

Wickedness may prosper for awhile, but at the long run he that sets all knives at work will pay them.—L'Esrange.

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## Dorothy Dix Talks

### HELPING THE WORLD TO HAPPINESS

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It is a bromide to say that a happy marriage is Paradise regained, and that an unhappy marriage is a hell on earth. There is no other sorrow equal to the misery experienced by the miseducated, just as there is no other joy equal to that serene happiness of the man and woman who find in each other perfect sympathy and companionship.

It makes no difference to a man how hard he works, if he labors for a wife who gives him love and gratitude in return for it. It makes no difference how poor the home is, if peace and affection glorify it. It makes no difference to a woman if she wears a ten-dollar hand-me-down suit if she knows that her husband grieves because he cannot buy her the finest imported gown on Fifth Avenue.

And it makes no difference how many limousines they ride in, how many quarts of pearls and diamonds a man bestows on his wife, if one or the other is selfish and sharp-tongued and tyrannical, if their home is a place of strife and bickering.

When we are married our happiness depends absolutely on our home life and the kind of a husband or wife we have. We cannot get away from that. It is the thing that is ever present with us. It is our own crown of glory, or our hidden torment, and the individual who would be the greatest benefactor that humanity could possibly have would be the one who could insure that every man would get a good wife and every woman a good husband.

There is one such individual, an individual who holds the happiness of humanity in her hands. She could wipe the tears from millions of eyes. She could save millions of hearts from being broken. She could stop divorce and prevent the breaking up of millions of homes, and the orphaning of millions of helpless little children, and she is so selfish that she will not do it.

This individual, who callously refuses to use her power for good, is called Mother, and there is no other fact so strange and so sinister as that she refuses to even recognize her responsibility for a wrong that devastates the world and strews it with broken lives. They don't even see that, with a fearful revenge, her sin reacts on herself, and that the pitiless cruelty she shows to others comes back to slay her own.

Observation and experience have taught us to speak of marriage as the greatest of all lotteries, and to say that no one is enough of a prophet to foretell how a wedding is going to turn out, nor what sort of a husband or wife a man or a woman will be.

Yet it is within the ability of every mother to change marriage from being a lottery into being a certainty, and to assure every man and woman who gets married of getting a good wife or husband. It is strictly within the power of the mothers who are raising up children to stop divorce within one generation, and blot domestic misery out of the universe.

There is no mystery in what constitutes a good husband or wife. It re-

quires no marvelous gifts nor special qualifications. She only wants to be married to an angel. The most that any of us ask in our hearts is just a reasonable amount of self-control and unselfishness. And if added to this we could get some real sympathy and tenderness and appreciation, we should consider ourselves among the most blessed of all mortals.

Suppose, for instance, a mother started out with the benevolent intention of raising her son up to be a good husband for some unknown little girl. She should teach him the elemental moralities, and that a man is a master who generously waxes a woman, and that a woman is a mistress who graciously waxes a man.

She could teach her son the chivalrous attitude towards women. She could teach him to be generous and unselfish to his wife. She could teach him all the little things, the little attentions and courtesies that women love, and she could make him such a husband as would make his wife's heart sing for joy.

But does she do this? She does not. Nobody ever even heard a mother talking to her son about being a good husband, or considering his wife in any way. The mother lets her boy grow up selfish and surly and filled with contempt for women and their ways, and he marries to be just as tyrannical and inconsiderate a husband as his father has been before him.

Nor is the mother any more concerned about providing some hapless young man with a good wife than she is some unfortunate young woman with a good husband. She raises her daughter up to be spoiled and extravagant and lazy and shiftless, with no consideration for any other human being on earth but herself.

She doesn't even teach her daughter how to cook or to manage a house, so that her husband will be sure of a comfortable home. She doesn't teach her daughter how to sew or how to save, or even how to spend money so as to get the best out of it, so that she may be a real helpmeet to her husband.

On the contrary, nothing is more common than to hear mothers say,

"I'm not going to teach my daughter to cook. There'll be time enough for that after they get married." "I'm going to indulge her in everything I can. It'll do her good to have her mother's love." "I don't think it's any of my business, but these fellows are not good, and these girls are undisciplined, incompetent, grasping, unscrupulous, and without a pang of remorse for the misery they are inflicting on the poor husbands."

Among my acquaintances is a splendid young fellow full of ambition and energy and talent, who would go far except for the handicap he carries in the shape of a wife, whose mad extravagance keeps him continually in debt. He sneers at his wife's shrieks, and makes such a show of the poor husband gives in at last through sheer exhaustion. And her mother backs her up in her tantrums by saying, "Of course, Tom, I know you can't afford it, but you'll have to get it for Gladys, because she has never been denied anything in her life, or forced to do anything she didn't want to do."

What a way to bring up a wife for a man! What a crime! Murder would be a less cruel thing to do than to raise a girl to make some man miserable for life, or a boy to be the kind of a husband that makes a woman wish that her bridal veil had been her shroud.

And here is the incongruous thing about it all. The very mothers who are raising up the sort of husbands and wives who will be a curse to some other woman's children, are praying that their own children will get exactly the other kind of matrimonial partners.

Is it not time that women tried to be just in this matter, and that every mother had it on her conscience to make her boy and girl such a husband and wife as she would be willing to see them marry?

When that time comes we shall have the domestic millennium, and marriage will cease to be a failure.

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## BEAUTY CHATS

By EDNA KENT FORBES

### Beauty In Dress

MORALISTS TO THE CONTRARY—fine feathers do make fine birds, in the very best sense of that term. While I have as little patience as the most

has not the brains to think of anything else, might otherwise use the time for even more foolish purposes.

The chief value of good clothes is their internal, as well as their external effect. The girl in a new suit, hat and furs, who is conscious that she looks very stylish and smart, walks better and feels happier, and generally is more successful than the woman in shabby shoes and a year-before-last suit. I've told before the story of the young girl hunting work, who had just seven dollars to her name, no job in sight, and her feet were on the ground. She spent the whole seven dollars for a good pair of boots that made her look smart instead of shabby, that redeemed her old suit and hat. Then she went after the most promising opening—and got the position she wanted.

Which doesn't mean that a woman should spend every cent on clothing. Its moral is that a successful appearance brings success—the world at large judges you by externals. Make yourself as attractive as possible.

### Questions and Answers

Would you kindly tell me what I can do for my hair? I generally put it on curlers at night, but rainy days, or very hot days, I am so thin I do not look good with my hair combed back straight.—E. W.  
Reply—Doing the hair tightly on curlers every night keeps the air away from it, and encourages stringiness. Is it long enough to puff at the sides and to be wound in a coronet braid? This gives the effect of wavy hair, but is much prettier. Otherwise, keep it as busy as possible, and pull it over the ears and forehead.

To I. D. M.—I cannot give you the names of any powder preparations; but all good ones under certain names. Buy Brunette, deep red, or Rachel—which is a golden shade invariable on dark skins. If your skin looks chapped, use less powder and rub glycerine and rose-water into the skin before powdering.

cynical man with the woman whose whole life is given over to the thought of dress, still I believe that every woman owes it to herself to dress as well as she can. Clothes are a harmless hobby, though often an expensive one. The woman who

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## COMMENCEMENT SCHEDULE FOR PUNAHOU PREP

Special Star-Bulletin Correspondent: OAHU COLLEGE, June 13.—Commencement activities are beginning at Punahou. The Preparatory School program of commencement events is interesting, and the patrons of the school are invited to note the following schedule:

Friday, June 15, is special teachers' day. At 10 o'clock in Charles R. Bishop Hall and later on the campus below the lily pond the following exercises will take place: Music, calisthenics, folk-dancing, first aid, art, handicrafts, including sewing.

On Friday, June 15, at Charles R. Bishop Hall entrance examinations will be given for entrance to grade 10 on Saturday, at 9 o'clock. Examinations will be given for all other grades as well as to grade 10.

Sunday, June 17, at 7:30 o'clock in Central Union Church the baccalaureate sermon will be given.

On Tuesday morning, June 19, in Charles R. Bishop Hall the eighth grade will give its commencement exercises. The program will start at 9:30.

## MID-PACIFIC HAS FINAL EXERCISES

Thirty-nine graduates, 22 from the high school department and the remainder from eighth grades and special departments, received diplomas yesterday afternoon at commencement exercises at the Mid-Pacific Institute. The exercises were held in Wilcox hall, Mills School.

An oration on "Making American Citizens," delivered by August Puuki, was one of the several interesting numbers on the program. Puuki explained the efforts being made by the schools of the territory to solve the problem of making American citizens of Oriental youths born in Hawaii. The principal address was delivered by Rev. George Laughton of the First Foreign church, Hilo, whose subject was "The Power That Makes for Living."

The diplomas were awarded by Dr. Robert Day Williams, president of Mid-Pacific, assisted by John F. Nelson and Kathryn Adams. Principal Nelson of Mills announced that the names of Chuck Ah Fong, Choy Doo Whan and Edward Ha will be placed on the honor roll. During the exercises music was furnished by the Kawaiahae Glee Club, led by Miss Ruth Tubbs and Hogarth Pettyjohn. The invocation was by Rev. O. H. Gulick and the benediction by Dr. William Henry Fry.

The graduates were: Mills High School—Ahn Soon Nam, Hin Yew Char, Dang Tai Hee, Frank Takeshi Ishii, Keichi Jo, Andrew Kitaru Kita, Keiji Okasaki, L. M. K. Choo, August Puuki and Yasohachi Sakuma. Kawaiahae Seminary, eighth grade—Annabelle Kaaua Ahi, Ruth Lelani Eze, Nobuko Hilo, Toshiko Ichinose, Lily Kalepoikeala Kaholo, Mary Kawaiiani Kamau, Lizzie Kamallo Kilauana, Kathleen Hazel Mitchell, Edna Frances Morse, Miriam Olsson and Fuyu Sakuma. Kawaiahae Seminary, sewing class—Cecilia Haalou/Kapule, Julia Lelaoha Makaonana, Helen halau Palama. Mills School, eighth grade—Lee Puck Chun, Makoto Endo, Kim Yoon Ock, Mitsui Matsuyoshi, Yo Ken Mau, Ungaro Miura, Ng Awan Chong, Juichi Okabe, John Parker, Darwin R. Shigi, Alfred H. Stephen, Toyosaku Sumida, Shozo H. Tanijo, Kiichi Yamamoto and Young Kam Yuen.

Harvard students are training on Soldiers' Field, Cambridge.

## When a Feller Needs a Friend - By BRIGGS



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### ERECT PLATFORM FOR FLAG DAY EXERCISES

Preparations for the Elks' Flag Day exercises in front of the capitol building at 8 o'clock Thursday evening continued today with the erection of a large 20 by 30-foot stand upon which will be seated those who will participate in the ceremonies and also heads of the city, territory, army, navy and guard.

A special section of 250 seats will be reserved in front of the walkway section of seats and a membership Elks card or pin will serve as admission tickets when shown to boy scouts at the gate. On the east side a place is reserved for such veterans as the G. A. R., Spanish War men and foreign wars members, also for Sons and Daughters of the Revolution.

The Elks' committee in charge extends a cordial invitation to all patriotic citizens, and promises that the affair will be one of the most thrilling and impressive ever held in Honolulu. The Hawaiian band starts playing at 7:45 and continues until 8 o'clock.

### PUBLIC SCHOOLS CLOSE FOR SUMMER ON JUNE 22

Public schools in the territory will close for the summer vacation on June 22 and all the schools in Honolulu are planning appropriate commencement and other closing exercises. The department estimates that about 80 per cent of the students in the eighth grades will be graduated this month.

### SCHOOL EXHIBITION AT KOREAN SEMINARY

With Mrs. L. L. McCandless, Miss Judd and Mrs. R. O. Matheson acting as judges of the sewing and drawing work, a school exhibition will be held at the Korean Girls' Seminary, Liliha street, from 2:30 until 4 o'clock tomorrow afternoon. Commencement exercises will be held at 7:30 o'clock next Friday evening, the graduates being Lumchoi Lu, Cecilia Kim, Agnes Park and Bertha Nam.

Jess Willard, the American heavyweight pugilist, telegraphed to the President, "I will fight. When do you want me?" It is said that recruiting officers have refused to enlist him because he is too big.



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