

Woman's Realm / Social and Personal / Fashions / Literature

FINEST COCOA LOWEST PRICE!



WHY PAY MORE?

Modern Etiquette

By Roberta Lee

Q. When invited to a week-end party, into one always go by the train or bus specified in the invitation?

A. Yes, always, unless something very important prevents.

Q. Should the address be omitted when one's stationery bears a monogram or a crest?

A. Yes.

Q. What is the meaning of bon ton?

A. Fashionable manner or style; high society.

Better English

D. C. Williams

1. What is wrong with this sentence? "Charles got injured."

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

3. Which one of these words is misspelled? Errand, errand, errand.

4. What does the word "obduracy" mean?

5. What is a word beginning with the letter "m" that means "overbearing demeanor"?

ANSWERS

1. Say, "Charles was injured."

Living & Leisure THE WOMAN'S REALM

CHRISTMAS CANDLES

Oh, I will burn a candle, cool and green;
This year green candles are a flare of hope;
New life—the leaf, the bud. What these must mean
To strikers thousands as they gasp and grope!

Oh I will burn a candle, warm and red;
Red candles are for courage. I will get
This brave thing in the window. Men lie dead,
And slow tears fall, and some cannot forget.

Oh, I will burn a candle, slim and white;
This year white candles are for faith, I will say
"I believe beyond this haggard light."
Hope, courage, faith are all my window sill.

—By Helen Frazer-Bower

ONCE WORTHLESS

Skins of the hat seal once considered worthless, now have a market value considerably above the bounty value of \$6 a seal, paid by the Dominion Government. Bounties have been paid this year in British Columbia for 1,500 seals. Market for the skins is in Alaska and Yukon where Indians make them into parkas, moccasins and fur clothing, both for their own and tourist consumption. Black and silver furs have a higher market value than yellow ones. Easy and unborn seals are also in demand.

HOME PEACE EASE FEET

Your feet are stepping out in high fashion, with "naked" strap sandals open toes and open heels all over the place! If your toenails aren't awfully nice and well groomed, you should cover your toes. But why do that when it is so much fun to do a pedicure?

A home pedicure not only "grooms" your toenails but relieves tired, aching feet. You can then do that "walking on air" about which we hear so much. Here's how to do your pedicure.

VEOLACHELL

Dr. Charles Frink of Minneapolis, crossed a violin and cello to produce what he called a "veolachel." Looking like a violin, but larger, the instrument is played like a cello. Made of propeller spruce its tone ranges from the melancholy depth of a cello up to a violin's highest register.

The drone bee has no sting.

Though the dormouse is found in England, it is not in Scotland or Ireland.

A severe thunderstorm will seriously disturb the even flow from silk-worms of the liquid filaments that make silk.

2. Pronounce first syllable mes, not mess. 3. Errand. 4. State of being hardened in feelings. "Stolid obduracy" seemed to take possession of the people. 5. Insolence.

Dorothy Dix Says—

Public Libraries Men And Women Would Derive Great Pleasure From Books

DEAR MISS DIX: I work in a library and it is a matter of continual regret to me that the general public has so little appreciation of the treasures that libraries have to offer to anyone and everyone. Statistics show that only between 25 and 30 per cent of the people in the United States are book-borrowers from libraries. Why can't the general public be made to realize how much richer and fuller their lives would be if they only acquired the library habit?

I have often thought that it is a pity that there should not be classes for the boys and girls who are going to be married and newlyweds that would stress what the Public Library can do to help insure their happiness. Wives certainly can become more interesting to their husbands; better housekeepers through books on home-making and decorating; better cooks and nutritionists through the many cookbooks and diet books; better mothers through books on child-upbringing and the library offers them. And the same advice on how husbands can make themselves more interesting companions to their wives goes to men also.

M. A.

BOOKS REAL COMPANIONS

From the cradle to the grave nothing else opens up so many roads to happiness as the love of reading. No one is ever bored, no one is ever lonely who loves to read, for they have all the wits to amuse them, all the story-tellers to entertain them, all the adventures to take them to the far places of the world.

Especially do I recommend acquiring the library habit to all the poor young couples who cannot afford night clubs and who are chained to Juniors' crib. They will not mind being a baby-sitter if they can sit with a good book.

DEAR DOROTHY DIX: I am a young war widow with a baby a year old. My husband was killed in action and I have learned that he left all of his ten thousand dollar insurance policy to me. The mother worked hard to rear him and she was very good to both him and me. Shall I turn over half of his insurance to her? I want to do what is right and if she is entitled to it, that is what I will do.

MRS. K. A.

ANSWER: You are not legally obligated to give any of the money to your husband's mother, but you show a fine and generous spirit in wanting to divide with her.

However, my advice to you is to make a little trust fund of the money and arrange it so that she will get the interest on half of it as long as she lives, but the capital will come to you and your boy when she dies. You know it is very difficult for a woman who has never handled money to avoid being cheated out of it when she inherits some.

DEAR MISS DIX: Will you please tell me the correct way of putting a stick of gum in one's mouth in society?

ANSWER: Gum chewing is not ranked among the social accomplishments, so no formulas have been devised for the correct procedure of doing it. I would say, however, that the best way of acquiring a being the chief of the ruminative animals.

HOUSEHOLD SCRAPBOOK

By Roberta Lee

House Plants

If one is to be absent from home for a few days and wishes to keep the house plants fresh, soak at 1:30 sponge wash water and place it on the urt. in the pot. The moisture will keep in good condition.

The Milk Bottle

The top of the milk bottle should be wiped off before removing the mayonnaise dressing?

A. Merely by adding one-half cup of cold boiled rice to one cup of mayonnaise.

NEW YORK: The simple black dress for day and evening is featured in the collection of Mainicher who warns: "These dresses are dangerous because I cannot guarantee that they are not built making—the number of simplicity addicts is mounting daily." It is a pleasant habit to acquire, for along with the simple black dress this designer introduces costume accessories that make these dresses unusually versatile. Ties on peplums heavily banded in jet when the occasion is very formal; satin bows and belts for less important occasions.

Ellen's Diary

By an Island Farmer's Wife

Alderlea was early astir this morning. Great-Grandfather, to Jamie still practices a habit formed well before even "the gay nineties"—that of rising betimes. Presently each one of us was to his or her earliest chore. The dark clouds, which hovered above the hills held no threat that would keep him from his intended trip to the city. After breakfast then, he set off blithely with Mr. B., who lives between here and Rob's, by truck. Many from the rural districts went city-ward today, doubtless drawn thither by the approach of the Christmas season. There would be a feverish searching for gifts suitable for loved ones and once home the precious parcels would be hidden well away from curious eyes, until the eve of the Christmas Day.

Jamie came this afternoon "for company" when Rob helped Jock at some hauling, James as he said "took it easy" meaning that he rested for short period after dinner, before taking up the stable work. The rain came in the early evening, a signal for all farm-work out of doors to cease. I was glad when it was lamp-lighting time and each household was gathered indoors. Our guest returned then, having come from the city with Mr. A.—walking up from the end of the lane. Very pleasant, I found it listening to the conversation, that had to do with "days of other years" and once I dropped down in a chair to hear an interesting topic, all unaware of the dish-cloth I held in my hand.

I might have "tendered" later to Jock, when he came in to report that the mysterious spark that is life had almost fled from "the best one of these eleven" pigs. Jock made every effort to "rekindle the flame, as also did James. A drench was duly mixed for the night was at its darkest and rain tumbled from the rooves and a wind moaned a dirge about the buildings. Now, to drench

(Continued on Page 3)

Watch These 4 Teething-Time Troubles Of Baby

Digestive upsets Don't let your baby fret and lose strength needlessly during teething time. Get a box of Baby's Own Tablets used so successfully for over 20 years by mothers. They help sweeten sour little stomachs, clear out harmful wastes, relieve that make baby fretful and restless, relieve that when the night is never usually undisturbed and your tiny one drifts off into sound restful sleep. No "sleepy" stuff—no dulling effect. They can be used with full confidence. Easily crushed in a powder if desired. Be on the safe side—ask your druggist today for "Baby's Own Tablets."

Household Scrapbook

PIMPLES

Preventive value guaranteed. Only one like this anywhere. Blackheads. Only by treating with CUTICURA. Soap treatment.

Fashion Horoscope

by Colette



If going south Do suit your personality in new fashion. Don't overlook—feminine or dramatic—which?

Needlecraft FOR THE HOME

BRUNCH COAT OR ROBE

With this pattern you can make either a warm flannel robe or a crisp cotton brunch coat. Two good ideas for Christmas gifts by the way, at the time when practical items are so welcome.

No. 2596 is cut in sizes 12, 14, 16, 18, 20, 24, 42 and 44. Size 36 requires 3 1/2 yards 38-inch for brunch coat; 3 1/2 yards 54-inch for housecoat.

Send 20 cents for Pattern which includes complete sewing guide. Print your Name, Address and Style Number plainly. Be sure to state size you wish. Include postal unit or zone number in your address.

Address: Pattern Department The Charlottetown Guardian, Charlottetown, N.S.

Name _____

Street Address _____

City _____ Province _____

Morning Smile

"Sah," said Rastus, "day's a man outside who wants to see you 'bout collectin' a bill. He wouldn't give his name."

"What does he look like?" asked his employer.

"He looks lak you better pay it."

Stranger: "Is it far to the next town?"

Native: "Well, it's pretty far. But it seems further than it is, and you'll find out it ain't."

WIN YOUR FAMILY'S PRAISE!

GOSH, GERTIE! I DIDN'T KNOW YOU COULD COOK!

AUNT JEMIMAS

Good for you Digestible as toast!

Oxydol WASHES SO CLEAN

Your biggest wash comes

WHITE WITHOUT BLEACHING

Oxydol is Far Ahead of Most Soaps in Preventing "Dirty Grayness!"



Tests Prove Oxydol Washes Clothes CLEANER and WHITER!

Yes, Whiter! In wash test after test—Oxydol proved that it actually washes clothes cleaner and whiter than many other soaps which, unlike Oxydol, fail to get out that last possible trace of stubborn dirt and grime!

White and Bright Wash After Wash! Soaps often leave tiny discoloring particles caused by dirt in the clothes and the "hardness" of the water. These stick in the clothes and turn gray or yellow under ironing heat. But Oxydol combats "dirty grayness"—actually helps prevent "dirty grayness" from forming in clothes!

New "Hustle-Bubble" Suds Lift Dirt Out! Oxydol's new "Hustle-Bubble" suds are so active they lift dirt out. All your white things—except for unusual stains—come so clean they're White Without Bleaching. Sparkling white!

So Safe for Colors, Tool And Oxydol is so safe—safe for wash colors, rays and your own precious hands. Its rich, safe suds wash your colored clothes so clean they fairly sparkle!

Next washday use Oxydol—and enjoy a wash so clean it's actually White Without Bleaching!

Oxydol WASHES WHITE WITHOUT BLEACHING

MADE IN CANADA—Trade Mark Registered

How Can I !!

By Anne Ashley

Q. How can I make use of old shirts that are ready to be discarded?

A. The backs of old shirts make ideal kitchen aprons. As the shirt is already hemmed, it requires but little work to transform it into an apron. Take the straps for the shoulders of contrasting materials.

Q. How can I clean soiled el-bows?

A. Use a brush to scrub the elbows, dipping it in soap and warm water. Rub well and dry. Then massage the elbows with a good cream. Use this treatment every night.

Q. How can I make Connelly

EASY-TO-KNIT ITEMS



DESIGN NO. 846

Hand knitted bed socks, scarf and knee warmers are useful accessories. Pattern No. 846 contains complete instructions.

To order: Pattern? Write or send above picture with your name and address with 20 cents in coin or Postal Scrip to Needlework Bureau Charlottetown Guardian.

Design No. 846

Name _____

Street Address _____

City _____ Province _____

SMART FOR SPRING: Here are two popular numbers in the spring Collection of suits and coats shown by Samuel Mintz, leading Montreal stylist. Left is a black and white English hound's tooth tunic suit with black shirt and matching belt. Right is a worsted crepe suit with the Eisenhower jacket. It has side pockets with the concealed zipper. Note the currently popular rounded appearance of the shoulders.

