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Showing Off Her Discipline.

By RUTH CAMERON.



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Why should children be taught to obey their parents? So that their parents can enjoy the feeling of authority and show off their discipline? Or so that the children can be brought into harmony with people about them, and kept from harming themselves or interfering with the rights of others?

The answer would seem clear. And yet one frequently meets apparently intelligent and well-bred women who justify the second sentence in the above paragraph.

Just When Everyone Was Looking At Him.

I was the witness the other day of a little scene which made me feel very strongly on the subject. We were having an athletic meet at our summer colony. There was a lull in the swimming races and all the spectators were hanging over the railing of the bridge, idly watching the float. A small boy of perhaps ten or twelve had just dived off after somebody's straw hat. As he stood there, shaking the water off, the focus of all eyes, a woman some distance away called to him in a determinedly sweet but exasperatingly domineering manner: "Richard, don't go in the water again!"

Every one heard her. The small boy looked as embarrassed as he felt.

The First Time He Had Been In.

"Why, Mother," he protested, "that's the first time I've been in this afternoon."

"Never mind, don't go in again. Mother doesn't want you, to," she

said, with that same self-satisfied sweetness. "Put your sweater on." The small boy looked still more embarrassed, but he obeyed, while the other small boys demonstrated their freedom from maternal apron-strings by diving into the water.

She Made Him Jump Through a Hoop.

Now there may have been a perfectly good reason why the boy should have been forbidden to go into the water, but there was no reason on earth why he should have been publicly forced to jump through a hoop.

That is just what it amounted to. If she had wanted the boy to stop swimming for his own good, instead of as an exhibition of her discipline, she could have waited until the public eye was off him and then gone to the point nearest him and asked him to come up and speak to her a moment.

Tact and courtesy in dealing with children are not wasted. You may have a right to embarrass your child in the presence of all his friends, but he won't love you any more for it.

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Gladstone and Asquith.

"The Premier's bereavement brings home to every one of us dramatically the truth that this war of to-day differs from other wars of our history in being a thoroughly national war. It reminds us, too, of the sacrifices resolutely made by our ruling as well as other classes. They, as this instance proves, have given their sons unsparingly and paid the price of freedom in full. The news of Mr. Raymond Asquith's death will have its effect on neutral States. To them it will come as a token of the inflexibility of English determination, a fresh testimony of the solidarity of the nation."
 "As I look on Mr. Asquith, I often recall the figure of Mr. Gladstone, there could not be two figures more unlike. Mr. Gladstone was not only volcanic in temperament, but was volcanic in look, in physique, and volcanic even when he seemed to be in repose," writes Mr. T. P. O'Connor, M.P., in Reynolds'.

"Of course, a man so exuberant was at once the greatest and the most disturbing leader the House of Commons could have. A personality so vivid, so dominating, and so restless absolutely commanded the whole place."
 "Coming to Mr. Asquith, he has none of the special gifts of Mr. Gladstone—either physically or intellectually. "Yet his physique is remarkable.

He has a constitution of iron. After ten minutes' reading in bed at night can sleep his regular eight hours, even in the most critical times; never seems tired; never seems excited, just goes phlegmatically on.

"He is not a man who seems to love speaking for speaking's sake; words do not come from his lips in a great torrent as in the case of Mr. Gladstone; he never seems anxious to take the answering of questions or other work out of the hands of his subordinates."

"And yet—daring as it may seem—I regard him in many respects as a more effective leader of the House of Commons than even Gladstone was. This is mainly due to an incomparable power of a certain style of speech. I have heard that Mr. Balfour says that never since the days of Demosthenes was there a speaker who had such an gripping power of using exactly the right word, and, I may add, of saying the right thing."

Stern Simplicity of Speech.

"He is no more like Gladstone in speech than Cicero was like Demosthenes. It may be partly his devotion to the Greek classics, but probably it is more largely because of his own natural tendencies and gifts that the style of Mr. Asquith is in the stern and chaste simplicity of a Greek speaker or of a French classic."

"You take time to discover the

spineless art that conceals the art so consummately. He seems to be using the language of every-day life, the short and simple words and the blunt and unadorned phrase. It is only when he sits down that you realize that he has put his case with such simplicity and such lucidity, that it appears to be so reasonable and so simple as to be unanswerable; it looks as if there were nothing more to be said."

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Private Moore 3rd Time Wounded.

Private James Moore, of "Ours," who took part in the recent "big push" and previously reported seriously wounded at Rouen, France, is now at Wandsworth Hospital, London, where he is progressing favourably. The nature of his injuries was such that his left leg was amputated above the knee and right leg amputated above the ankle. This is the third time Moore has been wounded. He left here with the first contingent of volunteers, took part in the Gallipoli campaign and was wounded in the eye. His recovery was speedy because of his strong physique and he was among the first to cross to France last spring. He took part in the big drive of July 1st, but fortunately, was only slightly wounded and remained on duty. His latest wound in the legs was received on Oct. 11th, from which his friends will be pleased to know that he is recovering.

Peace Terms,

Weekly Dispatch.—Various amateurish definitions of what the Allies' peace terms are likely to be have appeared from time to time, but they bear no relation to the facts. What are the real terms of peace which the Allies would be prepared to accept? They are, it is understood, as follows: (1) The withdrawal of the German forces from all Allied territory before any discussion takes place at all, coupled with the retrocession of Alsace-Lorraine to France before conversations take place. (2) An indemnity of five hundred milliards of marks. This, of course, is twenty-five thousand million pounds. (3) Ton for ton of all shipping destroyed by German submarines. (4) The rehabilitation of the destroyed factories of Lille, Roubaix and the various towns of Belgium. (5) A receivership on all German railways and mines until the final payment of the indemnity is made. (6) Retention by Allies of the captured colonies.

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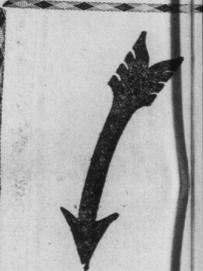
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Rev. Dr. Jones at St. Mary's Church

Preached at a Special Service Yesterday Afternoon.—He attended.

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