#### Is the "Man in the Clouds" a Failure as a Husband? By Winifred Black



E'S writing verses to her now, the great poet, to the sweet the poems to her friends and they are all envying her because she is beloved

A goddess he calls her, and an Aphrodite, a Circe and a Lileth; her eyes

child, with her eyes full of visions and her heart full of dreams.

But oh! but oh! the misery of the awakening that must come to her some day! For she is making a great mistake She's going to marry the poet.

She ought to put his verses away in an ivory casket with roses to fade in company with them. She ought to frame his picture in a thin band of silver and wear it next her heart. She ought to keep her poet for a dream-just something sweet to remember, like the first yellow rose her boy sweetheart gave her the last day of school when she was not yet sixteen Poets-have you ever noticed it-never write such verses to their wives

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And then,

. I know a woman who was married to a poet, not a great poet, just a rhymester, a man with the trick of verse and with the fatal gift of idealizing everything and every one he knew, when he felt like it. He was, so my friend who married him tells me, the most delightful lover

in all the world, and the most dreadful failure of a husband. He never could remember to bring home money for the grocery man. He was always so busy thinking up new phrases in which to describe the sunset that he couldn't put his mind on sordid details-like getting home in time for dinner. And people were sorry for him, because he was unhappily married.

ladies who was sorry for her husband. Oh, not about that-dear no, she would have had to have been cross with so many-but just because she didn't like something about this particular young person. So now she is divorcing the near-poet. Poor near-poet, I'm almost sorry for him. I met him the other day, and

One day the wife of the near-poet was very cross with one of the young

he did seem so harassed He looked just as I have felt when I went to buy a perfectly simple piece of ribbon of a perfectly simple shade-and it turned out to be bewildering,

when I got to the counter with all the ribbons there to look upon. My friend who married him is really quite heartless about it. She laughs every time she thinks of it. Only she's spiteful about the one particular girl who made her cross.

"I do hope he'll marry her," she says--"if he does I'm going to move next door and see what she does when some of the ladies who are so sorry for him for marrying her come to make the wedding call."

#### Heroes and a Real Man.

The hero in the book we're reading just now-how complex he is, how fascinating, how idealistic!

The man in the play-what a love he is, what a figure for the imagination. No wonder the leading woman is so willing to die for him, or even to live for

And who is that waiting for the handsome hero at the stage door-a man

Let's go home and have the faithful dog, who would give his life for any professional woman. She also fills a and what you have in mind for a vaca- waited on and cooked for and made perhaps the safest of them all. Not this office. one of us that he loves, meet us at the doerstep.

Let's go home and have something extra good for John's dinner. Here he the discoverer of her. comes, on the porch now-dear John, kind John, stupid, truthful, loving. loyal old John, who never wrote a verse in his life and who'd go to sleep if you tried to read him one. Dear John, who walks with his feet upon the clean earth-not as the near-poet does, in the slime with his head in the

You're the man for me, dear John, and I hope and pray I may be worthy the tulip beds in the parks burst forth Like the professional shopper, she de- rounded with gaiety and life and hu-

#### Advice to Girls \*

in love with such a nice young man. ing to say, What shall I do to interest him, or, at least, to make him

7 HAT are you in love with the your dumb friend, and see how it works

pice, and what is it that you find so inyour description of him makes him sound something like a wooden Indian. or one of those round-eyed dummies you

Try this method, little sister, with

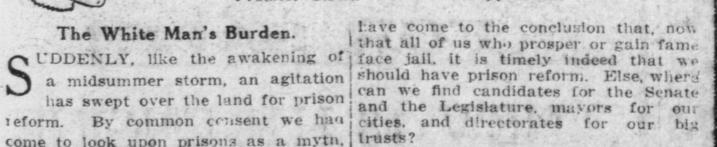
see in front of clothing wearing, "This est from young women readers of this paper and will reply to them in these It you get so tired trying to talk with columns. They should be addressed to him now, what on earth will you do her, care this effice.

# By Harry La Pearl

The White Man's Burden. away from us all that it was no one's man's burden" easy.

such rapidity that nearly all of us are potentially candidates for that grim Why, the situation is so bad that my lodge, the "Phraternal Order of indicted for membership in an organization in restraint of trade. Some day some non-union fool may go into court! and assert that he is out of work by reason of our restrictions and thenweil, some jesters will march off to the rock pile at Atlanta, or Fort Leaven-

worth, to "make small ones out of big ones all day long." I am a fairly well educated and fairly well read "professional phool." And I





Just Like That. "I want to be an angel." She sang. And in surprise An editor in the audience asked, "Why don't you advertise?"

#### THE REAL WORTH OF A VACATION



#### "Rest Is a Change of Activity," Says Inez Buck

But look-isn't he glancing rather often at the two pretty girls in the box? | per?

tions for others. What are you going on. For all this she has a modest fee, know rest means simply a change of octo do with your vacation, is a universal- so very modest, in view of all it means cupation.

ly pertinent question, just as soon as to you, that it becomes almost negligible. he ought to go where he would be sur-

Mother Nature's Lure.

ment of people, and knows how to adapt give us future pleasure and benefit, spend. Then she maps out half a dozen to do just what she most wants to do. "The Vacation Mapper," explains Miss different trips for you, and helps you "I don't believe the words 'vacation'

in a blaze of reds and yellows, and the rives most of her income from per- manity.

ference whether you are one of the for- more time than she knows what to do the opportunity for getting into har- ured mulle in tiny pink rosebuds scat- large flowers in contrasting colors, are tunate ones who have a great, broad- with, and I know of several who have mony. We should make it the time for perched house waiting for you at the worked into excellent positions from getting hold of ourselves, for gathering edge of the sea, or where the mountains such a beginning, for there are many up the tangled ends and straightening Most of these bonnets are made on One favorite model combines several of when you have to sit at the table with try to reach the clouds, or whether, like possibilities that will grow out of the and physical strength. And there are

Peter's Adventures in Matrimony

Miss Dalrymple. Her character studies sorry, for I was inherently truthful un- born.

There I married Mary: I firmly believe that My feelings toward Mary? There I

fully managed for one that is not near habit by the way that fires Mary to the works to death-a girl's beauty.

from that pedestal to which in my un- sometimes he'll purchase it at any price. divine white fire, but I don't believe 89

ability to lie-a feeling of strong discon- in love.

married youth I reverently assigned So much for what I have gained-an per cent, of married people are honestly

quite so much to say to him, and he "You still begin to plan and wonder heart. I think many of us fail utterly osition. She can relieve us of a lot of figure. There is a quilling of ribbon in with an edging of crystal beads. There may get more of a chance to be con- what you will do with vacation. And in our understanding of the word, To worries that take the edge off the va- the same shade as a finish about the is a cross-draping on the corsage of here is where the Vacation Mapper me, it should always mean doing some- cation, which should mean perfect re- edge, and a band and bow and strings white over pink, and the roses are pale There is such a thing as being so comes in. She should be, to be perfectly thing we want to do, something entirely planning, offers new suggestions and The Tam shape is one which never planning, offers new suggestions and the Thing is a most profession. Didn't you ever talk with any one who ideal, a woman who has travelled some, different from what we do all the rest feares only the decision to us."

what is that difference? To my ad- one-but I have too much respect for

She has recently been put on the herself to others' viewpoint. The finds "For example, I would have the busy peculiarly useful niche. Inez Buck is tion, and how much money you want to comfortable, and have 24 hours each day

Buck, "is the woman who makes vaca- get ready for the one you finally decide and 'loaf' are exactly synonymous. You

midst of activity would gain rest by "It is a splendid enterprise for the going where she could be alone with

seldom any two of us who can get all

building to us. She performs the detail of the same.

### Why Veils Are Harmful; Nature's Guard Sufficient

A. B., M. A., M. D. (Johns Hopkins): ARTOR RESARTUS was Carlyle's mouthpiece. The words of the tailor, Herr Teufelsdrockh, were

One of my editor friends writes: "Why write poetry, discuss philosophy or quote the classics? The man on the

vices, the opinions of Carlyle, Plato and Diogenes may

ures of your anatomy. Why, then, should the human spirit, shaped into an DR.

in very deed, ghosts!" tissues. The night veils the day. A! screen veils the damp zephyrs from the

know about nature comes to you! through your senses. What your eyes veils, the blue veils, and the ebony ones do not see, what your tongue does not are the worst. These actually invite the taste, what your nostrils do not scent, what your muscles do not seize, what to avoid your skin does not feel, what your ears do not hear-you know nothing about. Yes, experimental psychology, the to encourage the wind and weather, to higher physical and animal behavior. flirt with sun and moisture. Thus the prove now, even to the satisfaction of science, that there are more things losing its tenderness, becomes accus-

than was ever dreamt of in all of Horatio's philosophies! Fair ladies, however, wear black, white, September blue, tango red and P. G.-How can I bleach my hair hesitation green veils to keep away the none too gentle touch of Aeolus and

College girls, matrons, debutantes, sweet girl graduates, typists, Mrs. Newly Wed, and the motor car miss cling resolutely to veils. Yet nature endowed women with firm, ruby faces-the great- salve that was too hot on my year-old

Veils, like furs, spoil the flesh. Are I apply to it to prevent it from scarthe worse for exposure. I trow not. To

stood. Examine the flesh of your arm, Dr. Hirshberg will answer quesour thigh, your bosom. Expose these covered parts to wind, weather, water or sun. Freckles, tan and blemishes are among the conse- jects that are of general interest. He

lists of economically and socially semi- out what you like, where you have been housekeeper go where she could be earnate face screens must be worn, are quiries to Dr. L. K. Hirshberg, care

Secrets of Health and Happiness

## By DR. LEONARD KEENE HIRSHBERG

boiled-down philosophy.

Therefore, in discussing veils, their virtues and their

The human flesh itself is a veil. It clads man and woman's deeper communion. A veil is only a screen of a

shadowy sort. It is expected to protect the deeper struct-

appearance, as Carlyle put it, be safeguarded by a fleshy veil? "Oh, Heaven," says the ridiculous Herr Teufelsdrockh, "it is mysterious. it is awful to consider that we not only only do microbes and insects shun the carry a future ghost within us, but are, crimson netting, but the rays reflected The flesh, then, veils the underlying tually burn freckles into the flesh.

Nature herself is veiled. All that you feets of the light

veiled from you in heaven and earth tomed to radical changes.

the cheeks and lips of hairless men any ring? wear veils is to coddle the flesh, to encourage freckles, to make a tender skin. with white vaseline or some bland oil, All flesh is grass, and all know what she should be all right, for these surwill happen if a bit of veiling is cast face burns do not usually leave scars. pon grass. Moreover, the tenderness of skin forever covered is perfectly under-

All veils injure the beautiful textile of offer advice for individual cases.

the heart sick, but the face in a black sonally if a stamped and addressed Red veils, if these iniquitous and in- envelope is enclosed. Address all in-

from it are the chemical ones which ac-Next in value to scarlet screens comes the white, silvery veil. This one, too, helps to filter out the destructive ef-Of all these abominations the dark

very facial blemishes which girls wish After all, it is the better part of valor as well as the discreet course of sanity flesh grows less tender and the face.

Answers to Health Questions

without the use of peroxide or a dye? Wash the hair in borax or add vine-

Mrs. J. P. G. Philadelphia-I put a baby's neck. It burned her. What shall

If you will massage her neck gently

tions for readers of this paper on medical, hygienic and sanitation subwill not undertake to prescribe or your outer tissues, but black veils are ir- Where the subject is not of general ID you ever meet a "Vacation Map- and who has lightning and just judg- of the year, and something which will revocably evil. Hope deferred maketh interest letters will be answered per-

### News Notes of Fashion

By MADGE MARVEL

quaint little bonnet for kiddies "Vacation time should be to all of us the lovelier. It is simple to make. Fig- costumes. The single flower, or two tered over a white ground is used, often used at the left side of the belt. out the snarls and gaining mental poise a foundation of coarse net, which gives the most delightful style features. The them firmness and makes it pos- skirt is of charmeuse, which continues to sible for the shape to remain as it

per comes into the field as a useful prop- silk, or mulle, to match the color of the and tunic are of net in the same shade

is made of blue cotton duck or linen, the crown a circle large enough to! gather with pleasing fulness to the the upstanding frill of silk appears on

UITE like the sunbonnets the lit- DODICES for evening gowns remain

"And here is where the Vacation Map- should. Then there is a lining of soft soft shade of blue. The sleeves, bodice

hand, which should be made of some some of the summer hats. Colors are firmer material and covered with duck quite as popular as all black, and the

#### By Leona Dalrymple Author of the new novel, "Diane of the Green Van," awarded a prize of \$10,000 by Ida M. Tarbell and

ority of renders, who will follow the sands to petty lies and deceit by an un- her beauty-I am very fond of her, but ertunes of "Peter" with growing in- reasonable air of resentment which they I do not think it is such love as comes I INDER the new housekeeping The furnishings of the modern home sa'd that true love includes friendship? nically known as "spring cleaning" jects Everything in a room must have ried for many Men hate to explain. So, I suppose, do That a man and his wife are sweet- With polished floors and rugs the very a logical reason for existence. Indeed, Men hate to explain. So, I suppose, do hearts only when they are chums and first step in the olden scheme is es- the purely ornamental things have to women, though probably they are not hearts only when they are accepted superfine before they are accepted. months. And I called upon to do quite so much of it as friends as well? If that is true then I caped, for the tearing up of the carpets was the signal that the fatal moment; There is less heavy upholstery, less

itual and mentalac- been in none too friendly tones, he's of intelligence, and I must confess in all fore they are missed. Or else the vaccount books bar likely to lie merely to keep peace in the modesty that Mary and I are not men- count cleaner does the same work while nce. What bave I of heginning. One lie so easily leads to with brilliancy-the Lord knews! I am it thoroughly and noiselessly and witha commonplace young private secre- out interrupting the peace of the house-

regime the seasons change with- are far more simple than they were. The first duty of the professional

inner, if his wife aggressively sticks dislikes clash hopelessly. Friendship to The rugs go regularly to the cleaners crowding. We are even lessening the dows and locks the doors of the city home and flings wide the doors of the

country cottage with the first sure enough breath of spring. Some women prefer to remove all winlow draperies for the summer. Others can never accept the undraped window. The latter are in the majority. change of curtains is a proceeding which raight from a brass rod run through hese curtains can be laundered as ofte: as needed, and will always look freed. They keep out the glare of the summer sun and the eyes of inquisitive passersby, add to the daintiness of the

room, and give an idea of crisp coolne ... thoroughly shaken, folded smoothly and packed away between papers until t'time for cleaning and replacing them

## By Ann Marie Lloyd

pool after office hours and is late for We cannot be chums, for our likes and had arrived.

"A woman may be poor but if she handsome she is like a bank check." "How do you mean?" "Her face determines her value."

It it has made some up for the shortcomings of the animate existence and I have a sense of humor. ly so well managed. I have changed my most unreasonable fits of jealousy-or a Why are girls and boys reared so difmother's unending forethought for my game of billiards-1 find the martyred ferendy? By our present system I canwife who is inclined to be careless and trying. I honestly dread it and there and view-points and differences, they a little frivolous-and who is not nearly fore, having found that business is the can ever be real comrades or friends to domestic in her tastes as I am. I am one excusable thing in her eyes, I have and if they aren't comrades or friends discontented. I have learned to say Hed and frequently insinuated business how are they ever going to be sweetbiting things-my temper is quicker and as an excuse when it wasn't. The male, hearts and lovers in the finest sense of I am cynical. I have removed women animal likes peace in his home and the word? Some few people strike the