

An Open Letter to Jealous Wives

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In the first place you want to realize the great truth that thoughts are things, and that by dwelling on any idea you can produce a condition to correspond with it. Space is filled with influences and forces ready to respond to your thought. Every time you think jealous thoughts you attract jealous forces that will, in time, if you continue in this idea, estrange your husband. On the contrary, if you think and say, "He is true, he is loyal, he loves me and is worthy of my love," you attract forces of love and truth which strengthen him to resist every temptation life may offer.

In the next place you want to cultivate that rarest of all plants in the garden of love—common sense.

Sit down and consider the situation. Why did your husband select you of all women to become his wife? Probably because he loved you more than all others. Well, then, with his love and his daily companionship to start with, you have a great advantage over all rivals. Do not have the power in your hands to fan this flame of love into a steady fire or to quench it forever.

However much a man may be imbued with sentiment, he likes comfort and peace of mind as a steady home diet. If you deprive him of those things, your sentimental love is of very little value to him, and he will turn elsewhere for distraction.

Every time you allow your unreasonable jealousy to render him uncomfortable you lose ground with him and it is more possible for him to turn elsewhere for distraction.

Added to this you show yourself in an unbecoming mood, and he will be inclined to contrast a sweet, tearful wife with more agreeable women he meets elsewhere.

Whatever you may feel you ought to be able to control yourself in the eyes of the man you love.

A perpetually jealous wife, remember, is the most unlovable object possible, and if you feel your emotions

getting beyond control manage to subdue yourself and cry it out alone. A good cry is often a great relief to a woman. But it would be well to steam and bathe your face before you allow your husband to see you.

Make up your mind that nowhere else on earth shall your husband find such comfort, such affection, such cheerfulness, such agreeable manners as he finds with you. Unless he is the truest sort of character, being, he is not going to be disloyal to the woman who exhibits all these qualities.

Try to become a good comrade to your husband. Make him feel that he can speak his opinions freely to you, that you can understand him fully, and when he expresses admiration of other women brace yourself up and agree with him. Brace yourself still further and show polite attention to the women he admires.

Nothing will more fully convince him that you respect his tastes and that you have confidence in your own position sufficient to admit his friends to your regard.

Since you love him so devotedly and are so morbidly jealous, this will be a difficult task for you. But love is full of hardships, and the effort is worth making.

Aside from this it is a wise thing to study carefully and closely the woman you fear as rivals. Like a shy horse when driven close to the piece of fluttering paper which has caused him to snort and quiver with terror, you will become calm and self-possessed when you discover on close acquaintance how harmless are the women you have considered dangerous rivals.

On the contrary, if you avoid and disparage them, you will foster your jealous imagination and force your husband into a chivalric defense of them, which will be maddening to your jealous heart. And you will lower yourself in your husband's esteem, while if you are agreeable and attentive to his friends he will admire and respect you.

Talk to him of your pride in his

loyalty; tell him that you realize the temptations with which a man's life is surrounded and praise him for giving you reason to respect him. If he is a manly man he will find greater happiness in being worthy of your praise and pride than in yielding to any passing temptation other women may offer. If you accuse him of neglect and infidelity and nag him with your jealous fears, you will drive him to others for comfort and distraction.

Avoid talking with other women about faithless husbands who deceive trusting wives. Many women have a mania to relate cases of infidelity, and jealous wives seem fascinated with the subject. Avoid it as you would infection.

If obliged to listen to such recitals, make a mental comment that you have heard only one side of the story. You do not know what cause the wives gave these husbands to become faithless. Many a seeming "devoted and trusting wife" has nagged her husband into infidelity by her narrow, petty spirit of fault finding in small matters—as one persistent mosquito has driven sleep from a luxurious pillow. Think of this when you hear of deserted or neglected wives, instead of becoming excited and morbid on the subject.

Almost all jealous people are selfish and unwilling to accord the liberty they take. No doubt you receive compliments from men with very good grace, and quite likely you express admiration of some man's appearance, conversation or manner now and then. Why should you object to your husband having the same freedom? Try to be reasonable, my dear woman. I assure you even a jealous woman can be reasonable if she takes herself in hand. If you do not take yourself in hand you will alienate your husband, ruin your own life, and make yourself a subject of ridicule to all your friends save a few, who will "sympathize," and the sympathy of friends in the place of admiration of a husband is like sawdust in place of honey on your bread.

Beer Bottle Splinters and Precipitates Suit in Common Pleas Court

The sudden splintering of a beer bottle on a filling machine the day before last Christmas precipitated the suit that was begun to-day in No. 2 courtroom by John C. Thompson against John G. Wall, a bottler. Thompson declares that while working at the bottling machine in Wall's place of business, the bottle broke into bits and that a piece of glass struck him in the eye, causing him to lose his sight. The case this morning was begun immediately after the trespass action of Riley Bogner for damages against the Northern Central Railroad was given to the jury. Bogner sued the railroad for damages he alleges he received when he fell into a subway at Dauphin belonging to the company.

In No. 1 room the trespass action instituted by C. J. Mahoney against the city to recover damages to his house in Naudain street was given to the jury. The house in question was one of three which were sunk upon their foundations when a big sewer beneath the property caved in during a heavy rainstorm.

Jefferson Alumni to Meet Here Next Year

More than sixty physicians, all graduates of the Jefferson Medical College, Philadelphia, and members of the Southern Chapter of the Jefferson Alumni Association, chose Harrisburg as the place for an all-day clinic and meeting next year, at the annual meeting held in the city hospital of York, yesterday.

Dr. Martin L. Wolford was elected president and Dr. J. Harvey Miller, secretary-treasurer of the association. The following physicians from this city were present: Drs. H. B. Waiter, former president of the organization; John H. Shergar, H. F. Gross and Harvey F. Spald. The following gave lectures on special subjects: Dr. Braden Kyle, nose and throat; Dr. P. Block Bland, gynecology; Dr. Charles F. Nassau, surgery; and Dr. E. G. Beardsley, general medicine. E. Announcement that this city was selected for next year's meeting was made after the banquet in the Hotel Colonial.

American Tar Forgets Mars and Chums With Cupid

Jacob L. McPherson, West Fairview, "Jackie" on Uncle Sam's torpedo boat destroyed Ammen, now doing military guard duty in Long Island Sound, got a fifteen-day furlough yesterday, hurried home, asked pretty Miss Stella E. Capp, Mechanicsburg, a momentous question and—they came to the Dauphin county marriage license bureau late this afternoon and got a license.

McPherson, although but 19, has seen some real service under Uncle Sam's flag; he was with the big fleet off Vera Cruz some exciting months ago.

WEST END VOTERS HAVE ORGANIZED SOCIAL CLUB

Colored voters of the West End last evening at a meeting in the hall at 1219 North Seventh street organized the West End Social Club. The following officers were elected: President, J. Keis; secretary, Joseph LaPette; treasurer, Robert Bell. H. Morrison presided at the meeting. The movement was started by C. D. Davis.

GRANT LETTERS

Letters of administration on the estate of Mrs. Alice Motter Lescaure were to-day granted to her husband, William J. Lescaure.

BUGVILLE DOINGS

Chorus of Bugs: Who a fine diamond—if we only had a bat and ball!

SAME ALWAYS

He: Y' know in spring a young man's fancy lightly turns to thoughts of love. She: But you old fellows are the same in the year 'round.

UP AGAINST IT

Bug: Just my doggone luck—that fellow owed me two beans!

'TIZ' FOR TIRED AND SORE FEET

"TIZ" for puffed-up, burning, aching, calloused feet and corns.

"My feet just ache for 'TIZ'"

Why go limping around with aching, puffed-up feet—feet so tired, chafed, sore and swollen you can hardly get your shoes on or off? Why don't you get a 25-cent box of "TIZ" from the drug store now and gladden your tortured feet?

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Salient Points of Protest in Message

Objects to present methods of attack by German submarines against trade of her enemies because of impossibility in destroying commerce without disregarding rules of justice and humanity.

Cannot believe commanders of submarines committed acts of lawlessness upon order of German Government.

Expect Germany will disavow the acts of which the United States complains and will take steps to prevent their recurrence.

No warning such as printed by the German Embassy can be accepted as excuse or as an abatement of the responsibility for its commission.

Expression of regret and offers of reparation cannot justify or excuse a practice the effect of which is to subject neutrals to new and immeasurable risks.

The United States will not omit any word or act necessary to protect its citizens in the exercise of their rights and enjoyment.

PEACE SOCIETY MEETINGS

Prominent Speakers at Mechanicsburg and Carlisle Gatherings

Special to The Telegraph

Mechanicsburg, Pa., May 14.—Yesterday J. Augustus Cadwallader, secretary of the state Peace Society, held a number of meetings here. He talked to the students of Irving College, the high school and grammar school and the men's Bible class of the Presbyterian Church. He also held an afternoon parlor meeting at the home of Mrs. R. H. Thomas, Sr. The parlor meeting was addressed by Mr. Cadwallader, Dr. Muldowney and Rabbi Freund, of Harrisburg. The Rev. George Fulton presided.

It will be followed this evening by a meeting at Carlisle in the Allison Memorial Church. The speakers will be Hamilton Holt, of New York, on "Federation of the World," and Bishop J. H. Darlington, of Harrisburg, on "The Peace Problem."

Followed Friend's Advice

After trying Fruitols and Traxo, Mrs. L. C. Clark, 840 Melba St., Dallas, Texas, wrote to the Pinus laboratories as follows:

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The Pinus laboratories have many letters on file testifying to the merit of Fruitols and Traxo; letters from people who have used the remedy and know from actual experience what it has done for them. For the convenience of the public, arrangements have been made to supply Fruitols and Traxo through leading drug stores. In Harrisburg they can be obtained at Gorgas, the Drugist, 16 North Third street—P. R. R. Station.

"Watch Your Step," Taft's Comment on Situation

EDWIN H. STEUART

Edwin H. Steuart, aged 42, Rogers avenue, Mount Washington, president of the wholesale grocery firm of Steuart, Knatz & Co., and a sister of Mrs. Boyd M. Ogelsby, of this city, died yesterday morning at the University hospital from injuries received when he was struck by an automobile Tuesday evening near his home. Mr. Steuart is survived by his parents, Robert S. J. and Mrs. Ella G. Steuart; his wife, Mrs. Lillian Booke Steuart; one son, Gordon Booke Steuart; two daughters, Mrs. Audrey Yates Steuart and Miss Virginia Thompson Steuart; also two sisters, Mrs. B. M. Ogelsby, this city, and Mrs. R. G. Vaughan, Louisville.

CITY PAYS FOR AUTO TRUCK

The city to-day paid the Harrisburg Auto Company \$2,362.95 for the motor truck recently purchased for the use of the Department of Streets and Public Improvements.

NATIONAL BISCUIT SALES AGENTS IN CONVENTION

The annual convention of sales agents of the National Biscuit Company of Harrisburg branch opened this afternoon in the agency building, Howard street near Thirteenth. The sessions will continue to-morrow morning and afternoon.

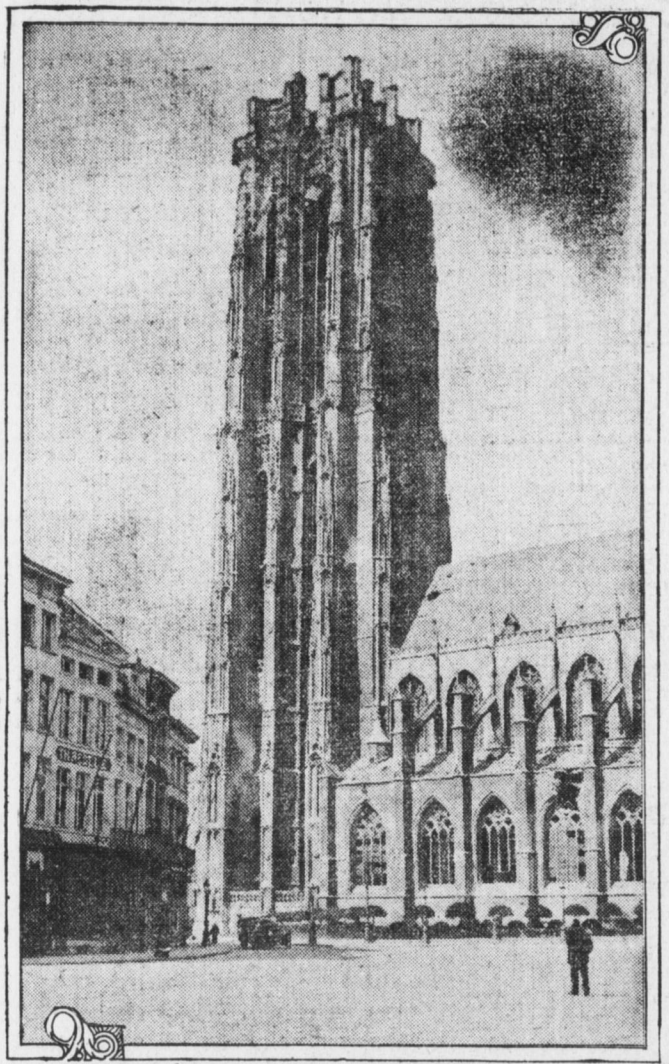
District Superintendent W. P. Freeman, of New York city, is presiding. At to-day's session twelve delegates were present. Questions of interest to the business and plans for more effective work will be discussed.

PIPES' WILL FILED

The will of William S. Pipes, who, with his wife, was killed by a trolley car in Derry street, Sunday, was offered for probate to-day. By the terms of his will Mr. Pipes left all his personal estate, estimated at about \$4,500, with the exception of a piano, to his wife for use during her life. The piano is willed to his daughter, Mrs. Clara C. Hamilton. Upon the death of Mrs. Pipes, according to the terms of the will, the estate was to be divided equally between the following children: William S. George H., Harry C. and Clara C. Hamilton. Harry C. Pipes is named as executor. Mrs. Pipes died just a few days after her husband, the estate will go to the children.

NEWSBOYS TO MEET MAY 21

The Harrisburg Newsboys' Association, No. 1, will meet May 21 at 108 Chestnut street. The meeting for to-night has been postponed because of inability of the building committee to report.



THE CATHEDRAL AT MALINES COMPLETELY WRECKED INSIDE BY GERMAN SHELLS.
(Press Department, Eastman Kodak Company.)



RITTMASER BARON VON LANGEN (ON RIGHT), WHO DRIVES A MOTOR FOR THE CROWN PRINCE OF GERMANY.
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