

# One Million Francs By Arnold Fredericks

Count?" the Prefect asked in surprise. out anything of the sort?"

quent explanations. "Has it not occurred to you, Monsieur the Prefect," he said steadily, "that there is one person who is more than any other likely to be concerned in the theft of the money last might by this man Girard?"

The Prefect gazed at him blankly. "What do you mean, Monsieur?" he inquired. "I know of no one who could be involved in this matter. Whom do you suspect?"

Emile D'Este, his face, usually pallid, flushed with excitement.

"What's the trouble here?" demanded Lefevre, looking about him in surprise. "Victor Girard! I've got him!" "Where is he?" demanded the Prefect. "In that room!" shouted the young man, pointing to the door which occupied the centre of the wall at the rear.

"You remember, do you not, that my niece, Miss Ellicott, has been demanding from me the sum of two hundred thousand dollars, which she claims was left the sum of the sum of two hundred thousand dollars, which she claims was left the sum of th by her aunt, my deceased wife?"
"Yes," the Prefeot nodded. "I remem-

"Yes," the Prefect nodded. "I remem-ber. What of it?"
"If Glard is in league with my niece, and has taken this money in her behalf, would it not be reasonable to supose that she might be coming here to meet him

where a closed cab was slowly approaching them from out the darkness. "Let us first see who is in this cab." he said.

The three men watched the vehicle as it slowly drew up alongside the curb, and discharged its occupant. Lefevre uttered an exchamation of astonishment as he saw who it was that stepped to the sidewalk. The Count turned to him with a smile of triumph. "You see," he said, "I was right. She is doubtless here to meet her confederate." They watched the girl in silence as she paid the cabman and came slowly toward the entrance of the cafe. She walked along with uncertain steps, apparently in great agitation. As she passed D'Este and the others she was so close to them that he could without difficulty have reached out and touched her arm. She glanced apprehensively at the brightly lighted front of the cafe, and after a few moments of indecision stopped at the little hallway adjoining and rang the bell at one side of the entrance. Presently the watchers saw a middle-aged woman come to the door, and, after a few words between them, the girl passed from view.

The Prefect looked at his watch. It was twenty minutes after nine. The cab which had brought the young woman had lisappeared and the street was quite deserted. From within the house came no sounds other than the musle and the laughter of the people in the cafe. The Prefect and his componitions listened

sounds other than the music and the laughter of the people in the cafe. The Prefect and his companions listened intently, wondering how long it would be before the alarm would be given, and the time would come for them to break into the house. The Count was in a state of extreme pervensess He nictured to himself all the things which might at this very moment be occurring within the depth of the silent-looking building. Had Grace and his nephew already met, and had the girl by this time. building. Had Grace and his nephew already met, and had the girl by this time been drugged into insensibility? The thought terrified him beyond measure-in spite of his ready explanations, he realized that they would hardly be sufficient to account for the girl's condition should his plans have been carried out as he had intended. Another point which bothered him greatly arose from the fact that so far no one had entered the house who could possibly be an accomplice of Victor Girard. He knew that neither his nephew nor Grace was there for that purpose, and it seemed equally out of the question that La Rue would have consented to be a party to any operations

onestion that La Rue would have consented to be a party to any operations directed against him. He held La Rue's life, so to speak, in the hollow of his hand, and had but to place certain information with the police to send the man to the guillotine. Possibly Girard had not arranged to meet anyone on this particular evening, or, if so, the person or persons had not yet arrived.

All of a sudden a loud outery was heard coming apparently from a room on the second floor of the house. The Count thought that he recognized the voice as that of his nephew. "Help! Help! This way! I've got him!" they heard someone calling. Instantly the Prefect and his assistants rushed toward the doorway, and as they reached it a second man, who had been hiding in the darkness on the opposite side of the street, joined to making the main thoroughfare

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"What do you mean?, Monsieur the Count?" the Prefect asked in surprise. "How could your nephew possibly find out anything of the sort?"

and now you meet this girl here to turn it over to her. Help! This way!"

In a moment the Prefect had rushed into the room, followed by the others. As he entered Madame Tissot and La D'Este concluded that the time had come to prepare the way for his subsequent explanations. "Has it not occurred the come to prepare the way for his subsequent explanations."

As ne entered Madame Tissot and La Rue came running in from the bedroom adjoining. In the room stood Grace Ellicott, trembling with fear, and near by Emile D'Este, his face, usually pallid,

A little after nine o'clock on the night following her interview with the Count D'Este Madame Tissot emerged from her bedroom on the second floor of her lodging-house in the Rue il-Hirondelle, and, going to a closet in a corner of the sitting-room, opened it and took out a bottle of wine, partially filled, and a smaller bottle containing some colorless liquid. Closing the door of the closet, she went over to the table, removed the cork from the wine bottle and carefully poured into it the contents of the smaller one. Then replacing the cork in the bottle, she tenight?"
"Sacre!" exclaimed the astonished Prefect. "You think it possible?"
Instead of replying, the Count turned suddenly and pointed down the street to where a closed cab. was slowly approaching them from out the darkness. "Let the contents of the smaller one. Then replacing the cork in the bottle, she replaced the bottle she bottle she replaced the bottle she

# CIVIC HOLIDAY WAS VERY UNEVENTFUL

for the Day.

[Special to The Advertiser.] Ingersoll, Aug. 13.—Civic Holiday was most uneventful. There was little by which it could be distinguished from any other holiday. All the places of business, save the ice cream parlors and confectionery stores, were clesed. Throughout the town the quiet

man, who had been hiding in the darkness on the opposite side of the street, joined them. The there, followed by D'Este, burst open the door, and rushed up the marrow staircase. The door which opened on the landing at the head of the stairs stood partially open, and through it they could hear the voice of Emile that loudly for help. "I've got you, you thief!" they heard him shouting. "You stole this money from my uncle the other two measures ratepayers teck no chances whatever. However the street improvement question is one that is bound to crop up soon of heer necessity. Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Mitchell and

Misses Dora Hunter and Lottie Mit-chell left yesterday on a motor trip to Alvinston. They will be gone several The following from Ingersoll are in

Hamilton in attendance at the I. O. O. F. grand lodge: Mr. E. B. Morrey, grand representative; R. C. Huntley, Unity Encampment; J. F. Morrey, O. C. Bailey and H. O. Lindsay, Samaritan Lodge; Mrs. Jas. Bloor and Mrs. W. L. Gregory, Keystone Rebekah

Mr. Loyst Thompson returned home end with his parents at Fenton, Mich.

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Montreal, Aug. 13.-The Canadian Pacific Railway, which has great in-terests in Chicago as a result of at his boarding-house on Jackson occurring the Wisconsin Central and street today by drinking over an ounce other American lines, is planning big of carbolic acid.

terminal developments in that city. Maynard had r it is announced today that the Cen-tral Terminals Company, of Chicago, which is a subsidiary of the Canadian Pacific Railway, has just purchased twelve additional parcels of land, making a total of 208 parcels that have been acquired for the big raileay yards to be provided in the vidinity of Harvard street, from 48th to South 15th street. The total amount involved is \$1,712,153.



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Darrow and Job Harriman Also Flayed at Hands of Los Angeles Prosecutor.

Ford called an accomplice in the alleged bribery of jurors; to Lincoln Stef-fens, designated as a "Christian anarchist," and to other defence wit-nesses of lesser importance.

Time after time Ford assailed Dar-cow personally, either because of his philosophical teaching or his conduct of the McNamara defence. Throughout the day the man long regarded as one of the country's foremost champions organized labor, listened with apcarent unconcern to successive arraignments of himself, his friends and he cause he represented.

The climax of the prosecutor's de-tonic properties. nunciation was reached in his charge that Darrow, by his teachings, was responsible for the blowing up of The Times Building and its attendant fatalties. J. B. McNamara, he said, had been deluded by the doctrines advoated by Darrow. At another time the speaker referred to the defendant as the brilliant gladiator of the courts."

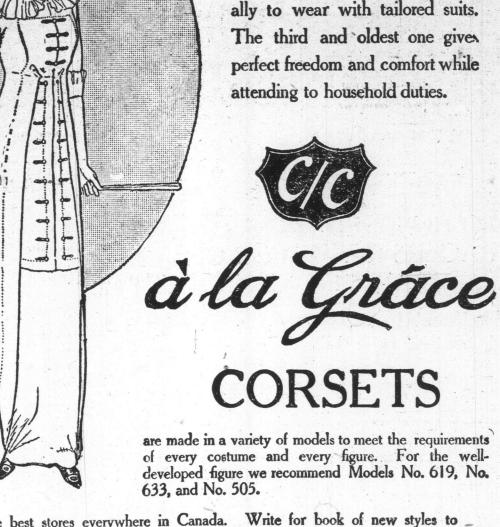
The theory of the defence that Franklin and John H. Harrington were actors in a plot to ruin Darrow was ridiculed by the prosecutor.

"If there was any 'frame up' in his he said, "it was between the district attorney and Lockwood to trap Franklin, and they did it." Tomorrow Attorney Horace S. Ap. ell will make the opening argument for the defence.

TO PROSECUTE ORIENTALS. Saskatoon, Aug. 12.—After five ad-journments Crown Prosecutor Mc-Kenzie has received instructions from the Attorney-General's Department at Regina to proceed with the prosecution of two Japanese and one Chinese, charged with a breach of the provincial law inhibiting Orientals from hiring white female help. This is in the nature of a test case, and will come up next Monday in the police court.

HAMILTON SUICIDE. Hamilton, Aug. 12 .- Jack Maynard

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[Canadian Press.]
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Four robbers boarded a Western avenue steet car near West Fourteenth street, covered the passengers with revolvers, and escaped after taking \$31 and a watch from the conductor. Several [Canadian Press.] a watch from the conductor. Several passengers, among whom were women, were forced to give up their lewelry.

A. C. Thumm, a cigar detler, was choked into unconsciousness and robbed of \$1.500 and jewelry valued at \$500 by three men on the north side. The robbers escaped. bers escaped.

TORNADO IN NEBRASKA. Ainsworth, Neb., Aug. 12.—A torado which passed six miles west of

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home, which is in the city, for about here late yesterday destroyed the resi- ing south of the city, were both in-two years, and it is thought that he dence and all other buildings on the jured, the pastor seriously, when the farms of M. A. Miles and J. M. Curry. ternado struck their buggy. The He was rushed to the City Hospital, No one was at home at either farm. buggy was demolished, the horse carbut died a few minutes after he was Other farm houses in its path were ried to a neighboring field, and the two destroyed, but it is impossible to get men dropped in a ditch. Rescue parties details, as all telephone lines are down. have left here in an effort to ascertain Rev. J. M. Brient, a Methodist pas- the extent of the damage and render tor, and J. R. Ensley, who were driv- aid to those injured.

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3:43 a.m., 8:50 a.m., \*11:55 a.m., 1:10
p.m., \*4:10 p.m., 6;25 p.m.

Depart for the East—\*12:19 a.m.,
\*3.48 a.m., 7:30 a.m., 9:00 a.m., \*12:05
p.m., 2:05 p.m., \*4:25 p.m.\* 6:53 p.m.

Depart for the West—\*3:57 a.m., 7:40
a.m., \*11:38 a.m., 1:40 p.m.,
\*8:20 p.m.

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Arrive—10:23 a.m., \*4:00 p.m., 6:50
p.m., 11:05 p.m.

Depart—6:35 a.m., \*11:43 a.m., 2:05
p.m., \*8:10 p.m.

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Arrive—11:15 a.m., 1:39 p.m., 6:45
p.m., 11:25 p.m.

Depart—6:00 a.m., 10:26 a.m., 12:30
p.m., 2:45 p.m., 4:55 p.m.

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Arrive—10:00 a.m., 6:10 p.m.

Depart—8:30 a.m., 4:40 p.m.

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Depart for the East—\*4:38 a.m., 7:89
a.m., \*12:25 p.m., 5:30 p.m.

Depart for the West—8:00 a.m.,
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