

Holding a Husband
Adele Garrison's New Phase of Revelations of a Wife

The Wager Dicky Made and at Last Was Forced to Pay.

Lillian cast a swift, furtive glance at me as Dicky airily suggested my looking for "two or three places close together" in order that the Durkees might move near us if the new neighbors should prove too unbearable. I knew that her thoughts had leaped to the same possibility as mine, that of Edith Fairfax continuing to live in my vicinity. But with Dicky's eyes upon me I gave no indication that I had caught her glance or that his suggestion either ruffled or interested me.

"I'll be glad to look out for them," I said sedately, "although from what Lillian tells me, I'm afraid we shall have to go far afield unless we take something inferior to the home here."

Dicky's jaw set stubbornly.

"Well, if I can't get something as good or better than this I'll invest my money and we'll rent for awhile!"

"May I ask where?" Lillian interposed dryly. "I've been told it's hard to get even a respectable chicken coop in which to set up light housekeeping."

"Oh, you'll hear that rot all over," Dicky returned, with the invariable optimism of a man whose "women folk" are going to perform some task for him. "That's just a dodge of the real estate men. If you hunt around and don't let those slick suburban real estate pull wool over your eyes you'll find dozens of places."

Dicky's Requirements.

"Want to lay a little wager, Dicky-bird?" Lillian asked suddenly, and I knew by the flash in her eyes that she had evolved some scheme for effectually spiking Dicky's guns of censure and ridicule if we failed in our quest for a suitable home within commuting distance.

"Sure thing," Dicky grinned amiably.

"Well, then, you furnish us a list of real estate agents in all the Long Island commuting towns—"

"What the —, why, there are dozens of places I wouldn't live in if they paid me a \$1,000 a week to do it. Smug, new places, with every house like every one—"

"Don't worry, nobody's going to pay you to live anywhere," Lillian drawled. "The paying is coming from the other direction. But your exclusiveness simplifies our problem. Limit your list to the communities you are willing to adorn with the light of your presence. Then Madge and I will agree to see each agent and interview each proprietor of the local newspaper, as well as snop around a bit on our own. We will bring you back descriptions of every possible outlook—you can give us your requirements—and then if you wish you can go to see any favorable ones. If, when we have exhausted those, you make no selection, you must treat us to a dinner and a play. If you do secure one, we'll—"

"The Bet Is On."

"Buy me a perfectly sweet, knitted necktie or a cake of shaving soap," Dicky interrupted rudely. "But I'll go you just for the sake of proving you mistaken. When do you want the list?"

"I'll stand you a dinner and a play of your own selection," Lillian went on imperturbably as if she hadn't spoken. "The list you may furnish in installments if you wish, but the first, comprising any part of the Sound section that can be done by auto in a day, we want tomorrow morning. This afternoon we'll do Garden City and Westbury."

"Pretty big order for one afternoon, isn't it?" Dicky asked.

"Not with your requirements," Lillian returned promptly. "They eliminate all the small houses, and, of course, all the big estates. As I understand it, you want a 10 or 12-room house with an acre of ground."

"An acre at least," Dicky assented, "and fireplaces, and at least 50 years old. None of your modern stuff for me, unless, of course, it's a reproduction of the colonial."

Lillian smiled whimsically.

"With those restrictions, I think we'll not be overburdened with offerings in any locality," she said. "All right, Dicky-bird. The bet is on, then?"

Dicky made a ceremonious obeisance.

"The bet is on," he repeated. "And don't you believe but what I'll hold you girls to your wager. I can taste that dinner now."

"No doubt you can," retorted Lillian dryly. "But I'd advise you to put aside something to settle the bill for it. There's about as much chance of our finding anything that will meet your requirements as there is of your being suited with it when we do find it."

Her prophecy was only too well fulfilled. For the next week we covered in the faithful car my father

had given me every village Dicky had listed. We interviewed agents haughty and agents eager. We weeded out the places which were out of the question, conscientiously inspected those which appeared to come near Dicky's requirements, and—the result of our quest was a list of three places which we drove Dicky to see, each of which he rejected with contumely.

"Well, I'll throw up my hands!" he said, as we drove away from a village on the sound which he had especially fancied, and which to use his own expression, we had "fine-tooth-combed thoroughly," with his assistance—both Lillian and I insisted that he do one typical village himself in order to be convinced of

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conditions. "The places we want are way beyond the means of anybody but a war profiteer, and the places we can get, the devil wouldn't have. The dinner is on me, girls, but—will anybody tell me where we're going to live?"

(Continued Monday.)

Pawnee County Supervisors

Named for State Road Work

Pawnee City, April 1.—(Special.)—Fred L. Oswald of Lincoln has been assigned by the state engineer to have supervision of the federal aid state highway construction work in Pawnee county for the coming season, and is now on the job. His assistant will be Leo Gossin.

Jenkinson in Chicago
'Millionaire' Backer of Pastor-Promoter Says

T. E. O'Brien, venerable self-styled millionaire and backer of Pastor Robert E. Jenkinson of shale stock fame, passed through Omaha yesterday on his way to Chicago with his son, F. T. O'Brien, and grandson, F. T. O'Brien, jr.

The elder O'Brien asserted that Jenkinson is as "good as any man in Omaha," that he is in his office in Chicago and is "very busy," and he added the belief that Jenkinson will

No Increase in Rail Forces This Spring

The usual early spring increase in the working force of maintenance and ways departments of the Union Pacific and Burlington will not be observed this year, according to announcement by officials yesterday.

It is admitted that failure of the companies to reach an agreement with employes over wages is one of the factors of the situation. Union Pacific officials also stated that a policy of retrenchment was the reason.

C. L. Gray, chief clerk for W. F.

Thief, general manager of the Burlington, stated dull conditions and failure to reach a wage agreement were the reasons for not increasing the maintenance and ways departments at this time.

Judge Revokes Man's Parole
When He's Jailed as Robber

Sam Nadel's parole was revoked today by District Judge Troup and he will go to the penitentiary for one to seven years. Sam pleaded guilty last fall to a charge of breaking and entering the Whistle Bottling company establishment. He was paroled. Recently he was arrested on a charge of robbing the Pioneer Tailors, 1822 St. Mary's avenue.

Outcome of Primary Should Be Known Midnight April 5

The 75,000 ballots to be used at the city primary election next Tuesday have been printed. The 65 candidates' names are all in one column with seven blank lines at the bottom where the names of others can be written in. The ballot is 26 inches long.

Election Commissioner Moorhead said yesterday he believes the unofficial outcome of the election will be known by midnight of election day. A system has been evolved whereby six ballots will be counted simultaneously at each of the 175 polling places in the county.

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