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HER FACE HER FORTUNE.

Why One Girl Got a Good Paying and Easy Position.

She was a sweet looking girl, with as fair a pink and white complexion as woman ever desired, and was chatting with one of her own sex on a Staten Island ferryboat, while I was seated so near that I could not help hearing. Several times my truant eyes deserted my paper and stole a glance at the face that was so attractive.

"It was the lucklest thing that ever happened to me," she said to her companion, "when I went into that Fifth avenue store just to buy a comb. How little I thought that I would be working there at greater wages than I had ever hoped to earn! I hesitated about going in, because I feared the prices would be too high, but I did go in and came out with a comb without paying a cent for it. And, better than all, I had been engaged to begin the next Monday as a saleswoman.

"I was nearly discouraged before that, for I was getting only $4 a week, and we were awfully pinched at home, but my luck changed on that day, and it was Friday too. Fortunately for me, the store was crowded when I went in, and the proprietor left his desk that stands in a little railed off corner and came to wait on me. I noticed that he looked very sharply at me, but not at all in an impudent manner.

"'Pardon me, miss,' he said, 'but I am looking for a young lady to assist me in the store here, and if your circumstances are such that you would care for the place I would like to have you consider it.'

"I was wonderfully surprised, but thanked him, saying that I knew nothing about the business.

"'That doesn't matter,' he replied. 'You can soon learn it. To be frank, I would like to have you on account of your complexion. You know we sell all sorts of goods for the complexion and articles for beautifying, and your face would do more to make sales than all of the arguments and representations that could be made.'

"Well, the result was that I got a fine place, with easy work, at $15 a week. My hours are short, and I simply play the agreeable while selling goods at an immense profit. I wouldn't let any of the concoctions touch my face for anything, but the customers appear to be impressed by my complexion, and the proprietor is satisfied. So am I."—New York Herald.

POULTRY POINTERS.

A close, unventilated house is emphatically a foul house.

Ground or crushed bone is a good form in which to give lime.

The nests should be arranged so that the fowls can walk in on them.

Bran is a better feed for fowls than corn because it contains more nitrogen.

An excellent feed for young chicks is cracked or coarsely ground wheat for the first week.

A cock that fights and picks his mates every time they are fed is not a good breeder, and few of his hens' eggs will ever hatch.

Cane or sorghum seed can be fed to fowls to good advantage. It stimulates egg production and in many ways is good to use for variety.

For a good breeder select a rooster with plump, full breast, broad across the back, wide between the legs and that crows often, loud and long.

It is a good plan to mate up the fowls early, for occasionally one of the hens will want to sit during the winter, and it will be best to have the eggs ready.

Pig For Marriage Fee.

"A Lutheran minister in a western Maryland town told me an amusing story the other day," said a gentleman to a reporter. "Some time ago as this minister was walking along a street of the town an old German advanced toward him with extended hand. The minister shook hands, but remarked that he could not recall his name. 'Oh, yes,' said the old German, 'you remember me! I am the man who gave you a pig when you married me.'

"The minister smiled as he recalled the incident, and as he was about to ask about the wife the old German said: 'Now I tell you what I'll do. When you married me, I gave you a pig, so I'll give you two pigs if you now unmarry me.'"—Baltimore Sun.

Looking Out For Papa.

A sweet little maid of four years was distressed the other evening because her father did not come home to dinner on time. Her grownup sister said to her:

"Papa is naughty, and when he comes we won't give him any tea."

When he did come, the sister sent the teapot out to the kitchen for fresh tea. The baby looked on with a troubled face and stole softly to her own room. Shortly she returned with something squeezed up in her tiny fist. Going up to her sister, she whispered:

"Annie, I'll give you all my pennies if you'll give papa his tea."

And, opening her hand, she displayed all her carefully hoarded pennies.—New York Times.

Politicians.

Phil Brick—What's the difference between an honest and a dishonest politician?

Phil Ossifer—One is in politics for the good he can do his fellow citizens, while the other is in politics for any amount he can do his fellow citizens.—Ohio State Journal.

High Toned.

"This," the salesman said, handing out another package, "is also an excellent substitute for coffee. It is very wholesome. It makes red blood."

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HUMAN HEAD HUNTERS.

The Savages of Polynesia Still Ply This Horrible Trade.

In the scarce known islands of the Pacific sea—New Guinea, Borneo, Ceram, Gilolo and others too numerous to mention—man still exists in the primeval state, and that most horrible of practices, head hunting, is still indulged in in spite of all efforts of various governments and missions as well as philanthropic societies who have come in contact with the people.

Just as the scalp lock on the belt of the young buck Indian was a token of manhood, so the gory head impaled on a tall pole over the hut of the would be young warrior, Papuan or Dayak, proclaims to all the prowess of the youth, henceforth a man and eligible for the council and the wooing of the maidens. It is immaterial how the trophy be obtained, whether by ambuscade or in fair battle. Generally it is the former. The candidate for martial honors simply waits his chance by night in some neighboring village as craftily and patiently as a leopard on the prowl, the kris or a poisoned arrow does the work swiftly and silently, and the severed head has ample time to cool before the deed is discovered and calls for retribution.

Thus an incessant vendetta and carnage go on, and only by living in inaccessible forests and strongly stockaded places is it possible at all for the tribes to save themselves from annihilation. Of the vast island continent of New Guinea the western or Dutch part is the worst looked after, and it often happens that numerous raiding parties in their great war canoes come swooping down the coast before the northwest monsoon and carry death and desolation into the comparatively quiet British portion around the mighty Fly river, opposite Torres strait. By the time the news is carried to Thursday island and the gunboat starts away in pursuit it is generally too late, and the marauders have vanished.

The writer was present once at the capture of a war party, and forty-eight heads were taken from the canoes. Hanging and deportation to penal servitude seem to be but a slight deterrent, for the terror recurs almost as regularly as a plague of locusts. These Papuans are a hardy, warlike people and expert bowmen, and they rely on their skill with this potent weapon solely, using their clubs for the dispatch of wounded foes.

The Dayaks of Borneo and their neighbors, on the other hand, are in favor of the "sumpitan" or blowpipe, shooting little diminutive but very cunningly poisoned arrows. The "sumpitan" has often a spear head attached to the outer end, like a bayonet on a musket. For close fighting they rely on the dreaded "parang," a heavy, hollow ground broadsword about two feet long, with the handle often carved of ivory and ornamented with gold and pearls, the wooden scabbard covered with human skin and hair.

They count him a poor warrior who cannot sever a head clean with one blow delivered backhanded. Even in a mountainous part of the Malay peninsula, north of Malacca, in the Dindings and Hegri Sembilan, there is to this day a remnant tribe of head hunters called the Sa-Ki.

Origin of the Sabbath.

The Sabbath as a religious institution is far older than the Pentateuchal legislation. It, too, can be traced back to a Babylonian prototype, not, however, as a day of rest from labor, but as a kind of atonement day, when by various rites and by observing certain restricted regulations the anger of the gods could be appeased. On this old institution the Hebrews ingrafted their religious ideas and produced the unique institution of a day observed as a respite from the week's toil and which, from being an "inauspicious" occasion, a dies iræ, is viewed as a "delight."—Professor Jastrow in Independent.

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"Tested it?"

"Yes. I doctored myself for indigestion for two weeks before definitely deciding just what the symptoms meant."—Chicago Post.

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Mrs. Jones—How do you like your new cook, Mrs. Brown?

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