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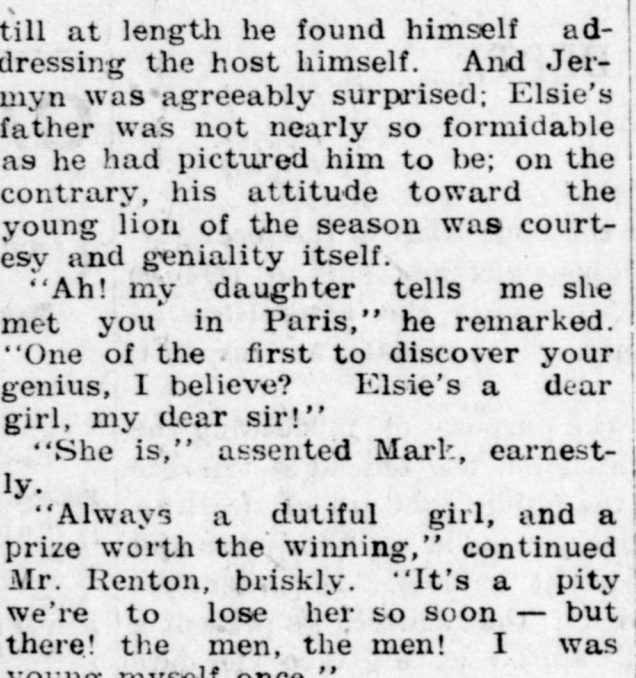
Won by a Tune. "Good-by, dearest!" "Good-by!" For the twentieth time Mark Jermy uttered the words of farewell, and for the twentieth time the girl responded, realizing that the parting was no ordinary one, they were both to part even then. Years hence they might meet again; perhaps never.



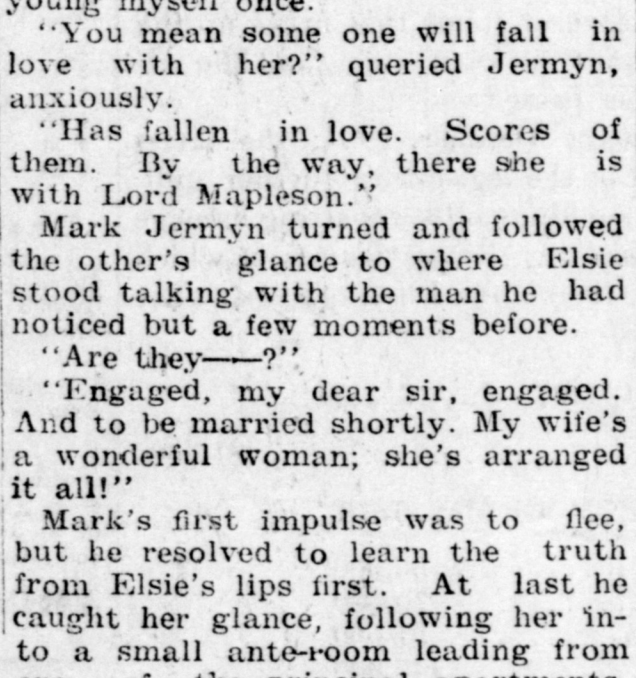
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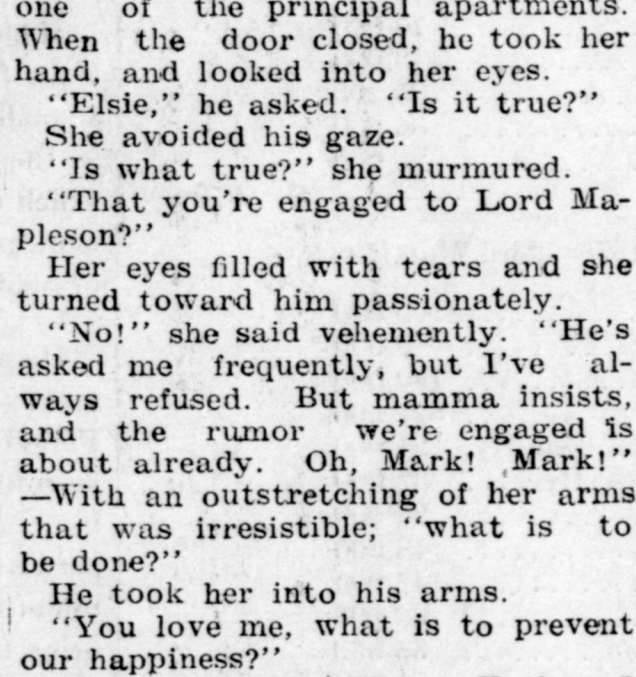
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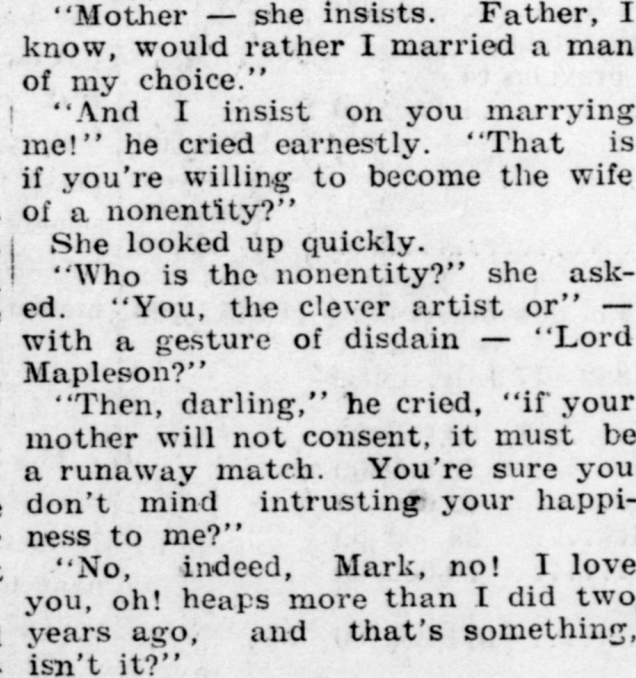
"But waiting doesn't always bring wealth," broke in Jermy, "especially in the musical profession. Why did my father ever desire me for his own career he added, bitterly. "Because it's what you're most fitted for," Elsie Renton replied. "Mark, dear, you're going to be a great man."



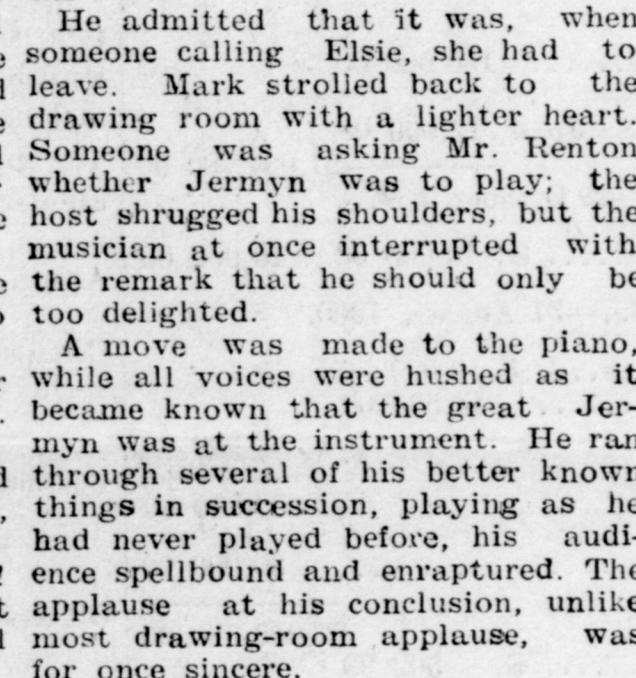
"You flatter me, sweetheart," he said, "but I don't know how it all happened, for my mother soon followed my father." "And his name before was—?" "Wegar—Mark Wegar—one of the foremost composers of his time!"



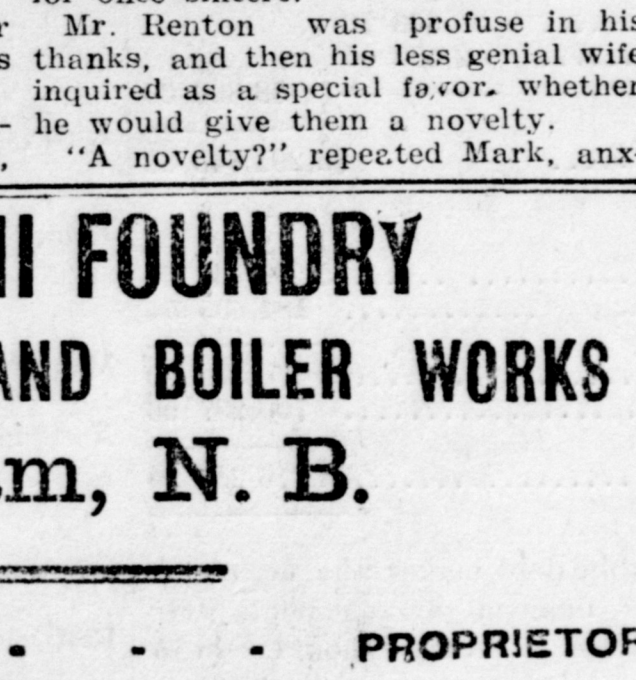
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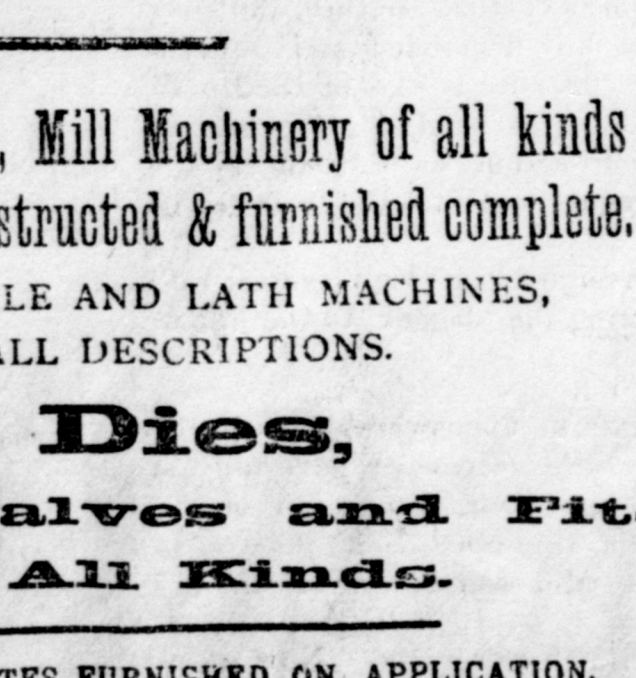
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ious to please his prospective parent. "Ah, yes! I had almost forgotten. To-day's the twenty-second, isn't it? There is one thing I only play once a year, and always on the twenty-second of the month. The last notes of the song were gradually dying away, when all at once there was a tense scream from a corner of the room. All turned and saw that Mrs. Renton had fainted.

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About the House

SOME GOOD RECIPES. Rich Vegetarian Pudding—Mix together 4 cups finely ground whole wheat flour, 8 cups stoned raisins, 4 cups Sultana raisins, 1 cup sugar, 1 lb mixed plums, 1 lb sweet almonds, minced, 1 doz bitter ones, 1 lb shelled Brazil nuts, 5 cups whole wheat bread crumbs, 2 cups grated carrots, 1 cup olive oil, 1 egg, 1 teaspoon mixed spice. Moistened with milk until it is the consistency of very thick porridge and set in a mold. Grease some pudding basin with butter or olive oil, fill with mixture, cover with whole wheat crust, boil six hours and then it is ready.

Fancy Frosting—Take 1/2 cup butter, 1/2 cup sugar, 1/2 cup milk, 1/2 cup cream, 1/2 cup flour, 1/2 cup salt. Bring water to a boil with butter and salt in it. Add flour, all at once, and stir the mixture over the fire until it becomes a stiff paste. Remove from fire and beat in eggs (unbeaten) one at a time while the mixture is still hot.

Cooking Changes—An easy way to make a change in a batch of cookies is to roll out on the board, is to sprinkle caraway seeds thinly over it and press in lightly with rolling pin. On the next sheet use coarse salt. The cookies are baked in the same pan. On those which are coated with white sugar, a bit of citron is the center.

SUESHINE AT THE TABLE. An old lady who looked as though she might have belonged to the "Sunshine Society" all her life, was asked by a friend for the secret of her never failing cheerfulness. Her answer came in a suggestive lesson for parents. "I think, said the clever old lady, 'it is because we were taught in our family to be cheerful at table. My father was a lawyer, with a large criminal practice. His mind was harassed with difficult problems all the day long, yet he always came to table with a smile, and a pleasant greeting for everyone. He exerted himself to make the table hour delightful. All his powers to charm were freely given to entertain his family. Three times a day we felt this genial influence, and the effect was marvellous."

THE ONLY COMPLAINT LEFT. In an Irish town the lads of a school took the habit of smoking, and resorted to the most ingenious methods to conceal it from the master. In this they were successful, until one evening, when the master caught them puffing most vigorously. "How now?" shouted he to one of the culprits. "How dare you to be smoking?" "Sir," said the boy, "I am subject to headaches, and a pipe takes off the pain." "And you?" inquired the pedagogue, questioning every boy in his turn. "One had a 'raging tooth'; another 'colic'; the third a 'cough'; and so on, until they all had something for which the weed was an unfailing remedy.

FOR NERVOUS PEOPLE. America is not the home of the very latest in journalism. Austria must be accorded that honor. A Viennese tank director, assisted by two friends who are lawyers, has decided to publish a newspaper for nervous people, mm mm m abnbabbab nervous persons. Catastrophes like that at Martineque, big bank defaultations, and other events calculated to upset the nerves will be treated in a soothing way, so as not to disturb sensitive people. The director has invited some newspaper men of prominence in Austria and Germany to send descriptions of a number of recent stirring occurrences treated in this way, and he offers large prizes for the best work.

PAWN BROKING INCIDENT. Some pathetic facts stand out in the report of the work of the Franco-Monte de Piete. It is said to read that the average number of wedding rings pawned annually is 60,000, and the saddest story is that of the poorest class, who pawned their rings for a few francs, but could never save the five francs which was all that had been advanced on the security. At the end of that time the rings were returned to their owners from reasons of pity or sentiment, but because the motus had got into them and they were valueless.

Cold Settles On the Kidneys. Hence the Backaches, Rheumatic Pains and Lumbago—Dr. Chase's Kidney-Liver Pills Prompt to Relieve and of Lasting Benefit. It is not only the lungs that suffer during the cold, damp seasons. The kidneys are almost equally susceptible to sudden changes of temperature, and many a serious case of kidney disease has its beginning with a cold. Persons working out of doors are most likely to be victims of such troubles, and suffer from backaches, lumbago, rheumatism and crippled, aching limbs, but anyone is liable to sit in a draught or expose his back to a current of cold air.

FOR HOUSEKEEPERS. A shorter much cheaper than hard is obtained by rendering flank



IT HELPED TO HIDE THE AGE. "Rastus, that's a pretty heavy band of crape on that silk hat." "Yas, sah." "Some dem friend just die?" "No sah—but yo' see dis is 'specially old hat."

FARM-FIELD AND GARDEN. MILK IN BEEF PRODUCTION. The milk producers of to-day do not depend on beef cattle for milk production. The general impression is that beef production and milk production are antagonistic and that a man who wishes to produce milk, must like the traveler at the branching of the road, take a different direction and entirely lose sight of the milk production.

PLACING THE PIANO. A corner should never be cut off with an upright piano. The piece of furniture is too bulky when arranged at this angle and contributes an exceedingly bad effect to the scheme of the room. The piano can be pulled forward and turned with its back to the room, if desired, without cutting sharply across the corner. If the back is thus exposed a piece of the most suitable material should fall over it.

NOT GOOD MILKERS. It is a fact that a good many cows are maintained for the one calf they produce, but a good many of the cows are not capable of producing and maintaining one good calf. They lack the characteristics that are essential to make a most profitable cow. There are a good many cows that cannot nurse or raise a good calf. You are maintaining a less profitable investment in that kind of a cow.

HER FIRST CAKE. She measured out the butter with a very solemn air. The milk and sugar also; and she took the eggs, and she began to count the eggs correctly, and to add a little bit of baking powder, which, you know, begins the stirred it all together, and she baked it full an hour. But she never quite forgave herself for leaving out the flour!

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farm conditions and for farm purposes. That kind of a cow is less profitable than a cow that gives a better flow of milk. Many who are taken out and produce them well, cattle are very largely influenced by that consideration. It is a question that has a right to enter into the consideration of the breeder.

Instead of maintaining one cow for one calf, or retaining two cows for one calf to get good calves, we ought to be able to produce the calves which are the young of the country from the dams that support them, and we ought to produce the calves of the country from the milk of the dam after the butter fat is taken out and produces them well. We must have dams that give more milk. For that reason we should have a good cow and a good calf.

BEEF OF HIGHER QUALITY. In addition to higher return in the animal to longer service in the herd and to a greater degree of milk production, a calf that will give you better beef. If I had to select to-day a cow that would produce the best bull calves to put on the market, I would prefer a cow that is a good milker. When you find a good milker combined with the beef type, when you stop the milk flow and finish her for the block or when you take her male calf and make a steer out of it and feed that animal for the block, you have a higher class product and which has the best tendency developed to the exclusion of milk.

SLAVERY IN CHINA. China is undoubtedly the greatest slave country in the world. Of a population of 400,000,000 over one-fourth are slaves. Every family of means keeps its own slaves. They are all bought and sold at the same price, and the number of slaves he keeps. At any age from three to fifteen girls are sold, seven or eight being the age at which most slaves are bought. The average is about \$10, but much depends on the girl's appearance. A good-looking girl will fetch \$20 or \$30. A couple of hundred dollars is paid to do housework, it being cheaper to buy than hire.

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