

# All at Sea

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## WHAT HAS GONE BEFORE

From the veranda of the Hotel Majasaca, at Ocean Town, N. J., Titus Riggs, a guest, sees a man taken from the ocean and laid on the beach while a crowd gathers to stare.

The reader has been introduced to these bathers:

Ned Barron, the copper king, and his wife, Madeline; Angelica Fair and her fiancé, Robin Sears; Robin's father, Troydon Sears; Carmelita Valdon and her companions, Roger Neville, Garrett Folsom and Mrs. Barnaby, whom everyone calls the Duchess.

From the shocked expression on the faces of the throng, Riggs surmises that the man is dead and putting down his field glasses, he hastens down to the beach.

## NOW GO ON WITH THE STORY CHAPTER II.

As Titus Riggs drew near the crowd on the beach, he found himself restrained by a stalwart policeman, who forbade him to advance another step.

"Who is he?" he asked, and so pleasant was Riggs' manner, that the strong arm of the law unbenet enough to answer.

"Garrett Folsom, they say," he replied, and Titus Riggs ejaculated, "Good Lord!" though whether the words were an expression of pious gratitude or merely an exclamation of astonishment was not obvious.

"Is he dead?" Riggs pursued. "As a doornail!" "Cramp? Stroke?"

"How do I know?" returned the other. "Anyway, they gotta get him off the beach!"

"I should think so. Is that a doctor bending over him?"

"Guess so. He seems to be giving orders. Though it ain't up to him to say what to do."

"Who is it up to?"

"I don't rightly know. But I expect the life guards will take him to his hotel and they'll see to him there."

The life guards bore the body through the crowd, two or three uniformed officers making a way, and though followed by a horde of curiosity seekers, most of the beach population went back to the surf or the sands.

Roger Neville and the two women who had been the bathing companions of the dead man conferred quickly as they stood on the beach.

"You'd better go straight to your bathhouses and dress," he told the others, "and I'll do the same. Then hurry to the hotel; well all be asked for."

"Why?" inquired the Duchess, her eyes wide with amazement. "We had nothing to do with his stroke, or whatever it was. I'm not going to get into the papers as a friend of Garrett Folsom's."

"Why not?" asked Mrs. Valdon. "There are lots of worse people than that man."

"Oh, not that, but I object to publicity, and I won't be interviewed."

"Don't worry," Neville said. "Folsom's an important man in some ways, but his death won't make a dent down here. What does Ocean Town care for a sudden death more or less?"

"I suppose that's so," the Duchess said, with a relieved air. "Well, I'll get dressed anyway. Come along, Carny. It's spoiled our swim for today."

"Don't be so heartless," said the other. "He's all upset. I think a sudden death is fearful. And we will be in the limelight. I don't care what Roger says. I think I'll go straight back home. Do you suppose his sister will come here?"

"Didn't know he had a sister. Well, he has. A sister. One of those strong-willed persons. They disappeared into their respective bathhouses and dressed as rapidly as they could in the cramped and uncomfortable quarters.

Although the bathhouses belonging to the Hotel Majasaca were roomy compared with homes they were not luxurious dressing rooms, and when the two women at last emerged they both expressed a desire to reach their own bedrooms unnoticed.

This they accomplished and set to work to repair the ravages of an ocean bath.

But though they had reached a quiet haven, there was anything but quiet down in the hotel lobby, several floors beneath them.

The suave and impassive gentlemen who had the wellbeing of the hotel in their charge were upset one after another with terrific suddenness and swiftness.

The pompous doorman was the first to be affected, and he was minded at first to refuse admittance to the sinister-looking procession that carried a covered, still form on a stretcher.

But his halfhearted objections were promptly overruled, and the ghastly burden was carried to the office of the hotel and the manager was called for.

The manager not being present for the moment, the room clerk stepped forward, closely followed

One of the life guards answered him. "That can wait, then," Folsom turned his mind to more immediate affairs.

"Who is in this man's party?" he asked Dixon.

"Nobody. He's alone—or, I believe he has a valet—but no one else in his suite."

"Has he a suite? A good one?"

"One of the best. Two rooms and bath. His valet sleeps on the same floor, but not in a connecting room."

"I see," said for the valet. Why isn't he already here?"

"We've only just come in, Mr. Pelham," said the life guard. "Will you take the matter in charge now? Can we go? We belong on the beach, you see."

"Yes, yes, go on. I'll attend to this. Leave your names with Mr. Dixon, in case he wants to see you again."

He rang a bell for the room clerk.

"Tuttle," the manager said to him, "was no one with Mr. Folsom here?"

"Only his valet, a man named Ross."

"Send for him. Who were Mr. Folsom's friends or associates?"

"Mr. Neville, and two ladies were with him last evening. He only came yesterday afternoon."

"I thought he was new. Neville's been here longer?"

"Oh, yes, a week or more. The ladies, a few days—nearly a week."

"I see. Get the man, Ross, but don't disturb Mr. Folsom's friends just yet. Were they in the water with him?"

"Yes," said Dixon, "the guard told me so. They'll probably show up soon."

"They'll have to. We must learn from them as to Mr. Folsom's home and people."

A clerk appeared then, bringing a quiet-mannered, middle-aged man with him.

"This is Ross, the valet," he said, and giving the man an introductory wash into the room, he went out and closed the door behind him.

(To be continued)



By the vigilant hotel detectives. These two were promptly bowled over, as the doorman had been, by the information that the body they bore was one of the hotel's guests and must receive immediate attention.

"Who is it?" asked the flabbergasted room clerk, losing for once his imperial air.

"Garrett Folsom," he was told, and thereupon lost his last remnant of self-possession.

"You'll have to take him away," he almost screamed. "We can't have anything like that here! The guests won't stand for it! The hotel can't have it! Take him to the morgue or the undertaker—or somewhere!"

"Wait a minute," said the hotel detective, who was named Dixon. "What has happened?"

The face was calm and lifelike, the hair, though tousled by the waves, was orderly enough, and the man looked as if merely unconscious rather than dead.

But Pelham's queasy hand told him the heart had ceased to beat, and the briefest examination was enough to show that life had gone.

"Stroke, of course," the manager said, looking at Dixon. "But we must have a doctor."

"One looked at him down on the beach," the guard volunteered. "Doctor Manning, he was; he's in the hotel here, and he said as how Mr. Folsom was dead."

"Dead?" Of course he's dead. But we must have a certificate and all that. Has Doctor Manning come up from the beach yet?"

Inquiry proved he had not, and

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CATALINA SWIMMERS TO PLUNGE OFF TONIGHT

(Associated Press Leased Wire.)

LONG BEACH, Calif., Feb. 5.—Peter Meyer, 28, Cincinnati, Ohio, swimmer, who today was reported to have started an intended swim of the San Pedro channel from Catalina Island to the mainland, did not start due to his conveyance having a breakdown.

Miss Martha Stager, Portland, Ore., swimmer, also reported to have started the swim early today, did not leave the mainland. Both Miss Stager and Meyer said they would leave here at noon for Catalina Island to start their channel swims sometime tonight.

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## MARSHFIELD WINS BASKETBALL GAME FROM ROSEBURG

The Roseburg senior high school basketball team suffered another defeat Saturday night when they lost a game at Marshfield by a score of 29 to 20. The game was an interesting contest from the spectator's standpoint, as it was full of fast playing.

Marshfield took the lead at the outset, but Roseburg pressed closely until near the close of the first half when a spurt put Marshfield in the lead 17 to 9. In the second half the scoring was very close, Roseburg making 11 points and Marshfield 12.

Chapman, the brilliant Marshfield forward, was high point man for the home team, making 10 of the 29 points. Moffit, for Roseburg, despite the fact that he was ill and not in fit condition to play, insisted on going into the game and scored 9 of Roseburg's points. Marshfield made nine points on fouls, converting every free throw until the third quarter, and missing only three during the entire game. The Roseburg basket tossers were wild in both their free throws and shots from the field.

While the senior high school team was being defeated at Marshfield, the junior high school boys won a slow victory over Camas Valley at the local gymnasium. The game was characterized by slow rough playing with poor passing on both sides, the score being 29 to 15. The local boys put up the poorest exhibition they have made this year, their playing being listless, and their passing being poor.

The senior high school team will play Myrtle Point here next Friday, and the following Friday will play Grants Pass, and on Saturday will go to Corvallis. The next week end the team will go to Medford and Ashland. After a game at Grants Pass the following week, the Roseburg team will return home and end the season with a game with University high of Eugene.

## 10-YEAR-OLD BOY, MUSICAL SENSATION

(Associated Press Leased Wire.)

PARIS, Feb. 7.—Ten-year-old Celedin Menuhin, violinist of San Francisco, who gave a recital last night, was acclaimed by the musical critics today.

They say he gave a perfect rendition of the "Symphonie Espagnole" by Edouard Lalo. It is considered a most difficult selection, both from the viewpoint of technique and interpretation.

The boy was recalled again and again by a critical audience. He played two extra numbers without contenting the music lovers. He appeared with the famous Lamouroux orchestra.

## CHILD SUPPOSED STOLEN RETURNED BY EX-GOVERNESS

(Associated Press Leased Wire.)

CHICAGO, Feb. 7.—Search for 11-year-old Brunhilda Koellner was ended today when Lillian Hochstrasser, charged with kidnaping the child, surrendered her to an attorney.

The two said they had traveled to Denver and back since last Monday morning when Brunhilda was last seen leaving her school room.

Mrs. Hochstrasser denied she kidnaped the child as charged in a warrant sworn out by Frank Koellner, the girl's father.

The woman, who formerly was a housekeeper in the Koellner home, said that when she informed the child that she was leaving the city, Brunhilda wept and asked to be taken along.

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## WOULD-BE SUICIDE JOURNEYS HERE TO MAKE NEW START

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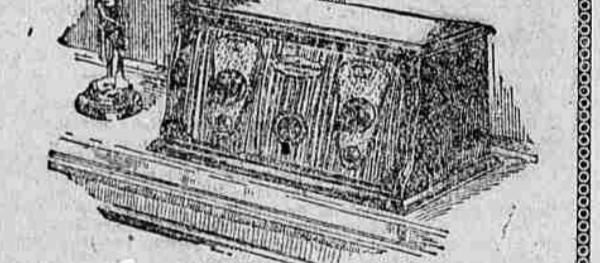
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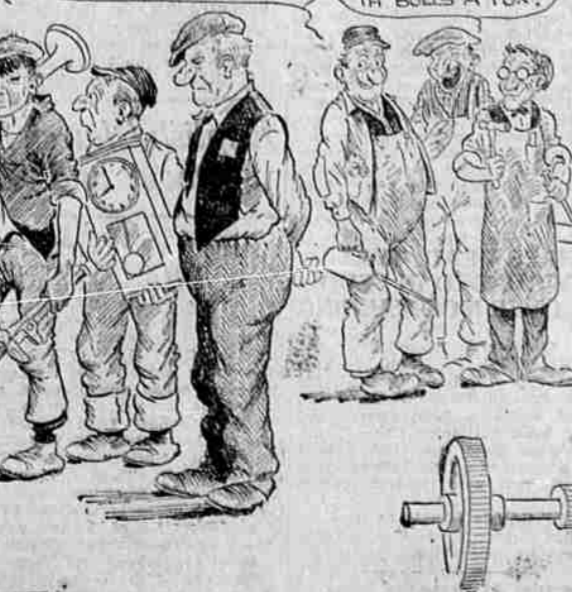
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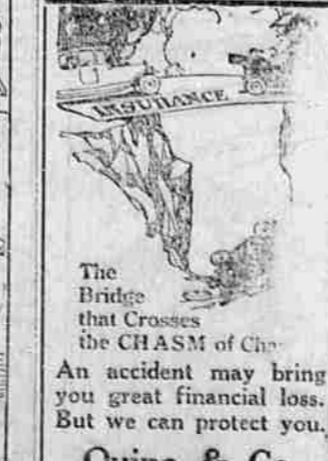
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