

# Women's Realm Social and Personal Fashions Literature

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## YOUR INDIVIDUAL HOROSCOPE

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Look in the section your birthday comes in, and find what your outlook is, according to the stars.

For Tuesday, February 6, 1940

**MARCH 21 to APRIL 20 (Aries)**—Tact and concentration needed especially after the Noon period. Be particularly discreet dealing with the opposite sex, and members of your own sex who are in authoritative positions.

**APRIL 21 to MAY 20 (Taurus)**—Favorable on whole, especially for you born before May 6. Be absorbed in your work, or whatever your schedule demands. You are really brilliant when fit (if you've been developing the better, talented YOU), and we hope you'll be in excellent form today!

**MAY 21 to JUNE 21 (Gemini)**—If you know a sure, safer way to go about a matter, offer your suggestion, or if you are in charge, go about the new method. But whatever you do, don't dive headlong into uncertain speculative tries or risky experiment. Today needs that ever-helpful Happy Medium.

**JUNE 22 to JULY 23 (Cancer)**—No revolutionary notions, please! And before you say "yes" to anything, be sure what it offers and whether it will take more of your time and money than you should expend. You will be wise to save some for your future security.

**JULY 24 to AUGUST 23 (Leo)**—Stars are indeed friendly. Are you in a cheerful state of mind? Should be! Put yourself into one, if you aren't. It's the only way to look forward—through happy, hopeful eyes. Step ahead.

**AUGUST 24 to SEPTEMBER 23 (Virgo)**—The day will be agreeable to you who are on the up and up in everything you do and do well. Investigation, writing, reading important documents and papers and all mental work encouraged.

**SEPTEMBER 24 to OCTOBER 23 (Libra)**—Get started early in the am. If possible, on whatever your biggest tasks or propositions.

The afternoon rays are not as stimulating. Confusion may provoke you; don't let it discourage you. Be of the cause that you lose your temper. Conserve energy.

**OCTOBER 24 to NOVEMBER 23 (Scorpio)**—Agreement of manner and careful deliberation before entering upon engagements attempting big jobs will keep you in life this rather tricky period. Do at least one thing well, and if you have time to do ONLY ONE, give that matter full attention.

**NOVEMBER 24 to DECEMBER 23 (Sagittarius)**—You born before Dec 7 will very likely feel considerable restrictions this day. Much depends (and this goes for you all) upon your attitude and disposition. Don't pass on rumors—it isn't like the true Sagittarian.

**DECEMBER 24 to JANUARY 23 (Capricorn)**—Be your own cheerleader and disciplinarian. Don't broadcast trouble, but do tell as many good things and promote as you can. The world needs cooperation by all if all or any are to enjoy a world that is at peace with its God and fellowman.

**JANUARY 24 to FEBRUARY 23 (Aquarius)**—Try to be different to brighten your schedule—that is, if time and your duties permit. If new ideas and plans of worth have dimmed, help them to take a comeback. Mind health.

**FEBRUARY 24 to MARCH 23 (Pisces)**—Tact, discrimination and tranquility are very big hits with a Pisces. Don't do anything to discourage them, friend. Have patience, and judge carefully. A CHILD BORN ON THIS DAY will be overgenerous with its time and energy. Should be taught early in life the importance of moderation in things it particularly likes. Possibility will never become fact unless it develops perseverance plus ambition. It should have cheerful companions.

## Dorothy Dix's Letter Box

Every Wife Should Constantly Seek to Improve Herself so That She Can Keep A-pace with Her Husband, Who Gains Much Through His More Frequent Outside Contacts

Dear Miss Dix—I feel that my husband is going ahead of me. He has achieved much success in business. Through the association this brings him and through travel he has acquired culture, while my care of the home and the children has kept me at a standstill. I love him dearly and do not want him to feel that his wife is a handicap to him. I am willing to do anything to keep step with him. How can I?

MRS. D. H.

Answer: You are a wise woman, Mrs. D. H., to realize that you must keep up with your husband or lose him. For a man's success in business takes him into the world where he is brought in contact with educated and cultivated and worldly wise people. If his wife cannot hold her own among these, if she is dull and stupid and awkward, her husband is ashamed of her and finds some pretext for leaving her at home.

The successful man also meets brilliant and beautiful and exquisitely groomed women, and when he contrasts the dowdy looking little hen on his arm with these strutting peacocks he is likely to forget that it was to the hen's industrious scratching that he owes his start in life and much that he has achieved. So you will do well to have the courage to face the situation and see that if you are to keep up with your husband in the race you will have to speed up.

My advice to you is to sit still and have a heart-to-heart session with yourself and determine wherein you fall and what you most need to know. Perhaps you are uncertain of your grammar and pronunciation. Perhaps you were reared in a home where food was food and the only table etiquette consisted in dividing it out fairly among hungry children. Perhaps you have read little.

Don't be too proud or too vain to admit to yourself your shortcomings. Then go secretly to some educated and cultivated woman who has had the social advantages that you have lacked and get her to give you a lesson in table etiquette, in voice culture and to correct your grammar and pronunciation. In every community there are women who, as the phrase goes, "have seen better days," and who would be glad to earn money by taking such a pupil. If you could get some such lady to be your companion for even a few months, you would find yourself perfectly at ease in any company. Then read, read! Read the new books, the magazines, the newspapers, so that you can discuss intelligently any question that comes up. This will not only save you from being a dummy in society, but make you an interesting companion to your husband at home.

Finally, and this is very important, improve your looks. Spend money in the beauty parlor, go to some good dressmaker and put yourself in her hands and let her do your clothes for you. Don't trust your own taste. Take the opinion of an expert. Do these things and you will have no difficulty in keeping up with your husband.

### Marrying for Meal Ticket Sorry Bargain

Dear Dorothy Dix—Mother has been a widow for several years and, as she is very good-looking, intelligent and well-to-do financially, she has had many offers of marriage. She now has one especially comfortable offer, but it is just common of an expert. So it seems to me that she will be a wise dame if she lets well enough alone.

A DAUGHTER.

Answer: Personally, I do not see why any woman ever marries under any circumstances unless she is so much in love with a man that she feels that life without him will be dust and ashes in her teeth.

I think that the woman who marries just to get a meal ticket makes a sorry bargain, and that she would find it easier to earn her own bread and butter in a store or office than by having to work for a living in some man's kitchen and having to put up with his whims and tempers besides.

So my advice to your mother is not to marry any man unless she is so enamored of him that she feels that she cannot exist without him. As she is sitting pretty, why risk the happiness she has? She has her children for company. She has enough money on which to live comfortably. She has perfect liberty to do as she pleases. She doesn't have to consult any man's pleasure or put up with any man's disposition. So it seems to me that she will be a wise dame if she lets well enough alone.

As for waiting for some man to come along who can give her everything that she desires, that's taking a long shot on a good thing. Fairly Princes are not plentiful, and when they do come riding by their choice is likely to fall on some pretty young girl, not a widow with half-grown children. The men who court well-to-do widows generally have an eye on the lady's pocketbook instead of their having fat wallets of their own to offer.

Her, even if a man gives his wife a fine house and beautiful clothes and all the things that make life happy. That depends altogether on her feelings toward the man himself. Therefore, I advise your mother not to take her "just comfortable" offer, but to wait until she gets her big chance to marry some man she cares so much for that she will not consider what else he can give her so long as he gives her his heart.

### Paying the Price for Too Early Marriage

Dear Miss Dix—I am a married man with two children. All in the world my wife cares to do is to go to dances and parties. She neglects the babies shamefully. I married when I was 16 years of age and my wife is 13. We have been married almost five years. My wife will not do her duty and the only thing I can do is divorce her, but I do not want to do that because of the children. Is there no way that she can be compelled to stay at home?

DISGUSTED.

Answer: You poor little kids! What a price you are paying for a too-early marriage. Can't you see that nothing is the matter with your wife except that she is just a young girl, with a young girl's desire for pleasure? Why, she is only 18 now, and if you can only have a little patience with her in a year or two she will get tired of her parties and be ready to settle down. But I am sorry for you, you poor care-burdened husband at 21! What a crime it is that the law allows children to wreck their lives by the premature marriages!

DOROTHY DIX.

## WELCOME THE TRAVELLER

(By ARTHUR HARDY)

Daniel pursed his lips thoughtfully. "Let me tell you something, Mr. Gardner. You saw that fight between my boy and Steve Felton? Dan won on points over fifteen rounds, and that was from a slip. Well, when Felton was amateur heavy-weight boxing champion, you remember he beat Dan in the final last year—Steve boxed Bob Berry six rounds at the Forum Club. It was a private show, and there was some heavy betting. Steve was put down and out in a round and a half."

"But Bob never fought in the amateur boxing championships." "I know he didn't. I went down on my knees and begged him to enter, but he didn't want to make a fool of himself. Mr. Gardner, you can take it from me that Robert Berry could have won the amateur heavy-weight boxing championship any time after he first fought Bob and Dan to a draw, and that's looking back a lot of years. Bob has always been the better man. I'd have given an arm to have had him turn professional, put himself into my hands to train and manage, and to the end of the world isn't farther than he'd have gone, and a bank isn't big enough to hold the money Bob Berry might have made."

"But he won't do it, eh?" "Daniel shook his head and sighed. "No, he won't do it. He wants the dough badly enough. But he hates to make a show, he loathes being fussed over, he shuns the limelight. "Maybe," Daniel looked wistful, "he would crack the pit like you say, but I don't think so."

Gardner, the critic, turned his eyes again on Robert Berry, ran them over the fine, tall, clean-cut burly figure. Berry's confident smile and air of assurance.

"Well, Daniel," he said, "if ever you can make him change his mind, just grab the phone, will you, and let me know."

CHAPTER X WHEN WILL YOU LEARN SENSE?

Having broken the ice at Daniel Shelton's "training camp" (a misnomer for the pretty Wood Cottage, but Daniel used the term) Robert Berry sparred with Dan every other day of the week.

Robert did his boxing with Dan in the afternoon. In the morning he was up as usual and going the round of the farm, supervising and seeing that everything was right, but he cut out the early morning sparring in his "gym."

Nora accompanied Robert whenever he drove the family car. She sat and gazed at Traveller's Buttons before they went back home. The fine old house with its mellowed brick, and pleasantly faded ties, had taken on an unsuspected importance since that day when Adam Lawley had joined them in admiring it.

Nora eyed the place wistfully. "If only we could buy the place and live there once more—all Berrys, I mean," she said with a sigh. "But we shall never be able to escape from the farm."

Robert found his interest waning in the farm. Interest in it had been unceremonious that Sunday afternoon when he had unrolled the tin sign and had found the books of Waterloo Berry. Vague echoes from the past had then taken romantic shape in a clarion call that was not to be ignored even in a realistic age. It had made itself felt, fervent Berry was uneasy, out of humour, suddenly craving for change, ambition was born in him and he found his scanty savings inadequate for his needs.

He remembered when his father had done well as the farmer; their times were gone, forever maybe, and all that John Robert Berry could do was hang on and be thankful for small mercies.

Robert Berry did not want his father to have to slave until the end of his days with never a break to the monotony of work and striving, nor did he want brother John, a great fellow, to toil endlessly in the shabby Mill Street garage.

All this must be changed some-

## Helpful Hints For The Women Folk

PRAYER OF A NEW HOUSE  
May I be full of graciousness and light, O Master Builder,  
A haven of refuge from the turmoil of day;  
May I show all of beauty and delight,  
Sweet with the sound of laughter and of joy;  
May the quiet comfort of my days  
The sting of sorrow blunt, and the pain beal;  
May the patter of little feet within me,  
And the voice of love make sweet my day;

May the whisper of scandal and of gossip  
Find no lodging place within my walls;  
May none in anger or in sorrow leave,  
But, entering in, be glad of joyous hospitalities,  
May I, indeed, be like unto Thy mansions  
O Master Builder, make of me a home.  
—(Author unknown)

CRISIS  
In all lives there is a crisis in the formation of character. I come from many causes, and from some which on the surface are apparently even trivial. But the result is the same; a sudden revelation to ourselves of our secret virtues and a recognition of our, perhaps long-shadowed, but now masterful, convictions.

DIFFICULTY  
Cheerfully, defiantly meeting all difficulties until you make or find a situation where you can be of genuine service to all concerned, is the thing that will bring you the results that will last.

DAWN  
It is darkest just before dawn. Often-times what seems to be the darkest day we have ever known is but the forerunners of a brighter day than we have ever known.

TEMPER  
A cheerful temper, joined with innocence, will make beauty attractive, knowledge delightful, and wit good-natured. It will lighten, sickness, poverty and affliction; convert ignorance into an amiable simplicity, and render deformity itself agreeable.—Addison.

QUICK WORDS  
Oh, to be able to keep back the quick words that we so often speak to suffer reproach and indignity and keep silent! But we only attain to this by constant vigilance, patience and prayer.

To prove the preservation power of ice flowers that bloomed ten years ago were exhibited at the Meat Industry exhibition in Sydney, Australia. They have been kept in a frozen block of ice and for ten years have retained the freshness of their first bloom.

Biggest of seed are the twin cocanuts (almost football size) that grow in the Seychelles Islands, and looked wise.

In the last minute Robert curled a right hook round Dan's guard and sent Dan reeling hard against the ropes. There Dan covered up whilst Robert crowded him.

"Time," called out Daniel Shelton. "This Berry is good," exclaimed Mark Blissard.

(To be Continued)

FIGHTS COLDS Promptly!  
Take effective measures to check colds—and do so promptly. When colds are prevalent—give your children Father John's Medicine. It helps to build resistance to colds and grippe—tends to improve the appetite and helps to build strong bodies that are better able to throw off colds and other infections.

Father John's Medicine  
For 85 years a dependable family remedy in treating coughs, colds and as a body-builder.

Smartest Fashions And Winter Styles

Two new blouses to add sparkle to your suit and variety to your wardrobe. One, a tiny waisted style with a perky peplum is pretty in printed silk or very stiff tulle. For dress up wear. A tailored shirt blouse, with a big hood, a wide, rippling hemline of sheared beaver. When not over the coiffure the hood becomes a big cow collar.

Cold winds won't worry the girl who wears that smart woolen coat with the big hood, a wide, rippling hemline of sheared beaver. When not over the coiffure the hood becomes a big cow collar.

Send fifteen (15c) (coin is preferred) for pattern. Write plainly your Name, Address and style number. Be sure to state the size you wish.  
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QUITE DIFFERENT.  
The doctor stopped Mabel's young man as he was leaving the house. "You've been calling on my daughter for six months, young fellow. What're your intentions?" "Well, sir," replied the suitor, "I hope to become an addition to your family." Father shook his head. "Oh, no, young man. You'll have to subtract, not add."

3180 SIZES 12-20

## Re-Style Your Personality for 1940

and cheeks, but be sure to match powder to your skin tone. Groom your eyebrows carefully, remembering that this season they are wider than usual. Out-of-line hair should be removed with tweezers. Be a bit daring with your hair-do and try for a wavy and decidedly different arrangement. If you've always worn your hair parted at the same place, change the part just for the sheer joy of seeing a new "you" the next time you look into the mirror. A new hair arrangement is a grand pick-up!

Three's only one rule for fashioning this season's hairdo and that is that the hair be kept within the natural hairline. However, if you're adept with your hair and find that wispy curls over cheeks or forehead is flattering, break the rule and look your loveliest. If you're extremely clever and

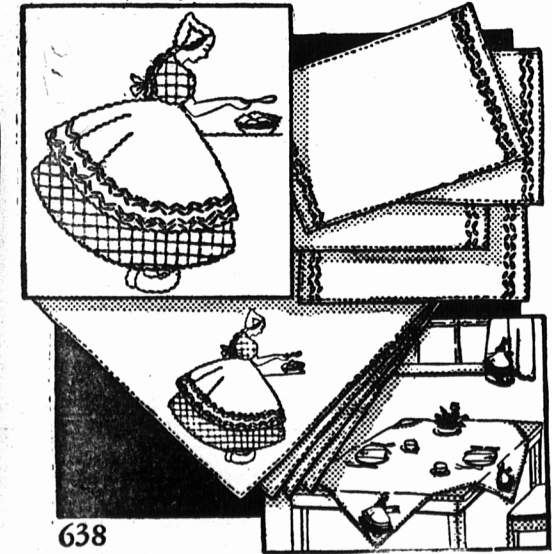
have the kind of hair that is easily managed, you'll find it interesting to affect a different arrangement for each mood. But no matter how often you change your hairdo, be sure that it is flattering and be consistent in using cosmetics that are matched to your skin and in putting on a becoming makeup.

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IN THE SHADOW OF THE WINDMILLS  
DESIGN NO. 638

Our designer says this young miss is preparing little cakes, but an artist who sits nearby insists it must be cheese. Perhaps she is working magic with tulip petals as the bread arms of the windmills turn and creak. Whatever it may be, she makes a perfect decoration to answer your requests for a breakfast cloth, napkins and matching curtains. The checks on the dress are small straight stitches in Dutch blue. Her shoes are yellow and her apron and cap white.

The pattern includes transfers of the designs, material requirements, diagrams of stitches, stitch and color guides and keys.

To order this design, write your name and address on a piece of paper and send with 15 cents in coin or stamps to Needlework Department, Charlottetown Guardian.

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