

HOLDING A HUSBAND

Adela Garrison's New Phase of REVELATIONS OF A WIFE

CHAPTER 57

WHAT MADGE FORGOT IN THE SHOCK OF DICKY'S SUGGESTION.

Dicky rushed into my room for the eleventh time, demanding the whereabouts of some mislaid article of his apparel of which I really was supposed to know

nothing, as he has a room all to himself, with plenty of closet and bureau room. But he has even more than the ordinary man's helplessness concerning his clothing, and in a pronounced degree the masculine tendency to blame the woman most nearly associated with him for whatever goes wrong.

For the eleventh time I schooled my voice to pleasantness though my nerves were jumping. I had grimly resolved upon the morning of this last day before our journey south that I would not lose my self-control no matter what happened, and I had prepared myself for almost any eventuality. But sometimes it is the long hacking which is more effectual in breaking a stick

than a sharp blow. When I had gone to Dicky's room, after his last demand, and had found the cut links he had lost, I was in no scarpable mood to listen to the abrupt words he flung at me as I turned to leave the room: "What's this I hear about Dad getting you a stateroom all to yourself?"

Of course, the words were perfectly natural and inoffensive. But the tone made me subtly feel that Dicky considered my father's action was a slight to the rest of the party. However, I tried to make my voice sound matter-of-fact as I replied: "Your hearing is perfectly correct. Father did get me one. That leaves your mother one, and Major Grantland secured one for Mrs. Durkee."

Dicky looked at me queerly. "Ye-es, so I've understood," he said dryly, and I wondered with a terrified little quail whether, he, too, suspected that the young officer had obtained the drawing room for me, and that he had passed it on to Mrs. Durkee only upon my refusal of it. My father and my mother-in-law had both surmised the truth, and the fact that Maj. Grantland's feeling that they had done so had troubled me with its hint that Maj. Grantland's feeling toward me had not escaped their notice. It was bad enough to be troubled and remorseful myself over the young officer's attitude without its being a matter of comment to others.

To Dicky's jealousy, unreasoning because of my own conduct and that of Maj. Grantland himself I had long been used, and I prepared myself for some cutting little speech concerning the young military man. But to my surprise it was something far different which was the theme of Dicky's next speech. "Of course you're going to invite Rita Brown to share it."

The implication which his words carried, that there was no other course possible, nettled me so I forgot for the instant that the thing he had proposed was the very course upon which I had myself decided. "Of course I will do no such thing," I retorted. "The devil you won't!" Dicky's

eyes flashed wrathfully. "Do you mean to tell me that you're going to travel in state while Ed—Lith and Lella are crowded in with Rita?"

Madge Mimics Dicky. He had paused perceptibly between the syllables of Edith's name, and had finished it hurriedly because, I was sure, he was afraid that changing the order of his mention of the two sisters might attract my attention. It was the most unimportant trifle, and might well have been an accident, but I had noticed similar trifles before, and, woman-like, I at once jumped to the most maddening solution of his request or rather demand. He was far more solicitous of Edith Fairfax's comfort than of mine. He could not bear that she should be inconvenienced. Far rather would he condemn me to the society of a girl whom he knew I detested.

I felt rising in me a primitive Bornean impulse to vent my rage upon things generally, beginning with the sneering, handsome countenance of my husband. I controlled my impulse, though it might have been better for both Dicky and me if I had given vent to the wild anger that shook me instead of confining the torrent under the ice with which I was able to coat it.

"You will please pardon me," I said in my most frigid manner. "I had not realized how very much the comfort of Ed—Lith and Lella counted with you. I shall, of course, accede to your wishes and invite Miss Brown to share my stateroom, much as I detest her."

I had purposely mimicked his hesitation over Edith's name, and knew by Dicky's exclamation and his sudden movement toward me that I had scored savagely. But I went out of the room, ignoring the fact that his exclamatory utterance of my name had seemed a protest of misunderstood motives, not of anger. (To be continued)

BITS FOR BREAKFAST

Still fair and warm. The June rains will have to hurry.

Have you noticed that the days are growing shorter? Salem will be the true Cherry City of the World for a number of days now.

Chief Justice Taft dined with royalty last night. And it is safe to assume that Bill did not stop over a bit.

They are on a hunt in the east for the twelve greatest women in the United States. The Bits for Breakfast man knows one of them, he is not going to commit himself on the other eleven.

They are having trouble with the mean temperature in the east—it is going higher than ever in June; meaner than customary. It has always been mean enough. It is a wonder the people stand it.

The Salem Chautauqua will be with us on Thursday.

Too many people in this vale of

TOO LATE TO CLASSIFY

25 STRAWBERRY PICKERS—fine berries. Bradbury, half mile 12th street car. Feeble minded road. Street car fare paid.

FOR RENT—SIX ROOM HOUSE at 746 North Winter. \$20 a month. Apply at Statesman business office. Phone 23.

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BUSINESS WOMAN HAS FURNISHED three room apartment, close in. Wishes to share with business or professional woman. "X." care Statesman.

Best Buys

10 acres bearing prunes, crop included, \$2100. 25 acres, 19 cleared, 10 prunes, 8 to 12 years old in first class condition, 4 bearing logans, 3 young logans, 1/2 acre family orchard, 6 room house, barn, 8 miles from Salem. Price \$9,500; a \$2000 crop included; half cash, balance 3 years at 6 percent.

60 room apartment business in good live town, annual net income of \$6000, complete equipment and lease, \$10,000, cash \$7800, \$2200 to be assumed. \$10,500 general merchandise stock with good location and good business. Will invoice if desired.

31 acres finest sandy loam bottom; fibberts, logans, fair improvements, \$8200, terms. 7 room strictly modern at 285 north Summer, will be off the market unless sold soon. If you are interested see me at once.

5 room modern, at 1036 Union. 5 room strictly modern at 1040 Union. 7 room strictly modern at 1550 State. If interested see me at once.

7 room modern new bungalow; basement, \$3750, easy terms; soldier loan. 4 room modern new bungalow; garage, \$1900; easy terms. 8 room house to rent at \$25 per month if paid 6 months in advance.

Socolofsky 341 State

Charles Bryan, brother of Bill, has entered the race for the Democratic nomination for governor of Nebraska. They will likely decorate him with the Order of the Raspberry.

Another circus is coming to Salem—the biggest one in the world.

Never before in the history of this country have memorials exercises in honor of a vaudeville performer been held from the Atlantic to the Pacific as was the case with Lillian Russell. But her loyalty, her friendliness and her splendid womanhood held a universal appeal.

SALEM HAS NEW CONCRETE PLANT

Twenty Thousand Dollar Manufacturing Concern Starting Tomorrow

A new \$20,000 manufacturing plant is to start operations in Salem tomorrow. It is the concrete products plant of the Oregon Gravel company.

Some time ago B. C. Miles and Ross C. Miles bought the plant of the Salem Sewer Pipe company. They have now turned this plant over to the Oregon Gravel company which has erected a new and modern plant at the foot of Hood and Shipping streets for the man-

2 more days and then~



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Drama—romance—superb production—Screenland's artistry as no one has seen it before—Coming to the

OREGON THEATRE

ufacture of all kinds of, quality concrete products, including sewer pipe, well casing, culvert pipe, Shope faced brick, floor tile, foundation blocks and specialties.

The plant is equipped with a new Thomas-Hammond sewer pipe machine which makes both plain and reinforced concrete pipe from two feet to three feet in length, and from four inches to 30 inches in diameter. Many modern conveniences have been installed for the rapid handling of materials. Overhead bins have been erected which will hold a three days' supply, a conveyor for moving cement from storage, steam curing which will reduce the time of curing from three weeks to one week, and lift trucks which will take the finished product from the machine on racks. These racks will be moved to the curing room, left for curing and later taken to the storage yard without the necessity of rehandling the load.

These people have been making Shepe patent brick and tile for a

year, and they have filled a good many orders in that time. But they have been all the time improving the quality of their product and preparing to go out after a larger business, and are now ready for greater activities in all their lines.

The newly equipped and organ-

ized plant, under the direction of the Miles people, will at first employ eight persons, but they expect to gradually increase their forces.

They have railroad connections at their new manufacturing plant and they are all set for a growing and developing business.

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Lower Prices on Women's Dresses

Salem's Greatest Women's Apparel Store

announces for Monday an extraordinary sale of women's high-class dresses, at the lowest prices of the season, including wool serge, velour, tricotine, messaline and tafeta silk, newest and best styles at wonderful price reductions

- \$10.50 to \$12.50 Dresses, now offered at \$7.25 \$15.00 to \$17.50 Dresses, now offered at 9.75 \$18.75 to \$22.50 Dresses, now offered at 12.75 \$25.00 to \$27.50 Dresses, now offered at 17.50 \$30.00 to \$35.00 Dresses, now offered at 24.75 \$37.50 to \$45.00 Dresses, now offered at 29.50

ELEGANT NEW COTTON DRESSES

New and pretty Organdie Voile and Gingham Dresses, Fresh, new and cool, some in plain colors, others in checks or stripes and a good assortment of figured designs, pink, light blue, lavender, white and maize, sizes 16 to 44, now offered three great groups.

Group 1. Dresses \$3.75

New Gingham Dresses for misses and women, red, light blue, pink, tan or green plaids, etc.

Group 2. Dresses \$4.98

Beautiful Organdie and Scotch Gingham Dresses, plain colors, checks, stripes and some white or cream.

Voile Dresses \$9.75

This group includes some pretty swiss and Organdie dresses, shell blue, pink, flesh and maize.

Group 4. Dresses \$12.75

This group consists of French Organdie and fine Voile Dresses in a splendid assortment of colors and sizes.



Sailor Hats \$2.48

Great variety of misses' and women's sailor hats, small, medium and large shapes, in a good assortment of styles and colors.

Women's Outing Apparel

now that vacation time approaches, many will be getting their outing and sport tops ready for the event. Therefore your inspection is cordially invited to our excellent showing of khaki dresses, skirts, breeches, coats, middies, knickers, hats and leggings.

Jersey Jackets \$4.95

New lot of Jersey Sport Jackets, all sizes in navy, brown, tan, black and red, specially priced \$4.95

\$3.50 to \$4.50 Blouses \$2.98

Great big lot of Georgette Crepe de Chine, tricolette, minionette and tafetta. Silk Waists and Blouses in a great variety of styles, made with short and some with sleeves, many drossy models, trimmed with lace, embroidery and beads, round, square and V shape necks, also Peter Pan and Tuxedo collars, splendid assortment of colors and sizes.

Sale of Sport Middies

A special purchase of new and pretty sport middies, some all white, others made with blue serge collars. Regulation style, neatly trimmed with braid, come in nearly all sizes. \$1.75 to \$2.50 values, now \$1.48.

THOUSANDS SWARMED THE BARGAIN TABLES ON THE FIRST DAY OF OUR SENSATIONAL

SALE OF SAMPLES

SUCH GREAT SAVINGS ARE WELCOMED IN EVERY HOUSEHOLD

The election of this store by certain manufacturers and wholesalers of the east to dispose of their sample lines of merchandise is a privilege, we are proud to announce. The greatness of these stocks coupled with the half off price we are able to give to our patrons makes the event something that will be looked forward to twice annually.

We Will Attempt to Clean-Up All Remaining Lots By Tomorrow

Some Price Instances Will Be Further Reduced to Make the Above Attempt Possible

Men's \$1.50 Dress Shirts With or without soft collars; all sizes. 75c Special at 49c

Ladies' \$1 House Aprons Of all descriptions. Special at 49c

\$4 Gingham Street Dresses For ladies and girls. Special at \$1.97

Children's Fine Gingham \$2 Dresses Sizes to 16. Special at 98c

Bathing Suits

Men's and ladies' \$5.50 all wool bathing suits, in all sizes and colors and styles. at \$2.50

Children's all wool bathing suits 98c

Men's and ladies' \$3 cotton bathing suits 98c

Men's, ladies' and children's \$1.25 cotton bathing suits 49c

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Every Sample Item Marked Half Price And in Some Cases Less

ATTENTION! CANNERY EMPLOYEES

Buy your supplies at our store. Here are some specials for you

Rubber Canning Aprons 39c Ladies' Gingham Dresses 98c Men's Canvas Gloves 8c Leather Gauntlet Gloves 43c

Khaki goods of all kinds at reduced prices

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THE PEOPLES CASH STORE SALEM ORE.

All Wool Jersey

Sport Jackets

Regular \$5.00 Grade During This Sale

\$2.98

Regular \$5 grade, in latest colors of black, brown, blue, navy, red, light and dark green, etc. This is not a sample lot but an extraordinary offer for this sample sale.

Ladies' Union Suits Regular 50c to 75c grades. Special at 25c

Ladies' Fine Vests Regular 35c values. Special at 17c

Men's \$1 Grade Work Shirts Of extra good chambray. Big lot. Special at 50c