

And So They Were Married

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START THIS STORY TODAY
ANGRY tears came to Ruth's eyes and threatened to overwhelm her before she could rush away from the table. Scott stared after her in amazement as she fled to her room, and Alice who sat opposite him made no comment. There was a silence, then Scott said uncomfortably, "Ruth knew I was not going to meet the terms."

Alice looked up. "Ruth is upset lately, can't you see that? She's gone through a great deal."

Scott looked his amazement at Alice's sudden championing of Ruth.

"I know that," he returned. He had no idea at all about Alice's unhappiness, for the sympathy and kindness that she had shown. What he did know that quite suddenly he was angry with Alice. This was a matter between himself and Ruth alone. Quite suddenly, too, he began to resent the fact that Alice had settled herself on them for so long. Manlike he had refrained from putting his resentment into actual thought and words before, even when Alice had treated Ruth with scant courtesy. Now because Alice had seen fit to side with Ruth, he was angry at everything at once. He seemed to notice for the first time that Alice was not herself.

"What's the matter with you lately anyway?" he asked roughly for Scott. "You are always mooning around the house, not saying a word."

Alice did not reply and the meal was finished in silence.

Ruth, in her bedroom, flung straight across the bed, was crying into the counterpane. Scott no longer loved her; if he did he would have consulted her about their plans for the fall. She wished she had never married; perhaps she was the kind of a woman who really should never have married. It seemed such a tangle and nothing ever came out right for any one. Her thoughts ran on that way, sometimes chaotic, sometimes strangely logical. They flew to Alice and Bert. What was the use of that? Alice had made a mistake in her handling of Bert and Bert had finally turned to another woman for understanding and amusement. All life was like that; no doubt Scott would soon tire of her that way; perhaps he had already.

There was Natalie Bond. How she had suffered in order to win Jack's love, and now that she had it, could she be sure that she would keep it forever? Of course not. Yet Natalie was willing to live in the present, to take what the gods gave her and not to worry about the future.

There was Isabel Carter, hating and despising her husband, but living with him because he had money. Of all the people she knew, was there any one really happy? Her thoughts flew to Helen Townsend, and she remembered a little church lighted by a flickering gas-light, four young faces, Helen's and Jim Townsend's, her own and Jack Bond's, absorbed in the solemnity of the marriage service, and then suddenly the white flame that leaped up in Helen's eyes when she looked at Jim. Jim was living in Flanders fields now, but that had been true love.

Her own ideals swept over her, too, as she sobbed quietly in the bed. She had believed when she married Scott that romance would last forever. But it hadn't, and the worst of it was she could not tell how much worse things would be as time went on. Must she be one of those women always making up lies to get the world, hiding her misery with her pride, unloved and unhappy? All of which goes to prove that Ruth was very low indeed, and that her ideas were foolishly morbid and that she was allowing herself to become very miserable without much cause for it. Inasmuch as Scott was paying the bills, it was quite natural for him to think that he had the right to make the decision concerning the rent. Men are apt to do just very thing after they have been married a while. Partnership and so forth, which seems at first so ideal, merges finally into the attitude a man takes when, for instance, he pays for his own birthday presents because they are charged at the department store. Because Scott had failed to talk over matters with Ruth meant nothing at all beyond the fact that he knew he would not afford the present raise in rental and that he wished to settle things without talking over matters. He felt ashamed that he hadn't the money and could not see his way to getting the money to give Ruth what she wanted. Her attitude the other night had hurt him terribly, more than it would have if he had not recognized his own shortcomings. He knew that his business could never arouse a thrill in him; he knew that Ruth was right when she had called him a dreamer and he wished for her sake that he was different.

(Tomorrow, Prospective Tenants.)

The St. James
BUILDING a reputation around the Kitchen instead of around the Bar is a mighty good thing. The death of John Barleycorn hasn't meant hanging crapes on the Kitchen door at the St. James. Perhaps the superb cooking here may taste even better to you if you don't flavor it with a high ball!

The St. James
Walnut at 13th Street
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WEATHER Fair

Cool Clothes to Wear, Fresh Comfort for Summer Homes—Wanamaker's Down Stairs Store Has Much in Smiling Readiness



\$7.50 \$7.50 \$10 \$15

Summery Frocks Cool and Passing Fair So Many Pretty Things at \$7.50, \$8.50 and \$10

There must be hundreds of cool and charming dresses at these low prices. A white voile has a tiny pin check of pink or blue and a white organdie collar and cuffs bound with voile. The buckle which catches the girdle is covered with checked voile. \$7.50.

Polka dots of white on a navy or Copenhagen blue ground mark another dress at \$7.50. The white collar, cuffs and pockets are trimmed with white braid.

At \$8.50 there are mottled voile with upturned frills trimming the skirt.

At \$10, a number of charming things. Navy blue voile is trimmed with white organdie and white buttons. Another of light blue voile has an interesting draped skirt, a cowl collar and a taffeta girdle.

At \$13.50 and \$15

A navy blue voile with fine white figures has a wide band of taffeta trimming the pleated overskirt and the girdle is also of silk. \$13.50.

Of cool organdie in white or rose is an airy frock with horizontal rows of hemstitching and crochet buttons trimming the bodice and skirt. The collar and cuffs are of lace net. \$15.

The Woman With an Eye to Sensible Economy

should pause in the Down Stairs Coat Store. Many of the wraps are marked at half price or less and there is splendid choosing. If it is a sports coat, an everyday street wrap or a cape or dolman to wear with your prettiest frocks, you are very likely to find something suitable here—and find it at a saving in price.

Most popular of all are the navy blue serge capes which are lined or unlined, trimmed or untrimmed. Present prices range from \$11.25 to \$49.50.

At \$15

there is a group of velour and serge dolmans in navy and colors, lined with silk and originally marked almost twice as much.

At \$19.50

Silvertone, serge and suede velour capes and dolmans are lined throughout with silk. Mostly but one of a kind, however.

At \$25

A splendid assortment at this price! Bolivia, silvertone, serge and suede velour wraps, all very much reduced and all unusual value.

At \$29.50

These are principally one-of-a-kind wraps of fine materials, beautifully lined. Any one of them will make an excellent Summer wrap and can be worn well into the Fall. Hundreds of other wraps of finer qualities and handsomer models are now marked \$35 to \$85—which is much less than their original prices.

(Market)

Daintiness and Coolness Are Essential to Summer Undersilks

Pretty things to go into the vacation trunk or to be put in the trousseau are here in great numbers—but all individual, making cool layers of pinkness and whiteness.

Vests of flesh crepe de chine are simple and charming. \$3. Vests of flesh Georgette crepe are hand embroidered in pretty sprays. \$3.85.

Bloomers of Good Silk

The crepe de chine is that heavy, dull quality that wears so well. The bloomers are well re-enforced and are trimmed with hemstitching. \$5.85.

White crepe de chine petticoats are finished with deep, fairly full flounces of imitation flet lace. \$5.

Envelope chemises of pink Georgette crepe are hand embroidered and have double yokes of Georgette. They are finished with hemstitching. \$5.50.

The New Ribbon Camisoles at \$5.50

The ribbon is a heavy brocaded satin in lovely rose designs. You may choose pink or blue, edged at the top with a fold of Georgette and trimmed with daintiest ribbon imaginable—delicate blue on one side and pink on the other.

(Central)

2000 Spongy Turkish Towels 60c Each

Snowy white with red or blue borders of an excellent absorbent quality, all with hemmed ends. They are 23x32 inches, which is a convenient size bath towel.

(Cheapest)

Midsummer Hats With a Whiff of Fall

Alluringly lovely are these charming new hats, which, though made to wear with Summer gowns, have a hint of the Fall about them.

Picture a wide-brimmed hat with crown and underbrim of flesh pink satin and upper brim of the softest beaver in a pinky lavender, embroidered in pastel tints.

Or a hat of white satin combined with sea-green beaver, soft as down.

Or hats of navy blue or brown maline with panne crowns and transparent brims.

Oh, charming things have just arrived! \$9.50 upward.

(Market)

Gay Parasols Special at \$1

Pretty cotton parasols to carry with light Summer frocks are plain, striped or figured in a great many gay combinations. The handles are of plain wood or painted, all having silk loops.

(Market)

Ready for the Surf

The Surf Store is ready to supply most any need for suits, caps, shoes, tights, bags, garters, etc.

The suits for women are in quite a variety of styles from \$2.75 to \$27.50.

Suits for kiddies are \$3 to \$4.75. Shoes are 50c to \$2.50. Caps are 25c to \$1.75. Rubberized bags, \$1 to \$3. Tights, \$1 and \$1.50.

(Market)

Fluttery Pleatings

There are net, Georgette, organdie and lace pleatings that are ever so dainty. They are in various widths in white, flesh or cream color. 55c to \$2.50 a yard.

(Central)

Good Nightgowns at \$1.25 and \$1.50

These hot Summer nights are hard on nightgowns, and one wants a cool, fresh one almost every night.

At \$1.25, the nightgowns are made long and full of soft muslin. The little yokes are trimmed with embroidery and ribbon.

Attractive embroidered insertion and edging adorn the nainsook nightgowns at \$1.50.

(Central)

Little Children's Rompers Individual, Cool and Different

It almost seems as if they should have another name, they are so different from the usual rompers. For instance, a little lemon-colored dimity romper with white batiste round collars and white cuffs edged with little frills! The touch of hand embroidery at the neck helps to make it still daintier. Wouldn't it be plenty pretty enough for afternoon—on a small, black-haired, dark-eyed little lad?

Fine white seersucker with touches of hand embroidery; dimity rompers in lovely, refreshing pastel shades; white rep embroidered or smocked by hand; colored poplin; fine chambray with white batiste collars and cuffs—these make up the daintiest rompers that we have ever seen. Sizes are 1 to 4 years. The one that is sketched is \$3.25.

Others are \$2.50 to \$3.50.

(Central)



Vacation Stationery for Busy Pens

Letters fly back and forth among vacationists and are mighty welcome at both ends—to those at home and to those away.

Timely Specials at 50c

Neat boxes of paper with 24 sheets and 24 envelopes in each are in pearl gray or white with various shapes of flaps. The paper is a good weight with a fabric finish. Also, correspondence cards for the hasty note are 24 in a box, with envelopes to fit, at this price.

Long, narrow envelopes and paper to match are of white fabric-finished paper with narrow blue, pink, brown or lavender edges. There are 24 sheets and 24 envelopes in each box.

Attractive Boxes at 75c

24 Sheets 24 Cards 48 Envelopes
There is a choice of blue, white, pink and lavender paper in good-looking boxes.

White Paper—40c a Pound

There are 78 sheets to a pound of this good paper with a fabric finish and each pound is in a box. Envelopes with long or pointed flaps are 40c a hundred.

(Commercial Stationery, Central)

Women's White Shoes Special at \$2.85

They are of white leather that closely resembles buckskin and have welted soles and covered heels.

White Ties and Pumps Special at \$3.90

There are ties and pumps of white canvas and Oxford ties of white leather much like buckskin.

Women's Black Calfskin Ties Special at \$3.90

Well-made ties of black calfskin have welted soles and medium heels.

Children's White Shoes Special at \$1.90

White canvas shoes in sizes 6 to 2 have good welted soles.

(Cheapest)

Whiteness for Cool Summer Tables Cotton Tablecloths

Hemstitched damask luncheon cloths in several pretty designs, 36 inches, \$1.45 inches, \$1.50 each. Hemmed damask tablecloths in striped and floral designs, 58x72 inches and 58x86 inches, \$2. Heavy double damask cloths with a fine satin finish in beautiful circular designs. 64x71 inches, \$2.40; 64x64 inches, \$2.75; 70x70 inches, \$3; 70x90 inches, \$3.50.

(Cheapest)

Fresh White Skirts—All Under \$5

The styles are pretty and there are plenty to choose from.

White gabardine or pique trimmed with pearl buttons and slot pockets makes a pretty skirt at \$2.75. The pique skirt is sketched.

Linene skirts (plain enough for a uniform skirt) fastening on the side with pearl buttons are \$3.

Snowy piques with pretty pockets at \$3. Novelty gabardine skirts with slot pockets at \$4.25.

Special

Self-figured faille skirts in cream, natural and dark blue are now \$2.75.

(Market)

Silk-and-Cotton Tussah \$1 a Yard

is cool and pretty for kimonos. There are many attractive figured designs in many colors. 35 inches wide.

Mohair and Sicilian for Bathing Suits

start at \$1 for black, blue, green and garnet, 40 inches wide. Other qualities in black are \$1.25 and \$1.50 for a 40-inch width. \$1.50 and \$2.25 for a 54-inch width.

(Central)

Fresh New Blouses Special at \$1.50

Dainty white batiste blouses with square necks are trimmed with blue or flesh batiste in quite a pretty way.

Soft cross-bar voile blouses are simply made in a collarless style. Waists of striped voile show new collars and attractive buttons.

All are new and offer a good opportunity of getting several pretty Summer blouses.

Tub Silk Blouses Special at \$5

Two new models are in white, and black. One is box pleated in front and has a collar that can be worn either high or low. The other is made with a large collar and finished with two large pearl-like buttons.

(Market)

Gingham House Dresses—Quite Inexpensive

They will stand a great deal of wear and washing, and many women who are going on "roughing-it" camping trips are buying them.

Various plaids, trimmed with white pique, are \$3. Blue-and-white striped gingham dresses are \$2.

Straight-line "Billie Burke" dresses of plaid gingham are \$2.25.

Sturdy Aprons, 50c

Band aprons of all sorts of good percales and ginghams in light and dark colorings are to be had at this price.

(Central)

La Camille Corsets Have Comfortable Front Lacing

At \$3, a model for slight and average figures is made of pink poplin with a low bust and an average skirt. It is well boned in back, but allows free hip movement.

At \$3.50, a well-boned model with a medium full, graduated bust is made of white batiste with a pretty figure in it. The corset has six strong hose supporters and is an excellent model for average to medium full figures.

A Youthline Corset Special at \$5

This is for very stout figures and will be a great help. It is in both white and in pink coutil with a low or a medium bust. The boning is heavy all through, but done in such a way as to promote comfort. The back is long and there are elastic inserts to hold the corset firmly.

(Central)

Strap-wrist Chamois Lisle Gloves at 85c a pair

Lightweight white gloves in just the right weight for women to wear with their frocks that have flowing sleeves. They are 6-button length and fresh and new.

(Central)

Dainty Vestings

Net or organdie is combined most effectively with lace in a great many ways. Some are formed of row after row of pretty laces. \$2 to \$5.75 a yard. Some vestings can be used as well for flounces on dresses or petticoats. \$3.75 and \$4.50 a yard, 16 inches wide.

(Central)

Voile and Organdie in Summer's Colorings

A garden of gay colors could scarcely be more varied than these.

Organdie, 45c and 59c a yard. In rose, pink, light or Copenhagen blue, orchid, maize, sunset and white. 40 inches wide.

Voile, 38c a yard. In Nile green, biscuit, navy or Copenhagen blue, maize, orchid, wistaria and flesh. 40 inches wide.

White Goods, by the Piece, Special

Nainsook, 36 inches wide, \$2.65 for a 10-yard piece. Longcloth, 36 inches wide, \$2.20 and \$2.55 for a 10-yard piece.

(Central)

Cool Fixings for the Summer Home

White or ecru scrim curtains with hemmed borders and attractive tucks come with valances, all ready to hang, at \$1.65 a pair. Linene couch covers in tan with stripes are ready all around. They will do nicely for porch couches or for the couch bed in the bungalow. \$1.75.

Half Sash Curtains 75c a Pair

Neat little curtains of white, cream or ecru marquisette have hemstitched borders.

Curtain Scrim Special at 20c a Yard

It is 36 inches wide with wide borders. You have a choice of white, cream or ecru.

Marquisette Special at 25c a Yard

It is 38 inches wide and worth almost half as much again. The quality is excellent and there is cream and ecru as well as white. One could make an attractive bedroom set from this: curtains, scarfs, etc., as well as curtains throughout the house.

(Cheapest)

For Cool and Restful Beds

Sheets—seamless, bleached sheets, 81x90 inches, are \$1.50, \$1.65 and \$1.85.

Pillow Cases—measuring 45x36 inches, are 35c and 50c. Bedspreads—Honeycomb spreads for double beds are special at \$3. Satin-finish Marseilles spreads are \$3.50.

Dimity spreads are very cool: 63x90 inches, \$2.50. 72x90 inches, \$2.75. 81x90 inches, \$3.

Light Covers to Use in Summer Cottages
White cotton blankets are \$3.50, \$4 and \$5. Cotton-filled comfortables are \$2.50, \$3 and \$3.50. Jacquard blankets in Indian patterns with plain borders are 72x84 inches at \$5.

Another kind of Indian blanket, excellent for couch throws and for canoes, measures 54x76 inches, at \$3.

(Central)

Interesting Jersey Suits

have just come in time for July vacation trips. They are of the firmly woven jersey that keeps its shape, and they are made in the smart, tailored style that is shown in the sketch. In back are three inverted box pleats and on the front of the jacket are two pleated patch pockets. The skirt has a belt and two crescent-shaped inset pockets. In smoke blue, wood brown and heather mixtures at \$25.

Other attractive jersey suits in lighter colors, trimmed with contrasting collars and cuffs, are here at \$23.50 and \$25.

Checked velour sports suits are special at \$17.50.

All Cloth Suits Are Much Reduced and the Choosing Is Most Interesting

(Market)



2000 Summer and All-Year-Round Rugs 1/3 to 1/2 Under Price

It is only fair to tell you that carpet and rug men are anticipating higher prices for floor coverings in the Autumn than ever before. The demand is now greater than the supply and many mills have their output sold up to July, 1920. Considering all this, the wise housekeeper will buy now.

There are many other savings in rugs aside from those mentioned here.

At Half Price

Axminster rugs, 18x36 inches, \$1.35. Finely woven Japanese straw rugs, 4.6x7.6 feet, \$3.50. Japanese matting rugs in woven patterns, 9x11.2 feet, \$2.75. American grass rugs, 8x10 feet, \$6.75. American grass rugs, 9x12 feet, \$7.50.

(Cheapest)

1/3 Under Price

Washable chenille rugs, 27x54 inches, \$2.50. Mottled Axminster rugs, 27x54 inches, \$2.50. Wool-and-fiber rugs, 6x9 feet, \$5. Wool-and-fiber rugs, 8.3x10.6 feet, \$9.25. Heavy fiber rugs, 8.3x10.6 feet, \$11.50. Heavy fiber rugs, 9x12 feet, \$12.50.

A Full Assortment of Sizes in Colonial Rag Rugs

18x36 inches, 45c.	4x7 feet, \$3.65.
24x36 inches, 70c.	6x9 feet, \$6.75.
25x50 inches, 90c.	8x10 feet, \$7.75.