

Story No. 10—Installment No. 2

WHO PAYS?

The Pomp of Earth

(CONTINUED FROM YESTERDAY.)

He had left her and Edith with a position to maintain and nothing but a tradition on which to maintain it. Hardly nothing, but very little more. The old lady had made quite a brave struggle for one who had been indulged all the years of her life. But there was Edith, Edith of great promise, almost ready for her first season out. It was a matter for speculation for those who knew, just what Mrs. Hilton would have done had Edith been two or three years younger when Charles Hilton died. Would she have attempted a struggle that entailed two or three years more privation. Or, did she throw herself into this breach because she felt that her will was just as good as to span it? She was a gently bred woman, was Mrs. Hilton, and one who never could mix, much less struggle, with people of less breeding. But in her own social strata she was known as a woman of certain set ideas from which it was as possible to divert her as it was to divert a cyclone. One of these set ideas, in fact the strongest of them, although one known only to herself and her daughter, was the absurdity of love affairs in connection with marriage to young girls ready for that important step. Not the absurdity of having them if everything else was agreeable—but the absurdity of insisting on them in the face of much more urgent necessities.



Edith Was Pretty—Pretty Enough to Capture a Millionaire for a Husband.

"Marriages," she would say. "are not made in Heaven, as a beloved by a misguided, sentimental public, but in banks—that is, the successful ones!"

Mrs. Hilton was beginning to feel worried. Here was Edith in her 20th year, ready, primed for conquest, as it were, and nothing to conquer!

The list of eligible young men was the list of (financially) desirable young men, and Mrs. Hilton's reserve fund, both of money and energy, were rapidly becoming exhausted.

She and her daughter sat on the porch of their home one evening at about the time this story opens, Edith just sitting, glad for the feeling of pulsating life within her. Mrs. Hilton sitting and speculating. Her speculations this evening were as unavailing as they had been for many a night before, and she turned almost despondently to her paper. What she saw there caused her old frame suddenly to stiffen with eager interest as she perused her reading, her left hand held poised in the air before her much as might be the paw of a pointer dog that had started a bird. She finished, and looked up, her face flushed and eager, her eyes bright.

"Listen, Edith!"

"What?" abstractedly.

"I say," impatiently, "listen to this!" She read aloud.

"MILLIONAIRE BUYS PALATIAL RESIDENCE—RICHARD WALKER, BACHELOR, DECIDES TO MAKE HIS HOME IN THIS CITY. ELECTED MEMBER OF EXCLUSIVE SUNSET CLUB."

Ethel's eyebrows were raised expectant, curious, as her mother read, mouthing the words appreciatively, taking every care that they be distinct, as though they were precious sounds, and representing to her impulsive nature, strong in her instinctive likes and dislikes, didn't like, even from her mother, suggestions and influence or attempted influence in the matter of her choice of a husband; but experience had taught her that an open encounter with her strong-willed mother was as undesirable a thing as could happen to her. She realized also that her mother's increasing efforts that their position be maintained was solely that she be successfully "manned" when the proper time arrived. She felt that surely, now; she had felt it, but not so surely for many years past. This feeling in former years was always mixed with one that her mother's seeming intent might be misconstrued terribly by her, and had always made her forbear speaking of it because of the attending possibility that she entirely misjudged. And so she had accepted her mother's brave striving efforts in her behalf without a remonstrance, and she realized now that if these efforts were (and there seemed little doubt of it) merely that she be married for their mutual comfort, her mother would, certainly, expect her to acquiesce finally in what she had by her acquiescence, tacitly agreed to all along. This made her feel obligated in a matter in which, above all else, she wanted to be free. The fact that she was considered as a highly valuable asset to be invested for the best returns, indeed her more than she thought it politic to show; and her lack of remonstrance was taken, by her mother as her daughter's mute assent to the furtherance of her very obvious plans.

Mrs. Hilton's struggle to keep up appearances, her constant scheming that her daughter's beauty be not impaired by the experience of want, had worked in a way, against the mother's own ends; for, her daughter's material wants all satisfied, the girl's naturally fine mind had itself with thoughts that made any kind of deal in matters spiritual, seem vulgar and unworthy. Had she ever known the good of necessity, her mother's tactics might not now seem, to say the least, such had taste to her. But as it was the idea of a "convenient" marriage made her sick at heart. And then there was that feeling of obligation for the way in which she had tacitly sanctioned endeavours.

(CONTINUED TOMORROW.)

\$5.00 Gold Plated Vanity Cases \$2.50

Claster's Gigantic Clearing Sale

302 MARKET ST.

Waists, Clearing at 75¢
Organdies and voiles, daintily trimmed; short sleeves and flat collars.

Bowman's
CALL 1991—ANY PHONE FOUNDED 1871

Waists, Clearing at \$1.10
Very fine waists in voiles; various styles, in tucked, embroidered or lace trimmed effects; short sleeves.

A General Clearing Out of Women's Outer Garments, Under Muslins and Millinery

A Three-day Event in Which the Determination to Clear Out All Oddments and Overplus Stands Foremost.

In serving a double purpose this sale will be of unusual significance; for it will dispose of lots which have become broken in size or pattern; also summer wearables represented by a surplus of stock. At the same time it will mark the beginning of a plan to wipe out all present assortments before moving into our enlarged store, so that we may start anew with entirely fresh stocks. These factors alone will govern the selling, whereas:

Prices Have Been Dropped to a New Low Standard

But note! Throughout the entire assemblage of items the absence of comparison in prices is positive. The unusual reductions are self-evident. We have set a value on space rather than the merchandise itself, and granting that it's worth more to the purchaser than the price paid, such is YOUR gain. It will likewise be to your advantage to consider morning hours for shopping, as certain quantities are limited.



Extraordinary Prices On Seasonable Millinery

Including a large portion of our stock of summer millinery (trimmed) are two price lots in this Clearing Out Event that surpasses any similar occasion in Harrisburg.

Most women are familiar with the styles and prices that make up our assortments, and especially those will marvel at making selection from such, at

98c and \$1.98

We believe a description of each particular style could be of no greater moment than the very unusual savings, but all are of this season's origin to be sure.

Flowers and Wreaths, Clearing at 25¢—a large lot of many different kinds of flowers and various sizes.

White Corduroy "Tams," Clearing at 65¢; popular for "knock-about."

75 Untrimmed Shapes—Clearing at 15¢—this season's shapes in black and colors; including a number for children.

BOWMAN'S—Second Floor.

DOMESTIC ECONOMIES

Pillow Tubing, 10¢ Yd.
42 and 45 inches wide. No seams at side, and wears much better than ordinary casing as it is reversible. Regularly 15c and 18c yd.

Sheeting — 87 inches wide; unbleached; washes nicely and bleaches easily.
Yard 17¢

1 1/2 Cretonnes, 6 1/2¢ Yd.
Remnants of sufficient size for comforts, box covers, etc., 36 inches wide.

Feather Ticking — remnant lengths; blue, with white stripes. Regularly 20c and 22c. Yard .. 15¢

65c Seamless Sheets, 45¢
Made for largest double beds; slight soil spots.

Pequot or Utica Sheets — large sizes, run of mill; regularly \$1.00. Each .. 69¢

10c White Shaker Flannel, 6 1/2¢ Yd.
Full pieces; good weight.

Pillow Casing — 48 inches wide; heavy quality; unbleached; regularly 16c. Yard 9¢

Sheeting — 63 inches wide; seamless; bleached; regularly 24c. Yard, 18¢

Remnants of challies, gingham and calicoes, regularly 5c to 7c. Yard, 2 1/2¢.

Sheets — seamed; 72x90 inches, with 3-inch hems; regularly 45c. 3 for \$1.00, or, each 35¢

Pillow Cases — large sizes, 50x36 and 54x36 inches; Salem quality. Regularly 25c. Each ... 10¢

BOWMAN'S—Main Floor.

All Listed Separately, Dresses, Waists, Skirts, Kimonos and Other Outer Apparel Offer Extraordinary Savings

Wash Dresses, Clearing at \$1.00
Lawns, gingham and dimities, in stripes and checks; also floral effects on white; various shades. Smart styles for general wear. Also fancy voile dresses, clearing at \$3.48. Peter Thompson dresses, in linen, clearing at \$3.98.

Finer Grade Dresses, Clearing at \$3.49, \$5.00, \$7.98 and \$10.00
Linen and voiles in stripes and small figures; also, plain white, touched with color.

Silk Dresses, Clearing at \$8.50
Black and popular shades. Smartest of styles.

Serge and Poplin Dresses, Clearing at \$5 and \$7.50
Make excellent dresses for early Fall. Mostly dark shades.

White Dresses, Clearing at \$10, \$12.50, \$15 and \$16.50
Mostly voiles, in the season's smartest styles; including Boleros and others. Many prettily embroidered.

White Skirts, Clearing at \$2.98 and \$3.98
Gabardines, cotton crepes and linen golfine, in the new styles. Broken sizes, including extra sizes.

Waists, Clearing at \$1.50
Creme de chine, in white and flesh. Mostly plain styles, several are pleated; short sleeves.

Waists, Clearing at \$1.75
A stock assortment of late styles in organdie and voile; plain and fancy; flat collars and short sleeves.

Fancy Petticoats, Clearing at \$1.98
Lace flounces, in pastel shades; ribbon and flowerette ornaments.

Silk Petticoats, Clearing at \$1.00
Large variety of shades; pleated flounces; small sizes.

House Dresses, Clearing at 65¢
Ginghams and percales, in combination of plain and plaids; various patterns.

Silk Kimonos, Clearing at \$1.95
Floral patterns, including poppies and other favorites.

Seco Silk Kimonos, Clearing at \$1.45
Light and dark blue, garnet and lavender; trimmed in lace pleating.

Princess Slips, Clearing at \$1.00
White and lavender; trimmed with lace flounces. Small lot.

Three Second-Floor Departments Tell of Great Clean-Up Prices On Clean-Up Lots

Muslinwear---Corsets---Infants' Wear

Short White Petticoats, 10¢—made of cambric and seersucker, with tucked ruffle.

Corset Covers, 12¢ — made of nainsook; tight fitting and full covers; lace and embroidery trimmed.

Dressing Sacques, 15¢ — white lawn, with black and colored figures; V and square necks; three-quarter sleeves; assorted sizes.

White Lawn Aprons, 10¢—small fancy aprons, with lace and embroidery edges; or long aprons, with wide hem and tucks.

Children's Gowns, 39¢ — made of nainsook; trimmed with lace and embroidery; low neck; short sleeves.

Children's Gowns, 25¢ — fine cambric; with yokes of fine tucks, lace and embroidery; insertion and embroidery trimmed at neck and sleeves; V and high necks. Sizes 1, 2 and 4 years.

Camisoles and Bodices, 50¢ — in crepe de chine, net and lace, trimmed with fine lace, beading and ribbon.

Corsets, 75¢—broken sizes, in Warner's, Royal Worcester, and La Reine; sizes 19 to 30 in the lot.

Brassieres, 19¢ — crossed back, reinforced under arm; yokes of embroidery; back and front trimmed with edges of neat embroidery.

Children's Crepe Dresses, 98¢ — Empire and suspender styles; trimmed with fine lace. Sizes 2 to 6 years.

Infants' Short Dresses, 98¢ — made of fine quality nainsook; yokes of fine embroidery, with wide hems; some trimmed at bottom with fine tucks, lace and embroidery. Sizes 6 months to 2 years.

Children's Dresses, \$2.98 — white organdies and lawns; trimmed with fine laces, insertions and embroidery, with wide ribbon belts and bows. Also silk and Anderson Ginghams, in large stylish plaids, with low belts or pleated skirts. Sizes 4 to 14.

Children's Hats and Bonnets, 98¢ — hats of white and colored straw with fancy ribbon bands, and ribbon velvet and flower trimming. Fancy Swiss and organdie bonnets, trimmed with fine lace and handsome ribbon.

Boys' Hats, 19¢ — straw, cloth and wash hats, suitable for boys 2 to 6 years.

Laces and Embroideries In a Clean-Up

Swiss Flouncing—12 to 18 inches wide, in 2 to 5-yard lengths. Clearing at 5¢ yard.

Voile Flouncing—45 inches wide; short lengths. Clearing at 39¢ yard.

Shadow Laces—narrow widths—2 to 5 inches; in cream and white. Yard, 5¢.

Linen Torchon Insertion, 3¢ yard.

BOWMAN'S—Main Floor.

Deaths and Funerals

CHARLES SHAUB DIES
Charles Shaub, aged 34, son of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Shaub, 1229 Wallace street, died this morning. The funeral will take place Friday afternoon at 2 o'clock from the residence of the parents, the Rev. William N. Yates, pastor of the Fourth Street Church of God officiate. Burial will be made in East Harrisburg Cemetery. Besides the parents, the survivors are a sister, Elizabeth, and a brother, Joseph, Jr.

MRS. DAVID DICKEY
Mrs. David Dickey died at her home, in Philadelphia, on Sunday afternoon. The funeral services will be held upon the arrival of the 11:05 a. m. train Wednesday morning. Services in the Harrisburg Cemetery.

MISS LYDA G. RUNKLE
Miss Lyda Gertrude Runkle, of Steelton, Pa., who has been employed at John Rose's confectionery, Second and Walnut streets, for the last few months, with residence at 523 Muench street, died last evening at the Polyclinic Hospital, after an operation for appendicitis. The body will be taken to her home Wednesday morning for burial.

RALPH H. ORWAN
Ralph H. son of Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Orwan, died this morning at the home of the parents, 354 Liberty street, aged eleven months. Death was due to pneumonia. Funeral services will be held from the home Thursday afternoon, at 2 o'clock. Burial in East Harrisburg Cemetery.

FRANKLIN E. JAMISON
The funeral of the late Franklin Eugene Jamison, 2206 South Third street, Steelton Heights, will take place Thursday.

Services will be held at the home of the parents. Burial in East Harrisburg Cemetery.

SERVICES FOR J. M. KING
The funeral of John M. King, 314 Boyd street, will be held to-morrow by the Rev. E. E. Rupp. The body will be taken to Parkersburg, Thursday morning for burial. John M. King was 64 years of age, and is survived by a widow and the following children: Joseph, Joshua, Mrs. Otis Dollar, and Mrs. Frank Marlin. He was a member of the Knights of the Golden Eagles.

DIES FROM COMPLICATIONS
Mrs. Rebecca J. Plant, aged 41, wife of William Plant, 1911 North Nineteenth street, died at her home this morning. Death was due to a complication of diseases. Funeral services will be held Friday afternoon at 2 o'clock at the home. Burial will be made in East Harrisburg Cemetery.

MOTORCYCLISTS HURT
Miss Grace Brady, aged 18 years, of Marysville, and Peter Falagetas, a local confectioner, 5 1/2 Grace street, were injured last evening when a motorcycle on which they were riding was hit by an automobile. The accident happened at Front and Maclay streets. Miss Brady received cuts on the face and hands and Falagetas was bruised and cut about the body. Both were treated at the Harrisburg Hospital. They do not know the name of the automobile owner who ran into them.

MOESLEIN GUARDIAN
Edward Moeslein, formerly City Building Inspector, was appointed today to be guardian for George Reever. He will inherit about \$250.

TO BUILD \$1,200 GARAGE
C. M. Conover got a permit to-day to build a brick garage at the northeastern corner of Daisy and Berryhill streets at a cost of \$1,200.

THE SALE OF MOJA 10c Cigars

proves that 10c is a popular price for a smoke if the smoke is worth the price. MOJA quality is all Havana and has the rich, relishy aroma that fits in right with any taste.

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