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**THE MESSAGE**

By **LOUIS TRACY**

Author of "The Dawn of the Morning," "The Highest of Sorrows," "The Captain of the Kansas," etc.

(Continued.)

"By gad!" exclaimed Fairholme. "You can easily assure yourself that I am not exaggerating the facts. Here is the letter. Read it, and remember what I have told you."

Fairholme paced his lips and bent his brows in deep mental effort. He held the letter in his hand unopened during this unusual and seemingly painful process. Then he gave it back to Evelyn.

"No, Miss Dane," he said emphatically, "I'm far too candid an ass to be laden with state secrets. Now, if you wouldn't mind skipping out the bits that refer to Mrs. Laing, an' skippin' all the parts, I'll be able to bounce old Baumgartner for all his worth."

"But I cannot. It is the political part which proves that my letter was stolen."

"Some things change the names. Turn West Africa into Newmarket, an' call the Emperor Lord Roseberry, the Premier 'The Emperor,' said Evelyn, surprised at Fairholme's chance shot.

"He's in it, I guess. He has his finger in every pie, an' some of 'em have bin jolly hot. Now, go ahead. If it's all all right, leave me to fill in a bit about the Ditch Mile an' the Essex gradient, that'll leave me Baumgartner."

Evelyn did her best. Fairholme was delighted with Warden's description of the baccarat and roulette incidents, but his face brightened when he heard Rosamund's allusions to himself. Once Evelyn forgot his stipulation, and spoke of the "men of Okla."

"Okla," broke in Fairholme, "where is that?"

"It is a savage native state in West Africa. That is the one name you must not remember. Lord Fairholme is not to know. Interact again till she had finished reading. Then she told him that Peter Evans had brought her the ring and the letter; and, finding him sympathetic, she explained the extraordinary chance that led to Warden's capture by a Mohican Indian at Rabat.

"Funny thing," he said, when she had made an end. "That chap Figuro, genuine 'No. 1' here, I fancy let's on to his ears. I don't recollect to him. I have a notion that he didn't recognize me under my new name. We also picked up a number of German officers at the same port, but they're no soldiers, where another ship took them on to the Cameroons. The German West Africa, isn't it?"

"I believe so. My geographical knowledge of this part of the world is of the vaguest. It dates chiefly from last night."

"When the naval Johnany was showing you the map, I suppose."

"But how do you know that?" she demanded, and another wave of surprise flooded her face with color.

"Mrs. Laing and I watched you for quite a time—the watchman was involuntary on my part, but she wouldn't come away from the veranda, an' now I know why. You will observe, Miss Dane, that I have bin the goat all through the proceedings."

"I can hardly say that."

"No, you wouldn't. But it's true. The only bit of luck I've had is that I got saved the painful necessity of being married as a husband by Mrs. Laing. I came here to ask her to marry me."

"Oh, I am so sorry," began Evelyn, but Fairholme's smiling face checked her. "Why sorry? You've done me a good turn, twice over, an' if I can do you one just as quick. In the first place, she wouldn't marry me. 'No,' an' in the second, where should I have been if she said 'Yes.' In the soup, eh, what?"

Lord Fairholme seemed to pride himself on his narrow escape, and gave Evelyn the credit of rescuing him. She protested that if she had known he was really bent on marrying Mrs. Laing she would neither have attacked the latter in his presence nor called on him to base out her statements. But he refused to admit that she had conferred other than a favor on him, and repeated his desire to serve her if the opportunity offered. It came quickly.

"That night, when Evelyn was sound asleep, her room was entered and Warden's letter taken. It lay with the ring and some other trinkets on a dressing-table. The door was locked and bolted, but the window was wide open to admit the sea breeze, and, although the room was on the third floor, and therefore some forty feet above the ground level, it was impossible that the thief could have entered except through the window. That the letter alone was the objective was shown by the fact that the exceedingly valuable

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**OBITUARY**

**Miss Elizabeth Estey**

Miss Elizabeth Estey, daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. Zebulon Estey, and a sister of Miss Alice S. Estey, James A. and Fred Estey and Mrs. W. J. Parker, of this city, died suddenly Friday afternoon at Clifton. Miss Estey had gone there in company with her sister, Miss Alice, on Thursday for a sister's funeral, and she was in Clifton at the time she died. She was 64 years of age. She had been in poor health for some time, but she was able to get up and go to the funeral. She was a devoted mother and a kind friend.

**Rev. L. B. Bates**

Rev. L. B. Bates, formerly of Clifton, died in the city on Saturday afternoon. He was a prominent member of the city's religious community.

**Willard Price**

Willard Price, a well-known citizen, died in the city on Saturday. He was a respected member of the community.

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**Miss Antiqua—Mr. Jones and I are to be married.**

Miss Antiqua—Gracious! What freak election bets me do make.

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**ST. JOHN MAN HOME FROM PRINCE RUPERT; HIS STORY**

Strait from the interior of northern British Columbia where he was working almost on the edge of the Arctic circle, W. D. Holt, son of F. W. Holt, C. E., came to St. John and is now spending a well earned vacation as the guest of his father.

Mr. Holt is one of the men with tripod and chain who form the advance guard of the army of workmen building a new line of communication from the Atlantic to the northern Pacific in the form of the Grand Trunk Pacific Railway. During the three years he has been in British Columbia he has been engaged first on location surveys and later on construction work.

The scope of his duties and nature of his associations gave him an opportunity to study the country at first hand and he can talk interestingly of his three years' adventures and of the impressions he has gained.

A considerable portion of his early western experience was in Prince Rupert—the western terminal of the G. T. P.—and, judging from his talk with a Telegraph reporter last night, he regards it as a city of great possibilities. In fact he considers the whole country which the G. T. P. will open up as a very rich one, especially in the nature and variety of its mineral resources and timber resources. Copper, silver and other minerals of commercial value are to be found in abundance and as soon as the transportation facilities are improved there will be great development along these lines. The country is also well wooded and in many sections very heavily timbered. Along the Skeena river he saw vast timber areas as yet unvisited by the de-stating axe. Many of the best sections have already been preempted or taken up by American timber cruisers and in the natural course of events there will in time be another large source of supply for Pacific timber markets.

The development which will come to the Skeena river country has, Mr. Holt says, already set in at Prince Rupert and what time was 1 hour 14 minutes 49 seconds and the passenger-carrying contest was won by Farman. With two passengers he made the circuit of the course in 10 minutes 30 seconds and with one passenger 9 minutes 35 1/2 seconds. Lefebvre with one passenger completed the lap in 11 minutes 20 1/2 seconds.

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**E. D. C. GARDEN PARTY**

The committees on the Every Day Club garden party of tomorrow afternoon and evening will meet at the grounds this evening. At a meeting in the hall on Saturday evening everything will be reported to be well in hand, and with bands, orchestra, tent performance, clowns, games, refreshments and other attractions the affair will be very enjoyable.

**THE LATE H. C. TILLEY**

Archdeacon Raymond of St. Mary's church, preached last evening at the Seaman's Institute and in his sermon spoke of the death of the late Herbert C. Tilley, who was president of the Institute at the time of his death. The text was "For we greet his beloved sleep," Psalm 127. He said that he had known Mr. Tilley from boyhood to manhood. Mr. Tilley was always of a cheery disposition, having no enemies. He had every opportunity to live a gay social life, being the son of the late lieutenant-governor, but he preferred rather to give his time to deeds of love, hence his work in the Y. M. C. A. and especially his great work in the Seaman's Mission Society. Mr. Tilley loved the sailor. Rev. Mr. Raymond also spoke of Mr. Tilley's great liberality to all worthy institutions and his gift giving to many a needy one.

**HAVE LOOK OUTS IN THE FORESTS**

(Bangor Commercial.)

After long and constant effort at the education of the public on this important matter, mainly through the influence of the press, which has never lost an opportunity to enforce the subject upon the mind, Hood's Saraparilla gives satisfaction in large tracts of forest and timber land are coming to realize the necessity of preventing forest fires and of the application of means for their suppression and control when once they have started.

Within a few days the Commercial has given an account of the system of fire control and forest lookouts in the Adirondacks. Eight stations have been established on the tops of many mountains in the Adirondacks at which watchmen have been stationed to give warning of fires starting in the forests. By means of telephonic connection, several of these systems have been promptly reported since this system was installed, and suppressed with trifling damage.

New York proposes to extend this service, and other states with considerable wooded areas may probably follow her example. Valuable at any time, a forest patrol is particularly useful in the late summer and fall. Underbrush is dry and the great army of campers and gunners spread through the forests, leaving tokens of carelessness in burned over areas, are responsible for the destruction of many square miles.

It has long been known to be true that most forest fires may be quickly extinguished, if promptly attacked. It is when they get beyond control that the greatest danger and loss occurs. For speed and range of observation, the New York plan is the best in sight. If heliograph experiments now under way succeed, something better will be offered.

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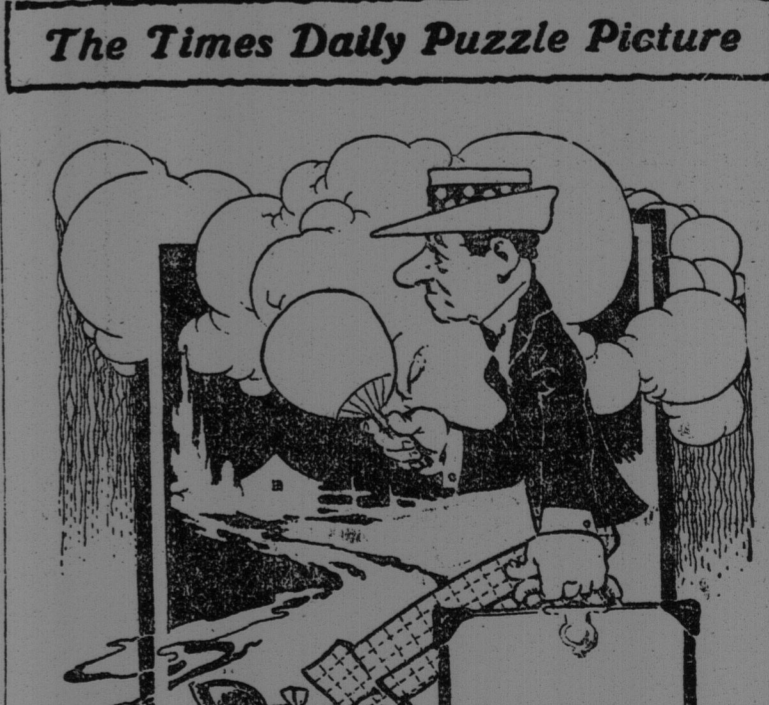
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**The Times Daily Puzzle Picture**

**BACK TO BUSINESS**

The hours of vacation are waning. He must drink from a cool soda fountain instead of a lukewarm spring. No more can he climb up the mountain. O'er the things he henceforth must lack. A swift elevator's thing He must struggle to meet new conditions. As gradually as he can. And he's kept busy doing just what. The trolley car, loud in its morning. Instead of the silent cow.

**ANSWER TO SATURDAY'S PUZZLE.**

1—Rocking chair, 2—Folding bed, 3—Gasoline stove, 4—Hanging lamp.