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## Woman's Sphere

A CHRISTMAS GIFT THAT | child may not be rich but he will be top. DAUGHTER WILL ENJOY.

About this time of year mothers and aunts of growing girls are searching their brains for new ideas that will allowed to handle money. bring pleasure on Christmas Day. sands of girls will this year welcome a book by the same author, "Camp a book by the same author, "Camp (which means "Far Ken-Jockety" (which means "Far the small kerosene can is kept; if the Ken-Jockety" (which means "Far the small kerosene can is kept; if the catalogue on the catalogue on the same author, "Camp that our presence must have been kept that the but have been kept that the but have been kept tha Ken-Jockety" (which means "Far the small kerosene can is always placed on the catalogue from the madding crowd") is a whole-some tale of a summer spent near there will never be an oily ring to some tale of a summer spent near there will never be an oily ring to now have blown the garf on Peter and now have lands of Ontario. Our old friend Judy I like two or three such catalogues me. How long could this secrecy last, days, and then you, too, will be dead." Sun half aimed, talked to him about lands of Ontario. Our old friend Judy I like two or three such catalogues me. How long could this secrecy last, days, and then you, too, will be dead." adian poetry and romance in Can- cooking utenstls. If the dishes had that with him, too, things had mis- candid, you know . . . She cares no is well worthy of a place on your this cleaning would have been undaughter's bookshelf.

Bennett (Toronto: Thos. Allen.) \$1.50. newspapers is that the catalogue is

#### CHILDREN AND MONEY.

We often hear the expression, "he has no more idea of how to spend money than a child." It is unfortunately true that a great many people have no sense of money value, and this is even more true of children, which is also unfortunate. Very young children cannot be taught to estimate money properly, of course, but after a child has reached school age and is studying enough arithmetic to enable him to compute sums and do addition and subtraction, he can be taught; money values in both very important senses of the word.

People are coming more and more to the idea of an allowance for the child who has no way of earning money. They are delegating certain purchases to the child himself, increasing these with his age and increase in allowance, and feel that when he does reach the age that he can become a real wageearner or own a farm or run a business for himself, he will be much more capable of the proper distribution and saving of his funds.

The reason a great many people have no sense of money values is because they never had money until they earned it themselves upon reaching buy a coveted toy will also be more length with a band cuff or in elbow careful of the toy when he gets it, and length with a turned back cuff. Print-The child who must save his money to The sleeve may be finished in wrist days I have been living in hell." value is. Though nothing seems so big bined. This is a good model for as the first money he earns, he will checked or plaid suiting, or gingham. "Look at me," I said, "straight in can buy with it if he has learned on the state of the sta

certain amount of work about the home. Other parents feel that they do not wish the children to get the idea that they must be paid for what Adelaide Street, Toronto. Allow two idea that they must be paid for what Adelaide Street, Toronto. Allow two eyes red-hot. they do at home. It is usually very weeks for receipt of pattern. satisfactory for farm children to be The results of their care and labor extreme discomfort in hanging out my and the money carped develop in the clother. Monthly all the results of their care and labor extreme discomfort in hanging out my and the money carped develop in the clother. Monthly all the results of their care and labor extreme discomfort in hanging out my and the money carped develop in the clother. Monthly all the results of their care and labor extreme discomfort in hanging out my and the money carped develop in the clother all the results of their care and labor extreme discomfort in hanging out my and the money carped develop in the clother all the results of their care and labor extreme discomfort in hanging out my and the money carped develop in the clother all the results of their care and labor extreme discomfort in hanging out my and the money carped develop in the clother all the results of their care and labor extreme discomfort in hanging out my and the money carped develop in the clother all the results of their care and labor extreme discomfort in hanging out my and the results of their care and labor extreme discomfort in hanging out my and the money carped develop in the clother all the results of the results o children more business ability than came wet and the freezing cold stung clean, honest things." could ever be talked into them after my fingers unmercifully. Next morn-they have started out for themselves. ing as I turned toward my kitchen they have started out for themselves. window a flash of orange caught my

"They'll come back, never lear.

We're at the last lap now. One more spurt and it's over. You've got to tell me what the new snag is. Is it

considered incomplete if they know eyes -- the rubber gloves that my that woman?" only how to count money. Even in neighbor was wearing as she hung up He shivered like a frightened colt. buying their clothing they can be con- her wash. Right then I marveled at "Woman!" he cried. "Does a woman definite idea of just what is good taste saying that the next frosty wash day She's a she-devil. Oh, it isn't madness and why, and can get some idea of ma- my rubber gloves are going to have a that's wrong with her. She's as sane terials. Our richest men have often share in the work.—Mrs. O. A. Moen. life is an infernal game of chess, and been boys who had to learn the value of the dollar at a very early age, and they never forgot the lesson. Your 



# GREENMANTLE

BY JOHN BUCHAN. \_\_\_\_

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He stood up in his linen tunic.

of doing things was all his own. He he must have got it by heart. Then when it was done. It will haunt me he took his field-glasses-a very good till my dying day." single Zeiss which was part of the I did not stop to console him, announced that he was going to follow "Then the prophet is gone, and the the rhino land in the river, trusting spoils from Rasta's motor-car-and my mind was on fire with his news. my example and get on to the house humbug is over," I cried.

able to spend what he does make more through the trap, and Blenkiron and found a successor. Peter must have found something "Why do I wear these clothes? Be for the final act. He suddenly stopped intelligently and will have more respect for a bank account if he does not uncommon interesting, for he stayed cause I am Greenmantle. I am the It was a dull job for us, since there three days' time I will reveal myself be were going to sleep. The terrible even the consolation of a game of Pathe green ephod of the prophet."

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While this was going on I felt a poke
tience. But for all that he was in

He broke off with an hysterical

Benson appears in this story, but the in the screened cupboard where I I asked myself. We had now no sort I had no words to reply. This his ugly self. About this time my the senson appears in this story, but the in the screened cuppoard where I had no words to reply. This had no words to reply the had no words to reply. This had no words to reply the had no words to r chief interest centres around Joyce Hamilton, an American girl, and her novel experiences as the guest of that delightful Canadian family, the Davidsons. Joyce learns all the joys of out is usually devoted to scouring from its only help was Sandy, and he gave no But instead I did all she asked, and rhino charged through the safari and sons. Joyce learns all the joys of our lis usually devoted the marks left by hot or sooty sign of his existence. I began to fear joined in her game . . . She was very off into the bush."

Camp Ken-Jockety. By Ethel Hume The advantage of a catalogue over that Constantinonle week. The guns last has her own dreams, and they consumed by his that Constantinople week. The guns devotion. She has told me them, and kept me cheerful. There was the devil if the day in the garden was hell, the that a Beefeater must wear a beard. when its surface becomes soiled tear- thought that our Allies were thunder- fires of Tophet. I think—it is horrible considered but all members of the Year ing off a few pages leaves it clean ing within half a dozen miles off gave to say it—that she has got some kind occasions, but all members of the Yeome a perfectly groundless hope. If to say it—that she has got some kind men of the Guard have to report to they burst through the defence Hilda reclaimed the East I am to be by her the Adjutant at St. James's Palace for von Einem and her prophet and all side when she rides on her milk-white beard inspection at certain regular inour enemies would be overwhelmed in horse into Jerusalem . . . And there tervals. the deluge. And that blessed chance have been moments—only moments, I In the Middle Ages Beefeaters used depended very much on old Peter, now swear to God-when I have been fired to protect and attend the Sovereign,

A CHARMING FROCK FOR

MOTHER'S GIRL.

HER SEWING APRON.

that Hussin appeared again. He took too much for Blenkiron. He indulged to make the King's bed. It was not till the late afternoon his voice grew shrill and wild. It was he went to the door and waited. lips. ed and I heard the key turn in the lock sense into your afflicted friend."

gone, and he wore instead a long linen strung, fanciful souls. He would take large ruff round the neck still forms a tunic clasped at the waist by a broad more than mortal risks, and you very important part of it. a weary acolyte, for there was no volved his honor, and he might go from the Guards. with dark lines beneath them. willing response. And then came bitter more recent origin than the Yeomen "Good God, old man, have you been and morbid repentance, and the last of the Guard.

sick?" I cried. much deeper impressions than those 4540. Here is a model with lines "Not sick," he said hoarsely. "My that have to be learned later in life. that are pleasing and comfortable. body is right enough, but the last few "Sandy, you old fool," I cried, "be

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I kept my grip on his wrists. "Take your time, old chap, and tell us about it. Blenkiron and I are here, and old

and the money earned develop in the clothes. My old white gloves soon be-

sulted at an early age and get a more my own density, but it goes without drag a man through the nether-pit?

more he buried his head in his hands. I know of a dressmaker who saves It was Blenkiron who brought sense her customers at least three dollars into this hectic atmosphere. His slow, each week by the use of her sewing beloved drawl was an antiseptic

apron. On the apron is sewed firmly against nerves. a pin cushion, filled with pins and "Say, boy," he said, "I feel just like threaded needles. A tape measure you about the lady. But our job is hangs through a tiny strap, stitched not to investigate her character. Her to the apron for the purpose; shears day. We've got to figure how to cirand scissors are attached to a long, cumvent her, and for that you've got strong tape fastened to the belt. In to tell us what exactly's been occurthe pockets are measuring rule, chalk, ring since we parted company." thread, silk, snaps, hooks and eyes- Sandy pulled himseli together with

everything needed for sewing instant- a great effort. ly at hand. With not a second to be "Greenmantle died that night I saw wasted in searching for needed arti- you. We buried him secretly by her cles, the minutes saved sount into came the trouble about his successor hours and the hours represent honesthours and the hours represent honestto-goodness dollars at the end of every party to a swindle. They were honest
week.—L. C.
men, and vowed that their task now

## Africa.

The rhinoceros is the stupidest of fellow in all Africa, according to Carl Akeley, the distinguished naturalist and chief taxidermist of the American Museum of Natural History. In his autobiography, "In Brightest Africa," Mr. Akeley tells how he discovered, quite by accident, that a rhino's charge is not necessarily fatal.

was to make a tomb for their master "I was going along the bank of the I showed Peter what I thought the his shrine. They were as immovable he says. "Suddenly I was set all alikeliest place—in the spurs of the as a granite hill, and she knew it. . . . quiver by the threshings and snortings Palantuken mountains. Peter's way Then they too died." of a rhino coming through the bushes "Murdered . . all four in one morn- in my direction. There was nothing corner and sat down to make a little ing. I do not know how, but I helped to climb. Between me and the thicket model of the landscape on the table, to bury them. Oh, she had Germans from which the rhino was coming was following the contours of the map. He and Kurds to do her foul work, but about twenty-five feet of open space. did it extraordinarily neatly, for, like their hands were clean compared to Behind me was a 30-foot drop to the all great hunters, he was as deft as hers. Pity me, Dick, for I have seen crocodile-infested waters of the Tana. a weaver-bird. He puzzled over it for honesty and virtue put to the langing the brink which looked as if shambles and have abetted the deed hanging the brink which looked as if it might or might not hold me if I for swung out on it. "I decided to try the bush and let

Presently his legs disappeared "The prophet still lives. She has The bushes were thrust aside and he come full tilt into the opening where he could see me. Everything was set should pull down the blinds. with a snort. His head dropped. His was no light, and Blenkiron had not to my people and wear on my breast he were going to sleep. The terrible even the consolation of a game of Part to my people and wear on my breast Royal Ontario Museum pronounce "the best ever. Last year an unusually fine story, "Judy of York Hill," came from the pen of a Canadian writer, Ethel Hume Bennett. Thousands of girls will this year welcome a book by the same author, "Camp and cleaning. Place a book by the same author, "Camp and cleaning."

Old catalogues may be made to good spirits, for he had had no dy-glaugh. "Only you see, I won't. I will cut took my rifle from the gun boy who had come up with equal celerity and had come up with equal celerity and bravery. I drew a bead on the old that he believed he was sufficient took my rifle from the gun boy who had come up with equal celerity and bravery. I drew a bead on the old that he believed he was sufficient took my rifle from the gun boy who had come up with equal celerity and bravery. I drew a bead on the old that he believed he was sufficient took my rifle from the gun boy who had come up with equal celerity and bravery. I drew a bead on the old trime. "The machine I used was built estingly. "We'll find some prettier way than that."

### Men Who Must Wear Beards.

brooding like a pigeon on the house-myself by her madness . . . "

Sandy's figure seemed to shrink and all food served to him. They also had

no notice of Peter's absence, but lit a in a torrent of blasphemy such as I The "Yeomen Bedhangers" stuffed lantern and set it on the table. Then believe had never before passed his the mattress and arranged the cur-Presently a light step fell on the "I'm blessed if I'll listen to this rolled on the bed to see that it was stairs, and Hussin drew back to let Gol-darned stuff. It isn't delicate. well made. The letters Y.B.H. and some one enter. He promptly depart- You get busy, Major, and pump some Y.B.G. are still affixed to certain

I was beginning to see what had names on the roll. Since their institution in the reign Sandy stood there, but a new Sandy happened. Sandy was a man of genius of Henry VII. the costume of the Beefwho made Blenkiron and me jump to —as much as anybody I ever struck—as much as anybody I ever struck—the eaters has varied very little, and the but he had the defects of such high-large ruff round the neck still forms a

A strange green turban couldn't scare him by any ordinary It is the wish of the King that the adorned his head, and as he pushed it terror. But let his old conscience get Yeomen of the Guard should be repreback I saw that his hair had been cross-eyed, let him find himself in sentative, if possible, of every regishaved. He looked like some acolyte— some situation which in his eyes in- ment, but most members are drawn

a weary acolyte, for there was he solved his honor, and he hight go spring in his walk or nerve in his stark crazy. The woman, who roused stark crazy. The woman, who roused in me and Blenkiron only hatred, in me and Blenkiron only hatred, could catch his imagination and stir could catch his imagination and stir in him—for the moment only—an until the form a separate body and are of the Tower of London and stir in him—for the moment only—an until the form a separate body and are of the moment only—an until the form a separate body and are of the moment only—an until the form a separate body and are of the moment only—an until the form a separate body and are of the moment only—an until the form a separate body and are of the form a separate body and are of the moment only—an until the form a separate body and the form 市中市ではります

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A Boston lady engaged a neat elderyou've got to take orders from me. work. The first breakfast was a ghastquires 3 yards of 32-inch material. unwinking, unseeing. "Great heavens, going to cut your throat. Greenmantle to your been drugged!" I said

"The master, had dry cereal, and

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Such is the decision reached by Hakon H. Hammer, many years associated with Capt. Roald Amundsen, the noted explorer. Because of an accident to his machine en route Capt. Amundsen was prevented from joining Mr. Hammer in their plan to circle the north pole by airplane last summer for the purpose of making extensive geographic surveys. Mr. Hammer 18 president of the Universal Shipping and Trading Company of Seattle, but for the last year he has devoted the greater part of his time to this fresh exploit of exploring the vast arctic regions by plane. "The greatest difficulty to be en-

countered in flying in the arctic circle arises from fogs and heavy mists," he said. "On the other hand, we had last If you live in a glass house you summer the advantage of daylight practically the whole twenty-four hours of the day, and often in clear, fogless nights I made it a rule to go out with my machine and considerable

ters last summer.

"Flying over the North Sea, over our Western coast and mountains, one very often encounters bad winds and other adverse conditions such as fog and rain, but flying in the arctic on a clear day is, I should almost say, an agreeable sport. For the most part I flew at an average of 6,000 feet. An almost even temperature is maintained during the summer months in that far northern country of around zero, Being a Dane, I am accustomed to cold countries. My father was an officer in the Danish navy, and from him I learned something about care of one's self in traveling in unusual weather and unusual places that do not afford the comforts of modern civilization.

"I flew within a couple of hours' flight to the pole," Mr. Hammer explained, "but the machine I used made it impossible for me to land. We are now having machines built in Germany for next year's flight. They will be built of metal, and with these we shall be able to fly, float on the water or land on snow or ice."

With these, Mr. Hammer said, they hoped to solve what is probably the last geographical problem left to explorers-that of learning from careful survey more of that vast white land adjacent to the north pole. Their survey, as planed, will cover an area of approximately 100,000 square miles. This task, he pointed out, would be infinitely easier and safer than the old time method of trying to reach this frozen section by boat or overland with dogs and many miles of suffering and hardship.

This new mode of traveling, he explained, would be co: wively safe, for the reason that the planes are to be equipped with wireless and therefore would be constantly in touch with the wireless station supported by the Government at Spitzbergen, only about 600 miles distant from the north

During his flight last summer Mr Hammer was able to make many interesting observations and obtain a number of excellent photographs of the various sections over which he flew. including mountain ranges, huge toe floes and great snow formations.

## Handkerchief Law.

A Hindoo prince has started the fashion of oval pocket-handkerchiefs. But why should he want his handkerchiefs

Another ruler, far more famous, invented the square handkerchief, When Louis XVI. ascended the throne of France, handkerchiefs were oblong. Before that they had been round, with a deep bordering of lace. It was only the high-born and the rich who owned handkerchiefs at all in those days. When Louis XVI. had reigned for

about twelve years he considered that the time had come for another change of shape, and doubtless Marie Antolnette had something to do with the idea. It was decided that the reign of the square handkerchief should begin. By letters patent, given at Versail-

les on September 23rd, 1784, it was do creed that the length and the breadth of the handkerchief should be equal. Three months later the French Parliament gravely confirmed the absurd de-----

And So She Couldn't Come. A lady was recently engaging a cook, and had apparently settled all details satisfactorily, when the domestic inquired:

"How many servants do you keep, ma'am?" "Two," was the reply.

"Oh, then your place won't suit me, ma'am, as I always like to play whist of an evening, and I don't like playing with a 'dummy,' "

A Sentence. Miss Jenkins-Nobody ever heard of a sentence without a predicate." Knecht-"I have, Miss Jenkins." Miss Jenkins-"What is it?" Knecht-"Thirty days."



TREES AND MICE. The young tree plantation and older orchard have two serious enemies among our rodents. These are rabbits and mice. Each require separate means of combatting. A fence of two-inch. mesh poultry netting is admirable to keep rabbits from girdling the tree trunks, but the smaller rodents, to be foiled of tree-bark fodder, must meet further obstacles.

Many methods have been advocated and tried with total or partial success Among these are the raising of small mound of earth from eight to trunk; the tramping of snow firmly about the trees; the use of tar paper paper; the use of wire protectors,mosquito netting, or galvanized win cloth; the use of wooden veneer pri tectors; poison, with one part arsenic and three parts, by weight, corn meal.

wrapping. This treatment has a failed in seven years' trial. The s phite used in the making of the pay acts as a repellant to the mice. paper may be used but there are stances where this paper has cau injury to the trees.

A durable protection is made f galvanized wire cloth. This is I chased by the roll and should be to as wide as the protection is to be height. The roll is cut in two then into strips twelve to eigh inches long to fit around each trunk. These protectors are n around an iron rod to give the spring, then placed about the trunk and pressed downward a co of inches into the soil. Such pri tors will last several years. Mos wire netting is fairly satisfactor a temporary protection. At the Morden Experimental

tion the protectors most in favo made from galvanized Perfect lath. They are similar to those from wire cloth except for diffe of material. The protectors ma allowed to remain on trees from to year, or gathered in spring as placed in autumn.

As a rule, mice will be gen troublesome only where a cover grass, or weeds are growing, or other harbors for nests are fou clean cultivation is practiced, I probably be necessary only to a the trees about borders of the

THE BROOD SOW, The well kept brood sow is at on any farm. She will turn t products of the farm into read products quickly and profitably

At the Experimental Farm pan, N.S., the eleven Yorkshin kept for breeding purposes for dropped seventeen litters with year with an average of 11.7 p per litter. The eleven sows co. 20,075 pounds of meal at a \$32.80 per ton, 3,570 pounds of milk at \$4 per ton, 8,679 pound at a charge of 50 cents per month, making a total cost a of \$367.07 or an average cost of 159 young pigs to six weeks at a feed cost of \$2.31 per 1 average market value per pi weeks was \$6.25 (selling ) feeders, not as pure-breds for ing purposes, otherwise th would have been \$10 at six leaving a net profit over feel \$3.94 per pig. In other wa average profit per sow over \$625.94. If one wishes to ga must be the selection of the now: she should be of corre type, having size along w straight sides, a well-arch good full quarters well carn strong heart girth, no und ness about the jowl and fra that has produced large little having made a careful select to a good boar of the bacon vide comfortable quarte dampness and draught. Yabe provided for all growing

> as well as for the mature, At this Farm, our brood kept in hog-cabins for at a quarters of the year and to run in at all times, as w paddocks with green feet clover for the early spring and yetch and rape for the and autumn feeding. Th turned into these fields for four hours each day; in the have not only reduced of maintaining the brood son 9 cents per day but has green feed which is most the health of the breeding supplies lime which is n bone and tissue. Sows t housed all the time and in concentrates usually pr

> exercise is very necessary