It's Death, My Darling!

By AMELIA REYNOLDS LONG

Chapter 24

I found Bobby, Henri, and Cousin Jeff sitting in a little group on the west galiery. They must have read my news in my face, for Cousin Jeff asked at once:

"Raoul's been found. Peter?

Where?"

I blurted out my story. "Dede waiting there with him," I finished. "He said one of you should go look for Beau and the sheriff."

"We'd both better go," Cousin Jeff ededded. There was a sudden grimmness about him that made him appear almost a stranger. Henri, you take the fields on the other side of the road. I'll take this side."

When they had gone, Bobby and I sak for a moment in silence. "How!"

"All right; maybe I'd better tell you," he replied more quietly. "You must have noticed back there, Dede, that Uncle Raoul had dragged the graph of Grandpere's casket; he still had one of the flowers clutched in his hand. I picked up the spray to put it back; and I saw—I saw—I

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groan.

"Bobby, you've got to get away from here," he jerked out. "You and Peter both."

"Why?" I saked.
"I'd rather not tell you, Peter," he said. "But you'd better do as I say, Dede and I can drive you both in to New Orleans this morning—Amedee's voice sounded unexpectedly behind us.

"What's going on here?" he de-

"What's going on here?" he demanded sharply. "Henri, what are you talking about?"
Henri raised his head and looked at his brother with eyes that were feverishly bright.

Silverton — John Demas is completing convalescence at the family home, 508 N. Church street, following several days as a surgery patient at the local hospital.

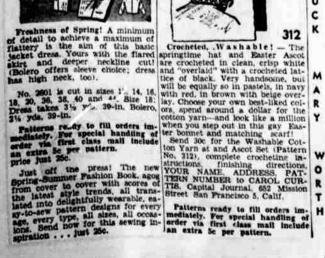
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BY CARL ANDERSON









Middle Grove Clubs Will **Present Three Plays Friday**

Middle Grove-Friday, March are being coached by Mrs. Clea school three one-act plays, with benefit project of Middle Grove are John Cage, Mrs. Northe benefit project of Middle Donald Bassett, Miss Gay Black-

Dallas

Alaska, before proceeding to hostess. Honolulu for several weeks of The devotions were led by anti-submarine exercises.

Mrs. Scharf and she included

After about two months the cutter will be back in Port Angeles for a short time before at the home of Mrs. Paul Bas-

March.
The first play "The Family," is being coached by Mrs. A. B.
Wiesner. In this play are Mrs.
Harold Anglin, Norman Fletcher,
John Schaffer, Roy Barger, Wal-

lace Turnidge and Mrs. Wiesner, Who is the grandmother.

The second and third plays

The public is invited.

The February meeting of the

Woman's Society for World Service held the February meeting Dallas—Richard L. Goertzen, son of Mr. and Mrs. Nick E. Present for the all day meet-

son of Mr. and Mrs. Nick E. Goertzen, is on the radio and radar equipped coast guard cutter, Winona, which is stationed at Port Angeles, Wash.

On February 26, the cutter left for weather station, Queen, for a three-week operation. The Winona will refuel at Adak, Mrs. John Van Laanen and the Alaska, before proceeding to hostess.

After about two months the the study book.

proceeding on to another assignment.

Goertzen's wife, Tilly, is staying in Dallas with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. George T. Classen, while her husband is away.

at the home of Mrs. Paul Basett was attended by Karen Patterson, Cherrill Doty, Eddie Page, Sam Myers, Richard Moorman and George Darland, with leaders Thomas Doty, Ray Darland and Mrs. Bassett.

Crossword Puzzle

DOWN

1. Wooden pin 4. English letter 7. Accumulate 38. Pierce

7. Accumulate
12. Wine vessel
13. Boring tool
14. Sew loosely
15. Rapid and
superficial
17. Come in
18. Negative
prefix
19. Guided
21. Anger
22. Outbuilding
24. Play on
words
25. God of war
26. Equality
27. Evictor
29. Declare
31. Flexible palm
stem grain
54. Soak up
55. Go furtively
56. By birth
57. Affirmative



6. An instru-1. Australian 3. Stores for 7. Retired 9. Moving 10. Cubic meter respect

27. Anglo-Saxon money 28. Attention 30. Flow back 32. Former name of Turkesti 33. Consumed 34. Nothing 36. Surgical instrument instrument
38. Varieties
39. Prepare for a contest
40. Dwell
42. Cereal seed
44. Writing table
45. Anglo-Saxon
slave
47. Body of water
49. Be indebted
50. Turn right
51. Greek letter

ROOM & BOARD By Gene Ahern

