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: : That Obstacle. : :

By RUTH CAMERON.



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A little friend of mine had worked very hard for a prize in a competition—a prize which she had not won.

She was very disappointed.

"Do you know what the trouble with your essay was?" I asked.

"He" (the professor) "said my idea was good, but that the essay wasn't well constructed."

"In other words, that you were very fortunate not to get the prize?"

"What do you mean?"

"That if there had been no other essay in the competition good enough to take the prize away from you, you wouldn't have realized that you were weak in your construction and wouldn't have tried to improve yourself as you will now."

"Do you really think there is any use in trying?"

"Shame on you!" said I. And then I told her about Robert Brinsley Sheridan.

The first time Robert Sheridan spoke in public he was a complete failure.

Instead of saying that his audience was unsympathetic, or that he hadn't had time to prepare his speech, or that he guessed he didn't want to be an orator after all, he gritted his teeth and said:

"It is in me, and by heavens it shall come out."

And then he began to push that obstacle out of the way.

And then he went to work to push

away the obstacle that was keeping back that power he felt within him.

Who has not felt the power to accomplish things of one sort or another stirring within him? And who has not felt defeated and balked at the meagre things he has actually accomplished?

If one could only get that power out! But, alas, there seems to be some obstacle blocking the way.

Of course there is, that's part of the conditions of human life; but there need be nothing discouraging in that.

Say with Sheridan, "It is in me, and by heavens it shall come out," and then hurl yourself at that obstacle—whether it be laziness, procrastination, slipshod work, too much love of comfort, impatience of immediate returns, vanity, lack of proper address, imperfect grooming, or what not—and push it out of the way.

Or, better still, by patient, hard work, by eternal vigilance, break the obstacle to bits and let the power through.

Discouragements should be Spurred.

Discouragements will come, and what may seem for the moment utter defeat.

They cannot be defeats, unless you permit them to be so. If you take from them whatever lesson they contain and a grimmer determination to win out ultimately they are only stepping stones on the way to success.

"It isn't the fact that you're down that counts. It's only the way you take it."

Perhaps you may be wondering, in case you don't happen to remember, whether Sheridan made good his boast. I saved that for my snapper a purpose. Sheridan became one of the greatest orators of all times.

When he spoke at the impeachment of Warren Hastings, people paid as high as fifty guineas to hear him. And that money meant more than that it does now.

The next time temporary failure

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balks you, suppose you think of Robert Sheridan, and instead of wondering if it is worth while to keep on trying, set your teeth and say with him, "It is in me, and by heavens it shall come out."

"Stafford's Liniment" cures Rheumatism, Lumbago, Neuralgia and all Aches and Pains. Sold in over 500 stores—Jan 5, 11

Hr. Grace Notes.

The Social and Dance held by the Amuse Club, in the Academy Hall last night, was very largely attended and most enjoyable.

News was received in town yesterday of the marriage, on Jan. 26th, at Little Bay East, F.B., of Miss Fanny Ryan, daughter of Sgt. John and Mrs. Ryan, of Trinity, to Mr. Thomas Pender, of English Harbor West. F.B. Miss Ryan was well known here and all her friends will wish the newly married couple a very happy journey along the matrimonial way.

Mrs. Thomas Ross has been confined to her home for several days suffering from a heavy cold.

The reflection of a large fire over the South Side on Tuesday night at about 9:30, caused many people who witnessed it to come to the conclusion that a serious fire was raging at Bell Island, and much anxiety was felt. Early on Wednesday morning the mystery was cleared up when it was known that Mr. Richard Stone, of Bryant's Cove, had lost all his household goods with stable, hay, horse and in fact everything he owned by fire. There is much sympathy for Mr. Stone in his heavy loss. The night was stormy and as the house was situated some distance from any other house, Mr. Stone and family were compelled to stay in the cellar all night.

Messrs. R. Walsh and Geo. Carson, contractors, are now finishing the interior of the fine residence of Mr. Michael Fleming, on Military and Caribou Roads. When finished Mr. Fleming will have a well built and comfortable home, with a magnificent view of the harbor and bay. He well deserves to be congratulated on having secured such a delightful location for a home. Long may he enjoy it.

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Hr. Grace, Feb. 10, 1916.

Big Coal Cargo Reaches Port

The S. S. Alconada, Capt. Mann, entered this port at 5:30 o'clock last evening. She came from Glasgow via North Sydney and from the latter port brought here 7,000 tons of coal, having been chartered by the Newfoundland Government to help to overcome the coal shortage here. From the Old Country the ship experienced boisterous weather and it took her 24 days to reach North Sydney. After a delay of a day and a half loading there she left for St. John's making a good run.

The work of discharging the Alconada is being carried on with all possible despatch at A. Harvey & Co.'s pier with two shifts of workmen. After she is finished discharging she will berth at the Furness Withy Company's wharf to load up and paper for England, some 5,000 tons of that material now being there, which is being shipped by the A. N. D. Company.

The Alconada is a 10 year old ship, built by W. Pipers & Sons, of Sunderland, and owned by E. F. and W. Roberts, of Liverpool. She is 4,298 tons gross, 2,985 net, 281 feet long, 49 feet wide and 25.7 deep. Her captain was in the S. S. Cranleigh which was at Bay Bulls in May last.

Banker Metamora Leaves.

The banking schooner Metamora, Capt. John Lewis, leaves here Monday en route to the western banking grounds. The vessel is all ready except her ball supply which she will get at Harbor Breton. Capt. Lewis did well last year and his many friends wish him a bumper voyage again this year.

Young Soldiers Hockey Ma'ch.

Owing to several players being indisposed, the Felldian-Victoria hockey match did not come off last night and in consequence some of the volunteers now in training at the C. L. B. Armoury had the use of the Prince's Rink from seven to eight and two teams contested in charge of Lieutenants Ayre and Rendell, respectively. The latter officer's side won by 7 goals to 4. The game was exciting throughout, the young soldiers displaying clever stick-handling. The line-ups were:

Hussey Goal. Ellis

Rendell (Lieut.) Ayre (Lieut.)

LeMessurier Thomas

Chafe Cover. Wornell

Ellis Rover. Newman

Baird Right. Carter

Gillingham Centre. Cheeseman

Left. The winners will play a team from the C. L. B. one night next week.

From the Hls of War.

This day month will witness the departure of the last of our sealing fleet. The only ship to leave here March 12th will be the Florizel. The wooden ships which will prosecute on the northern front will clear from Greenspond, Wesleyville and Pool's Island. The Gulf ships will clear from Channel on the 10th.

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The Roarin Game.

A large concourse of enthusiasts were at the Curling Rink last night. Two handicap point games took place. The H. D. Reid Medal was competed for first, the winner being Mr. W. J. Higgins with a score of 35 points. Mr. R. W. Miller, who had 24 points to his credit, captured the Taylor Medal.

At the close the winners were cheered heartily by their fellow curlers.

RESUMED VOYAGE.—The Norwegian steamer Bolka left here yesterday afternoon for Boston, having received a supply of coal.

Little Lectures

by NURSING WINCARNIS.

(Lecture No. 3)

Run-Down

When your system is undermined by worry or overwork—when your vitality is lowered—when you feel "anyhow"—when your nerves are "on edge"—when the least exertion tires you—you are in a Run-Down condition. Your system is like a plant that is drooping for want of water. And just as water revives a drooping plant—so Wincarnis gives new life and new vitality to a "run-down" constitution. Because "Wincarnis" possesses a fourfold power. It is a Tonic, a Restorative, a Blood-maker and a Nerve Food—all in one. Therefore

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creates new strength, new blood, new nerve force and new vitality. The benefit begins from the first wine-glassful. You can feel it doing you good. Over 10,000 Doctors recommend "Wincarnis," especially to those who are Weak, Anemic, Nervy or Run-down.

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Send the Coupon for a free trial bottle—and a money back guarantee to do you good. Regular supplies can be obtained from all Grocers, Chemists, and Wine Merchants.

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A stirring drama of the West.

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Don't get frightened about words "Cod Liver." You'll never hear it from the taste.

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The price is one dollar.

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The Record

The Bonavista recount has not been finished. At 10 o'clock last night 1,500 ballots had been counted and there are 3,274 votes yet to be counted. A package containing ballots rejected by the Returning Officer, was opened yesterday afternoon and 3 of these were held by Mr. Justice Johnson. The other two were placed with the Yon and remaining one with the Bonavista recount will be continued on Monday.

WITH THE VOLUNTEERS.—The 1st Battalion of the Newfoundland Militia were gaged at a march country side, a drill at the Armoury and a swimming parade at the Seaside on Sunday.

MINIST'S Liniment Cures Rheumatism.

At the City

The weekly session of the Municipal Council took place last night, there being present, Chairman

ling and Messrs. Anderson, Withers, Bradshaw, Morris, McNamara and McGrath.

A considerable portion of the Board's time was occupied with the case of City of St. John's, which has been so much excitement in the late. The report of the Solicitor

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