

Woman's Realm—Social and Personal—Fashions—Literature

DOROTHY DIX SAYS—

Luxury-Loving Maiden

Fiance Should Try To End Engagement To Spoiled Girl

DEAR DOROTHY DIX: I am just an ordinary fellow of 21, making a small salary. I am engaged to a girl and have been trying to save up enough money to marry her, but here's the rub: My girl friend is not willing to help me save.

She is an only child and is badly spoiled. She demands that I take her to the most expensive places, send her flowers and give her gifts. When I try to explain to her that I can't spend and save at the same time, she pulls a tantrum and we quarrel violently.

I am getting fed up on this kind of thing. Do you think I am in honor bound to marry her? DISGUSTED

ANSWER: I certainly do not think that you are in honor bound to marry this selfish girl. But if you have any compunction about the engagement, get her to do it. That, in your case, will be the easiest thing in the world to do, because her love of luxury will soon make her tire of any man who cannot indulge her in the things she desires.

A few months of your refusing to take her anywhere except to a neighborhood movie, of treating her to nothing more expensive than an ice cream soda, will turn the trick, and she will pass you up for some man who is a better spender.

You may justify yourself in forcing your girl's hand by the certainty that if you married her she would be utterly miserable as a poor man's wife, and she would soon leave you for some other man who made more money.

ACT NOW

Better make the break now before you are dragged through the hell of a marriage with a whining, complaining, dissatisfied wife who is always having hysterics to get her own way and raising ructions because she hasn't all the finery she desires.

DEAR MISS DIX: Can a girl tell whether she is immune to love? I am 26 years old, well-educated, good-looking, and have a very wonderful position which throws me in contact with some very eligible men. A few of them have found me to their liking and have asked me to marry them, but while I enjoy the society of men I can't bring myself to consider marrying.

Yet at the same time I would certainly hate to be an old maid. What do you think about me? BETTY H.

ANSWER: Most likely the reason you haven't fallen in love is because the man hasn't come along who possessed that intangible something that set your pulses tingling. What this mysterious quality is you do not know, but one day a man crosses your path who is no better—

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Legends Of P. E. Island

(By Uncle Joe)

THE HAUNTED HOUSE

The haunted house of this story has long since crumbled into ruin and decay, but at the time of our legend it stood hard by the bank of the East River and was occupied by a Mr. and Mrs. Carl van Buren. Although it was built nine years before, it had never been occupied until the van Burens took over.

On their very first night there the couple were awakened by a series of tapping noises under their bed, but neither of them took it seriously, and soon dismissed the matter from their minds.

The next night, while they were in the living room—it would be about eleven o'clock—the taps came again, but this time from the wall in front of the fireplace, or about four feet from where the pair were seated.

Both Mr. and Mrs. van Buren made a thorough search of the premises, but found nothing amiss.

Not satisfied, Carl lighted a lantern and went outside and all round the place. There was nothing to be seen—no tracks of man or animal, or of anything to disturb that peaceful September night.

The tapping occurred so frequently during the six months the couple occupied the cottage that further details of the strange occurrence would serve no purpose in this tale, as they were always just the same and always happened in exactly the same way.

During their second week in the haunted house—they had retired for the night—something dropped onto the floor with a heavy thud, exploded and sent a shower of sparks flying in all directions.

Carl sprang out of bed and turned on the light, wondering and puzzled.

There was nothing on the floor. He searched the room, the closet, under the bed, everywhere. Not a thing was out of order, not a thing had fallen.

The next night it was a sheet of flame about the size of a newspaper that dashed across the floor and

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Better English

D. G. WILLIAMS

1. What is wrong with this sentence? "She doesn't go as often as she used to."
2. What is the correct pronunciation of "enlent"?
3. Which one of these words is misspelled? Granary, grafic, gratuitous.
4. What does the word "deprecate" mean?
5. What is a word beginning with cut that means "eager desire for wealth"?

ANSWERS

1. Say, "She doesn't go so often as she used to."
2. Pronounce len-ent, or len-yent, first e as in me.
3. Graphic. 4. To lower the value of. "The building has depreciated since he bought it". 5. Cupidity.

Household Scrapbook

By Roberta Lee

Moth Preventive

A rug can be freshened and kept free of moths if a little turpentine is poured into a pail of hot water and a broom is dipped into this solution and used on the rug with a light sweeping stroke.

Lemon for Hands

A good habit to form after using lemons is to wipe off the hands with the skins. This will remove all stains from vegetable paring and will soften and whiten the skin.

Strawberries

The removal of the stems of strawberries before they are washed will cause a loss of vitamin C content.

Cook's Corner

TWISTIES

1/2 cup cream cheese
 1/2 cup shortening
 1 1/2 cups sifted flour
 1/2 teaspoon salt
 Salted pecans or chopped walnuts
 Butter
 Cream cheese and shortening until very light. Sift flour and salt together and work in well. Chill. Roll thin and cut in strips about 1/2 inch wide. Brush lightly in melted butter, twist, and roll in chopped nuts. Bake at 375 degrees F.

This dough without the nuts may be cut into small rounds and each round wrapped over a date which has been stuffed with a nut. These are really lovely. Watch carefully when baking, and do not overcook them.

DORKING, Surrey, England — (CP) — Mrs. Gould, widow of a Surrey police officer, is Dorking's first policewoman.

Ellen's Diary

By an Island Farmer's Wife

Snowy drifts lessened before today's thawing wind and brilliant sunlight, and taking note of some exposed muddy places about the yards, grand-daughter decided that she "had better get busy making mud pies." But having been persuaded presently to defer that pastime, in a favorite phrase of her own "till the grass grows green" she turned her attention to another mixing, one she arrived at in a round-about way. It was a fascinating activity though somewhat annoying to her grand-father, whom she loves to shadow about the stables and barns.

She still continues to take much pleasure in filling the measures of crushed grain, which he empties into the mangers for the cattle and ending that assistance this morning she appropriated some in a tin for her own enjoyment. "Now what are you going to do with that?" James inquired sternly, but in a deceiving tone. "I'm not telling you, granddaddy," she replied taking quick determined steps away from the vicinity. However she was brought indoors later, cold and in disgrace but obviously happy.

"Now what has she been doing?" we asked. "Mixing crushed grain and water—with her bare hands, mind you!" James said his tones full of concern for her. "She'll have her death of cold after this," he added, "that's what she will!" She chuckled merrily, displaying broad rows of teeth and "Isn't that funny?" she commented with an impish gleam in her eyes. "I'm only a little cold," she made light of his words, "you know," she remarked lowering her voice to explain the circumstance fully. "I mixed a cake for the pup!" After an escapee like this, James washes his hands off her for the time, though he manages it tactfully. "You stay with your grand-mother now . . . she'll tell you a story . . . or something!"

But it was to our baking we went, she and I, a blue bow tying a fair curl in place. Considering the frequent interruptions in our line of thought, with such intrigu-

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Happy-Go-Lucky

By Mrs. Harry Pugh Smith

Tony was in great demand by all his friends. The bunch on the paper gave him a stag dinner, and he had to go home one night to break the news to his mother.

One one point Barbara was adamant. She agreed to marry Tony at once. She would not agree to give up her job until they were out of debt. "It's a complex with me," she told him. "I can't stand being in debt."

"But, darling, Mother doesn't care if I never pay her," protested Tony.

"I care," said Barbara, her face white. "You'll just have to bear with me about this, Tony. It's my weakness, I suppose, but it scares me to death to have no money ahead. I'll work until we are out of debt and have a stake." Enough to set up housekeeping, she was thinking.

"O.K., sugar," said Tony. "You're the captain. I'm just the crew." Barbara had been living in a boarding house, a nice place run by a motherly and eminently respectable widow. However, Barbara emphatically did not want to go on boarding after she married Tony. So they decided for the

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SWINDON, England — (CP) — locust found in a flower shop is believed to have come with fruit from Africa or the West Indies.



Morning Smile

Doctor (after examining patient) — I don't like the looks of your husband, Mrs. Brown.
 Mrs. Brown—Neither do I, doctor, but he's good to our children.

ONE REMEDY

The teacher wrote on the blackboard, "I ain't had no fun all summer."

Then she asked a youngster on the front row: "Harry, what should I do to correct that?"
 "Mebbe—get a boy friend?" he suggested helpfully.



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by Ruth Parsons

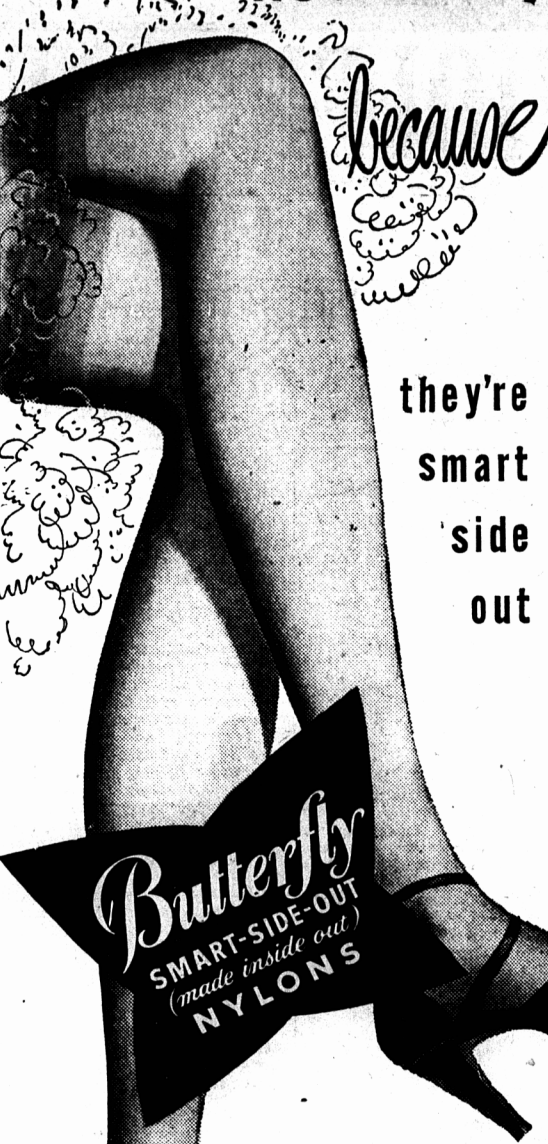
When choosing foods for your child's menu, it's wise not to be guided by your own likes and dislikes. If they are not influenced away from certain dishes, most youngsters will come to like almost all wholesome foods. And variety is better for them. It assures a well-balanced diet.

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