

Modern Etiquette

By Roberta Lee

Q. How far in advance of the wedding day should the marriage announcements be mailed?
A. Announcements are never mailed before the wedding. They may be mailed as soon as possible after the ceremony...

Better English

By B. C. Williams

1. What is wrong with this sentence? "It is just exactly like I told you."
2. What is the correct pronunciation of "coquetry"?

ANSWERS

1. Say, "It is just as I told you." or "It is exactly as I told you."
2. Pronounce ko-ke-tri, o as in coke, e as in bet unstressed, i as in it, accent first syllable.

How Can I!!!

By Anne Ashley

Q. How can I make a substitute glue?
A. A very satisfactory glue can be made in an emergency by soaking tlapoca in warm water. This is particularly good for the children when they wish to paste pictures.

Morning Smile

Dual Capacity

The Chief Constable of a small town was also a veterinary surgeon. One night the telephone bell rang. The Chief Constable's wife answered it.

Cook's Corner

FREEZING POULTRY

Healthy well-finished birds give the best frozen product. All birds are prepared for the oven or frying. If desired, stuffing may be put in fowl before freezing.

Roasters

Draw and clean birds in exactly the same way that you would if preparing bird for immediate roasting. Make cut in abdomen as small as possible.

Broilers

Remove head, shank and oil sac; cut bird from neck to rear along backbone. Remove entrails. Place halves together with two pieces of moisture-vapor-proof paper between halves.

BRUSSELS, Belgium, July 9.—(Reuters)—More than 70,000 anti-Leopold Belgians, shouting "abdication, abdication," paraded Saturday through the streets of Brussels, paralyzing traffic in the city centre.

Bonshaw School Pupils



Front Row left to right — Heather MacLeod, Harvey MacRae, Sonny White, Reid MacPhee, Carol McManus, Beryl Buchanan, Billy MacRae, Blair Ferguson, Neigh Crosby, Judy Crosby, Miriam Ferguson, Betty Bertram, Dorothy Ferguson. Back Row — Lorne Boyce, Ernest Crosby, Katherine Buchanan, Wanda MacNevin, Nellie MacNevin, Betty Crosby, Jane Buchanan, Barry MacPhee, Eletha MacNevin, Marylea Stewart, Sheldon MacNevin, Rena Ferguson.

ELLEN'S DIARY

By An Island Farmer's Wife

"And do you mind the time that I spent in the introduction to my sister-to-him, our guest at Alderlea over the recent week-end. And Jeanie, a welcome light in her eyes to her children, came from the house across the lane through the rain and dark, which closed over the week, to join us a little while though not to the neglect of her small ones then into their rest. It was an ideal night for chatting. Even the continued down-pour contributed to tales of youthful days. And after James had begged it of her, sister-to-him repeated for the delight and amusement several original and amusing rhymes, we agreed were very promising poetry, about school and family incidents of that long ago.

"You must write them out for the sake of posterity," Jeanie suggested. "I'm sure the like of daughter will love to read them when she comes to her years of understanding. Especially," Jeanie chuckled, "the one about her grandfather on a school-day." And why haven't you developed your talent? "Well to tell you the truth," our visitor laughed merrily, "I was always ashamed of my gift, because I caught rhyming instead of filling one's hope-chest with rags and quilts and handwork was to be considered... if not altogether touched in the head, at least, life was something to be lived straitly then with no time to be

Household Scrapbook

By Roberta Lee

Waxed Paper

Place a piece of waxed paper under the centerpiece on a polished table, and it will prevent the linen from adhering to the table during hot weather, as well as prevent a stain from cold water or an overfilled vase or rose bowl.

Excessive Nail Polish

Unless one applies the nail polish carefully, it will flow to the sides of the nail and form a dark ridge of color. Always be sure to remove this before it dries.

Olive Oil

A medium-sized lump of sugar added to each pint of olive oil as soon as it is opened will prevent its becoming rancid.

given to such frivolities as making verse!" And Rob's came then. Karoly to tell us in an aside of the lemon pie she had made with a sprinkling of coconut over the meringue and all browned to a nice turn. "If you like I shall bring them out tomorrow—and a jellyroll and we can all have supper together." This we did, and with her and Jeanie, as we spread

Continued on page 14

A Country Garden

By Mrs. Gordon Macmillan

I wish you a garden on fire with roses, Columbine planted for your delight, Scent of mint in its shadowy closes, Clean, gay winds at night, . . . L. M. Montgomery

The Hybrid Tea Roses are in bloom and the Rose Garden is a good part of the garden to walk in at this time; it is also a good place to sit and enjoy the fragrance. In this climate it is not easy to winter Hybrid Tea Roses. They need protection from November to May and they kill back to the covering. Soil from another part of the garden is necessary and it must be piled up around the bushes and taken off gradually.

For the Birthday Those whose birthday it is, are urged to use every precaution in handling their funds, investments or other manipulation of assets or expenditures. It may be safer to postpone important decisions since there seems to be a block, frustration or crystallized situation difficult to handle with profit or satisfaction. To rush headlong through over-enthusiasm or zeal could cause loss and regret. Shun all excesses and extravagance. Care for the health. A child born on this day, while broad-minded and generous, leans toward extravagance and indulgence. It may not be particularly successful or enterprising in its efforts.

That Body Of Yours

By James W. Barton, M.D.

TREATING THE DANGEROUS TYPE OF ASTHMA—STATUS ASTHMATICUS

Several years ago an outstanding boxer died about a bout. As he always took good care of himself and had no difficulty in passing the medical examiners, there was much speculation as to the cause of his death as he had not received any damaging blows during the bout. Examination after death revealed that he had died of status asthmaticus, which Dr. J. A. Clarke in "Journal of Allergy" described as a period of intense dyspnea (shortness of breath or difficult breathing) which lasts a few days to a week (occasionally longer) and was caused by an outpouring of sticky mucous into the small branches of the bronchial tubes. This resulted in a serious loss of lung capacity (breathing space) and failure to respond to the usual successful treatment of epinephrine or adrenalin. Death more commonly results from this condition than from other forms of asthma.

Why this condition—a chronic state of asthma—was not discovered by examining physicians or his trainers is hard to understand. He may, however, have had previous attacks from which he had recovered, as most cases recover in attacks of all forms of asthma.

In "The Journal of the American Medical Association," Dr. George Pines, Los Angeles, states that in his opinion this condition—status asthmaticus—is due to overmedication, too much medicine given or taken by the patient in an effort to stop coughing and loosening up of the small branches of the bronchial, which, of course, kept the mucous always present. Some cases were caused by not eating enough food, which can be readily understood in the case of a boxer trying to keep down his weight. An epinephrine is not usually effective in status asthmaticus. Dr. Pines suggests that, as patient has had little nourishment previous to attacks, intravenous administration by the drip method of 5 per cent dextrose in distilled water should be maintained continuously, or repeated at three to six hour intervals. The average patient will require 3 to 5 liters (a liter is about a quart) injected into a vein in 24 hours. Iodine is suggested to keep mucous in a liquid condition. The hospital room should be dust-proof. By following this treatment many deaths from this dangerous form of asthma may be prevented.

ASTHMA, CAUSES AND TREATMENT

The cause or causes of asthma were unknown until recently. Now that it is known that allergy, nose and throat defects, emotional disturbance can cause the attacks, most asthmatics can be helped. Write today for Dr. Barton's handy booklet entitled "Asthma," enclosing 10 cents and a 3-cent stamp; to cover cost of handling and mailing, to The Bell Syndicate, Inc., in care of this newspaper, Post Office Box 99, Station G, New York 19, N. Y. and ask for your copy.

DOROTHY DIX SAYS -

Handsome Is -

Good Looks No Guide In Selecting Mate

DEAR MISS DIX: Are looks as important as we are led to believe they are in marriage? If a handsome man marries a plain girl, will he be likely to tire of her sooner than he would of a pretty one? If a beautiful girl marries an extremely ugly man, will she regret it and be attracted to someone better looking? I am a very attractive girl in love with an ugly man and my friends advise me against marrying him just because of his looks. But he is fine and intelligent and kind and considerate, so I do not mind if he isn't as handsome as a movie star.

A PUZZLED GIRL

ANSWER: I think that the most foolish thing in the world is the undue stress that we put upon physical beauty, and make it, at least so far as men are concerned, almost the determining factor in marriage. For nine men out of ten pick out their wives solely by their looks, without any regard whatever for their intelligence, or their dispositions, or any of the qualities that would fit them to make good wives.

BEAUTY DOESN'T LAST

That is why there are so many divorces because, unfortunately beauty doesn't last. It is the most fleeting of all charms. It inevitably perishes with age, and even long before age it can be killed by sickness, by an accident, by work and worry. It has always seemed to me that the one place of all others in which women registered their superior intelligence to the allegedly superior sex was in their disregard of men's personal appearance. They put almost every other quality ahead of good looks in choosing their husbands. All that they ask of a man is that he shall be clean and well groomed, and the rest may go hanging for all they care. A man may be fat or thin; he may be growing bald; he may be pug-nosed and freckled, but if he is intelligent if he is interesting to talk to, if he is a good dancer, if he is kind and considerate, any girl is glad to go with him and he may marry whom he chooses. But you can't imagine any man taking out a fat, bald-headed, freckled girl or asking her to marry him, no matter if she had every possible spiritual charm.

As a matter of fact, homely men make far more satisfactory husbands than handsome ones. For as a rule a male beauty is far more vain than a female one. He not only expects his wife to spend her time admiring him, but seeks the admiration of other women. And he is selfish and spoiled and feels that the family money should go to adorning him instead of being wasted on his plain wife.

DEAR DOROTHY DIX: While I was away on a vacation my husband went out with a man friend and his girl friend. The man suddenly had to leave town and he suggested that my husband finish up his date with the girl by taking her to a night club with some other people. This my husband did. He did not tell me of this until I found out accidentally. He did not make a date with the girl and stayed only a short while at the night club, and they were with friends who went with him to take her home. We have never had the agreement that either could go about with others as my husband is exceedingly jealous of attentions paid me by other men. What should I do about this? PERPLEXED

ANSWER: Nothing. Forget it. You are being silly and narrow minded and jealous without any reason whatever. Your husband has done nothing that any gentleman wouldn't have done under the circumstances, and for him to have refused to take the girl to the night club, when asked to do so by her escort, would have been boorish in the extreme.

If you are so suspicious of your husband that you are afraid even to have him show a common social courtesy to a girl, and your husband band gets green-eyed if a man speaks to you, it seems to me that you are singularly lacking in respect for each other. Do you think him so poor and weak a creature that he cannot resist any petticoat even when it isn't weak in his direction? Does he think you so lairy a woman and so loose of morals that you would fall for any chance stranger? If I were married to that pusillanimous man or woman I shouldn't care what he or she did. I should think myself lucky to be rid of such an unworthy mate.

DEAR DOROTHY DIX: I am an elderly widow. Poor, I want a husband and home. Life is nothing without a good husband who can provide a good home and support a wife in comfort. I want a congenial husband. How can I get such a man?

ANSWER: Get out your Bible and read how another widow also named Ruth went about getting a husband. Nobody has ever improved in all the centuries on her method. But—I hate to say it but the truth must be told—Ruth was young and beautiful. I don't want to be pessimistic, but I think an elderly woman without any money is wasting her time in husband-hunting.

DOROTHY DIX cannot reply personally to readers, but will answer problems of general interest through her column.

but always the very fragrant roses are sought. This year a dozen new plants were planted. Lady Sylvia, an improved Madame Butterfly, with flesh-shaded rose and apricot with beautifully shaped buds and long stems. Matador, this fine rose, is a dark deep scarlet-crimson with a dark silky sheen, the flowers are large, full, and of good formation. Sonata is a new rose with many gold medals to its credit. The petals are darker on the outside several shades redder than the inside. The foliage is abundant and dark green with large flowers on long strong stems. Mrs. P. S. Dupont is an ever-popular golden yellow rose. Nicely formed, fully double flowers with a spicy fragrance, and lots of them, for few Roses produce more blooms in a season.

Five new Hybrid Polyanthas were planted and I am looking forward to their blooming.

"Oh! No man knows Through what wild centuries Roves back the Rose!"

The rose has been on our earth for more than thirty-five million years. These are the words of a competent authority of the National Museum at Washington and fossil rocks were found which reveal the fact that in far-distant ages, long before the appearance of man, there were wild roses growing on this earth of ours. No flower in history has been so intimately linked with human affairs as the rose. The first record

Continued on page 14

\$5,000.00 IN PRIZES

"I USE NEW LUX IN MY WASHING MACHINE BECAUSE..."

FINISH THIS SENTENCE WITH 25 ADDITIONAL WORDS OR LESS

FIRST PRIZE \$2,500.00 SECOND PRIZE \$500.00

10 PRIZES OF \$100.00 EACH 100 PRIZES OF \$10.00 EACH

Just tell us in your own words why you like to use New Lux in your washing machine. You might say something like this: "I use New Lux in my washing machine because it's the only soap I know that gets dirt out so fast, goes so easy on my clothes yet costs no more."

Or—in your own words you might say... "I use New Lux in my washing machine because it really saves wear and tear on all the family wash yet it gets heavy dirt out of workclothes and leaves white wash whiter."

Sincerity counts—not fancy words. And once you use New Lux in your own washing machine you'll have no trouble telling us how much you like New Lux.

Enter Today! CONTEST CLOSES JULY 31st, 1950 Additional Entry Blanks Available at Your Dealer's

Name Address Dealer's Name and Address

Mail to New Lux Contest P.O. Box No. Toronto, Canada With each entry enclose one "New Lux" box top



IT'S FUN! IT'S EASY! FOLLOW THESE RULES!

- 1. Just finish the sentence "I use New Lux in my washing machine because..." with twenty-five additional words or less. Write your statement on a plain sheet of white paper and attach to the official entry blank and your dealer's entry blank at your dealer's. Print both your name and address and your dealer's name and address plainly. If you win a prize, your dealer will win one too.
2. Send in as many entries as you wish. Entries may be completed in either English or French. With each entry enclose one "New Lux" box top, either large or giant size, or a reasonable facsimile thereof. Mail to New Lux Contest, P.O. Box No. 1, Toronto, Canada. Affix adequate postage. All entries to be treated as original work. Entries will be accepted from August 1st to September 30th, 1950. This contest is open to anyone residing in Canada except employees of Lever Brothers Limited, its subsidiaries, its advertising agencies and their families and anyone connected directly or indirectly with the handling of the contest. The contest is subject to all applicable laws.
3. All entries must be postmarked not later than July 31st, 1950 and be received not later than August 14th, 1950.
4. Entries will be judged for originality, sincerity, aptness of thought and neatness. Judges' decision to be final on all matters connected with the contest.
5. Only one prize will be awarded to any one contestant. In the case of a tie, the full prize for which the contestants have tied will be awarded to each tying contestant. No entries will be returned. All entries, contents and ideas therein become the property of Lever Brothers Limited, to be used as they see fit.
6. GRAND PRIZE \$2,500.00. There will be a second prize of \$500.00, ten prizes of \$100.00 each, and one hundred prizes of \$10.00 each. Major prize winners' names will be announced after the close of the contest over Laura Limited and Francine Louvain radio programmes and in daily newspapers. All winners will be notified by mail. Prize winners' lists will be available approximately six weeks after the close of the contest and will be obtainable on request.
7. You accept these rules when you enter the contest.



A LEVER PRODUCT

for all the family wash

-Needlecraft- FOR THE HOME -

PRINCESS SUN-DRESS

The simple princess styling makes a smart sun-back, too—without this figure-following dress featuring a bodice cuff for top interest, a bolero for cover-up. No. 2538 is cut in sizes 10, 12, 14, 16, 18 and 20. Size 16 dress, 4 1/2 yards 38-inch; the bolero, 1 1/4 yards 35-inch. Send 25c for each PATTERN which includes complete sewing guide. Print your Name, Address and Style Number plainly. Be sure to state size you want. Include postal unit, or zone number in your address. Address: Pattern Department, The Charlotte-Town Guardian, Charlotte-Town, P.O. Box 2538.



DESIGN NO. 578

Old fashioned girls and flowers are dainty designs embroidered on pillow cases or towels. Hot iron transfer pattern No. 578 contains 6 motifs about 4 by 13 1/2 inches with complete instructions. To order, send 20 cents in coin to Needlework Bureau, Charlotte-Town Guardian, Design No. 578.

Name Address

City Province