

WOMAN'S NEWS-FEATURES

Adele Garrison "My Husband's Love"

Dr. Braithwaite Accepted the

Dr. Edwin Braithwaite turned astonished and unconsciously reproachful eyes upon his wife at Dicky's inadvertent revelation.

"Why, what's this, Harriet?" he asked helplessly. "Going away tomorrow? You haven't told me—"

I dug my elbow warningly into Harriet's arm.

"She hasn't had time, I struck in gaily. "If you're going to chastise anybody, Edwin, cut a rod for me. I'm the guilty party. It was I, alone, all by myself, who thought of this plan, and enticed Harriet into joining me at the farm for a few days. Indeed she hasn't promised me certainly yet, but of course Dicky jumped to the conclusion that she had."

A Tactless Remark.
"Don't you believe a word, Edwin," Dicky admonished. "I don't know much about my sister these latter years, but my spouse is the most accomplished bunk thrower in existence. For instance, I was led to believe but a few moments ago that Harriet was the one panting to leave home and husband and was dragging Madge along reluctantly by the hair."

I planned several slow tortures for my tactless husband in the few seconds which elapsed before I gathered enough breath for a retort. Why could he not be a little more tactful on my ostensive cue? It was one thing to have Harriet leave her husband to his own devices, as an offset to the assiduous care with which she had surrounded him for years; it was distinctly "something else" again, to recall the phraseology of Lillian's old colored cook with a smile—to hurt and offend him by having him believe her anxious to get away.

"I fancy Edwin knows Harriet well enough to take your chatter for what it is worth," I replied again, "and my voice which I hoped Dicky would recognize as a signal to keep quiet."

"The whole thing, Edwin"—I turned to him—"was planned by me because of getting Graham. You know she is rather older and feeble each year, and she is really pitiful in her anxiety to have Harriet with her for a good long visit."

I was speaking but the truth in the last words. Indeed I had felt distinct irritation against Harriet for her willingness to sacrifice her mother's longings to her husband's convenience. I was sure of my generous, big-hearted brother-in-law's response, however, and his prompt reply justified my belief.

"Why, of course," he said heartily. "Harriet ought to go, and I shall get along famously, never fear. It was only, my dear," he turned to his wife gallantly, "that I was so taken by surprise. But, really, you could not go at a better time. I am feeling unusually fit, and my patient is in such good hands and has rallied so wonderfully that I have no special anxiety there." Dick and I will ramble around New York—that is if he can put up with an old man's—"

The Note of Paths.
"Didn't I tell you?" Dicky demanded of me. "When old Ed and I will do to poor old Broadway."

"No doubt we shall find it a deep maroon tint when we get back," I returned. "But we don't envy you. We'll be feeding chickens and hugging Junior."

"I'll trade anything on Broadway for that privilege," Junior's uncle said, and there was in his voice as he uttered the apparently jesting words which clutched at my heartstrings. That Harriet recognized the note also, I knew by the convulsive twitch of her arm next to mine, and I hastened a commonplace return.

"You ought to be able to run out and take the privilege a couple of days, couldn't you? You could see Mrs. Durkee before you took the early train on one day and after you came back on the evening one the next. That would give you almost two days with us."

"That's a splendid idea, Madge," he said with enthusiasm. "I ought to be able to manage it in about three days from now. And it will break the loneliness of your absence, my dear." He smiled affectionately at his wife.

"Are you yearning to have me

Sorority Alumnae Holiday Parties for "Actives"

Pan Hellenic, intersorority organization, having disbanded in Omaha, there will not be the usual holiday function by this group. Sorority alumnae are busy, however, planning smaller affairs for their "actives" and out-of-town members who find themselves in Omaha during this season.

Alpha Phi has scheduled a bridge luncheon at the Burgess-Nash tea rooms for Friday of next week, December 28. Mrs. H. G. Nasburg is president of the local alumnae.

Kappa Gamma alumnae will give a luncheon December 27, at the Brandeis restaurants to meet the active members home for Christmas. Mrs. H. I. Dodson is president of the Omaha alumnae.

Pi Beta Phi sorority has not scheduled a formal affair for the vacation, but there will be some entertaining by members. Mrs. Carroll Belden and Miss Jessie Nason will be hostesses at luncheon at the University club Friday for the Misses Gwyneth and Lucille Kneec, members of the Stuart Walker players who appear at the Brandeis Friday and Saturday nights and Saturday matinee for the Drama League.

Kappa Delta entertaining will center around Mrs. Philip S. Jones of Wichita, Kan., formerly of Lincoln, who is a guest here with her husband's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Jones. Miss Mary Leslie will entertain her sorority sister, Mrs. Jones, and Mr. Jones at a theater party Saturday night. Miss Maude Miller will give a luncheon next week for Mrs. Jones.

Many sorority and fraternity people are in the Stuart Walker cast. Miss Genevieve Adelman of Hastings, Neb., who was a Gamma Phi Beta at the State university, will be honored with a luncheon at the Ath-

letic club Friday, when 12 sorority sisters will compliment her. Mrs. George B. Hall is local secretary and Miss Bertha White is taking reservations.

Other Greek letter members of the Portmanteau players' cast include Miss Lucille Springer, Sigma Alpha Iota; Miss Wilma Davis, Zeta Tau Alpha; Ben Carswell, Phi Mu Alpha; Peter Dodge, Psi Upsilon, and Tom Springer, Phi Delta Theta.

Phi Mu will have a luncheon next week at the Brandeis for the purpose of organizing an alumnae chapter here. Twelve guests will attend.

Alpha Omicron Pi has scheduled a luncheon for December 29, at the Brandeis. Mrs. L. A. Higgins is local alumnae president.

Delta Delta Delta sorority will honor the active members from Lincoln with a bridge luncheon December 29 at the Brandeis. Mrs. S. A. Broadwell, Jr., is alumnae president.

Kappa Alpha Theta "actives" entertained their husbands at a dance and bridge party last Friday night at the home of Mrs. Victor Jeep.

break the loneliness of yours? Dicky struck in with a jesting smile at me, but I fancied that I detected a note of bitterness behind the jibe, and with quick and inconsistent contrition for a resentment which I knew could not be healed so quickly, I answered him swiftly—eagerly:

"Of course I am. If you don't come with Edwin, I shall—"

"Don't be too brash in your threats," Dicky said, but there was a relieved note in his voice, and then the limousine halted in front of a brilliantly lighted entrance.

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Martha Allen PROBLEMS THAT PERPLEX.

CHRISTMAS TIME is no time to think of nervous troubles or to have "ingrowing thoughts." A letter from one who signs "Nervous Wreck" has just been received in this column. Here is the letter in part:

"I think it is wonderful for the people to have some place to come for help. I am a nervous wreck. I have been to several doctors and they tell me to take exercise and to diet. Can you help me? I haven't much money, I am desperate."

In holiday time, a time when everything is joyful, it makes any one want to preach a little or to moralize when a letter like this comes to light.

If physicians have made examinations and find no cause for anxiety as to your state of health, it is time to use a little Cousin, New Thought, or any other method of thinking that will make you forget your state of health which seems good.

The air is free, so why not take it?

And exercise is something that is also to be had for the taking. The great outdoors is usually the best doctor for cases of your kind. Even if you haven't a garden spot in which to take your promenade, take it daily if you want to improve.

Nerves are often a frame of mind that you cultivate. Take an interest in things about you. Force yourself to think of pleasant things. That wouldn't be so hard to do at this time of year. Just look around you. Every one cannot be happy at Christmas time, but there is such a large majority of smiling faces and generous giving now that it seems difficult to do anything else but be happy. Diet if it will help you any, but the main thing to do is to remember, if you can't find happiness in your own interests, look around and make joy for yourself by doing for others.

You'll forget you have nerves if you begin to serve others just a little, and then a little more.

Unsolved Problems.
Dear Miss Allen: I am a student at Central High school, and my age is 15. I have two problems that I cannot solve.

There is a boy two years older, who is exceedingly fond of me. He has been giving me candy almost every day for about two months. I like candy very much but I don't care at

all for this boy. How can I refuse without hurting his feelings?

My second problem is as important to me as the first. I have always had a good "stand in" with my teachers but now I have one who seems to almost hate me. It's a woman teacher. I have tried very hard to please her and I feel that she has graded me unfairly. Is it possible to change her attitude toward me? JANEY LOU.

How can you be so heartless, Janey, as to take candy from a boy who means nothing to you? By accepting his presents you have made him believe that you are interested in him. I should think you wouldn't be able to enjoy the sweets if your conscience is with you while you eat. You're just "biting the hand that is feeding you." You surely repaid this generous youth with a smile for his kindness, didn't you? Now that you are indebted to him, let him drop easily. Refuse the candy once a week and then more often and he'll gradually realize that you care no longer for his attentions.

As for the "pull" with the teachers, it sounds as if you had depended more upon your smiles and wiles than upon the merit of your work. Some teachers are very matter of fact and demand real work from students. If there is only one who expects this from you, why not do it since you don't seem to find it necessary with the others. You must have plenty of time for that one study. The

teacher will change her attitude toward you if you excel in your work.

If you have any love problems or other questions you want answered, write to Martha Allen and they will be answered in the order they are received.

Personals

Ed Shoemaker will spend Christmas with his parents in Sidney, Neb.

Bayles Spain leaves this week-end to spend Christmas with his parents in Lee's Summit, Mo.

Judge and Mrs. Irving Baxter will spend Christmas in Detroit, guests of Mrs. George Bogue.

Stuart Ederger will arrive, December 22, from Dartmouth college in Hanover, N. H.

Mrs. George Haverstick will be in Tunis, Africa, on Christmas, with General and Mrs. Krug, formerly of Omaha.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry G. Shedd will leave Saturday to spend two weeks with Dr. and Mrs. W. B. Cain of Colfax, Ia.

Miss Emma Cross of Douglas, Wyo., will spend the holidays with Miss Ruth Miller, her classmate at the University of Nebraska, and a sister in Kappa Alpha Theta. She will arrive Sunday.

Mrs. Emma P. Bates will leave Saturday to spend the holidays with her son Lacy Patterson, at his home in Marshalltown, Ia.

Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Beardsley and their daughters, Ruth and Margaret, will dine Christmas day with Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Thomas in Council Bluffs.

The Misses Agnes and Nellie Handell of David City, Neb., arrive Saturday to be the guests of their sister, Mrs. G. B. Bindewald, and Dr. Bindewald.

Mrs. Emily T. Hornberger, formerly of Lincoln, now of Des Moines, will spend Christmas here with her son and his wife, Mr. and Mrs. Evans Z. Hornberger.

Mr. and Mrs. E. K. Haldeman of Des Moines have arrived in Omaha to spend several days with Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Nasburg, on their way to Grand Island for Christmas.

Orlando Smith, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. Boyd Smith, returns Thursday from Dartmouth college for the holidays. His sister, Miss Marjorie Boyd Smith, student at the University of Nebraska, Lincoln, arrives Friday. She is a member of Alpha Delta Pi.

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