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JUST A GIRL

BY JANE PHELPS

AUNT SUSAN TELLS A STORY

CHAPTER 88. "Oh, look Aunt Susan! I found the attic! May I use it?" I exclaimed as I staggered under my heavy load.

"You shouldn't have carried it down, Zena. Why didn't you call me?" she said as I put the typewriter on the table, breathing hard as I did so.

"I'm all right! I was so excited when I found it. Where did you get a typewriter, Aunt Susan?"

"A young man boarded with me a long time ago. He left it, and never sent for it. In fact, I never heard from him after he left!"

"How long ago was that Susan?"

"About four years."

"Then I may use it!" I exclaimed. "Certainly! Use it all you want to. I am sure the young man would not object. I believe something must have happened to him."

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CUTICURA HEALED BABY'S RINGWORM

On Head, Cross and Fretful. Hair Fell Out.

"When my baby was three months old her head broke out in little red pimples and then in a week or two she had ringworm. The ringworms were very large and there were several on her head, and her scalp would bleed. She was very cross and fretful as these, and her hair was falling out."

"I used Cuticura Soap and Ointment, and after I had used one cake of Cuticura Soap and two boxes of Cuticura Ointment she was healed." (Signed) Mrs. Leah Sargent, Nampa, Idaho, Feb. 24, 1919.

"I will Thank you for the suggestion," I replied as I followed Mother with the typewriter to the room Aunt Susan had made mine while I was with them.

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CHAPTER 88 LOVING GREETINGS

Another month passed before the doctor would give his consent to my returning to Chicago, and to work. And then it was only after repeated warnings, coupled with advice, that he said I might try it. I was glad to go back for many reasons. I felt I had no right to be taking my weekly salary when I was doing absolutely nothing to help, although Mary kept reminding me that she was only paying me back her share of the investment. Then, too, I realized I was not strong, and that the little shop was not going to be possible for me. I had not told Mother this, I dared not worry her. But I knew, at cooking over a hot stove, carrying trays, and all that, were beyond me, and would be for some time—perhaps forever.

"I had made good headway with my typing. Yet I wrote very slowly and made many mistakes. My plan was to help Mary as much as I could for a time, to practice constantly, then get an office position. I had not thought I might also need to know stenography to get a place. My book of instructions came promptly. It had helped me immensely, and I now could write with very few mistakes."

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"Yes, Mother dear, and liable to remain Zena Stewart until the end of the chapter."

Farmers Wife Gains 15 Pounds

LOOKS SO WELL SINCE TAKING TANLAC HER BEST FRIENDS HARDLY KNOW HER

"Tanlac has been such a wonderful blessing to my wife, that I shall praise it as long as I live, recently declared Atherton Titus, a well-known and prosperous farmer, living at Perry's Point, N. B."

"She certainly was in a terrible condition before taking Tanlac. Why, for ten years her stomach was so bad she didn't dare eat anything like pork or pancakes, and even oatmeal would sour and cause gas to form that bled her up till she was in perfect agony. She fell off in weight until she was a mere shadow of what she used to be and became so weak she could hardly do a thing about the house. To make matters worse rheumatism set in, and the pain in her arms and legs was so awful it kept her awake for hours at night. She tried nearly every thing in the way of medicines and treatment but never got anything more than temporary relief until she tried Tanlac."

"In all my life I've never seen anything to equal the way Tanlac got rid of all her troubles, and she built her up up where she was like an entirely different woman. She can now eat anything, and is never troubled in the least with sourness or gas. She has gained all of fifteen pounds in weight and her looks have so improved that her best friends hardly know her."

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"What made you run away? I don't quite understand," she remarked. "Don't you see, Mary? I'll have the worst things with so different. I refused to marry him once a week in the old days. Now he wouldn't want me. I have changed so, Mary, while he is the same insouciant fellow he always was."

"I don't know what you mean by that big word, but I'll bet my new hat that cost me \$5 that if he ever wanted you, he hasn't stopped wanting. I'll bet a nickel you are in love with someone else you used to know, or you wouldn't have run away from him."

"I love someone?—did I love Kenneth Lawrence?" I whispered question and answer as Mary left me a moment.

MARY QUOTES HER MOTHER

CHAPTER 90. During the evening Mary returned to my meeting with Jack Pryor. She was so sympathetic, so sweet, that I just laid my head on her shoulder and had a good cry. The disappointment because of not seeing the unexpected meeting, and the memories it had evoked, had made me foolish—I told her. She patted and comforted me as if I were a child instead of as old as she. I soon felt better.

"A little cry don't hurt no one. So said as I wiped my eyes. For go to bed. He'll most likely go back to New York tomorrow, and you'll never see him again—unless you send for him."

"I'll never do that you may be sure," I replied as I followed Mary's advice and went to bed. But I did not share her optimism. The next day when I went out I wore a veil and carefully kept away from any place where it was at all likely I would run across the slightest Jack Pryor. I walked as elegantly as possible, as I applied at place after place, only to be told they were filled or that I was not expert enough. The street cars were sure to be safe for me, men like Jack Pryor did not ride on them as a rule.

As the days passed and I saw nothing more of Jack, I again breathed freely. Mary was not with me as much as before I had taken her. For one thing, I only spent a couple of hours each morning with her at the shop, and for another, her evenings were mostly given up to Thomas Clancy. She had become engaged to Thomas and they were to be married as soon as they had saved enough to furnish a home.

"I shall keep right on working when we are married," Mary said when she told me of her engagement, and showed me her ring. "A girl never knows how a man is going to turn out, and I ain't takin' any chances. Tom is all to the merriness as far as I know. But a man till he's lived with him and I sort of have a notion he was right."

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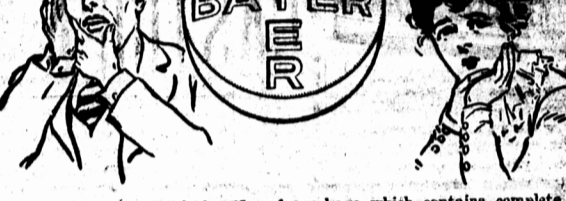


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to it so there would be no trouble about bills, and so forth, and I felt that I could not go on taking money from her much longer. As I never had been able to redeem my jewelry, and the interest would soon fall due, I could send Mother nothing at this time, and could see no chance to keep my promise to make a home for her. I often wondered what I should do when my clothes wore out and I had to replace them. So far I had spent very little for clothing. Some low-heeled shoes, one cheap suit, aprons, and a few little things had been the extent of my purchases. I had become desperate. I offered to work for little or nothing until I had proved my worth, only to be told there was no place for me. Then one day when everything looked darkest, I determined to try one more place before I gave up. I applied at the office of a firm of brokers. They had advertised that they wanted a girl immediately.

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The twins got mosquito bitten

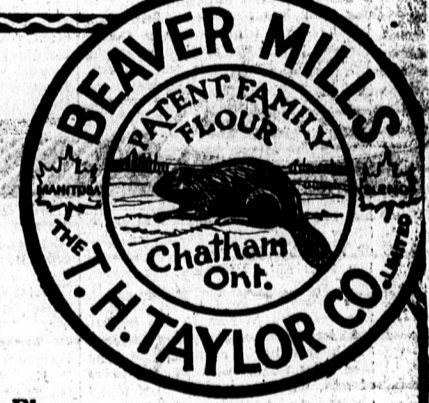
They got it bad, Johnny scratched and Jennie scraped, but the itch kept on. Pretty soon the skin was broken—and sleep, too. The druggist advised Mother to use



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