The Marriage Trifler

Barbara Knight, who all her life has had everything she wants, marries had everything she wants, marries Keith Grant, the most eligible man in Keith Grant, the most eligible man in the younger set. She thinks that life the younger set. She thinks that life is just one social success ofter another. The seriousness of marriage has never appealed to her as worthy of thought; she is a marriage trifler, although she is a marriage trifler, although she is quite unconscious of the fact. Ketth loves his wife, but marriage is different from what he expected. It is too feverish, too heotic, not serious enough. One day he asks his private secretary, Katherine Newberry, what she thinks of marriage. Until then he had never considered Katherine anything but a part of his office.

KEITH had said: "Miss Newbery,

what do you think about marriage?"

And Katherine, first surprised, and then when she saw Keith's serious face, really interested, had responded:

"What an astounding question!" her own answer had been given with the rippling softness that was one of her chief charms. It differed from the crisp, businesslike toner which she used in the office; it surprised Keith, and he noticed for the first time how lovely she was. Her eyes were so dark and caim and yet back in their depths there was a hint of something else, a spark that came and went like a golden light. "Surely you know more than I do shout it. Mr. Grant." she laughed.

Katherine's ideal of marriage was very much like Keith's. Like him, she wanted friendship and love. Though she did not say this in so many words, and though he did not say anything that might suggest that his own marriage was not all that it should be, still there was established in a few remarks a little bond of friendship that was natural and fine.

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After that Keith used to talk to Katherine often. No longer was sue part of the office furniture, a stranger to whom he was faultlessly courteous. He wondered about her and her life. He wondered about her and her life. He wondered what kind of a marriage she would make, as he idly watched her sleek dark head bent over the notebook, or looked into the dark eyes with their golden flecks. Nothing was farthest from his mind than a personal feeling of any kind toward this girl. She was to him a splendid type of woman, the type he was unfamiliar with. She would make a splendid friend, and he imagined that her friends would be far snore interesting to him than his own or Barbara's. They were the workers, and even their play must be interesting uscause they talked about life, they got somewhers.

It grew to be the custom that after Keith had finished dictating he would chat with Katherine. He looked forward to these talks, and gradually she told him of her life, of her friends, of the Thursday nights when they met and talked about all kinds of things. Keith was instantly interested in the Thursday nights.

"Would you let me come some time?" he had asked quickly when sne first spoke of them.

"Why, yes; would you like to?" Katherine's tone was warmly friendly. "Come down any time. I'd like you to meet my mother."

Neither Katherine nor Keith thought it the lenst incongruous that they should be granging anything of the kind. It had come about too naturally, too simply for that, and neither of them was at all conscious of the friendship as something out of the ordinary. If Keith had been personally interested in Katherine; if he had been trying to make another kind of an engagement with her and feit that there was a need for anything clandestine between them, everything would have been different.

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She smiled sind nodded. "Why do you want to come?" she asked curiously, wondering a little and curious, row that the first eager hospitality she had felt at his suggestion had died down.
"Because they're the kind of people I'm sure I'd like," Keith returned. "You don't know the kind of people we are, do you?"

"Not so very different from other people," Katherine returned promptly. "You have more money, that is all."
"That's enough. Money doesn't bring the happiness it's supposed to bring, you know." As Keith spoke he realized how splendid it was to talk to her. She was so calm and quiet, and yet so intense when she did speak. He somehow could not visualize Katherine in his own Louis XVI drawing room. He pictured her in a long, low cellinged room with a bowl of yellow flowres near her on a shining mahogany table, and tall candles flaming in dull brass sconces.

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# Accordion-Pleated Voile Flouncing—Special \$1.50 and \$2 a Straight Yard

It is 36 inches wide, of a nice quality and is in flesh, pink, white, tan and Nile green.

Plain Voile to Match, 50c a Yard

To complete your dress there is the same quality in the same

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# Summery Neck Pleatings 25c to 75c a Piece

They are of crisp organdie or Georgette crepe, in white, rose, pink, light and Copenhagen blue, tan and lavender, with picot edge. In 1 to 2 yard lengths.



# A Box-Pleated Skirt of Creamy Serge, \$10.75

-Less 20 Per Cent It is box pleated and topped with a belt and is a lovely skirt to wear with Summer sweaters. (Sketched.)

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Pink or white linene bandeaux, nicely hemstitched, \$1. Lace-trimmed brassieres fastening in front are \$1. 20 per cent deduction on every item. (Central)

# Metal Bag Tops: Special 65c

(Less the 20 Per Cent Deduction)

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The cheeriest, prettiest scrim imaginable (at anywhere near this price) is this white or ivery scrim with colored flowers scattered over it and flowered borders. The flowers are in various shades of blue, rose, lavender, yellow or brown and the scrim is Summery and dainty. 36 inches wide.

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Fine quality linene is in natural color or in stripes of various widths-mostly brown or tan stripes. It is 50 inches wide and \$1.50 a yard.

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Here cool and dainty frocks can be had for astonishingly small sums. Fancy a cool voile frock for \$4.50, or a sunshing gingham for \$5! Then deduct 20 per cent from these prices and you will see what a really fine place this is to shop.

Thousands of Summer Dresses at Modest Prices

are nodding and beckoning from every corner of the Dress Store. There are literally hundreds of styles in the best Summer materials -gingham, voile, organdie, crepes, tricolette, Georgette, foulard and so on. And there is a wide choice in every size, from 14 to 46.

Gingham Dresses

start at \$5 and go to \$10 and between these prices are checks, plaids and stripe arrangements in all sorts of fresh, clean colorings.

Voile Dresses

are \$4.50 to \$12.50, with a great abundance of the dark grounds with polka dots or printings in Georgette patterns. Women have found that such frocks are indispensable.

Organdie Dresses

are the daintiest of the frocks of Summer and one of Summer's pleasantest features. The colorings are exquisite. \$8.75 to \$25.

Georgette Crepe Dresses have a soft grace all their own. The printed ones, in light and dark colorings, start at \$15. Beaded dresses in plain, pastel tints are \$15 to \$42.50.

Tricolette Dresses

are cool frocks and can be worn on so many occasions. In navy, black, taupe, Copenhagen and a few of the lighter tones at \$17 to \$32.50

The Dresses Which Are Sketched

-At \$10.75, a frock of silk-and-cotton crepe showing blue, lavender or pink and white flowered patterns.

-At \$8, a printed voile dress in black-and-white, navy-and-white or navy-and-gold combinations. -At \$5, a ruffled dress of pink or white lawn with a white collar and a net vestee.

-At \$5, a printed voile dress with a pleated skirt. In navy or lighter blue com--At \$6.50, a gingham frock in a small plaid showing various cool color combina-

It is trimmed with white organdie. -At \$10, a dark, figured voile dress with a vestee of ecru embroidered Georgette, trimmed with colored picot ribbon.

Plenty of Women's New Bathing Suits, \$5.75, \$6.50 and \$7.50

Of surf satin, they are glossy and black and heavy enough to give real wear. Some have sashes, some are piped with white, gold, blue or green and every one of them is

A quite unusual group of silk suits has gathered in the Surf Store. They are of black, navy or brown satin or taffeta, made in many pretty ways; some are even graced with wool embroidery. \$10.75 to \$30.

Caps of every kind from plain divers to the last word in marine millinery are here at 25c to \$1.25.

Shoes, tights, garters and all the other needfuls, too.

Yes, the 20 per cent deduction applies to every item.

Lacy White Petticoats

to wear beneath Summer frocks are \$3 to \$5.50. Made of soft nainsook, they have all-lace or lace-trimmed overflounces, some finished with ribbon bows. Each price subject to a 20 per cent

#### Good Quality, Dust-Free Pongee

It is a Japanese pongee, 33 inches wide, \$1.55 a yard-less 20 per cent. A most practical and popular silk for men's shirts, women's dresses, separate skirts, petticoats, children's clothes, etc. (Central)

Navy Blue Silk Camisoles are wanted by so many women wearing sheer dark

And some new ones have just arrived at \$1.50 and \$2-less 20 per cent. They have ribbon shoulder straps and are hem-

Summer Rugs

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Wool and Fiber Rugs

6x9 feet, \$9.75. 7.6x9 feet, \$15. 8.3x10.6 feet, \$19 and \$21.50. 9x12 feet, \$20 and \$22.50. 12x12 feet, \$30 and \$35. 12x15 feet, \$35 and \$40.

Fiber Rugs 3x9 feet, \$2.75. 4.6x7.6 feet, \$4. 6x9 feet, \$6.

Chinese Matting Rugs

9x12 feet, \$7.50. (Very durable and satisfactory.)

Japanese Straw Rugs 3x6 feet, \$1.75. 8x10 feet, \$7.50. 9x12 feet, \$10.

Hit-or-Miss Rag Rugs

At \$1.50. 25x50 inches or 28x50 inches.

# Tennis Shoes and Oxfords for Men and Boys

\$2 to \$3.75 a Pair

(Less the 20 Per Cent Deduction) They are of white or brown canvas and the soles are cemented on.

Men's Shoes at \$7.90

They are of good black leather on English lasts Men's White Oxfords at \$10 Good-looking white leather Oxfords with full wing or straight tips

have low heels and welted soles. Boys' Shoes at \$5.90

Black or tan shoes on English lasts are in sizes 1 to 6.

## Six Styles of Women's White Leather Oxfords and Pumps \$8 to \$9.90 a Pair

(Less the 20 Per Cent Deduction) The white leather closely resembles buckskin, is

easily cleaned and always looks well. The oxfords and pumps have imitation wing or straight tips and perforations.

The soles are welted leather and the heels are either medium or low.

#### Good, Sturdy Tub Suits For Little Chaps of 4 to 8-\$4.50 Less 20 Per Cent

They came from one of the best makers of such suits and are especially nice ones of sturdy cotton materials with braided collars and cuffs and sleeve emblems.

Middy suits are in white or navy blue.

Button-on suits are in plain navy, cadet or oxford or have white blouses with navy or cadet blue trousers.

### Dainty White Dresses for Dear, Wee Lassies \$2.25 to \$3.50

(Less the 20 Per Cent Deduction) French knots and (just whisper it into her ear!) each frock has a

sash! Surely she will want one! Or, she—or mother—may prefer a dress of batiste or of lawn; if so, there are many from which to choose.

Sizes 2 to 6 years.

# **Every Little Girl Loves**

To own one is one of the joys of childhood and to give one is making a present, indeed. New parasols, gay with pink or blue flowers, with stripes, or in plain colors are here at \$1.25 to \$2. Some even have

wrist loops, if you please!
Yes, they're subject to the 20 per cent deduction.



# Half a Hundred Styles of Batiste Blouses, \$3.75 to \$9.75

It seems that every woman in Philadelphia wants a sheer white batiste blouse. Fortunately great numbers of such waists have been coming in and there are plenty for all. As to styles; there are low, flat or roll collars and round necks.

For trimming they have tiny tucks, wee ruffles, ricrac braiding, pretty beading, frilling and much fine Valenciennes lace.

The style sketched with the pleated frill at the neck and around

the bottom is trimmed with Valenciennes lace and is \$7.50, while the other style, with a long, roll collar is \$5.50.

20 per cent to be deducted.

# White Middy Blouses for the Holiday

Fresh, clean white ones of good jean have white braid on the collars and cuffs. Some lace in front, some have a shoulder yoke. In 10 to 18 year sizes at \$2.50.

Plain white ones, of excellent quality, are \$2. (Junior Store, Market)