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Women and Home

GIRLS WITH BOBS CAN'T STAY IN ZIEGFELD CHORUS

Florenz Ziegfeld, producer of the "Follies", and international authority on international meliorism, has declared war on bobbed hair. It was learned to-day, following his rejection of a number of applicants for chorus places.

"Papa" Ziegfeld last night nailed a bulletin in the chorus dressing-rooms. It said that since "bobbed hair was soon to be out of style, every Follies girl must immediately start letting her hair grow long, or wear stylish transformations.

"Members of the company who fail to comply with this order will soon find their places taken by young women who have let their curls grow," warned Mr. Ziegfeld.

"Personality" Killed by Bobs
"There is more to my objection to bobbed hair among my chorus than the fact that it's becoming out of style," he declared to-day. "I always did hate barber work on a girl's hair, and have fought it consistently."

"Bobbed hair has 'prussianized' American womanhood. It has made them all alike as two peas in a pod. It has destroyed that elusive and priceless quality which the woman of charm must have—personality. Bobbed hair is a symptom of that sheep-like imitativeness which distinctive women abhor.

"I first permitted bobbed haired girls to enter my chorus several years ago when I was seeking a slim, boyish type for a particular feature number. But in my tableaux I have always insisted upon truly feminine women with luxurious, uncut hair—because they personify the finest in American womanhood."

Oh, My Dear! Dishonest!
"Bobbed hair is dishonest. It advertises to the world that a girl or married woman wants you to believe she is youthful. If a woman is really alive with youth—mentally and physically—she need not resort to the standardized, artificial mob-habit of hair mutilation."

Bobbed hair may be all right, according to Mr. Ziegfeld, on the daytime tennis court or in the swimming pool. But in the evening, at social gatherings, the immaculate woman of fashion insists on a charming coiffure that no bob can provide.

"Observe the distinctive woman of allure and charm at fashionable events these days," he went on. "Almost invariably they have sweet hair—done in graceful fashion that harmonizes and brings out their individual attractiveness, or else they have adopted graceful, pleasing transformations to hide their bobs."

"So I have told my girls that they cannot stay in the Follies chorus unless they let their hair grow. Bobbed hair will soon be out of style. My chorus must always be leaders in fashionable appearance."

TIPS TO HOUSEWIVES

For iced chocolate make the hot beverage in time to let it chill, without the addition of ice, which dilutes and spoils it. Before serving add a little cream and beat it with an egg-beater vigorously.

Small fruits and berries stewed until soft, chilled and served on toast, is a delicious dish. The toast absorbs the juice, making a sort of charlotte. Sour cherries are particularly good.

Never mix new milk with old unless it is to be used once, as the bacteria in the old milk will, of course, be added and the mixed milk will not keep as well as fresh milk.

Do not leave your tea or coffee in the paper bag in which it comes from the store. It takes almost twice the quantity of tea or coffee that has been exposed to the air to make a beverage the required strength.

When you wish to "hang" the skirt you are making and have no one to help you, take a piece of chalk and rub it well along the edge of your sewing table. Then put on the skirt and turn slowly around, rubbing lightly against the table edge until a faint line can be seen all the way around the skirt. After removing the garment measure down the proper distance and turn the hem. You will have no difficulty in making the skirt hang perfectly.

Olive oil applied to the finger tips each night will do away with brittle nails.

Left-over potatoes should not be piled together, as they sour quickly. Spread them out on a large dish.

When making big custard pies always heat the milk to the boiling point before mixing with the eggs. If this rule is followed the under-crust will be crisp.

It is not generally known that wringing out a cloth in hot water and wiping the furniture before putting on furniture cream will produce a very high polish that will not finger-mark.

If you use a substitute oil for olive oil in making French mayonnaise dressing remember that you will need more salt than if using olive oil.

WHERE BEAUTY COUNTS

If a co-ed is homely she has to prove she is intelligent, but if she is pretty even the professors take it for granted she has brains. This bit of philosophy was evolved by 100 teachers of political economy from throughout the United States who met in conference at the University of Chicago. Thirty photographs of Georgetown University co-eds were passed among the educators, with a request that they pick out the most intelligent. Every professor picked out the three prettiest.

PLANTING PEONIES

Plant in the open sun or where there is shade for a part of the day. Peach trees are ideal companions for peonies.

Good drainage is essential. Clay loam is the best soil. If the clay soil is too stiff add humus and sifted coal ashes and lime. The roots are deep and the plant needs 2-3 feet of good soil.

Use 2-3 year old roots. Put the eyes at the top of the root 2-3 ins. below the surface (in light soil 3 1/2), and set plants 2-3 ft. apart.

Protect during the first season after setting, by salt hay, straw, cornstalks or leaves put on after the first hard frost. Do not mulch with manure. Cut off all the foliage and stems in the fall and burn to prevent fungus disease.

Take off the mulch early and stir the ground surface. Top dress with woodashes or bone and when the buds begin to swell apply liquid manure. Support during the flowering season with wire hoops.

Give plenty of sun and air to avoid disease. If diseased parts are found, cut them off and apply fungicide to the rest of the plant. Burn all diseased foliage and mature foliage. Never use solid manure. If the plant is badly diseased, take it out and remove some top soil with it. Apply fungicide to the spot from which it was taken.

ON LIFE'S HIGHWAY

Do something good on life's highway Before the sunset ends the day. The grave is but a dark abode, And for us all does end the road.

The man who slaves for self alone, To build himself a gorgeous home, An empty heart to that home will take And die alone for avarice' sake.

The man whose heart is full of grace Who happily works in another's place, Though his home may be a humble cot Has something that the other has not.

He knows the joy that service brings, His life's made up of little things, It needs not much to fill his needs, He finds true joy in loving deeds.

At home he meets a smiling face, And little ones his table grace, When evening shadows end his day He has done his bit on life's highway.

The one who died that we might live, Has taught us well the way to give, And though he was a King, 'tis said He had no place to lay his head.

He never cared for wealth or fame, The rich and poor were all the same, To follow Him from day to day Is the safest path on life's highway. —Phoebe Hendry, 391 Gerrard St., Toronto.

WHAT EVERY GIRL SHOULD KNOW

There are many things which every girl should know and not the least of these is that cleanliness and daintiness are marks of good breeding. Why or how any intelligent girl can overlook the necessity of personal cleanliness is beyond one's comprehension. And yet all too often really clever girls seem to have been careless in the point of daintiness.

A very difficult task it is for even a close friend to broach such a subject to a companion. That there is necessity for such frankness was disclosed to me some little time ago when, in confidence, the wife of an office manager spoke about the difficulty her husband was in over the objectionable odor from his stenographer. To endure it further was quite impossible and the point had been reached where dismissal was the only solution which seemed possible. But you see, the girl was a good stenographer, knew her work and did it well, and liked her job. Dismissal presented hardships on both sides. Would it be fair to dismiss an employee whose work was satisfactory without giving any reason? Scarcely.

So, after much deliberation Mr. Man frankly told the young lady, kindly but firmly, that there would have to be a change in her standard of cleanliness else she must look elsewhere for work. The criticism was well taken and after that there was a radical change in the young lady's degree of cleanliness.

You may think that such an occurrence did not take place. But it really did.

To be wholesome and clean one must fight against body odors; keep the body in a fresh, free-from-perspiration condition, and your cleanliness will be assured.

A daily bath should become a habit. Take a warm, soapy bath at the close of the day or just before you retire. Relax thoroughly in the warm water, and then set about cleansing your body. Use a mild soap and apply it generously. Rinse carefully all trace of the soap from your body before leaving the tub.

The warm bath at night to cleanse the skin, to free it from impurities, and to promote relaxation and sleep, is desirable. The cool bath in the morning exhilarates the body and starts the day by giving one a satisfying sensation of fitness.

There is nothing like bathing to keep your body free from exertions and odors of perspiration. "Cleanliness is next to godliness."

New Dublin

New Dublin, Oct. 14.—Mr. and Mrs. G. M. Brockwell, of Ottawa, motored here to spend the fifth anniversary of their wedding with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Rowsome, and also visited the Misses Shirley and Ethel Rowsome.

E. Hanlon is visiting his sister, Mrs. W. F. Nash.

Francis Byers, of Renfrew, is spending a few days with his daughter, Mrs. D. L. Frood.

Miss Eva Bowen has returned from visiting relatives at Gouverneur, N.Y.

Miss Emma Young has returned to her home at Redan after having visited her sister, Mrs. E. Healey, and other relatives.

A. Scott and sons, Percy and Earl, and daughter, Thelma, motored here from Foley to visit Ed. and Fred Healey and families.

Mrs. J. E. Smith is visiting her sister, Mrs. H. S. Kendrick.

A large number from here attended the chicken supper at Addison on Tuesday evening.

Mrs. Lewis Langdon, of Greenbush, spent last week with her father and brothers here, following the death of her mother, Mrs. T. A. Walker, on October 5.

SOFTBALL GAME IS WON BY THE GIRLS OF NORTH AUGUSTA

Defeated Spencerville Team by a Score of 18-16.

NEWS NOTES OF DISTRICT

Elocution Contest is Conducted at Women's Institute at Delta.

North Augusta, Oct. 20.—The Spencerville softball club played the local club here Friday afternoon and the score stood 16-18 in favor of the locals with one innings in their favor. After the game the visitors were entertained to lunch and a social evening spent.

Mrs. M. L. Garland, of Ottawa, spent the past week with her sister, Mrs. G. W. Chapman.

Charles Baldwin closed his business last week and part of his stock has been over by J. Chapman's store.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Moffatt and Miss Jennie Moffatt, of Jasper, and Mrs. Brandon, of Brockville, visited Mr. and Mrs. A. T. Moffatt on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Aldrich and Mr. and Mrs. Harry Hill motored to Carleton Place on Sunday last where they spent the day visiting friends.

Another of those popular dances will be held in the Masonic Temple on Friday evening, the 24th.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Haley are moving into their new home recently bought from Mrs. M. Bolton.

The annual guild sale will take place on November 12.

Mrs. McCrimmon and Miss Cole were in Morrisburg and Lancaster last week.

GOSFORD

Gosford, Oct. 14.—Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Prue and Miss Lou Wilson, of Charleville, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. A. Metcalfe on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Gallinger and two children spent a few days with Mr. and Mrs. John Kirby previous to their taking up house-keeping in Prescott.

Mr. and Mrs. John Collins, Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Hagerman, Mrs. Jonas Hagerman and Mrs. Guild motored from Mallorytown on Tuesday and spent the day with Mr. and Mrs. John Bryant.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Berry, of Cobden, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Berry, of Smiths Falls, and Mr. and Mrs. Harry Berry, of Jellyby, visited Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Marshall on Thursday.

Findlay Hood, of the teaching staff of the Collegiate Institute, Ottawa, and son and daughter, Findlay and Mary, spent the week-end at the home of Mrs. William Baxter. On Saturday Mr. and Mrs. Fred Prue accompanied them to Kingston.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Oxy visited Mr. and Mrs. John Horton on Sunday.

The local teacher, Mrs. J. B. Checkley, attended the teachers' convention at Kemptville last week.

Miss Florence Joynt spent the week-end at her home in Glenora.

Mr. and Mrs. Leon Hagerman and Master Gerald Hagerman were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Wiltse on Sunday.

Mrs. Gallinger, of North Augusta, and Mr. and Mrs. Norman Manhard, of Brockville were Sunday visitors of Mr. and Mrs. John Kirby.

Herb Wiltse and Miss Pearle, of Bellamy, were callers at W. J. Marshall's on Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Warren and family, of North Augusta, spent Tuesday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Fred Oxy.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Marshall motored to Athens on Sunday and spent the afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. William Steacy.

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