

FIRST INSTALLMENT To Disaster, With A Roar

green walls down the long stretch of lieved to be either poverty-stricken, or now a little pale, and the clean, squarestraight white road. It was low built, pretentious frauds) a rather odd sort cut jaw. All the time his hands were with a bulbous rear and a snarling front. of scientist. The roar of its exhaust tore the peace A big, burly man, with a hard bald He straighened up. "Pair of lucky of the English countryside to shreds.

squeezed into the bucket seat beside the practical industrialist and a rugged His wandering eye fell on the red car driver peered at the quivering needle of gamekeeper. The hint of the gamethe speedometer. He would have whis- keeper was probably conveyed by his tled if the wind had not been there to clothes. He habitually wore at rough might (and might not) have been surtear his breath away.

90, guv-nor. Better ease down.'

hands rested on the big steering wheel confines of his jacket sleeves and muf- own lumbering "bus," of old vintage; as lightly as though he were driving a! fled his large, strong, black-haired but he had an eye for streamline. sedan at 25 laughed into the hurricane hands. of his own creating.

"Scared?" he asked. "Yes!"

quivered over the 95 mark.

"Suppose we bust a tire?" asked the!

Carter.

through the low green hedge as though are so unreliable." it were a paper hoop. The car went! "Sorry, I'm sure, sir," said the man; over sideways and her occupants were and, without stopping to take breath, shot violently out. They lay still, side "There's been an accident, sir." by side, in the ploughed field. A hand, directed by a brain that had high forehead. "If the cook," he began, been taught to reckon in split fractions

countryside was restored.

road. Or in the field.

flowing stream. On the other side of pelt. the bridge the road was joined by a path which wandered through trees and thereafter broadened out into a graveled drive. The drive skirted a lawn and ended in front of a large house—the sort of house which, if really ideally situated in the heart of the English countryside is nowadays likely to be the property of a retired American manufacturer or of a middle-aged foreigner who prefers to call himself by an Eng- which had been heard in France, when lish name and is something vague but Professor Ellington forsook his Chair nevertheless influential in the City of London.

It was all the more odd therefore, that this house should have belonged to a man who held commerce in the liveli- Potter's field myself." est contempt. Nor was he even an aristocrat of the old and dying order. He was, in fact, a scientist.



Leonard Ellington was in more ways wrong with him!" than his unexpected affluence (for He turned to the other form, and The red car rocketed between blurred scientists, like poets, are popularly be- noted with approval the tanned features

head and a bristling black moustache, young devils! Not a bone broken be-The red-headed mechanic who was he looked like something between a tween them!" tweed shooting jacket (one pocket of prised to hear him murmur. "A sweet "Blimey!" he said instead. "Touching which was entirely torn away) and a bus!" pair of old and stained flannel bags. His Professor Ellington would not The young man whose deft, muscular shirt cuffs perpetually shot beyond the worlds or super-salesmen part with his

and glistened

"Beg your pardon, sir," said the man. Now, without perceptible effort, he

stirred uneasily.

"A nice job!" his Maxton students

The road was still utterly deserted.

The driver of the red car was not

He lapsed back into unconsciousness.

"Are they dead sir?" he asked, not

without the pleased excitement of one

sleeping beauties, aren't they?"

far as to grin if they were."

many cocktails.

through his bristling black moustache.

wore hard mouths the colour of old-

Awakened by "An Angel"

car-"knocked out clean as a whistle.

"He looks old enough to have more

ing about in a high-powered car, en-

father said, "was two miles away when

the thing happened. They wouldn't

dangering innocent people's lives."

were summoned Rupert said---"

would have been achieved.

which fascinates you so much."

lifted out the unconscious Carter be-

slower and more cautious speed.

but exceedingly pretty girl.

the way he had come, this time at a three months.

He was standing in his study gazing | The pleasant afternoon was passing into gloomily at a skull like a large brown cool evening. Professor Ellington had stone which rested on top of a book-ino intention of standing supinely by case when a manservant entered with and waiting for help. He was accus-A toe pressed the accelerator harder what professor Ellington cursed, in tomed to going ahead and doing things by the merest fraction—and the needle moments of irritation, as a catlike tread. in his own way.

"Well, Tomkins?" said the occupant stooped and slung the unconscious of the Chair of Anthropology at Max- mechanic over a broad shoulder. He "Bust a tire my foot" said Frank ton University. "And stop gaping at that strode back on to the road and laid the poor chap's cranium!" he added sharply. Little man gently in the capacious back There was an explosion, and the car "You're always doing it, Tomkins. seat of his big car. squealed like a live thing. She slewed Dashed rude of you. The fellow's been across the road. She rose up like a dead for 80,000 years at least-Jackson horse taking a fence. They smashed says only half that, but these Americans deceptive. Ellington grunted as he lifted The officer warned him and when he of the Dominion of Canada.

Professor Ellington clutched at his Rotten road." "has ruined my dinner again-"

"Not that sort of accident, sir,' 'said of a second, had cut off the ignition in the moment of disaster. The car cough- Tomkins hastily-between him and the he started his engine and drove back drunkenness. He sent him to jail for ed twice and the peace of the English | maligned cook there was an "understanding"—"a motor accident, sir. Two Nothing moved in the long white young fellows in a car smash down in Potter's field. Potter's son was cycling front of his own house, by an agitated past and he saw them. He thought they Tomkins and a cool and self-possessed in her unflurried voice. "I've got hot The white road went past the field were dead, so he didn't stop but came and over a bridge spanning a swift right on here, sir, hard as he could

For the first time Professor Ellington showed some signs of real interest. "Potter's field, eh?" he said, "That road's a death trap. I've always said so. Nice and straight, tempting any young chap in a car with a bit of sporting instinct to have a crack at setting up records. But of course the surface is Press rotten. All right Tomkins." His voice had taken on the brisk note of authority and curious studies to join the infantry "Ring the doctor. No use waiting for the ambulance, though. Hour before it!

He stopped half way to the door. "Oh Tomkins! Call Miss Dorothy, tell her what's happened and ask her to stand by to do a spot of first aid. She'll know of judgment, what's wanted.'

Professor Ellington hurried round the side of the house to the garage—he disdained chauffeurs. A minute later a large, black rather prehistoric monster was fuming on the drive. It went sharply into reverse and shot off with a screech and in a mist of blue smoke which far outdid the noise and smoke of the red car.

The big man drove violently through the screen of trees which overhung the path to his domain, jerked violently on to the main road and sped across the

In a matter of minutes he was pushing through the broken hedge and bending over the still forms that lay beside the silent red car. He ran skilful fingers over the body of the little mechanic and grunted. "Nothing much

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Stole Shirts but Not the Bright Yellow Neckwear

Asked to be Locked Up. Man Produced Reason Enough.

Wearing a vivid gold-yellow tie with red spots, Aurele Lajeunesse pleaded guilty to the theft of seven shirts from Bucovetsky's Store.

"Did you steal the tie too?" asked Magistrate Atkinson. The accused grin. ned and admitted that he had taken more time in the selection of the tithan he did with the shirts.

He will have thirty days in Haileybury Jail to atone for his sartorial ambitions.

Reason Enough

Felix Bouchard came up to an officer officer: "I have no reason to lock you

"Oh, haven't you," replied Bouchard and from his pocket he pulled two bottles of wine, one of which was threequarters gone. The officer did his duty After he was sentenced to a fine of \$10 and costs or the alternative of \$30 days in jail in court on Tuesday, quence. Bouchard asked for time to get the

"No." said the Magistrate, "you wat ed too much to be locked up and be locked up you will if you can't pay the fine now.

Sunday Gamers

Five men were charged with Sun day gaming. Those who paid fines of \$10 and costs each were Antoine Brunet, William O'Connor and Emile Groulx. Charges against Steve Cibo and Elie ment last week was characteristically Ranger were remanded a week.

Walter Mulski accosted Sergeant Des-Roches, who was in civilian clothes, on such a light weight. His slimness was the street and asked him for ten cents his second burden, and the young man again saw the man begging, he picked mured. "Shouldn't have stepped on it. alternative of thirty days.

Record Too Long "Your record is too long to read," said The professor carried him to the road Magistrate Atkinson to Thomas La and laid him beside the mechanic. Then tendresse, charged with third offense

He was greeted, as he pulled up in tween them.

"I prepared two rooms," said Dorothy water and towels and brandy ready. care of everything."

"Good girl!" said her father briskly. "I'll call you when we've got 'em tucked interviews with the gentlemen of the to do."

"Well, they might have been, if they'd that fellow Jackson has the impudence Africa. been left to the mercy of you fellows," to suggest now?" His voice blared insnapped the professor, whom action had dignantly. "He says if we have found Ottawa's Rideau hall went to Teheran, for the moment transformed into that anything-if, mark you!-it probably Iran, to attend the wedding festivities almost forgotten martinet of the West- doesn't date back to 10,000 B.C. I'm of Tran's crown prince who married a writing an article to Anthropologia, To his daughter he grinned, jerked flat reply, and I'm going to crush him.

gets here, at least. I'll drive down to his head back, and said, "Nice pair of Flat! I'm going to point out-" "I think Rupert's report will make Dorothy Ellington looked at the two your friend change his tune," said

charitably be described as a suspension you-But the cloud, observable before, had tary career has been a distinguished one "Road hogs, I suppose," she said dis- descended once again on the professor's and he has won rank and honour on his

passionately. "I gather, however, that blunt but not normally unsunny own merit and ability. He served in they're not badly hurt. Even your sci- features. "Rupert's report," he said. "Yes, of the last war and was decorated in both entific detachment would hardly go so

Her tone was light, and Professor fellows between the sheets. Look sharp Ellington grinned even more hugely there, Tomkins, bother you!" "Yessir," said the dutiful Tomkins. The little procession of mercy march-

He was rather proud of his clever and levelheaded daughter. So many of these ed indoors. Frank Carter woke up in heaven. He young wenches nowadays were goldenwas lying on the softest of clouds. His headed, blue-eyed little bits of ineffectual fluff; or, if they tried to be modern,

forehead felt delightfully cool and moist. And an angel in well-cut tweeds fashioned pillar boxes and drank too was bending over him. "Better?" said the angel.

She had a soft, tranquil, confident voice-a voice that made you relax, sure "I sometimes wonder who has more that everything was at its best in the scientific detachment, me or you," he retorted. "Most young women would best of possible worlds.

have been in quite a state to see a "Fine!" said Frank. He put his hand to his forehead. A handsome young chap like him" - he pleasant scent enfolded him. Eau de jerked his head at the driver of the red

"What happened?" he asked. And then: "Oh, yes, I remember. We were sense," responded Dorothy, "to go dashcoming down the straight. We were going pretty fast-not nearly all out, mind "The nearest innocent person," her you, but pretty fast. Then Reddy said

He broke off abruptly. "Reddy!" he have been discovered yet if young Potter half shouted. "How is he? Is he all hadn't been cycling past to keep a date right? Did he--?"

"Your friend," said the angel smoothwith our kitchen maid. So I don't quite y, "is in the next room. Over there." "Well, of course you would defend She pointed at a door. "He's sound road hogs," said his daughter, "being a asleep and doing nicely. You mustn't bit of one yourself. The last time you make a noise or you'll disturb him."

"Oh!" Frank abruptly dropped into a Professor Ellington's homely features whisper. "I'm glad he's all right. which had been wreathed in smiles Couldn't have anything happen to throughout these spirited exchanges, Reddy. But look here! Where are we? now clouded over. If his daughter had How did we get here? This isn't a hosthrust a bad egg under his nose without pital? And there didn't seem to be a warning something of the same effect house for miles-"

"You mustn't talk," said the angel "Harrum!" he barked, and turned a firmly. "The doctor will be here presbasilisk gaze on the unfortunate Tom- ently. Until then you must lie quiet," kins. "Well, what are you standing there | There was something in the voice-a fidgeting for, man?" he snapped. "Help quality not noticed before, something me get indoors. And stop giving an im- quiet but compeling, a steel hand in the personation of that enanderthal skull velvet glove touch, which caused Mr. Carter to look more closely at his min-

"Yessir!" Tomkins and the two men istering angel. (To be continued)

Interesting Career of Dominion's New Governor-General

Second Time He Has Been Appointed to This Post

There was much interest last week in the announcement that the Earl of Athlone has been appointed Governor-General of Canada, to succeed the late Lord Tweedsmuir, Lord Tweedsmuir was born a commoner, being the son of Came up to Officer and a Scottish minister. He had attained wide fame, however, as an author and historian, and also as a diplomat and region, small stool with much gas, with When Officer Refused the public servant. He was elevated to the perhaps fullness and bloating in upper training tables bear little resemblance peerage after his appointment as part and both sides of abdomen. The to the old "physical jerks" of the Great Governor-General had been decided individual is worried that he has heart War. The methods used in Canada are

royal lineage being a brother of the appendicitis because of frequent jabs of methods aim at co-ordination of eye, Queen Mother, Queen Mary, and a pain in appendix region. He loses brain and muscle and the development great-grandson of George III.

of Athlone for Canada is uncertain, and comes more nervous, cannot sleep well it is also a question as to whether or not because he imagines all sorts of ailhe will serve the full term of five years ments are present in his abdomen and as Governor-General of Canada. These chest. He resorts to laxatives and even edly, and I would suffer if I caused her questions have particular interest in enemas for relief of the constipation. a moment's sorrow. view of the fact that this is the second | Finally, when he is sure of the worst, | Father-You're right, young man, time that the Earl of Athlone has been he comes to the physician for examin- you would suffer. I know that girl,appointed Governor-General of Canada. tion." and asked to be locked up. Said the It was on the eve of the last war that Governor-General of Canada, to suc- His colon-large intestine-has become ceed the Duke of Connaught, a son of "spastic"; that is, there are spasms at the late Queen Victoria. In 1914 the different parts which prevent wastes Earl of Athlone was named as Governor-General of Canada, but his services out of the body. The spasms cause all were needed in the military organization when the war came and the appointment was cancelled as a conse-

> The Earl of Athlone who is 65 years of age was born at Kensington Palace, cians are agreed that it is the new or the great red brick pile at the west end rapid rate at which so many of us live of the huge tract of land that forms in these days that interferes with the Kensington and Hyde parks. His father digestive processes before food is eaten, and mother, the Duke and Duchess of while it is being mixed with digestive Teck, spent the early part of their juice in the small intestine (first part) married life there. That house also and stomach, with absorption of food was the birthplace of Queen Victoria. The Buckingham Palace announce-

short. It merely said: "The King has been graciously pleased to approve the appointment of Major-General the Earl of Athlone, K.G., as Governor-General Last Monday the Earl and his wife,

him up and brought him in. Mulski Princess Alice, daughter of the Duke of "You were right, Reddy," he mur- was fined \$10 and costs with the usual Albany, dined with the King and Queen at Buckingham Palace and remained for the night.

The vice-regal couple have had busy ives. Besides his military career, the Harl has been governor-general of South Africa for two terms, governor of Windsor Castle and chancellor of London University. Since 1936 he had been a personal aide-de-camp to the

Princess Alice has been commandant | bowel.' of the women's transport section of Tomkins gazed into the car as one be- And Dr. Priestley is coming round as the First Aid Nursing Yeomanry. Reholding a minor miracle. He peered in quickly as he can. I rang the cottage cently she inspected ambulance units awe at the two pale faces in the rear hospital and said we would be taking leaving for Finland including six ambulances donated by the Canadian Red

The Earl and Countess have one who sees his name in the Sunday in. Then you can look after the patients daughter, Lady May Cambridge, 34, papers after various vividly written until the doctor arrives. I've got work wife of Major Henry Abel Smith whom she married in 1931. He was then an He turned abruptly. "You know what aide-de-camp to her father in South

> Last year the future occupants of sister of King Faud of Egypt. In 1938 they visited Saudi-Arabia at the invitation of King Ibn Saud.

Alexander Augustus Frederick William Alfred George Cambridge, first unconscious forms with what may most Dorothy. 'After all, if he can convince Earl of Athlone is tall and soldierly and enjoys wide popularity. His milithe South African war annd also in course. But we'd better get these young for distinguished services.



That Body Dours

Bu lames W. Barton, M.D.

The Spastic Colon-Large Intestine

"The symptoms are fullness immedi-

ately after meals, gas coming up from stomach, gas pains in stomach region, stabbing or dull ache under or in heart trouble, pleurisy, and ulcers because of those recently adopted by the army On the other hand his successor is of heart burn or high acid condition; gymnastic staff in England. The new weight because of the bloating and dis- of flexibility and endurance rather than Word from London, England, says comfort even after small meals and is large muscles and strength that the date of departure of the Earl afraid to eat because of this. He be-

What has happened to this individual (and it could be any of us at times)? and gases from going downward an

The above clear picture of spastic colon-colitis-is given by Dr. Theodore H. Maday in Medical World.

What causes spastic colon? Physiinto the blood from the small intestine, and with the passage of the wastes through the colon or large intestine. The treatment consists in showing

the patient that as the cause of his symptoms is nervousness or emotional disturbances he must learn to be calm at mealtime, eat his food slowly so as to mix it well with the saliva or alkaline mouth digestive juice; the extra amount of alkaline digestive juice flowing down to stomach calls for an increaesd amount of acid juice to overcome the alkaline mouth digestive juice. This extra supply gives more complete digestion and preparation of the food for absorption.

"A happy attitude at mealtime is of great importance and as free of worries as it is possible to prevent nervous contraction (spasm) of stomach and

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