

VOCATIONAL WORK IN THE CITY'S SCHOOLS

(Continued from Preceding Page) choosing, patching and mending more difficult work than was attempted in the first year. Practical experience gained in the same way. Serge dress, commercial pattern: simple thing.

"77" For Grip, Influenza, Coughs, Sore Throat COLDS

Two sizes, 25c. and \$1.00 at all druggists or mailed. Humphreys' Homeo. Medicine Co., 156 Williams Street, New York.—Advertisement.

Care of clothing; hygiene of clothing, clothing budgets, good taste and judgment in selection of clothing, simple lingerie dress, pillow or library table scarf, design, food and taste in household decorations and furnishings, children's dressings, personal hygiene—care of the body, the value of health, how to keep and improve it.

With all this we try to lose sight of the fact that we are teaching girls, and not subjects to develop a wholesome, happy woman while making a successful worker.

Department Of Domestic Science

(By Mary C. Hutzell.)

The domestic science department is training girls for home-makers. A most practical course is taught in cooking and general house-keeping. It has been found that money is more often misused than a lack of income and is the cause of mismanaged homes. Women spend two-thirds of the income, consequently should have a definite understanding of the underlying principles of correct economy.

With two years' training a girl should have standards and ideals clearly fixed to insure a healthful,

happy home. The first year girls are studying tea, cocoa, chocolate and coffee; comparison of food value, effect on the nervous system. The cooking of vegetables in season; making of white sauce, served as a dressing for vegetables; general rules for cooking vegetables; general directions for cooking cereals; serving with or without fruit.

Preparation of hard and soft cooked eggs; poached eggs; composition, test for freshness; preservation. Composition food value; care of milk; preparation of junket, butter, cottage cheese; comparison of butter with oleomargarine and other substitutes, showing the value of the cheaper product.

Study of meats, composition; method of cooking; effect of hot and cold water and dry heat; cuts and prices; special emphasis on preparation of cheaper cuts. Flour mixtures—making of baking powder biscuits, fruit rolls, muffins; griddle cakes, noodles, dumplings, corn bread, ginger bread, cookies, plain cakes, bread rolls.

The study of sugar and making of Christmas cakes; laying the table, serving, planning and computing cost of menus. Lessons are given during the year to teach the girls to act as hostesses at simple attractive teas. The second year girls are studying the preservation of fruit and vegeta-

bles. Canning, preserving, jelly making and pickling. Reviewing the first year's work with heavier problems in the practical work.

Day Classes In Carpentry

(By Harold C. Porter.)

A visitor to our wood-working shop lately remarked, "What a fine opportunity for a boy to find out what he is good for!" That is the purpose of the carpentry department of the vocational school: to try a boy out and find out if he has the stuff in him to make a first class carpenter. This school is opened to the normal boy who is unable to go through high school and then to college. Think of the ninety-five per cent. who have to go to work and never see the high school. Is it just to force a college preparatory course upon them? No; it is a crime that such things exist and continue, and for this very reason the state fathers established the vocational school law. For this reason, the school board of our great city has caused to be placed the course of carpentry in its system of education. Should we, as American citizens, turn out a bunch of fools or should we devote our money to so teach our boys

M. F. KAAG & SONS China, Glass and Silverware

Open-Stock Patterns in Dinner Ware To Select From

Table listing items: Sugars and Creams, Whipped Cream, Bowls, Salads, Dresser Sets, Toilet Sets, Steins, Vases, Electroliers, Jardinieres, Lamps.

1847 Roger Bros.' Silverware The Place for Christmas Presents M. F. KAAG & SONS 105 East Columbia Street

Master Magician Reveals Weird Supernatural Rites.



Extraordinary Story of Raising the Spirit of Mars, as Told by Aleister Crowley, Who Is Called a Modern Cagliostro and Is Various Viewed as Saint and Sorcerer, Poet, Student of Demonology, Mountain-Climber and Mountebank—Declares Weird Statements About His Doings to Be Illusions of Black Magic and Nothing More.

By Henry N. Hall.



Aleister Crowley.

ALEISTER CROWLEY, who recently arrived in New York, is the strangest man I ever met. He is a man about whom men quarrel. Intensely magnetic, he attracts people or repels them with equal violence. His personality seems to breed rumors. Everywhere they follow him.

One man to whom I spoke of him lauded Crowley as a poet of rare delicacy, the author of "Hail Mary," a garland of verses in honor of the Mother of God. Another alluded to him as an unsparing critic of American literature. Another knew him as the holder of some world records for mountain-climbing.

Still another warned me against him as a thoroughly bad man, a Satanist or devil-worshiper steeped in black magic, the high priest of Beelzebub. An actor knew of him only as a theatrical producer and as the designer of extraordinary stage costumes. A publisher told me that Crowley was an essayist and philosopher whose books, nearly all privately issued, were masterpieces of modern printing.

Among his works is a voluminous treatise on the history and practice of magic, representing immense research and erudition—the authoritative book on the subject. By others he was variously pictured to me as a big game hunter, as a gambler, as an editor, as an explorer. Some said that he was a man of real attainments, others that he was a faker. All agreed that he was extraordinary.

The first time I saw Crowley he was standing in the lobby of the uptown hotel where he lives. I knew at once that he was the man I wanted, and instead of going to the desk I went right up and spoke to him. He took me to his room and began to talk of an article by Harry Kemp, which The World Magazine published last August, wherein was described a black mass at which Crowley was said to have officiated as priest. He said:

"Kemp honestly believes he was present at the things he describes, but he wasn't. I merely made him dream a scene of black magic, and he thought it was actually happening and that I was participating. He dreamed himself. I don't practise black magic."

"But do you believe in magic?" I asked. "Do you claim to have supernatural powers?" Crowley turned his piercing black eyes upon me, smiled, and in a very sweet, low voice said:

"There is nothing supernatural about magic, any more than there is about wireless telegraphy. The earnest student of the occult profits mentally and physically, and develops capacity for intellectual enjoyment not possessed by the ordinary mortal. Magic gets me anything I want—with the limitation, of course, that I must not use my powers

to do anything that would break my oath. Each man has an original oath, which depends on the grade of his initiation. But all Magi are bound to poverty, chastity and obedience."

Since our first meeting I have seen a good deal of Crowley, and although I cannot pretend to solve the bewildering riddle of his character, yet I know him as a very refined and courtly man, deeply versed in the history and principles of all religions, a scientific student of occultism, a leading Freemason and past master Rosicrucian, and as a poet of inspiration. Whether singing the praises of Our Lady in chaste and mystic verse, or lashing the sins of modern Babylon with furious invective, or deriding degeneracy, or extolling esotericism, his lines are never labored. What blemishes there are are the blemishes of haste. He told me that he wrote down just what came to him, and printed it without changing a word. His most finished poetry is written in French, and takes the form of sonnets which might have come from the pen of Edmond Rostand or Paul Verlaine.

One day as we were sitting together in his room talking of the war he told me that he knew beforehand it would come on, and that as far back as May, 1910, the spirit of Mars, which he had "called up," had prophesied that there would be two wars in five years, in one of which Turkey, and in the other Germany, would be disastrously involved." Of course I wanted to know all about his magic informant. This is what he told me, as I remember his words.

"A magician evokes a particular spirit by a special ceremonial rite. He works for a given result and does not, like the spiritualists, wait for some spirit to turn up and become the slave of whatever does turn up. Once within his magic circle, the magician is master. The spirits must obey. What follows, believe or not, as you please.

"It was in London. Three of us—myself, a British naval officer of high rank and a famous violinist—decided to evoke the spirit of Mars. By Mars we don't mean the planet in the sky, at all; we mean the hidden forces that possess the powers we attribute to Mars. Also we performed no sacrifice. In the old days when the Israelites went out to give battle they would sacrifice an animal, but nowadays it is not necessary to shed blood. You use the proper incense, and the things you want materialize from the smoke.

"As we were going to evoke the spirit of Mars I used a blood-red robe and wore the crown of the Uraeus serpent and armed myself with the sword and the spear. My two assistant Magi were clad in white and gold.

"Around the altar we had traced a large circle, ample in size to contain the three of us. And then, following the ancient rites, we consecrated the spear, and then the sword, and then the altar, and lastly the magic circle itself. So long as we remain inside that circle no harm could come to us. Once we were secure we conjured the Dog of Evil, just as the minister exorcises the spirits of evil before laying the foundation stone of a church, and having done that we bound ourselves by a great oath to the purposes of the ceremony. That is one of the most important things.

"And as the clouds of incense rose from the altar we lifted up our voices and praised the God of Battle. We invoked the Egyptian God Horus, and called upon Elohim Gebor to aid us. And then as I felt the power within me grow I commanded the blind spirit Bartzabel to come forth.

"The dark clouds of incense slowly took form and, standing without the circle, a sexless odlike form appeared, with dull, deceitful head and hideous human features suffused with blood. It stood panting, its heart beating violently, and in a deep, hoarse voice it answered my questions. It said that in less than five years there would be two wars, and prophesied that the greatest of the two would end by the crushing of Germany."

Crowley told me all this in a matter of fact a manner as if he had been describing an experiment by Edison or Marconi, and as he spoke he puffed slowly at a briarwood pipe with a very short bowl and a very long amber mouthpiece.

He is a well-knit, athletic man, on the verge of forty, standing 5 feet 11 in his boots and weighing 158 pounds. It is possible to describe him exactly so far, but no further.

that they may become high class designers or mechanics.

It is the purpose of the carpentry department to lay down the fundamental principles underlying the trade. Not only do we desire to teach him how to saw off a board correctly or how to plane a piece to certain dimensions, but we also wish and shall teach him how he may take that same piece of wood and so place it in the house or other building that it may show to advantage. In laying a floor, the boy is not to learn how many hammer marks he may make in that floor, but how few he may make, also how tight and well matched the floor may be when finished. The only way that this can be accomplished is for the people of Fort Wayne to send their normal children to this school. It is a great mistake to think that this school was created as a dumping ground for the undesirable that got rid of the teachers of a city wish to get rid of. Through the nunschool may show some aptitude for the work, at the same time it is the boy with brains that will carry on the work of fitting plates, sills, joists, rafters, etc., in their proper places. It is well to ask yourself this question: Is it not better to educate our boys along these lines of some definite trade than to turn them out of the high school at lot of educated street cleaners.

Boys' Academic Department.

It has been said that the present day academic schooling given a boy or girl does not fit them to take up any proper work for their earning capacity; that is, with what he learns in school he is unable to put to any advantage in his after life. Then what should be taught a boy along these lines? In arithmetic, for instance, he should be taught only those problems which will be of benefit to him in the trade that he is to follow. Let his English and grammar be of such character that it can be of use to him in applying for a position or writing out an order. What good is it to him to know all the rules of technical grammar if he cannot apply them? Far better is it for him to have practical every day English such as he will use in his chosen calling. How many of our young men know from where comes the wood or metal they are using or how that same wood or metal has been prepared so that they may use it? Is not this kind of geography much better than the kind that causes you to spend your time finding out the number of boys on the Atlantic and Pacific coast? Then again, how many of us know how the first lath was made and used, or how the building trades have been developed through the ages? How our forefathers gathered logs and built the cabins or how the wives made their homespun? What think you? Is not this kind of academic work far better than the present kind, which tells us that the old Latins made certain noises to describe their thought and action? It is the purpose of the vocational school to treat the academic subjects from studying where materials come from and how operations were carried on in the past.

For, though many of us doubt it, yet it is nevertheless true that only by studying what has been done in the past can we improve the conditions of the present and the future. The only way this school can accomplish this is by having the average child and not having poured in upon it

Household Economy

How to Have the Best Cough Remedy and Save \$2 by Making It at Home

Cough medicines, as a rule contain a large quantity of plain syrup. A pint of granulated sugar with 1/2 pint of warm water, stirred for 2 minutes, gives you a good syrup as money can buy.

Then get from your druggist 2 1/2 ounces Pinex (50-cents worth), pour into a pint bottle and fill the bottle with sugar syrup. This gives you, at a cost of only 84 cents, a full pint of really better cough syrup than you could buy ready made for \$2.50—a clear saving of nearly \$2. Full directions with Pinex. It keeps perfectly and tastes good.

It takes hold of the usual cough or chest cold at once and conquers it in 24 hours. Splendid for whooping cough, bronchitis and winter coughs.

It's truly astonishing how quickly it loosens the dry, hoarse or tight cough and heals and soothes the inflamed membranes in the case of a painful cough. It also stops the formation of phlegm in the throat and bronchial tubes, thus ending the persistent loose cough.

Pinex is a highly concentrated compound of genuine Norway pine extract, combined with glycerol, and has been used for generations to heal inflamed membranes of the throat and chest. To avoid disappointment, ask your druggist for "2 1/2 ounces of Pinex," and don't accept anything else. A guarantee of absolute satisfaction, or money promptly refunded, goes with this preparation. The Pinex Co., Ft. Wayne, Ind.

the many undesirable that the teachers of Fort Wayne have so willingly sent to this school.

Mechanical Drawing.

A college president has said that drawing is a part of every profession, but one, and even that one profession can be benefited by it. In nearly all the trades pursued by the mechanics of Fort Wayne, some form of mechanical drawing is needed to fill in the chinks. For this purpose, Harold C. Porter, instructor in drawing in the vocational school, is conducting evening classes in mechanical drawing. The same principles and fundamentals underlie all drawing and for this reason each student is first taught the same course of geometric figures and projections, followed by the kind of drawing that will best fit the student's work in every day life.

Is it not to a man's advantage to spend a few hours a week in some special study along his line of work, so that his earning capacity may be increased? Is it not to his advantage to be a man to whom a blue-print can be handed and the order given, "Build this?" Is he not infinitely better and of more value to his employer than the man with whom the same employer must spend from one to three hours explaining the blue-print? Men, answer these questions for yourself and decide for yourself whether or not it is to your advantage to become a member of one of the evening classes in drawing.

Farm loans, reasonable rates. John C. Capron, North American Bldg.

Buy Her An Electric Iron or Toaster, Just the Things for Xmas Presents

WESTINGHOUSE ELECTRIC IRON, \$3.50—NICKEL. Guaranteed a Time and Labor Saver

ELECTRIC TOASTER NICKEL—\$6.00 The standard Toaster Stove—broils, fries and Toasts.

We have other things in the way of "Electric" that make good Christmas presents.

Indiana Electric Appliance Co. 129 E. COLUMBIA ST.

Advertisement for dental work featuring a large number '3' and '22 K. GOLD'.

No More Dread of the Dentist Chair

We Are the Real Painless Dentists. Ask for the New York Dentists. They have the Experience. A FEW OF OUR PRICES UNTIL DEC. 15

- Set of Teeth (whalebone) \$4.00
Best Silver Filling .50
Gold Fillings, 50c, and not exceeding. 2.00
Porcelain Crowns 3.00
Gold Crowns, best 22k 3.00
Bridgework, per tooth, best gold. 3.00
Painless Extraction .50
Examination and Advice Free. Lady Attendant.

All work guaranteed for twenty years. Have impression taken in the morning and get teeth same day. Examination and advice free.

22-k Gold Crowns and Bridge Work \$3

Call and See Samples of Our Plate and Bridge Work.

Advertisement for 'EVERSTICK SUCTION' featuring a large number '4' and 'NO PAIN'.

WE STAND THE TEST OF TIME. Most of our present patronage is recommended by our early patients, whose work is still giving good satisfaction.

BEWARE OF PROFESSIONAL JEALOUSY. Do not ask competing dentists for references. Ask our patients, who have tested our work. When coming to our office, be sure you are in the right place. Bring this ad with you.

NEW YORK PAINLESS DENTISTS Lady Attendant—2nd Floor Odd Fellows' Building, Corner Cathoun and Wayne Streets—Phone 3415. Largest and Best Equipped Dental Establishment in the World. OPEN DAILY—Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday Evenings till 8 o'clock. Sundays, 9 to 4 p. m.