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### KINDRED SPIRITS

By LEONORA McNEILLY @ D. J. Walsh .- WNU Service.

HE girl that gets him will you aren't the kitten's whis-will be lucky!" said lit- kers!" he guffawed, as he recalled tle Mrs. Grimshaw with Hope's expression. suppressed excitement. "How would I do?" asked Hope, she said for a long time.

"A little what?" ished weakly.

bold, I just mean that your ideas shoe-" are a little-"

"Advanced," supplied the girl.

Hope, if you could only hold your- reverie. the arrival of Harcourt Doud in town. He had been appointed to an He thrust it into his pocket and extraordinarily responsible position hurried out. in a big bond and mortgage company for one so young. And it was her "pose." Sitting down she had Reeves' pheasant, also a native of prophesied in New York financial circles that he was in line for the presidency and would one day rank

high in the financial world. Gossip had it that he was still the courage to carry out her intenheartwhole, but his secretary con- tion if she wavered, she was prefided to a friend that the girl Doud married would have to measure up to a high standard.

And so the young set were agog. Naturally, the appearance of such her heart on her sleeve, went with an eligible as Doud was reported them. to be would create somewhat of a

Hope Randall sat before her dressing table making a careful scrutiny of her stock-in-trade. "Not so bad looking!" she mused as she turned her head from right to left. "But forward! Whew! The candor of one's relatives! If Mr. High-Jinks is a very proper article I wonder what he would think of me," she smiled. "But it may be worth a try-an exciting game any-

When Harcourt Doud and Hope Randall met, it was love at first sight. With that elusive and indefinable something that caught and held, her misgivings melted away like snow under his sunny smile. Like Harcourt, Hope was still heart-whole notwithstanding that she had been pretty well hit at some of cupid's shooting parties, but it was seen upon careful exam- running out to the country. Boehm ination that the arrow had not much | must have sensed that there was more than grazed the skin. And something wrong. He knew the let-Harcourt-he told himself that she ter was from you. So he casually was the prettiest, the most viva- remarked that you had gone with

girl he had ever met. rumor that wedding bells could be about face, and we were careeningheard in the distance. And it was loping, madly here. And I got into not more than three months since this fine outfit," he laughed as he they had met. But theirs was one stepped back for her to survey his of those romances that bloom quick- bright red pierrot masquerade cos-

They had motored, danced, boat- premises. "And I had no trouble ed, bridged and in fact there was finding you." that they had not done.

as she threw herself face downward | your age, you little pretender?" on the bed. "I might as well hold out until up at him. the honeymoon is over-and then

what? One divorce for every seven marriages, they say." claimed Harcourt the following aft- being longer, curved and having ernoon as they lolled on a grassy fewer and shorter barbs on the slope skirting the placid waters of lancet. It is also more firmly at-

the River Peace. asked as she idly dissected a yel- easily torn from the worker's body | to the pedestrian and the pedestrian low dandelion.

didn't like?" "Impossible!" he replied. gument that it were possible-just have stung the bee-keeper when to gain my point."

impossible situation," he playfully that they will often sting queens bantered. "Well, if you aren't the kittens' erable length of time when brought whiskers!" burst from her uncon- into contact with them. trollably, as she looked up at him. The glance of mingled surprise

and curiosity which he shot at her covered her with confusion. Scram- averaging five to six feet in length, bling to her feet she looked at her and weighing in the neighborhood "It's almost dinner time. Let's and very difficult to land. Hooked,

A half hour later her aunt found face of the water, as the angler her sitting with her chin resting in tries to haul it to his boat, accordher hand, the picture of despair, ing to the curator of fishes at the rather habitual with her now. "You don't seem happy, dear! A somewhat like a mackerel. It has

lover's quarrel, eh?" "No, but there's going to be!" "You're tired of him!" exclaimed ing of a latticework of unique bones the old lady with perturbation. "Tired! No chance! But I'm go- that the fish cannot bend its body ing while the going's good!"

use such slang!"

Kipling Waited for Spirit to Move

### up so long with that all-wool-and-a-Junglefowl, of Pheasant yard-wide imp of propriety that I've fallen in love with. I'm too forward, from dinner. He stood for a n

bugh the window of his bachelor rters on the street below.

preening herself before her aunt. | so proper that it's like walking a league. "Hardly, dear!" You're a little- tight rope to keep step with her. But I'll tell the world that to keep "A little-well, forward," she fin- your best foot forward all the time ished weakly.

"Aunt Emma!"

of it is when she sees my worst foot she may not like the look of the

A peremptory ring, followed by the opening of the street door and "That's it!" brightened the little a masculine voice at the foot of the stairs calling to him to hurry up, "What a match you would make, that they were late now, ended his

As he ran downstairs the land-The conversation had arisen over lady handed him a letter, which she said a boy had just brought in.

> Hope had at last decided to end written Doud that she did not think they were suited to each other, and dispatching it with her young brother lest she change her mind or lack paring for the luxury of a good cry when the girls trooped in to carry her off to a masquerade at Romney's. And Hope, unwilling to wear

Hope was having the time of her life. She had been dancing with a man who was irresistible. And she she wasn't fickle, she told herself. couldn't have him. He was too prop-She noticed too with a little bound of her heart that the dances she refused to give him, he had

Then in the midst of a giddy whirl with her fascinating partner, the order to unmask was given and she found herself face to face with Harcourt Doud.

She staggered back. "You-" "Hope," he laughed, "I have never enjoyed anything so much in "But my letter-did you read

"Not until I was in Boehm's car cious, the most alluringly winsome his sister and some of the girls to Romney's masquerade. And then Time flies, and soon there was a somehow the car was turned right tume, which he had rented on the

nothing on the program of pastimes | Then seriously he said: "You and I have been masked a long time Hope had returned from a dance now-but unmasked we are kindred and was slowly preparing to retire. spirits. Why didn't you let me see 'How long will it last?'' she mused, the real 'you?' Why don't you act "So's your old man!" she smiled

Sting of Queen Honeybee The sting of the queen honeybee "How gay you are today!" ex- differs from that of the worker in when the sting penetrates an object to the sitting man. "I like anything that you are!" beyond the barbs which extend "How lovely! But what if you backward as does the barb on a found something about me that you fishhook. The queen honeybee sel- MAN WANTED for Rawleigh Route rival queens, although there are a leigh's, Dept. MDF-78-SA, Chester, "But suppose for the sake of ar- few cases on record where queens Pathey were handled. This instinct "But you can't gain a point on an to sting other queens is so strong that have been dead for a consid- Medicines

Fish Walks on Its Tail The wahoo is a tropical game fish of fifty pounds. It is a hard fighter, it "walks on its tail" along the sur-Field museum. The wahoo is shaped an extraordinary backbone with special engineering features consistwhich brace the spine in such a way up or down, and is extremely limit-

"Oh, Hope, I wish you wouldn't ed in bending sideways. The scien- I. tific name of the fish is Acanthocy-"I'd burst if I didn't! It's been pent | bium Petus.

## His Pen Before Writing His Thrillers

Kipling's confidence have told us such profusion . . . period at Lahore, we should never yard Kipling's colleagues on the have had that tropical shower of Civil and Military Gazetteer of Laremances and idylls, dramas-in- hore, India, in "The Nineteenth Cenbrief and tilts against the hated Rus- tury and After."

In after years friends enjoying | sian, which poured from him in how, on rare occasions, he would Those stories or verses day by reveal some secret of his craft- day, or every other day, were Kipsteeping himself, for instance, in the atmosphere of the story to be told, and then waiting patiently until the spirit prompted, his pen in the first. Whether they were skimmed meantime turning off many a vivid off in the quiet of his own room sketch of fearsome creatures that at the family bungalow of arcaded never were on land or sea. This shadow, or dashed off at the office exercise of the virtues of hope and desk with the roar and scuffle patience was the very reverse of the around him, the concentration while maxim for tale-tellers in Morier's it lasted, and the rein-control over classic of "Hajji Baba"-to "fold up so many restive powers-characterthe carpet of thy desires, and prowl ization, originality of phrasing, the not round and round thy victim." ricochet of dialogue, the flicker of This method of wait-and-see may humor, and, above all, the concisehave prevailed in the fullness of ness that meant a column or a col- Buy at Kipling's powers; but if it had been the process during that flowering that flowering —John Philip Collins, one of Rud-

Family, Daddy of Poultry break with him before it's too late." | which inhabit all parts of the world the tropics, and so not only furnishes sport and food to civilized man but to the savages of the jungles. The red junglefowl, a member of the pheasant family, is the ancestor of all varieties of our domestic poultry, thus again emphasizing the importance of the genus, according to an official of the Detroit chapter of the Izaak Walton

> The most gorgeously plumed pheasants are the tropical species, and among these the Tragopans stand supreme, with magnificent plumage of cherry red or crimson, interspersed with other harmonizing colors of delicate shade. To add to their beauty, nature has equipped them with brilliantly colored wattles. The tragopans are extremely shy birds and inhabit areas that are not easily accessible to man.

Among the long-tailed pheasants, beautiful in form but not so rich in coloration, is the Chinese Silver pheasant, with a long hairy crest and breast of purple. His silvery tail is considerably longer and bushier than that of the ringneck. The China, carries an exceptionally long tail, but the feather colorings are

more subdued. Outside of the tropics we find the plumage of all species of pheasants a varied mixture of brown, orange, gold and purple, but body shapes differ, some being stubby and others elongated.

Balloons First Used in

War by France, in 1794 Balloons were first put to a military use in France, states a writer in the Chicago Daily News. At the battle of Fleurus in Belgium on June 26, 1794, Capt. J. M. Coutelle, the world's first military balloon observer, floated in his balloon, L'Entreprenant (the Venturesome), above the cannon flashes and clouds of smoke of the opposing French and Austrian armies. By signaling with flags to the French artillery, Coutelle demoralized the Austrians and was an important factor in the

French victory. During the siege of Paris in 1870-1871, balloons played a strategic part. Cut off from supplies by Germans surrounding the city, starving Parisians were reduced to eating rats and zoo animals. Their only means of contact with the outside world was by balloon. Dozens of them, like great striped gourds, were hastily made in railway sta-

Between September, 1870, and the following January, about sixty eight rose from Paris, soared safely over the circle of German gunfire, and enabled 164 Parisians to escape. One of their most famous passengers was the French statesman Gambetta, who took the French government with him to Tours, where he set up his headquarters and organized fresh troops which offered the Germans fierce, but vain resistance. Other passengers were pigeons, which afterward brought back news to the besieged city.

Greetings Among the Arabs Among the Arabs of northern Africa, the ritual of greeting demands that the man "looking down" should always speak first, irrespective of his birth, wealth, power or dignity. Thus, notes a writer in Collier's Weekly, the man on a camel greets first the man on a horse, the horseback rider nods first to the mule tached in the sting chamber than is rider, the mule rider bows first to "Do you like gay girls?" Hope the sting of the worker, which is the donkey rider, the donkey rider

dom uses her sting except to kill of 800 families. Write today. Raw-



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