

THE WIFE

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

CHAPTER LXIX
Mr. Mandel Urges Ruth to Take a Rest. She Refuses.

Ruth had wanted terribly to ask Brian not to take Mollie King out while she was away; but she felt she had no right. She was leaving him, he would resent any suggestion that to how he should spend his time during her absence. Then, too, she was happy that he had been so loving and kind at the end of their interview.

Although she had told Brian she was a clerk like all the rest, and she really had meant it, she well knew that Mr. Mandel did not furnish taxis for the others. Yet she saw no sinister reason because she was so favored. She was the highest paid woman, consequently the most valuable one in his employ. He probably figured that her strength was worth more to him than the price of the taxis.

Her helplessness as regarded Brian's intimacy with Mollie King, sent her heart down sickeningly. Yet she well knew that any false move on her part—while she kept her position—would make a breach between them. That it was already there, she would not admit even to herself.

She had forgotten a paper, which she wished to take with her, so after getting her bag, and giving Rachel directions for Brian's comfort while she was away, she went back to the store to secure it. Mr. Mandel found it for her, then said:

"You have been working hard lately, worrying a little too, I fear. You have shown it, he answered her questioning look. "Now my dear Mrs. Hackett, my best interests can only be served when you are healthy and at your best, mentally and physically. You've earned a play spell. Take a couple of days and go to the Springs," he named a famous resort near the city she was

to visit. "Here is extra money for your expense while there. Don't hesitate to take it, you have earned it."
 "Oh, but I couldn't."
 "You couldn't? Why?"
 "Oh, I couldn't stay away from Brian. Mr. Hackett, just to have a good time at some fashionable resort, that wouldn't be fair. It is hard enough for him when I am on business. Thank you, just the same, Mr. Mandel, but I will come directly home when I finish the work."
 Ruth had spoken with feeling. There had been no hesitation in either her speech or her manner. Yet the idea had a wonderful appeal for her; there had been much to attract her in the proposition. It sounded like rest, and also like recreation, both of which she knew she needed. Not so much because of her work, as because of her almost constant worry over Brian, and his attitude toward her.

"I am sorry you feel you can't take a rest," was all Mandel said, as he laid the envelope he had offered upon his desk.

"Please do not think me ungrateful. You are very kind to me." Ruth had not intended to show any feeling, but his thoughtfulness had touched her deeply, and there were tears in her eyes when she raised them to his.

"I never think of any but kind thoughts of you little lady," he replied, with the nearest touch of comradery in his tones he had allowed himself.

Ruth thought only of Brian as the train carried her away from New York. Because of his constant fault finding on account of her work his sensitiveness as to his status in the household, Ruth had not found the spirit to praise and encourage him of late as she used to do when they were first married.

Nor was Ruth the only one who found the tension under which they lived, hard to bear. That he no longer had Ruth's outspoken encouragement to hearten him, to urge him on, was hard for Brian. He had sort of depended on her cheerfulness when things went wrong or were "slow" at the office. He lived most on hope, in those days; clients were few, pay when he did find one) uncertain. Ruth's cheer was badly needed—And Mollie King was always sympathetic, always cheerful.

Arrived at her destination, Ruth sent a message to Brian before she left the station. Just a few words, "Arrived safely. Love." But she sent it happily, hoping because of his tenderness for her, that she would find from him that it would find him at home eating the dinner Rachel would have ready.

A man's conscience—perhaps a woman's also—is very elastic. When she was with him, or when, as just before she left his office, Ruth showed her love for him so plainly Brian made all sorts of good resolutions.

So he had this time when Ruth left the office.

"I'll behave myself this time and eat at home," he said aloud as he put away the papers over which he had been working. "It's lonesome here, but Ruth is a good sort."
 That Rachel was also an excellent cook may have had something to do with his determination to go home to his dinner.

Continued To-morrow

DRUGS EXCITE YOUR KIDNEYS, USE SALTS

If your back hurts or bladder bothers, drink lots of water.

When your kidneys hurt and your back feels sore, don't get scared and proceed to load your stomach with a lot of drugs that excite the kidneys and irritate the entire urinary tract. Keep your kidneys clean like you keep your bowels clean, by flushing them with a mild, harmless salts which removes the body's urinous waste and stimulates them to their normal activity. The function of the kidneys is to filter the blood. In 24 hours they strain from it 500 grams of acid and waste, so we can readily understand the vital importance of keeping the kidneys active.

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GOLD MINING (C.M.)
AT THE SABLE—Nearly last week \$16,750 was collected in fines in a single day, the result of a successful prosecution of seven foreigners for having in their possession prohibited seditious literature.

CURTAILING HIS ANTI-CRIMINAL EFFORTS—Christopher Flisken, an Indian brave, has been severely reprimanded in court by the London police magistrate for indulging regularly in the exercise of beating his wife.

At Sarnia all garages locked up their gasoline tanks, having decided to limit the profit to the profit to ten per cent. It is amended. They claim that owing to shrinkage ten per cent. is not enough profit.

Army and navy veterans at Kingston are protesting against the punishment imposed at Toronto on Pte. John Pope, of the 80th Battalion, who was given two years less one day in Burwash Prison. Farm because he refused to take electrical treatment for shell shock.

Mrs. Ethel Carpenter, 22, was accused of murdering her infant child, but found guilty of concealing a birth, and was sentenced to serve one month in jail at St. Catharines. Her father, Felix Goodwin, was found guilty of offering indignity to a human body, and sentenced to serve three months in jail, having placed it upon a pile of brush, setting fire to the brush. Failure of the brush to burn aided the jury.

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Eggs	0.50	0.52
Hay, per ton	14.00	13.00
Oats, bushel	0.00	0.76
Rye, bushel	1.50	1.60
Straw, baled, ton	7.00	8.00
Wheat, bushel	.....	0.00	2.10
Barley, bushel	.....	1.00	1.05
Vegetables	.....	0.25	0.30
Beans, quart	.....	0.50	0.60
Cabbage, dozen	.....	0.50	0.60
Watermelons	.....	0.05	0.25
Carrots, basket	.....	0.20	0.50
Onions, basket	.....	0.00	1.40
Green tomatoes, bas.	.....	0.00	0.25
Cucumbers, basket	.....	0.35	0.65
Cabbage, head	.....	0.05	0.10
Celery, large	.....	0.00	2 for 15
Potatoes, bushel	.....	0.00	0.50
Pumpkins, basket	.....	0.30	0.45
Beets, bunch	.....	0.05	0.10
Tomatoes, basket	.....	0.20	0.25
Corn, dozen	0.20	0.25
Green peppers, bush	0.50	0.60
Cauliflower, each	0.10	0.25
Squash	0.20	0.35
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Plums, basket	0.60	1.00
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SEALED TENDERS addressed to the undersigned, and endorsed "Tender for Power House, Military Hospital Buildings, London, Ont." will be received until 12 o'clock noon, Monday, November 18, 1918, for the construction of a Power House, Military Hospital Buildings, London, Ont., and the caretaker, Public Building, London, Ont.

Tenders will not be considered unless made on the forms supplied by the Department and in accordance with the conditions set forth therein. Each tender must be accompanied by an accepted cheque on a chartered bank payable to the order of the Minister of Public Works, equal to 10 per cent. of the amount of the tender. War Loan Bonds of the Dominion, Toronto, Ont., and the caretaker, Public Building, London, Ont.

Plans and specification can be seen and forms of tender obtained at the offices of the Chief Architect, Department of Public Works, Ottawa, the Clerk of Works, Postal Station "B", Toronto, Ont., and the caretaker, Public Building, London, Ont.

R. C. DESROCHES, Secretary, Department of Public Works, Ottawa, November 6, 1918.

MAIL CONTRACT
 SEALED TENDERS, addressed to the Postmaster General, will be received at Ottawa until noon, on Friday, the 8th day of December, 1918, for the conveyance of His Majesty's Mails, on a proposed contract for four years, six times per week, over Calmsville No. 3 Rural Route, from the Postmaster General's pleasure.

Printed notices containing further information as to conditions of proposed contract may be seen and blank forms of Tender may be obtained at the Post Office of Calmsville, Brantford and Newmarket, and at the office of the Post Office Inspector, London.

CHAS. E. H. FISHER, Post Office Inspector, London, 28th October, 1918.

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PTE. N. TEASE WINS MILITARY MEDAL

Paris Soldier Honored For Valor on Field—Other Paris News

Paris, Nov. 7.—(From Our Own Correspondent.)—Yesterday Mr. Reginald Tease received word that his brother, Pte. Norman Tease, had won the Military Medal. The circumstances under which Tease won the distinction were most daring. On August 28th, during a heavy attack on the German positions it was vitally important to get a despatch to headquarters. This could only be done by the soldier passing through a terrific artillery barrage and German machine gun fire. Nine of his comrades had fallen before Tease accomplished the mission. He is an old Paris boy, banished and educated here. About six months ago Tease was mentioned for bravery in assisting to get in a badly wounded man, under fire.

In a letter to his parents under date of October 2nd, Sergt. Edgar Harold states that while marching down the line at the close of a heavy and successful attack, they passed two heavy guns that had been captured from the Germans. On one

was checked: "For the Mayor of Brantford, and on the other, 'For Mayor G. B. Robinson of Paris.' Paris so far has done well in the Victory Loan campaign. Over \$120,000 has been subscribed, and several previously heavy contributors had not yet been interviewed.

Last week Trooper A. Dora received his discharge from the military service. He went overseas with the 4th C.M.B. from Paris. At the battle of the Somme he won the Military Medal, and shortly after was badly shell shocked and gassed. Mrs. Albert Dora and little daughter arrived here from England last week.

On Tuesday afternoon Willie, the little son of the late John Ceator, was laid to rest beside the remains of his father, who was buried two days previously. The mother is also lying very sick at time of writing.

It is understood that a meeting will be held in a few days of professional men and interested citizens dealing with the establishment of a permanent hospital here. Under the terms of the late Mrs. Willett's will, a generous grant of several thousand dollars was made to ward such an institution, and the prevailing epidemic showed quite forcibly the urgent necessity of such.

At the regular meeting of the Paris Medical Association, and body placed on record its sincere appreciation of the splendid services rendered by the doctors, nurses and lady and men helpers during the sickness that prevailed

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