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Heart of Happiness

by PEGGY O'MORE

they'd have done so. Pressure Chapter 9

"What do you think?" she de-

"I don't," he replied abruptly

the truth out of them I don't

thing had its togical explanation.

tended marrying

Kelly started toward the kitch-

snowball somebody rolled up. I

"I did not forget," she said in-

"Walked in with a basket on

How Kelly groaned, "Adorable

Allene! She wanted to know

"The attractive girl in the sta-

Kelly gave a short laugh. "You

"After that remark, what qual-

"Association," he shouted above

"Shut up," came his retort, soft-

They washed and dried the

"I think I shall buy a dog the

he explained, "It's cruel to teach

dishes to companionable small talk;

the same school; you run on the

"Now what have I said!" cried from both sides was terrific." Mrs. Cotsen. Arleta turned to her. "You said manded.

my father was murdered. What did you mean? I read the news- "Nothing can lead you as tar paper account of his death. He astray as conjecture. No one knows what happened. Let's leave was killed while hunting."

"And another man was killed it at that." at the same time Accident? Of "I can't!" the words burst from course they called it an accident her. "It's not knowing." in the newspapers, because they Keily moved restleasly, "Chips couldn't even prove which man what you'd have saved yourself murder. father shot Allen."

wasn't the name!

"It was so-Allen Lane Allen Lane, Allen Lane, That girl at the store.

who say know. Allen shot your father first. In She grasped at this Mrs. Cot- tang with surprise And there's there all probability they both shot at sen's tale could have been no more the same time."

ingly. "Must have they both died away. Another snowball. Every-trict, and perchance how much country butter, a half-pint of instantly."

No wonder Affene Lane had hated her. If Allene felt her father but Big Chips wouldn't. It must have been Lane who had fired agreed. "I'll just stay on long first. Of course, it was for her, enough to attend to a few things -Arleta, to hate the other girl, if the house, and then that Doakes." here was to be hatred.

All afternoon Arleta held this about Doakes?" fresh knowledge in her mind as "He's been accepting caretak- have snow, Good night," she directed the work, held it, to er's wages. I suppose he didn't nobring it forth for scrutiny when tity us of the vandalism because she had a moment alone. It could he was afraid his checks would fire, be no more than gossip.

And then a fresh thought came. That strange look he'd given her, above the flames of the hearth of "Calvin Sheridan" hat searching scrutiny. Had those "Leave Doakes alone, Chips. He she dented, "he couldn't vet." have believed-

valked out to the ear, "but who prejudiced answer!"

How Kelly! Somehow she felt I never knew anyone with such her. She'd noticed an arrow nailed What's the matter with this fiance to a price at the mouth of a road-lof yours. If you were-well, I'll way across the bridge, his name be darned if I'd let the girl I inpainted thereon.

As she neared the house a collie came from the rear porch to ap- told you that before. Now what proach her with the dignity of age. claim does this Doakesto suif of her hand, then fall into step beside her. And together they en, "Skip it, All I know is the

Arleta reached the door and don't play with snowballs in my rapped several times before a fig- private life. Sit still; I'll bring in ure, half engulfed by an apron, your dinner. Don't suppose you a long fork in its hand, appeared. had any lunch; you're the kind "Chips" said How Kelly in who forgets." surprise, "Come in, But what are

you doing here?

dignantly, trailing him to the Arleta looked at the apron and kitchen. "I was eating the sandtork and raught a savory aroma, with I'd made when Mrs. Cotsen I came to thank your mother."

My mother." He looked at her blankly a moment. "Oh, you mean she get into the picture?" my mother. Why, she went back to town the next morning, I drove her arm," replied Arleta, "and what's more, she was friendly. If

Then that was your you'd seen how those people in 1 3290 astral body driving me up to the resort store acted when River City?

went in to shop. I forgot what Okay," he gave up. "I used the I went in for. This kitchen's adoridea of her to get you out of that able. house, It didn't work. But what brings you back here? Or say, Them's fightin' words. Chips. 1 didn't you leave?" told Allene not to hang those dog-

Your meat's burning." gone dust catchers. He wheeled for the stove, "Go in and sit down. Duchess, where about Allene She must know about are your manners?"

her, an Allene who knew How Arleta found her hand taken Kelly wel lenough to hang curgently by the collie's teeth and tains in his kitchen. the was led to a deep couch before the rock fireplace. "I don't tion wagon," she murmured, "Tell want to interrupt," she called me about her?" back, "but I've no choice." "Not when she has you in hand, two must have been finished in

You'll stay for dinner. "Sorry, I was-

same sound track. Tell me about "Like Duchess, when I have a her, Allright, Like you, she's a guest in hand, they stay. And I spoiled stubborn. I'll do-it-myam a good cook. Uncle Sam saw way-or-nothing girl, Your manners might be a shade above hers.

Duchess spread herself at Ar- but then I haven't seen you really leta's feet, and when she sought riled since you were small." to rise there was the faintest of growls, so she continued to sit, to ifies you as a judge of manners? stare at the big room and marvel at its untidy comfort the sizzle of the chop he'd dropped

Slowly, gradually, she relaxed, into the pan, actling back into the comfort of "I must have been prescient the divan. Dimly she heard dishes when I struck you twelve years claffering in the next room, heard ago," she contented herself with silverware, and then heard no saying.

When she opened her eyes she ened by a smile. "I'm beginning saw How Kelly in a big chair be- to like you, and my life's comside the fireplace, dreamily nurs- plicated enough as it is. Grab ing a long pipe. that salad out of the refrigerator.

"Oh my goodness," she cried, will you?"

"All tuckered out, weren't you?" he inquired calmly, as he held his then Arleta donned her jacket and pipe off, admiring it. "Been tilting said she had to go. "I'll go along and build up your "I'll guess I've been working all fires," Kelly announced. "Duchess at windmills?"

night, after a fashion. But I can't and I can walk back, unless she solve the mysteries my mind con- elects to stay with you." jures up for me. next time I go in," Arleta re-marked as they stepped into the

"Okay, Chips, get it off your chest and then I'll feed you. I thought you needed that nap more chill air. than food. I played the perfect host. than food. I played the perfect host. Don't," he said so sharply she I didn't wait. Now what's your turned to him in surprise. Lamely

"Mr. Kelly-oh, all right, Howa dog to love you, then go off and leave him." was my father murdered?" The nod of his head was the nod of a man who'd expected the question. "As far as the coroner's jury could ascertain, shots were fixed simultaneously. And helieve fired simultaneously. And believe uscript before I forget the names me, if they could have established of my characters. You're all right

one preceded the other, for the night, aren't you?"

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started for the door, then turned Lack.

"Chips, I don't know why I couldn't prove anything; they why didn't you go on home? Look bother. I guess it's because I'm beginning to get an inkling of shot first. But there isn't a person Have you ever lived in a small the real you. But look, girl, let who knew the two who didn't call community where the people have someone else rebuild the ranch. Some say your nothing to do but goesip's Gossip's You'll gain nothing by staying a snowhall rolling downfill; it here, not even the truth. You've Arieta, her voice picks up anything in its way. The built up a new life, a good life thick with shock, broke in "That longer the hill the bigger the snow. Make the most of it. Go back to ball. You're going to find yourself this flance, whatever his name surrounded by snowballs of gos sip, and how you'll ever wean

"Calvin Sheridan," said Arleta automatically "Cal Sheridan!" Kelly's voice

"You met him when he was than gossip. Ah, what a relief, here?" Arleta asked anxiously. The voice, in an attempt to The estate left to vandal- because eager to learn, if possible, how trave the chock, went on sooth- her father's attorney had passed long Cal had stayed in that dishe had learned.

"Met him?" Met whom? Duchess," he spoke to the dog "home." "I guess you're right." she Duchess went to Arleta, licked

her hand apologetically, then item away, walked to the door with many a backward glance. "Doakes!" Kelly sat up, "What

A strange man this How Herald. Kelly. The way he'd said, "Met

nunters told him of a hunting ac- wasn't trying to do you out of divan, prepared for bed, then rerident which had been called mur- any money. Call him a crack, any- membered the basket Mrs. Cotsen the caption: der? Had he thought her father- thing you want. He's a disabled had left with her. She should put the chicken in the refrigerator, ter of Mrs. A. C. Lane of Sectar "I know plenty of disabled vet- It might save her a shopping trip Ranch, who entertained at The I must know," she said, as she erans who are honest" she flared, the next day. She didn't want to Sapphire Room for Calvin Sheri-"Doakes is honest according to drive to the resort town and she dan of Richmond, Virginia." sould who could give me an un- his standards. He feels he has a dreaded returning to the local claim. Oh, for Pete's sake. Chips, store,

The basket held more than the he would tell her without sparing a genius for stirring up trouble. fried chicken and rolls. There was Read the Want Ads for bargains,

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James M. Barker

WASHINGTON reports reveal that James M. Barker (above), 63, of Chicago may be named by President Truman as chairman of the Munitions Board. Barker is a board member of a mail order company and also a prominent industrial (International) engineer,

a jar of potato salad, a patty of fresh cream, a jar of blackberry Kelly countered, jelly and a square of spice cake, neatly wrapped in oiled paper.

"How thoughtful and kind," Arleta thought, as she put each

She shook out the snowy napkin at the bottom of the basket. "Think it over," Kelly said folded it and started to replace it, Cold out. A few clouds and we'll then noticed a newspaper had been fitted to the basket, evi-The door closed behind them dently the Sunday Society Secand Arleta turned back to the lion of the nearby city's Globe-

Arleta glanced at the photo-How Kelly stood up, his face him? Met whom?" Yet he had graphs smiling up at her from Cal 11 d talked to some hunters, grunty shadowed as he reared repeated "Cal Sheridan" instead the bottom of the basket. And her smile froze. Cal Sheridan was one, Puzzled, she made up the bed- Allene Lane was the other,

And under the photographs was "Miss Allene Clare Lane daugh-

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