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### Do Women Lack This Sense?

By RUTH CAMERON.



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I heard a man making fun of woman for their lack of sense of direction, the other day. "I don't know how my wife ever found her way about before we were married," he said. "She'll go to a place with me three or four times, and then when she goes alone she has to get full directions from me."

That woman has a much less keen sense of direction than man, is I think, an undeniable fact. Could You Find Your Way? Of course, there are men who lose their way, but take five men and five women through a maze of woodland paths and there might be one man who had lost his bearings and one woman who had kept them.

The man who was laughing at his wife, added that he thought it was funny that woman should be so stupid when they tried to do anything by themselves, it showed their minds, etc.—you know what anything in which a woman differs from a man shows to the sort of man who wants his wife "to stay home and darn his stockings."

Myself, I don't think it is a sign of stupidity on woman's part. Nor do I think it is funny.

Woman Has Always Been Supposed To Follow.

For centuries, man has broken the paths and woman has followed him in them. Woman hasn't needed a sense of direction, and she hasn't developed it. She had brains a-plenty to have developed that power, but nature does not develop powers that aren't called for. And woman's function has always been to follow not to lead.

I could tell that man how his wife found her way before she met him. I knew her, in those days, and she found her way about by applying her intelligence (which is just as keen as his) to the matter.

But, now that she is married, if she

goes anywhere with him, she leaves the burden of finding how to get there and of conducting the expedition, to him. Why shouldn't she? He wouldn't like it if she didn't. Naturally, then, when she is called on to go over the same route alone, she doesn't know as much about it as if she had fended for herself.

He prophesied that Women Would Never Drive Automobiles!

In the early days of automobilism, a man once told me positively that women would never go in for driving, to any extent, for this reason,—that they have so little sense of direction. You know what kind of prophet he has proved.

And in this connection, there is one thing that a woman can do with much better grace than a man. If she isn't sure about a direction, she can ask the way. And, apparently, a man can't. If there is something feminine they have so little sense of direction. There is something equally masculine about a lack of common sense in asking for directions.

HEALTHFUL IF BOTH these conditions are strictly kept. Otherwise a chill keeps moving, however, especially on cool days, and that he does not sit down to rest when he is overheat.

### Your Boys and Girls.

Outdoor sleeping if started during the hot weather, will do more to harden the little muscles than anything else. In the country, where a sleeping porch is permissible, both mother and child should sleep out-doors all the year around. Plenty of warm blankets are essential for this as the weather grows colder, but it is wonder fully beneficial for the baby. If the child has been having cold or coughs all summer, it is advantageous to continue this, but the mother should be sure of two things—first that the room is quite warm; second, that the child has been removed from the water so that it is not actually cold, but nearer tepid in temperature. The cool baths will be found very

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I HAVE A SON IN PICARDY.

I have a son in Picardy. Who may not come again to me. And yet so long an overhead. The flags of liberty shall fly. My boy shall live though he be dead; And where his mangled form may lie. Shall beauty reign and roses red. Return his blood for freedom shed.

I have a son in Picardy. Who ventured forth to die for me. And whether he shall come or no. Back to the land which gave him birth. And unto me who loved him so. So long as freedom reigns on earth. My boy shall live in memory. As one who fought in Picardy.

I have a son in Picardy. Both his and mine. "Where'er he fall, Some part of it shall speak his name; Some part of it shall tell to all Of one who, loving freedom, came Across three thousand miles of sea To bear the torch of liberty."

THE VALID REASON.

The men who deal in salted mines once found in me an easy mark; they sought me, by my trees and vines, and left my wallet stripped and stark. And agents for the works of Pope, of Scott and Moore and Dortha Clay, were wont to hand me film-fam dope, and bear my hard-earned roll away. And people often passed the hat, to build a home for jilted dames; I lacked the nerve to cry out "Scat!" I fell for all their thrush-like games. The agents still are running loose. They seek my cottage every day; but now I have a good excuse, and shoo them from my door away. I say to them, "In normal times I'd buy your junk and make no roar; you know I always spilled the dime right cheerfully in days of yore. I'd gladly buy a ton of books, but I'd go in for mining, strong, but I must use my change, gadooks, to help the Red Cross cause along. I'd gladly buy your duplex lamps, your patent substitute for lard, but every month I buy printed stamps, and paste them on a thrift card. I hate to turn you down like sin, I'd like to gladden all your days, but I must help the allies win, with all the coin that I can raise." No odds how tired the agents feel, they do not paw the ground or swear; there is no come back to my spiel; it stops all argument right there.

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### Naval Hero Dies in Hospital.

There passed to the Great Beyond, at the General Hospital, on Saturday, after an illness of five weeks, Herbert Barnes, R. N. R., of Clifton, Smith's Sound. Deceased who joined the Navy in 1915 only recently returned from active service when he contracted a severe cold which rapidly developed into pneumonia, from the effects of which he succumbed. A brother, Alfred, is serving with "Ours" and is now Somewhere in France. Deceased was a son of William Barnes, and nephew of Mrs. James Robinson, of Cabot Street. To the sorrowing relatives the Telegram offers deep sympathy.

### Marvel of the Age!

You have heard the story of Aladdin's Lamp and the wonderful things it did. Now comes ALADDIN'S SOAP which will do even more wonderful things—A SOAP that cleans and dyes at the same time and will not stain the hands. Take a blouse that has lost its freshness, wash with ALADDIN'S SOAP any shade desired, and your fabric's colour. ALADDIN'S SOAP now on sale at The Royal Stores, Ltd. may 23/4.

### Here and There.

MINING EXPERT HERE.—Mr. R. E. Chambers, General Manager of the N. S. S. and C. Co., arrived in the city on Saturday from New Glasgow, and goes to Bell Island to-day.

STAFFORD'S Drug Store, Theatre Hill, is open every night till 9.30.—may 20/4

BIG SHIP ON DOCK.—Thousands of people visited the Dry Dock yesterday to see the big "twin screw steamer" that is now on the stocks to undergo extensive repairs.

When you want something in a hurry for tea, go to ELLIS—Head Cheese, Ox Tongue, Botted Ham, Cooked Corned Beef, Bologna Sausage.

SOME FINE CATCHES.—As the water was being pumped out of the dry dock yesterday some cooks and sailors from the Briton captured some fine strings of small fish (tom cods) flat fish and several fair sized trout, all of which had been barred in when the dock gate was closed.

CHEAP OYSTER STEWS.—To clear our stock of Oysters, we are serving Oyster Stews at 25c. WOOD'S West End Restaurant.—apr 27/4

MAKING USE OF DESOLA.—The management of the cold storage plant have again taken over the bulk of the Desola, at the dry dock wharf, and have erected a permanent structure over the aft part of her main deck, where they will handle and prepare green fish, before it is taken to the cold storage plant.

NOTICE.—Correspondents are requested to accompany contributions with their REAL NAMES, but not necessarily for publication, but as a guarantee of good faith. The editor refuses to accept any matter unless this rule is adhered to.

EXPRESS PASSENGERS.—The following passengers are on the incoming express:—W. H. Gosse, Miss M. C. Benedict, Miss M. Tomlin, H. Wareham, L. Emerson, Dr. and Mrs. Perkins, J. Wilfred, C. and Mrs. Doyle, Miss J. Bagden, J. B. Egan, Mrs. A. Dingwell, Miss J. Palmer.

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### Making Poison-gas for Germany.

Work in a Hun Chemical Factory. By A NEUTRAL CHEMIST.

When war broke out I was employed by the firm of Bayer and Co. at Berlin. This firm possesses vast laboratories and employs hundreds of chemists.

By the expression "chemist" I do not mean a man who sells drugs behind a counter, but a trained scientist who analyses and creates drugs and other material substances. Germany had our use, and the whole factory was to be isolated by a barbed wire fence, which was patrolled by sentries day and night. We were not to leave the premises until our work was completed nor were we to write to our friends except on a field Karte (field postcard), stating where we were and well. We were supposed to be at the Front.

Those who did not care to accept these onerous conditions were told that they could go at once; the others, and considerably higher pay, remained, and I with them. That was at the end of January, 1915.

I had no idea then what the nature of the work was to be. I imagined it was probably the manufacture of some new form of high explosive that contained great secrecy. I had no feeling of the ghastly truth. I soon learned what devilish game was afoot when hundreds of barrels of black and tons of black oxide of manganese and great drums of deadly sulphuric acid (vitriol), the ingredients used for making chlorine gas, were brought to the works by night. It had been possible, more than one time, that we would have left the place and returned to the world of the fleshly plane. To attempt to escape meant instant and certain death. The barbed wire was a "live" wire and we should have been electrocuted. We had to work.

Chlorine is a dense, heavy, greenish gas that clings to the ground and suffices the most horrible torments on those whom it falls to sting. Almost every schoolboy, and anyone who has dabbled in chemistry, knows how intensely acid and burning is the effect on the throat and lungs obtained from the gas produced from a few grains of salt and black oxide of manganese and vitriol in a test-tube, even when cautiously sniffed at arm's length. The imagination is not at all far from the prospect of chlorine produced from tons of salt and manganese.

Extraordinary care and precaution had to be taken by us in its manufacture, for had any appreciable quantity of it escaped it would have killed hundreds of people for miles around. We wore gas helmets when at work; these were close and uncomfortable. Our day, too, was only a short one of a few hours.

Terrible "Tea" Gas. There was a railway siding inside the factory premises, and the strong iron cylinders in which the gas was stored were ready for use were carefully constructed steel cylinders. These trains proceeded slowly, with a pilot-engine ahead, in the usual way, always travelled by night. The numbers of these iron cylinders they containing the deadly gas were placed men

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The tendency in medical science today is to observe slight symptoms that to the layman would be regarded as unimportant. The hair, the skin, the eyes, and even the conditions of the feet all have their importance in determining a condition of ill health and the presence of some serious disease.  
Uric acid, the parent of rheumatism, shows its presence in several ways affecting the physical beauty. Dentists have found that uric acid is responsible for a great part of enamel decay. Inflamed eyelids are often traced to the same source and it has been discovered that a certain blotchiness of the skin of the face is a frequent complaint from a person suffering from inflammatory rheumatism. It is now said that only a few cases

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