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ELKS ADOPT BOY SCOUTS.
 The Elks of Minneapolis have purchased as a permanent camp site for the use of local boy scouts, an 18-acre farm located on Lake Minnetonka which Scout Executive Dale pronounces the finest camp site in America. The former owner of the farm, Benjamin A. Paust, has not only made a generous sale price for the property, but has also agreed to help the Elks finance the enterprise. It is confidently expected that other Elks' lodges throughout the country will follow the example of their Minneapolis brothers.

UNIVERSITY ADOPTS SCOUTING.
 Two boy scout troops have been installed in the minimum department of the University of Notre Dame. Rev. James Burns, president of the university, has this to say:
 "After investigating the boy scout movement under Catholic leadership and realizing the good it is accomplishing among our boys throughout the United States by inculcating such virtues as kindness, obedience and reverence, I take great pleasure in giving my endorsement to this praiseworthy work and will do all I can in a practical way to further the movement here at the University of Notre Dame."

Stolen Baby's Bathing.
 Chicago.—The "meanest thief" is being sought by the Marquette police. He invaded the rear porch of the home of Henry Rumph, 2049 Fluorony street, and stole a small metal bathing tub used by Mrs. Rumph in bathing her daughter Florence, two years old.

More than 25 per cent of the textile factories in Spain have closed down for an indefinite period. The balance are working on a three-day-a-week basis.

SCHOOL DAYS



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THE WOODS

By DOUGLAS MALLOCH SYLVIA.

IT WAS because the dawn was in her eyes,
 It was because the night was in her hair,
 Because I heard the forest in her sighs,
 I held her fair.
 She came upon me 'neath the huddled eaves,
 She walked beside me in the maze of men—
 Her sadness, sadness of a wood that grieves,
 Her smile, the sun again.

Her voice was like the whispering of trees,
 Her laughter like the tinkle of a rill;
 Her cheeks blushed roses, roses such as these
 Upon the hill.
 She was a river in a thirsty land,
 A changeless star in midnight skies to shine—
 Her touch, to walk with Nature hand-in-hand—
 And she was mine, was mine.

So leave me in the wood a little while;
 Here where the grass is greenest let me lie.
 The sun shall bring me once again her smile,
 The wind her sigh.
 Here only do we seem no more apart,
 In verdant ways beneath the skies of blue;

The stirring earth will seem a beating heart,
 The heart, the heart I knew.
 Once only she could bring the forest near,
 In those old days amid the panting crowd,
 Once only she could make the stars appear
 Beyond the cloud.

So now the forest that her soul expressed
 To my own soul is her interpreter—
 In every wind that wanders east or west
 I hear but her, but her!
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THE GIRL ON THE JOB

How to Succeed—How to Get Ahead—How to Make Good
 By JESSIE ROBERTS

THE HOTEL WORKER.
 THE hotel worker gets her board and usually her lodging, as well as her salary. The salaries run from \$50 to \$150 a month. Hotel positions are interesting and important. A girl must have intelligence, a good presence, good manners, and a level head. She has responsibilities, and she ought to be a judge of human nature. The room clerk must have a good memory, so that even with a large clientele she will remember the different guests who are making her hotel their home, and she should be able to size up applicants for rooms without hesitation.

The desk clerk comes into direct contact with the guests. She is stationed at the desk in the main lobby, and must be ready to answer all sorts of questions regarding not only the hotel, but the city. She must be smart in appearance, have tact, courtesy and unfailing good humor.

The floor clerk accepts packages, answers phone calls, pays for C. O. D. parcels. She often does stenography for guests. She receives, sorts and delivers the mail for her floor. And she, too, answers questions.

Then there are the restaurant positions, the cafe cashier, the food checker, the waitress. All these positions are good ones.

Moreover, there are the summer hotels, where a girl gets room, board and salary, varying according to the type of hotel. Many college women help themselves through college in this way.

For the ambitious girl without definite training hotel work is to be recommended as an excellent way to earn an independent living.
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THE ROMANCE OF WORDS

"CANARD."

IN ENGLISH the word "canard" is used to signify a fabricated, sensational story—something made up "out of the whole cloth," a verbal bomb usually sprung at the last moment so that there will not be time successfully to contradict it. But "canard," in French, means a duck. There doesn't appear to be much connection between the two—but there is. In fact the whole thing goes back to ducks, twenty of them.

Norbert Cornelissen, a Frenchman who lived during the last century, determined to experiment with the credulity of the public and reported to the newspapers that he had a flock of ducks, twosome in number, of which he took one, cut it into small pieces and threw the bits to the other nineteen, which devoured them ravenously. Then, scarcely giving the ducks time to get hungry, Cornelissen repeated the experiment and was once more successful. "In an amazingly short space of time," he declared, "the flock was reduced to a single duck, which had eaten his nineteen brothers."

Scientists and naturalists argued about the matter for some days through the columns of the Parisian papers. Then Cornelissen confessed that the whole thing was a hoax. There had never even been a flock of ducks, just the one that he kept for purposes of exhibition. But the report had gained so much publicity that the phrase "duck story" was implanted in French slang, much as "fish story" is an accepted colloquialism in English. "Canard" became synonymous with hoax and, instead of being translated, the word was adopted bodily into English in its present sense.
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Mother's Cook Book

All kind things must be done on their own account, and for their own sake, and without the least reference to any gratitude.

THE DAINTY HOME TABLE.

SINCE linen has been almost prohibitive in price and the linen in our chests has been cherished for state occasions, the little Japanese sets, cloths and napkins, which make no pretense of being anything more than cotton (but which have such pretty artistic designs, in good colors) have become very popular.

The well-kept dining table never looks better than when laid with pretty dolles, which most women enjoy making in their leisure moments.

The old fashion of loading the table with all sorts of good things has passed. We still have the desire to be well fed but with more comfort and greater health.

A dainty centerpiece of flowers or a small plant always adds to the appearance of any table. Flowers need not be of the choice hot house variety, for a bunch of beautiful clover is a thing of beauty and costs nothing.

Pretty little ferns may be taken up in the woods, planted in small pots and used for a table ornament.

The present fashion returns to the old way of serving desserts and salads at the table, letting each guest help himself to the amount he desires. This is both convenient and economical as it eliminates leftovers.

Nellie Maxwell
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April Fool Jokes.

According to tradition the custom arose from the fact that Noah sent out the dove on the first of the month, which corresponded to our April, before the water had abated. To perpetuate the memory of the great deliverance of Noah and his family, it was customary on this anniversary to punish persons who had forgotten the remarkable circumstance connected with the date by sending them on some foolish errand, similar to that on which the patriarch sent the luckless dove from the windows of the ark.

Roman Baths Overpraised.
 The baths of ancient Rome so wonderfully pictured by painters and story tellers, do not compare favorably with the modern bath. Judged by standards prevailing before the coming of Christ these baths were wonderful, but measured by standards of today the glories of Rome, marks of the highest degree of civilization in the ancient world, would be declared unsanitary and likely be condemned as menaces to the health of users.

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Have to Eat the Leavings.
 The women of California and other fruit-producing states of the Pacific coast are complaining that, while they are charged high prices for the fruit that they must buy, they are unable to get anything but the second-grade produce. Under ordinary circumstances the choicest fruit is sent to the eastern markets and only when the market is glutted are they able to get the best.

The Candle Snuffers Were Snuffed.
 It is just about 300 years ago that candle snuffers used to be used, for at that time there was a great advance in the manufacture of the wicks which enabled the latter to burn more satisfactorily, and after that there was no use for the snuffers. The wicks of candles are put through a treatment, on various chemicals before they are placed in the interior of the candle. This prevents them from smoking and from burning too rapidly.

A Writer's Style.
 The greatest poets have, with rare exceptions, been the most indebted to their predecessors or to their contemporaries. It has wittily been remarked that only mediocrity is ever wholly original. . . . A writer's style, if it have distinction, is the outcome of a hundred styles.—Thomas Bailey Aldrich.

No Excitement There.
 It is contrary to the traditions of the British house of commons for either cards or billiards to be played within its precincts. Members who require indoor recreations are expected to content themselves with chess or draughts.—Brooklyn Eagle.

It is Peculiar.
 "Newspaper guys are funny. Whenever they meet they always ask, 'What do you know?' The other says, 'Nothing,' and then the paper the next morning is filled with news."—Portland Oregonian.

Ancient Egyptian Money.
 The ancient Egyptians had a gold coin and silver standard of currency, and their money was in the form of gold and silver ornaments, rings and nuggets, the value of which depended upon weight.

Is No Fool.
 The man who never talks of the great things he is going to do never has to explain afterwards why he didn't do them.—Boston Transcript.

Something to Be Thankful For.
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