

FASHIONS—MISCELLANEOUS—MUNICIPAL MARRIAGE BUREAUS—GOOD FORM—QUERIES

DOES CUPID NEED MUNICIPAL HELP? IS QUERY M'LISS PUTS

Governmental Marriage Bureaus Have Been Suggested to Aid Young Men and Women in Selection of Proper Mate

THERE are two theories about love. One is that it is a disease; that it attacks you when you aren't looking and that almost any little girl "who's a nice little girl," to quote the language of the song, "is the right little girl for you" at this crucial time.

Monsieur Brieux, he of "The Damaged Goods" authorship and other arresting and arresting writings, suggests the municipal marriage bureau for the purpose of helping young men find the right young woman and vice versa.

"Special registers should be kept at all Mayor's offices where any eligible young person can sign his or her name and give his or her age and profession, so that any one desiring to marry can find a life companion without difficulty.

Since we agree today that the preservation of the race is the greatest and most sacred duty, it is necessary to give all help to those inclined to build new homes."

This proposition, of course, was launched with the idea of facilitating the repopulation of war-torn France, but it has been suggested that America, too, could profit from the establishment of governmental marriage bureaus.

Now if a shy young man wants to become a beneficiary he is nonplussed to know how to meet some suitable young woman from whom to make his choice.

Letters to the Editor of the Woman's Page Address all communications to M'Liss, care of the Evening Ledger. Write on one side of the paper only.

Dear M'Liss—Do the American Indians have hearts? All the pictures that have been shown to me are of their faces and they are so beautiful by what means did they have it if they have hearts, as I am asking myself, I thank you in advance for giving this matter your attention.

At the Commercial Museum, where it is possible to find out almost anything one wants to know, I am told that a bearded Indian is a rarity. Those who do have him on the face let it grow. Dr. William Wilson, the president of the museum, who was

raised among the Indians, tells me that he has never heard of one of them shaving. The refinements of the razor evidently are not known to them now as "before the white men came."

Dear M'Liss—Please tell me the proper way to spell the technical name of infantile paralysis. It begins with "P" and is spelled in several ways and I want to know the right one. Polioomyelitis.

Marion Harland's Corner Good form queries should be addressed to Deborah Rush, writes on one side and address, though initials only will be published upon request.

May I have the address of the person who signed "Mother" to the article on "Feeding the Baby"? I should like to write to her, as I have a baby six months old and she is so kind to me in the country, where everything looks green and beautiful.

Regarding Business Letters I am told that it is not good form to begin a letter on business as "My Dear Sir" or "My Dear Madam." As I am writing myself to a private secretary in a business office, I should like to be informed on all such points.

"Dear Sir" is more businesslike and in more general use than "My Dear Sir." There can be but one opinion as to the second example you cite. "My Dear Madam" is virtually the repetition of the French "madame," signifying "my lady."

"Asleep at the Switch" I am a faithful reader of the column and enjoy it much. I should love to see the words of "Asleep at the Switch." I enclose a stamped and self-addressed envelope for reply.

"Write Informal Note" Dear Deborah Rush—I received cards from about announcing the marriage of the nephew of an old friend of mine. I was not sure how to write under these circumstances, and would like a formal acknowledgment of the announcement, and should I send a present?

"The Cruel War" An original poem by WILLIAM STOUT. M. I have my friends, the war is on; Our soldiers to the battle have gone; The lands are ringing with shot and shell.

"Pie—Gold and Silver" For the silver part take a large white potato, peel and grate it into a wash plate. Add the juice and grated rind of a lemon, the beaten white of an egg, a cup of white sugar and a cup of cold water.

"Hiding the Can" A teapot which holds a sanitary arrangement for a condensed milk can is the invention of some man, according to Popular Science Monthly.

SEEN IN THE SHOPS



SPORT COAT OF TYROLESE WOOL

THE sport coat is numbered among the necessities in the dress list. This handsome one has possibilities for many occasions. The materials used are Tyrolese wool and velvet, which make a very rich combination.

Baking Soda Uses There are numerous uses to which baking soda can be put, apart from the accustomed and legitimate ones of cake and bread making.

Shoe Tips Advance bulletins state that the smartest shoes for fall will have side buttons, gaiter tops of cloth or leather. Tops matching the costume with which the shoes are worn will be smart, but the white-topped shoes that have been favorites for the last two seasons, at least, will be equally fashionable.

Giblet Sandwich If there are chicken giblets left over, grind them to a coarse paste with a meat chopper and season with mayonnaise. Spread between buttered whole wheat bread for ununsual and delicious sandwiches.

WOMEN AT SEASHORE NOT DISTURBED BY BAN ON BATHERS' BARE LEGS

Season Waning, So They Don't Care; Wait Until Next Year, Say Erstwhile Stockingless Ones in Atlantic

MANY FALL RENTALS

ATLANTIC CITY, Aug. 28.—The feminine bathers at this resort are quick to recover from anger at any supposed abridgement of their rights. Yesterday the regular bathers, who had been deprived of the pleasure of taking stockingless baths on Sunday, were a unit in declaring that they were satisfied with the ruling of the authorities, inasmuch as the new order had not been put into effect until the season was waning.

Season's schedule on the railroads to this city will be adhered to much later than usual this year. Instead of trains being lopped off after Labor Day the full schedule will be retained until late in September, and when the fall trains are announced it will be found that there are more trains than in former years.

Vegetable Hints Strong-flavored vegetables, such as onions, cabbage and turnips, should be cooked uncovered. All vegetables should go over the fire in boiling water.

Watermelon Honey Cut out red pulp from one or more watermelons. Crush and simmer till soft, then strain, thus removing seeds and simmer until thick.

Removing Mildew Mildew on garments is easily removed. Wet the article with soft water, rubbing it well with white soap, then with powdered chalk. Place it on the grass in the sunshine and be sure to keep it damp with water, repeating the process the next day.

Gifts Give a man a horse he can ride, Give a man a boat he can sail; And his rank and wealth, his strength and On sea nor shore shall fail.

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THE CHEERFUL CHERUB

Trees make me feel so loved somehow, Each one a strong and glorious whole— So merry I through this glad sad life Spread out the branches of my soul.



HETTY GREEN'S PAUPER HEIR SUEVED FOR NINE-YEAR SHELTER Man, Long a Public Charge, Benefits by Woman's Death

CAMBRIDGE, Mass., Aug. 28.—Contending that William P. Grinnell, an inmate of its poor farm, was entitled to \$20,000 as his share in the \$1,500,000 estate of the late Sylvia Ann Howland, which was released by the death of Mrs. Hetty Green, the town of Tewksbury today filed a bill in equity to establish its claim against Grinnell for shelter and food furnished him for nine years. Judge Fox granted the town's petition for a temporary injunction restraining Grinnell's receipt or disposal of the property.

VAPOR "CURE" FOR PARALYSIS Yonkers Doctor Says 20-Year-Old Patient Was Saved in 30 Hours

YONKERS, N. Y., Aug. 28.—A possible cure for infantile paralysis is causing much interest in Yonkers and physicians are watching a test on six patients here. It is said that a man 20 years old has been treated successfully.

Souderton to Have Big Labor Parade LANSDALE, Pa., Aug. 28.—Arrangements are completed for a parade a mile long that is to be a feature of the Labor Day celebration at Souderton.

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SUFFRAGISTS DO NOT EXPECT PRESIDENT

Hughes, However, May Be Able to Address Atlantic City Convention

ATLANTIC CITY, Aug. 28.—In the absence of any official acknowledgment up to this time, shore suffrage leaders do not now believe President Wilson will accept the invitation extended to him to speak during the National Woman Party emergency convention, to be held here from September 6 to 10.

No reply has thus far been received from Charles E. Hughes, but Republican national headquarters has indicated that Mr. Hughes, who is now touring the West, will come to Atlantic City to meet the Woman's Party allies if his campaign engagements will permit.

Pennsylvania leaders will take an active part in deciding the plan of campaign to be mapped out for "handicapped" States. It was stated today, it being proposed to make a strong fight for the active support in advance of the November election. Leaders will be asked for assurances that they support their expectation to obtain in the way of the State Legislature. The plan will be placed in concrete form at the next legislative session.

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Bowers also avers that his mother-in-law's antipathy toward him has been marked and her influence over his wife so great that Mrs. Bowers has deserted him and refuses to return.

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"The board of governors. Didn't you know your husband was one of the managers of the Jungletown Babies' Hospital?"

"Well, it happened today. I was elected today; aren't you proud of me?" "Yes," said Mrs. Elephat, thoughtfully, "I am proud of you and sorry for the babies."

"WHAT!" exclaimed Mr. Elephat, almost jumping out of his chair. "Yes," replied Mrs. Elephat, as she came over and kissed her husband. "You are so good and kind I fear you will spoil those dear babies."

FARMER SMITH'S RAINBOW CLUB WHO LIVES ON THE STARS? THE CRUEL WAR Our Postoffice Box THE BIG FIVE—What does that mean? Well, it just means the large-sized Rainbow family named Currie that is spending a happy-go-lucky summer at Sea Isle City, N. J. There are five Curries—Charles, William, James, John and Richard. Every one of the boys is as active in the water as he is on dry land, John, however, holds