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A Million a Minute

A Romance of Modern New York and Paris

By Hudson Douglas

(Continued)

"Of the last," he answered, squaring his shoulders again. "We've come through the mill since then, sweet heart, but—thank God—we're none the worse."

"Water!" He wanted some more—the heat you can do only don't. And bring us a bottle of that same Burgundy, will you. It's a lucky bin."

All they said to each other but that most concerns themselves only. Over it may be stated, that when it was over and Quaintance had ordered coffee, a special brew, to be made according to methods imparted to him by a merchant from Mocha whom he had once met on his travels, they both fell silent, looking about them with eyes that were very friendly and well disposed toward the others there. And they were still sunk in such wordless contentment when a cherry voice recalled them from the clouds.

"Hello, Quaintance!" it said, and they looked up swiftly at the grey-haired individual in very correct evening dress who had come forward and stopped beside them.

Quaintance sprang to his feet, hand outstretched.

"Glad!" he cried, "Dagmar, see you, O'Ferrall?"

"I planned for you, I didn't know whether O'Ferrall was in town till I phoned from the bank. A chair, waiter! Where's that coffee? Fetch me my coat—I want my cigar-case. Or will you have something to eat first, O'Ferrall?"

"I've dined, thanks."

"Then have a cigar."

Quaintance plucked a hand into his breast pocket, pulled forth his case and a couple of letters which he would have tossed to one side had not he caught sight of the postmark on one of them.

"He hit a match for O'Ferrall, and kindled his own Havana, with twinkling eyes on the envelope, 'Then he lit that open. 'Your pardon,' he said to the other two, 'but I want to read what this fellow says—and for me.'"

His wife turned to O'Ferrall, to whom she had much to tell. Their voices sounded far away and indistinct to him as he stared, through a thin blue curtain of smoke, at the paper before him. And he stared at it long enough that she at length took him to task.

"What's the matter, Stephen?" she asked, and her eyes were fixed on him as he observed the bewildered man.

He looked at her for a moment as if she had been a stranger, and then at O'Ferrall.

"I wish you would read that to me," he said in a puzzled whisper. "I don't seem to get the sense of it. That wine must have gone to my head."

O'Ferrall glanced at the bottle, more than half full.

"You must have a very weak head, Steve," said he, and took the sheet from his friend.

But his expression also changed as he pursued the epistle. He opened his eyes wide and pursed up his mouth.

"Read it aloud," Quaintance ordered. "It's from San Francisco, Dagmar—from the lawyers there. Go on, O'Ferrall. We're listening."

"Dear Sir," he began, "We duly received your favor from Paris, enclosing certificates of your marriage to the ward of our late client, Mr. Miles Quaintance, as also proof of your identity, which we have since ascertained to be competent. And in this connection we beg to express our profound regret that we were misled into recognizing Mr. Dominic Seeger in your place, but, as you yourself were admittedly the chief contributor to that mistake, we trust you will hold us unaccountably blameless."

"We note that you and your wife wished, at the time of your wedding, to forfeit all claim to our late client's property, and the steps you took to do so."

"You have evidently forgotten, however, that there is a considerable difference in time between France and the United States of America. The certified hour of your marriage was 12.10 a. m. Paris, which in San Francisco would be 3.30 p. m. of the previous day, 7.05 p. m. in New York. We have taken the highest legal opinion on this point, and it coincides with our own, viz., that Mr. Miles Quaintance, an American citizen, making his will in America and for the benefit of American heirs, did so on the basis, only and absolutely, of American time."

"We have therefore felt compelled, acting under our late client's explicit instructions, to forward the liquid assets of his personal estate to the bank in New York, to which you kindly referred us. And we wait your orders as to the disposal of the testator's real property."

SHOULD END THIS NONSENSE AT ONCE

Mormons in the West Threaten to Hang Two Men and a Woman—Mormon "Church" Rules the People.

Winnipeg, May 27.—The following despatch has been received from Lethbridge: "A mob of thirty or forty Mormons yesterday mobbed, threatened to hang, and finally hanged two men and a woman at Magrath, a Mormon settlement about twenty-two miles southeast of here. "The matter arose from the marriage a year or more ago of a Mormon girl to a 'Gentile,' as the Mormons call all non-members of their church. H. Barclay and his wife, the couple concerned, after their marriage, lived in Calgary. Barclay, however, five months ago returned to her mother's home at Magrath and intended to return to her own home in Calgary. The three were taken, handcuffed, to the depot by the sheriff, who meanwhile had sworn in deputy sheriffs. They had been in the waiting room some time when a mob appeared. 'We're hanging you,' called out some of the mob. 'Get a rope.' The mob rushed the three 'Gentiles,' knoched them down, kicked and beat them, pelted them with eggs and threw Harrison through a window. The top of one of his fingers was severed."

Barclay, accompanied by his sister, Mrs. Bolderson of this city, and a friend named Harrison, went to Magrath to urge his wife once again to come back to him; she refused. He finally declared that if she would not come back he would leave his child, which he did.

A mob got together and Barclay was seized by a man who called himself 'sheriff.' He, his sister, and Harrison were hauled before a Mormon magistrate, who gave orders that the child be returned to its mother and the three 'Gentiles' leave the place on the first train. The three were taken, handcuffed, to the depot by the sheriff, who meanwhile had sworn in deputy sheriffs. They had been in the waiting room some time when a mob appeared. 'We're hanging you,' called out some of the mob. 'Get a rope.' The mob rushed the three 'Gentiles,' knoched them down, kicked and beat them, pelted them with eggs and threw Harrison through a window. The top of one of his fingers was severed."

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THE SIMPLICITY OF THIS SUIT ITS DISTINCTION. Not a detail to break the lovely lines of this perfectly cut coat—no even so much as a cuff or a collar. Pockets, not thought of. The suit is built of favorably colored material in the silky Permo fabric, which Paris dressmakers consider particularly smart. Flat braiding in self color adds to the richness of the costume without interfering with the beautiful lines. Silk cord loops over corners are used instead of buttons for fastening.

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THEY BROKE JAIL AT EDMONDSTON

Ubad and Paul Michas of Baker Brook are being hunted by Sheriffs

Van Buren, Me., May 27.—Sheriffs and detectives on both sides of the Maine-New Brunswick border are searching tonight for two alleged desperadoes who escaped today from the county jail at Edmondston (N. B.), where they were being held for a charge of train wrecking and dynamiting. It is believed that the men have fled to American soil and that they were in the neighborhood of Fort Kent (Me.) tonight. The men are Ubad Michas and Paul Michas, brothers of Baker Lake (N. B.).

According to New Brunswick officers, the two men are charged with attempting to dynamite the station at Clair, on the Temiscouata railroad, opposite Fort Kent and with attempting to wreck the night express from Edmondston at that point. Traced by detectives and lodged in jail, they managed to make their escape today. The president Grundy of the Temiscouata railroad, who was here late today to consult the counsel for the prisoners, Peter O'Keegan, relative to the issuance of extradition papers, said he believed the fugitives would be captured before morning.

TOBACCO TABOOED TO PRESBYTERIANS

Edict of American General Assembly Declares That Presbyterian Clergymen and Laymen Should Abjure the Weed.

Denver, Colo., May 27.—Clergymen and laymen should not use tobacco, but it is contrary to the principles of the church for Presbyterians to grant social licenses. This was the decision of the general assembly of the Presbyterian church today.

The assembly expressed itself thus in approving the report of the Temperance Commission. The report, recommended President Taft, Emperor William and former President Eliot, of Harvard, for being totalitarians, and urged the ministers of the church to refuse to issue such licenses. A layman arose and declared the resolution should include laymen. The report recommended that a commissioner then urged the adoption of a resolution that grant social licenses, even though it be their duty under the law. Several speakers at once opposed this, and the resolution was not adopted. A commissioner then urged the adoption of a resolution that grant social licenses, even though it be their duty under the law. Several speakers at once opposed this, and the resolution was not adopted.

POLICEMEN HAD TO PAY FOR JOBS

Starting Evidence at Yesterday's Session of the Montreal Royal Commission

Montreal, May 27.—Starting evidence was given at the Montreal royal commission today by Madame Duvigne, the separated wife of Oscar Proulx, brother of Chairman Proulx, of the police committee.

Mrs. Proulx stated that while she was living with her husband several constables had left money with her for Oscar Proulx and that this money was to be paid over to him for the price of the price of the constables on the police force. She named three men—Constables O. M. Fontaine, who had left several instalments of \$10 each with her or her husband, as the price of reinstatement on the force after dismissal; another, Xavier Lacroix, had given her an envelope of money and she stated that she had told the story in order to secure money for her husband who, she thought, had treated her badly.

Detective Labeuge also testified that when the question of promotion came up he was sent for by Quartermaster Holland, of the police department, who told him if he wanted promotion, it would cost him \$100. He, however, refused to pay a cent, and got his promotion.

A number of other detectives denied having been approached to pay for promotion.

St. Johns, Que., May 27.—(Special)—Philip H. Roy, ex-speaker of the province, has been named as a candidate for the position of premier.

HONORS FOR SUPT. INCH "WOMEN!"

U. N. B. Confers the Degree of L. L. D. on Chief Superintendent of Education About to Resign.

Fredricton, N. B., May 27.—The special exercises at the university this afternoon attracted a large and representative gathering and it was the most successful in recent years. The weather conditions were all that could be desired and the hundreds who crowded their way to the old university building, "half way up the hill," were amply repaid for their trouble.

The proceedings were more than usually interesting and the programme was carried out without the slightest hitch.

The addresses by Chancellor Jones, who spoke on behalf of the faculty; Rev. E. B. Hooper, the alumni orator, and F. L. Orchard, class valedictorian, were singularly appropriate and commanded the closest attention.

Lieutenant-Governor Tweedie, wearing his Windsor uniform, occupied the chair, and among those on the platform were: Dr. Inch, Senator Ellis, Hon. George F. Hill, Premier Hazen, Surveyor-General Gummer, Dr. Thomas Walker, Bishop Richardson, Inspector Carter, Dr. Bridges, Principal Bridges, Dr. Atherton, Mayor Chestnut, J. D. Finney, A. S. McFarlane and Registrar Coy.

Those who assisted in presenting the prizes were: Governor Tweedie, Dr. Inch, Premier Hazen, Inspector Carter, Bishop Richardson and A. S. McFarlane.

A pleasing feature of the proceedings was the conferring of the honorary degree of doctor of laws upon Chief Superintendent of Education, who, after retirement from office, has been announced. He was given an ovation as he stepped forward to receive the well merited honor.

Chancellor Jones made the pleasing announcement that Governor Tweedie would continue this year his special price of \$50 for the student making the best general average.

The subject of the Douglas essay next year will be Problem of Transportation of Canada and its Relation to Future Development of the Country.

MR. MOOREHEAD TO COME TO ST. JOHN

U. S. Consul at Acapulco, Mexico Will Succeed Judge Willich

Toronto, May 27.—Maxwell Moorehead, consul for the United States in Acapulco, Mexico, who is visiting relatives at St. Thomas, has just received notice of his promotion to be United States consul at St. John (N. B.).

HALIFAX SOON RAISED \$100,000 FOR Y.M.C.A.

Halifax, N. S., May 27.—The Halifax Y. M. C. A. building fund campaign has been on for about nine days. The largest single pledge was received this morning. Miss Emily Scarfe, of Dartmouth, promised \$7,000 for the reception room, to serve as a memorial to her father, the late Frederick Scarfe, mayor of Dartmouth. This, with the subscriptions collected by the young men brings the fund up to more than \$100,000.

The goal set before the association was \$100,000, by June 1, but there is now a possibility that the plans of the proposed building may be changed, providing for an enlarged building to cost \$120,000.

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If you would like special advice write to Mrs. Pinkham, Lynn, Mass., for it. She has guided thousands to health, free of charge.

JUNK LICENSES

Dealers Must Have Place of Business in Order to Procure One.

A meeting of the bill and by-laws committee was held yesterday afternoon at the instance of Ald. McGoldrick to deal with the question of placing restrictions on junk dealers who, it is claimed, make a practice of calling at private houses and buying junk from boys in the street. An effort to obtain legislation to prohibit the purchase of junk except at the stores of the dealers was not successful at the last session of the legislature.

After consultation with the recorder, the committee decided to recommend that no junk license should be issued by the mayor unless the applicant gave satisfactory evidence that he had a place of business. A junk license costs \$35. The penalty for trading without a license is \$40.

KINGS DAUGHTERS IN A PLEASANT REUNION

A reunion of the King's Daughters was held in the guild rooms last night, following a day of prayer for the order. The rooms were decorated with Canadian flags and presented a fine appearance.

The new president, Mrs. G. A. Henderson, was in the chair and after short devotional exercises by Mrs. C. F. Sanford, she gave an excellent address, in which she reviewed the history of the order in St. John, with the work accomplished by the members. Miss Bessie Armstrong spoke of the programme for the maritime convention, which will be held in this city on Oct. 8, 9 and 10, at which Miss Annie Brown, Canadian secretary; Miss Helen Barker, and Mrs. Whitney, of Detroit, are expected to speak.

The following programme was carried out: Piano solo, Miss Elsie Smith; vocal solo, Miss Annie Edwards; reading, Miss Clara Gray; vocal solo, Miss Maud Scott.

The president referred to the sale which the members of the guild propose to hold in the fall and urged all to work during the summer in order to ensure its success. An enjoyable evening was brought to a close by the serving of refreshments by the entertainment committee, of which Mrs. G. Wilford Campbell is convener.

ST. LUKES' W. A. DOES HONOR TO MISS FARMER

At the closing meeting of the Women's Auxiliary of St. Luke's church, which took the form of a high tea and social evening, Miss Alice Farmer, the retiring secretary, was made a life member of the organization in recognition of her services. Many attended the gathering.

The life membership certificate was presented to Miss Farmer by Mrs. R. P. McKim and Mrs. Woodman on behalf of the auxiliary. Miss Farmer is one of the charter members, and had been recording secretary for about ten years.

CARLETON COUNTY RESIDENTS DEAD

Mrs. Samuel Graham of Ee River Lake and Miss Helen Everett of Woodstock Dead

Woodstock, N. B., May 27.—Anne, the third wife of Samuel Graham of Ee River Lake, died yesterday morning of consumption, aged twenty years. She leaves two little daughters, Jennie and Myra, and one infant son, Alexander. Deceased was the second daughter of James and Elizabeth Burtard, of Moncton. She leaves her parents, one brother George, two sisters, Mrs. Frank Anderson and Miss Alice Burtard, living at home, besides numerous other relatives. The body will be interred tomorrow at North Lake.

Miss Helen Everett, daughter of Clifford Everett, died from rheumatism last night, aged seventeen years. Miss Everett was a particularly bright and clever girl, expected to enter Normal School this fall. Miss Faye Chamber will leave tomorrow to attend the closing at Mount Allison University. Miss Ida Hayden and Mrs. G. A. White will also be present at the closing.

PROMOTION FOR THE U. S. CONSUL

Washington, D. C., May 27.—Franklin D. Hale, of Vermont, is promoted from consul at Charlottetown to consul at Trinidad (V. I.).

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She—Well, come round when you are a different man, and I'll see how I like you then.

TRURO SUSPECTS ARE CAUGHT IN DALHOUSIE

Dalhousie, N. B., May 27.—Detective Hanrahan, of Halifax, arrived here this morning and arrested two men who were in Truro when the station robbery took place and are suspected as being the guilty ones. They offered no resistance when arrested and were taken to Truro on a freight train tonight.

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