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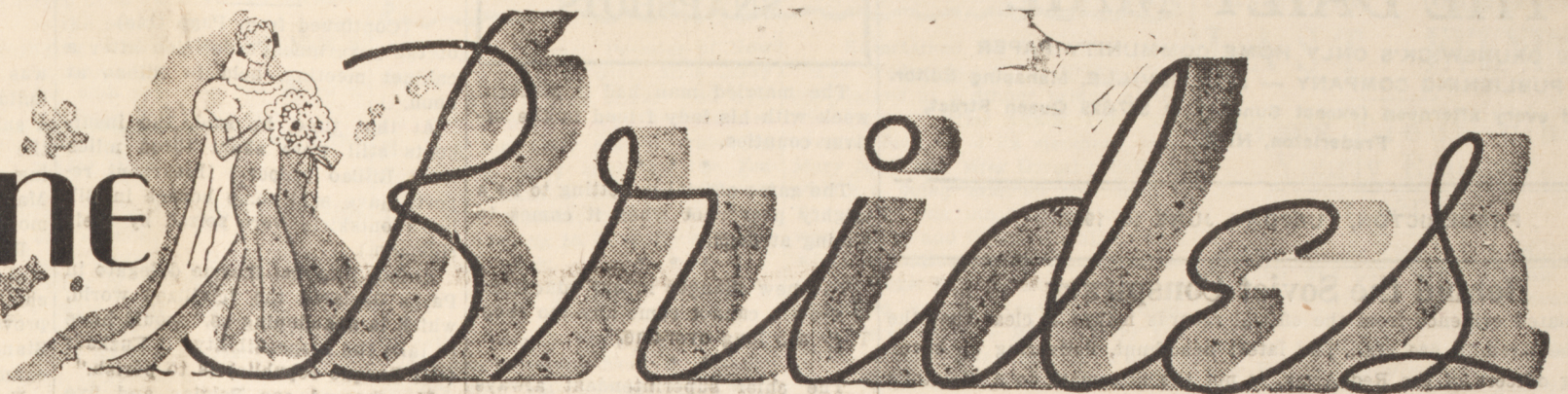
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LOVE, AND A BUDGET EVER SO SMALL, AND YOU'RE READY FOR MATRIMONY

Two Hundred Dollars Can Be Stretched a Long
Way by a Clever Department Store Decorator
Consulted by June Brides --- And She'll Help
You Expand Later.

(By Elizabeth M' Rae Boykin)
A pleasant room doesn't spring
forth full grown from somebody's
forehead like the god in the Greek
myth. It takes time, a lot of loving
thought and very careful buying. And
it takes experience, too, to create a
room without making expensive mis-
takes. Just how a June bride, who
doesn't have experience but can't
afford mistakes, would go about
planning a young and modern apart-
ment was the problem that we decid-
ed to settle this week.

We found one answer in the per-
son of a most personable soft-spoken
decorator in the midst of a bustling
but friendly department store. Her
job is to help brides (of this June as
well as June gone by) in planning
their homes. There is no charge for
her help and most of the people who
come to her once come again as their
budgets expand to permit changes
and additions which are made accord-
ing to definite plans. We asked her
just how she went about helping a
young couple who might come in to
furnish a new home on a small sum,
keeping in mind the fact that they
would want their home to expand as
they could afford a bigger apartment
and nicer furnishings.

Within Means and Need

First, she said, they would probab-
ly be taken to the budget director
who would work out the amount of
money they could wisely allot out of
their income for furnishings of their
home—not only now but during future
months. In short the purchase
she would advise would be absolute-
ly within their means as well as ac-
cording to their needs. This budget
service would be given only on re-
quest of course . . . if a young cou-
ple already had figured out what
they felt they could afford, she would
gladly work on their figures.

Taking the amount of cash on hand
but keeping in mind the sum they
could save each week out of their
income for additions and replace-
ments, this interested decorator
would proceed as follows: Supposing
they were starting in a one-room
apartment and on a somewhat limit-
ed budget to begin—as most young
couples do . . . and supposing they
wanted a modern apartment . . .

Their first need would be for a
place to sleep, and so they could buy
a good double mattress and box
springs on legs for about \$40 com-
plete. Thus they could get along
for the present without bedstead or
sofa. To make their springs and
mattress look attractive in their one-
room apartment, she would advise
that the young man in the case build
a row of book shelves across one
wall of the room and about a foot
and a half deep . . . this should
have an opening left in the centre
to permit the bed to slide in under
the shelves and be a studio couch.
The depth of the shelves would take
away the effect of the double bed
width. If he desires, the young man
could extend arms out from the book
shelves to serve as end tables for
the bed.

With Twin Beds

If the young couple preferred to
start with twin beds, they could get
a square corner table, then buy two
mattresses and springs on legs to
extend out from the corner at right
angles to each other. By day they
would make a pleasing sofa arrange-
ment, by night comfortable beds and
in the future provide the mattresses
and springs for their bedroom.

The next thing they should provide
would be bedding, and she thinks
they'd better if possible allot around
\$30 for blankets, sheets and pillow
cases. (These could be bought for
less in a pinch but it will be econom-
y in the long run not to stint too
much on cheaper grades.) Pillows
at around a dollar each could be slip-
covered in a daytime color and used
for cushions on the bed during its
sofa hours. A couch cover for around
\$6—or less if the bride has a way
with a needle—would complete this
unit.

The lighting of the room will have
early consideration. A pair of lamps
at each end of the double bed would
be needed and these could be obtain-
ed for about \$3 each. If the right
angle single beds are used, one lamp
on the corner table would be suffic-
ient to begin with.

An eating unit would have to come
now . . . our decorator suggested a
console table at \$19.75 and a pair of
chairs at \$7.50 each. To go over the
console she advises a large mirror
at \$12.50 to make the room seem
larger and also to use for dressing.
A chest of drawers at \$24.75 is an
essential too and could be used with
the mirror if preferred though it will
seem a little less bedroomly to have
a picture over the chest and the
mirror over the console. Another
idea about the chest facilities is sug-
gested if the budget will permit—the
twin chests (at \$49 each) give more
storage space and are very smart
looking used together with a long
mirror (\$25.)

Color Costs Little

The windows should have draper-
ies in an apartment like this because
color is the least expensive but most
important thing in the decorative de-
sign of the room, says our decorator.
And when the budget is pinched, an
important color note can be intro-
duced at fairly reasonable cost by the
addition of attractive draperies. She
advises very pleasing ready made
draperies in bold fine modern pat-
terns at from \$7.50 to \$15 a pair.

Books in those book shelves are
another bold splash of color that will
help to furnish the room, and her
plan provides that the books get new
jackets in case they're worn looking
or not in the right colors for the
pattern of the room. In a modern
room, silver, white or gold book jack-
ets are sometimes effective—or there
are metallic greens and reds, as well
as hand-blocked papers in many sub-
tle colors that will add color detail
to the room.

Maybe you are surprised that no
rug has been mentioned. But actual-
ly a rug doesn't come under the
heading of an absolute necessity.
Therefore it can be waited for if the
budget is so pinched. It would be
better to wait for the rug, for in-
stance, than to buy a cheaper mat-
tress. However, a rug adds lots to
the charm of the room and if there's
money enough left, a 9 x 12 broad-
loom of fairly good quality can be
purchased for \$38.50 . . . or an in-
teresting small rug can be purchased
to go in a hall later.

A Chair Helps

As for an easy chair, that too can
be left till a little later if necessary,
since our young couple have their
bed to sit on. But of course, a chair
is a great comfort and should be
added just as soon as possible . . .
our decorator feels that it would be
better to wait till about \$50 or \$75
could be spent on it though.

Their personal possessions can
serve as accessories. If they haven't
received enough dishes, silver and
table linen for wedding presents,
they can fill in with what they can
afford and add gradually to their
store of those articles.

Now then, our young couple are all
ready to move in. Their new apart-
ment is furnished with all the things
they will actually have to have to be
comfortable. And yet everything they
have bought so far is good enough to
fit into the plan for a larger apart-
ment . . . nothing need be junked.

But as they expand into larger
quarters, most of the things they
have purchased for this first room
can be relegated to other rooms, so
that their living room can get the
benefit of the newer and nicer pur-
chases. For example, the springs
and mattress can go into the bed-
room and with the addition of a bol-
ster, a nice spread and twin pictures
to hang above it will make quite a
smart modern bed. Or they can be
used with a bedstead. The chest of
drawers can also go into the bed-
room. And here is where the twin

PLANNING FOR MARRIAGE A GOOD IDEA

By ARTHUR DEAN, Jr. D.

People plan their education. They
plan their houses, clothes and labor.
They plan their life on this earth
and even the future in heaven. Very
likely we ought to do what the writ-
er of the letter below is doing now.
Isn't it perfectly proper for a girl to
make a plan for marriage?

Most girls don't seem to require
a plan as nature seems to have given
them a plan. Some girls are of the
marrying type. They are never with-
out boy friends from the time they
are 12 years of age. The boys form
in line, in order to get an opportu-
nity to dance with her. At one time
a woman writer invented the ex-
pression "It" and said a girl, in
order to get married ought to have
this "It."

I don't know. I am simply won-
dering today whether it is all right
for a girl to plan for marriage and
what sort of a plan it ought to be.
The following letter gives us an
idea:

"Dear Mr. Dean:

"I have worked for a living for 15
years and now I'd like to marry and
have a home of my own. I don't
want to stay in business all my life.

"I have some men friends, but I
don't care much about them. I
have been wondering if I shouldn't
invest in a membership in a golf
club. A few new dresses, a couple
of nice hats, nice shoes, and gowns
and a membership in a good club
where I could meet a number of new
people. What do you say?

"BUSINESS WOMAN."

It strikes me as a good idea. As
a matter of fact I have worried a
good deal about this getting mar-
ried business. If I had a serious-
minded daughter who was very fond
of books and liked to study, I might
wonder just a bit as to whether she'd
get married. She probably would,
want to go to college. After she
got through college she probably
would want to study for a profes-
sion.

It may seem funny, but it seems
to me it is true that the more a
girl studies the less likely she is to
get married. The more she tends to
her vocation or her profession, the
less able she is to establish a home
of her own with a life partner as
her head board.

It is perfectly clear that a girl
who has worked for her living all
her life is not in a position to
play golf or an afternoon of bridge,
or ride alone in her private car.
She is working while the marriage-
able ones play. When she comes
home at night she is tired, or she
may have to do some extra home
work relating to her job. She is
giving the best of her years to her
work.

If a girl wants to get married she
had better start rather early in
life and lay plans for marriage. If
she does that she can combine mar-
riage and a career, she had better
formulate her life on that basis.

chests (if they were afforded) will
be particularly useful for many of the
smartest modern bedrooms have
them now and they provide so much
storage space. A vanity can be add-
ed, or if that's not yet possible, then
twin night tables can be placed on
either side of a mirror over with a
bench or stool that slides easily out
of the way of the door. The rug can
also be used in the bedroom if it is a
9 x 12.

If the rug was a smaller one it
can go into the foyer, along with the
console table and pair of chairs. A
larger table and four chairs can re-
place this for the dining end of the
living room.

The living room can then begin
fresh, retaining probably only draper-
ies, the easy chair and the bookcase
unit that has been built in (the space
for the bed can now have doors built
on it and shelves in it to serve as an
extra utility cabinet.) A sofa will
be the first purchase here, then an
extra easy chair, end tables and a
desk with a comfortable desk chair.
(Incidentally flat top desks are very
popular now because men prefer
them.) Some nice reflector lamps
and new table lamps to replace the
first ones (now in the bedroom) will
probably be the next thing in line.
And then a really good rug for this
main room in the house.

HOW TO KEEP YOUR HEALTH

UREA HELPS HEALING

Many of you have heard the word
urea used. It is a waste chemical
that is passed out of the body, and
was the first substance made in the
body which chemists were also able
to make in the laboratory, outside
of the human body. Since those
early days when urea was first made
in the laboratory, chemists have
done many interesting things with it.

For example, they noticed, almost
40 years ago, that urea has the pow-
er to dissolve some of the materials
made by the body. This was espe-
cially true of those materials that
were formed from the dead tissues
in infected wounds.

More recently, Drs. H. G. Holder
and E. M. MacKay, of California,
made a careful study of this fact.
They reasoned that a chemical that
would dissolve the dead materials
collecting on wounds might be valu-
able in treating infected wounds.

Eliminated Dead Tissue
They found that the solution of
urea got rid of mucus, crusts and
dead tissue, and that the urea seem-
ed to have a good effect by stopping
the growth of germs, acting as an
antiseptic. And here is welcome
news. This urea is within the reach
of all. It is cheap—it can be bought
for from five to ten cents a pound.
It is easy to use, for all you have to
do is to dissolve it in water or just
use the powder in the wound.

These doctors treated 139 cases
with the urea solution and with pow-
dered urea. A number of the pa-
tients had varicose ulcers, that is,
large sores on the legs which had
developed because of varicose, or
inflamed veins. When these enlarged
veins develop, the flow of the blood
to the tissue is cut down. The skin
pores heal very slowly, and the sores

easily become infected. The doc-
tors also treated a number of per-
sons who had carbuncles and burns.
Osteomyelitis is a disease of the
bone marrow. In this infection,
there is an opening from the bone,
and infected material is discharged
onto the skin. The doctors treated
11 patients who had osteomyelitis
with the urea solution, and obtained
good results, with rapid healing.

Harmless and Cheap

There are a number of things
about the urea which makes it a
useful drug. It is harmless and non-
poisonous. For example, it can be
put in water and the solution kept
for any length of time. The solu-
tion will not burn or irritate the
surrounding skin, when it is used
for treating a wound. It also seems
to get rid of the bad odor from in-
fected wounds.

In order to do its work properly,
a strong solution of the urea must
be used. One of the patients treat-
ed had a carbuncle. He had a tem-
perature of 103 degrees, as a result
of the infection. The carbuncle was
opened and the wound was packed
with the powdered urea, that is, the
crystalline form without any water.
The next day, the temperature had
dropped to 99½ degrees; the patient
was quite comfortable. The third
day, the temperature was normal
and remained so until the wound
healed completely.

The true solution seems to work
so well probably because it kills the
germs and, in addition, gets rid of
the dead tissues on which germs
thrive. In this way the urea is an
aid to healing, because infected tis-
sue slows up healing. Clean wounds
heal quickly.

SUMMER VELVET

Something new under the summer
stars will be velvet patterned eve-
ning frocks. This luxurious fabric
is a fine pastel or white sheer with
colorful designs in velvet outwork,
with a few exceptions, usually found
only in more expensive frocks. One
of those happy exceptions is a din-
ned and dance frock in shirtdress
style with circular ruffles over the
shoulders and a file of buttons
marching down from the tiny collar.
The full, swirling skirt opens almost
all the way down the front to reveal
a glistening slip. You don't see many
of them—not at budget prices.

SUMMER FINERY

To look pale and fragile or sun-
tanned and vigorous is the great
American question as the beach sea-
son swings into action.

abric face masks, opera-length
stockings and long gloves will pro-
vide a startling new effect for those
wishing to remain milk-white in
contrast to the bronzed bodies and
backless modes of recent years.

Bathing suits are in a revolution-
ary mood. There is a trend against
the sun-tan craze and it looks as if
we'll be wearing high necked bath-
ing suits, some of them with long
sleeves, accompanied by mitts.

Family fashions for the beach are
another new note. They include
shirts of the same loud plaid for
papa, mama and the varied young.
Blazers of the same pattern to fit
any of them make it easy to identify
an entire family at the shore.

For town wear, fashion authorities
are sponsoring black frocks in sheer
fabrics. Some are of chiffon, plain
and embroidered marquisettes,
others in net. It's going to be a
"merry widow" summer in town.
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the hem, are in vogue for informal
dining.

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the beach. Fabrics with far too
much style interest to be restricted
to mattress coverings are coming out
in all kinds of play clothes—boldly
striped shorts and slacks, culotte
dresses and separate jackets to
wear with any of them. The dress
takes full advantage of the stripes,
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