AT a recent meeting of the Entomological Society of America J. M. Aldrich stated he found a small tribe of Mono Lake Indians which caught and dried a ton and a half of caterpillars in a season for food.



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### This Day In History

THIS is the anniversary of the battle of Plassey, in 1757, in which Clive defeated the Nawab of Bengal and laid the foundation for British supremacy in India. Plassey is seventy-five miles north of Calcutta.

## THE WILD GOOSE BY GOUVERNEUR MORRIS

## A Dramatic Story of a Devoted Husband Who Discovers His Wife is in Love With Another Man

This story has been made into a motion picture by Cosmopolitan Productions under the masterly di-rection of Albert Capellani and is

By Gouverneur Morris Author of "His Daughter," "When My Ship Comes In," "The Seven Darlings," and Other Notable Fiction.

IANA had even stayed in the house by the week at a time. It had been her town headquarters. The convenient fortress from which as an engaged girl, whose fam ily lived in the country, she had made tremendous sallies upon her trousseau. And with Mary Hastings they had both struck up a wonderful friendship.

Downstairs the house was more suggestive of Hastings than of his wife. It was dark and austere. It contained a certain amount of very expensive and very ugly mid-Victorian furniture with which nothing would induce him to part. It had belonged to his mother, with whom he had always quarreled, and he had perhaps a remorseful sentiment about it. A full-length portrait of himself lent no cheer to the entrance-hall. He was an angular man, with a bony face and one shoulder hitched a little higher than the other; his expression was at once mean and lordly, jealous and generous, shrewd to the point of genius and childishly vacant. John Sargent had painted the portrait and had told no lies. It was as if an alienist had said: "He is sane at the moment; but he will bear watching."

Hastings Had Bought Her.

Manners could never pass that wonderful portrait without stopping to look at it. It made his own talent seem purposeless and blundering. He could never go from that portrait to confront his own "Apple-Tree" that hung over the fire-place in Mary Hastings' little upstairs

#### The Story So Far

Frank Manners, an artist of reputation, is doing some work for a rich woman in California. He has always been devotedly attached to his wife, Diana. He reads over her letters of the last few months and feels that she is neglecting their small daughter He decides to so East. On the He decides to go East. On the train he meets a hunter who tells him a tale of a wild goose. When Manners arrives home he is keenly disappointed in Diana's conduct and in her coldness tothe love of his daughter, Tam. H tries to find out what is troubling Diana, and she finally tells him she is in love with Ogden Fenn. Manners then tries to persuade her to give up Fenn. Failing in this, he tells Fenn he must give up Diana. Manners calls on Mary Hastings, a friend to him and to

failure and self-contempt. And yet the apple-tree was a lovous thing. John Sargent himself had whistled when he saw it, and had asked if Manners was a child of mortal parents or if some god and goddess had not really been responsible for him?

Mary Hastings' little sitting-room was her favorite place in all the world. There she received her intimates, and there, often with her frank, kind eyes upon the young greens and the delicious pinks of Frank Manners' apple-tree, she There she came to fight her battles with herself, and thence she emerged faced and thought out her problems. self-sacrificed, victorious.

People said that she had married Hastings for his money and his position. And so she had. But the whole truth was not to be told in one cold-blooded sentence. She had married him to save her father from bankruptcy and to escape the serpents of her mother's tongue.

Hastings had bought her; but she was too honest not to perceive that in allowing herself to be bought she had shared in his crime. She sitting-room without a feeling of | had borne him two children, a boy

with very high foreheads. They had shoulders of unequal height. They had in them no trace of their mother's beauty, either of body or of

> spirit. So greatly had Mary Hastings triumphed in her fight with unhappiness and despair that even her intimates did not know whether she was happy or unhappy. Poise and self-control had become natural to her. Directness, sweetness and simplicity had always been natural.

> Manners's "Apple-Tree" and Mary Hastings herself made the room; to the greens and pinks of the tree she offered the strong and rich contrast of black velvet. Her tall, slender, and commanding figure had tempted her dressmaker to the utmost severity in cutting the dress.

A large table diamond on her left hand and a short string of splendid, glowing pearls were her only ornaments. Her black hair, which grew low on her forehead in a widow's peak, was brushed back. But the hair itself was not straight; neither was it curly. It was strong, bright and waving. Manners liked to compare her face with the Greek face (which of course he had never seen) which launched a thousand ships against Troy. "But Trojan Helen's face," he usually added, "couldn't have been as sweet as Mary's." Men often forgot the sheer classic beauty of her face in the sweetness of its expression.

Mary Hasting's Advice. She did not rise when Manners

entered, but held out both hands to him across the steaming tea-"I am not at home to anybody but

I must know about Diana." "I am glad you must, Mary," said Manners, "because I can't think

you," she said. "I had to see you.

about anything else." He remembered the difficulties of his nights, and refused tea or any-

By Ann Lisle



Mary Hastings Asks Manners to Think of Tam Before Acting Rashly.

thing stronger. And then for a long time, with great gentleness and consideration, he talked about Diana; what she had done, what she was doing, and what she

wanted to do. He told his story

"And your intention, of course," said Mrs. Hastings, when he had

## Motion Pictures of This Splendid Serial Will Be Shown Here Soon at Leading Theaters

finished, "is to let her have her way. But you mustn't."

"She is still fond of me," said Manners hopelessly, "but if I block the road of honor and glory that leads to Fenn she will hate me."

Mrs. Hastings nodded, but said: "She will only hate you as long as she loves him; but even if her love for him is one of the eternities, even if she hates you and makes your life miserable till her dying day, you mustn't let her divorce

"Oh," he said wearily, "if I could be sure that her love would last I'd let her go. I'd have to. It would be too cruel to keep her. I love her too much, Mary. I've loved her since she was a little girl, and no matter what she does to me I keep right on loving her. I'm a regular old wild goose, I ex-

#### Diana Too Selfish.

He sat leaning forward, his elbows on his knees, and his fine workman-like hands dejectedly

"Diana," said Mrs. Hastings gently, "is thinking only of herself. Fenn is thinking only of himself. Now I'd give a penny, Frank, to know whom you are thinking He looked up smiling.

"Perfectly right, Mary. I am thinking only of myself." The certainty seemed rather wonderful to him, and he reflected upon it for some moments. Then he said:

"Absolutely right. If I let Diana go, I think only about how much I must suffer. If I keep her and she hates me I think only about how much I must suffer. I think that I'm thinking about Dina; but I'm not. I haven't really thought about her end of it, except just at first-just when she told me, and for a little while after. I'm just an ordinary, selfish, self-centered "You're nothing of the kind,

+ Frank. You've had a dreadful + shock, and you're bewildered. Your mind is working in a selfish channel, but that's mere accident and incidental to the shock. I've suspected for some time that things were very wrong with Diana and you, so in my case shock has been discontinued, and I'm not worrying too much about either of you. Don't you see that it doesn't

really matter how much Diana is hurt? She has had her chance and she has abused it. And it doesn't really matter how much you are hurt. You are a man. As for Fenn, the more he is hurt the better. He will have only himself to thank. You three have been of age for a long time. You have been free agents. If you have made messes of your lives, you have only yourselves to blame.

"Diana has been too selfish. You have been too indulgent. And—let's consider Fenn. Don't punish Diana, don't make her suffer, but if she will suffer, why let her. And if you must suffer, why suffer-and get the most out of life that you can. But for heaven's sake, don't take the life of an innocent, helpless person, who has no say in the matter whatever, and rearrange that person's life for the worse. Pretty Decent Sort.

"Both you and Diana are as necessary to Tam as the food she eats. No matter how much Diana suffers she will always be good to Tam, and good for Tam. It will always be the same with you. Don't argue this with Diana; she wouldn't see it now. But don't ever let it out of your mind. Stick to it. Even if Diana went completely wrong it would be better to keep her for

"Every time I try to argue with her," said Manners dismally, "she threatens to run away with him. She says that if she is separated from him she will die or kill her-

"Only the running away with him," said Mary Hastings comfortably, "need I be considered seriously. And that mustn't be considered too seriously. Men will only consent to that way out when there is no other way out. Even bad men don't like the idea of running away with married women. They do it, of course; it does happen. But they don't like it. It amounts to being found out. They would much rather cheat and hope not to be found out."

"Fenn isn't a bad man," said Manners. "I've talked with him and I think he's a pretty decent sort, He told me I needn't be afraid of him. I try very hard not to be. I know they haven't cheated. I don't think they will. Has there been much

"More laughter than talk. Nobody knows Fenn, of course, and the affair hasn't been taken very seriously. People are not laughing at Diana-yet; or at you, you poor soul. They think they are laughing with her. Only a very few people-real friends-have been worried; your cousin Peter, Mrs. Langham, of course . . ."

"Have you talked with her?" he interrupted. Mrs. Hastings nodd C. "She's a wonder!" he exclaimed. She never mentioned it to me." "She never does mention things that are mentioned to her. You've

talked with her, of course?" "And mighty glad I have. If you'll believe it, she's on my side. Who else knows?"

"My husband. He's a very good friend of yours."

"What did he say?"

"He didn't say much. He did things. He had Fenn looked up. He had him looked up here and all through the West in the different places where he has lived. But the man's record is negatively good. He's well thought of by the people who have known him and done

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## CONTRASTS IN MEALS

By Loretta C. Lynch

OMETIMES we are apt to think only in terms of food value result, we may get a meal something like this: Cheese, fondue, sweet potatoes, creamed carrots, baked bananas and bread and but-

Undoubtedly it is inexpensive and easy of digestion. Yet it is not an attractive meal. What's the matter with it?

In the first place, the sameness of color wearies the eye. The sameness of texture tires the pal-To some extent, the meal lacks contrast as to flavor. If you plan a course dinner, or if

it is one to be served on the regulation plate dinner plate, courses contract with one another. There should be, for instance, a

An Acknowledged Expert in All bland course followed by a more Matters Pertaining to House- highly flavored one-a hot one and then a coid one-a fluid one and then a solid one. The last course should leave a pleasant after-taste. In the formal dinner some people prefer a sweet dessert, others prefer cheese and, again, others prefer coffee or fruit.

Suppose, for instance, we plan a plate-dinner about equal in food value to the one above. A dinner of broiled steak, potato balls, water. cress, bread and butter, coffee and fruit, not only makes a satisfying meal, but a most attractive meni

instead of depending upon pickles, spices and condiments to whet the appetite for the meal lacking in

as well.

But, is this study of contrasts Quite so. For, in this way a housewife can get the members of a family to eat what is good for them

and shape-changing worth while?

Waose Present Serial Has Won a

here! Tell me how Neal is. Tell "Neal's in fine shape. I've come to take you to him, if you're fit to

travel," replied Pat with reassur-ing simplicity. Come now, Alanna!" he said, That fine young lad of ours is in great shape. He'll be up and about

before you know it. "Mr. Dalton," protested Dr. Norman, "can't you see that my patient isn't fit to start off again? In her weak condition she can't stand any

more strain today." "She had plenty-that I'm allowreplied Pat, with a pleasant and unsuspicious twinkle in his eyes. "So now I'll just take her off with me, if you'll be so kind as to give her something to brace

"You can scarcely expect me to do anything so-unethical as you are asking," replied the doctor, with a last effort to ma: # : the situation. He went on in the face of Pat's astonishment: "Besides which, I'm no longer in missed. Come, Miss Rathbun, I'll drive you home if you'll just hurry

AT!" I cried, taking a with your preparations."

stumbling step toward "Will you wait for me in the car?" into place and started to remove opening it, fished out the bills.

nim. "Oh, I'm glad you're asked Miss Rathbun, with a sort of my wraps. "Please hurry. It's Ruefully I perceived that there breathlessness in her tone. "I will wait in my car since, as

you've guessed. I don't care to remain longer in this house," replied Then, his pallor heightened by

his w.ath, he bowed with elaborate dignity and swept from the room Miss Rathbun started to follow with lagging steps.

Do you think you're strong enough to come, Anne?" asked Pat anxiously. "I can go back by train and leave the car to bring you in the morning." "I want to go now. I can't stand

lying here all night and longing for Neal." I gasped, "I've been trying to get to him all afternoon. That doctor stopped me." Miss Rathbun turned and came

back from the doorway. There was a look of understanding on her face. "I'll give you a dose of bromide," she said pittingly. "If there's some hot broth ready I'll have Hedwig bring you a cup of that. Then, if ar. Dalton will give you half an hour to relax, you'll be able to travel

When a Girl Marries, Ann Lisle's Popular Serial

"You ought to hurry," I protested, as Miss Rathbun patted pillows | Pat I reached for my bag and. your friend, but don't get into a quarrel because of me." As I said this, Miss Rathbun

"Here, I'll be lending a hand," slipped me down gently in a nest

"I'll run and get the bromide,"

punch his head?" he asked bellig-"She'd rather you didn't. Want

deserves some consideration." as I've ordered the soup for sister

As the door closed quietly after wern't enough with which to pay Miss Rathbun for her services and I wanted to give her a gift to show my appreciation of the way she'd just stood by. I knitted my brows, trying to think what to do. . . then the lavender check signed "Mabel Storrs" caught my eye. I shook my head wearily. I had determined not to use these checks, but to deposit them and give Jim the total on his return. He could then make what use he liked of this money, which pride insisted I shouldn't use.

After a moment or two I rose and draging myself to the desk, indorsed the check. Then I smiled with a feeling of triumph.

"You conquered yourself, Anne." said brusquely to myself. "And it was only decent you should do that for the girl who for your sake defied the man she loves." (To be continued Saturday)

## TAKE CARE OF HEALTH

By Brice Belden, M. D.

is carelessness on the part of a consumptive relative living in the same

Kissing of children by relatives with a "cough" of any kind should be absolutely prohibited, and they should also be kept away from such people as much as possible. They should never use dishes used by a sick member of the house-

In moving into a previously oc-

THE greatest menace to the in- + aired and the floors and corridors dividual with a low resist- should be thoroughly cleansed in ance to tuberculosis infection | case the former occupant had the unfortunate habit of spitting. Germs may live a long time in unclean and dark surroundings, and the best precautions against them are cleanliness and plenty of sun-

Other indoor sources of infection

cupied house everything should be

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take one-half hour to mix the cake.

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cup milk (sweet). pound flour (Cresota).

pound sugar.

1/2 pound butter.
6 eggs, leaving out whites of two for icing.
3 level teaspoonfuls Rumford's

11/4 teaspoonfuls lemon flavoring. Sift flour seven times. ICING. 2 eggs.

1/2 teascups of powdered sugar.

teaspoonful lemon flavoring. Bake in slow oven one hour and a half .- Miss Kate Leif, Alexandria, Delicious Ice Cream

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with Mr. Dennison on the landing, she might never have known, she might have gone on for months, or perhaps years, living in her fool's paradise, until something

She dabbed her eyes with her handkerchief. "I am afraid I look rather dreadful," she said shakily. "Are my eyes

happened to make her suspect.

very red?" "No." He could not bear to look at her tear-stained face; the tears

The train was running into the big terminus; Philip stood up and began to take down the cases from the

He felt like a man in a dream.

were not very far from his own

He was white to the lips as he But she would not look at him she would not see his offered hand; she stepped out of the car unas-

And this was the beginning of the wonderful journey to which they had both looked forward with such passionate happiness. "If you please, ma'am, Mr. Winterdick asked me to say that dinner is ready and that he is wait-

glass and looked at the smiling "Thank you-very well." The door closed softly.

Eva glanced at her watch-a litabsurdity in brilliants and platinum, which her father had given her amongst a host of other presents-nearly & o'clock! More than two hours since they reached the hotel; two hours dur-

ing which Phillip had not once

been near her; two hours during

Eva turned listlessly from the

brave enough of you to disobey-

caught her lip between short white teeth, but she patied my hand reassuringly. announced Pat, suddenly, and he

of pillows. Miss Rathbun quavered, gratefully. "I see you'll be very kind to Mrs.

Pat straightened up and stared after her, thoughtfully, as she left "Think I'd better go out and

to go out instead and ask him to be sure and wait?" I asked. "She "Won't get it from that young whelp!" scolded Pat. "But as soon

attempt to deceive the man she had

married and save her own pride

lives had passed, and the remain-

ing years of it lay before them

both, dark and without hope. She

had not shed another tear, and her

heart felt like a stone. She changed

her frock mechanically and brushed

least how she looked. She remem-

bered how she had longed for him

the Highway House, and how dis-

appointed she had been because he

had made no comment. She smiled

faintly at her wan reflection. She

felt an impersonal sort of sym-

pathy and sorrow with the white-

She turned out the light and

opened the door. Philip had taken a suite; she wished now that he

had not; things would have been so

much easier and more possible with

The living room was just opposite her own, and its door stood ajar. She could see an edge of white

tablecloth and a glow of pink light

failed her; her feet seemed chained

to the ground. Then the went on and pushed the door wider.

Philip was standing by the win-

dow, his hands clasped loosely he-hind his back, looking out into the

busy street. He turned sharply as he heard the soft sound of her en-

trance, and for a moment their eyes

met across the room; his, hard and

unhappy-hers, very quiet, but cold

(To be Continued Tomorrow.)

"I hope I have not kept you wait-

for a second her courage

faced girl there in the mirror.

other people all around them,

from a shaded lamp.

-cold as a stone.

"Thank you-not at alk"

It did not seem to matter in the

By Ruby M.

Avres

which she had sat almost without moving, trying to look ahead into the future and make some sort of she had succeeded in her desperate but as yet only two hours of their ecrets Many secrets you will Nadine Face Powder They are secrets which every woman would solve secrets of personal charm. to notice her frock that night at

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