

THE TIMES-STAR FEATURE PAGE

Dorothy Dix

Should a Wife Show Her Love or Keep Her Husband Guessing? — How Can a Husband Secure Peace at Home Between Wife and Children? — Remedy for Boys Who Want to Travel.

DEAR DOROTHY DIX—Will you give me some advice as to holding my husband's love? Is it the best policy to keep him guessing, or just to let him know how much I think of him? MRS. G.



DOROTHY DIX

ANSWER: No man wants to do any "guessing" about his wife's love. He wants to feel sure of it. He wants to believe in it as implicitly as he does in the love of God, and she makes the mistake of her life when she shakes his faith in her.

The way to handle a man before marriage is entirely different from the way to deal with him after marriage. In the days of courtship a girl is wise if she keeps a man guessing; if she blows hot and cold, and keeps him uncertain as to whether she is going to say "yes" or "no" when he pops the question.

Many a woman loses the husband she wants by letting him know that he is sure of her. He does not want the overripe peach that is ready to drop into his mouth. The one that allures him is the one that dangles just out of his reach on the topmost bough, and that he has to risk his neck to get.

But, after marriage, all of that is changed. The chase is over, and he wants to settle down into undisturbed enjoyment of his domestic bliss. He wants to feel that his wife is wholly his, that she has given him her heart, and that he can trust her absolutely and entirely. He doesn't want to be tormented with jealousies and uncertainties. He doesn't want to have to watch her. He doesn't want to have his life embittered with suspicions of her. He doesn't want to be kept guessing. He wants to know.

The strongest hold that any woman has upon her husband is her love for him. Men are just as hungry-hearted and crave affection just as much as women do, and they will find that their wife never gets tired of listening to you when you tell him how much you admire him, and how fond you are of him.

We all naturally love those who love us, and the best way in the world to retain a husband's affection is just to love him. DOROTHY DIX.

DEAR MISS DIX—Isn't a man entitled to a little rest and peace at home after a hard day's work at his office? When I walk in the door my wife greets me with a list of all the unpleasant things that have happened to her during the day, and a bulletin of all the children's misdeeds. She demands that I punish the youngsters, and tries to goad me into thrashing my boy of 15 and my girl of 16. Every night there is a row between my daughter and my wife about something the girl wants to do, or doesn't do, and if I refuse to take any part in the squabble, I am accused of not doing my duty in helping to raise the family. What is the answer? NO PEACE.

ANSWER: Evidently your wife is a shrewish woman who takes her temper and her nerves out on you and the children, and there is small hope of ever doing anything with her, because that type of woman is always filled with self-righteousness, and thinks that she is the only one in the family who does her duty.

You might try having a serious, quiet talk with her, and attempt to make her see how unjust she is in trying to lay all of her own burdens upon you, and how it takes every bit of the soul and heart out of you to have to listen to her endless whines and complaints. Perhaps you could appeal to her sympathy by telling her that she lowers your efficiency by depriving you of all the peace and rest you should get at home.

But one thing you can do, and that is you can salvage some happiness out of your children by taking their part, and showing them that you sympathize with them, and are on their side. Also, you may save them, for no boy of 15 or girl of 16 is long going to stand being beaten. It is an outrage on their personal dignity, and if they can escape it in no other way, they will run away from home.

The next time your wife tries to make you thrash the children, refuse to do it. Say to them that you do not believe in whipping them, but that you want to talk to them over, and be their guide and friend. In this way you can win their confidence and their gratitude, and be able to help them.

Certainly children who have a mother who beats them need a father who loves them. DOROTHY DIX.

DEAR DOROTHY DIX—I married a widower with two children. The oldest, a boy of 16, has run away from home. He has written back to his father that he has always wanted to roam and see the world. We are much distressed over it, and don't know what to do. What do you think? He is a good boy except for this. STEPMOTHER.

ANSWER: The best thing to do with the boy who has the wanderlust in his blood is to get him to enlist in the navy. In that way he has the chance to see the world under favorable conditions, and also not only to acquire an education, but to be taught any one of a great number of trades by which he can earn a living after his time is up. If he is tired of wandering and wants to settle down on shore, I have known existing in the navy to be the making of a number of boys, who, but for the training and the discipline they got in the service, would have become tramps and hoboes. DOROTHY DIX.

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CONVENTION COMING HERE. The fourth annual Saint John Diocesan convention of the Catholic Women's League of Canada will be held here on Tuesday, Oct. 27. The delegates will be the guests of the Saint John North Sub-division. The business session in the afternoon will be held in the parish hall and there will be a public meeting in the evening in the auditorium of St. Peter's Boys' School. Three sub-divisions will be represented at the convention, Saint John, Saint John North and Moncton. Reports of the various activities will be presented and officers elected.

Little Tommy (at rubbish dump observing goat nibbling among tin cans): "What don't goats give canned milk?"

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Don't burn the candle at both ends—use electric light.

Morons Threaten To Overcome Society

SOCIETY will be overtaken by its menace, the moron, within 60 years if steps are not soon taken to restrain the activities of this ever-growing class, asserts Dr. Herman Bundesen, Chicago health commissioner. He recently said: "Sociologists have computed that within 60 years there will be not enough well people to care for those of anti-social tendencies unless some step is taken to safeguard them."

"There isn't any doubt in my mind that this problem can be solved now by the establishment of farms or colonies where mental defectives can be given helpful care, where they will not be harmful to others and where they cannot propagate their kind."

Society Owe Duty to Morons. "In my opinion, the mental defective is a helpless person with no will of his own, and society owes him care and keeping. It would not be costly to the community. This type are non-producers, anyway, and more often criminals."

"If a study of the early life of Harrison Noel, the New Jersey thrill killer, had been made, a prediction that he would do just as he did when he was overtaken by his mental storm could also have been made."

SHOULD PROVIDE HOME. "To provide a suitable place, such as a colony or farm, for people of this type before they commit acts of violence, is only the humane duty of society. To save itself against society must act before long."

Dr. Bundesen favors immediate legislative action creating a commission to examine suspects and establishment of suitable places for segregating those found to be potentially harmful.

Family Menus

- MENU HINT. Breakfast. Cereal Cooked with Dates. Scrambled Eggs with Tomato Sauce. Coffee. Toast. Luncheon. Casserole of Mashed Sweet Potatoes. Sliced or Stewed Tomatoes. Muffins. Tea. Dinner. Baked Apples Stuffed with Sausage. Baked Potatoes. Mashed Yellow Turnips. Oatmeal Cookies with Jam. Coffee or Tea.

LITTLE JOE

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News Notes From Movieland

MODERN clothes have been substituted for the puff sleeves and full skirts of the late '90s in the movie version of Oscar Wilde's play, "Lady Windermere's Fan." Irene Rich, who fills the role of the very wicked Mrs. Elynor, reputed to have done only one decent act in her whole life, appears in the very latest sophisticated dress.

Miss Rich wears unusual clothes and regal robes all "one to the purple born." She doesn't always take siren roles—producers have found that she can be a lovely, sympathetic young woman if necessary.

Just at present she is vacationing in Europe, where she plans to remain for several months.

STAR DUST. John Bowers, of the "Rocking Moon" company, on location in Alaska, just won't enjoy an Eskimo diet, which consists largely of "blow and fat."

Movie folk in Hollywood now have a million dollar private club-house. A few years ago William Bernheimer, a silk importer, bought a mansion in California on a hill overlooking Hollywood and the Pacific. Recently he sold the estate to a California organization which has leased it for club purposes to a group of movie stars. Works of art from all over the world are being collected to furnish it. Later a ballroom, Roman baths and a theatre will be added. The club has been named the "Four Hundred."

Adventures of the Twins

By OLIVE ROBERTS BARTON

MRS. MUSKRAT TAKES A RIDE. "Good morning, Mrs. Muskrat," said Nancy. "Good morning, Nancy," said Mrs. Muskrat. "It's a fine morning this morning."

"Certainly is, Mrs. Muskrat," said Nancy. "And as you appear to be all dressed up to go somewhere, I am glad that the weather is nice."

"Yes," said Mrs. Muskrat happily. "It is my sister's birthday, and I am taking her a cake. It's a certain kind of cake that she is very fond of and I bake her one every year."

"Where does your sister live?" asked Nancy. "Down the creek about a mile," said Mrs. Muskrat. "That's pretty far to be carrying a cake," said Nancy. "Couldn't Markie take you in his car?"

"Yes," said Mrs. Muskrat. "I should like to, but Markie is a little car. He can't carry a cake. I should like to, but Markie is a little car. He can't carry a cake. I should like to, but Markie is a little car. He can't carry a cake."

"Oh, Markie, I'm so glad to see you!" said poor Mrs. Muskrat. "I've had a terrible time. One of the Coon boys passed in that big yellow car and splashed mud all over my white dress, and now somebody tries to steal my cake. My, but this is a nice little car of yours! You were a smart boy to make it, and I'm proud of you!"

And Mrs. Muskrat climbed right in and set off herself in the seat beside her son. Markie drove away and didn't say anything, but he was thinking a lot of things.

"I think I know what they were. He was thinking that the way you look at things depends on the state of mind you are in. To Be Continued.

A Thought

Watch ye and pray, lest ye enter into temptation.—Mark 14:36.

SATAN trembles when he sees the weakest man upon his knees.—Cawper.

Norton

NORTON, Oct. 22.—Rev. and Mrs. E. L. Brown, who conducted evangelistic services in the village for three weeks, left Monday for their home in Toronto. The services will be continued for a while longer under the leadership of Fred Strickland, of Trenton, N. S., assisted by Rev. W. A. Wood, Presbyterian, and Rev. S. G. Young, Baptist.

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Fashion Fancies

THE new hats are small and close-fitting. They must fit the head snugly, as the three models shown here. The upper hat is of dark green velvet. There are rows and rows of bias stitching for trimming, and a tiny bow of the velvet at the back.



The middle hat is of rose velvet. The brim rolls up at the front, and at the back there is a stiff bow of the velvet, which slips through a slit in the crown of the hat.

The lower hat is a small black felt affair, which two black quills dip from back to front.

FLAPPER FANNY

"Wait, I must say you are very polite," said Mrs. Muskrat, and she was just about to hand the cake over when Markie came along in his car.

"Here you! Keep your hands off that cake!" cried Markie fiercely. And the gazookums didn't need to be told twice. O. they hopped without so much as turning around to see who was talking.

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Your Birthday

October 25—You want to practise determination, and make up your mind that you will succeed. You have considerable pride, and like to make good an appearance as possible. You are a pleasing talker, and read a great deal. When love comes to you, treasure it, and never allow yourself to become depressed or jealous.

Your birth-stone is the opal, which means hope. Your lucky colors are yellow and white.

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Predicts Planes of 100,000 Pounds In Next 10 Years

THE next ten years will see airplanes weighing 100,000 pounds making regular flights across the Atlantic. This is the prediction of O. E. Simmons, one of England's aviation experts.

Such planes would carry 100 passengers, Simmons thinks. He uses the term, "flying boat" to describe the plane, expressing the opinion that the plane would have a seaworthy hull which would make it possible, in emergency, to land upon the ocean and spend as much as ten days or two weeks upon it.

"The plane would have a span of about 220 feet and a wing area of 6,000 square feet," he says. "The engines would be housed in engine-rooms built into the wings about 50 feet on each side of the hull."

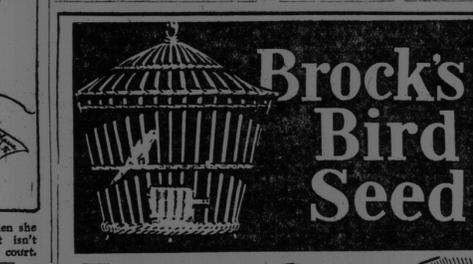
"Wings, hull and cabins would all be of metal. The hull would be arranged in two decks. The speed of such a plane would exceed 100 knots and it would be possible to fly from Europe to America, making only one stop at the Azores."

"I believe that the flying boat is the logical vehicle of the future and that it will afford speed, comfort and safety which cannot be obtained by the ordinary airplane or the ocean liner."

Little Joe Gives You A Tip on This Puzzle

Hidden in the centre of this puzzle are two difficult seven-letter words. Put the letter "A" where these words cross each other and the word square will be easier to solve.

- ACROSS. 1. To wed. 2. Tiny golf mound. 3. Yellow Hawaiian bird. 4. Father. 5. Taken care of by a doctor. 6. Masculine pronoun. 7. Point of compass. 8. To total. 9. The willful burning of property. 10. Preposition of place. 11. Prizes for finding lost articles. 12. Second note in scale. 13. Insects which feed on woolen clothes. 14. Loaded. 15. Rock containing metal. 16. Writing instrument. 17. Measure of area. 18. To attempt.



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