

Strange But True

By F. H. MacArthur

If you dropped one needle on the deck of the Queen Mary today, a second one this day week, and on this day week four needles, doubling the number of needles each for one year, you'd have, at the end of 32 weeks, the amazing number of 4,503,599,627,370,935 needles.

Slavery was introduced into the U.S.A. in 1619, by the captain of a Dutch trading vessel, who brought 20 Negroes which he sold to Southern tobacco planters.

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That Body Of Yours

By James W. Barton, M.D.

FOOD ENTERING STOMACH STARTS FLOW OF DIGESTIVE JUICE

I write often about the great value to health of eating a good breakfast, a breakfast which, in addition to cereal, toast, fruit and a beverage, should include some animal protein—meat, eggs, fish or milk.

One of the reasons that we should eat breakfast before going to work is that food in the stomach stimulates movement of the stomach walls which, in turn, stimulate the small intestine into which the stomach empties.

While there is such a thing as the stomach manufacturing too much acid gastric (stomach) juice and thus causing ulcers, nevertheless, for the average healthy individual a good food of stomach digestive juice, to digest food in the bottom part of the stomach.

The Stars Say --

By Genevieve Kemble

IT may take an exceptional degree of astute and shrewd manipulation in order to sidestep a disintegrating and disruptive state of affairs. Keep analysis and long-range insight into existing stubborn and fixed conditions, are important. As the mentality is stimulated and the emotions as well, the unrest and sense of insecurity may gain by relaxation or even diversion.

Those whose birthday it is, may find their energies, emotions and mentality keyed to strange, perplexing and complicated involvements, stressed by a keen drive for action, taking a gamble, or other erratic and drastic moves.

Large - Pratt Wedding Group



Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Large, photographed at their reception, 3 Hill Road, Grand Falls, Newfoundland. Left to right, Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Large, who was the former Esme Pratt of Grand Falls, bridesmaid, Miss Frances Green and groomsmen, Mr. George Pratt.

Modern Etiquette

By Roberta Lee

Q. Is it all right for a bride to send printed or engraved "thank you" cards for her wedding gifts? A. Never. This is the height of rudeness and indicates laziness and a lack of appreciation.

Q. When a man is dining with a woman, should he give his own or the woman's order to the waiter first? A. He should consult his companion and give her order first, then his own.

How Can I!!!

By Anne Ashley

Q. How can I mix a good fire extinguishing fluid? A. Put 3 pounds of salt into 1 gallon of water, and to this add 1 1/2 pounds of sal ammoniac. This liquid should be bottled. When a blaze is discovered, pour the solution on it.

A. Rub the scorched spots with hydrogen peroxide and allow to dry before again ironing. If the scorch is light, merely moisten with water and place in the sun.

Better English

By M. C. Williams

1. What is wrong with this sentence: "There weren't but three people present at the meeting." 2. What is the correct pronunciation of "corral"?

ANSWERS 1. Say, "There were but three persons present." 2. Pronounce kor-ol, as in on unstressed, as in alley, accent second syllable. 3. Expectancy. 4. Deep-rooted. "The envy of some people is inveterate." 5. Impotence.

Household Scrapbook

By Roberta Lee

Woolens After laundering woolens, moderately slow drying is best for them. They should not be exposed to excessive heat, the direct rays of the sun, nor to freezing temperatures.

Tartar on Teeth To remove teeth tartar rub vigorously with a piece of absorbent cotton wound on an orange stick, which has been dipped into lemon juice and then in pumice stone.

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ELLEN'S DIARY

By An Island Farmer's Wife

After an absence broken only by brief visits, Jamie arrived after school this evening to be a week-end visitor with us at Alderlea. We hear them now, the two "Jamies", chat together in the wide old bed of their ancestors.

We have a notion from listening to their chatting on occasion, now that Jamie can write a passably good hand and read a bit, if he chanced to happen along to a field where James was engaged in plowing and stopping, tossed his school-bag into a hedgerow to grab the handles of the plow, his grandfather would be extremely proud of the happening.

At meals we try to provide their favorite foods and it was amusing this evening to have history repeat itself in a way, when she announced in the quick decisive way she has "I'm not going to sit beside you at the table, Jamie, I'm going to take my Daddy's place!"

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DOROTHY DIX SAYS—

Do Looks Count?

Homely Man Generally Makes Better Husband

DEAR MISS DIX: In picking out a husband should a girl be influenced by a man's looks? What I mean is, is a homely man more likely to be domestic and faithful and considerate of his wife than a man who is extremely good-looking?



ANSWER: I have always contended that the only thing in which women showed superior intelligence to men was in selecting their mates by their characters instead of their looks.

Another objection to the handsome man is that he is almost always vain and selfish. He not only requires to be flattered and admired, but he takes the best of everything for himself. He feels that beauty should be adorned and he buys the most expensive raiment, while hand-me-downs are good enough for every husband-snatcher.

DEAR MISS DIX: I have been married three years to one of the grandest men in the world and we are very happy. When we are alone at home he is the most gentle and loving husband any woman could hope for, but in public he frequently causes me embarrassment by correcting everything I say.

ANSWER: You seem to be doing that already, and I salute you as a feminine diplomat of the first order who carries on under trying circumstances. Not many women would have either the finesse or the self-control to hide their chagrin at their husband's unwarrantable rudeness behind a smiling face, and to keep silence to save other people from the embarrassment of having to witness a family spat.

DEAR DOROTHY DIX: My husband and I have got along very well. He has treated me with the utmost kindness and courtesy, but he shows me no love in any manner, shape or form. I am of a very affectionate nature and this has hurt me terribly. About a year ago I met a man with whom I have fallen in love and he with me. He is also married and that complicates things much more. Please tell us what in the world to do.

ANSWER: If there were children, you have no right to break up your home for merely sentimental reasons. I grant you that it is hard to endure heart-starvation with one man when you crave the love that another man might supply you, but you haven't the right to take your happiness at the expense of two families of children and perhaps that of a sister woman.

DOROTHY DIX cannot reply personally to readers, but will answer problems of general interest through her column.



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Cook's Corner

CARAWAY SEED CAKE

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Turn batter into a loaf pan (4 1/2 by 8 1/2 inches, top inside measure) that has been greased and lined with a rather slow oven, 325 degrees, 1 1/4 to 1 1/2 hours.

Let cake stand in its pan on a cake rack for 15 minutes; remove carefully from pan and cool thoroughly before storing.

Today gave us other interesting visitors: He who reads the meters, to find our first expenses for power acceptable, and the antique dealer. "We have one" James laughed grinning and nodding in our direction. "But if we dealt, you'd likely find her on your hands for a number of years—as she's been on mine!"

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Morning Smile

Answer That One

Father was vainly trying to read his paper and answer questions from little Horace at the same time. The answers were getting shorter and shorter. Finally, "What do you do at work," asked Horace. "Nothing," said father. "Now go away and play."

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