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## OUT OUR WAY . . . . . By Williams



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### ● SERIAL STORY SUMMER THEATER. BY MILDRED WILLIAMS

**CAST OF CHARACTERS**  
**JOHNNY REGAN**—young man in love with two girls.  
**JEAN REYNOLDS**—Johnny's sweetheart since childhood.  
**MOLLY TRAVERS**—ambitious young actress.  
**ANDRE MASTERS**—the Theater's leading man.  
**YESTERDAY:** Johnny and Jean save the precious antiques from the burning theater. Jean's hands are burned. When Johnny asks help in returning the props to their owners the theater folk say it is not their responsibility. Johnny enlists Rex Arnold's help. Rex gets all the stuff back safely. Jean is grateful, promises Johnny the cameo as a wedding present. Johnny refuses. The cameo is the only prop that has not been returned.

#### CHAPTER X

The fact that Jean Reynolds had given him the cameo for Molly made little difference to Johnny that night of the Capetown fire. He wandered through the still

streets like a man in a stupor. He didn't want to see Molly, and so he went home to bed instead of meeting her and Masters at the Capetown inn.

It was noon when he awoke. He went to the mirror and looked at himself. His face was still smudged with soot and his eyebrows were singed. Not a romantic figure, he thought, and tried to arrange in some logical order the events of the night before.

JEAN had said that Molly was interested in Masters. Was she? Johnny would find out. Then he would know just where he stood with her. Did she love him or the cameo?

At the Blue Whale he ordered breakfast, then telephoned the Meltons to ask about Jean.

"Jean's a lot better, and you two are heroes. I'm tired of answering the phone and hearing people praise you, too, Johnny Regan, when I know Jean did most of it."

"Still love me to death, don't you, Sue? Well, tell Jean I'm glad she's better."

Johnny bolted his breakfast and went around to 43 Cottage street.

and she had never been there. "What time will they be back?" "Back about supper time, they said."

Johnny thanked them and went to while away the four hours intervening at the Meltons.

Everyone was talking about the fire. Johnny didn't answer them. He dropped on the grass beside Jean and they watched a croquet game.

"What did Molly say when you told her I'd given you the cameo? I thought at least she'd call to thank me for the belated generosity."

"She and Masters have gone to Dennis. I just got up," he finished, hoping to close the subject. He wished she wouldn't talk about Molly.

"Masters could help her a lot in the theater. He knows everybody."

"She calls him a wedge," Johnny said, chewing a blade of grass.

"He's not as hipped on the theater as she is. I mean he can at least talk about something else. He's crazy about antiques. He was wild about every old piece I got for the set."

"Molly says he's particularly fond of old jewelry," Johnny said idly.

"Johnny," Jean said, "you don't suppose Molly plans to use my cameo to get something out of Masters?"

"Of course not, silly. Been reading a melodrama?"

She laughed, too, then, and put one hand, bandaged to elephantine size, on his. "I'll miss you, Johnny, after you and Molly are married."

Johnny took the hand in his. He held it tenderly. "I'm going to get your cameo back for you, Jean. I haven't seen Molly yet, that's why I haven't it with me now."

He had a pleasant afternoon.

lying on the lawn beside Jean's deck chair. It was nearly twilight when he decided to go home.

"Miss Travers isn't back yet," he was told at Molly's boarding house. He decided to wait.

He sat in the porch swing and began a crossword puzzle. How long ago it was that he had first sat here waiting for Molly? He remembered the feverish excitement and enthusiasm with which he anticipated that first date.

Love was a fever. "Love was . . ." he had caught himself thinking. Was it possible that the fever was over? How easily he had slipped

back into his relationship with Jean.

His pencil was making little squares on the paper. He was initialing the squares. JRR, he wrote, and under that, Jean Reynolds Regan.

WHEN Masters' green roadster drew up to the curb, Johnny jumped the railing and ran down the walk. Molly was lying back against the cushion. She was more lovely that he remembered her.

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Molly said accusingly. "Where were you?" "I went home and went to bed. Slept till noon. Why didn't you tell me you were going?"

Molly shrugged. "Didn't want to interrupt your dreaming. All business."

Masters took a cigaret from a tooled leather case and said: "Beautiful scenery up the Cape. Quaint little town, Dennis. I'm to play there week after next."

"And Johnny, I . . ."

"Must be going, my dear," Masters interrupted. "Nice day."

He leaned over to start the

motor and Johnny opened the door for Molly to get out. But in that brief moment Johnny understood something. Masters and Molly. They might not love each other, but their worlds were the same.


"Did you meet any big producers?" Johnny asked Molly. "I assume that's what you meant by business."

"Not only that, but I have a contract," she dug in her handbag and Johnny looked at it. It was signed by Harry Habbit, an

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Party Honors
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On Birthday

Miss Wanda Louise Murry, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Murry, was complimented Thursday with a party at the home of her parents, in celebration of her tenth birthday.

The afternoon was spent in playing amusing games, after which the honoree opened her gifts from the guests. Ice cream and cookies were served later in the afternoon, and Japanese parasols were given as favors.

The guest list included: Wanda Louise Murry, Alene Seabourn, Doris Lee Hall, Margie Dawson, Margie and Billy Maxine Halley, Frances and Lavonne Dennis, and Margaret and Weldon Bosworth.

Men's Class Has
Watermelon Supper

The Men's Bible class of the First Christian church gave a watermelon supper at Lake Cisco Wednesday evening with the wives of the members as guests. L. A. Warren is president of the class. Approximately 60 members and guests attended.

Mr. and Mrs. Cy Blackstock of Brownwood spent Thursday evening here.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Burnam are attending an old settlers' reunion in Clyde today. They will be accompanied home by their daughter, Jeanette, who has been visiting in Big Spring.



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Personals

Mrs. Homer Slicker and daughter, Alice, have been in Austin for the past few days.

Dr. and Mrs. Gary Smith returned Thursday night from a two-weeks vacation trip through Colorado and New Mexico.

Miss Edleen Armstrong is the guest of friends in Dallas this week.

Roy Kemper of Abilene is spending this week visiting Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Tune and daughter, Marie, and other relatives here.

Miss June Surles of Houston is here visiting Miss Nadine Huestis. Miss Surles is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Surles, formerly of Cisco.

Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Penny and daughters, Anne and Marilyn, of Hillsboro, are visiting in the O. W. Hampton home. Mr. and Mrs. Penny and Mr. and Mrs. Hampton have gone to Marble Falls for a short visit.

Mrs. L. L. Griffin of Houston and Travis McCary of Port Arthur are guests in the home of Dr. and Mrs. F. E. Clark this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Clare Swartz and daughter, Deana Kay, are spending their vacation in San Antonio and Corpus Christi.

Mrs. Henry Bettis and son, Corky, of Pratt, Kansas, are guests in the home of Mrs. Bettis' mother, Mrs. G. H. Coyle.

L. B. Harris of Wichita Falls spent Thursday here with his sister, Mrs. Laila Smart.

Mr. and Mrs. Homer Ferguson and daughter, Janet, have returned from a visit with relatives in Quanah.

Mrs. Lynn Williams of Putnam was the guest of friends here Thursday.

Miss Maxine Marshall of Big Spring, formerly of Cisco, is spending today here.

Miss Frances Gorham and Sonny Herman of Abilene are expected to spend the week-end as guests in the Dr. F. E. Clark home.

Cisco College--

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dents who came from junior colleges did as well or better than those who attended the state university for the first two years, and in every case better than those who transferred from other four-year colleges. He made clear this did not mean that junior colleges could make successes out of failures, but that the records were of students who succeeded in their courses.

"What is a junior college worth to Cisco?" he asked. "Considering that you have an enrollment of 100 it is probable that 50 of these would have gone away to colleges elsewhere. The cost of this varies, but I will take a figure of \$500 as about average. If these 50 should go away practically all of that \$25,000 would be spent out of your community. It is not a bad idea to keep \$25,000 to \$50,000 of your community money around.

"In addition to these other students will come here and substantial families will move into your community because of the educational advantages. That was our experience at Corpus Christi. I speak from knowledge of the facts. These families represent business gains to you.

"From the standpoint of the other 50 who couldn't otherwise go to college, what? I am a great deal more interested in these 50 than the other. There was a time when the two years of college work that your junior college will afford was not so important. But a B. A. degree is today almost a universal necessity. If you give a boy or girl in this community two years of college work the chances are he or she will manage for the other two and secure the degree.

There is another consideration, and it is upon this argument that we are basing our demand for state support of municipal junior colleges. In local colleges the fitness of students for college education can be tested at small cost. Thousands of students who cannot succeed in higher institutions of learning can be weeded out and prevented from over-crowding these institutions at great cost to the state. It is a business proposition.

150 Signed
L. A. Warren of the Cisco school board introduced Dr. Hereford and others who appeared on the program. Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Webb entertained the group with

vocal solos and duets which were much appreciated.

Following Dr. Hereford's talk, which followed an informal course, Supt. R. N. Cluck told the group that 130 probable students had signed cards, and that although not all of these would attend, it was likely that the number of unexpected students would approximate those who dropped out and that the initial enrollment would be nearer 150 than 100. He said the school would handle 150 more economically than 100.

While numbers of these students will require work in Cisco homes or businesses to help support them, the college will not ask Cisco people to furnish this. "It would be a fine thing," Mr. Cluck said, "but we are not launching the college on that basis."

The institution, he said, is assured. "We have the students, the money for the equipment and we are in the final stages of preparation. There is much to be done, but it will be done. Such problems are of an organizational and not promotional character." The purpose of the college, its great significance to Cisco and the manner in which it grew out of a long-time program of educational development in Cisco were discussed by Mr. Warren in presenting the speaker.

Dr. Lee Clark, veteran educator who has organized two municipal junior colleges—both of them outstanding successes today—told the group "You are going to discover that interests of your people will turn more and more from institutions away to your college." He cited experiences of his in which wealthy people of the community affected had endowed the municipal colleges.

He said that the junior college is a sound institution because it is meeting a real need, and pointed to the successes of schools to that to be organized here. It was brought out that no municipal junior college in Texas has failed. "I am deeply interested in the success of this college," said Dr. Clark.

81 Transfers--

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begin operation this year of a 12-grade plan in the local system. Such plans will be discussed at the board meeting and definite announcements made afterwards. Self added.

The Rising Star school will open Monday, September 2, for the fall term, school board President C. E. Williams said.

Nearly half of Australia has no regular surface drainage.

Today's War Map



Today's War Map is an animated view of the North African front where Italian troops, utilizing varied land, sea and air forces, steadily pushed back the British troops.

Summer Theatre--

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ingenue part for the fall show. "I'm glad," Johnny said. "And now that all that is settled, I'd like to give the cameo back to Jean."

Molly sat down in the swing and didn't answer.

"I thought it was to be some sort of wedding present for us. And I want to tell you, Johnny, with the contract all signed, maybe we'd better postpone the wedding..."

"Just as you like," said Johnny firmly, "but I want to give the cameo back now. I told you last night Jean wouldn't sell it..."

Molly looked at him. She seemed to be thinking of something.

"I'll go get it," she said, and then her hand flew to her throat.

"Why, Johnny, Johnny, darling, I can't get it. I left it in the dressing room. I just remembered."

Specs--

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criticize the sentence—it continues true. A healthy body is one in which the business of intake is balanced well against the outgo with sufficient surplus of intake to lay up reserves against emergency. A healthy business is one in which income is greater than outgo.

Cisco has a long way to go before it can solve its financial illness. But it must begin to solve it at home. Obviously it cannot seek the confidence and respect of any court or any group of creditors unless it can show to these that its people are sufficiently interested in maintaining the integrity of their community to do all, or make an honest effort to do all that is required of them. That is their rightful cooperation. And by means of it a way can be opened to improve self-respect and community values, and to establish here a better and a more stable community which will pay dividends in better living and better business to all of us.

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Summer Theatre--

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It was on Mrs. Lyons' dress, hanging on the rack ready for me to put on." (To Be Continued)

Thumbs Down On
Beetle Hitch Hikers

NEW YORK, August 9 (AP)—Japanese beetles, which can fly only five miles, have been hitchhiking rides of airplanes. To forestall them, the U. S. department of agriculture has posted inspectors at La Guardia airport to see that none of the pests come into New York on passengers' clothing or baggage.

THE DAY'S STILL YOUNG

PUEBLO, Colo., August 9 (AP)—B. B. Vanzandt, head of the Pueblo office of the state department of employment security, tells this one: He knocked at a farmhouse door at 4 a. m. "Is Jim here?" he asked of the farm wife who responded. "Well, he's around somewhere," she replied. "He was here earlier this morning."

BOY, WHAT A SPLASH!

BILLINGS, Mont., August 9 (AP)—An airplane pilot, back from forest fires at Missoula, Montana, reported that plane crews dropped hundreds of hot lunches and supplies by parachute to isolated fire fighting crews. Only one parachute failed to open. It carried a case of 360 eggs!

WHAT NO PAPER CARTONS?

FORT MILL, S. C., August 9 (AP)—Mother Nature decided to do something different in the garden of H. A. Carrouth. Tomatoes are growing in bunches—exactly seven egg-sized tomatoes to each bunch.

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