

THURSDAY

TOBEY AND TYKE



AFFAIRS of the HEART

By Mrs. Thompson

There must be a common bond of interest between couples if their marriage is to be happy. If their interests do not meet, then one of them must make concessions to the other until they do. Usually it is the wife who must make the concessions.

A disappointed wife writes: Dear Mrs. Thompson: I am a young married lady of twenty-four. My husband and I have been married nearly two years now and we are still living in five rooms over a store. We have a baby girl ten months old and it seems to me I must have a house and yard for her this summer. My husband won't save money in any way. He doesn't make much, but if he would only be careful we could get a small house somewhere. We need furniture badly, but instead of buying it he comes home with a rare edition of a book. He has a lot of old books that no one else would have around. He is also interested in travel and buys books on that subject, while he could do his reading with library books. What I say seems to make him feel badly at the time, but the next time he is tempted to fall, he gives me all the money he

thinks he can spare, but some months it isn't as much as he spends himself and I have to buy the food and pay all the bills except the rent. I simply hate wormy old things and when we get furniture I want something new. My husband says he likes antiques and he reads a lot of books about them. It seems so hopeless because I can't interest my husband in another home or furniture unless we stop at a second-hand store and he looks at the junk. I simply wouldn't have in the house things he wants to buy.

Don't you think it is only fair to baby to move where there is a yard? How can I make my husband see the truth as I see it? ANNE. It is only fair to you and the baby to move where you will have a yard. Such a home is necessary to you because you crave it so, and of course the baby needs to play out of doors. On the other hand there are certain things necessary to your husband's nature. From what you say I should judge that he is a born collector. He loves the old things which are only junk to you. If each of you could make compromises and try to understand the other's point of view you would be much happier together. I would advise you to read the books on antiques which your husband brings home. If you haven't time for that, ask him to teach you what is considered good. In such a way you may cultivate a real taste for the things that

appeal to your husband. As you work for his point of view, he will more readily grasp yours.

HIS SWEETHEART: Inquire at the marriage license bureau for the information you desire. Of course it is necessary for a man to be 21 years of age or to have the consent of his parents. It is also necessary to give right names, not twisting their order, to have the marriage legal. The minister's fee depends on circumstances; the average fee is \$5.

CRUSHED LILY: Don't be afraid to tell the man. His love for you will be very small and not worth having if he is unforgetting.

I wonder if marriage ever reforms a man, as some persons seem to think. Usually a girl is love with an unworthy man, feeling that it is in her power to reform him. Observation should teach her that unless he reforms himself before marriage it is useless to hope for improvement afterward. A young woman writes: Dear Mrs. Thompson: I am a girl of twenty-four and am in love with a clever young man of twenty-six. He has a great future I feel sure if some one stands by him and helps him to overcome the habit of drinking. At the office where he works all of the men drink. They do not drink so much, but that is his weakness. You can imagine that he is good in his work or he would not be

able to hold his position. He tells me that he loves me and wants to marry me, but he does not ask me to marry him for the present. He has not been able to save money, and he knows that it takes a lot to support a wife these days. My father and mother can't say enough against him. The fact that he is very smart is not enough to make up for the fact that he drinks. I feel that when he has a wife to take care of him and give him the right things to eat, there will be less temptation. Now he has a room and gets his meals in restaurants. Don't you think that a man who is fed properly is not so apt to drink? Am I wrong in remaining true to the man I love, although my parents feel that he is unworthy of me? VIRGINIA.

You will throw your life away if you marry a drinking man with the hope that after marriage he will reform. Proper food is not enough to keep a man straight. It is necessary that his desire to keep straight is stronger than his desire to drink. Unless he proves himself strong enough to overcome the drink habit now, do not entertain any hope for the future. A man's mental, moral and physical strength gives way under the strain of dissipation. Your parents are only thinking of your welfare and your happiness when they oppose your love for the young man. They are quite right in feeling as they do. ANXIOUS: Your father took ex-

By REDNER

ask if he no longer loves me, he only laughs and says that I take life too seriously. I think of him all day and cannot sleep at night for thinking of him. If something doesn't happen it seems to me I will go crazy. We went together about three months and were perfectly happy, but then he began acting queer. I don't want to live if he gives me up. What can I do to make him love me as he did at first? He drinks a little too much and sometimes I think I am too slow for him. I would do anything in the world to make him love me except drink. I do not believe in it and want to be a good citizen. SIMONA.

My dear girl, you have the wrong viewpoint; you are suffering foolishly for someone who would make you very unhappy even if he were to return your love. Evidently he is the type of man who does not hesitate to trifle with a girl's affections. He makes love until he grows weary and then he turns to someone new. Really, you are very fortunate that he does not love you.

ALICE J.: I do not disclose the names and addresses of correspondents.

M. D.: Girls usually learn such things at their mother's knee. I cannot undertake to impart them in this column.

CORENA: It is the girl's place to speak first. A 14-year-old girl in the seventh grade, shouldn't be thinking of marrying.

D. Y.: Your letter plainly is insincere. Consequently it goes into the wastebasket.

DAISY: I do not recommend so-called beauty preparations. I have found that plain white soap and plenty of soft water are most effective in preserving the skin.

Mrs. J. J.: You might say "I am teacher will invite you to sit down and listen to the class work. Stay until the lesson she is teaching is over, or through another period if you are interested and do not feel that your presence is upsetting to the teacher and the class.

MARTHA: It would be better to go to your aunt for a home than to marry at the age of 16. You would probably be very unhappy in the home of the boy's people, since you say that even now they are not kind to you.

ANXIOUS K. M.: The young women should always speak first in this respect. As long as it is understood by your parents that you are engaged, it is all right for the young man to pay devoted attentions to you.

ANXIOUS: Indeed you should replace the pin even if you have I should think you would want to go without your own class pin. rectify the loss.

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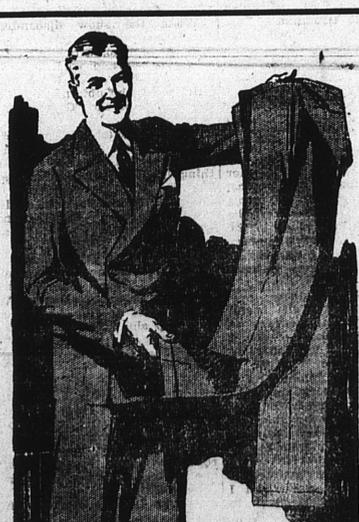
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