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The Housewife And Her Activities

The little cares that fretted me, I lost them yesterday, Among the fields above the sea, Among the winds at play...

A lever operated nut cracker has been invented to be attached to a wall.

Florence Nightingale was not able to overcome family opposition to start her nursing career until she was 24.

The Buffalo Museum of Science is exhibiting modern stylish hats and primitive headgear to compare the arts and artifacts of the world's peoples.

DARK ATTIC IMPROVED

When attic space is converted for living purposes, the arrangement of windows often does not give the amount of light desired. Frequently additional windows are not warranted, but the flaw may be remedied by skillful treatment of the walls and ceiling.

The church in Cliffe-at-Hoo, England, has a member who has sung in the choir for 65 years, rung the bells for 40 years and wound the clock for 45.

Leprosy in Hawaii has steadily decreased for the past 40 years, and has decreased 50 per cent, in the last four years.

Sun glasses rimmed with flowers, as added protection against solar rays, are the latest seaside fashion in France.

HANDKERCHIEFS SAY IT IN PRINT TO BE DARING

Don't-Kiss-Me handkerchiefs are the most daring novelty of the season, but they are seen only in Paris as yet. Made in attractive colors: in blue, plum and pale yellow silks—they are embroidered with phrases such as "Please don't kiss me," "Leave me alone," or "Don't touch me."

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Snappy Fashions For Home Use



In white linen—obviously designed for gentlemen's breast pockets—answer these with "What do I risk?" or "Please just one."

A Short Vacation

If you have not been able to afford a long vacation this year and have a really restful time, why not take a short trip to some place of real interest, a lakeside spot you have always wanted to see, a historical place you have longed to explore, in fact any place that will give you something to think about even though you were there just a short time.

Pullover Shirts

The pullover sport shirts having the colored bands at neck, pockets and arms must be washed carefully so the color does not run onto the white material. Use a tepid suds and do not soak the shirts at all.

An Englishman has invented a telephone to be mounted in the knee space of a desk, the dial being drawn out when calls are to be made.

A legless dining table suspended from a ceiling by an internally illuminated glass tube has been constructed by a New York designer.

Household Scrapbook

A simple way to clean a greasy frying pan is to fill it with hot water to which a teaspoonful of washing soda or soap powder has been added.

Varnished Floors

To keep the polish on varnished floors, try sprinkling coarse salt on the floor, allow this to remain for five minutes, and then sweep it off with a soft broom.

How Can I???

Q. How can I remove the film which adheres to the inside of a basin or saucepan in which paraffin has been melted?

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YOUR INDIVIDUAL HOROSCOPE

Look in the section your birthday comes in, and find what your outlook is, according to the stars. (Copyright, 1938, King Features Syndicate Inc.) For Friday, September 1st. MARCH 21 to APRIL 20 (Aries) —You may not find it so easy today to meet the requirements of your position and various other duties but you can expedite matters by doing what you have to do with sincerity and simplicity.

THE COOK'S CORNER

Bacon Potato Salad

4 strips bacon 6 tablespoons vinegar 1-2 small onion, minced 1-2 teaspoons salt 1 tablespoon sugar Pepper 1 cup sour cream 6 medium cooked potatoes 1 cucumber, chopped Method: Cut the bacon in tiny bits and fry until it is crisp. Add the vinegar, onion, salt, pepper and sugar and cook for a few minutes.

Deviled Eggs

6 hard cooked eggs 4 tablespoons mayonnaise 3 tablespoons chopped pickles 1-2 teaspoon mustard Salt, pepper Method: Cook the eggs in water just under the boiling point for about 20 minutes. Plunge into cold water and chill. Remove the shells and cut the eggs into halves lengthwise, removing the yolks.

Modern Etiquette

Q. Is it proper for a woman to rise when another woman leaves the room? A. It is nice to do so when the woman leaving is much older, but it is not necessary if she is about the same age.

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Mother's Can Be Tragedies to Girls Dorothy Dix Don't Try to Outshine Daughter

Attractive Mothers Can Be Good Press Agents or Deterrents in Promoting Popularity of Their Daughters, so They Should Carefully Guard Their Actions

Mothers can be their daughters' greatest handicaps as well as their best press agents. She can press back for the girl who gets one who can push her fortunes and a terrible tragedy for the girl who gets one who simply blocks her game at every point.

The mother, for instance, who is so determined to keep her daughter pure and unspotted from the world that she makes her a virtual prisoner thinks she is only doing her duty and protecting her little lamb.

The mother who doesn't let her adolescent daughter go to parties or have any friends or let any lad cross the door sill, who thinks that no girl should be allowed to step out before she is 30, believes that the right step to keep her from getting into any foolish young love affairs.

Then there is the mother who never lets her daughter grow up, who never permits her to buy her own clothes or to have an opinion or a thought of her own.

And nothing can be done about it because, alas, girls can't pick out their mothers and mothers always think that Mother knows best. One of these unfortunate daughters writes:

"What can be done for a girl whose stiffest competition is her own mother? My mother is so much more attractive than I am that she puts me completely in the shade and spoils any chances I ever get to have any attention."

The only thing a girl can do who has the too-attractive mother who is a perpetual handicap to her is to get away from her and thus stop the inevitable comparison between them. Remove the competition.

It makes a homely girl ten times homelier if she has a Mother who is still a raving beauty at 40. It is still worse for her if Mother is one of those women who have that subtle and mysterious gift of nature that makes every man between the cradle and the grave get up and follow her.

Furthermore, it is undeniable that the daughter who knows herself inferior to her mother is always at her worst in her mother's presence. Mother cramps her and she can't do her best.

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Morning Smile

The teacher had forbidden the children to eat sweets or chew gum during school time. One day she became suspicious of a lump in Jimmie's cheek. "Jimmie," she said reprovingly, "are you eating sweets or chewing gum?"

Transport Methods

Wife—"It's the furniture folk come for the piano Henry."

Hubband—"But I gave you the money to pay the next instalment."

"Yes, I know, dear; but don't say anything. I'm going to pay them as soon as they get it downstairs. I've decided to have it in the sitting-room."

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RACING DRIVER By ALEXANDER CAMPBELL Author of Daughter of Exile, etc.

Frank gaped. He was stunned. "I say—and—does she?" Professor Ellington turned swiftly in his chair.

"What?" "I like you. As man to man—that's the trouble! She isn't in the least affected by that radiogram, instead of raising Cain, she says of course she understands."

For a moment Professor Ellington's announcement of his drastic change of plans had—admittedly—given Frank hope. It meant that at least another fortnight of Dorothy's company, when he had thought Capetown would mean the parting of the waters.

But the professor's last words had destroyed that hope. Dorothy had not changed. Cut to Rupert's past, she was cold, detached, completely without emotion. She was a perfect match for Rupert Featherstone, her cold-blooded passionless fiancée.

Frank might have been a happier man if he could have read the thoughts of Dorothy herself at that moment.

Rupert's radiogram had hurt her. Her defences were tumbling. She was not the emotionless person she had imagined herself to be.

These last few days, she had watched the others enjoy themselves no longer disinterestedly, but with a good time. She had never known her father to be so jolly. It had been a revelation to her. Christine was enjoying herself. And—Frank Carter and Florence Shaw were the ring leaders of the merriment.

She denied angrily to herself that she was jealous of the fair-haired girl. How could she be? He meant nothing to her.

She must not allow the disappointment which she now admitted she felt over Rupert's behaviour to get mixed up with any false emotion about Frank Carter.

Now must she be unfair to Rupert. He was merely acting as he had always acted. His work, his scientific research, came first. In the past she had admired him for it.

It was not he who had changed, but she. Nevertheless she had schooled herself too well in the analysis of her own emotions—as Rupert himself had taught her to do—not to be aware, and frankly to face the fact as Rupert's image grew more distasteful to her. Frank Carter's new brightness.

Unfortunately the ability to read thoughts is reserved for the few, if

for any, and Frank knew nothing of Dorothy's inward turmoil. Otherwise he would certainly have committed his gravest blunder to date.

WE MEET RUPERT

Rupert Featherstone glanced at his watch. There was half-an-hour to go before the boat docked.

He had always thought that the people who waved to passengers on incoming ships made singular asses of themselves. Most girls, of course, fed as they were on trasy love stories, would expect their fiancés to be there at least two hours before the time, especially after such a lengthy separation. They would imagine their heroes rising asleep at the crack of dawn and rushing forth into the wind and the rain to scan the horizon.

Rupert's lip curled. "Thank goodness, Dorothy indulged in none of that sort of hysteria."

He leaned back in his arm-chair in the lounge of his hotel, picked up the book he was reading, and resumed where he had left off. It would be marching in the game way of the Athlone Tower—dead or time.

He was not an ill-looking young man. In fact he was rather handsome. A large pair of black-rimmed spectacles rested on his straight nose. But that was the only touch of the "high-brow." The brow was broad and white, but not bulging or lofty. The mouth and chin were firm. Behind the screen of the glasses very dark blue eyes were tranquil, conveying a sense of confidence and strength.

As he read, Rupert passed a hand absently through his thick crop of dark, wavy hair. He was clad in a white dress suit, and he had his legs crossed. The toes of one foot, encased in a brown and white shoe, wrinkled in intellectual ecstasy as he grappled with some knotty problem presented by the writer.

However, he was reading, not a treatise on the origin of man, but a murder mystery. Even Rupert had his weaknesses. A figure erupted into the lounge. Large and broad-shouldered, its name was the Hon. Reginald Wells, and its owner had, as he wriggled in intellectual ecstasy as he saw the Grand Prix. Like attracts like. Rupert, who had been rather friendly.

"What-ho!" said the Hon. Reginald, this being his invariable form of greeting. Then a look of amazement passed over his large red face.

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