

SYNOPSIS

Undine Spragg recently arrives in New York from Apex, Midwest. In New York, she starts making herself as part of the high class. She is always invited whenever there is a party. One day, she meets a young man, Ralph Marvell at the party. They often talk and walk together. Until one day, they decide to get married. Everything seems right for Undine. Then, at the very last day before the wedding, she finds that Ralph is not as rich as she thinks. She starts to feel disappointed. Still, she goes on with her plan. She is not happy with her marriage. Things are getting worse. Ralph cannot afford Undine's luxurious life. She gets pregnant and delivers a baby boy. Still, she has not changed. Later, she demands for a divorce. During her marriage, she has an affair with Peter Van Degen, a married man. He is a rich man who owns a gallery and real estate. After her divorce with Ralph, she goes on sailing with Peter Van Degen to Europe. However, her affair does not last long. Peter ends their affair because he finds that Undine has ignored a letter mentioning that Ralph is not well.

Then, she meets Raymond De Chelles, a Paris nobleman, to whom Undine plans to marry with. She intends to take her son, Paul Marvell from Ralph. Ralph cannot agree with Undine's intention. Ralph does not want to give him to her. While trying to keep Paul with him, he reveals that Undine has married before to Elmer Moffat in Apex. Later, he kills himself. Undine marries Raymond De Chelles. At the beginning, she feels happy with her marriage. Then, Raymond has difficulties with his finance. Again, Undine plans to get divorce from Raymond

and marry Elmer Moffat. Once, they have been divorced because at that time Elmer has less money than today. Now, he is rich and able to provide everything for Undine.