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HAPPY BIRTHDAY! 88

By STANLEY J. FORREST (Released by McClure Syndicate.) WNU Service.

HE marks of her tears had left damp places on the arm of the big chair in the library—his chair. And now she lay face down on the bed, her head buried in the pillows; the two rumpled discurants elemented in her small fist documents elemented in her small fist documents, and both were from Bert. The first read:

"Lady in Black not your type stop Forget her stop Details tomorrow." and the second, dated a few days later:

Forget her stop Details tomorrow.

and the second, dated a few days.

"Love and kisses to Cherus Girl
you lucky hound stop Hope Gertie
forgives and forgets."

It would have to be Phillip. Their
very best friend. No, Phil's certainly not her.

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It only he hadn't asked her to
send that gray suit to the cleaner.

It only he hadn't sked the to
send that gray suit to the cleaner.

But she hadn't forgotten.

Gertle could hear Mama Byers
starting up the stairs.

She swallowed hard, blinked
through her tears and by the time
her mother reached the room, was
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She wished, too—
"I can't for the life of me see
why you waste tears over him. I've
sulvays said—ere." Soiff. Soiff.

"Thou he wasn't worth the powder to blow him up, and still you go
right on believing all the stuff and
utter nonsense he tells you. If he
were my husband—"
"Well, he is hirt; he's mine."
"Himphi"
"O. Nlama. I j-just can't hink

"Hmph!"
"O, Mama, I j-just can't think
he'd—"

he'd—"
"No, you never do."
"No, you never do."
"And B-Bert, too; when I always
thought he was such a swell friend."
"Goodness knows, Gertle, I've
told you often enough—"
"O, bush up—do you hear? Hush
up! Tell me! That's all you ever do.
From now on I won't believe anybody, n-no matter what they say.
Ohhhh!"

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devil when you found out what she cost. And listen—hello—HELLO—Gertle had replaced the receiver and was now grinning at Mama Byers who had come back and was standing open-mouthed in the doorway.

'I'm sure I don't understand. Aren't you going to insist upon an explanation?

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"No need to, Mother dear. You see, Phil always tells me everything—in time."
Then, as her daughter dashed for the hall closet, "May I ask where you're going!" "Sure. Phil wants me to come down and meet his lady friend—you know—the Chorus Girl."
"Gertrude!"
"Aspirins in the top drawer, Mom. And don't wait up for us, will you?"
"Well, if anybody asked me—"
But these was nobody home to ask Mama Byers anything.

Disprove Old Theory of

Black Void Between Stars
The old notion that the dark regions between the stars are just
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proved by the studies which have
been made at Mount Wilson by Dr.
Joel B. Stebbins and his assistant,
Dr. A. E. Whitford. In "empty
space there is some gas and dust
invisible to the telescope but detectable by means of the spectroscope,
which, by splitting light into its constituent colors, enables the physiwhich be must deal even though it
may be billions of miles away.
The gas and dust in interstellar
space manifest themselves by absorption lines in the spectra of distant stars. When starlight passes
through this dust or gas some of the
split light is absorbed. The amount
in general varies with the color. So, Black Void Between Stars

what elements have done the absorbing.

Another test is the reddening of strilght as if passes through gas or dust. Just as the sum looks redden at the horizon because its light must pass through a thick earthly haze so stars appear redder than they actually are whenever their light passes. From measurements of the colors of stars with the photo-element of the colors of the

and hence the amount of dust can be computed. In the Milky Way are star clouds, shapeless blurs of light. Formerly these were regarded as aggrega-tions of stars that could not be re-solved by powerful telescopes. Drs. Stebbins and Whitford now find

Stebbins and Whitford now find that the apparently dark spaces between bright star clouds are actually regions of increased absorption.

What astronomers once regarded as unresolvable masses of clouds are simply stars veiled by dark material in front. It is the same kind of veiling that occurs when we hold up a piece of ground glass against a bright light at a distance. We lose all sense of a bright, concentrated source of light.

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