. Of the sisters of the Duke of Norfolk, one is a Carmelite nun and the other is a Sister of Charity.

LATEST STYLES IN HAIR DRESSING.

There are very few women who can boast of sufficient natural hair to satisfy the demands of the present-day hair-dressing.

hairdresser is known as "The Lady's Companion." This consists of an assortment, nicely arranged on pins, of "looks" to suit all requirements.

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FUNNY SAYINGS.

A WELL-ROUNDED COURSE.

Down in Georgia last summer the citizens of a town of about six thousand people arranged for a Chautauqua Assembly.

A BUNCH OF HEPATICAS.

The first hints of spring were in the air. The brown buds upon the elms along the sidewalk, and the one cherry tree in the backyard were swelling visibly under the warmer touch of the sun.

THE DOLL'S FUNERAL.

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BOYS AND GIRLS

a Pause in the Day's Occupation.

Dear Aunt Becky: This is my first letter to you. I like reading the stories in the True Witness. I go to St. Angelo's convent. I live very near the school and I have three brothers and one little sister and I go to school every day.

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