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Africa Flight

By Val Gleagud

"I know. You're an exception to the rule. And I like exceptions. Give me a variety. You know we're actually beginning to get along quite nicely. I wish you'd tell me why you find this scheme of mine so funny."

Larrimore began to walk up and down the room as he had walked the office floor the same morning, with the nervous lithic stride of one of the greater cats behind bars.

"All right," he jerked out. "I will. I could understand it if it was a genuine scientific thing, or even a purely advertising stunt. Although personally I never read advertisements, and I don't pretend to understand scientists. But this mixed grill of the two—and your passenger lists the most singular since Noah and his Ark!"

Sir George smiled pleasantly. "Will you get cross with me again," he purred. "If I suggest that you read too many newspapers altogether. You've taped me as the typical Big Bad Business Wolf—without bowels or scruples or ideals! Well, I am a business man, and I know that 'The Star of the East' pulling off this stunt flight will do Associated Airways no end of good. Which is my business. But it'll do other things a service too, Larrimore. I'm old-fashioned enough to believe in the Empire, and I'm modern enough to know that the imaginative development of our Civil Aviation is the only thing that can hold the Empire together."

"Practical idealism—yes, that's sound enough, Sir George," "Besides," went on George Mansson, "I'm fond of Hubert. He's one of the best scientific brains in this country, and for some reason best known to himself, he's set his heart on an aerial survey of Saharan trade-routes."

"Very well. Now the rest of the personnel—the spare pilot is for your very necessary relief. I explained to you this morning that Hubert goes nowhere and does nothing without his wife. His servant's an ex-soldier, and a useful, sensible fellow—"

Larrimore turned in his prowl. "Yes, yes—what about this German fellow, the Professor's secretary, and, 'your daughter?'"

Sir George concealed his expression behind a cloud of smoke from his cigar. "The German fellow happens to be one of the best camera-men in Germany. He's no ginger in Germany, because he happens to be a Jew."

"Obviously." "Antony Sothern has been Hubert's personal secretary and assistant for several years. You'll like him. With regard to my daughter—"

"This time Sir George was not watching the speaker's face, or his anxiety might have developed into concrete form. "Well," he said a trifle impatiently, "you know what the modern young woman is. She isn't she would like the experience, and I've thought she would do it herself much good just knocking about the West End of London."

"Of course it's not my business, Sir George, but I've proposed to cure a little drastic!" "I wish," said Sir George, "that you'd knock out that pipe and take a cigar. Carol will be company for her aunt."

Larrimore laughed harshly. "I can see there's something behind this, which you won't tell me," he said. "Don't bother to make up a yarn. I don't care whether she comes or not so long as she doesn't want to bring those cabin-trunks with her. She's not in love, I suppose? With the German fellow or your spare pilot? I can't do with amorous complications?"

Sir George looked up. It seemed his acute ear that a hint of genuine anxiety had come into Larrimore's voice.

At which point he made a mistake—a mistake which was to have consequences far more serious than he could have imagined. He decided to say nothing of Carol's "understanding" with Antony Sothern. After all it wasn't a real engagement, was it? He couldn't have Larrimore crying off at that stage for such a silly reason. "My dear fellow!" he murmured soothingly, "Carol has never met Kerr—the pilot—in her life. Otto Fleisch is bald, plain and middle-aged, and she and Tony Sothern have always lived in each other's pockets more or less. I don't think you need be worried by the possibilities of romance!"

"Thank you," said Larrimore. "I only just wanted to know." He had stooped to knock out his pipe into the grate. He did not knock it out. He stayed most elegantly scooping his breath caught. For Carol Manson was standing in the doorway. She was wearing a simply-cut silver evening dress. Her eyes were shining. She looked unbelievably lovely. And Larrimore realized that she was looking very steadfastly at him—and that his heart was beating as if it must burst his chest.

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W.C.T.U. NOTES

LOVE THYSELF LAST

(Tune—I Would Be True)

Love thyself last. Look near, behold thy duty
To those who walk beside thee down life's road.
Make glad their days with little acts of beauty.
And help them bear the burden of earth's load.

Love thyself last. Look far and find the stranger
Who staggers neath his sin and his despair.
Go, lend a hand, and lead him out of danger,
To heights where he may see the world is fair.

Love thyself last, and thou shalt grow in spirit
To see, to hear, to know and understand
The message of the stars, lo, thou shalt hear it,
And all God's joys shall be at thy command.

Till next month,
Edna Grant.

ALCOHOL QUIZ

1. Has the use of a small quantity of beer any effect on adult vision?

Yes, the effect may not be noticeable in some men for ten or fifteen minutes. The action of directing the gaze toward a new object is performed by every person, except the blind, all through his waking hours. It seems simple, but it requires the relaxing contracting of twelve muscles of the eyeball. The effect of alcohol upon this action was tested upon six men. It was found that even 1½ hours after taking two glasses of weak beer, (3.5%) the beginning of such movement was delayed 15% over that in tests without alcohol.

2. Has a small quantity of alcohol a similar slowing effect on manual skill?

Yes. Six young men typists were observed at the Carnegie Institute, Washington, D.C., to discover the effect of a small quantity of alcohol upon skill. Every day they were given a flavored drink. On certain days one ounce of alcohol was added. Because of the flavor, they did not know on which days they took alcohol. The measuring instruments showed that their fingers moved more slowly, and their eyes glanced less quickly across the pages, but the quality of the work suffered more than the quantity. While the men typed fairly rapidly after taking alcohol, they made more mistakes. If 100 stood for the usual errors and speed, after alcohol the errors increased to 130 but the speed was reduced only to 97½.

This slowing up of vision and of manual skill, even 1½ hours after a small dose of alcohol, means much in the use of machinery or the control of an automobile. Even liquor dealers are saying: "If you drink, don't drive!" and some are admitting (the Northern California Retail Dealers' Association and the Wholesale Liquor Distributors of Northern California) that one drink impairs driving ability.

GAMBLING

Everywhere youth meets the insidious dare, to take a chance, win a prize. Many people concentrate attention to win from others in raffles, sweepstakes and many gambling devices, in which the gainer gives nothing and renders no service to the loser. A Christian brings discredit to that name when he indulges in some sport by which he benefits by his brother's loss.

—Mrs. G. C. King, Superintendent National Anti-Gambling

CENTRAL GUARDIAN

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THE SHEEP BREEDERS' ASSOCIATION, Charlottetown, are now open to receive your wool. Ship freight collect. Pack in old sacks and tag each fleece separately. Shipping tags and paper, string supplied free.

ENGAGEMENT. — Mr. and Mrs. Lorenzo Smith, Hunter River, announce the engagement of their daughter Margaret Ellen, to George Foster, son of Mr. and Mrs. John A. Whitehead of Graham's Road. Marriage to take place the last of June.

CENTRAL ROYALTY W. I.

The June meeting of the Central Royalty W. I. was held at the home of Mrs. Stewart Wright on June 2nd, 1949. In the absence of the president, Mrs. Howatt, vice-president, presided, and opened the meeting by singing the Ode and repeating the Creed in unison. Roll call was answered by nineteen members and three visitors. Minutes were read and approved. Reports from the committees were given. Secretary reported twelve cards and one plant sent in May. Mrs. Cheverie gave the school report followed by the report of the Red Cross report. 5 children's dresses, 5 nighties, 5 prs. pyjamas, 8 toques, 1 scarf, 1 pr. socks were handed in to the Red Cross rooms. The treasurer's report had a balance of \$261.07. Correspondence read and discussed.

Thank-you notes were read; also a letter of thanks from Mrs. Haslam for the blanket sent to the League of Mercy.

A letter from Mrs. Stewart was read about the display of handicraft at the Exhibition in August followed by a discussion.

Delegates appointed for the annual W. I. convention held on June 7th and 8th are Mrs. Cheverie and Mrs. Carr. Substitutes appointed are Mrs. Ward and Mrs. Agnew. Collection amounted to \$227.

It was decided to take a treat to the school closing instead of a picnic.

New committees were appointed: Sick, everyone; Garden committee, Mrs. Kells, Mrs. W. Wood, and Mrs. MacRae; lunch committee, Mrs. Cecil Wood, Mrs. Russell Roper, Mrs. Wright, Mrs. Agnew, Mrs. Currie as hostess.

Programme: Mrs. Wm. Ward, Mrs. Wendall Wood entertained with a farm implement contest won by Mrs. Stewart. A delicious lunch was served by committee-in-charge. Meeting closed with The King.

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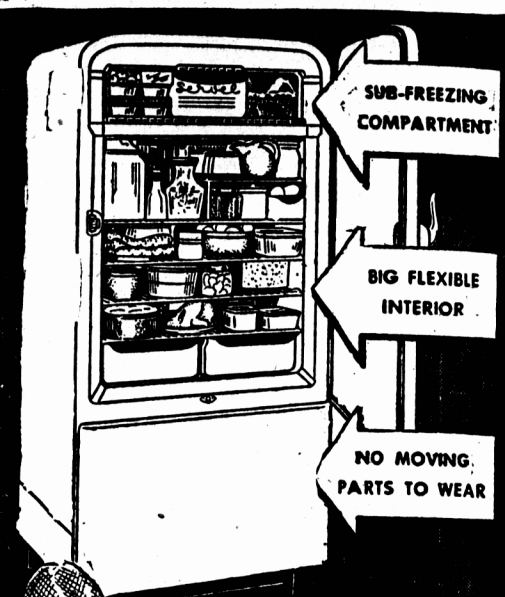
RICHBUCKTO N.B. — Forty-four years and two months of continuous faithful service were brought to a close here this week with the retirement of Theodore Vautour, the postmaster. The Richbuckto post office has been in the Vautour family 82 years. The father of the retiring postmaster served this community for 37 years before being incapacitated by old age. During his tenure of office Theodore Vautour has seen five customs officers and five caretakers, who held office in the post office building, come and go. He is leaving on three months' retri-

ing leave. In addition to his service as postmaster he has actively been connected with every movement for the welfare of the community. His activities included the advancement of fire protection in the community and heading the Board of Trade. Many well-wishers voiced their regrets at losing their postmaster, but rejoiced in his continued presence in the midst. Mr. Theodore Vautour is a son-in-law of Mrs. Joseph Purcell, Charlottetown.

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