

LEAP YEAR BRIDE

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CHAPTER XLVI

Brenda's expression altered instantly. There was just time for a quick glance into the mirror to reassure herself. Angry color flamed in her cheeks but that was all right. Rather becoming. "I'll get out as soon as I can," Phillips promised beneath his breath. They heard the hall door open and close, the murmur of voices and then footsteps. Brenda, radiant and smiling now, hurried to greet the newcomer. "Mr. Harris!" she said with saccharine inflection. "This is such a pleasure—"

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thing had happened to Mr. Harris. The brisk, business-like manner was gone. Harris was—yes, he looked sheepish. He was actually grinning, looking at Dan as though the two knew each other. It was incredible. "What's—what's this all about?" the woman asked helplessly. "I'd like to know the joke, too," she looked at Harris. "You—you are Mr. Harris, aren't you? That's your name, isn't it? Do you know Mr. Phillips?"

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25 Guns Stolen From Sportsman SEATTLE, Oct. 6 (AP)—L. C. Griffith, a sportsman at Foster, hasn't guns enough left, he says, to protect himself from some marauder who has been stealing his guns. He had a collection of weapons. A year ago his home was broken into and six guns taken, and in June his home was looted of 14 more. When he returned yesterday afternoon, his place had been raided again. His back door was broken down, and five more guns were gone. "And what makes me maddest," he said, "is that they got my favorite shotgun, the one I've hunted with for 22 years."

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European Market Crosses Market crosses were erected at trading places to remind people so to deal with their customers as to be Christlike. Most market towns in England and Scotland had crosses and many of them are still in existence. Tiny Fog Particles The smallest fog particles have been measured at the Massachusetts Institute of Technology. It was found that 25,000 of them could be placed on the head of an ordinary pin.

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THE TINNITES STORY BY HAL COCHRAN PICTURES BY JOE KING (READ THE STORY, THEN COLOR THE PICTURE) "I'll lead the way," said Scouty. "We may find a lot of things to see. I know that we have never been at this strange spot before. "We may find wood nymphs right near by, or strange folks towering to the sky. It's always fun when you don't know just what might be in store." "Well, all I hope," wee Duncy said, "is that, when we move on ahead, we find a place where we can eat. I'm hungry as can be. "If I could only have my fill, I'd flop right down and keep real still. The rest of you could travel on. That wouldn't bother me."

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THE NEW FANGLES (Mom'n Pop) Hawk Works Fast SCROD HAD JUST DISCOVERED THAT HIS BRIEF CASE, CONTAINING THE WILL AND ALL THE RECORDS PERTAINING TO THE FORTUNE HE REPRESENTS, HAS DISAPPEARED AND IN IT'S STEAD HE HAS A BRIEF CASE BELONGING TO LAWYER HAWK. THESE PAPERS PROVE THAT THIS IS HAWK'S CASE. I KNOW HE JOSTLED ME ON THE STREET—I DROPPED MY BRIEF CASE, AND WE MUST HAVE GOT THEM MIXED UP. WELL, IF HAWK WAS MIXED UP IN IT, IT WAS FOR NO GOOD. NOW THAT I HAVE ALL THE INFORMATION, I'LL CALL SCROD AND COVER MYSELF ON THIS. MR. SCROD, LAWYER HAWK WANTS YOU ON THE PHONE. MR. SCROD, AT LAST I'VE LOCATED YOU. I'VE LOST A BRIEF CASE WITH SOME VALUABLE PAPERS. DID YOU, BY ANY CHANCE, GET THE WRONG CASE WHEN WE HAD OUR ACCIDENT ON THE STREET? YES, I HAVE SOMEONE'S BRIEF CASE—YES, I'LL BRING IT RIGHT OVER. THERE—BY CALLING HIM FIRST, I WILL ALLAY ANY SUSPICION HE MAY HAVE HAD THAT I PURPOSELY SWITCHED CASES ON HIM.