A Thrilling Story of the Old West

BY MURRAY LEINSTER

synopsis.

In Holman, believing he has been ed ou: of ownership of the Aztecholds up the payrolls. Janet Laurho holds legal title, offers a reward is capture. She is kidnapped by is gang, a band of desperadoes. follows and escapes with her, but surprise she persists in believing to ore thief. Tilford, superintendthe mine, imports some men to sence of the sheriff. who has been wounded, Sonny arrests two of them and ides out of town.

They shoot Jake notice. He chuckled at his plative picture of her rage.

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CHAPTER XIII.

To the Voters of Gila County:

the conduct of the present sheriff dur-ing his tenure of office, it is forced on He regarded a trio of riders far school children for the best pos-ture. Herman Rea, 12 and Rose or more, without opposition. It is notorious that highway robberies, ore stealing and murders have gone unpunished and unopposed. It is known the everyone that the sheriff is at pressummoning every man within earshot.

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Seeing that I am pretty well shot up and won't be able to fill my office for a good long time, I have decided not to offer myself for re-election. This wish to thank all my friends who have supported me in the past and to say to them that if they can get John Doe to run for sheriff and serve after he is elected, they will get just about as good a man as there is in the county. He ain't as well known as he acattleman," he said deliberately.

Seing that I am pretty well shot up and trying to make them promise to tour offer myself for re-election. This and two fellers with her. Did Garcia grab 'em off?"

"Don't know." The cowpuncher caught at Sonny's sleeve as he was laid gently on the floor. "Saw some riders comin' toward us just before Garcia's gang opened fire but didn't notice who they was. Say, fix me up so I can ride back with yuh!"

This, unfortunatel, all," he responded. "With an atlas and an encylopaedia one can that a around the world in his mass attitude is changing from pessimism to optimism." Charles G. Dawes.

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Sonny's nose wrinkled as he tried to imagine Janet Laurier reading that men to imagine Janet Ladrat at his contem-"Lordy!" he murmured expa

ugh to raise her ante for my hide." He reined in. Ganpowder had come the paper. A name under the head-ing, "Political Announcements" took that Sonny had been following, and "Feller ridin' herd," he observed. "Hoss wrangler fightin' a real mean I offer myself as a candidate for heriff in the coming election. While to mend fences. That's new wire he's I do not wish to cast aspersions on got on the saddle. Who's that yon-

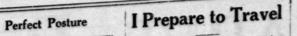
ing to attend to the formalities you gate. didn't bother with, so you'll actualty be a formally enrolled candidate for sheriff. You're really going to run

gedly on, limp and weak and appar-

Sonny and Thompson alike plunged "Garcia's gang," gasped the cowpuncher, reining up with a terrible effort. "Turned rustler. Plugged Buck an' me with rifles from behind some boulders. Drivin' off four hun-dred head up Little Canyon way." He sagged forward in the saddle and held himself up with both hands. "Buck's ," he gasped. "There was a

dozen of 'em, shootin' with rifles outer pistol range. I come for help. Band age me up an' I'll hide back with yuh. Jamn 'em, they bushwhacked us or I'd ha' got some of 'em!" He collapsed, and Sonny caught him. He was still protesting weakly

as he was carried into the ranchhouse.
"Jus' bandage me up so's I can go back with yuh. They plugged Back an' he was my pardner.'



Gail Hamilton, in "Gala Days," gives an amusing sketch of a would-be writer preparing to travel. She

Once there was a great noise in our house—a thumping and battering and grating. It was my own self dragging my big trunk down from the garret. did it myself because I wanted it done. f I had said, "Salicarnassus, will you fetch my trunk down?" he would have asked me what trunk? and what did want of it? and would not the other one be better? and couldn't I wait till after dinner?—and so the trunk would probably have '13 i a three-day journey from garret to basement. Now I am strong in the wrists and weak in he temper; therefore I used the one and spared the other, and got the trunk downstairs myself. Salicarnassus heard the uproar. He must have anageable thing I ever got hold of in Roosevelt.

"Now, then?" said Salicarnassus in-Chosen out of 511 St. Louis

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the everyone that the sheriff is at present incapacitated by bullet wounds received while co-operating with the outlaw hioman in a battle between factions of Holman's gang.

I do not need to dwell on my own qualifications for the office I seek. My aim is simply to do away with the laxity of law enforcement that has disgraced the county for years past. I will appreciate the support of citizens who value the good name of their Thompson saw him he surveved him to the circle Bar ground. "How's it feel to be worth a thousan' bucks, Sonny?"

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"No!" I answered promptly. "Well, then, here it is. The next will make less unders in the pound with the same that design to bring a trusk down with the hards and already saddling up without hearing all the same rounting from the cornal The next star and already saddling up without hearing and knock out the large with his arms covering his head as it he expected the entire word to embrate the wind of neurotic and entire the the had sar the expected the entire word to embrate the summoning every man w

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county. He ain't as well known as he might be, but those who saw him arrest the killers of Jake Hornaby will agree that he is a good man with a grue and the right feller for the job.

JAMES GRAY, Sheriff.

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"I have never heard that it was necessary to tumble in. in order to have a good view of the mountain."

"But it is necessary to do it, if one would make a readable book."

"Sounds right likely," acknowledged Sonny. "I'll be kinda obliged to him. I down the state of the st

Sonny whisted. Then he began to chuckle. "Lordy!" he murmured contentedly. "That's goin' t' make Janet sit up. You'd ha' thought I'd known all about it when I writ my Ii'l piece."

The space beneath the sheriff's announcement met his eye and he read nouncement met his eye and he read it with all the complacency of an early learning and the containing a huge bay, the tically double cinching a huge bay, the two hands from the corral were tearing off on hastily saddled, bucking son. "Garcia has a big gang all ronies, and the cook was dancing alout the corral after a plunging horse with a six-gun five sizes too large for him buckled to his belt. The it with all the complacency of an early learning and the corral and the corral were tearing off on hastily saddled, bucking two hands from the corral were tearing off on hastily saddled, bucking to his bed the book is the object of my travelling. I travel to write. I do not write because I have travelled. I am not going to subordinate my book to large for him buckled to his belt. The life of good sense, straight sures looking toward it sures looking to what it once had so far as respons-listed. I said sures looking to what with the honor to listen." I said, scornful of his paltry at the honor to listen." I said, scornful of his paltry at the honor to listen." I said, scornful of his paltry at the honor to listen." I said, scornful of his paltry at the honor to listen." I said, scornful of his paltry at the honor to listen." I sa nouncement met his eye and ne read it with all the complacency of an cattle," he admitted. "Rustle cattle. cook rejuctantly abandoned his purmy adventures. My adventures are thinking and sound morals is rising of health should be "And so," said Thompson, "I'm go- j ed man as Sonny shot out of the a view to my book." (To be continued.)

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going to be arranged betorehand with a view to my book."

Salicarnassus was a little stunned, but presently recovering himself, suggested that I had travelled enough already to make out a quite sizable hook.

Tarbell.

"Money is of its nature a mobile thing. If one enchains it, it will not him. If one enchains it, it will exting the state of the state of

sheriff. You're really going to run for the job."

"Suh," drawled Sonny with dignity.
"I am a respectable holdup man. I ain't a politician."

"But this is something you've got to—"

There were distant little poppings, as if someone were firing a six-gun rapidly, not an a target, but to attract attention. The rapid beating of a horse's hoofs sounded and drew nearer.

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Two of a Kind

A lad who looked about thirteen was leaning against a wall smoking a cigarette, when an elderly woman approached him.

"Does your father know you are smoking, little boy?" she inquired bitingly.

The boy regarded her open-mouthed. He took a few more puffs from his cigarette and looked her up and down steadily. Suddenly he caught sight of the wedding-ring on her hand. "You're a married woman, aren't you?" he said.

Wil am" agreed the woman.

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Canadian Public Health a emotions about wine."—John Erskine. he mopboard, and was the most "A child gains more from example widespread interest stupid, awkward, uncompromising, unthan from precept."-Mrs. Franklin D.

my life.

By the time I had zigzagged it into the back chamber. Salicarnassus shoomed up the backstairs.

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"To be sure," 'I replied affirmativeOnly now they play tag with the pomethods the arrangement of mide and seek are still popular with our youngsters.
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JAMES GRAY, Sheriff.

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and raced to the door. Sonny bent to look and saw one of the Circle Bar cowboys riding for the ranch-house, swaying desperately in the saddle, and holding on to his horse's man to keep from toppling out. A spurt of smoke shot from his gun and he came doggedly on, limp and weak and appara.

"Way."

His acquiscence was ungraciously, and I believe I may say ambiguously, expressed; but it mattered little, for I gathered up my goods and chattels, strapped them into my trunk, and waited for the summer to send us on our way rejoicing. an airplane engine."-Dr. George W.

With or Without

A sportsman invited a number of friends who were interested in boxing, and some amateur practitioners, to meet him for dinner and discussion of an idea of the host's for a charity performance.

The invitation revealed a sense of wit in the host, for at the foot in small type were the words: "Dinner diess will be worn. Black is optional."

Home

I like to see a mean and solution most work is slavish. By the same token, however disguised they may be, most of our pleasures are mean or silly."—Irwin Edman, Assistant Professor of Philosophy, Columbia University, N.Y.

"There is an old legend that on one occasion God prayed, and His prayer was 'Be in my will that my justice be ruled by my mercy.' This a prayer that we all need to utter at times when the demon of formalism tempts the intellect with the lure of scientific order." — Benjamin Cardoza, Chief order." - Benjamin Cardoza, Chief other oil. It cos

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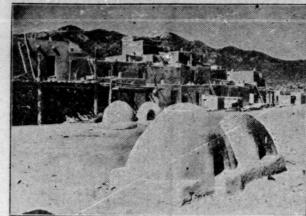
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