Jacqueline of Golden River

by Victor Rousseau

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JACQUELINE! JACQUELINE!

Paul Hewlett, loitering at night in Madison square, New York, is approached by an Eskimo dog. He follows the dog to a gambling house and meets the animal's mistress coming out with a large amount of money. She is beautiful and in distress and he follows her. After protecting her from two assailants he takes her in charge.

CHAPTER I—Continued.

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When the taxicab deposited us in front of the house I glanced hastily up and down the road. There was another cab at the east end of the street, but I could not discern if it were approaching me or stationary. I opened the front door quickly and admitted my companion, then preceded her up the uncarpeted stairs to my little apartment on the top floor.

As I opened the door of my apartment the dog pushed past me. Again I had forgotten it; but it had not forgotten its mistress.

"Till tomorrow, mademoiselle," I said. "And won't you tell me your name?"

"Jacqueline," she answered. "And yours?"

"Paul," I said.

... room was not a dozen paces from the door.

I listened for the breathing of the sleeping girl. If I could hear her breathe, I thought I would go quietly away and find a hotel in which to sleep. I listened minute after minute, but I could not hear a sound.

At last I put my mouth to the keyhole and spoke to her. "Jacqueline," I called. There was no answer.

Then a little louder: "Jacqueline!"

And then quite loudly: "Jacqueline!"

Then, out of the silence, hammering on my eardrums, burst the loud ticking of the little alarm clock that I had left on the mantel of the bedroom. I heard that, and it must have been ticking minutes before the sound reached me; perhaps if I waited a little longer I should hear her breathing.

I took the key of the apartment from my pocket at last and fitted it noiselessly into the lock. I stood there, trembling and irresolute. I dared not turn the key.

Once more I ventured:

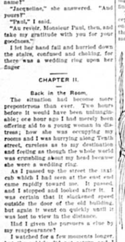
"Jacqueline! Jacqueline!"

There was not the smallest answering stir within. And so, with shaking fingers, I turned the key.

The room was completely dark, except for a little patch of light high up on the bedroom wall, which came ...

CHAPTER II.

Back in the Room.



The Scene Stamped Itself Upon My Brain.

Hewlett plans to protect Jacqueline from the consequences of what he believes is her deed and to take her to her home.

CHAPTER III.

Covering the Tracks.

SIMPLY PERFECT IN THEORY

Kitchen Management Left Nothing to Be Desired, Except the Prosaic Fact of Cooking.

A Camp Honeymoon

By IZOLA FORRESTER

CATTLE TICK IS BADLY WALLOPED

Bloodsuckers Receive Severe Trouncing in Infested States During Month of March.

FINE WORK OF ERADICATORS

According to Reports 1,208,497 Cattle Went Through "Canal to Prosperity"—Big Increase Made in Number of Dipping Vats.

(Prepared by the United States Department of Agriculture.)

If the annual battle against the cattle fever tick can be compared to a boxing match of nine rounds—each month from March to December being a round—it is true that the tick got a thorough trouncing in the first round, and the bell rang with the parasite figuratively hanging over the ropes.

March of this year brought more dippings of cattle for the tick than were recorded in any other March since the federal and state governments began to fight the parasite in 1906. According to reports from all tick-infested states 1,208,497 cattle went through "the canals to prosperity" in March, 1919. This compares with 990,505 in March, 1918, and 720,...

It is believed that the general dipping of cattle every two weeks will be conducted in nearly all of ... during the present year.

The Oklahoma state legislature, by making a special appropriation of ... 000 assisted several counties in the southeast corner of the state which seemed unable to raise funds with which to carry on county work. With this assistance it is believed Oklahoma is now in a position to get rid of the tick by the end of ...

The Arkansas legislature ... appropriated $100,000 for the ... tion in that state, and with ... force of federal, state and ... ployees now at work it is be... Nearly all the counties in ... have made appropriations ... work, and construction of d... is being pushed as rapidly ...

Shorthorn Heifer, Free of Ticks.

... all of the state, with the ... seven or eight counties, ... leased from quarantine ... ber 1. The Louisiana force ... termined to wind up the tic... year, and the indications ar... will be successful.

In Mississippi, where f... work is being conducted f...

Shorthorn Heifer, Tick Infested.

Reports From States.

Made Record Trip.

State-wide Law in Alabama.

A Cattle Tick Dipping Demonstration.

PREVENT BIG LOSS OF GRAIN

Poor Work of Binder, Shattering During Stacking and Faulty Separator Are Causes.

DOESN'T PAY TO SPRAY BEETS

Canker to Make New Plantings When Attacked by Leaf Spot, Especially in Small Garden.

REPAIR OF PASTURE FENCES

Little Time Spent in Replacing Weak Posts and Tightening Wires Will Prove Profitable.

SQUARE OF CANVAS IS HANDY

Convenient Little Accessory Saves Knees of Trousers When Working Underneath Car.

BIRD SAVED LOST BATTALION

The KITCHEN CABINET

MEALS FOR OCCASIONS.

MISCELLANEOUS.

Nellie Maxwell

OIL FIELDS MAKING NEW MILLIONAIRES

Fort Worth, Texas.—Fortunes are being made in the new Texas oil fields. Small investments of $100 have in some instances earned as much as $15,000.00. Eighty companies in the Burkburnett field alone paid $30,000,000.00 in the last four months.

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New Mineral Found.

A new mineral has been discovered in Siberia. The discovery was made by a hunter on the shore of Lake Balkash, and the mineral has been named balkashite. It has the appearance of dark brown hard rubber, and when ignited it burns with a strong flame, leaving about 2 per cent ash. When placed in water it becomes a mass very much like paraffin.

The occasional use of Roman Eye Balsam at night will prevent and relieve tired eyes, watery eyes, and eye strain. Adv.

Up to Dad.

She—"What will our income be when we are married?" He—"Whatever your father thinks best."—Lamb.

A fly is not very tall yet it stands over six feet without shoes or stockings on.

Save the Babies

INFANT MORTALITY is something frightful. We can hardly realize that of all the children born in civilized countries, twenty-two per cent., or nearly one-quarter, die before they reach one year; thirty-seven per cent., or more than one-third, before they are five, and one-half before they are fifteen!

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