



The WOMAN A Novel by Albert Payson Terhune

Founded on William C. de Mille's Play Illustrated with Photos from the Play and Drawings by J. J. Danvers

SYNOPSIS. Congressman Standish and the woman, believing themselves in love, speedily marry. She is a woman of the north...

CHAPTER XVIII.—Continued. Rejection did not appear at once. He did not seem to hear. He was staring at the girl...

CHAPTER XIX.—Continued. "You are admitted in the presence of witnesses that you interfered in the transmission of our message..."

A CHRISTMAS HOUSE PARTY. Skating, Coasting and Sleighing Good Country Pastime While City Offers Sight-Seeing, Music.

"Then," Mark exclaimed roughly, "we can do nothing more. Van Dyke, telephone down and see if—Oh, here you are, Nellian! Got that plainclothes man downstairs?"

"No," said Mark, "I have conducted many cases, but I confess this puzzle makes me puzzled. There is something in it I cannot understand..."

"You know this woman's name," he declared. At the mastery that vibrated through his voice and look, she faltered...

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INTERNATIONAL PLAY SCHOOL LESSON

LESSON FOR JANUARY 4. JESUS AND THE CHILDREN. LESSON TEXT—MARK 9:30-34. GOLDEN TEXT—"Child without you have no power..."

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HOLTON OF THE NAVY A STORY OF THE FREEDOM OF CUBA

CHAPTER XI.—Continued. Presently he came to a street which was deserted except for a few street lamps. Evidently it had been the heart of the city...

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THE WRETCHEDNESS OF CONSTIPATION

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From Our Point of View Our Country Cousins

That North Dakota Judge who refused citizenship papers to an applicant because was a saloon keeper and thus "unfit" was unfair. The saloon keeper is as good as the law which licenses him and the law is as good as the people who made it and stand for it.

It was not expected that the multi-millionaire trusts, that have piled wealth mountain high by taxing the poor and middle class people to the limit of endurance, would surrender their plunder privileges of a half-century without doing their worst to frighten the public into continued submission to extortion.

DEMOCRATS have been out of power and office for many years. Now that they have the chance, it is not surprising that they want the offices.

ACCORDING to the Michigan Inventor, best growers and sugar makers, are planning to continue operations as heretofore, despite the new tariff law.

THE United States Court of Appeals has re-affirmed previous decisions that manufacturers cannot dictate the prices of their products charged to consumers.

THE Lincoln club has provided "a great treat" for its corner banquet. Joe Cannon, the detested boss of the House, and Henry Lane Wilson, discredited representative to Mexico who declares Huerta's presidency is legal as was Roosevelt's. Buy your tickets early and avoid the rush.

TOBACCO users have their rights—the whole out of doors is theirs; but they ought not to forget the rights of others.

CONGRESSMAN MAPES, together with large body of liberal minded Republican representatives and senators, voted for the administration's currency bill, helped make it a law; and thus repudiated the charge that it was a partisan measure.

MANY Northern Michigan saw mills are idle—not on account of Wilson and the Democrats, as the Grand Rapids Howler would like you to believe, but simply for lack of snow to deliver their logs.

Is it one thing to see a job and do it and quite another to "talk it to death." Good jobs are not chasing the "yav-yav" very hard.

Newspapers for postage, etc., 25 for 6 cents, at The Ledger office.

SARAH CARTER'S NOSE

John Carter, the village cooper, was not handsome enough to be mistaken for the hero of a dime novel, and his nose was no plain thing like the children were afraid of him.

WEST BOWNE December 20—Miss Lida Conginger is home from Lansing to spend the holidays with her parents.

Wonderful Cough Remedy Dr. King's New Discovery known everywhere as the remedy which will surely stop a cough or cold.

WEST LOWELL December 20—The Ladies Aid society will hold its next meeting with Mrs. Nathan Blair January 3.

MOSELEY December 20—Miss Lora Wightwick is home from Lansing to spend the holidays with her parents.

LOWELL GRANITE & MARBLE WORKS may be best expressed by rearing a monument, a shaft or a stone in the plot.

CATARRH OF THE PHARYNX. Clear out your throat every day. If you were to go to a doctor he would tell you that you have pharyngitis.

LOWELL GRANITE & MARBLE WORKS J. H. HAMILTON Est. Citizens Phone No. 20.

YOUR HAIR NEEDS PARISIAN/SAGE. Unusually natural-looking—scrappy hair that falls out—abundant and radiant with life at once.

FOR SALE—A pair of milk, black and white, 2 years old, weighing 120 lbs.

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By special arrangement with the publishers we are offering subscribers of The Lowell Ledger an opportunity to secure a 3 year's subscription to Today's Magazine and 3 May Manton patterns for exactly 50c additional to the price of this paper in other ways, \$1.80 for 50c.

Table with 3 columns: Magazine/Pattern, Price, Our Price. Total value \$2.80, Our Price \$1.50.

While Today's Magazine sells regularly for 50c per year (12 issues) it is positively worth \$1.00 instead. A strictly STANDARD publication having close to 1,000,000 circulation already, and containing something of interest for every member of the Home.

Don't Delay. Subscribe Immediately. The LOWELL LEDGER

Miss Ruth Stone went to Grand Rapids Friday for a week's visit. Howard Black is visiting relatives at Wolverine.

Miss Helen Look was a Grand Rapids visitor Monday. The new parcels post 50-cent limit goes into effect today.

Miss Frances Morgan of Grand Rapids was in town Monday. Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Terry of Detroit have been visiting Lowell friends.

Ervin Hurley of Coldwater has been visiting his brother J. G. Hurley. Mrs. Ward Willett visited her parents at McOrd's Friday and Saturday.

Miss Florence Snyder of Kalamazoo is visiting her sister Mrs. Fred House. Mrs. Charles Leary of Detroit spent the holidays with Mr. and Mrs. Chester Leary.

Mr. and Mrs. L. O. T. M. will meet with Mrs. F. B. Oliver Wednesday evening, January 7. D. O. Dennis of Grand Rapids called at the Ledger office Monday.

Miss Irene Stowell of Coldwater is spending two weeks vacation with her parents here. Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Roush are at Six Lakes visiting their son Edward, who is very ill.

W. A. Burger of Constantine will visit Miss Helen Look the latter part of this week. B. Seger of Trenton, Ontario, has been spending the holidays with his uncle B. C. Smith.

Mr. and Mrs. Philip Svoles of Grand Rapids visited Mr. and Mrs. Chris Klump last night. Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Merriam of Grand Rapids spent Christmas with Mrs. E. Stowe of Lowell.

The Methodist Ladies Aid society will meet with Mrs. Chas. Lawrence Friday afternoon January 10. A. A. Webb of Grand Rapids spent Christmas with his children and his sister, Mrs. Velzy, of Lowell.

Mr. and Mrs. Ward Willett and Norton Avery spent Sunday at Grand Rapids, and Mrs. T. C. in West Lowell. Miss Pearl Jacobs of Grand Rapids has been spending her vacation at the home of her father Rev. C. A. Jacobs.

Mrs. Libbie Johnson returned to her home in Grand Rapids Monday after a few days' visit with her daughter Mrs. J. G. Hurley. Mr. and Mrs. Warren Roush entertained the latter's brother and sister Ervin and Edna Misher last night at their home.

Allen E. Gilmann of Leola, Minn., is visiting his father, E. A. Gilmann. Charles Stocking was home from Detroit for the Christmas holidays.

MARK TWAIN AND O. HEINRY.

Humor of Their Column Writing in the Old Days. In the old days writing columns was a noble business. It was generally regarded as a preface to literary achievement.

When John Perkins was a boy in his native town of Bloomersburg he was everybody's pet. When he smiled his eye lighted up and a dimple appeared in each cheek. His face glowed with a noble glow.

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The Philosophy of Selfishness

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ANNUAL Dress Goods Sale

Beginning Saturday, Jan. 3 Ending Saturday, Jan. 10

For seven days we offer, at liberal reductions, our entire stock of Dress Goods, giving once a year every woman an opportunity to purchase Waist, Skirt, Suit and Dress Patterns from our well assorted stock of Dress Goods at a decisive saving from the regular prices.

ALL DRESS GOODS

Comprising Whipcords, Wide Wail Serges, French and Storm Serges, Diagonals, Henriettas, Mohairs, Eponge Cloth, Broadcloth, Silk and Wool Poplins, Panamas, Flannels, Venetian Cloth, and many other plain and novelty Dress Goods.

Table with columns for dress goods prices: 15c Dress Goods at 11c, 25c at 20c, 50c at 39c, 75c at 59c, \$1.00 at 79c, 1.25 at 98c, 1.50 at \$1.10

A. W. WEEKES & SON Store closes at 6 p. m. except Saturday.

OUR COUNTRY COUSINS

Notice To Correspondents.

Dear Friends: I wish to express to you my hearty appreciation of your efforts to increase the usefulness of THE LEDGER during the past year and to solicit a continuance of your friendly aid during the year to come.

SOUTH LOWELL.

The sensation of the season—the new Maxwell automobile. H. V. Getty, agent. December 29.—The Christmas exercises were fine and enjoyed by all.

Ray Rittenger is spending the holidays with relatives in Detroit and Lansing.

NORTH CAMPBELL

December 29.—Visitors at Lewis Leece's the past week were Mr. and Mrs. Frank Olan of Holland, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Tucker and Arphenia Bates of Grand Rapids.

LOWELL MARKET REPORT.

Corrected Dec 30, 1913. Wheat red 60-lb 85. Oats white 40-lb 95. New Corn grade 32. Hay bales 75.

EAST CASCADE & NORTH McCORD

Mr. and Mrs. Percy Gregory of Greenville spent Christmas with her parents Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Bloomer. Mr. and Mrs. Roy Mungler and daughter and Mary Fuller took Christmas dinner at H. B. Fuller's.

An Ideal Woman's Laxative

Who wants to take snuffs, or enstor oil, when there is nothing better than Dr. King's New Life Pills for all bowel troubles. They act gently and naturally on the stomach and liver, stimulate and regulate your bowels and tone up the entire system.

KEENE CENTER.

December 29.—Frank Carr spent his Christmas with his mother Mrs. Sal Carr, who is making her home with her daughter Mrs. Tina Foreman at Ludington.

SEELEY CORNERS

December 29.—Mr. and Mrs. Will Heeche and children spent Christmas with Arthur Green and family.

FALLSBURG

Mr. and Mrs. Northhook and children of Lowell spent last Wednesday and Thursday at the home of Morris Kalward.

LOWELL DIST. NO. 2

December 29.—Hollis Andrews and wife of Durand spent Christmas with his mother Mrs. J. C. Andrews.

BOWNE-LOGAN

December 30.—Word reached here from Lancaster, Pa., of the marriage December 23, of George Stahl and Lydia Hoffman, both of this place.

ADA NEWS.

Casey Shepard, an old resident of Ada, died very suddenly at his home Wednesday morning. He was a relative of the Lowell Shepards and well known.

MCCORDS and WHITNEYVILLE

December 30.—Mr. and Mrs. Andy Stewart of Harris Creek, Mrs. Anna Batey and children of Clarksville, Mr. and Mrs. John Linton of Alto and Mrs. Mamie Rockefeller spent Christmas at George Linton's.

Start the New Year Right with a Reliable Alarm Clock. U. B. Williams THE JEWELER. Includes image of an alarm clock.

WE acknowledge with deep appreciation the support and confidence of our friends and customers... EARL HUNTER. Includes image of a man.

WHY WOMEN SUFFER. Many Lowell Women are Learning the Cause. Women often suffer, not knowing the cause. Backache, headache, dizziness, nervousness, irregular urinary passages weak, languor—

WANTS. FOR SALE—Or trade for farm near Lowell, 90 acre farm in Kalkaska county. WANTED—Improved farms or raw lands for sale or trade.

HYOMEL RELIEVES IN FIVE MINUTES. Effective relief comes quickly when Hyomel is used for catarrh, coughs, bronchitis, cold in the head or croup of infants.

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The Big Three. The Best Daily, Your Best Home Paper, The Best Farm Paper. The Grand Rapids Herald, The Lowell Ledger, The Michigan Farmer. ALL ONE YEAR \$3.00.

Not an Asset. "They say my son is a credit to me." "Mine has never been anything but a liability." His Windward's Anchor.

Machine That Blows Bottles. A glass bottle blowing machine invented in Germany has a speed of 2,000 bottles an hour, equal to the work of 250 expert glass blowers.

TIME TABLE CHANGES. A general change of time will be made January 4, 1914. Time tables containing full particulars may be had on application to Grand Trunk agents.

Collier's. The National Weekly. First Time in Clubs. Special Offer to Our Readers. "A Shine In Every Drop". Includes images of people and a bottle.