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### Side Talks by Ruth Cameron

#### BRINGING UP HUSBANDS.

When women bring up sons, they ought to remember that they are also bringing up husbands.

So writes a letter friend. She says she was started on this train of thought by a sentence in a talk of mine in which I reminded the mother who wants to know whether she ought to rebuke her son's selfishness or bear it with leniency, that she ought to remember the years "his wife will have to struggle with this selfishness after the illusions of courtship have worn away."

I think my letter friend's suggestion is excellent.

Half Hour to Pick up After Him. It reminds me of what I once heard a mother say. She had been picking up her son's room in the morning. He had dropped each thing where he had left it—payamas on the floor, shaving things scattered over the bureau, two neckties on a chair, a handful of matches, some papers and a leaky pouch of tobacco brown on the bureau, two or three magazines under the bed, pipe ashes carelessly spilled on the rug. She had to pick up all these things (and haven't named half of them) often working laboriously. She had to take every article off the bureau so she could shake off the litter of loose tobacco from the cover. She had to sweep the rug.

It took her almost a half hour, and she is a delicate woman with a great deal to do.

A friend came in just as she was washing.

She Thinks She can Stand It. It's a shame for you to let Harry take you so much work," she scolded affectionately. "You ought to make him pick up after himself and be more careful."

"Oh, well," said his mother. "I may not have Harry but a few years now, you know he is getting to the marrying age. I guess I can stand it." "I suppose so," agreed the other woman.

Neither, apparently, thought anything about the other woman who would have to stand that selfish habit for 50 years, perhaps.

But What About the Other Woman? You say the wife might break him off herself? But by the time he marries the habit is ten times harder to break than in his boyhood. Moreover, his mother has fixed the idea in his mind that it's a woman's business to pick up after a man. And, finally, to keep a man thinking you think he is perfect (the only basis of marital happiness with many men) and at the same time cure him of a fault, is a very delicate task.

Selfishness, a Prussian idea of the inferiority of women, disorderliness, lateness to meals, unmannerliness—these are some of the faults that the mothers of men owe it to the wives of men to combat in their boys.

Of course, no woman can feel a very warm feeling for the woman who is going to take first place in her son's heart. But put it this way—surely, no mother wants the other woman to say with reason:

"How I wish Harry's mother had brought him up properly!"

#### Important!

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#### HARD BOILED WISDOM.

When once again we use our heads, and calm become, and thrifty, there'll be no room for noisy Reds, with theories wild and shift. The man who owns a house and lot, a garden in its season, has little use for ribald rot that seems to smack of treason.

The man who has a pansy bed, with tufted pillows for a border, would see all agitators dead; he's strong for law and order. The clerk who has a bank account, the blacksmith or mechanic, is tired when freaks the rostrum mount and try to raise a panic. Upheaval is the worst of fakes though in gay rags they robe her; thrift is the medicine that makes a nation sane and sober. We blow the roubles left and right while daylight hours are sunny, and then we roar around all night and say we need more money. It isn't what we earn that counts when times are most distressing; it's what we save, in small amounts, that keeps the sheriff guessing.

ing. Oh, then, no longer let us drift along with reckless spenders, but march beneath the flag of thrift, and preach its dazzling splendors.

#### Household Notes.

Every growing child and every adult should spend at least one hour a day outdoors.

Always clear all ashes out of the fire before attempting to heat the oven for baking.

To make clear mushroom soup add the stems and skins of mushrooms to soup stock.

Give the baby freedom. Allow him to get dirty. It is his way of developing his muscles.

Sow grapefruit seeds in a fern pan and you will have a potful of pretty and vigorous greenery.

If some softening lotion is applied immediately after washing and drying the hands they will not chap.

Sunshine should be allowed to shine into the house regardless of the possibility of fading the cretonne.

A pinch of salt is an improvement to all puddings. This is often used in the beating up of whites of eggs.

Pudding moulds should not be more than three-fourths full, as room must be allowed for the mixture to rise.

If you drop soot on the carpet, cover it with a coating of dry salt before you attempt to sweep it up.

Turkish towels and sheets can be put into the linen cupboard without ironing, and much work will be saved.

A pinch of baking powder added to the flour when making pie crust will make the crust very light and flaky.

Send your magazines to somebody as soon as the family has finished with them so that there be no waste.

A pair of wristlets are handy things to have in one's outfit, probably preventing many a cold from exposure.

So many desserts can be prepared the day before they are used, thereby making less confusion of preparing for guests.



#### HEAVEN ON EARTH.

Here's the time of mirth and laughter Not in some far-off hereafter; Here's the land of smiling faces, Not in strange and distant places, Which perhaps we'll see to-morrow In a world where there's no sorrow— Here's the land when men are blest And where they achieve their best.

Think you when you've passed death's portals To the realm of the immortals, That your soul shall wake to gladness If in life it found but sadness; If it saw on earth no beauty, But went blindly to its duty, Missing all that makes life fair, Will it see the glory there?

Here in Heaven in the making Despite hearts that may be aching, And the cares that men are bearing, As the roads of life they're faring; Here are joys and merry laughter And the peace we want hereafter— We must learn to know them here, Not in some celestial sphere.

Rise above your cares and sorrows! Build on earth your glad to-morrows! Do not wait until life closes, Ere you stop to gather roses; Here, amid life's round of duty, Find its gladness and its beauty— Fit your soul for what awaits When at last Heaven swings its gates.

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A. COTE, Merchant. St. Isidore, Que., 12 May, '98.

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He was one of those smart men who like to show their cleverness.

"Watch me take a rise out of him," he said, as the tramp approached. Then he listened solemnly to the tale of hard luck.

"That's the same old story you told me the last time you accosted me," he said, when the vagrant had finished.

"Is it?" was the answering question. "When did I tell it you?"

"Last week."

"Mebbe I did, mebbe I did," admitted the tramp. "I'd forgotten meeting you. I was in prison all last week."

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#### MUTT AND JEFF

#### WE WONDER IF MUTT KNOWS THAT NAPOLEON'S DEAD?

By Bud Fisher.

