

Montana Rides Again

A RAPID-FIRE ROMANCE BY EVAN EVANS

SYNOPSIS: The Montana Kid and Montana Rides Again... The cursed fuse was wet—it was ruined! growled Rubriz. "That dog of an Onate shall learn what it is to give me false material!"

Then the explosion came. It blew the door of the closet shuddering open. An invisible puff of air rolled out to them, and the flame jumped wildly in the lamp and almost went out.

When they got into the closet they found the door of the safe open and hanging by one hinge!

Well, let them take this much good fortune almost for granted—since they were not yet clear of the fort! Even if the emerald crown were in their hands, they had not gained it until they were out of Fort Duraya.

That was why they said nothing when from the second or third drawer they opened they took a soft wrapping of chamois. It fell open in their hands and they saw the green glinting of the emeralds, like the eyes of cats when a torch reflects from them by night.

Then they heard the shrill neighing of the alarm bugle that was blowing from the gate of the fort and causing the echoing of tramping feet to sound in immediate answer from the barracks and all through the big building.

"Now for the last step!" said Rubriz.

HE TOOK one half of the broken crown and gave the other to his friend.

"Ay," said Montana. "One of us may attack in the trap. Take some of this stuff."

He had picked two soft, heavy little bags of gold out of another drawer of the safe. Rubriz dropped one into a pocket of his trousers. Montana put the little ten-pound weight inside his coat.

"The best way is right back to the postern by which we came in. Follow me there, Rubriz."

"Back the same way? They will have it crowded with armed men." "I tell you that's the safest chance."

"Montana, it is no chance at all!" They were in the bedroom of the governor again. They were in the closet opposite to that which had held the safe, and while Rubriz completed his costume by huddling swiftly into a white shirt which he snatched from a shelf, Montana snatched a great cloak from his hanger and fung it around his shoulders.

They sprang out again into the open room.

"Rubriz, I tell you I have a lucky feeling. Come with me tonight!" "In the name of God, Montana—quickly!—to me!"

MEDFORD GIRLS HOME FROM STATE MEETING OF WORLD WIDE GUILD

The fourth annual state convention of the Oregon World Wide Guild, was held at the First Baptist church in Eugene, Feb. 16-17. Over 300 girls and their leaders were in attendance.

The theme throughout the meeting "The Queenly Quest." The first session opened at 1 o'clock, by a big sing led by Zella Harlan of Linfield college, after which Mrs. Thos. Verdenius of Portland spoke on "A Quest for a Radiant Personality."

PAWNEE, Okla., Feb. 19.—(AP)—Phil Kennamer, 19, told today of killing John P. Gorrell, Jr., in a storm last Thanksgiving night in a scuffle with Gorrell over the latter's pistol.

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PERPETUAL YOUTH BY ARTIFICIAL HORMONES CLAIMED DISCOVERED

(Associated Press Foreign Staff) VIENNA, Feb. 19.—(AP)—The newspaper "Vienna Montage Zeitung" said today Prof. Eugen Steinach, in his long quest for the secret of perpetual youth, has developed a chemical substance which eliminates the necessity of transplanting glands to restore fertility.

Working in Switzerland, Steinach has, according to the newspaper, extended the fertility of cattle long past the normal period by his injections with the result that the progeny of valuable animals has been increased.

Hope was held out that his system could be applied to humans without technical difficulties.

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THREE MINOR CHANGES FOR FOOTBALL RULES

NEW YORK, Feb. 19.—(AP)—The national football rules committee, following its annual meeting, today announced the adoption of only three minor changes in the gridiron code for 1935, including a modification of the so-called "dead ball" rule to permit a ball-carrier who is still on his feet, even though held by an opponent, to run, pass or kick until the whistle is blowing.

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