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THE PUPPET CROWN.

BY HAROLD MACGRATH.

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"Sire, it is fairly quiet in the lower town. The native troops have been paid, and all signs of discontent abated. The duchess can do nothing but replace von Rumph. The marshal is a straw in the wind; von Wallenstein and Mollendorf, I hold a sword above their necks. Nearly half the Diet is with us. There has been some strange meddling in the customs. Englishmen have brought me complaints, through the British legation, regarding such inspections as were never before heard of in a country at peace. I consulted the chief inspector and he affirmed the matter. It appears to me that a certain Englishman is to be kept out of the country for reasons well known to us. I have suspended police power over the customs. Ah, Sire if you would but agree with Monseignor to dismiss the cabinet."

"It is too late," said the king.

"There is only one flaw," continued the chancellor. "This flaw is Colonel Beauvais, chief in command of the cuirassiers, who in authority stands between the marshal and General Kronau. I fear him. Why? Instinct. He is too well informed of my projects for one thing; he laughs when I suggest in military affairs. Who is he? A Frenchman, if one may trust to a name; an Austrian, if one may trust from whence he came, recommended by the Premier himself. He entered the cuirassiers as a captain. You yourself, Sire, made him what he is—the real military adviser of the kingdom. But what of his past? No one knows, unless it be von Wallenstein, his intimate. I, for one, while I may be wrong, trust only those whose past I know, and even then only at intervals."

"Colonel Beauvais?" murmured the king. "I am sure that you are unjustly suspicious. How many times have I leaned on his stout arm! He taught Alexia a thousand tricks of horse, so that today she rides as no other woman in the kingdom rides. Would that I stood half so straight and looked at the world half so fearlessly. He is the first soldier in the kingdom."

"All men are honest in your majesty's eyes," said the archbishop.

"All save the man within me," replied the king.

At this juncture the king's old valet came in with the evening meal; and soon after the prelate and the chancellor withdrew from the chamber.

"How long will he live?" asked the latter.

"A year; perhaps only till tomorrow. Ah, had he but listened to me several years ago, all this would not have come to pass. He would see nothing; he persisted in dreams. With the death of Josef he was convinced that his enemies had ceased to be. Had he listened, I should have dismissed the cabinet, and found enough young blood to answer my purposes; I should have surrounded him with a mercenary army 2,000 strong; by now he should have stood strongly entrenched.

"They have robbed him, but you and I were permitted to do nothing. Where is the prosperity of which we formerly boasted? I, too, hear crumbling walls. Yet, the son of this Englishman, whose strange freak is still unaccountable, will come at the appointed time; I know the race. He will renew the loan for another ten years. What a fancy! Lord Fitzgerald was an eccentric man. Given a purpose, he pursued it to the end, neither love nor friendship, nor fear swerved him. Do you know that he made a vow that Duke Josef should never sit on this throne, nor his descendants? What were five millions to him, if in giving them he realized the end? The king would never explain the true cause of this Englishman's folly, but I know that it was based on revenge, the cause of which also is a mystery. If only the prince were here!"

"He will come; youth will be youth."

"Perhaps."

"You have never been young."

"Not in that particular sense to which you refer," dryly.

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In the chamber of finance Colonel Beauvais leaned over the desk and persued the writing on a slip of paper which the minister had given him. Enough daylight remained to permit the letters to stand out legibly. When he had done the colonel tossed back the missive, and the minister tore it into shreds and dropped them into the waste basket.

"So much for your pains," said Beauvais. "The spy, who has eaten up 10,000 crowns, is not worth his salt. He has watched this man Hamilton for two days, been his guide in the hills, and yet learns nothing. And the rigor of the customs is a farce."

"This day," replied the minister, "the police lost its jurisdiction over the customs. Complaints have been entered at the British legation, which forwarded them to the chancellor."

"O ho!" The colonel pulled his mustache.

"I warned you against this. The chancellor is a man to be respected, whatever his beliefs. I warned you and Mollendorf of the police what the result would be. The chancellor has a hard hand when it falls. He was always bold; now he is more so since he practically stands alone. In games of chance one always should play close. You are in a hurry."

"I have waited six years."

"And I have waited fourteen."

"Well, then, I shall pass into the active. I shall watch this Englishman myself. He is likely to prove the agent. Count, the time for waiting is gone. If the debt is liquidated or renewed—and there is Prince Frederick to keep in mind—we shall have played and lost. Disgrace for you; for me—well, perhaps there is a power behind me too strong. The chancellor? Pouf! I have no fear of him. But you who laugh at the archbishop—"

"He is too old."

"So you say. But he has dreams unknown to us. He has ceased to act; why? He is waiting for the curtain to rise. Nothing escapes him; he is letting us go to what end we will, only, if we do not act at once, to draw us to a sudden halt. Now to this meddling Englishman; we have offered him a million—five millions for four. He laughs. He is a millionaire. With characteristic bombast he declares that money has no charms. For six months, since his father's death, we have hounded him, in vain. It is something I cannot understand. What is Leopold to these Englishmen that they risk a princely fortune to secure him his throne? Friendship? Bah, there is none."

"Not in France nor in Austria. But this man was an Englishman; they leave legacies of friendship."

The colonel walked to the window and looked down into the gardens. He remained there for a time. Von Wallenstein eyed him curiously. Presently the soldier returned to his seat.

"We are crossing a chasm; a man stands in our way; as we cannot go around him, we, being the stronger, push him aside. Eh?"

"You would not kill—" began the minister.

"Let us use the French meaning of the word 'suppress.' And why not? Ambition, wherever it goes, leaves a trail of blood. What is a human life in this game we play? A leaf, a grain of sand."

"But since the prince promises to liquidate the debt, what matters it if the Englishman comes? It is all one and the same.

"Within twenty, nay, within fifteen days, what may not happen?"

"You are ambitious," said von Wallenstein, slyly.

"And who is not?"

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Some Surprises on Big Race Tracks on Saturday

Homebred stock cut quite a figure at the New Louisiana Jockey Club's track, New Orleans. Hannibal Bey ran a close second in the first race and Fair Calypso, backed from 25 to 1 to 17 to 1, won by a length in the second. Escutcheon, Misanthrope and J. W. O'Neil were the only winning favorites.

The eighteen books in line had plenty of trade, and while four favorites were downed, most of the winners were strongly played. The point of interest centered in the six-furlong handicap. Ram's Horn was withdrawn, which left the race between Escutcheon, Invincible, Mayor Johnson, Hortensia and Maltster, the last being the outsider. Both Escutcheon and Invincible had supporters, with the former slightly in demand. Watkin's colt was backed from evens to 9 to 10, while Invincible went from 3 to 1 to 13 to 5. The race was a pretty one and uncertain to the last sixteenth, when Invincible, which had been making all the running, began to tire and Aubuchon brought Escutcheon forward with a burst, winning by half a length. Mayor Johnson was third, three lengths behind Invincible.

25-TO-1 SHOT WON.

Three favorites won at the City Park, New Orleans, and nearly all the non-favorite winners were well played. Ad High ran away and threw his rider. Then, at 25 to 1, he won the second race in a drive, Kernel, the winner of the first, and Recreo, which won the closing event, were heavily played.

WHERE STAYING POWER COUNTED.

The Thornton Stake at four miles, which did not promise much, proved to be one of the most spectacular long-distance races ever seen at Oakland, San Francisco, and was won by Grafter, an extreme outsider. He was 16 to 1 in the betting at one time. Flying Torpedo led for over two miles, when Horatius and Grafter took up the running. Veterano lasted for three miles, caught his field and turned into the stretch in the lead at the last mile, but Grafter outlasted him. Grafter arrived at Oakland at 11 o'clock in the morning, after being in a baggage car 30 hours.

FAVORITES' DAY.

The feature at Ascot Park, Los Angeles, was won by Lord of the Heath. Favorites captured four races.

HILDEBRAND'S GOOD WORK.

At Hot Springs, Ark., the clever jockey, Hildebrand, rode winners in three of the six races, and finished in the money in two others. Otto Wonderly captured the fifth race on Van Ness.

HERMIS HAS TOP WEIGHT.

New York, March 19.—Following are the weights for the Metropolitan handicap $10,000 added, to be run at the spring meeting of the Westchester Racing Association at Belmont Park May 4: Hermis 129, Irish Lad 127, Ortwells, Delpi, Stalwart, 124; Beldame 122, Goldsmith 119, Lord of the Vale 118, First Mason 117, Dolly Spanker 114, Colonial Girl 111, Adbell 108, Rose Ben, Synsonby, 107; Leonidas, Baker's Waters, 105; Ormonde's Right, Knight Errant, Israelite, Montereson, 104; Jacquin, Artful, Oxford, 100; Tanya, Little Em, 99; Wotan 98, St. Bellane, Woodsaw, Lord Badge, 97; Coy Maid, Pasadena, 96; Kepalia, Martinamas, Belcoin, 95; Rose of Dawn, Sig Light, 93; Marjoram, Merry Lark, 92; Santa Catalina, Chieftain, Incantation, Race King, 90; Behemia, 88; Palette, Sir Brillar, 87.

SATURDAY'S WINNERS.

At Los Angeles—Chalk Hedrick, Ferro Santa, Fireball, Lord of the Heath, Workman, Tryon.

At Hot Springs—Paul Jones, Pretty Nellie, Falernian, Glisten, Van Ness, Payne.

At San Francisco—Frank Pearce, Red Cross Nurse, Dusty Miller, Grafter, Nigrette, Celeres.

At City Park, New Orleans—Kernel, Ad High, Libation, Pretension, Soundly, Thespian, Recreo.

At Louisiana Club's track, New Orleans—Simplicity, Calypso, Royal Arms, Escutcheon, Misanthropic, J. W. O'Neil, Old Hal.

STARTER FITZGERALD'S LAST APPEARANCE

Chris J. Fitzgerald, of this city, who has been prominently connected with the race tracks of the United States for several years, and won the respect of owners and jockeys alike from coast to coast, made his last appearance as a starter on Saturday, when he officiated at the Crescent City track, New Orleans. The departure of Mr. Fitzgerald from the starter's stand is a loss to racing, which is generally conceded, for no starter has more faithfully performed his duties. On Saturday evening, he left for his home in this city, where he will spend some time with his parents, Dr. and Mrs. Fitzgerald, and other relatives, before leaving for New York, where he will manage the Brighton Beach Racing Association and a breeding farm.

DEATH KNELL RUNG ON OLD SYSTEM

No More Three-in-Five Heat Races on the Detroit Track.

Apparently the death knell has been rung on the old style racing system of three in five heats, as far as the Detroit track is concerned, at least. This season notning will be attempted at the Grosse Pointe track by the three-heat system, every heat a race, which has been creating endless discussion among horsemen for the past few months; in fact, ever since it was decided by the local management to try the system in some of the purse competitions. Originally in the stake events it was the purpose of the Detroit Driving Club to retain the old style three-in-five heat system, but lately this idea has been discarded, and when the horses face the starter at the opening of the Blue Ribbon meeting it will be to introduce to the public a new era of racing in this city, one in which every entry has nine chances to take down money in the regular purse events, and eighteen in the stakes. It is expected that the new plan will promote better and more exciting races, as every horse has likewise a chance to win all the purse money in which it is started, except, of course, in the M. and M. or C. of C., where winners are not eligible to the Consolation stakes.

BRITISHERS HAVE SNAP WITH YANKS

Fourth Day of International Tourney Very Unfavorable to Americans.

Boston, Mass., March 18.--This has been a bad day for the American checker contestants, and when play in the international tournament was concluded the Britishers had added ten games to their winnings, while their opponents had secured but two games. The total score tonight was: Britishers 36, Americans 16, drawn 108.

Play will be resumed on Monday afternoon.

The exciting game between Stewart, the champion of Scotland, and Dearborn, of the American team, which was not concluded until early this morning, created additional interest today in the progress of the tournament.

The experts who witnessed the Stewart-Dearborn match declared it one of the most interesting and scientific games ever played here, the victory going to Stewart after he had kinged his only man on an exchange from his opponent, which the latter granted in the hope of reaching a drawn game. After this the match was won by the Scottish champion at the end of eighteen moves. The British team went into today's play with a pronounced advantage in points, their total score being 26 to 14 for the Americans.

The fourth day's results were: British 10, Americans 2, drawn 28.

Total score: British 36, American 16, drawn 108.

THE RING.

BIG FELLOWS MATCHED.

San Francisco, Cal., March 18. — The twenty-round glove contest between Marvin Hart, of Louisville, Ky., and Jack Johnson, of Los Angeles, will take place in this city on March 23. Both men are preparing for the battle as though the world's heavy-weight title hinged on the result. Up to date there has been no betting on the match. Out at the Ocean Beach not a morning passes that Hart does not cover eight miles on the road. The big Kentucklan seems to enjoy his work and the more difficult the task the more he smiles.

RICE GOT DECISION.

Lansing, Mich., March 18. — Austin Rice, of New Haven, Conn., got a decision here last night over Tom Herman, of San Francisco, after ten rounds.

McCARTHY LASTED 15 ROUNDS.

Butte, Montana, March 18. — Honey Mellody, of Boston, in the fifteenth round of what was to have been a twenty-round go, last night knocked out Jerry McCarthy, of Butte.

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GOTCH SAYS HE IS NOT DOWN FOR LONG

Frank Gotch, the Iowa wrestler who was on Wednesday defeated by Tom Jenkins, in a match for the championship, says he is not down to stay. "From the way I feel now," said Gotch at New York, "I do not think I will make any match after the engagements of next week for a month or more. Certainly, I do not wish to perform for New York unless it is in a big match such as Hackenschmidt or Jenkins. I have lost this opportunity, but you will not see me down very long."

It was suggested to Gotch that he might meet Jenkins in some other city, preferably Buffalo. He declared that, having met defeat in New York, he could hardly gain the credit for a possible victory over Jenkins if accomplished in any other city. "I want to meet Jenkins in New York and I want to defeat him right here," said he in Madison Square Garden, after losing on Wednesday night.

TIE GAME CLOSES SEASON AT TORONTO

Toronto, March 18.—The hockey season in this city closed tonight, when the Rat Portage seven and a picked team, representing Toronto's best players, clashed on honeycombed ice in the Mutual Rink. The soft ice prevented the possibility of first-class hockey when the Stanley cup challengers lined up. The score was a tie—7 all.

The Pittsburg Gazette makes this selection for an all-star team from the professional league: Goal, Winchester, Pittsburg; point, Gibson, Houghton; cover point, Hod Stuart, Calumet; center, Mallin, Calumet; rover, A. Smith, Pittsburg; right wing, Liffiton, Houghton; left wing, Gardner, Calumet.

BASEBALL.

WHY WAGNER BALKS.

Pittsburg, Pa., March 18. — The trouble between President Dreyfuss, of the Pittsburg Baseball Club and Hans Wagner, the star player, leaked out today. When the American League was making inroads into the talent of the National, Wagner was offered $15,000 for two seasons if he would jump. He was to receive $6,000 before the season opened. Should Wagner be injured and incapacitated during the two years he was to receive the full amount.

The same offer was made to Lajoie, who accepted it, while Wagner presented the matter to Dreyfuss. The latter advised him to remain assuring him that he would do as well by him as the American League. This promise, it is claimed, has not been kept. Wagner naturally was not inclined to accept a reduction this year. There still remains a doubt as to whether Wagner has signed. He remains at his home here and does not know when he will join the team.

VON DER HORST RETIRES.

New York, March 18.--After having been a dominating factor in baseball for almost a quarter of a century as owner of the Baltimore Club and as one of the majority owners of the Brooklyn Club, Harry R. Von der Horst, of Baltimore, yesterday retired from active connection with the game. Because of ill-health Von der Horst in future simply will be a passive figure in baseball, although nominally he will continue as secretary and a director of the Brooklyn organization.

MONTREAL AFTER GOOD MATERIAL.

Montreal is after the services of Pitcher Jack Cronin, who, with Infielder Babb, was traded by New York to Brooklyn for Shortstop Dahlen. Cronin would probably be a tower of strength in the Eastern League, but it is not likely Brooklyn will let him go. It is said that Manager Jimmy Bannon has offered a good price for him. Montreal is sparing no efforts to turn out a first-division team in the Eastern League this season. The Royals lost the services of First Baseman Clancy and Shortstop Yeager, but have been strengthened by the addition of several others.

HEMPHILL WILL NOT SIGN.

Charles Hemphill, at one time a fielder for the Londons, has received his contract from the Saint Paul team, but has not signed it on account of a difference of opinion with the Saint Paul Club in regard to salary. He is now trying to reach an agreement with Saint Paul and as soon as the two come to terms he will leave for Hot Springs.

LACROSSE.

WILL HAVE JUNIOR TEAM.

Woodstock, March 17. — Woodstock will have a C. L. A. junior team the coming season. Last season's team is almost intact, and there is a bunch of promising new candidates. Murray, of last season's Drumbo team: Ed LaRose and Ambrose DeGray, of the Woodstock hockey team, and a couple of other new men are expected to strengthen the team materially. Cory Hess will keep an eye on the boys, and the outlook is more encouraging than for years. The players will meet soon to organize.

SPRINTING.

DUFFY A WINNER.

Wellington, New Zealand, March 17. —Arthur Duffy won the 100-yard championship race here today in 10 2-5 seconds, and the 50-yard handicap in 5 2-5 seconds.

WRESTLING.

THREW JACK MONROE.

Birmingham, Ala., March 17. — M. J. Dwyer won two out of three falls from Jack Monroe, the pugilist and wrestler, here tonight.

WHERE JIU-JITSU FAILED.

St. Louis, Mo., March 17. — George Baptiste, of St Louis, tonight in a wrestling match, threw Arata Suzuki, of Japan, twice within five minutes. The first fall was under the rules of jiu-jitsu, and the American pinned the Jap's shoulders to the mat in two minutes and ten seconds. The second fall was catch-as-catch-can, and Baptiste gained the decision in two minutes flat.

ROONEY DEFEATS PARR.

Chicago, March 18.—John Rooney, of Chicago, defeated Jim Parr, the English champion, in their wrestling match here tonight.

CITY CHAMPIONSHIP SERIES CALLED OFF

Local hockey enthusiasts will be sorry to learn that the series arranged between the Lornes and the Imperials for the championship of the city, has been canceled. The Lornes found it impossible to put a good team on the ice, it is said, owing to a number of their players being injured, and for this reason they decided to withdraw. The Lornes are only juniors, and while they captured the championship of their league, they did not feel inclined to face the senior Imperials with a crippled aggregation.

ANOTHER SHOOT FOR LA FAMA CUPS

Another of the series of shoots for the La Fama cups presented to the Springwood Gun Club by Mr. A. Brener, was held at the club grounds on Saturday. The competition, however, will not be concluded until November, monthly shoots being held in the meantime. The members are divided into classes, but according to the scores made at the different shoots they will be changed from time to time. Saturday's scores were:

Class A, 22 birds, 19 yards—Screaton 18, Breckon 16, Webb 16.

Class B, 23 birds, 18 yards—Reid 15, Bryce 16, Macbeth 16, Arnott 20.

Class C, 24 birds, 17 yards—Bissett 16, Bowman 18, Smoothy 12, Hughes 19.

Class D, 27 birds, 16 yards—Stone 16.

Extra event, 25 birds—Glover 21, Day 21, Smith 15, Webb 16.

Pneumonia.

Old people and those who have weak lungs cannot be too careful in guarding against this disease. Pneumonia always results from a cold or from an attack of the grip and can be prevented by the timely use of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. A great many who had every reason to fear pneumonia have warded it off by the prompt use of this remedy. The following is an instance of this sort: "Too much cannot be said in favor of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy, and especially for colds and influenza. I know that it cured my daughter, Laura, of a severe cold, and I believe saved her life when she was threatened with pneumonia."—W. D. Wilcox, Logan, New York. Sold by all druggists.

FIGHTER BOWKER WAS LEFT BEHIND

Mitchell Would Not Bring Him Because of His Defeat by Moran.

New York, March 19. — Jabez White, who is matched to fight Jimmy Britt for the light-weight championship of the world, arrived here today on the big liner Cedric. A large delegation of sporting men, most of then friends of Charley Mitchell, who is White's manager, met and welcomed the aspirant for the universal title.

Joe Bowker, who was reported to have sailed with White and Mitchell, was not on board. Mitchell stated that he did not bring Bowker because of the latter's defeat at the hands of Owen Moran. Mitchell stated, however, that Moran would come over here any time O'Rourke desired.

Moran is the little fighter that Joe Gans picked out as a comer and suggested that O'Rourke send for.

No other pugilistic or sporting lights sailed on the ship except White and Mitchell. O'Rourke had planned taking White to Boston and have him second Kid Taylor, the hard-hitting Chicago bantamweight, who will make his first appearance in New England tonight, with Rouse O'Brien, of South Boston, for fifteen rounds, before the Douglas A. C., of Chelsea, Mass., but his plans have fallen through.

White's coming was the cause for general gossip last night as to his chances with Britt. The concensus of opinion was that Britt would win, but it was generally agreed that he will have to be at his best to do it. White is a remarkable ring general, and one of the coolest propositions that ever donned gloves. He showed that when he bested Spike Sullivan in their Coronation bout in June, 1902.

For fifteen rounds Spike tried to rush Jabe with his accustomed dash, but the little Englishman was like a flash on his feet and sprinted around the ring when Spike tried to corner him. As he slipped away his left continually visited Spikes' face. In the ninth round, when White floored his rival with a neatly-executed right, he assisted Spike to rise.

These are only some of White's characteristics, but because he is a clean fighter is no sign that he can't use steam. With all his cleverness he has an ever-telling punch. All of these qualities White is bringing here to use on Britt, and when they meet the latter part of next month, before the Yosemite A. C., in 'Frisco, a battle royal is expected.

A LINIMENT FOR THE LOGGER.—Loggers lead a life which exposes them to many perils. Wounds, cuts and bruises cannot be altogether avoided in preparing timber for the drive, and in river work, where wet and cold combined are of daily experince, coughs and colds and muscular pains cannot but ensue. Dr. Thomas' Eclectric Oil, when applied to the injured or administered to the ailing, works wonders.