

A. Novel, by Anthony Hope
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Peggy," Etc.

Sorrow had not passed from her face, but severely had come upon it in fuller measure. She had struck for her peace, and she was now at peace, in distress to her love. It was enough in her, and enough in little Volenset. Let the matter be as it would be.

She had allowed Dunstanbury to leave her after supper in order to make preparations for a start to the next morning. "I'll be home," she faintly gasped, "and perhaps I'll come with you."

She went at night up on to the wall — always her favorite place: she loved the apaceness of air and open country before her there. She thought when he came to tell her of the progress of the wounded.

Yasnef will do, well, and Peter made his promise to come to him when he recovered, so that he and Marie Zerkovitch and her husband talk of settling in Paris. You won't lose all your money."

"You assume that I'm coming with you tomorrow morning?"

"I'm quite sure in assuming that you will come, unless you say," he answered, smiling. "We can't leave you here, on your knee."

"You should have said so," she said. "Or, at any rate, I should be where nobody could hurt me." She pointed at a dim lantern, and he waved her hand towards the surrounding darkness. "That's life, isn't it?" she asked.

"I don't know," he said. "Monsieur, I would go tonight — I would have gone at Miklevi; it was only putting my head in the door. I believe that I could lie in the church there and know that he was near."

"You're a man of science," she said quietly and remember and think of him! You're a man of science — what do you think? You mustn't wonder

"I'd have my thoughts, too. At Lady Meg's we did little else than try to find out whether we were going on anywhere else. That's all she cared about. And if she does ever get to a next world she won't care about that, she'll only go on trying to find out whether there's still another beyond. What do you expect to find you so philosophically inclined," he said.

"It's a practical question with me now. On its answer depends whether I come with you or stay here with Monseigneur in the church."

Deadly and something professional—something about nerves and temporary strain. But he performed this homage to medical etiquette with a rather perfect form. He had never seen a woman more composed or more obviously and perfectly healthy. Sophy smiled and went on.

(To be concluded.)

BEHOLD THE DAY

The Groom Will be W. Boyse, Elements of New York—interesting Cricket Match at Frederick.

PREDERICKSON, Sept. 5.— Labor Day was quietly observed here. Many citizens went to St. John while others indulged in picnics in the country. The weather was all that could be desired. The only attraction in the amusement line was the parade which was held at the City Square between the Veterans and an Eleven elected from the Frederickson Cricket Club. This drew a large crowd. The play of the game was not. The exhibition of cricket was none of the finest, it afforded much amusement to all present. The Veterans were a well drilled and well equipped team, but they lacked the wide awake eye. They went to the bat first and with the assistance of the umpire, they won the first round of 14 runs. The youngsters followed and after 7 batters had put together 42, the Veterans followed and added 36 runs. The youngsters followed and added 36 to their score which the old time cricketer James D. Ried, aged 82, contributed 10 runs. The Veterans followed and were loudly applauded and when he was retired on a difficult one, he ran off the field like a boy of 15. The youngsters, who were the day. The youngsters, who included several cricketers who played in the seventies, succeeded in winning the match by a narrow margin for winning with the loss of only three

Tomorrow morning at 11 o'clock the wedding will take place of Wm. Boyse Clements, of New York and Miss Violet Marsh, stepdaughter of His Lordship Bishop Kingdon. The ceremony will be performed in the drawing room at Bouleaux, the residence of the Bishop. Only the immediate relatives of the contracting parties being present. Bishop

Fraser, assisted by Sub Dean Street will unite the parties in the holy bonds of matrimony. The bride will be attired in white satin and will have a bridesmaid Miss Nancy Kingston, while D. Young of New York will perform the duty of best man. Mr. and Mrs. Clements will leave on the evening train for New York.

An auto party, including Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Holly and Mr. and Mrs. de B. Carrington will perform the duty of going from Grand Falls and are registered at the Queen.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 2.—A distinct earthquake shock indicating a very serious seismic disturbance at a far distance was recorded on the western-bureau instruments here today. The shock lasted an hour and a half.

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open to the visitors and were crowded all the evening. In some of the engine houses interesting programmes were arranged for the visitors. It was nearly midnight when the crowds began to take themselves home.

A Fine Parade

The Firemen's parade, yesterday morning, seemed to be probably the

the first parade ever seen in St. John, or at any rate within many years and the fire ladders are the first to make their appearance. The procession was well managed, the floats being escorted by the police and the fire companies. The companies certainly gave the spectators a eye-opener as to how many fine, state-of-the-art floats can be made in the Maritime Provinces and Maine. The procession itself upon being seen from a distance resembled a monster, so long that it had the appearance of being one solid line of moving figures. Twenty-eight minutes was the space of time taken for the procession to pass a single point. The floats were ingenious, some of them allegorical, others showing miniature firemen engaged in fighting fires. The "Red Hand," which was at the head of the parade, was generous in its selections and the most popular. There were two pipers' bands and both were very good. The drummer of the Glace Bay band, who was a veteran, came in for unstinted praise.

It would be difficult to say which of the floats were greeted most cordially, as all received applause, and while some were more popular in the eyes of the spectators, all received their share in the other sections of the route of march.

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breaking up again at King square men received a continual round of applause. Each house in the line of which was filled with people, who crowded to the windows to see the procession, and those who were not so favored stood three deep on the sidewalks as the parade went by. When the main street was reached the real crowds were seen, and from the hotels, and with visitors, came great applause.

Continuing over to the North End the triumphal procession still carried

...ing before he ... lined the brow of ... hill and house tops, as well as the ... leading to the summit. Here the ... alarity of the North End men was ... The procession advanced to ... agias avenue and returning down ... street were again vociferously ... eted. ... one of the most touching features of ... procession was the presence of the ... erans driving before the companies ... which they were honored members ... the day. ... The veterans ... in their element and besides ap ... quets received in several instances ... aquets from their admirers in the ... wd.

Order of Procession

The procession lined up in the fol ... order: Mounted police, grand ...

Chief, Chief of Police Carl; assistant marshals, Dr. W. H. Simon, V. and Major. The first barouche carried the Mayor and Mrs. W. H. Simon and His Worship Mayor Sears, the second (chairman of the Halifax Board of Health) and Mrs. W. H. Simon. The other carriages contained Ald. Vennart, Ald. Barker, Senator J. A. McLean, Ald. J. A. McLean, Ald. McGoldrick, Ald. Kellogg, Ald. Johnson of Halifax, Ald. Buss, Ald. Pickett, Ald. J. A. McLean, Ald. J. A. McLean, Superintendent Lockett and Messrs. Maxwell and Lovell, twenty city representatives in the procession on Wentworth street, the Princess street, the rest of the procession on the main street, and falling in the following order: First section — 4th Artillery Band, Charlotteville, Sydney, with Wentworth street east between Wentworth and Sydney next to the old burying ground.

Second section—Frederick

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Sixth section—St. Mary's
2 Salvage Corps, No. 2 chemical engine, No. 2 hook and ladder, No. 4 hose, 5 hose.

Parade Awards

The parade awards were not made up until last night. Following are the decisions of the committee:

St. JOHN, Sept. 2nd.

Chief Kerr, St. John:

Dear Sir—Your committee appointed to award the Harry W. de Forest prizes of \$25 each for the best appearing body and apparatus of men from

Maine, Nova Brunswick, and Nova Scotia and Prince Edward Island, find that the first prize of \$25 be awarded to the Halifax fire department of Nova Scotia, which that American has honorable mention.

For Maine we award the first prize to Bangor fire department, and honorable mention to the Portland fire department. For New Brunswick, the first prize be awarded to No. 1 Hook and Ladder Company and honorable mention to No. 1 Hose Company.

For New York, the first prize be awarded to the City of Furlong, Mrs. Chas R. Coster, Mrs. W. E. Scott, W. E. Raymond, B. R. Macaulay.

ST. JOHN, Sept. 2, 1907.

Chief Kerr:

Dear Sir—The committee appointed to judge the best decorated place of apparatus have awarded the first prize to L. & L. R. Smith, 1000 St. John's Park.

Yours faithfully, A. O. SKINNER.

In the afternoon the programme of sports was begun on the Barrack Green and was a decided success. A very large number of people, and the grand stand was sold out to its capacity. The programme of the day was not completed. The sports will be continued this afternoon for the purpose of collecting a donation fee to the grounds while a small charge will be made to the grand stand.

The results of yesterday's events:

100 yards dash, amateur—Howard, St. John, first; Garnett, St. John, second; Thimble, St. John, third. Time 11.5 seconds.

Salvage course only—Hooper of Chalmers, first; Howard, No. 1, St. John, second. Time 11.5 seconds.

Hoop and ladder men only—Hooper, first; Howard, second; Thimble, third. Time 11.5 seconds.

Blow and pull—Hooper, first; Thimble, second; Amherst, second, and Parsons, third. Time 11.5 seconds.

Second heat—Hooper, first; Thimble, second; Smith of Sydney, third. Time 11.5 seconds.

Finals—P. Ball Sydney, first; Hooper, second; Thimble, second. Time 11.5 seconds.

200 yards dash, amateur—Garnett, St. John, first; Howard, St. John, second; Thimble, St. John, third. Time 25 seconds. The finish between Garnett and Howard was very close and the race was a close one.

The hook and ladder race for teams of ten men proved an exciting contest. The teams of the Sydney and Newcastle men should run 50 yards with the ladder raised and mount, time taken with the ladder down to run, man to start from the ground.

Bangor and Sackville did not enter the Moncton team race. The time of the other competitors was as follows: 1st, 17-5-5, Amherst, 18; 2nd, Sydney, 18-1-3; 3rd, John, 19; Halifax, 19-1; Fairville, 19-1; 5th, 19-1-5, Moncton; 6th, 19-2-5, town, 20-3. As Chatham and Sussex had tied the teams again last year, they were again paired. Chatham, 18-1-5, and Sussex were therefore declared the winners. The 1000 yd. relay race. Corps with apparatus, 10 men, was begun, but was the only team to finish. The time was 33 seconds. The greatest interest, however, was in the 1000 yd. team race of the race. Fourteen teams competed, Fredericton and Bangor not taking part. The results were as follows: Sydney, 1 minute and 22-5 seconds; Moncton, 1:23-5; 3rd, 1:24-5, Moncton (J. R.); 4th, 1:28; 5th, 1:28-5, 6th, 1:29-5; 7th, 1:29-5, Amherst, 1:30; 8th, 1:30-5, Sackville, 1:30-4; 9th, 1:30-5, 10th, 1:30-5, Windsor, 1:31-3-5; 11th, Moncton (city), 1:32-5; 12th, 1:33-5; 13th, 1:33-5; 14th, 1:33-5.

The Sydney winners were however protested by the Halifax, Moncton, Charlottetown and Yarmouth teams on the grounds that they had tampered with the couplings during the race. The judges will hear the protest this morning and Sydney will also have opportunity to make their defense.

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