## "Don'ts" For Married People.

Don't nag.

Don't weep.

Don't lie to each other.

Don't go shopping together.

Don't gossip before children.

Don't buy your wife's hosiery.

Don't act like silly young lovers.

Don't be deceitful to each other.

Don't sleep all Sunday afternoon.

Don't let your wife cut your hair.

Don't accuse each other of shoring.

Don't be suspicious of one another.

Don't walk along the street in single file. Don't call each other "Maw" and "Paw."

Don't mope; enjoy yourselves occasionally.

Don't refer to your wife as "the old woman."

Don't get into the habit of drinking too much.

Don't talk shop all the time you are at home. Don't insist that every visitor shall kiss the

Don't use slang or profanity before your children.

Don't quarrel in public; wait until you are at home.

Don't let your neighbors know all of your affairs.

Don't tell your husband he's growing gray and

Don't wink at each other while strangers are

present. Don't let your children run about the streets

at night. Don't give a farce comedy of your love on the

streets. Don't keep harping on the subject of "mother-

in-law. Don't worry your wife to death about business

troubles. Don't flirt unless you wish to break up the

home circle. Don't fail to take your wife to the show oc-

Don't spend more than half your time before a

Don't get into the habit of sewing on your

own buttons. Don't forget that man is much more selfish

than woman. Don't let your children talk disrespectfully of

their elders. Don't make fun of each other in the presence

of strangers. Don't forget the promises you made when you

were married. Don't try to look dignified while wheeling the

baby carriage. Don't leave the house in a temper. It will upset your whole day.

Don't imagine that yours is the only baby on the face of the earth.

Don't throw your young and pretty wife in the way of temptation.

Don't get jealous if other men admire your

wife enough to call on her. Don't bring friends home to dine without first

informing your wife. Don't trundle your baby on the sidewalk if

there is a park convenient.

Don't take home a newspaper from which something has been clipped.

Don't neglect to raise your hat when you meet your wife out of doors.

Don't allow your husband to leave the house without a good breakfast.

Don't smoke all over the house if your wife

has any objection to tobacco. Don't pet one child more than another. Don't

pet any of them too much.

Don't whine if your wife asks you to take her to walk when you feel tired.

Don't feel hurt if your husband spends an occasional evening at the club.

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Don't talk about the hearts that you have crushed in the dim and checkered past.

Don't invite friends to dine unless you have thorough confidence in the cook.

Don't imagine that because you are the wageearner your wife has no rights.

Don't accuse your husband of drinking every time you detect an odor of liquor.

Don't be afraid to apologize even if you have not been the cause of the quarrel.

Don't walk three yards apart if you are out in rainstorm with only one umbrella.

Don't allow your children to know that you have ever had occasion for altercation.

Don't criticise your wife because she adopts all the whimsicalities of women's fashions.

Don't take the words out of each other's mouth while telling a story to third persons. Don't forget that the marriage relation can

never be a happy one without mutual sacrifices. Don't throw your young husband too much into the company of fascinating and artful

Don't make biting remarks about "how different" things are when you have company to dinner.

Don't refuse your wife if she wants the last word. Let her have it; it won't cost you anything.

Don't parade your children as if they were freaks; it does not make the neighbors love you.

Don't allow yourselves to become so domestic as to be cut off entirely from social intercourse.

Don't give way to every temptation to be irritable. If you do you only make matters much worse.

Don't be forever reciting to your friends the daring exploits and wonderful adventures of your husband.

Don't make an awful fuss over every cent you give your wife. You were married with your eyes open.

Don't imagine that because you are married your wife has lost all interest in her former associations.

Don't get so much in the habit of speaking "baby talk" that you forget to converse in any other language.

Don't under any circumstances, speak about our wife to third persons except in the most flattering terms.

Don't insist that your husband walk the floor every night with the baby. This duty should be divided equally.

Don't forget that your wife is much superior to other women. If she were not, you would not have married her.

Don't enumerate for your husband's benefit the proposals you have received in the past. It only flatters his vanity.

Don't rifle your husband's pockets every night in the week. He may occasionally find use for some loose change.

Don't find fault with your wife because she spends much of her time shopping. Think of the money she saves on bargains.

Don't imagine your husband is faultless, nor, at the same time, that he has too many faults. There is a happy medium.

Don't scold because your wife wears balloon sleeves and because you've got to use a shoe horn when helping her on with her big coat.

Don't let your wife know you have a secret. If you do, there will be no further happiness until she knows what it is.

Don't insist on sitting in the same room with your daughter when she has a caller. If you cannot trust her lock her up in some asylum.

Don't invite relatives to the house oftener than courtesy requires. Relatives under such circumstances, are usually disturbing elements.

Don't argue with your wife when she is de-

ivering a Caudle curtain lecture. The best cure for these tirades is a series of healthy and genuine snores.

Don't ever intimate to outsiders that you have had trouble with your other half. This may relieve your feelings but it will be sure to engender gossip.

Don't buy your husband a red, green and yellow necktie when his tastes run to nothing more anarchistic in color than a sober brown or dainty blue and white.

Don't imagine that love of the sort depicted in yellow-backed novels will make married life happy. Mutual respect and affection are much more serviceable in this regard.

Don't immediately accuse your husband of fibbing when he says he has just come from the lodge. By some curious combination of events that story may be true some day.

Don't forget that your first interests are concerned with your home. After that is properly taken care of, you may indulge in church fairs, missionary projects and amateur entertainments.

Don't think that married life is going to be a constant state of bliss. There are humps in the road which require mutual forbearance in order that they may be passed easily and gracefully.

## Handkerchief Signals.

The handkerchief has ever since its inception been used as the signal flag of love. The following is the standard code of handkerchief signals:

- Pressing the handkerchief against the lips "Wish to become acquainted with you."
- 2. Wiping the eyes with it—"I am very sorry."
  - Let it fall-"Let us become friends." 3.
  - Holding it with both hands -- Indifference. 4.
- Rubbing a cheek with it—"I love you."
  Drawing it through the hands—"I hate 5· 6.
- you." 7. Holding it against the right cheek-
- "Yes." 8. Holding it against the left cheek--"No."
- 9. Twisting it with the left hand—"Get away from here."
- Twisting it with the right hand-"I love to. another."
- 11. Folding it—"I want to speak with you."

  12. Throwing it over the right shoulder--
- "Follow me."
- 13. "Wait." Holding it at opposite corners-14. Holding it against the forehead-"We
- are watched.' 15. Holding it to the right eye-"You are
- 16. Holding it to the left eye-"You are cruel."
- 17. Wrapping it around the index finger-"I am engaged.
- 18. Wrapping it around the middle finger— "I am married.
- 19. Making it into a ball and closing the hand on it - "I am impatient."
- 20. Touching the right eye with it "Repeat your last signal. 21. Putting it into the pocket-"Enough for

the present."

## New Year's Toasts.

It is hoped that many will remember on New Year's day that it is better to give than to receive, and that the relief funds may be swelled accordingly.

May the new year give us all good health, good luck and plenty to do. With health one can be happy, with luck one can prosper and with work avoid temptation.

May the new year from this morning to its close be one crowded with peace, happiness and prosperity in your homes. May it be a year rich in real blessings for all people.