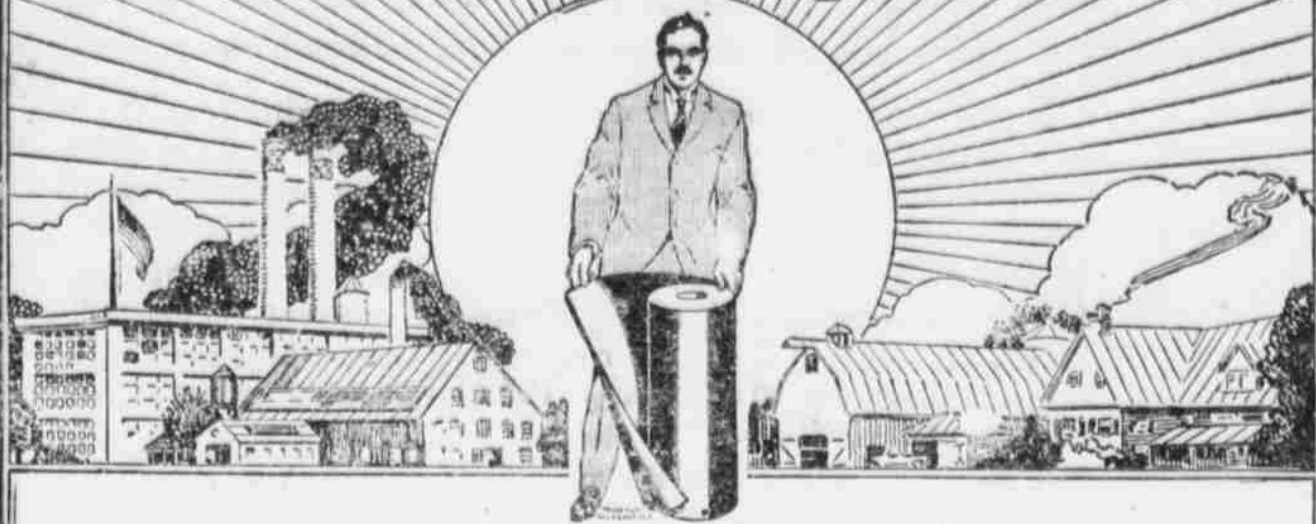


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HER MISTAKE

By MILDRED WHITE

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Janey sat a long while with the letter in her hand. In fancy she was going over that long blissful time since she had met Robert and the tenor of her life had been forever changed. Before that, it was an uneventful routine.

But after Robert's advent, unrest had stirred within her, and dissatisfaction with life's simple homeliness. Robert Tabor, city business man, had bought as an investment, the great farm near Janey's home, and when the caretaker had been duly installed, Robert Tabor came out to look the place over. So pleased and interested was he, that he lingered for weeks, seeking and finding hospitality in Janey's home.

It had never been her opportunity to hear at first hand of remote wonderful parts of the world, for this engaging man from the city had traveled and learned much. It was a never ceasing delight to ride over the farm lands, in his swift running car, or to drive at his side in a light carriage through the narrower paths.

Janey's guardian aunt was quite willing that this should be so, she had no wish to keep Janey forever at her side. All at once Janey had been ashamed of the simple cut of her home-made frocks, her lack of knowledge of the ways of the great outside world.

"I want to go to the city," she confided to her new friend. "I want to learn to be—like them."

"Clothes you mean?" Robert Tabor had asked, amused.

"Clothes, manners, everything," Janey declared.

The aunt, much persuaded, arranged with an old friend in the city to have Janey visit her there, and Robert—as both now called him—continued kind with his attentions. In his care Janey visited restaurants, opera, theaters; with him she had driven through the beautiful parks.

"Oh! how I love it all!" she said.

Home seemed very dull afterward. Robert's visits to his farm were the only bright spots, and as fall drew near and these visits threatened to cease, Janey grew wan in apprehension.

With the harvest moon looking down upon them, glorifying their radiant faces—Robert had asked Janey to marry him and she had consented.

Robert wanted her, he longed for her and despotic business held him tied in the city. Would she come for a visit to his married sister's home? Would she come?

In a fever of joyful anticipation Janey rushed to her aunt's room to begin preparation. Robert was pale and worried looking when he met her at the station. Absently he glanced over the modish suit and hat which had cost her aunt a forbiddingly extravagant price.

In the brilliant gathering which his sister generously arranged for Janey her fear grew, at his gloomy abstraction. This taciturn man was a different person certainly from the joyously enthusiastic master of the farm. And Robert's sister had assured Janey that she need have no anxiety on the score of adjustability.

"You seem to have grown up among us dear," she said.

At the hotel dinner, smiling into her lover's eyes across the roses heaped between them, Janey saw a shadow there.

"You like all this, don't you?" Robert asked.

"So much," she agreed, ever eager to please.

Furtively she asked herself each night in what she had failed for her fiancé seemed to grow more distantly absorbed. Suddenly Janey longed with homesick yearning for the restful atmosphere of the country she knew, for the long walks through the silent places where she could think seriously or find herself again. For Janey realized that her life of late had been but profitless effort to learn the part she would be expected to play in the future, and in sickness of heart she wondered if she would be able to carry that weary part through with Robert always unappreciative at her side.

Frankly but with a tremulous catch in her voice, Janey told him one day her problem:

"I don't seem to fit in Robert," she said, "no matter how hard I try. I'm a disappointment to you, I feel it. Take me back to the quiet place that I best know, and leave me there."

Unbelieving, her lover stared into her face.

"But you used to tell me," he said "that you longed for the life of a city! That is why, after I had bought the farm, intending to make it my headquarters, that I returned again to the business world, for your sake, Janey, because you said you loved gayety. My youthful years have been crowded full of work and care. It was my dream that in early success I might find leisure, again to enjoy those things that I loved as a boy. But without your presence I cannot now enjoy anything."

"Could you be happy with me out there Janey? When tired of fields and meadows, we would travel. Could you go back with me dear, to the farm?"

Through tears Janey smiled at him. "Why Robert," she said, "it will be just like going straight back to Paradise."

In the 48 states of the Union there are 2,989 counties.

Maxwell.

(From the Telepost.)

Martin Hansen arrived Thursday night from ten months overseas service with the Eighty-eighth or Clover Division.

Harry Yost received his discharge from service in the Twentieth Infantry at Ft. Riley and arrived home Monday.

Vernon Kuhns has been elected assistant cashier of the Farmers State Bank and will commence work with the new bank in a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Geise have returned from their trip to Philadelphia, Atlantic City and other points of interest in the east glad to get back to good old Nebraska.

E. J. Maxwell has arrived in Maxwell to work at Maxwell. He is the new night man at the depot and will move his family here if he can secure a house in which to live.

The fixtures for the Farmers State Bank arrived Monday and the bank will have an "opening day" in the new building in a few days, when everybody is invited to look through the new building.

Sutherland.

(From the Courier.)

The twelve year old son of J. Saxton shot himself in the right foot with a 22-calibre rifle, the ball entering the foot just back of the ankle and coming out at the bottom under the instep.

Anna Shane, like Jack and Jill, was running down a hill, stumbled and fell and broke her left leg at the ankle.

The Potash Co. correspondent says: "With the conditions of the potash industry so favorable for the American producers and as our hotel and rooming house are now in readiness to accommodate a full crew of work men, who will begin at once the construction of the main buildings of the plant, the prospects that we will be operating to the full extent of our capacity within the next thirty days look very good. Ground is now being broken for the foundation of the machinery building which will be an 85x90 foot two story brick building and will be erected on the plant site, east of the office and near the U. P. tracks. Work will be resumed right away on the warehouse now half completed. Shortage of material has held us back on that the last two weeks."

IN MEMORIAM

June 24, 1919.

Dear wife, just one year ago today, God called you from this life away. Yet each day I pray that I may be Nearer still, dear wife, to thee.
W. W. ANDRUSS.

Christian Science service Sunday 11 a. m. Wednesday evening meetings every week at 8:00. A cordial invitation is extended to all to attend these services. Building & Loan building, room 25.

Miss Beryl Jeter, of Los Angeles, will arrive next Saturday to spend the summer vacation with her parents. Miss Jeter is teacher of music in the Los Angeles high school and her salary has been advanced to \$180 per month. She began her work as music instructor in a grade school, last year was promoted to the high school, and in recognition of her efficient work has had her salary advanced to the above figure.

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STRAYED OR STOLEN.

Two year old Holstein Heifer, mostly white with few black spots, saw-tooth fork on left ear, undercut on right ear. Any information leading to the recovery of animal will be liberally rewarded.
A. COLEDGE,
42-8 North Platte.

Stray Notice

Taken up by the undersigned, on Section 10, Town 15, Range 29, who there resides, on or about April 1st, 1919, one two year old red heifer; no brands distinguishable. Owner call, prove property, pay charges and take animal away.
H. E. WOODS,
North Platte.

Stray Calf

Strayed to my farm ten miles north-west of North Platte, and one mile east of Nichols school house, April first, a calf. Owner can have same by identifying same, paying for ad and feed bill.
FRANK HENEKA.

ESTRAYED.

Strayed from my place seven miles southeast of North Platte, Thursday, May 29th, one bay mare branded with T lazy T on left shoulder; also one brown mule with scar on left hind leg.
R. H. WILLIAMS.



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