

REVELATIONS OF A WIFE

The Story of a Honeymoon

A Wonderful Romance of Married Life Wonderfully Told by ADELE GARRISON

CHAPTER CCCXI

WHAT CAN MRS. ALLIS' SCHEME REALLY BE?

My brain worked swiftly when Mrs. Allis asked me to come in and drink a cup of tea with her after her return to the Cosgrove farmhouse from New York. That there was something more to her invitation than what appeared on the surface I was sure.

I knew that she disliked me. Only that morning I had overheard her say that she had a score to settle with me, and the aversion I felt toward her was intensified by the knowledge I possessed—fortunately unknown to her—of her scheme to purloin the valuable paintings in the Cosgrove farmhouse parlor.

She was not asking me to drink tea with her from any desire for my society—I knew that. Whatever her motive might be I felt that I ought to try to discover it. I felt foolishly elated—a regular sleuth—as Dicky would have expressed it—as I smiled a pleasant response to her invitation.

"I shall be charmed, indeed," I said. "May I come in a bathrobe?"

"Of course," she smiled back, and

I imagined that I had caught a glimpse of triumph in her eyes. "I'll go ahead and light up." She hesitated a moment, then added nonchalantly: "Would not your husband like a cup of tea, also?"

"Has Dicky Got It?"

"I'll ask him," I returned non-committally, but cordially. "If he will, I'll bring him along with me." "Good!" Mrs. Allis returned, smiling brightly and went on to her room opposite mine, leaving her door ajar. I closed mine, and going swiftly into Dicky's room, told him of Mrs. Allis' invitation.

He gave a long, low whistle of surprise, which I promptly smothered on his lips with the palm of my hand.

"Don't let her hear you," I admonished in a whisper. "I have no idea what she means by the invitation, but I don't want her to suspect that we take it for anything save what it appears on the surface."

Dicky nodded, pursed up his lips as if to whistle again, and stared at the ceiling for a long minute. It is a little mannerism of his when he is thinking out some problem, and I knew better than to disturb him.

"She's up to something, of course," he said at last in a low murmur, "and I hate to have you go into her room or get mixed up with it at all. Of course, there's nothing to fear from her just now, but keep your eyes peeled good and plenty every minute you're with her. By George, I'll bet I've got it!"

He sprang from the bed where he had been sprawling, and bent his lips to my ear.

Madge Conceals Her Emotions.

"Now remember to say to her just what I'm telling you," he whispered. "Tell her that I was almost asleep when you came in, and that I go to sleep every evening early, and that when I do the trump of Gabriel wouldn't wake me. Manage to tell her also how we divide our rooms—that I sleep back here and you in the front room. You won't have to volunteer that information—she'll ask you about it. Answer all her questions you can, encourage her to ask them, and remember carefully anything you tell her. Run along now and get back as soon as you can gracefully. I shan't go to sleep until you come."

"But, Dicky, what do you suspect?" I whispered wildly, excited. "Can't wait to explain now," he retorted impatiently. "Go along quickly so she won't suspect anything. I'll tell you everything about it when you get back."

I was afraid Mrs. Allis could hear my heart beat as I stepped into her room. I was so thoroughly jarred out of my usual routine that I could hardly believe I was the same quiet person who had come to the

Cosgrove farmhouse only the day before.

"But I am rather skillful at concealing my emotion I may have, and I do not think she suspected anything as she came smiling toward me."

"Mr. Graham would not come?" she queried.

"He was so nearly asleep I could hardly make him understand your invitation," I smiled back. "You see the Seven Sleepers were amateurs at the job compared to Mr. Graham. Whenever he spends a day outdoors he always goes to bed early, goes to sleep almost as soon as his head touches the pillow, and the task of waking him is one that I long since gave up in despair. When he is really sound asleep I do not believe a bombardment would awaken him."

I watched her narrowly as I spoke, and saw a distinct gleam of satisfaction in her eyes. But her only comment was made lightly enough:

"How fortunate to have such steady nerves and so clear a conscience! But do sit down."

She drew up an old-fashioned rocker to the side of a small table upon which a tiny copper kettle stood over an alcohol lamp in a wall bracket, but it was not lighted. Instead of candles in quaint candlesticks of varying patterns stood upon the bureau, washstand and table. I noticed that over the bed a luxurious strip of Oriental silk was thrown, while other strips and comfortable pillows also covered with intricately embroidered silk were upon every chair and piled in an inviting heap upon the bed.

"I like to be comfortable wherever I am," she said, following my glance. "I always pack a few comforts like my pillows and tea service in a trunk and take them along with me no matter where I go."

She flung herself down in a graceful attitude among the heap of pillows upon the bed, and propping her head upon her hands, looked at me smiling. She was exactly like a cat in her luxurious stretching. I had a curious feeling that her claws were sheathed but lightly, and that they would not be loath to tear my flesh. (To be continued)

HIGH SCHOOL TO HOLD EXERCISES

One Hundred Students to Receive Diplomas at Armory Next Friday Night

Next Friday night just 100 boys and girls will receive their diplomas, showing that they have completed their three years in Salem high school. The exercises will be held in the armory, where it is planned to accommodate a large crowd. A complete program has not yet been prepared, but Justice Henry L. Benson is to deliver the address to the class.

Baccalaureate services will be held in the First Christian church Sunday morning. Rev. Leland W. Porter preaching the sermon.

Those who are to receive diplomas this year are the following:

- Edna Ackerman, Ruby Allen, Virgil Anderson, Olive Armstrong, Viola Ash, Amelia Babcock, Josephine Bohannon, Herbert Booth, Gretchen Baumgartner, Mary, Bayne, Bown, Dionisio Bucago, Maxine Burch, Beatrice Burton, Cary Carson, Florence Cartwright, Dolph Craig, Isabel Croshaw, Herbert Darby, Esther Davies, Acner DuRette, Adial Esteb, Genevieve Findley, Helen Frazier, Myra Gleason, Annabelle Golden, Milton Grapp, Leah Greenbaum, Glenn Gregg, Helen Hardy, Robert Harper, Jessie Harrington, Dorothy Holstin, Veda Howd, Anna Hrbacek, Harold Hull, Wilda Ingels, Carl Jaquet, Lillian Jaquet, Floyd Jones, Florence Keefe, Selma Kumrow, Elvin Lantis, Hugh Latham, Ruth Lawrence, Paul Liphart, Annie Loftus, Emily Looze, Helen Lovell, Melva Lull, Frank Lynch, Maud McCoy, Floyd McQuinn, Calvin Mason, Alice Mathey, Jessie Miles, Juanita Moores, Bernard Nutting, Glenn Nichols, Lillian Olson, Virgil O'Neil, Esther Paroungian, Myrtle Palker, Lyle Perrine, Dorothy Phillips, Emily Phillips, Elsie Plets, Flora Polley, Felino Posadas, Alice Putnam, Eva Randall, Danta Robbins, Esther Roeder, Ruth Roeder, Arthur Rosebraugh, Dorothy Runner, Donald Ryan, Rebecca Samuel, Glenn Savage, Ruth Sims, Maureen Smith, Vera Smith, Walter Socolofsky, Etta Sutter, Miriam Swartz, Sol Taylor, Joseph Teel, Thomas Tuve, Elson Von Eschen, Anna Ward, Blanche Webber, Henry Wechter, Arthur Wendland, Walter Wendland, John Williams, Carolyn Wilson, Letha Wilson, Vera Wright.

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BOY SCOUT WEEK TO BE OBSERVED

Governor Olcott Issues Proclamation Setting Aside Week of June 8 to 14

Governor Olcott yesterday issued a proclamation setting aside the week beginning June 8th to Flag Day, June 14th, to be observed as Boy Scout week throughout the state of Oregon. This proclamation issued in line with a proclamation issued by President Wilson proclaiming such week as Boy Scout week throughout the United States. The proclamation follows:

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Intermittent Periods of Week-end Profit-Taking Fail to Prevent Rises

NEW YORK, June 6.—The general advances in prices resumed after the liquidation on Tuesday was continued today on the stock exchange and intermittent periods of week-end profit-taking failed to prevent material rises in a long list of shares. Under impulse of favorable reports as to trade conditions, United States Steel and the independent steels scored gains of one or two points, with United States Steel again selling at the highest for the year.

Shipping featured the day's trading with a sensational rise of nearly fourteen points by Atlantic Gulf and West Indies to 178, a new high figure.

International marines, after exhibiting early weakness were purchased more freely and closed fractionally higher after publication of reports

that this deal would fail of consummation.

There was a more varied demand for stocks, particularly for low-priced rails and many of the minor industrials.

The sales amounted to 1,750,000 shares.

The bond market held firm with a good inquiry also for government issues. Total sales, par value, aggregated \$11,150,000.

Old United States bonds were unchanged on call.

Tobacco Habit Dangerous

says Doctor Connor, formerly of Johns Hopkins hospital. Thousands of men suffering from fatal diseases would be in perfect health today were it not for the deadly drug Nicotine. Stop the habit now before it's too late. It's a simple process to rid yourself of the tobacco habit in any form. Just go to any up to date drug store and get some Nicotol tablets; take them as directed and in the pernicious habit quickly vanishes. Druggists refund the money if they fail. Be sure to read large and interesting announcement by Doctor Connor soon to appear in the paper. It tells of the danger of nicotine poisoning and how to avoid it. In the meantime, try Nicotol tablets; you will be surprised at the result. D. J. Fry.

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FLOUR and CEREALS—

- Pacific hardwheat \$2.75
- Diamond C \$2.55
- Crown \$2.95
- Olympic \$2.95
- Corn Meal 60c
- No. 10 Graham 65c
- No. 10 Wheat Cereal 65c
- 10 lbs. Cream Rolled Oats. 65c
- Blue Rose fancy rice 12c
- Head Rice, lb. 9c
- Golden Rod Oats, large pkg 30c
- Mother's Oats, large package 30c
- 3 8-oz pkgs Corn Flakes 28c
- 2 pkgs Kellogg's 27c
- 2 Post Toasties 26c
- 2 pkgs. Grape Nuts 25c
- 2 pkgs. A. & H. soda 15c
- Ralston's Bran 17c
- Roman Meal 27c

SPICES—

- 2 oz. Cinnamon, 2 for 15c
- 2 oz. Nutmeg, 2 for 15c
- 2 oz. Allspice, 2 for 15c
- 2 oz. Ginger, 2 for 15c
- 2 oz. Pepper, 2 for 15c
- 2 oz. Mustard, 2 for 15c
- 2 oz. Cloves, 2 for 15c

TEA—

- 1/2 lb. Lipton's 40c
- 1/2 lb. Dependable 20c
- 1/2 lb. Folger's Shasta 20c
- 1/2 lb. Tree Tea 25c
- 1/2 lb. Galt's Blue Ribbon 35c
- 1 lb. bulk tea 45c
- 1/2 lb. Cocoa 18c
- 1 lb. Cocoa, Hershey's 35c
- Bulk Cocoa, lb. 26c
- 1 lb. bulk chocolate 29c
- 1 lb. can Ghirardelli's 32c
- 1/2 lb. Baker's Cocoa 24c
- Fresh Soda Crackers lb 16c
- Oyster Crackers, lb 16c
- Fresh Ginger Snaps 20c
- Borden's milk, 2 for 27c
- Carnation milk, 2 for 27c
- All 20c pkg. cookies 18c
- All 50c pkg. cookies 25c
- Del Monte Catsup, pints 25c
- H. P. Sauce 25c
- Kitchen Bouquet 25c
- Peanut Butter, lb 13c
- Fancy Crab Meat, lb 40c
- No. 1 Shrimp 15c
- 5 cans deviled meat 25c

COFFEE—

- 5 lb. Folger's Golden Gate \$2.25
- 1 lb. Folger's Golden Gate 47c
- 1 lb. Royal Club 45c
- 3 lbs. Royal Club \$1.30
- 1 lb. M. J. B. 47c
- 5 lbs. M. J. B. \$2.25
- Best Peaberry Coffee lb. 36c
- 3 lbs. Peaberry Coffee, lb. \$1.05
- 10 lbs. Peaberry Coffee, pound \$3.40
- Geo. Washington Instant 45c
- 50c Instant Postum 43c
- 30c Instant Postum 25c
- 25c plain Postum 22c
- 3 pkg. Jell O. 33c
- 3 Jiffy Jell. 33c

SOAP—

- 5 bars Crystal White 27c
- 5 bars Swift's White 25c
- 5 bars White Navy 30c
- 5 bars White Flyer 25c
- 3 Cream Oil 25c
- 4 Fairy, for 25c
- 3 Fels Naptha 25c
- 5 Royal White 28c
- Large pkg. Naptha Washing Powder 25c
- Large pkg. Citrus 27c
- 3 bottles blueing 23c
- Large Cottleene \$2.90
- Medium Cottleene \$1.15
- No. 5 Compound \$1.25
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