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## Today's Short Wave Radio Program

(All Time is Eastern Standard)

- THURSDAY, JULY 21**
- BOSTON**  
5:00 p.m.—World News. WIXAL.  
20.4 m., 11.79 meg.
- BERLIN**  
5:00 p.m.—The Greek pianist Angelica Costalas will play. DJD.  
25.4 m., 11.77 meg.
- TOKYO**  
6:15 p.m.—Western Music. JZJ.  
25.4 m., 11.80 meg.
- MOSCOW**  
7:00 p.m.—News and Program for English Listeners. RAN.  
31 m., 9.6 meg.
- LONDON**  
7:23 p.m.—George Bernard Shaw. GSG.  
16.8 m., 17.79 meg.; GSD.  
19.6 m., 15.31 meg.; GSO.  
19.7 m., 15.18 meg.; GSD.  
25.5 m., 11.75 meg.; GSB.  
31.5 m., 9.51 meg.
- ROME**  
7:30 p.m.—Count Luigi Cozza: "Regulating the Tiber Below Rome." RFR.  
25.4 m., 11.81 meg.; IRF.  
30.5 m., 9.53 meg.
- FRAGILE, CZECHOSLOVAKIA**  
9:00 p.m.—Serenades. OLR4A.  
25.3 m., 11.84 meg.; OLR5A.  
19.7 m., 15.23 meg.
- BERLIN**  
9:15 p.m.—Military Anecdotes. DJD.  
25.4 m., 11.77 meg.
- CARACAS**  
9:30 p.m.—Billo's Happy Boys. Orchestra. YVSRG.  
51.7 m., 5.8 meg.
- LONDON**  
9:25 p.m.—"Frog Fable." Aesop's stories about the frogs told in a new way. GSI.  
19.6 m., 15.26 meg.; GSD.  
25.5 m., 11.75 meg.; GSB.  
31.5 m., 9.51 meg.
- FRAGILE, CZECHOSLOVAKIA**  
9:55 p.m.—Brass Band. OLR4A.  
25.3 m., 11.84 meg.; OLR5A.  
19.7 m., 15.23 meg.
- 10:20 p.m.—Talk by Mme. de Gramont (in English). TPA4.  
25.6 m., 11.71 meg.
- TOKYO**  
12:45 a.m.—Japanese Children's Songs. JZJ.  
25.4 m., 11.80 meg.

## Summer Complaint

Few people, especially children, escape an attack of summer complaint, but let it go for a day or two only and see how weak and prostrate it will leave you. The quickest and safest way to get rid of it is to go immediately to your drug or general store and get a bottle of Dr. Fowler's Extract of Wild Strawberry. This bowel complaint remedy has been on the market for the past 92 years. You do not experiment when you use it. Be sure and get "Dr. Fowler's" and feel safe. The T. Millburn Co., Ltd., Toronto, Ont.

## Dorothy Dix's Letter Box

### Too Much Mother in the Living Room When John Comes to Call on Ann Decreases the Chances of Daughter Finding a Husband — Young Folks Don't Care for Spectators at Their Courtship

Dear Miss Dix—I am in a terrible predicament. My mother is queering all of my dates and cutting me out of having good times, and, unless something can be done about it, will eventually keep me from marrying by always being Sally-on-the-spot whenever a boy comes to see me. Time and time again she has driven away boys who showed they were interested in me by taking her seat in the room when they called and monopolizing all the conversation, telling all about her rheumatism and what a cute baby I was and family jokes until the poor things were so bored they never came back again. I have spoken to my mother about this, but it only made her furious. She says we shouldn't say anything we are not willing for her to hear. We don't. But it just embarrasses a boy so much to have a mother listening in. Just now I have a boy friend whom I like very much, but after coming two or three times and spending the evening listening to mother, he is cooling off. She is urging us up. What can I do? MABEL.

Answer: Being the cat is nothing as a feat of skill to gagging a garrulous woman. The task is particularly difficult when a mother tries to do it, for mother always thinks that she knows best and that it is impertinence for a child to tell her of her faults. As a matter of fact, no woman should need to be told that when young men come to the house they come to see her daughter and not to see her. Nor should she need to be reminded that no young man's idea of spending a pleasant evening consists in listening to mother's reminiscences.

It would also seem that even the most forgetful woman would remember how murderous she felt when she was a girl and her mother savaged her by repeating the minutiae of their conversation. Furthermore, it would seem that even a morose mother would recall that when the boys found that mother was a fixture in the parlor when they said good night it was, indeed, a "Sally-on-the-spot" that they were to avoid. But there are thousands of well-meaning mothers who never think back to their own girlish days at all, or else they are under the impression that the technique of courtship has been changed, or perhaps they can't think of an avoid maneuver for their daughter's game. They are so busy and so love the sound of their own voices. They enjoy young company, so when Percival comes to call on Annie they simply pop themselves down in the most comical chair and have a perfectly grand time entertaining themselves.

It is not that the girl and boy want to say anything or do anything that the whole world might know that makes them resent mother's presence. It is just that they can't be themselves when she is about. And that is why, so far as keeping boys away, a mother and as well as a smallpox sign in front of her house as to always be hanging around when her daughters have dates.

The reason that many an attractive girl never has any attention from men is because she has too much mother. She clutters up the scene with her presence. She never remembers that two is company and three is a crowd. She never gives the girls a chance to strut their stuff or the men an opportunity to propose.

Dear Dorothy—You say that for the sake of the future of the children estranged parents ought to remain together and keep a peaceful and happy home. I am married to a man who has turned out to be insanely jealous, a drunkard and a wife beater. He has beaten me, he has still sick in bed, he has beaten me and reviled me. He has threatened to drag me as low as it is possible for one to get. He has wrecked my nerves and my life. He has even threatened to take my life. I have a child in my arms who is growing, he will lay hands on her without a scruple. Don't you think that I am doing her a favor instead of an injustice by divorcing him and taking him out of her life as much as possible, not to mention mine? MOTHER.

Answer: It is no woman's duty to live with a brute or a fiend for the sake of her children. Indeed, quite the contrary is true, and when she is married to such a man she owes it to the children to take them away from him and out of the sphere of his influence and ill-treatment. When I urge a married couple who are disgruntled with each other to keep together, for the sake of their children and give them the benefit of a settled home and the care of both a mother and father, I am presupposing that they are decent people, people with good morals and good sense, that they are a man and woman of the highest character marry and find themselves totally uncompanionable and unable to get along together in peace. They quarrel over silly trifles and make each other perfectly miserable.

I recall one case of a woman who wanted to get a divorce from her husband because she liked artistic gark rooms and every time he came into the house he snapped up all the window shades or fished for her electric lights. And I recall a man who was bent on divorcing his wife because she interfered in his flower garden and wouldn't let his dog sleep in the house. It is people like these whom I urge to sink their differences because of their children and to try to make the best of a bad job. If a husband or wife is morally rotten and degenerate it is a different thing. Then divorce is the surgeon's knife that cuts the cancer out of the marriage. But in any case where a husband and wife hate each other and haven't self-control enough to live peacefully together it is better for them to separate, even if there are children. For better is one parent than two parents who fight, and better no home at all than a home of strife. DOROTHY DIX.

## The Housewife And Her Activities

### BLUE LARKSPUR

You bring the cool of lakes into your garden. You paint the mountain haze I may not see; You hint of ocean brilliance in the sunlight; You make vacation, right at home, for me. —Helen Hixon.

### BRING ANTIQUES INTO MOOD OF SUMMER

Why not upholster your antiques in light-weight summer coverings, and see how well they fit into the scene? One decorator covers the seats of Empire chairs with glazed chintz striped in mauve and rose. . . . and very flattering it is to the rich wood tones of the walnut frames. Another uses yellow grass cloth, and another with tape in emerald green to cover the backs and seats of Italian chairs of the early 19th century. So take the hint, you possessors of antiques, and bring your Colonial, Victorian or Georgian furniture with their dark walnut, mahogany or rosewood frames, into the mood of summer.

### NAIL BEAUTIFIERS

Remember that cuticle oil and nail beautifiers take less than a minute to apply each night and make the weekly home manicure so easy that even a child could do it successfully. If you are tired of plain stewed dried fruits, try adding a bit of grated lemon rind, a little lemon juice or a slice or two of lemon while the fruit is cooking.

### RATTLING WINDOWS

Take an ordinary clothespin and split it in two and there are two fine wooden wedges for those windows that bothered you so much during the last wind storm.

### IN THE KNITTED BAG

An extra pocket in the knitting bag to hold the needles not in use is practical. Then there is no danger of splitting the wool or silk when putting the needles through so they will not get lost.

### THIEF PROTECTION

Never leave windows and doors unlocked. Strange men and women who come to the door seeking work should never be engaged for inside jobs. Have all loose window catches fixed. A knife will open an insecurely locked window very readily. Never trust any workman to lock your cellar window for you after he is through. See that it is done yourself. Do not leave a strange salesman standing at the open door while you go to another part of the house for your pocketbook. Shut him out first.

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## 3 STRANGE MEN

By C. T. PODMORE

CHAPTER XII  
ROOM 104

This was a great climax to all that George Farminter had to tell at Brighton that evening and it seemed wonderful that such luck had happened to him in so short a space of time.

But, considering the character of the operation, even one was too many, if the gain from Number Three was to be effective.

Sophie Cordery grasped this situation with an interest that seemed more deeply speculative than usual. It has been mentioned that, through a business fact, her well developed; also, that she could be resolute and daring to a degree not usual in women who are called upon to face only the simple social crises. And so, at this juncture, Sophie took counsel with herself, and decided that she could add something vital to what George Whammer had done. Not the faintest suspicion of what she thought of doing could have entered the head of either George or her mother.

Shut out from further attack at Abinger's Hotel, George could do no more there. But it can be said that the spurious Diggs would leave. Abinger's might be just the place to find him, if wanted, because it was the last place he would be looking after what had happened. It was not impossible that the real Diggs might visit there as well. Since Rumely, the two charts in their possession might be examined together in Room 104 at Abinger's since they confided upon Rumely's since it was actually Rumely who was there—should be visiting both charts (the obvious aid) while the real Diggs verified his tracings by going over the ground. They would act, not on both, but on the easier of the two. To be sure, they would be competing against Boxwith. But if points could be found on paper a real of time would be saved. Whammer over much of the ground would not be needed. George had found that the chart obtained from Boxwith indicated a move to the west. What the others indicated remained to be seen. Anyhow it seemed obvious to Sophie that these two men who had so soon broken faith ought to be operating in the way she imagined, from the privacy of Abinger's Hotel. Apprehensively it was in her mind that the secret of these charts might suddenly be realized by some sign or convergence at their end.

She did not lose sight of the fact that Diggs might have noted her coming at Jawney's; nor that she had herself taken a definite impression of Diggs. Rumely, of course, she could know only by his usual name or by his occupancy of Room 104. To him, she would not be known at all.

It was late—long after George had gone to bed—when she announced her intention to her mother.

"I must have a taxi," she said; "I am leaving home to-night."

Argument was useless. She packed a bag and went. And from Room 104 at Abinger's Hotel she descended next morning to breakfast.

It was not long after time she had put up here overnight after late business—nor was she a stranger to frequenters of the commercial room. Over there, for one, was Headley Barling.

But Sophie did not notice him this morning, she had no inclination for talk. Whether he recognized that or not, he kept her under observation. He thought only

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WEAK ON ECONOMY. The caller knocked at the door of the suburban villa. "Is Mr. Smith in?" he asked. "Yes, he is," replied the lady of the house. "That's fine," said the visitor. "Maybe I can collect the money he owes me." Mrs. Smith smiled scornfully. "You're an optimist," she said. "If my husband had any money he wouldn't be in."

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## Modern Etiquette

(By ROBERTA LEE)

Q. Would a dark blue coat and white flannel trousers be appropriate for a bridegroom to wear at an informal morning wedding, during the summer?

A. Yes.

Q. What are some foods that can be served at a summer garden party?

A. Sandwiches, salads, ice-cream, cakes or pastries, and candy that will not melt in warm weather.

Q. What articles are placed in the hammock that is found in a Pullman berth?

A. Anything one wishes; articles of clothing, books, or toilet articles.

## THE COOK'S CORNER

**POTATO SALAD**  
4 large potatoes  
4 slices bacon, cut in small pieces  
1 small onion, minced  
1-2 cup vinegar  
1-4 cup water  
1-4 cup sugar  
2 tablespoons salt



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- 1-2 teaspoon mustard
- 1-4 teaspoon pepper
- 1-4 cup parsley, chopped
- Wash the potatoes and cook in their skins until tender. Drain, peel and slice. While the potatoes are cooking, prepare the dressing. Fry the bacon until crisp and drain off some of the fat. Combine the minced onion, vinegar, water, sugar, salt, pepper and
- dry mustard and heat thoroughly. Add to the potatoes with bacon and fat and the minced parsley, mixing carefully with forks so the potato slices are broken. Serve at once. Enough for 6.
- A scant teaspoon of baking powder added to mashed potatoes insures their lightness and fluffiness.

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## Household Scrapbook

(By ROBERTA LEE)

**Cherry Stoner**  
A good cherry stoner is a new steel pen. Place the point of the pen in the penholder and use the other end to scoop out the pits. This method will leave the cherry whole.

**Cutting Chiffon or Voile**  
When one is cutting chiffon or voile on a smooth surface, the material will slip. However, if an army blanket is put smoothly on the table, the material will cling and can easily be cut.

**Preserve Linoleum**  
Waxing regularly will help to make the linoleum last a long time. Wash with steaming hot water and apply the wax while the linoleum is warm. This should be done after each washing.

**How Can I ? ?**  
(By ANNE ASHLEY)

Q. How can I get more service out of kitchen aprons?

A. When making kitchen aprons of gingham or muslin, which will make them reversible aprons, and give much longer service.

Q. How can I use instead of fat for frying foods?

A. Fat is not absolutely necessary; merely rub the pan with common table salt, then shake it out, and place the meat to be fried in the pan.

Q. How can I remove water spots from varnished furniture?

A. Rub the surface with a cloth or feather dipped in camphor.