

Woman's Realm Social and Personal Fashions Literature

Dorothy Dix Says—

EQUALITY OF AFFECTION FOR CHILDREN ESSENTIAL

Parents Should Not Make The Mistake Of Showing Favoritism For The Younger Ones

Dear Miss Dix—When my father and mother married he was a young carpenter and they were as poor as the proverbial church mouse. My oldest brother and I belong to their years of hardship and struggle. As little children we helped with the household chores, and as soon as we were old enough to get our earnings to our parents. As our father was competent and industrious he prospered. He became a small contractor, and when he died, at middle age, he left a nice little fortune. He willed everything to our mother saying that she would take care of her children. She did of the two younger ones. She indulged them in everything they wanted. They went off to expensive colleges. She gave them trips to Europe, fine clothes, cars, but she gave my brother and I nothing except an occasional small present. Our younger brother and sister were spoiled, wild, moderns who got into all sorts of scrapes out of which my mother was always paying them, and so in a few years all of the fortune that Father left was gone, and my older brother and myself had to take care of Mother in her last days. We got not a cent of the money that Father left. Why is it that mothers play favorites with their children?

ANSWER—Probably because there is more congeniality between a mother and some of her children than there is between her and others. They think more alike. Have more similar tastes and desires. Often a mother is partial to a child who is better looking than the others. The pretty child with curly hair is nearly always spoiled. Often a wild and wayward child appeals to some suppressed desire for adventure in a mother. Or maybe, it is just because it is the Doctor Fell in mothers who love one child better than the others, without knowing why.

Younger Children Favored

It is generally assumed that mothers have some special tenderness for their older children, and a lot of romantic twaddle has been written over how they thrill over their first born. If they do, they get over the thrill, for in 90 per cent of families the older children get the hard knocks, the rigid discipline, and have their noses knocked over by the younger children. It is the younger children who are petted and indulged and spoiled and who are the fair-haired lads and lassies.

Look about you and you will see innumerable instances in which the older children are not only expected to support Mother and Father, but still further to sacrifice themselves by sending younger brothers and sisters off to college and giving them good times.

But your story calls attention anew to the injustice that a father does when he leaves all of his fortune to his wife, instead of dividing it among his children, giving each one a just portion.

What About Mothers?

Dear Dorothy Dix—Do you think married people are selfish in wanting to live by themselves? I am an only child. My father died over a year ago and my mother came to live with my husband and me, although she owns her own home and is financially independent. At the time she came with us she said that the only thing to do was to have her come with us until she could begin to take up new interests in life. Now over a year has gone by, and my mother has adjusted herself, and my husband thinks she should take a place of her own and let us live alone but she sees no reason why she can't live with us and says we are selfish in not wanting her. My husband says she is the selfish one and that the only way she will ever leave is for us to sell our home and break up house-keeping. What do you think?

ANSWER—Your mother is the selfish one. It is perfectly natural and right that you and your husband should want your home to yourselves, without any third party in it, and she should recognize that and not force you to the pain and humiliation of forcibly turning her out of doors in order to get rid of her.

The initiative in every such situation should be taken by the mother. She should not put her children on the spot by compelling them to tell her that they do not wish her to live with them, because that makes them seem ungrateful and unkind and as if they were lacking in affection for her, when such is not the case.

Every woman should remember that when she married she did not want her mother-in-law to come and live with her. She did not want any other woman sitting around listening to every word she and her husband said to each other, and blocking all of the little confidential talk that make a husband and wife really one. She didn't want any older woman interfering in everything she did and telling how she always boiled potatoes or made pies.

And, remembering these things, every mother should say to her children: "Now I'll come and live near you and visit you, but I won't live with you. I want my freedom, too, and feel that I'll be better off by myself."

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Living & Leisure

—The Woman's Realm

REFUGEE
She walked with sorrow; yet hate and despair
Had not tarnished her heart, and she still could care
For a child with a doll, a kitten, and a play.
The bright, silver ripples aflash on the bay.
Up from the fields of grass grown long
A skylark soared in a burst of song.
She paused and her smile was like
Sun after rain—
These things have endured, will endure again.

—Glenbee, in Canadian Poetry Calendar.
Now that you've emptied the cold frame and seed beds of annuals, start sowing perennials. Fork the soil and rake it smooth. Plants will be ready for Fall.

GOOD OLD SUN!
A smart favorite with English-women this year of economical clothes is a suit of broad grey and make-yellow stripes with blown-out pockets and the forward thrusting neckline which accentuates the small waistline.

Always remove the ice from trays when defrosting a mechanical refrigerator. Wash the trays in plenty of warm water and soap. Scald cool and refill with water to freeze. You will then have clear, tasteless ice cubes.

Touches of gold are suggested with white evening frocks.

FRESHEN WINDOW SILLS
After a siege of hard wear on the window sills it will make a vast difference.

A Morning Smile
ALL THE DETAILS
A young subaltern joined a Guards depot, his upper lip as yet unadorned with even the suspicion of a down. The adjutant sent for him. "You must grow a moustache," "Yes, sir."
"And not one of those Chaplin affairs—a proper moustache."
"Yes, sir."
The interview was finished, but the subaltern did not move, so the adjutant asked:
"Well, what more do you want?"
"Any particular color, sir?"

HARD TO PLEASE
Recruits were lined up outside the storeroom, waiting for their issue of uniforms, well-dressed, young fellow received attention first.
He seemed very fastidious, trying on several pairs of trousers, tunics, and so on. Meanwhile the others began muttering impatiently.
At last the hard-to-please recruit appeared satisfied.
"Are you sure everything's all right now?" inquired the Q.M.S. sergeant.
"No fear," drawled a voice from the queue. "He ain't tried on his water bottle yet!"

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ference if just these eyesores are touched up. Even if the paint on the chair to remain where it is in the rest of the room just as it is, it will be only a matter of a couple of weeks before the sills will have yellowed to match the remaining woodwork and it does give such a clean look to the room.

It is better form, when rising from the dining-room table, to allow the chair to remain where it is instead of turning around and pushing it back into place, and never rise from the table until the hostess gives the signal that the dinner is over.

Fashion Hats
In Oilcloth
Women's hats decorated with ping-pong balls, bus stop signs, and even a tiny copy of the wrought-iron gates of a wrecked London church, are among a collection of London millinery which has set the fashion world of New York talking.

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Your Individual HOROSCOPE

—By Frances Drake

For Thursday, August 14

MARCH 21 to APRIL 20 (Aries)
Excellent aspects favoring especially: Financial transactions and advertising, clever management. New enterprises equally sponsored with those activities already running smoothly. Be alert.

APRIL 21 to MAY 20 (Taurus)
This is a full and beneficent period for employment and business interests. Gains are within your reach—be sure you reach for them. Between 5:30 and 6:40 p.m.; Don't make promises lightly or be careless about fundamentals.

MAY 21 to JUNE 21 (Gemini)
A delightful period for Gemini's well known varied talents. You employed in domestic service, banking, clerks and officials, salespeople, small shop-keepers, art collectors, mechanics and industrialists are highly favored for advancement.

JUNE 22 to JULY 23 (Cancer)
While propitious for strictly business and impersonal matters, the

more private interests ask intelligent understanding and extra discrimination today. Skill in workmanship should double your possibilities for success.

JULY 24 to AUGUST 23 (Leo)
A promising period for outside interests and employment but private issues and your own conduct are under irritating Mercury and Moon-Sun rays. Meaning that a little more irritating Mercury and Moon-Sun rays. Meaning that a little more forethought and discretion and you will enjoy a sounder safer route.

AUGUST 23 to SEPTEMBER 23 (Virgo)
Direct action and clear thinking an especial requisite today. All things worth having are worth defending and worth working for. Management and labor are equally favored.

SEPTEMBER 24 to OCTOBER 23 (Libra)
Manufacturing building, construction work, friendly dealing in metals, tools and machinery are favored before artistic and social tours. Romance okayed.

OCTOBER 24 to NOVEMBER 23 (Scorpio)
Your own personal cleverness and devotion to your particular tasks will net you gratification and will place you in favor with your employer, partners and all those you wish to serve.

NOVEMBER 23 to DECEMBER 23 (Sagittarius)
You should be able to give a good account of yourself today. All practical and useful lines of endeavor are highly favored. Don't be too abrupt or impatient.

DECEMBER 23 to JANUARY 21 (Capricorn)
Maritime activities, army, navy, confidential government interests, dealing with large organizations and matters concerning the public's welfare should share today's generally favorable aspects.

JANUARY 22 to FEBRUARY 20 (Aquarius)
Family affairs, matters pertaining to real estate, legacies, taxation, merchandising and shopping need more than casual attention. Beneficent rays, too, for other business interests.

FEBRUARY 21 to MARCH 20 (Pisces)
Many beneficent configurations today forecast an opportunity period for you intuitive, clever folks. Be sure to act on your common-sense promptings; take advantage of assistance from others as well as many other new avenues for advancement.

A CHILD BORN ON THIS DAY
is armed with stewart attributes and a world of persistent personality. Although constantly active and alert, it also carries a strain tending toward indolence. You can appeal to its righteous sense of duty. Higher education and religious development important to its future good.

THE COOK'S CORNER
RASPBERRY REFRIGERATOR PIE

1 baked pie shell
1 cup crushed raspberries
1 teaspoon lemon juice
3-4 cup fine sugar
2 teaspoons granulated gelatin
1-4 cup cold water
1 cup heavy cream, whipped

Method: Wash raspberries and crush them, then measure 1 cup of these. Add to them the lemon juice and 1-4 cup of the fine sugar. Let stand for about 30 minutes, to draw out the juice. Sprinkle the gelatin over the cold water and allow to stand for 5 minutes and then dissolve the gelatin over hot water, stirring constantly. Add to the raspberry mixture, stirring well. Chill the mixture until slightly thickened. Whip the cream and add the remaining 1-2 cup sugar to it, then fold this into the partially thickened raspberry mixture. Turn into a baked pie shell and chill until the filling is firm. Garnish with sweetened and flavored whipped cream and whole raspberries, at serving time.

CREAM PUFF SHELLS.
One cup of all-purpose flour, 1 cup boiling water, 1-2 cup shortening, 1-4 teaspoon salt, 4 eggs.
Sift flour, measure, bring water, shortening and salt to a rolling boil in saucepan. Dump in flour all at once and stir vigorously until mixture is free from lumps and no longer clings to side of pan. Cool slightly; add eggs, one at a time, beating after each addition only until thoroughly combined and satiny in appearance. Drop by tablespoons 2 inches apart in well-greased baking sheet. Shape with wet spoon, and spatula into circular forms 2 inches in diameter. Bake in hot oven (450 degrees) 20 minutes; reduce heat to slow oven (325 degrees) and bake 20 minutes longer. Remove to cake rack and cool. Cut 2-or-3-inch shells.

in side with sharp knife. Fill with peach sherbet or any desired filling. Makes 12 medium-sized shells.

RIPE STRAWBERRY JELLY
Four cups berry juice, 2 tablespoons lemon juice, 8 cups sugar, 1 bottle fruit pectin.
To prepare juice, crush thoroughly or grind about 3 quarts fully ripe strawberries. Place fruit in jelly cloth to bag and squeeze out juice. Squeeze and strain juice from medium lemon.
Measure sugar and fruit juice into saucepan and mix.
Bring to a boil over hottest fire and at once add bottled fruit pectin, stirring constantly. Then bring to a full rolling boil and boil hard 1 minute.
Remove from fire, skim, pour quickly. Paraffin hot jelly at once. This makes about twelve medium sized glasses of jelly.

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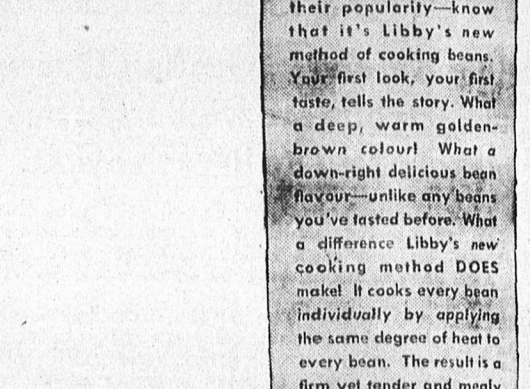
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