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KING COLE TEA

ELLEN'S DIARY

By An Island Farmer's Wife

The wind of night, apparently increasing, is angrily dashing the rain against the windows. Up to now, it had been only voicing some complaints about the eaves of the house across the lane, from whence with James we have just come in the darkness and rain. We spent our evening there, one that has been pleasant for us, and yet which also brought us our moments of concern. The younger folks were away on an outing to the city, to enjoy the current showing in The Great Dan Patch, a horse out of history, leaving their small ones to our care. We were cozy there, the children snug in their beds, and while James caught a deserved nap on the couch, we picked up stitches and knit on the sock we were re-footing for the man in our life. James had been reluctant about going into too sound a sleep, because he is ever one to take his responsibilities seriously. At the outset a question that could not be answered, so bound about by circumstances it was, weighed heavily on his mind. We discussed it.

"Now what will you do, Ellen, if that baby happens to wake up before his mother returns?" he queried, in a voice so full of concern we chuckled over it. "It's all right to make light of it, Ellen," he continued, but there'd be no pacifying him, I know! At three months, why he's nothing more than an infant!" "But he's not likely to waken" we told him with an assurance which could be weakened "and besides, there's no need of crossing a bridge before we come to it." "No-o" James agreed "but I like to be prepared for it." "And so we are—there's food for him in the warming-oven, and goodness me" we laughed "just think of all the children we've reared!" James sorted at this, but at the same time drew some comfort from our words, because he snuggled down into his pillow and slept.

Slept with measured breathing until into our delightful quiet, broken only by the murmur of the wind, and an odd shower against the panes, we heard a cry, faint and only mildly complaining at first, but presently unmistakably demanding. "There!" James said starting up "what did I tell you, Ellen? What time is it now? Ah-h! You'll just have to bring him down stairs, and we'll have to try to amuse him until they come." We had a notion that this "bringing down" was not entirely against his secret longing. If James were left to mind as many children as the fabled "old woman who lived in a shoe" mothered, at their parents' return, they would find them all seated in a circle about him in the warmth of the kitchen, whither they had been brought at the last excuse, from their sleep. "Bring her down, Ellen—the dear is lonely up there!" is an old suggestion to our ears.

The small fellow blinked at the light, and liked the change of surroundings, but not for long. A lip puckered, and James peered out into the darkness, hoping to catch the assurance of an approaching car-light. But out beyond the hilltop was veiled in black. "Baw-w-w!" grandson wailed in a lousy I-want-my-mother howl. "If there's any feed around for him, Ellen, get it into him!" (Continued on Page 3)

Cook's Corner

STEWED CHICKEN WINGS

- 6 to 9 chicken wings
- 1/2 cup chopped onion
- 1/2 cup diced celery
- 1/2 cup diced carrot
- 1/2 teaspoon salt
- Dash of pepper

To Simmer: Wipe wings with a damp cloth. Place in deep pot with vegetables, salt, pepper and 2 cups water. Bring to boil, cover tightly and simmer until tender. For medium wings (5 to the lb.) allow about 40 minutes cooking. For small wings (7 to the lb.) allow about 25 minutes cooking. Thicken liquid with flour for gravy and serve with dumplings, rice or noodles. Yield: two to three servings.

To Cook Under Pressure: Wipe wings with damp cloth. Place in pressure saucepan with vegetables, salt, pepper and 1 1/2 cups water. Cook at 15 lb. pressure until tender. For medium wings (5 to the lb.) allow 7 minutes cooking. For small wings (7 to the lb.) allow 5 minutes cooking. Thicken liquid with flour for gravy and serve with dumplings, rice or noodles.

How Can I!!!

By Anne Ashley

Q. How can I avoid irritation of the skin caused by flannel garments?

A. Flannels will not irritate the most sensitive skin if they are pressed with a slightly warm iron on the wrong side after they are thoroughly dry.

Q. How can I remove paint and putty stains from window glass?

A. Use a wet cloth dipped in baking soda and rub over the glass. After fifteen minutes, wash them with warm water without soap, then rub until dry and polish.

Q. How can I keep icing from running off the cake when applying it?

A. Dust a little flour over the top of the cake before applying the icing.

Mallett-MacLauchlan Wedding



Mr. and Mrs. Walter Mallett, photographed with their attendants following their marriage at West Covehead Church on October 8. Left to right — Messrs. Alvin MacLauchlan and Preston Cudmore, ushers, Mr. Clifford Chappell, groomsman, Mr. and Mrs. Mallett, Miss Marguerite MacLauchlan and Miss Joyce MacLauchlan. The flower girl is Janet MacDonald, daughter of Dr. and Mrs. Wendall MacDonald, Charlottetown. The bride, formerly Wanda MacLauchlan, is the daughter of Mrs. James MacLauchlan and the late Mr. MacLauchlan of Stanhope. The groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin Mallet, York.

Household Scrapbook

By Roberta Lee

Enamelled Woodwork

To clean spots on enamelled woodwork, don't use soap, soda, etc., but remove fingermarks and dirt with a cloth dampened with alcohol and wash quickly with clear water — and the surface will remain bright. Equal parts of milk and water with a little kerosene added is fine for cleaning white painted woodwork. Heat it before using.

Soap Bubbles

If the children wish to blow soap bubbles, add a little glycerin to the suds and the bubbles will not break so easily. Try coloring the water with juices or certified food colorings.

Wax Substitute

If a floor is to be used for dancing, and there is no wax available, powdered borax may be used, and will prove a good substitute.

Don't Make This Mistake When Child is Constipated

Don't upset a child already upset by constipation with nasty-tasting laxatives or harsh, griping cathartics. Give Children's Own Tablets. This new corrective made especially for growing youngsters' needs is pleasant to take—acts so gently and normally without disagreeable reactions that even the fussy child won't object to their use. Make laxative-taking time easy on the child and yourself. Mother! Get Children's Own Tablets today at your druggist. 29c.

DOROTHY DIX SAYS—

Mamma's Boy

Man With Mother Fixation Is Poor Matrimonial Risk

DEAR MISS DIX: What can you do with a mamma's boy who is still tied to mamma's apron strings, regardless of being 27 years old and engaged to marry me? He is a dear and I love him and he loves me, yet mother has to be consulted about everything before he can me. We can't even go to a show without him saying: "I'll take a step."



thinking for him. What to do?

ANSWER: Well, I should say that unless you want to run a poor second to mother you had better give him up and marry some chap who hasn't such a bad case of mother fixation. Because it is incurable. As long as mother lives he will always be her little boy and she will always decide every question for him, and he will always run to her when he gets his nose bumped and wants to be comforted and petted.

NO LOVE LEFT FOR WIFE

There is an old saying that a good son makes a good husband, but this is not true if the son is too good. No other man in the world makes a worse husband than the overly devoted son who is so much in love with his mother that he really hasn't much affection to give any other woman.

Many men who have a mother complex never marry. Mother won't cut the apron string that binds them to her and they haven't the nerve to do it, so they dangle around her, fetching and carrying for her and dragging her around to places of amusement until they are satisfied old bachelors.

No woman can do her son a worse injury than to bring him up with a mother fixation. She not only wrecks his love life but she handicaps his whole life by teaching him to be dependent upon her. The very birds have more sense about rearing their children than many women have. For they push their young out of the nest and make them use their own wings.

DEAR DOROTHY DIX: You often advise wives to stay with hus-

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Take Life As It Comes

(By F. H. MacArthur)

If people would only learn to take life as it comes the world would be a happier place in which to live. One has but to look into the faces of persons we meet every day to realize that there is too much fretting and worrying in all about us. If I may class fretting as a sin, then that sin is all too prevalent in present day society and is quite too much overlooked in valuations of character. It is so common as to be overlooked by most persons and unless it arises above the usual monotone, we fail to observe it. Watch any ordinary gathering of people and note how many minutes elapse before somebody starts fretting or complaining about one thing or another which most probably every-one present knew before, and which probably nobody can do anything to prevent. Why worry the other fellow with your troubles? Do you ever stop to think that he, too, is bearing his daily cross, but often bearing it without complaint.

With some people it is either too hot or too cold; too wet or too dry; somebody has broken an appointment, or eaten a meal not quite suited to his fancy; stupidity or bad faith somewhere has resulted in discomfort. There are plenty of things to worry about these days; the high cost of living, a jump in your rent, the long winter months that lie ahead, sickness and poverty, etc. It is simply astonishing how many things there are to worry about if we let our minds go unbridled. Even the sparks flying upward from your chimney are mingled with black smoke, but there is always the blue sky above and the less time they waste on the journey the sooner they will reach it. Not only does fretting and complaining worry us and those around us, but remember that nothing brings the wrinkles and makes one old more quickly.

Fashion is responsible for many worries, and after all is so easily done, fashion is but a passing fancy. The wealthy may acquire a taste for furniture of the Marie Antoinette period, or Turkish, or Japanese and other ornate eastern styles, none of which are suited to our needs and surroundings. So why try to keep up with the Smiths? Why worry about what the other fellow has? Be content with your own lot in life be it ever so humble.

There are few persons who have not had the "blues" at some time, though we occasionally come across a cheery soul who will stoutly deny all knowledge of "doldrums", but such persons are full of health and business interests, or have no time for moping, or so they tell us.

If one feels tired or worried or harassed, one is bound to get the blues, to become down-hearted and perhaps discouraged, and out there in the world, and it is then we have to look for that silver lining. A walk in the country where the air is pure and sweet will help to sweep the cobwebs from the brain and give one that uplifted feeling.

American and Canadian are noted for their restless worrying habits. We take life too hard. We wear ourselves out in the pursuit of rest, and may lose it all of a sudden and do not know how to take life as it comes.

Morning Smile

A GOOD REASON

Sweet Young Thing (from the city) — Oh, what a strange looking cow! But why hasn't she any horns?

Farmer (explaining) — Well, you see, some cows are born without horns and never had any, and others shed theirs, and some were dehorned, and some breeds are supposed to have horns at all. There are a lot of reasons why some cows ain't got horns, but the reason why that cow ain't got horns is because she ain't a cow—she's a horse.

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Playing hide-and-go-seek, these two girls, Marjorie Kelleck, 13, and Lena Bradshaw, 10, Belleville, Ont., saw two men enter a store after forcing the back door. The girls left the laneway where they had been hiding and ran home to give the warning.

Needlecraft

— FOR THE HOME —

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That Body Of Yours

By James W. Barton, M.D.

TREATMENT OF THE NEUROTIC OR NERVOUS PATIENT

The manager of a professional boxer brought the boxer to my office and asked me to try and find out why this boxer was so lazy and sleepy, wanted to sleep all the time and was not interested in his work. I explained that infection of teeth, tonsils or gums was the commonest cause of tiredness and laziness in an individual who was not naturally lazy; sure enough, his tonsils were in an advanced stage of infection which explained his lack of interest in his work.

"Why didn't his family doctor tell him that?" He patted him on the back and told him he was all right.

I explained that his family doctor saw 10 to 20 patients during his office hours 2 to 4 p.m., whereas I took me 40 to 60 minutes to examine one patient thoroughly.

Because the physician's office hours give him but a few minutes with each patient and every patient (whatever his symptoms) is to a certain extent a mental patient, the average physician has little time to listen to the patient's story, which might explain many or all of the symptoms.

Dr. Roy Brillinger, Director, Mental Health Clinic, The Ontario Hospital, Hamilton, in "The Canadian Medical Association Journal," states that the psychoneurotic (emotional) patient cannot be treated adequately in 20 minute interviews nor even in a series of them. These cases demand (a) more time, (b) a different approach and (c) a definite program of treatment.

A thorough physical examination is given the patient on his first visit, and if the physician thinks a mental or emotional angle is present, time for a lengthy interview is arranged for his next visit. Then further short interviews are given for reassurance and explanation of cause of symptoms.

The approach must be one of unhurried interest in the patient's case. The treatment must be definite. It will consist of definite statements of explanations, reassurance and a definite program. In some cases rest is needed but in most

The Stars Say --

By Genevieve Remble

For Friday, November 25

THE most propitious auspices hold sway on this day of festivity and gratitude for exceptionally fortunate circumstances and prospects affecting all concerns of heart, home, the more workaday and practical vocations or avocations. It is propitious for all joyous and productive aspirations, in the avenue of application and ambition. All goals under an expansive and productive astral rule.

For the Birthday

Those whose birthday it is are encouraged to make exceptional efforts to promote their most cherished hopes and wishes in which ever pattern of life the energies may be concentrated. Under an expansive rule, promising flourishing and productive objectives in many directions. It is safe to count upon fruitful and enduring culminations to exalted ambitions. Outside collaboration is assured, with many gracious, harmonious and worthwhile contacts. Establish pleasant relations with influential sources. A child on this day is splendidly endowed with the principles, talents, ambitions and aspirations for a happy and fruitful career, with probable renown and influence in life.

cases change of scene with some definite work or hobby to follow, takes the patient's mind off his symptoms, once he feels assured that no organic disease is present.

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Modern Etiquette

By Roberta Lee

Q. How does a widow's or divorcee's second wedding differ from her first?

A. She does not wear white or carry orange blossoms, and she avoids an elaborate ceremony. She is usually unattended, although she may have one bridesmaid. Her costume for a church wedding is an afternoon dress and hat, or a traveling costume. Her father or older male relative gives her away, precisely as at the first marriage.

Q. When a man and a woman enter church, which should precede down the aisle?

A. If there is an usher, the woman should go first. If there is no usher, the man should precede down the aisle and find the seats.

Q. Should a dinner guest, upon arising, push his chair back under the table?

A. No, he should leave it as it is, unless of course it blocks the passage of other guests along the table.

Better English

By D. C. Williams

1. What is wrong with this sentence? "In so far as I know, he told the truth."

2. What is the correct pronunciation of "dictator"?

3. Which one of these words is misspelled? Reservoir, residue, resonance, resistible.

4. What does the word "propensity" mean?

5. What is a word beginning with mo that means "a fine kind of lecher"?

ANSWERS

1. Omit in. 2. Preferred pronunciation is with accent on second syllable, not the first. 3. Reservoir. 4. Natural inclination. "Virtue is nothing but a just temper between propensities, any one of which, if indulged in to excess, becomes vice."—Macaulay. 5. Morocco.