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Women's Page

BY A WOMAN



CHESTERTOWN FIFTY YEARS AGO

Some one who had not been here since the latter part of the 70's, visited the town once more.

She was astonished at the changes which had taken place since she was here as a little girl and so she started reminisincing about the sleepy old town that was noted for its hospitality and good living.

Water Street was a very different place from what it today. Where Mr. Bacchus now resides was then the home of Mr. George Perkins. He kept open house and was lavish in his entertainments, the children of the town regarding him as a grand mogul; for it was through his favor that they were sometimes allowed to cross over in Queen Anne's, then an almost unknown land to the children in those days as they were required to pay 10 cents for the privilege of crossing over to the other side as pocket money was not allowed to children in those days. Mrs. Perkins would drive out in her stately two horse team and take her friends for a drive, generally calling on some child to go and sit with the driver so that the child could bow to passing acquantances and thus the busy conversation in the back would not be interrupted. The house occupied by Miss May Ireland was built on the garden while the stable was where the home of Mr. and Mrs. Donald Stam now stands. The places of the Harrises, Usilton's Rogers and Metcalfe's are now built where then the dwellings of the colored aristocracy of the town, while the Kratzer's Spanish house was then claimed by the river. Mr. Massey a florist had his lovely flowers on the Urie place and some of the fine flora which he planted is still there. All on the opposite side of the street was a large field, the only building on the whole lot being the Burchinal home, now occupied by Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Wilmer. Across Maple Ave., which was then called Fish Street on the water side was that wonderful play ground, The Bridge Hill. Here the crowd of children would gather every afternoon and play hide and seek, coast down the hill and enjoy life generally.

On Bridge Hill now is the residence and yard of Judge Lewin Wickes. Next to that place was the old law office of Judge Chambers. Here at one time Miss Florence Crane had her private school. All the four walls were lined with musty law books. Mr. Eben F. Perkins. Sr., and his fine wife lived next door and here raised their five sons, one Mr. Eben Perkins, Jr., still owns the old home. Opposite in the house now occupied by Mr. Ellis Clark and wife was then the home of Dr. Houson, a fine courteous gentlemen with a house full of children, some of his own and many of other people.

Mr. Jesse K. Hines for long time Clerk of the Court, lived in the next house with his large family. He was the grandfather of Dr. Frank Hines who lives now farther down the street. Dr. Meeter owned the house where Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Kibler now lives while on part of his yard is now built the home of Mr. and Mrs. Scott Beck. The rest of the street on that side was gardens and lots reaching clear through to Queen St.

Mrs. Flemings on the other side of the street is one of the oldest houses in town. It was a quaint old house in very bad repair until it was repaired in its present form. The old Brown residence was just the same stately home as today, occupied then as now by the Brown Family. The apartments of Mr. George Baldwin are converted from the Hynson home, a home so long full of life and hospitality. Mr. and Mrs. Turner's house was then a small white brick dwelling while Wide Hall, the lovely house of Mr. and Mrs. Hubbard was then a boarding house. I have only begun to tell what my friend told me, and if you are not tired I will den of memories, the churches and the oustanding people of that time though it will take many issues of this paper to tell them all. (To be continued.)

TAKE TIME

How many of us live colorless lives just because we do not allow ourselves time for enjoyment. Just to pause in our busy work to listen to the song of a bird, to the radio or to read little in a book would take so little time and yet would sweeten our toil. Our Heavenly Father, who put us in this beautiful world wants us to enjoy its loveliness. Take a little time to do it. Let us not neglect our persons either. Our friends are the ones who see us and we owe it to them to be as pleasing as possible. Do not drudge, some one has defined drudgery as work not efficiently done.

LA MODE
Flowers In The Belt

Paris has gone back to the two flowers posed rakishly on the side of the belt around the evening gown. And the belt isn't a belt, but a softly molded sash. One of the newest evening models in Paris is of white shantung with the two flowers—these in cerise. The lines are simple and summerlike.

Pinky

Te smart London girls, on a week end in the country, are going in for pastel colored tennis dresses instead of white. Pink is a favorite shade, a very pale pink in pique or some knitted material. There are flared panels let into the skirt, and tiny capes over the shoulders instead of sleeves.

Spirals

In Paris they are trying all sorts of new ideas for dressing the hair. One of the latest is a close, soft line of smooth curls lying close to the head and forming a frame for the face. The ears are covered, but the neckline in back is cut close and short. There are two little spiral curls on the forehead.

Neat

You can do more swimming and less sun bating if your coiffure is protected by a chamois bandeau. It is about four inches wide, shaped to the head, and can be secured by adjustable tapes ties.

RECIPES
Making Life Easy for te Housewife

Renew faded grass rugs by applying dye to both sides with a paint brush.

Curtain shelves containing canned fruits in glasses prevent the fruit from fading in the light.

Painted glass jars and bottles of attractive shapes make excellent flower vases and lamp bases. For a highly glazed effect, to show pleasing reflections, paint them on the inside only.

Onion flavoring for a whole season may be supplied by the young shoots of three onions grown in flower pots in the kitchen.

Ham Volcanoes

Saute a slice of ham and cut in squares. Cover each piece with thin slice of pineapple. Cover sides and top thickly with potatoes that have had a beaten egg, butter and cream beaten into them. Make a deep cavity in the top. Brown in oven, and fil with fresh green peas. Add piece of butter, paprika and serve.

Delicious Corn Bread

1 cupful cornmeal
1 cupful flower
1 cupful flour
5 teaspoons baking powder
1-2 teaspoon salt
1 cup milk
1 egg—well beaten
2 tablespoons melted butter on other shortening.

Mix and sift the dry ingredients, then add the milk slowly, the egg well beaten, and the melted butter.

Scholars Not Agreed on Pharaoh of Exodus

The Jewish encyclopedia states that "most scholars identify with the Pharaoh of the oppression Rameses II, son of Setj, who ruled over Egypt for 67 years. He is known to have built in lower Egypt many structures of a character similar to those indicated by Exodus, 1:11, . . . Merneptah II, his son, would then be the Pharaoh of the exodus. . . . Still it has been argued that under the reign of Merneptah II Egypt was too well organized for the rebellion of the Israelites to have been successful. His successor, Seti II, therefore, under whom a general administrative disintegration set in, is suggested as the ruler who was forced to acquiesce in the demands of the Hebrews."

As to the time, it is stated that "The dates given in the Bible, though involved in much confusion, lend strong probability to the assumption that the exodus took place under a king of the nineteenth dynasty (about 1500-1300 B. C.). I Kings, 6:1 fixes the interval between the exodus and the building of the temple at over 480 years. Rehoboam—41 years after the building of the temple—is contemporaneous with Shisak, the first king of the twenty-second dynasty (about 950 B. C.). This would give about 1470 B. C. for the exodus."

Quern Still in Use in Ireland and Scotland

One of the earliest types of mill used for grinding corn, the quern, is still to be found in use in some of the more remote parts of Ireland and in the Hebrides and Shetlands. It is a primitive type of mill, yet ingenious in its operation. It is composed of two circular flat stones, the upper of which is drilled through the center with a funnel-shaped opening. A wooden or metal pin inserted in the center of the lower stone provides an axis about which the upper stone revolves. Set in the outer edge of the upper stone is another pin used as a handle for turning the stone. The grain to be ground is dropped with one hand down the funnel-like opening in the center, while the upper stone is turned with the other hand. The meal thus produced is coarse, but nevertheless meets the needs of those using the quern.

Her Maiden Effort

Their courtship had continued for some time. He was a young attorney striving to get into the legislature. She guilelessly (perhaps) got him to instruct her in parliamentary practice. On this particular evening he had reached the place where he was explaining how the presiding officer addressed the assembly when a measure was ready to be voted on. She had seemed rather preoccupied all the evening, and at this point she interrupted with, "Beg your pardon; but I really didn't get that last sentence." "Are you ready for the question?" he repeated, smiling indulgently. "Why, yes, George," she cooed, "but you might as well spring it without the preliminaries."

Led by Mrs. Nettie C. D. Carter, hotel owner, business interests of Ocean City have demanded the passage of city legislatuion to curb scanty bathing suits.

Practical Advice

A well-brought-up young lady, who can handle a car in the country, but isn't so sure of herself in traffic, decided recently to take a course at one of the auto schools around Columbus circle to brush up on city driving.

To her utter amazement, soon after she had started out on her first lesson, the instructor leaned over, close to her ear, and queried softly: "Did I hear you call me 'darling?'"

"Sir!" cried the young lady hotly, forgetting all about her driving and turning to glare.

"That's just to teach you, Miss," the instructor responded sternly, "no matter what anybody says to you, keep your eyes on the road."—New Yorker.

Beautiful Wales

One of the most delightful places in the Cador country in Wales is Mawddwy. One of the loveliest routes leads up the Twrch valley to the top of Bwich-y-groes, with the Arans frowning on one side and the Berwyns on the other. For miles the lane winds between high overhanging hedgerows and then ascends a rugged mountain scarp. It was on a slope of the valley that King Arthur killed the giant Ricca or Hyto, who demanded that the king should surrender his beard to be added to the girdle of dead men's beards which the giant wore. His cairn, Bodd Hyto, lies at the foot of the Slope of Beards, down which Arthur hurled his body.

Potatoes and Tobacco

These two plants are related, both members of the nightshade family, to which the tomato, eggplant and pepper also belong. The potato is native to the mountainous districts of tropical and sub-tropical America from Chile to Mexico, and the original home of tobacco was probably roughly the same region. The potato was cultivated and used for food by the Indians long before the discovery of America, and they smoked tobacco in their ceremonies from remotest antiquity, so there is no way of knowing when either of the plants was first put to use by human beings.

Viewed Own Monument

Joseph Haydn, the composer, wrote some of the finest music ever known. During his latter years he was the idol of Vienna, and it irked him considerably that social obligations took so much of his time. One day he returned to his birthplace, the little village of Rohrau, in Lower Austria, unconscious of the fact that news of his fame and fortune had preceded him. So imagine his surprise when, after greeting his kinsfolk, he was escorted to the village cemetery and shown his own monument which Count Harrach, a landed gentleman, had erected.

Boundary Hard to Define

The narrowest strip of land between Asia and Africa is the Suez isthmus through which the canal runs, and the natural geographic boundary between the two grand land divisions is the Suez canal; but the question is somewhat complicated by the fact that the Sinai peninsula and the territory to the Mediterranean is politically a part of Egypt. Many map makers include this latter region in the map of Africa, making the eastern boundary of Egypt the dividing line between the two continents.

SHOPPING JEFFERSON'S

This week, friends and reluctant readers, let there be no fooling, no, we are here to consider serious things, brood over the realities, you know, and all that. No smiles allowed. Nothing but a furowed brow.

It's hats that's done this to me—they always do, Hats are my own private tragedy. Once in ten years I find one that does not make me look like my grandmother's cook on her day out. But the rest of the time,——

So you can see, girls, why I am practically all jitters when I tell you that I've tried on a number of the new hats at Jefferson's and doggone if I don't look downright cute in every one of 'em! Fellas, that's news—But they are absolutely miraculous hats. You must see them yourself and believe me you'd better hustle, each shipment simply melts away.

Of course all the new hats have quite shallow crowns, are warm almost primly straight, and come in those grand "Repeal" shades I told you about. 'Member. "Wine red, Scotch brown," and all the rest and the ones at Jefferson's are smart as any I've seen from the expensive shops, of fine felt and astonishingly,—priced at $1.95 and $3.00. Your unkindest critic would swear yours cost at least five or six, you know, this year the fashion whim is to be ladylike and wise hats truly help one to look like a lady. No slurs ies, give a look.

Incidentally there's a spirtual table of hats for 69 cents. Give a look, ladier, give a look.

Here's another bit of wisdom. Did you see in the paper about the tremendoes rise in price cotton has made? The days f phenominally cheap cotton goods is fast going. Within a few weeks cottons will be 1-3 8 1-2 again as much as now. And so the wise among you will go and stock up at Jefferson's on cotton goods. Enough for a whole year. Be smart, be thrifty, at 15, 19 and 25 cents a yard you right to be dozens of yards of sheer goods for next summer, Ginghams and prints for all the year, materials for the smart printed draperies and slip covers—Don't now, or later wish you had.

This ghastly hot weather reminds me that there are a few of the cool comfortable summer dresses left at Jefferson's. Great bargains. What about one to top off the season? Yours under the Eclipse.

LYDIA LEE.

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REPRIEVED!

Jones (meeting friend): "Why the broad grin?"

Brown: "I've just come from my dentist's."

Jones: "Is that anything to laugh about?"

Brown: "Yes, he wasn't in and won't be for two days."

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