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Who Should Sue For Breach of Promise? Dorothy Dix Finds Wrong People Get Damages

It is the Married Who Should Sue for Breach of Promise, Not Those Who Have Been Jilted, Says Dorothy Dix—For Sweethearts Have Reward in Goody Talk, But Husbands and Wives Are Promised Happiness That Never Materializes

The wrong people sue for breach of promise. No man or woman is entitled to damages because a fickle girl or swain has lost his or her taste for a once-ordered individual and defaulted on a promise of marriage.

Sweethearts have had their pay already. For it is better to have been engaged and jilted than never to have been engaged at all, and love-making is in itself its own reward.

Especially has any girl who has had the grand and glorious privilege of flashing her engagement ring before the eyes of her ringless sisters had her great moment that compensates her for never having need for her hope chest.

Anyway, love is a gamble and they are poor sports who whine when they lose out and want their money back, and who ask to have their wounded feelings healed by a poultice of dough.

The only people who are really entitled to sue for breach of promise are husbands and wives who may, with some show of justice, claim that they have been deceived and injured by the ante nuptial promises of their spouses on which they failed to make good.

Most husbands, for instance, might accuse their wives of inveigling them into marriage by means of false and misleading propaganda and by fraudulent misrepresentations of the goods they were offering.

Or a man might say that the reason he married the woman he did was because of her domesticity. She was a home girl and mamma's little helper.

So he married her expecting to get an industrious, thrifty wife, and to have a large family, and to feast upon angels' food.

Or a man might say that what attracted him to his wife was her amiability and adaptability. Before marriage butter wouldn't melt in her mouth.

Or a man might say that he married under the firm belief that he was getting a cheque of whose applause he would always be sure. Some who thought he was an operator one who considered him a wit and a spall-bender to whom she could listen forever, one whose chief amusement would always be burning incense at his feet.

But after marriage he found he had a wife who corrected his grammar and his pronunciation, who sneered at his opinions, who yawned in the midst of his best stories and who apparently regarded him as a museum specimen of a human shrimp.

And many a wife might see her husband for breach of promise because he had not kept the vows he made when he was courting her. Many a wife might say to her husband: "Before marriage you promised me that your love would never grow cold and indifferent and you would never take me for granted, so far as I know, you haven't noticed me or how I looked in the last ten years, and if you would give me a kiss that wasn't just a pack of duty on the cheek I would fall dead with surprise."

Many a wife might say to her husband: "You swore to endow me with all your worldly goods, yet I have to panhandle you for the market money

KING COLE TEA. Clearest mountain air and a wealth of golden sunshine produced the quality that has been sealed tight for your enjoyment. Your grocer can supply you.

DELIGHTFUL-YOU'LL LIKE IT. THE COOK'S CORNER. BUTTERSCOTCH COOKIES. 3 cups sifted flour, 1 teaspoon soda, 2 teaspoons cream of tartar, 1-3 teaspoon salt, 1/2 cup butter or shortening, 1 1/4 cups brown sugar, 2 eggs, well beaten, 1/2 tablespoon vanilla.

THE COOK'S CORNER. HORSEADISH SAUCE BROWN AS GRAVY. If you want to give your next roast of beef just a little different setting-off, serve this brown sauce—made piquant by the addition of horseradish—instead of the usual brown gravy. It is quite perfect with beef.

NURSERY DIET THEORY DISAPPROVED. When the time comes for young baby to attempt a more varied diet than milk a very common first change is to give "bone and vegetable broth."

ARTISTIC WINDOW CURTAINS. Glass curtains are just as important in the well dressed room as overdraperies. True they are not always necessary, but when you do decide to use them be sure to get their length right and to choose materials that will be appropriate to the hangings that accompany them.

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The HOUSEWIFE and HER ACTIVITIES

"Why be afraid of death, as though your life were breath. Death but anoints the eyes with clay. Oh, glad surprise! Why should I be forlorn? Why should I be forlorn? Death only husks the corn. Why be afraid to meet the thresh of the wheat? Why should I be a wrench to leave your wooden bench? Why not, with happy shout, run some when school is out? 'Tis the death of death—to breathe away the breath, To know the end of strife, to taste the deathless life."

EXTRA TOPCOATS TO BE AMONG SPRING HEADLINERS. The return of the costume suit consisting of dress and related coat to prominence has made the alert coat designer think in terms of what one might call "the senseless coat."

VEGETABLE CONSTITUENTS. With vegetables there is a difference in that cooking is essential to obtain the required constituents. This is because the vegetable cells are still alive and resist the action of cold water.

SIMPLE SUNS SOLUTION CLEANS WALLS EASILY. To clean kitchen walls and woodwork thinly coated by grease from stove fumes, use a gallon of warm soap suds to which a tablespoon of kerosene has been added.

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A Morning Smile

A STEADY WORKER. A man got stalled with his automobile in a mudhole near Bass Lake last summer. While making a vain attempt to get out, a small boy appeared with a team of horses.

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Here's Planned Defense AGAINST COLDS

When Colds THREATEN... VICKS VA-TRO-NOL. If a Cold STRIKES... VICKS VAPORUB. Don't experiment or take half-way measures. Rub on Vicks VapoRub—standby of two generations for relieving colds. Its direct double action—by stimulation and inhalation—helps to end a cold.

VICKS PLAN FOR BETTER CONTROL OF COLDS. Grandmother's Quilt Patterns. Cut out applique pieces and sew as indicated on small block. Arrange pieces and applique blocks as suggested on quilt diagram. Finish edge of quilt with 6 inch border.

Grandmother's Quilt Patterns. Block finishes 14 inches square. 20 applique blocks, 10 plain blocks, 6 inch border around quilt. Material required: 4 yards material for applique blocks, 2 yards material for plain blocks, 2 1-3 yards scarlet material, 1-3 yard green material, 1-3 yard purple material, 1-3 yard 6 inch binding for border around quilt.

HOW'S YOUR BLOOD? YOU lose vital nerve force if you allow your stomach to distress you. When nervous and run-down and in need of a blood tonic—when you're anemic, weight below normal, and you feel tired-out and weak, follow the advice of Mrs. H. M. Rhoads of 141 Brixton St., London, Ont., who says: "My blood was in very poor condition and I lost weight. After taking Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery my appetite, digestion and blood were all greatly improved."

SMART FROCKS FOR FASHIONABLE PEOPLE. Illustrated Dressmaking Lessons Furnished With Each Pattern. It's precious little model whose smart simplicity makes it especially lovely for sweet young things for classroom.

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Does the Hard Winter Sap Your Vitality?

Do You Find Yourself Weak, Dragg, Peppless?

A BLOOD test would probably show that your precious, vitalizing and energy-producing haemoglobin has been thinned down until it is from 10% to 25% or more below normal. Possibly the effects of winter illness have also lowered your blood count.

What Blood Tests Of 40 People Showed

These 40 men and women were given blood tests before taking Dr. Williams' Pink Pills and again after taking the remedy for about a month. Thirty-eight of the 40 people—a 95% record—showed increases in haemoglobin of from 10% to 25% in the short test period—positive proof of

This Authoritative Test Proves the Value of This Remedy For Increasing Strength and Energy

Complete records of this scientific test are on file, and are most convincing proof of the progress made. But most important to you is the fact that all of these persons greatly increased their vigor, vitality and strength in from four to five weeks. At the end of the test they had the pep that makes life a joy. They had the strength to tackle their work with the vim that gets things done. They had the desire to step out and go places



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NOTICE. After February 6th Dr. J. D. Reddin, Dentist, will be at his office, 145 Great George Street all week until further notice.