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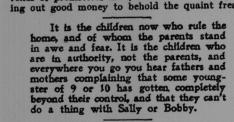
A Feature Page of Interest to Everyone

Dorothy Dix

We Have Precious Few Real Fathers and Mothers These Days-Too Many Parents are Quitters, Passing Their Work Over to Church and School and Club-But No Substitute Has Yet Been Found for Personal Love and Guidance in Rearing Children.

IT IS apparent to every one that parenthood isn't functioning as it should.

The younger generation has scarpped the biblical injunction to "Honor thy father and thy mother," along with hoop skirts and stocks and pegtop trousers and other obsolete fashions. If there was an infant left that obeyed its parents, it would be in a glass case in a museum with the relics of prehistoric man, and we would be paying out good money to behold the quaint freak.



tion in babies, and still delivers the raw material in plastic shape into the parents' hands, to make of it what they will, it is obvious that the fault lies with the fathers and mothers who have fallen down on their jobs. And so every

I think that the first thing that is the matter with parents is that there isn't enough parenthood.

have precious few real fathers and mothers, and nobody yet has invented any satisfactory, synthetic substitute for real personal love and tenderness in dealing with children.

You can't properly rear children with your left hand and one lobe of your brain while you are devoting your right hand and all of your real intelligence to playing bridge or golf, or having a career, or making money, and that is what only too many parents are doing today. Why, half of the modern children have only the fraction of a mother, and, except for purposes of legitimacy, they might as well have no father at all!

MOTHER hustles them off to school in the morning, and when they come home she is out gadding the streets, or at a party, and so they also take to the streets, where, at the most formative time of their lives, they learn the manners and the morals of the street. Father means nothing but a cash register in their young lives. Home is only a place you go to when you can't go anywhere else, and the bedtime talks are done by radio, not by a mother who bends above a pillow, and to whom a little heart opens out in the dark, and tells its shy little hopes and dreams and aspirations.

How can the mother who has never made herself necessary to her children, who has never made her arms a refuge for them in times of trouble, or let them weep out their sorrows on her breast; who has let the children next door form their ideals instead of doing it herself, expect to have any hold over them when they are grown?

How can a man whose children are not even acquainted with him, who have never had a real, familiar talk with him in their lives, expect them to look to him for guidance when they get to the place where they need it most? Why, he is the strangest man in all the world to them—the one with whom they have least in common. And they could sooner tell their troubles to the policeman on the beat than to him.

IS IT the children's fault that they feel this way toward their fathers and mothers? Not a bit of it. It is the parents' fault. They had their chance to bind their children to them with hoops of steel when they were little. They had their opportunity to win their children's confidences when they were babies, and they were too busy with their own affairs, too much occupied with their own amusements, too selfish to take the trouble to do

There are too many mothers who park their babies out with anybody they can get to mind them while they jazz. Too many fathers playing golf on Saturday afternoons, instead of taking the boys on a hike or going fishing with them. Too many parents who are quitters, who are trying to pass the buck and make the church and the school, and the Boy Scouts and the Camplire Girls do their work of rearing their children, instead of doing it themselves.

THAT is one of the things that is the matter with parents. They are

Another thing that is the matter with parents is that they haven't any backbone.

THEY haven't the nerve to refuse their children anything, even when they know it is going to be their ruination. They see their children headed straight for disaster, and they wail and beat on their breast, but they don't try to stop them.

They make their children soft by overindulgence, and they excuse themselves for doing so by saying that when they were children they had to work and deny themselves. They never seem to realize that the very hardships that they went through strengthened the muscles of their souls, and made them the kind of men and women who have been able to achieve success through sheer grit and courage.

SO THESE people who have not the courage to say "No" to their children—who give high-powered cars to 16 and 17-year-old girls and boys, and fill their pockets with money, and who have brought them up to believe that their will is law—rear up the pampered, selfish, weak, wasters and spenders who fill the divorce courts, and furnish scandal headlines for newspapers, and who wreck their own lives and the lives of all of those who are connected with them.

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Weakness. That is another of the things that is the matter with parents. We need fathers and mothers who will teach children obedience and self-denial, and a sense of duty; strong parents who will hold wandering little feet in the straight and narrow path until they get old enough to realize for themselves that the only true happiness in life is to be found in walking along it.

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Fashion Fancies

PEACH FLANNEL SPORTS FROCK

WITH INSET ROWS OF FLANNEL

ing the light-hearted summer season. Airy fabrics fashion fairy-like gowns and even the tailored cloth suits that appear to take themselves more seriously as a rule, flaunt gay ties and lacy ruffles, peeping out from the demure jackets.

A deep net ruffle edges the skirt on the net. Another flower is fastened to the wearer's left shoulder and a large flower is posed in the front on the met. Another flower is fastened to the wearer's left shoulder and a large bow of the material gives a particularly youthful finish to the frock. Marion worn for an evening frock (left) is of An afternoon summer dress which is low of the material gives a particularly such factor of the frock. Marion lection is a large one, containing about worn for an evening frock (left) is of this picture and this filmy character. It is pale yellow the one described above, wears silver chiffon made very simply but with brocade slippers and chiffon hose with the containing about the one described above, wears silver the very simply but with brocade slippers and chiffon hose with the containing about the containi

Menus

MENU HINT.

Breakfast. Sliced Bananas and Rhubarb.

Scrambled Eggs and Toast. Cocoa.

Tomato Ham Sauce for Potatoes.
Creamed New Carrots and Onions
Lettuce and Radish Salad.
Barley Custard Pudding.
Bread.
Butter.
Milk.
Caramel Cookies.

Supper. Creamed Potatoes. Cottage Cheese Salad.

TODAY'S RECIPES. Tomato Ham Sauce-After ham has fried remove from pan and add one small sliced onion, browned delicately, one can tomato soup, diluted with water, thicken and season.

Barley Custard - Take one cup

A Thought

ad. Butter. Rhubarb Marmalade. Sponge Cake. Prune Dessert.

Corn Flakes.

Cream and Sugar

Boiled Potatoes.

chiffon made very simply but with ample fullness. The sleeves are very long and wide at the bottom and are trimmed with vari-colored flowers which are appliqued to the chiffon. A large ornament of the same many-hued flowers trims the waistline in the front and lavender grosgrain ribbons fall to the bottom of the skirt.

bottom of the skirt.

brocade slippers and chiffon hose with this costume.

Salmon pink and black is the colorful combination used on the handsome ensemble (right.) The dress is fashioned of salmon pink with accordian pleated skirt, collar and sleeves. The coat of black cloth has a border of gold and salmon pink with collar, cuffs and hem such as yellow, green, blue, red or black.

and when I realized how it made me look, I cut it off. Val, I had a face like yours once, and when I realized that I couldn't cut it off, I grew this beard.

York harbor may be impressed by THE CHOCOLATE DROP TREE

"Well, I still want one," said to Glub, fanning himself more furiously

RADIO HAS PROVED TO BE A SOUND INVESTMENT-



THE CHOCOLATE DROP TREE

The number of her chaperones.

One hundred military police look after the protection of the immobile young lady who wields her neverally and the little Rag-bag dying light over New York harbor.

It may be just coincidence, but the number of chaperones was swelled to present size immediately after a party of cynical veterans, interested in the return of light wines and beers, had decorated the symbol with pennants of mourner's crepe.

This, of course, will materially increase Miss Liberty's cost of upkeep.

The floodlights which come from her beacon at night time cost the government about \$500 a month. There are 252 of them in her torch.

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Speaking of New York harbor residual and the little Rag-bag Glub, fanning himself more furiously than ever with his stove lid. And if I can't have a fire-engine inside of five minutes—off go your heads."

It looked pietty bad for the Twins and the poor little Whiffet. Nobody wanted to lose his head, but nobody knew where in the world to find a fire-engine. But all at once—chug! chug! rattle, roar, roar, bang! clang! There stood a chocolate covered Turkish delight and a chocolate covered Turkish delight and a chocolate covered Turkish delight and a chocolate cream-nut, and the little Whiffet had had six large chocolate marshmallows, when suddenly the ground opened at their feet and up came a house.

There, sitting on the front porch fanning himself with a stove-lid, sat the followed and picked up some chocolate drops and picked up some chocolate in the world to find a fire-engine. But all at once—chug! chug! rattle, roar, roar, bang! clang! There stood a chocolate cream-nut, and the little what had become over-ripe and fallen to the ground.

Nick had eaten a mint-patty and chocolate cream-nut, and the little what had become over-ripe and fallen to the ground opened at their feet and up came a house.

There, sitting on the front porch fanning himself with a stove-lid, sat the hills on high?"

But nobody answered for nobody knew. Where it came from

And if we don't get our chocolates picked soon they will melt and run away.
Who did you say these little thieves

"We didn't mean to steal," said Nick.
"The chocolate-drop tree was right here
and all the chocolate drops were lying on the ground."
"Your faces are familiar," said Ub Glub. "Where did I see you before? Now I remember—you are the children who refused to get me a fire-engine, aren't you?" "We're awfully sorry," said Nancy



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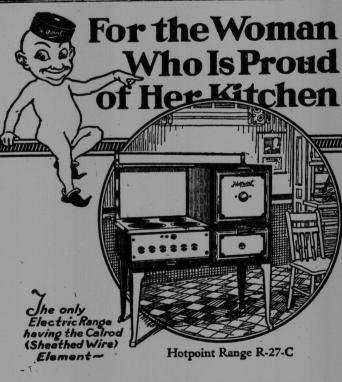
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cooked barley, two eggs beaten, two cups milk, sugar and maple or vanilla flavoring. Bake in a slow oven. IF you take pride in your kitchen and cooking, the Hotpoint Range deserves a place in your home. Cottage Cheese Salad-Mix cottage cheese, small radishes halved, green onions and lettuce together with boiled dressing, with lettuce placed on dish, put other ingredients on leaf and garnish with whole radish. The Hotpoint Range is neat and clean. Its famous Calrod (Sheathed Wire) Elements are as easily cleaned as a dinner-plate, flush with the cooking surface, presenting no cracks or crevices to Prune Sponge Cake Dessert—Cut squares of sponge cake, place on indi-vidual plates. Remove stones from collect grease or dirt. The oven element, of the same indestructible type, can be removed and cooked prunes, add a few nut meats and mix. Put a generous helping on top of sponge cake square and top with whipped cream.

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French Just now.

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men, men complain of the fire they themselves have kindled.—Lingree. Is this your BIRTHDAY affection first in life. Your lucky colors are light blue and

allow it to lead you into cunning ways. You are stubborn at times, and yield ambitious, fond of reading and travel, and have a number of good friends. Be careful not to get to love money; place Your birth stone is a pearl, which means health and long life.

who lied to me.
MARY—You're not going to stay
single all your life, are you?