



Reading for Women and all the Family



BIG TIMBER

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(Continued.)

"Nothing that I can see." Fyfe laughed unpleasantly. "But he'll try. He has dollars to our cents. He could throw everything he's got on Roaring lake into the discard and still have forty thousand a year fixed income. Sabe? Money does more than talk in this country. I think I'll put that camp off the Fyfe."

"Well, maybe," Benton said. "I'm not sure."

Stella passed on. She wanted to hear, but it went against her grain to eavesdrop. Her pause had been purely involuntary. When she became conscious that she was eagerly drinking in each word she hurried by.

Her mind was one urgent question mark while she laid the sleeping youngster in his bed and removed her heavy clothes. What sort of hostilities did Monohan threaten? Had he let a hopeless love turn to the acid of hate for the man who nominally possessed her? Stella could scarcely credit that. It was too much at variance with her idealistic conception of the man. He would never have recourse to such littleness. Still, the biting contempt in Fyfe's voice when he said to Benton: "You underestimate Monohan. He'll play safe; * * * he's foxy." That stung her to the quick. That was not said for her benefit. It was Fyfe's profound conviction. Based on what? He did not form judgments on momentary impulse. She recalled that only in the most direct way had he ever passed criticism on Monohan, and then it lay mostly in

Bringing Up Father

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By McManus



"This must be that store that Maggie wuz tellin' me about. I'll go in an' look around!"

"For goodness sake! What is that?"

"That is an African battle ax. It's very antique!"

"A lady by the name of Mrs. Jiggle wuz in yesterday and said she'd be here today to purchase it!"

"How much is it? I'll buy it!"

"By golly, I'm glad that's gone!"

Life's Problems Are Discussed

By MRS. WILSON WOODROW

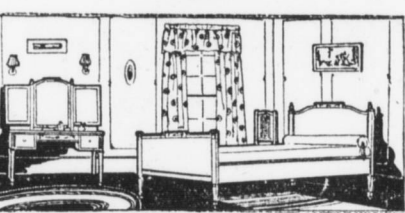
This is one of my recent letters: "Dear Madam—Although I take it for granted that you would decline to discuss religion in your columns, just tell us, however, in your own fascinating way your opinion of modern Spiritualism, and all the new, cheerful religions. Are they founded upon anything substantial or not? At your earliest convenience, please, and greatest oblige."

In the sense that humanity is only now beginning to apprehend it as a fact. It is a force which operates in the every-day life of humanity and always has since the world began. It has been consciously appreciated by prophets and seers and poets—the Bible is full of reference to it—and it has been put to practical use in every branch of the art, science and literature. It is and always has been the origin and artificer of every achievement, great and small. It is the most pervasive and practical influence in human life. And yet a reference to it by its familiar name is received with skepticism, or is carelessly dismissed as a subject fit only for the rhapsodies of poets.

The name of the force is—Faith. "Faith," E. P. H. may explain. "Why you talk of it as if it were something that could be analyzed and established and controlled like electricity or the attraction of gravitation."

Now that is exactly the aim of what E. P. H. calls the "Cheerful Religion," namely, to put faith into practice. That is the significance of the whole movement toward the development of mental healing, whether it takes the form of a new religion, or of that branch of the healing art known as psychotherapy.

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at terrible tension in that big, splendid body! A slight quiver seemed to run over him; then he was erect and calmly himself again, standing in a listening attitude. "That's the Panther," he said, "pulling in to the Waterbus's landing. Did I startle you when I hounded up like a cougar, Stella?" he asked, with a wry smile. "I guess I was half asleep. That whistle jolted me."

Stella glanced out the shaded window. "Some one's coming up from the float with a lantern," she said. "Is there—there likely to be anything wrong, Jack?" "Anything wrong?" He shot a quick glance at her, then casually, "Not that I know of."

The hobbling lantern came up the path through the lawn. Footsteps crunched on the gravel. "I'll go see what he wants," Fyfe remarked. "Caked boots won't be good for the porch floor."

Stella saw that it was the skipper of the Panther, a big and burly Dane. He raised the lantern a little. The dim light on his face showed it bruised and swollen. Fyfe grunted. "Our boom is hung up," he said plaintively. "My engine's blocked the river. I got licked for arguin' the point."

"How's it blocked?" Fyfe asked. "Two switters uh logs strung across the channel. They're drivin' piles in front. An' three donkeys buntin' logs in behind."

"Swift work. There wasn't a sign of a move when I left this mornin'."

"What's struck that feller Monohan?" the Dane sputtered angrily. "Has he gone any license to close the Fyfe. He says he has—an' backs his argument strong, believe me. Maybe you can handle him. I couldn't. Next time I'll have a cant hook handy. By jingo, you gimme my pick uh I efty's crew, Jack, an' I'll bring that cedar out."

Fashions of To-Day - By May Manton



Every woman will want at least one blouse with a high collar this season for it is the new feature. This one with the jabots is exceedingly attractive and generally becoming. Here, it is made of Georgette crepe with trimming of filet lace, but jabots are very pretty finished with hemstitched edges and with a little embroidery worked within them, or you can make the blouse of a soft silk and the jabots of net or of Georgette, if you like the thinner effect.

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Daily Dot Puzzle

Daily Dot Puzzle grid with numbers 1-36 and a small illustration of a child.

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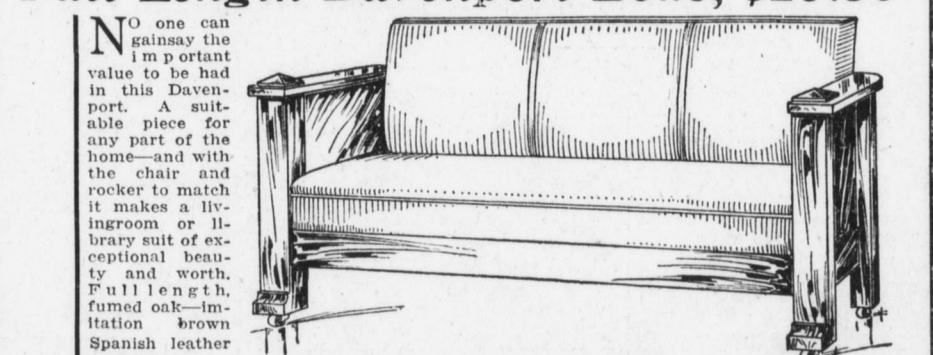
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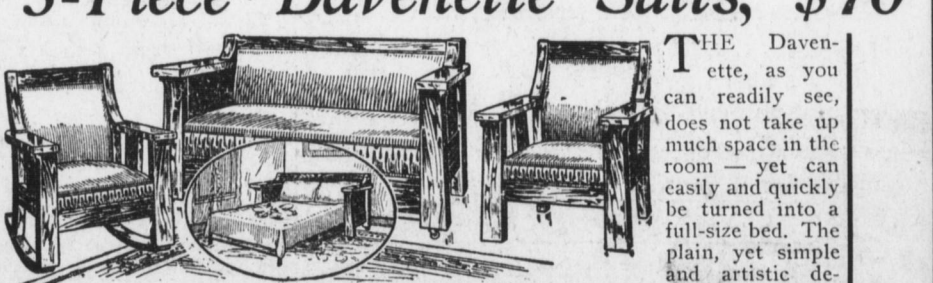
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