

**The Diary of an Engaged Girl**

By Phyllis Phillips

The storm broke loose from all sides this morning. Everyone took a shot at me, except Aunt Cecilia. Mother was loud in her denunciation of what she calls "my loose ways," and even that wretched small sister looked condescendingly over at me as she heard me being grilled, munching her toast with all the aplomb of a woman of the world, as she sat bedecked with my jade beads. (Lifted from my dresser in my absence, no doubt!)

I observed a stony silence. My attitude being, let them rave. All the great women of history have been maligned, and without doubt I, too, have been predestined to disaster.

When mother in desperation at my silence told me that she was going to cancel the trip to Europe I bit with a vengeance and poured a flood of reproaches and abuse on all their heads. Ending by promising to run away and lead the life I longed to lead, if I was not allowed to go to Europe.

We discussed Europe the rest of the evening. Then Jack went home, and here I sit—thinking. (To be continued.)

**Heart Problems**

Dear Mrs. Thompson: I have been married four years. Mother would not give her consent to the marriage and so we promised if she would give us her blessing she might live with us.

We started out together, but from the first day mother bossed so that after six months I was sick in bed with a nervous breakdown. The doctor said mother would have to leave the home and my husband insisted that she go.

A year after I was married our first child was born and mother came back to help care for her. She seemed to have learned her lesson and was much more reasonable for a while.

Now my second baby is born and mother is so unreasonable that she will not let my husband or me have one word to say about what is to be done with our children. Mother is so hateful to my husband that he says either he or mother will have to leave the home. He has given me one month in which to make my choice.

I love my husband and cannot bear the thought of losing him. If I had not promised to keep mother, I would say that she must go. I have always believed, however, that we are punished for the promises we break. What can I do? JOSEPHINE.

The promises you made are not all on the side of your mother. To let your husband go would be breaking your marriage vows.

It is very clear that your mother should go and her happiness be sacrificed rather than the happiness of you, your husband and the two children.

Dear Mrs. Thompson: I have been going with a boy for a long time and he has always shown me a pleasant time, but lately he has become rather wild and so I cut him. Did I do right or otherwise? Would it be wrong to have dates with a fellow who has not a very desirable reputation? All respect me. SNEEZE

One does not appreciate a good reputation until it is sacrificed. I think you were wise in giving up a friendship which ceased to be desirable. If you yourself want to be re-

spected, see that your friends are respectable.

**Eagles Expect 500 To Be Initiated on April 18**

At least 300 candidates will be initiated into Wayne aerie of Eagles at the big initiatory services to be held on April 18, members of the committee in charge said Friday. An active membership campaign is being

conducted at the lodge, with special rates for membership.

The initiation fee of the aerie is now \$5, and the benefits have been increased to \$100 for death and a dollar a day for sickness. Next Wednesday a smoker will be held in the lodge hall, at which time several important changes in the aerie by-laws will be discussed.

Invitations have been sent to state and national aerie officers to attend the initiatory services, and already re-

piles in the affirmative have been received from number of these officers.

**STRIKE OVER A MISPRINT.**

LONDON, Eng.—A compositor on a Warsaw paper for the Polish word which represents eagle, the national

emblem, set up the word which means donkey. He refused to correct the mistake and was dismissed. The Printers' Union called a strike.

All Siamese people enter the priesthood for a time.

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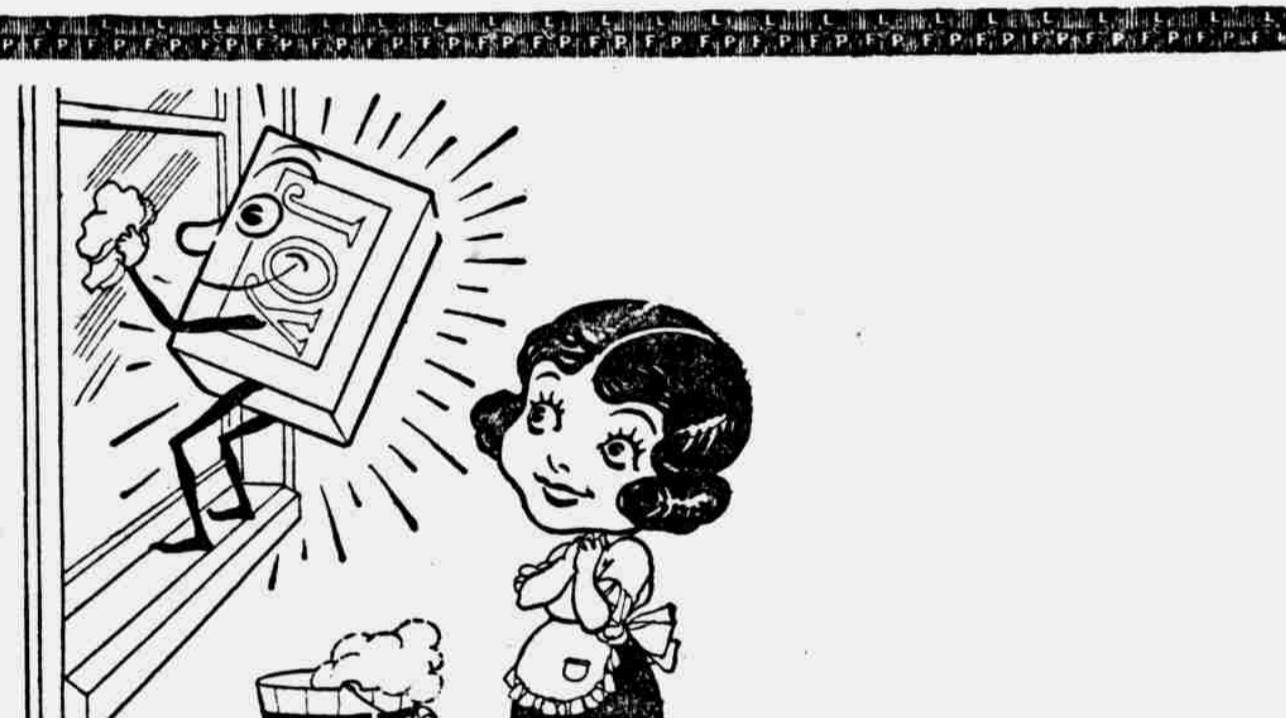
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