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THE HOUSEWIFE AND HER ACTIVITIES



CHECK UP

Check up the work which you have done. From dawn of day to set of sun. And see if you have done your best. To earn a night of peaceful rest. And note especially if you have always to yourself been true.

Check up the things you daily do. To which no other soul has clue. The secrets of your thought and deed. Full of wit or woe the seed. For none can ever prognosticate. The rare effect of love or hate.

NEW SILHOUETTE IS STRAIGHT AND SLIM. The fashion pendulum has swung back. After a season of sweeping, circular skirts for evening wear, the



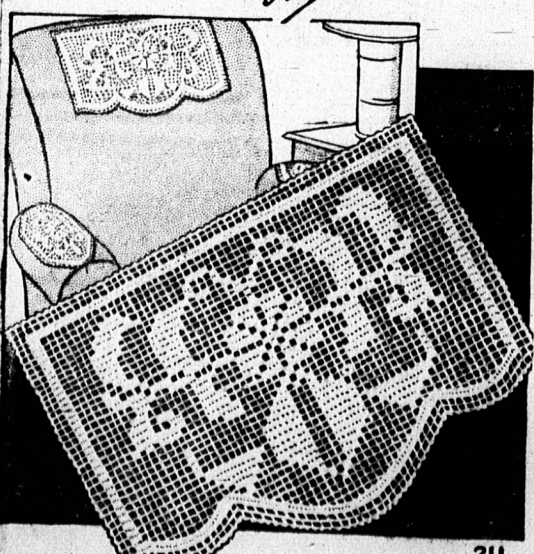
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Today's Short Wave Radio Program

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 28 JOHANNESBURG 2:30 p.m.—Program of Jewish Music. ZTU, 49.2 m., 6.09 meg. TOKYO 4:45 p.m.—Bana Music. JZK, 19.7 m., 15.16 meg. JZJ, 25.4 m., 11.80 meg. BERLIN 6:15 p.m.—SONG Hits from Films. DJD, 25.4 m., 11.77 meg. MOSCOW 7:00 p.m.—News and Program for English Listeners. RAN, 31 m., 9.6 meg. LONDON 7:10 p.m.—"Slavonic Studies," a Russian anthology of music and prose. GSB, 19.6 m., 15.31 meg.; GSD, 25.5 m., 11.75 meg.; GSB, 31.5 m., 9.51 meg. SCHEENECTADY 7:30 p.m.—The Science Forum. WXXAD, 19.5 m., 15.33 meg.; WXXAF, 31.4 m., 9.53 meg. CARACAS 7:45 p.m.—Juan Alvarado, singer. XYSBC, 51.7 m., 5.8 meg. PRAGUE, CZECHOSLOVAKIA 8:17 p.m.—Chimes from Prague Cathedral. OLR4A, 25.34 m., 11.84 meg. BERLIN 8:30 p.m.—German Heriones in the American War of Independence. DJD, 25.4 m., 11.77 meg. LONDON 10:30 p.m.—"At the Black Dog," Mr. Whiles at home in his own bar-parlour. GSD, 25.5 m., 11.75 meg.; GSSC, 31.3 m., 9.58 meg.; GSB, 31.5 m., 9.51 meg. TOKYO 12:45 a.m.—Mixed Orchestra Selections. JZK, 19.7 m., 15.16 meg. SYDNEY, AUSTRALIA 4:30 a.m. (Friday)—Chimes from G. P. O. Sydney. VK2ME, 31.28 m., 9.59 meg.

A Morning Smile

PROF Counsel (to the police witness)—But if a man is on his hands and knees in the middle of the road, that does not prove he was drunk? Policeman—No, sir, it does not. But this one was trying to roll up the white line! A famous school girl, seated next to a famous astronomer at a dinner party, struck up a conversation with him by asking: "What do you do in life?" He explained, "I study astronomy." "Dear me," said the girl, "I finished astronomy last year."

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THE COOK'S CORNER

SOUR CREAM SCONES 2 cups flour 2 teaspoons baking powder 3 tablespoons sugar 1-3 teaspoon soda 3-4 teaspoon salt 5 tablespoons shortening 1-3 cup currants 1 egg yolk 2-3 cup thick sour cream or milk Method: Sift the flour before you measure it and then sift it again with the baking powder, sugar, soda and salt. Rub in the shortening and add the currants which have been washed and dried. Beat the egg yolk with the sour cream and add this to make a soft dough. Mix well and turn onto a lightly floured pastry cloth. Knead lightly for a few seconds, then roll or pat out about 1-2 inch thick. Cut in circles about 4 or 5 inches in diameter. Mark into quarters with the back of a silver knife and brush lightly with unbeaten egg white. Sprinkle a little granulated sugar over the tops and bake in a hot, 425 deg. F. oven for about 15 to 18 minutes, until the scones are well raised and a golden brown. These are delicious to serve hot and they are almost as nice split and toasted after they are cold. Buttermilk Waffles 3 cups flour 3 teaspoons baking powder 1 teaspoon soda 1 teaspoon salt 1 tablespoon sugar 3 eggs 6 tablespoons melted butter Method: Sift the flour, baking powder, salt, soda and sugar. Beat the eggs until they are light and then add them to 2 cups buttermilk. Add this to the dry ingredients and then add sufficient more buttermilk to make the batter thick or thin, depending on how you like the waffles when they are baked. Add the melted butter and then pour onto a waffle iron which has

Dorothy Dix's Letter Box

Grandmothers Usually Do More Harm Than Good When They go to Live With Their Married Children, and This Should be Avoided

Dear Miss Dix—Will you tell me how I can become hard-boiled with Grandma. She is coming to live with us and I don't want to be dominated by her and have her interfere with the way I raise my children and run my house. I can give Mother a nice, big, sunny room all to herself and I would like to fix it up for light housekeeping for her. Then she and I could get away from one another part of the time, and when the children get noisy she would have a retreat. But she says "no," she is going to eat with us, pay part of the bills and help me with my work. Well, she will be managing things as usual, and I will have to go out and take a walk to keep from saying things that I will cry over. I don't want her to do my work, and when Junior doesn't eat his supper I don't want to be wondering if he is sick or if it is just that Grandma has been stuffing him on candy and cakes. When Susan gets her allowance spent we want her to have to wait until next pay day instead of having for it. If these youngsters are spoiled we will have to put up with them long after Grandma is out of the picture. We all love Grandma, and if blind and deaf about things that are not due to her, and if she would be a little chance to bring up the children without her interference, we could enjoy a having her with us, and I really believe she herself would be happier, but what can I do? I never yet got away with telling her what to. DESPERATE DAUGHTER.



Answer: Inasmuch as your mother seems to have enough money to live on, I think you should insist upon her setting up her own little apartment, or visit back and forth every day and for you to be able to get to her in a few minutes if she should need you.

No doubt she will be greatly offended when you tell her that you do not think it best for her to live with you, and will accuse you of being a cruel and heartless daughter not to want your own mother with you all because you are saving her from that most terrible of all fates—being an unwanted guest—and from knowing that she is the cause of friction in your household.

Living apart and seeing each other only when you want to see each other, your mother will be able to keep her place of honor and respect as the matriarch of the family, loved and looked up to by you, your husband and your children. Living together in such close contact that her peculiarities, her bossiness and her interference will rub you raw, she will become a pest and a bore and lose all of your affections.

In a case like yours, you will have to consider the good of the greatest number. You have your husband's and your children's happiness and welfare to think of as well as that of your mother. It seems to me far out-weighs an old woman's preference for living under the same roof with you.

For, after all, you are not despoiling her, or really separating yourself from her, or depriving her of any service that you can give her. You are only taking a sane precaution to safeguard your home by breaking when they are old, no matter how unconvincing they are, or how much happier they would be if separated.

It is folly to expect a dominating old woman, who has bossed her husband and her children and everybody around her for forty or fifty years, to turn into a self-effacing queen when she goes to live with her children. She couldn't do it if she wanted to. And she wouldn't do it if she could, because she is incarnate egotism and believes that her judgment is infallible and that her wisdom will perish with her. Hence, she never even suspects that she isn't conferring a favor upon her children and her in-laws and her grandchildren by upsetting their entire scheme of life and interfering with all their habits and tastes.

The advent of a tyrannical, meddling mother into a home means the breaking up of it in most cases, and it should be prevented wherever possible.

Dear Dorothy Dix—I have been married more than three years to a woman I never loved, but whom I married out of weakness and a sense of duty because I had been having an affair with her. The marriage has turned out a wretched failure. My wife and I have no mutual interests, no spiritual ties, not even any physical attraction any longer. I feel I have reached the point where I can't go on with this unhappy relationship any other day. The only thing that is a serious bar to our separation is our child. I would certainly hate to lose him. I have tried hard to make a go of it, but we are absolutely incompatible. I want to do the right thing. What is it? UNDECIDED.

The right thing would be for you and your wife to stand by the bargain you made and make a peaceful and happy home for your child to grow up in, but perhaps that requires more courage and character than either of you possess. If you cannot do this, it is better for you to part than to live together in strife, hating each other, bringing out all that is worst in each other's natures, poisoning all of life for each other. To bring up a child in such an atmosphere is to distort its whole life. To warp it spiritually and mentally. Better for a child to have no home than one that is filled with quarrels and bitterness. Better for it to have no parents than a father and mother who have not even any tolerance for each other.

But why don't you and your wife separate for a little while and see if being parted does not make you feel more kindly toward each other. Each other's husbands and wives think they have fallen out of love with each other away from each other to get a perspective on each other's virtues. There is a lot of truth in the old saying about absence making the heart grow fonder. DOROTHY DIX.

THE DUKE SENDS HIS SHIRTS TO LONDON LAUNDRY

Wherever the Duke of Windsor may be, he still sends his shirts to be laundered in London. Each week they arrive in a container carefully folded and wrapped. Though Austria, where he has spent most of the last nine months, is noted for its hand laundering, he has insisted on sending his shirts back to his London laundry.

The Duke usually chooses heavy silk shirts with collar attached. Formerly his monogram was embroidered on each left cuff, but recently the Duke had it embroidered in diamond shape at breast level on the left side. Most of his day shirts have original patterns, slightly more striking than those usually worn by business men.

HAIR-STYLES REFLECT WORLD TRENDS

In times of international tension women favor elaborate coiffures, according to leading hair-stylists who note a trend towards early 19th-century modes of hair-dressing. Speakers at the annual convention of the New York State Hair-dressers and Cosmetologists Association drew a parallel between the Napoleonic era and the present disturbed days of dictatorships in predicting women will seek to recapture the "charm and glamor" of coiffures of the directorate, empire and restoration periods. This means, according to the

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stylists, that the "page-boy" fashion in hair definitely is out. Instead, they said, all hair will be up at the back of the head, with curls requiring ornaments, even fur to match the fur worn on gowns and wraps, also combs and tuck pins. In a word the new trend is to move the hair upward and backward, rather than backward and downward. European styles of hair-dressing do not find favor at present with American stylists, said Max Cartman, official of the convention; the Hollywood style, however, is widely accepted. "Young matrons and older married women are going in keenly for the Hollywood mode," he said.

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