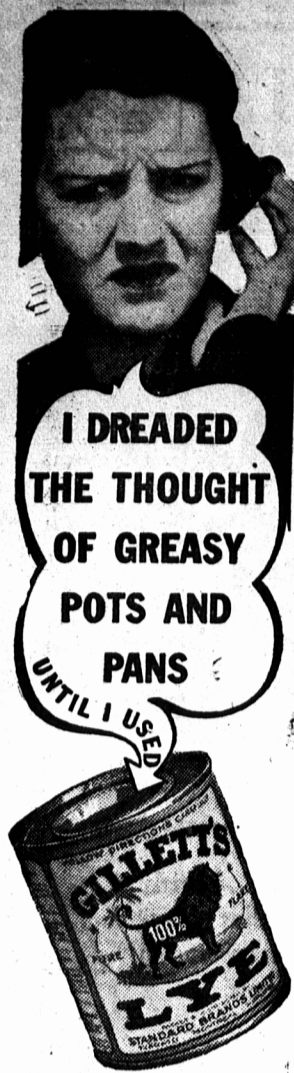


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I DREADED THE THOUGHT OF GREASY POTS AND PANS UNTIL I USED GILLETT'S LYE

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GILLETT'S LYE EATS DIRT

THE COOK'S CORNER

MARSHLAND TARTS

Half cup shortening, 1 1/4 cups sugar, 1 egg, 2 cups cake flour, 2 teaspoons baking powder...

The teacher was examining the class to see how much they remembered of a natural history lesson...

Says: Don't Expect a Miracle Dorothy Dix What Kind of Wife Do You Want?

You Don't Buy a Truck and Expect it to Turn Into a Limousine at Night, Says Dorothy Dix—Then Why Marry a Girl Because She is Thrifty and Hard-Working and Expect Her to be a Social Butterfly Besides?

A young man was describing to me the other day the type of girl that he wanted for a wife.

"She must be pretty, of course," he said, "and a good dresser, for I am a lover of beauty and couldn't stand looking at a chromo for thirty or forty years, nor could I endure a wife who was a frump and looked like something that had just been flaked out of the ragbag."

"Nor would I marry a girl unless she was intelligent and well-educated. None of your Dumb Doras for me. I want a wife who will be a companion who will not only keep me entertained and amused but mentally stimulated."

"I want a wife who will read all the new books, see the good plays, belong to clubs, be interested in movements and be on the up and up. Heaven save me from a wife who never reads anything but the baby book after she is married, and who has no conversation that does not pertain to the nursery and the kitchen. Being bored to extinction is such a painful and lingering way to die."

"Naturally my wife must be domestic. Any woman is a false alarm as a wife who isn't a good cook and a cracker-jack housekeeper. I don't propose to ruin my stomach on meals that would give an ostrich chronic indigestion, nor do I wish to see my hard-earned money cast into the garbage can by a wasteful woman who can throw more out of the back door with a teaspoon than I can put in at the front door with a shovel."

"I want my wife to be thrifty, one of the sort who is an adept penny-pincher, who can make one dollar do the work of five; who can set a good table without running up the grocery and butcher bills, and look like a million dollars in a basement bargain frock."

"I am fond of outdoor sports and I want my wife to play around with me. I would like her to grab her golf sticks or her tennis racket whenever I could get off for a game. And I'd like her to play a good game of bridge. And I'd want her to be always ready to step out with me when I wanted a little diversion."

"That's the kind of a girl I want for a wife."

With almost superhuman self-control, I refrained from asking this modest youth what he had to offer this paragon of her sex. Instead I said:

"They do these things better in the Orient. There a man does not attempt to combine every known feminine grace and virtue in one wife. He distributes his demands among a dozen, which is possibly the reason that there are fewer divorces in those countries than there are with us. The harem must look like a temple of refuge to many a poor, harassed, exhausted American woman trying to live up to her husband's ideal of what a wife should be."

But isn't that what is mainly the matter with marriage, and the reason there are so many disappointed and disillusioned husbands and wives? They expected their mates to combine in one limited human being all sorts of antagonistic qualities, and when they failed to do it they cried out that they had been cheated and wanted to have their contracts broken.

Which is, of course, as foolish as it is to say that a dress is a failure because it is not a bungalow apron in the morning and a ball gown at night, or that one has been defrauded in buying a car if it is not both a limousine and a truck. It is only in marriage that we expect miracles to take place.

There are very few men and women who are not good husbands and wives on one count and who would give satisfaction if taken on that basis. The trouble comes in when their mates demand that to their natural virtues they add all sorts of frills and furbelows in the way of charms and graces.

A woman, for instance, is married to a good, honest, devoted husband who never looks at another woman and toils early and late to provide her with every comfort and luxury. But does she consider herself the favorite child because the man she is married to isn't a romantic hero and an impassioned lover and a highbrow and gigolo and a movie sheik in looks in addition to being a domestic man and a good provider.

And the woman who marries the temperamental youth who feeds her soul on white hyacinths, but skips her on bread and butter, isn't satisfied with having a husband who quotes poetry to her and writes sonnets to her eyebrows. She wants him to also be a money-maker and to settle down into being Darby instead of Romeo.

And it is the same way with men. The man who is married to a thrifty, domestic woman doesn't thank God for the blessing He has bestowed upon him. He is disappointed because she isn't a scintillating conversationalist and a prize beauty and a brilliant musician likewise.

Nor is he better satisfied if he marries the living picture or the lady spellbinder. He feels that he has been taken in because the beauty refuses to fry out her complexion over the kitchen stove and runs up big bills for pretty frocks, and the spellbinder is always running around hunting an audience.

And so it goes. We want our husbands and wives to have not one virtue, but all the fifty-seven different varieties. And we never find this concatenation of charms and good qualities, no matter how many divorces we get, nor how often we remarry, because there is no such animal.

DOROTHY DIX

Two little boys had misbehaved in this, one of them burst into school, and as a punishment the teacher told them they would have to stay late, and that each must name a boy and mine's Kasten-wrote his name 100 times. On hear- baumstein."

Lillian Freiman, a native of Guelph, Ont., but for many years resident in Paris, is at present in Toronto exhibiting her work. Since a child painting and drawing have been her delight, above she is shown as a little girl, paper and pencil in hand, and (2) as she is today. Recently the French government purchased one of her works, which has received much praise because of its originality and beauty. The national gallery at Ottawa also has two pictures from her brush.

Lord Bessborough's Cousin Married



The marriage took place recently in Canada, and daughter of Col. and at the Royal Military Chapel, Wel- Mrs. Arthur Grenfell, to Mr. Par- tington Barracks, London, of Miss Cec Glyn of the Grenadier Guards. Katharine Grenfell, cousin of His The bride wore a train seven yards Excellence, the Governor-General of long.

The HOUSEWIFE and HER ACTIVITIES

A GOOD WORLD

'Tis a very good world to live in. To spend, and to lend, and to give in.

But to beg, or to borrow, or ask for our own 'Tis the very worst world that ever was known.

A GENTLEMAN

A gentleman is one who understands and shows every mark of deference to the claims of self-love in others, and exacts it in return from them.—Hazlitt.

ARTIFICIAL HUMAN VOICE

An artificial human voice has been created by Sir Richard Paget, one of the greatest linguistic experts.

The apparatus is made to represent the different parts of the human vocal system.

Organ reeds take the place of the normal larynx, enclosed in a cavity similar in shape to the ear, nose and throat. By connecting these with rubber tubing to a pair of bellows, which act instead of lungs, he has been able to produce sounds approximating to human speech.

JERUSALEM ARTICHOKES

There is a good deal of misconception about the Jerusalem artichoke.

True, it will grow anywhere, but as a matter of fact it may repay the best available position even better than potatoes.

Frequently it will produce treble the weight of tubers, and for really good samples to be worth far more than potatoes is by no means unknown.

Thus, when very severe weather curtails the supply of more tender winter vegetables, the Jerusalem artichoke forms a most useful reserve to fall back upon.

Plant young tubers in March, setting them one foot apart, and three to four inches deep in rows three feet apart. By all means let them follow onions or peas or potatoes.

VELVET VOGUE

Hats made of black panama, or fine exotic straw, combined with black velvet are being shown in the foreign fashion marts.

TEN GOOD RULES

Cultivate the habit of persistence without which you cannot make good.

Advertisement for Yardley Lavender featuring a bottle of perfume and the text 'For you THIS EVERYDAY LUXURY'.

Grandmother's Quilt Patterns

Advertisement for Grandmother's Quilt Patterns showing a quilt design and listing materials required.

Advertisement for ASCO cough medicine with the headline '...don't trifle with COLDS!' and 'Break them up over-night with ASCO'.

Advertisement for Bon Ami cleanser featuring an illustration of a kitchen scene and the headline 'IN the kitchen too, I do a fine job!'.

Advertisement for Kellogg's Rice Krispies with the headline 'THEY TELL A GOOD STORY' and 'crackle! crackle! pop!'.

Advertisement for Bon Ami cleanser with the headline 'Listen!—get hungry' and an illustration of a box of Rice Krispies.

Advertisement for Bon Ami cleanser with the headline 'BON AMI in either Powder or Cake form' and 'Made in Canada'.

New Spring Smartness

Illustrated Dressmaking Lessons Furnished With Each Pattern

By Ruth Rogers

It's stunning beach wear, an ensemble like this.

Plaided seersucker which incidentally made the original is one of the smartest fabrics this season.

You will note the pajama back is cut quite deeply. The trousers fit snugly across the hips and widen at the hem as all proper pajamas do these days.

You can make it in an unbelievably short time and for a very small sum.

Numberless schemes can be carried out with this model with most pleasing results.

Style No. 666 is designed for sizes 14, 16, 18 years, 36, 38 and 40 inches bust.

Size 16 requires for pajamas 4 yards of 35-inch material with 1/4 yard of 39-inch contrasting. Separate coat requires 2 yards of 35-inch material.

Price of PATTERN 15 cents in stamps or coin (coin is preferred.) Wrap coin carefully.

No. 666. Size Name Street Address A Morning Smile Not a Conductor

