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**How Can I???**  
(By ANNE ASHLEY)

Q. How can I prevent white silk from turning yellow when washed?  
A. Rolling the white silk garments in a Turkish towel as soon as washed will usually prevent their turning yellow. They may be ironed in half an hour, or can be left for twenty-four hours without harm.

Q. How can I prevent chipping of dishes on the white enameled drainboard of the sink?  
A. Place a heavy square of linoleum on the drainboard while washing the dishes.

Q. How can I remove stains from ivory-handled brushes?  
A. Clean them with whitening moistened with lemon juice.

**Spots on Gas Stove**  
Most housewives have found it a wise thing to wipe off any spilled food on the enamel of the gas stove just as soon as the accident occurs. Then there is no scouring to be done and no drastic treatment that could injure the finish of the stove. It takes only a second to wipe off these spots and it pays to do it at once.

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**THE COOK'S CORNER**

**DAMSON PLUM JAM**

11 quart basket plums  
1 cup cold water  
10 lbs. sugar

Method: Wash the plums and cut them in halves, removing the stones. Place the water in the bottom of a large preserving kettle and add the plums and sugar in layers. Heat gently until the sugar is dissolved, then boil steadily until the jam is thick and clear. It takes about an hour and you'll have to watch it carefully at the last so it won't scorch and scum. Remove any scum which has formed on the surface, then pour into hot, sterile jars and seal.

**Damson Pineapple Conserve**

5 lbs. Damson plums  
2 cups crushed pineapple  
1 cup sugar  
1 cup blanched almonds

Sugar  
Method: Wash the plums and remove the stones. Cut in small pieces and add the pineapple. Measure the mixture and allow 3 cups sugar to cups of the fruit. Heat slowly to the boiling point, then cook gently until the jam is thick and rich. Add the juice of 1 lemon and the almonds which have been blanched and shredded. Cook for a few minutes longer, then turn into hot, sterile jars and seal.

**Mint Jelly**

4 cups apple juice  
1 bunch fresh mint  
2 cups sugar  
Green coloring.

Method: Prepare the apple juice by quartering the crabapples and cooking them in water to barely cover until they are tender. Then drain through a jelly bag. Keep the juice clear by not squeezing the bag.

Measure the juice and add a bunch of crushed mint to each 4 cups. Cook slowly for about 20 minutes, then strain out the mint. Heat again to the boiling point, add the sugar and stir until it is dissolved. Cook rapidly until a little tests for jelly. Add the green coloring, pour into hot, sterile glasses and cover with paraffin.

**Eggs in Water Glass**

Don't wash eggs before putting them away in water glass. If soiled sponge them as lightly as possible with a cloth dampened with vinegar to remove the soiled spots.

What Is An Ideal Mate? **Dorothy Dix** They Are Hard to Find

**When a Man or Woman Talks About Demanding Ideal Mate Let Them do a Bit of Self-Analysis and Ascertain Just How 'Ideal' They Are Themselves**

A man who says that he is lonely and desires to marry and settle down asks my assistance in helping him find the girl of his dreams for whom he has been searching in vain. He says that she must be good-looking and have a pleasing personality; be willing to wait on him hand and foot, as his mother and doing aunt have always done. She must also be understanding, affectionate and modest, but also a modern maiden who can smoke and drink like a gentleman and who will allow him an occasional night out, with no questions asked.

Furthermore, she must be a good housekeeper who can manage a home economically without cutting the corners too short and entertain graciously. She must not interfere with his work, in which he is passionately absorbed, nor get peevish over his irregular hours and having to keep meals waiting. And preferably the lady shall be an orphan with no relatives, so that the in-law problem may be avoided.

I am afraid that not even a Sherlock Holmes could find a girl who would rate 100 per cent on all of these specifications, and, if located, the question would be what would such a paragon of perfection want with the choosy young man? For it is observable that he does not mention any of his qualifications as the sort of husband who is the answer to a maiden's prayer.

Is he so easy on the eyes that his wife will enjoy looking at him for thirty or forty years? Will he pamper and indulge her as her adoring father has always done? Has he an agreeable personality or is he given to grouching?

Will he be understanding and call her temper "nerves"? Will he realize that a wife must have some diversion and take her stepping once or twice a week? Will he pay her bills without squawking and lie like a gentleman about her hats being becoming? And will he also be an orphan, so she, too, may be saved from the in-law problem? It is an ironic thing that, while all men and women are seeking the perfect mate, very few of them ever think of trying to be one themselves. They demand every imaginable charm and virtue in their husbands and wives, but they do not even consider offering a fair exchange for these qualities. Perhaps that is the reason so many men and women are disappointed in marriage. They have overreached themselves in their bargaining and the bitter has got bitten.

Of course, in reality no one ever gets his or her ideal husband or wife, because there isn't any such animal, and that is fortunate. For, while an imperfect mate is often hard to stand, a perfect one would be unbearable. The way by which we all get married is by a poor, weak, faltering human being being brought in daily contrast with a scolding who never stumbled, who never made a mistake, who was always RIGHT.

As a matter of fact, we love people more for their faults than we do for their virtues anyway. While a wife may grumble over her husband's strewing things around the house and not having a clean handkerchief, she wouldn't have him changed into a model of order and precision on a bet. For that would deprive her of her need to mother him when a husband bats his wife for her running around in a gossamer, he wouldn't make her a stay-at-home if he could, because he eats up the mess of scandal she brings home and her gadding makes her an entertaining and amusing companion.

We are never so close to each other as when we are poor, miserable sinners together. And so if men and women never find their perfect wives and husbands they needn't be disappointed. They wouldn't like it if they did.

**Don't Force Youth to Go to College**

Dear Miss Dix—My trouble is discontent and restlessness. My mother and father are forcing me to go to college and I hate it. My heart lies in a home of my own, I dearly love housework and children. I am in love with a boy who is tied fast to an invalid father, a zealous mother and five younger brothers and sisters. He loves me, but encourages me to go with other boys because it is impossible for him to think of marriage. So there I am. And I wonder by which way we all get married, sure if a gossamer, he wouldn't make her a stay-at-home if he could, because he eats up the mess of scandal she brings home and her gadding makes her an entertaining and amusing companion.

Answer: I think your father is making a mistake in forcing you to go to college when you hate it so and are getting nothing from it. There is an old saying that you can lead a horse to water, but you can't make it drink, and that applies equally well to girls and boys who have no thirst for learning.

They are not college material and they not only do not learn anything at college, but they acquire idle habits and waste money that their families can often ill afford. There is nothing more pathetic than to think of the poor old fathers and mothers who are pinching pennies and going shabby and doing without the medical care that they need in order to send boys and girls to college who come back with nothing but a big head and a college yell.

Your father will be well advised to give you a business training instead of a scholastic education or to let you specialize in domestic science inasmuch as your taste runs along the domestic lines. For you to fit yourself to follow some occupation by which you can earn a living will help you solve your problem about the young man also. If you can help make the living you can marry.

**Let Child Choose His Own Profession**

Dear Miss Dix—Has a father the right to pick out professions for his children whether they like them or not?  
N. M.

Answer: Certainly not. Many a man is a failure because his father made him study to be a lawyer or a doctor when nature had made him a carpenter. You can't fit a round peg into a square hole.  
DOROTHY DIX.

**Morning Smile**

The farmer's son decided to become a lawyer. His father drove him to town and got him a job as an office boy with the legal firm. Three days later the young fellow was back home again. "Well, Billy, how did you like the law, his father asked. "It ain't all it's cracked up to be," said the boy. "I'm sorry I ever learnt it."

Patent—It is a painful thing to mention, but my wife thinks the fee you charged for my operation was far too high.  
Surgeon—But, my dear sir, surely you do not set the same low value on your life that your wife does?

**Modern Etiquette**  
(By ROBERTA LEE)

Q. What is the meaning of "celibate" and how is it pronounced?  
A. Celibate is a noun, meaning the choice or select part; especially a group or body considered or treated as socially superior. Pronounced: a-let, a-let, a-let, e-as in me, accent last syllable.

Q. Is it correct to use a chafing dish at dinner?  
A. No; the chafing dish is for a supper or breakfast.

Q. It is all right to use cards instead of written invitations?  
A. Yes, if the affair is to be very informal.

The **Housewife** And Her **Activities**

I hold this truth—whenever wins Man's highest stature here below Must grow, and never cease to grow— For when growth ceases, death begins.  
—Alice Cary.

**THE FIRST JEWELRY**  
The earliest jewelry worn by the human race were doubtless the crude little images of tribal deities cut in amber. The first statues, to call them such, date back perhaps 100,000 years, and are found in the caves of the Stone Age.

Our prehistoric ancestors discovered that amber when rubbed took on a lovely golden glow. Through the centuries amber has continued to be used for religious articles. As early as 1,400 there was a guild of 400 workers in France who made paternosters of amber for all Europe. Today amber is used extensively for rosaries. They are made with flat links of a special design and soldered, rendering them extremely durable. Amber has therefore been popular for making religious relics for some 3,000 generations.

**HAIR AND DIET**  
Hair growth is intimately connected with diet, reports Professor Earl O. Butcher of Hamilton College. Energy and body repair come first on an insufficient diet, hair growth second.

London's new costume jewelry note is gold, silver or chromium chain bracelets plus identity discs having names and addresses.

When stewing fruit never use a metal spoon, a wooden one with a short handle is best.

**HONEY FLIP**  
Sweet-toothed people who eat only a little for breakfast and feel the need for a mid-morning snack will find honey flip a pleasant change and more sustaining than plain egg and milk. Whisk an egg with one or two teaspoons honey, add milk to taste, and froth together well.

To prevent the loss of the glove you most frequently slip off when you're shopping, counting out change, etc. stitch half a press-stud on the inner side of your coat sleeve and the corresponding half on the glove. Sew them together when you take off the glove.

Why doesn't someone introduce armlets for walkers in the country after dark? Country roads, instead of which are without side paths or lights, can be most dangerous to people on foot, as it's difficult for the drivers of cars to see them in time. If white armlets with red discs like bicycle rear lights in the centres were used, many accidents would be avoided, and motorists would find driving at night a good deal easier.

When packing for week-ends, put a flat cardboard box into your suitcase. In this pack your evening frock, afternoon frock, blouse or any "specials" with plenty of tissue paper. Consequently, things come out looking quite fresh and never get that "mangled" appearance. A further advantage is that one can pack quite a lot of heavy articles on top of the box without the least fear of anything inside getting crushed—a blessing when one has to pack tightly!

Among 1347 passengers rescued from sinking British liner Athena was Nikola Lubitsch, 18-month-old navigator of residential producer Ernest Lubitsch. With nurse, she had been visiting mother in England.

**Gay Phrases Help You to Shine at Repartee**

Isn't it annoying to discover that the drawers of a tallboy or other piece of furniture have stuck fast and can't be moved? A very simple way of preventing this

**Household Scrapbook**  
(By ROBERTA LEE)

**Painting Hint**  
Be sure never to apply new paint over blistered paint. Always scrape or burn off the surface until a smooth finish is acquired. Otherwise, the new paint will blister just where the old did.

**Cleaning Fish**  
When cleaning fish, first dip each one in hot water for a moment, and the scales will then come off much easier and quicker.

**Cleaning Tinware**  
To clean tinware, make a paste of powdered whiting and ammonia, olive oil or sweet oil. Dip a rag into this solution and rub the tin thoroughly. When dry, polish with a soft cloth.

Be Pleased in Every Situation  
The girl who's learned the art of repartee! What an advantage she has over the girls who think what to say hours afterward.

Knowing expressive words, she doesn't have to stutter "er-er" when a young man asks, "What's the meaning of that wicked twinkle in your eye?" She replies quickly, "Why this is my starchy, wide-eye look, didn't you know?"

In conversation she doesn't bore with such trite remarks as "the lights were pretty." She captures attention with vivid descriptive phrases, speaks of a "myriad of lights," says "the flags were a blaze of glory."

On social occasions she is pleased, too, knowing the gracious thing to say. "We were hoping you would come to see us" puts the unexpected guest at ease. At a farewell party, "Good-by and good luck, have a grand time" gives the departing traveler a warm glow. A birthday surprise! A sincere "Words can't express my gratitude" pleases your friends.

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**YOUR INDIVIDUAL HOROSCOPE**  
By FRANCES DRAKE

Look in the section your birthday comes in, and find what your outlook is, according to the stars.  
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For Friday, September 15th

**MARCH 21 to APRIL 20 (Aries)**  
—Sensible caution generally is your prescription for today's ills. Attend to personal obligations; finish necessary work and earn a pleasant, untroubled week-end zigger, better days ahead.

**APRIL 21 to JUNE 20 (Taurus)**  
—Rather favorable, especially for private affairs and home matters. You born before May 6 may find it difficult to get going, but once you've started right you won't have need for worry. Be patient, you are one who understands.

**JUNE 21 to AUGUST 22 (Gemini)**  
—Don't consort with persons who can only give false content. Keep usefully occupied with that which should concern you. Minor matters and all constructive activities best favored. Enjoy some wholesome relaxation.

**AUGUST 23 to SEPTEMBER 23 (Virgo)**  
—Irritability in the air. Heighten nerves should be quieted. No one does his or her best or look her (or his) best when emotionally upset or grouchy. Carefully and good luck, have a grand time!

**SEPTEMBER 24 to OCTOBER 23 (Libra)**  
—Benefits indicated and favored through friends. "Good-by and good luck, have a grand time" gives the departing traveler a warm glow. A birthday surprise! A sincere "Words can't express my gratitude" pleases your friends.

**OCTOBER 24 to NOVEMBER 23 (Scorpio)**  
—New dangerous adventures and running property of investment risks. Not approving. More than ordinary care should be exercised. In business area making agreements and promises. Procrastination will leave you a dither with nothing accomplished.

**NOVEMBER 24 to DECEMBER 23 (Sagittarius)**  
—Not unwise for the usual week-end activities if moderation is exercised. Sam don't predict the day as see sign for money-making in business transactions although amusement places, exhibitions and the like should do better.

**DECEMBER 24 to JANUARY 23 (Capricorn)**  
—Friend Capricornian. Don't be over-enthusiastic, too many of too generous with your money. And be gracious, for like bees like, you know.

**JANUARY 24 to FEBRUARY 23 (Aquarius)**  
—You are one of the lucky ones having special variations to encourage and assist you in your good resolutions and earnest endeavors this day. Day is equally favorable for romance, friendships, amusements and wet.

**FEBRUARY 24 to MARCH 23 (Pisces)**  
—Benefits through financial deals, travel and employment initiative. Thoroughly opportune period if you meet it halfway. Try new ideas and methods to promote yourself and your product.

**A CHILD BORN ON THIS DAY**  
will have shrewd business sense, can be depended upon to act responsibly and fair at all times. Will have dramatic ability and could become a writer. The newspaper world has many Virgo-born in its editorial field. This likeable individual will be faithful to duty, a loyal trustworthy friend. Inclined to be over-critical.

**Snappy Fashions For Home Use**

Here's a new frock that is easy to get in and out of and which also serves as a complete cover-all when you are preparing dinner, hunchen or working about the house. The surplus line is flattering to the young and very slimming to the more mature figure.

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