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What the Fashionable Are Wearing

Illustrated Dressmaking Lesson Furnished With Every Pattern

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vivid red tones and piped in plain matching red pique is effective. Percale in candy stripes, sprigged dimity, novelty Rayon crepe, pongee, rajah silk, shantung, and flowered radium silk make up smartly.

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A Morning Smile

The great silver cigar of the R. 101 was drifting lazily over the interested, upturned faces of a great crowd. Said one spectator: "Can you tell me what relation a loaf of bread is to that airship?"

JOHNSTON'S RIVER SCHOOL

The following is the standing of Johnston's River School for November: Grade VIII-1 John Trainor; 2 Brendan Halloran; 3 Mary Power.

SPRING PARK SCHOOL

The following is the standing of Spring Park School for the month of November: Principal's Department Grade X-1 Dorothy Burke.

Primary Department

Grade IV-1 Ira Stewart; 2 Jimmy Douze; 3 Vincent Peters; 4 Ruby Bryanton. Grade III-1 Irene Bryanton; 2 Irene Saunders; 3 Mildred Lund; 4 Alice Lund.

Why Should Men Marry? Dorothy Dix Details the Virtues in Having a Wife

"What's the Good of a Wife, Anyway?" Asks a Complacent Bachelor - To Which Dorothy Dix Retorts: "The Most Conspicuous Advantage is That a Wife is a Perfect Alibi for a Man"

A man says: "Why should men marry? A bachelor can have all the feminine companionship he desires. He can have every physical comfort. He can have food cooked by a chef, and his buttons sewed on by a valet and he can have all of his money to spend on himself, and be able to come and go as he pleases without having any one to keep the tab on him, and question his movements. So why should a man marry? What's the good of a wife anyway?"

Well, brother, leaving out of the discussion the matter of love and the desire for a mate, which are the comic urge that drives most men into matrimony, there are various and sundry other advantages that accrue to a man from having a wife.

The first and most conspicuous of these is, perhaps, that a wife is a perfect alibi for a man. Taking it by and large, she is the best excuse that men have ever been able to devise for doing the things that they should not do, and leaving undone those things that they should do.

If a married man goes bankrupt, he doesn't admit that it was because he was lacking in industry and thrift and business sagacity. Not at all. He says he was ruined by his wife's extravagance. If a married man is a drunkard, he doesn't confess it was because he had a craving for liquor and was a poor, weak creature who hadn't the strength to control his appetite.

But the poor bachelor has to stand alone and assume his own responsibilities, and his sins are on his own head.

Then a wife is useful as a protector. The bachelor is everybody's game and there is no closed season in which he is not hunted. Not only is every single woman stalking him down, but all of her married sisters are aiding and abetting her.

While as for the bachelor's pocketbook, every greedy friend and relative he has feels that he or she has a right to dip into it. Ladies taking up subscriptions rob him ruthlessly and consider that he should come across liberally for the Home for Disabled Tom Cats because he has no home of his own to support.

But when a man is married his wife shoos off all of the husband-hunters except the most predatory of her sex, and even his family, and the chronic borrowers recognize that his wife can spend any money he makes and cease their demands upon him.

Next, a wife is almost indispensable as a social buffer. A bachelor has to do all of his own lying. The married man makes his wife do all of this. When a bachelor is invited to a place he doesn't want to go, he either has to martyrize himself and show up at what he knows will be a dull and dreary and illookee dinner or a tedious evening party, or else wiggle out of it the best way he can.

Not so the married man. He accepts the invitations of his business and then turns to his wife and says: "Get us out of this. Make some excuse. Wild horses couldn't drag me to spend another week-end with the X's and by pawed over by those brats and have to listen to their raving. And when you're old Aunt Sally, from whom they come, or a visit, the bachelor has to drag her around to places of amusement and shout in her ear trumpet until he is black in the face. But when Aunt Sally comes to visit the married man, he is suddenly called out of town on business for the length of her stay and leaves wife to entertain her.

And it is wife who has to write the home letters and remember the birthdays and buy the Christmas presents and send the flowers to the people who should have attentions paid to them and write the notes of congratulation and condolence and otherwise keep up a man's family and social connections.

And a wife is the best of press agents. A man can't go around bowling his own horn and telling how great and wonderful he is, but his wife can, and everybody believes what she says because they think that he certainly must be marvelous if his own wife admires him in these days when the hammer is oftener used than the salve-spreader in the household. And a wife is useful to feed a man his cues and say: "Dear, what was that funny story you were telling me last night?" Or, "Do sing that new song. I'm sure Mrs. Jones would love it."

Furthermore, what better show window can a man have for his prosperity than to hang his wife with jewels and esconce her in a car that looks like a million dollars?

And a wife is an absolute necessity as a safety valve for a man's temper and nerves that he dare not vent upon his employer or employees or his clients or his customers. Doubtless the reason that more bachelors have nervous prostration than married men is that they have a nowhere to blow up safely, no one with whom to pick a quarrel and get the rancor out of their systems, no one with whom they can act childish and who will pet them and forgive them and cajole them into a good humor again.

Oh, a wife is good for a lot of things, brother. She is good to help a man make money and for something to spend money on. She is good to make a home and rear children. She is good as a companion and a friend. She is good as a nurse when he is sick and a comforter when he is in trouble, and taking it all in all she is a handy thing to have around the house.

DOROTHY DIX

NORTH CARLETON

Report of North Carleton for November: Grade 6-1 Lloyd Lowther; 2 Dorothy McFarlane; 3 Arthur Wright. Grade 7-1 Alberta Muttart. Grade 8-1 Rita Gould and Wanda Lowther (equal); 2 Teresa Muttart and Norman McFarlane (equal). Grade 4-1 Sandy Muttart; 2 Wilbert Muttart. Grade 3-1 Hasen Lowther; 2 Frank Muttart. Grade 1-1 Everett McFarlane. Perfect attendance-Dorothy, Alberta, Teresa. (Patriot please copy).



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Etiquette

By Roberts Lee

Q. Is it ever proper for a divorced woman to continue using her husband's full name, such as "Mrs. Donald Brown"?

A. No, unless for some business purpose. Q. After a church wedding, in what order should the cars leave? A. The bride's car leaves first, then the bridesmaids; next the bride's father and mother's, then the groom's father and mother's, then the nearest relatives, followed by other friends.

Q. How often should a young man call to see a girl? A. As often as she desires and she seems happy to receive him. If she indicates in any way that he annoys or bores her, common sense should prompt him to stay away.

SOUTH MELVILLE SCHOOL

Following is the standing of So. Melville School for the months of Oct. and Nov.:

Grade X-1 Maurice Bradley; 2 Wilfred Bradley; 3 Vera Trainor. Grade IX-1 Gerald Monaghan. Grade VIII-1 Eleanor Trainor; 2 Dorothy Dixon; 3 Edwin Bradley. Grade VII-1 Betty Trainor; 2 Veronica Greenan; 3 Jack Beer. Grade VI-1 Dorothy Greenan; 2 Myrtle Higgins and Goldie MacKenzie (equal). Grade IV-1 Patricia Flood; 2 Marjorie Dixon; 3 Joseph Flood and Geo. Monaghan (equal). Grade III-1 James Greenan; 2 Mercedes Flood; 3 Ellison Toole. Grade II-1 Ronald Greenan; 2 Willie Monaghan. Perfect attendance: John Ferguson, Ruth Dunsford teacher.

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MANY FLOWERS COLD CREAM SOAP

Milady Beautiful

By Lois Leeds



BEAUTY QUESTIONS ANSWERED

The Tall Girl's Clothes

Dear Miss Leeds-(1) I am 5 feet, 7 inches tall and 16 1/2 years old. How much should I weigh? (2) How can I make myself look shorter? (3) Will a permanent wave make my hair gray? Would you advise one for me? My hair is very elastic.

MIRIAM.

Answer-(1) You should weigh between 128 and 138 pounds. (2) Two-piece sport costumes are particularly good for a girl of your height. Choose the skirt and coat of one shade and the blouse of another contrasting color. Horizontal lines and ruffles will tend to make your figure look shorter. Avoid the straight, beltless dress if you wish to appear shorter. Skirts that flare or have godets are becoming and your skirt should be neither very long nor extremely short for everyday wear. For evening the long flowing back and short front or uneven hemline, with huge bows and shirring, is smart. Avoid conspicuous colors and remember that for your type the elegance of simplicity in good materials is in much better taste than extreme styles. (3) A permanent wave will not make your hair gray. Have a competent operator give you the wave. Be sure to give your hair and scalp systematic care afterward, however. Massage your scalp and brush your hair every night and morning. LOIS LEEDS.

Stubborn Blackheads

Dear Miss Leeds-(1) Every night before I go to bed I wash my face with soap and lather it well. I then rinse it off with warm water and then with cold. Is that the thing to do? (2) The skin on my nose dries and it peels terribly. What can I do for this? (3) I am 18 years old; will I ever get rid of blackheads on my face? When I squeeze them out they leave awful red marks. Is there any other way that is helpful? (4) Before I go to bed I always put on some vanishing cream and leave it on overnight. Is this the proper cream for night treatments? (5) Is it good to leave cream on the face overnight? (6) Will bleaching the hair on the upper lip with peroxide make the hair grow in longer? What is a good bleaching process?

BLACK-EYED SUSAN.

Answer-While your method of cleansing the face is fine for some skins, the dry peeling skin on your nose indicates that it is too harsh a treatment for your skin. You need gentler treatment for both the dry skin and the blackheads. Before you wash your face with soap and water at night, cleanse your skin with a cleansing oil or cream. Leave it on a few seconds and then remove it with a soft cloth or tissue square. Now wash it with warm water and a very mild soap. If the water is hard, soften it by adding one tablespoonful of almond meal, oatmeal or cornmeal. Rinse in tepid water and dry thoroughly.

Apply a little of the following salve to the stubborn blackheads and leave it on overnight: one dram ichthyol, two drams zinc oxide, two drams powdered starch, four drams petrolatum. Mix to a smooth salve. In the morning wash your face with warm water, rinse in cold water and dry with a little friction. Twice a week steam the face by holding a towel wrung out in hot water over it. Gently press out the larger blackheads and bathe the nose with warm boric acid solution, which is made by dissolving one heaping teaspoonful of boric acid in one pint of boiling water. Allow it to cool.

You can rid your face of blackheads by faithful treatments, but you must have patience and not bruise your skin by trying to press out stubborn blackheads. The salve will soften the hardened, dry mass so that it may be pressed out easily. After the skin pores are thoroughly cleansed prevent the blackheads recurring by keeping the skin active and well lubricated. After washing your face at bedtime massage it for a few minutes with an oily cold cream. Remove the excess cream and leave a thin film on the face overnight when it feels dry and scaly.

OFF TO SCHOOL WITH A JUMP READY FOR STUDY OR PLAY

SHREDDED WHEAT

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it feels dry and scaly. (4) Vanishing cream is used as a foundation cream-but it is not oily enough for your type of skin to be used as a night cream. (5) Use any reliable brand of cold cream or night cream for this purpose. Pat on a mild skin tonic before you apply your face powder. (6) The peroxide and ammonia will bleach the dark facial hairs eventually, but as you have probably discovered it is not a very hasty process. No peroxide will not encourage the growth of the facial hair. Electrolysis is used to remove the long, unsightly facial hairs permanently. LOIS LEEDS.

Flabby Chin and Enlarged Facial Pores

Dear Miss Leeds-I have a flabby chin and enlarged facial pores. Please advise me what to do to overcome them? MRS. D. H. YATES.

Answer-Neck exercises, correct posture and massage will help to counteract the flabby chin. At bedtime after cleansing the face and neck with cream and soap and water rinse in hot and cold water alternately. Wear a chin bandage that has been moistened by some astringent lotion at night. The following may be used regularly: five ounces witch-hazel, one-half ounce simple tincture of benzoin, three ounces Cologne water, one dram boracic acid. Take a few neck bending and twisting exercises every morning and again at bedtime. Massage the throat and neck with your finger tips two or three times a day. (2) Enlarged facial pores may eventually be overcome by using a mild astringent after washing and drying the face or after removing cream. Take more active outdoor exercise. Avoid constipation and indigestion. Coarse and enlarged facial pores need internal adjustments as well as local treatments, however. The use of a complexion brush and a pure, mild soap, together with an astringent wash will in time overcome enlarged facial pores, and wise selection of your food will in time change the texture of your skin. Exercise will keep your muscles firm and supple. Plenty of fresh air and sunshine are also necessary. Practice correct posture. LOIS LEEDS.

For The Cook

CHRISTMAS PLUM PUDDING

Plum puddings, like mincemeat and plum cakes, are all the better for standing a few weeks. One good recipe calls for eight ounces of bread crumbs, four ounces of flour, and four ounces each of raisins, currants, light brown sugar and suet, two ounces of raw carrot, grated, two ounces of candied peel shredded, a teaspoon of finely grated lemon rind, a heaping teaspoon of baking powder, half a saltspoon of nutmeg, two eggs and half a cup of milk. Mix all the dry ingredients, except the baking powder, well together, add the beaten eggs, then enough milk to moisten the whole, cover and let the mixture stand for an hour. When ready to steam stir in the baking powder, put in a greased mould and coil for six steam for seven hours.

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GOOD ADVICE FROM MOTHER OF SEVEN

Recommends Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound

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Don't Trifle with Bronchitis

There are few "colds in the head" that do not extend into the bronchial tubes and they often develop into bronchial congestion or bronchitis. Many cases become serious and last for weeks and there is always a tendency for bronchitis to become chronic and return again and again. For this reason you cannot afford to neglect any cold and should take quick action at the first indication that the cold is entering the bronchial tubes.

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