

THE WIFE

BY JANE PHELPS, AUTHOR OF "MARGARET GARRETT'S HUSBAND," AND OTHER NOTABLE STORIES.

Brian Tells Ruth About His Dinner With Molly.

CHAPTER XXXV. Brian caught a Fifth Avenue bus at the square. It would take him nearly home. He rode on top, the only passenger. While he smoked he thought of Molly.

home, a little hurt, but her mind made up to show no signs of it. So she had met him with a loving kiss and no reproaches, although he saw she had been disappointed.

"Gee, Ruth, I would have gone back had I thought of it! But I forgot all about your promise to let me know the train you were coming on. I'm awfully sorry, dear," and he was.

"No—not so very," Brian flushed and stammered a little. "I went out to dinner. There wasn't any use eating alone."

"Indeed, there wasn't!" Ruth said heartily. "Where did you go?" "Down town. To the Brewert."

if he took Mollie home or what time he himself got in.

"Oh, everything went beautifully," Ruth responded with enthusiasm. "It is the loveliest old house, and will lend itself to certain schemes wonderfully. I am delighted that Mr. Mandel let me have the work to do."

"For the remainder of the evening Mollie King was not mentioned. Brian was in the mind of both. Ruth told of the details of her business, in which Brian was only politely interested; but through her mind ran the picture of Brian and Mollie at dinner together."

"You tell her, then the others will have nothing to gossip about," Yes, Mollie was right. He better tell her himself.

"I asked Mollie King to dine with me. She is good company. The first part is handy for her, so I asked her to meet me there."

It was after two o'clock when he switched off the lights.

"Pretty late for an old married man," he muttered with a grin.

Ruth was at home when he arrived the next night. She had some word what time she would be home so that he might meet her; but he had been away from the office when it came. He had not gone back, so missed it altogether.

Ruth had been terribly disappointed when she realized that Brian was not at the station. She had lingered some little time, hoping he would come for her. Then she had gone on.

After Brian fell asleep Ruth lay for some time, wide awake, thinking of her handsome, careless husband and Mollie King.

"He belongs to me; she can't take him from me," she muttered before she fell asleep to dream that Mollie had taken Brian from her; and that Brian wanted to go. (To be continued on Monday.)

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EXPLAINED

And the soldier who was scratching away at his coffee takes the bombing squad with this:

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