The World's Daily Home Magazine for Women

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A HOME IN THE HEART.

Oh! ask not a home in the mansions of pride,
Where marble shines out in the pillars and walls;
Tho the roof be of gold, it is brilliantly cold
And joy may not be found in its torch-lighted halls.
But seek for a bosom all honest and true,
Where love, once awakened, will never depart;
Turn, turn to that breast like the dove to its nest,
And you'll find there's no home like a home in the heart.

Oh! link but one spirit that's warmly sincere,
That will heighten your pleasure and solace your care;
Find a soul you may trust as the kind and the just,
And be sure the wide world holds no treasure so rare.
Then the frowns of misfortune may shadow our lot,
The cheek-searing teardrops or sorrow may start,
But a star never dim sheds a halo for him
Who can turn for repose to a home in the heart.

—Anon.

Why Men Don't Marry Young

From all quarters comes the assertion that young men are, as a rule, much less disposed to marry young than were those of former generations.

Judging from observation, which after all, is less misleading than statistics, it seems to take the young man of the present generation ten years or so longer to screw his courage to the sticking point of taking to himself a wife than it did his father, who married as soon as he became of age and had a quiver full, more or less, by the time he was 35, the age at which men nowadays prefer to marry.

As to the reason for this reluctance, some say one thing, some say another. The women blame the men, who they say are selfish; the men charge, in return, that women have grown to be so exacting in their requirements, so extravagant and unreasonable, that no man can afford to marry unless he has a stout and growing bank account, which few really young men possess.

Without discussing the truth or untruth of this last indictment, it must be admitted that the youth of 22 who ventures to marry nowadays must have either an independent and adequate income, which is also secure, or a sublime belief in himself and his bride-elect. It costs much more to live now than it did forty or even thirty years ago; people have larger ideas as to what is necessary, and life has become much more expensive and luxurious. Nor is it only the women who have outgrown the simple life of the past; men are as extravagant, and what was an abundance at the beginning of the nineteenth century would be absolute penury in this.

The man who marries in these degenerate days, when love no longer serves to abolish poverty as a thing to be dreaded, must be ready to forego most of the pleasures and recreations which popular custom and personal habit have converted almost into necessities; and unless he is rarely fortunate in his choice, he will discover that the young wife of the present day expects much more and performs much less than did her grandmother and her mother in the same relation. She is by no means always willing to accept the role of wife and mother, including the duties of housekeeper and cook, as her divinely appointed vocation. There is much more "going" than there used to be, and she is apt to demand what she regards as her rightful share thereof.

Besides all this, modern improvements greatly have changed the conditions of life for men, especially in cities, and, excepting among the laboring class, a wife no longer is the undeniably "good thing" which King Solomon declared her to be. The up-to-date man to-day is not dependent upon the ministrations of womankind.

An unmarried man may, with tolerable economy, live better upon a stated income than the married man can upon several times this amount. A man really sacrifices something when he marries nowadays, and he is not altogether to blame if he hesitates before putting his head into the matrimonial noose. As George Eliot says: "It is a noose, you know." He may be selfish, but he also is prudent, and perhaps wise. There is no greater fallacy than that which asserts that what is enough for one to live on is enough for two. It is not, neither, indeed, can be. Mathematics is an exact science, and no amount of figuring can make the half equal to the whole. True, there are times when it may be better; and when love is genuine lasting marriage is well worth the sacrifice of other things. A dinner of herbs, when one is healthy and hungry, is not only more nutritious but more palatable than an alder-manic feast, to which one can bring neither good digestion nor appetite. And when a man is truly in love with a woman, when passion seizes him in its grip, the problem which exercises his mind is not whether he shall ask her to marry him, but what her answer will be to his request. The cup of love which is held by the hands of two will sweeten any other draught, however bitter, which fate may have in store for these two.

The trouble is that the young man of to-day has learned, as the saying goes, to look out for number one. He knows a great deal more than is good for him and is wary as he is wise. Wherefore he dodges matrimony gently and pleasantly, but with firmness, just as long as he can do so; so that it often happens that before he is aware of it he slides past the susceptible age and settles down into the confirmed bachelor and clubman, with his habits fixed and reasonably proof against the wiles of women.

Helen Oldfield.

World Pattern Department

1882—Child's Square-Yoked Dress.
With Dutch Neck and Elbow Sleeves.
Paris Pattern, No. 1882.
All Seams Allowed.

This little frock of blue embroidered mull is made with a full baby waist caught into a yoke. The yoke is cut out in square fashion to give the popular Dutch neck, and the sleeves terminate just above the elbow. It is an excellent model for the little frocks of plaid or checked gingham or of cotton voile.

The pattern is in four sizes—3 to 9 years. For a child of 5 years, the dress needs 3 7-8 yards of goods 20 inches wide, or 2 yards 36 inches wide, or 1 7-8 yards 42 inches wide; 2 3-4 yards of beading, 6 yards of ribbon and 1 1-4 yards of edging to trim.

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THE STORY OF THE WORLD PARTY'S TRIP TO LONDON.

Special accommodations have been secured from the Allan Line for The World party, and the ocean voyage will be a delight to all.

Upon arrival at Liverpool special accommodations will be provided for the party on the trip to London via the London and Northwestern Railway.

The World party will stop at the Hotel Cecil during their stay in London. The Cecil has reputation amongst travelers as being the most delightful hotel thruout continental Europe.

Each day of the stay in London will be a continuous round of sight-seeing and amusement. The morning will be devoted to individual shopping expeditions, according to the tastes of each member of the party. After luncheon carriages will take the party to various points of interest, such as the houses of parliament, the Tower of London, St. Paul's Cathedral, Westminster Abbey, St. James' Palace, Hyde Park.

In the evenings dinners will be given at the famous London restaurants, such as Cafe Royal, The Trocadero, Holborn Cafe and others. Following the dinner party each evening, The World party will adjourn to box parties at the principal London theatres.

Paris will be visited, and as much accomplished as possible during the time at the disposal of the party.

The World party of Ontario women will be extended every official courtesy during their stay in London.

Are you going?

METHODIST S. SCHOOLS CLOSE YEAR OF GROWTH

Anniversary Services in Trinity and Metropolitan Churches on Sunday.

Yesterday was Sunday school anniversary Sunday at several of the Methodist churches, and the services were of special interest to young people. Bright programs, instructive addresses and overflowing congregations were a feature of these services.

It was Children's Day at Trinity Methodist Church. At the morning service the scholars, with their friends, listened to an illustrated address by J. A. Brock of Dunn-avenue School on the "Seven Stars of Character." The speakers of the afternoon and evening were Rev. Drs. R. N. Burns and W. F. Wilson, whose addresses were especially for young people. The scholars occupied the platforms, and gave the major portion of the musical program at all the services. Trinity is one of the most successful Sunday schools in this city, and its growth is only limited by its quarters, which are now too small, classes having to overflow into the church. The membership is now over 900, an increase of 140 above last year. A unique feature of its work is the employment of a deaconess to attend to the interests of the scholars. The annual Sunday school entertainment is to be held in the church on Tuesday next.

Special sermons and music were the order of the Sunday school anniversary at the Metropolitan Church. The services were well attended and of a specially interesting character. Dr. Cleaver, the pastor, was the speaker of the morning, his subject being "Sowing and Reaping," and in the afternoon Rev. J. W. Pedley, B.A., spoke on "Guarding the Heart and Life." At night the sermon was especially for young men, and was delivered by Dr. Cleaver. A special program was given in the afternoon, including contributions by the Chinese class and selections by A. Hewitt's double quartet. An interesting feature was the distribution of prizes for attendance and recitation by Misses Pearson and Steele. The reports, as read by the secretary and treasurer, showed a satisfactory and progressive state of affairs. Membership is far in excess of last year, being now almost 850. The annual entertainment will be held on Tuesday night, when a specially good time may be expected.

Cooke's Anniversary.

Cooke's Church was crowded at both services yesterday, when Rev. A. B. Meldrum, D. D., of Cleveland, Ohio, preached the anniversary sermons.

Dr. Meldrum is an old Knox graduate, and many of his Toronto friends took the opportunity to hear him.

Special music was provided by a male voice choir, and at the evening service the Crescent Male Quartet also sang.

Dr. Meldrum's racy eloquence was much appreciated.

In the evening, taking for his subject the Prophet Elijah, Dr. Meldrum said he was one of the grandest and most romantic characters in literature.

"He appears with all the majesty and grandeur of a being from another world," he said. "He was a predestinated champion of the people. He was God's man—the man for the hour. So is it ever. When God has need of a great man for a great work he raises one up.

"Sometimes it has looked ill for the cause of God on earth, when there suddenly appears a man for the hour who marshals the hosts of faith and drives back the enemy.

"Fifteen hundred years before Christ Moses appeared. In the infancy of the Christian Church the intrepid Paul steps forth and confounds the philosophy of his day by the higher philosophy o the cross.

"In the middle ages, when the fountain of truth is corrupted, Luther steps forth. In the days of Charles, God brings out his Oliver Cromwell. On this side of the water the slave crisis brought out Abraham Lincoln—a divinely appointed man.

"God always has a man on hand to fill the bill," said the preacher.

The preacher pointed out the moral intrepidity, faith and heroism of Elijah as lessons for the believers of to-day.

A special effort is being made by the church to reduce the mortgage debt of $23,000 upon the property.

Bathurst St. Anniversary.

The Bathurst-street Methodist Church Sunday School anniversary was held yesterday. Rev. D. C. Hossack of Deer Park Presbyterian Church preached at the morning service. The speaker pointed out the importance of a careful and moral training of the children at this critical period of their lives, when their senses are all acute and open to impressions which will have a lasting influence on their characters all thru life. He urged the young men especially not to follow any beaten paths of progress, because the world preferred original genius and inventiveness.

At 3 p.m. T. McGillicuddy gave an interesting address on "Ship Signals." The speaker had a full-rigged schooner on the platform and explained in detail the international signal code lately adopted by the principal nations, afterwards encouraging the children to show that same decisiveness and straightforwardness in developing their characters, as is shown when the signals are hoisted to the mast-head.

Rev. Dr. Crummy, the pastor, preached the evening service, which was specially for the children.

ALD. WILSON VERY ILL.

Acute Form of Pleurisy Develops and Condition is Critical.

The illness of Ald. James Wilson, who has been suffering from an attack of pneumonia for several days, assumed a very serious phase on Sunday, when an acute form of pleurisy developed. While it is hoped that he will recover, it is recognized that this condition is very grave.

Mayor Coatsworth expressed much concern last night regarding the outlook, and in civic circles generally much anxiety is being shown. Altho it is his first year in the city council, Ald. Wilson has made many friends. In labor circles, where he is very well known, his illness has created much regret.

He is being attended at his home, 742 East Gerrard-street, by Dr. Norman Allen.

Bank Clerks Imported.

Toronto banks continue to bring young men out from the old country to fill junior vacancies. Five young fellows arrived from Scotland yesterday to take positions in the Canadian Bank of Commerce. They have been employed in banks at home, and were tempted out by an increase of salary and a hope of more rapid promotion in a new country.

A FREE TRIP TO LONDON

The Toronto World will send eleven of the most popular women in Ontario on a three weeks' trip to London, England, with side trips to Paris and other points of interest.

The First Standing of Candidates Will Be Published in the World of Monday Next

Will Your Name be at the Top of the List?

RULES OF THE CONTEST

MEN ARE NOT ELIGIBLE

AGE—Any woman over eighteen years of age and under fifty on July 22, 1907, may become a candidate by being properly nominated.

NOMINATING—Each candidate must be nominated on the properly filled out nominating blank which is printed in The Daily and Sunday World; or copies of nominating blanks may be obtained at The World office.

THE BALLOTS—Ballots cast for persons not properly nominated will be destroyed, uncounted. See that your candidate is properly nominated and listed before you cast your ballots for her.

A ballot will be printed on Page 1 of The World each day. This will count one vote. Ballots cannot be changed or transferred after they are received by The World. Special ballots will be issued for paid-in-advance subscriptions, whether new or old, when payment is received by The World, according to the table printed on this page.

Ballots will be dated and numbered with an expiration date, they will not be counted unless received at The World Office before 5.30 p.m. on date of expiration. Ballots sent by mail must be sent to the Trip to London Editor, Toronto World, and postage must be prepaid.

Agents may send subscriptions to apply on the contest, but ballots will be sent to the subscriber.

THOSE WHO ARE BARRED OUT.—No employe of The World or other Toronto daily newspapers or any member of such employe's family may be a candidate in the contest.

THE LAST BALLOT.—Will be printed in The Toronto World on July 22, 1907.

No ballot will be counted unless received by the Trip to London Editor before midnight of July 22.

CONTROVERSIES.—Any controversies which may arise will be settled by The World alone.

ACCEPTING THE CONDITIONS.—In accepting nomination each candidate accepts and contracts to abide by all the above conditions.

THE DISTRICTS

FROM WHICH CANDIDATES ARE TO BE NOMINATED

DISTRICT NO. 1.—Includes all territory within the present limits of the City of Toronto.

From District No. 1, the City of Toronto, the six candidates receiving the highest number of votes will be sent on this free trip to London.

DISTRICT NO. 2.—Includes all territory within the present limits of the City of Hamilton.

From District No. 2, the City of Hamilton, the candidate receiving the highest number of votes will be sent on this free trip to London.

DISTRICT NO. 3.—Includes all territory within the Province of Ontario, outside of the City of Toronto and the City of Hamilton.

From District No. 3 the four candidates receiving the highest number of votes will be sent on this free trip to London.

TABLE OF BALLOT VALUES

Single ballots cut from The Daily World	1 vote.
Single ballots cut from The Sunday World	5 votes.
Subscription to The Daily World, one month—25 cents—a special ballot of	50 votes.
Subscription to The Daily and Sunday World, one month—45 cents—a special ballot of	100 votes.
Subscription to The Daily World, three months—75 cents—a special ballot of	250 votes.
Subscription to The Daily and Sunday World, three months—$1.25—a special ballot of	300 votes.
Subscription to the Daily World, six months—$1.50—a special ballot of	500 votes.
Subscription to The Daily and Sunday World, six months—$2.50—a special ballot of	1000 votes.
Subscription to The Daily World, one year—$3.00—a special ballot of	1500 votes
Subscription to The Daily and Sunday World, one year—$5.00—a special ballot of	3000 votes.

Special Ballots.—Special ballots good for the number of votes shown in the table above will be issued for paid-in-advance subscriptions to The World when payments have been received by The World, providing all arrearages are paid.

PERIOD OF EXPIRATION.—Each ballot will be provided with an expiration date. To be counted, all ballots must be voted on or before date of expiration.

SPECIAL NOTICE Address all letters pertaining to the Trip to London and send all nominations, ballots and subscriptions to the

TRIP TO LONDON EDITOR
World Office, Toronto.

COUNTING.—Is done on Wednesdays and Saturdays and the standing of the candidates announced to the public Mondays and Thursdays.

Nominating Blank

World Trip to London

A nominating blank must be received for each candidate before she can be voted for. The names of the women nominated in each district will be printed in The World regularly. This blank does not count as a vote, and need only be sent in once for a candidate.

I herewith nominate ....
Name of woman

Whose age I know to be over 18.

of ....., ... as the most popular
Postoffice. County or street.

woman in District No. ..... Nominated by

.....
Name of nominator.

The World's Serial Story.

Buchanan's Wife

By Dustus Forman. —Published by Arrangement With Harper & Brothers

After a little spell of silence. "Ah, now, Harry," said she, very sadly, "now I have come to the lowest depths of my abasement. Now I am prostrate, indeed, to have brought you to this—to have made you what I am. If only you had cast me off, if you had cursed me and gone away I should have taken some small, miserable comfort for that at least I had not soiled you. I should have wrecked your happiness, but never your soul. Oh, now I am indeed prostrate!"

He fell to soothing her, whispering to her, his lips against her face.

"Never say that, Betty," he pleaded. "Oh, never say that! How comfortable should I be sitting apart on my cold height of self-righteousness while you wept in the shadows. A fine, generous, noble figure I'd be! Oh, my dear, if there's a just and pitiful God aloft yonder, as the books say, what would He have me do, do you think? In what regard would he hold a man who, having very solemnly sworn to cherish and love and protect a certain woman for as olng as they two might live, should cast her off, holding his skirts aside, just because, for love's sake—for his sake—in a passionate striving for his happiness, she had broken certain laws? Oh, my very dear, if there's a God who holds by faithfulness and constancy and the love of a man for the woman who loves him, He won't be very hard on my soul. And if the God we're told about isn't that sort of a God, I don't want any dealings with Him at all. I'll go it alone. So, Betty, don't feel low because I'm not a deserter and a blackguard."

Then, after they had been a long time silent, he said, bending his head over her as she lay in his arms:

"Betty!"

"Yes," she said.

"Betty," he said, "what do you suppose Adam said to Eve when they'd been driven out of the garden and were sitting together like this, thinking it over?"

She gave a little, shaking, uncertain laugh in the dark, and she said:

"I expect he said, 'Now you've been and done it—just like a woman!—and it can't be undone, and so we'll—we'll just have to stick together and patch up some sort of a life the best we can.' That's what he said, I expect."

"Yes," said Faring, drawing her closer—"yes, I expect that will be just what he said."

And again they were silent for a long time, so long that Beatrix, overwrought, overstrained, worn out to the point of physical exhaustion, went off into a sort of doze and lay heavily still in the man's arms. She awoke from this with a violent start and a cry.

"I thought he was trying to take me away from you, Harry," she said, shivering. "I thought he had come for me."

"Hush, dear!" said Faring. "Neither he nor anyone can take you away from me. We're together for all time, whatever may happen to us."

Then presently she sat up with a deep breath.

"We must look to the future," she said. "We must talk of what is to become of us. Is there still any way, Harry, in which we may be saved? I mean outwardly saved. Where we stand in our own eyes we know and we shall always know. Day and night it will be before us. Oh, we shall pay, dearest, we shall pay in full measure. But for our friends' sakes and for many reasons we must prevent this thing from being known if we possibly can. What is to be done?"

"I have been thinking," Faring said, "while you were still and asleep. I expect I must, after all, stop that man who knows from going away. He won't have gone yet, I am sure. He'll have waited for a last appeal, a last threat, maybe. I must stop him and make some sort of bargain with him. After all, it will not be for long. The other—the little tramp"—he could not bring himself to say "Herbert Buchanan"—"cannot live for a year. I should think. He is far gone already. Once he is—dead—the other man's hold upon us is gone. Of course he knows that."

He kissed her and put her from him, and rose to his feet. He struck a match and made two or three lights in the room.

"It is half-past nine," he said, looking at his watch. "I must go down at once. Shall I send your maid? You must have something to eat. We've had no dinner, either of us."

She shook her head. "I'll wait here," said she. "I don't wish anything to eat—not now. I must know first. Go at once, Harry. I'll wait here for you."

He went out of the room, and the woman sat where he had left her, silent and still, her chin in the palm of her hand, her eyes glooming across the room towards the shadows which hung there.

In ten minutes he was back, and by the look on his face she knew.

"He is gone?" she said, in a whisper.

"Both of them," said the man. "Clean gone, without trace. No one saw them go."

Beatrix sprang to her feet and came to meet him, catching at his arms. The old terror, the old panic clamored from her eyes.

"You must find him, Harry!" she cried, and shook the arm her hands clung to. "Oh, you must find him and bring him back! While that man is abroad we hang upon a razor's edge. He would do anything. Have you seen his face, his eyes? Anything! You must find him."

Faring wakened suddenly from something trancelike. "Yes," he said, gently, "I must find him. He must not be left at large. I will go at once." He freed himself and moved towards the door. Then he paused and came back. He took her into his arms and kissed her mouth. "The grooms are out now searching the neighborhood," he said, "but I do not think they will be successful. The man is clever. I may be away for some days. I shall not come back until we are safe."

"Oh, Harry! Harry!" she said, under her breath.

"I think I should send for Aunt Arabella Crowley if I were you," he said. "She would like to come, and she will bear you company. You can say that I am in New York on affairs of importance."

"Yes," she said. "Yes. Perhaps I will do that. Oh, Harry, be careful! Do not take risks. He is very desperate, that man, and, I think, dangerous."

Faring shook his head. "He wants money, not blood," said he. "He is not dangerous. I rather wish he were."

Then after a little more he was gone, and she heard him speaking to his man in the hallway outside her door. Presently the voice was gone also, and she was left alone.

(To be Continued).

WINDSOR TABLE SALT
is prepared, packed and shipped with every care. It travels straight to your table in absolute purity.
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120,000,000 ACRES OF ARABLE LAND

OTTAWA, May 12.—At the end of this summer the arable land surveyed for settlement in the Canadian west will total 120,000,000 acres. There is estimated to be as much more good land unsurveyed. It lies chiefly to the north and east of Edmonton, in moderate climate, and with long hours of sun. This summer, the department of the interior will survey eleven million acres.

Insurance Licenses Issued.

OTTAWA, May 12.—The department of insurance has issued licenses to the Annuity Company of Canada (Winnipeg), to do a life insurance business, and to the Dominion Fire Insurance Company of Toronto.

Fish in Lake Ontario.

BROCKVILLE, May 12.—(Special.)—The fish hatchery at Cape Vincent has placed one and a half million of white fish fry in Lake Ontario. This makes an aggregate of six million recently placed. Thirty millions of white fish eggs are now in process of hatching.

Czar's Cousin Married.

YALTA, May 12.—Grand Duke Nicholas Nicholadevitch, second cousin of the Emperor of Russia, was married here to-day to Princess Anastasia of Montenegro, the divorced wife of Duke George of Leuchtenberg.

Some Sections Suspended.

OTTAWA, May 12.—An order-in-council suspends sections 3 to 18 of the act re the inspection of meats and canned foods until Aug. 1 next.