

# TANGLED LIVES

## Peggy Shane

### SEVENTH INSTALLMENT

The constable swung himself back to the desk. "Wasn't next time you give yourself up you better get more information Mr. Merrill's name is Sigmund, and I remember you went to Yassar. Now you go on back to your mamma and your papa. I expect they're looking for you right now."

"Don't know as I ought to let you go. Somebody will be around looking for you like as not, and you're liable to get into trouble."

"He spoke like to himself. Before he got back to his mind Doris marveled out.

"As she made her way through the city store she noticed the sign, 'Constable's Office.' She could hardly tell her father collect; Sigmund Merrill, Morristown, New Jersey. Then if the old man wanted to hold her there, let him. He was pottering along after her slightly.

"Who's the telegraph operator?"

"Doris looked at him silently. She felt that she was being kind to her old man who was being kind to her. He was, but her patience was ebbing.

"I'll tell you to the telegraph operator."

"That—"

"Yes, I'm him. I'm the postman too. And the storekeeper here. It's not a religion, it's a job. You'd better think it to look like a man now, would you?" He handed her a telegraph blank.

"Who do you want to send it to?"

"Mrs.," said Doris furiously.

"All right. Write it out. Let me see it."

Doris took hold of the blank eagerly. When this old fellow found out she was a telegraph operator, he wouldn't be so sure of himself. She wrote rapidly.

"Sigmund Merrill, Morristown, New Jersey."

"Who's her name?"

"She interrupted her work to ask, 'What is the name of this town?'"

"Here's Vermont," Doris answered. "Here's Vermont, Vermont. I want to give myself up to you father." She signed the message. She handed it to the telegraph operator, who scribbled it off in a few seconds.

"Can't see very well without my glasses. He took a pair from his pocket. Now let's take this out where I'll light and let me read it over again."

"She walked briskly to the door. She was aware of a car coming up the road, but she did not think of it. The old man was reading aloud his message. She saw a hand hold over the familiar yellow slip of paper.

"The car stopped. A man got out and came swiftly toward them. Doris looked up, stepped back in sudden fright, looked again. He was the man in the cab."

"He matched the bit of yellow paper from the old man's hand."

"For G-d's sake, don't send—"

"His glance at the message and crumpled it up in his pocket. "Thank G-d I've found you."

"The old man looked at the message with a queer smile.

"Know this young lady, do you?"

"The young man did not answer. He looked at Doris. His eyes were dark with excitement and his face was drawn.

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Friends of the Kenneth Knickerbocker were delighted to hear of the birth of a daughter, Monday at the Evanston hospital. The baby is the first grandchild of the James R. Cardwells who expect to leave shortly to spend the rest of the winter in Florida.

Mrs. Potter L. Smith gave a dinner party Saturday night for many of her friends on the North Shore and again entertained her friends in Barrington on Sunday night. Mrs. Smith's mother and father Mr. and Mrs. Harry Spencer Reno are leaving for Florida next week and are considering settling in Barrington on their return in the spring.

Mrs. Harold B. Smith entertained at her home Wednesday at luncheon and bridge. Mrs. Daniel Woodhead of her sister who is here from the East.

Mrs. J. Mark Smith was called unexpectedly last week to New York because of the serious illness of her brother.

Mrs. Schuyler Thurber entertained the reading class at her home Wednesday, Jan. 24. Mrs. Helen Hoising reviewed Eve La Gallean's book, "The Mother of the Bomb," at the Barrington Public Library. This service will be followed by the observance of communion. In the evening the theme will be, "A Crown of Life to the Faithful."  
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The Garden club of Barrington will hold its next meeting at the home of Mrs. Egbert Spencers February 5. The subject is to be "The Garden I Should Like to Have."

Friends of Mr. and Mrs. James MacFarland were interested to know that they were in town at the Palmer House for a few days before going back to California.

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## "Design for Living"

by Noel Coward to Be Here Feb. 7-9

"Lady Killer" and "Argie Appleby" at Catlow This Week

Ernest Lubitsch, latest in hand, led the chorus of five hundred voices in laughter, which appears in the theatre scene of Noel Coward's "Design for Living" commencing on February 7, 8, 9 at the Catlow theatre, and starring Fredric March, Gary Cooper, Miriam Hopkins and Edward Everett Horton.

To bring about the desired effect of measured gruffness from a vast assemblage has always been a problem to motion picture directors, since what strikes one person as very humorous is not always funny to another.

Lubitsch, fitted with such a dilemma while directing Noel Coward's "Design for Living," hit upon the baton plan. With a theatre audience of 500 extras before him, he mounted a small platform and directed their laughter just as a symphony orchestra conductor spurs his musicians to a grand crescendo.

By a peculiar quirk of fate, three of Hollywood's prominent players reached their present fame via exactly the same route. Jimmy Cagney, Lee Tracy and Hobart Cavanaugh all portrayed the character of Roy Lunt, hoodlum of the drama, "Broadway," which attracted such attention a few years ago. Jimmy, then unknown, was Tracy's understudy during the run of the New York production, and spent weary months on that job before he was discovered by Warner Brothers and rushed west to star in Cagney's latest film, "Lady Killer."

## Gas Tax Collections Show Business Trend

Gasoline tax collections, recognized as a barometer of general business conditions, offer convincing proof that Illinois experienced definite economic improvement in 1933.

Collections for the calendar year of 1933, announced by J. M. Brande, associate director of the department of finance, were \$29,192,345.61 as compared with \$28,785,822.51 an increase over the corresponding months of 1932. Last month, the revenue obtained from the gas tax was \$2,349,574.41, against \$2,202,170.32 for December, 1932.

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