

American Wife's Theory And Practice of the Art Of Sane Motherhood

"A Mother Can Teach More by Example Than by Precept," Declares Mrs. Charles P. Gray, "and Make Your Child Healthy and the Problem of His Behavior Will Be Simple."

"Instill in Daughters and Sons the Notion That They Are in the World to Be and Do Something—Avoid Appealing to the Element of Fear."

Marguerite Moores Marshall.
Does the American mother spoil her children?

Dr. Adolph Berginsky of the University of Berlin declares that she does. But surely the authority of the American mother herself may be taken as the equal of that of a visiting German savant on this particular point of the proper care of children. And several women, able to illustrate their discourse with normal, well-behaved sons and daughters, have already come to the defense of American motherhood. Another speaks to-day in the person of Mrs. Charles P. Gray of No. 126 Prospect Park West, Brooklyn. Mrs. Gray is the mother of two smiling little girls.

"But please don't make me pose as a post-graduate in the duties of motherhood," laughed Mrs. Gray, who has all the frank friendliness and absence of self-consciousness of the California-born. "You see, Dorothy, my older little girl, is only six, and Charlie is not quite three. One can't tell how they will turn out!"

"Yet you have your theories for bringing up children?" I suggested. "Indeed, yes. I had them long before I was ever married," she asserted, with a twinkle in her big gray eyes. "And, of course, I've had considerable practical experience already, which is apt to be rather more valuable than theories."

And here, in tabloid form, are the results of Mrs. Gray's theory and practice: "A mother can teach more by example than by precept. Make your child healthy and the problem of his behavior will be comparatively simple. Avoid appealing to the element of fear in bringing up your child. Instill in your daughters, as well as in your sons, the notion that they are in the world to be and do something. It is easier to bring up two children than one."

"Contrary to the opinion of that German professor, I believe that children to-day are receiving more intelligent care than in any past generation," asserted Mrs. Gray. "I know that personally I have paid the most careful attention to my children's diet from the very first, and many of my friends are equally scrupulous in regard to their little ones. My daughters never eat a meal which I have not carefully studied out, down to the smallest detail, to be sure that the various food components are in the proper proportion. PLENTY OF SLEEP, AIR AND PROPER FOOD."

"My younger little girl's bedtime is at half-past five, and she sleeps fourteen hours. Neither of the children was ever rocked to sleep in her life. Both spend at least half the day outdoors, except in the stormiest weather. As a result, they are splendidly well and strong, and that's half the battle of good behavior."

"Even grown-up persons, when they are not well, lose their tempers and misbehave in a way of which they are ashamed later on. How can we expect anything different from children? I believe that a great deal of juvenile naughtiness is really indigestion or headache or nervousness."

"But given the healthy child, how should it be controlled?" I asked. "Make few rules, but insist on obedience to those you do make," enumerated Mrs. Gray. "When the child 'breaks out' in some new fashion, try to get his point of view before condemning him. His apparent naughtiness may be the result of a train of reasoning that seems quite proper to him. Ever so many children are punished for impertinence, when their questions or observations were made in perfectly innocent spirit of curiosity or literariness."

"Make the punishment fit the crime, and resort to corporal punishment only when every other method of control fails. But the sooner a child learns that a broken law always brings punishment, the better for him in after life. He is exceedingly quick to trace the relation between cause and effect, and that is why it is so well to make the penalty for wrong-doing a natural result of it."

"Don't you think the old-fashioned punishment of frightening children with a 'bogey' rather dreadful?" I asked, because I felt sure that Mrs. Gray would agree with me in condemning this relic of the Inquisition. "It is horrible," she assented warmly. "The parent who threatens a child by saying that the policeman will come and take him off is wrong on at least two counts. He is telling the child a lie, and he is appealing to the most de-

MERRY COUNTESS SONG HIT FREE. With next Sunday's World will be given the words and music of John Strain's famous Blue Island Waltz which is the song hit of "The Merry Countess," the Viennese operetta now running at the Casino Theatre. This was one of the songs which Mrs. Gray sang at Newport, where "The Merry Countess" company was one of the houses on the program.



MRS. CHARLES P. GRAY
DOCTOR'S AND CHARLIE

plorable human instinct, that of fear. The only fear I ever try to instill in my children is the dread that they will not grow up with noble, beautiful characters. Under one of my little girls will walk into a dark room without the slightest hesitation."

Then Mrs. Gray voiced another new and distinctive idea, which is gradually spreading among the progressive parents of daughters.

"I have already begun to talk to my

girls about choosing some definite profession or business when they grow up," she said. "I insist that my little girls shall become accustomed from childhood to the idea that they will have their living to earn. Our sons are taught to look forward to this time; why not our daughters?"

"With this same idea in mind, even little children, whether boys or girls, should have their small allowance and know how to handle it. Every day that my little girls can show an absolutely clean record, each receives a penny. Each has her own bank account, and does a certain amount of spending with her little allowance. I would not encourage penuriousness, and one learns the worth of money by spending as well as by saving."

"I find that the two children assist greatly in each other's development. Their companionship cultivates the social instinct, generally, unselfishness and a certain responsibility. These qualities come as the result of practice, rather than of precept, and the example set by the mother is of great value. But the only child of even a wise and unselfish mother is apt to get in the way of thinking himself the centre of the universe."

GIRL HURT IN AUTO CRASH.

Escort, Who Was Operating Machine, Locked Up After Accident.

Alfred B. Stone, thirty-six years old, a real estate dealer of Bronxville, was arraigned in the Westchester Court today charged with operating an automobile while intoxicated.

Stone and Miss Edith Smith, twenty-two years old, of Bronxville, were thrown from a machine early to-day on the White Plains road at Two Hundred and Thirty-fifth street when their car struck a telegraph pole. A policeman summoned Dr. Gillette, who attended Miss Smith and sent her home with a wrenched knee. Stone was not seriously hurt, but could give no coherent account of himself. He was held at the Wakefield station.

Auto Kills Congressman. PORTVILLE, O., Oct. 1.—Congressman Carl C. Anderson of this city was instantly killed last night when an automobile in which he was riding overturned.

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HIS FLYING BOAT NOW FOOL-PROOF, CURTISS ASSERTS

Aviator Says Hydro-Aeroplane Will Soon Be Common as Auto in Europe.

Back from Europe, where he has been selling hydro-aeroplanes and teaching army officers in England, France and

Germany how to fly them, Glenn H. Curtiss, the aviator who was the first to succeed in making an aeroplane that would leave the water, declares that in the near future the flying boat will be almost as common in Europe as the automobile. He is enthusiastic over a new device he has invented, which, he says, will make the hydro-aeroplane fool proof. "My latest machine," said Mr. Curtiss, "will carry three persons either in flight or skimming over the surface of the water, and I have a new gyroscopic device attached which results against any tendency to tilt either forward or backward or sideways."

"The new sport of the flying boat has been taken up keenly by European sportsmen. I met with the greatest enthusiasm. Having exhausted the automobile as a means of diversion, they are simply jumping at the hydro-aeroplane, and it offers just the spice of newness and body."

adventure that they needed. Also it gives them the speed nature now craves. "With the gyroscopic safety attachment, rendering the machine practically fool-proof, any man of ordinary nerve may now navigate both air and water and be safer than in many an automobile or motor-boat. In the flying boat you do not have to consider the dangers of landing among trees or on hard surfaces."

"The reason why there have been so many fatalities with the aeroplanes lately is that so many men are flying without sufficient experience. This is especially so among young Army and Navy officers, all of whom want to fly."

Gored by Cow, Woman Is Dying.
Mrs. Sadie Hays of Landis Township, near Millville, N. J., is dying from injuries received Monday when attacked by a cow she had tried to drive from her garden. Neighbors drove the animal away. Mrs. Hays was trampled and gored on the upper part of her

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The Secrets of Paris Are Disclosed in This, The Fashion Exhibition de Luxe of America—at GIMBELS

La Promenade des Toilettes

Fashion's verdict for this season—which has been the tormenting element in woman's mind—was predicted by Mme. Georgette in an interview several weeks ago when she was about to sail for Paris. But she had formed this opinion before she left the French Capital a month previous, which was at the eve of the Dressmakers' Openings—

"Orientalism Is Going Out! And There Is a Decided Trend Toward a Classic Greek Revival—Especially in the Draperies."

Mme. Georgette, who is considered the foremost modiste of Paris, was quite right. Indeed, in our Paris Bureau at that very time, the new Grecian-inspired modes were being carefully packed in trunks to come to the House of Fashions. So you see GIMBELS is again the first to present the

Authentic Modes in Costumes Wraps and Furs

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Quite the most unique and unmodified Grecian gown is by Paul Poirer—it is of white crepe meteor draped so exquisitely that it looks as though it had been modeled by a sculptor. Its bodice, which is sleeveless, is draped from the shoulders to form a pointed decolletage, and its only trimming is a green chiffon sash. The beautiful simplicity of the Greeks visualized!

Considering the Grecian inspiration, the luxuriousness, and every phase of these models—the costumes exhibited are of the beautiful artistic character that women desire. In other words, they are the most wearable of gowns and wraps. We do not believe in extremes that are freakish!

These costumes, besides the Accessories of Dress and the

New Paris Millinery

By Georgette, Lewis, Reboux, Louison and Other Modistes
are displayed by thirty beautiful women—between 10 A. M. and 12 noon; 2 to 4 P. M., in a charming Autumnal garden on the Eighth Floor. Miss Viola Ellis, recently heard as Alan a Dale in "Robin Hood," will give a recital in the Piano Salons immediately after the Promenade. Also—Displays of the New Modes in the Third Floor Salons. Our Reproductions and Adaptations of Imported Models are especially commendable at their moderate prices.



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Important Hair Goods Sale In the Coiffure Salons

Many a smart hat has its effect ruined by the wrong style of hairdressing beneath it. The Gimbel Coiffure Salon is always able—and glad—to give women the benefit of expert advice on the styles of hairdressing that are both fashionable and becoming to them; and to furnish hair-goods of best and absolutely sanitary qualities at very moderate prices. In order to acquaint more women with the splendid service of this Salon, we announce for Thursday, Friday and Saturday, a sale of Hair Goods, of Gimbel quality, at the following very low prices:

Switches
20-in., 8-stem, Wavy Switches, of fine hair; reg. \$4, at \$2.50; 24-in., reg. \$6, at \$3.50; 28-in., reg. \$10, at \$7.50.
Pompadours
Three-quarter Transformations, of fine wavy hair, all usual shades, regularly \$5, at \$3.50.
For padours, on fine wire, wavy hair, can be used outside or inside, gray and all usual shades, reg. \$8.50, at \$2.
Transformations
24-in., all around, of 14-in. wavy hair, all usual shades, regularly \$7.50, at \$4.75.
Psyches
Large single Puffs, of fine hair, regularly \$1.50, at \$1.
Large single Puffs, of finest French wavy hair, regularly \$3, at \$1.50.
Large Gray Psyche, of fine hair, all shades, regularly \$4, at \$2.50.
24-in. All-around Sanitary Rolls, 40c. All our Silk Nets at 50c.
Main Floor, Rear Balcony

Dainty Embroideries in A Sale of Sample Strips
These are the 2 1/2 to 5-yard lengths used by the makers of embroideries to market their goods. They have finished with these for the season, so we have a charming collection of them to sell at a saving of about a third. There are Edges, Insertions and Flounces in fine designs, at 12c to 25c a yard. Another specially priced group of beautiful Insertions and Edges on fine nainsook and cambric, at 15c and 18c a yard—assay of about one-fourth.

East Meets West in This Superb Exhibit of Floor Coverings

All through the Summer calm we have been working busily toward the quickening trade-winds of October, in the spreading Section devoted to the Gimbel stock of Floor Coverings.

The great American mills have sent us their finest Rugs and Carpets; and the choicest weaves from Persia and India form a group wonderfully rich in its variety of coloring and design. The display of Linoleums and Oilcloths includes the best foreign and American makes.

In brief, the Gimbel stock of Floor Coverings is magnificently equipped to meet every demand made upon it, just when its services are most needed by people who are preparing their homes for winter occupancy.

Besides the broad collection at regular prices, there is many a specially-priced group that offers welcome savings of 25 to 50 per cent. For instance, these:

Oriental Rugs
Shirvan and Daghestan Rugs, small sizes, at \$12.50 to \$15.
Mojul Rugs, about 150, at \$22.50 each.
Kirmanshah Rugs, from mat sizes to 4 ft. x 6 ft. 6 in., at \$8.50, \$25, \$35 and \$45.
Kirmanshah Carpets at \$195 to \$225.
Sarouk Rugs, a special group at \$35.
Domestic Rugs
Worsted Wilton Rugs, 9 x 12 ft., special at \$30.
Body Brussels Rugs, 9 x 12 ft., special at \$19.50.
Sanford Axminster Rugs, 9 x 12 ft., special at \$19.50.
One-piece Rugs, 9 x 12 ft., in plain colors and self tones, of standard \$55 quality, at \$40.
Main Floor

French Kid Gloves at \$1.50 For Women Who Like QUALITY

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Main Floor

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