

Woman's Realm Social and Personal Fashions Literature

Dorothy Dix Says—

WOMAN'S SECRET WEAPONS EFFICIENT BUT DANGEROUS

Wives They Practice Frequently Drive Husbands From Homes Or Into Early Graves

One of the mysteries of domesticity is why so many husbands are afraid of their wives. If only little weak, ineffectual men with one leg to their brains permitted their wives to lead them about on a leash and made them jump through a hoop and play dead, we could understand it. But such is not the case. Half the men who live in trembling terror of the female Hitler to whom they are married, and who would no more dare to stay downtown to dinner without asking permission than they would to commit any other crime of lese-majesty, are mental and physical giants. Hence, when we see a soldier with his breast covered with medals he has won by doing deeds of bravery afraid to pick up his own necktie, or a great executive who manages thousands of other men says "yes ma'am," when his wife speaks to him; or a great political leader walks meekly behind a little two-by-four woman who tells him where to sit and what to do, why, we wonder how they got that way. The answer is because women have a number of secret lethal weapons which they use with deadly effect upon men and that their husbands go to see their own mothers, their men seem powerless to resist. Chief among these are tears. They are the oldest feminine method of subjugating man, and they still work. A woman who can weep without her nose getting red has only to turn on the hydrant, and all is over except carrying out the corpse.

Millions of women have wept men into stealing for them, into turning traitors to their families for them, into giving up their careers for them, into becoming slaves for them. More men have been destroyed by women's tears than have fallen in all the wars that were ever waged on earth.

Tears Get Results
Women know that if they cry for a new automobile long enough they will get it, even if their husbands have to rob the cash drawer for the money to buy it. They know that if they burst, into tears every time their husbands go to see their own mothers, their husbands will turn from the mothers who bore them.

They know that if they weep enough about leaving their old homes and the towns they were reared in and the girls they grew up with, they can tie their husbands to Main St. and keep them from taking the opportunity that would have led them on to fortune.

A man can refute argument. He can resist brute force. He can fight back at an enemy he can see. But he is helpless before a poor little woman who just sits down and cries and cries. Ages ago women found that out, and they also discovered that there is some chemical in a woman's tears which causes a man's backbone to disintegrate and his morals to dissolve, so that he becomes as dough in her hands.

Another weapon that women have used without mercy against their husbands is poor health. More men have been slaughtered by "my poor heart" or "my bad nerves" than were ever slain in any wholesale massacre. All of us know women whose health is a standing excuse for everything they want to do and don't want to do, who are always well enough to go to parties and play bridge, but who are always too sick to do any work.

Working Their Husbands
All of us know women who can always conjure up a delicate chest when they want to go South in the Winter, no matter how ill their husbands can afford to send them. The old phrase about "enjoying poor health" is no humorous figure of speech. It is a sad reality. Millions of able-bodied women are doing it, and they are working their poor husbands to death by sanatoriums and high-priced specialists and chiffon negligees and all the luxuries that go with invalidism.

Another coward's weapon that women use on their husbands is duty. They bombard their husbands with the duties until they get the poor creatures so groggy that they haven't enough spunk left in them to make a fight for their liberties.

They tell John so often that it is his duty to toil like a slave to make money for them to spend; to send them off on vacations, but never to take one himself; to help with the housework if they can't afford a maid; to take them out when they want to go stepping; to always love and admire them, no matter how unlikable they get, that finally John gets to believe it himself, and becomes a mere doorman for them to dance on.

But They Never Die
And the final coward's weapon is dying. I have known people who held the threat of dying over their families for 30 years. "I won't be with you long now" is wife's invariable wall, when she perpetuates some particular piece of tyranny and makes some outrageous demand that calls for the sacrifice of the whole family.

But the trouble is the domestic tyrant never makes good on her promises. She doesn't die. She lives on long after she has killed father, and made her daughter an old maid, and kept her son from leaving home to seek his fortune.

And the pathetic part about this story of women's secret weapons is that the better a man is the more tender, clever, and understanding he is, the more he is vulnerable and the easier his wife gets away with heckling him. **DOROTHY DIX.**

SOBERING RINGS
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THE COOK'S CORNER
PARTY PUNCH I
2 cups boiling water
1 1/2 cups sugar
5 cups orange juice
1 cup lemon juice
2 quarts ginger ale or soda water
Orange slices
Lemon slices
Unhulled strawberries
Maraschino cherries
Method: Pour the boiling water over the sugar and allow to infuse for 5 minutes, then strain through a fine strainer. Add the sugar to the tea infusion and stir until the sugar is completely dissolved, then chill well. Squeeze the juice from oranges and lemons and measure the required amount of each. Add to the tea and place in the refrigerator to chill thoroughly. Just before it is to be served, place a block of ice in a punch bowl, add the ginger ale or soda water to the chilled fruit juice mixture and pour the whole thing over the block of ice. Cut thin slices of orange and lemon and float these on top of the punch, along with washed, unhulled strawberries, and well-drained maraschino cherries. This will yield about 30 punch glasses.

PARTY PUNCH II
3-4 cups boiling water
4 tablespoons black tea
4 cups sugar
4 cups orange juice
3 cups lemon juice
3 quarts grape juice
2 quarts ginger ale
Orange slices
Lemon slices
Pineapple wedges
Method: Pour boiling water over the tea and allow to infuse for about 6 minutes. Strain well, and then add the sugar to the hot tea and stir until all the sugar is dissolved. Cool. Squeeze juice from oranges and lemons and measure. Add to the tea along with the grape juice and place in the refrigerator to become thoroughly cold. Just before serving add the pineapple wedges and float these on top also. This will make enough for about 35 servings.

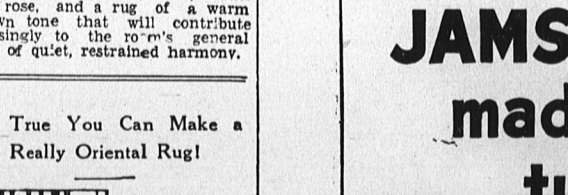
RHUBARB PUNCH
2 pounds rhubarb
2 cups water
2 cups sugar
Thinly sliced rind and juice of 2 lemons
2 cups orange juice
3 cups pineapple juice
2 quarts ginger ale
Method: Wash and cut rhubarb into about 1-2 inch lengths. Add water and thinly peeled lemon rind and cook together for about 20 minutes. Strain this mixture thoroughly and then add the sugar to the hot juice and stir to dissolve thoroughly. Chill. Add the orange and pineapple juices and chill well in the refrigerator. Just before serving add the ginger ale to the fruit syrup and pour the whole thing over a large piece of ice in a punch bowl. Float red maraschino cherries and sprigs of mint on top.

TROUBLE AHEAD.
Mother (to careless daughter) — Broke my father's saucer, 'ave yer? Well, I don't know what 'ell say when he has to drink out of 'is cup.

INFORMATION, PLEASE.
"Do you like any of the Bach works?"
"I don't know. What do they make?"

COLOR FOR LIBRARY
A library should have a restful atmosphere. Soft colours, help to create this feeling. Starting off with mahogany furniture, one might select a soft, light brown paper or dull paint for the walls, cretonne draperies and slipcovers of a subdued floral pattern in lovely dulled shades of blue, brown and rose, and a rug of a warm brown tone that will contribute pleasingly to the room's general tone of quiet, restrained harmony.

It's True You Can Make a Really Oriental Rug!



Inexpensive and Easy To Weave
You can afford an Oriental rug—a soft, richly colored one with deep, deep pile! For YOU can make one! Into the 40-inch sides of a 40-by-28-inch wooden frame, drive small wire nails 1/4 inch apart. Then tie warp thread (candlewick yarn) to lower right corner of loom and carry it up, down, up, around the nails, until you have 90 warp threads, plus a thread at each end for selvage.
Now start weaving — over and under the warp threads. First put in two inches of "filler" or rag and then six rows of heading or edging of candlewick yarn.
Next insert pile (rug yarn cut in 2 1/2-inch lengths) by knotting around pairs of warp threads, as shown in sketch. Lay piece of pile on threads, bring ends around and under, then out between threads. Pull ends tight. Continue this way throughout rug, following each row of pile with two rows of weaving. The colorful border goes easily.
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By Frances Drake

For Wednesday, August 13

MARCH 21 to APRIL 20 (Aries)
—Rays urge you to be cautious in the am, particularly. A day for delving into the prospects of the future and what it has in store for you. It is a day to produce the required push to get you to the top.

APRIL 21 to MAY 20 (Taurus)
—Prevailing influences: countenance good buys, wise investments, shopping, travel, strengthening out mis-understandings, spending time with loved ones and family, wholesome fun.

MAY 21 to JUNE 21 (Gemini)
—Your aspects coincide with Taurus today. Make full use of your time to pursue your career and laudable endeavors. Wasted time never returns! Keep your pace in tune with day's demands.

JUNE 22 to JULY 23 (Cancer)
—Some unfriendly influences warn you to be on guard against schemers. The world is in a turmoil and there is a premium on clear thinking and just action (both of which you have in abundance) to USE.

JULY 24 to AUGUST 22 (Leo)
—Forewarned is forearmed! Don't fall to products that which is scheduled. A tendency to laziness must be eliminated. Clear, prompt, determined action is essential.

AUGUST 23 to SEPTEMBER 23 (Virgo)
—Financial and business interests back in the light of very favorable aspects. But guard against being careless with your money. Watch your diet and protect your health.

SEPTEMBER 24 to OCTOBER 23 (Libra)
—Generally favorable for all worthy matters. Stem the tide of discontent by concentrating on your daily routine and in the evening or other free time by indulging your favorite hobby or some form of clear entertainment.

OCTOBER 24 to NOVEMBER 22 (Scorpio)
—Today is listed as "very good" for conscientious and ambitious souls. Your naturally keen initiative may well bring extra reward. Cling to your high ideals always.

NOVEMBER 23 to DECEMBER 22 (Sagittarius)
—A breezy and chummy demeanor (and you are naturally a bright, frank individual) will help pull today out of the mediocre class. Favorable influences are around, but they will have to be uncovered by your alert, investigative eye.

DECEMBER 23 to JANUARY 21 (Capricorn)
—You, like Sagittarians, will have to dig for your benefits and gains today. But the rewards will be well worth the sturdy effort you expend. Remain cheerful, show your associates and friends you have a really good sense of humor.

JANUARY 22 to FEBRUARY 20 (Aquarius)
—Be on your toes to cope with today's problems. You've the ability to reach the top. Don't disappoint those who have faith in you. Let your conscience be your guide.

FEBRUARY 21 to MARCH 20 (Pisces)
—Your aspects are the same as Aquarians'. Mold your endeavors into a substantial form that bespeaks success, commands respect. Cooperate with and for the benefit of your own family and loved ones.

A CHILD BORN ON THIS DAY
is generally a magnetic personality with an innate repugnance for petty or underhanded actions. It must be careful lest its ambitiousness leads to overstrain. A tendency to conceit should be curbed early or it might get out of hand. A lovable, generous, very friendly, intuitive and keen youngster.

THE PRETTY LOOK
Afternoon Dresses carry on with the pretty look that has sold them all spring and summer. With surface trimmings for a formal look—braid, embroidery, passementerie, sequins to accent rounded shoulders, necks, waistlines. Backfulness is recognized in these afternoon dresses as new-looking, in peplums and skirts. Too, and dress that describe a clinging line toward the back also deserve watching.

A tight cap on a bottle can be easily removed if covered with a piece of coarse sandpaper.

Living & Leisure

THE WIND HAS MANY MOODS

The wind has many moods; it whips the sea. Till frenzied breakers crash the singing sands. Then gentler grown, it writes mysteriously. Strange characters, and with a sibyll's hands. Over the dunes its fingers deftly trace Patterns as intricate as bobbin'd lace!

STARCHED WHITE PIQUE

Some of the smartest new hats seen in millinery departments are of starched white pique. You'll find these in all sorts of flattering shapes, both large and small, and they'll add a delightfully young and fresh accent to your navy blue or black costume. They're just as becoming, too, with beige and grey.

BATHING SUIT CARE

Clothing that has been packed away during winter months is particularly woolens, such as swim suits—may smell a bit musty when unpacked. A light washing in a cool suds bath, thorough rinsing and drying in fresh air will remove any stuffy odor that may cling to them. Incidentally, bathing suits should be washed in a light suds and thoroughly rinsed after each wearing throughout the summer.

COOL LOOKING WINDOWS

Clean, crisp curtains help make rooms look cool and comfortable on hot days. Never let curtains get really dirty. They are much easier to wash when the dirt does not become ingrained in the fabric. Use a neutral soap suds, handle lightly and rinse thoroughly, and, if you like, add a little starch to the last rinse water. Then if you have curtain gretchers, the job is practically done. Even ruffled curtains, if the stretchers are adjusted correctly, come off smooth and neat and ready to hang.

Here's a variation of filling for the plain layer cake: Whip a cup cream stiff, add 1-2 cup crunchy peppermint stick candy.

Patent papers have been granted for a bathing cap with a wig attached, making its wearer appear to have a natural coiffure.

Long black suede gloves are returning to style to go with the cool for black sheer dresses.

Some comets are so bright they can be seen in the daylight.

SARDINE PASTE
If you're having a dinner party, here's something easy to make as a fine first course, or to be served with crackers in place of a collection of canapés. It looks impressive, tastes like a gourmet's dream, and is easy to put together. Mash four ounces butter with two skinless sardines (boneless and skinned if you want to pay the price) in a mortar. Add 1-2 teaspoon coarsely ground black pepper, dash of cayenne, teaspoon paprika, tablespoon lemon juice. Put in refrigerator to harden slightly about 30 minutes. Shape into a pineapple and put a few pineapple slices on top. Cover the surface of the pate with sliced olives cut lengthwise to resemble the eyes of a pineapple. Chill over-

ARRID
39¢ a jar (At all stores selling toilet goods (also in 15¢ and 59¢ jars)

FLATTER-HEELED SHOES ARE WORN
Flatter-heeled shoes, worn at all kinds of events plus the outdoor scenes, at which they are expected to be seen, are unquestionably on the increase this season. This observation began with Easter day parades in New York and other large cities, when town shoes were keyed to regulation spring town numbers, and with flatter heels. Practically everybody wears the very flat-heeled moccasin shoes for country wear, and for town more and more are wearing dress shoes with flat heels.

HELLO GIRLS WED.
Nearly 400 British Postoffice telephone girls have married this year and automatically lost their jobs, but 149 of them were reengaged as temporary operators.

KINGS AT WORK
The class composition was about "Kings". One by one wrote this: "The most powerful king on earth is Wor-king; the laziest, Shirk-ing; the wittiest, Jo-king; the quietest, Thin-king; the thirstiest, Drink-ing; the slyest, Win-king; and the noisiest, Tal-king."

SIGHT FOR GOOD EYES
A far-sighted person can sometimes see the planet Venus, not as a single bright object, but crescent-shaped like the moon.

PERFUMED SLIPS
Slips have settled down to almost uniform excellence in cut and fit, even in the low price range. It remained only to perfume them — and that's what they've done. The perfume is actually ingrained in the fabric and won't wash out.

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HINTS FOR THE TRAVELLER
First importance in the selection of travel clothes is choosing those that will not wrinkle, but will make the passenger look though the stepped straight from a bandbox on alighting. Silk jersey sheds both dirt and wrinkles and is delightfully cool. Dressmaker suits of identical fashion are smart, one in navy and one in brown. With several changes of crisp, clean blouses, you can manage to look and feel as fresh as the proverbial daisy.

To control skin dryness, resulting from changes of temperature and climate, forego your usual soap and water cleansings, relying on cold cream, astringent and lotion to keep your complexion soft and free from irritation. And remember, this is necessary, because, no matter what improvements the new steamliners may boast, the air is still laden with dust.

PREFERRED RABBITS
STOCKPORT, England—(CP)—Under the impression, perhaps, that kittens are little use in wartime, a kittens are little use in wartime, a mother cat "Flossie" killed all hers adopted a group of motherless baby rabbits instead.

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