

Born of the Storm

By SIDNEY B. CARTER

Chapter 18

Priscilla lay awake for a long time that night, thinking about the peculiar situation in which she found herself. She was having one man's baby and she was, beyond all doubt, in love with another man. She admitted that she was still awake when Kenneth came heavily up the stairs and lurched into the room. He fumbled for the light switch, finally found it, and switched it on. Priscilla's face. She blinked, blind and helpless as a kitten. Kenneth came and stood over her. "I seen you this afternoon with James," he growled. "An' I know what you was up to tonight. Get up!" He began to call her names. Priscilla sat up on the side of the bed and began to grope for her bedroom slippers, the foolish pink ones she had had when she was first married. She could not find them, but she was not yet used to the light. "Get up, I tell you!" shouted Kenneth and with that he put his powerful hands cruelly on her arms, jerking her to her feet. The next moment, before unconsciousness came, there was a blur to Priscilla. She heard Kenneth say something about "no wife of mine... gonna run around meetin' men on a street... bet it ain't my baby..." And then a blinding, ripping pain as his big fist hit her full in the face.

For what seemed hours she lay on the floor, but when she finally regained consciousness, she wasn't in the Kent home any more. She was between cool sheets. A white-capped nurse was bending over her anxiously. Priscilla was being bathed, but she didn't know it. It was not until several days later that she received a reply and by that time she knew without being told. The baby was dead.

For two weeks Priscilla lay in her hospital bed, so ill that she scarcely knew what was happening. She was conscious of one fact only. Her baby—a little boy—had been born prematurely and had died.

The day Priscilla was ready to leave the hospital, Viola and Daniel came to take her to the Hayden home. Their faces were troubled and Viola watched Priscilla anxiously while Daniel carried her out to the car. As they started off, he said anything and Priscilla was left to her thoughts.

"Where is Kenneth?" She could not help asking. To her surprise Daniel answered, instead of Viola. He spoke grimly.

"He's gone," said Daniel. "We don't know where he went, but we know why. A man can't mistreat his wife like that and get away with it in this town. I'm so ashamed of him I can't face people. My own brother doing a thing like that!"

"The police came for Kenneth," Viola was saying, "but it was too late. I guess when he realized what he had done, he sobered up pretty quick. He left in a hurry without taking any of his clothes." Priscilla found that she didn't care to discuss Kenneth any more. It did not matter now where he had gone or why. She simply hoped that he wouldn't come back. She was tired, so tired that she wanted only to crawl into her bed at home and know that her father was there in the house. Then she would be safe.

"Where is Dad?" she asked. "Did he have a lot of work to do and couldn't come after me?" The silence lasted so long that she turned to look at Viola. Viola's lips were moving as if she were trying to frame words, or perhaps saying a small prayer.

"Priscilla," said Viola finally. "Your father hasn't been well for some time and..." It was not necessary for her to continue. Priscilla knew. She did not cry. Even after Daniel and Viola had taken her up to her room and left her there alone, she did not cry.

Little Drusie, when she brought milk and crackers for Priscilla's lunch, exclaimed, "Pris, please eat. You haven't had a mouthful since you came home yesterday afternoon. Please, Pris."

"Come here, darling, and let me kiss you," sighed Priscilla. She



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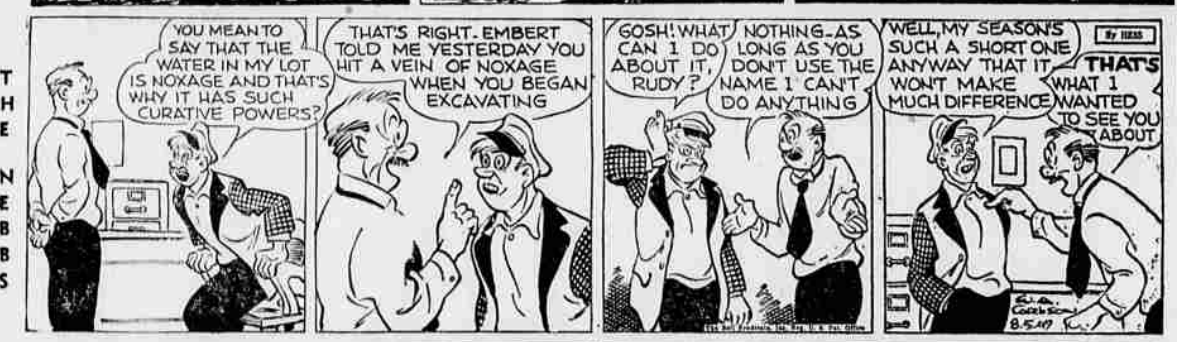
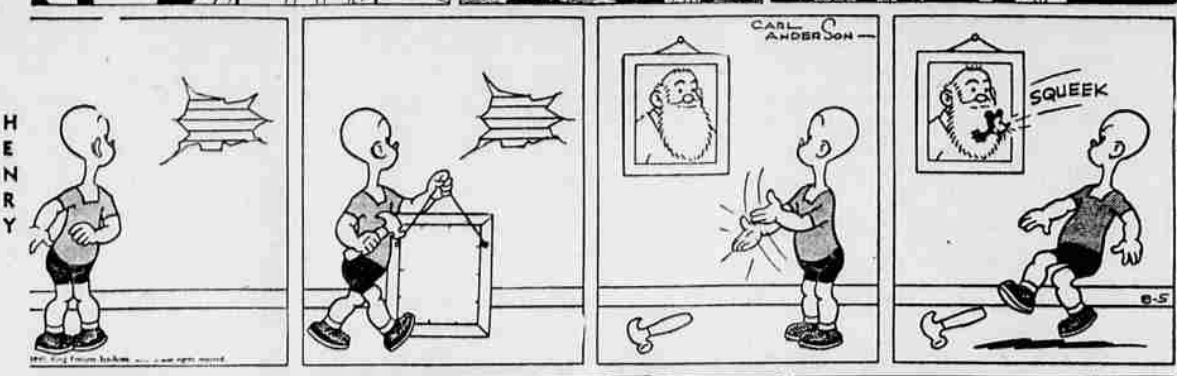
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| 5:00 | Fulton Lewis, Jr. | Woman's Secret | Rhythm Ranch | Curt Massey | The Little Show | Santa of the Prairie | Larry Leiber |
| 5:15 | Frank Hemingway | Sunny Side | Rhythm Ranch | Pat Manning | News of the Week | Chet Hunter | News |
| 5:30 | Pastime Parade | News of the Week | Pat Manning | Pat Manning | News of the Week | Chet Hunter | News |
| 5:45 | Carmen Cavallaro | Richard Harkness | Pat Manning | Pat Manning | News of the Week | Chet Hunter | News |
| 6:00 | Ted Drake | Eight by Request | Pat Manning | Pat Manning | News of the Week | Chet Hunter | News |
| 6:15 | Ted Drake | Eight by Request | Pat Manning | Pat Manning | News of the Week | Chet Hunter | News |
| 6:30 | Adv. of Champ. | Patricia at Piano | Pat Manning | Pat Manning | News of the Week | Chet Hunter | News |
| 6:45 | Music | Elmer Peterson | Pat Manning | Pat Manning | News of the Week | Chet Hunter | News |
| 7:00 | Gabriel Heatter | Webster Says | Pat Manning | Pat Manning | News of the Week | Chet Hunter | News |
| 7:15 | Northwest News | Webster Says | Pat Manning | Pat Manning | News of the Week | Chet Hunter | News |
| 7:30 | Fishing, Hunting | Mr. Good Wife | Pat Manning | Pat Manning | News of the Week | Chet Hunter | News |
| 7:45 | Music | Mr. Good Wife | Pat Manning | Pat Manning | News of the Week | Chet Hunter | News |
| 8:00 | Old Barber Shop | Dr. I, Q | Pat Manning | Pat Manning | News of the Week | Chet Hunter | News |
| 8:15 | This is Music | Dr. I, Q | Pat Manning | Pat Manning | News of the Week | Chet Hunter | News |
| 8:30 | Cisco Kid | Bill Stern | Pat Manning | Pat Manning | News of the Week | Chet Hunter | News |
| 8:45 | Cisco Kid | Rhythm Time | Pat Manning | Pat Manning | News of the Week | Chet Hunter | News |
| 9:00 | Straight Arrow | Supper Club | Pat Manning | Pat Manning | News of the Week | Chet Hunter | News |
| 9:15 | Music | News of the Week | Pat Manning | Pat Manning | News of the Week | Chet Hunter | News |
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| 10:00 | Select Local News | News | Pat Manning | Pat Manning | News of the Week | Chet Hunter | News |
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| 11:00 | Fulton Lewis, Jr. | Sam Hays | Pat Manning | Pat Manning | News of the Week | Chet Hunter | News |
| 11:15 | Bob Poole Show | Wax Museum | Pat Manning | Pat Manning | News of the Week | Chet Hunter | News |
| 11:30 | Bob Poole Show | Wax Museum | Pat Manning | Pat Manning | News of the Week | Chet Hunter | News |
| 11:45 | Music | Wax Museum | Pat Manning | Pat Manning | News of the Week | Chet Hunter | News |
| 12:00 | Sign Off | Sign Off | Pat Manning | Pat Manning | News of the Week | Chet Hunter | News |

| SATURDAY—6 A.M. TO 4:45 P.M. | | | | |
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| 6:00 | Dawn Patrol | Hodge Podge | KOIN Klock | News |
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| 6:30 | News | Hodge Podge | KOIN Klock | News |
| 6:45 | News | Hodge Podge | KOIN Klock | News |
| 7:00 | Dawn Patrol | Now Hear This | Tex Ritter | News |
| 7:15 | Dawn Patrol | Now Hear This | Tex Ritter | News |
| 7:30 | Dawn Patrol | Now Hear This | Tex Ritter | News |
| 7:45 | Dawn Patrol | Now Hear This | Tex Ritter | News |
| 8:00 | News | Smooth Music | Science Excursion | Music for You |
| 8:15 | Breakfast Gang | Smooth Music | Science Excursion | Music for You |
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| KEX Friday P.M.—8:00, Squirrel Cakes; 8:30, Yukon Challenge; 9:00, Keeping up With Sports; 9:35, Home Edition; 10:00, Modern Remedy; 10:30, Headline Edition; 11:00, Elmer Davis; 11:30, The Sheriff; 8, Heine and His Band; 8:30, Your FBI; 9, Pat Mack; 9:30, No Western Skies; 10, Richfield Reporter; 10:15, Intermountain; 10:30, Concert Hour; 11:30, News; 11:45, Tomorrow; 12:00, Xtra Hour; 1:00, Sign Off. | KOAC Friday P.M.—6:00, On the Club; 6:30, News; 6:45, Dinner Melodies; 6:50, Music of Czechoslovakia; 7:15, Evening Farm Hour; 8:00, Research Reporter; 8:15, Here in Vietnam; 8:30, Great Songs; 8:45, Legends; 9:00, Weather Forecast; 9:05, Music That Endures; 9:15, Lift Up Thy Voice; 10:00, Adventures in Research; 10:15, Serenade; 10:45, News; 11:00, Sign Off. |

Crossword Puzzle

ACROSS

- Propriety
- Dutch coin
- Glutton
- Artist's stand
- Ferlin
- Emmett
- Note of the
- Small fish
- Crafty
- Quining
- Chinese
- Locust
- Siberian river
- Pop
- Insects
- Strengthening
- Walk
- ponpously
- Bronze
- sun

DOWN

- This
- Jewish month
- Drove of cattle
- Faucet
- opus
- Boy
- Greek letter
- Small animal
- Purpose
- Escaped by
- 1906
- Avalanche
- Stylish
- Completion of a mortise
- Tower on
1. Beetle
2. Preceding night
- Character in "As You Like It"
1. Toward the
2. mouth
3. American
4. Indian
1. New England state; abbr.
2. Rebuff
3. commenced
4. College song
5. High, pointed
6. Encourage
7. Rhythmic
8. Artificial
9. language
10. Charity
11. Intentional discourtesy
12. Ward off
13. Handle
14. Cleopatra
15. Kind of meat
16. English dynasty
17. Automobile
18. Kind of meat
19. Spindle on which a wheel turns
20. Legal claim
21. Mother
22. Truce
23. Harvard's traditional wren
24. Front
25. Dutch
26. Collection
27. Ring
28. Exist

Solution of Yesterday's Puzzle

1. Withhold
2. Cereal grass
3. Exists
4. Anatomical
5. Tunic
6. New England state; abbr.
7. Rebuff
8. commenced
9. College song
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