

## The Diary of an Engaged Girl

By Phyllis Phillips

July 14.—Well, you never will guess what happened at high noon yesterday. Miss Jean up and got married to her Harvey. And all of a sudden, too. The happy bride and groom came in to see me at my studio at tea time today looking very radiant, and, as for Jean—words fail me. That girl was transformed.

Jean was never bad looking. She always had pretty gray eyes and a dear, curved mouth, and all that, but, believe me, she looked positively beautiful today. No joking either.

I stared at her when they came in and wondered what on earth had happened to the Jean that I knew. This was she, to be sure, but so much more of her, or rather so much more beauty, and a certain elusive something else that I cannot find a word for.

She blushed a bit, laughed, then ran up to me and told me that having nothing better to do yesterday she and Harvey had gotten married. Of course I hugged her and congratulated both of them, and not having any rice I thoughtfully dropped a few humble bread crumbs on their heads, as there was half a loaf that I had been lunching off quite handsy. And after that we sat down to talk it all over.

Jean was so hilarious and so happy it just got me. I didn't know this girl at all. There was no cloud of doubt in her eyes, they were sparkling and sure of themselves, if you get me?

Her red lips were very tremulous, as though their burden of love and mystery were almost too much to bear, and she just looked starry to me.

Love is indeed a beautifier; at least after seeing my Jean I'll say it is. And Jean acknowledged same to me, and many more. "Not only that," said she, with a low little laugh of sheer joy, "but it is life itself. It needs no explaining—no anything—it must just be. I don't see how I lived without Harvey for so long."

Of course at this point I reminded her that I had managed to live without love and matrimony so far and was not pining away, but she only hugged me and smiled (superior fashion, you know), and told me I didn't know what I was talking about as yet.

All this was rather embarrassing to me, because some of her words had been told to me by moonlight not so long ago by Cecil, and he was sitting a bit to one side all the time that Jean was surging her new-found happiness to me. Once or twice I caught his eyes fastened on me, a queer expression in them.

Harvey and Jean insisted that I

have dinner with them, a wedding dinner, so I called up the house and told mother about Jean getting married all of a sudden, and wanting me to stay and celebrate with them. She told me that it was all right, and then Jean invited Cecil to come along, too. That would make a party of four.

We had an awfully good time, and we toasted the couple in real wine, for after dinner we went over to Dorry's studio, found her sitting with a far-away expression in her eyes, which looked ominous to me, and she produced a bottle of the best French wine, and more than one!

We all got hilarious towards the end. Ted Sloan and Nessa dropped in and several other people, so we turned on the victrola and danced. It was a happy evening.

I must say between Jean and Fern I'm beginning to feel quite shaky about some of my pet ideas.

(To be continued.)

## Mrs. Solomon Says—

Being the Confessions of the Seven-Hundredth Wife.

By Helen Rowland

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My Daughter, consider the Wives of Babylon, how they dress.

For all the hours of Solomon's harem were not arrayed like one of these. And every one of them thinketh herself a SIREN!

Go to, ye Simple Ones! How long will ye continue to pin your faith upon a chiffon frill, and to waste your substance upon near-pearls and cloth-of-gold and foolish "heart-bait"?

For lo, it is never the little brown wren in all-wool, but the Bird of Paradise in all-silks, that figurish as leading lady in the divorce court. And, no husband's heart hath ever yet been held by a silken corset-string!

Behold, the sex-appeal becometh louder and louder every day.

And the masculine response becometh feebler and feebler.

It hath come to pass that more and more silk hosiery is displayed season by season—yet the number of divorces keepeth pace therewith.

Lo, a man who once would walk a mile to look upon a pair of pretty ankles, will not so much as glance upon his paper to gaze upon fifty silken ankles displayed half-way to the knee.

For these are his portion, today, yesterday and forever.

And all silk stockings look alike to him!

Yea, the women of Babylon have forgotten that it is not through their EYES, but through his IMAGINATION, that a man falleth in love!

How then shall a wife hold her husband's devotion, in a world full of Loreleis and temptations?

Verily, verily, there is but one way in all the world to hold ANY man to thee, for life, my Daughter—even to make thyself a NECESSITY unto him.

For, whether a man's wife be his backbone or only his rib; whether she be his spur or only his hitching-post, his inspiration or only his sedative, his foot-stool or his head-rest, he will cling unto her, so long as she is the one woman in all the earth whom he NEEDETH.

But she that ceaseth to make herself a "necessity," and entereth into competition with the luxuries, shall soon find the world filled with younger and more fascinating "luxuries."

Verily, verily, every woman may peradventure be a siren—but not unto her own husband!

Go to, ye Matrons of Babylon! Let squabs and flappers and debutantes follow after beauty, cures, and emulate show-girls and milliners' mannikins.

But as for YOU, it signifieth not, whether ye are clad in all-silk, or in all-wool, or in calico, or in cloth-of-gold.

For, have I not said unto you that a man looketh upon his wife for the last time upon the day of his wedding?

And forever thereafter he only LISTENETH UNTO her!

## What's in a Name

(Copyright)

PAULA is the product of ancient Rome. Though in common usage by the northern countries, there is warm Latin blood in the name.

It originated with one of Aemilian gens who was small in stature, resulting in the cognomen paulus which is the Latin word for small.

Paula first gained honors as the feminine of the good St. Paul, and also as the name of the friend and correspondent of St. Jerome, the mother of Eustochium. Thus Paula, Paola and Paulina, the diminutive, became favorite forms in Italy.

The name was taken into France and straightway given the stamp of the French language, emerging as Pauline and Paulette. The sister of Napoleon was commonly called Paulette in her own family, but Pauline was most popular for the favorite grandchild of Mme. de Sevigne; in fact, she is almost the only one whose Christian name is mentioned in Mme. de Sevigne's letters. Paola and Paulina will never lose their vogue in the southern countries of Europe, but the English language finds Paula or Pauline best adapted to its usage. Pauline is confined strictly to France.

The moonstone is Paula's talismanic gem. It will bring her good fortune, especially if it is bestowed upon her by a lover. One old superstition has it that she will be enabled to read the future in the depths of the stone. Monday is her lucky day and 4 her lucky number.

Harold Taggart, Richmond, will be an instructor in the history department of high school. He was principal of the high school at Niles, Michigan, last year. Miss Caroline Bradley has been appointed to the commercial department of high school.

Miss Babel Stafford and Miss Norma Hanning, both of Richmond, and who have had several years' experience at teaching, have been named for elementary work in Richmond grade schools.

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## SIXTEEN-YEAR-OLD ITALIAN BEAUTY WEDS SON OF THE POET D'ANNUNZIO



The Duchess of Gallese.

Donna Ninon Teresa, a beautiful Italian girl, recently became the bride of the Duke of Gallese, son of the poet Gabriele d'Annunzio. She is but sixteen years old.

Miss Lucile Ford, of Centerville, was also named.

## Hungarian Hospitals In Lamentable Condition, Says Red Cross Delegate

(By Associated Press)

GENEVA, July 13.—The condition of the hospitals in Hungary is described as "a lamentable picture which should command universal attention and great pity" in a report to the International Committee of the Red Cross here.

After a recent trip across Hungary, Captain Burnier of Geneva, delegate of the international committee, told of conditions as he found them.

"At Szolnok," Captain Burnier said, "the epidemic hospital has been completely ravaged by the Rumanians. There is not even glass in the windows. The Comitai Hospital is absolutely without medicine, the sick are not even anesthetized for operations."

"At Debreczen the children's deaf and dumb asylum totally lacks linen and shoes. The children of the municipal asylum are dressed in paper clothes. There are 80 beds for 120 children and many 13 months old babies weigh 4 kilograms (about nine pounds). The town hospital which has 400 beds has no linen, no blankets, no medicines. There were left only two half spoons of surgical thread with which to sew wounds. The maternity hospital and Gynecological Clinic have nothing at all."

"At Nyiregyhaza the Comitai hospital has no linen for the sick, no medicine, no comforts to wrap babies in. The bandages and dressings must be used over and over again." Similar conditions were reported in several other places.

## JAPANESE FACTORIES CLOSE

(By Associated Press)

TOKIO, July 13.—The closing down of Japanese factories on account of the existing depression in business has especially affected the hat, shirt and umbrella makers of Tokio. Five thousand workmen are idle and facing want.

In the Osaka district over 200 factories have been shut. The match industry has been seriously affected, thousands being thrown out of employment.

## EXCURSION STEAMER IS AGROUND WITH 500

TOLEDO, July 12.—The passenger steamer State of Ohio, with 500 men, women and children, Sunday excursionists aboard, is aground in Maumee Bay. The vessel, due here at 10:30 Sunday night from Put-in-Bay, went aground on her return trip to Toledo last night. Several tugs have gone to the rescue. All passengers are reported safe.

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## St. Mary's Church at Oxford To Be Rebuilt; Cost \$38,000, Cupid Has Busy Week-End

OXFORD, O., July 13.—The building committee of St. Mary's Catholic church yesterday contracted with Westpiser & Vanausdall, of this village, for the erection of a new church building to cost \$38,000. The old church building was destroyed by fire five years ago. The new building was designed by Architect McClery, of Cincinnati. It will occupy a conspicuous site on High street, just east of the municipal building.

### Steck-Dye Wedding.

Edmond K. Dye, teller in the Preble County National Bank, Eaton, and Miss Edith Steck, of Brookville, O., were married last evening at the home of Assistant Postmaster and Mrs. William R. Anderson, Rev. Charles E. Turley, of the Methodist Episcopal church, officiating. Mr. Dye was graduated from Miami university in 1919, and during his student days was a roomer at the Anderson home. His bride was also a student at Miami, rooming across the street, and they met for the first time at the Anderson home. The young couple left immediately after the ceremony for Bay View, Mich., where they will spend a two-weeks' honeymoon.

### Marry In Haste.

Franklin S. Lehman, a young man of Greenville, O., and Miss Gladys Burns, of the same city, came here Sunday to visit Miss Anna L. Mains, of Greenville, a student in Miami university's summer school, and while here decided to get married. A hurried trip was made to Hamilton to secure a license, and the ceremony was performed last evening at the Methodist Episcopal parsonage by Rev. Charles E. Turley.

### July Farmer's Meeting.

The Practical Farmers' Club, will hold its July meeting, Thursday, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. King, north of town. The feeding and fertilization values of clover, alfalfa, rye, wheat and oats will be discussed, respectively, by E. W. Cleaveland, J. H. King, William Fisher, Calvin Wilson, and E. B. Barkley.

Homer D. Peters, a prominent young business man of this village, was married yesterday afternoon to Miss Edith Armstrong, daughter of James Armstrong, of College Corner. The ceremony was performed by Rev. J. H. Jeffrey, at the Methodist Episcopal parsonage, in Liberty, Ind. The young couple will be at home in Oxford after one week.

REPRESENTATIVE'S SON DIES. BELLEFONTAINE, Ohio, July 13.—John Gordon, five years old, son of Representative J. H. L. Gordon, of Logan County, died in a hospital here. His death was due to blood poison caused by a fall.

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