

# SOCIETY AND WOMAN'S WORLD



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### NOT UNDERSTOOD.

Not understood. We move along asunder;  
Our paths grow wider as the seasons creep  
Along the years; we marvel and we wonder,  
Why life is life, and then we fall asleep—  
Not understood.

Not understood. We gather false impressions  
and hug them closer as the years go by.  
Till virtues often seem to us transgressions;  
And thus men rise and fall and live and die—  
Not understood.

Not understood. Poor souls with stunted vision  
Oft measure giants by the narrow gauge,  
The poisoned shafts of falsehood and derision  
Are oft impelled 'gainst those who mold the age—  
Not understood.

Not understood. The secret springs of action  
Which lie beneath the surface and the show  
Are disregarded. With self-satisfaction  
We judge our neighbors, and they often go—  
Not understood.

Not understood. How trifles often change us.  
The thoughtless sentence or the fancied slight  
Destroy long years of friendship and estrange us  
And on our souls there falls a freezing blight—  
Not understood.

Not understood. How many breasts are aching  
For lack of sympathy. Ah, day by day,  
How many cheerless, lonely hearts are breaking!  
How many noble spirits pass away—  
Not understood.

O God! that men would see a little clearer,  
Or judge less harshly when they cannot see!  
O God! that men would draw a little nearer  
To one another!—they'd be nearer Thee.  
And understood.

**—A HAPPY NEW YEAR!—**  
**ABOUT EVERY GIRL** thinks she must have a "chum." That's good because it is a normal trait. The human soul craves companionship and the healthy soul reaches out for it. The child from the time it is old enough to think, to understand even a little of the relationships of life, begins to feel out for companionship, and so we find the boy choosing his "pal" and the girl her "chum," writes Katherine Kip.

Then life begins to have real interest because there is a mutualty of better than mother. She may not be wise as the world knows wisdom. She of association and its little world begins to extend its horizon.

But the "chum!" What of her? To be of value to the child she must fill in some need of the child nature. Watch children and see how well this is carried out.

As the girl grows older a great deal depends upon the character of the "chum."

What better chum than mother can the girl have who has left the first stages of childhood and is entering upon the intermediary period before young womanhood? What better chum can the growing and grown girl have than her mother?  
No one in all the world under-

stands the nature of the child and girl better than mother. She may not be wise as the world knows wisdom. She may not be versed in the laws of inheritance, or psychology, or any one of the dozen or so things that have come to enter into the study of children and young people, but she does understand in an indefinable way that mothers have, the laws governing the instincts, the inclinations and laws of her child's nature. She better than any one else, knows why certain traits come uppermost. She knows better than any one else why her child's inclinations naturally turn in certain directions, and, therefore, she is better fitted to be the real chum of the girl.

Make mother your chum. You can't do better than that if you search the whole world over. Not another being in all the world will bring as much love to the companionship. Not another being in all the world will bring as much patience into this relationship.

The girl who makes mother her chum, her confidante, is not likely to be found on the losing side in life's game. If one could ask the human wrecks that float hither and thither in the world the reason for their plight they would say one of two things: They had no mother to guide them or they shut mother out of their lives at the time she was most needed.

Your mother's face may be seamed by the sorrows of the world, her hands scarred by hard work, her shoulders bent by the burden of toil almost too heavy for a woman's shoulders to bear, but to you she should stand apart, sanctified and beautiful because of these seams, these scars and these bent shoulders, because they are evidences of her love for you. She has proved her love for you; prove yours for her.

**—A HAPPY NEW YEAR!—**  
John Grant Ferguson, formerly a teacher in the Marshfield high school, has written friends here asking to be remembered to all his acquaintances. He is now taking a medical course at the University of Edinburgh, Scotland. He is spending the Christmas holidays with his parents at Dundee, Scotland, the first Christmas he has spent at home in six years.

**—A HAPPY NEW YEAR!—**  
The Bridge club was entertained last Wednesday afternoon by Mrs. Wm. Horsfall, Jr., at her home. A red and green decoration scheme, savoring of the Christmas season, was effectively carried out. The afternoon's play resulted in Mrs. J. W. Ingram winning the first prize and Mrs. J. H. Flanagan the second prize. Among her guests were Mrs. J. S. Coke, Mrs. J. H. Flanagan, Mrs. E. G. Flanagan, Mrs. G. W. Kaufman, Mrs. J. W. Ingram, Mrs. E. K. Jones, Mrs. J. W. Bennett, Mrs. E. G. Perham, Mrs. Henry Sengstacken, Mrs. W. A. Toye, Mrs. R. K. Booth, Mrs. Ward M. Blake, Mrs. W. S. Turpen, Mrs. F. E. Hague, and Mrs. H. S. Tower. The next meeting of the club will be held with Mrs. J. W. Bennett.

**—A HAPPY NEW YEAR!—**  
Mrs. M. C. Horton and Miss Lucy Horton were hostesses at a delightful afternoon at sewing Wednesday. The house was prettily decorated and at the conclusion, delicious refreshments were served. During the afternoon, Miss Mable Clare Mills sang a few selections.

**—A HAPPY NEW YEAR!—**  
Mrs. W. S. Chandler who has been spending the holidays in Washington, will return to her home in San Francisco next week to spend a few months. She will be accompanied by her daughter, Mrs. Helen Chandler-Tremaine who will spend the winter there.

**—A HAPPY NEW YEAR!—**  
The Chambrade club will meet next Wednesday at the home of Mrs. Wm. Horsfall, the director. The club has not met during the holidays.

**—A HAPPY NEW YEAR!—**  
Mrs. E. F. Morrissey was hostess at a most delightful 1 o'clock luncheon Wednesday at her home. The house was prettily decorated with a floral and green color scheme. Carnations and roses predominated in the floral decorations. For the afternoon's diversion, a quilt blocking contest afforded much amusement. Mrs. J. V. Smeaton, Mrs. Eugene

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Crosthwait and Mrs. Wm. Grimes drew the chances designating them as judges and they awarded first prize to Mrs. Effie Farringer, second prize to Mrs. Dorsey Kreitzer and the consolation prize to Mrs. F. M. Parsons. Among Mrs. Morrissey's guests were Mrs. C. E. Nicholson, Mrs. L. W. Traver, Mrs. Elizabeth Adams, Mrs. Chas. Van Duyn, Mrs. B. W. Olson, Mrs. F. M. Parsons, Mrs. J. V. Smeaton, Mrs. A. H. Powers, Mrs. C. J. Mills, Mrs. I. S. Kaufman, Mrs. W. P. Murphy, Mrs. E. W. Kammerer, Mrs. A. E. Neff, Mrs. F. A. Haines, Mrs. A. T. Haines, Mrs. W. F. Miller, Mrs. Dorsey Kreitzer, Mrs. J. T. Harrigan, Mrs. W. E. Warwick, Mrs. E. M. Farringer, Mrs. A. L. Houseworth, Mrs. Eugene Crosthwait, Mrs. Wm. Grimes, Mrs. Frank Rogers, Mrs. R. M. Jennings, Miss McConnell and Miss Mable Clare Mills.

**—A HAPPY NEW YEAR!—**  
Harry Nasburg left this week for San Francisco where he will soon wed Miss Hazel McGraw, who spent several weeks here last summer. They will return here soon to reside, occupying a residence on North Second street near Commercial.

**—A HAPPY NEW YEAR!—**  
A number of young women who have been spending the holidays with relatives return to school today. Miss Lucy Horton goes to Seattle to re-enter the University of Washington, Miss Uma Marsh to Portland to re-enter high school, Bessie Coke and Sigma Holm to Eugene to the University of Oregon.

**—A HAPPY NEW YEAR!—**  
The announcement of the engagement of Miss Eugenia Schilling of Gardiner and R. E. Dixon of Eugene, came as a decided surprise to Coos Bay folk this week. Miss Schilling is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Schilling and lived with her parents in Marshfield for several years where her winsome ways and accomplishments won her a host of friends who will felicitate Mr. Dixon on his choice. The nuptials will not take place for several months. Miss Schilling is now the guest of Miss Helen Bradley at Portland.

**—A HAPPY NEW YEAR!—**  
Miss Jessie Chase, who has been spending the Christmas vacation with relatives in Portland, is expected home today via Drain.

**—A HAPPY NEW YEAR!—**  
The members of the Marshfield High School German club were hosts to the members of the Junior class at the home of Miss Nora Tower Tuesday evening. The evening was pleasantly spent with various diversions. Among those present were Misses Elvira Frizeen, Lucy Juzo, Mabel Smith, Nora Tower, May Preuss, Grace Kruse, Inez Johnson, and Messrs. Chauncey Clarke, Chas. Merchant, Ernest Harrington, Will Horton, Milton Carlson, Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Tiedgen, Mr. and Mrs. Hewitt and Miss Montgomery.

**—A HAPPY NEW YEAR!—**  
This evening, the Millicoma club will tender a New Year's ball to the members, their wives and lady friends. It is the first social function at the club in some months and a most enjoyable affair is anticipated.

**—A HAPPY NEW YEAR!—**  
Miss Browning arrived this week from Berkeley, where she is a member of the senior class at the University of California, to visit her mother and her brother, Rev. Robert E. Browning.

**—A HAPPY NEW YEAR!—**  
Last Monday evening, Prof. and Mrs. Roy Hewitt entertained the members of the 1910 and 1911 classes of the Marshfield High School at their home in South Marshfield. The evening was pleasantly spent with various games, John Ferguson winning the honors. Musical numbers, including songs by Superintendent Tiedgen, were also enjoyed. Refreshments were served, Mrs. Applewhite assisting Mrs. Hewitt in serving. Those present were Misses Sig-

ma Holm, Bessie Coke and Alpha Mauzey of the 1910 class, and the 1911 class members consisting of Misses Rose Wall, Alice Curtis, Nellie Tribbey, Belva Flanagan, and Mary Hansen, and Messrs. John Ferguson, Eric Bolt, and Joe Bennett. Supt. Tiedgen and wife and Mrs. A. Applewhite were the only other guests.

**—A HAPPY NEW YEAR!—**  
Word has been received here that Miss Mary Minot, a former Coos Bay girl, recently underwent an operation for appendicitis at New York where she has been taking a nurse's course at a hospital there. The operation was successful and Miss Minot has gone to Maine where she will recuperate at the home of relatives of her father, Tom Minot.

**—A HAPPY NEW YEAR!—**  
Last Tuesday afternoon, Mrs. R. K. Booth entertained eight young ladies at cards complimentary to Miss Lucy Horton, who is spending the holiday vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Horton here. Miss Mamie Mahoney won the prize. Among Mrs. Booth's guests were Mrs. W. H. Kennedy, Mrs. M. C. Maloney, Miss Elizabeth Kaufman, Miss Charlotte Murch, Miss Daisy Dean Rush, Miss Mamie Mahoney, Miss Nellie Tower and Miss Lucy Horton.

**—A HAPPY NEW YEAR!—**  
Miss Zetta Mitchell will entertain a number of young friends at a New Year's Watch party at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Mitchell, in South Marshfield this evening.

**—A HAPPY NEW YEAR!—**  
On Christmas Day the members of the Julius Larson family gathered at the old home on the famous Larson's Inlet and celebrated with a Christmas tree, and dinner. Two fine turkeys formed part of the feast. The grand children received numerous presents. The members of the family are: Mr. and Mrs. J. Larson, Miss Phoebe Larson, Herman Larson, Fred Larson, Mr. and Mrs. Rasmussen, Gordon Rasmussen, Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Hunter, Lucille Hunter, Mr. and Mrs. A. O. Rogers, Kathleen, Marie Rogers, Mr. and Mrs. Willis H. Kennedy, Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Lightner, the only other members, were not on the Bay for the happy event.

**—A HAPPY NEW YEAR!—**  
Miss Stanley returned Thursday from Portland where she spent the holidays with relatives.

**—A HAPPY NEW YEAR!—**  
Mrs. Rosa Preuss left this week via Roseburg for Portland and Alaska where she will spend considerable time. At Roseburg she will visit her mother and at Portland she will join W. A. Reid and wife and baby and accompany them to Alaska. Mr. and Mrs. Reid left today for the north after an extended stay at the home of Mrs. Reid's parents, Judge and Mrs. Sehlbrede.

**—A HAPPY NEW YEAR!—**  
Miss Mamie Mahoney is spending a few days as the guest of Mrs. Frank Rogers of South Coos River, who is giving a New Year's house party to a number of friends, Mr. Dane and Walter Butler are among the other Marshfield guests.

**—A HAPPY NEW YEAR!—**  
The Evergreen Whist club is being entertained this afternoon by Mrs. P. M. Wilbur at her home on North Broadway.

**—A HAPPY NEW YEAR!—**  
Mrs. J. W. Bennett and Mrs. Arthur McKeown are planning for a large social function in the near future and invitations will

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Here's the glad some New Year's Day  
Time for swearing off they say  
Swearing off need cause no pain  
You can swear them on again.

## A HAPPY NEW YEAR

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