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THE 'WHEEL O' FORTUNE

By LOUIS TRACY Author of "The Wings of the Morning," "The Pillar of Light," "The Captain of the Kansas," etc.

(Continued.)

In the midst of his explanations, he saw that Dick was accompanying the party, and told him, rather abruptly, that his services were not required. In no amiable mood, therefore, the second officer went to the upper deck, where the skipper was growing his views to Tagg about the mysterious incident of the telegram. It was a momentary tension, and something might have been said that would tend to place Roydon and the captain at arm's length if the Aphrodite had not taken it into her head to emulate Miss Fenhawe's action by coming to Dick's assistance. The little vessel remembered that which Stump paid small heed to, and asserted herself.

Notwithstanding her lack of saloon, with the tiny chart-house perched thereon, and the narrow bridge that gave her a steamer-like aspect, she was rigged as a topsail schooner, her sharp lines and consequent extra length affording full play to her fore-and-aft sails. Her first officer had designed her with net purpose. It was his hobby to remain in out-of-the-way parts of the world for years at a time, visiting strange lands where coal was not procurable, and he trusted more to sail than to engine-power. But Stump, and his chief officer, and nearly every sailor aboard, being accustomed to steam, despised wind-jammers, and pinned their faith to the engine.

With a favorable wind such as was blowing at the moment or to steady the yacht in a cross sea, the captain would have set a forest and jib. To help the propeller was good seamanship, but to bank the engine-room fires and depend wholly on sails was the last thing that would think of. Hence, the Aphrodite straightway taught him a sharp lesson. While Stump was ruminating on the exact form of some scathing remark for Roydon's benefit, a sudden stoppage of the screw, and an ominously easy roll over the crest of the next sea, showed that the engine was idle.

Stump hurried a lurid question down the speaking-tube. The engineer's equally emphatic reply told him that there was a breakdown, cause not stated. Now, the outer roadway of Marselles harbor is not the most awkward places in a locality, where a disabled vessel, though the Gulf of Lions is almost tideless, it has strong and treacherous currents. The configuration of the rocky coast, guarded as it is by small islands and sunken reefs, does not allow much seaway until a lighthouse, some miles distant from the mainland, is passed. Stump, of course, would have made use of the Aphrodite before she drifted into peril. But he was purple with wrath, and the necessary commands were not familiar to his tongue.

Therefore, he hesitated, though he was far from remaining silent, and Roydon never at a loss when rapidity of thought and action was demanded, took the lead. He woke up the crew with a string of orders, rushed from foremast to mainmast and back to the bows again to see that the men hauled the right ropes and set the sails in the right way, and had the Aphrodite bowled along under canvas in less than two minutes after the stopping of the screw. Not until every sheet was drawing and the yacht running freely did it occur to him that he had dared to assume unto himself the captain's prerogative.

Rather red-faced and breathless, not only from his own exertions but by reason of the disconcerting notion which possessed him, he raced up the short companion-ladder leading from the fore deck to the bridge. Stump seemed to be awaiting him with a halter.

"I hope I did right, sir, in jumping in like that," gasped Dick. "I thought it best to get steering way on the yacht without delay, and—" "Wot's yer name now?" roared Stump.

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TODD WILL CARRY CHARLOTTE COUNTY

Great Meeting at St. George Last Night Addressed by the Candidates, Senator Gilmore and E. H. McAlpine.

St. George, N. B., Oct. 13.—Three hundred people were turned away from the hall at the greatest political demonstration ever held in St. George tonight. Court's Hall never held such an assemblage and the election of St. George never held the issues of the day presented in a more convincing manner.

The St. George Cornet Band, playing one of the inspirations of the evening, entered the hall ahead of the candidate, W. F. Todd, Irving R. Todd, of Milltown, Sen. Gilmore and E. H. McAlpine. Their entrance was the sign for a grand demonstration on the part of the large audience, the people rising and cheering for several minutes.

Dr. C. C. Alexander occupied the chair and in a few well chosen remarks introduced the speakers of the evening. Senator Gilmore was warmly received and spoke briefly but forcibly, dwelling on the campaign of slander and representing the election of St. George as a grand demonstration on the part of the large audience, the people rising and cheering for several minutes.

Mr. Todd, whose gentlemanly manner and quietness were his chief recommendation, spoke for a long time, and was very eloquent in his address. He made several telling hits and was loudly applauded. The senator has a warm spot in the hearts of the people as is demonstrated by every audience he addresses in the county.

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BOARD OF TRADE

Largely Attended Meeting held Yesterday Afternoon and Much Business Done.

At a largely attended meeting of the board of trade yesterday a resolution was introduced by E. B. Emerson and carried, pledging the support of the members to the exhibition association in their efforts to secure the Dominion exhibition ground for next year.

The report of the tax assessment committee was discussed, and it was decided to refer the report of the committee to the board of trade for their consideration.

It was mentioned in the report that October 7 had been fixed on as the date of the annual banquet but owing to the federal elections the arrangements had been cancelled.

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People Will Elect the Man Who Looked After the Country's Needs.

Chatham, N. B., Oct. 13.—The announcement of a great Liberal meeting in Masonic Hall here on Friday night has given added interest to the campaign. The meeting will be addressed by Hon. Charles MacNeil and W. S. Loggie, the candidates.

The recent Conservative meeting failed to warm things up and the indications point to a walk-over for the Liberal candidate in the town of Chatham. Mr. Loggie is also carrying on a successful campaign in the county, concluding his present tour tomorrow night at Trout Brook.

Along the river-stead wharves have been built at Oak Point, Hartwicke and Lower Newcastle and the channel dredged and made safer.

A subsidy of \$1,500 was granted to Mr. Loggie to have provision made for the extension of the wharf at Negus. A breaker at Ecumine is also spoken of and may be secured through the efforts of Mr. Loggie.

The extension of the railway to Indian-town will be the means of great development in that section and the bringing of the I. C. R. branch into Chatham by changing the route would result in the establishment of new industries along the line.

The sturdy voters of Northumberland seem little interested in the Tory slander campaign being waged so feverishly but are satisfied to cast their ballots for Loggie, the man who has developed the resources of the county and is jealous for the interests of Northumberland.

PLAYS AND PLAYERS

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To cure Rheumatism you must make the kidneys do their work; they are the filters of the blood, they must be made to strain out of the blood the waste matter and acids that cause Rheumatism; the urine must be neutralized so it will no longer be a source of irritation to the bladder, and most of all, you must keep these acids from forming in the stomach. This is the cause of stomach trouble and poor digestion. For these conditions you can do no better than take the following prescription: Fluid Extract Dandelion, one-half ounce; Compound Karger, one-half ounce; Compound Sarsaparilla, three ounces. Mix by shaking well in bottle and take in teaspoonful doses after each meal and at bedtime, but do not forget the water. Drink plenty and often.

This valuable information and simple prescription should be posted up in each household and used at the first sign of an attack of rheumatism, backache or urinary trouble, no matter how slight.

TUGBOAT FILLED AND SANK AT HER WHARF

Chatham, N. B., Oct. 13 (Special).—A tugboat filled with lumber and other cargo sank at her wharf last night. The tugboat was being towed by the tugboat when it struck the wharf and sank.

WEDDINGS

Morrison-Morrison. On Monday afternoon at five o'clock, at 13 Garden street, Charles Neil Morrison, of Rosebery (P. E. I.), and Kate Morrison, of the same place, were united in marriage by Rev. Gordon Dickie.

Logan-Cormor. The marriage of Miss Louise Cormor, daughter of Mr. George Cormor and Robert A. Logan, was performed by Rev. Neil McLaughlan, on Monday evening at the home of the bride's mother, the Palace Hotel, and Mrs. Logan will reside in North End.

Chilton-Hamm. In Boston on October 7, Miss Sadie M. Hamm, daughter of Mrs. Julia M. Hamm, of Grand Bay, was united in marriage to Grant Chilton, of Boston. The bride was a nurse in the Boston city hospital. The newly-weds were left on a trip to England and will reside in Boston.

ENGAGEMENT NOT BROKEN OFF. Rome, Oct. 13.—The rumors of the breaking off of the supposed engagement between the Duke of the Abruzzi and Miss Katherine Elkins cannot be traced to official government circles, the Vatican officials nor the personnel of the United States Embassy having the slightest information on the subject.

GEORGE McAVITY COMPLETELY EXPOSES MAYES' TEMPT TO 'HOLD UP' HIM AND DR. PUGSLEY

Mr. McAvity's Solemn Declaration Backed Up by John E. Moore and F. W. Holt, C. E.—Contractor's Threats of Exposure and His Offer to Keep Quiet If He Were Given His Price—McAvity and the Others, Having Nothing to Conceal, Defied Mayes and Baxter—Refused His Offer of a \$20,000 Rake-off—A Conversation With Baxter.

GEORGE McAVITY'S DECLARATION. This community knows and respects George McAvity. It knows G. S. Mayes. Mr. McAvity yesterday made public a solemn declaration telling frankly of Mayes' attempts to compel the men he now accuses to buy him off. McAvity's declaration is corroborated by John E. Moore and F. W. Holt, C. E. The statements of Messrs. McAvity, Moore and Holt, which are printed here, will be welcomed by all lovers of honesty, decency, and fair-play. They show at once to what depths Mayes and his backers and political associates have descended. The declarations are as follows:—

Province of New Brunswick, City and County of Saint John. I, George McAvity, of the City of Saint John, in the City and County of Saint John, Merchant, do solemnly declare and say:— That I have read over what purports to be a copy of the declaration made by Gerson S. Mayes, published in this morning's press.

That in the summer of 1905, Mr. Mayes requested me to become interested with him in the dredging business and I consented to do so. I made several trips to Ottawa in connection with the obtaining of the contracts and spent a great deal of time in connection therewith, both before and after the first contract was awarded being in almost daily consultation with Mr. Mayes until some few months ago when his conduct became unbearable. His demands were so unreasonable and I then thought and said to Mr. Baxter so much in the nature of blackmail that I declined to have any further business transactions with him. My business connection with Mr. Mayes is now the subject of an action at law and will be fully dealt with in the Courts.

That it is absolutely untrue that I have ever had any conversation with Mr. Pugsley as alleged in Mr. Mayes' declaration and I never believe that no such payment has ever been made.

That the contract given to Mr. Mayes and referred to in his said declaration was awarded by the then minister, the Honorable Mr. Hyman to Mr. Mayes, he being the lowest tender.

That in the month of September last, I met Mr. J. B. M. Baxter, who acted for Mr. Mayes in connection with the dredging contract and in Mr. Mayes' personal friend and adviser at the entrance to the Law Library, Princess street, in the City of Saint John, and at his request I went in to a room of the said Library and Mr. Baxter then and there proposed to me that if the government would buy Mr. Mayes' dredge at a price which I thought was about \$100,000, there would be a rebate for political purposes of \$20,000. I replied to Mr. Baxter that I was through with Mr. Mayes and would have no further transaction with him.

That early in the present month of October, Mr. F. W. Holt, an engineer, called upon me at my office and stated that he came with a view of effecting a settlement of matters between Mr. Mayes and myself and that Mr. Mayes was making threats of what he would do to hurt the government if he did not buy his dredge. While I had then firmly made up my mind to have no further business transactions with Mr. Mayes, yet in order to draw Mr. Mayes out and have him committed to his demands and believing as I then did that Mr. Holt was acting at the instance of Mr. Mayes, I said that that person making demands that nature usually had a price and asked him to ascertain what Mr. Mayes' demands really were.

A day or two later, Mr. Holt again called upon me and stated that if the Government would purchase the dredge at \$100,000, Mr. Mayes would withdraw all suits, return all checks and notes and photographs thereof, and give a letter to take no further action; otherwise he would publish a statement of a damaging nature and would take the platform himself. I then told Mr. Holt that I was through with Mr. Mayes, that I was prepared to fight all suits, that there was nothing to conceal as it was a legitimate business transaction on my part, and Mr. Mayes would have to take his own course.

And I make this solemn declaration conscientiously believing it to be true and knowing it is of the same force and effect as if made under oath and by virtue of the Canada Evidence Act.

Declared to at the City of Saint John in the City and County of Saint John and Province of New Brunswick this thirteenth day of October, A. D. 1908. (Signed) G. McAVITY.

A Commissioner for taking affidavits to be read in the Supreme Court. JOHN E. MOORE'S STATEMENT.

Province of New Brunswick, City and County of St. John. I, John E. Moore, of the City of St. John, in the City and County of St. John and Province of New Brunswick, I do solemnly declare and say that on the 7th day of October instant, Mr. Perry W. Thomson called on me at my office and said that Mr. J. B. M. Baxter had been in to see him about the Mayes dredge, and had requested him to call upon the minister (meaning the Hon. Mr. Pugsley) and myself about the matter. He then asked me if something could not be done to buy the dredge, and said that if \$100,000 was taken much why not make an offer of \$125,000, and endeavor to prevent any trouble. I replied that there would be no trouble, as the talk about the minister having been paid anything was all nonsense, as the alleged payment talked about was two years before he was a member of the House of Commons. Mr. Thomson expressed surprise at this and said he understood it was since Mr. Pugsley had become a minister. I further said to Mr. Thomson that apart from my own opinion, I would be willing to buy the dredge at what it was worth, but I would have to have an inspection. Mr. Thomson then left the office, saying he would see Mr. Baxter and see me again, and the next day he telephoned he had not seen Mr. Baxter, but had seen Mr. Mayes and that Mr. Mayes had asked him to see the minister. Mr. Thomson then said that unless the dredge was purchased at \$100,000, Mr. Mayes would send to the "Gleaner" by special messenger, a statement demanding to the Liberal party and would himself take the platform. Mr. Thomson then added that he did not like the business and had only approached me at the request of Mr. Baxter, and that he considered the best thing that he could do was to drop out of it—that he was foolish to have had anything to do with it.

And I make this solemn declaration conscientiously believing it to be true, and knowing it is of the same force and effect as if made under oath and by virtue of the Canada Evidence Act.

Declared to before me at the City of St. John, in the City and County of St. John and Province of New Brunswick this thirteenth day of October, A. D. 1908. (Signed) S. A. M. SKINNER. A Commissioner for taking affidavits to be read in the Supreme Court.

STATEMENT BY F. W. HOLT, C. E. Dominion of Canada, Province of New Brunswick, City and County of Saint John. I, Frederick W. Holt, of the City of Saint John, in the City and County of Saint John, Civil Engineer, do solemnly declare and say that on the seventh day of October instant as a result of a conversation which I had with Mr. Gerson S. Mayes and in order if possible to effect a settlement between Mr. Mayes and Mr. George McAvity I called upon Mr. McAvity. I interested myself in the matter purely with a view of effecting a settlement. Subsequently on the ninth day of October I again called upon Mr. McAvity and stated that Mr. Mayes wanted to sell the dredge and would take one hundred and fifty-three thousand four hundred dollars and that if the purchase was made Mr. Mayes would withdraw all suits and give up all notes and cheques and photographs thereof otherwise Mr. Mayes said he would make public damaging statements and take the platform himself. Mr. McAvity replied that so far as he was concerned he was prepared to fight the suits that there was nothing to conceal and Mr. Mayes would have to take his own course. I reported the result of my interviews to Mr. Mayes and had he nothing further to do with the business and I make this solemn declaration conscientiously believing it to be true and knowing it is of the same force and effect as if made under oath and by virtue of the Canada Evidence Act.

Declared to at the City of Saint John in the City and County of Saint John and Province of New Brunswick this thirteenth day of October, A. D. 1908. (Signed) F. W. HOLT. A Commissioner for taking affidavits to be read in the Supreme Court.

TUNGSTON FOUND NEAR SPOKANE It is Used in Refining Steel for Armor Plate and Armament.

Spokane, Wash., Oct. 13.—Tungsten, a metal having a commercial value of 30 cents a pound and used in the process of refining steel for armor-plate and armament, has been discovered near Deer Park, 27 miles north of Spokane in quality and quantity in what was for years believed to be a series of deposits of low grade iron ore. Four ledges, averaging from four to five feet in width, and containing from eight to 70 per cent. tungsten

have been exposed and active development work will begin at once. One of the veins, 24 inches in width, carries almost pure tungsten. Eight per cent. concentrating ore will net a profit. The discovery was made by A. M. Wood, a resident of Deer Park, who announces that a concentrator plant will be installed and it is expected that the first consignments of the metal will be sent to Pennsylvania and Germany early next spring.

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