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## THE MESSAGE

By LOUIS TRACY

Author of "The Wings of the Morning," "The Wheel of Fortune," "The Captain of the Kansas," etc.

(Continued.)

Under Peter's powerful strokes the dinghy sped rapidly into the open waters of the Solent. At that hour there was but slight stir in the roadstead. Every body about seemed to be eating. Each launch and yacht they passed held a luncheon party beneath awnings or in a deck saloon. Through the golden stillness came the pleasant notes of a band playing in the grounds of the clubhouse. A huge seagull sailed and shrilled from the deck of a distant warship. Sitting in his cockle-shell of a craft, so near the glistening water that one might trail both hands in it, was a vasty agreeable from a long journey by rail and steamer. From sea level the girl obtained an entirely different picture of Corvee and the Solent from that glimpsed from the throbbing ferry-boat. The sea appeared to have risen on the wooded hills and clusters of houses to have sunk bodily. Already the shore was curiously remote. A sense of brooding peace fell on her like a mantle. She signed and wondered why she was so content.

Peter's airy summary of his master's habits seemed to have cast a spell on her tongue. For fully five minutes no one spoke. The wordless silence was broken only by the rhythmic clank of the oars, the light splash of the boat's movement, the strains of a waltz from the castle lawn, and the musical laughter of women from the yacht.

Owing to the shortness of the dinghy and the fact that the girl faced Warden, with Peter intervening, the two younger people were compelled to look at each other occasionally. The man saw a sweetly pretty face dotted with a rare, new complexion of myosotis blue eyes and purple eyelashes, and crowned with a mass of dark brown hair. Accent, manner, bearing, and dress bespoke good breeding. She was dressed well, though simply, in blue canvas. Being somewhat of an artist, he did not fail to note that her hat, blouse, gloves and boots thought probably inexpensive, harmonized in brown tones. She was young, perhaps twenty. Guessing at random, he imagined her the daughter of some country squire, and from recent observation the Baumgartners, cited out by their public repute, he admitted a certain sentiment of surprise that such a brilliant paragon should be on her visiting list.

For her part, the girl had long since discovered that her self-appointed guide was an army man. West Africa gave a hint of foreign service that was borne out by a paleness beneath the tan of the rickshaws. A regimental mess, too, is a university in itself, conferring a well-defined tone, a subtle distinctiveness. Each line of his sinewy frame told of drill and his rather stern face, was eloquent of one accustomed to command.

The professional hallmarks were not lost on her. She had mixed in circles where they were recognized. And she was prepared to like him. In her woman's phrase, she thought it was "nice of him" not to question her. She was quite sure that if they met again ashore that afternoon he would leave her the option of renewing or dropping their acquaintance as she thought fit. Yet, for one so ready of speech after the first awkward moment outside the steamer pier, it was surprising he should be so taciturn.

When he did address her, he kept strictly to the purpose of their expedition. "That is the San Souci," he said, pointing to large white yacht in the distance. "A splendid vessel. Built on the Clyde. I believe."

"As three hummered tons, an' good for ten knots in any or any sea," put in Peter.

"You know her, of course?" went on Warden.

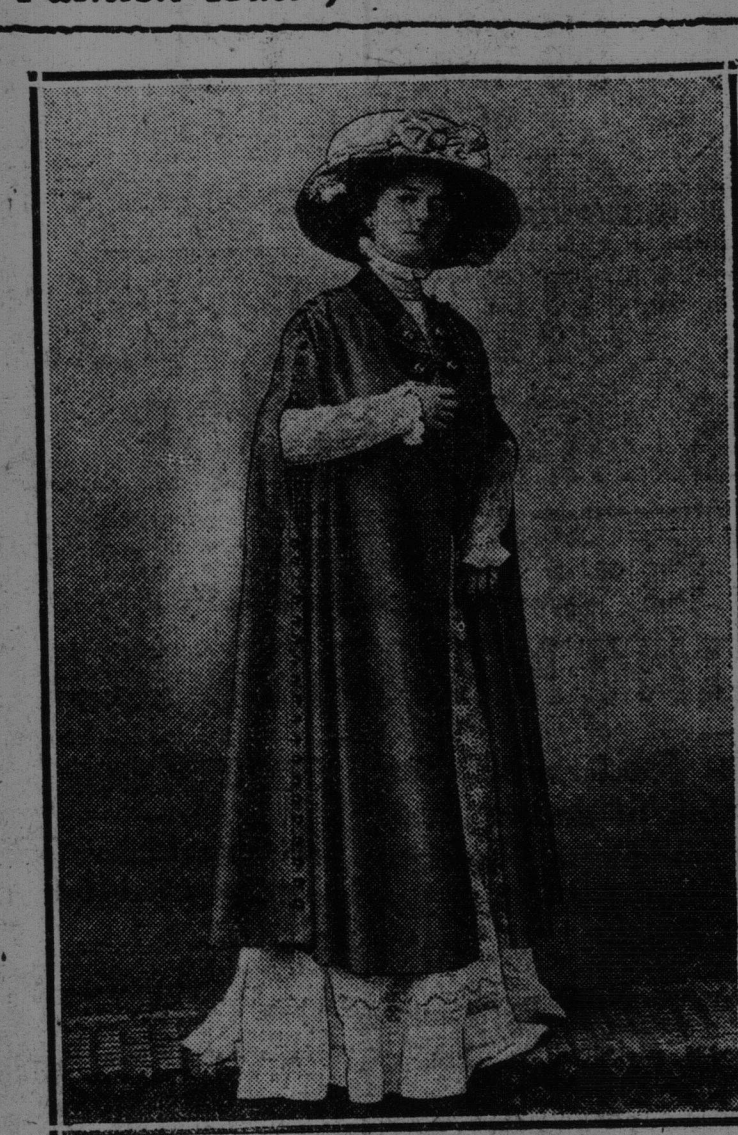
"No. I have never before set eyes on her."

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## Fashion Hint for Times Readers



SUMMER EVENING CAPE OF BLUE CLOTH.

The long cape of light cloth or satin will be much worn on summer evenings on the boardwalk or hotel piazza. These capes are very becoming and are easy to make at home, the flues being most simple and the trimmings easily arranged about the neck. This cape is of army blue cloth in chiffon weight and in circular shape, though there are seams at the sides, leaved and fastened with small gilt buttons, except for an opening through which the arm passes. A flat collar of black satin and four large gilt buttons finish the trimming.

## LA TOUR REORGANIZE AND PLAN A BOOM IN AQUATICS

A. O. Skinner at the Head of the Reorganized La Tour Rowing Association and Some Good Events are Planned.

At a largely attended meeting in the pavilion in Rockwood Park on Saturday afternoon, the La Tour Rowing Association was reorganized, with A. O. Skinner, president, and E. L. Potts, vice-president, and Frank White, secretary-treasurer. These officers, with Harry H. Belyea, P. C. Titus, Hilton Belyea and George Scott, will form the committee of management. The association starts with twenty-five members.

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At the opening of the meeting A. O. Skinner was elected chairman. Mr. White stated the object of the meeting. An association had been formed in Halifax for the purpose of obtaining control of the water sports in Nova Scotia. There was a feeling here that a similar organization ought to be formed in St. John. He had been in communication with the Halifax people, who had expressed approval of the idea and promised co-operation. The chairman thought it was high time that St. John had, charge of its own sports. This was especially true in aquatic events, as the city had always been foremost in that kind of sport. He was of opinion there would be no difficulty in making the association a success. There ought to be rivalry among St. John, Westfield and Rockwood in rowing. The street railway would probably soon extend its lines to Rockwood Park and Millidgeville, and there might be contests alternately at these points.

## CONSERVATIVES AGAIN RESORT TO THEIR LOW CAMPAIGN TACTICS

On Saturday night the Conservatives broke their agreement to give the Liberals that night at Lorneville, the Conservatives having been allowed to hold their meeting there uninterrupted on the 10th.

"There was no opposition when the government meeting was held," said Dr. L. M. Curren, at the meeting, "but what do we find tonight? The government party parading through the town with a band trying to draw the people away from the meeting. The large number present showed that the electors resent it. Such tactics are an insult to the intelligent people of Lorneville."

"It clearly shows you, gentlemen, that they are afraid to meet us on an equal footing and give us an opportunity to present our side of the case."

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**This is what one customer said on Friday:** "It isn't a bit like most 'bargain sales.' Why, everything seems clean and fresh, and so orderly, yet I've never seen so many things I wanted, at such low prices."

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## COL. WHITE MAKES LAST INSPECTION OF THE FUSILIERS

The inspection of the 62nd Regiment by Col. G. R. White, D. O. C., was held on Saturday afternoon on the Barrack square. The regiment was drawn up in line when the inspecting officer arrived. After a march past and return in quarter column, the regiment was put through a series of manoeuvres directed by Major J. L. McAvity. The battalion was then formed up for attack under Major Percival. Col. White made a thorough inspection of each of the eight companies separately. They were then formed up in quarter column. Col. White congratulated the men on their smart appearance and the success of the inspection. He referred to the occasion being the last time that he would have the opportunity to inspect them on account of his retiring from the command of the district, and he wished them good-bye.

The regiment then marched through the city by way of Charlotte, King and Germain streets and back to the barracks. During the march the rain descended in torrents and the men, getting the full benefit of it, had an experience of the discomforts of a campaign.

The annual inspection dinner was held at the Union Club in the evening. Col. White was the principal guest, and among the other guests present were Lieut.-Col. G. H. Ogilvie, D. S. A., Lieut. Murray Edmond, P. M. O., Col. J. B. M. Baxter, 3rd Regiment C. A., and Major T. D. Walker, A. M. C.

## ROTHESAY BOAT CLUB OPEN THEIR NEW HOUSE

On Saturday evening the Rothestay Boat Club opened the new combined club house and boat house, a large and commodious building which seems to amply fulfil its object. It is a two-story building. On the ground floor are a locker room and club room. Above is a roomy dancing pavilion, while below is a place for the boats. The club is starting out with a membership of between sixty and seventy. On Saturday evening water sports were held by the club. They consisted of crab races, a four-oared canoe race and a tilting contest. No prizes were awarded and the events were entered into more for the fun of the thing than anything else. Several mishaps in the nature of suddenly overturned canoes were enjoyed by both contestants and spectators. After the sports an informal dance was held.

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## TEN PERSONS DROWNED WHEN EXCURSION SLOOP CAPSIZED

New York Harbor the Scene of a Tragedy Yesterday in Which Ten Lives Were Lost

New York, July 18.—Ten persons were drowned this afternoon, two of them little girls, when the excursion sloop Roxana, carrying twenty-two passengers, was capsized by a sudden squall in lower New York bay, midway between Conky Island Point and Hoffman Island.

The captain and the twelve survivors were picked up in a rough and choppy sea by the tug Lamont, which happened at the time to be the only vessel within sight of the accident.

The Roxana, with her skipper, Captain Samuelson, was chartered at Ulmer Beach from Brooklyn for a sail across the bay. The first leg of the voyage was made without mishap and all hands piled ashore to make merry. All the afternoon there was a stiff breeze from the south, punctuated with sharp catapaws, which kicked up a nasty, cross sea against the ebb tide. Toward 4 o'clock the Roxana, reeling homeward across the bay under all the sail good judgment would carry, slipped into a squall heavier than the rest. She lay over until her copper plates glistened in the sun and, as the angle of the deck steepened to the boiling water in her lee, the women screamed and scrambled for the upper rail.

The captain struggled to slack away his sheet, but there was no time for measures of relief. In one moment the Roxana was bottom up and the water was black with bobbing heads. In another the Roxana had vanished and one by one the heads began to follow her.

Fortunately the tug Lamont was keeping a sharp lookout. Captain Keyes saw the sloop heel over in the gust and fall to come back. Instantly he headed for the spot, but before he could reach it ten of the passengers had gone down. Life lines and buoys were thrown to those still afloat, and after a few minutes of brisk and anxious work all in sight when the Lamont came on the scene were taken aboard.

The list of dead as ascertained tonight, follows:

Selma Samuelson, New York.  
Ella Olsen, Flatbush (L. I.).  
Olga and Selma Knudsen, sisters, 14 and 11 years old, respectively, Brooklyn.  
John Christensen, Brooklyn.  
Abraham Humson, Brooklyn.  
The orphan James, Brooklyn.  
Alice Engelson, Brooklyn.  
Peter Spieson, Brooklyn.  
John Thompson, Brooklyn.

## CARS TOPPLED OVER THE BANK

Bad Smash-up on the Salisbury and Harvey Road—Trainman Badly Injured.

Moncton, N. B., July 18.—A large number of men were along the river today searching for the body of Charlie Kinnie, the eleven-year-old son of George Kinnie, who was drowned in the river Friday afternoon. No trace of the body could be found, and it is thought it will not be found until probably washed ashore after ten days' time.

Dr. Samson, who is to address a public meeting here tomorrow night on the government annuity scheme, occupied the pulpit of the Central Methodist church tonight, his subject being The Gospel of Thrift.

There was a bad smash-up on the Salisbury and Harvey railway Friday afternoon, blocking traffic on that road till some time Saturday. Some cars on a working train broke away from the engine near Salem and went over a high embankment, smashing the cars badly and doing considerable damage to the roadbed. Frank Jones, one of the train crew, in jumping, had his back badly injured. Repairs to the roadbed were effected Saturday in time to allow the regular train to make a trip to Salisbury.

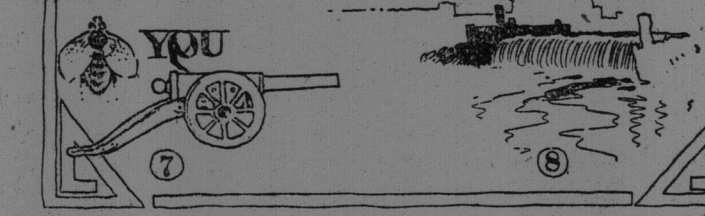
## MONTREAL HAS BOLD ROBBERY

A Shop-keeper and His Wife are Seriously Wounded and the Till Robbed.

Montreal, July 18.—Another daring shooting up and burglary of a store was pulled off on Forsyth street on Saturday night about 11 o'clock. Two men entered a little grocery store kept by a Pole named Baciowski, and, after demanding tobacco, one of them pulled a revolver and shot Baciowski in the groin, while he also wounded Mrs. Baciowski in the shoulder. The two then rifled the till and got clear away. They, however, only secured two or three dollars for their trouble. Baciowski is seriously wounded, but his wife will recover. No description has been secured of the bandits, and the chances of catching them seem slim.

On Saturday afternoon the men's Bible class of the Douglas avenue Christian church celebrated the termination of the class membership contest between the reds and the blues. In the contest the reds were victorious and the blues were obliged to be the hosts and entertainers on Saturday. All left Indiantown in two gasoline boats in the afternoon and after an enjoyable afternoon on the river the party returned in the evening.

## The Times Daily Puzzle Picture



The names of eight Presidents are indicated here. Can you read them?  
ANSWER TO SATURDAY'S PUZZLE.  
Left side down, among posts.