

TODAY'S MYSTERY STORY

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Yesterday's Mystery Solution

IN THE case "At the Viaduct," Harvey Hunt knew that Alice Stanbolt was lying deliberately because she declared she had driven her machine through the tunnel under the viaduct before the shot and the scream had occurred.

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Can you read the riddle of—

The Vanishing Pen

"NOW Griggs, suppose you begin at the beginning and tell me just what happened," suggested Harvey Hunt, who with his friend DeKane had just arrived at the Morland residence.

The Question Corner

Today's Inquiries

- 1. Who was the first woman to speak before the assembly of the League of Nations at Geneva, and from what country was she sent as a delegate?
2. If a bonded trimming is desired on a cloth hanging, how can this be put on in an original way?
3. Describe a striped pillow of orange silk.
4. What is a new arrangement for either making novelties or dressing or whitening creases?
5. Should the floor be have an honoring crack in it, how can this be mended?
6. How is an unusual grade of two-inch water ribbon formed?
Yesterday's Answers
1. A new device that cuts potatoes for French fries, consists of a metal support with a grill fastened to the top of it, through which the potatoes are pressed.
2. When a crack in the water pipe is worn with a taffeta dress, velvet flowers make a quaint trimming for these ends.
3. A bright-colored rayon ribbon forms the handle of the answer.
4. A convenient and ornamental way for holding the comb and brush is made of dark wood with separate compartments for the comb and the discarded sticks, and a mirror in the center with small holes in it for holding the brushes.
5. The wooden squares for a patchwork cover can be joined together in a way that will allow for the retraction of the water, by using a buttonhole strip of black wool.
6. The latest and best of gloves has a narrow band with black on the edge of each that matches the black stitching of the glove.

quired the criminologist, noting that the inkwell on the table was not filled. "With my fountain pen, sir," Griggs fumbled automatically at his vest pocket. "No, of course, it wouldn't be in my pocket if I was using it. It must be on the table there, sir." With much concern he began to hunt for it, as Hunt looked on.

"But do you know where Harvey Hunt was going, and how he knew that Randolph was the guilty person?" "The answer will appear tomorrow," Griggs said.

THE DAILY NOVELETTE

Oh, Please Do!

"No, Lou, I'm not going to 'make up' with him at all. I never had any real good time like I'm having now. I think if I hadn't broken my engagement with him, I'd be home just reading the paper or sewing or something like that. Instead of having the time of my life, I'd be sitting at home with the 'road' in my face. Once and for all, Louise, dear, even if you are his sister, I refuse to hear anything about him. If Bob really and truly loved me, he would be willing to give up what he's got now, and go around me. Come, Lou, let's forget it."

voice appealed to the boy, and he refrained from further comment, and led her to a little door so as to avoid the curious glances which Betty would surely meet if she left so early. But they were interrupted.

"I don't know, sir," Griggs spoke over his shoulder as he walked under the table. "That's what worried me, sir. I know Mr. Morland kept many valuable documents in the desk over there, but I have no list of what was there, sir, so I wouldn't know if anything was missing. None of the silverware, the papers, the books, the pen, sir, I mean the fountain pen. As to the documents, Mr. Randolph is the only person besides Mr. Morland who knows what papers are in the desk."

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knocked over by an impetuous youth who was leaping up the steps, three at a time. He knew that from now on Betty would be on the high road to recovery, for he had recognized their mutual friend, Bob. He smiled as he remembered the tone of her voice as Betty had said over the telephone just the one little sentence which had been her entire part of the conversation.

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WOMAN FINANCIER FINDS

SEX WEAK ON MONEY RULES

Melissa Smith, New Bank Official, Says Some Are Good "Business" Men, but Majority Find It a Mystic Maze

Dividends, coupons and making out income-tax reports have no terrors for Miss Melissa Smith, of 4402 Paul street, who will assume her duties as assistant secretary of the Commercial Trust Co. March 1.

Adventures With a Purse

LOOK around about you and you will find a great collection of them there are. And have you noticed how many of them have shabby? Now then, look around your own wardrobe and see if you haven't a little cloth dress that could be vastly improved, and made to look like a new frock by the very simple addition of a graceful sash.

drifted on to being general utility person—sort of excited office boy. It had been most interesting, for I meet so many people. I don't think I would ever like to go back to a position where I did not come in contact with people. It is such fun to study character.

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love the water and water sports of all kinds. "Next to that I think I like music best, especially singing. I like to hear good voices, and I like to sing myself. Not that I have a good voice. I suppose it is just the life in me. I like singing as a manner of expression. Miss Smith is the only woman doing such general work in her department."

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