

WOMEN'S INTERESTS

A GIRL AND A MAN

A New and Vital Romance of City Life by Virginia Terhune Van de Water

CHAPTER XXXIX. Several days had passed, and Hasbrook Bainbridge had not again referred to the affair of the roses. He had been uniformly kind and considerate, but had said nothing beyond asking each morning how Miss Morley was getting on.

"At the end of the second day Randolph Pickens called upon Agnes. This time he brought no flowers, but still wore the gorgeous attire in which he had appeared on his former visit. As the girl looked at him, and saw his desire to behave as if he were not thinking of his last conversation with her, she felt for him a compassion that was almost maternal.

"She was glad that Jennie O'Neill had removed Bainbridge's roses from the sitting room this morning. The petals had begun to fall, and the Irish girl had used the right of private judgment and had thrown the flowers out. They might have reminded Randolph Pickens of those other roses and of his own sweethearts.

The night was warm, and Agnes and her caller sat by the front window. Behind them the gas jet was turned low to lessen the heat that came from it. Outside the electric lights glowed whitely.

As the man's first embarrassment wore off he talked with fewer stilted phrases than usual. Agnes' manner may have reflected her kindly feeling toward him, and unconsciously, she may have made him feel more at ease than usual. Or it may have been that now that he realized that she could be only a friend to him, he had none of the palpitations, self-consciousness and longing of the lover who is uncertain how he stands in the estimation of the object of his regard.

A Secret Out Whatever the cause, by the end of an hour Agnes found herself chatting of matters of general interest. This man was no fool. He had read much and thought deeply. How unfortunate, she reflected, that to the casual acquaintance he would never show his best side.

"You have read a surprising amount, Mr. Pickens," she said at last. "How did you ever take time to do it?"

"It is almost my only recreation," he informed her. "Forgive me if I descend to personalities to the extent of telling you that I was deprived of the advantage of a college education through no lack of desire on my part to embrace them, but because my father's financial status made it quite impossible for me to gratify my aspirations along that line."

"I see," rejoined Agnes. "That was too bad!" "Perhaps so," he agreed. "But sometimes one sees one's duty so plainly that one cannot evade it. And when my father passed away, I knew I had been right to renounce all ambitions but the one of caring for my mother."

"How long ago was that?" Agnes questioned.

"Seven years ago," he told her. "It was a hard struggle for a while, but now I have enough to keep me comfortable and to enable me to discharge other obligations that devolve upon me."

"Is your mother living?" Agnes put the query unthinkingly. "Pickens hesitated a moment. 'Yes,' he said, 'she is living—down in my home State.'"

"I should think you would want her up North with you," Agnes observed. "Why not send for her? Then you would not be so lonely. You and she could have a nice little home here in New York together."

In the white light from the street-lamp she saw the pale face stiffen. The voice that replied was low, but every word was distinct. "My mother is in the insane asylum," Pickens said slowly. "She will never get over it. The shock of my father's death brought back the old trouble. The case is hopeless—for it is hereditary. Her mother died insane."

"Oh—you poor fellow!" The words escaped the girl involuntarily, and she leaned towards the lonely man, her face all sympathy. "Forgive me for asking about her—please!"

He Tells Her "I am glad you asked me," he said gently, "for I want you to know how very right you were in answering me as you did the night that—the last night I called. It was wicked and wrong to ask you to marry me. I have no business to marry any woman, ever. The taint is in my blood—but I tried to forget it when my position became such that I could support a wife—and I cared so much for you that it made me wickedly selfish."

"I promised not to speak to you of the matter again—but I just wanted to tell you that you must not be sorry for having to hurt me as you had to that night. You kept me from sinning against you and myself. I will never have a wife nor a home, but—with a gulp—"I do want your friendship. I know I am not worthy of it, but it would make me very happy if I might call you my friend."

All his pompous manner was gone. He spoke as simply as a boy, and, as she listened, the girl felt a great wave of pity sweep over her, and she stretched out her hand to him. "You will always have my friendship, Mr. Pickens," she said. "I like and respect you. You are a good man."

He smiled gratefully, and stood up to take the hand she held out to him. "I will try not to let my regard for you be any burden to you," he said. "Thank you for your goodness. If I can ever be of any service to you—even at the risk of my life I will consider that I am honored."

She was not ashamed of herself when she found, after his departure, that she was crying softly from sheer pity for this lonely, doomed creature. (To Be Continued.)

RECOVERING FROM STORM AND QUAKE

Two Deaths and Light Property Damage Caused by Hurricane

Mobile, Ala., Oct. 19. — Southern Alabama and Western Florida were recovering to-day from the hurricane which swept out of the Gulf across this coast yesterday, causing two deaths and property and marine loss. Although the wind attained a greater velocity than that which accompanied the storm of last July, both Mobiles and Pensacola, the chief cities in the hurricane's path suffered far less damage. The total loss in the two cities, probably will not exceed \$100,000.

The chief damage here was to railroad sheds and terminals and to telephone, telegraph and light and power wires. Several persons were blown through plate glass windows but escaped serious injury. Although the storm's intensity decreased as it swept inland, southern Alabama suffered considerably, houses being unroofed and poles blown down at Troy while minor damage was done in a number of other towns.

As the storm swept up through Alabama and Western Georgia it was accompanied by a few distinct earthquake shocks, which were felt as far north as Louisville, Ky., and as far east as Augusta, Ga. The tremors were more decided at Birmingham than elsewhere and three thousand people rushed from their homes and offices.

Deaths and Funerals

DELMAR W. BOMGARDNER Delmar W. Bomgardner, aged 25 years, 1244 Walnut street, employed in the testing department of the Bell Telephone Company, died yesterday at the Polyclinic Hospital from typhoid fever. The survivors are a widow, Annie, M. on 1st street, Mrs. M. and Mrs. Wilson S. Bomgardner and one sister. Funeral services will be held to-morrow afternoon at the home of the parents, 1439 Vernon street.

EDWARD S. GOHN Edward S. Gohn, aged 20 years, son of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Gohn, 2434 Jefferson street, died yesterday morning. The young man had been sick a short time. Funeral services will be held Saturday afternoon at the home, the Rev. A. S. Williams, pastor of Camp Curtin Methodist Episcopal Church, officiating. Burial will be made in East Harrisburg Cemetery. Mr. Gohn was a member of the P. R. Y. M. C. A., Pennsylvania Railroad Relief Department and the Maccabees. He was employed at the local shops of the Pennsylvania Railroad.

FUNERAL OF MRS. ROBINSON Funeral services for Mrs. Alice M. Robinson, wife of William M. Robinson, secretary of the Rotary Club, who died at the Polyclinic hospital yesterday morning after a month's illness from typhoid fever, will be held on Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock at her home in the Commercial Bank apartments, 122 North Third street. She is survived by her husband, a son, Harold; two sisters, Mrs. Anne Humes of Dunbar, Pa., and Mrs. J. W. Humes of this city; one brother, M. S. Kline, also of this city. The Rev. Ellis N. Kremer, pastor of the Reformed Salem church will officiate. Burial will be made in the Paxtang cemetery.

EDGAR S. GOHN Funeral services for Edgar S. Gohn aged 20, who died yesterday at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Gohn, 2434 Jefferson street, will be held Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Burial will be made in the East Harrisburg cemetery with the Rev. A. S. Williams, pastor of the Camp Curtin Methodist Church officiating. Mr. Gohn was employed by the Pennsylvania Railroad and was a member of the Railroad Relief Association and the Maccabees.

MRS. REBECCA HOOVER BAER Mother of C. V. T. Manager Dies at Thirteenth Street Home Mrs. Rebecca Hoover Baer, aged 70 years, wife of Andrew J. Baer, a well-known mail clerk, and mother of Cameron J. Baer, general manager of the Cumberland Valley Telephone Company, died last night at her home, 113 North Thirteenth street. Besides the husband and son, two sisters survive. Mrs. John Whitmoyer and Miss Ida Hoover, both of Harrisburg. Funeral services will be held to-morrow afternoon, at 2:30, in the chapel of Undertaker C. Neely, 908 North Second street. The Rev. A. S. Lehman will officiate. Burial will be private and will be made in Hummelstown Cemetery. Mrs. Baer was a resident of Harrisburg for twenty-five years. While she held membership in the Hummelstown congregation, Mrs. Baer, whose health permitted, attended services at the First United Brethren Church, Boas street.

HEAVY SNOW IN WEST Omaha, Neb., Oct. 19. — A rain and sleet storm which met at the night turned to snow here this morning. Snow fell heavily through the forenoon. The storm extended practically all over South Dakota, Nebraska and Western Iowa. From Norfolk, Neb., four inches of snow was reported. Sioux Falls, S. D., and Sioux City, Iowa, reported two inches of snow.

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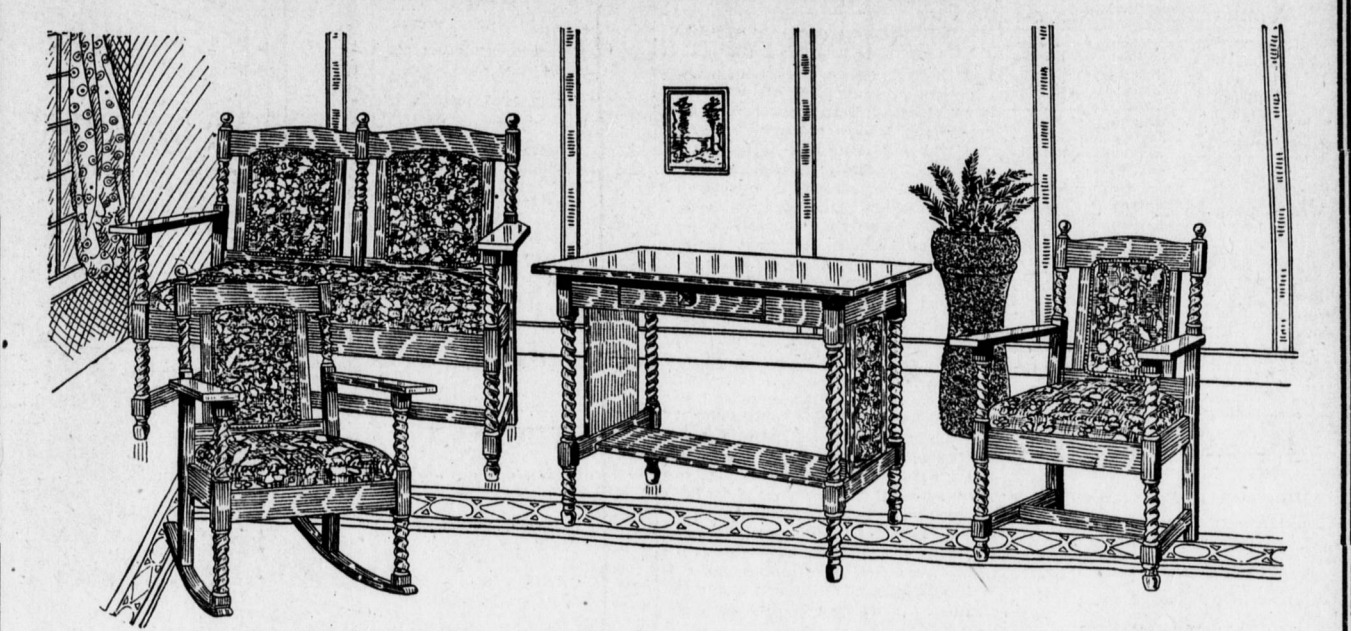
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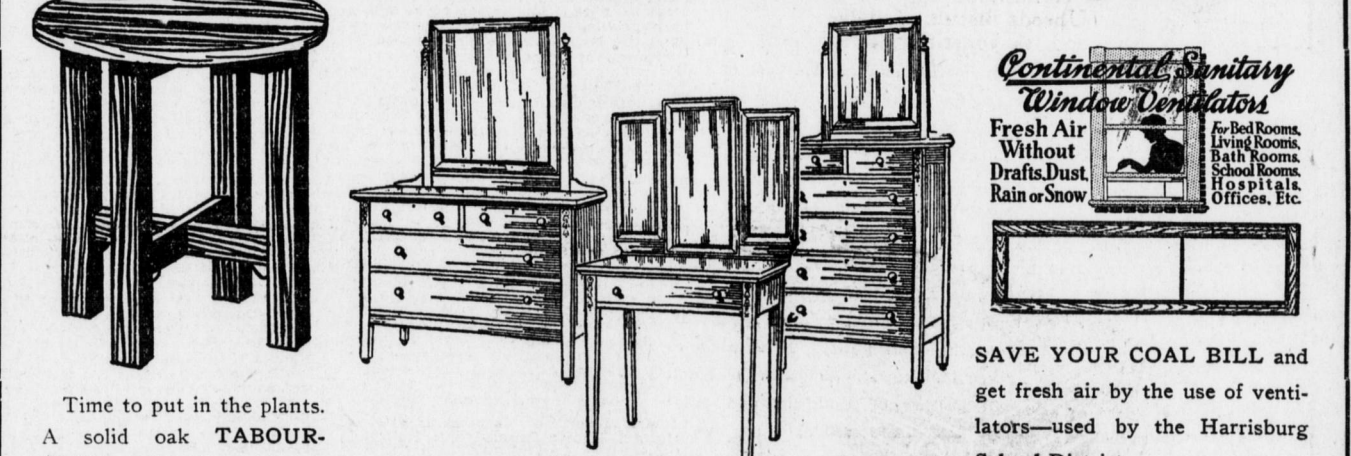
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COURT DATES IN 1917 ANNOUNCED

Prothonotary Holler Issues Calendar For Lawyers' Convenience During Year

All the important court dates during the coming year are announced in the 1917 court calendar which Harry F. Holler issued to-day in a neat little folder for the convenience of the judges, court attaches and members of the bar. One copy falls on a holiday—December term of argument, which has been fixed for December 25, Christmas.

Quarter Sessions begin January 8, March 19, June 11 and September 24; Surrogate of the Peace and Deserion Court, January 22, March 26, June 18 and October 8; Common Pleas, January 15, October 1; special terms, Common Pleas, February 5 and 26; April 9, May 7 and 14; November 19; Orphans' courts, January 23, March 27, June 19, and October 9.

Divorce Court sessions are due to be held January 29, April 16, June 26 and October 22; argument hearings, January 25, February 19, March 27, April 24, May 20, June 13, July 11, October 9, November 27 and December 25. Juvenile sessions will be held January 22, March 30, June 22 and October 15.

April 25 and November 15 are the dates set apart for the trial of State tax cases. While 1917 Liquor License Court will be conducted February 19. The time limit for filing license applications will be January 23. Dauphin County's Bar Association will meet in annual session Friday, February 3, and the quarterly meetings have been fixed for January 12, March 3, June 8 and October 12.

Repointing Pipes. — A custodian Charles Peters has a force of men repainting the steam and water pipes throughout the court house. The indoor pipes will be painted in aluminum. The stairway in the corridor will also be repainted and varnished.

Permit For Garage. — One small permit was issued yesterday at the office of the Building Inspector, D. E. Bentzel will erect a one-story concrete and tile garage at the rear of 1162 Berryhill street. The cost will be \$250.

Two High Officials of Lehigh Valley Resign

Philadelphia, Oct. 19.—Announcement was made here to-day that J. F. Maguire, general manager, and C. W. Kinney, superintendent of transportation of the Lehigh Valley Railroad Company, have resigned, and that C. T. O'Neal, superintendent of the Buffalo division, has been appointed general superintendent, a newly created position. The changes take effect October 23.

Vice-President Blending in announcing the changes said the resignations of Messrs. Maguire and Kinney, whose headquarters are at South Bethlehem, Pa., had been accepted with regret.

PHILA. GUARDSMEN ARE BACK NOW IN CIVILIAN LIFE Philadelphia, Oct. 19. — Mustered out of the service of Uncle Sam, 594 men who had worn the livery of the warrior as members of the Third Pennsylvania

vanla Regiment went back to civil life last night and to-day are trying to take up their duties as citizens where they left them three months ago. Many of them admitted after their first breath of freedom from military control that the contract of finding a job would be as hard a proposition for them, as living the life of the soldier in the sandstorm and among cactus. The Third is the First Pennsylvania Regiment and one of the first units to get back into civilian harness.

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