

OF INTEREST TO THE WOMEN

A GIRL AND A MAN

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

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Jennie O'Neill crept softly about the apartment the next morning. Once she paused, then, on tip-toe, entered Agnes' room. The girl lay with one arm thrown across her eyes. The maid could hear the steady breathing that denoted heavy slumber.

"Sure," she whispered to herself as she closed the door quietly, "the poor dear was out at work late last night. It would be a shame to wake her now."

Meanwhile the clock on the table at the head of the bed ticked on monotonously. Agnes had been so worn out mentally and physically last night that she had forgotten to set the alarm.

Loud voices conversing in the flat across the court finally aroused her, but not until the hands on the time-piece had crept around to eight, to nine, and then to half past nine. As her dull eyes fell on the clock-face Agnes sprang to a sitting posture, and, seizing the clock, held it to her ear. Yes, it was going. And then she remembered suddenly that she had forgotten to set the alarm, and she realized that she was long overdue at the office.

And, following swiftly upon this realization, came the recollection of all that had occurred last evening. For a moment she sat, her face buried in her hands.

By the time that she had taken her bath and put on her clothes her mind worked more clearly. Whatever happened, her employer must be told that she would not be at the office this morning.

Opening the door into the kitchen, she summoned Jennie. "I want you to go out at once," Agnes said, "and call up this number."

She paused long enough to write on a slip of paper Hale & Bainbridge's telephone number. "When you get this office," she went on, "ask for Mr. Hale. Tell him that Miss Morley's aunt is to have an operation to-day and that she—Miss Morley—cannot come down to work. Here's the nickel for the phone."

If Jennie longed to ask any ques-

tions she suppressed the inclination and hurried away.

When she returned to the flat she found her young mistress making herself a cup of coffee over the gas stove. "He says, ma'am," Jennie began, without further preliminary, "all right! And please, Miss Agnes, let me do that bit of cooking for you. It's 10 o'clock and you haven't had a bite yet. Sit down and I'll have something ready for you in a jiffy."

"Is that all he said?" Agnes asked, dully, surrendering the coffee pot to the maid.

"Well, yes'm," Jennie replied, with some hesitation, then added, reluctantly, "he was kind of short-like in his manner."

"When Jennie appeared with hot coffee, a slice of toast and a boiled egg, Agnes smiled, wanly.

"Thank you," she said, and forced herself to eat a few mouthfuls before gulping down the steaming beverage.

"Really, Jennie," she told the maid later, "I shall not need you any more just now. Suppose you wash these few dishes and straighten up the flat, and then go home."

"And what about you?" the girl asked anxiously.

"Oh," she replied, almost impatiently, "I shall be all right. I am going to the hospital now to ask after Miss Morley."

"And then?" Jennie persisted.

"Then I shall come back here and remain for the rest of the day. As I am not going to the office, I can get my own meals."

"All right, ma'am," Jennie agreed. "It must be just as you say. But, if you don't mind, I would like to stay here until you come back—just to find out how Miss Morley is. I won't charge you for that extra hour or two, Miss Agnes."

Agnes Morley laid a kindly hand on the girl's shoulder. "I am not afraid of your over-charging me, child. And you are welcome to stay until my return. But you see, Jennie, now that I am alone, I must not be as extravagant as I have been, and I don't need a maid just for my lazy self."

"Then because she could not trust herself, to say any more just then, she hurried out of the room.

(To Be Continued.)

COMFY BATHROBE OF SOFT WEAVES

Long Tapering Collar Gives a Smart Touch to This Desirable Negligee

By MAY MANTON



8014 (With Basting Line and Added Seam Allowance) Dressing Gown, 34 or 36, 38 or 40, 42 or 44 bust.

The period of cold weather is approaching and the comfortable negligees and bath robes will be in demand. This one is charming. It is finished with a long tapering collar that always means a becoming effect and it is supplied with patch pockets that will be a practical boon. The sleeves are sewed to it at the dropped shoulder line and that means there is no fitting to be accomplished. Here, it is made of terry cloth and terry cloth is much liked for such uses, but appropriately, the robe can be copied in any bath robe material. The cotton flannels this season are charming in color and design, there are wool flannels that are excellent, and there are light weight flannels that combine wool with cotton that do not shrink readily, and which are excellent weight and warmth for the average heated home. Where greater warmth is desired, the bath robe flannels and blankets are to be recommended. For the medium size will be needed, 8 yards of material 27 inches wide, 7 1/2 yards 36 or 5 1/2 yards 44, with 4 yards of banding. The pattern No. 8014 is cut in three sizes, small 34 or 36, medium 38 or 40, large 42 or 44 bust. It will be mailed to any address by the Fashion Department of this paper, on receipt of fifteen cents.

BUILDING PERMITS Building permits issued to-day included the following: H. E. Jones, garage rear 1925 N. Chestnut street, \$150; Wilhelm Plank, two and a half story brick house, 2244 North Third, \$2,500, and Mrs. Annie Stamp, 2-story brick garage rear 2246 North Third street, \$400.

Magical Usit

Now all you ladies who suffer (yes, suffer, for you do) from unsightly wrinkles can drive them away forever. Usit, the pure nut-oil skin food, the "Arab's" which costs only fifty cents, by famous Eastern beauties for centuries can be purchased at any first-class drug store. This wonderful preparation (not a face cream) is positively guaranteed to clear the complexion of all wrinkles, whether caused by age, worry, work or exposure. Rub it into the skin with the finger tips at night just before retiring, and in a short time every wrinkle will disappear. Your hungry faded skin will get back its healthy color, its well nourished smoothness and the lines in your face will be replaced by youthful roundness. No other treatment is necessary. Usit is well named the "Wrinkle Chaser" for no wrinkles can exist where it is used. It is guaranteed to contain nothing that will cause hair growth. Go to your druggist to-day and get a bottle of Usit for 50 cents. Try it to-night and see how fine your face feels in the morning. But remember Usit is put up only in opal bottles. Take nothing else. Immediate relief to chapped face and hands. For sale by Gorgas, the druggist, and dealers everywhere.

The Folly of Taking Digestive Pills

A Warning to Dypapeptics The habit of taking digestive pills after meals makes chronic dyspeptics of many thousands of men and women because artificial digestants, drugs and medicines have practically no influence upon the excessively acid condition of the stomach contents which is the cause of most forms of indigestion and dyspepsia. The after dinner pill merely lessens the sensitiveness of the stomach nerves and thus gives a false sense of freedom from pain. If those who are subject to indigestion, gas, flatulence, belching, bloating, heartburn, etc., after eating, would get about an ounce of pure bleached magnesia from their druggist and take a teaspoonful of this water after meals, there would be no further necessity for drugs or medicines because bleached magnesia instantly neutralizes stomach acidity, stops food fermentation and thus insures normal, painless digestion by enabling the stomach to do its work without hindrance. Bleached Magnesia referred to above can be obtained from G. A. Gorgas, any local druggist.—Advertisement.

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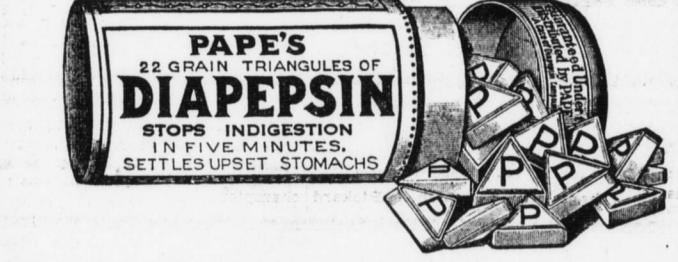
Begins To-morrow, Saturday, and Ends Christmas Eve Be Sure and Attend. The Savings Are Immense

T O-MORROW we begin an event that will surely be the talk of the town. Our early buying enables us to offer Watches, Diamonds, Jewelry, Silverware, Cut Glass, etc., at such prices that are truly remarkable, and coming at this time means unusual savings to you.

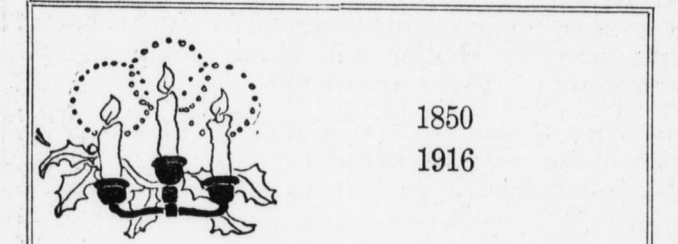
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FIVE MINUTES! NO INDIGESTION NO GAS OR ANY STOMACH MISERY

Don't Suffer! Here's the quickest, surest relief known for Dyspepsia, Sourness, Heartburn or an Upset Stomach—Try it!



Wonder what upset your stomach—which portion of the food did the damage—do you? Well, don't bother. If your stomach is in a revolt; if sour, gassy and upset, and what you just ate has fermented into stubborn lumps; your head dizzy and aches; belch gases and acids and create undigested foods; breath foul, tongue coated—just take a little Diapepsin and in five minutes you will wonder what became of the indigestion and distress. Millions of men and women to-day know that it is needless to have a



Diamonds

In a year when many dealers are using the European War as an excuse for putting excessive prices on diamonds, it is advisable to be discreet in selecting the store at which to purchase one of these gems. Buying a diamond of C. R. Boas means that you are sure the price is fair and the quality is exactly as represented. C. R. BOAS Jeweler and Silversmith 214-216 Market Street

Fire Sale OF Toys, Hardware and Household Furnishings Goods are but slightly damaged and must be sold at less than cost in order to make quick insurance adjustment. Imperial Hardware Co. 1202 NORTH THIRD STREET

FRANCIS JOSEPH RESTS IN TOMB

Impressive Scene as Body of Monarch Is Borne to Crypt London, Dec. 1.—The funeral procession of the late Emperor Francis Joseph, says a Vienna dispatch received by way of Geneva yesterday, left at 2 o'clock in the afternoon the Hofburg Chapel, where the body has laid in state since Monday, and traversed the streets of Vienna by a circuitous route to Saint Stephen's Cathedral. The hearse was drawn by eight horses and surrounded by an Imperial body guard, lackeys and pages bearing torches and crucifixes. At the conclusion of the funeral service, Emperor Charles walked behind the coffin to the Capuchin Church. This is a small edifice and only a few of the privileged were able to enter, the remainder standing outside during the final ceremony of bearing the coffin to the crypt. The Emperor, the Grand Master of the Court and two chamberlains followed into the crypt and formally transferred the body to the custody of the Capuchin monks and the golden key of the coffin to the senior monk.

Hunter's Pipe Explodes, He May Lose One Eye

Charleston, Ill., Dec. 1.—William Decker, an employe of the gas plant here, was injured to-day when a pipe he was smoking exploded. It is believed the sight of one of his eyes was destroyed. He had been hunting and had placed some loaded cartridges in his coat pocket, in which was also some loose smoking tobacco. While at work he placed some tobacco in a pipe and began smoking it. The tobacco contained a cartridge which became heated and exploded, it tore the pipe to pieces and a piece of the cartridge shell lodged in his eye.

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NOTED TENOR TO SING FOR ELKS

Complete plans for the annual Lodge of Sorrow of Harrisburg Lodge No. 12, B. P. O. Elks were announced to-day by Chairman Abner W. Hartman of the local memorial committee. The exercises will be held this year in the Majestic theater, Sunday afternoon, opening at 8:30 o'clock. The special features will include: William I. Swope, lecturer, Clearfield; John B. Selfert, tenor, Pittsburgh; Miss Elizabeth Ruth Johnson, violinist, Lebanon; Mrs. William K. Brumbaugh, soprano; Mrs. William H. Witheron, contralto, and Abner W. Hartman, basso, all of Harrisburg, and the Lebanon Quintette, including Miss Elizabeth R. Johnson, violin; Claude H. Sowers, violin; Irvin W. Miller, clarinet; George L. Hoffa, violin-cello; Octavius Lichtenhaler, bass violin, and John Hunsicker, Jr., piano. The Rev. Floyd A. Appleton, D. D., pastor of St. Paul's Episcopal Church will offer prayers. This will be the second appearance in Harrisburg of John B. Selfert, the Pittsburgh tenor.

Four Pinned Under Auto When Car Turns Turtle

While driving his automobile near Seventeenth and Briggs streets yesterday afternoon about 4:45 o'clock, William H. Fry, 1249 Market street, narrowly escaped being killed when his machine turned turtle. Fry and three

FARMER'S LEG BROKEN

Shiremanstown, Pa., Dec. 1.—William Cromleigh, of St. John's, broke his left leg when he fell from a ladder in the barn yesterday.

For Sale or For Rent

Two-story brick building, 28x 60 feet, at the corner of Herman avenue and Rossmoyne street, Lemoyne, Pa.; suitable for factory or any kind of business. Terms reasonable. Apply to WILLIAM FETROW, LEMOYNE, PA. Bell Phone 3466-J C. V. 59-R



"The Line is Busy"

Eight and one-half billion telephone calls were answered last year in the Bell System. It is not surprising that some telephones were found to be busy. That report, however, does not always mean that the called telephone is in use. Remember that some other party on the line may be talking or someone else may be calling for a number on that line. Bear in mind, too, that it is actually more work for the operator to report a line as busy than it is to complete the connection. Busy men have busy telephones. It is unavoidable that you may sometimes have to knock more than once at their telephone doors. THE BELL TELEPHONE CO. OF PA. S. B. WATTS, Local Manager, HARRISBURG, PA.

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