

Desperate Desmond

In Which the Artful Villain Is Burned Out of His Retreat by a Careless Smoker

By Hershfield



I—THE HUE AND CRY. Under the grandstand of the Olympic arena a thrilling drama is being enacted. The villain Desmond, having been foiled in an effort to kill Rosamond, has now spotted by Claude Eclair, who is now hot on the heels of the scoundrel. Desmond is afraid to leave the shelter of the stand, as the athletes are outside, and he has not much room in which to dodge.

II—A CHANCE TO HIDE. As Desmond rushes to and fro seeking a means of escape, he notices a pile of old programs which have been dropped and swept down from the seats above in the grandstand. The idea comes to him that he might hide under the papers and thus escape the keen eye of Claude Eclair, humiliating as it is for a first-class villain to have to take refuge in a pile of dirty paper.
III—A SURREPTITIOUS PUFF. Far above in the grandstand the rosters are checking on their various heroes in the contests of the Olympic games. Despite the excitement of the struggle, one of the spectators cannot restrain his desire for a smoke, so he lights a cigar, although it is strictly against the rules to smoke up there. The appearance of an usher causes him to drop his burning cigar through a hole in the boards.
IV—THE RUSE SUCCEEDS. In the meantime Claude Eclair and Rosamond rush about below the grandstand in eager search for the villain Desmond. As they pass the pile of old programs, now bigger than it was a few moments before, they little suspect that concealed there is a scoundrel for whose capture they are so eager. The villain's ruse appears to have succeeded; but observe the cigar that is falling.
V—A BLAZING REFUGE. That lighted cigar thrown away by a careless smoker has worked wonders for Claude and his sweetheart. It has set fire to the heap of programs under which Desmond was lurking, and the scoundrel is driven out by the blaze. He is forced to crawl right into the hands of his enemy, Claude Eclair, from whom he can expect no mercy. A sad experience for a villain high in his profession.
VI—BOUND FAST. "Ah ban the boy!" cries Desperate Desmond, "and the yig an ban up yet." Bound securely and in the iron grasp of Claude Eclair, the villain does not yet admit defeat. He even declares that Rosamond must yet be his wife, despite her hero lover. A tough villain is Desmond, and a hard one to hit. In tomorrow's pictures we shall show the fate Claude decrees him.

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FOUR 8-passenger automobiles for sale cheap. Rushing Bros. South Omaha. FOR SALE—For cash. One single cylinder runabout; price, \$100; Buick 2-cylinder touring car, with 300. Edgar Daily, Palmer, Neb.

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