

# ANNE HRST Your Family Counselor

"Dear Anne Hrst: We've been married two years, and I am sick and tired of the way we live. My husband had a good job but he soon lost it, and since then he's only worked part-time. He doesn't make enough to live on, and we owe money (and I hate debt) but he doesn't show any gumption. I've only had one new dress since we married, and my old ones are falling apart; his clothes are a disgrace.

"The place we live in has no conveniences, but I do my best to keep it and myself neat. I am not well enough to do housework and cooking exhausts me. I want a nice home and better living. I like to dance and have them in. He doesn't enjoy people, he only wants a place to eat and sleep. Saturdays he takes me to the grocery store, and that's all. We haven't even anything left to talk about, and if I discuss the future for the present, he just shuts up.

"Before we married he was wonderful company; we had good times, and I never dreamed they wouldn't last. . . I let him have his way in everything, but he is cranky and hard to please. I've begged him to change, I've even cried, but he is too stubborn. Have you any idea what I am so— DISCOURAGED

You are disappointed in your marriage. Your husband has lost his job, and you are sick and tired of the way you live. You are not well enough to do housework and cooking exhausts me. I want a nice home and better living. I like to dance and have them in. He doesn't enjoy people, he only wants a place to eat and sleep. Saturdays he takes me to the grocery store, and that's all. We haven't even anything left to talk about, and if I discuss the future for the present, he just shuts up.

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FASHIONS FOR THE BLIND — Sightless Barbara Card models a dress at a fashion show for the blind. Another blind member of the audience, Miss Ethel Miller touches her clothing as show director Richard Blackwell stands by. Chain in model's hand leads to her seeing-eye dog.



EAST MEETS WEST — AND LIVES HER — Relaxing on the floor in Oriental fashion, Elsie Richter, who plays the part of a Japanese film studio in Tokyo. Although she speaks only a little Japanese, the 24-year-old, Chicago-born actress is on the way to becoming a favorite of film-goers in Nippon.

## CHRONICLES OF GINGER FARM by Gwendoline P. Clarke

It must have been the heat . . . what else would make me do what I did? My usual invitation came along from the C.N.E. — for Press and Radio Day. Too hot to go, I thought. And then — but it won't be any hotter there than here. So I took the mid-morning bus, presented my pass at the gates. The regularity and I never dreamed they wouldn't last. . . I let him have his way in everything, but he is cranky and hard to please. I've begged him to change, I've even cried, but he is too stubborn. Have you any idea what I am so— DISCOURAGED

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### Worth Twice Their Weight In Gold

Little animals whose tiny dense fur was once used to fashion robes for kings and nobles in South America are making their popularity in many parts of the world.

They are chinchillas, whose natural home is in the mountain altitudes of the Andes, where they live at an elevation of nearly 19,000 feet. There's a world to be made in their precious fur, which is so light that a square yard of chinchilla fabric weighs no more than a square yard of rayon.

Chinchilla pelts were first imported from Chile early last century. Today the breeding of chinchillas in many places is booming on a greater scale than ever before.

The demand for chinchilla fur, because of its remarkable lightness and fine quality, is coming not only from furriers but from exclusive dress and hat designers as well. There is a world market for millions of chinchilla pelts.

Because of their value chinchillas were once nearly wiped out of existence. Because of the height at which they live, many of the trappers themselves perished — victims of the extreme cold.

Forty years ago chinchilla were just about the rarest animals in the world. The government of Chile had already passed strict laws forbidding the export, dead or alive, of these almost extinct creatures which look a cross between a squirrel and a bush baby.

So serious, also, became the problem of the disappearance of chinchillas from Peru, Ecuador and Bolivia, that at the present time they are being bred in large numbers at 40,000 pelts.

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It was reworked in 1939, when the market price for the pelts was \$250 and \$300, and the animals were worth about twice their weight in gold.

### Chicago Going Baseball Crazy

Outside Comiskey Park in Chicago one day recently, a short, pudgy, bald man named Bill Hayward was talking to a group of men. He was wearing a baseball cap and a jacket. He was talking about the Chicago White Sox.

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TAKING OFF — Bill Hayward looks like a jet pilot, but, actually, the Canadian sportsman is preparing for a spin in his superfast speedboat.

### Deeper Study Of Sea To Be Made

Earth is a water planet. More than 70 per cent of its surface lies under the ocean and over 50 per cent is covered by water a mile or more deep.

In this respect the earth is unique among the solar planets and because of this oceanographers think they have a unique opportunity to delve into the history of the solar system.

Dr. Roger Revelle, director of Scripps Institution of Oceanography and president of the conference, explained that marine geologists think of the ocean as an archive, a history book in which one may trace the development of the earth if one can learn to read the language in which it is recorded.

Among other things, it is hoped that the United States National Academy of Sciences' project to drill through the sediments underlying the ocean will also produce a complete variety of the sediments.

A such a sediment record should contain evidence of the earliest life forms that appeared on this planet. It should also indicate the temperatures and other characteristics of ancient seas. There should be clear records of ice ages and tropical epochs, of volcanic and mountain building up to the present.

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