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How to Make a Success of Marriage Finds Hard Work First Requirement

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Marriage is a Business as Well as a Sentimental Proposition—If a Woman Makes a go of it, She Will be One of the Richest Women in the World—If She Fails, She Will be Bankrupt

A bride asks me if I will give her a few tips on how to make her marriage a success. Well, my dear, the first thing to bear in mind is that marriage is a business as well as a sentimental proposition.

And the same tactics that would enable you to make a success of any other occupation will make a success of marriage.

You would expect to put in years of hard work learning your trade. You would expect to have to put up with unreason and criticism from your clients or your employer.

Believe me, daughter, if women would put, as much intelligence and grit and hard work into making their marriages a success as they do into trying to be movie actresses and if they would use as much self-control and tact in dealing with their husbands as they do with their bosses there would be mighty few divorces.

It takes the wisdom of a seeress, the charm of Cleopatra, the patience of Griselda and the financial ability of Hetty Green to make a woman a good wife, and yet any little moronic fapper thinks she can do it with her left hand when she isn't giving her time and attention to something really serious, like parties or golf.

Remember that you are starting out with the breaks in your favor in having your husband in love with you, for practically no man sacrifices his freedom and assumes the burden of a family unless he is so much enamored of a girl that he feels he cannot live without her.

Now the four chief things that disillusion men and cause them to wonder why the fool-killer was doing that he didn't get them on their wedding day are untidiness, bad housekeeping, tyranny and nagging.

Then every unmarried man labors under the delusion that all women just naturally know how to cook and manage the way their mothers did, so you can understand how a young husband feels when his bride sets him down to meals that would kill an ostrich.

Reflect, too, daughter, that men befool themselves into believing that they can be free though bound. They think that when they slip their necks under the matrimonial yoke they will still be able to wander a little off the beaten path and make a few innocent excursions into new fields and greener pastures.

Also, remember that a woman strips the last pink chiffon from matrimony with her tongue when she continually reminds her husband of his sins of omission and commission.

So, daughter, if you will keep yourself attractive looking and neat; if you will feed your husband well; if you will drive him with a light hand and never remind him of his faults, you need have no fear that any vamp will ever steal him away from you.

OUTDOORS—BEAUTY'S REAL TEST

HOW LOVELY you will be in his eyes—thanks to the velvet-smooth, clinging texture of Pompeian Beauty Powder.



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Where is the waistline going? Shall it be high as in (1) or is lady destined to turn back to the formless styles of a few years ago as pictured in (2)?

For The Cook

SOUTHERN RELISH

2 cups chopped sweet green peppers. 2 cups chopped sweet red peppers. 4 cups chopped cabbage. 2 cups white onions. 2 tablespoons salt. 1/2 cup mustard seed. 2 tablespoons celery seed. 3 whole hot red peppers. 4 cups vinegar. 1/2 cup sugar.

Here Are Tips

NEW IDEAS FOR THE INTELLIGENT WOMAN

For inexpensive decorative foliage for your dining room, plant a row of grapefruit seeds, in a circle, close to the centre of a rounded dish, filled with moistened earth.

A sweet potato, placed in the neck of a milk bottle, will produce a vine that is a attractive. Or a carrot or beet, from which the top has been cut, if placed squarely on the bottom of a dish, surrounded by an inch or so of water, will develop a luxurious fern.

If you want to entertain at bridge, but your pocketbook hasn't enough extra coins to make it worth while, don't let that stop you.

If you are going to spend most of your vacation in the outdoors or motoring, you will be much more comfortable in a lightweight dress or suit of some material that doesn't wrinkle than in knickers.

Disposal of Empire Conference Guests at Chateau Laurier

Right Hon. Stanley Baldwin and Mrs. Baldwin occupy the Royal Suite on the first floor, their windows overlooking Parliament Hill. One half of the first floor space is occupied by the members of Mr. Baldwin's staff.

A Morning Smile

WHO TOLD YOU THAT? An old North Carolina colored farmer was complaining bitterly to his minister about the terribly bad weather for the crops, when the minister reminded him that he had much to be grateful for, at the same time.

Sweet Odors Kill And Kill Quickly, Every Fly or Mosquito

Science has discovered that a flower grown in Japan repels and kills winged insects. Now the extract of these flowers is employed to completely free your home—and keep it free—from these germ-bearing pests.

All Collected In Scrap Book For You

Everyone has need now and then, for a scrapbook of beauty hints. Hands that are roughened from washing dishes, hangnails, eyebrows that don't want to grow.

If your eyebrows do not follow the line you want them to—or even if they do—keep a small camel's hair brush on your dressing table and every night and every morning brush your brows into the shape that you desire.

Keep a bottle of hand lotion in your kitchen. As quickly as you remove your hands from the water rub on the lotion. You will be surprised at the smoothness and whiteness that will result.

If your nails are brittle, apply cream or oil to their base. Now and then heat some oil and let your fingers rest in it for a little while.

One chin is enough for any person. When a chin begins to droop or multiply, something should be done about it immediately.

Your chin line will be smoother, firmer, freer, if you don't. That too, too solid flesh will melt because it will be drawn straight, in the proper sort of line.

Lemon, as nearly everyone knows, will cut the soap if you use a few drops in the rinse when you are shampooing your hair.

Bride's Linen Chest

Experienced housewives claim that each bed should have at least three pairs of sheets and pillow cases so that there will always be one pair on the bed, one in the wash, and the other on hand for emergencies.

Canadian Cookery For Canadian Women

By Mari Moore. Specially contributed to the Guardian for Guardian Readers.

Canadian cookery is a new feature that our page now offers to women readers. Mrs. (Dr.) Mari Moore, who will conduct this Department, is a Canadian dietitian, who is well equipped for the work.

Letters may be addressed in care of this paper to Mari Moore, cookery editor. A pen name should be chosen, for publication purposes, in addition to the writer's name and address, which, of course will not be published.

It is our hope that this department will become a friendly guide to efficient household management. These contributions will appear on Tuesday, Friday and Saturday each week.

Cool Recipes for a Hot August

More time for leisure, more for out door exercise, more time with our families, cooler housewives—all are possible by planning meals that are simple and require little cooking.

I have planned these recipes with not weather in mind, when we should spend only the minimum amount of time in our kitchen and at the same time get a maximum amount of nourishment from our cold food.

Creole Sandwiches

Cream 4 tablespoons butter or margarine and add 1-2 teaspoon finely minced onion, 1-2 cup finely flaked shrimp, 1 teaspoon lemon juice, 1-2 teaspoon prepared mustard, and 2 tablespoons finely chopped stoned green olives.

Orange Tapioca

Add four tablespoons instant tapioca, and 1-4 teaspoon salt to 1-1/2 cups boiling water, and cook in a double boiler for 15 minutes or until the tapioca is transparent.

Chocolate Ice Box Cake

Use the round chocolate wafers about 2 3/4 inches in diameter which may be purchased in a tin tube. For each individual service pile up 4 wafers, with whipped cream spread between them in the following manner: First a wafer, then a layer of whipped cream, then a wafer, and so on, having a wafer on top.

What the Fashionables are Wearing

Illustrated Dressmaking Lesson Furnished With Every Pattern

By Annabelle Worthington

You have only to note its slender paneled cut skirt, bias seamed neckline and becoming V-shaped neckline to realize this.

Plain blue linen combines with a blue and white printed crepe linen in this slim-line model.

Style No. 371 is designed for sizes 36, 38, 40, 42, 44, 46 and 48 inches bust. Size 38 requires 3 1/2 yards of 36-inch plain material with 1 1/2 yards of 35-inch figured material.

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