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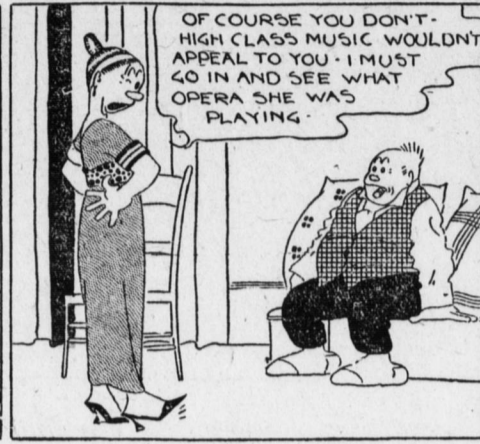
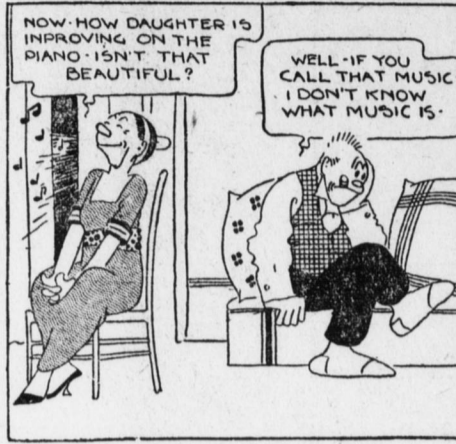
## "When a Girl Marries"

By ANN LISLE  
A New, Romantic Serial Dealing With the Absorbing Problem of a Girl Wife

## Bringing Up Father

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ought to be snipped off as if you were cutting a thread.

"You feel just the same as ever?" he asked eagerly, searching my face for a suggestion, a breath of suspicion that I knew of any reason why I shouldn't feel just the same as ever.

I avoided a direct answer, replying truthfully enough:

"I thought there couldn't be any question of my feelings. I wanted to be all a friend should be. I tried. It wasn't welcome.

"Now we're getting to the point," Lane's eyes held a look of trying to bore into my mind. I didn't know if this was because he knew everything and wanted to find out how much actual knowledge I had, or if it was because he wanted to add my information to his. But in the next minute I saw that whatever he knew or didn't know, he would not stoop to getting one smallest piece of evidence from me. If Val hadn't given him her entire confidence he was clearly enough not going to piece out what she'd told him with anything I could say. If she had a sad confession to make and had made it fully, it was clear that he had accepted it fully, too. I wondered what other man on earth could accept so much and in just that large, kind way.

"Now we're getting to the point," Lane repeated, and went on: "You mustn't hold anything against a poor, sick girl, who has been through a dreadful experience and had her nerves busted up like shrapnel. If she hurt you, you'll forgive her, won't you?"

"I have already," I replied and then added with a smallness I hadn't intended my words to convey: "But I can't force myself where I'm not wanted."

Lane took that kindly and made it less petty by changing it to an acquiescence with something I regretted, instead of an acceptance of something that relieved me.

"It isn't that she doesn't want you. You know how sick folks turn against their best friends, against the folks they love best in all the world sometimes. It's just the fancy of a little girl who's been—mighty close to the end. She's looked Death in the face. And she's all in. Got to humor her. But you can't hold anything against her, can you?"

"I don't. Indeed I don't. And if I'd been small enough not to see your coming has made everything clear, I want you to know that, Lane."

"Thank you, Princess. Then that's all right. And this little good-by of ours isn't going to be marred by anything. For this is good-by between us."

"Awkwardly Lane patted me on the back, and there was tenderness in the pleading touch of the big brown hair.

"I'm going to ask one more thing

of you. Could you manage to—can you—say, Anne, will you overlook in the morning?"

"Yes," I said quietly, taking the hint. "I'll say good-by now, for I'm not an early riser and I can't be down to see you off."

He gripped both my hands in his great brown paws. And there were tears in his eyes as he bent his head and murmured:

"If you ever want a friend, I'm not much of a hand at talking, but I'd come right across the continent. You know that, don't you?"

"I believe it," I said.

"Then let me have an hour with Jimmie to-night after the little girl's asleep, will you? And—say, Anne—see this little gold piece on my chain fob—it's the California octagon. Ain't many of 'em going. This is my emergency piece. I hung onto it sometimes when I was pretty close to starving. I want you to wear it as a keepsake or talisman or whatever you like to feel it. And if ever you need a friend all you'll have to do is to put it into a little box and mail it to China or Zanzibar or wherever it happen to be. Will you take it and send it if you need me?"

"Yes," I replied, "I'll take you talisman, and if ever I need you I'll send."

(To Be Continued)

## WEDNESDAY CLUB SINGS CANTATA

Members and Their Friends to Enjoy Program in Zion Church Monday Evening

Anyone interested in Christmas music is privileged to attend the Christmas concert of the Wednesday club to be held Monday evening at 8:15 o'clock in the Zion Lutheran church. There are no cards of admission and no fee to pay.

The club will have the assistance of John Gibson, tenor; Elmer H. Ley and Roy Mathias, baritone, and Gwilym Watkins, bass. The program follows:

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**ARMY DEPOT DANCE**

One of the many dances of the Christmas season will be held this evening in Winderdale Hall by the Army Reserve Depot at Marsh Run. The committee includes L. E. Carroll, C. Henderson, Humerick, Russell J. Yetter, A. S. Cooper, Edred Ruttington, R. W. Young, Miss Carrie Garver and Miss Ruth Throckmorton.

**LA ARTISTS CONCERT**

On Wednesday evening, January 7, the Wednesday Club will present in recital, Reinold Werrenrath, baritone, his second appearance in this city. Owing to the great popularity of this artist and because so many of his friends here are not members of the club, the concert will be given in Chestnut Street Hall instead of Winderdale Hall. Members will present their membership tickets at the door as is the custom of the club's artist concerts and non-members may procure tickets for a nominal sum. There will be no reserved seats.

Miss Mary B. Robinson, treasurer of the club, will be at Fahnestock Hall from 10 to 5 o'clock on January 7, the day of the concert, to receive dues and to issue membership tickets. No member will be admitted to the concert unless she presents her ticket at the door of the hall. This applies to active members as well as others. No dues will be received and

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## TRIANGLE CLUB IN FORMAL DANCE

Bernard Jazz Orchestra of Detroit Will Play New Year's Eve

Friends of the Triangle Club will greet the New Year with dancing at a formal event to be given in Winderdale Hall, New Year's eve. The program will be played by the famous Bernard Jazz Orchestra, of Detroit, Michigan and the music will undoubtedly be one of the outstanding features of the holiday dances.

This is the first formal dance to be given by the club in a number of years. Those who have attended the many delightful informal events held

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## ANOTHER WAR ROMANCE

Culminates in Wedding

A pretty wedding took place at the home of Mr. and Mrs. William Myers, R. D. 2, Montgomery, Saturday, December 13, at noon, when Miss Margaret M. Shaffer, of this city, youngest sister of Mrs. Myers, became the bride of George W. Blunt, of Milton.

The wedding is the result of a wartime romance, the couple having become acquainted at Fort Roots, Arkansas, where the bride, who is a graduate nurse from Blockley Hospital, Philadelphia, was engaged as

## IN AFTER-WAR WORK

Miss Elizabeth Boher has gone to Parkview, near Pittsburgh, to engage in reconstruction work among soldiers, sailors and marines in the public service hospital there.

The men are usually shellshock cases. Miss Boher was recently in the same work at the government hospital, Fort Riley.

Miss Elizabeth Boher, a Hood College student is home from Frederick, Md., for a holiday visit with her mother, Mrs. Charles Forney Leib of "The Terraces" New Cumberland.

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