The Double-Cross

By RA McGIVE

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CHE put the empty milk glass in the sink, brushed a few crumbs from the baggy sweater and bent over to fix her bobby socks. "Mother, the high school prom is next 'Friday."

"Is it, Betty?"

"Yes, and I want to go." "But, Betty, the country club is having a dance for the younger set on that night. Your father is president of it.

"And that's the trouble."

"What do you mean?" "I want to go with Willie Brock. And you know father won't let me go with our paper boy. He's swell."

"Willie's a nice boy, but wouldn't he be out of place at the country "That's just it, Mother. He can't

afford to go places like the country club. But he could take me to the prom. It's informal."

"Have you as! d him?"

"No, but I know he wants to ask me. He's just a little shy-but I can get him to ask me if I like. She grinned.

Her mother looked astonished for a minute and then grinned too. "Yes, I suppose you can."

"And you can get Daddy to let me go if you want to."

"How can I do that?" Betty laughed. "The same way I can get Willie to ask me." She traced a circle with the toe of her shoe on the linoleum. "I was at Mary Thompson's the other day and her mother was talking about the time all of you were in college She said Daddy was pretty popular and that you had to lick the field to get him."

Her mother's voice was sharp. "Well, May Thompson ought to know!"

"What do you mean by that Mother?"

"Never mind."

"How about Willie?" "We'll see. Run along now, I'm busy."

The air was blue the next morning and Mother was having little success in calming the man of the "Now, Joe. Betty will be down in a minute and you don't want her to hear that kind of language."

"Why not? She's probably heard worse. Eggs like rocks, toast burned to cinders, coffee like . . say, what did you use this morning in the coffeepot?"

"I don't intend to sit here and listen to you grouse. You can eat downtown any time you care to. Anyone would think I'd poisoned you."

"You ought to know what a breakfast like this does to me. I won't feel right all morning."

"It's too bad about you!" "Oh, is it? Sometimes you make me sick and. . . . " he lowered his

voice. "Oh, mornin', Betty." She beamed as she slid on to a chair. "Good morning, Daddy." "Aren't you going to say good morping to your mother?" he asked

as he put aside the paper. "The child doesn't have to if she doesn't feel like it and, besides, want to talk to you later about Betty."

The newspaper fell to the floor as he let go of it. "What in heaven's name is the matter with you this morning? We'll talk now. When the day comes that I have to speak about my daughter behind closed doors . . . well, what is it?"

"Betty wants to go to the high school prom with Willie Brock next

Friday." "And who is Willie Brock, and

why shouldn't she go with him?" "Why, Joe, you know well enough! The very idea-our paper boy taking my daughter to a high school dance instead of to the country club! What will May Thompson think of

His folks haven't a nickel

He cut her short and turned to his daughter. "Betty, you may go to whatever dance you want with anyone you choose." He shook his "Your mother going high .1" His chair scraped the floor as he brought the flat of his hand down hard. The dishes . Not if I have any say about it. Furthermore, I'm going to have breakfast downtown'

In a moment the front door closed with a bang. Betty, looking very much worried, said Willie was O. K." Her mother kissed Betty's cheek. "Run along, dear." And she added with a wink "I hope Willie is easier to handle."

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30, 1947.

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