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MAPS.

By RUTH CAMERON.



RUTH CAMERON

Last fall we went on a walking trip. Before we started, a friend made us out a rough map of the country. On this map, good roads and beautiful scenery and interesting strips of country, inscribed to sedulously avoid, were marked. Altogether it was a great help, that map.

As we laid the tattered remains of it away with the other relics of our trip, my road mate remarked:

Why Not Maps of Husbands and Wives.

"Maps are great things. We ought to have more of them,—for all sorts of things. Just suppose married folks had charts of each other's character when they started out on the great adventure?"

"But who would make out such charts? I asked, falling in with the whimsy.

"Oh, I don't know. They, if they knew enough about themselves. But they wouldn't. Guess their relatives would have to do it. Sisters or brothers would be best. Mothers wouldn't do,—they'd be too blind to the bad roads and the ugly spots."

Everyone laughed at this whimsical idea, and yet, like many a whimsy, it has a grain of good hard sense at the heart of it.

We Should Pick Our Way More Carefully.

Suppose when one married one had handed to one a chart of one's husband's peculiarities, wouldn't it help? The chart would have directions of this nature:

"If you want to ask any favor at

ways approach him in the evening directly after dinner.

"The thing he is most conceited about is his golf though he does many other things better. You can't please him more than by letting him talk about his golf playing."

"He is not one of the men who yield when a woman cries. Tears make him more stubborn."

"Never argue with him on such and such a subject. He is reasonable in other things but always loses his temper over that."

"Etc., Etc."

Don't you think such a character chart would help?

Of course a wise wife gradually finds out these things for herself but if she could learn them this way wouldn't she save some friction and heart ache?

Suppose We Charted Our Own Reels.

Charts of our own character for our own use wouldn't be half bad, either.

For instance,—one of my besetting sins is wasting time in small ways,—I ought to chart that reef.

Getting into a communicative mood, saying too much and regretting it the next day is another reef.

If one made a map of oneself, might it not help one to avoid such reefs?

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THE CONTRACTING PARTIES.

The contracting parties is a title given to young people who take each other for better or worse and are obliged by the law to sign an agreement that they will stand hitched.

The marriage contract is not written out in full like a farm lease or a life insurance policy, hence the contracting parties do not become fully acquainted with its provisions and the fine print until it has been in operation for some time. It is very easy for a husband to live up to the marriage contract so long as his wife is willing to provide for both and allow him to rest up. One reason why so many marriage contracts are shot full of holes within nine months after the officiating clergyman has been paid off is because some wives object to maintaining a rest resort for a calloused, slab-sided husband who knows what woman's sphere is and wants her to stay where she is put.

If more young people realized that married life under present conditions is something which should be tackled only after meditation and prayer, there would be fewer contracting parties ambling up to the ferns and smilax in pongee silk and the conventional black. The young man who takes a contract to support and provide with real food a husky and voracious bride, on \$12.50 per week, should step out and take a look at the price of process flour and beef liver before launching his bark on the matrimonial sea. There has been more sea sickness among contracting parties who frog to figure the grocery bill as a liability of the business, during the last six months, than ever before in the history of the world.

On the other hand, no young man and woman should refuse to become contracting parties if they have health, horse sense and are not afraid that they will be worn out by work. There is nothing nicer than married life, when both parties live up to the contract without trying to slip in a joker now and then.

Will Rush Aid to Russia

New York, April 11.—It can be stated on the best authority that President Wilson's main object in rushing the great financial bill through Congress is to enable him to send aid at once to Russia. The Administration at Washington is seriously alarmed about conditions in Russia, and has received urgent appeals from the Provisional Government to send whatever aid America intends to give Russia without delay.

President Wilson regards the claims of Russia as paramount and will press them on Congress through his advisers. What is mostly feared is that Germany may make tempting offers to the new Government, with a separate peace in view, and that unless the new Administration at Petrograd receives prompt proof that the United States is going to stand behind Russia with its enormous resources, there may be some inclination to lend an ear to German proposals.

It is known that both Great Britain and France have sent to Russia all the aid they could, and that they are relying upon the United States doing its share at once. Delay, it is recognized, would probably be fatal.

Russia in Sore Need.

Lack of material resources with which to prosecute Russia's military campaign against Germany, is said to be causing the new Government actual distress.

The President has already sent to Petrograd through the State Department assurances of American sympathy with the new administration's ideals, and suggestion of speedy relief. These suggestions the President is determined to carry out, and it is with this object that he has instructed all administrative officials concerned to do their utmost to rush the necessary legislation through.

Washington would not be surprised to hear Sweden had thrown in her lot with Germany, in the hope that Berlin would aid her to recover her "lost provinces" on the shores of the Baltic. Immediate action by the United States, it is felt, would serve to convince Sweden such action would be doomed to inevitable failure and defeat.

A touch of embroidery on the collar and another bit on the belt will make good trimming for a little girl's frock of white batiste.

"The Fifth Word Lost."

The English language contains only five words ending in d-o-u-s. Here are four: Tremendous, Hazardous, Stupendous, Hybridous. We will give \$5.00 to the 1st person forwarding us the lost word. Can you find it?

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Muslin and cotton goods can be rendered almost fireproof if an ounce of alum of sal ammoniac is put in the last water in which they are rinsed or in the starch when they are stiffened. This is a particularly wise precaution to take with children's clothes, for even if the clothes do manage to take fire, which is highly improbable, they will burn without flames.

For a child's birthday party bake little cakes in gem pans. When ready for icing, make a small hole in the top of each cake and slip in a tiny doll, the penny variety will do. Then ice as desired. The icing will hold the doll in place, and each little girl will be delighted with a dolly cake.

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APRIL EVENING.



WILF MASON

Now fades the quiet April day, a fit dusk enshrouds the scene; I hear the children laugh and play, upon the village green. The early bullfinch clears his throat, and strikes a note that's flat, and by my gate Bill Johnson's goat is eating some one's hat. It is a sweet and restful eve; the world should be at peace; it seems a shame that men should grieve, or send for the police. It seems a shame that wrath and fear should mar this little life, yet all around me I can hear the sounds of war and strife. Jim Wiggins tells that things, indeed, have reached an evil pass, since Samkin's cow, with glutton greed, devoured his garden sass. St. Harris says that tongues and pens his woe cannot describe; he's ruined by the neighbours' hens—he'll shoot the whole blamed tribe. Sam Hopkins has been seeing red since Wiggins stole his pump, and now he's punishing Wiggins's head, hard by the village dump. It seems an evil thing to me that in this vale of tears we men can never more agree, but yell each other's ears. The solemn beauty of the night appeals but to a few; for men will fuss and fume and fight, while there are rags to chew.

A CARD OF THANKS. — Mrs. C. Buckley wishes to thank all those who sent donations or in any way helped to make her dance such a grand success, especially the members of the T. A. Band for rendering such excellent music gratuitously.—adv.

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