

SHIP OWNER HAS HAD CAREER OF ADVENTURES

Turkish Bomb Maims Britisher Now in Service in China

GENERAL SUTTON'S CAREER STIRRING

Fought at Dardanelles and Mesopotamia and Then Visited Siberia

The following is from the Vancouver Province:

"The age of the adventurer is not past, and commercialism cannot strictly wipe out the interesting figure of the soldier of fortune. This fact was brought to notice when the British tramp S. S. Huanchao arrived here from the Orient. On her decks are great wooden cages, built especially to house pedigree bulls from British herds and destined to lead herds on the Argentine pampas. The ship, recently operated on the Atlantic run from England to South America, was purchased by Gen. F. A. Sutton, Fleetin and Mukden, a British officer high in the service of the Manchurian war lord, Chang Tso Lin.

BOMB BLOWS OFF ARM

"General Sutton is described as the ideal soldier of fortune. Standing 6 feet 8 inches, and proportionately built, with his right arm gone from an explosion of a Turkish bomb in Mesopotamia during the war, he is still an all-round athlete, and an exceptionally fine player. Born in England about 40 years ago, he was educated at Eton and then entered business life as an engineer. When the war broke out he was in South America, but he hastened home and enlisted, being given a commission as captain in the engineers. He took part in the landing at the Dardanelles, and later was sent to Mesopotamia, where he lost his right arm, but he delayed too long with one.

"After the war he went to Siberia, mined considerable gold, and then had the pleasure of seeing the Bolsheviks taking it all. From Siberia he went to Manchuria, where he was in the service of the Chinese army of General Yang Sen. Sutton is now in the service of the Chinese army, and he was a manufacturer of these weapons that he joined Yang Sen. Yang Sen was defeated, fled, and left Sutton holding the bag. Sutton held the enemy off for a week, and then he was captured and sent to a prison. Before he was, however, he had smuggled \$100,000 (Mex) to a ship in the river. Death was not desirable to the British adventurer, and he suggested that his captors let him make them a few french mortars before they cut off his head. They agreed, and he managed to evade his guards, reach the river, and swim to a vessel there, escaping eventually to Mukden, and there joining Chang Tso Lin.

LIVES AT MUKDEN

"He started an arsenal for Lin, and took part in the campaign against General Wu Pei Fu, beating him in the campaign of 1924. Sutton's guns were important factors in the victory. With their aid Chang Tso Lin captured his territory to Shanghai. Sutton then started arsenals at Tientsin and Tientsin for General Li Chang Lin. He is now at Mukden, one of Chang Tso Lin's chief advisers. Only two other Europeans hold as high posts in the Chinese army as he does. Both of these are Russian officers of the Czar's army.

"Sutton, after he was wounded he was sent to United States to instruct officers of that army in the use of Stokes' guns. In 1924 his name became a byword in China when he won the Shanghai Champions Sweepstakes, a prize of \$200,000 (Mex), or approximately \$120,000 gold.

"His confidential financial man is a Canadian, and a former soldier in the

Woman Dies, 2 Hurt In Blast At Montreal

MONTREAL, March 3.—Mrs. Romeo Turgeon, 34, is dead, and Mr. and Mrs. L. Bartolucci are in a serious condition at the Notre Dame Hospital suffering from burns sustained in an explosion at the Turgeon home here this morning.

All three were in the kitchen when the explosion occurred, shattering the gas stove and a pot that was on top of it.

The contents of the latter were strewn over the clothing of the three victims. Mrs. Turgeon's dress was a mass of flames while Bartolucci, in a frenzy, jumped through the window and rolled himself around in the snow. Mrs. Bartolucci leaped from a window to the ground.

Great War. This is K. P. Fletcher, educated in business in Canadian banks, an early volunteer to the war, and an adventurer himself in many strange places before he settled in China as an associate with General Sutton. His head office is in Tientsin.

Deaths

Lemont Nodwell

NORTON, March 3.—The death of Lemont Nodwell occurred at his home here early Tuesday evening after an illness of a few days, caused by an accident received while in discharge of his duties at the roundhouse here, where he had been employed as night watchman for the C. P. R. for a number of years. His sudden passing came as a great shock to the community.

He leaves to mourn a wife and the following children: Three daughters, Mrs. James Williams, Saint John; Lilian, who is in training at the Meridian Hospital, Meridian, Mass.; Mrs. Clifford Mason, of Saint John; and three sons, Thomas, of Marion, Mass., and Sylvan and Vene, at home. He is also survived by two sisters, Mrs. Wilfred Carson and Mrs. Fayes, both of Titusville, and one brother, John Nodwell, of Advocate Harbor, N. S.

The funeral will be held at Hampton on Friday after arrival of the War-time express from Norton and will be conducted by Rev. C. S. Young. Interment will be in the family lot.

The two eldest sons of the deceased, Aubrey and Halsett, made the supreme sacrifice in the late war.

Harriet S. Cook

APPOHAQU, March 3.—The death of Mrs. Harriet S. Cook, of Carletonville, occurred on March 1 at the home of her nephew, Orin Cook, after a brief illness. She was 84 years old.

Deceased was a daughter of the late David and Elizabeth (Mugrove) Cook, of Carletonville, where she was born and spent practically all her life and was the eldest of a family of nine children. After she married she lived previously, except one sister, Mrs. J. A. Lester, of Millstream, and one brother, Charles H. Cook, of Bloomfield, Kings county.

The funeral was held on Wednesday afternoon, Rev. Harry Harrison being the officiating clergyman.

After the service at the home and church, interment took place in the family lot in Carletonville cemetery.

Hannah Campbell

TYNEMOUTH, Saint John Co. March 3.—Mrs. Hannah (Patterson) Campbell, one of the oldest, most respected residents of this place, passed away on Feb. 28 at her home here after a few weeks' illness. She leaves her husband, Joseph J., and a number of nieces and nephews.

Mrs. S. Crossman

MONTCTON, March 3.—The death of Mrs. Seward Crossman occurred at the family residence, 148 High street, this evening. Deceased was 77 years of age and was formerly Miss Jennie Stiles, daughter of John Stiles, of Stiles Village. Besides her husband and father she is survived by three brothers, Nathan, of Winnipeg; Tyler and Albert, of Stiles Village; and four sisters, Mabel and Edna, of Winnipeg; Agnes, of Stiles Village; and Mrs. Stephen Steves, of Indian Mountain. The funeral service will be held on Thursday afternoon at 2 o'clock.

Death of an Infant

The many friends of Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Jackson, 298 Douglas avenue, will sympathize with them in the death of their infant son, Harold, who died here last evening. Interment will be made in Fernhill cemetery today at 4 o'clock.

NEW IRISH COINAGE

LUBLIN, March 4.—The proposal of the Irish Free State Government to issue its own coins is the one subject of discussion here.

The text of the Government's bill provides that the existing denominations of coins shall be retained and that they will bear their present fractional value to the sovereign. Sixpence and three-penny pieces will be made 75 per cent. fine silver and 25 per cent. copper alloy. Thus their intrinsic value will be greater than the intrinsic value of the present British coins, which are 80 per cent. silver and 20 per cent. alloy. Thus their intrinsic value will be 95 1/2 per cent. copper, 3 per cent. tin, and 1 1/2 per cent. zinc.

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GRAND DUKE'S ROMANCE TOLD

Countess, Former Favorite, Appeals for Restoration of Pension

Seen Prelude To Disposal of Sequestered Royal Property

BERLIN, March 4.—The Prussian High Court has begun the hearing of an appeal brought by the Countess de Nassau, the former favorite of the late Grand Duke Adolf Frederick V. of Mecklenburg-Strelitz against a judgment recently pronounced by the lower court cutting down the countess' pension from 1,000 to £300 a year.

The case is not only a romance of the twentieth century, but is of high political importance. It is, at the present juncture, a prelude to the great battle now pending over the disposal of the sequestered property of deposed German princes.

BUILT PALACE FOR HER

The countess is a bright-eyed woman now inclining to stoutness. She has for many years presided in a sumptuously furnished palace built for her by her Grand Ducal admirer in a secluded part of the beautiful Grunewald quarter of Berlin.

She related in an interview recently the story of her life and her grievances against the princely court. As this finding seems disputing her claim. It appears that she had when young charmed the grand duke by her vivacious acting at the Court theatre of Strelitz. Adolf Friedrich V, whose relations with his wife an Anhalt princess, were notoriously not of the happiest, had found solace in her companionship.

When he died in 1914 he left Frau Uryas, as she then was, a pension of \$8,000 a year, which was paid regularly until 1918. This legacy has since been contested by the three women who are legal heirs to the estate—namely the Grand Duchess Elizabeth of Mecklenburg-Strelitz, Princess Marie Zu Lippe, and the Crown Princess Militta of Montenegro.

MARRIES AUSTRIAN COUNT

After lengthy litigation the Lower Court of Berlin recently awarded Frau Uryas, who in the meantime had married an Austrian count of the Papal Court, a sum of \$1,000 a year in lieu of the full amount. As this finding has satisfied neither the heirs nor the countess, both parties are now fighting the matter out before the Prussian High Court.

All the Socialist newspapers are now demanding a referendum vote to decide whether the immense properties formerly held by the German princes shall not, despite all recent judgments of reactionary German courts, be entirely confiscated by the state. The case is being used as an argument in favor of this view.

One of the first problems that will have to be dealt with by the new Cabinet which has just come into office will be to decide whether the whole matter shall be settled by the Reichstag or by a plebiscite of the German people.

TAX PUBLICITY

ROCHESTER, N. H., March 4.—Tax Collector William E. Kimball has discovered a sure-fire method to make delinquents pay their back taxes.

A list of names of delinquents has been posted in the show window of a Main street store. The amount of taxes ranged from 48 cents to \$150.

According to Kimball, almost \$42,000 has been received since this publicity idea was inaugurated.

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Self-Poisoning Increasingly Common

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The average man or woman does not enjoy consistent good health. Loss of appetite, headaches, biliousness and a lack of enthusiasm for either work or play are constant complaints.

Scientists have ascertained that such a condition is usually caused by self-poisoning resulting from constipation. Due to modern living habits, the natural secretion which promotes regular elimination by softening the bowel contents, is often deficient—especially among middle-aged people. The poison from waste matter remains in the system of people thus affected is the insidious enemy of good health.

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Ask your druggist for *Nujol* to-day—and remember, look for the name "Nujol" in red on both bottle label and package.

Japs Plan Cotton Fields In Brazil

TOKYO, March 4.—At a general meeting of shareholders of the Kanaguchi Spinning Company at Osaka \$40,000 gold was voted to pay the expenses of a commission of experts to Brazil, to look into the possibilities of starting large cotton plantations with Japanese capital, in order to inaugurate a movement to make Japanese spinners independent of Egypt, India and the United States.

Liner May Be Fined \$5,000 For Stowaway

PLYMOUTH, March 3.—A young Italian stowaway was found in the liner Paris, which has arrived here from Havre. The captain tried to land him, but the immigration authorities objected, and he must be taken on to New York. He told the captain that he was going to America to seek his fortune. When the stowaway reaches New York he will have to be kept under lock and key while the Paris is in harbor. The ship is liable to a penalty of \$5,000 if he escapes into the city.

LIBERAL M. P. NOW IS "KING" OF EGG

Walter Runciman Purchases Place For Summer Holiday Residence

LONDON, March 3.—The Liberal M. P. Walter Runciman, is the latest "king."

He has recently purchased the island of Egges, off the coast of Inverness-shire, and will use it as a summer holiday residence. The island is about nine miles square, and is two hours' motorboat journey from the mainland. It has a few crofters, a telephone, and a weekly connection with the mainland by motor launch, weather permitting.

Mr. Runciman was a close friend of the late Sir William Petersen, the former owner of the island, and frequently visited the island as Mr. Petersen's guest.

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New Violet From Asia Is Added To American Flora

WASHINGTON, March 3.—An entirely new species of violet dug from a hillside in the heart of Asia, near the northeastern corner of Tibet, by one of its scientific expeditions was announced to the world by the National Geographic Society, under the name of the Viola Chingiana. The story of this lonesome little dried globe-trotting plant also gives some insight into the painstaking care with which modern science—whether uncovering the Maya ruins of Central America or recovering the mummy of King Tut-an-kh-Amen—now works in testing new facts to be added to her store of knowledge.

The plant was collected in the summer of 1923 by B. C. Ching, a Chinese botanist attached to the staff of F. R. Wulsi, who conducted the National Geographic Society's expedition which employed camel caravans and goatskin rafts in its Kansu Province explorations. Carefully dried and packed, the violet specimen found its way several months later by coolie-back and mule-back to the Chinese coast, whence it was shipped to the United States National Museum at Washington.

Experts at the museum did not have sufficient data regarding similar Old World plants to arrive at a decision as to the status of the violet. So they re-

packed and sent it across the Atlantic to a German botanist, Wilhelm Becker. After careful study he pronounced the plant a member of a new species which has been named Viola Chingiana in honor of the Chinese botanist who discovered it.

The leaves of the Chingiana are very smooth with roundish-oblong saw-tooth edges.

Music Hall Artist Sings Song, Then Dies

NORTHAMPTON, March 4.—When Frank Alfred Amos, the Canadian Music-hall singer, lay dying here, he sat up in bed and sang one of his favorite songs, "Now Life's Sun Is Setting." He then turned to his wife and saying, "I want to go to sleep," lay down and died.

Amos, who was known throughout the country by his stage name, "King Amos," was 6 ft. 5 ins. in height. He often appeared at London halls, and composed the words of some of his songs, among them being "Laughing

She Could Never Do The Things Other Girls Did

Miss I. J. Ross, Scollard, Alta., writes—"I am only twenty years old, but have suffered from heart palpitation and nerve trouble for several years.

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(Men's Furnishings—Ground Floor.)

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(Millinery Salon—Second Floor.)

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