

For Nineteen Twenty-three

WE TAKE this opportunity to extend a most hearty season's greeting, and to let you know how very highly we appreciate your kind patronage. May the New Year bring you a full measure of success, happiness and prosperity.

Cordially yours,
A. GOLDMAN.

Only A Few Days Till Christmas Some Suggestions for



Silken Underthings

So dear to a woman's heart. Envelope Chemise of Crepe de Chene. Tailored or dainty lace trimmed models.

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Beautiful sheer Philippine Gowns and Chemises, hand sewn throughout and elaborately hand embroidered in exquisite floral or conventional designs, eyelet or solid embroidery.

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Everybody uses them. For children, women and men. Pretty embroidered affairs for the women and plain and bordered in fancy colors for the men and little tots.

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A complete assortment of men's and women's kid gloves in a wide range of colors and prices.

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Women like our slippers because they are exactly the weight they fit, most comfortable, yet inconspicuous, and are of the fine quality their good taste demands.

Red Goose All Weather Shoes for Girls

Shoes that will make any girl's eyes sparkle and will give pleasure months after playthings are forgotten.

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Sturdy Mannish Shoes that will stand the hardest kind of wear. High Cuts for tough weather. Regular cuts in English and Blucher styles.

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Pure Linen Table Damask, very attractive patterns.

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To a woman or Miss, they are of primary importance. They are acceptable gifts. All silk, full fashioned all sizes in black and brown. Silk and wool, fancy checked mixtures.

To Please A MAN

Useful things in variety.

Men's Sweaters, Plain Colors and combinations, also Jersey sport coats.

Men's Pajamas, of fleecy flannel, in pink and blue stripes.

Men's wool socks, plain and drop stitch heather and plain color.

Men's silk and silk and wool socks plain and heather.

Men's Neckties, Knitted or cut, silk or silk and wool. Wide selection at medium prices.

Men's Shirts, Wonderful variety in best fabrics and latest patterns.

Men's and boys' bed-room slippers in complete assortment. Hard and soft soles.

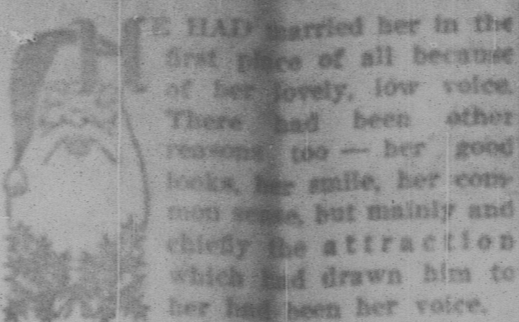
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PATTON, PA.

The Doctor's Wife

By Mary Graham Bonner



HE HAD married her in the first place of all because of her lovely, low voice. There had been other reasons, too—her good looks, her smile, her common sense, but mainly and chiefly the attraction which had drawn him to her had been her voice.

It had seemed during those first years of his practicing and trying to make his way in a seemingly unresponsive city that voices would drive him mad, waiting complaints, whimpering always, discontented.

Even when he met women socially he felt they refused from telling him anything but a sorrowful tale of themselves.

As for his wife—she understood. She smiled at the poor crosses they made to come and see him of the jealousy they showed of each other, of the gifts they sent him, of senseless reasons they had for telephoning.

Sometimes they would both be invited out to dinner at some friend's house. The doctor's wife, chided as she thought of how little she was wanted.

Usually they looked at her, she knew, rather pityingly, and at times, the holder of the key in patients' would say to her:

"It must be hard to be a doctor's wife. I'd never have a moment's peace if I were you with so many women caring for my husband."

"We get used to it," the doctor's wife said so as not to be disappointed, smiling to herself. What fun it was to be a doctor's wife. How much pity one got one didn't deserve, how much wasted sympathy, how many deliciously jealous thoughts one inspired.

It was Christmas Eve. The doctor had promised his wife that he would help her to finish many pleasant evening-aid-before-Christmas tasks.

She went upstairs to see that the children were tucked when she heard the door open. Her husband's voice was already answering it from below.

Something, some curious something, made her listen.

"Oh doctor," she heard a voice say, the voice of the same woman who had lately caused her first pang of jealousy, "I can't quite remember the moment. I must see you on Christmas Eve, but I must! Please, doctor, can you come at once?"

"That's all right, little lady," she heard her husband answer, "I'll be up at once."

"I'm going out for awhile," the doctor called up the stairs. And was gone without a word of regret and with no word at all to come.

Late that evening she went out of the house. She would see this other woman. She called a taxi and hurried off.

"I'm sorry," she said to her, "but Madame can see no one." And the door was shut snugly.

What would she do? What could she do? Finally, exhausted after waiting about the stairs, she went home, her heart full of try, choking sobs.

At last she heard the doctor's key. He came in. He looked tired. But she was worn out.

"You've been to—?" she began.

"Yes," he answered wearily, as he lighted a cigarette. "I have been there at this time. But she has the finest way you could hope to see; they're simply delighted."

"By the way?" she asked.

"Yes," the doctor nodded. He was too tired to notice her quick change of expression.

"Oh," he said after a moment, "I'm so glad you don't finish the Christmas things without me. No matter how late it is, we must get ready for Christmas together, mustn't we?"

"Yes," she answered, "I had asked you to wait, and I thought you to wait for me, but you had to get ready for the Christmas together, mustn't we?"

It is true, Chlorinda, that no brains are required to inherit money, but a good supply is necessary to keep it—New Orleans States.

"Hey, you!" called an indignant diner in the rapid-fire restaurant. "Didn't you tell me this was apricot lamb?" "Yes," responded Belinda, the waitress. "Well, send word to the butcher that what he killed for lamb was wolf in sheep's clothing."—Kansas City Star.

F. R. asks: "But did you ever hear of a haw! game being called on account of darkness?" Sad experience leads us to remark that that is usually the time that kind of a game starts.—Cincinnati Enquirer.

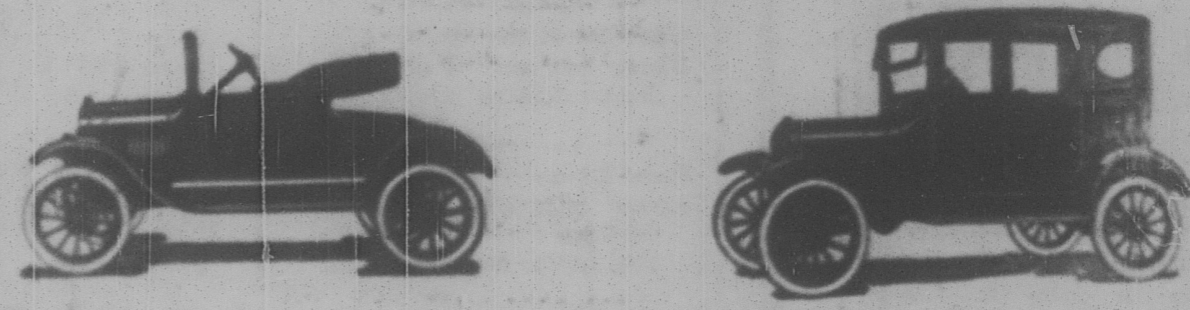
He was a very affable tramp. "How do you do, mum?" he said. "You don't remember me?" "No, I don't," said the thin-lipped housewife. "I passed through here a little while ago, and you set the dog on me." "Ah, yes—I remember now." "Yes mum—and

as I cleared the fence I met a little ton Post man, who gave me half-a-dollar. He said it was worth that to find out Brussels sprouts and served in a hot-dish of sausage.

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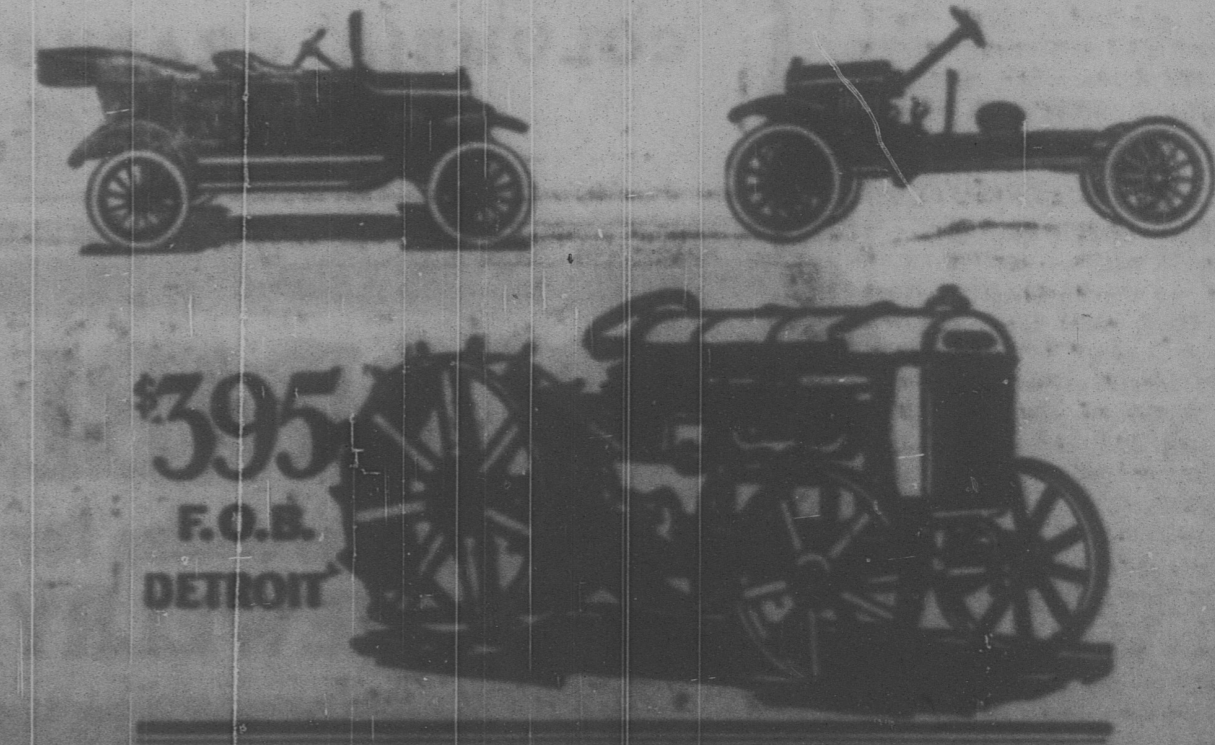
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Holiday Greeting

Merry Christmas to you all,
We hope that Santa Claus will call
And leave a lot of useful things
Like tire patch and piston rings,
And coils and spark plugs and the like
To keep the old Ford hitting right.
And if the old car needs repair.
A small adjustment here and there,
Just bring her in—we'll do our best
To make her hum like all the rest.
Or we'll trade your old Ford on a new
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The New Year and farther, too.
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And hoping it will always last,
Wishing the New Year more prosperous
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Albert Thomas et ux. to Willis Ross, lot in East Carroll Township \$95.
James Mellon et ux. to Ira A. Smeltzer, piece in Patton; \$1,000.
Mathiot Reads et ux. to Joseph Sladen, two lots in Cassandra; \$200.
Andy Shookville et ux. to John Starbville, two pieces in Washington Township; \$1,500.
Edward Ott et al. Trustees, to Sam H. Van Pelt, lot in Upper Yoder Township; \$200.
James Fuller, by Treasurer, to Albert Thomas, four lots in East Carroll Township.
Agnes E. Berkey et vir et William R. Berkey et ux. lot in Johnstown; \$200.
William Litzinger by Executor, to John Rannish et ux. tract in Clearfield Township; \$1,500.
Thomas H. Taylor et ux. to Anna Marshall, two lots in Sixth Ward, Johnstown; \$1.
Thomas Barnes, by Executor, to John Marshall et ux. lot in Johnstown; \$200.
James Barnes, by Executor, to

William Jenkins et ux. lot in Barnesboro; \$500.
Anna Mulvihill to Harry B. Taylor et ux. two acres in Sixth Ward, Johnstown; \$1.
Emily Kopp to John Rannish et ux. interest in 72 acres in Clearfield Township; \$800.
George Wild et ux. to Harry B. Taylor, piece in Sixth Ward Johnstown; \$2,700.
Mrs. Mary E. Pummer et vir et al. to George R. Yeckley, piece in Cresson; \$5,000.
Martin Realty Company to Gabriel Amly et al. lot in Portage Township; \$1.
Mrs. Anna S. Barnes to Charles Knuts et ux. lot in Barnesboro; \$1,000.
Ida J. Morris et vir to Adam F. Polta, lot in Seventeenth Ward, Johnstown; \$5,200.
Catherine Nagle to Annie Farris, piece in Hastings; \$400.
Pennsylvania Coal and Coke Corporation to Michael M. Bender, lot in Cresson; \$450.
A. V. Farber et al. to Catherine Hsback, two lots in Ninth-Glo; \$200.
Selle E. Fokers et al. to Charles A. Hughes, interest in one piece in Cresson Township; \$1.
George Hammarstrom et ux. to John Taylor, two lots in Barnesboro; \$200.
Schwartz Bartholomew et vir to Andy Uebach et al. one piece in

Gallitzin Township; \$600.
George H. DeLo, by Administrator, to Charles A. Hughes, interest in one piece in Cresson Township; \$1.
Nathaniel Blough et ux. to Ida J. Morris, lot in Seventeenth Ward; \$1.
William S. Sheridan to Emily S. Meyer, two lots in Southmont; \$600.
David G. Knepper to John Miskus, piece in Croyle Township; \$350.
Emma C. Custer et vir to Byard A. Long et ux. lot in Seventeenth Ward, Johnstown; \$6,000.
Mary Wheeler et vir et al. by Trustees, to Charles A. Hughes, interest in one piece in Cresson Township \$26,538.65.
Cambria Mining and Manufacturing Company to Charles A. Hughes, 2.81 acres; \$210.75.
Adam Zewstovsky to John F. Wilson, two lots in Nineteenth Ward, Johnstown; \$700.
Harry Custer et ux. to Albert Winger, 37 perches in Strip Level; \$1,550.
Mrs. Susanna McKernan to Mrs. Annetta Smith, lot in Twelfth Ward, Johnstown; \$1.
Richard C. Custer to James W. Meek, piece in Seventeenth Ward, Johnstown; \$270.
Herman S. Gohlberg et ux. to John G. Logg, lot in Portage; \$200.
George W. Hanna to Paul Gleason, lot in Westmont; \$2,500.
John Marshall et ux. to John Fodorak, piece in East Conemaugh; \$2,500.