

# Desperate Desmond

# Claude Eclair Captures a Sardine, but He Doesn't Make a Sandwich of It.

# By Hershfield



**I—"DROWN HIM, BOYS."** Claude Eclair, captured in the czar's palace after his escape from the salt mine, is now sentenced by the soldiers to be drowned in the imperial bathtub. Not that being drowned in the imperial bathtub pleases Claude any more than being drowned in a duck pond. Even the greatest snob, and Claude is no snob, could find little pleasure in dying even in a palace.

**II—CAMP COOKERY.** Outside on the plains Desmond has the luckless Rosamond in his power. Neither knows where the heroic Claude Eclair may be. Rosamond doesn't even know whether her gallant lover is alive or dead, but she is still true to his memory and bravely defies the villain, who is forcing her to cook him a meal. The sardine even makes her gather the wood for the little camp fire.

**III—SARDINE AHoy!** To Claude's surprise, as the water in the czar's bathtub is slowly rising, a small sardine comes swimming through the water pipe. A least thoughtful sardine than Claude might have eaten the little fish, but Claude, having found one of the czar's rings, determines to make some poor fisherman's fortune. Little does he know that his act of kindness is to affect his own fortune later.

**IV—THE FISH AND THE RING.** Claude now puts the fish in the ring. He does not know it, but this sardine is the ring. The diamond sardine fits snugly over the tiny little sardine, and Claude knows that the fish will swim rapidly away from there. He hopes that some poor muck will catch it and sell the ring for enough to buy him a farm, where he and his family can live peacefully.

**V—A STRANGE FIND.** In the meantime Desmond is ordering Rosamond to bury with the preparations for his meal. As the girl goes to the banks of the little stream to get some water, she and Desmond at once see the gentle little sardine swimming about with the sparkling diamond gleaming on its back. Needless to say, the villain is tremendously excited and calls upon Rosamond to scoop up the strange find.

**VI—THE CZAR'S RING.** Having slipped off the ring, Desmond pays no more attention to the meek little sardine, but leaves it to its fate and hastens with Rosamond to a pawn shop. As soon as he produces the valuable ring the waiting police arrest him on the charge of stealing the czar's jewelry. Of course, not even a detective would believe that he found it on a fish. Tomorrow watch for Desmond's punishment.

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**DEATHS AND FUNERAL NOTICES.**  
GRIFFIN—Emma, April 4, 1912, aged 42 years, beloved wife of E. B. Griffin. Funeral services will be held from family residence, 271 south 18th street, Sunday, April 7, at 2 o'clock p. m. Interment, Prospect Hill cemetery. Friends invited. Deceased is survived by her husband and father, Mr. August C. Davidson.

**KEYS—Mrs. Ruth S.**, mother of Mrs. Edwin H. Jenks, Friday morning, aged 80 years. Burial will be at her old home, Beansboro, N. Y.

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