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MUD STAINS Always brush a mud-stained garment from the top to the bottom. You will never free it entirely from dirt if you try to brush against the warp.

BOOKS, ART, MUSIC

(By F. R. H.)

For this Easter column the subject was intended to be "In the Steps of St. Paul" by H. V. Morton, but unfortunately I was unable to procure the book in time to read all of it. But I have read enough to know that it is quite up to the high standard of Mr. Morton's other books.

Reading, in the second chapter, of Mr. Morton's trip along the road of Paul's vision and of the visit to Damascus reminded me of Donne Byrne's "Brother Saul" the writing of which was completed on Good Friday 1926. It is of course a fictional and more intimate account of Saul's life, one written in a very vivid and charming manner. Some comparisons are perhaps interesting.

Mr. Morton suggests that of the two roads from Jerusalem to Damascus Paul chose the longer one through Samaria and Galilee and up into the foothills of Mount Hermon; Donne Byrne also makes him travel this road.

Mr. Morton thinks Paul used a trotting camel, a mule or a donkey for the journey; Donne Byrne's Saul rides a horse.

Of Paul's vision Mr. Morton writes:—

"At a point on this road, about twelve miles from Jerusalem, we saw the low-lying white city shining far off, set on the sand, with domes and minarets 'lifted above a feathery greenness. Somewhere close by, Paul was converted to Christianity."

The subconscious mind goes with hands open to meet conversion, but the conscious mind remains fixed and firm until something happens—some little thing—and a man finds his whole life changed. That seems to have been happening to Paul.

There is a remarkable resemblance between Paul's conversion and the recorded ecstasies of Christian mystics: the suddenness of the vision, the burning light unbearable to the eyes, the sound of a voice, the instantaneous change of a man's nature and the dedication of his life to God; and, above all, the knowledge that the purely sensory limitations of the physical body have been transcended for a moment, just long enough to permit the visionary to know reality.

So it was with Paul. Remade and inspired, his physical body shattered by contact with conditions for which man's physical body was not designed, those who were with him led him by the hand into Damascus.

Donne Byrne in describing the Shekel, the Syrian storm, during which Saul had the vision on his way to Damascus, writes:—

The hot, poisonous breath of the desert choked him. His eyes were burning, and looking into the blackness he saw Stephen on the ground, kneeling, sinking into sleep. "O brother," Saul cried out, "God has loosed spirits on me. He has opened the gates of brass, and smitten the bars of iron in sunder." The horses turned, pulling madly, rearing. Saul's mount gave a shudder and sank to its knees.

The sky closed in like the sides and roof of a tent. There was a crackling in the air. Like thorns under a pot for sound, but that got under the skin and tortured each twisted nerve. Lights shone, little round balls of light, at the lances' heads. The winged horse of the ensign was like a lighted lamp, and under it one could see, in the light, the ensign's face, white and set as the face of a dead man. Wet drops, as of poison, swirled through the darkness and struck their faces. The sky fell swiftly. Then, with one vast, outrageous crash, the world ended.

"It seemed to him when they picked him up that all his old life had gone from him. He heard the voices about him, the stirring, but he could see nothing. He could not stand, so gently and silently, they put him on his horse and led him onward."

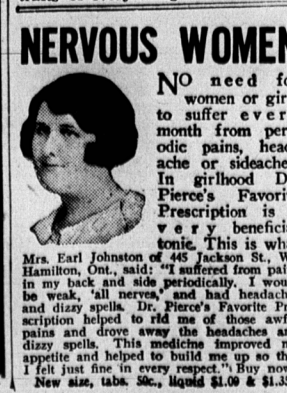
And so Paul became the greatest of all Christian Missionaries.

Ruth Green Harris describes for the Times a unique collection of Miracle Pictures at Nice in the south of France.

"In the early nineteenth century, at a blessed spot behind Nice called Notre Dame de Laghet, the Virgin performed a miracle. Floating like an apsara below him, she broke the fall of a peasant climbing a precipice. The grateful man painted his story of hallowed interference and gave it to the little church of Laghet."

"Since that time our Lady is said to have performed many a miracle round about Nice, asking only in return a token of gratitude from the faithful—drawing, painting, carved wood, stichery—proffered as a testimonial of the accident from which one has been rescued. In girlhood, Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription is a very beneficial tonic. This is what Mrs. Earl Johnston of 445 Jackson St., W., Hamilton, Ont., said: 'I suffered from pains in my back and side periodically. I would be weak, all nerves, and had headaches and dizzy spells. Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription helped to rid me of those awful pains and drove away the headaches and dizzy spells. This medicine improved my appetite and helped to build me up so that I felt just fine in every respect.' Buy now! New size, tab. 5c., liquid \$1.00 & \$1.35.

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Dorothy Dix's Letter Box

Long Engagements Are Dangerous for They Frequently Give Love a Chance to Cool—Then Marriage Becomes Commonplace Rather Than an Adventure

Dear Dorothy Dix—I am a young man 23 years old and have been going with a girl for about a year and a half. I have told her that I love her, but I cannot afford to marry for at least three years. I am wondering if my love will last that long. I am afraid that she will become a habit and that I will be so used to her that I may marry her without loving her as I should. Is this likely to happen? Am I wrong or foolish in being so doubtful of my feelings? BOB.



Answer: I do not think that a man can be too careful in analyzing his feelings about a woman before marrying her and being sure that what he feels for her is really a grand passion instead of just a passing fancy. Marriage lasts a long, long time and it seems longer if you get the wrong woman for a wife.

Whether your love for this particular girl will last three years, or through all eternity, I cannot possibly tell. Evidently you have misgivings on the subject yourself. This shows both prudence and wisdom on your part, for none of us know what we are going to want three years hence, nor how any person or thing is going to look to us or appeal to us then.

We change. Our tastes alter. Our point of view is different. We outgrow people so that those whom we once thought alluring we later find commonplace. Those we esteemed brilliant and witty seem dull and stupid to us. Those we regarded as the glass of fashion and the mold of form we look upon as models of bad taste.

This is what makes long engagements or even the pernicious custom of young people "going steady" with each other to the exclusion of other boys and girls such a bad thing for both parties. It often forces them into marriages for which they have lost all desire because the man feels that he is in honor bound to marry a woman after he has blocked her chances of marrying any other man, and the girl feels that she has to marry the man whom she has ceased to love and submit to the humiliation of being an unwanted wife because he is her last call to the dining car.

Of course, no man can keep up a high-pressure love-making for three years. Romance is bound to get frazzled out by being dragged through the dust of everyday living for that long, but worse things can happen to a man than marrying the girl who has become a habit with him. That means that he must find her congenial, interesting and companionable, or he would have dropped her. There may not be many thrills in such a marriage, but it is as comfortable as an old shoe.

The happiest marriages are those in which husbands and wives have become a habit to each other. They have adjusted themselves so completely to each other that they have no life apart. Each is necessary to complete the other's pleasure in anything. They even love each other's faults. Ma would rather rub Pa's rheumatism than dance with the handsomest gigolo in the world. Pa thinks Ma's cooking better than that of the most famous chef.

But if you have any doubts about your love for this girl lasting three years and whether she will be as glamorous to you then as she is now, why not keep yourself free to pick out the kind of a wife you want when you want her and are able to marry her? Wedding cake is best when eaten hot.

Dear Miss Dix—I have been working for five years. This brings me in contact with a number of people of my age whose friendship I want to keep, but I don't know how to do it because my parents have never allowed me to have any friends or dates, or to bring any company to my house. This rule still continues, although I contribute to the upkeep of the nice home we have and am helping my brother through college. I am not privileged to ask my friends to come to see me and I even hesitate to accept invitations from men because I am afraid of the way my parents will treat them. When I have a date or two with a man I am told not to let him come to the house again. I am 24 years old and I see my chances of making friends and of perhaps marrying slipping from me because of my parent's attitude. What can I do? DESPONDENT BESS.

Answer: Sew up your courage to the point of reading the Declaration of Independence to your family and asserting your rights to some privileges in the home that you help support. Tell them that unless they make your friends welcome you are going to leave and set up an apartment with some other girl. Maybe when they see your money slipping out of their fingers they will treat you as well as they would a strange boarder who paid her way and more.

Either your parents are so utterly selfish that they are willing to bight your youth to save themselves from the trouble of entertaining young people and the annoyance of being kept awake at night by the coming and going of your friends, or else they are abysmally dull and stupid not to realize that not only a young girl's happiness, but also her chances of making a good marriage depend upon her being popular with the crowd. This she cannot be unless she can entertain them in her home as she is entertained in theirs.

A good mother who puts "welcome" on the doormat, who is sweet and gracious to all of her daughter's friends, who keeps the cookie jar full and a chocolate cake on the shelf, and whose rugs can be turned up at a minute's notice for dancing feet, not only helps her daughter to a good time, but she gives her the best possible chaperonage because she gets to know the young people she is running with and she knows where she is instead of wondering at what night club she may be.

And she helps her to marry because out of the boys who get in the habit of coming to the house there is sure to be one who will think that Janie will make just the sort of a wife her mother is.

But the mother who bars the door against all young people cuts her daughter off from all fun and dooms her to old maidhood. Nobody wants a prospective mother-in-law who is a grouch.

Dear Miss Dix—Is it better to marry a good-natured, slovenly wife than a neat, cross one? E. S.

Answer: Give me the good-natured sloven every time in preference to the acid-tempered neat-as-a-pin one. You can always live in a hotel or board, but can't get away from a vixen. DOROTHY DIX.

imaginable horror, describing past and future rescue, crowd the walls of the church—a century and a half of art and activity.

"The earliest date is 1802: a picture of a sailing ship in a frightful sea, painted in sepia on porcelain. Judging by the ease and flow of the workmanship, the difficult miniature technique was very well understood by the artist; mariner; so was the storm; so was the ship. Numbers of works in this manner are drawn with spiderweb exactitude.

"One often thinks of Giotto and Blake. I should like to have known more about the child staring with blind eyes from an evil crafty face, and more about the artist. . . . But it is stupid to assume this patronizing gallery-visiting attitude toward these works of art. You find yourself increasingly at one with them."

This week, March 21st, was the 252nd anniversary of the birth of Johann Sebastian Bach, one of the two men who lifted the school of sacred music to its highest possible expression.

Cantatas represent the bulk of Bach's vocal output, but his two supreme masterpieces are the Mass in B-Minor, and the Passion of St.

Mother follows best Dental advice



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The HOUSEWIFE and HER ACTIVITIES

LABOR IN VAIN Biffles came home about 4 a.m. and did not want his wife to know about it so he commenced rocking the cradle. After about an hour of this his wife said: "How long have you been rocking the cradle, John?" "About an hour, darling," he replied. "What a pity," she said, "because the baby has been in bed with me most of the night."

AN ANCIENT EASTER GREETING "The Lord is risen!" "He is risen indeed!" was the older form of Easter greeting and the response of the early Christians.

Stripped of the Easter trappings—the clothes the rabbits, the Easter eggs, the Easter parties stripped even of the flowers and music of the Easter service, the real joy of Easter lies in the security of an unshakable faith. This is not necessarily our faith, not the faith of your neighbor, but it is your own faith.

AN OUNCE OF PREVENTION If an epidemic of a contagious disease has broken out, in the school your child attends encourage your youngster to play outdoors as much as possible after school hours. Keep his bowels moving freely by giving him a light laxative every few days. Watch his diet and don't give him many heavy foods to clog his system. The better the condition of the child, the less likelihood of his succumbing to the disease.

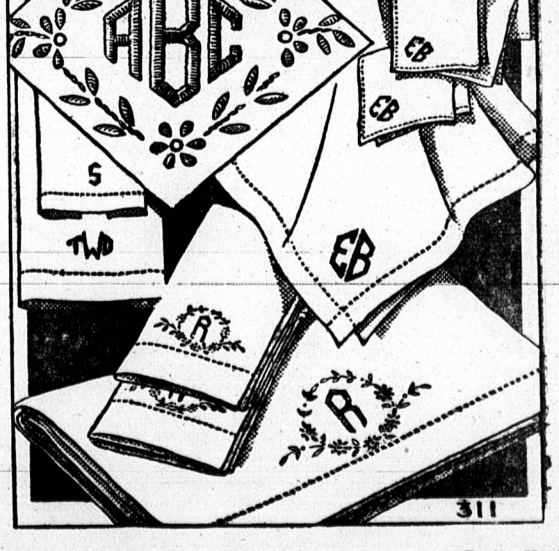
MATURE WOMAN MUST BE PERFECTLY GROOMED The perfectly groomed woman always looks younger than she

ought to be brushed twice a day. If you haven't time to keep white gloves and white lingerie touches on dark dresses immaculately clean, don't buy them. Nothing is worse than slightly dingy ones.

When stone settings come out of your costume jewelry, use china cement to stick them into place again. This of course, does not apply to precious or semi-precious stones which do not have solid settings.

CURIOSITY A Scotch woman and her son were passing a large engineering shop when the boy stopped and asked his mother: "What place is that?" The mother replied: "That is the place where they make engines, big guns, and steel plates." "What dae they dae with the plates after they steal them?" asked the boy.

Embroidered Monograms for Linens by Mayfair



Mayfair Needle-art Monogrammed and initialled linens are always in good taste, and are always popular. They have long been the favorite of good housekeepers because they are dainty and beautifully decorative. These have been designed to combine delicate tracery in the wreaths with a modernistic influence in the initials themselves. There are two styles of wreaths—one oblong one for three initials and a round one for a single initial. Each wreath comes in four sizes. The initials also come in four sizes—1" initials for handkerchiefs, pockets, napkins; 2 1/2" size for finger-tip towels, purses men's scarfs and large 4" initials for sheets, blankets, bath towels, chiffron kerchiefs, etc., etc. There is a size for every need, whether you are making household or personal things. Each initial is beautifully designed and very simple to work. The pattern includes transfers of each letter of the alphabet in all four designs, complete embroidery instructions, detail chart of stitches, color suggestions, as well as sample of thread used in the originals.

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