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Votes for Women?

MISS DAISY DOANT For the Douglas County Equal Suffrage Association.

Women as Jurors

Giving votes to women does not mean that women shall be required to serve on juries. The two things are distinct The qualifications of voters are fixed by section I of article vii of the constitution, which gives votes to males. This is about to be amended so that the word "males" shall be omitted. The qualifi cations of jurors are prescribed by statute, which may be changed from time to time without affecting the question of voting.

The Nebraska jury law provides that jurors shall be taken from a list made up from "all males residing in any of the counties of this state having the qualifleations of electors." with certain other limitations as to age and occupation Thus, persons over 60 years of age arnot required to serve on juries, nor ministers, certain county officers, attorneys physicians, druggists, letter carriers members of the state militia and of the fire department. If we can exempt ministers, doctors and lawyers, who are voters, it is quite likely that we can exempt women when they are voters.

Without giving votes to women, laws could be passed permitting or compelling on juries in Seattle, it is because the men and women voters of the state of Washwemen to do so.

qualified to serve if they see fit, or shall be absolutely exempt, can be considered and settled by statutes to be passed form time to time. The only difference will be that then women will have a voice in deciding whether they shall or shall not sit on juries, where now they have FRANCIS A. BROGAN.

A Dialogue

recently between a suffragist and an as men. anti-suffragist:

Mr. Anti-No. I don't believe in woman suffrage. I've got a ranch in Colorado and the women don't vote. We try to drag them to the polls, but they won't go, and I'm going to vote against it in of the wittiest of the speakers against Nebraska. (The question here arises feminism and suffrage in the country why the women of Colorado should be today. Among her terse and true epi-'dragged" to vote if they don't wish to? Have not they the right to stay at home election day?)

judge-a bad man; women put dishonest

Mr. Suffragist-But you said just

little while ago they do not vote. Mr. Anti-No, they don't. Mr. Suffragist-Then how are they responsible for the judge's election?

No answer Mr. Suffragist-Isn't it true that there

women in Colorado? Mr. Anti-Yes, several thousand, Mr. Suffragist-Then, if the women are motherhood."

in the minority and don't vote besides, ditions there?

No answer. Truly, the anti-suffrage mind is a

STEPHEN S. WISE TALKS ON WOMEN

Rabbi Wise, who preaches in Carnegie hall in New York every Sunday, is one of the most ardent suffragists who lifts up a telling voice for the cause of woman's enfranchisement. The following are ex-

tracts from recent sermons: the councils of state is partially, if not the plague of war upon earth. Is it less than incredible that six or seven nations are engaged in the greatest war that the world has ever known and not a woman in all those lands has been consuited as will be by women borne?"

"Unrest there is in womanhood today,

POLITICAL PARTIES ENDORSE SUFFRAGE

suffrage planks have been year than ever before.

The republicans have recommended the submission of a constitutional amend-Jersey, Pennsylvania, Iowa and Vermont, male, mile in Himois, Maryland, North Dakota and Ar & isas they have gone fur-

ther and declared for the principle. The democrats have recommended the sub-mission of a constitutional amendment in that the improvement of woman's post-

already have full suffrage, both repub- principles, and that principles are not beans and democrats have this year for taught by votes and legislation, but by clever enough to pick out a clean path the first time adopted planks calling for precept and practice. a nation-wide suffrage amendment to the onstitution of the United States.

AN OPINION.

themselves intelligent voters

MISS MARJORIE DORMAN.

For the Nebraska Association Op-posed to Woman Suffrage, Protection for Women

Those of us who are advocating protective legislation for women realise that our greatest enemies in educating public opinion along this line are the suffragists. For the suffragists are demanding absolute equality before the law for men and women.

At the last session of the Connecticut legislature when the fifty-four-hour law for women recommends by the industrial commission was up for consideration the only woman who spoke against it was a suffragist. She said women needed no privileges and protections not needed by ien. She usked for "absolute equality and identity under the law, with the words male and female wiped off the statute books." No woman who, like he writer, has punched a time clock rants equality for men and women in Life is hard enough for the oman who toils. Let us try to shield and protect her at her task to our utnost ability.

Wake Earners' Anti-Suffrage cague endorses the nine-hour day for women-but not for men; the abolition of night work for women-but not for men; the prohibition of dangerous occupations, such as working in mines, them to serve on juries. If women sit running clevators, cleaning and oiling moving machinery, handling explosives and all occupations which require conington have decided that it is best for stant standing, for women-but not for men. Some slight progress has been When the suffrage amendment carries made in securing protective legislation in Nebraska, whether women shall be for women, although the laws are not compelled to serve on juries or shall be as yet either adequate or well enforced. But once the law recognizes men and women as equal, the entire fabric of protective legislation for women have the underpinnings knocked out from under it.

We can only ask greater protection from the laws for women than we ask for men by admitting that women are weaker than men and possess less endurance and self-reliance and to add this weakness to the fabric of government will only serve to weaken the government and lessen the protection which it The following conversation took place accords to every one alike, women as well I did not know how to play. MARJORIE DORMAN.

Wit and Epigram

Mrs. John Martin of New York is one grams are the following:

"The same course of reasoning which with the 7,000,000 men in the United leads a woman to become an ardent suf-States who stay away from the polls on fragist will lead her to become an ardent feminist all along the line when-Mr. Anti-Women in Colorado elected ever she has the courage to follow it out to its logical conclusion."

"Every independent woman who takes a high salary as a substitute for a bevy of bables is murdering posterity. "It is better to be a good cow than a

poor politician. "The cradle is empty that restaurants may be filled

to a factory it does interfere with her

"There is really no good reason why how can they be responsible for bad con- women should not vote, no reason at all why they should."

"Feminism is the process of putting father out of business, of reducing the wondrous thing and works two ways at lord of creation to the status of a tom-

After careful perusal of the foregoing age. statements it will cause no surprise to less loved than feared.

Husband and Wife

More than 75 per cent of the women of Nebraska are married. If the homes of "I hold that the absence of women from these women are to be represented in politics, these women will have to vote as largely, responsible for the continuance of their husbands vote. A wife who votes against her husband disfranchises him. All she accomplishes by going to the polls is to tie his hands. One vote nullifies the other and both may as well stay at home. Wives will be forced to dupli- have had admirers of the opposite sex. to whether war or peace should be, though cate or frustrate the votes of husbands. but have been so unfortunate as to meet tens of thousands of men of women born It is obvious that no partnership nor co- only the type of man who is called 'fast.' have died and the last great terrible cost operative society could long exist where These young men often say to me. 'Why of war in life-long sorrow and suffering the partners or members were rivals in- are you so quiet." And my girl friends stead of allies-even in a game, of bridge keep telling me I am too slow and that partners do not neglect each other's inbut there is more than unrest, for the terest and each other's signal, or if they unrest which obtains in the world of do they lose the game. Suffragists may disgusted I could cry. Now, tell me, womanhood is symbolic of the warring of foresee a society and marriage customs please-does it pay to be good? In my mighty forces. Cure for unrest-there can in which such conditions prevail, but they case it does not seem to," writes a disbe none, for unrest is not a disease, but would never last long and would eventuthe never-ceasing pains of growth. The ally be dealt with like mutiny on board awakening is the token of the life which a ship-by firm discipline-and the strongany actual industrial competition man can for which he endures is removed, however, when woman becomes his rival and not his helpmate and ally-and in that adopted in more party platforms this case it is more than likely that he may prefer the less arduous position himself, handing over the earning to his mate in ment to the voters in New York, New the economic independence of the free

OPINIONS IN POINT.

Miss Ida M. Tarbell-The assumption New York, New Jersey, Massachusetts, tion depends upon the vote is quite as Illinois, Rhode Island and Connecticut, unsound as the charge of her inferiority. and have come out in favor of the prin- Woman proves her equality by doing the iple in North Dakota, Pennsylvania and things for which she is fitted and which Vermont. The progressives and socialists the world need from her. It is the gravhave adopted suffrage planks practically est weakness of this country at present to ignore certain fundamental things, that several of the states where women life is not saved by politics, but by

William E. Gladstone-A permanent and vast difference has been impressed debt of your own contracting and no fear who cares for you. The point to consider upon women and men respectively by the of ghosts from your past. Hon. Hiram W. Johnson, governor of Maker of both. I, for one, am not pre-"There is every reason to pared to say which of the two sexes has pure-living girl will in all likelihood regard equal suffrage as having justified the higher and which the lower province, some day be a happy wife and blessed California. The women have I am not without the fear, lest beginning mother. She will have the gift of her proved themselves a great force for good with the state, we should eventually be good character as well as of her love to government. Their understanding of pol- found to have intruded into what is yet bring to the man for whom she cares. ities is surprisingly keen. On every oc- more fundamental and more sacred, the And for her children she will have the casion, when they have thus far exer- precinct of the family, and should disio- proud heritage other own simple strength cised the franchise they have proved cate, or seriously modify, the relations of and purity domestic life.

Why My Husband Left Me

NO. 1-The Wife Who Refused to Play Tells How Her Marriage Proved a Failure



"I believed in saving, in staying at home."

The reason that my marriage was a failure," said the first woman, "is because

By DOROTHY DIX.

"I come of scrious, sober-minded folk with whom duty is a fetish. I was brought up to consider what was the right thing to do, not what was the agree able thing, and to be prudent and economical and thrifty, and always keep a weather eye out for a rainy day.

"I fell in love with the most charming happy-go-lucky fellow who ever lived, a creature of sunshine and laughter, to hom happiness was just as necessary as the air he breathed.

"It was this very lovousness, this de light in life, that appealed to my bleak foolish musical comedies that my hus-Puritanism, though I did not know it then, and for which I married him, and it wrecked our lives.

sheer pleasure of his gay society, but I ionable restaurants appalled me. "When a man sells his labor to a fac- I wanted to save it. I wanted to s

extravagance. I thought he spent a sisted that we go to a cheap restaurant. ridiculous amount of money on his or straight home after the play, and the ure of marriage, Just because i didn't home, or a batch of fancy shirts, there would take on when I vetoed the plans my husband, and entered into his pleas- whereunto they were sent was a little scene in which I reminded for merry parties that he was always ures, we might not have saved the money

"My husband leved to go out evenings.

By DOROTHY DIX.

what rocks was a marriage that started out so bravely and hopefully wrecked. Were big crimes or little sins against love the causes of this

I have asked several men and women—good men and women—whose marriages are admittedly failures to tell why their own marriages, entered into with every prespect of success, ended in disaster.

band adored bored me.

was my lack of understanding this that not even bother to put on the pretty frocks he bought me, so I always looked "My husband was a good money-maker, dowdy among the beautifully dressed and That kind of man usually is, because believeled women who were his old

Mr. Suffragist-Isn't it true that there and opulence and love and happlare several thousand more men than are several thousand more men than a several thousand

"I was always lecturing him about his of impatience he would give when I in- even touch his home. and laying up a competence for our old money that had better be saved.

It is admitted that most marriages are failures. One in twelve ends in divorce in this country A percentage of marriages that no man dares cal-culate ends in utter distilusionment and an estranglement crueler than

"I cared nothing for dress and would

gal I became, and the more I pinched buy, and that is love and domestic hapsay that in feminist and suffragist cir- He had a child's delight in the light, and every penny, and because I knew that his piners." was mad about the theater. He always as he was, the more I tried to draw him wanted to take me with him, but my away from them, and the more I let them | teresting and important series will aptastes were all quiet, domestic ones. The see that I considered them a pernicious pear soon on this page.

people shoulder him into success for the friends, and the price of suppers at fash-

which he let it slip through his fingers. "I can remember well the little shrug riage. The world that he loved did not No matter if Pandora's box seems

cles Mrs. John Martin is, to put it mildly, music, and galety of the cafes, and he friends were as reckless and inconsequent

What is the reason of this?

"My husband loved to go to the theater."

influence to him. Of course, theoretically, I was right, but theories don't work out in matrimony. We should have been thrifty and saved our money, instead of wasting it on pleasure. We should have worked was that you can't turn a butterfly into and faith in your mind.

a plow horse my duty, as I saw it, by my husband, happiness. was that I drove it away from him. Hecause I lectured him about his extravaendure a lecture from me every time ne longed to have them demonstrated in life spent a dollar?

because I sat up like a skeleton at every small world of your own, and fill that feast, and took the pleasure out of every world with optimistic thoughts and hopeoccasion, he quit taking me about with ful and happy and helpful words him. Gradually, so gradually I hardly If you are not well, if case has taken realized it, I was left out of his pleasures, on a troublesome prefix of "dis," cut off until at last I woke up to the fact that the prefix and think of case: recollect he never went anywhere with me ex- that health is your divine right. The When I look back now I think I must cept upon compusion and that I had no great source contains only health and and the dullness and monotony of mar- what is your inheritance.

"Then I knew that I had made a fail- rightful claim. something a great deal better than "And the more he spent the more frue money, something that millions won't

Another instalment in this highly in

World Needs Hope and Courage

By ELLA WHEELER WILCOX.

(Copyright, 1914, by the Star Coppany; There is a wanderful sentence in the filble which is seldom quoted in the pulpit, but has been much used of late years by the advanced thinkers along meta-

My words are spirit and they are truth; and thus shall not return to me void; but shall accomplish that whereunto they were sent. Commit that sen-

olivateal lines.

Here it is:

and understand its full import and then repeat it many times a day. If you fully comprehend the mean-

you will be careful what words you send. out "to accomplish that whereunto they were sent." Every word you after is a pebble thrown into the great waters of life, and it is making its vibrations which will reach distant shores in time. In these strenuous and troubled days of world-shaking events if is becoming the habit of many people to talk of poverty and failure and trials and hardships as as well as of countries.

Such talk is worse than useless; it is riminal, because it is creating fear and energy.

The world needs hope, courage and type of humanity.

alone a few moments or an hour every tween the tips of the toes and binding instead of playing. The only trouble day with only thoughts of peace and love them together. Say over these words silently: "Peace,

When you are riding in public conveyances or walking on the street says these gance he began to keep things secret words; after you have read the distressfrom me, and to lie to me and to decrive ing news of wars, say them. Remember the. I don't blame him now. He made this: "If every human being on earth the money. Why should be have had to said these words with reverence and

all war would cease. "And because I wasn't companionable, Therefore do your little part. Make a

How the Forest Fires

By EDGAR LUCIEN LARKIN.

Q. "Kindly answer this question to settle an argument. A says that a forest (England) possesses the largest number or prairie fire can start without the aid of carvings of medieval musical instruof a match, spark or sunglass: B says ments to be found anywhere. The earlibustlen. C differs from them."-H. T. back to the thirteenin century, Reinnold, Woodhaven, N. Y.

A. The quertion of spontaneous combustion is indeed one of importance. Fires from 3 to 5 per cent of a fine hard wax have started from self-combustion of linseed oil and cotton waste, and from sawdust and mechine oil. And prosecution for the crime of incendiarism has been most desirable. Merety say, "May I have forests.

> Hemp, tow, flax and such vegetable fibers, in contact with oil drippings from Ten years ago the initted goods inmachinery in factories, have caused fires dustry of Japan began in a small way

fires have occurred.

to help her. But nothing can make her back the ring, unless he asks you, and for a time, and see if you are urged to areas of grass in such a way that fires would result in self-ignition. But this Silk is so cheap in Madagascar that entire question is obscure and much con- clothing made of it is worn by even the troversy has been due to it.

Madame Ise'bell

Tells How to Detect the Painful Soft Corn and How to Treat It

The Care of the Feet-Part IV.

What is called a soft corn is quite different in structure from the ordinary hard corn and calls for very different treatment. A soft corn is really a blister



either the result of undue moisture or from exces sive pressure of a teo narrow shoe. No one will ever have soft corns who wears a shoe of width

between the toes always dry. When wiping the toes after a bath particular attention should he paid to this point, and, if the skin is inclined to be moist keep the toes well powdered.

be treated by a skilled chiropodist who may have to touch the dead skin with an Mild cases and some severe ones may be intelligently handled at home.

The first symptom of a soft corn is pain when two toes are pressed together Examination will show a fissure and sore, inflamed skin between the two toes. If the case is more advanced a portion of dead, yellowish skin will be discovered Home treatment for this trouble is as follows

they forecast the future of individuals basin of hot water to which a few drops of carbolic acid have previously been added. Dry them thoroughly, anoint the sore place with a carbolated ointment and destroying confidence and dissipating bind it up until morning. In the morning there will be considerable dead flesh; it is the dead flesh pressing on the tender faith at this juncture, and the man who flash that causes the pain, and this must profects these optimistic qualities into be removed. Sterilize a corn knife and the ether by his thoughts and his words cut this sently away, bit by bit, using will be helped and sustained by the in- the tweezers occasionally, but taking care visible helpers who are overseeing our not to draw blood. Wipe thoroughly dry planet and assisting it to evolve a higher and put a generous pinch of dry boric acid between the toes. If a tight shoe in the turmoil of life make a little must be worn, protect the sore spot by center of peace in your own heart. Sit placing a piece of absorbent cotton be-

> But watch out for that particular place. A soft corn generally leaves a memory behind it and, if care is not taken, trouble may break out again in

> > (To Be Continued.)

Do You Know That

The keyring symbolizes the old custom of handing over the keys of the house to the lady; this was more often a design used for the wedding ring. but occasionally for the Letrothal. Some times the key was merely attached to the ring. It is claimed that Exeter cathedral

sultable for conting phonograph cylin-

Africa is more appropriately named "ac," meaning earth, land, country,

by igniting spontaneously. Fires have at Ozaka. It is now estimated that there been supposed to be caused by jute and are no fewer than 1.300 manufacturers of

they have probably trebled. On the 43,000 However, animals and birds might com- persons employed in the Swiss hotels

Soap on Hair Causes Dandruff,

dryness. Better still, use soap as spar- ing hair. Danderine is to the hair what troduced to a girl. He can do it in much ingly as possible, and instead have a fresh showers of rain and sunshine are

drug store or toilet counter and try it

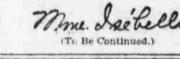
After washing your hair with soap al- | hair, one application of Danderina disways apply a little Danderine to the solves every particle of dandruff; atimuscalp to invigurate the hair and prevent lates the scalp, stopping itching and fall-

that

If a soft corn is well advanced it should

Soak the affected foot at night in a

The principal point to remember in The real result of my efforts to do love, faith, prosperity, health, usefulness, skin as soon as it appears and to keep the affected part thoroughly dry. The powdered boric acid is the best agent for doing this. If the dead skin is patiently removed and a shoe worn that allows proper ventilation between the toes, the sure spot will gradually disappear.



The uninitiated often wonder why musicians tune their instruments opened snew about you, assert your chestra. If they attended to them before clothes, and every time a new suit came look of disappointment that his face know how to play. If I had played with shall return to you and accomplish that the place of performance and the instruments would not be in tune.

that fire can start by apontaneous com- est specimen is of the tabor, and dates In Mexico there is a wild shrub named

ders. It grows in semi-desert regions. made. Finely broken or powdered char- than many other countries, for the word coal and grease at charcoal pits have comes from the Phoenician "afer" meanstarted fires that spread to adjacent ing "a black man," and the Sanskrit

poorest people.

Scalp Gets Dry, Hair Falls Out

"Danderine Hair Cleanse" Just moisten to vegetation. It goes right to the roots, a cloth with Danderine and draw it care- invigorates and strengthens them. Its fully through your hair, taking one exhibitating and life-producing proper-To "Lovelorn": Your letter is too long strand at a time. This will remove dust, ties cause the hair to grow long, strong for publication in this column. So far dirt and excessive oil. In a few me- and beautiful. you nave acted very foolishly. Go to the ments you will be amazed, your hair Men! Ladies! You can surely have Rhetorical flourishes are unnecessary girl, ask her pardon for your silly con- will not only be clean, but it will be lots of charming hair. Get a 55 cent when asking a favor from a lady. To duct, explain to her frankly and show wavy, fluffy and abundant, and possess bottle of Knowlton's Danderine from any Besides cleansing and beautifying the -Advertisement.

consolate girl.

Does It Pay to Be Good?

By BEATRICE FAIRFAX. "I am 19 and am told I am pretty. should act as if I was 'game'-and I have tried sometimes, but I become so

Yes-it actually pays to be good! The girl who is quiet and modest and wellest would triumph. In any real appeal behaved may miss some of the exciteto force man is stronger than woman; in ment her gayer and giddler sisters take to brighten their days-but she is not a endure longer than woman. The object prey to the fever for excitement nor is she ashamed to stop and think of herself and what she has done. The girl who is not good urges her-

self on and on from one diversion and dissipation to another because she does not dare to stop to think. Her health, her nerves and her happiness die tosether and her future is chained to her to reform; often society is kind enough a false position, and you should give him this would be to desist from calling bine organic substances in forests and only 20,000 are Swiss. forget, nothing can restore her peace of you consent, to wear it as a token of renew your visits. mind or banish her remoraeful musings your formal betrothal.

Accept by All means.

Dear Miss Fairfax: I am 19 and know a gentleman three years my senior whom I see very often in business. I am a young girl whom I see very often in business. I am a would like to know what a girl should say when a young boy is being introduced to her by another young boy. It does not dare think of you disrespectfully. There is infinite satisfaction in thinking you were wise enough and clever enough to pick out a clean path in a world full of boggy, swampy one.

Accept by All means.

Dear Miss Fairfax: I am 2 young girl and I would like to know what a girl should say when a young boy is being introduced to her by another young boy. Below to have serious attentions. Is it proper for me to accept his attention while my older sisters are not keeping company?

DOUBTEIL.

The most usual thing to say on being introduced.

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The fact that your sisters are not to have a girl and I would like to know what a girl and I would like to know what a girl and I would like to know what a girl and I would like to know what a girl and I would like to know what a girl and I would like to know what a girl and I would like to know what a girl and I would like to know what a girl and I would like to know what a girl and I would like to know what a girl and I would like to know and I would like to know what a girl and I would like to know what a girl and I would like to know what a girl and I would like to know what a girl and I would like to know what a girl and I would like to know what a girl and I would like to know what a girl and I would like to know what a girl and I would like to know what a girl and I would like to know what a girl and I would like to know what a girl and I would like It is joyous to have no dread of the

The quiet, clear-oyed, clean-thinking,

them by being game enough in a good your weakness or wickedness.

Advice to Lovelorn By BEATRICE PAIRPAX In False Position.

Unless you are engaged to wed, you are from a call when one feels that one is suit. But I can find no record that such tourists in Switzerland, and since then past. I am not condemning the girl who doing yourself injustice by pretending suspected of imposing on the host's genhas strayed. Often she is strong enough to be. The young man has placed you in crosity in any way. A good way to test

ceiving attentions from men need not at-

is, Do you love him? Points in Etiquette. Dear Miss Pairfax: When asking to walk home with a girl, what are the the proper words to use? Which is the right side to go and come on?

K. 2. Box 47.

Do set form:

To "Lovelor for publication with the proper words to use? Which is the right side to go and come on?

and thank heaven you have this quality way to endure their sneers and strong to repel their dangerous interest. Let chough to resist their influence for evil. silly, weak sisters criticize you for your It pays to be good. And if you are not lack of "gameness" and then surprise good, you will never cease paying for

the pleasure of escarting you home this evening," or words to that effect. The proper side on which to walk is the one on which the gentleman can give the surest protection to the lady he is escorting.

Dear Miss Fairfax: I am a young girl of 18, and deeply in love with a young man three years my senior. We have had been going together for a year and a half and he has never spoke of love to me. But last year he gave me a diamond ring to wear, and all our friends think we are engaged. But this is not true. He has often heard his friend talking and asking when he are to be married. But all he says is let people talk, they will find out some day. Now do you think he loves me. Should I give the ring back? We all we a hundred miles from each other. He has not gone with another. He has not gone with another with the head of them between II and II a.m. Although the he with the he does not find any grass and ignite, but I am not able to find such accounts in any record. But the between the containt with oil. But these had been placed together through and been placed together through the such them have a high the such the with the love them had been placed together through the such the such them had been placed together through the such them had been placed together through the such them had been placed tog

introduction, say, "I am glad to meet a fect your position in regard to the man; friend of my friend." The boy should always express his pleasure at being inthe same form as given here. There is

request permission to walk home with, her by your future actions that you de- an incomparable softness and lustre. Let undesirable men call you "slow" the simplest form of address is the one serve the friendship you seek.