

Woman's Realm Social and Personal Fashions Literature

Dorothy Dix Says—

PROMISCUOUS WRITING TO MEN IN CAMP IS DANGEROUS

Girls Should Not Let Sentiment Get The Better Of Judgment If They Want To Avoid Possible Future Trouble

Well-meaning but it seems to me ill-advised doers-of-good-deeds, with more hearts than heads, are urging girls of this fair land of ours to do their bit for their country by writing letters to cheer up the draftees. They tell the little Miss Americas that in these perilous times it isn't necessary to stand upon ceremony and only correspond with lads whom they know; that they must scatter missives like rays of sunshine over the various camps, and that when the letter that he never looked for comes it will be a glad surprise to the soldier boy and inspire him to put fresh heart into his work. Now I am all for doing everything possible that will make our brave young defenders happy and comfortable and give them such good times as can be switched in between learning how to operate a tank and be handy with a bayonet, but I question the wisdom of converting even an imitation battlefield into a school for correspondence. It may be, as the old saying has it, that the pen is mightier than the sword. But it is also more dangerous, and encouraging the young to dally with it is like giving children TNT for playthings. Certainly those of us who are old enough to have cut our wisdom teeth know that writing letters is one of the most hazardous of all human diversions and the one that is most likely to get us into trouble and make us wish we hadn't done it.

And if this sport cannot be carried on without risk to life and limbs and pocketbooks in times of peaceful monotony, when there is nothing more exciting to write about than "I went to the movies last night and saw Clark Gable," or "The gang is going to have supper at labels on Tuesday night," just try to imagine how charged with dynamite will be the letters that are written by boys and girls who are thrilled and terrified by what is going on in the world and feel that they must make their letters hot stuff.

Don't Get "Sloppy" in Letters

Naturally, girls are going to be the chief offenders in this epistolary orgy, for no member of the feminine sex can ever see a clean sheet of white paper without feeling an irresistible temptation to inscribe high-flown sentiments upon it. The contents of the ink well go to her head like strong drink and rob her of reason and discretion and make her write things that, often her Papa has to buy back at a great price.

Why girls who are discreet in their conduct and who weigh their words when talking slip over when they write letters to boys nobody can explain. They just do it, although they know that most boys display their rash notes from girls as Indians used to do their scalps, as proof of what deeds they are among the ladies, and that the balance of the lads leave their letter from girls around in old coat pockets or bureau drawers for the perusal of their mothers and sisters and the chambermaid.

It would be understandable if girls were driven by a great passion to putting their hearts on paper for boys to read. But they are not in the great majority of cases. They just feel that, somehow, it is romantic and like something in the movies for them to write a boy about how much they love him, and how they miss him, and how they are longing for him to return.

And if they can write gooey stuff like that, that they don't mean, to some home-town boy whom they only dated when nobody else asked them to go to the party, WHAT are they going to write to strange boys they never saw and never expect to see when they can justify letting themselves go in the name of patriotism? Oh, Mamma!

It Is Dangerous Both Ways

Nor are the draftees going to find that entering into correspondence with strange women is a safe and innocuous way to pass a idle hour. Men are not so glib as women about expressing their feelings, real or imaginary, in black and white, but before they realize it, and without intending it, and for no better reason than that they were hard put for something to say and had to fill in a half page to keep the letter from looking too skimpy, many an unwary lad is going to write something that the girl back home is going to construe into a proposal of marriage on which he will have to make good later on.

Hence, while I am all for amusing the draftees, I do wish they had chosen some less dangerous game than letter-writing.

The Wife Gets First Call

Dear Dorothy Dix—I am married to a dear woman whom I love very much and who is good, kind and considerate to me, but my mother hates my wife because she did not want me to marry. She wanted me to stay with her. She has tried to make me leave my wife and says that if I will come to her she will take care of my baby, and that I can live with her and have all of my money to spend on myself. My mother writes letters to my employers inquiring my wife's position, as she is working, too. My mother is well off, and when she is crossed she goes to bed and has a spell of sickness. What shall I do? Stick to my wife or go to my mother? JOHN H. T.

ANSWER—If you have any manhood in you, stick to your wife. Your mother is a wicked woman to try to break up your home and separate you from a good wife who is trying to do her duty. Don't bother about your mother's illness. Lots of women throw a fit to get their own way, but their spells are never fatal. DOROTHY DIX.

POT HOLDERS ARE DAINTY



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The fan shaped pot holder is worked in two colors to match the Hitchcock color scheme. The round holder is done in a shell stitch. Both are easy to crochet. Pattern No. 931 contains list of materials needed, illustration of stitches and complete instructions, for making both holders.

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No Limousine For Her Majesty



During a visit to the London Scottish regiment, of which she is an honorary colonel, Queen Elizabeth took her first ride in a Bren gun carrier. Her Majesty is being assisted to her place by officers of the regiment.

Your Individual HOROSCOPE

By Frances Drake

For Monday, June 16th.

MARCH 21 to APRIL 20 (Aries)

A day for cautious advancement, particularly for you born before April 4. Finish incomplete work left over from last week and plot out your course of action to best serve worthy interests.

APRIL 21 to MAY 20 (Taurus)

Note advice to Aries. Your budding thoughts are the forerunners of some grand ideas. Nurture them till they reach maturity and turn out to be blue-ribbon winners.

MAY 21 to JUNE 21 (Gemini)

Get a grand start today to set an enviable record for yourself and for others to follow. Pick up where you left off last week and proceed with added incentive and ambition. Rather confusing tendencies which you must iron out.

JUNE 22 to JULY 23 (Cancer)

It is all right to view the world through optimistic eyes but not to the point of permitting others to

take advantage of you or to immerse you in some unproductive and wasteful activities. Curtail plans and desires to insure work on worthy projects.

JULY 24 to AUGUST 23 (Leo)

Fine period, one in which to stride forward with renewed ambition, skilled effort, and patience plus. Business and personal matters, correspondence and your work lead today's favored list.

AUGUST 24 to SEPTEMBER 23 (Virgo)

A so-so day. It's up to you to make it productive. If you set your mind on, and execute, the proper approach to your problem of the week, you'll find it will fade in difficulty and join the host of well completed tasks.

SEPTEMBER 24 to OCTOBER 23 (Libra)

Pay particular attention to your private and domestic needs today. Do not slight business interests but during free time plan for happiness at home and with loved ones.

OCTOBER 24 to NOVEMBER 23 (Scorpio)

Financially speaking, you had better watch your step now. Investigate propositions, agreements, proposals thoroughly before investing in them. Tact, patience essential.

NOVEMBER 24 to DECEMBER 23 (Sagittarius)

Rays similar to those of Scorpio birthdate. Use common sense and your pleasing personality to smooth over rough spots. Watch the budget but don't pass up good buys.

DECEMBER 24 to JANUARY 23 (Capricorn)

From a business and personal angle today's vibrations are all in your favor. Remember, too much of a good thing is sometimes a handicap. Conservative, sensible doses of everything, adhering to trend and true principles are today's setup.

JANUARY 24 to FEBRUARY 23 (Aquarius)

Keep a latch on your purse strings this hectic period. Push forward with concentrated effort along constructive lines and in regular routine. You'll find happiness in a job well done.

FEBRUARY 24 to MARCH 23 (Pisces)

Don't let little irritations upset you. Keep your sunny disposition on tap. Encounter obstacles with a systematic, calm, well-rounded attack that will disperse them pronto.

A CHILD BORN ON THIS DAY:

Yours is the happy faculty of making and retaining valuable friendships. contacts and business connections. Affable, intelligent, a ready smile. Analyze situations as they arise first then move to attend to them with a successful mode of attack. Busy years ahead.

SPRING CAKE

Three-quarters cup of butter, 1-2 cups sugar, grated rind of 1-2 lemons, 4 egg-whites beaten very dry, 2-3 cups flour, 4 teaspoons baking powder, 2-3 cup milk.

Beat the butter to a cream; gradually beat in the sugar and add the grated rind; then add alternately the milk and the flour sifted with the baking powder; add the egg whites and beat vigorously. Bake in a tube pan about 50 minutes. Cover with boiled frosting and, at once, decorate with halves of cherries, angelica stems and candied violets.

Boiled Frosting: One cup sugar, 1-2 cup boiling water, 1 egg-white, 1-2 teaspoon lemon juice.

Prepare in the usual manner, boiling the syrup to 238 degrees Fahrenheit by the sugar thermometer, or to a firm soft-ball stage. Pour the syrup through a sieve on the beaten white of egg. Add the syrup very slowly that the frosting may be made very thick by long beating. Beat in the lemon juice very slowly, at the last.

DR. MORSE'S INDIAN ROOT PILLS for LAZY LIVERS

Coax your liver to healthy action! Help it keep the bile juices flowing with "Dr. Morse's"—the improved vegetable laxative. Ask for this reliable remedy by name — at your drugstore.

Living & Leisure —The Woman's Realm

TEN MOTORISTS

From the Neepawa (Manitoba) Press

Ten Little Motorists driving in a line—

One tried to pass the rest—

Then there were nine.

Nine Little Motorists, sadly I relate—

One passed a traffic cop—

Then there were eight.

Eight Little Motorists, young and very deft;

One tried to show such skill—

Seven then were left.

Seven Little Motorists, touring in the styx;

One failed to dim his lights—

Then there were six.

Six Little Motorists, very much alive

One did not see a train—

Then there were five.

Five Little Motorists, driving in the rain;

One skidded on a curve—

Four now remain.

Four Little Motorists, coming from a tea;

One faced about to chat—

Then there were three.

Three Little Motorists, this is sad but true;

One slumbered from fatigue—

Then there were two.

Two Little Motorists, racing just for fun,

One passed upon a crest—

Then there was one.

One Little Motorist, though seldom it is done,

Lit a match to gauge his tank—

Now there are none.

COMBINED ROOMS NOW POPULAR

The trend toward combined living room and dining room has increased greatly in popularity in the last few years, especially in smaller homes where space-saving require-

New Under-arm Cream Deodorant safely Stops Perspiration



1. Does not rot dresses, does not irritate skin.
2. No waiting to dry. Can be used right after shaving.
3. Instantly stops perspiration for 1 to 3 days. Removes odor from perspiration.
4. A pure, white, greaseless, stainless washable cream.
5. Arrid has been awarded the Approval Seal of the American Institute of Laundering for being harmless to fabrics.

25 MILLION jars of Arrid have been sold. Try a jar today!

ARRID

39¢ a jar At all stores selling toilet goods (also in 1oz and 5oz jars)

A Morning Smile

A man at a marriage bureau, about to be presented to his prospective bride, whispered to the agent: "She's ugly, small, hunch-backed and cross-eyed."

"You needn't whisper," retorted the agent, "she's dead, too."

TWO OF THEM

Cop: "You've been sitting in your car for the last three hours. Do you still claim you're waiting for a man?"

Motorist: "Yes, officer. I am waiting for either of the gentlemen who own the car in front of me and the car behind me."—Farm Journal and Farmer's Wife.

Pounds Disappear—2 A Week!

So that snapshot shows your figure all billows and bulges? You can change the picture before the summer's over by dieting the easy low-calory way!

Two pounds melt away each week when you limit yourself to 1,200 calories a day. Not that this means limiting your meals. You just budget your calory allowance among the many delicious and healthful low-calory foods you find on your calory chart.

An egg and tomato salad of 100 calories is rich in protective Vitamin A; whereas a potato salad (never order it) piles up 210 calories and hasn't half the vitamin content. For dessert, half a canteleop with lemon ice (only 100) is just as exciting as fattening apple pie a la mode (300)!

And though will power is important to dieting, who's the temptation in a walnut sundae (425 calories) when you can have scrumptious raspberries with cream and sugar (150)?

Dieting's no sacrifice when you do it the low-calory way! Our 32-page booklet gives calory chart, 42 slimming yet vitamin-rich menus, recipes for slimming desserts. Tells how to gain, too.

Send 20c in coins for your copy of The New Way To A Southern Figure To The Guardian Home Service. Be sure to write plainly Your Name, Address and the Name of booklet.

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ALABASTINE

For Tinting Walls and Ceilings

Owners must be regarded closely.

Owners of small homes which contain adjoining living and dining rooms, both of insufficient size, may find combining the two desirable.

Reasons advanced by architects and builders for the trend away from separate dining rooms are that as such they are used only three or four times a day while the living room is in practically constant use. Another point is the fact that living room and dining room are seldom, if ever, used, simultaneously.

HISPANIOLA

Haiti was named Hispaniola by Columbus when he discovered the island. This name is being given back to the island and already is appearing in official books and on maps.

FABRIC GLOVES

Straighten out the freshly washed fabric gloves and run them through the wringer. They will dry in half the time and will look better than if twisted and wrung out by hand.

SWAT THE FLIES

Do you know that one fly lays one hundred to two hundred eggs in one patch? It doesn't take much imagination to figure out the consequences if a few of them are irritating and disgusting, but in such we all have an urge to get rid of them, we are not all over careful of preventing their breeding.

All garbage and refuse must be covered or burned, nature, rotting leaves kept well away from dwellings and all surroundings kept as scrupulously clean as possible. However, there will always be some flies around somewhere. Screens on doors and windows will help to keep them out of the house and all exposed food should be kept covered.

A few good fly pads, used regularly during the warm weather, in home or store, will kill all the flies that happen to get in if used according to directions.

Medical authorities and scientists have proved by the most careful tests that the common house-fly spreads deadly germs of infantile diarrhoea, the dreaded warm weather complaint that claims the lives of so many little children.

Flies are a deadly menace and must not be tolerated. A fly will come straight from a heap of filth and settle on food or drink. If the latter is not protected, spreading disease that may cause a death right in your own home. Those citizens who have any regard for the welfare of their neighbors and community will wage unremitting war against fly pests and reliable fly pads will be of invaluable assistance in their efforts.

Flowers Should Suit

A director's bonnet of tulle and fresh bouvardia coming to young heads with classic braids or upswep locks.

Flowers for hair and bouquet should be chosen as thoughtfully as gown or veil. They should suit the bride's figure, type and personality as perfectly as do the clothes in her trousseau. Once the choice is made, the groom should be given a pic-

ture or sketch of the headpiece and type of bouquet to give to the florist who will send or wire the flowers. Incidentally, it's no more trouble to send a headpiece by wire than it is to send a simple corsage or box of cut flowers.

The short, "little girl" type bride should leave the bouquet that is a stately bride. The large girl will be more flattered by a large bouquet and flower tieaddress in harmonizing proportion than by a tiny old-fashioned knot of flowers for a bouquet and a few small blossoms in the hair. Fresh flower muffs, however, are a good choice for all sizes and types. Small muffs are becoming for short brides; larger muffs to tall girls.

You Can Reduce Quickly On a Low-Calory Diet

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Needlecraft—For The Home

You'll love making this simple little frock for your young daughter. She'll wear it as a dress as well as over her sunsuits. An easy to follow instruction chart is included with each of these true to measure patterns. Choose printed or plain color cotton and trim with bright ric-rac edging for a trim but youthful effect. Matching panties make this the perfect warm weather frock.

Style No. 2908 is designed for sizes 2, 4, 6 and 8 years. Size 4 requires 1 5/8 yards of 3/8-inch fabric with 2 yards of ric-rac for dress; 3-4 yard of fabric for panties.

Send Twenty (20c) coin is preferred. For Pattern. Write plainly your Name, Address and the size you wish.

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Don't let Sunburn, Windburn, Poison Ivy, Mosquito and Insect Bites spoil your holiday. Mecca Ointment is almost magical in soothing and healing skin irritations.



You can't tell the difference BETWEEN A NEW PINAFORE AND A RINSO-WASHED ONE!

Your colored things washed time and again with Rinso stay so fresh and bright you can place them beside brand new garments and not tell one from the other.

Rinso is truly safe for washable colors—in tub or washer. Start using Rinso right away. Order the GIANT package for economy now.

A Lever product

Rinso keeps colors bright

group of small corsages, fastened together invisibly with wire and finished with ribbons. The bride loosens wire and ribbons before tossing the flowers to the bridesmaids.

It's a good idea to have a separate corsage of orchids, gardenias or white roses in the centre of the wedding bouquet. During the ceremony, the corsage appears to be part of the bouquet, of course. Afterward, the bride removes it and wears it on her going-away suit.

It's new to have the bridesmaids wear little skull caps of small fresh flowers with matching braids of long crocheted or lace snoods into which fresh blossoms have been fastened. It's new also to dress them in white with flowers and shoes the only note of colour. In this case, their bouquets should be large, their dresses ever so simply styled.

Sectional Bouquet

The sectional wedding bouquet is popular because it gives every bridesmaid a sure chance of catching a flower when the bride makes her exit. Actually it is a

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