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Suffering most intense pain as he crawled and rolled for upwards of eight and a half hours—such was the experience of David Slaney, who now occupies a cot at the General Hospital, having been brought here the night before last by the S. S. Portia. He is a young man belonging to St. Lawrence. He has only one arm, as he lost the other in a running accident a couple of years ago.

Slaney left his home in St. Lawrence early last Friday morning, taking his axe along with him, and went into the woods a distance of four miles, "felling trees," as he called it.

Shortly before 9 a.m. he hewed a heavy tree, which in falling, came across his right leg, breaking the largest bone midway between the knee and ankle of that member. Poor Slaney lay on the ground for several minutes powerless to help himself and equally unable to remove the tree, which lay where it fell. Believing that there might be other woodsmen or somebody else about he tried to attract their attention to come and give him aid by shouting as loud as he could, but in vain. After considerable exertion, patience and suffering he managed to remove the piece of timber of his leg and free himself somewhat, but even after doing that he was still in an awkward predicament. He was in a quandary as to what to do, as all that was left for him was to lie on the ground and remain there, until help should arrive. After much deep thinking he stood up on the sound leg supported by the limb of a tree and looking ahead, fully a half mile away, observed a barren place where horses were grazing. He then conceived the idea that if he could reach that spot he might be able to make a conveyance out of one of the horses to his home. It was a superhuman task, but Slaney undertook it and accomplished it by crawling and rolling the entire distance until he reached his desired end. It was a case of getting through trees, over stumps and along the rugged and unbeaten path. At intervals he was obliged to stop, owing to the untold agony the leg was giving him, but when the pain would subside he continued on his harrowing journey. Towards the end the one-armed man, as can be imagined, became very exhausted and fatigued, but eventually reached his objective,

after eight hours and a half of cruel torture. Slaney first took off his cap and started in to pick a cap-full of grass with which he attracted the attention of a pony. He put the cap on top of a post of a fence and while the pony was devouring the grass, Slaney began to get on her back. He made several attempts, which were futile, as it was no easy matter for a one-armed man with a broken leg, but with the herculean strength and undaunted courage that he had, Slaney manoeuvred until he landed safely on the back of the pony and drove off for home, a distance of three and a half miles. The horse was met by a Burth doctor, but owing to the terrible ordeal that the man went through, the horse had to be broken again at the Hospital and reset.

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VIOLA ALLEN AS THE WHITE SISTER.

Hundreds were unable to gain admittance at the Nickel Theatre last night, so great was the rush to see the brilliant Vitagraph picture "The Sins of the Mothers." Anita Stewart and Earle Williams were in the leading characters. The programme will be repeated to-day and those who could not attend yesterday should be sure and go. To-morrow there is another big holiday bill which includes an attraction extraordinary—"The White Sister." The brilliant dramatic star, Viola Allen, one of the most beautiful and capable ladies on the stage to-day is in the lead supported by Richard C. Travers and other famous actors. This story has been read by millions of people. It has been staged the world over but there was never the opportunity to see it as it will be shown to-morrow at the Nickel.

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The Beginning of the End

Roumania's entrance into the war so long expected, but so frequently postponed, means the beginning of the end for the Central Empires. The tide of Teutonic success, which reached its high mark with the great Russian retreat and the crushing of Serbia, paused at its full during the most critical days at Verdun, and was definitely turned with the beginning of the general offensive of the Entente Allies on all fronts. Only in the Balkans has the situation remained as before, and now with the Roumanian declaration of war against Austria-Hungary which probably will mean war against Bulgaria, Turkey and Germany, the military recede as rapidly as it rose in the first year and a half of the great conflict.

Dramatic as Roumania's action must appear at this time, it should be followed by even more sensational developments. Roumania has long held the key to the military situation in Europe. She represents a formidable enemy with an army of over half a million men, standing on the unprotected flank of the weakest of the Central Empires. More than that, she now opens the door for the Russian hordes already crowding toward the Hungarian plains for a real invasion though Roumanians may for the Austrians, now vainly struggling to beat back the Russians fighting their way through the Carpathian passes, find themselves with an even more dangerous enemy in their rear.

Austria and her allies must now find the men to stop the Italians in the west, the Russians in the north, the Roumanians in the east and the Allied forces pushing up toward the Danube from Salonica. First of all, however, is Bulgaria that is directly menaced by Roumanian action. The Bulgars are caught between two millstones, for Russia may not strike directly at Sofia through Roumania, vasion of the Dual Monarchy. The moment deter attacking Bulgaria. There is little doubt now that Greece will soon enter the field, which should mean the hasty crushing of Bulgaria, to be followed by the isolation of Turkey, the redemption of Serbia and the closing in on Austria-Hungary.

With that event will come the last act of the great drama. Austria, now weakened by many defeats and steadily losing ground on all fronts, cannot long withstand such an attack. Nor can she get much help from Germany, which has twice saved her from the Russians. It is significant, too, that Germany has a new enemy, for Italy has now declared war upon the Kaiser. From a military point of view this would not be specially significant at this time, since it is merely a public declaration of a condition that has long existed, but the political effect just now will be important.

It is difficult to comprehend the full meaning of the latest developments in the war situation, but of one thing there can be no doubt. After two years of splendid effort and great military achievements Germany and her allies are facing decisive defeat. The war may last another year, but the prospects for an early peace were never better. And that peace will not be based upon a deadlock. The map of Europe has been definitely lost to the Central Empires.—Brooklyn Eagle.



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Fish Embargo and the Board of Trade.

This morning R. B. Job, Esq., President of the Nfld. Board of Trade, sent the following cable to Sir E. P. Morris, now at London: "Embargo existing here against shipment Labrador fish to Greece very serious matter for Colony unless removed soon. Can you influence removal and advise promptly when likely be removed." This reply was received:— "Cable first intimation had of embargo. Will give matter immediate attention."

From Cape Race. Special to Evening Telegram. CAPE RACE, To-day. Wind N. blowing strong, weather fine; the steamers Neptune passed in and the Erik went yesterday; the scho. Nettle M and Lady St. John are in sight to-day, both bound inward. Bar. 29.60; ther. 50.

An Address on Early Colonization.

At 8 o'clock last night a large number of the members of the Epworth League assembled in the Sunday School room of Wesley Church and listened to an interesting address on the early colonization of Newfoundland, ably delivered by A. W. Martin, Esq., of the G.P.O. Although only given a very short notice to prepare such a difficult subject, Mr. Martin responded with an address that was a rare treat for those whose privilege it was to attend. Diving down into the depths of the past the lecturer recalled the days when none but the silent Red Indian roamed the shores of our Newfoundland. While the island was discovered in 1497, it was not settled till 1610 when John Guy landed in Conception Bay with a band of noble followers, after a long and stormy voyage across the then practically unknown Atlantic. He described the part Wildbourne played in the early settlement of the peninsula of Avalon, that played by Lord Baltimore, and the taking possession of the island by Sir Humphrey Gilbert in the name of Queen Elizabeth of England, on St. John's Day, June 24th, 1583. At the close of the address a hearty vote of thanks was tendered Mr. Martin by the President of the Epworth League which was carried unanimously. Messrs. Whalon, Cross and others expressed their thanks to the lecturer for the very enjoyable and interesting hour.

Everyday Etiquette.

"There is a young man in my college who has taken me to different entertainments. Should he ask to call or should I ask him? Is it proper to hand my coat to my escort or should he offer to help you?" questioned Mildred. "It is your privilege to ask the young man to call. Usually a young man offers to assist the young lady with her coat. If he should not and you need help, ask him," was her aunt's reply.

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