

Woman's Realm of Social and Personal Fashions Literature

SKYWAY LOVERS By VERA BROWN

Another Telephone Call

With that Alison had to be satisfied. She tried to settle herself to sleep but sleep would not come. She was just going off when the telephone rang. Miss Pringle answered. It was for Alison again.

"The moment the girl took the phone she recognized the voice. 'Don't say your name. They're listening in on this line,' she said sharply, regardless of Miss Pringle. 'For heaven's sake be careful, Alison. You don't know the jam I'm in. I'm to be married tomorrow! All right, I'll do the best I can, but things are difficult. They're being terrible.'

Miss Pringle was an avid listener to this conversation.

"I'm coming to New York. We're sailing for Europe on our honeymoon. Maybe you can see you there. When are you going back?"

"Maybe never! It is awful! They keep intimating I had something to do with it!"

"Well, keep me out of it!"

"But they know all about that, or they will!"

"Because Mr. Roerden got me my job with Continental?"

"The damned fool! What did he do that for?"

Alison was furious at Larry's tone. He seemed to have forgotten completely that he was the reason for her losing her job, being thrown out into the world with nothing.

"Because I needed one badly, as you may remember."

"Now, Alison, don't get angry. I'm just frantic. If anything breaks tonight or tomorrow, think of my wedding day, but today I'm afraid of this."

"I don't know what you mean."

"I'll explain when I see you. It's a real mess."

"As though I didn't know that?"

"And she doesn't know anything about this?"

"Who is she?"

"The girl I'm going to marry."

"Oh!"

"I tell you, she doesn't know about her."

"About whom?" Alison demanded, completely confused.

"About—you the whom?"

Alison threw all caution to the winds. "I tell you, they probably have this line tapped."

"I'm calling from a pay station. Nuts to them! But keep your tongue in your head, Sonny—and I'll see you soon." With that he hung up.

Sonny Snaps

Alison turned about and faced Miss Pringle recklessly. "There! Listen all you want to! I don't care. I don't care a damn if they can do what they like with me. I'm sick of the whole thing. Alison threw herself on the bed. "And I wish I were dead!"

The tension had been too much and Alison went into as fine a case of hysterics as Miss Pringle had ever seen. "Nobody cares what happens to me! It is just them—and I've not done anything but work like a dog! Sobs shook the girl's slight frame."

Miss Pringle was so upset she called the house doctor. When he came he gave her a sedative to get her to sleep.

When she dropped off, Miss Pringle put out all the lights and stepped out into the hallway with the doctor, keeping the door open a little.

"She's just completely exhausted. She hasn't had any sleep to speak of and all this questioning has just snapped her nerves," the doctor said.

"I've got to call Mr. Roerden. He seemed worried about the girl and called me earlier," he said. He thought she was near the snapping point and he was right.

"I don't think that is it," said the policewoman. "I think there's a man mixed up in this. There are ways in. She went all to pieces after she got a telephone call from some chap in Chicago."

"Well, keep her quiet all day tomorrow. I'll see to it the prosecutor's office leaves her alone. They will or she won't be able to testify the next day at the inquest."

CHAPTER XX

The small courtroom in Coroner's court was jammed to the doors. People hung from the windows, pushed in the corridors, whispered and nudged.

"The murder-ship" mystery had caught their imagination. The photographs of the late Adele Roerden, wealthy divorcee, had been beautiful. And when a beautiful woman is murdered, everybody is interested. When she is murdered in an airplane at 8000 feet above the ground, that adds just another thrill.

It was a dark, cloudy day, threatening rain. Alison had been in bed all the preceding day, but today she felt like herself again, ready to face the music. She had talked with Roerden's attorney, and Granger had told her Thurber would spare her nothing.

"We're all New Yorkers, and this is a holiday for him. He can go across the bridge to stop him. And he'll get his picture in all the papers from here to San Francisco and back again."

Mr. Roerden had sent word to Alison he did not want her to wear her uniform. Alison had wired her brother for clothes, but they had come through on the afternoon ship the preceding day. Miss Pringle had seen to it her black frock was pressed.

Even when she and Miss Pringle arrived, the court was already packed. An officer got them through the crowd to a bench toward the front of the courtroom.

Miss Pringle was sitting there, and Alison, looking very pretty in white, Terry and Sir, sat next to her. Alison thought her place alongside of the two pilots.

"Feeling better?" Terry asked, and Alison thought his voice sounded guarded.

"Yes; I was just done up with everything."

"Cheer up, kid. I think this will be the end. Roerden's attorney said he was going to try and take us by surprise, but he's not going to do it. If I ever can see the last of this town!" Alison fought back the quick tears. She did not notice that Terry was watching her, and the first time he realized just how lovely this red-headed little stewardess was.

Inquest Opens

The Coroner called the court to order and a jury of three men and three women filed in and took their places. First witness:

"It was Roerden. He gave routine testimony, identifying the dead woman as his divorced wife. Thurber went easy on the important air-line official. Alison was amazed. It was the most amicable and casual and soon the doctor who had performed the autopsy was on the stand.

"It soon developed there could be no doubt that Mrs. Roerden was suffocated with chloroform."

"How long would it take, doctor, to induce death?"

"That depends on how it was given," said the doctor. "If a handkerchief or anything of that kind were held close to the nose, it would take only a few drops."

"And how long would the odor of chloroform remain in the ship?"

"That too depends. Under the circumstances I doubt if many people would have noticed it, mixed as it was with the heavy odor of perfume."

"That is all."

The hours dragged on. Alison could not see Mona. Steve whispered that she was outside with officers.

At recess Alison decided to remain in the court room to avoid the eyes of the curious. Mr. Roerden, she saw, was sitting in the back of the courtroom, and she saw him encouragingly. Granger came over and talked to her for a few minutes.

(To Be Continued)

Today's Short Wave Radio Program

- (All Times in Eastern Standard)
- TUESDAY, JUNE 6**
- MOSCOW**
4:00 p.m.—Broadcast in English. RAN, 9.6 meg., 31 m.
- NEW YORK**
5:45 p.m.—Human Interest Editorials, by Ted Rogers, W2-XJ1, 26.3 meg., 11.4 m.
- LONDON**
6:45 p.m.—"The Foreign Office." Talk by Sir Robert Vansittart, GSE, 11.86 meg., 25.2 m.; GSB, 11.75 meg., 25.5 m.; GSB, 9.51 meg., 31.5 m.
- FRAGRE**
6:55 p.m.—Music and Entertainment. OLRAA, 11.84 meg., 25.3 m.
- BOSTON**
7:00 p.m.—Harvard University Series. WIXAL, 6.04 meg., 49.6 m.
- BUDAPEST**
7:00 p.m.—Hungarian Phantasy. HATA, 9.12 meg., 32.8 m.
- CINCIATI**
7:30 p.m.—Venezian Orchestra. YV5RC, 5.9 meg., 51.7 m.
- FRAGRE**
7:30 p.m.—Tasty Symphonies. "Grieg and the Norwegian Composers; Topical Talk. ZRO, 11.81 meg., 25.4 m.; IRF, 9.83 meg., 30.3 m.
- SCHENECTADY**
7:45 p.m.—Latin American Songs. WZAF, 9.53 meg., 31.4 m.
- EINDHOVEN**
9:00 p.m.—Happy Program. PCJ, 9.59 meg., 31.2 m.
- HEREDIA, COSTA RICA**
9:00 p.m.—Broadcast in English. "Voice of Costa Rica." TIANRH, 9.69 meg., 30.9 m.
- NEW YORK**
10:00 p.m.—Moonlight Music. W3XL, 6.10 meg., 49.1 m.
- CINCIATI**
10:00 p.m.—Musica Classica. W3XAL, 6.06 meg., 49.5 m.
- GUATEMALA CITY**
11:00 p.m.—Dance Music. Marimba Ensemble. TGWA, 9.66 meg., 31.1 m.
- NEW YORK**
11:00 p.m.—Dance Orchestra. W2XE, 6.12 meg., 49 m.
- PITTSBURGH**
11:00 p.m.—Dance Orchestra. W8XK, 6.14 meg., 48.8 m.
- LONDON**
11:15 p.m.—A Pocketful of Tunes, played by Phil Watts' Trio. GSD, 11.75 meg., 25.5 m.; GSC, 9.58 meg., 31.3 m.; GSB, 9.51 meg., 31.3 m.
- PARIS**
11:25 p.m.—Talk on French Events: Life in Paris (in English). TPA4, 11.71 meg., 25.6 m.; TPB1, 11.23 meg., 41.2 m.

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Dorothy Dix's Letter Box

It is Far Worse for a Wife to be a Philanderer for the Reason That Children Are More Seriously Affected by Shortcomings of a Mother Than They Are a Father

Dear Miss Dix—My wife has been having an affair with a man and I am heartbroken over it. She says she was once seeking some innocent fun and romance. That she was invited because I took her for granted and had grown somewhat indifferent toward her, and that she still loves me just as much as she ever did. Now we have two good children and she is a good mother and a good housekeeper and I love her more than life itself, and she has promised never to trifle again. Can I believe her? Can I put the trust in her that I always have done and forget the incident? Can she love another man and still love me?

F. F.

Answer:

The philandering wife is not so common a figure in our midst as the philandering husband, but still there are quite a number of her. And they bring up nothing into the pursuit of love normally when only too many of both sexes regard the Ten Commandments as an outmoded document.

Of course, from an ethical standpoint it is no worse for a wife to be unfaithful to her marriage vows than it is for a man to break his. But, in reality, the matter is not so simple as this. For whether by nature or by long habit and practice, men sin much more lightly than women do.

A married man, for instance, may be a woman-chaser who cannot resist getting up and following every pretty girl that fits his way. But he brings up nothing into the pursuit of love normally when only too many of both sexes regard the Ten Commandments as an outmoded document.

But the woman, with centuries of virtue behind her and with her name and position in society to lose, rarely philanders unless she has fallen in love with a man. She virtually never does unless she has lost all affection for her husband. The matter goes far deeper with her than it does with a man.

It is far worse for a wife to philander than it is for a husband, because the mother has the training of the children in her hands. Her influence and example with them are much more potent than the father's in forming their character. Social workers tell us that nothing so demoralizes children as to lose respect for their mothers. When they cease to idealize their mothers and look up to them, they go all to pieces. And certainly nothing could be a greater handicap to girls in every way than to have a loose-living mother. No matter how decent they are themselves they will always be branded with her shame.

But what is a man to do when he finds that he has a philandering wife? Shall he treat her as millions of women treat philandering husbands? Shut their eyes to what they do not want to see and keep on with a marriage with a man whom they cannot trust, who keeps their hearts torn with jealousy, but who provides a home for them and their children?

Does the good outweigh the bad? Are the children better off with a mother whose skirts are not quite clear than with no mother at all? Is the philanderer worth waiting for? In the end he or she nearly always comes back home when old and tired and the wands of enchantment are broken? Each must answer that question for himself, as every woman answers for herself. But the pity of the thing is that the philanderers are willing to give the solid happiness of a whole family for a few stolen kisses.

Dear Miss Dix—I am a maiden lady of 32 and fond of my brother-in-law who is 45. My sister died six months ago and my brother-in-law tells me that I remind him so much of her that he is afraid he is falling in love with her. I have known her for ten years and know my brother-in-law to be a splendid man. He has a good disposition and a good job. Will you please advise me whether it is all right for me to accompany him to the movies or to visit friends? My aunt believes that it shows bad taste for a girl to fall in love with her dead sister's husband. What's the answer?

ANXIOUS.

Answer:

The answer is that you and your brother-in-law will get married and live happily ever afterward. But don't be in too much of a hurry about it. Wait the conventional year. You both owe that much respect to your sister's memory.

I think there is nothing more sensible than for in-laws to marry if they want to. They virtually run no risk of making a mistake, because they know every trait of character of those they are choosing as mates and just how easy they are to live with.

Inasmuch as you have always gone with your brother-in-law to the movies and to visit friends, I see no objection to your doing it now. But be discreet in how you treat each other and don't stage any petting parties that will start the neighbors talking.

Dear Dorothy Dix—I am a girl of 16 and have a very serious problem. I went with a boy for seven months. He insists that he loves me, but I don't love him. We quarreled and he went away to live. Now he's crying and he's asking me to write to him. He says he loves me so much that he does not wish to live if I don't love him. He wants to marry me, but I feel that I am too young and do not know anything about love. What must I do? If I don't write it may cause his death. If I do he will expect me to marry him. Shall I write or shall I let matters stand?

TRUSTFUL.

Answer:

Compromise. Write the boy a nice, friendly letter if you want to tell him that you are sorry to hear that he is sick and hope that he will soon be better. Then tell him whatever local news you think he will be interested in. But don't commit yourself in any way as to your feelings. And certainly don't agree to marry him if he gets well.

Don't take the aunt's talk about the boy dying too seriously. Men have died and worms have eaten them, not for love, unless she has liver and lungs that are affecting him, not his heart. And disabuse your mind of the theory that you would be doing the boy a kindness to marry him if you don't love him. It is the deadliest wrong that one human being can do another.

DOROTHY DIX.

A Morning Smile

Judge—it seems perfectly natural for a road engineer to be in the middle of the road, on his hands and knees. I can't see that such antics prove this man was drunk on the job.

Attorney—No, sir, that wouldn't prove anything. But this guy was trying to roll up the white line.

The Wrong Place
A certain Judge, famed for his unruffled behavior in any crisis, once had the misfortune to fall down the stairs. He fell from the very top to the very bottom—bouncing on each stair, and finishing by rolling right across the corridor.

One of his servants, hearing the disaster, rushed up to help.

"I hope your Honor isn't hurt?" asked the man anxiously.

"No," replied the judge, with a wry smile, "it's not my honor that is hurt."

Household Scrapbook

- Bedbugs**
- To destroy bedbugs, force kerosene, gasoline, or benzine thoroughly into all cracks and crevices with a hand syringe. Repeat four or five times at intervals of two or three days. Epsom salts dissolved in a teacup of water and applied with a small brush is also excellent for this purpose.
- Potato Chips**
- Potato chips keep much better in bags that do not permit strong light to reach them, than in clear or opaque waxed bags. A light tin container is best.
- Cheese-cloth**
- The best material for dusting is cheese-cloth, as it spreads no lint, is most absorbent and can be washed out readily.

THE COOK'S CORNER

Potato Cheese Puff

6 medium sized potatoes
1 cup milk
1-2 cup cupated cheese
2 tablespoons butter
Bread crumbs
Salt, pepper

Method: Peel the potatoes and let them stand in cold water for about 2 hours. Grate them with a vegetable grater; there should be about 2 or 2 1-2 cups after they are grated.

Mix the cheese and salt and pepper with them and turn them into a buttered baking dish. Dot with butter and bake in a moderate, 350 deg. F. oven for about 1 hour. About 15 minutes before they are done, sprinkle the top with buttered crumbs and allow these to brown nicely.

They taste something like scalloped potatoes, but grating them makes them cook up so creamy and tender, and the grating doesn't take long if you have a coarse grater, or you could put them through the food grinder if that seems easier.

The best recipe is very similar, but only you don't use the cheese. And which one you prefer depends on how fond you are of cheese.

Potato Pudding

6 medium potatoes
1 medium onion
5 eggs
5 tablespoons butter
Salt, pepper

Method: Peel the potatoes and cut them in quarters lengthwise. Peel the onion and the beaten eggs. Put both of these through the food chopper, grinding them fine. Season with salt and pepper, add the butter melted and the beaten eggs. Turn into a buttered baking dish and bake in a moderate, 350 deg. F. oven until the potatoes are tender, about 1 hour.

How Can I??

- Q. How can I polish gold and silver jewelry?**
- A.** Cover with a paste of sifted whiting and ammonia and let dry. Then brush off with a soft brush and polish with chamalo, or by shaking in boxwood sawdust.
- Q. How can I avoid having too much juice in pies?**
- A.** The pie will not become too juicy if a soda cracker is crumbled or rolled into fine particles and sprinkled over the lower crust before filling with the fruit.
- Q. How can I harden my gums and sweeten the breath?**
- A.** Rinse the mouth each day with a little tincture of myrrh.

The Housewife And Her Activities

I find earth not grey but rosy, Heaven not grim but fair of hue, Do I stoop? I pluck a posy, Do I stand, and stare? all's blue.

—Robert Browning.

To make peanut butter at home shell and roast the peanuts, discard the brown skin and put the peanuts through the finest knife of your food chopper. Repeat several times until the mixture is like paste. Add 1-4 teaspoon of salt for each cup of paste.

To make glass look its best, put a little washing blue in the rinsing water, and polish with a pad of tissue paper. The blue produces a lovely sparkle.

Clean frosted glass with a handful of Epsom-salt in warm water. Rub dry with a cloth or leather.

Never plunge a saucepan in which potatoes have been cooked into hot water. If it is first soaked in cold water, rinsed out and then washed in the usual way starchy particles that adhere to the sides will be removed without difficulty.

The secret of whipping evaporated milk successfully is thorough chilling. Pour milk into the freezing tray of an electric refrigerator or put the can itself into the freezing compartment. When it is thoroughly chilled, whip with a cold beater in a well-chilled bowl.

A coating of butter or margarine spread over the cut edge of cheese will keep it from becoming hard and tough.

An ugly, white scratch on dark polished wood will usually disappear if rubbed with a freshly cut nut. The nut oil darkens the white scar.

Incidentally, any old patch chamalo leather gloves has lovely linings for coats.

Have you had a really beautiful calendar? If so, you'll find that an occasional application of furniture polish—using only a small quantity, will improve it. Besides creating a surface, the film of wax polish tends to accentuate the colorings of the calendar, especially if it is a fine painting or something similar.

Turkish towels need no ironing—simply shake them when dry, fluff up the pile. Then press the hem with a warm iron. A loose end or pulled thread will be clipped off even with the never pulled. A firm, light under-ages and well-finished hem should be assurance of long wearing towels.

Have you ever tried putting your gray thicker or gray woolen in an old, discarded pepper mill, making it easier to mix.

A cape-cum-sash which can be worn with either a dinner or a dance frock is a boon to the young woman with many engagements and rather slender means. It is a cape-sash, three lengths of blending colors are particularly chignon in either contrasting or matching colors. The cape is stitched together at the free edge being plighted. When worn as a cape the ends of one strip are tucked into the waist, and the other draped round the waist and knotted at the side.

Modern Etiquette

- Q. When a man is accompanying a woman and knows that she does not object to his smoking, is it necessary for him to ask permission each time he wishes to smoke?**
- A.** Not at all; if he has asked permission once or twice, it would be somewhat monotonous to keep repeating the request.
- Q. May one ever ask for an invitation for one's self, to a dinner or a luncheon?**
- A.** No. It would be very presumptuous to do so.
- Q. Shouldn't a well-bred person admit when he is at fault?**
- A.** "Confession of fault makes half amends."

YOUR INDIVIDUAL HOROSCOPE

By FRANCIS DRAKE
Look in the section your birthday comes in, and find what your outlook is, according to the stars.
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For Tuesday, June 6th

MARCH 21 to APRIL 20 (Aries)
—Two major goals, aspects this morning invite you to double your efforts in order to get things well on their way. Don't indulge carelessness. Writings, secretarial work, dealings with superiors, conferences, promotional matters among most favored.

APRIL 21 to MAY 20 (Taurus)
—Domestic art, home beautification, the professions of medicine, dentistry, laboratory work, work in construction, tunneling, shipbuilding especially favored. Improve self.

MAY 21 to JUNE 21 (Gemini)
—An in-between day so you may have to search for the vantage points. A lot can be accomplished along practical lines and in preparation work. Money matters ask attention in a.m., laborious tasks in afternoon. Evening okay for your big heart interest.

JUNE 22 to JULY 23 (Cancer)
—Very little opposition evinced in your vibrations, friend. Day particularly friendly to your talents and capability. Relationship and intuitive matters high. Offer suggestions and accept them. Avoid unpleasant controversy, especially around Noon.

JULY 24 to AUGUST 23 (Leo)
—Army, navy, police, secret service employees head today's list of star-patronized individuals. Good day for dealings with these people, too. Minor details and routine work should run smoothly.

AUGUST 23 to SEPTEMBER 23 (Virgo)
—Manual work, industrial and mechanical lines more favored than quick turnovers, big dividends or extensive expansion. Financial matters require watching prudence in handling.

SEPTEMBER 24 to OCTOBER 23 (Libra)
—Tune up your innate sense of balance and good judgment, they will come in handy, especially in business transactions. Investments and judging values. Moderation important all day.

OCTOBER 24 to NOVEMBER 23 (Scorpio)
—You'll have to be on your toes, alert, and shrewd if

you've difficult situations, weight problems or sharp competitors with which to cope. But there are possibilities of advancement well worth your efforts.

NOVEMBER 23 to DECEMBER 22 (Sagittarius)
—Forcefulness and abruptness won't get you nowhere this "touchy" day. Gain your point and attend to your work graciously and with consideration for others' feelings. Be patient with those less clever than yourself.

DECEMBER 23 to JANUARY 21 (Capricorn)
—You born after Jan. 5: stars' indications point to gains through business deals, improving the quality of your output and cooperating with others. You born before Jan. 6 may have to create your opportunities—and you can do it, too.

JANUARY 22 to FEBRUARY 20 (Aquarius)
—There should be two for you today with all the splendid influences about nothing for success in a multitude of endeavors! It surely can be one of your lucky days.

FEBRUARY 21 to MARCH 20 (Pisces)
—Don't concern with in decision, doubt or inactivity. It's a day for action, accomplishment, and you can and should make good in whatever your schedule. Romance, social in high favor. Promote your interests.

A CHILD BORN TODAY will be quick, impulsive, humorous, eager to gain knowledge; not too content about some things. This bright individual should be schooled in unselfishness and composure. It will wear its nerves (and yours) to a frazzle if it does not acquire self-mastery. Well worth higher education.

HANDBAGS ARE LARGE

Handbags that will be carried with new Spring outfits are destined to make a big impression, with their new type ton-handles. The favorites are in calf or goat in the "new" colors of navy, the new hunter green and Bois de Rose reds.

TILLIE THE TOILER — MAYBE HE'S WELCOME A FLAW



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When adding egg yolks to hot sauces, to keep the egg from cooking too rapidly and shredding, beat the yolks thoroughly first and add a spoonful or two of the hot liquid to the yolks, then turn into the hot mixture.

A baseball can be thrown from the pitcher's mound to home plate in about two-fifths of a second by a speedy pitcher.

By Westover

