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Thrillometer Record—Episode One

"CHAINED TO THE ANCHOR"

Dariel Bainbridge's launch rams into a water-logged spar. The gasoline tank explodes and Dariel is surrounded by flames. "Hutch" sees the accident from a crane. He dives into the river and gets her out of danger.

Mott places an iron bar in such a position that the new ship will not slide on the ways and be launched in time to save the Bainbridge shipyard from failure. "Hutch" cuts the bar with an oxy-acetylene torch. It is hideously dangerous—when half cut the bar will snap, and he will be hit with the flying iron, or dragged to death by the ship. But, due to the deftness and quickness, he escapes and the ship is successfully launched.

"Hutch" and Dariel inspect the new ship. Mott turns on the sea cocks and sets the boat adrift, without rudder, sail or engine. Water rushes in. "Hutch" swims under and shuts off the sea cocks. Adrift in a heavy fog, a liner bumps into them. Dariel falls and accidentally releases the anchor. She is caught in the chain, carried overboard and dragged beneath the water, unable to escape. In the chain locker, the collision has caused "Hutch" to be pinned in a painful position by a capstan bar.

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