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## A PAGE FOR WOMEN

Bright Articles Daily on Women's Interests and Activities Here and There



PROBLEMS OF THE FAIR SEX

SOLVED BY CYNTHIA GREY

[Correspondents are requested to make their inquiries as brief

you think would help?

as possible, and to write on one side of the paper only. It is impos-

answered in turn as they are received. No letters can be answered

sinle to give replies within a stated time, as all letters have to be

ANXIOUS.

much in love with a man of 24. I want

to marry him, but he is only making

about \$80 a month and his position is by

no means a settled one. Should I take a

chance? He has changed his position

and vocation a great many times, rarely

staying in one place more than a few

might try to make him see the necessity

to making it his life work. A man of 24

line of work if he ever hopes to make

Geraniums and Asters.

outdoor bed, asters or geraniums?

Dear Miss Grey: I come once more

1. Which needs the most sun for an

2. I was wanting to make over a

3. What are the names of two of De-

4. I have a real good navy blue

black silk skirt. What would be the best thing to do to help take out the stitch marks? It is real good silk.

anything of himself.

troit's best hospitals?

of taking up a line of work with a view sults.

ought to be established in some definite Hospital.

These in- by gently pushing back the skin with structions as the towel each time the hands are to washed. Supposing, however, that the manicure the skin has grown over the half-moon, it mails without will be necessary to gently loosen all the aid of a round with the flat of the orange stick. manicure will This is done by inserting the flattened girl whose income end of the orange stick very gently is too limited to go to the specialist in under the cuticle so as not to cause nails, yet who loves to have her nails pain or bleeding. The loosened skin well cared for. In the first place soak may now be scraped away with the the nails for several minutes in soap cuticle knife, or carefully cut with fine suds made from pure castile soap. A nail seissors having curved points. small pinch of borax or a few drops of Cutting the cuticle, however, is not simple tincture of benzoin may be advocated unless it be tough, and has added to the water. After wiping the grown very high up on the nail, as hands with a soft towel the nails soreness and hang nails may result. with a proper nail file. Unless they the above way a little cold cream a room on the terrace by the sad sea ished in the flames. The gods (so the to use nail scissors. If there are any discolorations on the nail, a nail bleaching or cleansing fluid may be not provided and apply a little bleaching or cleansing fluid may be not provided and apply a little bleaching or cleansing fluid may be not provided and apply a little for a time moned and wrote love can violent manner. The love are not provided to use nail scissors. If there are any nail. Allow this to remain on a short watched the willow tree blossom and that they, too, died in a horrible and the plate. bleaching or cleansing fluid may be nail polishing powder. A chamois applied with a tiny piece of medicated leather nail polisher should now be cotton, wrapped around an orange moved back and forth across the nails. This will remove all foreign This will produce a highly burnished matter that may have lodged under surface. Ridged or fluted nails are or round the edge of the nail. In well-said to be due to malnutrition. This kept nails the half-moon at the base of the nail is always in evidence. If the conclusion, by rubbing into the nails half-moon is covered by cuticle, the a little lanoline each time the hands best way to bring it to sight again is are washed, or before retiring at night

The Story of "Willow" China

manufacturer of pottery.
In order to understand the romantic

plece of the plate to refer to, so that you may see for yourself the mandarin's house, the fleeing lovers

secretary. Her father had other plans distant island home.

for her, however, and was desirous of The end of the romance is told dif-

Published by Request of Mrs. G. B. F.] means of a cocoanut shell, to which Willow-pattern china was first made was attached a miniature sail, and in England in 1780 at Caughley in the in England in 1780 at Caughley, in the county of Shropshire. The pattern, "Do not wise husbandmen gather the county of Shropshire." which is thoroughly Oriental, was designed and engraved by Thomas Min-Chang, being no laggard in love, acted on for Thomas Turner, a well-known upon the gentle hint, hurried across the sea, donned a disguise, entered the mandarin's garden, and succeeded in

A Bulgarian Costume

The young girl has taken very

quickly to Bulgarian designs, and for

one who is slender the Oriental sash,

tied about the hips, worn with an Ori-

ental turban in the hair, makes a very

charming costume, provided the young

lady has dark eyes and hair. Premet

hos designed such a model of flowered

chiffon with an embroidered silk sash

draped shawl fashion about the hips.

If you can have many evening dresses,

The Birthday Calendar

IF THIS IS YOUR BIRTHDAY

year, and your best judgment will

IF THIS IS YOUR BIRTHDAY

Every-day affairs will prevail as

isual with you with no great

events, but among those dear to you

some trouble of disappointment

ble and possibly avert it.

Those born today will be careless

of their belongings and will waste

them in idle whims, causing infinite trouble for those on whom they de-

Daily Healthogram

THE BEST HAIR TONIC in

disturb the nervous system are

that kind of work or are in that

sort of environment look out for

A man takes desperate chances when he buys a horse covered with a

A widow can forget a great deal

Girls study one another and then

your hair. Take care of it.

blanket or gets married.

they have learned men.

nore than she ever knew.

show you how to make it a success-

ful one.

one would be very pretty like this.

you may see for yourself the mandarin's house, the fleeing lovers, and the boat in which they escaped. It is parent on hearing of his daughter's said that the story is to the Chinese elopement is following hastily in her what "Robinson Crusoe" or "Jack the footsteps. He failed to overtake them Giant Killer" is to Canadian children. however, for she and her lover care-Giant Killer" is to Canadian children.
"Li Chi, or Kong Shee, as she is sometimes called, was the only child of dener's cottage, where they lie hidden wealthy mandarin, and she loved until dark, when they got into the lit-Chang, her father's poor but honest the boat and sailed away to Chang's

marrying her to an old but wealthy ferently by different people. Some say suitor. He was then greatly shocked they lived happily ever after, but an-and annoyed when he learned that she other ending is that the old father and fondly loved poor Chang and would hear of no other lover. In order to prevent any communication between the death. Li Chi, upon seeing this, rushed two, so he thought, he shut her up in into her house, set it on fire, and perwaves in the house seen in the pattern story runs) cursed the ones who had nets, in which she expressed her hope were changed into a pair of immortal to be free once more when the peach bloomed, as a token of the constancy which had made their lives beautiful. At last, greatly to her joy, Chang The doves, too, may be seen upon the managed to communicate with her by plate.

The Children's Hour

A QUARRELING ROOM. The twins ran in together, and at the

"Mother, Mattie won't let me-"Moth, Edna took my---"

conveniences for quarrelling; you will simply have to go up to the quarrelling-room.

room to which she led them the plasterers had just finished their work; there was no carpet on the floor, and Makes \$80 a Month, not grease or fruit. I have tried to Miss Grey,—I am 19 and very sponge them out, but can't. What do no furniture—nothing but a small box and an empty nail keg. "You may sit here, Mattie," said mother, pointing to the box at one and of the room. "And A .- 1. They both require consider the box at one end of the room, "And Have courage! Keep good cheer! able sunlight to develop and bloom properly, and I have known both to you here, Edna." do fairly well in shady places. I think,

though, that it would be best to give the geraniums the sunniest spot. piece of blue chalk that the carpenters months. He is not enthusiastic about his present position, but promises to stick if I marry him. What shall I do?

Lengths one at a time over the steam of a kettle, then place at once on the had left, and drew a circle round each of a kettle, then place at once on the ironing table and brush with a stiff "Now," she explained, "you must not A.—You had better wait until he has a permanent position. In the meantime you water. The steaming and brushing

> ceeded where others failed. Place a They sat for awhile longer looking at each other any trying to laugh.
> "Oh, sister," exclaimed Mattie, at is still warm remove the paper and

I thought if we did not really need it, we might change its name and call it the playroom. You could have all your books up there then and use that room for your very own. "Oh, mother!" shouted the two small voices.-Selected.

NOTICING THINGS. The famous South African diamond mines were discovered by a man who casually went into a cottage and there noticed some children playing with what appeared to be brilliant stones, which they said they had picked up from a stream near the cottage.

TO LEARN BY HEART. Our longest time is brief, To those who hold us dear, Bring no more grief.

But cherish blisses small, Grateful for least delight,

That to our lot doth fall, However slight. -Celia Thaxter.

GIANT BUTTERFLIES. In the northern part of New Guinea there are butterflies so large that the natives hunt them with the bow and arrow. They belong to the species Troides chimoera, and they are not only among the largest, but among the rarest butterflies in the world. Some specimens measure 111/2 inches across the wings. The males, which are very shy, are found only at certain hours of the day, and at the top of lofty blos-"It isn't much fun," returned Mat- pronged arrows, sometimes capture them in nets made of spiders' webs.

TO A FLOWER.

Flower in the crannied wall, pluck you out of the crannies; hold you here, root and all, in my Little flower-but if I could under-

tion of the poems published on your attain high positions. In youth they page of The Advertiser each night in should be taught to discuss differ-"The Poet's Corner." I especially enjoyed "The Light of causes before forming judgments of last rinsing for black or blue of the Days" and "Moonset," but I no- results. tice a line has been omitted from the second stanza of the latter poem, and

have the poem for my small collec-Trusting I am not asking too much,

UNPOETICAL, We are glad that the selections of poetry are being appreciated. While space scarcely permits republishing the entire poem, we give you the en-

'The troubled night-bird calling plain-

tively, Wanders on restless wing; cedars chanting vespers to the

threatens. You can foresee this trou-That comes in wash of waves along the strand. The while the moon slips into shadow land.

HOME REMEDIES.

pend, and later on themselves. These tendencies can be changed by teach-Two very simple remedies for toothache are bathing the cheek and gum in hot ing them when young to earn things and to suffer inconvenience from the vinegar and keeping cotton wet with lacking things which they destroy. amphor against the aching tooth,

To remove the substance apply something that will form a harmless combination with it. Vinegar diluted with water or the world is persistent care. Octhe acid of lemon juice will answer. cupations or environment which Powdered sulphurs is a fine dressing. likely to show a direct effect upon the hair, If YOU are doing There is no greater purifier of air than

pen windows, but sometimes in sick coms this method of changing the air is impossible. Have you ever tried over. coming closeness by carrying a rolled burning newspaper through a sick room Equally good is a tablespoonful of vine gar ignited over an alcohol lamp,

A naval seaman has once every day to salute the quarter-deck of his ship, even if no officer is upon it. "Salada" Tea is in such popular favor that many people feel like saluting a packet Don't spare the rod if you expect to wherever seen.

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The beauty specialists ask their customers sometimes whether they change their veils frequently and have them cleaned, just as they would other items Be careful of your relations with of their attire, and when the answer others. Some unpleasant complicais in the negative, they explain that veils tion looms on your horizon and especially guard your health. You will are dust and germ collectors, and should have much to enjoy in the coming really be changed very often.

The white veil gets a bath frequently for it shows soil so readily that there is no evading it, but everyone does not Those born today will have taients know that other veils need ablutions

and will know how to use them to now and then, The veil should be squeezed in soapsuds several times and rinsed in two waters, using a little blueing in the ences without anger and to look for ings. Then a little cold starch should be mixed, in the proportion of a teaspoonful of powdered starch to a pin of lukewarm water; squeeze the veil twice loosely through this solution, hake it out and roll it in a cloth for bout fifteen minutes.

Meanwhile lay a mat on a table and over it with newspapers. Then pin the ower edge of the veil straight along the edge of the table, stretching the rest of the veil as smoothly as possible and pin-ning it to the table. Iron with a hot iron, and the net will have the crispness of

Chiffon veils or scarfs may also be washed, but should be ironed on the iron- wisdom to throw at the birds.

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ing board and need no starch. bows may also be done up freshly in the ame manner as a mesh veil

A man has to work pretty hard to get money, and very hard to keep it.

Most men boast of what they are going to do, but few boast about what

they have done. If, as some writers say, a man acquires wisdom through marriage, it is no wonder the late Mr. Solomon had

Break the

Having drank Red Rose Tea at



a friend's house or having seen it advertised, you believe it is "good tea" and have been intending to try it for some time, but from force of habit you have just kept on using another tea. Why not Break the Habit and order RED ROSE next time.

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Although you do not see very many white blouses worn without coats, vet, This blouse also has the short sleeves, which are rather uncommon this year. However, as it grows warmer one may guaranteed by Callaghan—phone 708. look for the annual baring of the sum. Write or call at 613 Wellington street. mer girl's arms.

Dear Miss Grey: I am a very interested reader of your column and I have obtained very good advice from you before, and now I am going to trouble you again: 1. Do you know of any way to clean

2. After ripping the skirt and care-

combined usually produce good re-

3. Grace Hospital and the General

4. This method has sometimes suc-

thickness of brown paper both over

and under the stain and press with a

moderate iron, then while the cloth

sponge thoroughly with turpentine.

treatment invariably removes the

To an Interested Reader.

followed by clear water.

stain.

a white stiff felt hat? It has some black velvet on the edge of the brim, Women's Institute will be held at the which I do not want to remove.

got rather brown looking?

your young man, to bow and speak to ent. Everybody welcome. his acquaintances when passing on the street, when you do not know them, as of household science, McDonald Instihe always acknowledges mine? 4. What ought a person to say when tleman says, "I am pleased to meet

Hoping I have not taken up to much space, and shall be pleased to see this letter in print when its turn comes. Thanking you in advance, HAZEL EYES.

chalk. Protect the velvet by pinning a this demonstration, and hear some of towel or clean cloth around it. Shake the latest and most approved methods the starch or chalk liberally over the hat and rub in well with a piece of Meeting to open at 2:30 p.m. sharp cotton. Place the hat in a drawer and under the auspices of the Women's Inlet it lie there for several days. Then shake and brush off all the loose powder. A second treatment will probably e necessary and this should result in the hat looking much better in ap-

2. Good results have been obtained Institute, held April 24, was well atby use of this cleaning compound: 1 tended. drachm alcohol, ½ drachm chloroform, 1/2 drachm sulphuric ether, 1 pint decologne to give a pleasant odor. It pays to have a little of this in the house for it comes in handy for treating grease spots and the like at any

3. It is neither necessary nor good form to speak upon such an occa-4. A simple "Thank you" is all that is required, or merely bow and smile.

CARD ETIQUETTE.

A married woman's cards should be Christian name and surname.

A man's cards should bear just his full name, for social uses, and for business, have the firm name, or title, engraved in the lower left-hand corner was appointed to wait upon the council the word "Miss" before the Christian to weigh the bread coming into the mame, except the eldest, who has village and seize any that is not of

When away from home, it is permissible to write a temporary address upon one's cards.

HAVE YOUR PIANO TUNED.

The Callaghan Piano House has entheir being uncommon, makes them gaged the services of Mr. Alec B. Stein stylish on the tall girl. The one shown today is of red moire with a darker for their tuning and repairing departred taffeta belt and a white net bodice ment. Mr. Stein is a thoroughly com-

"Now, little girls," said mother, "I've told you that in this room we have no

They looked at each other in sudden wonder, and then, with beating hearts, followed their mother upstairs. In the

Edna seated herself on the overturned nail keg. With breathless interest they watched their mother. She took a

step outside your circles until the eling is over and the quarre must all be done here.' As she closed the door they looked at each other and trying to laugh. "I don't know how to begin," said

last, "let's go back and build houses. It's more fun!"

"Is the quarrel over so soon?" mother asked. "It looks, then, as if we should not need the quarreling room after all." som-bearing trees. The natives somentimes shoot the butterflies with four-

WOMEN'S INSTITUTES

The regular monthly meeting of the home of Mrs. J. Orchard on Thursday, 2. Do you know any method to make May 1. A good program will be given a black felt look fresher, it having also there will be the election of officers, and report of the year's work 3. Is it correct or not, when out with All members are requested to be pres

THORNDALE

Miss Jean McPhee, honor graduate tute, Guelph, an expert demonstrator, will demonstrate bread and pastry being introduced, and the lady or gen-making to the ladies of Thorndale in Harding's Hall on Tuesday, May showing how easy it is to make the nicest and lightest bread in four hours, also showing easy methods of

eastry making. Miss McPhee comes highly recom-A.—1. If the hat is not rain-spotted wended from all parts of canada you should be able to clean it fairly Every lady in the town and surroundmended from all parts of Canada. well with powdered starch or French ing country should take advantage of

of cookery. Meeting to open at 2:30 p.m. sharp

WARDSVILLE

The regular meeting of the Women's

The election of officers took place with following results: odorized benzine; mix and add a little Mrs. Belton; vice-president, Mrs. Branton; assistant vice-president, Mrs Snell; secretary-treasurer, Miss M. Martyn; directors, Miss Archer, Mrs. Petch, Mrs. W. Munina; auditors, Mrs. Dowswell, Mrs. Douglas; program committee, Mrs. H. A. Wilson, Mrs. C. Wilson, Mrs. O'Malley; corresponding

secretary, Mrs. Dykes. Mrs. Patterson, president of Newoury Institute, was present on behalf of their society to confer with the members of the Wardsville Institute, and urge Wardsville to co-operate with Newbury re the improvement of the engraved with her husband's full conditions of the cemetery. The matter was taken up and Wednesday, April 30, was the day selected.

The question of light-weight bread was next dealt with, and a committee Daughters of a family should have and ask that an inspector he appointed standard weight, one and a half pounds,

> Caroline Coe Says For a sluggish liver eat 'greens' once a day for a week.
>
> If you are nervous eat onions,

If you have diabetes eat aspar. gus. If you are bilious eat water-If your complexion is bad eat carrots, cooked or raw.

## The Poets' Corner

stand

What you are, root and all, and all in I should know what God and man is. -Tennyson. me to express my apprecia-

I am writing to ask if you could find the missing line, and possibly have the whole reprinted, as I should like to

and again complimenting you on your fine selections of poetry, I remain,

tire second stanza, which can readily be pasted in between the first and third verses of the clipping you al-

Await its answering.

Burns caused by lime, caustic and other alkalies will not bear ordinary treatment.