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THE HOUSEWIFE - AND - HER ACTIVITIES

FRIENDSHIP
Friendship is love's full beauty unalloyed that may waste in selfishness. Feed only at the heart and never cloyed. Such is our friendship ripened but to bless. It draws the arrow from the bleeding wound. With cheery look that makes a winter bright. It saves the hope from falling to the ground. And turns the restless pillow to the light.
—Friendship.

CHARACTER
A beautiful character makes a beautiful woman. Not long ago I heard a homely woman spoken of as "beautiful." I looked into her face, and saw plain features, and was disappointed. But a closer acquaintance gave me an insight to her character, whose true keynote was self-forgetfulness. Soul-beauty will rot fade for God has stamped it with eternal youth.

NATURAL BEAUTY
The most natural beauty in the world is honesty and moral truth; for all beauty is truth. True features make the beauty of a face and true proportions the beauty of architecture, as true measures that

HAND CLEANER
Housewives' hands are liable to get very soiled, and this is annoying when a bridge party or similar engagement is in the offing. The following mixture well rubbed in and rinsed off with warm water will make the blackest hands soft and white: Use one teaspoonful soap flakes, the same quantity of olive oil and one of granulated sugar.

WASHING STOCKINGS
Having washed your silk stockings, rinse well, then take the ends and dip in and out of water, rolling stockings all the time until the top of leg is reached. This is far the best way to squeeze dry and when shaken out afterwards your stockings have a nice shape.

GADGETS FOR CASEMENTS
Standard attachments on most types of steel casement windows permit of their being unlocked, opened to any desirable width, closed, and locked again without moving the screen, which, as the window swings outward, of necessity, is inside.

Rose Valois, in an important collection, includes crownless models among which are velvet turbans with a higher front movement, relieved by a piece of jewelry.



THE HOLY TERROR!

Story of a World Dictator
By H. C. WELLS
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Synopsis of The First Installment: It was the old nurse who, starting over the crib and at the purple, squalling baby inside it, first called Rudolf Whitlow "the Holy Terror." And very soon, his troubles, his his baffled father, his outraged older brothers—Alf and Sam—had reason to believe she was right. Little Rudolf was, to take it fairly, a nasty bra—who bit when he had to, who bullied when he could, and took it out of his pets, who became afraid and suspicious of girls because they were "treacherous" and able to lick him. He had only one defender, Aunt Julia, a spinster, who—in common with the spinners, thought only spinners really knew how to bring up children. But, at last she, too, had to give up and she suggested taking Rudolf to a psychanalyst. He stood his mother took him to old Doctor Carstall who examined the boy and found him "perfectly normal." But, a little later, he added privately. The Doctor suggested Rudolf be sent to a proper, conservative school.

CHAPTER II. YOUTHFUL REVERIE
Under the influence of old Doctor Carstall, the future World Dictator went to Hoopday House instead of having his subconsciousness explored, cleaned-up and, made over in a suitable establishment, on soundly psycho-analytical lines. Probably the results would have been very similar. Hoopday House, as an educational institution, never gave a thought to character and the finer shades of conduct—except on Speech Days. Then the headmaster saw the boys were a household of young English gentlemen and the parents and prefects heard him with quiet self-approval.

By way of teaching, the school devoted itself to satisfying the requirements of various respectable examining bodies, and unless your behavior militated against the attainment of that objective, the concern itself about what was happening to you inside or outside of between the hours devoted to that purpose.

Most of the boys were day-boys, and by ordinary standards the tone was good. Filth was futile, and such vice as occurred was inquisitive, elementary, infrequent and obscure. The head boy was a son of Doctor Carstall's and a taciturn, fair good-looking boy who seemed to do everything he did well and with a minimum of effort. He won a sort of quiet authority, except on Speech Days, then the headmaster saw the boys were a household of young English gentlemen and the parents and prefects heard him with quiet self-approval.

Rud was engaged in an all-in struggle with the boy who called him "The Stink." He had been jabbing at his adversary with a penholder with a broken nib. But the fellow had got him by the wrist now. Only his left fist was free and he was getting the worst of the punching.

To-Day's Popular Design



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How Can I ? ?

(By ANNE ASHLEY)

Q. How should the envelope be addressed when writing to the President of the United States?
A. The most formal address is: The President, The White House, Washington, D. C.

Q. Is it all right for Betty Lee, who is ten years younger than Mary Smith, to address the latter as Mary, when given permission, or if well acquainted?
A. Yes. Usually the woman who is ten years older prefers this among friends.

Q. Is the bride's family expected to send a wedding invitation to the bridegroom's parents?
A. Yes, and separate ones to each brother and sister of the bridegroom.

THE COOK'S CORNER

FRUIT CAKE

1 cup butter
1 cup sugar
3 eggs
1 lb. sultana raisins
1 cup blanched almonds
2 cups mixed peel
1-2 lb. glace cherries
2 cups flour
1 teaspoon baking powder
1 teaspoon cinnamon
1-4 teaspoon cloves
1 teaspoon vanilla
4 tablespoons fruit juice

Method: Cream the butter and the sugar until they are very light and fluffy. Add the unbeaten eggs, one at a time, and beat hard after each addition.

Scald the raisins and then dry them thoroughly between towels. Blanch and shred the almonds and cut the cherries in quarters. Put all the fruit in a bowl and sift over it the flour, baking powder and spices. Mix well.

Add this with the fruit juice, any kind you prefer, pineapple, peach, pear or even home-made wine, just so it isn't too dark in color. Mix well and add the flavoring. Turn into a tube pan lined with heavy waxed paper or brown paper which has been greased, and bake in a slow, 300 deg. F. oven for about 2 hours, the exact time depending on the size of the pan. Before removing, cool thoroughly, then wrap in several thicknesses of waxed paper or cloth and store in a stone jar until ready to use. If it gets too hard, unwrap and store with half an apple, which will soften it in a day or two.

Now here is the second one, more elaborate and much larger. It makes about 10 pounds against the other one of about 3-1/2 lbs.

Dorothy Dix's Letter Box

There is no Surer Way to Turn a Husband Into a Philanderer Than to Make Him Believe by Your Jealousy That He is a Devil Among the Ladies

Dear Miss Dix—I have been married two years to the finest man God ever let live, but my trouble is this: When my husband looks at another girl it makes me feel as if he is comparing me to her in every advantage, and this makes me envious of her clothes, money and looks. He thinks I am jealous and we quarrel over it, and this makes me unhappy. But he loves me dearly. Please suggest a cure for this attitude of mine. MADAM X.

Answer: Well, I don't think that your husband will love you dearly very long if you continue to torture him with your senseless jealousy. There is nothing that a man resents more than injustice from his wife, and so-hing that you can possibly do will kill your husband's affection for you so quickly as for you to be always accusing him of sins he has never committed.

If you want to turn your husband into a philanderer, you are asking the surest way to do it by making him believe that he is such a devil among the ladies that no woman can resist him. He will think that if he is so fascinating to all that he had better get out of the house as soon as he can.

Moreover, if you are going to suspect him of having affairs and accuse him of being untrue to you, he will think that as he is going to be accused anyway he may as well have the same as the name.

You that you want to teach your husband to conceive you as a woman on as you have begun. Make scenes over his casual attentions to other women he meets. Make him afraid to even ask his Aunt Jemima to lunch with him down town. Make him know that if he is polite to his hostess at a party, or if he shows he enjoys the conversation of an interesting dinner partner, or if he asks a girl to dance that you will have hysterics as soon as you get home, and keep him awake half the night quarreling with him.

You are anxious about where he has been, what he did, and whom he met when he knows the price he has to pay for telling the truth. But he won't love you for it. There is nothing that makes a man hate his wife so much as being afraid of her.

Anyway, when you come down to brass tacks, don't you think your jealousy is pretty foolish? Your husband picked you out for a wife from among all the other girls in the world. Isn't that enough proof to you that you are the one he preferred above all others? Can't you keep your mind concentrated on that instead of thinking that you will have as beautiful eyes as Mary has, nor as slim a figure as Sally has, nor as entertaining a line as Margie has? You may wonder what he saw in you to want you, but it was either for him or any of the other girls who would have passed you by. If you can hold on to that thought, perhaps it will be a cure for your inferiority complex.

But, take it from me, one thing is certain. If you were as beautiful as Miss America herself and as generous as a movie star and as witty as Dorothy Parker, it wouldn't offset your quarreling with your husband about every time he speaks to a woman. If you don't stop this, you are going to lose him to the very first amiable woman he meets. You are going to lose him to the very first girl who is as good-looking as a girl about his age. She is as nice a girl as you are, and she is a well-respected family, but thinking he is so young we have broken them up. Since then he is blue, disheartened, unamused and doesn't seem to care for other things, not even girls. Should we let him go back to his girl and be nappy, or should we keep them apart?

WORRIED PARENTS.

Answer: There are times when parents should climb down from their know-it-all pedestal and apologize to their children and confess that they have been wrong in their judgments and have made mistakes. And this is what you should do as far as possible to your son.

Don't be afraid that it will lower you in his esteem. It will exalt you to the skies, because it will give you the human touch with him and assure for his well being, no, to exercise his self-esteem.

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Know Do's and Don'ts for Fun on Skis

Have a good time your first day on skis. Be sure of what to do—and what not to do—at those points where most novices go wrong.

Look over the ground before you begin. Keep to gentle slopes—don't start on steep trails.

Urges heels inward when you glide on the level. To toe-in makes your feet cross each other.

Keep the knees bent on downhill runs. To bend only from the waist prevents the flexibility necessary for smooth skiing.

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Modern Etiquette

(By ROBERTA LEE)

Q. How can I take good care of ferns during the winter?
A. If the house is artificially heated, do not use real cold water on the ferns, as it is too much of a shock when they are growing in a warm room. Take the chill off the water by using lukewarm water.

Q. How can I remove spots from white ties, gloves, jabots, and similar articles?
A. Keep a little French chalk on hand for this purpose. Rub a little chalk on the spot, allow it to remain for a day or two, then brush off.

Q. How can I prevent new tin-ware from rusting?
A. Rub the new tin vessel thoroughly with lard, then heat it in the oven before using it, and it will never rust.

Household Scrapbook

(By ROBERTA LEE)

When Handling Silk
When working on silk, and the hands are inclined to stick to the goods, rub the hands lightly over a piece of fine sandpaper.

Patent Leather
Patent leather shoes and handbags can be made to look like new by means of a milk bath. Merely clean with milk and rub over the shoes or bag; dry with another clean cloth. This treatment is also very good for the leather.

The "Watched Pot"
Usually the reason a "watched pot never boils" is because you constantly are removing the lid to watch it, thus allowing part of the steam to escape. Keep on the cover until you hear a substantial gurgle before you peep.

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"I'm sure he didn't mean to offend you, dear," replied her friend. "He probably didn't know what a bad memory you have."