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What the Fashionable Are Wearing Illustrated Dressmaking Lesson Furnished With Every Pattern By Annebelle Worthington

Jabot revers, tucked vestee and silk crepe, distinguishes a black turn-down faced cuffs in eggshell circular fluttering fullness. It is belted at normal waistline and has extremely flat hips.



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Style No. 3271 comes in sizes 16, 18 years, 36, 38, 40 and 42 inches bust.

It's a dress that answers many daytime needs. In black crepe satin, it is conservatively smart with the revers, vest and cuffs cut from the reverse of the crepe.

Bottle green silk crepe self-trimmed is another interesting idea. Navy blue crepe marocain with Vionnet pink crepe vest and cuffs is unusually dainty and very French.

Independence blue canton crepe with vest in aquamarine crepe, rust brown flat silk crepe with turquoise blue vest and black fishnet are stunning combinations.

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Dorothy Dix Letter Box

Should This Wife Ignore Her Husband's Philandering? - How to Overcome an Inherited Tendency Toward a Bad Disposition; False Teeth vs. Marriage

Dear Miss Dix-I am only one of those many, many wives whose husbands philander. I am still young, in my 30s, and considered quite attractive. My husband and I are congenial. I am a capable housekeeper and cook and hostess and make our home an attractive place to be in, and have devoted the ten years of my married life to trying to make my husband happy. We have no children. For the last two years he has been going out with other women and frankly admits indefinitely, at the same time telling me that he loves me more than any one else in the world, and that he grants me the same "privileges" he enjoys, but if I take advantage of this he does not want to know about it.

Sometimes, Miss Dix, I have been sorely tempted to take him up on this, not because I crave the attentions of other men, or with any idea of revenge, but thinking that perhaps if I were guilty of the same offense I would not feel so resentful toward him, or that it might help me to understand why he acts in this way. Variety and adventure seem to be the keynote of his actions, and while these appeal to us all, since they fail to tempt me to such an extreme, I am hurt and disappointed that they should. Logically I suppose I should be unfazed by such behavior, inasmuch as he does not abuse me, nor deprive me of anything except his company at times. Of material comforts I have what I need.

When we are together I am happy. He has many admirable qualities and traits, but unfortunate ideals regarding love, marriage and sex generally. Some tell me that I should divorce him, but in spite of his unfaithfulness I love him, and furthermore he loves me with as deep a love as such an individual is capable of. Sometimes I have a great surge of compassion for my husband for his weakness, and pity him for the true enjoyment in life that I believe he is robbing himself of, but most of the time I am fighting an ache in my heart which threatens my efficiency along other lines.

What can you say to comfort women like me? A TRUE WIFE. Answer: Very little, I am sorry to say. You ask for bread and I have none to give you. My hands are empty. I can only offer you a crumb of comfort by telling you that, in spite of his roaming, in his innermost heart your husband is still true to you, and that in the end he will come back to you.

There are many things about men that we women never can understand, and one is that men can sin lightly, while we women sin desperately, or not at all. A man can be unfaithful to the wife he still loves, but a woman is never unfaithful to her husband as long as she has one particle of affection for him. Tenyson said of Sir Lancelot: "His honor rooted in dishonor stood, and faith unfaithful kept him falsely true," and that mass of contradictory moral questions is a picture of many men, but it could be a portrait of no woman.

Of course there are men who are philanders by nature and who will always be petticoat chasers, but that is simply a sport with them and does not ever remotely touch their hearts. They will always kiss the lips that are nearest and that are painted in the best imitation of a Cupid's bow, but they couldn't remember the name of the girl they kissed day after tomorrow. But the real thing that makes the man who really loves his wife a womanizer is vanity. He simply laps up the flattery of the flappers, even though he knows that they are gold-digging, and he gets a kick out of posing to himself as a gay Lothario and feeling that he is a devil among the women.

The problem of the women who have these unstable men for husbands is made the greater because they are so often so lovable, so fine in every other respect except their faithfulness. The attraction they have for other women they have for their own wives. The understanding, the sympathy, the little courtesies and attentions they show other women they show their wives. They shower roses and candy on their wives as well as on their lady loves.

They are lovers at home as well as abroad, and this makes the wives stick on instead of throwing up their hands and quitting as they are tempted a thousand times to do. For they feel "better fifty years of Europe than a cycle of Cathay." Better to share such a man with other women than to have the whole of a man who is a dull, insensate, dumb clod, with never a thrill in him.

When a man is untrue to his wife because he is tired of her and she has become repulsive to him, and he tells her frankly that he wants to be rid of her, it is one thing. Then there is nothing left for her but divorce, but when a husband is just a philanderer who still loves his wife and comes back joyously from his fling to his home and her, she gains nothing by divorce. It does not ease the ache in her heart, and it deprives her of the consolation she has in her home, her comfortable living, her position in society, and in her nearness to the poor weak creature that she still loves in spite of his faults. And she has the almost certain assurance that he will weary at last of flitting from flower to flower and settle down to years of happy married life.

But when a wandering husband offers a wife the same "privileges" he has, she is wise never to call his bluff. Because her strongest hold upon him is his faith in her honor and purity, and his knowledge that she is beyond all temptation. He has had enough of loose women and he wants to come back to a wife he can trust. DOROTHY DIX.

Dear Miss Dix-Do children inherit their parents' dispositions? One of my parents has a very bad disposition and is very high-tempered. The fear is always hanging over me that I may develop that parent's disposition as we have very many of the same characteristics. SALLY.

Answer: Undoubtedly children do often inherit their parents' dispositions, or their grandparents', or their great-grandparents' for that matter, but that doesn't foredoom them to go through life acting as their ancestors did.

Hereditarily is about the most overworked excuse on earth, and it is 'time that we quit using it as an alibi and began considering it as a warning. Because your father was a drunkard, or your grandfather was a ne'er-do-well, or your great-grandfather was a rascal, or your mother was a shrew, or your grandmother was a slovenly housekeeper, or your great-grandmother was a nagger, is no reason on earth for you to be guilty of any of these high crimes and misdemeanors.

On the contrary, just because you notice those tendencies in yourself you should be particularly on your guard against those special faults. So, Sally, if you see that you have inherited your father's surly and grouchy and mercurial disposition, make a determined effort to cultivate cheerfulness and an optimistic outlook on life, and to make yourself pleasant and agreeable to live with. Or if you realize that you are temperamental and highstrung like your mother, get a death grip on your temper and your tongue.

Don't be a victim to heredity. DOROTHY DIX. Dear Miss Dix-Do you think a woman of 35, with false teeth, stands any chance of getting married? OLD MAID.

Answer: Why not? A good dentist can make false teeth that are scarcely distinguishable from the natural, and, anyway, in these days when they snatch your teeth out because you have the toe ache, or falling hair, or what have you, so many people have store teeth that they have ceased to be a matter of opprobrium, or a matrimonial handicap.

Nor do we judge age any longer by teeth. It may have been pyorrhea or rheumatism, and anyway whether a woman has false teeth or not is her own business and keeps no man from falling in love with her. Too many men have plates and bridges of their own to look a gift sweetheart in the mouth. DOROTHY DIX.

Happenings of the Week

"If one walks as a friend, he will find a friend. Wherever he chooses to fare: If one go with mirth to a far, strange land, He will find that mirth is there. For the strangest part of this queer, old world Is that like will join to like: And who walks with love for his fellow-men, An answering love will strike."

The Thursday afternoon Bridge Club met at the home of Mrs. A. E. Morrison, Prince Street.

Dr. and Mrs. J. C. Simpson entertained after the hockey match on Tuesday evening at their residence on Granville Street, Summerside, in honor of Mr. Neil McLeod, who was recently married to Miss Mildred Muttart. About a dozen gentlemen friends were present and Mr. McLeod was presented with a congratulatory address, accompanied by the presentation of a very handsome settee and arm-chair to match. Refreshments were served by the hostesses at the close of a very enjoyable evening.

Mrs. Alexander Campbell was hostess on Tuesday at her lovely home in Summerside for an informal afternoon tea and shower in honor of Mrs. Nell McLeod, one of Summerside's recent brides. The color scheme both in the drawing room and dining room was white and the gifts were cunningly concealed in a dazzling white snow-man, which was drawn into the reception room on a sleigh by two little pages, Master Jackie Jeans, little son of Rev. G. J. St. Clair and Mrs. Jeans, and Master Peter Rogers, son of Mr. and Mrs. Graham Rogers. The tea table was presided over by Mrs. H. S. Muttart mother of the bride, those assisting in serving were Miss Mona Saunders, Miss Mary White and Misses Enid and Mattie McFarlane. Miss Mary White opened the gifts and presented them to the young bride. There were about thirty-five guests present. Mrs. McLeod was the recipient of many beautiful gifts of silver and china pieces for which she thanked the donors in a few happily chosen words.

The most brilliant function of Ottawa's social season, the drawing room of the Governor General and Viscountess Willingdon will be held in the Senate Chamber beginning at nine o'clock Friday evening, Feb. 21, the day after the opening of parliament. The drawing room brings together prominent Canadians, their wives and daughters particularly debutant daughters from all parts of the Dominion. Many from outside Canada also will attend.

Miss Mildred Bennett, sister of Hon. R. B. Bennett, Conservative leader, is being much feted in Victoria this week. In her honor Mrs. Leonard Andrews and Miss Carol Tolmie entertained at tea Tuesday afternoon and Hon. R. H. Pooley and Mrs. Pooley gave a dinner the same evening in compliment to Mr. Bennett and his sister.

Breakfast parties made a pleasant break in entertainment on Tuesday morning on the occasion of the broadcast of the Five Power Naval Conference from London. It was a great day for radio listeners-in who were thrilled with British loyalty as they heard their King's voice come over the wires in vibrant tones and shared the pleasure with as many of their friends as possible. Those with leisure listened in to all the speakers but those who heard the King and Canada's Representative, Mr. Ralston were well satisfied.

The annual Burns' concert was largely attended on Thursday and again on Friday night. The fine weather permitted music lovers from the rural districts to attend and lent zest to this much anticipated event. The program was so arranged that all tastes were catered to and it was generally agreed that it was one of the best concerts ever given by the Caledonia Club.

Mrs. Benjamin Rogers entertained very delightfully at five tables of bridge on Tuesday evening honoring her house guest, Mrs. H. J. Mabon of Montague. Mrs. Rogers entertained at a similar pleasant event on Thursday evening for the younger people.

Miss Maude Haslam arrived this week from Quebec City and is being warmly welcomed by her friends. continued on page 11

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Milady Beautiful

By Lois Leeds

BEAUTY QUESTIONS ANSWERED

Stubborn Soft Corn. Dear Miss Leeds-I have been so well pleased with all the helpful articles that I have received from you. Now, I am asking again: (1) Could you give me some home remedy for a soft corn on my little toe? I have tried all kinds of corn remedies, but nothing seems to remove it. I also have gone to corn doctors, and one said it looked to him as if it was part wart and part corn. (2) I have one hard corn, also. What could you suggest for it? Thanking you for both past and future help, I am G. C. J.

Answer-I am glad to know that you have found my beauty column helpful. (1) At bedtime scrub the feet well with warm water and a mild soap; rinse in cooler water and dry thoroughly, especially between the toes. Dampness and perspiration are very often the cause of soft corns between the toes. Dust over the feet and between the toes with boric acid powder.



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Hair Too Stiff to Comb

Dear Miss Leeds-My hair is so stiff that I cannot comb it as I would like to. I wonder if you could tell me of some solution that I could make and use to form ringlets and make them lie properly on my forehead? DAILY READER.

Answer-The stiffness of your hair is likely caused by its being too dry. Perhaps you shampoo it too frequently. Once every two weeks is usually sufficient for dry hair when the scalp is massaged and the hair brushed well each day. When shampooing your hair, use soft water and a mild liquid shampoo mixture, such as cocoanut oil, olive oil, liquid tar soap or pure castile soap shaved and melted into a jelly. After shampooing your hair and rinsing it free from every particle of soap, as a final rinse add one table-



Hair that sparkles!

No one can deny the importance of having the hair arranged in the style best suited to the individual type. Much of the effect is lost, however, unless the hair is kept soft, abundant, lustrous. A million busy women and girls know the easiest way to keep the hair in perfect condition is with Danderine. The first application will show you how marvelously it removes excess oil from the hair; cleanses it; makes it sparkle with new life and lustre. It's so simple to use Danderine. All you do is put a little on your brush each time you arrange your hair! The consistent use of Danderine will dissolve the worst crust of dandruff; soothe, heal the scalp; stimulate the growth of long, silky, abundant hair. Danderine isn't sticky or oily; doesn't show. It makes the hair easy to manage; holds it in place for hours. "Set" your waves with it and see how much longer they stay in.

Danderine

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spoonful of olive oil or white mineral oil to one quart of water. Dry between warm towels. Once a month give your hair and scalp the warm-oil treatment, leaving the oil on overnight. Be sure to brush your hair regularly every night and morning as there is nothing that will make the hair glossier and give it such a healthy sheen as this regular brushing every night and morning. Use a clean hair brush with fairly long bristles that will penetrate through the hair; brush your hair underneath, also.

The following curling lotion may help you to get those ringlets to stay in place: 3 drams quinine or flaxseed, 1 ounce glycerine water, 12 drops of cloves, 12 drops oil of lavender. Soak the seed in one pint of hot water for several hours, then strain and add to the resulting mucilage the cologne water, to which the perfume and oil have been added. Apply to the hair with a clean brush and then form the waves, curls or ringlets with your comb and fingers. However, do not look for immediate results, as it is difficult to get stiff hair to curl or wave. LOIS LEEDS.

A Morning Smile

THANK GOODNESS

The teacher was trying to boost the sale of photographs she had taken of the class. "Now, children," she said, "just imagine how you'll enjoy looking at this photograph when you grow up. As you look at it you'll say to yourselves, 'There's Jeannie, she's a nurse; and there's Tom, he's a barber; and...'" "And there's teacher; she's dead," said a pert voice from the middle of the class.

For The Cook

STUFFED LAMB'S HEART

A nice change in the menu, and best of all, not expensive. Remove tendons and membrane from the centres of the hearts and wash out with cold water. Drain, and when dry, fill with a highly seasoned bread filling. Your usual chicken filling will do nicely, only put plenty of sweet marjoram, onion, salt and pepper in it. Place in a greased baking dish, add a little water and bake in the oven for three-quarters of an hour, basting as you would a roast and adding water when necessary.

Etiquette

By Roberta Lee

Q. If a gift is brought to a sick person, and he is too ill to see the donor or open it immediately, how should he express his thanks?

A. Write a note of appreciation just as soon as he is able.

Q. Should a girl who has her next dance promised, go and seek her partner?

A. No; she should wait for him to come to her.

Q. Is it well-mannered to praise a member of one's own family?

A. No; this is almost as bad as praising oneself.

MOTHERS OF POOR HEALTH

The same thing is wrong with you that bothers the ninety and nine other women. It is a constipated state of the bowels. Your system is clogged and poisoned—consequently life seems hardly worth living. What you need is Dr. Hamilton's Pills. Use them and you'll feel better at once. They establish daily movement of the bowels, flush out all effete matter, give tone to the liver and kidneys, and start you on the road to health.

Dr. Hamilton's Pills are very suitable for women because they are mild in action. You will be free from headache—dizziness will be unknown, stomach troubles will disappear. Vim and cheerful spirits will attend you.

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Her child is a never-ending source of joy and a never-falling responsibility to the fond mother. It not infrequently happens that minor ailments of the child distress and puzzle her; she does not know just what to do, yet feels them not serious enough to call a doctor. At just such times as these it is that Baby's Own Tablets are found to be mother's greatest help and friend.

Most childhood ailments arise from a derangement of the stomach or bowels. Baby's Own Tablets will immediately cleanse them by cleansing the bowels and sweetening the stomach. Thus they relieve colic, correct the digestion, banish constipation and make teething pains disappear.

Baby's Own Tablets are guaranteed to be free from injurious drugs such as opiates and narcotics and may be given to the newborn babe with perfect safety and beneficial results. They are sold by medicine dealers or by mail at 25 cents a box from the Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brickville, Ont.

Household Hints

By Roberta Lee

The Medicine Bottle. When preparing for a journey, dip the top of the medicine bottle in paraffin before putting it in the bag. This may avoid ruining a pretty frock.

Plaster of Paris Ornaments. To clear plaster of Paris ornaments, cover them with a thick coating of starch and let it become perfectly dry. Then brush off and the dirt will come off with it.

Potatoes. With all roasts, serve potatoes that are mashed, baked, or roasted in the pan with the meat.

Character Close-Ups

HERE IS A LITTLE FINGER THAT IS ABNORMALLY LONG.....A SIGN THAT THIS LADY IS NEVER AT A LOSS FOR SOMETHING TO SAY



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