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## DOROTHY DIX SAYS— Moms' Monopoly

### Mothers Inclined To Alienate Children From Fathers, Warp Parenthood

One of the reasons why there are so many wayward and undisciplined children is because their mothers will not let their fathers take any part in their rearing. To all intents and purposes the great majority of youngsters are half orphans who haven't even a speaking acquaintance with their fathers, and who regard them with about as much affection and respect as they do the milk-man.



This is because the average mother is so monopolistic that she cannot bear to share her child with its father. She wants to be all in all to little Johnny and so she impresses on his tender mind the fact that it is Mother who loves him; it is Mother who gives him the candy; it is Mother who persuades Daddy to buy him the red wagon, and conversely she holds the father up as a cruel giant who will mistreat him. It is Mother who threatens the children by telling them that she will have Dad punished when he comes home.

There is a general belief, fostered by mothers, that men are lacking in the parental instinct, and that it is only mothers who really love their offspring. Nothing is farther from the truth. Most men are as proud as Punch over their fatherhood and go bragging all over the place about what a wonder Junior is, until monopolistic Mama quenches their enthusiasm by never letting them touch the baby, or when change his ditty, or take him out anywhere alone, or do anything that establishes a close personal contact between them.

### FROZEN OUT

Many and many a man who would have made a devoted father is frozen out of the game by his wife who makes him understand, once and for all, that it is her baby and she is going to rear it as she pleases, and all the use Father is, is just to pay the bills. So Mother breaks the golden thread and another batch of children come along who call their father "the old man," and who are not half as well acquainted with him as they are with the policeman on the corner. And there is another heart-hungry man who could weep with envy when he sees other children and their fathers chummy together.

The alibi of the women who separate their husbands from their children is that a mother understands her children so much better than their father does and hence is so much better fitted to guide them. But this is not true. Perhaps a mother may know how to fix a baby formula better than Daddy does, but when it comes to steering adolescent children through the dangers and temptations that all of them must meet, they need a man's experience, a man's judgment, a man's firmness to hold them in line.

No matter how much a mother loves her children, no matter how intelligent she is, she has lived a more or less cloistered life and she cannot give her children certain vital guidance that only their father can give them. He has seen life, and when he talks to his children about its pitfalls, they listen.

When God created the world, He intended that all children should have two parents, a mother and a father — and all children still need both.

## Household Scrapbook

By Roberta Lee

### Mildewed Linens

For badly mildewed linens, use a solution of four tablespoons of peroxide to one quart of water. Use enough of the water to cover the garment and boil gently for an hour, or until the stains are gone.

### Sliding Rugs

Prevent the sliding of your small rugs by attaching several jar rubbers to the under side or by shellacking the reverse side.

### Red Ants

To get rid of red ants try using boiling water and borax. It kills them instantly.

## Morning Smile

Some Wee Advertising

Macpherson joined a golf club and was told by the professional that if his name was on his golf

## Modern Etiquette

By Roberta Lee

Q. Is it necessary that a bride write lengthy letters when acknowledging her wedding gifts?

A. These acknowledgments should be notes not long letters. It is not the length of the acknowledgment, but the genuine appreciation and sincerity expressed that is important.

Q. How is asparagus eaten?

A. Authorities generally agree that it is best to cut the stalks into halves with the fork and eat the tips as one eats any fork food.

Q. Is it correct to have nicknames of men or women on visiting cards?

A. Never.

balls, and they were lost, they would be returned to him when found.

"That's fine," said the Scot. "Put my name on this one."

A. The professional complied, and as he was putting the finishing touches to the job the new member added:

"Would you also put M.D. after the name? You see, I'm a doctor."

"Certainly," said the professional.

"Oh, one more thing," he was asked, "can you squeeze 'Hours 10 to 3' on as well?"

## Grand Duchess Olga of Russia Buys Ontario Farm



Grand Duchess Olga Alexandrovna Kulikovsky of Russia and her husband, Col. Nikolai Kulikovsky, bid good-bye to Mrs. W. J. Allison, leaving 250-acre farm she has just sold to them. Ten-room homestead goes with farm, near Campbellville, Ont. The grand duchess and her husband plan to move early in August. The farm is midway between Oakville and Guelph, Ont. Grand duchess and her husband, who sold their Denmark farm two months ago, plan to raise livestock.

## Cook's Corner

### CHERRY-GOOSEBERRY JAM

In this jam, neither fruit flavor dominates the other — both come through quite clearly and in a nice fresh way. This jam is both sweet and tart — very pleasant eating. Yield — eight 9-ounce jars. 4 cups prepared green gooseberries 4 cups prepared sour red cherries

1½ cups cold water Granulated sugar (about 1 quart box) in a dry tea towel to loosen the blossoms; pick over and remove the stems; wash, drain thoroughly and cut sufficient fruit in halves to yield the required 4 cups.

Pick over, wash, drain and pit sufficient soft red cherries to yield the required 4 cups. Rub the gooseberries (about 1 quart box) in a dry tea towel to loosen the blossoms; pick over and remove the stems; wash, drain thoroughly and cut sufficient fruit in halves to yield the required 4 cups.

Combine fruits in a large saucepan and add the cold water; bring slowly to the boil, stirring frequently. Boil gently, uncovered, stirring occasionally, for 15 minutes.

Measure the cooked fruit mixture (there will be around 6 cups) and add an equal measure of granulated sugar. Bring to the boil, stirring until the sugar is dissolved, then boil gently, stirring frequently, until suitably thickened — about 15 minutes.

Remove from heat and skim. Let jam stand for 10 minutes, stirring occasionally.

Fill into hot sterilized jars and seal. Label jars before storing.

## How Can I!!!

By Anne Ashley

Q. How can I determine how much dye is needed to dye a sweater?

A. Remove the buttons from the sweater, then weigh the garment while it is dry. Enough dye should be bought to color the number of pounds the article weighs. A sweater will not take a good color with insufficient dye.

Q. How can I induce sleep in a restless person?

A. A small dose of soda in a glass of warm water before retiring is often very effective.

Q. How can I detect the freshness of lobsters when buying them?

A. A sign of freshness when selecting a lobster is when the tail is curled tightly to its body.

## The Stars Say—

By Genevieve Kemble

### For Friday, July 23

The abrupt and quite unanticipated intervention of a purely personal episode, or a sudden, even the development of a profound, even radical significance, may turn the tide of current events into highly gratifying, progressive and pleasant denouements. The entire picture of recent static and frustrating circumstances may arise on joyous wings of inspired effort of emotional flights. Such glints of joy, with startling achievements or aspirations, may challenge the approval of elders, superiors or employers. Aim to make sound work and worthy purpose mitigate all opposition.

### For the Birthday

Those whose birthday it is may prepare for a particularly vivid and soul-stirring year, in which the element of romance, gay adventure, may rise to quite dramatic and unpredictable climax. While the emotional and romantic aspects are accentuated, the creative, inventive and constructive forces and faculties also may operate in the field of rare accomplishment. In which generous and worthwhile support may produce basic and objective and fulfilled desires. This against lack of approval from elders or superiors, whose opposition and ill will must be vanquished. Charm, personality and magnetism are glamorous implements to utilize tactfully.

A child born on this day may be endowed with exceptional qualities of intellect, creative ability, ingenuity and originality. It should have a romantic and adventurous life, despite opposition.

## Better English

D. C. Williams

1. What is wrong with this sentence? "I took her for you."

2. What is the correct pronunciation of "negligee"?

3. Which one of these words is misspelled? Impropriety, impresario, impostor.

4. What does the word "demonstrative" mean?

5. What is a word beginning with pro that means "abundance"?

Answers: 1. Say, "I mistook her for you." 2. Pronounce neg-ill-zha, as in ate, preferred accent on last syllable. 3. Impresario. 4. Expressive much; displaying feeling or sentiment. "Her nature was demonstrative." 5. Profusion.

## Ellen's Diary

By an Island Farmer's Wife

James unlaced his work-boots slowly this evening and put them beneath his old armchair with a look of regret. The winds of Fate have blown across us for so many years that it is now no trouble at all for me to read many of his expressions. I think too that Ellen, niece and name-sake of mine, and at the moment our guest, must have caught it, for she commented with something of a chuckle though with a make-believe sigh: "I suppose that you're pretty well done with wearing the like of those? or 'looking towards me' perhaps it would be just as well for her, if Aunt Ellen would hide them so that you couldn't find them in the morning!" And they laughed then, and I'm sure I gathered a hint of sadness out of James' laugh. And Ellen continued "Oh, well, one may always change one's mind you know!" "Not this time, I'm afraid," James returned "the die is cast."

And then like a man whose worries are rather over-powering, he drank a glass of milk and only nibbled listlessly at his lunch, an excusing himself went upstairs to bed, steps slow and quiet. Usually they are brisk on the stairs, and he is full of plans for the morrow. But now tomorrow must take care of itself, so strange it would be to him. Ellen smiled broadly, and picking up the book to resume her reading settled down comfortably in the vacated old armchair.

This morning James had slipped into his work-boots quickly and gone eagerly to his work. At Rob's it was to be cultivating a patch of potatoes there, before joining the other farmers of the family, making further repairs to the hay-machinery, which appear to claim considerable attention this year. Not only the mowers must be put in good working order, with new cutting — blades and all, but one wheel of the rake must have a new hub and brand new ropes must replace the weakened ones on the loader. Thus it was, that James had requested when we came to the beginning of our day, "you hurry the breakfast, Ellen, as fast as you can, so that I'll get away!" "Tonight when Pat called briefly on an errand he laughed about this but 'he's in the right' as it were," he said. "I've remarked it, — an 'many a time, it's fair enough, — beyond belief a man can get done in a day, if he just gets an early start." James was bound that he Continued on page 11

## That Body Of Yours

By James W. Barton, M. B.

### COD LIVER OIL KILLS ORGANISMS CAUSING TUBERCULOSIS

My childhood knowledge of tuberculosis (consumption) of that cod liver oil was the special treatment. Today, with treatment of tuberculosis being rest, fresh air and good food, little is said about cod liver oil. That our ancestors must have known the value of cod liver oil in treating tuberculosis is shown by some recent experiments reported in "Medical Press, Paris," by Dr. J. Solomides with various kinds of oils. Dr. Solomides found that cod liver oil killed tuberculosis cultures while peanut oil and paraffin oil did not. Under certain alkaline conditions, with well determined concentrations of alkaline soaps of the fatty acids contained in cod liver oil, it was found that they were capable of preventing the growth of the pus-forming organisms (staphylococci aurei), and also the organisms of pneumonia (pneumococci). The tubercle bacillus causing tuberculosis was killed by this substance contained in cod liver oil. It not only stopped the growth of the organisms, but also actually killed them.

It is concluded, therefore, that the fatty acids of cod liver oil, even when greatly diluted, are active against pneumonia, tuberculosis and pus-forming diseases.

I have spoken before of attending lunch at a boy's preparatory school many years ago and seeing a number of the boys, immediately after lunch, going to a certain table and putting themselves a dose of cod liver oil, each from his own special bottle. This shows that the physicians and parents always have believed that cod liver oil was a good body builder and prevented colds which might later develop into tuberculosis. It was not unusual for parents to put their children on cod liver oil, during the cold months of the year.

Now that parents and physicians know that cod liver oil has been proved to be a body builder and a killer of dangerous organisms, including the tubercle bacillus, cod liver oil will continue to be used.

### The Common Cold

Never neglect the common cold as it often may be the forerunner of other more dangerous conditions. Send 100 cents and a 3-cent stamp, to cover cost of handling and mailing, to The Bell Syndicate, in care of this newspaper, Post Office Box 99, Station C, New York 19, N. Y., and ask for your copy of the Barton booklet entitled "The Common Cold."



## KING COLE TEA Living & Leisure THE WOMAN'S REALM

### IN THE PARK

So carefully he wiped his car. No dust should linger there two days.

The perfect gent . . . O, drat the tart!

How all admired his tidy ways.

He doffed his gloves with conscious gawk

And lit a casual cigaret; The box he tossed upon the walk, Then scattered orange peel, the pet.

J. R. G. ADAMS.

Manila also has installed its first traffic light since the war. It is an object of civic pride, but it never has been turned on; a policeman stands at its base and directs traffic as of yore.

In making sandwiches it is best to use soft butter — it spreads easily. One-half cup of milk may be beaten into one cup of soft butter to make it go further.

The word worsted, applied to a firmly twisted yarn of long-staple wool, combed in a certain way, it is derived from the name of an English town where it was first made. The town's name is now spelled Worstead.

### SCIENCE NOTES

Curium exceeds all other elements in radioactivity and is the most dangerous to handle.

Physicists have acknowledged that light's velocity is one of the most fundamental constants of nature.

The purest helium ever distributed commercially, within 0.2 per cent, of absolutely pure helium is now available, the U. S. Bureau of Mines discloses.

A machine to help in making bolts, in America's only bolt factory in 1839, was powered by a bull on a treadmill to operate the forge belows.

### SUGGEST WOMEN CHANGE HABITS

Women spend about a quarter of their lives — or about 17 years — shopping, says a commercial designer.

That's a pretty staggering estimate, considering that all time spent shopping is tiring and much of it is pretty frustrating.

So why don't we women cut down our shopping time, asks a woman writer.

We don't have to buy articles

that we know full well will be returned the next day. Yet look at the shoppers who make a practice of returning merchandise.

We don't have to drive or walk from one end of town to the other trying to save a few pennies on a purchase. Such tactics eat up time and energy, which is worth a few pennies, too.

We don't have to spend half a day looking for a birthday present for Aunt Maggie. We should make notes on what our relatives and friends say they want, or what our eyes tell us they actually need.

We don't have to lengthen our shopping trips, by being vague to sales clerks. A good clerk can help a customer in a hurry, if the customer knows and says exactly what she wants and says a price limit on it. Plenty of sales a price limit she time looking at things they could never afford to buy.

We women may spend a quarter of our lives shopping, but we don't have to, if we practice efficiency.

### SAVE WHITE HAIR FROM SUNSHINE

Few sun-tanned beauties look better than the woman whose hair is white or grey.

Yet for her there are the problems which must be met of exposing white hair and keeping the complexion safe from the sun's ravages.

White or grey hair can be kept safe from the yellowing effects of the sun, if the lady who cherishes her plumage will wrap her head up in a scarf.

The problem of counteracting the sun's drying effects on the skin can be solved if a woman will cream her face before she goes out again after she comes in.

## SANDWICHES Better with French's



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## See Macraft FOR THE HOME

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### FISHES FOR TOURISTS

SYDNEY, Australia — (CP) — The tourist minister of New South Wales is going fishing abroad — for tourists. He's taking a color film of big game fishing off the New South Wales coast to lure American and British travellers.

2478 SIZES 1, 2, 3, 4, 6



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