

ETIQUETTE FOR ALL OCCASIONS—MARION HARLAND—FASHIONS—ANSWERS TO QUERIES

HOW DO PEOPLE OF MODERATE INCOMES SPEND SUNDAYS?

Interesting Query From Correspondent Asks How You Can Enjoy the Day of Rest When You Haven't an Automobile

ONE of the many interesting things about our fellow beings is how they spend Sunday. The imagination or lack of imagination displayed by people seeking diversion on the day of rest is surprising. Much depends upon circumstances. If you work hard all week you are glad to have one day to yourself for the hundred and one little social duties for which you have no other time. If you have a busy household, yours is the double duty of enjoying Sunday yourself and helping others to do so.

Writes a correspondent who signs herself "Florence X.": "Dear Madam—Will you write an article telling me what people with moderate incomes and no automobiles can do with Sundays?"

Presumably Florence is not churchy in her inclinations, or she would not be so much at a loss to find profitable employment on Sundays. It is not my purpose to quarrel with her on that account. I shall discuss only the possible Sabbath activities of those persons—a large class. I fear—who carry no burden of religious duties or find no pleasure therein.

What did people do before we had automobiles? What do the hundreds of thousands who have none now and perhaps never expect to have one do? And what about those who have automobiles, and wish they never owned one—when the old thing won't work?

Haven't you ever bought real estate in the country of a Sunday afternoon? There are wonderful walks around Philadelphia, walks through leafy lanes, and past lovely old and new homes. Any suburb around Overbrook or Oak Lane,

or the numerous other places that every good Philadelphian knows, boasts charming country homes of varying styles, any of which you can buy. I've acquired several properties in this way, with no inconvenience to the present owners. It's an ideal pastime for a limited income; in fact, it doesn't require any income, only the power and the will to enjoy the blue sky and the autumn leaves and other people's artistic homes.

Do you golf? The links of most clubs are open. If you don't play on Sundays you can watch others.

Or you can take a stroll along the winding footpaths that follow Wissahickon Creek. Just at this time of the year there isn't a more beautiful spot near Philadelphia, for there are narrow, ferny roads that only the feet of man can tread. You can rejoice your spirit in the knowledge that the automobile is not allowed in these sacred precincts, open to pedestrians alone. Hundreds of men and women enjoy themselves like this on Sunday afternoon, why shouldn't you? All you need is a "hobby" to ride.

Other people spend the day of rest in an extremely literal manner. They get up late, read the Sunday papers, eat as much dinner as they can decently and conveniently accommodate, then roll off to bed "to sleep, perchance to dream," until they're nearly insensible. Then there are always letters to write, calls to make, visitors dropping in and week-end trips to make. Altogether, there's no reason why Sunday should be a dull day.

Will some of my readers tell Florence X. how they spend Sunday?

Letters to the Editor of the Woman's Page

Address all communications to Editor of Woman's Page. Write on one side of the paper only.

Dear Madam—Can you tell me how to treat my hands? The knuckles of one hand are, necessarily red. I wash them with soap and water, but they seem never to be immaculate. I have blackheads. Will a bad scar left by a simple so. away in the bath twice daily and drink hot water in the morning, but my skin does not seem to react properly. I have blackheads. Do you think applying a simple so. away would help? FLORENCE X.

Scrub them hard four or five times a day with a stiff nail brush. Yes, if you leave it alone. Touching it will make it remain. Get a good flesh brush, fairly stiff—as stiff as you can stand. Scrub the blackheads every night and morning with this using tincture of green soap. A good facial soap also will do. Do not use needles or pressors on the skin. Vigorous scrubbing keeps the skin on any part of the body in perfect condition, a doctor tells me. I cannot recommend proprietary articles.

GOOD FORM

Good form queries should be addressed to Deborah Rush, written on one side of the paper and signed with full name and address, though initials ONLY will be published upon request.

Four Questions

Dear Deborah Rush—I am a young housekeeper. I wish to marry. I have a few questions to ask her and how to discharge her tactfully if I find she is not suitable. How many times should one entertain in order to avoid getting into a fix? Why should men take the trouble to wear a hat at the table, especially at breakfast, luncheon and dinner? How should one register at a hotel? FLORENCE X.

Write a short note, saying that you have seen her advertisement in the paper and would like her to call in regard to a place with you; also say that you require a reference from her last place. Set a day and hour for calling, and if when she comes you find she has had to ride in the car it is usual to offer to pay her fare. Ask questions as to her ability to perform the work you have mapped out for her, and then, when she gives you the name of the person to whom to refer for her character, write or phone to that person as to the cleanliness, sobriety and other qualities of the maid. Tell her after your interview with her that you will let her know what you decide. The easiest way to arrange with a maid is to take her for a week's trial, and if at the end of the week you decide you do not want her just tell her she does not suit you; or, on the other hand, say that you would like to keep her and ask her if she is willing to stay. After that you should require a week's notice if she does not intend to stay with you, and you should give her a week's notice if you do not wish to keep her.

Three or four small affairs or one large one a year are quite sufficient in the entertainment line for a young housekeeper, and will enable her to pay back her social obligations. As a man's toilet may not be considered finished when he appears in a collarband and collar button, it is certainly very bad form for him to sit down at the dining table not conventionally dressed, be it

breakfast, luncheon, dinner or afternoon tea, for that matter. The proper way for a woman to sign her name in a hotel register is with the suffix Mrs. or Miss as the case may be. The married woman should sign her name as Mrs. John, never using her Christian name after Mrs.

Order of Bridal Procession Dear Deborah Rush—Kindly advise me through the medium of your column, the following with regard to a 6 o'clock wedding in a Catholic church. The bride party consists of seven persons—two ushers, matron of honor, bridesmaid, groomsmen and the bride and groom. After entering the church, how should we proceed in the aisle? Second. What positions do they take at the altar? Third. After the ceremony is performed, how do they leave the church? A READER.

A bridal party including the number of persons you designate should proceed up the aisle as follows: The ushers walking first, together, then the bridesmaid alone, followed by the maid of honor, who walks immediately before the bride and her father or whoever is to give her in marriage. The bridegroom and best man enter the church by a top door and stand outside the sanctuary railing, waiting for the bride to come. The ushers, on reaching the sanctuary, separate, one going on either side, the bridesmaid steps to one side and the best man and matron of honor follow the bride and bridegroom immediately into the sanctuary and stand on either side of the contracting parties as the matron of honor holds the bride's bouquet and arranges her veil, while the best man has the ring when it is needed. After the ceremony the newly married pair lead the way down the aisle together, followed by the matron of honor, the bridesmaid and the two ushers. It is permissible for the best man to walk down the aisle with the matron of honor or with

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The name of the shop where these articles may be purchased will be supplied by the Editor of the Woman's Page, EVENING LEDGER, 608 Chestnut street. The request must be accompanied by a stamped self-addressed envelope and must mention the date on which the article appeared.

the father or whoever has given the bride in marriage, but usually the father joins his family in the front pew and leaves the church with them. If the best man does not walk down the aisle with the matron of honor he usually waits until the bridal procession is over and then, together with the two ushers, takes some of the members of the family down the aisle to the carriage. DEBORAH RUSH.

THE CHEERFUL CHERUB My life is getting so complex; You'd be surprised at what I've done I didn't think that growing up could possibly be so much fun. RYECAM

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Marion Harland's Corner

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Lessons in Spanish I am anxious to meet a few Cornettes who are interested in the study of Spanish. My brother and sister, who are in South American countries, have so strongly urged me to become proficient in this language, and they point out the wonderful opportunities for Americans in opportunity pass by. My sister is a hairdresser in profession, and has made and saved over \$100 in a month less than one year. My brother, a minor engineer, who earned from \$20 to \$25 a week in America, is becoming independently wealthy in his new field. But they were both proficient in Spanish before leaving. The best way to learn is to study and speak the language with others. I trust I shall receive a few replies. C. F.

The advantages of studying Spanish are becoming more and more manifest daily. Whatever may be the issue of Mexican complications it is probable that that country will be brought into closer relations with ours than have ever existed before, and as our correspondent points out, business men and women are discovering new and tempting opportunities for the exercise of various trades and professions in South America. As one who had a fair knowledge of the sonorous tongue in former years, I may add that it is not difficult to learn, particularly if one is already able to read and speak French; also the Spanish literature is rich enough to repay one for the time and labor requisite to learn the language.

Author of Quotation "Can you tell me who said 'From grave to gay, from lively to severe'? It puzzles me that I cannot place it." EMILY J. H. Pope in his "Essay on Man," has the line you quote. But Dryden had already written "From grave to light, from pleasant to severe."

Friends Through Correspondence A few months ago I read a letter similar to

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