

KLAMATH FALLS, OREGON SUNDAY, DECEMBER 13, 1959
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DICK TRACY

I WISH I COULD HELP YOU, MR. TRACY, BUT—

CRIMESTOPPERS TEXTBOOK

THIS IS THE HAPPY HOLIDAY SEASON, BUT COUNTLESS PERSONS LOSE THEIR LIVES AND PROPERTY DUE TO FIRES. CHECK YOUR WIRING AND WATCH YOUR FIREPLACE.

I HAVEN'T ANY IDEA WHERE MY SON IS. I, TOO, WISH I COULD LOCATE HIM—I HAVE A CHRISTMAS PACKAGE FOR HIM.

YOU SAY HE QUIT HIGH SCHOOL AT THE END OF HIS FRESHMAN YEAR?

YES, YOU SEE, BEFORE I SOLD OUT MY BEAUTY PREPARATIONS BUSINESS, I HAD A TUTOR FOR HIM—BUT LATER ON HE ENTERED PUBLIC SCHOOL—

—BEFORE LONG HE MET THAT MAN—THE FIFTH. HIS LIFE CHANGED FROM THEN ON.

HM? THERE HE IS AT THE AGE OF 15— THAT WAS 27 YEARS AGO

ACTUALLY, MRS. LIMPP, WE'RE MORE INTERESTED IN CAPTURING THE FIFTH. WE THOUGHT IF WE COULD LOCATE YOUR SON, FLYFACE, IT WOULD LEAD US TO THE FIFTH.

DOON'T CALL HIM FLYFACE.

PSST! SAM, ISN'T THIS A RATHER STRANGE CHRISTMAS GIFT? IT'S A SUIT OF CLOTHES.

EH?

WHAT COULD BE KEEPING MA? SHE WAS TO HAVE BEEN HERE AN HOUR AGO WITH THEM CLOTHES.

I'LL MISS THE ANNUAL MEETING. FIFTH WILL BE PLENTY MAD. THE BOYS ALL NEED MY LEGAL COUNSEL.

OH, WELL, THEY CAN WAIT. THEY NEED ME MORE THAN I NEED THEM.

MEANWHILE— SURELY YOU CAN HAVE YOUR MEETING WITHOUT THAT SMELLY IMITATION LAWYER AROUND. THE BOYS ARE IN THE OTHER ROOM AND THEY'RE GETTING RESTLESS.

I REFUSE TO ANSWER—UH—

IF YOU HADN'T INSISTED THAT FLYFACE GET FRESH CLOTHES AND—

OH, FORGET IT! COME NOW, THEY'RE WAITING.

CHESTER SQUID

THOSE WHO HAVE ENDEAVORED TO TEACH US TO DIE WELL HAVE TAUGHT FEW TO DIE WILLINGLY." SAMUEL JOHNSON — "DEAD," BUT HE WON'T LIE DOWN?

A STEAMING LAUNDRY MAKES A NICE "FRONT" BUT IT IS HARDLY A SUITABLE PLACE TO ENTERTAIN OLD FRIENDS. COME!

LEAPIN' LIZARDS! CHENG AND HUANG AGAIN! YOU FELLAS ARE EVERYWHERE!

WUN WEY HAS TAUGHT US THAT IT IS WELL TO KNOW SHORT CUTS!

YOU ASK ME TO TAKE THESE DIAMONDS WORTH MILLIONS TO DISPOSE OF FOR YOU, MY FRIEND?

TO DO WITH AS YOU WILL! I AM HELPLESS! MY BUSINESS EMPIRE GONE!

YOU HAVE TAKEN ME IN, PROBABLY SAVED MY LIFE AND ANNIE'S! TAKE THE DIAMONDS!

A FRIEND DOES NOT ACCEPT PAYMENT FOR FRIENDSHIP! I REMEMBER WHEN YOU SAVED MY WORTHLESS LIFE!

I DIDN'T MEAN TO INSULT YOU, WUN WEY! I WON THOSE STONES IN A POKER GAME, THEY ARE NOTHING!

YOU KNOW, MY FRIEND, I BELIEVE TO YOU MILLIONS ARE NOTHING! YOUR MISFORTUNES HAVE NOT CHANGED YOU!

YOU ARE ONE OF THE TRULY RARE MEN THAT NO MISFORTUNE OR GREAT SUCCESS CAN EVER CORRUPT! I WILL NOT TAKE THE STONES!

BUT WHY NOT? YOUR PEOPLE HAVE NEED BEYOND COUNTING!

TRUE ENOUGH! I WILL KEEP YOUR TREASURE SAFE, BUT WE WILL USE IT YOU AND I, TO RAISE YOU AGAIN TO YOUR PROPER PLACE!

A VERY GENEROUS THOUGHT, BUT HOW?

HOW? AH, YES! THAT WILL BE A PROBLEM! MORE DIFFICULT THAN EVEN YOU MAY REALIZE ... TO RAISE A MAN FROM THE DEAD!

DEAD? WHO'S DEAD? ME?

THE FILE, HUANG! THANK YOU! HERE, YOU MAY READ THE PUBLIC RECORD OF YOUR DEMISE! FEW HAVE SUCH AN OPPORTUNITY!

"OLIVER WARBUCKS DEAD! MARKET CRASHES!"

"GREATEST GAMBLER IN WORLD-WIDE COMMERCIAL EMPIRES MAKES LAST PASS!" "AS IT MUST TO ALL MEN ..."

HEY! WHAT IS THIS? WELL, I'LL SOON SHOW 'EM WHO'S DEAD! I'LL ...

AH, MY FRIEND! GHOSTS SHOULD WALK SOFTLY! THINK FOR A MOMENT HOW POWERFUL THOSE WHO TOOK OVER YOUR EMPIRE HAVE BECOME, HOW EASY FOR THEM TO MAKE THESE STORIES TRUE! THEN CONSIDER ...

CONSIDER IF I'D BE BETTER OFF STAYING 'DEAD' EH? HM-M-M...