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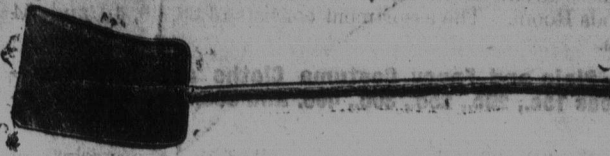
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REAL JOY. "I came," said the widow, "to see if you wouldn't publish something about my husband's death. I know you and he didn't hit it just right, but I thought maybe you'd forget all that."

EVERYBODY STANDS. "Wow! Hugh!" grunted the unfortunate old man. He had walked into the square to hear the band play, but he trod upon a banana skin and came down hard.

St. John, November 24, 1902.

CLOTHING TO MEASURE.

If you prefer your clothing made to measure you need not get them ready-made on account of the extravagant prices charged by the majority of tailors. We will make them to measure for you at a smaller price than you can buy the so-called "High Grade" of ready-made. We have over two hundred and fifty foreign and domestic cloths to select from. Call and see them.

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GERMANY BACKS ENGLAND.

Inspired German Press Advises Drastic Measures Against Venezuela.

COLOGNE, Germany, Nov. 24.—In an evidently inspired note the Cologne Gazette today says:—"England should certainly teach Venezuela a sharp lesson, since President Castro refuses to recognize the demands of justice and equity. Germany and other states have also serious grounds for complaint and it is the relations of Venezuela towards foreign powers should be defined."

WAS IT MURDER?

U. S. Officials Disagree With French Regarding Cause of Miss Gore's Death—Commission Appointed.

PARIS, Nov. 24.—Acting on instructions from the United States state department to thoroughly investigate the shooting on Wednesday of Mrs. Ellen Gore, Consul General Gowdy today requested four representative American physicians, living in Paris, to form a commission, conduct an autopsy and report on how she met her death. The commission has already conferred regarding its plans, but it has not yet been settled when the autopsy will take place. The French officials still hold the body and numerous formalities have to be gone through before it will be in possession of the undertaker designated by Mr. Gowdy. He is now seeking to obtain possession of the remains, but it will probably be necessary to make an application to the examining magistrate in charge of the case. The doctors must act quickly for the funeral has been finally arranged for tomorrow afternoon. The questions before the American medical commission are deliberate as their conclusions as to the cause of the bullet may conflict with those of the French medical experts. The latter base the accident theory on the upward range of the bullet, but the American officials believe that an independent autopsy will establish the fact that the range was almost horizontal, thus indicating a direct shot from an aimed weapon. The U. S. consulate staff is also taking deposition of witnesses independent of those taken by the French officials. So far this action has not developed any new features, but the depositions furnish a complete and unprejudiced history of the case and will be forwarded to the state department at Washington.

N. B. STEAMER LOST.

MONCTON, N. B., Nov. 23.—J. Nelson Smith, of Coverdale, managing owner of the bark Carrie I. Smith, bound from Preston, Eng., for Yarmouth, N. S., is in receipt of a cable informing him of the arrival of that vessel at Barbados partially dismasted and with the loss of two men, Alfred Copp, mate, belonging to Riverside, Albert Co., and a seaman named McLatchy, son of John E. McLatchy, of Hillsboro. Copp is a man about 50, he leaves a wife and two children at Riverside. No particulars have been received, but it is supposed the men were swept overboard during a storm.

TO SMASH THE REVOLUTION.

CARACAS, Venezuela, Sunday, Nov. 23.—General Velutini, the representative of the eastern provinces, will leave tomorrow for Barcelona and Ciudad Bolivar with 2,500 men, to begin a campaign against the revolutionists. In an interview today Gen. Velutini said: "The revolutionists have a thousand men at Barcelona, but I do not believe any hard fighting will be necessary to capture those troops. I command the Andinos, who will re-enter the combat with the prestige of victory. With the fall of Barcelona and Ciudad Bolivar the revolution will be ended and Venezuela will enter a long period of peace. A new revolution is not feared. There can never be Matos supported by foreign capital, being military chiefs, warships, ten thousand men and plenty of ammunition."

GOOD BYE—WU.

SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 23.—Wu Ting Fang, former Chinese minister at Washington, arrived here last night on his way to China. He will sail Nov. 25 on the steamer Hong Kong Maru.

A CHICAGO POLICEMAN.

"Big Steve" Rowan, a Chicago policeman, about whom many amusing stories are told, is the hero of an anecdote in Lippincott's Magazine. On one occasion he found a weary individual sitting on the curbstone. "G'wan home!" ordered Rowan. "Can't," replied the weary one, and when he tried to get on his feet it was evident that he spoke the truth. He was too unsteady for the purposes of successful navigation. "Have ye th' money f' a cab?" asked Rowan. "No," answered the man. "Ye can't stay here," asserted Rowan. "Can't go anywhere else," said the man. For a moment it looked as if the policeman would have to spoil his record by making an arrest, but he was equal to the emergency. "Get up," he said. "I'll help ye." The man got on his feet and the policeman held him up. "Come on across th' r-road," was the next order, and the weary one was assisted to the other side of the street, where Rowan gently put him down on the curb again and left him. "This be the way," he said. "He's on Casey's bent now, an' Casey's that amonj' th' he likes to get up iv a mornin' to go to th' polis court."

SATIRICAL.

Miss Mattie Nay—That woman's scolding her husband because he went out between the acts. Mrs. Oldhand—Yes; she hasn't been married long evidently or she's satisfied if he came in occasionally between drinks.—Philadelphia Record.

IN RUSSIA.

German Colonists Returning to Their Own Country.

Beer Brewers Complain of Lack of Prosperity and Give Their Reasons Therefor.

ST. PETERSBURG, Monday, Nov. 10.—Descendants of the German colonists first introduced into Russia a century or more ago, as a haven, are beginning to return to Germany, where they are to be employed to help stem the tide of the Polish invasion of Russia. Lands are being assigned to them near Koenigsburg by the German Colonization committee. The reflex movement is noted in the provinces of Kiev, Zhitomer and Volhynia. The former prosperity of the German colonists in the western and south-western provinces has changed for the worse recently owing to high rental and even the refusal of some landlords to let lands to Germans at any price. The prosperity, sobriety and orderliness of the German colonists in these parts and along the Volga never seemed to inspire their Russian neighbors with emulation. The Russian peasant takes things as he finds them. Another migration movement is reported by the Russian colonists in Central Asia are displaying a desire to remove to America.

The Russian beer brewers have just held their first congress. They explained the lack of prosperity in their industry (in spite of cheap materials) by official restraints, unsuitable legislation by which the incompetent profit at the expense of the more competent and by the reluctance of the government, which has a monopoly of the sale of alcoholic spirits, not including wine and beer, to permit the opening of beer saloons, which would reduce the consumption of vodka and the government's revenue therefrom. The representatives of the finance ministry promises a fair consideration of the brewers' complaints. The tariff of forty cents per pound on tea, the much petted sugar monopoly which sells Russian sugar twice as high here as abroad, and the refusal of the government to heed petitions of localities against the opening in their midst of vodka agencies are cited, in addition to the above complaint, by those who doubt the sincerity of the government's temperance policy.

THE NEW WAR MEDAL.

Particulars of the New Decoration Granted by the King to South African Veterans.

OTTAWA, Ont., Nov. 23.—The king has approved the grant of a second war medal bearing his effigy in recognition of service rendered by troops in the latter phases of the campaign in South Africa, and to reward those soldiers who by their long service in the field, have brought the war to a successful termination. This medal will be known as "King's South African Medal." The ribbon will be orange, white and green, in three stripes of equal width, and so worn that green stripe of ribbon shall be on the right. A medal in silver will be issued to all officers, warrant officers, non-commissioned officers and men of British, Indian and Colonial forces; to civilian medical practitioners and others employed with military hospitals in South Africa and to all nursing sisters, provided that (a) they were actually serving in South Africa on or after 1st Jan., 1901, and, (b) that on that date had completed 18 months war service, or subsequently completed such service before 1st Jan., 1902. In interpreting this rule the period of absence from duty either at home or in South Africa on account of wounds or sickness directly attributed to service in the field will be allowed to count toward the period of eighteen months. The medal will be granted to officers, warrant officers, non-commissioned officers and men who have been invalided by reason of wounds received in action prior to 1st January, 1902, there by being unable to complete an aggregate service of eighteen months in South Africa, provided they returned and served any period between 1st January, 1902 and the 1st May, 1902, both dates inclusive. Two classes will also be granted, a clasp "South Africa, 1901," to all who served in South Africa between 1st January, 1901, and 31st Dec., 1901, both dates inclusive, and a clasp "South Africa, 1902," to all who served in South Africa between 1st January, 1902, and 31st May, 1902, both dates inclusive.

PACIFIC CABLE.

MONTREAL, Que., Nov. 23rd.—Manager Kent, of the Canadian Pacific Telegraph Co., received official notice today that the new Pacific cable to Australia would be open for the despatch of business on December 8th.

CHOKED BY HIS FALSE TEETH.

LEWISTON, Me., Nov. 13.—Burnside Long, a native of Norway, Me., was found dead in a cell at the Lewiston police station Thursday at 6 a. m. His false teeth had slipped from their place and catching his tongue had pulled it backward into the trachea, so that suffocation followed. His family live in Lynn, Mass.

IN A CRATER.

In the interior of the extinct crater Aso San, about 30 miles from the city of Kumamoto, in Japan, 20,000 people live and prosper. The vertical wall of the crater is 800 feet high. The inhabitants rarely make a journey into the outside world, but form almost a little nation by themselves.

DROWNED SAILORS.

Bodies in Fishing Dory Drift up on the Beach.

HIGHLAND LIGHT, Mass., Nov. 23.—The beginning of a northwest gale last night scattered the dories of the fishing schooner Two-Forty, of Gloucester, which was off the end of the cape at sunset, and only one succeeded in getting back to the vessel. Another came ashore at Wood End Life Saving Station, a third was picked up by the steamer Kershaw, while what is believed to have been a fourth was washed ashore at the Peaked Hill Bar Station together with the bodies of two of the unfortunate fishermen. About three o'clock this afternoon the patrol of the Peaked Hill bar station found a fisherman's dory with the bodies of two men lying near it on the beach. From the appearance of the bodies it seems as if the men died from exposure while drifting about the bay and that when the dory swept over the bar the bodies were thrown out and washed ashore with the vessel. There was nothing to show from what vessel the dory came or any identifying marks on the bodies, but it is believed that they were from the Two-Forty. The schooner lies at anchor tonight a short distance northwest of Race Point, but only three men can be seen on board.

FOR THE NAVY.

Envoy of United Naval League Will Visit St. John—Wants a Militia Naval Force.

Mr. Hiatt, envoy of the United Naval League, will visit St. John this week in the interests of the British navy. Mayor White received a letter from him this morning stating that he would be here on Wednesday. Mr. Hiatt is making a tour of Canada awakening the interest of Canadian people in the plans of the United Naval League for the betterment of England's defences on the sea. The chief object of his visit to this country is it is stated to endeavor to get the government to establish naval training ships and to organize a militia navy force to be held as a reserve. While in Ottawa and Toronto Mr. Hiatt was given an opportunity to plead his case before the board of trade, and during his visit to St. John the mayor will request President Jarvis, of the local board that a similar opportunity be granted him here.

BRIEFS BY WIRE.

LONDON, Nov. 23.—The King of Portugal bid farewell to King Edward at Windsor today, and proceeded to Blenheim, where he lunched with the Duke and Duchess of Marlborough. The Portuguese monarch will remain in England for some time on a visit.

ROME, Nov. 24.—King Victor Emmanuel has signalled the birth of the Princess Madda, who was born November 19, by giving \$20,000 to the founding hospital and \$20,000 to the free hospitals.

NEW YORK, Nov. 24.—Wall street.—Large selling orders were executed when the stock market opened, driving prices of all the prominent stocks a large fraction below Saturday's closing. Selling was very general; St. Paul, Reading and the Pacific stocks being offered freely. Rock Island issues were notable exceptions. The common rising one quarter and the preferred about a point.

BUCHAREST, Nov. 24.—The disciplinary council of the Roumanian bar has published a decision that only Roumanian citizens may hereafter practice law or act as clerks of lawyers. The decision is aimed directly at the Jews, who form the majority of the lawyers and law clerks.

STEAMER SUNK.

DETROIT, Mich., Nov. 24.—The steamer Chili, of Buffalo, which was sunk in the Detroit River, off Amherstburg, Ont., in collision with the steamer Owego, and H. B. Tuttle, last night, lies in twenty-two feet of water just outside the channel of Ballard's Reef. She has a big hole in her starboard side, in the third gangway, where the bow of the Owego plowed into her. The Chili is 220 feet long, she is owned by W. M. Drake, of Buffalo. The Owego was slightly damaged.

THE EQUATOR DEFINED.

A school inspector was recently examining a class in geography. He had previously given them a short lesson in the course of which he had told them all about the earth's axis, and the poles at the ends thereof, and that the equator was an imaginary line running around the earth. Wishing to see how much they had learned, he at length asked: "Now, boys, what is the equator?" There was a pause, and the inspector smiled triumphantly, when a fierce-looking boy growled out the answer: "The 'quator,' said he, 'is a megaricte lion running round the earth.'"

GENERAL NOTES OF INTEREST.

Floods in the Amur river, East Siberia, have swept bare a burial ground of remarkable interest, containing many skeletons in curious chain armor and with iron battle-axes and sword hilts of bronze, which are supposed to be the remains of an ancient Tartar horde.

The son of the new King of Saxony, who went to London to announce the accession of his father, has a younger brother in the Roman Catholic priesthood, Prince Max, who has done missionary work among the slums of East London.

A CHOKER.

"I don't see, after his disgraceful embezzlement from the bank, how young Spriggely can hold his head up in society," said the man who lives next door. "You don't!" put in the man who lives next door to the man who lives next door; "why, he can't help it; look at that collar!"—Baltimore News.



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MOUNT ALLISON BOOMING.

Dr. B. C. Borden, of Sackville, who was in the city yesterday, told the Star that Mount Allison ladies' college is in a most flourishing condition. The attendance is equal to the best of any year in the history of the institution, there being now one hundred and fifteen students in residence and about sixty day students. After the Christmas holidays even a larger number will be in attendance. The present term has been almost entirely uneventful. There has been no sickness, nor, in fact, anything to interfere with the work of the college. A Christmas calendar is now being prepared for distribution.

THE CAST WAS MADE.

"Do you cast things here?" inquired a smart youth the other day as he sauntered into a foundry and addressed the proprietor. "Yes, we do." "You cast all kinds of things in iron, eh?" "Certainly. Don't you see that is our business?" "Ah, well, cast a shadow, will you?" He was cast out.

A QUIET PLACE.

There are queer nooks and corners in England yet. A country parson went to preach in an old remote parish one Sunday. The aged sexton, in taking him to the place, instinctively said: "I hope yer riv'rence won't mind preachin' from the chancel. Ye see, this is a quiet place, and I've got a duck sittin' on fourteen eggs in the pulpit."

CLERGYMAN IS CAPTAIN.

The party of Scottish curlers who will arrive in Halifax about New Year's day, on their projected tour of America, will be captained by Rev. John Kerr of Dileton, who is not only a prominent and enthusiastic curler, but is also well known.