

Women and Their Interests

Their Married Life

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Helen was hurrying on her way to the caterer's, for Warren had promised to meet her there at half-past four, and after finally persuading him to help her with the supper for the dance, she hated to be late.

"What do you think I am, a toy business man? I have work to do, he had growled out. 'Plan out your menu now if you want to, and I'll help you. Then you just have to go down and order it to-morrow.'

"But Warren, I hate to go down to the caterer's alone, and besides, after we plan it, we might want to change if the things are too expensive, and if you're not there I won't know what to do about it."

"We won't order so much that it will be too expensive."

"But how can you tell, dear? You know we have never ordered anything from a caterer before."

Warren did not answer, and Helen proceeded to fiddle with her hair. "Don't you think you could get out by 5 o'clock Warren?"

"I suppose I'll have to get out some time if I am going to read my paper in peace to-night. I'll call you up to-morrow and let you know what time to meet me."

Warren had consented ungraciously but Helen was thankful for any kind of a victory this time. She knew that if anything about the order had to be changed after she got down there Warren would be sure to find fault. She really needed him with her. He had called up that morning and promised to meet her there at four-thirty. After Warren once consented to do a thing he never went half way about it and never grumbled after it was done, and Helen knew that if she were late he would be in a bad humor.

The clock still lacked a minute to half past four when she hurried around the corner into the caterer's. For once in her life she was in time and Warren wasn't there yet. Luck was certainly with her.

Five minutes later Warren hurried into the shop and looked around for Helen.

"Here I am dear," she said hurrying up behind him. "On time for once and you are five minutes late."

"You have all day to keep an appointment—no wonder. Come on now, let's get the thing over. Have you got the list?"

Helen produced the list from her muff and they went over it quickly before going up to the counter. "Well, guess everything's all right, come on," and Warren took the list and went up to the counter. Helen following slowly.

"Do you wish to be waited upon sir," said a polite foreigner from behind the counter.

"We want to leave an order for a dance," said Warren brusquely. "Yes sir just one moment," and the man left and was back in a second with a book and a pencil. "Right this way," he said suavely, and led the way to a little bench at the side of the room. "Now what is it you wish?"

"We want a simple supper for twelve couples," said Warren plunging bravely in. "Some salad, we thought."

"Chicken or lobster?" "Chicken, I guess; it's more generally liked."

"How about both, sir? It will make very little difference in the price."

"All right; both, then, and"—Warren hesitated, looking down at the list.

"How about creamed oysters, sir?" "Warren we don't need so much," protested Helen. "Besides, the oysters would have to be heated, and would be twice as much trouble."

"We might well do things up brown," said Warren in an aside. Then to the man: "All right, we'll have the oysters."

"Ice cream, sir? Something in novel form, perhaps? We have some forms made up particularly for the"

purpose in the shape of dancing couples."

"All right. Fix us up with that, and some fancy cakes and candy."

"And Warren, you forget the roll for 'he salad,' put in Helen. "Finger rolls, madam, certainly. And you want some one sent up to serve this?"

"The Whole Bill Comes to Thirty Dollars."

"No, we don't want a caterer," said Warren quickly, "just send the things up; and how much is that?"

"Just a moment," said the man, and he quickly figured it up. "That is for twenty-four, isn't it? Thirty dollars. Helen gasped a little. Somehow she hadn't expected that much, although she knew that it would be impossible to arrange for any less. Then, of course, there would be nothing to pay for music."

"And how much for the caterer?" Warren was saying.

"But, Warren, we don't need a caterer. Really we don't expostulated Helen. 'It's extravagant.'"

"Five dollars extra, sir."

"All right, send the man along, and have everything nice," said Helen. "Certainly, sir; we'll do our best." A moment later he was bowing Helen and Warren out of the store.

"But, dear, what made you?" said Helen, as they walked over toward Broadway. "You know it is extravagant, and we needn't have done it at all."

"I don't believe in doing things by halves," said Warren as he strode rapidly along. "You women always economize on the things that aren't necessary, and then go and buy some thing that you can really do with."

"But, Warren, we could have done without a caterer, surely."

"Yes, we could, as a pinch, but it would have meant that Nora would have had to do it all, and you know how she is when she is hurried. I'll never forget the time Fred and Carry were at the house last year."

"Warren, don't make me think of it. I fairly shiver, really I do."

"Well, isn't it true?" "About Nora, of course, it's true but then I was planning to help her out."

"How can you expect to have a good time at a dance if you have the refreshments on your mind every minute?"

"Other people do, and I suppose I could if I tried."

"Well, the thing's done now. We are going to have a caterer, and I hope you won't worry any more about the thing or I'll be sorry I ever consented to have the dance in the beginning."

"Don't say that, Warren. I promise not to say another thing about it but thought it was extravagant, that's all."

"A thing isn't extravagant if you can afford it and if there is sufficient reason for having it," ended Warren. "At least not in my way of thinking."

Helen was silent. She was glad that they were to have a caterer. It would simplify her life, and Nora was really no good if she had to be hurried, as Warren said.

"Well, I suppose you won't admit now that you are glad you came," she said finally. "I certainly should never have engaged a caterer for the evening, and if I had, you would have been furious."

"I can't see that I would have been angry," said Warren. "However, it's better to have a man along in a case like that. A woman can arrange the little things, but a man should always take the big things off her hands."

"There isn't anything else to do except to arrange to have the victrola brought over?"

"Yes, there are the dance orders and the records and other little things like that. And now that I have taken the big things off your hands don't come to me afterwards and say that after all it was too much for you. You women would die if you didn't have some thing to complain about."

(Another instalment in this unique series will appear on this page soon.)

Recent Deaths in Central Pennsylvania

Marietta.—Mrs. William Rock, 56 years old, died yesterday from pneumonia. She is survived by her husband and four children, her aged father, Stephen Putter, of New Holland, and several sisters and brothers.

Abbeville.—Miss Jessie Gross, 26 years old, died yesterday from peritonitis. She was a native of Carlisle and the body will be sent there for burial.

Columbia.—Miss Carline Welsh died at her home, in Louist street, to-day after three years' illness. Miss Welsh was for many years a well-known

The Meat of Wheat

The average yearly consumption of wheat in the United States is nearly six bushels for every man, woman and child.

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"There's a Reason"

POLICEMAN'S BULLET HALTS DARING ROBBER

Business Section Thrown in Furor by Attempt to Enter the St. James Hotel

A fire escape at the rear of the St. James Hotel, 402 Market street, was the scene of a dramatic halt to an attempted robbery at 7 o'clock last night, when Patrolman Larsen shot at two men, halting Charles Johnson, one of them, after Mrs. Mary Wise, mother of James Stiner, proprietor of the hotel, had discovered the men passing the window of her room.

Johnson was grazed by a bullet from the policeman's revolver and was arrested by Policemen Buch and Hylan, who came to assist Larsen. The second man escaped in the darkness and no trace of him has been found. His identity was not divulged by Johnson.

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Important White Sale News To-morrow

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The First Friday Bargain Day In 1915 Brings A Host of Economies

Referring to the White Sale

We wish to remind you of the fresh and complete assortments of white apparel and other features that characterize this sale. Especially in Muslinwear, the fact is assured that this assembly eclipses all previous stocks and of great advantage are the very moderate prices due to overstocked "Dixie."

Of no little importance in this sale, are—

- White Silks
White Wear for Baby
Children's Muslinwear
Bed Spreads
Flannels
White Draperies
Waists
Corsets and Brassieres
Sheets
White Dress Fabrics
Embroidered Flossing.

China

Fruit Bowls at 25¢ — value 50¢—decorated porcelain; lustre finish.

Imported Porcelain at 5¢ — value 10¢—white creamers and bowls with blue band decorations.

Jardinières at 25¢—value 50¢—7-inch size, assorted colors.

China Vases at \$1.98 — value \$2.98 — Japanese; famous Nippon hand decorated ware.

BOWMAN'S—Basement.

Children's Wear

Sweaters at 69¢ — value \$1.25—made of soft wool yarns, in brown, Copenhagen and white; sizes 6 months to 3 years.

Coats at \$2.50 — value \$3.75 to \$5.00—made of corduroy, chevots, chinchillas and mixtures, in brown, blue, gray and black; belted with Balkan styles, trimmed with braid, fur, velvet and fancy buttons; sizes 2 to 6 years.

Second Floor—BOWMAN'S

Pure Aluminum Roasters, Special at 98c

Pure aluminum double roaster (round pans); size of each is 3-10x10-1-8 inches. Outside polished.

Main Floor—BOWMAN'S

Kitchenwares

\$1.39 aluminum Berlin saucepan, 5-qt. capacity, at 75¢

\$1.50 aluminum rice boilers; limited quantity, at 75¢

\$1.98 aluminum dinner pail, oval shape; limited quantity at 98¢

25c galvanized coal hods, at 15¢

10 cakes Lautz's naphtha laundry soap, including one package Snowboy washing powder, for 38¢

BOWMAN'S—Basement.

Notions

10c, 15c and 25c rubber coat and vest buttons, dozen 2¢

8c and 10c silk covered buttons, dozen 1¢

25c extra heavy hose supporters 19¢

5c linen finish thread, 2 spools 5¢

25c emblem sets 10¢

5c safety pins, dozen 1¢

Main Floor—BOWMAN'S

Draperies

Scrims and voiles, in useful lengths, in white, cream and beige; lengths range from 1 1/2 to 3 1/2 yards; plain and fancy open work borders; regularly 25c to 38c. Yard 12 1/2¢

White lace, with finished edges, 18 inches wide; for curtains or door panels; regularly 18c. Yard 8¢

Red Cord and Tassels, for cushions, bags, bath robes and curtains; regularly 25c. Each 5¢

Curtain Strips, white and ecru, 2 1/2 to 3 yards in length; regularly 39c. Strip 19¢

Velour, 27 inches wide, in brown, gray and mode; extra quality. Yard 45¢

Madras Remnants, 36 to 45 inches wide, cream and ecru, in lengths from 2 to 4 1/2 yards. Yard 20¢, 25¢

Fourth Floor—BOWMAN'S

Dress Fabrics

12 1/2c Bates Dress Ginghams, in bars, stripes and checks, at yard 9¢

10c yard-wide Percales, in stripes, dots and figures at, yard 5¢

19c 40-inch Figured Batiste, set figures and floral designs, at, yard 10¢

15c Flannelettes, kimono designs; good shades, at, yard 10¢

15c Crepe Plisse, neat figures in all shades, at, yard 10¢

18c Figured Serpentine Crepe, at, yard 11¢

39c yard-wide fancy Mercerized Satine Linings, good shades, at, yard 19¢

Main Floor—BOWMAN'S

Special Friday Offering in Calico

5,000 yards best quality calico, including light blue and silver gray of American & Simpson make; also the old style quilting calico; guaranteed fast color. Yard 5¢

Bleached Muslin at 5 1/2¢ — value 10¢; cut from full pieces; slightly damaged.

Ticking, at 7 1/2¢ yd. — value 10¢ and 12 1/2¢; in blue and white and fancy stripes; remnant lengths.

Outing Cloth at 6 1/2¢ yd. — value 10¢; in light and dark patterns; remnant lengths.

Cheese Cloth at 3 1/2¢ yd. — value 8¢; bleached; 36 inches wide.

Sheets, at 57¢—value 75¢; size 76x90 inches; bleached; laundered ready for use.

Pillow Cases at 9 1/2¢ — value 15¢; size 43x36 inches; unbleached; made of good, even, round thread.

Mohawk Sheets at 78¢ — value \$1.10; size 81x108 inches; marked E. S.; slightly soiled. A few hemstitched sheets at the same price.

Main Floor—BOWMAN'S

Men's Furnishings

Men's Dress Shirts, 35¢ — 3 for \$1.00—value 50¢; good patterns of percales, coat style, attached cuffs.

Men's Working Gloves, 25¢; value 50¢; lined and unlined; with and without gauntlets.

Men's Underwear, 50¢ — value 79¢ and \$1.00; heavy wool mixed; mostly shirts.

Men's Half Hose, 10¢ pr. — value up to 25¢; medium and heavy weight, cotton and wool mixed.

Men's Suspenders, 15¢ — value 25¢; lisle webbings, leather ends.

Men's and Boys' Neckwear, 10¢; value 25¢; four-in-hands, knit and cut silk.

Main Floor—BOWMAN'S

Linens and White Goods

Mercerized Table Patterns at 79¢; round patterns on square cloths; hemmed ready for use; if perfect would sell for \$1.50. Limit 2 to a customer.

Mercerized Table Damask 16¢ yard—fine quality; 25¢ value.

Linens Finish Toweling, 5¢ yard—bleached; with red border.

Rippelette, at 9¢ yard—yard wide; splendid for children's wear; requires no ironing; 15¢ value.

Striped Crepe, 7 1/2¢ yd.—27 inches wide; splendid for shirtwaist suits; 15¢ value.

Unbleached Turkish Towels at 9¢, or 3 for 25¢—mill seconds; unfinished; right from the mill.

Main Floor—BOWMAN'S

Bedwear

Crochet Quilts, 65¢—full bed size; hemmed ready for use; value 79¢.

Wool Nap Blankets, \$1.95—with pink and blue borders; large bed size; slightly soiled.

Single Blankets, 29¢ each —in gray with pink border; single bed size.

Baby Blankets at 10¢ ea. —white with pink and blue borders.

Main Floor—BOWMAN'S

Leather Goods

Black handbags, moire trimmed, formerly \$1.00. At 35¢

One odd lot colored girdles, formerly 50c and \$1.00. At 25¢

Black moire handbags, formerly 50c. At 29¢

Main Floor—BOWMAN'S

Wall Papers

Bedroom, living room and dining room wall papers, regularly priced at 12 1/2¢ to 15¢ roll. Special at 6¢ roll.

Kitchen, chamber and back hall wall papers, regularly priced at 8¢ and 10¢. Special at 3 1/2¢ roll.

All matched combinations sold only with borders.

Fourth Floor—BOWMAN'S

Very Special

5c and 10c Valenciennes insertions, 2¢ yard.

Remnants of laces, consisting of flounces, insertions, edges, etc., at exactly half price.

25c embroidered collar and cuff sets 15¢

\$1.95 ostrich ruffs, at \$1.38

Main Floor—BOWMAN'S

Take Advantage of Final Clearance Prices on Seasonable Millinery

Untrimmed Velvet Shapes are going at 75¢ and \$1.00

Trimmed Hats; all chic styles; are going at \$2.00

Second Floor.

In the Carpet Dept.

Table Oilcloth Remnants —in useful lengths of 1 to 3 yards; 1 1/4 yards wide, regularly 22c. Yard 13¢

Rubber Stair Pads—3/8 inch in thickness; standard quality; very special. Size 6x18 inches at 10¢ each; 7x18 inches at 12 1/2¢ each; 9x18 inches at 15¢ each.

New Process Linoleum— all new and desirable patterns; regularly 39c. Sq. yd., 31¢. Bring room measurements.

Fourth Floor—BOWMAN'S

Muslinwear and Corsets

Drawers at 35¢ — value 50¢; fine cambric, trimmed with embroidery and beading; open and closed.

Corset Covers at 25¢ — value 50¢; nainsook; yokes of embroidery and lace; trimmed with lace, embroidery and beading.

Corsets at 25¢ — value 50¢; made of cotton; medium bust; long hip; slightly soiled.

Second Floor—BOWMAN'S

Women's Gloves

Undressed kid gloves in black and tan; regularly \$1.50. Pair \$1.00

12-button length gloves in real chamois skin; slightly soiled; regularly 2.00. Pair \$1.50

1-clasp real chamois skin gloves; slightly soiled; regularly \$1.50. Pair \$1.00

Perrin's French kid gloves; salt spotted; \$2.00 quality. Pair 49¢

Main Floor—BOWMAN'S

Unusual Savings in Shoes-- To-morrow

Women's Overgaiter Boots, \$1.98 pair—\$3.00 value —patent colt vamp, cloth top; all sizes.

Women's Shoes, 98¢ pair—\$2.00 to \$3.50 values — button and lace styles; black and russet; mostly small sizes. Also Juliets.

Boys' Storm Shoes, \$1.98 pair—value \$2.50 to \$3.50— 2-buckle; large sizes only.

Men's Arctics, 98¢ pair—\$1.69 and \$1.98 values—one and four buckles.

Men's Shoes, \$1.98 pair—value \$2.50—black and brown, heavy double sole lace shoes with bellows tongues.

Black Jersey Leggings—for children at 50¢ pair; misses' at 60¢ pair, and women at 75¢ pair.

Third Floor—BOWMAN'S

Splendid Bargains From The Petticoat Department

One Hundred and Fifty Pure Silk Messaline Petticoats, that were \$2.50; Friday, special at \$1.19

Crepe de Chine Waists—all colors and black and white; good style assortment; were \$2.50; Friday, special at \$1.49

One Hundred Crepe Kimonos that were \$2.00 and \$2.50; Friday, special at 98¢

Second Floor—BOWMAN'S

Men's Overcoats Special at \$5.00

One lot of men's and young men's overcoats that were \$8.50 and \$9.00. Cassimeres, chinchillas and chevots.