THE CLEVELAND STAR, SHELBY, N. C. WEDNESDAY, MAY 12, 1926.

f a flower, wilted and dried, and tonse, because of dark heavy lashes. Beating like shallow waves on the phone and gave Merle's number. wept silentiy. Now Trixie was stirring; now she see you. You know why, I acted like Something to follow you, like a nized the crisp, clipped syllables for was opening her eyes. Mimsi knelt a complete cad and I've been sorry benediction . . . with her arms flung acress the too- every minuce. I don't suppose you can She was rested and full of peace or

lighted her eyes for an instant. She someone discover that you're not a

smiled and said, clearly, "Happy days, Catholic. But once inside-oh, the

DESCRIPTION AND DESCRIPTION

beauty! Uprushing, overwhelming->

"Dam' tired, baby! Say, what you anything I can do-or say!" cryin' for? Aw, say-"Trizie! My poor Trixie!"

-teff-you-She seemed to drop a leep again you to remember! She was whispering: "Bost way out. Tired- no use-"

"Trixie dear, you mean you did it what I did." want to go on?"

Chapter 17

baby!"

Chapter 16

"THE

GOOD BAD

-BY-

WINIFRED VAN DUZEN

Mimsi strolled in a field of violets I was like you once. I. got me, New The tiger's claws? little river where a singing fish lived, thinks maybe New York's a nice old time." He went, leaving the spell. Her cry still echoed and it all was very beautiful and bouse-cat you can stroke. No. Tiger, It hay upon you as you went out 'n- He'd gone and taken what you had caustics. happy

a terrible din of bells. She tried to York's a tiger with claws. God if I tle; shake is off. But the mind gather up the children. They'd disap. could go back!" peared! And the field turned into a The interne came and laid his fin- Spring when you're ninete New York street. rer on the shrunken wrist. Merle Pause at Fifieth street.

"Clang! Clang! Clang!" Then she whi pered, "No difference now." awakened, staring up in the dark. The spark that kiedles before it hars in there . . "Darn.old telephone! It spoiled my drops into ashes! It flared in Trixie, Pass the great doors fearfully lest lovely dream!" "Yes? into the instrument.

Mimsi? Don't be frightened." "Oh, Merle! What time is it?" "Two o'clock. I'm sorry. Now, sobbing in Meric's arms.

don't be frightened. Get dressed as soon as you can. I'm coming to take There were gloomy days for Min.s: Why you could rest here: you could ready ?"

"Merle! Is it the-the end ?" gave her a decent burial. "I think so, dear. I'll come right Minsi followed the casket to the

away." cemetery; thrilled to the majesty of Poor Trixie! With her bitterness the promise, "I am the Resurrection and her broken illusions and her im- and the Life." She wept a little, but petuous gleams of kindliness. Trixic, not for Trixic as she'd known her. with blue hand clutching the sheet -no, fight the black ghosts! Trixie had Infinitely dreary; futile; dreary. She planned to stay on in the little wandered someway. A good girl. Just flat. It was cheap. Perhaps she wandered. could get another girl to go in with

Mimsi threw on her clothes and the her. At the studio she worked feverdream of the violet field tangled with ishly. White was a hard taskmaster, the picture of Trixie wandering. Yet when he preised her efforts she Someone said something once . . . felt a hearty triumph that she often Oh yes, in the white church with the mistook for happiness. white tower where Tranquility gath- Late one afternoon when White

cred Sunday mornings. was scrambling about on his scaffold "Who wandereth out of the way of and she was bending over her drawunderstanding-" Trixie, wandering ing board, the door opened and Percy out of the way of understanding. With came in. Even before he walked the black ghosts . . Trixie . . across the great, dim room-even be-Merle put his arm around her fore she saw his face clearly-sne against the jolting of the taxi on the felt his attraction. Reaching out like rough pavements of East Side streets. in magnet; drawing her against her

Far downtown they turned; tasted the will. musty tang of the East River. Bellevue sprawled like a sulky monster behind its high walls. They were challenged at the gates; passed along when Merle spoke quietly. "To your right." said the guard. Not the hig, main building with lights twinkling eerily. Minst had heard in the hours before hawn life ran low; wondered how many spirits

were passing from sick bodies there the dark . The little building toward the right; the one with the iron bars at the windows. Why were there bars at the windows as in a prison?

"Mimsi," he said, "I've wanted to eternal hills.

forget. But won't you try?' If there's when she went uptown. The Ioneliness All alike! All playing the game of the rooms failed to trouble her, you can't beat. Merle too. Asking All the swagger gone. The faint air she sat at the table in the kitchea her to marry him. Merle in love with or division, the knowingness-all gore over a pot of tea, dreaming. "Good-little-kid. Something gotta His meekness. The one thing to make The top at the door would be the him. Miss Duer and her money. All

you forge, whatever he didn't wish paper boy; she called "Come," lazily, alike. Even Merle! and Merle watched. No, not yet, "Why it's all right, Perry. Of "Mimsi-" course it's all right. I suppose it was She took a step forward. Then his dicate, Inc.

partly my fault. I'm sorry too. F r arms were around her hungrily, purposely? You wanted to-you didn't The tingle of his hand on your arm. breaking her waist. He was crushing

The intimacy of his silence. A spell kisses upon her eyes, her lips, her A shadow of the old sardonic amuse- that held you. A spell like the warmth throat.

ment crossed the waxy face and left of thin, sparkling wine. Wine he'd it damp, "Baby-closer, Tired, Lister, given you. This Perry. The tiges? of him! Perry! He was gone! Why? Come and gone without a word? Oh geia. Congress is considering legis-

with the Hart babies. There was a York. Merle? Sell her, Merle. She I'm busy now, Perry. Some other yes. She'd cried "Go Perry! Go now!" lation to regulate the labeling and sale of lye and similar poisonous

Tiger with claws. They tear you. You to the twilight. Turn down the avenue before he came. Quiet: sureness. Must Thirteen States have already pass-But fire engines were coming with watch out, baby! You hear? New from Fifty-seventh street; walk a 34- by drifting You'd without a home. ed such legislation, but there is need Ciean, cold New Eng. of national legislation to protect land wind. It would blow away the children and adults. Lye is not only

parest in your heart. The spell ' of a fatal poison, but will bady burn any the perry. Plow it away. Visit Tran- skin with which it comes in contact. stately glory of the Cathedian Pet- quility temorrow. Stay there, maybe

On an impulse she went to the tole-

CANDIDATE FOR CONGRESS

the beauty! The lofty grandeur; the calm! In the midst of the city's hur-ry and acise, the calm! I hereby announce myself a candi-date to succeed myself in Congress from the Ninth Congressional Dis-Then Mimsi kissed her, and was the beauty! The lofty grandeur; the

I take this occasion to thank the you to the hospital. Trixie is worse after Trixie's passing. The girls of throw off the things that kept drag- Democrats of Cleveland county for and wants to see you. They telephon- the chorus, the ones that Trixie had ging you this way and that. Some- their loyal support in the past and ed. It's unusual, but-will you be danced and sung and quarreled and thing perpendication. Not to laughed with made in a sung and quarreled and thing perpendication. Not to laughed with made in a sung and the moved by the little affairs of men. Not to laughed with made in a sung and the moved by the little affairs of men. laughed with, made up a sum and be moved by the little affairs of men. primary June 5. A. L. BULWINKLE -the hurry and noise beating upon it.

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woman voice answered. She recog-

M. Duer's, and hung up the receiv-

Connie Duer asking her to marry

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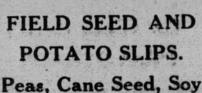
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CANCER MAY RECUR WITHIN THREE YEARS AFTER SURGERY

Cancer may fecur any time within three years after removal of the growth. Therefore the patient should be examined by the physician regularly for the first three years, advises Gygeia. Any undue sysptoms should

be reported to him at once. Early recurrences are not always in the uxilla as enlarged glands. A general loss of strength and weight are further symptoms.

God give us men-men whose degree of humidity will not vary in public or private.



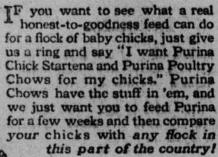
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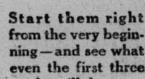
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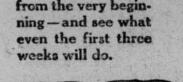


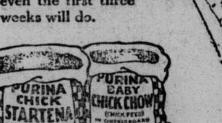
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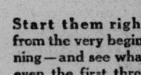




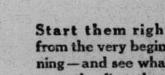
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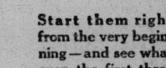
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Suddenly a woman's scream pierced the air like a dagger, dragging behind it howls, moans, shricks. An inferno of sounds.

"It's all right, Mimsi. I'm here--Dear Merle! She clung to him as keys turned. More keys; gratings bars. A white-clad interne, muttering "Quiet!" Warped old corriders: a ward at the back of the building.

There was a screen around a cct. Mimsi didn't know that the screen meant death. A modicum of privacy granted the spark of life as it flutter. the purchase of real estate ed out. Then she was standing inside the screen, and Merle kept saying, "Steady, now. I'm here--"

Trixie seemed to be asleep. How little she looked and young. Little and wasted. And waxy in the shaded light, even her hair faded. Mimsi thought



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He stood beside her meckly. And

eyes were gray and disturblingly in-

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SHELBY, N. C.

Fortunate youth

THE educational opportunities for the boys and girls of L the South are keeping pace with the leadership of the South in the economic progress of the Nation. This is seen in the following facts:

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dren of school age in these states the South.

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attended school, while the average for the nation as a whole was 72.4 per cent. But in 1922, the latest year for which complete figures are available, 81.4 per cent of the children in the states of the South served by the Southern attended school, while the average for the nation as a whole was 81.2 per cent.

The growth in the educational facilities of the South, as well as the number of children that can, take advantage of them, is one of the fortunate and direct results of In1900 only 64.8 percent of the chil. the prosperity that has come to

The Southern Railway System has contributed to the prosperity of the South, as a tax-payer, as a large em-ployer of men and women—and as the transportation agency which carries Southern commerce to and from world markets, regularly, dependably and economically.

The Southern serves to me the South