

Nothing Venture

by Patricia Wentworth

Is Jervis Weare or his fiancée, Rosamund Carew, to inherit the millions of Ambrose Weare? The will provides Jervis must marry within three months and a day after his grandfather's death. Rosamund has been postponing the wedding now, nearly three months after the old man's death. The day is set and Jervis visits Attorney Page's office to make a marriage settlement on Rosamund. Nan Forsyth, Page's typist, recalls that the wedding is tomorrow. Nan is grieved because for years he has seemed to her a romantic and unattainable ideal.

Chapter 2
PANGS OF LOVE
Nan waited for her moment. Would Jervis look very happy and relieved now that all the tiresome business connected with his marriage was done? Would he look very happy on his wedding day? By an hour or two after this time tomorrow he would be married to Rosamund Veronica Leonard Carew.

She took up one of the sheets that she had been typing and began to correct it. And then quite suddenly the inner door was opened and Jervis Weare came out.

Mr. Page was behind him, ruddy, smiling, and bland; his horn-rimmed spectacles pushed up his head slightly thrown back as he talked to the tall young man. They shook hands impetuously and Jervis was gone. The door slammed. Mr. Page put up his hand to his glasses.

"Dear me!" he said. "Very like his grandfather—but I think more hearty. Well, well, he is marrying a very charming girl—quite beautiful in fact. A most satisfactory affair in every way. Yes—yes. Ah what is the matter, Miss Forsyth? You look extremely pale. Are you ill?"

"Oh no, sir."
"You look extremely pale. It would be most inconvenient if you were to be ill at this juncture, but I do not want you to work if you are not feeling fit."

"I am quite well."
The outer door had shut with a clang. It was this clang that had shaken her, and shaken the room so that everything in it was trembling just a little.

Jervis Weare had gone out of her life.
"I haven't found it," said Miss Villers. "What time did you say it was? One o'clock? My! Well, that means I'll have to give up lunch and go on looking for it. I say, dear, you wouldn't like to stay

left with an air hole beneath it caused by the point of the dibber. A little fine soil dropped in will attenuate this.

It is always important in planting seeds, bulbs, or plants to bring whatever is planted into close and firm contact with the soil. Only in this way can normal development proceed. Air holes next to roots or bulbs always cause trouble.

Bulbs are very susceptible to certain poisons which are contained in manures and manure should never be used in planting them except by an expert. While tulips are grown in Holland on a soil of sand, which has been built up by manuring for centuries, it is said that manure is never used until it has been buried for a year deep under ground.

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Chats With Parents

NOT A CHILD'S HERO
By Alice Judson Payne

George Washington undoubtedly would be a greater hero to children of our nation were it not for the fact that stories about him state and restate that he could not tell a lie.

The idea is appalling to many children whose own secret records of lies told to get an ice cream cone, to escape a state duty, to avert parental wrath, rise up before them. The child too many times had fallen from the spotless virtue which seemed necessary to become such a hero as Washington.

With relief the child learns that Lincoln, although history made no point of his inability to tell a lie, did play practical jokes, told funny stories and ran a grocery store that was a failure.

There was a hero to whom a child at once felt near, who was not so utterly perfect as to overwhelm one with feelings of guilt and inferiority at the mere thought of him.

It helps children in their strivings toward an ideal of behavior if those who embody their ideals are not so perfect as to be a reproach to their own shortcomings.

The parents and teachers who have the best results with children are those who quite honestly admit their ignorance and their faults. The children then feel quite rightly that the essential thing is to try honestly to be good and to work wholeheartedly.

If then one is not always good and if one's achievements do not always measure up to one's hopes, it is not a catastrophe.

A single misdeed will never make of one an outcast. One has but to face one's responsibilities and begin again.

Menus Of The Day

By Mrs. Alexander George
EGGS CHINESE FOR DINNER
The Dinner Menu

Egg Chinese Buttered Spinach
Bread Gooseberry Jam
Head Lettuce Russian Dressing
Yellow Cake with Raisin Filling
Coffee

Egg Chinese, Serving 6
3 tablespoons butter,
4 tablespoons flour,
2 cups tomatoes,
2 tablespoons chopped onions,
2 tablespoons chopped green peppers.

2 tablespoons chopped parsley,
1/2 cup cheese, cut fine,
1 teaspoon salt,
1/2 teaspoon paprika,
3 hard cooked eggs, diced,
1 1/2 cups boiled rice.

Melt butter and add flour. Mix well and add tomatoes and cook until a thick sauce forms. Add rest of ingredients and mix well. Pour into buttered baking dish and cook 25 minutes in moderate oven. Serve in dish in which baked.

Yellow Cake
2-3 cup fat,
1 1/2 cups sugar,
3 egg yolks,
1 cup cold water,
1 teaspoon vanilla,
1 teaspoon lemon extract,
1/2 teaspoon salt,
3 cups flour,
3 teaspoons baking powder,
3 egg whites, beaten.

Cream the fat and sugar. Add yolks, water, extracts, salt, flour and baking powder. Beat 3 minutes. Fold in egg whites and pour into 2 layer cake pans lined with waxed paper. Bake 20 minutes in moderate oven. Cool and add raisin filling.

Raisin Filling
2-3 cup seedless raisins,
1-3 cup sugar,
1 tablespoon flour,
1/2 cup cream,
1/2 teaspoon vanilla,
1/2 teaspoon salt.

Blend raisins, sugar and flour. Add cream. Cook slowly and stir constantly until filling thickens. Add vanilla and salt. Cool and use as filling. The cake can be sprinkled with confectioner's sugar or frosted.

The Garden

DRAINAGE ESSENTIAL FOR BULBS
The location for the bed for fall bulbs should be carefully chosen. Poor drainage is the greatest enemy of bulbs. Cold weather does not injure them, but water standing in the ground where they are planted will rot them.

It was formerly the practice to build up tulip beds higher than the surrounding surface to insure good drainage. If there is any doubt about the place where any bulbs are to be planted being well drained, it would be well to elevate it. Lily bulbs which are especially likely to rot in too wet a location are often planted each on a cushion of sand to assist drainage.

Two methods are practiced in placing the bulbs. Where beds are devoted solely to bulbs, the Dutch method is convenient. In this, the earth is thrown out of the bed to the depth required and the bulbs are set on the bottom of the excavation in the order desired. This method is well adapted to formal beds, where a pattern is to be worked out in the flowers. After the bulbs are placed according to the design the earth is thrown over them.

Another method more widely practiced in this country, is to use a dibber, or pointed tool, which makes a hole in the soft earth of the bed or border. Where the bulbs are to be planted among perennials or near shrubs, the dibber plashed is advised, as it prevents disturbance of the roots of companion plants. A point to watch in dibber planting is that the bulb rests on soil in the bottom of the hole and is not hung, that is,

Health

THE HEALTH EXAMINATION
Certain individuals take an extraordinary delight in disparaging any health fact which is short of 100 per cent perfection.

Thus when they run across the statement that the administration of toxin antitoxin will immunize a child against diphtheria, they go out of their way to point out that there are a few cases on record where children were immunized and despite this treatment, developed diphtheria.

Daily Cross-Word Puzzle

Solution of Yesterday's Puzzle

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The Tinmites

STORY BY HAL COCHRAN
PICTURES BY JOE KING



(READ THE STORY, THEN COLOR THE PICTURE)

"HEY, why kiss me?" said the Tinmites a thrill to see the queer old fellow walking steady, all alone.

"Give us your hands," kind Scouty cried. "There's nothing gained, if nothing's tried. We'll hold you so you will not fall, and put dimes in your tin."

"Put one foot forward easily and then the other. You will see that walking's not so very hard. This made the tin man grin.

"All right," he mopped. "Let's start right now. I'll walk when you have shown me how. They all then started moving and the tin man lunged on tight.

"Come on, take steps," cried Copy. "You can shortly do as we all do." "Don't worry," said the tin man. "I am going to be all right."

It wasn't very long until it gave

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