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To the Sweet Girl Graduate Urges Her to Face Economic Facts

Dorothy Dix

Every Girl Had as Well Face the Fact That She is Likely to Have to Support Herself, and Possibly Her Husband and Children, Says Dorothy Dix—So the Sweet Girl Graduate Will do Well to Prepare Herself to Earn Her Own Living

These are the days when the sweet girl graduate "stands with reluctant feet where the brook and river meet," as the poet says, and virtually asks herself: "Where do I go from here?"

But the girl of today has no certainty of getting married and acquiring a husband who will be a satisfactory meal ticket. More and more are men shying away from wedding rings, and more and more the men who get married expect their wives to keep on with their jobs and help make the dough as well as bake it.

Therefore, I urge every girl just as soon as she finishes school to make her own living, and to set about learning how to do some particular kind of work so expertly that she will be able to command a good salary.

And this advice was never more pertinent than it is now in these times of depression and breaking banks, when we have all witnessed the heart-breaking spectacle among our friends, of middle-aged and elderly women who have been lapped in luxury all their lives who have suddenly had their fortunes swept away from them, and who have been left the most helpless and pathetic creatures on earth.

No woman is safe from such a fate, and the only way she can protect herself against it is to have resources within herself on which she can fall back in her hour of need.

I would say to her: Psychoanalyze yourself and try to get an honest line on your own abilities. Don't rate yourself too highly, and don't make the mistake of thinking that because you would like to do a thing it is any indication that you have the ability to do it.

Don't let your pride influence your decision. Don't try to do things for which you have no aptitude just because you think they are high-browed or elegant. Don't try to write sonnets that you can't sell if Nature intended you to make pies that are poems that will cause people to wear a path to your doorstep.

Learn to be an expert in whatever you do. You have to work just as hard and just as long hours for a little money as you do for much. It is skill that makes the difference between a \$5-a-week cook and a \$5000-a-year chef, and that enables one woman to get \$30 for a hat, while another woman can't sell hers for \$5.

Also, besides the comfort and satisfaction of having your own pocket-book, the ability to make your own living will help you every day in every way. It will give you poise because it stiffens a woman's spine to know that she can stand on her own feet.

And if you should not marry you will have the best possible substitute for husband and children in your work. You will have a vital interest in life, something to think about, something to plan for, something to mother. No busy person is ever bored.

So I would say to the sweet girl graduate "standing with reluctant feet where the brook and river meet": Go to the nearest business or trade school. Beat it. Scram.

DOROTHY DIX.

Cutting Teeth In Hot Weather Hard on Babies



Hot weather alone is a tax on a baby, but add to that "teething troubles" and you have a combination that is doubly hard on him.

At such a time, BABY'S OWN TABLETS are invaluable. These tablets restore baby's digestion, cool his blood, comfort him and promote sleep in a natural way.

"BABY'S OWN TABLETS take away that teething fever," writes Mrs. Alfred Bugay, North Sydney. "We have not lost one night's rest through teething," says Mrs. Archie Begbie, Concession. "I have found BABY'S OWN TABLETS the best of all children's remedies for teething, summer complaint, colic and constipation," states Mrs. George N. Walker, Thomasburg.

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BABY'S OWN TABLETS Make and Keep Children Well—As Mothers Know

FOR THE WOMAN READER

A SMILE

'Tis easy enough to be pleasant, When life flows along like a song; But the man worth while is the one who will smile When everything goes dead wrong.

GLAMMY HANDS MEAN YOUR HEALTH IS POOR

Clammy hands never make new-comers want to know you better. They are a decided handicap. Worse than that, they often indicate a condition of bad health.

These are three serious causes that should have medical attention. More rest, more relaxation, more time out in the open and special care of your diet and exercise, all under a doctor's supervision should remedy your clammy hand condition, because it remedies the cause.

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AIDS TO COOLNESS

One or two electric fans, placed in the rooms you use most, will do much to make your home more comfortable in the summer.

CARNATION CORSAGES

Carnations are much in vogue for corsages on evening frocks. Red ones are handsome on white dresses. The fact that carnations do not wilt readily and that they have a spicy, rather than a too-sweet, odor make them an ideal summer corsage flower.

BATHING BEAUTIES DISPLAY ROUGED KNEES

Bathing girls who want to be fashionable must rouge their knees as well as their cheeks and lips. The fashion has been launched at a mannequin parade at Le Touquet to show the 1933 bathing suit creations from the Paris fashion houses.

Six slim bathing beauties were due to display a dazzling array of beach costumes. The judges awaited in anticipation of seeing something really eye-soothing in hot weather. The girls came forth. The bare backs and all the usual attractions were there.

ARE FASHIONS GOING BACK TO PRIMITIVE?

Woman is a thing of beauty, but beauty is a thing apart. White woman or black will change the tints of nature as readily as she will change her frock and resort to any extreme in the headlong rush to be fashionable.

The craftsman who can work beautiful designs on the bodies of the village maidens is always in demand. The work is done by skin-burning; by knife incisions which are filled with mud, giving the appearance to the flesh of an embossed cushion; or by the red-hot needle process, which gives a finer and more intricate pattern and takes months to finish.

BEAUTIFYING THE EARS

The ears are a great medium for the African village beautifier. Holes, large or small, are made in them, to carry anything from a tiny blue bead to an empty fruit tin, according to the taste of the wearer.

Massive brass or silver anklets weighing pounds are a great vogue, and are usually worn only by a favorite wife. After being welded on, these anklets are never removed; so heavily laden can a real beauty become with these magnificent tokens that it sometimes becomes impossible for her to move.

Long nails, henna'd bare feet with toe-rings, boylike figures, and large earrings are the fashion among so-called smart people in Europe and America. Among the African women all these things have been fashionable for generations. What does it all amount to? Are the fashions among the Africans going forward towards civilization or is the fashion of civilization reverting to the primitive?

MADE-TO-MEASURE FINGER-NAILS ARE ALSO DETACHABLE

Detachable made-to-measure finger nails, lacquered to tone with the evening gown to be worn, are the latest craze of some London women of fashion.

These finger nails are the exclusive speciality of a firm of Bond street jewellers of high repute. They hold the world rights of the invention.

Go on Quickly

Barbaric as the fashion may appear to be, women are coming forward in large numbers to order sets of the new colored finger nails, blue, green, red, mauve, and so on, to match their dresses or their jewellery. These little coloured sheaths, which are shaped to the fingers, are a substitute for the beauty specialist's lacquer, and have the merit of being always ready in immaculate condition when required. They took only twenty seconds to put on and even less to take off.

THE OLD GARDENER SAYS

The most satisfactory garden is one that can be used as a living room. Such a garden should have protection from the public—either a fence or a hedge. It should have comfortable benches or seats and certain other accessories, perhaps a sundial or a bird bath, properly placed. It is most important, though, that the garden furniture should harmonize with the house.

CHECKING THE ROSE CHAFER

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Not Satisfied

Smith was spending his holidays at Mudville. One day he took his rod and line and sat down to fish off the end of the pier.

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It breeds only in light sandy soil, chiefly in neglected or poorly cultivated land, where the larvae feed on the roots of grasses and weeds, passing the winter in the soil at depths ranging from six to eighteen inches. The control of this pest is somewhat difficult owing to its omnivorous habits, its great numbers and its resistance to the action of stomach poisons.

Another method is to handpick the beetles from the blossoms, dropping them into water coated with a film of kerosene. Really, the most satisfactory means of control in districts severely affected by rose chafers is to bring waste sandy land under cultivation as a wide-spread community effort.

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Beauty is not a gift... it can be won

The woman who attracts is the woman whose skin is kept youthfully, radiant, smooth and firm

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Buy 3 cakes of Palmolive today. Follow the treatment as directed above, a treatment that has been proved successful with thousands of complexions. See what happens. Prove to yourself that you can win beauty.

Keep that Schoolgirl Complexion

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