Devilfish Swims Backward.

One of the extraordinary features of devilfish is their method of swimming. Usually the devilfish swims backward, but it can swim forward simply by turning its flexible siphon in the opposite direction

SOCIETIES and THE HOME

Miss Mable Case, Inkerman street,

CAYUGA W. I. Special to The Advertiser.

Cayuga, Sept. 26.—The September

meeting of the Women's Institute

took place on September 25, at the

home of Mrs. R. E. King, North Cay-

uga, with a very large attendance, five new members joining the society

By motion it was agreed that the In-

stitute would conduct a refreshment booth at the Rural Fair to be held in Cayuga on October 2. Committees to attend to this matter were appointed.

paper on "A school nurse and the formation of a unit," by Mrs. J. L. Mitchiner; two excellent piano duets

by the Misses Ralston and Murphy, and a beautiful rendered violin num-

ber by Mrs. Emerson Thompson. The refreshment committee served dainty

refreshments. The next meeting will

be held at the home of Mrs. Jacob Kohler on October 25.

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shower in the church basement or

was the hostess of a miscellaneous

Eileen Chown, Leota Yorke, Gladys Hudson, Lottie Fisher and Violet

Complimenting Miss Elida Gray, whose marriage takes place this week

to Mr. Elmer Brady, Mrs. A. Earl

McLurg was the hostess of a charm-ing miscellaneous hower given at her home in Hale street. The attractive gifts were concealed in a gaily decor-

ated box, to which streamers were

occupied by Miss Gray. The supper

Cecile McLurg, and Miss Wilson Hastings, England.

CLUB NEWS

ACKNOWLEDGES CHECK.

Hallowe'en party, were made at a meeting of the Ladies' Aid of the Askin Street Church, held yesterday

afternoon. Arrangements were also made for a bazaar, to be held in De-

cember. A vote of thanks was given

Dorothy Dix's Letter Box

A Protest Against "Hold-Up "Methods of the Modern Girl-The Child Who Is Mothered to Death-Have Business Firms the Right to Dictate Dress Terms to Their Women Employees?

Dear Miss Dix-What do you think of the grafting spirit of the



When a young man goes to see a girl, she meets him with her hat on, ready to be taken to some place of amusement. She frankly tells him that she is no fireside companion and has no intention of spending a quiet evening at home. Furthermore, that no cheap man need come around. This is pretty hard on those of us who happen not to have rich fathers, and who are trying to save a little of our small salaries.

Can't you beg the girls to have a heart, and not force us either to eschew their society altogether, o else spend all we make on them? SIX BROKEN BOOBS.

Answer: Right you are, boys. As a

hold-up artist the modern girl makes Robin Hood look like a niker. She's a go-getter who is determined to have a good time, and make some man pay for it, and she doesn't care a hoot how much he has to suffer for it. How a young woman who has got one single throb of human compassion about her can adopt her

-For the girl's calm assumption that every boy who comes to see her is treasure chests of the Chinese manyoung Mr. Croesus is all tosh, and she knows it. She knows perfectly well darin, and it is that he probably isn't earning a bit more than she is, and she knows to a penny just how far a dollar will go. Nevertheless, when they go to the theatre, nothing but the best seats will do for her. At a restaurant she looks over the menu and selects the most expensive dishes, and she can't

ruthless means of getting what she wants is a mystery never to

dance anywhere except at the smartest places. And hint! She hasn't the slightest hesitation in letting Tom, Dick and Harry know exactly what she wants and expects for her birthday, and Christmas, and what flowers she will need for certain occasions, and the kind of candy she prefers, and woe to Tom, Dick and Harry if they don't

Of course, men are arrant cowards to stand and deliver at the point of two blue eyes, or brown ones, but there are mighty few men who have any backbone where women are concerned, and a man in love is as spineless as a fishing worm.

A man's vanity won't let him tell a girl that he can't afford taxis and orchids, and so he lets a woman work him for them, even if it sends him to the cheap lunch counter for a week to pay for one dinner for her at the Splendiferous Cafe.

But in demanding so much of men, girls are foolish. They kill the goose that lays the golden egg. Many a man who would like to take girls to places within his income doesn't take them at all because he can't afford all the splurge they require. And there would be a lot more wedding bells if the high cost of loving didn't take so much money that there is nothing left upon which to get married. DOROTHY DIX.

Dear Miss Dix-My neighbor is a fine, conscientious woman with one child by whom she is trying so hard to do her duty that she is ruining him. This poor little creature is never permitted to play with other boys for fear he may acquire rude ways, or learn something he shouldn't know. He is made to practice on the piano hours every day, and is tutored within proper color for the stockings. an inch of his life. The result is that he is a pale, anaemic little fellow, the butt of all the other children, who call out to him as they pass: "Baby, darling, isn't it time for you to have your bottle?" or "Sweeticums, come go to bye-bye land."

There's a society that takes children away from cruel mothers. Let's organize one to rescue the unhappy victims who are being A LOOKER ON AT MOTHERHOOD. mothered to death.

Answer:

It takes a wise woman to know where to draw the line between being tender enough to her children, and careful enough of them, and not too tender or too careful of them. And strangely enough, if one must err, it is better to be on the hard side than the soft side. For life is a battle all the way through, and the victory goes to those who can hit the hardest and fight the longest. It is won not by weaklings, and those who have been brought up on silken cushions, and protected from every rough contac! with the world.

Certainly the cruelest mother who beats and bangs her children about does them no such injustice as does the mother who raises up a sissy boy, for she gives him a handicap against which he

All the boys of his own age despise him, so he is lonely and forlorn. He is an object of pity and scorn to older people, and his own reaction to the situation is either to make him a womanish man, or else a tough and a

Instead of trying to keep their darlings unspotted from the world, mothers had far better teach their children how to keep clean in it, and instead of protecting them from life they should fit them to take their part in it.

Motherhood is a great career, but it gives a foolish woman unlimited opportunities for the prosecution of her fads, and a lot of children would be better off with no mother than the overly good one they have got. Too much babying is the vice of the day. What the average child needs is a little wholesome neglect.

Dear Dorothy Dix-The firm for which I work has issued an order saying that girls must not come to work in sleeveless gowns, that they must not wear jewelry, nor chiffon stockings, nor dresses that are very low in the neck. Don't you think they have a nerve, telling us how we must dress?

Answer:

No, I think your firm is exactly right, and that it is a pity that girls haven't got enough good taste and good sense to dress appropriately for work without being compelled to do so by their

I know that working girls defend themselves for going to business dressed as if they were going to a party by saying that they don't go to parties, and that they see more people at work than they do anywhere else, and that their chances of catching a husband are enhanced by their having on good clothes and looking their best.

All of which is open to argument because a woman is never well dressed who is inappropriately dressed. A girl in a ball gown may be a lovely spectacle at 10 o'clock at night, but she looks grotesque in it at Hence a girl in a simple dark frock looks better when she is at work than she would in the most elaborate beaded georgette that ever came out of Paris.

The main thing about a business girl dressing like a business woman is the effect it has on her own psychology. Women's moods always match their clothes, and they simply can't get down to work when they are adorned for fun and flirtation. Nor can anyone take them any more seriously than they would a man if he went to business in his dress suit or his golf clothes. You would know every time what his mind was on.

No. Flapper, dear, you can't climb the ladder of success in chiffon, and before you get anywhere you have got to have on shoes that are big enough to let you think about where you are bound instead of how your feet hurt.

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AUXILIARY ENTERTAINS.

Chatham, Sept. 26.-In compliment

HOLDS SUCCESSFUL SALE.
Special to The Advertiser. Thamesford, Sept. 26.-The women to Mrs. Johnson of Barthe street, of the Methodist Church held a most who is leaving in the near future successful sale of home cookery in to reside in California, a social after- the A. Robins' Hall, Saturday afternoon was given yesterday by the moon. Rev. J. Thompson, Dorchester, Woman's Auxiliary of Christ Church. preached the sermon at the anniwoman's Auxiliary of Christ Church. The president, Mrs. Perkins, was present, and bright asters of every color were used for decorating. An address of appreciation was given by Mrs. Perkins, and Mrs. Chatterton presented Mrs. Johnson with an ivory clock, Tea was served later.



MRS. ERNEST MURPHY. formerly Miss Hazel Campbell, whos marriage took place at St. Peter's Cathedral yesterday morning.

Fashions by Wire

Paris, Sept. 26.—The Parisienne loves to adorn herself at present

COPIES CHINESE CHESTS. Paris, Sept. 26 .- A new cigarette wood, heavily lacquered in dull red. In shape it copies one of the small

darin, and it is ornamented with a FANS ARE LOPSIDED. London, Sept. 26.-The latest fan as a gracefully lopsided appearance, they are big swirls of uncurled

strich, the season's blues being especially employed, and the swirl tends towards the right-hand side.

COPIES PRINCESS MARY.

London, Sept. 26.—Young matrons today, are copying the new way in which Princess Mary is doing her hair. The forehead is left bare except for a soft, wayy strand over one brow, and in back the hair is head that it i small, jewelled pin.

PAISLEY AGAIN.

New York, Sept. 26 .- The rejuve-

nated paisley bears slight resem-blance in some cases today to the old-fashioned pattern, except in its coloring, a pyjama suit in the new paisley is almost batik in the way the colors are blended, but the splendid old red and tawny tones remain. DO NOT CALL FOR BRONZE

New York, Sept. 26 .- Bronze snoes which remain in style, are not worn oday with bronze hosiery. A peculiar shade of fawn, with more of a rose cast to it than ordinarily, is the

A NEW WRIST BAG. New York, Sept. 26 .- A wrist bag, ment of Egyptian inspiration.

APPOINTS CONVENERS FOR RUTH CHAPTER BAZAAR

Mrs. Charles Robertson and Mrs. George Bankes were appointed general conveners of the bazaar being given on October 31, under the aus- Wednesday of last week. pices of Ruth Chapter O. E. S., in Ulster Hall.

Other conveners appointed are as follows: Aprons, Mrs. E. Jackson; home cooking, Mrs. G. Haslam; room, Mrs. Douglas Allison; country store, Mrs. G. Millson; fish pond. Miss Lotta Phillips; handkerchief booth, Mrs. (Capt.) E. Insley; plain sewing, Mrs. J. Green; fancy work, Mrs. M. Malone; snow ball tree, Mrs.

A number of showers have been rranged in aid of the bazaar. Mrs. Charles Ridallf, Dorinda street, is arranging a euchre party, to be held arranging a euchre party, to be neid at her home Thursday evening, and Mrs. Hugh Griffith will be the hostess of a shower for the children's booth, to be given at her home on

avenue, in October.

PRESENT PAGEANT. Miss Cook, who made such a sucoleted another revue along different ines, and work is already under way Boug poured tea and Mrs. Harold for its presentation at Ryerson, about Logan assisted. The next meeting November 3. Following a much-used civic slogan, "This is 1923," Miss Cook's pageant will bear the title, "1923," and will be a resume in spectacular form of the various nonths of the year.

WATFORD W. I. Special to The Advertiser.

Watford, Sept. 26.—The September neeting of the Watford Branch of the Women's Institute was held re-cently at the home of Mrs. R. A. McIntosh, Main and Simcoe streets, McIntosh, Main and Simcoe streets, with the president, Mrs. J. H. Humphries, in the chair.

One unique and interesting feature of the meeting was the approximately and the chair.

of the meeting was the apron parade, led by Mrs. McCrae. Twenty members responded to the roll call by exhibiting an apron and giving particulars regarding the making of it or where it came from Special men-tion should be made of one apron which had been made by a grand-mother who has been dead for 45 years; while another apron exhibited was made some 38 years ago; both aprons revealing remarkable work. Community singing was enjoyed by all present, and a decision was reached whereby the members of the stitute would serve lunch at Exhibi-tion Park on Fair Day. The meeting closed with the National Anthem.

ENGAGEMENTS

A charge of 75 cents for one insertion, or \$1 for two insertions is made for notices under this

heading.

Orders for insertion of engagement notices must bear the name and address of sender and will not be taken over the telephone.

Mr. and Mrs. George A. Beattie, Grosvenor St., city, announce the en-gagement of their daughter Marjorie Elizabeth to Mr. Robert Henning Thom-son, son of Mrs. and the late John Thomson, Strathroy, the marriage to

Social and Personal

Professor J. W. Russell is in New will be held at the home of Miss Ger-fork. Mrs. Sherwood Fox is visiting in

hower given last evening in honor of Miss Kathleen Heard, a popular bride-elect. The dainty gifts were presented to the guest of honor by little Miss Marjorie Hampton, who Dr. and Mrs. W. A. Jones of Kings ton are visiting friends and relatives in the city. Mr. and Mrs. Rex Gale and family

are leaving shortly to reside in Stoney Creek. was dressed like a bride. A buffet supper was served later by the host-Mrs. E. H. Johnston of Wilton Grove has left on a motor trip to Hamilton and Niagara Falls.

Dr. A. R. Routledge and Mrs. Routledge are visiting at their summer home, Lake Huron Beach.

Supper was served later by the hostess, who was assisted by Mrs. S. Hampton. Among the guests were: Mrs. Ogilvie, Mrs. White, Mrs. Frieda Stevens, Queenie Harris, Nellie Harris, Marguerite Ford, Theresa Oliver, Mrs. Leonard Palmer, Mrs. George

Mrs. Leonard Palmer, Mrs. George Cayuga on October 2. Committees to Dix, Gladys Burns, Theresa Wallace, attend to this matter were appointed. Kathleen Donaldson, Miss Wangold The program consisted of a splendid city, the guest of her cousin, Miss Mary Donohue. Mrs. W. A. Rowland of Winnipeg is

visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. James A. Smith, King street. Dr. J. McLurg and Mrs. McLurg of Sault Ste. Marie are guests with Mrs. Arthur McLurg of St. James street Mr. and Mrs. Wildred Skinner and baby daughter have returned home after visiting friends and relatives in Arlington, Cleveland and Detroit.

Miss Dorothy Turville is leaving this week for New York, where she will resume her studies at Columbia University.

Mr. and Mrs. John E. Smallman and Colonel Morgan and Mrs. Morgan are

Mrs. J. Milton Brown, Mrs. (Dr.) will resume her studies at Columbia University. McLurg of Sault Ste. Marie; Mrs. Arthur McLurg, Mrs. J. W. Wilson, attending the races at the Woodbine

in Toronto. green, ruby, or yellow glass. In the center is a pressed design, enamelled in black and white.

Bigs A. C. woodside of New York, Mrs. Ross Thornton, Mrs. Ray Woollatt, Mrs. (Dr.) K. L. Hoskins, and Wisses Violet Siddall, Edna Gray, Phipps, Lorne avenue. Mrs Harold Clarke and small son

Martin have returned from Bowman ville where they were visiting the case shown here today is of camphor former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Mar-Complimenting Miss Ethel Russell,

A charming shower was held recently at the home of Mrs. Fred Needham, Adelaide street, when a number of friends entertained in honor of Miss Frances Needham, a bride-elect of this week.

Mrs. Walter More

brought into a low knot held by a street, gave a charming linen shower small, jewelled pin. the bride-elect in a gayly-decorated basket.

An enjoyable evening was spent recently at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Holiday, Grey street, when they entertained in honor of their guests, Mrs. F. Cowling and Miss

Miss Nina Leckie, who has been visiting Mr. and Mrs. F. T. Leckie, Cxford street, has returned to Poughkeepsie, N.Y., where she will resume her duties on the staff of the Poughkeepsie Hospital.

A delightful shower was given by the girls of Woolworths and the Metropolitan Stores recently, when Metropolitan Stores recently, they presented Mrs. Ernest Murphy, pedestal table and a silver tea ser

the shape of a half moon, is among the most recent novelties. The bag ess of a delightful aluminum shower is made of beige suede, and fastens yesterday afternoon at her home in with a large black and white orna- McKenzie avenue, in honor of Miss Phyllis Wilson, a bride-elect of next week. At the tea hour Mrs. Fred Buskard presided over the tea cups, nd Miss Wilbert Scott assisted in looking after the guests.

> Mrs. F. T. Leckie, Oxford street, and Mrs. J. A. Dallas of Hensall at-tended the wedding of their nicce, Miss Erma Monteith, to Mr. A. Jardine of North Bay at Powassan, Ont., turned the beginning of the week.

Mrs. Charles Ridallf of Dorinda street has arranged a euchre of twelve tables to be given at her home tonight in aid of the tea room com-mittee of the Ruth Chapter, O. E. S. children's wear, Mrs. Bert Logan; bazaar. Mrs. Douglas Allan, the tea candy, Mrs. John C. Doidge; tea will assist the hostess.

What promises to be a charming and interesting affair of this after noon and evening will be the exhibition of pupils' work, and tea, being held in the household science room at the Sacred Heart Convent. The parents and friends of the children have been invited, and the exhibits will include sewing, cooking, writing

Meeting at the home of Mrs. A Everett Logan, Elmwood Apartments the Harriett A. Boomer Chapter I. O. D. E., made plans for a bridge party to be held in October. Mrs. E. F. Buller and Miss Gertrude Morgan were appointed joint conveners. This cess of the historical pageant at Ryerson School last fall, has com- was the first meeting of the season,



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and noted the passing of day by the rope burning from knot to knot. to Mrs. John Heaman for supplying several articles needed for the tables. flowers for the church during the summer months, and also for bringing them to the sick of the congretion. A rummage sale will be held in aid of the bazaar. A solo by Miss Edith Copp was greatly enjoyed. The meeting was presided over by Mrs. (Rev.) Garbutt.

Several articles needed for the tables. All the members are asked to attend, and bring thimbles and needles, as there will be sewing and quilting.

HOLDS SHOWER.

Special to The Advertiser.

Delaware, Sept. 26.—About 35 young people from the Burwell and Fisher, who is to be married

showered her with a huge nu of useful gifts. A dainty lunch served later. MAYOR AT HAMILTON "On to Hamilton"

young people from the Burwell and Wenige's slogan today, as he lattend the national bicycle defing at the home of Miss Grace A. convention in that city.

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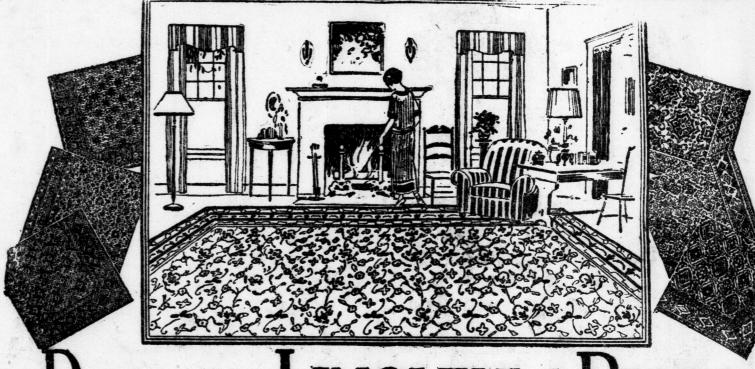
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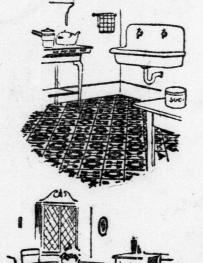
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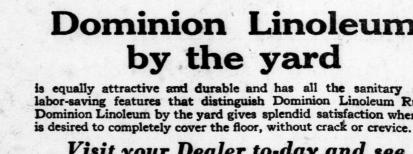


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