

# Woman's Realm Social and Personal Fashions Literature

## Living & Leisure The Woman's Realm

### PLAIN THINGS

Her yard is very plain; the passer-by scarce ever thinks to even turn his head. But if you follow the green garden path, you come upon a gorgeous flower-bed. Her house is very plain, but if you stay, she will bring out her thin old cups for tea, and she will spread a cloth of rare cream lace. Designed in pattern of fine artistry, her face is very plain when first you meet, but children know her ready, sunny smile. And one she loves has looked deep in his eyes. And there has been beauty that lasts long while.

LILLIAN MORLEY

If there is an empty compartment in the gem pans, fill it with water. It will bake the cakes or muffins better and prevent scorching.

### WORRY BIRDS POPULAR

The worry bird is now entering its third season of popularity. A funny little bird made from a large pine cone, it appears in great numbers in the gadget collections of stores. It's planned for the person who is a chronic worrier for the bird is supposed to do all of the worrying for you.

### TILES FOR A TABLE

A gift for the woman who seems to have everything is always a problem. One decorator suggests a solution, however. Consider sending a set of the new flowerpainted tiles to put under coffee cups or flower vases to prevent marks on the table surface. If you don't want to invest in an entire set, one tile alone makes a pretty gift.

### KNOWN TO CANADIANS

The Duchess of Sutherland, who is Lady Eileen Butler was married to the fifth Duke of Sutherland in

1912, died at Dunrobin Castle recently. A daughter of the seventh Earl of Lanesborough, Lady Eileen spent much of her girlhood on this side of the Atlantic when her father was military secretary at Ottawa during the Governor-Generalship of Earl Grey, and was well-known to a number of Hamilton people. In recent years she paid occasional visits to America, accompanying her husband, who came here partly on account of his considerable holdings of Canadian real estate.

The Duke and Duchess passed through the Panama Canal in January, 1939, on their yacht, Sans-pour, for a fishing cruise of the Pearl and Galapagos Islands. Six weeks later the yacht went aground near La Paz, Lower California, but the ducal party was rescued by Vincent Astor in the Nourmahal. In 1916 the Duchess was appointed Mistress of the Robes of Queen Mary, becoming the youngest matron to receive the honour.

### RINSING WOOL

If you are going to reuse wool in old sweaters, caps and hose, four or five lukewarm clear water wash them first. Rinse through baths. Lay out to dry on a Turkish towel. When perfectly dry the wool is ready to be unravelled and knitted into useful articles.

### GLASS COFFEE CUPS

Instead of using china after-dinner coffee cups, try serving coffee in cups of clear glass. They are shown in plain crystal ware as well as in the colored glass, and they're clear as rain water, well shaped and delicate.

### PLACE FOR SPORTS GEAR

One of the corners of the garage can be made into a closet to hold winter sports paraphernalia when the family is large and sleds, hockey sticks, skates, etc., must be taken into consideration. If the garage is not large enough to accommodate such a closet, a high shelf at the back will answer the same purpose, as the hood of the car will fit under such a shelf.

## Dorothy Dix Says—

### WAYS OF YOUTH AS INSOLUBLE TODAY AS IN SOLOMON'S TIMES

#### Fall In And Out Of Love With Celerity Of Quick Change Artist At Work

DEAR MISS DIX—We, who no longer follow the ways of youth because they are so different from our standards, or perhaps because the years have taught us some small part of wisdom, are often appalled at their indifference to stability. Here is a case in point that hurts me because I have known the lad from his babyhood. He gave the world no peace until drafted, and with only a short furlough he married and left almost immediately for his encampment, only to discover that the South had even met or expected to find anywhere.



The fetters of marriage now try him. He is thoroughly disillusioned with his hastily snatched wife left behind, and he has but one desire—that he may now be free to enjoy all the possible excitement the new location, new girls and new people hold for him. He was absolutely frank in his admission of this to me. His wife is still here and will very soon understand the change she must discover in him. I put this question to him and he replied that he supposed she would, but he doesn't care.

Here is an incidence of great unhappiness to come. Or will it? Perhaps neither of the parties to this contract care. Can you help solve the problem? W. G. W.

**SOLOMON'S WORDS GO DOUBLE WITH MODERN YOUTH**  
ANSWER—Ages ago Solomon wrote that one of the insoluble mysteries of the world was the way of a man with a maiden. This goes double for the modern youth and maid whose sentimental reactions to love and marriage are anybody's guess. They seem to fall in love and out of love with a celerity that would baffle a quick-change artist. They break up their homes as casually as they would check out of a hotel room. And they seem to regard divorce as a painless remedy for all errors of judgment in picking out their mates, and a sure cure for that tired feeling when they get tied up with domesticity.

Apparently they do not take seriously the situations that we used to consider tragedies that would darken a whole life. For nowadays we see divorced husbands and wives meeting upon the most amicable terms and even stopping out together, and children who are shuttled back and forth between so many parents and step-parents that they hardly know which ones of them are their own fathers and mothers. Seemingly no one is hurt by the breaking up of love's young dream, and marriage is an arrangement that you only stick to as long as you find it agreeable.

It is because I get so many letters from both men and women, telling me that they are so tired of their mates and want to swap them off for someone else, that I have done my humble best to try to deflate the windmill of matrimony and to persuade young people to put off marriage until after the duration, and then see whether they really want each other.

For I foresaw that what has happened to this lad of whom you write was bound to happen to innumerable other boys who married on the spur of the moment girls who looked good to them because they were the best of the village crop, and there was no rival with whom to compare them. Or because they were a little frightened and homesick and lonely at the thought of going away and they wanted a familiar hand to cling to.

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### A Morning Smile

**BRIGHT**  
Small Boy (in chemist's shop): "Please, I want some powder for my sister."  
Chemist (jokingly): "Something that goes off with a bang?"  
Small Boy: "No, something that goes on with a puff."

Farmer Jones took his pig to town and sold it. With the money he bought a suit, a hat, a pair of shoes. Then he tucked the bundle under the seat of his wagon and said: "Giddap, Dobbin, let's get home and surprise Miranda."  
On the way home he stopped at the river, took off his old clothes and threw them in and watched them sink. Then he looked under the seat for his new outfit. It was gone.  
Back on the seat he climbed and said, "Giddap, Dobbin, we'll surprise her anyway."

A celebrated vocalist was in a motorcar accident one day. A paper, after recording the accident, added: "We are happy to state he was hale to appear the following evening in three pieces."

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**THRIFT TIPS—**

**WASHING** . . . Dip after each wearing. Turn inside out—squeeze lukewarm, rich Lux suds through hose. Don't use hot water—it may fade the colour. Don't rub with cake soap—holes may appear.

**RINSING** . . . Rinse thoroughly in lukewarm water. Do not wring or twist. Roll in Turkish towel to remove excess moisture. Unroll immediately. Shake out folds and wrinkles.

**DRYING** . . . Dry indoors. Hang over smooth rod—never on radiator. Dry rayon stockings thoroughly.

**CONSERVATION HINTS** . . . Buy stockings that are large enough and the right length. Get at least two pairs of same colour and wear alternately. In washing, remove finger rings that may catch threads. Keep seams straight when wearing.

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Price Control Questions And Answers

Questions and Answers on Price Control will appear in The Guardian as a regular feature each day. The questions are those which have reached the Wartime Prices and Trade Board from housewives in this region. The answers are provided by the Board Readers. For those who have intelligent questions to ask on price control are invited to send them in writing to the Women's Regional Advisory Committee of Wartime Prices and Trade Board.

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Q. Members of my family have pooled their D coupons to buy jam and marmalade which we had intended sending overseas to my son for Christmas. Are we allowed to send it?  
A. Yes. Consumers who wish to send part of their rationed commodities out of Canada to members of the Armed Forces or to the Merchant Marine are allowed to do so.

Q. Some stores in our city are selling maraschino cherries without asking for D coupons. Others claim they are rationed? Are they?  
A. Yes. Maraschino cherries are included among canned fruits in the ration regulations. You therefore obtain ten fluid ounces for one D coupon.

Q. My tenant is three months behind in his rent and although he is working will not pay me. What notice must I give him to vacate the house?  
A. When your tenant does not pay his rent he becomes subject to the law of the province in which the accommodation is situated. Therefore you proceed to evict him as you would have in normal peace times.

### THE COOK'S CORNER

#### POTATO, CELERY AND NUT LOAF

Three-quarter cup diced celery. 3-4 cup chopped nuts, 3 cups mashed potatoes, 3 tablespoons fat, 1 egg, beaten 1 teaspoon salt 1-8 teaspoon paprika 2 teaspoons grated onion. Cook celery until tender in small amount of boiling water. Drain off liquid. (This may be used for soup stock). Add remaining ingredients in order listed. Mix well pack in greased loaf pan and bake in moderate oven (350 degrees F.) 35 minutes. Serve with tomato sauce. Serve hot.

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#### FISH STEAK CASSEROLE

1 fish steak, about 1 1/2 to 2 inches thick.  
Flour.  
Salt and pepper  
2 tablespoons butter or dripping  
1 medium onion, sliced.  
2 cups canned tomatoes  
Method: Wipe the fish with a damp cloth and roll in flour until well coated. Sprinkle with salt and pepper. Melt the butter in a pan and brown both sides of the fish well.

If the pan in which you brown the fish has a tight-fitting cover you can leave the fish in this, otherwise remove it to a baking dish that has a cover. Place the slices of onion over the fish and pour the tomatoes around it. Cover the pan or dish and bake in a moderate oven (350 deg. F.) for about 30 to 40 minutes.