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### The Family a Social Center.

"I do not know why members of a family, whenever they are left alone, should settle down to talking about dismal family topics," says Mr. Woodberry in "The Errant Wooing;" and the reader wonders with him. When the family is left alone the tendency is to resolve into a critical body, a committee of ways and means, or an executive committee. It is only in a rare instance that the impersonal, outside matters that would lead and control the conversation of a body of friends control the family conversation; and yet nowhere is the gift of conversation so valuable as when the family is alone. We take it for granted, even between mothers and daughters and fathers and sons, that the fact of blood-relation makes changes of courtesy, approval, encouragement, and common interest obligatory. The family circle should never be a stage for the display of bad manners, ill temper, and lack of self-control. One sometimes hears it said that it is the duty of the mother to create this atmosphere of sociality in the home. It is a common duty. Family life is a conglomerate, a many-sided crystal, and to be perfect it needs the contribution of good temper, good manners, and sympathy from the members in their relations toward each other and toward the family as a whole. Watch any family where there is a common intellectual interest—a family spoken of as a musical family, for instance—and see how the mutual relations differ from those of the family where each member has separate and individual interests apart from the others. Character commands as much respect from the individual members of a family as it does from the world at large.

What we need in the hurry and rush of to-day more than anything else is family life in its perfection, and that we can have only when each member of a family contributes his or her share towards its beauty, peace, and intellectual development.

Family life should be the social centre for each member of that family, the place where each can bring his friends with freedom, and the place where his friend will receive a ready welcome from all because of the friendship existing between him and a member of that family. While all may not be able to find the same bond of sympathy or the same common interest, because the stranger is the friend of the one he should be received sympathetically by all. Life is more than meat, and the body is more than raiment, but too often the family life seems to accept the two facts of food and raiment and exclude all others; and where this is done one always finds the elements of unrest, dissatisfaction, criticism, and lack of sympathy.

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### The Social Outlook.

Justice Brown, of the United States Supreme Court, in a recent address to the Yale law students, said, in part:

"There are certain perils which menace the immediate future of the country and even threaten the stability of its institutions. The most prominent of these are municipal corruption, corporate greed, and the tyranny of labor. Bribery and corruption are so universal as to threaten the very structure of society. Universal suffrage, which it was confidently supposed would inure to the benefit of the poor man, is so skillfully manipulated as to rivet his chains, and secure to the rich man a predominance in politics he has never enjoyed under a restricted system."

Probably in no other country in the world is the influence of wealth more potent than in this, and in no period of our history has it been more powerful than now.

"Mobs are never logical, and are prone to seize upon pretexts rather than upon reasons, to wreak their vengeance upon whole classes of society. There was probably never a flimsier excuse for a great riot than that given for the sympathetic strike of last summer, but back of it were substantial grievances to which the conscience of the citizens seems to have been finally awakened. If wealth will not respect the rules of common honesty in the use of its power it will have no reason to expect moderation or discretion on the part of those who resist its encroachments. The outlook for permanent peace between capital and labor is certainly not an encouraging one. The conflict between them has been going on and increasing in bitterness for thousands of years, and a settlement seems further off than ever."

"It is not improbable that the existing social discontent will result in the gradual enlargement of the functions of government and to the ultimate control of natural monopolies. If the government may be safely intrusted with the transmission of our letters and papers, I see no reason why it may not also with our telegrams and parcels, as it is almost universally the case in England, or with our passengers and freight, through a State ownership of railways, as in Germany, France, Austria, Sweden, and Norway. If the State owns its highways, why may it not own its railways? If a municipality owns its streets, and keeps them paved, sewered, and cleansed, why may it not also light them, water them, and transport its citizens over them? Such, at least, is the tendency of modern legislation in nearly every highly civilized State but our own."

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### A Mirage Explained.

In the course of his second lecture on "Light," at the Royal Institution, Lord Raleigh spoke of the cause of mirage, which, it appears, is not clearly explained in the work of optics. Ganot says it is a phenomenon of refraction which results from the unequal density of the different layers of the air when they are expanded by contact with the heated soil. Lord Rayleigh is reported as saying that the appearance of water on broad and hot sandy places is due to the fact that close upon the ground there lay a stratum of rarified air. A ray of light fell very obliquely on to it, and, being totally reflected, reached the eye of the observer much as if the reflection took place from the water.

The phenomenon was, strictly speaking, one of refraction, although the effect was the same as if there were complete reflection on one surface. He mentioned this because he did not think it was to be found in any of the books on optics, and because from a theoretical point of view it was of great importance. Just as a glass lens formed an image on the screen, so the crystalline lens of the eye formed an image of external objects upon the retina (the sensitive surface at the back of the eye), and so the image on the retina was inverted. Much unnecessary speculation has been made in this connection, for people supposed that, because of this inversion, it was a mystery that we did not see everything upside down. The fact was, we did not see the image on the retina at all—we only felt it; but if we could see the image on somebody's else retina, then we should see it inverted.—Philadelphia Press.

### Railway Rates.

The most valuable thing, probably, in the annual report of the Interstate Commerce Commission is the result of an investigation made by order of Congress, to ascertain the average charges per ton per English mile for moving freight on the railways of different countries. The following table gives the average:

Great Britain.....	3.2 cents per mile
France.....	2.2 " "
Germany.....	1.64 " "
United States, 1893.....	.878 " "
United States, 1894.....	.866 " "

The commission also investigated the average rate per mile for passengers, with the following result: Great Britain, first class 4.42 cents, second class 3.2, third class 1.94; France, first 3.86 cents, second 2.86, third 2.08; Germany, first 3.1 cents, second 2.32, third 1.54; United States, 1893, 2.108 cents; 1894, 1.976 cents.—Toledo Blade.

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Mr. Harold Frederic writes from London that the number of near relations in the new British administration is interesting. They include a father and son, Mr. Chamberlain and Austen Chamberlain; a father-in-law and son-in-law, Lord Salisbury and Lord Selborne; an uncle and two nephews, Lord Salisbury and the Messrs. Balfour, and two brothers-in-law, Lord George Hamilton and Lord Lansdowne.

Women govern us; let us render them perfect—the more they are enlightened so much the more shall we be. It is by women that nature writes on the hearts of men.

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