

replied in a calm and reassuring light,." voice, "but I want you to do some- I smiled, thing for me."

"Would you mind coming home Ted? I've been doing a lot of think- mean and I'm glad of that." invited to the dance."

to my father's study which was a debutante (though its deplorable sayings, his entertaining manner.

Sallie's Father Takes Her In Hand about parties and-er-good times."

"What's the matter, Father? Has "Yes, I konw your argument, Bamanything happened? You haven't bina, I've heard all you modern wives heard from Curtiss, have you?" I on the subject, before, but I don't questioned, with swift alarm at his think its quite fair and besides Ted's unexpected appearance at the dance, a pretty bad sort; the men at the "Nothing has happened, Sallie," he club call him the 'young matrons' de-

"He did say, that a girl wasn't caution you against yourself." Of course I will. What is it Daddy even interesting until she was married-to some other chap,"

"Just what I thought," exclaimed with me now instead of later with Dad, "I see you understand what I

ing since our little chat tonight and "Another thing, daughter, I don't I wanter to talk to you-thats all, think you should make an exhibition You see, its nothing startling and be- of yourself doing the Charleston and sides," he attempted a smile, "I was being the center of attention like a - | cheap 'Garden of Allah' dancer under "All right, Dad. I'll meet you in a a tent. All they need at the Country fiffy." I flung over my shoulder as Club for more realism, is some saw-I hurried towards the stairs, "tell dust and a squeeky flue. In spite Ted were going, if you can find him, of their tuxedoes the men who form He's probably parked with some the audience are the same and make pretty girl a mile from the place!" the same significant remarks. Now Reaching home we made our way its not quite as undignifed for a

"But Father, it's so excit- life. ing having the admiration of "But Father, it's so exciting havabsorbed in his work."

of state. He sat in an arm chair be- is unquestionably poor taste."

truths that can only be acquired by are brow-beaten and bull-dozed into most uncanny-You're so much alive, a familiar and lengthy acquaintance it by overbearing husbands who in a way it's like your mother was

thought and realized that only an sessions and he's going to prove it is meant to be fair, your conquerable important message would have made world! Girl's don't change be magnetism, your quick, bubbling part of his mood.

(no matter how unpleasant, it may paused for a nod of understanding which I gave. Then he continued, Vell. 1 can't will it Dad, and it's held in the palm of his hand. about going around unchaperoned it! Coesn't dare admit it, even to with Ted. You wouldn't want Curtiss | 'richt." to have enagagements with girls."

"Curtiss wouldn't look at another

side his desk while I comfortably en- "A married woman," I flashed back scorsed myself on the sofa, and at him, "I'm beginning to hate that thoughtfully studied the smoke-rings expression. Does one have to wear grief he continued, at the same time "First of all, I want you to realize shackles just because of a brief cere-making a desperate effort at selfa lecture, my dear," he began, "it's honor and, sometimes, obey? I'll tell "I was speaking of your mother," just that Ive been thinking about you something, Father, a girl doesn't he said. I've never talked with you you constantly since you've been change one tota just because she's about her before. But I thought tohome and I believe the time has come a wife. At heart she's just the same. night after you'd gone out with Ted for me to tell you some fundamental The only ones who do are they who that I'd better tell you all. It's al-

I caught the seriousness of his ' . ' (I al type-she's one of his per-reasoning, which though inconsistent

him so grave. I at once became a lature, I tell you, and I haven't laughter, and even in the way you changed. I'm the same Sallie ouder suddenly turn your head." I'm going to do something that I've neath. I love Curtiss and admire him He rose impulsively and went to seldom done. I'm going to criticize there than anyone I know 'next to an old Renaissance chest of which, your judgment in leaving Curtisspat you, but I still get a kick out of as a child, I had stood in awe. I a time when he needs your coopera being popular and wearing pretty knew that it held the things of this tion the most. Shirking your duty lothes and hashe other m n-yes earth which my father cherished ther men tell as that I'm at sective most. be) will never lead to happiness," he and a good na ice; and have then. He came back to me and offered in a voice unspeakably kind: "then '72' with every '.11 only she's beat too, Sallie, I can't agree with you au'r' ed so long trut she's a bited

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"I'm not going to do anything tergirl. I've never thought of such a rible," I added, noting the look of thing and besides he doesn't care over his face, "and I'm going to be

true to Curtiss, not on account of LUMBER ACTIVITY NOW any question of morality but because

"I know you expect to be, Sallie, and I have all the confidence in you majority of logging camps and sawin the world but, you're going to mills in the firs districts of the Pahave a hard time doing it, I'm afraid." He relighted his pipe

"Women have changed radically in the last few years but they haven't. the reaction of men to her reorganized code-men are innately crude, and unless they are held down by oldvert to type. It's for that reason I would warn you, my dear."

window and stood lost in reverie for

I called to him softly.

He reseated himself in his chair. "What do you mean by that' I

"Just this, that if you allow your self to flattery you'll let the bars down, in spite of yourself, Bambina taking some man besides Curtles into

I shook my head in a positive manar as I rejected the thought

will have taken first place in your thoughts, his complments, his pretty privilege extended only on occasions enough) but for a married woman it and a thousand little courtesies that 15 to 23. all husbands are, unfortunately prone to neglect."

My thoughts flew through space Father was right. Many, many times thought of Barrington Pierce and there had been times when Curtiss and I had bad misunderstandings, that I longed for the companionship of the young musician. His worshipful attitude would have given me confidence in myself and a fresh appreciation for the beautiful things of

men and Curtiss is always ingthe admiration of men and Curtiss indifferent-now that he's so is always indifferent-now that he's so absorbed in his work."

> "Don't Sallie, don't" and a low moan escaped from my father who was always so composed.

He bowed his head in his hands but only for a moment's space. It was the first time I had glimpsed behind those doors of his unbreakable

"That's just what she said. Time after time I've heard her speak shose very same words but I didn't listen. until it was-too late."

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| would make her over into some con- still alive. Your mannerisms, your

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Portland, April 19 .- (Special) -- A cific Slope are now operating at close to average schedules as compared with the past three years, according to the 4L employment letter brought the men along with them all issued here today. The letter stated the way. It doesn't make any differ that although fallers and buckers ence how the modern woman figures have been laid off at a number of fir camps, actual logging is continuing at practically all major operations

fashioned conventionality they'll re- districts east of the Cascades is gradually being increased. The total sawmills this spring is less than that of one year ago; several extra shifts what seemed to me, a long, long which were in operation last year are not now active.

All kinds of building and construction work, both east and west of the "here's another thing. I want to Cascades, is very active and compares favorably with last year at this time. Spring work in agricultural lines is advanced from two to four

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