



SYNOPSIS.

George Percival Almeron Jones, vice-president of the Metropolitan Oriental Rug Company of New York, starting for Cairo on a business trip...

The Pet from Carpal Bagdad

By HAROLD MAC GRATH Author of HEARTS AND MASKS The MAN ON THE BOX etc. Illustrations by M.G. KETTNER

In Damascus the trio presented themselves at the one decent hotel, and but for Ackermann's charges upon the manager, it is doubtful if he would have accepted them as guests...



It is Bad News?

take the tubby French packet there to Alexandria. They could just about make it, and any delay meant a week or ten days longer upon this rugged and inhospitable coast...

SUCCESS Depends largely upon one's physical condition. Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery



Hilltop, Kan.—"About two years ago I began to notice a breaking out on my leg. At first it was very small but soon it began to spread until it formed large blotches. The itching was terrible and almost constant...

CHAPTER XVIII.

The Man Who Didn't Care. It was the first of February when Ackermann's caravan drew into the ancient city of Damascus.

George and Fortune were in a pitiable condition, heart and body weary, in rage and tatters. George, now that the bacon was assured, dropped his forced buoyancy, his prattle, his jests. He had done all a mortal man could to keep up the spirits of his co-fortunates...



"Ryenne, Do You Really Mean to Stick to That Proposition?"

he'd have been alive today. Oh, damn it all; let's go back to the hotel and order that club-steady, or the best imitation they have. I'm going to have a pint of wine. I'm as dull as a ditch in a paddy-field.

CHAPTER XIX.

Fortune Decides. George and Fortune were seated at breakfast. It was early morning. At ten they were to depart for Jaffa, to

and high the wall of the world was. That mother of hers! To his mind it was positively unreal that one so charming and lovely should be at heart strong as the wind and merciless as the sea. His mother had been everything; hers, worse than none, an eternal question. What a drama she had moved about in, without understanding!

Surely Had Liking for Dog

Georgia Wilson, negress, was fined \$10 for being disorderly. Charges were made by Patrolmen O'Hern and Perryman, who told Judge Bacon she wanted to whip a man about a dog.

Not Much.

"Do you believe in auto-hypnotism?" "Well, I've never seen one hypnotized yet."

Solves the Breakfast Problem

A bowl of crisp, sweet Post Toasties makes a most delicious meal.

Post Toasties

These crinkly bits of toasted white corn, ready to serve direct from package, are a tempting breakfast when served with cream or milk, or fruit.

The Memory Lingers

The Toasties flavour is a pleasant surprise at first; then a happy, healthful habit.