

Woman Can Equal Men in Strength

Despite Athletic Power, Masculine Stamina Is Overrated.

BY GRETTA PALMER, Times Special Writer

NEW YORK, March 13.—"Statistics on file at the Mayo clinic in Rochester, Minn., show that man is the weaker sex," said a paper, out of a clear sky. "Many will take exception to this statement," Dr. Allen said. "They will say that football players, track athletes, wrestlers and those who excel in feats of endurance are almost uniformly males. But physical prowess is but the outward habilitment of physical superiority. A quality much better reflected is ability to withstand disease."

And a much handier quality to possess, we would add. For what good does it if it is accomplished by a susceptibility to pneumonia?

The arch-feminists have always had a hard time trying to explain away athletic records in their efforts to prove that woman is in every way man's equal. You simply can not get away from the fact that the women champions at golf and tennis have never beaten the ranking men. You can not escape the incontrovertible evidence at the stop watch that men do run faster than we ever shall. But this form of strength is balanced by weakness of another order.

There are more widows than widowers. Mortality among boy infants is higher than among girls. The myth of woman's physical frailty is therefore neatly knocked into a cocked hat. We have different sorts of strength, we men and women, but neither can claim all the honors.

Some Remain Silent

Nice men nowadays do not talk much about their alleged superiority of muscle or of mind, but it is fairly evident, from their doings, that they do not greatly fear any competition from us in either sports or business.

Their manifest disappointment when the babies come to bless their homes turn out to be girls is one give-away. Their willingness to give a woman all the breaks in the little niceties of social life is another—and very nice it is to them, too. "Just" is an adjective which, in its belittling sense, seems to the average man to naturally precede "a woman."

And in intellectual achievement, too, they can point to their records to clinch matters. They can, with entire justice, say that of the ten best painters and the ten best writers and the ten best musicians of the past not one was a woman. They can point out that science is largely the product of the masculine mind and that our cities have been planned and built by men. And so they are, naturally, a little reluctant to grant our claim to equality in their own minds, of course, if they are polite.

Overlook Outstanding Fact

The fact that women never were given a chance to achieve excellence in the arts until very recently men are inclined to overlook, except when the matter is pointed out to them. The fact that women are just beginning to grope toward some distinctive method of self-expression they largely disregard. For that, after all, is the way they have been taught to think from earliest childhood, and we can hardly blame them for doing so.

But it is just as well for us, as women, to face the fact that the men who draft our laws and the men who employ us and the men who marry us are motivated, in all their dealings with us, with an inescapable sense of the superiority of the male.

And it will take some doing to rob them of it, too!

MISS RUSSELL IS PARTY HOSTESS

Miss Isabelle Russell, 5936 Forest lane, was hostess last night for a St. Patrick dinner party given by members of Beta Sigma Phi society.

A shamrock served as a centerpiece for the dinner table, which was lighted with green tapers.

Guests included Misses Mary Rebecca Cole, Norma Mack, Alice Lee, Catherine Martin, Esther Carmine, Vinera Chandler, Norma Jay, Betty Coffing, Jerry Gardner, Helen Marley, Marie Nielson, Dorothy Oakes, Elfrida Speckman, Dorothy and Virginia Stone and Mrs. Maurice Hegarty.

Chapters Will Meet

Alpina and Edelweiss chapters, International Travel-Study Club, Inc., will meet at 6 tonight for a St. Patrick's day program. Mrs. S. R. Artman will talk on "The Golden Age of Alabama." Musical program will be presented by Mrs. Mildred Corman, Miss Elizabeth Duncan and Miss Dorothy Hoffman.

Benefit Party Set

Misses Frances Courtney and Marie Lauck, Indianapolis students at St. Mary-of-the-Woods in Terre Haute, are members of a committee for a card party to be given April 25 in Le Per hall for the benefit of a scholarship fund.

Son Born to Steinbergs

Word has been received from New York of the birth of a son to Mrs. Milton Steinberg, wife of Rabbi Steinberg, now at the Park Avenue temple. Rabbi Steinberg formerly was rabbi at the Beth-El temple here.

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A Woman's Viewpoint

BY MRS. WALTER FERGUSON

A PERFECTLY natural phenomenon that always excites me is the sight of a woman doing a man's work and yet remaining feminine. Feature writers forever are calling our attention to the water of it. Tremendous emphasis is placed upon the fact that careers do not prevent their owners from a fondness for making cakes or dusting behind the piano. Just as if, by putting a cat into a cage, you could turn him into a canary!

A woman who spends her time in an office with men doing the same work they do would, it seems to me, be rather more feminine than in other surroundings. That is she would cling more tenaciously to those traits which set her apart from her companions. She would be almost sure to feel conscious of her differences and therefore to accentuate those differences in her thinking and in her approach to her job.

And so another bogey is laid. They die hard, but one by one they go. It was universally phophsied, you remember, that the minute women began working and competing with men they would become amorphous beings, quite devoid of softness and allure and wholly lacking in the gentler arts. Yet what do we find today? Offices, shops, stores, factories in which feminine influence is diffused and felt. Girls reign there, girls who keep their hair marcelled, their nails highly polished, their lips rouged and who dress in all the frills compatible with the performance of their jobs.

Besides that a woman is really never so feminine as when she is dressed in trousers. Even the show producers know that.

You can't take away from a girl the fine deep flavor of her femininity and when she is surrounded by men it is only the more evident.

Contrary to expectation, therefore, business has not been injured by such influence. More beauty, good manners, gentleness, consideration and fair play have been brought into the industrial world since women entered it than during any other period of history. Instead of toughening women, as was feared, it looks as if women are feminizing business, a change that will greatly improve it.

Mrs. Artman to Speak

Mrs. Harry Downing, 2622 North Gale street, will be hostess Thursday night for a meeting of Valencia chapter, International Travel-Study Club, Inc. Assisting her will be Mrs. Marie Hennegar and Mrs. Ethel Pratt. Mrs. S. R. Artman will lecture.

Daily Recipe

MARINATED STEAK WITH STUFFED MUSHROOMS

Round steak cut 1 1/2 to 2 inches thick

1/2 pound large mushrooms

1 teaspoon prepared mustard

4 teaspoons chili sauce

4 tablespoons lemon juice

3 teaspoons melted butter

1 teaspoon Worcestershire sauce

1 tablespoon grated onion

1/4 teaspoon paprika

Salt and pepper

Brush steak with mustard. Make a sauce of the last seven ingredients and marinate the steak in it for two hours. Break the stems from the mushrooms and stuff the caps with a well-seasoned bread dressing. Chop the stems.

Remove steak from sauce, brown it on both sides in a hot frying-pan. Also brown the mushrooms. Mix the sauce with one cup hot water, pour it over the steak, and add the mushroom stems. Cover and cook slowly about forty-five minutes or until steak is tender. Serve on a hot platter, grouping the mushrooms around the steak.

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Miss Finch Honored at Three Fetes

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Two parties today and one last night honored Miss Mary Stuart Finch, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence J. Finch, who will leave this month for Waterbury, Conn., to become a student dietitian in the hospital.

Mrs. J. G. Harris entertained at luncheon today at her home, 3355 Carrollton avenue, in Miss Finch's honor. The luncheon table was centered with a silver bowl of white roses and lighted with green tapers.

Guests with Miss Finch and her parents were her sister, Miss Betty Finch, and Miss Maxine Ballweg and Mrs. Charles Calene, Lebanon.

Miss Ruth Voorhis will be hostess at dinner tonight at her home near Greenfield. Guests will include Miss Finch, Mr. and Mrs. Finch, Miss Betty Finch, Clarence Finch and Mr. and Mrs. Bert W. Voorhis. Appointments will be in keeping with St. Patrick's day.

Dutch supper and bridge party was given last night by Mrs. Roland D. Martenet at her home, 3855 North New Jersey street, for Miss Finch.

Guests included Miss Ballweg and Misses Dorothy Martenet, Ruth Voorhis, Alice Miller, Mary Love Hewlett, Lottie Irwin and Loraine Beauchamp.

House Guest of Harrisons Will Be Entertained

Miss Dorothy Thompson, house guest of Mr. and Mrs. William C. Harrison, 3628 North Illinois street, will be honor guest at a party to be given tonight by Mrs. Allan Shimer.

The marriage of Miss Thompson to Harold Burch, Evansville, will take place April 15 in Hammond. Miss Thompson is visiting her aunt and uncle for several weeks.

Guests tonight with Miss Thompson will be Misses Betty Jane Barrett, Betty Jeanne Davis, Jeanette Harris, Betty Hodges, Ruth Bradford, Margaret Applegate, Kathryn Lyzott and Mrs. George Dailey.

BENEFIT PARTY BY MOTHERS ARRANGED

Annual spring bridge party and fashion show of the Kappa Alpha Theta Mothers' Club of Butler university will be held at 2 Saturday afternoon in Ayres' auditorium. Mrs. G. L. Ramey is president of the club, and Mrs. Chester L. Zechel is general chairman of the party.

Proceeds will be used to aid some university project.

Mothers to Hear Two

"Wise Use of Leisure Time" will be discussed by Mrs. William Eckstein Jr. and Mrs. Earl Bunnell at the monthly meeting of the Woodside Mothers' Club of Indianapolis free kindergarten Thursday. Hostesses will be Mesdames William Burdick, Victor Hardesty and O. Gray.

Whose Fault?



Children who are Always Catching Cold

A boy or girl may be warmly clad, dry shod, and ever so careful, yet catch one cold after another. Do you know what's to blame? Low vitality. A sluggish system makes any child an easy victim for colds. The youngster whose bowels haven't moved for two days will contract a cold quicker than the one who has forgotten his rubbers. A powerful cathartic that opens the child's very pores is just as bad. The proper treatment is described on the right:

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