Women's Page

BY A WOMAN



MRS CARAWAY

In a very inconspicuous corner of the Senate Chamber in the Capitol at Washington sits our first elected lady Senator, Mrs. Caraway. Her brown hair parted in the middle and her brown eyes proclaims her the modest woman that she is. Personally she is much more at home at Calvert Manor at Riverdale, Va., keeping the place beautiful and tending her rose garden, but when her husband, died last November, in the midst of her grief for him, she was elected to take his place. She demurred at first but finally consented, and when she was asked to sign a paper saying she would not run again, she did not sign it. Calvert Manor, her home is an old Colonial dwelling with beautiful surroundings. Senator Hiram Johnson had rented it for some time and when Senator Thad Caraway bought it quite a coolness sprang up between the purchaser and the renter who was loath to give up the home. Here Mrs. Caraway lived and reigned, always ready to meet her husband when he came home, tired from his long day at the Senate.

She was born at Bakerville Tennessee, her father being a well to do farmer so she did not have the childhood full of privations, which her husband had. She went to Huston College and there she met young Thad, working his way through the Law School. He had begun life as a cotton picker, a worker in a lumber camp railway secton hand and crop farmer, but he always kept before him that hard work and study would help him to rise. Possessed of a keen sense of humor and being hale fellow well met with all his fellows his rise was rapid in the field of politics. When the two married they went to Jonesboro to live where she took a keen interest in all that was going on in the little agricultural community, and he owed much of his success in life to her sympathy and encouragement.

Senator and Mrs. Caraway had three sons, two of whom went to West Point and are now in the army and the third is a boy of fifteen. Every morning at 8.30 a. m. Mrs. Caraway driven by her eldest son arrives at the Capitol when she begins her busy day. She has been given two committee rooms in the basement, and there she receives her constituents and attends to her many duties. She has been given these three committees, the enrollment Commitee, the Library, and the agricultural committees. Her mail is very heavy each day and she is very much interested in getting help for the state of Arkinses, which in the last fw years has been visited by two flood and a dreadful drouth, and last summer when the farmers had a bumper cotton crop, they could not get enough money to pay them for picking it. She is generally in the Senate Chamber during its sessions, and though she takes no part in the discussons is an eager listener and perhaps it will not be long before her voice is heard. But she has never been a politician and never will be for she is by no means fitted for it. But people are looking eagerly to see if our first women senator will make her mark in the legislative world.

HEALTH

Some one who has had a tickling hacking cough for a long time, and has entirely remedied it gives the following means as a cure. As soon as you feel the cough coming on take a deep breath and then another, and if possible take a dose of vaseline. It will softn the phlegm which makes one cough and then it is easy to get rid of it. This will not cure it at once but if perserved in will surely help one to get rid of a cough which should not be allowed to continue.

LA MODE

Tip Your Hat.

In London they are telling women that it isn't so much the hat as the way you wear it. Almost any kind of hat goes this season if only it is tipped to the right or the left. Among the newest thoughts, however, is the modified Tam o' Shanter in felt and the swanky, gallant little hat copied from the headgear of medieval highwaymen.

PARIS, Jan. 27.—Additional fashion openngs continue the mode of a straight and narrow silhouette, and a slightly shorter day skirt.

Redfern features light, natural and gray tones, often trimmed with brown or black. His ensembles, with a dress and a short loose cutaway jacket, are interesting.

Practical transformation costumes are shown, with two coats for one skirt or a long black wool coat with puff sleeves, unbuttoning from kimono shoulder caps and showing the sleeves of a cream marocain dress beneath.

Many women will be grateful for the simple evening gowns with low waistlines, falling a little above the hip bones and marked by tailored fabric belts, although the real Empire lines are present, too. Wast-length evening jackets and capelets are also much seen.

Untrimmed and Chic

Just black velvet is the dinner costume worn by one very smart New York woman whose ideas on clothes are important. She has a black velvet gown wthout any trimming whatever, and with it she wears no jewels. Needless to say, the velvet is of so fine and luxurious a quality as to need no trimming or jewels to heighten its effect.

HOUSEHOLD HINTS

A piece of orange peel kept in the tea canister gives the tea a deliciously different flavor.

Too much sugar sometimes causes meringues on pies to "shed tears."

No mater how cheap an article is, it is not a bargain unless you have a use for it.

Rips and tears in the weekly ironing may be avoided by using round-heeled electric irons.

Now is the time when fly swating counts. You get a millon at a blow if you count the possibilities of next summer's progeny from flies which are alive.

A pair of gloves is an invaluable part of the cleaning equipment if smooth, white, attractive hands are valued.

Coat hangers are great space savers on rainy wash days. Put wet clothes on the hangers and the capacity of the indoor clothesline is almost doubled.

Do not allow woolen garments to freeze after they have been washed, because the freezing may cause shrinking.

RECIPES

Nut Cakes

3 egg whites
1 cup granulated sugar.
Salt
2 tablespoons flour
1 1-2 cups finely chopped nuts.
1 tablespoon water.
1 teaspoon vanilla.

Beat egg whites, fold in other ingredients. Drop on a greased baking sheet, at least one inch apart. It is wise to test mixture by baking two or three, as thickness of batter depends upon the way nuts are chopped. If cakes spread too much add a little more flour. Bake in a slow oven, 300 degrees Fahrenheit, about twenty-five minutes.

Brownies

1 egg.
1-4 cup melted butter.
1 cup granulated sugar (or 1 1-2 cups brown sugar).
2 tablespoons water.
2 squares chocolate.
3-4 cup pastry flour ,or 1-2 cup bread flour and 2 tablespoons corn starch).
1-4 teaspoon salt.
1-2 teaspoon baking powder.
1-2 cup cut nuts.

Beat egg slightly, stir in melted butter. Stir in sugar and add water. Beat a half minute; add chocolate (melted). Add nuts to flour, salt and baking powder which have been sifted together, and add to first mixture. Bake in greased cake pan twenty-five to thirty minutes in a slow oven, 320 degrees Fahrenheit. Remove from oven; cool slightly and cut into squares.

Burnt Almond Frosting

1-2 cup butter.
1 1-2 cups confectioner's sugar.
1-2 cup almonds.

Cream butter, add the sugar and the egg yolk. Spread on the cake when ready to use. Blanch the almonds, bake in a moderate oven until light brown. Cut in pieces and sprinkle on the frosting.

Lake's Name Boiled Down

"I noted with interest that the name of Lake Chargoggagoggmanchauggagoggchaubunagungamaugg has been entered in the long word contest," said a letter to the editor of a San Francisco paper not long ago. "It is a good American word of a most original type, for it doubtless was coined by the Indians long before English was known on this continent. An eastern paper a few years ago gave the interpretation as follows: 'I fish on my side; you fish on your side; nobody shall fish in the middle.' Apparently the name commemorates the settlement of certain important fishing rights by arbitration or less gentle means. The present natives of Massachusetts no longer attempt the whole name, even on holidays, but now have it boiled down to Lake Gogg."—Detroit News.

In the Carribean

In a graceful curve, the islands of the West Indies extend from Florida to the east coast of South America. After the large islands of Cuba, Haiti and Porto Rico come the Lesser Antilles, and to cruise among them is to enjoy all the lure of the Caribbean. A good spot to begin is at the United States' little islands of St. Thomas. Both in its area and shape St. Thomas is like Manhattan, but sugar plantations rather than apartment houses occupy most of it. The town of Charlotte-Amalia shelters most of the inhabitants. Here in the persuasive atmosphere of antiquity, beneath the old Danish fort, tourists enjoy the superb fishing and bathing on the palm-lined beaches.—Exchange.

No "Thoroughbred" Cattle

Purebred animals are horses, cattle, sheep, or other domesticated animals whose ancestry are known, whose parents and grandparents have been registered in the proper way in the breed records. The word thoroughbred is the name of a distinct breed of light horses which have been bred for many centuries for their speed and stamina, having come originally from the union of the Arabian, and Turkish horses with the English type of horse. There cannot therefore be any such thing as thoroughbred cattle.

Powerful Searchlight

The United States has the largest searchlight. It is the Lindbergh beacon, which rises 65 feet above the penthouse of the Palmolive building in Chicago. The beacon consists of two lights, one mounted above the other. The upper one is the beacon proper and has an output of 2,000,000,000 candlepower brought into a beam five feet in diameter and revolving at the rate of two revolutions per minute. The lower light has an output of 1,100,000,000 candlepower brought by a parabolic reflection into a beam 36 inches in diameter fixed to direct visiting airmen to the municipal airport. It is computed that at a distance of 55½ miles the Lindbergh beacon becomes equivalent in brightness to the full moon.

"Rattlesnake" Flag

It has been stated that the use of the rattlesnake flag grew out of a humorous suggestion made by a writer in Franklin's paper—the Pennsylvania Gazette—that, in return for the wrongs which England was forcing upon the Colonists, a cargo of rattlesnakes should be sent to the mother country and "distributed in St. James' park, Spring garden and other places of pleasure." Colonel Gadsden, one of the marine committee, presented to congress on February 8, 1776, "an elegant standard, such as is to be used by the commander in chief of the American navy, being a yellow flag with a representation of a rattlesnake coiled for attack."

"Couldn't Get Out"

Little Jimmy, who lives on the East side, asked his father for a nickel one Sunday morning. His father, not having a nickel, gave Jimmy five pennies.

But five pennies were not the same as a nickel to Jimmy, and his mouth puckered up as he whimpered: "Now I can't get out."

His father asked: "You can't get out of where, Jimmy?"

"I can't get out of Sunday school."

"Why can't you?"

"Because you have to give the lady a nickel, or you can't get out."—Indianapolis News.

One's Own Burdens

Every man has a burden of his own to bear, and that is the burden of overcoming his own faults and imperfections. If he does that, he will have cause for rejoicing; and, having overcome himself, he will be better able to help another to overcome. Unless we do help ourselves, no one can really help us. The help offered by another will be of no use to us unless we put forth our own efforts in this great struggle of life.—"Uncle Henry," in Wallace's Farmer.

Where's His Watch?

Jan's pet bulldog had spent much of the night barking. At the breakfast table mother remarked: "Jack has certainly turned out to be a great watchdog."

Later in the day Jan was noticed inspecting her dog carefully. At length she came to the door and asked:

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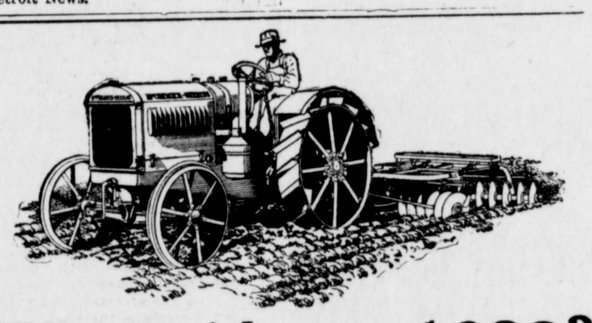
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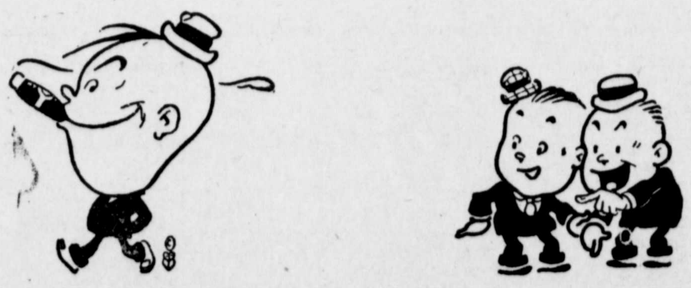
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THOMAS H. JOHNSON

late of said county, deceased. All persos having claims against said deceased's estate are hereby warned to exhibt the same, with the proper vouchers thereof, to the undersigned on or before the 1st day of June, 1932, otherwise they may by law be excluded from all benefit of said deceased's personal estate.

All persons indebted to this estate must settle at once.

Given under my hand this 1st day of December, 1931.

WM. T. JONES, Administrator.

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NOTICE TO CREDITORS

Stephen R. Collins, Assignee
VS.
Edgar P. Moffett and Cora E. Moffett, his wife

Pursuant to an Order of the Circuit Court for Kent County in Equity passed in the aforesaid Cause on the 19th day of November in the year 1931 notice is hereby given to all Judgment Creditors, Lienors and Assignees of Edgar P. Moffett and Cora E. Moffett, his wife, Mortgagors and to all persons claiming an interest in the equity of redemption in the above cause to file their claims with the vouchers thereof with the undersigned on or before the 23rd day of January, in the year 1932.

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