

REVENGE IS SWEET

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She was an incorrigible flirt. At last, having declined a number of suitors, she became engaged to a multimillionaire, and her mother determined that she should not have a chance to throw over the opportunity...

An aunt agreed to take her to her summer residence, open it and live there with her during the season of her captivity.

There was a little lake a few hundred yards distant, just outside the walls of her prison grounds. One cold night it was frozen over, and the next morning the sun shone bright, and the air was still and full of ozone.

A man was skating on the lake. She arose, dressed herself in a becoming skating costume, took up a pair of skates and went to the lake.

Where had she heard a voice like that? She looked up into the young man's face, and behind a stubble beard of five or six days' growth she saw something that reminded her of some one she had seen before.

It was the beginning of the ice season, and for several weeks there was good skating. There is nothing attractive to a city girl in a raw countryman, though this one was raw only in appearance...

Then came sleighing, and the countryman met her by appointment where no one in the prison would see with a sleigh and a pair of horses...

He had his revenge, and she was very mad. She returned to the city and, like a sensible girl, married the multimillionaire.

Impatience turns an agree into a fever, a fever to the plague, fear into despair, anger into rage, loss into madness and sorrow to amazement.—Jeremy Taylor.

FLOTSAM AND JETSAM.

Buttons Effective Trimmings on Smart Tailored Suits. Large button and simulated buttonholes are effectively used as trimming on some of the new skirts of tailored suits.



GOWN OF SILK AND VELVET.

turned, and soft crown indented all around. Silk and velvet are among the most modish of winter materials, and they are combined in this strikingly beautiful costume to great advantage.

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Fabrics of Many Varieties Suitable For Blouses or Suits. Hand tucked tulle blouses are worn with silk suits. They are made—quite simple, trimmed only with tulle or net jacks or plisses.



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This May Mantou pattern is cut for girls of fourteen, sixteen and eighteen years of age. Send 10 cents to this office, giving number, 724, and it will be promptly forwarded to you by mail.

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Courtship in Holland. The etiquette of Holland is exceedingly strict in all classes. The young girl is most carefully chaperoned, and she never goes anywhere, even to church, unless accompanied by her parents, some male relative or other equally trustworthy attendant.

More Than the Average. Mrs. Wayupp—How much sleep do I need, doctor? Doctor—Well, the average person needs about seven hours. Mrs. Wayupp—Then I shall take about fourteen. I consider that I am that much above the average.—Judge.

Wrote the Facts. Editor—In this report of a lady slipping on the sidewalk I notice you use the expression, "Her face fell suddenly." Reporter—Yes, sir, it's literally true. Her face fell with the rest of her.—Boston Transcript.

Twice Won

A Marriage Complication That Proved Difficult to Handle. By OSCAR COX. Copyright by American Press Association, 1912.

"Oh, my goodness, gracious!" The exclamation was made by young Mrs. Ludington, a bride of a few months, who after breakfast had glanced at the morning paper, in which her eye had met the following item telegraphed from New York:



SEE ADVANCED TOWARD HIM WITH ARMS OUTSTRETCHED.

In the head, the man has been living under another name than his real one. He enlisted in the 4th Ohio infantry in 1868 under his real name of Throckmorton. For twelve or thirteen years until yesterday he has been carefully oblivious to the fact that his name in Missouri, where it is understood, he has a wife, but of whom he has no remembrance whatever.

It was at seeing the last half dozen words of the item that called forth from Mrs. Ludington the ejaculation mentioned, after which she collapsed. Her mother, coming into the room, found her lying on a sofa looking wildly about her.

"For heaven's sake, Maud, what's the matter?" Maud groaned and pointed to the paper. "Read that about Dick," she moaned.

Mrs. Martindale finally found the article and read it. "Well, I declare!" was her comment. "Dick shall I do?" cried the daughter. "Dick has forgotten me entirely. I don't know but that he had a wife before he married me, and if he had he's a bigamist, and I'm—oh, heavens!"

"It's not likely that he was married before he was eighteen," was the encouraging remark. "But just think, he doesn't remember me! He doesn't love me! I'm nothing more to him than a woman he has never seen!"

"Heaven's!" cried the poor woman, covering her face with her hands. "The only way, the best way, for you to do is to marry the man as Throckmorton."

"But suppose he doesn't want me?" Boomed Maud. The lawyer and Mrs. Martindale looked at each other. Here was a danger.

ton. Maud broke in: "I don't like the name. I want to remain Mrs. Ludington."

"Any way," continued Steiger, "when he returns I'll take him in charge. I'll tell him that he must marry Maud Martindale. Meanwhile he can be introduced to you as somebody else, and you can win him."

"Maybe I can't?" "Oh, you can do it once; you can do it again."

It was arranged that Mr. Steiger should go to New York and bring back Mr. Throckmorton-Ludington before he should become enamored of any other woman, and upon his arrival Maud was to be put in his way in the hope that he might fall in love with her.

"I have always heard," she said, "and I believe it to be true, that if a man lives under the same roof with a woman who is one degree removed from a gorgon she can get him."

When Mrs. Martindale, who was managing the affair, thought the time ripe she hit upon an expedient to clinch it. She hunted the country for the homeliest woman to be found, about her daughter's age; then it was announced to Tom or Dick or Harry, or whatever his name was, that he was about to be introduced to his wife, and honor compelled him to do her justice.

"Goodby," said Tom ruefully. "I don't think I shall want to go back to her."

Mrs. Martindale interrupted this tender scene and took the lamb to the slaughter. And it was a veritable slaughter. Tom on entering the room saw a woman sitting at the other end, pock marked, saggy toothed and with a green patch over one eye.

The next and last feature in this little comedy was the fourth act, which on the stage is usually devoted to straightening out the complications and bringing everything out happily. Mr. Steiger was called in, and there was another conference. The question was how to make known to Tom the plot that had been laid to bring him back to his true but unlawful wife without exciting his disapprobation and spoiling everything.

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Maud should have been shocked at this want of a sense of duty or at least yielding to temptation, but she wasn't. She folded her beloved in her arms and told him that she was the woman he was bound to and confessed the plot.

Military Parole. A soldier breaks his parole he is guilty of the blackest treachery, and the penalty is instant death. Breaking a Friendship. Mildred—Congratulations me, dear. Jack proposed to me last night, and I accepted him. Elvira—Congratulations me also, dear. Jack proposed to me the night before last, and I refused him.

A MESSAGE TO YOU

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Gotthilf John and Marie Bollinger to John M. and Mary Hartung, lot 1 of block 1, Fir Grove, \$2,500. Arthur C. Conner et al to Mary J. Conner, 92.35 acres of section 2, township 3 south, range 3 east; \$10. J. W. Reed et al to Estacada State Bank, lot 15 of block 8, Estacada; \$1. S. W. and Sarah Childers to J. D. Gordon, 104 acres of sections 10, 11, township 4 south, range 4 east; \$10. Charles E. and Mae Smith to James A. Cobb and F. C. Dillingham, land in section 14, township 2 south, range 3 east; \$3,300.

IMMORTALITY. When I consider the wonderful activity of the mind, so great a memory of what is past, and such a capacity of penetrating into the future, when I behold such a number of arts and sciences and such a multitude of discoveries thence arising, I believe and am firmly persuaded that a nature which contains so many things within itself cannot be mortal.—Cicero.

Courteous. Being unable to find a seat on the overcrowded train, a large woman went into the smoking car and sat down by the door. The man next to her, absorbed in his newspaper, kept on smoking.

The Sailors' Psalm. How many people—landsmen, at all events—are aware that one of the Psalms is often called the sailors' psalm? It is of course Psalm cvii, wherein occur the beautiful and familiar words: "They that go down to the sea in ships, that do business in great waters—these see the works of the Lord and his wonders in the deep."

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Short Lived Insects. The wonderful brevity of insect life is curiously illustrated in the case of those that prey upon different species of mushrooms. The life of the mushroom itself is measured by hours, yet it is often entirely ruined by an insect which deposits its eggs upon the fungi, while it is in the vigor of youth.

Choosing the Worse. A dog's bark may be worse than his bite, but give us the bark every time.—Chicago News.

Sing Sing. Sing Sing is said to be derived from two Indian words meaning "the place of a stone."

MISS NELL CAUFIELD ENTERTAINS AT WHIST

One of the most delightful house parties in this city during the holidays was that given by Miss Nell Caufield at her home on Sixth and John Adams street Saturday night, when Dutch whist was the feature of the entertainment.

MRS. HENNINGSEN BROTHERHOOD HEAD

Oregon City Council, No. 2974, Modern Brotherhood of America, installed the following officers at Willamette Hall Monday evening: President, Mrs. Henry Henningsen; vice-president, Mrs. Frank Sheahan; secretary, Mrs. F. M. Brown; treasurer, Miss Mauda Zacc; chaplain, Mrs. A. S. Fuller; conductor, Mrs. Jack Frost; watchman, Miss Edith Dawson; sentry, Miss Stella Zacc; trustee for three year term, Miss Edith Dawson.

DELIGHTFUL MUSICAL GIVEN AT CHURCH

The reception given at the Presbyterian church New Year's night was a most enjoyable affair, and was attended by many members and friends of the church. The early part of the evening was devoted to a concert of vocal and instrumental music, which was followed by a luncheon. The following numbers were given, each number being liberally applauded: Opening address by Mrs. J. A. Lundstam, vocal solo and piano obbligato, Mrs. Leon DeWitt, vocal solo, Mrs. W. J. Miller, vocal solo, Mrs. J. W. Miller, vocal solo, Mrs. J. W. Miller, vocal solo, Mrs. J. W. Miller, vocal solo.

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