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trellises and rose-beds of trim borders and shaven turf, of orchards and wildernesses and glowing flower-drifts in the meadow-grass. The hand of a garden-lover had fashioned the whole of it, from the breadth of the open lawn in the midst to the deepened shadow of the further recesses—and a hand, moreover, that draws back and is stayed at the right point where the loose spring-flowing of the meadow and the river bank, left to itself, slips from under the fringe of the garden and rambles

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This skipper of a steam trawler was "up against it." He had Rheumatism, and his doctor said he must not go to sea. But times were hard, and he was forced to go afloat again. That was two years ago. Now see what he says: "I go to sea and two years ago I was laid up for six months with very much suffering from rheumatism and general breakdown, and was forbidden by my doctor to go to sea, or to touch water. But it was 'Hobson's Choice' with me. There was so much unemployment I was forced to get somewhere. So I am still here weathering the storms of the last two winters, and I can honestly say I have never felt the slightest pain from my old complaints, since I started two years ago to take Kruschen Salts. I wish Kruschen whatever you think fit of this letter."—Skipper J. J.

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## AN ILL WIND

By WILLIAM FRANCIS

"Frankly sick of it—and here's life offering me a way out. I'm taking it, Wally, so I think it's goodbye." She added a line about divorce papers, signed, sealed and addressed the letter, and crossed the hall to his dressing-room. He'd find it when he came home to dress for dinner—another of those poisonous dinners at the Hillsons'. How she hated them! The soppy inanities of Laura Hillson, the rot about the younger generation, the shares market talk, and Wally's heavy wisdom about the need for calm conservatism.

Calms conservatism!

That was all her life had been since she had married Walter Weatherby for his money—two mortal years of deadly, paralyzing calmness without a thrill except the thrill of spending—and Wally, generous as he was, seemed, somehow or other, to take the joy out of that. He gave her all the money she could use. All she could waste had been Jim Dorriston's proposition.

She opened her husband's dressing-drawer, disturbing the orderly arrangement of his contents—club cards, golf scores, keys and the like—and she noticed he had used in France. She put the letter in beside it, and in so doing, touched the cold steel of the dull barrel.

For a moment she stood motionless. Then, slowly withdrawing the letter, she went to the window and flung it open. A tiny breeze was enough to brace her courage and steel her resolve.

She laughed aloud.

"Wally, you anything rash? What a chance!" she assured herself. "No, Wally will be his own conservative self."

Returning to his dressing table, she leaned the letter against the mirror. Then, going to her room, she threw on her coat and closed her bag. The hall clock was striking five as she let herself out of the flat. She was to meet Jim at Victoria at five-thirty. The boat train left at six.

In the gloomy isolation of the taxi doubt assailed her again. What if Wally did—well, something tragic? Her mind clung to the sense of impending tragedy.

In Parliament Square fugitive rain-drops fell, heralding a storm; dark, scurrying clouds brought night before her time, and the tiny breeze, which but a few minutes before had fanned away her fear, now grew to a wind of almost hurricane force.

Nervously she felt for her passport and conclusively confirmed the presence of her pearls. She rather hated herself for asking them, but Jim had promised to send Wally a cheque for them—his "lucky beads" as he called them. He really believed they had brought him his good fortune "on Change." They'd actually been worth a quarter of a million to him, he insisted, great big superstitious baby that he was.

"Don't leave Wally my luck," he had pleaded. "I'll pay him twice what the pearls are worth, and that goes for the diamonds, too."

She had brought both.

Jim could post the cheque from the boat.

She arrived at the station ahead of time, despite the storm which now was blowing in full fury. They would probably have a rough passage. She didn't care; Heaven knows she'd had calmer enough—and to-morrow she'd be in Paris.

She came upon her trunk, the new ones she had bought and sent on ahead. Jim's were near by.

"These your trunks, ma'am?" A porter was inquiring.

"Why—er, yes." Her voice was queer.

Where was Jim? He was to have had the luggage attended to. All they'd have to do, he had said, would be to get to their compartment.

Oh, where was Jim? Imagine him being late at a time like this. It was a quarter to six.

She waited a few minutes more and then went to telephone in the booth at the end of the platform. She asked for change at the bookstall. It was counted out to her on a pile of evening papers upon the inky half-tone portrait which, on that day, was featured on the front pages.

With gloved hands she began picking up the coins and then, suddenly, as though stricken, she let them fall. Wild-eyed, she gripped the sheet, read the incredible headline, and recoiled as she recognized the photograph of Jim Dorriston.

Big type proclaimed: PROMOTER ARRESTED, and then followed a story of which, to her befuddled gaze, only a few phrases stood out: Huge Stock Swindle—Arrested on eve of flight abroad—Criminal record barred—Victimized women say Dorriston took jewels.

The cab which bore her home seemed to crawl. Home? There was a bare chance that she still might have one—this thin, forlorn hope of getting that letter back before Wally got in. Thank God it was Thursday, the day he had an appointment with the dentist. Thank God for that delay—it might save her, keep for her the only comforts her life had known—the only man who had ever been good to her. Wally had been that, and she had been happy enough until Jim had swept her off her feet with promises.

What a fool she had been! What a fool!

She felt herself close to the point of madness as a policeman held up the traffic.

A few minutes later she was at her door.



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The hall-porter did not know if Mr. Weatherby was in. He had not taken him up in the lift.

Hysterically, she fumbled for her key and, letting herself in, ran to his room. He was not there.

Quickly, she opened his dressing-room door and turned her anguished eyes to his dressing table.

And then utter panic seized her. For the letter was gone, the drawer was open, and sprawled inert, upon the brilliant crimson of a Persian prayer rug, with arm limply out, stretched beneath the radiator, lay the prostrate form of Walter Weatherby.

White with horror, she tried to scream, but no sound issued from her fear-numbed throat and, staggering, she crossed to the still figure and sagged down beside it.

And then the form that was Walter Weatherby stirred ever so slightly and a cool, calm voice was heard to say:

"Don't move; I've dropped my pearl stud under the radiator. There's a letter or something there, too. Someone left the window open and it blew off the dresser."

"... I'll get it, dear," Mrs. Weatherby said.—Tit-Bits.

### Owl Laffs

And habit is hard to break—even the habit of doing good work.

Teacher—Willie, give the definition of "home".

Willie—Home is where part of the family waits until the others are through with the car.

Nothing is so permanent as Sweet Sixteen's changing affections.

No power on earth can keep a first class man down or a fourth class man up.

"How did that fly get into the house?" asked the irate husband. His wife replied: "I guess it must have made the screen test."

A commercial traveler, traveling through Scotland, wrote to his company's sales manager:

"In reply to your question why I failed to get any orders for canned goods in Aberdeen, the reason is that the tin cans cannot be eaten."

Observant Oswald says: "A fat man has one advantage over his thin brother. He knows exactly where his cigar ashes are going to fall."

Tommy—Tommy, if you had 30 cents, and you loaned your father 30 cents, and your brother 20 cents, how many cents would you have?

Tommy—I wouldn't have any sense.

IT MIGHT HAVE BEEN WORSE (Barnesville, Ohio, Whetstone)

While putting new shingles on the roof on his home on Linden Avenue, Clem Gorman fell to the ground and was fatally but not seriously injured.

THE FLY IN THE OINTMENT

A lawyer's lot is no easy one. Despite your stout denials, For after all it is said and done, His life is filled with trials.

First Fly—Will you join our party in the jam preserves?

Second Fly—No, thank you, the lady of our house has baked a cake with icing on it. We're going in for winter sports.

At the behest of his best friends and severest critics, Joe Callen, the big league umpire, agreed to have his eyesight tested by an optician. A delegation accompanied him to the interior office for the vindication.

The optician—Read those figures on the blackboard, Mr. Callen.

Mr. Callen—Wot blackboard?

Ragson Tatters—How do you like that new name of yours?

Windy Wolf—Oh, fairly well. But I wish I had bought a horse. She's always stopping to look at herself in the water puddles.

The flapper was truly repentant and sought to make amends.

Flapper—Jack, I am very sorry I treated you the way I did last week.

Jack—Oh, that's all right, honey. I saved \$30 while we weren't on speaking terms.

A man's worst enemy is often right under his own hat.

### Extraordinary Jobs In Distant Places

London.—No job is too weird if a good living attaches to it. There is a man in London who makes his livelihood out of a punch-proof face. He is an ex-light weight champion attached to a West End gymnasium where, at the age of fifty-six, he acts as a kind of human punch-ball.

Few people can stand a flush hit to the face, even when the striker wears heavy boxing-gloves. This wonderful fellow makes nothing of a full smash on the jaw from a man half as big as himself. He merely grins.

Johannesburg, greatest of gold cities, has a population of nearly 150,000 black men, most of whom are employed in the mines. If one of these gets into trouble, whether as a result of beating his neighbor over the head with a knobkerrie or merely committing petty larceny, off he goes to Mamelankundi.

Curing M.P.'s of Shyness

This gentleman's real name is Graham Ballenden. Officially, he is Director of Native Affairs for the City; actually, the natives regard him as their white father, and believe him to be the person who will take the blame for all their crimes and misdemeanors.

If he does not quite do that he does the next best thing. His native name means Peace-Maker, and he does, in fact, act as mediator between black men and white. It is no joke being father to 150,000 blacks, as Mr. Ballenden says himself, it is a twenty-four-hour job.

The House of the Nine Books is in Chelsea, and is the home of Mme. d'Esterre, a lady whose pupils are politicians and M.P.'s, whom she cures in a few lessons of shyness, hesitation, or stage fright. More than that, she teaches them how to speak.

In Japan crowds still gather around the professional story-teller. English people rarely become proficient in Japanese, which is a most difficult language, yet one of the most celebrated of Japanese story-tellers is an Englishman named Black, whose knowledge of the language is so perfect and his wit so brilliant that he is more popular in Tokio than most native professionals.

Their Secret Art

Violins and 'cell belonging to well-known players are usually very valuable and heavily insured. There are a few men in this country—perhaps six in all—who make a living as instrument porters. These are so well known and so dependable that a great artist will trust one of them to take his \$5000 violin from London to Edinburgh, if need be. Naturally, they are well paid for their services.

We all know that the United States holds most of the world's stocks of gold and silver. There are vaults at the Philadelphia Treasury which contain millions in minted dollars. The coins are kept in bags, each holding one thousand dollars. It is said that there are only two men in the world who thoroughly understand the art of piling these dollar bags ceiling high so that there is no risk of their falling.

A man named Toughill originally invented the method of piling these bags safely, and before he retired he took a pupil, who in turn, taught the secret to another man. Thus, there are always two men, and two only, who can do this particular job. An important job, for the bags are very heavy, and if they fell someone would probably get badly hurt.

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Australia's 15,000 letters will be transferred at various points so as to reach Port Darwin, on the western Australian coast, on April 19. An Australian machine will pick them up there and carry them eastward across the island continent. Return mail from Port Darwin will leave there on April 27 and reach Croyden on May 14, approximately seventeen days en route, or a saving of thirteen days over the surface route.

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London.—Inhabitants of the Gilbert and Ellice Islands Protectorate have gone far toward solving a problem which vexes many parts of the civilized world today—that of the discharged prisoner.

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The temporary inhabitants are taught useful trades, besides being better fed and cared for than when outside, so that on emerging, as the best trained people in the colony, there is a great demand for their services. The colony is at present in a patriarchal state of development with the best relations existing between the governing and the governed.

These islands are said to be the most advanced of any of the Pacific islands in local government, each having a native magistrate or mayor assisted by a council of headmen who act as its administration and court under European supervision.

Though the Island Protectorate, states the report, only consists of about 200 square miles, an outline of 1,660,000 square miles would not contain the total area of the Protectorate.

The two Pacific groups of coral islands whose inhabitants are somewhat akin in race to the Samoans, form the center of this watery sphere, but other islands attached to them, such as Christmas Island, are as far as 1500 miles away.

The seat of Government to today at Ocean Island, covering about 1400 acres, only 250 miles from the Ellice Islands. Sole natural land products are the coconut palm, pandanus palm and a coarse tuber. The natives are very far behind Samoa, however, in their methods of copra cultivation and preparation, as the average yield is only 6 cwt. per acre as against up to 16 in the latter.

Imports in 1919 totaled £150,000, and exports £348,000. America supplies most of the canned goods, of which the islands import a considerable amount, and Australia most of the other products. The copra goes mainly to America and Australia.

The Christian Science Monitor.

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