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 Is the Old Partner Best?

**If Most Husbands and Wives Had it to do Over Again Would They Marry the Same Man or Woman to Whom They Are Married Now?—Here is One Wife Who Settled the Question for all Time**

The other day the newspapers told the story of a woman who thought that she preferred another man to her husband. Or did she? It is so difficult to know who is your real affinity in these modern times. Both men had their charms and virtues. Both appealed to her. Therefore, being unable to determine which of them she really loved the better, she decided to solve the situation by a trial marriage with the gentleman who had the earmarks of being a soulmate, but after three months of it she returned home completely cured of her infatuation and convinced that old husbands are best, after all.

Here is a modern answer to the old query: If you had it to do over again, would you marry the woman or man to whom you are married? Most husbands and wives, is asked that question, would answer in chorus: No! Jamais! Never! Not on your life! But all the same the great majority of them would march up to the altar with their Amandas and Johns.

The man looks at his plain, commonplace, stout, middle-aged Amanda, who can put on a Paris frock and make it look as if it came out of a rummage sale, and whose conversational line is about as intriguing as sterilized milk, and he is very sure that if in some miraculous way her wedding ring could be painlessly removed from her finger without causing her any discomfort, never on earth would he put it on again.

No, indeed. Some slim, peppy young flapper for him, who would be a treat to the eyes and look like a million dollars when they stepped out of an evening, and who would keep him entertained and amused by her wisecracking.

And he would never again, no never, let himself in for having to listen to Amanda fussing about the housekeeping, and the price of groceries and have to put up with her eternal nagging about his health and his keeping his feet dry and buttoning up his overcoat and keeping his diet and not lurching on pie and pork chops. Of course, Amanda is a good woman. None better. And she is a wonderful cook, and she has been thrifty and done her share in helping him make his fortune, but, gosh, enough of a good thing is enough, and Heaven is his witness that he would never take a second helping of his present wife.

And in her secret soul Amanda's thoughts run along the same lines about him. She contemplates the fat, bald-headed, triple-chinned man to whom she is married, who isn't much to look at and nothing to talk to, for he spends his evenings consoled by a newspaper or listening to the radio and only grunts when he is spoken to, and she thinks that if she had it to do over again she would never marry him.

Far from it. Oh, of course, John is good and kind and he has been a fine provider and he is probably still fond of her. At least, if there is any other woman, she doesn't know about it, and he is as domestic as the house cat, but there is no use in pretending that there are many thrills in living with a man who just takes you for granted and apparently regards you as a useful household convenience. Like a frigidaire or a vacuum cleaner or a gas range.

No. If she was picking out No. 2, it would be somebody who was entertaining and talkative. Somebody who would discuss her soul with her. Somebody who would know that a woman wanted something more out of life than clothes and food and a car to ride in. Somebody who would pay her compliments and notice what she had on, and when she did her hair a new way. Somebody who would make love to her and not just say it with a checkbook. No. Take it from Amanda, wild horses couldn't drag her to the altar again with John.

But if John and Amanda's marriage should be automatically dissolved it wouldn't be three weeks before they would have forgotten all their little grievances against each other and be remembering only the virtues. It wouldn't take John long to discover that his vamps were gold-diggers and his flapper silly and to contrast them invidiously with Amanda's unselfish devotion and her good, hard horse sense. And he would miss home and home comforts and home cooking and somebody to doctor his cold and rub his rheumatism, and he would discover that the society of the woman who admired him and burned incense before him was, after all, more agreeable than that of one whom he had to be continually flattering. And Amanda would begin to look mighty good to him.

And on her part Amanda would discover that a nice, solid, substantial husband who is successful in business and who doesn't have to be watched is a mighty comfortable thing to have around the house, even if he is short on conversation and shy on love-making and is grouchy and grumpy at times and has to be managed. And if John popped the question, Amanda would say "yes" even more gladly than she did the first time.

True, not all divorced couples remarry, but it is amazing how many pick out for their second wives and husbands men and women who resemble their first. And when they don't, it is generally because they remarry while they are suffering from the disillusion of their first marriages, when they wanted to get something as different from their Johns and Amandas as possible. But these marriages are seldom any more successful than their first.

For, after all, husbands and wives are all cut off the same bolt of cloth and are much of a muckness. All have their faults. All have their peculiarities. Only we know the shortcomings of those to whom we are married and are ignorant of those of strangers.

And many men and women who divorce their wives and husbands to marry those whom they believe to be their real mates wish they had their old partners back again. DOROTHY DIX.

**Etiquette**  
 By Roberts Lee

Q. When one whispers in company, what does it indicate?  
 A. Ill-breeding.  
 Q. If a man and woman are traveling together, should the man buy both tickets?  
 A. No; a lady should never allow a man to buy her railroad ticket.  
 Q. When the knife is placed on the plate, should the sharp edge be turned towards or away from the plate?  
 A. Towards the plate.

**A Morning Smile**  
 CLOTHES AND THE MAN

A member of an ultra-smart golf club, who was always dressed in an ultra-shabby way, was standing by the caddy-master's shed, when two overdressed young men, in voluminous plus fours, appeared. Said one, in a very patronizing manner: "Are you the caddy-master?" "No," replied the member, "I am not. But I can tell you that he does not require any more caddies."

**BEAUTY ARTS**  
 By LOIS LEEDS



**PERFUMES FOR EVERY TYPE**

With so many signs of spring all about her, milady's interest in new things to wear is at its height. And when selecting the gay new garments which will be lovely for spring and summer days there is another question which confronts her and that is what perfume to use. Shall she still use the same scent that was so delightful during the winter months, or will a lighter, more elusive floral fragrance be more appropriate with her new spring ensemble?

**Floral Odors**

In general the light floral odors are most charming to use with the new spring clothes, for to every one spring means new life, budding trees and sweet-smelling, delicate flowers. Frocks are being shown in every sort of print, from the very tiniest sprig of flowers on a dark background to the big, bright splashes of color on flimsy chiffon. And with all of these delicate floral scents is more in keeping than the heavier odors which harmonized with the more sophisticated formal evening gowns of the winter season. However though perfumes for spring should be more delicate than those chosen during the colder season the rule of selecting the perfume primarily to suit the personality of the user should not be neglected.

**Personality in Perfumes**

In general one should choose the delicate fragrance of flowers for young girls and for those of blonde or light coloring. For the darker types use perfumes which are somewhat heavier and those which have a spicy odor—keeping in mind, however, that for this time of the year they must not be too heavy.

These general rules may sound quite simple, but when one comes to the perfume counter and is intrigued

by all sorts of enticing odors, it is easy to become bewildered. But if milady will carefully study her own type as well as the types of those to whom she may wish to give perfume as a gift before she tries to make the purchase, it will help greatly. Take cousin Alice, for instance; she is a college girl and just at the age when sentiment and romance are about the most important things in life. She will be sure to love a rare jasmine perfume for some how through all the years the smell of the jasmine flower has been linked with romance. It is a delicate and elusive scent, but one which lingers. As the jasmine is a spring flower it is appropriate at this season.

With the return of long skirts, bows, frills and laces the old-fashioned girl has again come into her own. She will love heliotrope, for there is something in the sweetness of this odor which seems to belong exactly to the truly feminine type—the type that would be adorable in hoopskirts and curls. Heliotrope suggests faithfulness and high-minded devotion. Mimosas perfume is said to have a steady effect and influences on a moody and changeable disposition in a person of a sensitive or self-conscious type. Mignonette fragrance gives the impression of vivacity, so that it is helpful to the quiet and over-reticent types. Lilies-of-the-valley give a perfume usually suited to the brunette type in her late teens or early twenties. It is a delicate fragrance suggesting the youthfulness and buoyant spirit of the sweet girl graduate.

The iris perfume suggests a sympathetic and idealistic nature; it often proves to be the right scent for the Titian or golden-haired girl with green, hazel or blue eyes. The darker types of auburn hair with brown hazel or blue eyes may choose cassia or cinnamon flower. The young mother will find suitable sweet pea perfume which

**Household Hints**  
 By Roberts Lee

**Waterproof Matches**

Matches can be made waterproof by dipping them in very hot melted paraffin.

**The Heater**

To keep a heater from rusting when not in use, put a quarter of a peck of lime in any old receptacle and set it on the grate of the heater.

**Too Much Salt**

If too much salt has been added to cooking food, stretch a clean cloth tightly over the vessel and sprinkle one tablespoonful of flour over the cloth. The flour will absorb the salt if allowed to steam for a few minutes.

is usually made by combing jasmine, hyacinth, orange flower water and, of course, sweet peas. The white lily's perfume naturally associates itself with the blond of pale skin, blue eyes and fair hair. It suggests a certain aloofness, purity and sensitiveness to beauty, a reserve that suggests untouched depths of hidden feeling below a serene exterior.

While the more delicate floral scents are best suited to those who have blond or light hair with blue or gray eyes, the young woman with more coloring and perhaps a more vivacious nature would be better suited with flower odors of a deeper fragrance such as the American Beauty Rose, narcissus, hyacinth or tuberose.

**Sophisticated Blending**

Then there is the light-hearted woman, fond of sports, entertainment and society. She is poised, interesting and vivacious. For her one must select a sophisticated fragrance—it will be no mistake to choose narcissus or the tearful jasmine. She is of the type also who might prefer a blended perfume—mixing two or more floral odors often results in a perfume which blends perfectly with her own personality. Speaking of blended perfumes—the extremely dark mysterious type of woman is wise if she asks the perfumer to blend several of his most aromatic, spicy odors for her. On the other hand she may choose the narcissus flower, which is especially suited to this type of individual. It has a haunting fragrance that is not easily forgotten.

For the older woman whose beauty has become very fragile there is the old-fashioned lavender perfume. Could anything be sweeter and lovelier for the older woman whose hair has turned to silver?

**Use Sparingly**

Some perfumes have an exhilarating effect, either because of their chemical composition or because of their tenuous suggestions of flowers and sunshine—perhaps both. People vary, of course, in their sensitiveness to such influences, but in general every normal person is pleased and attracted by faint, agreeable perfumes. Every woman should strive to select a perfume that best expresses this personality.

Avoid strong perfumes; well bred woman does not use them. She realizes that a perfume should be sensed, not smelled. She envelops herself in an elusive, sweet fragrance that is unobtrusive and appeals to the subconscious rather than to the conscious mind. Not until she has left the room or perhaps forgotten her glove or handkerchief, should any one realize that a perfume has been used. Just as there are certain colors that blend harmoniously with one another, so there are odors or scents that belong together. All are vibrations transmitted to our recording brain through the senses. You must select the basic odor that interprets you and then study to learn what scents harmonize with this odor. The safest and most successful way to do this is by the correct use of perfume and sachet powders. Your handkerchief box and your wardrobe should be arranged so that the same type of odor imparts its subtle and delightful odor to the dainty accessories within.



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 The Romance of Your Name  
 By RUBY HASKINS ELLIS



Gorsuch

This family evidently sprung from Lancaster County, England, for one William Gorsuch, of London, is mentioned as a descendant of Lancaster Gorsuch.

Danyell Gorsuch was alderman's deputy at Bishopgate, England and it was to him that the arms of the family were given.

In Walkhorne Church, Hertfordshire, is a marble monument erected by Danyell Gorsuch to his wife, and in the same church are four of the Gorsuch shields, charged with the arms of the Mercer Company, of which Danyell was a member.

Danyell's son, John, married Ann Lovelace, of Kent, the daughter of Sir William Lovelace. They were the parents of Charles Gorsuch and came to America in 1661, settling in Maryland. Charles married Sarah Cole, daughter of Thomas Cole, the owner of Coles Harbor, a large tract of land, where the city of Baltimore now stands.

**For The Cook**

**TRIFLE**

Put in bottom of bowl any dry left-over cake, macaroons, etc. Moisten if desired with little fruit juice and cover with custard made in the proportion of 1 egg, 2-3 cup of milk, 1/2 cup sugar, a little vanilla and pinch salt, and steam. Pour over mixture in bowl. When cool cover with strawberry jam. When ready to serve pile with whipped cream.

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