THE REMARKABLE ROMANCE OF AN INDUSTRIAL DICTATOR

Velvet and Steel

By

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SYNOPSIS

Joan Denby of humble origin, is introduced as a social equal of Miss Georgina La Fontaine, rather than as her secretary. She meets Piers Hannes, multimillionaire, forces his attentions on her. Lord Edwards proposes to Joan.

"Really," said Joan, wondering if Piers said this to make her uncomfortable and change colour.

"Poor Edward! He had a frightful time! On the way home we nearly sank the ship a second time, coming through the Bay. All the crew, as a matter of fact, wanted to put in at Gibraltar, because the weather reports of the Atlantic were so alarming. But I didn't want to hang about. There was nearly a mutiny, and Edward was foremost among the mutineers. But I persuaded them, and on we came."

"At the risk of their lives?" said Joan quietly.

He met her eyes steadily where he stood with his back to the hearth, as though he meant to withstand her ill opinion, His glance took in the simplicity of her navy blue frock with white linen collar and cuffs, and he remarked drily:

"You've changed, But the expression of aversion when you look at me is just the same!" With a sigh and a laugh he added thoughtfully: "I wonder—will that ever change?"

"Surely we know fairly well how we regard one another," said Joan, meaningly.

"Do we?" he said. "You know then, how I regard you?"

Sitting at the tea table, Joan disdained to reply.

"I wonder—have you any ideas?" he said, and his tone was so altered, so softly imperative that she was startled. Abruptly he pushed forward a low chair from the fireside, pushed it forward to within a few feet of her, and sat down in it. Startled by having him so near, at facing him at such close quarters, Joan shrank back a little on the couch on which she was sitting.

"You don't know, do you," he said "That I'm in love with you?"

"Really—!" Joan protested, astonished and incredulous.

"It's a fact—a perfectly ridiculous fact!" He went on. "I don't know what you've done to me; something that no one else has done!"

"Well!" said Joan, This is all nonsense! She raised her eyes to his face and saw it faintly ashamed. But Heavens, what blue eyes he had in that bronzed, powerful mask! She looked away, and he went on quietly, with a vein of humour running through his voice as though he were laughing at himself—but only just.

"Ever since you slipped away at Cannes I've thought about nobody else. Why did you give me the slip like that? And you tore up the card I sent with that daphne, and anyhow, I owed it to you! I thought I'd get away from myself by going down to Malita, but it wasn't any good. I merely grew worse! I wouldn't have believed it myself a month ago, I shut my eyes, and what do I see — Joan's face. I go to sleep and of whom do I dream? Joan Denby. I ride the Corsair into the teeth of a gale trying to get rid of this frightful, enchanting obsession; the spray whips into my face and of what do I think? Of amiable Joan and her fan!" He laughed. "Do you know that I can't even smoke? And that I've had about twelve hours sleep in the last week, getting here?"

Joan with her heart racing, hardly knew what to say. One could not disbelieve him, his manner made that impossible. She had never seen him like this before, quiet, and humorous and rueful.

"In Cannes it was just a joke. I was bored and it amused me to tease you a little. New, by Heaven, it's very different! How do you cure a man, Joan, of this painful ailment of the heart?"

"I'm afraid I can't do anything!" said Joan faintly. "Honestly, I don't think it's my fault!"

"No," he agreed, drily and brutally. "You can't do more than tell a man you don't like his face and then hit him across it. The remark goes home!"

The blue eyes looked at her steadily, but she knew that he was hard put to it to retain that light-hearted smile. For a moment she was breathless; so she saw him stripped of his assurance for an instant; and all this was really true—he fancied that he was in love with her!

"I'm sorry," she said, and longed for him to go.

But now his eyes mocked her again; his face demanded compliance to his will.

"I suppose you still loathe me?" "Not exactly," said Joan, though at once when he looked like that all her aversion for him gripped her again.

"Marry me!" he said, making a smiling challenge of the suggestion, though his eyes were intense.

"I couldn't possibly!"

"Hate me—want to hit me in the face again?" he quarried.

"Oh, don't be absurd!" said Joan, getting up and walking to the writing table. He followed her and stood facing her across it.

"I'm not used to being thwarted!" he said warningly, and his face was steel hard.

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Are Proud Of Penitentiaries

English Judge Says Jails And Courts Attract Visitors.

London, Eng.—People are proud of their penitentiaries, according to Mr. Justice Sir Rigby Swift, one of the judges of the King's Bench. The judge was giving evidence before the Royal Commission on the despatch of business at common law.

"Nothing has created greater indignation in some parts of the country than the closing of jails," declared the judge. "No one would think that they wanted a jail in their midst, but I know several towns which were highly indignant that their prisons should be taken away. Prisons bring people into town as visitors, to see it, and the same thing applies to the holding of assizes."

On the question of retirement of High Court judges, Mr. Justice Swift who is just 69 years of age, said: "No retiring age should be fixed. I speak without prejudice because I have almost reached the time when I am entitled to retire, and I am considerably below any retiring age which is likely to be fixed. If a judge is competent to do his work, I cannot see any reason why he should not go on doing it. Ample power is already vested in the Lord Chancellor to get rid of anybody who by age or incompetency should be relieved of his judicial responsibilities."

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GULF STREAM FALLACIES

It Flows On Like A Real River, According To Long Study

The maps give us a poor conception of the Gulf Stream. They were made primarily to help navigators, who are not keenly interested in what goes on below the surface of the water.

As the years have passed, those who make the earth their special study have been more and more impressed by the theory of the Danish geographer, Nielsen, that the Gulf Stream flows like a real river, and this is without either diffusing much into the Gulf of Mexico or receiving much water from the Gulf. To test this view Yale University sent the schooner Mabel Taylor to the Gulf of Mexico in 1932. Instructions to the scientists on board: Determine the saltiness of the Gulf Stream at various points and find how it flows as a body. Give the world a three-dimensional picture of the Gulf Stream. Illuminate the chemistry of the Stream.

STUDYING THE CURRENT

At last week's meeting of the National Geophysical Union in Washington Professor A. E. Parr of Yale gave an account of the Mabel Taylor's findings. The schooner spent all of her time in the Caribbean current, which passes north from the Caribbean Sea through the Yucatan Channel, and in the Florida current which flows through the Florida Straits. Thus was the problem of inflow and outflow studied—the masses and kind of water that enter the Gulf of Mexico from the Yucatan Channel and that leave it through the Florida Straits.

It turns out that Nielsen is right. The Gulf of Mexico is saltier at the surface than the Caribbean current—exactly the opposite of what was supposed. The Caribbean current sweeps straight from the Yucatan Channel to Florida. Below the surface there is some Caribbean water which loses itself in the Gulf, but the so-called Gulf Stream is about as independent of the Gulf of Mexico as the Mississippi River.

Big Game Season Reduced To 11 Days

Halifax. — Big Game hunters in Nova Scotia this year will have only 11 days in the woods. Third reading was given to a bill in the Legislature recently limiting the hunting season for moose, deer and caribou to the period between October 20 and October 31.

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The gladiolus is deservedly one of the most popular flowers in Canada. Also it needs very little care except at planting and digging time. About the middle of May is a good time for planting but, as pointed out by the Horticultural Division, Dominion Experimental Farms, the exact date varies according to locality because the frost must be out of the ground and the soil dried. Sandy loam, well fertilized the previous year, is the ideal soil, but gladioli will do well on heavier soils. In a light, poor soil they would probably fail in a hot dry season. After planting the soil must be cultivated frequently to keep down the weeds and render the surface loose. During very dry weather a thorough soaking with water once a week is very beneficial, and it is well to remember that when the time comes for cutting the blooms at least two sets of leaves should be left on the plants, so that the corm will come to full growth and so be in good condition for growing next year. There are hundred of varieties to choose from, but Primulinus hybrids which are quite distinct in appearance from the large-growing varieties are becoming more popular every year. The corms, as obtained from the seedsman, should be planted from four to six inches deep and about three inches apart in a sunny position in the garden.

"An angel is a person who has conquered self and risen to high levels of character. No person can be endowed with virtue or holiness." —Edwin Markham.

Canadians Well Fed

Canada certainly does not starve its people if we may judge by the recorded consumption. In 1933 we ate, per capita, 136.99 pounds of meat, 10.68 pounds of poultry, 30.4 pounds of butter, 8.30 pounds of cheese and 257 eggs. The meat bill was as follows pork, 74.58 lbs.; beef, 56.09 pounds; and mutton and lamb, 6.32 pounds.

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WHAT DOES Your HANDWRITING REVEAL?

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Geoffrey St. Clair Graphologist

(Editor's Note: Many of our readers have already obtained a character study from their handwriting. Have YOU? The revelations will certainly interest you and they may surprise you. The author renews his invitation to readers following this week's article.)

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I have another letter this week from a young lady—she is 21 years of age—who says she has fallen in love with a married man, and, to use her own phase, "simply cannot give him up".

Well, of course, the decision as to her future course of action must come from herself, but as she has written to me about her problem, I deduce hat she is worrying over it, and I am therefore going to give her my candid opinion.

Her own handwriting shows that she is very affectionate and of a markedly sympathetic nature. She responds very readily to emotional influences, and I have no doubt that it was, in the first place at least, this eager readiness to sympathise with others that led her into her present attachment.

However, she also sent me some of the writing of the man in question, also that of the man's wife. And from my inspection of all three writings I cannot but come to the conclusion that this girl is making a very grave mistake.

Apart altogether from the moral angles to this question, the writings tell me that this is the case. Both the man and his wife are of the self-interested type. They look after their own interests firstly and lastly. I would say that the man and his wife are well-suited.

But I cannot say the same thing about the girl who writes to me and the man. I do not think that the man is seriously in love with her. He may be infatuated with her, but I suggest that, if the girl insists on his getting a divorce in order that they can be married, she will find that what I say is merely the truth.

He is interested in her for the moment, but has no sincere desire to ruin his present conditions of life and marriage.

So I say to the girl who wrote me, in all sincerity, that she is far too good to take the chance of ruining her life for the sake of this man. Give him up. You will find happiness in other directions and in a more permanent manner.

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I have a letter from a lady who signs herself A.K., and the postmark on the letter was Edmonton. I would like this lady to write me again and please enclose her full address so that I may write to her confidentially.

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Not all the problems with which this well-known author has to deal are given in these articles. There are many that are too confidential to be included and in all cases, Mr. St. Clair is able to help sincerely and without bias. Would YOU like his help? Have you any friends whose true characters you would like to know? Or do you merely wish to find out what YOUR handwriting tells about yourself? Send specimens of the writings you wish analysed, stating birthdate in each case. Enclose 10c coin for each specimen, and include with a 3c stamped addressed envelope, to: Geoffrey St. Clair, Room 421, 73 Adelaide Street West, Toronto, Ont. Letters will be answered as quickly as possible, and letters will be confidential.

Why at 40 You Think You're "GROWING OLD"

It's Frequently Just an "Idea." Not "Old Age." And According to Scientists, May be Something No More Alarming Than A Touch Of Acid Stomach

At about 40, many people think they're "growing old." They're tired a lot. Have headaches. Stomach upsets. Dizziness. Nausea.

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Woman's World

By Mair M. Morgan

All the world loves a lover, particularly in the merry month of June, and every bride-elect looks forward to the happy parties given for her. Whether luncheon, tea, dinner or evening buffet, the menu should include the daintiest of foods, perfectly prepared and served.

This luncheon menu has a splendid combination of flavours.

Cream of Watercress Soup
Fresh Asparagus Chicken Timbales
Queen Tea Muffins Coffee
Fresh Strawberry Ice Cream
Swedish Cookies

Queen Tea Muffins

1¼ cups sifted cake flour
2 teaspoons baking powder
4 tablespoons sugar
¾ cup milk
4 tablespoons butter or other shortening
½ teaspoon salt
1 egg, well beaten

Sift flour once, measure, add baking powder and salt, and sift again. Cream butter, add sugar, and cream together thoroughly. Add egg, then flour, alternately with milk, a small amount at a time. Beat after each addition until smooth. Bake in greased muffin pans in hot oven (450 degree F.) 20 minutes. Makes 18 small muffins.

Fresh Strawberry Ice Cream

Made at home with minute tapioca, is unusually smooth and creamy.

½ cup sugar
1 pint fresh strawberries, hulled
3 tablespoons quick-cooking tapioca
¾ teaspoon salt
6 tablespoons light corn syrup
2 tablespoons sugar
2 egg whites
1 cup cream, whipped

Add ½ cup sugar to strawberries and crush well. Let stand 30 minutes. Add quick-cooking tapioca to milk in top of double boiler. Place over rapidly boiling water, and bring to scalding point (about 3 to 5 minutes), and cook 5 minutes, stirring frequently. Strain hot mixture, stirring (not rubbing) through very fine sieve onto salt and corn syrup, and mix thoroughly. Chill. Add 2 tablespoons sugar to egg whites and beat until stiff; fold into cold tapioca mixture. Fold in cream and strawberries. Turn into freezing tray of automatic refrigerator and freeze as rapidly as possible—3 to 4 hours usually required. Or turn mixture into container, cover tightly, and pack in equal parts ice and salt 2 to 3 hours. Makes 1 quart ice cream.

Assorted sandwiches, cookies and "bonbons" are splendid for afternoon teas. They can be attractively arranged, too, and add to the dainty appearance of the table.

Coconut Vanities

2 cups sifted cake flour
2 teaspoons baking powder
½ teaspoon salt
1 tablespoon grated orange rind
1 cup sugar
½ can southern style coconut
4 tablespoons butter or other shortening
1 egg, unbeaten
½ cup milk
½ cup orange juice
1 egg white, stiffly beaten
4 tablespoons sugar

Sift flour once, measure, add baking powder and salt, and sift together three times. Add orange rind to butter and cream thoroughly. Add 1 cup sugar gradually and cream together well. Add egg and beat very thoroughly. Add flour, alternately with milk and orange juice, a small amount at a time, beating after each addition until smooth. Turn into greased pan, 15 x 10 inches. Cover with thin layer of meringue made by beating 4 tablespoons sugar into beaten egg white. Sprinkle with coconut. Bake in moderate oven (350 degrees F.) 25 minutes. Cool. 3,000 diamond-shaped pieces. Makes 2 dozen vanities.

Chocolate Macaroons

2 egg whites
1 cup sugar
¼ teaspoon salt
½ teaspoon vanilla
1½ squares unsweetened chocolate, melted
1½ cups premium shred coconut

Beat eggs whites until foamy throughout; add sugar, 2 tablespoons at a time, beating after each addition until sugar is blended. Then continue beating until mixture will stand in peaks. Add salt and vanilla. Fold in chocolate; then coconut. Drop from teaspoon on ungreased, heavy paper. Bake in slow oven (325 degrees F.) 20 minutes, or until done. Cool 5 minutes before removing from paper. Makes 2 dozen 1½ inch macaroons.

UPSIDE DOWN CAKES ARE PERFECT DESSERTS

These clever "upside down" cakes make complete desserts because they include both fine fruit and tender cake in perfect combination. Of course they can't be made from any standard cake recipe because the flour and shortening used would make them too crumbly.

The recipe given here has been carefully tested to give a perfect upside down cake. The flour specified is the very finest winter wheat flour because its delicate gluten will give a fine-textured, light cake.

Peach Upside Down Cake

1¼ cups sifted cake flour
1¼ teaspoons baking powder
¼ teaspoon salt
¾ cup granulated sugar
4 tablespoons butter
½ cup brown sugar, firmly packed
4 tablespoons soft butter or other shortening
1 egg, well beaten
½ cup milk
1 teaspoon vanilla
2 cups sliced peaches (fresh or canned)

Sift flour once, measure, add baking powder, salt, and granulated sugar, and sift together three times. Add butter. Combine egg, milk, and vanilla. Add to flour mixture, stirring until all flour is dampened; then beat vigorously 1 minute.

Melt 4 tablespoons butter in 8 x 8 x 2 pan or 8-inch skillet, over low flame. Add brown sugar (¼ teaspoon nutmeg may be mixed with brown sugar, if desired); stir until melted. On this arrange peach halves. Turn batter over contents of pan. Bake in moderate oven (350 degrees F.) 50 minutes, or until done. Loosen cake from sides of pan with spatula or broad blade knife. Serve cake upside down with peaches on top. Garnish with whipped cream.

Canned pineapple, cooked apricots, or sliced apples may be used instead of peaches.

WORK-OUT-OF-DOORS CURE FOR ALL ILLS

Britain's oldest woman gardener, Mrs. Elizabeth Chaney, aged ninety, of Hambledean Nurseries, Botley (Hants), is chief assistant to her grandson, J. C. Anton, who controls the nurseries.

Ninety Mrs. Chaney may be, but she still spends a strenuous six hours a day weeding, potting and watering the greenhouse plants.

A merry little lady she is. When next you feel that the garden is a little too much for you at your time of life, think of Mrs. Chaney's task the other day. Let Mr. Anton tell it:—

"We put in a late crop of potatoes," he said.

"It took us all day, but was grandmother tired? She was not! She sat up late that night — reading a thriller. She is enthralled by a mystery story.

Extremely Methodical

"She's more useful to me than any paid man," said Mr. Anton. "She is so methodical.

"Her husband lived to be ninety-two. He died on the Gunnersbury Park estate of the Rothschilds, just outside London, a few months ago. They were employed on the estate for nearly thirty years.

Here's what Mrs. Chaney has to say about gardening.

"Once I was a terrible sufferer from coughs, colds and chills," she confided.

"Since I took up gardening I have never had a recurrence of those complaints. My advice to those who want to live long and be free from ailments is not to coddle themselves, but get out in the open air, stay in the open and garden."

She has worked hard ever since she can remember—since she was a little girl in Charlton, near Wantage.

NEW CURTAINS ADD

FRESH NOTE TO KITCHEN

For the kitchen, a fresh note may be given by introducing curtains of one of the dainty new voiles or muslins which are both washable and fadeless. They are often sold as dress materials, which means they are a yard wide.

They may be had with a single line check in any one of many attractive colors on a white or cream ground, or you may prefer a tartan effect. Then there is a great variety of colored spots, also on a cream or white ground. Any of these would make a pleasant change from the usual kitchen curtains.

HINTS

Mix together three ounces of tin, three ounces bismuth and six ounces mercury, and warm in a small, clean iron vessel or a large iron ladle. Paste the edge of the glass with a strip of paper to prevent the mixture from running off during the process of silvering. Thoroughly clean and warm the glass, then pour a small quantity of the hot (not boiling) mixture on to it, tilting the glass first one way and then the other until the worn spots are well covered. Remove the paper, set the glass aside to dry, and when quite hard apply a protective coat of paint to the back.

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Wrinkled Pattern

Do not try to use a wrinkled pattern, or the new garment may be ruined. A wrinkled paper pattern can be pressed out smoothly with a warm iron.

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Kitchen Walls

When the kitchen walls and ceiling have been patched so many times that they have become unsightly, paste thin muslin over the surface and then paint it.

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Oil up and sharpen the lawn mower.

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Dig Deeply

Don't fail to dig deeply. The deeper the soil is turned the better the plants will grow.

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Fluffy Hair

A vinegar rinse after shampooing real blonde hair will help make it light and fluffy.

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Garden Production

Study early, late and midseason vegetables in your planting plans for succession.

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Have Garden Tools Handy

You need tape lines, stakes, plant labels, etc. for garden operations. Get them in and have them handy.

Don't Quit!

When things go wrong as they sometimes will
When the road you're treading seems all up hill,
When the funds are low and the debts are high,
And you want to smile, but you have to sigh,
When care is pressing you down a bit,
Rest, if you must—but don't you quit" —Anon

SUNDAY SCHOOL LESSON

OUR DAY OF WORSHIP—Genesis 2:2, 3; Exodus 20:8-11; Psalm 100; John 4:20-24; Acts 20:7; Colossians 3:15-17. Golden Text.—God is a Spirit: and they that worship him must worship in spirit and truth. John 4:24.

THE LESSON IN ITS SETTING

TIME AND PLACE—The words uttered in Genesis were, of course, spoken in the garden of Eden, at the time of man's creation. The first giving of the law occurred on Mount Sinai in 1490 B.C. The date of Psalm 100 cannot be determined. The discourse with the woman of Samaria occurred in A.D. 27, at Sychar, in Samaria. Paul visited Troas, a city on the coast of Mysia, in Asia Minor, about A.D. 59. The Epistle to the Colossians was written while Paul was a prisoner in Rome, approximately A.D. 64.

"Make a joyful noise unto Jehovah, all ye lands." Never will the world be in its proper condition till with one unanimous shout it adores the only God.

"Serve Jehovah with gladness." Only those who know and worship God can ever experience such abounding joy as is expressed in this Psalm. "Come before his presence with singing." The first song in the Bible is that of Moses and the Israelites (Exodus 15:1-21), celebrating their deliverance from Egypt.

"Know ye that Jehovah, he is God." That is, the nations were to "learn from the works that he has wrought for Israel that Jehovah is the only true God. "It is that he that hath made us, and we are his." This is the second of seven things the Psalmist reminds us we ought to know. "We are his people, and the sheep of his pasture." When we realize the relationship into which God has brought us, that his Son is the Great Shepherd of all who trust him, joy and thanksgiving spontaneously burst from our hearts.

"Enter into his gates with thanksgiving." If every Sunday morning each believer would begin to think of those things for which he is most thankful, how glorious a spirit would prevail over our services of worship! "And into his courts with praise." Into whatever court of the Lord you may enter, let your admission be the subject of praise. "Give thanks unto him and bless his name." We should give thanks always, because of what God is, because we know him and are known by him, and because he has made us, and we are his.

"For Jehovah is good." The moral quality of God is the essential characteristic of Christianity. "His loving-kindness endureth for ever" A phrase first used by David, 1 Chron. 16:34, 41; and often in the Psalms, especially Psalm 136. "And his faithfulness unto all generations." God is faithful to his promises.

"Our fathers." By this she probably referred only to the ancestors of the Samaritan people. "Worshiped in this mountain." This would be the one rising up from the very place where the well was located, Mount Gerizim "And ye say, that in Jerusalem is the place where men ought to worship." By making this statement, she merely meant that those people, of whom he was one, namely, the Jews, held such a belief.

"Jesus said unto her, Woman, believe me, the hour cometh." There is a divine order, in accordance with which each part of the whole scheme of salvation is duly fulfilled (cf. 2:4; 5:25, 28; 16:2, 4, 25, 32.) "When neither in this mountain." Here a temple had been built in the time of Nehemiah, but destroyed by John Hyrcanus, 120 B.C., and never rebuilt, although the Samaritans have never ceased to worship and offer sacrifices on this mountain, from that time even down to the present day. "Nor in Jerusalem, shall ye worship the Father." The conception of God as Father is the last and greatest revelation. Beyond such conception it is not possible to go if fatherhood means love.

"Ye worship that which ye know not." The Samaritans accepted only the first five books of the Bible, namely, the Pentatech. Their conception of God was incomplete. "We worship that which we know." The Jews had developed themselves in constant contact with the divine manifestation; they remained in the school of the God of revelation, and, in this living revelation, they preserved the principle of a true knowledge. "For salvation is from the Jews." This wonderful people, whose fit symbol is the burning bush, was chosen by sovereign grace to stand amidst the surrounding idolatry as the bearer of the knowledge of the only true God.

"But the hour cometh, and now is." The hour had arrived because Christ had arrived. "When the true worshippers." That is, the ideal worshippers. "Shall worship the Father." Worship is that attitude which recognizes the throne, which recognizes superiority. "In spirit and truth." The spirit is that part of man's nature which holds, or is capable of holding, intercourse with the eternal order. "For such doth the Father seek to be his worshippers."

"God has a spirit: and they that worship him must worship in spirit and truth." The spirituality of God and his fatherhood are here brought together side by side by our Lord.

"And let the peace of Christ." It is that peace which Christ bestows (John 14:27), which he has himself secured by his blood, as our Redeemer, and he dispenses it as the result of that atoning work (Eph. 2:14-17). "Rule in your hearts." Wherever there is a conflict of motives or impulses or reasons, the peace of Christ must step in and decide which is to prevail. "To the which also ye were called in one body." Being so called, all who share in it, of course find themselves knit to each other by possession of a common gift. "And be ye thankful." Thankful for Christ, for his work that provided peace.

"Let the word of Christ." The word of Christ comprises not only the words which he himself uttered, but the word or message about him, or, in other words, the gospel of Christ. "Dwell in you richly." Christian truth is not to be received mechanically, but to become assimilated a part of us. "In all wisdom." Where the gospel in its power, it will efflorece into principles of thought and action. "Teaching and admonishing one another with psalms and hymns and spiritual songs." Singing with grace in your hearts unto God." Whatever we can or cannot do with the lips, it is ..... possible to sing in the heart, or if only the inner life is in tune with God. our whole being will in one way or another manifest itself to God's praise and glory.

"And whatsoever ye do, in word or in deed." Our being in Christ interpenetrates every part of our daily life; he is Lord of all we are and do. "Do all in the name of the Lord Jesus." In obedience to his authority, in dependence on his help, in the light of his will, and to the praise of his glory.

Today is the only day we have,
Of tomorrow we cannot be sure;
To seize the chance as it comes along
Is the way to make it secure.
For every year is a shorter year,
And this is the truth sublime:
A moment misspent is a jewel lost
From the treasury of time.

"Young people today have found everything out before they have had time to look at it."—J. B. Priestley.

HOW TO GIVE

We are told that one day a wealthy man, facing an enemy, was shot at and escaped only because an employee jumped in front of him and took the bullet which was intended for his employer. The injured man lay for weeks in the hospital, and the rich man did not even pay the bills. The wife said in defence of his well-nigh incredible action, "You don't know my husband. He is generous enough, but he does not know how to give. He never learned. He was too busy making money to learn." It is possible that the startling miserliness of some men and the almost unbelievable parsimony of others may be due to this fact—they never learned to give. They did not know that it had to be learned. They intended to be generous some day when they had amassed a fortune, but while making one they could not afford to be generous.

If this be true, then the poor man who tells himself that he cannot afford to give is deceiving himself, and if fortune ever comes his way he will discover that wealth does not bring with it the ability to give, then he will of necessity fail to acquire wealth, but if this be true and there seem to be proofs that it is not necessarily true, then it is better to get the habit of giving and stay poor than to forget that little word and become the man who does not know how to give.

"Poverty is a soft pedal upon all branches of human activity, not excepting the spiritual, and even the Puritans, for all their fire, felt its throttling caress."—H. L. Mencken.

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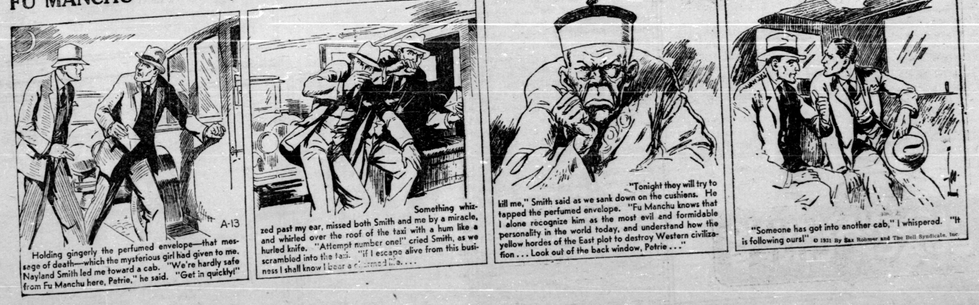

Holding gingerly the perfumed envelope—that message of death—which the mysterious girl had given to me, Nayland Smith led me toward a cab. "We're hardly safe from Fu Manchu here, Petrie," he said. "Get in quickly!"

Something whizzed past my ear, missed both Smith and me by a miracle, and whirled over the roof of the taxi with a hum like a hurled knife. "Attempt number one!" cried Smith, as we scrambled into the taxi. "If I escape alive from this business I shall know I bear a charmed life. . . .

"Tonight they will try to kill me," Smith said as we sank down on the cushions. He tapped the perfumed envelope. "Fu Manchu knows that I alone recognize him as the most evil and formidable personality in the world today, and understand how the yellow hordes of the East plot to destroy Western civilization . . . Look out of the back window, Petrie . . ."

"Someone has got into another cab," I whispered. "It is following ours!" © 1935 By Sax Rohmer and The Bell Syndicate, Inc.