

And So They Were Married

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START THIS STORY TODAY

JANE was plainly carried away by the first real romance that had come into her life. The reaction on her was so great in comparison with the way her first husband had treated her that it seemed in the rosiest days of courtship almost unreal. Bob was so dear, so considerate, so thoughtful of Joy, who adored him, that Jane could see nothing but happiness stretching before her in great waves. It almost took her breath away.

Her need for money just at present was appalling. She wanted pretty things, and she was kept close to the wall with the comparatively small salary she received, so that she did not see how she could go to Bob with her wardrobe even in fair condition. She had the idea that if once she could get her things whipped into shape she could keep them that way.

For the first time in her life Jane was actually realizing the truth about herself. She knew that she was careless about things. She knew that she ought to be more careful about her appearance; she knew in her heart of hearts that minor things did count, but her nature was hard to combat, and every bit of systematic management in her manner of living had to be forced.

Little things in her past life annoyed her by insistently cropping up once in a while during these days. One thing in particular she remembered with an uncomfortable feeling. It had happened during the first part of her marriage, at a time when she was beginning to realize the time, and when she heard the door had really opened, at a time when she was beginning to realize that her illusions were slipping from her.

She had turned almost passionately at this time to people created in her own mind in order to get away from sordid realities, and one afternoon she had spent several hours in her room working out a story. Darkness came before she realized the time, and when she heard the door of the apartment close all the lovely imagination of the afternoon slipped away and she stood confronted by the fact that she had neglected her work shamefully. After all, a man has a right to expect certain things from his wife—a clean house and meals served regularly—and few men, certainly not Jane's husband, would understand the urge that had driven Jane to pouring out her heart in such a fashion.

She met him in the dark little hall—they had only three tiny rooms—and she saw that he had been drinking. His face was flushed and a scowl of anger swept over it as he glimpsed the untidy rooms.

Jane, with the thrill of creation still upon her, lifted an eager face to his. "What's a big idea?" he growled. "I've been writing a story," she explained eagerly. "Come in and let me tell you about it, dear."

He flung off her arm and stalked into the front room which they used as a combination living and dining room—the little bedroom was just off this. Through the open door one could glimpse the unmade beds and the littered bureau. The cheap peeling wallpaper made the place look worse than it really was.

The table in the outer room was strewn with the dirty breakfast dishes that had been pushed aside to make way for Jane's writing materials. The place was in a terrible condition with dirt and dust, but a man who had loved Jane unselfishly might have excused it for the expression on her face, that glad look that she did not wear often these days.

He stood still and his eyes traveled swiftly around the place, Jane's following them fearfully. "Some place," he sneered, "and some wife for a man to come home to. You look as dirty as the place, and I'll bet you are."

It was a brutal thing to say and utterly uncalled for, no matter what had been the cause, and Jane whitened under it. A terrible wave of hatred swept over her, but down underneath she knew that in a way she merited it. She hadn't even bothered to dress, and she still wore the dirty old kimono she had slipped on that morning to get breakfast in. There wasn't a vestige of dinner on the table nor even in preparation in the kitchen, and at the thought of facing the array of dirty dishes, to say nothing of pots and pans stacked up in the narrow little kitchen, Jane turned sick.

Without a word, she hurried out there, however, and began to open a couple of cans.

He followed her and stood by the door. Under his gaze, dark and glowering, she was nervous and cut her hand on one of the cans. She dropped it and, woman fashion, put her lips to the wound.

"Canned stuff!" he sneered. "Well, I'm not going to eat any of it. You're a fine housekeeper, you are, and this hole's a fine place for a man to come home to."

He flung himself out, and because she felt that there was some justice in what he said she followed him.

He was out of the door, however, and had slammed it behind him before she could speak and explain, and she was left in the darkness with the dreariness of the dirty apartment all around her and her story, the story that had lifted her completely out of her environment, all spread out over the table with the dirty dishes flanking it. She breathed a long, quivering sigh and stood still for a moment; then she went into the kitchen, put the canned stuff away and began to clear up. It was after 11 o'clock before she was finished and the apartment was in order. Until then she had not stopped to think that she was hungry. She made herself a cup of tea and drank it standing up, then she crept into bed and sobbed herself to sleep.

Tomorrow—Jane wonders if she was at fault.

CARRANZA DENIES CHARGE

Says Altendorf Was Go-Between for Berlin Envoys

Mexico City, Aug. 30.—Ignacio Bonillas, Mexican ambassador to the United States, today has been directed by President Carranza to deny statements accredited to Dr. Paul Bernardo Altendorf, a Pole, who served in the United States military intelligence department during the war, to the effect that Doctor Altendorf acted as intermediary between Heinrich von Eckhardt, the German minister to Mexico, and President Carranza.

"The individual is unknown to me," the president said today in a statement regarding Altendorf's disclosures, "and probably is of unbalanced mind."

STORE CLOSED ALL DAY TODAY

WANAMAKER'S

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WEATHER Fair

Wanamaker's Down Stairs Store Will Start September With a Sale of 1000 Smart New Autumn Dresses

1000 Pair of Women's Fine French Gloves at \$1.65

Fine French glace lambskin gloves are easily worth half as much again. They have two clasps and are overseam sewn. The white gloves are all white or have contrasting embroidery on the backs and hems to match. The black gloves are embroidered in white and have white hems. The above gloves are in all sizes. All black gloves are in sizes 6 1/4 to 8. We doubt if we shall have another such lot of French gloves at this low price again this season. (Central)

500 Sample Waists, \$1.85 Every One Worth Twice as Much or More

Not all sizes in any, one style, but there are all sizes from 36 to 46 in the lot. Every waist is fresh and in one of the season's good styles. There are crisp white organdies with vestees, pretty collars, etc., quite plain or trimmed with lace, insertion or embroidery. Some have touches of hand embroidery. Voile blouses with round necks, collarless or with flat collars are pretty with dainty lace and embroidery. There are tailored waists and frilly blouses and the choice is yours. (Market)

Women's Stockings Special, 25c a Pair

Black cotton stockings have re-enforced feet and garter tops.

White Silk Stockings Special, \$1 a Pair

White silk, fine and evenly knit, makes these stockings unusual value at this price. They are full-fashioned and have mercerized cotton tops, soles and heels. Some of them have slight imperfections that will not hurt their wear at all. (Central)

Talcum Powder, 12c a Pound

Two scents—coryopsis and trailing arbutus—put up in one-pound, sifter-top packages.

Bath Salts at Less Than Half

Clearing away the remaining bottles of bath salts, we have marked them 25c and 50c. (Central)

Women's Combinations Special, 50c

Fine ribbed cotton combinations have low necks and are sleeveless. They are finished with lace at the knees. (Central)

Fresh New Underthings Special at \$1

Envelope Chemises—The envelope chemises are of soft white nainsook trimmed with lace and insertion. **Nightgowns**—The nightgowns are of white nainsook trimmed with blue stitching and of white batiste finished with embroidery. **Crepe Bloomers**—The bloomers are of pink crepe with blue birds in it. They have elastic at the waist and at the knees, which are finished with ruffles. (Central)

Organdie and Net Flouncing Half Price at \$1

Half a dozen or more styles make an interesting assortment of ruffled white net and organdie. Some are 40 inches wide and others are 36 inches wide. It is easy to make pretty frocks from this! (Central)

New High-Neck Jabots, Special, \$2

Pretty lace jabots with high necks are worth more than half as much again. They have long, full frills. Also, special at \$2, there are lace gilets with collars, trimmed with fine, narrow Valenciennes lace. (Central)

Black Silk Skirts Special at \$6.50

Glossy black silk faille poplin skirts with wide and narrow satin stripes, attractive inset pockets and a soft girdele. **Black Satin Skirts** are of excellent quality with tailored inset pockets and belts trimmed with loops and buttons. \$10.50. **100 Beautiful New Plaid Skirts** are of soft wools in the most delightful Autumn colors. For Autumn sports wear there is nothing so smart or so appropriate as skirts like these. The colorings are a joy. \$12.50 to \$19.50. (Market)

Sample Handbags at Average Half Price

A most interesting collection of handbags of many different kinds, including strap-books, bags of tanned cloth, shiny leather, leather of various grainings and colors. All are a little rubbed, but there is not one that is not a sound value. **65c to \$3.50** (Central)



17 Styles in Navy Tricotine at \$25

(Savings of \$7.50 to \$20)

12 Styles in Navy Serge at \$19.50

(Savings of \$5 to \$11.50)

The two most fashionable, most wearable, most serviceable materials of the season—and at special prices!

Every line of these dresses is new, slender, straight-line frocks following the chemise mode, with narrow belts of self material or of cord, long enough to encircle the waist twice and hang to the hem. Some of the dresses are perfectly plain, trimmed only with black or self-covered buttons and with tucks or folds. Others are elaborately braided, the braid being used in bands or in scrolls or embroidered designs. Here and there you will see some vestees of glossy silk or collars of fresh white organdie. You will note some overblouses, too, that are interesting.

Every one of these dresses is of high quality, new and fashionable, and marked at much less than usual prices. If you have looked at the advance models of this Fall season you will know how great the savings are.

Eight of the seventeen styles in tricotine are sketched.

And Hundreds of New Satin and Georgette Dresses

These lovely things are in black, navy blue and taupe, the best shades for afternoon wearing, made in delightful ways with skirts charmingly draped. Sometimes the two materials are combined, a mode well thought of this season. Prices start at \$25 and go upward to \$49.50. (Market)

Special at \$15

A little gathering of black and navy serge dresses trimmed with black silk braid and with buttons. \$5 is the average saving.

Stamped Pieces at Half Price 10c to 50c

All ready for nimble fingers are these card-table covers, huck and Turkish towels, centerpiece, pillow tops, tray cloths and children's aprons, dresses and bibs. Some of the centers and tray cloths are of linen. (Central)

Hair-ribbons Special at 28c

A goodly variety of fresh, pretty hair-ribbons in stripes, plain colors and Dresden patterns. They average 5 inches in width and are special. (Central)

Serge Skirts for Juniors at \$6.50

Navy blue serge skirts are trimly tailored with knife pleats all around. Sizes 12 to 16 years or 30 inch to 34 inch. **Plaid Frocks at \$2.50** Attractive gingham frocks in various plaids are trimmed with plain-color gingham. They have deep pockets that schoolgirls will like. Sizes 6 to 14 years. **One of Our Best Styles** is a blue gingham frock with a slipover blouse in midday style with a turned-up hem. The pleated skirt has a white body attached. Sizes 8 to 16 years, \$5.50. (Market)

3500 Yards of Flannellet Special at 22c a Yard

A good Winter weight in softly fleeced flannellet in stripes and checks of pink or blue. It is 27 inches wide and much under price at 22c a yard. (Central)

5000 Yards of Half-Linen Crash Less Than Mill Price at 21c a Yard

Heavy-weight, half-linen crash toweling has blue borders and is 17 inches wide. (Chestnut)

Here's a Fine Buy for the Man Who Needs a Suit

Just 150 New All-Wool Suits and Every One Special at \$30

Sack suits and suits made with a waist line and a shoulder yoke and all of good, sturdy mixed chevrons in gray and brown mixtures, overblades and plain grays. Some are lined throughout, some half lined after the ideas of young men. Collars are carefully cut and tailored, vests fit smoothly and trousers hang straight and comfortably. Fittings in all regular sizes and a few for heavy men. There is not a suit in the lot that would not be marked at least \$6.50 more had it to be bought today. A splendid opportunity for young men soon starting to college. (Gallery, Market)

50c Neckties Are Very Scarce

—Especially such good ones as these. They are open-end four-inches of silks and silk mixtures and, as there are 1800 in the lot, you can imagine how wide the choosing is.

Men's Combinations Special, \$1.35

Fine white ribbed cotton combinations with short sleeves are ankle length. Fine for a man to wear right now, and many men wear them through the Winter. They are classed as "seconds" but the imperfections are slight and will not impair their durability.

Terry Bathrobes \$6.50

A varied assortment of excellent bath robes in a great many colorings; they're roomy and comfortable and have cord girdles. (Gallery, Market)

Men's Half Hose Special, 30c a Pair

Black cotton half hose, a good, clean quality, are made with half-white feet. (Gallery, Market)

Corsets at \$1.25 and \$1.50

At \$1.25, topless corsets of pink coutil are for slight figures, and are finished with elastic.

Three Models at \$1.50

One is a slight, topless model with entire panels of elastic on either side of the back. Another, of figured pink batiste, has a low, full bust with pieces of elastic set in. The third is of flesh or white coutil with a low bust with elastic in front.

Four Models at \$2.50

Included are models for slight to stout figures, topless or with low and medium-low bustlines. The corsets are well made of figured poplin or coutil in flesh and white.

Thousands of Bandeaux at 38c

Sizes from 38 to 42 inclusive are here in pink or white figured bandeaux. They have tape shoulder straps and fasten in back where there is elastic. (Central)

Eye-Opening Specials in Winter Bedding

Blankets

Gray or white cotton blankets with pink or blue borders are \$3 a pair. Heavier white cotton blankets with pink or blue border, size 66x80 inches, \$4.

Wool-Mixed Blankets

White blankets with pink or blue borders are in three sizes at three special prices: 66x80 inches, \$7.50; 70x80 inches, \$8.50; 76x84 inches, \$10

Gray wool-mixed blankets with white, pink or blue overplaids, 70x80 inches, are \$8.50.

Comfortables

Heavy-weight cotton-filled comfortable, covered with printed material, are scroll stitched and in full size for double beds. \$7. A similar comfortable with plain pink, blue, green or yellow border is special at \$4.

Hemstitched Sheets

68x 99 inches, \$2.45. 72x 90 inches, \$2.45. 81x108 inches, \$2.95. 90x108 inches, \$3.25. Hemstitched pillow cases, 50x 38 1/2 inches, 85c. (Chestnut)

Rugs at Big Savings

Good rugs are scarce, but we have a good assortment of perfect rugs in desirable patterns. Prices are lower than most places; we bought months ago when the wholesale price was much lower; the savings are yours. The savings on a number of rugs amount to large sums.

Wool-and-Fiber Rugs

Neat Conventional Patterns 6x9 feet, \$9 and \$11.50. 7.6x9 feet, \$13.75. 8.3x10.6 feet, \$17. 9x12 feet, \$14 and \$18.

Seamless Tapestry Brussels Rugs

In Oriental Designs 7.6x9 feet, \$25. 8.3x10.6 feet, \$31.50. 9x12 feet, \$23.50 and \$34. 11.3x12 feet, \$35.

Velvet Rugs

These are beautiful rugs in lovely shades of blue, rose, taupe, brown, green, etc., shaded to the striped borders. 27x54 inches, \$6.50. 36x72 inches, \$12. 4.6x7.6 feet, \$22.50. 6x9 feet, \$35. 8.3x10.6 feet, \$55. 9x12 feet, \$59. (Chestnut)

Axminster Rugs

Oriental, Chinese and Conventional Designs—suitable for all rooms, with many rugs in artistic blues and rose hues. 6x9 feet, \$25. 7.6x9 feet, \$32.50. 8.3x10.6 feet, \$42.50. 9x12 feet, \$47.50. 11.3x12 feet, \$59.50. 11.3x15 feet, \$85.

Wilton Rugs

In these you will see many of the newest designs from the Orient in soft colorings. Some have plain centers with Chinese figured borders. 27x54 inches, \$8.75. 36x72 inches, \$14. 4.6x7.6 feet, \$28. 6x9 feet, \$49. 8.3x10.6 feet, \$72.50. 9x12 feet, \$77.50. 10.6x12 feet, \$107. 10.6x13.6 feet, \$130. 11.3x15 feet, \$132.

Radiant Autumn Millinery In an Opening Showing

Since a season's success is gauged by a season's hats, we may expect much of Autumn 1919. Never were hats lovelier. The golden lights of brown in all their shadings hold first place among colors—a hat of wood brown with fine gold fringe edging the brim and crown; another of golden duvetyn with shaded velvet panes applique on the crown with brown chenille; another made entirely of copper-colored velvet softly draped.

Of course, there are many delightful black hats of plain or panne velvet and here and there a touch of the monkey fur that Paris is advocating. For facings soft shades of strawberry pink or twilight blue are being used.

Summed up, it is a season of more trimming, more color and more charm than we have known for many years. Prices are very moderate, starting as low as \$8 and \$9.50. (Market)

4000 Pair of Women's Pumps and Oxford Ties at \$3.90 a Pair

More Than a Third Less Than Regular.

Patent leather Oxford ties. Tan calfskin pumps. Brown kidskin Oxford ties. Tan calfskin Oxford ties.

All of them have turned soles and high, covered Louis heels. The lines are long and slender.

1000 Pair of Children's Shoes at \$1.50 a Pair

White canvas button shoes on wide-toe shapes have welted soles. Sizes 2 1/2 to 6. (Chestnut)