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YOUR INDIVIDUAL HOROSCOPE
(By FRANCES DRAKE)

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Look in the section your birthday comes in, and find what your outlook is, according to the stars.

For Tuesday, April 2, 1940

MARCH 21 to APRIL 20 (Aries)—Generally favorable, considering all the various aspects today. This is more than just a fair day for building and renovating for tomorrow. Associate with the most practical and progressive people you know.

APRIL 21 to MAY 20 (Taurus)—Better watch closely your private affairs. Keep your counsel. Deliberate sufficiently before making decisions. Don't permit your disposition to cause rough sailing.

MAY 21 to JUNE 21 (Gemini)—Excellent business, financial and promotional indications. You may have to work hard to bring about the desired results, but if you put your fine mental powers, plus your physical sanctions, to the test, you'll find yourself in the way of new gains.

JUNE 22 to JULY 23 (Cancer)—Watch personal affairs. Protect domestic happiness and friendships from unwelcome intruders. Yours should and can be a very happy home life — keep it so. Don't disregard the assistance of a loved one (or loved ones) that may prove unusually helpful in business.

JULY 24 to AUGUST 22 (Leo)—This a.m. particularly asks your most earnest effort to overcome whatever the handicaps. Listen well. Much depends upon how you start your day today whether you will succeed in your undertakings. Don't make snap judgments or needlessly quick changes.

AUGUST 23 to SEPTEMBER 23 (Virgo)—You too will be the smallest of being a good listener. Your star rays send friendly greetings this day. But don't forget, "God helps the sailor, but he must row."

SEPTEMBER 24 to OCTOBER 23 (Libra)—Keep fit. Harder work ahead but bigger profit and more achievement too. Construction, engineering, surveying, teaching, returning advertising, diplomatic work highly favored.

OCTOBER 24 to NOVEMBER 23 (Scorpio)—Be decisive and determined without being over-assertive or domineering. Follow the tactfully persuasive way. Your example is being watched by many. Be sure it is what it should be. Be eager to learn the right answers.

NOVEMBER 23 to DECEMBER 22 (Sagittarius)—Friendly vibrations, particularly for you born before December 7. Building, selling, advertising, money savers, writing, accounting, music, and other artistic activities are under especially favorable rays.

DECEMBER 23 to JANUARY 21 (Capricorn)—Heart and domestic affairs are highlights today. Don't let yourself be upset. A calm, unruffled attitude speaks for better judgment, clearer understanding. Attend to duties and don't worry.

JANUARY 22 to FEBRUARY 20 (Aquarius)—Benefit vibrations on whole. Ever hear the expression "where there's life there's hope"? You have all-around capability; don't leave any stones unturned that may hide benefits. And have system.

FEBRUARY 21 to MARCH 20 (Pisces)—Money matters will bear careful attention, this especially for you born after March 6. Business conferences and new undertakings need diplomatic handling. Be conscientious in everything.

A CHILD BORN ON THIS DAY will be highly sensitive; active mentally and physically; willing to help a good cause, but sometimes too temperamental to be the able assistance it should be. Over-indulgence of food, beverages and pet pastimes likely to be greatest fault.

Navy Beau

By Joseph Lewis Chadwick

CHAPTER XXIX

The next morning, after a sleepless night, Joyce telephoned Roger Channel and made an appointment to see him at his office.

Looking rather pale she arrived promptly and wasted no time in telling him why she had come.

"Roger, I need your help," she drew a deep breath. "I want to get a divorce."

A quick gleam came into his eyes, but he feigned surprise.

"A divorce? Isn't this rather sudden?"

Joyce nodded. "Yes—but I've made up my mind it's best. And I want you to tell me what to do. I don't know just how to go about it."

He rose, came round the desk to her, and took her hand sympathetically.

"I'll help you in any way I can but, Joyce, are you perfectly sure you want to do this after only three months of marriage?"

"It was never surer of anything in my life."

"You mean if I ask why?"

"Phil thinks our marriage was a mistake—and I agree with him. He flew here from Hawaii to talk to me and I decided on a divorce."

"So he took the initiative? It was he who suggested it?"

"But I want it admitted bitterly, he showed me that he doesn't really love me. He hasn't any faith in me."

"I see," Channel slowly returned to his chair. "Do you want to tell me about it?"

"Very well, I understand. I'll get my lawyer to handle the case for you if you like. But you'll have the court case all about it—and later, 'Yes—of course.'"

"I suppose you have sufficient grounds—mental cruelty, I imagine."

"Yes," Joyce said tonelessly. "Mentally."

"She sat staring down at her hands, tightly gripping the bag in her lap. She felt cold and wondered if she'd ever feel warm again."

"Don't take this too hard, Joyce," he said gently. "I felt like warning you, but your mind was none of my business. I know Beau Randall's type—I know what he is like in his life—he never stayed long in love with any one. He doesn't know the meaning of the word constancy."

"Let's not discuss it," Joyce said tightly.

"All right—but I simply want to know this: I'm your friend."

"I do know it, Roger. She forced a weak smile. "You've been a good friend, and I appreciate it."

"I'll have a talk with my lawyer and send him to see you. I hope we can arrange to make things as easy for you as possible."

"Thank you, Roger. You're very kind."

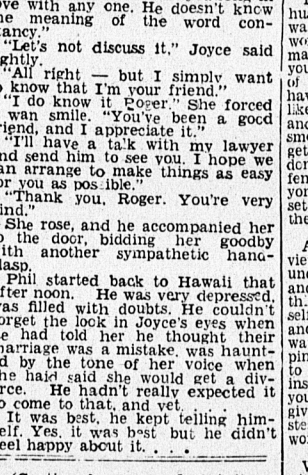
She rose, and he accompanied her to the door, bidding her goodby with another sympathetic hand-clasp.

Phil started back to Hawaii that afternoon. He was very depressed, and filled with doubts. He couldn't forget the look in Joyce's eyes when he had told her he thought their marriage was a mistake, was haunted by the tone of her voice when she had said she would get a divorce. He hadn't really expected it to come to that, and yet...

"It was best, he kept telling himself. It was best, but he didn't feel happy about it."

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Smart New Slip Cover You Can Quickly Make



Cord and Fringe in High Favor

Transform dull rooms for spring with colorful new slip covers. You can whip them up right at home—inexpensively, too.

The cover in the picture is ultra-smart with its double row of white bullion fringe and its white cord trim. The fabric is sturdy, crash proof, and comes in a variety of colors to make this or any style cover the pin-up way.

Remove cushions and smooth fabric over chair, beginning at top of back and working down over seat. Fabric should be wrong side out when you use cord trim. Pin where seams will be and cut, allowing 1 1/2 inches for seams.

In the same way, fit arms, sides and back. Now baste, try on and you're ready to add the skirt—two rows of fringe, stitched to a straight piece of cash. The cord trim you whip over finished seams as the diagram shows.

For complete instructions for cutting, fitting and finishing slip covers, see our 32-page booklet. Gives diagrams and directions for fitting any type of chair or sofa. Suggests smart styles, color schemes, fabrics, trappings.

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Dorothy Dix's Letter Box

DOROTHY DIX SAYS—
WILL POWER IS THE ONLY CURE FOR A WOMAN WHO IS SUFFERING
Forcing Yourself to Make the Best of a Situation Better Than Doctor's Medicine

Dear Miss Dix—What can I do to change a bad disposition? I used to be a gay, pleasant, popular girl, but since I was married ten years ago I have become mean. I don't know why because my husband is a sweet, noble person who apparently still loves me, though heaven alone knows what he does. I hate to spend money although we have a good income. I bark at my two little boys, who are just normal, playful, healthy, noisy children, and I am afraid that I am making them nervous with my constant nagging. My husband greatly resents my manner with them, and I don't know how to discipline them myself. Before I was married I was a copy writer in an advertising agency and loved it, being completely absorbed in it. I often long for the hustle and bustle of a busy office, but my husband would not want me to go back as it is not necessary for me to work. I am not interested in keeping house and I do not care for club or organization work. I am physically well and strong but inclined to be nervous. But what I need is a different point of view. How am I ANXIOUS TO CHANGE.

Answer: A woman as intelligent as your letter shows you to be knows the answer to that question, but lacks the courage to answer it honestly and take the bitter medicine it calls for to cure her.

Nobody on the outside can help her. She has to help herself. She has to be her own doctor. No surgeon can cut out the selfishness in a self-centered woman. She has to eradicate her own faults by forcing herself to think and act as if she were a different person. She has to get rid of her own sharp spears.

You see your own faults. Why don't you correct them? You call it will power. People make me smile when they say they can't control when they say it is their interest to do it. The mercurial woman who flies in rages at her husband and then she wants to keep. The mother whose children set on her nerves with their noise can listen to their cry and not get angry.

Evidently you are bored with your husband and children and home and want to get back into the business world. Well, you deliberately chose marriage as a career. Why can't you do your best to make the best of your bargain? Lots of people like to do work that they don't like but if they have any real brains and will not get into a rut, they can make something out of it. They quit looking over the fence into the green pastures beyond, and do the work they have set their hands to do so well that they learn to like it.

And, believe me, the new point of view which you are seeking lies right under your eyes only you shut them and will not see it. It is to be thinking about being happy "ourself and try to make your husband and children happy." For the only way we can ever find any real happiness is in doing our duty. It is to be a gentle and patient mother instead of a nagger. It is to force children and husband to be happy by giving; to turn a smiling face instead of a discontented one on the world.

When I see a woman like you, with youth and health and a fine mind, with a loving husband, splendid children and a beautiful home, with money to keep her safe and lapped in luxury, yet who does not pay God even the poor compliment of being satisfied, I feel that I must have seen her in some of the great gifts He has lavished upon her. I wonder if she doesn't strain every fibre of her infinite mercy and make Him very tired.

UNDECIDED HUSBAND.

Answer: I certainly do. I think it is always a mistake for a man and woman to make a marriage of convenience. Years, and who have gotten adjusted to each other and have learned to enjoy living in comfort together. I think you would do well to get something terrible has come up that makes them living together an utter impossibility. They should talk it over and see if they can't find a way out of their dilemma. If one or the other of them at middle age develops a mild taste for philandering, when men and women in their thirties do that, it means nothing at all except they are making a last noble attempt to keep their teeth, after all.

Yet many women are foolish enough to waste their aging husbands' affections. They want to get away from some girl young enough to be their granddaughter. They throw up everything they have worked for all their lives and the companionship that has become a part of their very existence, instead of just sitting tight and waiting for things to go their way. They bring their wondering old boys back to them.

After youth has gone and romance has been worn to tatters the things that mattered so much once do not matter at all in marriage. What a waste of time and energy to get peace and comfort, somebody to live with who knows all their little ways and cares to them, somebody with whom they have learned to live without friction, and whose faults they have sidestepped so long they do not even perceive them.

And so I think that if you have a wife with whom you get along finely and who is a good cook and housekeeper, you had better let things rock along, and make no objection when she steps out occasionally with the gentleman friend. Probably she will get any farther than a neighborhood movie.

Two Crops May Be Grown In Planned Vegetable Plot

Lettuce is next to the earliest crop harvested in the garden. It is essentially an early spring cool weather crop. Therefore it is one of the way early. Plan the garden to start something along with the lettuce so that when the lettuce is used up the space it occupied will be occupied by another crop of the way early. It may be either with some other and later vegetable or with flowering annuals to brighten up the garden patch and provide bouquets later in the season.

Planning these successions and combinations is one of the chief reasons for putting a garden plan on paper. It is impossible to carry all the ideas in one's head because when it comes to planting there is a confusion of space and plants that will cause delay in trying to remember what you planned to do. With a plan on paper one can only refer to it and go ahead.

An easy vegetable combination would be to plant a row of lettuce three feet apart. Between each two rows could be set a row of cabbage or cauliflower and in the foot and a half between the cabbage or cauliflower and the lettuce a row of radishes could be sown. The cabbages and cauliflowers would need all the space when the lettuce and radishes were gone. Instead of radishes might be substituted tomatos or string beans.

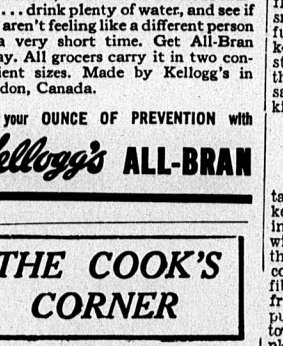
Instead of a vegetable, between

Helpful Hints For The Women Folk

FIRST NIGHTERS

When the curtain goes down on the drama called day. All the birds are on hand to applaud for the day. The robin and wrens join in on a trill. While a bob white calls from a neighboring hill. And a red-winged blackbird with a nest in the ready-to-eat cereals. Applauds and condemns from his treetop perch. With a basso profundo, the frogs all say, "Don't forget our presence. We've been here all day." It's quickly all over and coolness descends. All noises have ceased, for the break of day. They're ready and waiting to see what will play.

—Jane Coffey



BOY, WHAT A GRAND BREAKFAST CEREAL! AND YOU SAY IT CAN ACTUALLY HELP MY TROUBLE?

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THE COOK'S CORNER

STICKY BOTTOM CAKE

1-2 cup shortening
1-2 cup brown sugar
1 egg, well beaten
2 cups sifted flour
2 teaspoons baking powder
1-2 teaspoon soda
1 teaspoon ginger
1 teaspoon cinnamon
1-2 teaspoon salt
1 cup light molasses
1-2 cup hot apricot juice
1 cup cooked prunes
1 cup cooked apricots
1-2 cup raisins
1-2 cup broken nuts
1-2 cup fruit syrup
3 tablespoons butter
1-2 teaspoon ginger
Method: Cream the shortening and gradually cream in the brown sugar. Add the egg and beat well. Combine the dry ingredients and sift together. Add the hot apricot juice to the molasses, then add the sifted dry ingredients alternately with the molasses mixture to the creamed mixture. Add a small amount of each at a time and beat after each addition.

Remove the pie from the prunes and drain the raisins. Combine the sugar, butter, spice and fruit syrup (either prune juice or apricot juice) and pour into the baking pan, blending the mixture well. Arrange the prunes and raisins over the liquid. Grate the sides of the pan and pour the ginger bread batter over the fruit. Bake in a moderate oven (350 deg. F.) over for 45 minutes to 1 hour, or until done. Loosen the sides and invert onto a platter. Serve warm with cream.

LEMON CREAM FILLING

FROSTING

Three-quarters cup sugar;
One-third cup butter;
2 eggs;
5 tbsp. lemon juice
Grated rind of 1 lemon;
1 tsp. cornstarch

Melt the butter in a double boiler and add the sugar and cornstarch which have been mixed together. Then the beaten eggs and lemon juice and rind. Stir will till thick. Cool and spread between the layers of the cake.

the plan for the vegetable garden. The small garden plan should be worked out carefully before the seed order is sent in. Now is the time to get it into shape, drawing it to scale and marking carefully the vegetables that are to follow the earliest crops to keep the ground working until frost.

Smartest Fashions And Winter Styles

A basic dress is a joy to have. Change your accessories and you have a new frock. This style is particularly adaptable for Spring with its slim, high waistline, flared skirts and smart bolero. A plaid color silk or rayon crepe, perhaps navy blue or dark green, is the perfect foil for lacy pockets and collars. A halter top that ties on, made of a bright print and a hat to match makes this dress look like the newest bolero suit.

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BOY NURSEMAIDS PRICK FINGERS

FALEIGH N. C. March 30 — (CP)—Peter Pop, a Brooklyn boy who came to North Carolina State College to study agricultural econometrics built a business as a nursemaid. The only hazard he and his partners have to overcome, he has found, is learning to pin on diapers without sticking the pin into the own thumbs, while nursemaidizing their way through college.

Change It At Once

When you buy a pattern for a nightgown slip, or anything you are likely to use a number of times, make any alterations necessary after the first cutting. Then you will not wonder each time just what it was you did to that pattern to make it correct.

The prehistoric Elothores were not true pigs, nor even related to them, although the resemblance to wild hogs living today in Europe is striking. They had very powerful cutting teeth, two heavy clawed toes on each foot, and have no direct descendants extant today.

A swine-like animal, the elothorium, that lived on earth millions of years ago, had a skull more than 3 feet in length.

Most scientists agree that birds are descendants of reptiles. A favorite bit of evidence for the belief is the fossil of an ancient creature, the Archaeopteryx, a toothed, reptile-like bird that lived in the Jurassic period. Only two specimens are known, — in London and Berlin.

Gifts of Appreciation

Perhaps no gift gives the giver so much pleasure as the small one of appreciation for a kindness. The dainty handkerchief to the person who has been driving you to different affairs during the year, the house plant to the hostess who has entertained you so royally, for instance. These are never expensive gifts yet they mean so much to both the donor and the recipient.

A Morning Smile

The clergyman smiled benevolently upon the unusually large congregation. "As I look about me," he began, "and see so many bright and shining faces, I wonder—"

Out came 92 powder-puffs.

At the Glasgow recruiting depot, the M. O. was tapping and sounding his twentieth recruit, who stood with his eyes fixed above the M.O.'s head. The M.O. fired off the usual routine questions, and was getting the usual answers until he asked:

"What is the heaviest you ever weighed?"

"Ten and a half stone, sr."

"And what is the lightest you ever weighed?"

"And without the blink of an eye came the answer: "Six and a half pounds, sr."

A GRAND PICK-ME-UP!

Bovril
BEEF GOODNESS

A check-up of the medicine cabinet should be made each month in order to replenish the necessary drugs and sundries that it should contain. If this is not done periodically there is bound to come an emergency when some medicine or dressing is needed badly and we find it has all been used.

System in Cupboard

Keep seldom-used articles on the

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SIZES 14-44
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