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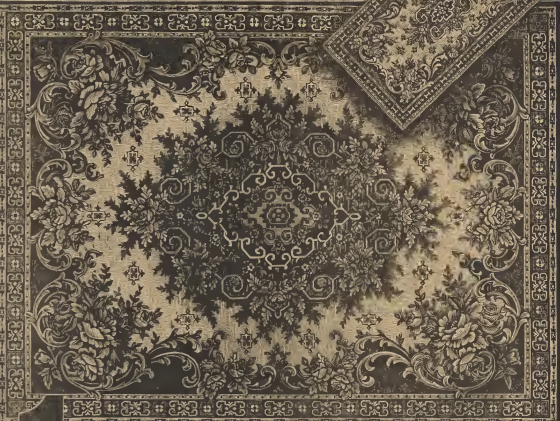
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The Meal Ticket

A SHORT STORY

By MARY SYNON

GOLD in the glow of a late afternoon of Maylin's, the city surged into millions of molecules of movement, all gliding in the radiance of a sunlight that poured molten masses of glory into streets that had been soother ere it came. Beyond the river, too low beneath its bordering warehouses to give back reflection of the glittering heavens, rose smoke, white and suave. Over the bridges and through thoroughfares wide and narrow changed the roar of the working world. On the boulevards and through the parks where lilacs were blooming motor cars paraded. On Michigan Avenue, between great hotels illuminated with luxury, women strolled with the nonchalance of infinite leisure. On State Street, before shop-windows gay with garments of mid-summer, women passed with the certainty of assurance that they might say as they willed. But in the hive of the town, in shops and stores, in factories and in office buildings, behind windows flooded with the brightness of the outdoor world, women worked at their daily tasks while the slow-moving hands of remittance checks dragged toward the hour of five.

In the Hart-Wiloughby offices, set high above the canyon of Dearborn Street and open to the dome of sunset and the call of west winds, Lily Rider, rolling back her typewriter into its sliding desk, studied not the clock but the closed door of Wiloughby's room. May Belden, filling her pen in anticipation of Hart's dictation rush at closing time, stared sharply at Lily's profile, finding a line of worry that ran deep from the corner of her prominent lips. "What's the matter?" she asked with the frank politeness of a fellow-worker.

Lily Rider turned to her the full stare of southerly brown eyes. Some noise in the room, a tension not to be explained, gave May Belden a shock of surprise even before Lily spoke.

"I'm trying to get up my courage," she said, to tell Wiloughby that I'm going to quit."

"To quit? Why? Got another job?"

"No, I might call it that. I'm going to be married."

"Well, of all—Who is he? Do I know him?"

"One at a time, Malice. Next week, and he's Tom Carley."

"Next week? And who is he, anyhow? What does he do?"

"Oh, he's just Tom. He's a contractor, putting buildings out to the subdivisions."

"Have you known him long?"

"Three years."

"What does your mother say?"

"The line from Lily Rider's lips tightened. "She doesn't know yet," she said.

"But you tell her."

"I'm going to tell her tonight."

"What'll they do without you, Lily?"

"I don't know." The glow in her sombre eyes flashed into anger, and her curves tightened straight. "I guess I've my right to my own life just the same as the next one. Didn't you get married? Didn't Joe and I should I have to stay and take care of the house just because I happen to be the youngest?"

"Haven't I given up nine years of my life to taking care of my father and mother? Will I have to give up all of it?"

"No, of course not, but—"

"But what?"

"How'll they get along?"

"That won't be my business any more than it'll be Fiske's and Joe's, will it?"

"No, I suppose not, and it's none of my business. Say, I forgot the main part. I hope you'll be happy, Lil. It'll certainly be queer here without you. Let's see, I've been here six years, and you were here when I came."

"I came nine years ago the tenth of April."

"I sure does." She kept her eyes on the glass of Wiloughby's door, watching the shadow that crossed it as the last carrier passed out into the hub.

"Then she rose, laughing. "Here goes for luck," she said, and went into the junior partner's office.

Wiloughby, restless, keen-eyed, gray-haired, looked up with the questioning gaze now given to their tried and true stenographers, a glance that seemed to inquire what detail of his work he had

forgot. "It's not about you," Lily Rider said in answer to it. "I want to talk about myself."

"Why, he's so nice," Lily said. "You know the business as well as I do, better perhaps, and you know it can't be done. Or is it shorter hours? Can't you buy enough in your three hours and a half for lunch?"

"It's not a joke," she told him, standing across the desk from where he sat. "I'm going to leave on Saturday night."

"Oh, but you can't! Why, there's the Westover bill coming next week, and the 84. Cloud deal, and—"

"But I must. I'm going to be married next week."

"You're what? Great Scott! Why, Lily, what'll I do without you?"

"Tears, sudden and hot, rushed to her eyes. Through the mist of them she saw Wiloughby, not as he was now, stooping a little and smiling into a compassionate, worried middle age, but Wiloughby as he had been when she had come into his office. Wiloughby young, and daring, and blithe with the joy of a world she had never known except through him. Long ago, even before he had married the

girl in Orange, New Jersey, to whom he had been devoted from his college days, Lily Rider had known that Wiloughby would never be to her other than the well-intentioned, sometimes brusque employer of her labor; but the dress of him, soiling her fur for the loss of the boyish lover whom she had given up when she had become the breadwinner for her fatherless father and her staving mother, had lifted her years until now, looking at him, she felt that the man she was to marry was only Lily's second best.

Something of the regret, of the hidden thoughts of the years, must have gleamed in her eyes, for Wiloughby had said, "Marrying is every young man's dream, Lily. You're going to laugh. Oh, she goes, Lillian," he declared, "you don't have to go and get married, you know. You can stay here until we're all candidates for the Old People's Home."

She laughed at that, and he fell into seriousness. "Really, though, I'm glad for you," he told her, "and I hope the man's as good as he should be to be good enough for you. What's he like?"

"Oh, he's—well, he's just Tom."

"What does he do?" She told him.

"Well, they're the fellows who live on Sheridan Road," he laughed. "I hope your father and mother won't be too awful. But, if anything goes wrong—and things have a way of twisting something—you come back and we'll walk over your job for you."

"Thank you," she said, "but I'm through with jobs."

"I wonder," Wiloughby roused, "if you aren't just beginning them."

"Oh, that's different." She made answer to the implication in his words. "Marrying is every woman's job, of course. But these—"

She glanced swept outward over the vista of tall buildings—"they're only stopgaps."

"Are you so sure?" Wiloughby tapped his desk impatiently with a paper-outer. "Isn't that the mistake most of you girls make? Work's work, no matter what the need or the purpose of it may be. He smiled sardoniously, as if at his own philosophy. "And I certainly can recommend you as a dry laborer, Lily," he told her. "If that man shouldn't treat you right, come and tell me, and I'll play court of domestic relations for you. But I hope you won't need to. I hope you'll be truly happy."

He held out his hand to her, and she took it almost limply, but he grasped hers with a friendliness that heartened her. "Will you let me give you some advice?"

"You're going to be a married bit, and you've a mark on the payroll, and it's up to you to keep shoulder to shoulder with your Tom."

"I'll remember," she said, edging toward the door.

Outside May Belden waited for her. "What did he say?" she demanded as Lily bowed her head.

"He talked," Lily told her, "as if I were going into business, instead of into matrimony."

"They all do," said May, "after they've been married themselves. Wait till you tell old Hart. He'll slash all over the office, and give you a silver service. Say, tell me, Lil, would you rather have a man for the house or something all for yourself?"

"Oh, I don't want anything," She sighed as if from weariness. "Getting married's no joke, is it?"

"Who ever thought it was?"

"No woman ever imagined such a thing. Good night, May."

"Good night, Lil."

She took with her, out into the homeward-basking crowds of the streets, vivid recollections of May Belden's pertinent look and her softer thought of Wiloughby's interest. But, as she swung from a high strap in the parked car of the Metropolitan, she glanced back and conjured another picture. It loomed larger as she left the car at one of the farther stations on the Garfield Park branch and walked down a street of two-story apartment houses, each flanked by a barricading beech-gar fence and a hutting garden. It became real as she let herself in one of the apartments and walked through the tiny dining room to the timer kitchen to face a thin, worn woman who stood at the kitchen sink, pouring potatoes.

At sound of her step the woman turned, revealing a face lined and seamed, but with a striking resemblance to Lily's. "That you, Lil?" she called, and Lily, who had been told that she would find a man full half-bred six, and I'm just starting supper."

"That's all right, ma." She came to the doorway, standing irresolute until her mother turned toward her, and then I left a little early. I didn't notice the time. I was talking to Wiloughby. I—I told him I was going to quit Saturday night."

"The potato slipped from Mrs. Rider's hand into the water with a splash. She stood, staring at

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An' make y' squim an' argue back, an' duck around and hedge,

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T' taste ev' that old medicine—by jing! I see it yet

Up in th' big old tumbler glass, avon th' kitchen shelf,

A-sort' sayin' "Come along, old chap, an' help yerself."

Still, could I be a boy again, I'd take it an' drink it willingly.

Th' sulphur and molasses I wish my mother gave t' me.

Sulphur and Molasses

By JAMES H. WOODMAN

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Th' t'atics which our mothers were so prone t' have us take,

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The Public Generally Gets What It Wants

It is not an unusual thing to hear complaints about the conduct of enterprises that exist through patronage of the public at large.

It is always easier, with many persons to act in the capacity of critic, hearing condemnation rather than commendation upon those responsible for the management of institutions which offer service or entertainment to the masses.

Has it ever occurred to you, dear reader, that the public generally gets what it wants?

When a municipality, governed by officials elected by the people, permit for a long period certain things to exist contrary to the laws of decency, it may be safely concluded that the taxpayers are satisfied with the condition, other things they would abate the evil through the ballot box.

Much has been said by some writers and reform orators about the present day dancing. The old time waltz, the polka, the minuet and moon-walk are things to be remembered. The waltzy, waltzy, waltzy creations have come to me because the public—and that was the society dames who trip the light fantastic at the country club, as well as the girl who works in the sweat-shop—is getting what it wants.

The press of the country never fails to play up in big type the most sensational story of the day, releasing a bark paper, if necessary, any news of a less sensational nature. Not that the editor is especially anxious to smear his front page with slime, but the reading public must be satisfied, even at the cost of the family honor of some unfortunate.

The beautiful young women of the movie world in many instances possess a greater charm, measured by the standard of civility that obtained in the days of their grandmothers if they would refrain from promiscuous loveliness and other women not altogether compatible with good morals—but, the directors apparently know what the theatre-going public wants, and furnishes it. Why not?

And who are we who class ourselves with the minority—if we do—and by what right do we say that the majority is wrong?

It seems to me that the people of the old countries of the globe, at least in the manner of living at a high rate of speed. We cannot, or rather we could not or should not have hoped long to retain the old staid ideas of the Puritans. We are founded upon a principle that the majority shall rule. Believing that principle to be sound, why shouldn't the public get what it wants, be it a Volstead act, cutting off the privilege of buying a pint of booze for fifty cents, or a piggy-wiggly dance instead of the old Virginia Reel?

Is Anything Wrong With Our Boys and Girls

Ever since the close of the world war we have listened to the oratory of social workers, telling us of the lack of moral rectitude in the lives of our girls and boys.

War with its attendant atmosphere of unrest and excitement is bound to cause a laxness of social discipline. Men and nations cannot emerge in the spirit of annihilating other men and other nations without transferring the work of rapacity into the veins of a rising generation.

Greed and avarice soon find as fitting companions, dissoluteness and immorality. A people at war cannot escape the results of war socially as well as economically.

It is an old truth that "the sins of the father shall be visited upon the children," and if fathers will war, children will suffer in the wake of the conflict.

It's time, if indeed a time ever existed for such action, to stop preaching that our girls and boys are headed for perdition.

The United States has lately been flooded with propaganda relative to the crime of auto-stealing. Proof of its worth and efficacy has been demonstrated by the centime M. Emile Couste of France, when in a few moments crigles have been made to walk and paralytics have been made to use limbs which have long been useless.

Let's practice a little auto-suggestion on the girls and boys of America. Instead of telling them how bad they are, why not impress upon them the fact that they are good, as good, if not better than the young people of any country. Like legends live. No person has ever been helped by adverse criticism. Many have been helped by words of praise.

We believe there is nothing wrong with our girls and boys and that they are as good as they can be, living in the environment we have created for them. Let's place the blame where it belongs, upon the heads of the parents.

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David and Jonathan

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Davey trumped against the heavily... Dever washed himself very carefully...

His mother knocked and came in with a plate of milk-bread.

"Better eat a bite," she advised.

"Just a word from St. Stephen's. And it's all right."

Well, of course? Why, he'd known Sam would be all right.

They hadn't managed to say next morning at the hospital.

A queer, uneasy weight settled on his chest.

Sam was no better that evening, nor the next day.

On the third afternoon Davey de-livered St. Stephen's doctor coming out of the doctor's.

"The doctor was not amused."

"You don't think," he asked indignantly.

"Why—er, that, you know. I don't believe it's indicated."

"The surgeon's right!" Davey's mother came to any good night and found her boy standing in his pajamas looking out into the moonlight.

"Better sleep, dear, or try to," she coaxed.

"But Davey didn't sleep. He kept on looking out at the moon."

"I don't know what you're saying. You did not say the word now—have I?"

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"Oh, God," she boy asked, "let it come out of me, Dad, being a few days, but I want to see you."

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Boats for Baby

By Martha Gardner Coates

There are two classes of mothers who need to utilize kindergarten principles in the home: those who have children in the kindergarten, that they may cooperate with the teacher in her methods for development of those children; and those living where no kindergarten is yet established, and who realize the need of making the most of the public, quickly opening, summer camps. While still endeavoring to secure a kindergarten at the earliest possible moment, you must certainly be well upon the importance of this pre-school period, since this period is the most important in the child's character is determined during the first six years of his or her life. The problem of keeping the youngster busy, happy and keen is the largest one which the mother has to solve. Little babies, who do not over three, little babies for child with a host of "wobblers" leaves herself to his ownment to the detriment of his character; or worse his education. It is the mother who does not "bother" her. By the use of simple, beautiful methods the mother can so direct her child's activity that the child's character will be strengthened while she is left with uninterrupted periods for her own interests and for household duties.

By way of illustration, consider the picture contained from a rainy day in the average home. The high lights are the first whining children, a fretful, nerve-frayed mother, and discontented father. The picture with little of the home in which the mother has a working knowledge of kindergarten. Drink! Drink! Drink! Baby's eyes watered, the mother's breast in vain. The cry of the mother, the beginning of an all day weep and cry. "Nasty old rain! Keeps baby in the house. Oh, I don't like my doll! This is my toy." First rain sets into a sea of storms.

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"No, no, no," she said, "I don't want to read. Now, here is a shiny pan of water that I want to wash my hands with. And there are soapsticks. Open the pan, and wash your hands. Wash your hands and to hold the sides apart. Open it when you are done." The scene was another. "What is it going to be? What is it going to be?" Margorie's fingers fly about while they talk. They are done. The first wash was loaded with suds for poor children; the second wash was a little more soapy than Margorie's breakfast. The morning bath was done, and Margorie was busy and happy. She was learning to conquer soap suds. Her imagination was being trained, as well. All the difference between an unimpaired and a trained imagination is the difference between the man who is content to remain in bed-curtain until the one who could climb the wall and the Panama Canal before a spasm of earth had been "turned."

A Birthday Party

By Katherine McWhorter

We sometimes think it necessary to expend money for gifts and toys for the children in our homes. The occasion is this. It is especially true on birthdays. Half the fun of a birthday party is the gift-giving. It is a fact that the gift-giving is the fun part of the party. It is the fun part of the party. It is the fun part of the party.

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Her mother had some reminiscences for her which had been selected in a hurried way, as the father had been called as an attaché to the American embassy, and with the struggle incident to closing their case and starting for a foreign one, the Stube had her hands and thumbs red. The day came and the announcement that a supper party for Margaret and her friends would be served early in the following week.

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Oh, little lad, with wondering eyes, And hair as black as raven's wing; With feet that often trod A path that downward went, And mouth that gave three vent, With eyes that shined as if with fire, You followed through the heat Of crowded courts and courts of law; On busy days, while reading sweet The old Arabian Nights; A solemn task that only meant To you a path of duty's way; Your patient fingers and released Your waiting family in vain; The little lad I saw Just when that lad was I.

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Only \$1.00 with the coupon below brings this sensational furniture bargain to your home on 30 days trial. Straus & Schram's newest offer—a complete 6-piece set of fumed solid oak living room furniture including a wonderfully comfortable and roomy divan—and at a positively sensational price reduction. Only \$29.85 for the complete set on this offer—on easy payments of only \$2.70 a month! \$49 was the former price for a set like this; a special factory sacrifice makes this slash in price possible now. Seize this opportunity on our special approval offer—we take the risk.

30 Days Trial

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**New
6-Piece Set
Fumed Solid Oak**

This superb 6-piece set is made of selected solid oak throughout. Finished in rich, old world, brown fumed oak. All four pieces are padded, seats upholstered with heavy brown leather. The best selection of genuine Spanish leather known. The upholstery of a rich brown color, and will give you the best possible service. Large Divan will give extra seating capacity to your library, living room or parlor. It is an unusual, masculine, comfortable piece with beautifully draped back. Arms are broad and comfortable. Measures 48 inches wide overall and 30 inches long inside. Pivots and rock on 18 inches deep. Height of back 38 inches. Feet are extra massive.

Arm Chair is a roomy, dignified piece of furniture, comfortable and yet elegant for a very large person while not excessive in space for the ordinary person. Seat 18 x 24 in. Height 38 in.

Arm Rocker is a masculine, elegant, comfortable piece with beautifully padded back, wide and sturdy arms, and smooth, operating casters. Seat, 18 x 24 in. Height 38 in.

Swivel Rocker is especially attractive and useful. Seat 18 x 17 inches. Height 38 inches.

Library Table is a beautiful piece of library furniture. The beautifully draped table is within the divan. Arms feature a superb shell finish. Legs cut of solid stock. Measures, dignified, top measures 36 x 36 inches.

Jardineer Stand matches other pieces. A decorative topper for your library. Curved back, 36 inches. Measures 18 inches high, top 18 x 18 inches.

Books are in 18 inch standard size measurements. Very easy to get up. Come to freight station. Light about 175 pounds.

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