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Don't You Love Faces?

By RUTH CAMERON.



Don't you love faces? I picked up a magazine the other day and found the first page entirely taken up with the pictures of women who had held the important executive positions in war work at home and abroad, and brief notes on what they had done. I think it was ten minutes before I turned that page over, so great was the pleasure and interest that I found in studying the faces of these distinguished women and correlating their characters, as expressed in their faces, with their work.

Ten Solid Pages of Faces.

Another magazine which comes regularly into our home has for years devoted its first ten pages or so to the pictures of beautiful actresses and movie stars. One of the members of the family says she considers these first pages wasted and contemplates writing to the magazine to express her disapproval. For my part, it would be a great disappointment to me if I ever picked it up and found the galaxy missing. I always look at these first, and if there are a group of us in the house when the magazine comes, I always inaugurate the game of choosing which you prefer to look like for the feminine contingent, and choosing which you think is prettiest for the male.

A Close-up Of Helen of Troy.

It is a never failing source of interest to me to see how ideas of beauty differ. Men and women seldom have the same ideals of beauty. Older people do not usually admire the same type that appeals to younger people. Part of the beauty is evidently in the eye of the beholder as well as in the face. Wouldn't it be wonderful if the camera, or better still, the moving picture outfit had existed in the days of Cleopatra or Helen of Troy and we might have had snapshots and close-ups of them. One wonders if everybody would find beautiful the famous face that was Anthony's downfall or that other face "that launched a thousand ships?"

Faces On The Trolley Car.

Of course it is not only in their

pictured form that I love to study faces. Many a long ride on the trolley car have I beguiled with a study of the faces before me. Sometimes I amuse myself by describing them mentally as I fancy they would be described in the pages of a novel. Again, I speculate on the characters behind them—what sort of house-mates they are, whether they browbeat their wives or nag their husbands or scold their mothers (as the case may be). And then again I pick out the one I choose to look like, or perhaps select a feature from each face—a fine line of eyebrow here, a lovely skin there, a sweep of hair from another.

Truly one of the eternal wonders of the world is now, with just a few features to work with, a nose, eyes, mouth, chin, cheekbones and forehead, the creator can achieve some billions of people, no two of which look exactly alike and comparatively few of which have even a marked resemblance to each other.

Milady's Boudoir

THE VOICE CULTURE.

Undoubtedly the most essential factors in the attainment of a beautiful voice are proper breathing and carriage. Clothing must not be too tight or the breathing cannot be normal. High, tight collars and high bustled corsets are the worst offenders in this respect.

When the body is erect and uncompromised, the breathing muscles are left free to do their most effective work. Unless the muscles which operate the vocal chords have free and untrammelled play, it is almost impossible to obtain a pleasing effect with the voice.

If you will speak a sentence and at the same time place your fingers so that they clasp tightly the muscles of your throat, you will feel that they are stiffened. Next feel the chin to discover what the muscles of the floor of the mouth, formed by the muscles of the larynx and the tongue, have hardened. Then touch the cheeks and observe that you have brought the muscles, of which they are composed, into play.

Cultivate distinct speech. If anything is worth saying it is worth saying well, clearly and distinctly. If not, maybe it would be well to leave it entirely unsaid. A sweet voice is one of the charms of a woman.

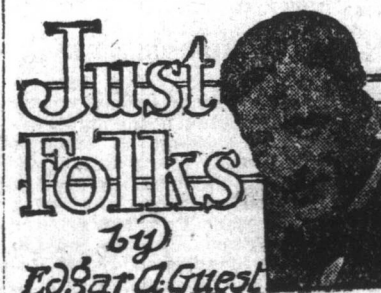
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Stands a Leader Among Nations.

Now that the war is over the question of renewed relationship with the Germans will be coming again before the public. There can be no doubt that it will take the world a long time to forget the unspeakable crimes committed by the Germans, who seem to have exhausted evil in their efforts to win the war. On this continent the sentiment is largely against any renewal of friendship with the Hun. In Canada, with a death list of over 50,000 men out of a population of less than 8,000,000, there is hardly a citizen who has not lost some dear one in the war. We are not likely to forget in a hurry. Some people ask if it is not possible that the resentment will soon pass in the United States, where a death list of 25,000 out of 100,000,000 has not hit so many people proportionately. As a matter of fact, the Americans are organizing themselves to resist the return of German domination, which had been growing there before the war. Over a year ago, William Atherton Du Pay, an author and magazine writer living in Washington, began to use as a final paragraph in every letter he wrote the following pledge: "I swear so long as I live never knowingly to buy any thing made in Germany." He found instant approval and appreciation of the slogan, many of his correspondents immediately spreading the idea by using it themselves. The idea in many forms has spread over many parts of the United States, and it is now a regular slogan. More frequently a poem by Kenneth Graham Duffield has been widely circulated. It is entitled "My Oath," and it registers a vow never to deal with the Germans again. A shortened version of Mr. Duffield's poem is known to Canadians, and four verses may be quoted to indicate that the United States, as well as Canada, will long refuse to shake the blood-dripping hand of Germany.

I will not trade with a German shop, That lives by the German hand; I'll use no drug with a German name, That's grown on German land.

I will not take a German's word, He'll break it if he can; There is no love in a German's heart, Or faith in a German man.

I'll not forget those awful deeds, To girls and little boys, No more I'll hang on Christmas trees Those blood-stained German toys.

This is my oath when war is done, I'll swear to keep it true; And since I know you feel the same, I ask this oath of you.

Kaiser Bill's Surrender.

The Difference Between Past and Present Day Defeats.

No general was ever placed in a more humiliating position than Marshal Basaine, when, shut up in Metz, by a German force greater than his own and unable to escape, he tried to save his army by surrendering the town. To his overtures Bismarck returned the haughty answer: "I occupy France with more than a million men, and make no peace with a Marshal. The surrender must be unconditional."

A few weeks earlier the third Napoleon had met a fate no less pitiless. Surrounded in Sedan by an overwhelming host of the enemy, his army decimated and demoralized, he realized that the end had come. Then it was that, with the white flag of defeat fluttering over his citadel, he

IN JANUARY.



In January people say, "Where are your vows of New Year's Day?" "They look so cunning and so wise, the blamed uncouth fellows! If they were tactful and polite, they'd say the weather is just right; they'd say the rain and snow and sleet are splendid for the winter wheat. They'd talk about the price of calves, the future of the Jugo-Slavs. But no, they never pause to seek for wholesome themes of which to speak, though topics void of all offense apparent are to men of sense. Ah, no! They wink and smile and say, "Where are the vows of New Year's Day?" You told them when you made your pledge that you would never, never hedge. Upon the crowded market place you made your boasts, with beaming face; you never more would smoke or chew, or use such words as pirates do; you'd cut out all your habits, punk, you'd be as moral as a monk. Alas, that people won't ignore the trifle little vows we swore! They might discuss false verse or rats, or talk about their winter hats, or beef about the price of coal, or sping some harmless rigmorale. But no, they slide up and say, "Where are the vows of New Year's Day?"

wrote to the Prussian King this pathetic note: "Brother, not able to die at the head of my troops, I place my sword at your Majesty's feet."

Much more dignified and dramatic was the surrender of Napoleon I., finding escape from France impossible he surrendered to Captain Maitland, of the Bellerophon.

As he stepped on board, his breast blazed with decorations, and escorted by an imposing retinue of officers and servants, it was almost with the air of a conqueror that he addressed the Captain: "Sir, I come to place myself under the protection of your King and your laws."

Lord Roberts' Handshake.

There are surrenders, however, that are little less glorious than victories. When, for example, Osman Pasha, after holding the village of Plevna for five months with a handful of troops against a quarter of a million of Russia's picked soldiers, was at last compelled to hoist the white flag, he was greeted by Tsar Alexander with this well-earned tribute to his valour: "Sir, I congratulate you on your fine defence. It was one of the most splendid feats in the history of war."

When General Cronje, after his brave fight on the banks of the Modder River, was compelled to surrender to Lord Roberts, he was greeted with a hearty handshake and the words: "Commandant Cronje, you have indeed made a gallant defence, which will win the admiration of the world."

Fads & Fashions.

Some sleeveless tunics are as simple as bathing suits—only they have skirts. A hat of blond velvet was a remarkable for its tuile veil, which hung to the ground. Black shoes will probably be more in favor the coming season than any other kind.

Some of the short sleeveless tunics are worn over plain bodices and plaid skirts. Many coats are modifications of the dolman, with loose hanging backs and belted fronts.

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By H. F. SHORTIS.

That the Quebec Government has been viewing our great dependency Labrador with greedy eyes is a question. In our early days Quebec or any other portion of Canada paid no attention whatsoever to the coast of Labrador. So far as they were concerned it was terra incognita, the home of the Eskimo, wolves, wild birds, etc., barren, ice-bound, of no value to humanity. But of later years the Government of Quebec have altered their opinion to a very large extent, as they have ascertained that large portions of our dependency contain valuable mineral deposits, timber lands, perhaps the greatest water-power in the world, etc., and they are well aware that all these products can be turned to great commercial advantage. To accomplish this they have, for several years, sent out experts in the shape of geologists, surveyors, miners, explorers, adventurers, and these have returned giving glowing accounts as to the future possibilities of that portion of our Dominion. The evidence of this commercial prospect before them, provided that they can procure title off our dependency, and place a line of demarcation in such a position as will fit in with their interests. To accomplish this successfully they have left nothing undone to bolster up their case, and to draft a plan of campaign, they held a meeting of the Select Committee of the Senate of Canada during the parliamentary session of 1906-7, and reported thereon. This report is a very elaborate and lengthy one in which the evidence of several scientific gentlemen was presented to the Committee. It was stated that the direction of R. B. King, D. L. S. Supt. of Railways, and Hon. Frank Oliver, Minister of the Interior, styled "Canada's Fertile North," as a "Giant's Foot" and "Enormous sources of Part of the Unexplored resources of the Dominion." Now we have no objection for our Canadian lands to interfere themselves in the resources of their Dominion, but we have a very great objection to their interfering with the resources of our Dominion or our dependency. I submit a few extracts from this report, which go to show that the portion of our dependency, which Quebec is endeavouring to deplete us, is well worth fighting for. The evidence relating to timber in Nova Bay, the statement runs: "The principal forest areas of Labrador peninsula are in the Province of Quebec. Of course going North they get smaller and, more ragged, they have branches almost down to the ground. In this upper land the new in open slides and the trunk is not clear and clean, and consequently do not make good logs. Some of the timber would, however, do for."

There is a fairly large timber on Mullion Inlet, but more inland, and there is some good sized timber on Hamilton River. As to what the last year witness had no idea. The entry is fairly well forested up to foot of Hudson Bay, with spruce, arctic white birch, balsam poplar, aspen."

Speaking of the valuable iron deposits the witness said: "The iron-bearing lands along the St. Lawrence could not come with the Labrador ores, as it is impossible to separate the same from the St. Lawrence deposits. Mr. Low said he placed a high value on the future commercial value of the Labrador iron ores. It is difficult in making the commercially valuable in the transportation. But there are millions of horse-power in the Falls of the Hamilton River in addition to mechanical horse-