

OF INTEREST TO THE WOMEN

THE STRUGGLES OF A WIFE

By Virginia Terhune Van de Water

CHAPTER XIII. Copyright, 1916, Star Company. The following week Myra Webb sold another article. Perhaps one reason that success breeds success is that it gives one a kind of courage that nerves to further effort. It is certain that her success prompted Myra to call upon another editor, in spite of her former conviction that she could never bring herself to repeat that experiment. But the second editor whose office she invaded was a gentleman. "There's a bit too much of it, I'm afraid," "Still, if you do not mind leaving it with me, it will give me pleasure to read it and report of you very soon." Then, as she assented, he added, "You know, perhaps, that we do not pay high prices for such matter."

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TAKEN TO SANATORIUM Special to the Telegraph Mechanicsburg, Pa., April 5.—A. G. Kaufman, of South Market street, who has been very ill for the past several weeks, was taken to Walters Park Sanatorium, near Wernersville, for treatment. On account of his serious condition his daughters, Mrs. H. D. Sewell and Mrs. Miguel Gonzales, of Chama, N. M., have come home, also Mrs. B. F. Landis, and son, Stuart Kaufman, of Waynesboro.

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HOME A NOVEL

GEORGE AGNEW CHAMBERLAIN

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CHAPTER I—Alan Wayne is sent away from Red Hill, his home, by his uncle, J. Y., as a moral failure. Clem runs after him in a tangle of short skirts to bid him good-bye. CHAPTER II—Captain Wayne tells Alan of the falling of the Wayne. Clem drinks Alan's health on his birthday. CHAPTER III—Judge Healey buys a picture for Alix Lansing. The judge defends Alan in his business with his employers. CHAPTER IV—Alan and Alix meet at sea, homeward bound, and start a flirtation, which becomes serious. CHAPTER V—At home, Nance Sterling asks Alan to go away from Alix. Alix is taken to task by Gerry, her husband, for her conduct with Alan and defies him. CHAPTER VI—Gerry, as he thinks, sees Alix and Alan eloping, drops everything, and goes to Pernambuco. CHAPTER VII—Alix leaves Alan on the train and goes home to find that Gerry has disappeared. CHAPTER VIII—Gerry leaves Pernambuco and goes to Pernambuco. On a canoe trip he meets a native girl. CHAPTER IX—The judge fails to trace Gerry. A baby is born to Alix. CHAPTER X—The native girl takes Gerry to her home and shows him the ruined plantation she is mistress of. Gerry marries her. CHAPTER XI—At Maple House Collingford tells how he met Alan—"Ten Per Cent. Wayne"—building a bridge in Africa. CHAPTER XII—Collingford meets Alix and the baby and gives her encouragement about Gerry. CHAPTER XIII—Alan comes back to town but does not go home. He makes several visits in the city. CHAPTER XIV—Gerry begins to improve Margarita's plantation and builds an irrigating ditch. CHAPTER XV—In Africa Alan reads Clem's letters and dreams of home. CHAPTER XVI—Gerry pastures Lieber's cattle during the drought. A baby comes to Gerry and Margarita. CHAPTER XVII—Collingford meets Alix in the city and finds her changed. CHAPTER XVIII—Alan meets Alix, J. Y. and Clem, grown to beautiful womanhood, in the city and realizes that he has sold his birthright for a loaf of cottage. CHAPTER XIX—Kemp and Gerry become friends. CHAPTER XX—Kemp and Gerry visit Lieber's cattle during the drought. They are drawn together by a common tie. CHAPTER XXI—Lieber tells his story. "Home is the anchor of a man's soul. I want to go home."

CHAPTER XXII—In South America Alan gets fever and his foreman prepares to send him to the coast. CHAPTER XXIII—Alan is carried to Lieber's fazenda, almost dead, and Gerry sees him. CHAPTER XXIV—Alan tells Gerry the truth about Alix and Gerry tells him of Margarita and the baby. Alan wonders and is disgusted. CHAPTER XXV—A flood carries away Margarita and her baby, despite Gerry's attempt at rescue. CHAPTER XXVI—Fever follows Gerry's exposure. He sends a note to Alix by Alan when Alan and Kemp go home. He tells Lieber he can't go home. CHAPTER XXVII—Alan gets back to the city and sends Gerry's note to Red Hill. Alix calls on Alan, but he refuses to tell her Gerry's story. Alan goes home to Red Hill. CHAPTER XXVIII—As Alan returns to health he builds a barrier between himself and Clem, who does not understand. CHAPTER XXIX—Alan and Clem play "hide and seek" with the children. "Tenderness had crept into Kemp's drawl. Alix looked up. "Please," she said, "tell me all about him—all about these years."

Kemp hesitated before he spoke. "I ain't got the words nor the right to tell you all about them three years. Mis' Lansing, an' I can't tell you all about Mr. Lansing, 'cause the biggest part o' some men don't meet the eye—it's inside o' 'em. That's the way it is with Mr. Lansing. I c'n tell you though, that Mr. Lansing is well an' strong—strong enough to swing a steer by the tail. "That's what I know. Now I'll tell you some o' my thoughts. Mr. Lansing wa'n't born to be a maverick. Right now, I'm willin' to wager, he's headed for home and the corral, but he ain't comin' on the run—he's browsin' and chewin' his cud. "When I seen him five weeks ago I thought on hog-tyin' him an' bridin' him along, 'cause Mr. Wayne had tol' me about you an' the two-year-old. But it come to me that a woman of spirit—one o' ourn—wouldn't want her man should be brought in. She'd sooner he'd hog-tie hisself. Alix' head hung in thought. Her hands were clasped in her lap. As Kemp's last words sank in the first cornered him, then as openly led him off down the road towards Elm House. "Alan," she said, "you've turned into a great fool or a great coward. Which is it?" Alan glanced at her. "What do you mean?" he stammered. "You know what I mean. Clem. You're breaking her heart."

She felt Alan's arm stiffen. For a moment he was silent, then he said: "Don't worry, Nance. You're wrong, of course, but anyway, no harm is going to come to Clem through me. I'm going away. I've meant to go for ever so long, but somehow I couldn't. Something seemed to hold me. I tried to think it was just the Hill, and that it would be all right for me to stay on until the general break-up. But you have wakened me up, and the proof that I'm not quite a coward yet is that I'm going to get up and run."

They came to the entrance to The Elms, but Nance led him on down the road. "Run? Why are you going to run? Alan, don't you love her?" A tremor went through Alan's body. "I don't know," he said, "whether I love her or not. If I ever loved any one before, then I don't love her, for the thing that has come over me is new—newer than anything that has ever happened to me. I would rather see her come down from her room in the morning than to have watched the birth of Aphrodite, and yet I would rather see myself damned, once and for all, than touch the hem of her frock."

"Why?" "Because it is not for me. Once Alix called her glorious. I don't know whether that was a bit of hyperbole on her part or not, but to me she is just that. There is a glory about Clem—the glory of pure light. Do you think I dare walk into it? Me, with my scarred life, my blighted soul and the moral rags that only half hide the two? That would be cowardly. I'm not coward enough for that."

Nance sighed. "I'm disappointed in you. I thought that if ever man lived that knew a little about women it must be you. I won't say any of the things I was going to say. Instead, I just tell you that you don't know women."

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