### CHAPTER ONE.

Mary Harkness, dancing with Dirk Ruyther's arm about her, thought she had never been so happy in her life Not even that night in the garden a short while ago when she and Dirk had first known they loved on an other. Not tonight at dinner with all her friends grouped about the flower-banked table. Mr. Jupiter proposing a toast. Everyone's eyes upon them, merry and mocking, and trying to appear surprised.

tried on before the pier-glass in her room the first Paris dress she had up-Cornelia Tabor, of the silk mills ever owned. All these were rungs in Tabors, who had everything money the ladder of her present happiness. could buy except Dirk, and didn't like But when you were as completely, as it in the least. idiotically blissful, as she was at this moment, you had to do something ed with a deep sigh of contentment. about it, and this was what she want- "The grandest party in fact that anyed to do-just dance, dance on for- body I know ever had. Mrs. Jupiter ever with Dirk's arm about her, his must be Santa Claus, to have done dark lean face close to hers, his lips all this for me." at her ear murmuring tender banter, Dirk smiled, but he was not too while the slow rhythm of the tango pleased; he was in that stage of love carried them dreamily down the in which he was jealous even of her length of the great ballroom on its gratitude. If people were to do things sensuous tide.

she couldn't have bought one on Fifth | now on Mary was his. Avenue, not even at a marked-down sale. That dress, like everything else his hostess judiciously from a disyears since her father had died, a Christmas tree from here." suicide, and her mother soon after, had been the Jupiters' gift. She owed pain. so many visits to the house with a even to Dirk.

There had been an interval that all at the same time?"

knew the children's plight and knew of show.

"kid" brother she had always 'ooked them off for anything in the world."

ing it. He had no job, but there was both sincere and deep. a fair living to be picked up at the race-tracks, he told her, and in other Looking down into the flushed, seri- saw his dark head threading its way continue until frost, so that blooms feel at home in the club. Some begi ways he did not elucidate. There was ous face of the girl he loved, he for- among the throng, saw Cornelia leave will be of larger size. worry a little and make him promise lovely she was, and that she was his. off with him, looking terribly pleased. to come to her first if ever he were She had stopped speaking for some Need he have taken her quite so should not be set out until danger but she had been too happy and en- He drew a deep breath and resumed | She mustn't stand here, being jea :- plants of the variety wanted and se grossed in her love affair to think his bantering tone. about it much.

Just now, when it seemed that her inexplicable feeling of fear came over ment ring under his nose. "Don't I easiness clutching at her heart. her. The world had dropped from drag this enormous rock around with beneath her feet once; it might again | me all the time, though it nearly Staring into the past with tragic, un- wrenches my arm off?" seeing eyes, she put her hand to her "Don't jeer. Some day I'll turn you

throat, which ached with pent-up Dirk tightened his arm about her

sensing her mood. "Don't cry, little girl," he gibei, you don't have to marry me. I can always jump off a bridge-or marry Greta Garbo."

That wasn't a tactful thing to say, he realized in dismay even as he said it-that about jumping off a bridge. How had her father done it? Poison, he thought. But Mary laughed-her mood vanished as quickly as it came. Not even yesterday when she had Greta Garbo was their name for the girl who had never quite given Dirk

"It's a grand party," Mary remark-

for her, he was the one to do them. A Paris dress! And five years ago Nice of the old lady, surely; but from

"Yes," he agreed, after observing good that had come to her in the tance. "She looks rather like a loose in the dime store and you can about over. As they are planted fairly

them everything—even Dirk, in a "Don't!" she said. Mrs. Jupiter's doorway; his eyes roved the room but not after they really begin to way. If the younger member of Ruy- manner of dress might be showy even anxiously. Mary slipped out of Dirk's grow. There is nothing to be gained ther and Ruyther, Mr. Jupiter's per- to the point of vulgarity, but Mary's arms. sonal attorneys, had not had to make loyalty would not let her admit it, "I see Spence over there, all atwit- there is not much growth with these

gentleman's rheumatism kept him in- soul," Dirk answered reasonably, mob like this!" doors she and Dirk might never have "but honestly, where does she get all Dirk recaptured her hand. "Oh. let tial shade in the middle of the day.

was painful for both the Harkness | Mary caught a glimpse of her em- laundry ticket for a bid. He'll get ing the whole day the blooms will soon coildren to remember. Mary, a hop - ployer's impressive coiffure with its over it. Serve him right for giving fade. These bulbs, or more correctly less novice and bungler at typing, pit. glittering bandeau of diamonds, be- up a promising career to buttle. Did speaking, corms, should not be plantting her superior "advantages" tween the heads of the dancers, and you know Spence used to be a prize- ed in the same place year after year, against the experience of other girls she could imagine the gen,-hung ex- fighter in London? Fact." and losing out often. Eddie tramp- parse below. It was really too bad; "When did you and Spence get so disease. For decorative effect plant ing about after office boys' jobs and people talked about it, and poked fun chummy?" plainly relieved when he did not get at her. But Mary, who knew why sle "Waiting for you, my love." did it, felt a twinge of shame that Spence by this time had caught this case the corms should be spaced At last, of course, there was the other people could not see it, also. It Mary's eye, and by violent exercise of eight inches apart but only four friend of a friend who was not because she was vain or fond the eyebrows conveyed his urgent inches if grown in rows. Plant from

also the Jupiters and their peculiar | "She doesn't do it because she's | Mary sighed. "I must go see what the soil the deeper the planting. Culneeds. Someone who belonged in that silly, or doesn't know any better," he wants." It was hard to come down tivate freely until flower buds begin world to which Mrs. Jupiter was a Mary defended hotly. "She does it to to earth and remember that for all to form and water if necessary. New c. ass newcomer was just what she please Dad. He gave them to her, her Cinderella trappings, she was corms will be formed during the groweded in a secretary. Later, when you know. Those rubies-has she got still a paid employe with duties to ing season and these, together with Mary had had to give up the small them on?—are simply priceless, attend to. apartment she and her brother shared They're heavy to wear and an awful Dirk whirled her away toward after the foilage dies down and stored because her scruples interfered with responsibility. She has to keep a con- where the butler waited. Mary said, away in a frost proof cellar. Dahlias his "life," she had felt that life could stant look-out for thieves. But J. J. is "I'll be back in five minutes. Go will grow in heavier soil than is best only be unutterably dreary even in so proud that he's rich enough to give dance with Cornelia, why don't you? for Gladiolus, but if very clayey loosen such luxurious surroundings as the them to her, and all the diamonds and She'd love it," and laughed wickedly up with ashes, leaves or coarse manupiter home, separated from the other things, that she wouldn't leave at his grimace of distaste.

after and loved. But Eddie did not Dirk was absorbed in watching tike to live where her money paid the Mary as she talked; earnestness, and on the telephone." rent; it gave her the right to say the unusual animation of the moment, Eddie? You mean my brother, Make sure that there is a sprout on A children's club of unique character became her. His amused estimate of Eddie?" It came into her mind, irre- each tuber. If you want tall plants, has been founded in Berlin. Here the Well, he had been "on his own" for the Jupiters went down under the levantly, that it was after midnight. trim off side shoots and train main children of all ages, primarily school a year now and he seemed to be mak- force of her admiration, which was Why should Eddie call her at such | stem to stake. In any case, it is well children, may do what they please and

nothing she could do about it except got everything for a time except how the man she was talking to and move in need. She had not seen him of late, minutes before he was aware of it. literally at her word?

time?" he asked lightly.

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go the limit, my girl!"

Spence's silver thatch in the hall stand a little frost when first set out,

ter about something. I'd better go things before the first of June. The satchel of legal papers when the old "I know you're fond of the old over. Poor Spence, how he hates a Gladiolus prefers rich, open soil and a

> the doo-dads? And why wear them Lim stew." He was amiable but firm. Most flowers thrive best in this way "Some chap's probably given him a because if exposed to the full sun dur-

need to speak to her.

The butler bent to her ear.

ous where everybody could see her. lecting a dull day or evening to pre-"Will you do as much for me some- What was it she had come over here vent wilting, set out from eighteen "Of course," Mar laughed, wag- those two out of her mind, she went

thought about it. have agitated him so?

to think what the trouble might be. more room. Tomatoes prefer loam All that betting on horse races-it soil, and during early growth they was gambling, of course, and against must be cultivated at least once a the law. Eddie had had one or two week. skirmishes with the police before for the unconventional manner in which he drove his roadster. It might be that-he might have struck somebody, and be running away. The police shelter for a family of muskrats as might be after him. The very thought well as for their beaver tenants. It is left her sick with shame and fright. believed that the muskrats do no Or he might need money. She tried share the actual living quarters of the think how much she had.

> (To be continued.) SAGES

To know how to say what others only care to think makes men poets and sages; to know how to do what others only dare to say makes men martyrs or reformers or both.

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## In The Garden

Pick Out Flowers To Suit Even if our flower garden is small or shaded or contains poor soil, we should not be discouraged. After all, there is something that will fit in and do well and it is this adapting of our garden to meet our own individual conditions that adds so much pleasure to the hobby. In permanently shaded quarters, that is where there is shade from some building or fence the year round, tuberous rooted Begonias, Pansies and wild flowers will do well. In fact, they prefer this location to any other. In partial shade, Clarkia, Annual Larkspur, Lupine Nicotine, Phlox and Verbena should be grown. On poor soil, Portulaca is a Cheap Steel Houses favorite, as well as Alyssum, Sweetscented Stocks, Linum, Calendula, Calliopsis, Sunflowers, 3chi unthus, Salpiglossis, Marigolds, Petunias and m'ny others. These will also more Museum Gets Historic Flysuccessfully resist dry weather than most others. For cutting purposes

we have a very long list to choose

planted until danger from frost is

bouquets, Salpiglossis, Sweet Pea, Zin- recently shown in a village on the outnias, Cosmos, Asters, Marigolds and skirts of Berlin. The houses are in-Scabiosa. If we prize fragrance, we tended as patterns of cheap and pracshould i clude Stocks, Nicotine, Mig- tical dwellings for workmen. Those nonette, Alyssum, Sweet Sultan and finding most favor are built of steel

Verbena. In the evening, particularly, plates, each plate being one meter by a few of these will fill the whole garden with a delightful odour. There plates are turned over to a depth of are several hardy annuals which can be picked with long stems just before boxes which are screwed together.

The edges of the most. The idea itself is not new. Quite an amusing attempt along this line has been made by M. Geisensoon return and as the first bees enter the bloom opens and dried for winter Placed on end the "box bricks" are heimer and M. Bertina in the Frank- the new hive release the queen amongst bouquets. These include the Straw then filled with concrete and form furter Zeitung where they recently them. Now put a queen excluder over Flower, Statice, Acroclinium, Rho- weatherproof walls. So simple is the published "a view of northern Italy." the new hive and above it place the danthe and many others. Dahlias and Gladiolus Dahlias and Gladiolus sheuld not be

deep and it will be a week at least be-Mary squeezed his hand in quick Just then Mary caught sight of fore the first shoots appear, they will demand. The houses can be painted any color desired. anyway from too early planting, as location where there will be some parbut should be moved around to prevent

in clumps of one variety, like Tulips, with eight to a dozen in each clump. In two to thre inches deep, the lighter the Dahlias tubers, should be lifted ure. Lay the tubers on their sides water on which this type of machine

from three to six inches deep, depend-"It's Mr. Eddie, Miss Mary. He's ing on the kind of soil, and provide stakes for the taller growing varieties.

Best Way to Handle Tomatoes Tomatoes are another thing which

for? Then she remembered. Putting inches to two feet apart. It is well to water and add a pinch of some quickhappiness had reached its crest, an gling the finger that held her engage- toward the telephone, a strange un- ly available fertilizer like nitrate of soda, about as much as would go on a quarter, when transplanting. This Mary turned away from the tele- should not be allowed to come in conphone with deep misgivings. The few tact with the plant or roots, however. frightened, jerky sentences her bro- It is a good plan to dissolve in water ther had gasped out filled her with and apply fertilizer in this way. Fix alarm that grew deeper the more she stout six-foot stakes close to each plant, and as growth starts, nip off all Something must be very wrong side shoots and train to single main indeed to have upset her brother's cool stem, which should be tied at foot in self-possession in any such manner. tervals, loosely, to the stake. When If there was anything Mr. Edward plant reaches top of stake, nip off the Harkness Junior prided himself on main stem, and it may also be advissince his prep school days, it was his able to trim off part of the leaves to nonchalance. "A man of the world"- induce early ripening. Tomatoes that was Eddie, always. What could staked in this way are earlier and cleaner than if allowed to sprawl on Mary sat still for a moment, trying the ground where they also take up

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Munich.-The German Museum in Munich has just received a valuable addition to the already large number of varied and interesting exhibits "Whale" flying boat, D-1422. This mahas a history which few airplanes or in his daring flight to the north pole. map. In 1927, the flying boat was completely overhauled and reconditioned, and was employed by Capt. F. T. Courtney, British pilot, in an unsuccessful attempt increased five times, the number of to cross the Atlantic from Portugal to men students only 50 per cent. Since Wolfgang von Gronau in his antarctic has trebled. To-day about 22,000 woexplorations and first flight from Ger- men are studying in Germany, or about Oh, many's the thing you'd see on sented to the German Museum (Deut- students at Prussian universities, of the past years, it was found pos- last year. At present 1900 women is intended to land.

### Learning Made Easy

to nip off a few of the flower buds not what they must. At first, they are Dirk had moved off obediently. She which start opening in late July and all a bit at a loss, but soon begin to HIGHEST PRICES PAID French or English conversations: others start modeling with clay an there is a sculptor present who car help them; young girls discover a sudden pleasure for crochet work. Some of the children ask a question and one of the adults present discusses it with all seriousness. Soon a little circle has gathered which listens with rapt nterest. When the children realize that everything is permitted that they would like to do, they begin to learn without even knowing it.

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# How To Capture A Swarm of Bees

(Experimental Farm Note)

"A swarm of bees in May is worth a

load of hay. swarm of bees in June is worth a silver spoon,

swarm of bees in July is not worth a fly."

A swarm of bees represents the working force of a colony and therefore is a valuable thing to captive and hive, especially if it is a prme or first swarm and emerges early in the season. When a swarm leaves its hive the queen of the colony goes with it. information, especially when he is tra- otherwise the swarm soon returns to veling for sight-seeing, recreation, its former home and because of that amusement. They show him where fact, many beekeepers follow the prac-Shown in Germany there are mountains, rivers, lakes, the tice of clipping their queens' wings besea, but nothing about the people, their fore the swarming season starts, in orart, customs and history. Guidebooks der to prevent the escape of swarms are very practical as they contain all later in the season. The same practice the important information. But this is followed in the Experimental Apiary is given in the somewhat laborious on the Central Experimental Farm at way of the printed word. One reads Ottawa and the following methods are ideal, so it seems, would be a combina- of a swarm is an easy matter. While tion of map and information. Then the swarm is still in the air search for the traveler could trace his way across the queen in front of the hive entrance a country and read all about it at the and when found place her in a small Here one sees mountains as moun-tains, the sea is dotted with sailboats, will then go to work as though nothswarm it usually clusters on some Here are lovely mosaic pictures and nearby object for a few hours and polite cabmen; this little town is quite a hive with drawn comb or foundation Italian with a marble cathedral, and and then if the object on which the swarm has clustered is movable it can Verona has this description: You must be carried to the hive and the bees which are contained in its Aviation get out here. One of the most lovely shaken down in front of it when they Department - namely, the famous | Venetian cities. History! Art! Happy | will quickly enter the hive. If, however, the cluster cannot be carried to chine is only seven years old, but it arena. Romeo and Juliet!" We even the hive, carry the hive to it and place learn that Gerhart Hauptmann, the it on the ground so that the entrance flying machines can match. Built in great German author, may be seen is beneath the swarm. Now sharply 1925, at the Dorner Metal Construct promenading in Rapallo in the spring, shake or brush the bees down in front tion Works at Friedrichshfen, it was a piece of information no guidebook of the hive, moving the hive up close used the following year by Amundsen would contain-let alone an ordinary to the fallen bees, where they will soon find the entrance and signal the others to follow them home .- C. B. Gooder-

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### Dublin Roads

South America. After this, it served 1925 the number of women students When you were a lad that lacked a

New York. The flying boat was pre- students. About half of the women From Kill-o'-the-Grange to Bally-

sches Museum) by the Dornier Com- roughly 5000, were preparing for And from Cabinteely down into Bray pany, and, despite the wear and tear teachers' positions at higher schools When you walked these roads the who'e of a day.

> High walls there would be to the left and right, With ivies growing across their top, With the death of curiosity we may And a briary ditch on the other side,

reckon that active intelligence has And a place where the quiet goat might crop. And a wayside bench where a man could stop.

> A hen that had found a thing in her One would think, the way she went

bench was there. And a cock that thought he crew

mightily. And all the stir of the worl

A cart that went creaking along the road. And another cart that kept coming

A man breaking stones: for bits of One stroke and another would come

to you clear. And then no more from the stonebreaker.

And his day went by as the clouds went by. As nammer in hand he sat alone, Breaking the mendings of the road;

The dazzles up from the stones were When, after the rain, the sun down-

And you'd leave him there, that stone-breaker, And you'd wonder who came to see

Sewing machines, vacuum cleaners, lawn mowers, the electric motors of what was done washers, fans, refrigerators and By him, in a day, or a month, or a simple devices have a tendency to collect dirt and rust when not in

He broke a stone and another one, And you left him there and you travelled on . . .

Then men would go by with a rick 3-in-One Oil will do these three of hav things. For, unlike ordinary oil, it Piled on a cart; with them you

is really three high quality oils in one-animal, mineral and vegetable. Walking beside the piled-up load It penetrates quickly, cleans the t would seem as if it left the horses metal surfaces, "stays put," reduces

They went with such a stride and so heardly

And so you'd go back along the road. =From "Old Pastures", by Padraic

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