

Land A'ROMANCE By Louis Joseph Vance Illustrations by Ray Walters

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the dog He saw Chang coming and saw him

Add Coast, looking curvously over 1, 100 feet plant and 1, 100 fee

lay inert with a broken back.

Panting and shaken, both hands to his lacerated and bleeding throat, the man staggered a pace or two away, and fell suddenly against the bows of the boat, grapping its stem for support.

Stunned with the surprise of it, Coast turned away, aware that Kath certine, was calling him.

"Garrett! Garrett!" he heard her or, "Copne-quickly!" Don't you see the west. Following this sign, he saw, perhaps a quarter of a mile off the west. Following this sign, he saw, perhaps a quarter of a mile off sher's sele-boat, crowed to the thwarts with men.

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"Then, hurry! Don't you see that beat—"

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"Take Me Away Quickly!"

I leaving Bluckstock at, the mercy of the dog.

He saw Chang coming rad saw hims from and level a revolver. Simultaneously he heard a shot—but from mother quarter and another weapon than the Chicaman's. The latter, and the considering and the heart of the half light, suddenly flew out of his hand and t one side. The state of the considering rabbed his right hand with his left and doubted like a jackkinic over it, screaming with agony. In must when a mance, Const, seeking the source of this timely assistance, discovered the state of the s

# **STATE NEWS**

Charlotte—John Knowles, aged eighty-four, was Istally injured by being further by a Michigan Central train here, and died two hours later in the city hospital. Knowles, who was deaf, was coming from his home along the track and did not hear the train. He was the father of Fred and Aiderman Claude Knowles and was the grandfather of Roy Knowles, killed here in an automobile accident last aummer.

Holland.—Harm Ensign, a Vriesland farmer, rescued his ten-year-old son from the blazing family residence and was seriously bursed, while the boy is likely to die from the fact when he are the fact w

Monroe.—Fire originating, it is thought, from spontaeous combustion, started in the rear hall of the Hoffman building, 21 Front street, and spread to R. W. Berryman's tallor shop on the second floor. Before the flames were subdued by the fire the partment. H. D. Hoffmans will only so the partment of the flames were about 55,000. Berryman's loss is placed at \$1,000. Fint.—Fifty miles of good roads will be built in Genese county this year according to an agreement reached by the county road commissioners and supervisors. The commissioners and supervisors. The commissioners are for \$100,000, or one-6ft to from the building will be held by the work done this year. Fourteen townships will benefit by the work done this year. The supervisors have instructed the county clerk to take charge of the work in connection with the building of the good roads.

Marshall.—All members of Trinity

the building of the gold roads.

Marshall—All members of Trinity church vestry and the rector, Dr. John Hartley have been summoned to appear before Bisbop McCornick of the western diocese of Michigan and a standing committee of diocese in St. Mark's pro-tabledral at Grand Rapids, for the purpose of setting the difficulties existing between the rector, on one side, and the vestry and congregation on the other.

Marine City.—Caught in a large

try and congregation on the other.

Marine City.—Caught in a large tentrifugal machine used for dryling beets, William Rawlings, employed in the Western Sugar Refinery company's plant, here, met lastan death. Rawlings, simple and fell into it with the result that his body was literally ground to pieces. The machine was registering 2,200 revolutions per minute at the time. Fellow workmen rushed to the unfortunate man's aid, but were unable to shut the machine off in time to save him.

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Akron.—While hunting ducks at
Bay Park, a few nilies from here,
bunters found the body of a
nan frozen in the ice. Letters found
u his pockets identified him as Edward Gingrien of Lorain, O. Gingrien
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Ann Arbor.—The county of
Anshienaw lost out on the good roads
system proposition by a majority of
1239. At first it was, thought that the
proposition was won, land then later,
reports from the outlying districts,
made it look dubious. The official can
vassers took the matter into their
hand sand found that the proposition
had lost.

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Orosso.—The supervisors voted 14 to 8, for the submission of the county road system. The question will be submitted to the Shiawassee county electors at the August primary. The people rolled up a big majority against the adoption of the system several years ago, but sendiment in the county seems to have changed largely.

Kalamazoo.—Abraham Green, who owned a barn that was burned a year ago, secured \$1,000 from the Lake Shore railway. Green started suit against the company, alleging that the fire was caused by a spark from an engine. The suit was called for trial, but before the first witness was called the settlement was made.

Grend Rapids.—Hishop Richter

#### CLARA BARTON IS DEAD

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Powers Make Move for Peace.

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It is officially announced that the
powers made proposals of mediation
to Constantinopile with a view to
bringing to an end the war between
Turkey and Italy over Tripoli.

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lice: hens! 15@16c; geese, 11@12c; turkeys 16@18c. Nuts-Almonds, 18c; California wal-nuts-16@161-5c; Brazils, 14@16c; Fil-herts, 12@121-2c; Pecans, 12@16c per lb.

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Another Use for Medicine.

A Chicago family which employs as its butler an old-fashloned negro was constantly annoyed by the doorbell of the house getting out of order. On several occasions an electrician who used some sort of white powder in his work, had been called in to fix the bell.

One evening when there were guests at dinner, one of them complained of a sore throat. The mistress of the house turned to the butler and said:

"Sam, when dinner is over, so to the drug store and get a small bottle of Dobell's solutional" exclaimed the medical control of the said of the sai

Magazine,

"Mother." teased a little boy of five,
"does God know everything that I'm
going to do before I do it."

"Yes, dear, everything," she said.
"Well, does he know that I'm goling upstairs in a minute and put on
my pajamas and say my prayers and
get into bed?"

"Yes, dear, be knows everything,"
"Well, toulght he's going to get
rolled, for I'm not geing to say my
prayers."—St. Louis Republic.

Does a thin woman worry because
she has such a narroy outlook?

The New Wife.

Hubby—My dear, won't you sew on
a button for me before you go out?
His New Wife—The cook may possibly do it for you. But please bear in
mind you maried a typewriter, not a
sewing machine.

COFFEE HURTS One in Three.

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