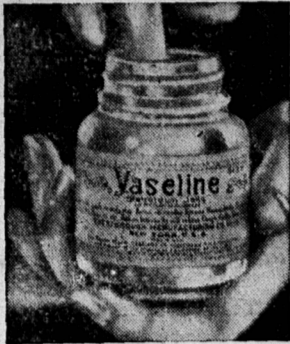


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DRIED APPLE FRUIT CAKE

- 2 cups dried apples.
2 cups molasses.
1 cup butter of margarine.
2 cups brown sugar.
4 eggs.
2 cups sour milk.
5 cups flour.
2 teaspoons baking powder.
1 teaspoon baking soda.
1 teaspoon cinnamon.
1/2 teaspoon cloves.
2 pounds raisins.
1 pound currants.
1/2 pound nut meats chopped.

Should a Wife Talk Before Breakfast?

Dorothy Dix

Considers 7 to 9 A. M. Zero Hours in Marriage

The Husband Who Would Divorce His Wife Because She Won't Speak Before Breakfast Probably Knows His Own Mind, But Most Husbands Would be Thankful for Silence in the Danger Hours Between 7 and 9 A. M.

A Kentuckian is suing for divorce because his wife refuses to speak to him before breakfast. Why any one should crave conversation at that unholy hour of the day must forever remain one of the inscrutable mysteries of taste which defy all analysis and explanation.



For most of us the pre-breakfast time is a season when we not only prefer to pass into the silence ourselves, but like those about us to do so also, and nothing, generally speaking, would do more to endear a wife to her husband than for her to hold her peace until after he has had his second cup of coffee, and is soothed and fed and pacified and safe to be spoken to.

Any husband can imagine a man asking for a divorce from a woman who got up in the morning with her tongue rested and refreshed after a night's slumber, and who went right into action with all the things she had left unsaid on the previous evening.

Still, of course, if a man like them chatty in the dawning, he likes 'em that way, and there is no arguing about it any more than there is about a preference for snails or jazz music.

But this matrimonial episode stresses again the fact that the breakfast hour is the zero hour in family life, when husbands and wives go over the top to do things and say things to each other that they would be incapable of doing and saying the balance of the day.

Appearances and manners reach their lowest ebb at breakfast. The wife who dolls herself up for her husband's homecoming in the evening has no hesitation in appearing at breakfast with her hair in crimpers and cold cream on her face.

It is at the breakfast table that wives ask for money, and husbands go into trades about extravagance and the necessity for cutting down expenses.

It is at breakfast that husbands find fault with the coffee and criticize the housekeeping and demand to know how it is possible for any one to boil eggs 365 times a year and never learn how to do it right.

Indeed, it is not too much to say that it is at the breakfast table that domestic peace and harmony are put on the spot and assassinated, and if there were only some way in which to eliminate the dangerous hours from

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7 to 9 A. M. it would do more than any other one thing to stop divorce.

Most husbands and wives are so accustomed to the breakfast-table row that they accept it as one of the inevitable drawbacks to matrimony, and they fail to attach the significance to it that it deserves.

But the breakfast-table quarrel does not end with the man jamming on his hat and slamming the door behind him, and the women wiping her eyes on her napkin and starting to make out the grocery list.

The man has with him the picture of a frowny woman, her face set in

fretful lines, who has said things to him that were like the cut of a whip across his vanity. How inevitable that he should contrast a wife with whom he has had a breakfast-table quarrel with his spic-and-span young secretary, whose business it is to smile upon him and yes-yes him!

And the wife, left to mull over all day, while she goes over her housework, her husband's acid strictures upon her housekeeping and the way she manages the children and her general personal appearance, makes mountains out of mole hills, and forgets all of his goodness and kindness and remembers only the things he said at breakfast, and breaks her heart over thinking he has ceased to love her.

So any fortune-teller might well warn any bridal couple to beware of the hours between 7 and 9 A. M. and to move warily within them. And not to talk!

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