

Reading for Women and all the Family

"When a Girl Marries"

By ANN Lisle

A New, Romantic Serial Dealing With the Absorbing Problems of a Girl Wife

CHAPTER LXXIII (Copyright, 1918, King Features, Inc.) "So you had tea with Pat Dalton! You funny little old-fashioned child, I believe you're feasting up to make sure I won't act like the Sultan of Turkey and behead you when I discover you fair but false," chuckled Jim when I got home from my tea at the Clineage and found him waiting for me.

Influenza and kindred diseases start with a cold. Don't trifle with it. At the first shiver or sneeze, take

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Bringing Up Father

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By McManus



MAKING THE MOST OF OUR CHILDREN

A Series of Plain Talks to Parents

By Ray C. Beery, A.B., M.A. President of the Parents' Association

Just before Christmas little boys and little girls are supposed to be as good as they can be, so that dear old Santa Claus will fill their stockings full of wonderful presents.

One mother writes to me: "Our two boys, six and four, here of late seem to delight in coming to me and telling things on each other. I told them a few days ago when they had been annoying me that Christmas was coming and the one that behaved better in the one that Santa Claus generally gives the greater number of presents.

Yes, your reference to Santa Claus very likely has started the habit of tattling. It is unwise to tell children that they are not good. Santa will overlook them or that if they are nice, he will give them many presents.

THE HEART BREAKER

A REAL AMERICAN LOVE STORY

By VIRGINIA TERHUNE VAN DI WATER

CHAPTER XXI (Copyright, 1918, Star Company) Still in silence, Arthur Bruce drove the Brent girls to their front gate, then jumped out of the car and helped them alight.

"I did not say I did not know you," she admitted. "Then when you told me that Mildred was at a moving picture show with a friend from the office, you—well, to put it politely, you did not mean what you said."

"Yes, you know I will," he promised. "I cannot help it, and if I could help it, I wouldn't." He raised her hands to his lips, kissed them and then turned away. "Good night," he said, starting down the path as Mildred went into the door that Honora now opened.

way to tell me an unnecessary story." He paused hopefully as if waiting for her to make some explanation, when she did not speak, he continued: "I am not asking for your reasons, however. You must know, giving her hands such a grasp as he might have given a man's hand, then dropping it, that a thing like this, incomprehensible as it is to me, cannot spoil a friendship like ours."

Even if parents kept their promises, it is unwise to threaten their children about Santa Claus without a thought about carrying out the threat. For example, "Clarence, if you pinch Sister another time, I won't let Santa leave you any drum to-night."

Life's Problems Are Discussed. The world is flooded with all kinds of useful inventions, we multiply labor saving devices, but somehow, or other, we have failed to multiply happiness.

Seven-tenths of the letters I get may be divided into three groups—love affairs that won't run smooth, unbearable home conditions and financial worries.

Considering a philosophy of life, we can't get very far away from the old nursery rhyme: "For every evil under the sun, there is a remedy or there's none; if there is one, try and find it, if there is none, never mind it."

But I am considering now the letters which describe unhappy home conditions. Of course harmonious family life is the most beautiful thing in the world, but when it is inharmonious it is plain, sad, and it takes the wisdom of Solomon to know how to meet its many perplexities.

It is the reason for its difficulties is that a number of individualities are thrown into constant, intimate association. They may and usually do have different tastes and interests and ideas. They all look at life from different angles.

"I cannot explain. I am sorry," she said in a low voice. "So am I," Arthur Bruce agreed gruffly. Then, with a sudden straightening of the shoulders, he took her hand. "It must be all right some way, Honora," he said, "since you hid it. At least—you must have thought you had some good reason for the deception. Only I cannot understand, to save me, why, after all these years of perfect confidence and good friendship, you should have gone out of your

at our own time, or else let us come that cropper that we have invited and learn the lesson that can only be pounded into us by a good hard jolt, why everything would probably come out all right.

Every individual case is different, but there ought to be certain general rules which might be put to work and achieve some desirable results. The best thing to do under any difficult circumstances is to decide that no matter how black things look, we at least are going to think and act as constructively as possible.

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if you are not just to yourself, and the self-sacrificing drudge of the family is just as bad in her way as the selfish family tyrant is in hers.

It never does any good to bluster and squabble and argue and threaten. But it does do a lot of good quietly and calmly to think a situation out, then decide what is the best course to follow for yourself and every one else concerned, and then go ahead and follow it! Don't hesitate and waver, don't stop to wonder if it would not have been better if you had done thus and so.

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Steel Company to Educate Disabled

Canon, Ohio—Former employees who have been disabled in war service will be taught new trades at a school to be established here by the United Alloy Steel Corporation.

Piles Cured in 6 to 14 Days. Druggists refund money if PAZO OINTMENT fails to cure itching, stinging, burning, bleeding, or protruding piles. Stops irritation, soothes and heals you. You can get restful sleep after the first application. Price 60c.

Advertisement for Burns & Co. featuring a variety of products including leather rockers, coal stoves, and blankets. The text is arranged in columns with large, bold headings. The central image shows a man in a suit standing next to a large, ornate leather rocker. Below this, there are several smaller images of different models of coal stoves. The text describes the features and prices of these items, such as "Big Shipment Of Leather Rockers" and "Burns' Park Oak Heater" for \$15. The advertisement also promotes their coal stoves, highlighting their efficiency and value. At the bottom, there is a section for blankets and comforts, listing various sizes and prices. The Burns & Co. logo is prominently displayed at the bottom center, featuring the company name in a stylized font with a crown above it. The overall layout is clean and professional, typical of early 20th-century advertising.

Advertisement for Beecham's Pills. The text is arranged in a single column with large, bold headings. The main heading is "Women Should Take Beecham's Pills". Below this, the text describes the benefits of the pills for various women's ailments, including headaches, constipation, weakness, and depression. It mentions that the pills are a tested and effectual remedy and are gentle and promptly on the stomach, liver, and bowels. The text also states that the pills are purely vegetable and contain no habit-forming drug. At the bottom, there is a small illustration of a woman's face, looking slightly to the side. The overall tone of the advertisement is reassuring and informative, aiming to provide a solution for common women's health issues.