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INSTRUCTIVE

Dorothy Dix

This Girl Should Get a Job and be Independent of Her Parents-Advice to Parents of a Selfish and Extravagant Son-The Young Wife Who Runs Home to Mother While Hubby Kisses Flappers.

DEAR MISS DIX—After graduating from high school, and completing a course in a business school. I should like very much to go to work in an office, as I am very smbitious to earn my own living, but my people object. They want me to remain at home and take care of the books my father and brother use in their business. But that work requires only an hour or two of my time, and I could easily do it in my spare time after business.

My parents expect me to marry as soon as I am 21, but I do not think any one would ever care to have me. Will you tell me what to do?

My parents and I will appreciate, and be guided by your advice.

ANNABELLE LEE.

My earnest advice to you is to get a position once and make yourself independent. DOROTHY DIX.

It is a curious thing how unjust most families are to their girls. They will keep a girl at home, making her do housework for which they give her no salary, and then feel that she is a burden on them, and that they are supporting her. They never regard her as being self-supporting, and she has no independence and no money of her own. For this reaton a girl is very foolish not to strike out for herself and acquire her own pay envelope, unless, of course, there is sickness, or some particular need that forces her to sacrifice herself for the good of her parents.

Your father and mother are altogether wrong in keeping you from going to work on the theory that you will marry when you are 21. Perhaps you won't. Desirable husbands are scarce in these days and not recovered to have and not recovered to the second to t

haps you win, perhaps you won't. Desirable husbands are scarce in these days, and not every girl is lucky enough to acquire one. If you are self-supporting; if you have something interesting to do, and are making a comfortable living for yourself, it is immaterial to you whether you get a You do not have to marry just any man who comes along for its sake of acquiring a meal ticket. You can pick and choose, and wait until you find some man whom you really love and who

There is the blessed privilege of the independent working girl, and it makes every one of them an heiress in her own right. Our grandmothers, who had no way of getting their bread and butter except by marrying, had to take whatever offered in the shape of a husband. They might know a man to be drunken, immoral, vile tempered. He might be totally repulsive to them physically, but the lady to whom he popped the question had to say "yes" because her family wanted to get ther married to get rid of her, and she had nowhere to go until she went into a home of her own.

But, thank God, all of that is changed now. The modern girl is no longer dependent on her parents. She can take care of herself is well as her brother can take care of himself, and she can be choosey and take her time about marrying.

Surely your parents who have set the age of 21 for you to marry are not so foolish as to think that a girl should marry when she comes to the marrying age just to be married. It isn't a question of age. It is a matter

For a woman to be happily married is the best fate that can befall her, but for her to be unhappily married is the cruelest. Don't let them thrust this upon you. Get yourself a good job, and then you can wait for heaven to send you the right man along.

DOROTHY DIX.

DEAR MISS DIX—We have a son who is to be married in June. He makes DEAR MISS DIX—We have a son who is to be married in June. He makes a larger salary than his father does, but lives up to the last penny. Now he wants us to borrow money to finance him through getting married, buying a diamond ring for his sweetheart, renting and furnishing a house and paying the expenses of his wedding. Now, we have lived very conomically, and have worked hard, and are paying out for two or three pieces of property that we hoped would be a support for us in our old use. Should we go deeper in debt for him, or let him shoulder his responsibilities as we have done?

TWO PUZZLED PARENTS.

I would urge you with all the earnestness of which I am capable to refuse to burden yourself with one cent of your son's debts. To do so under the circumstances will not only hurt you

To begin with, no man has any right to get married until he has money enough to underwrite his own wedding, and certainly no man has any business giving a girl a diamond ring that he has to make his poor old mother and father pay for by sacrifice of the little comforts that they need. A diamond ring is no necessity to a legal and binding marriage. There are millions of happy and prosperous men in this country—some of whom have since given their wives ropes of pearls and tiaras and stomachers of precious stones—who never even thought of such an extravagance as a diamond ring when they were married. mond ring when they were married.

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Nor is there any excuse for your son, who is carning a good salary, not having saved up enough money to rent his own house and buy his own furniture. That he has not done so shows that he has not had a proper sense of the responsibility he is undertaking in getting married, and he needs to have this forcibly brought home to him.

Therefore, the best thing you can do for him is to let him paddle his own canoe. Let him hustle for a place to live in, and have to deny himself to pay for the installments on the furniture, and it will be the making of both him and his wife.

If your son were not utterly selfish, he would not ask you to go in debt to give him money, and this should make you realize how little you can depend upon him to take care of you if you give him all you have, and are dependent on him in your old age.

No parents are so foolish as those who impoverish themselves for their children, because the son and daughter who will rob their old parents will begrudge them a support when they are too old to work and penniless. Keep your money. Don't prepare for yourself that most terrible of all fates, a dependent old age.

DOROTHY DIX.

DEAR DOROTHY DIX-I am 18, and married to a man, and I don't know whether I love him or not. Sometimes I think I do, sometimes I think I don't. We have only been married eight months, and when we quarrel and I get discouraged I go back home, and my husband has been coming and getting me, but lately he took a flapper out and kissed her. What am I to do? Must I trust him again? Do you think I love him?

ANSWER:

Well, if I were you, I think I would give myself the benefit of the doubt, and decide that I did, I would try Coucism on myself and say that every day, in every way, I loved him better and better. You know a woman can think herself into anything, and so if you will just keep your mind fixed on loving your husband you can make him fill your little world, particularly if you go to work and try to make a good wife.

But if you keep on running home to mamma, like a cry baby, you needn't be surprised if he consoles himself by kissing flappers. Any man would do it.

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BRUSHING LACQUER

> Put it on with a brush right over the dingy old paint or varnish. Anyone can do it. Chairs, tables, toys, floors, window frames — all woodwork. The perfected brushing

lacquer for home use. it dries while you wait"

The "Rifter" As A Goat Getter



Fashion Fancies

By Marie Belmont

fails to be soft and lovely in effect, especially if the gray is combined with silver, as in the model above.

The long slenderizing lines of this gown make it especially appropriate

for the matron. The bodice extends down to make the line at the hips

appear as long as possible, and there are long tabs of delicate silver braid

which extend from the bodice to

With such a frock, one may wear

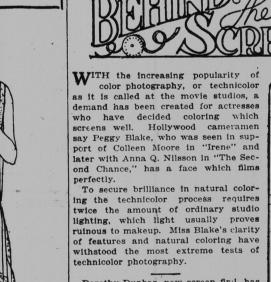
simple black satin slippers, or gray. The stockings in either case should

Flapper Fanny Says

A Thought

drop at the sides.

A gray chiffon dinner frock never



Dorothy Dunbar, new screen find, has been signed as leading lady for Richard

Barthelmess in "The Amateur Gentle-man," his next First National picture. Jesse Lasky is endeavoring to find a

londe actress to play the leading role in the film version of "Gentlemen Prefer Blondes," the novelette by Anita Loos.

The constant curing and waving de-

BABY'S

Menus Hair Dry, Brittle from Constant MENU HINT. Waving, Curling

Breakfast. Oranges Prepared Cereal with Cream Swedish Potato Cakes Whole Wheat Toast

Marmalade Rice-Indian Style Baked Beets Rhubard Cookies Milk

Dinner Chicken Creole
Pineapple Salad
Caramel Pudding Rice Rolls Tea

TODAY'S RECIPES. Swedish Potato Cakes—Two cups cold boiled potatoes, one egg, one teaspoon baking powder, one-half cup milk, one cup flour, salt and pepper. Beat well and drop from the spoon on well greased griddle. Cook slowly, browning on both sides browning on both sides.

Baked Beets—Cut boiled beets into slices and arrange them in a buttered baking dish with alternate layers of grated Parmesan cheese. Season with pepper, salt and a little onion. Cover with a layer of buttered bread crumbs and bake until the latter has browned. Accompany this dish to the table with a cream sauce.

| Accompany this dish to the table with a cream sauce. | hair, slowly burns the color, lustre and tory serving it fands, brittle, and full of our druft; then the hair roots shrink and the hair falls out fast. Since girls just must curl and wave the hair to appear their prettiest, try "Danderine" to offset any bad effects. After the first application your hair will take on new life and that heathy, southful lustre, become jucquivarily.

Rice—Indian Style—One cup rice, uncooked, one cup stock, salt and pepper, one cup stewed tomatoes, a little grated onion, one-half cup butter. Boil together the tomatoes and soup stock. When at boiling point add the rice and cook until rice is done. Remove from the fire and add one-half cup of butter and let steam on back of stove for 20 miuntes. Don't stir very much after the rice is put in. much after the rice is put in.

Chicken Creole-One chicken, one-

And as the toes of the feet were part of iron and part of clay, so the kingdom shall be partly strong and partly broken.—Daniel 2:42.

IT IS not because men's desires are strong that they act ill; it is because their consciences are weak.—J. Stuart will be partly strong and partly broken.—Stuart strong that they act ill; it is because their consciences are weak.—J. Stuart will be partly strong and partly fricassee; put one-half pound salt port, one onion, one can tomatoes, one green pepper, salt and pepper. Joint the chicken as for fricassee; put one-half pound salt port, one onion, one can tomatoes, one green pepper, salt and pepper. Joint the chicken as for fricassee; put one-half pound salt port, one onion, one can tomatoes, one green pepper, salt and pepper. Joint the chicken as for fricassee; put one-half pound salt port, dicked, in a stewing kettle; when the fat is friend out, put in chicken and brown each piece delicately; simmer slowly till chicken is tender and pepper. Joint the chicken as for fricassee; put one-half pound salt port, dicked, in a stewing kettle; when the fat is friend out, put in chicken and brown each piece delicately; simmer slowly till chicken is tender and the tomato is reduced to a sauce. A little tomato is reduced to a sauce. A little tomato is reduced to a sauce.

SEE SAWING "P and BROADWAY

ONE of the sad sights of Broadway cars carrying away play manuscripts that have gathered in producing offices during the year.

Just as the housewife begins her

housecleaning about this time of year, so the theatrical offices make a thorough job of tossing out the brain chil dren of a thousand-and-one persons. Happening into one office just as the table groaned with a small wagon-load of these scripts, something in the very appearance of the bundles conveyed a idea of the dreams and aspirations and One was carefully dressed in a lavender wrapper. Another was tied with blue silk ribbon. Then there were covers of brown, blue and gold.

HERE and there my eye came upor veteran travelers. How many of-fices had seen these scripts? How many times had someone sent them hopefully upon a voyage? A season passes. Then back again and out again and back again. Sighs, heartache, discouragement, ambition, desire—perhaps the best drama of all is not within the covers that heap the tables, but in the stories of the striving ones respons

HT IS a Cossack doorman at a little Russian after-theatre cafe tucked in the upper Forties. He wears a huge beard, a curly sheep's wool headpiece, heavy boots and wide-skirted overcoat The other night a newspaper reporter of my acquaintance walked up to him. "Place crowded?" inquired the newspaper man, who wanted to make sure

Irish brogue, from out the whiskers, etc. "But I'm tellin' ye, that if the wuther keeps gettin' hot it's a new Roosian they'll have to be havin' for this job. It's hot these furs are bein' And the "Cossack" mopped his face and went to meet another cab. -GILBERT SWAN.

Is this your BIRTHDAY

ambitious for advancement. You have a mind capable of clear thinking and good music, and artistic surroundings Your happiness demands love, and you manded by present styles in bobbed jealousy and selfishness, and try to liv hair, slowly burns the color, lustre and for the happiness of those who love you Your birth-stone is an emerald, which means success in love. Your flower is a lily. Your lucky colors are red and yello

> LITTLE JOE COME FOLKS WRITE LONG LETTERS 'CAUSE THEY HAVEN'T TIME TO MAKE



EVEN LIVERS GET LAZY! From Baby's birth test out ils worth. 2.26
Albert Soaps Limited, Mira, Montreal. iver gets lazy now and then. When you get that cired, lay-me-down-and die feeling take 15 to 30 rops of Seigel's Syrup in a glass of water. Does

the trick and safely. You'll feel like new!

TINGALING AND THE TWINS FIND A TREASURE

the Twins saw queer little foot-marks on the ground, they were afraid to follow them because the last letter had said, "If you follow me your hair will turn green!"

Ing, Ies, my dear Gookles, I told them my name wos 'Oofty Goofty,' and if they followed me their hair would turn green. They'll never find us now. And every bit of money we find we will add turn green!"

ord-wants to have green hair.

Snatch."

They listened carefully and then Mister Tingaling whispered, "Yes, sir! It is those little rascals as sure as anything! And they are right over there behind that big log. Let's tiptee a little nearer. I'd just like to see what they are up to now, so I would."

So the fairy landlord and the Twins went along like little mice, until they "Hurrah!" cried the Twins, dancing for joy while Mister Tingaling tried to came to the log.

And, My Dears! Sazookumses were sitting around a had disappeared.

Yes, sir! Whoever Oofty Goofty was | And the reap of something was he had taken the pocketbook and the Money! Fairy money! rent-book and the pencil, and departpocketbook on the pile and he was saypocketbook on the pile and he was say-Snitcher Snatch was emptying the big And, although Mister Tingaling and ing, "Yes, my dear Gookies, I told them

to our treasure, and some day we'll be And nobody-not even a fairy land-But at that minute Nancy leaned "And here I thought I was going to over the log too far, and she fell-popt make my fortune," wailed poor Mister
Tingaling. "Instead of that I haven't
"Oh, dear!" she thought. "Now I've a penny. The thirty-second day of the gone and dene it! What do you suppose month is over and all my rent money will happen next?"

s stolen."

will happen next?"

But I'll tell you what happened next,

"It's just a shame!" said kind Nancy. The Fairy Queen appeared suddenly on "Now you can't get a new spring hat or a new spring coat or anything, can clear voice, "Snitcher Snatch, and you naughty little Gazookumses! Aren't you?"

"No, and my wife cannot get anything either," said the fairyman sadly.
Suddenly Nick whispered, "Sh! I
think I hear voices. It sounds exactly
like the Gazookumses and Snitcher
Snatch."

"I let you do the things you did just

for joy, while Mister Tingaling tried to Then very slowly and carefully they thank the Fairy Queen. They danced so hard their magic shoes came off. And in an instant Mister Tingaling and the Fairy Queen and What a sight met their eyes! ter Tingaling and the Fairy Queen and Snitcher Snatch and the three bad Snitcher Snatch and the Gazookumses

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