

### SCHOOL DAYS



### SOMETHING TO THINK ABOUT

By F. A. WALKER

#### DO IT TODAY!

FREQUENTLY in these days we hear it said among those who habitually dawdle and put off, that "tomorrow will do! Tomorrow I shall feel in a better mood, and then I will turn over a new leaf and show my employer what there is in me."

"I'm not in tune today. I lost a bit of sleep last night and am nervous and irritable. I must have my amusements, though, or I shall grow stale."

Unfortunately for these people who tarry and wait and lag, tomorrow never arrives. It is just as far off as it was a fortnight ago, just as elusive and deceptive.

The pernicious habit of dallying, of postponing until tomorrow while the world keeps calling for action today, is one of the most ruinous in the lives of the young.

We are all on speaking terms with today, but tomorrow is a stranger, famous for ingenuity in dangling hope before our sleepy eyes and tricking us year after year.

In the closet of good resolutions, where we sometimes secrete ourselves in order to turn the leaves of the past, and scan the hastily scribbled entries we have put upon them, we make this unwelcome discovery with a pang of regret.

To be perturbed and clouded at such times is natural, but if we continue to hang fire, to persist in disregarding today and still keep up our silly flirtation with tomorrow, we do these things at our peril.

We grow less resolute and in a little while we become abject creatures of misfortune.

It takes two to make your success, your employer and yourself.

And what you do, the manner and promptness in which you do it, is your greatest asset, and ought to be your chief concern.

If you regularly put off today's duties until tomorrow, keep disregarding today's blandishments and cheating yourself with the foolish idea that you will in some miraculous way "catch up" you are simply speeding the hour when your employer will abruptly dissolve partnership with you.

And the main side to this is that by waiting for tomorrow you are deliberately hastening your ultimate downfall and ruining your future prospects.

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### GIRLIGAG,



"Among other inconveniences," says Soliloquizing Sue, "the chap who cuts his nose off to spite his face will find that he can't blow his horn."

#### Japanese Proverb

"One doesn't expect to find grass growing in a market place."

### SAWS

By Viola Brothers Shore

#### FOR THE GOOSE—

IT'S easier to strangle the first desire than feed all the ones that's born from it.

Tryin' to learn a kid some'm without first arousin' his interest is hammerin' cold iron.

If a woman keeps changin' her maids all the time it's a sign of some'm. And if she has the same one for ten years it's a sign of some'm, too. Dumb luck.

#### FOR THE GANDER—

Lawyers, judges and doctors is nice people to meet socially.

The thing about learnin' ain't so much that it makes you fit compny for other folks, but for yourself.

When he can't get his car to go, the last thing a guy usually thinks about, is if there's enough gas in the tank. And instead of bein' relieved when he finds out that's all that's the matter, he gen'rally gets madder than a one-armed flute player whose nose itches.

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### WHAT THE GRACIOUS HOSTESS SAYS:

By DELLA THOMPSON LUDS

#### INFORMAL DINNER MENU

THE informal dinner menu should consist of a soup, a meat or meat substitute, two vegetables, olives, pickles, or other relish. Grapefruit is often served instead of soup, especially in warm weather. The salad should be served separately, and it is a pretty custom to make it at the table after everything has been removed except the bread and butter plates and glasses. Making a salad may be a very artistic performance, and a hostess never appears to better advantage than when her capable hands are moving gracefully over a salad bowl, or among the cups and silver.

Suppose we are going to have a lettuce and tomato salad. The lettuce should have been prepared previously, and allowed to stand for some time in ice water. It has been shaken perfectly dry and brought to the table in a large bowl as handsome as possible.

The tomatoes should be of uniform size and not too large. They have been peeled by pouring boiling water over them and allowed to chill. The centers have been dug out. They are brought in on a glass plate, or one of old blue china. A bowl of mayonnaise and a plate of small pot cheese balls are placed before the hostess, together with the salad plates. With the salad fork and spoon she arranges a few lettuce leaves on a plate, places one tomato in the center, fixes a ball of the pot cheese in the excavation and pours mayonnaise over the top.

If the salad is one which requires a French dressing, such as lettuce or lettuce and cucumber salad, then a bowl is brought in which the dressing may be mixed. A pretty tray should hold the oil, salt, pepper, paprika, vinegar, and a dish of cracked ice. A spoon for mixing, either of wood or silver, is placed beside the tray.

Serving the dessert at the table is also a more pleasing custom for the informal dinner than bringing it in from the kitchen. A mold of pudding, ice-cream, or mousse on a pretty platter, with a pile of dainty plates, a serving knife and spoon, is an attractive sight. A delicately browned pie, baked in a glass dish and placed before the hostess will whet a lagging appetite. Pie is not a dessert for the formal dinner, but is quite appropriate for the informal.

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### ALWAYS A HOME

By DOUGLAS MALLOCH

THE door is narrow, the roof is low, Around the border the brambles grow,

It's a poor little house—but remember though

It somehow is home to some one. One little lamp like a candle-beam, Shines down the path with a flickering gleam—

Ah, humble the humble house may seem, But it always is home to some one.

A little room with a single chair And a table here and a sofa there, Yet one sweet thought makes it always fair—

It's somehow a home to some one. And what of the castle on the hill? What makes it beautiful? All that will

Is the thought the castle, the castle still, Is simply a home to some one.

Oh, never smile at the humble place, For God has given them each their grace,

Each house a look as he gave a face Yes, each is a home to some one. Oh, never think that the castle wall Looks fair because of the gilt and all, It's only a bed when the shadows fall, It's only a home to some one.

For never a cot looks poor to me, Nor a castle grand, though grand it be;

Whatever I see I only see A spot that's a home to some one. And I know the God who gives some one here

Some place than all of the rest more dear Will have up yonder, when death is near,

Some sort of a home for some one. (© by McClure Newspaper Syndicate.)

### Mother's Cook Book

I like to think when the day is through Of each good deed that I stopped to do And there's a blessing for all the weel In some kind word that I ought to speak.

To ease a hurt and to wipe a tear These are the virtues that bless the year, And if I have lessened pain and strife, Then shall I be content with life.

—L. Mitchell Thornton.

### GOOD EVERYDAY FOODS

FOR a pudding that is nice enough for any occasion and economical, too, try the following:

**Graham Pudding.**  
Take one cupful each of graham flour, white flour, molasses, sweet milk, raisins, one egg and one teaspoonful of soda. Warm the molasses, add soda, mix the flours and add a pinch of salt. Gradually add the milk and the egg well beaten and lastly the floured raisins with such spices or flavors as one desires. Nuts, citron, lemon and orange peel are all good. Steam two hours in a buttered mold or small pan. Serve with:

**Coconut Cream Pie.**  
Take two and one-half cupfuls of milk, three-fourths cupful of sugar, two-thirds cupful of pastry flour, one-fourth teaspoonful of salt, two eggs, one-half teaspoonful of orange extract, one cupful of coconut, and two tablespoonfuls of powdered sugar. Prepare the custard, cook twenty minutes in a double boiler, adding the egg yolks two minutes before the twenty minutes are up. Pour into a baked pastry shell and sprinkle the coconut over the top. Place in the oven to brown lightly after covering with the beaten whites and sugar.

### Nellie Maxwell

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### THE YOUNG LADY ACROSS THE WAY



The young lady across the way says she wonders what the single tax advocates would do about the widowers and if they'd have to pay it, too.

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### Daddy's Evening Fairy Tale

By MARY GRAHAM BONNER

#### SKYSCRAPER FAIRY

First I must tell you what the Skyscraper Fairy wore. She wore a dress of the loveliest shade of blue—that shade of blue that comes just before dawn and creeps over the city buildings and any hills that there may be in the distance.

It was made in points, too, points from her skirt, points from her shoulders and the sleeves went off in points.

On her head was a crown that was made of blue, too, only there was just the faintest suggestion of rose in its coloring and there were a few very, very faint, very little, very small stars that you could just see if you looked very closely.

Her home was on the top of the tallest skyscraper in a big city of skyscrapers. She lived there a great deal of the time and she called it her home—though of course she had her Fairyland home, too, and she used to go wandering and visiting a great deal of the time.

She used to go at dusk when the city is beginning to have soft shadows over it so that all its dirt and ugliness disappear, and the bright lights of the city and the faint lights from the stars and the deep, deep violet shadows take the place of the things that stand out so plainly in the daylight.

But it was not only because the city was so lovely at twilight time and just at sunset time, too, when the great big sun sank down behind the great big city, that the Skyscraper fairy loved it.

It was because then she used to go around to see her many little friends. She went to visit the children. And she had so many friends among them. They did not exactly know she was the one who came to see them, but they knew often at night how happy



And the Squirrels.

they were when they looked out of their city windows and saw the mysterious, wonderful city lights, and heard the strange, muffled sounds of the city streets.

They did not know why such wonderful thoughts came to them then—thoughts they never could express—they did not know quite why they felt so happy and why their imaginations had such a good time without just exactly letting them into the secret.

For the Skyscraper fairy wanted to make them all have as interesting a time as the children who were visited by fairies everywhere else. So every city had its Skyscraper fairy and her workers. The first Skyscraper fairy of all had seen to that.

She knew that back of so many big apartment house buildings with their hundreds of windows and so many other huge big city places that looked so hard and cold on the outside, were plenty of wonderful children.

And she took them Fairyland thoughts. At dusk, too, she used to go around and see them as they awoke and made them feel something of the same early morning freshness that they would have felt if they had lived in the country.

Oh, how the Skyscraper fairy knew them. She knew how they used to go to the big parks in the afternoon to play, she knew how they used to go and visit the zoo.

She knew how they used to go and feed the pigeons and the ducks and the squirrels.

She knew how they used to draw with their pieces of chalk on the stone walks that were in some of the smaller parks where they went.

She used to watch them as they played—then, of course, in true Fairyland style she wore a cloak so dazzling that they could no more have looked at her than they could have looked at the sun.

She loved her city children and she knew how they, too, loved fairies and she loved the city with its big, hard buildings which softened in the afternoon when the sun set, and as the lights came out, and again in the morning when the blue colors rested over the whole, whole city of skyscrapers.

#### New Type

The youngster very proudly showed mother the picture she had been drawing. It was supposed to represent a house, surrounded by trees. Mother was critical. "Just look at that house," she said. "It's too big; it's as tall as the trees." The youngster looked scornful. "O, this is an apartment house," she said. —Springfield Union.

## Claims Everyone Can Now Have Good Health

Los Angeles Business Man Suffering Months From Constipation, Indigestion and Run-Down Condition Regains Health with Tanlac



Mr. Harry Franklin, a well-known Los Angeles manufacturer with offices at 918 Broadway, says: "My experience proves that nearly everyone can now have good health. After many months of indigestion and constipation, months that ended by my being in a badly run-down condition, I regained good health, new strength and calm nerves. . . . Thanks to Tanlac. "Imagine not being able to eat without suffering from tormenting pains and the burning sensation of indigestion. The poisons caused by sluggish liver and constipation ravaging my system, left me tired and draggy all the time, with no energy for my work. "Then I turned to Tanlac, determined to give it a fair trial. From the first bottle it helped me. Within a few weeks I found myself with more energy than I had known in months, a fine appetite, good digestion—I feel that I could eat nails without harm—I am so built up in every way. "I now enjoy robust health and work all day at top speed without tiring. But I have not stopped taking Tanlac, for it is the one way to continued good health, to top strength and energy. My wife, too, highly praises Tanlac. She is inclined to be delicate and has found that Tanlac

has preserved her health and strength for many years. Everyone should take this wonderful tonic. "Tanlac has helped thousands of Californians. It is Nature's own remedy made from roots, barks and herbs according to the famous Tanlac formula. The first bottle usually brings wonderful relief from pain. Keep up the treatment and you grow stronger, healthier, more robust. "Don't neglect your health, don't suffer from pain needlessly, begin taking this wonder tonic now. Ask your druggist for Tanlac—today!

Before marriage a woman frequently thinks of a man. After marriage she frequently thinks for him.

There are some 330,000 superannuated officers and officials on the Japanese pension roll, which amounts to about \$90,000,000 annually.

#### Maybe This Contains a Hint for You!

Los Angeles, Calif.—"It was my good fortune to get one of Dr. Pierce's books several years ago and it has been a wonderful help to me while bringing up my family. The plain advice given is invaluable to mothers. "The use of Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription during expectancy and afterward was to me the greatest help. It gave me strength, spirit and nerve. I have also used the Golden Medical Discovery for a bad cough and bill ousness, and it has entirely rid me of these troubles."—Mrs. Noemi Reynolds, 150 N. Dittman St. Dealers Write Dr. Pierce, Buffalo, N. Y. for free medical advice.

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**Dog Star**  
Professor of Astronomy—Did you observe Sirius, the Dog Star, closely last night? Movie Fan—Yes, he was great in "Nomads of the North," wasn't he?—Answers.

### Salts Fine for Aching Kidneys

When Back Hurts Flush Your Kidneys as You Clean Your Bowels

Most folks forget that the kidneys, like the bowels, sometimes get sluggish and clogged and need a flushing occasionally, else we have backache and dull misery in the kidney region, severe headaches, rheumatic twinges, torpid liver, acid stomach, sleeplessness and all sorts of bladder disorders. You simply must keep your kidneys active and clean and the moment you feel an ache or pain in the kidney region begin drinking lots of water. Also get about four ounces of Jad Salts from any good drug store here, take a tablespoonful in a glass of water before breakfast for a few days and your kidneys will then act fine. This famous salt is made from the acid of grapes and lemon juice, combined with lithia, and is intended to flush clogged kidneys and help stimulate them to activity. It also helps neutralize the acids in the urine so they no longer irritate, thus helping to relieve bladder disorders. Jad Salts is inexpensive; makes a delightful effervescent lithia water drink which everybody should take now and then to help keep their kidneys clean.

A well-known local druggist says he sells lots of Jad Salts to folks who believe in trying to correct kidney trouble while it is only trouble.

**Ambitious**  
"Yes, Gladys has gone to Europe." "Why?" "She wants to get into the swim." "Social or channel?"—Louisville Courier-Journal.

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**Answered**  
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