

Well, Mutt's Job Was Honest Labor at That

By "Bud" Fisher

STRANGE CASES
OF WOMEN WHO
WERE SOLDERSBrave Turkish Girl Who Took
Brother's Place in
Conscription

THREE YEARS IN THE ARMY

Notable Instances in the Civil War
in the United States—"Drum-
mer Boy" in Five Big Battles
Was a Girl—Balkan War Ro-
mance

(London Answers)

If coming events are always to be discerned from the shadows cast before, the advent of the woman soldier must be pretty nearly one of the things that are bound to happen; for women demanded to be enrolled as soldiers during the Spanish-American War, and they have made the same claim in the Balkans during the past few weeks.

Writing as an old soldier who has had a great deal of war experience, I must say that I have seen nothing war that a woman could not do as well as a man.

For Her Family's Sake

Every woman could not be turned into an efficient soldier, of course, but neither can every man. And I have no doubt whatever as to woman's bravery, power of endurance, and adaptability to military training; but I must confess to some slight hesitations as to whether the kind of women who have other soldierly qualities would be amenable to discipline.

That individual women have made good soldiers is well known. The cases of Mary Anne Talbot, Mrs. Walsh, Hannah Snell, and others have been written about so often that there is no excuse for telling their stories over again; but there are some interesting instances of women having served as soldiers that are not familiar, and space may well be taken to relate some of them.

There was, for instance, a fine story of a Turkish girl's self-sacrifice brought to light in 1901. In that year a conscript named Ali Reshah, who had served in the army for three years, was discovered to be a woman.

The reason for the girl's assumption of a male identity is full of human interest. There was a real Ali Reshah, and he was her brother. He was the only support of his widowed mother, and when he was drawn in the conscription there seemed nothing in front of the family but starvation.

Then a brilliant idea came to Hako, the young man's twin-sister. She could not earn enough money to keep the house together, but she could manage, she thought, to take her brother's place in the army, and leave him free to work for his mother. And she did it, too, keeping up the deception for more than three years.

When the End Came

It was a good thing for that family that the girl's secret was discovered, for the story of her remarkable self-sacrifice got to the ears of the Sultan himself, and he was so touched with it that he ordered her a pension of five pounds two shillings and sixpence a month—a living that put her

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A NOTEWORTHY GROUP
OF MEDICAL MEN

The picture shows the members of the Dominion Medical Council, with Dr. Roddick in the center. These are, medically speaking, the "Fathers of Confederation," for they have really brought about confederation in medical matters. This picture was taken in front of the parliament buildings at the time of the important meeting in November last which is a record in the history of the medical profession in Ottawa in the following article from the Canadian Journal of Medicine and Surgery:

"The Canadian Medical Act, which was passed in 1902, could not become operative until it had been approved by the legislatures of the different provinces of Ontario. This essential having been obtained, the act became law during the past year. The first meeting to organize the Dominion Medical Council under the act was summoned to meet at Ottawa in November 7, 1912, by the Hon. Dr. Roche. Though the Dominion Medical Council is to be attached to the federal department of agriculture, there was a certain fitness in allowing the summons to the inaugural meeting to be issued by Dr. Roche, who, since 1902, had been associated in the necessary legislative work with Dr. Roddick, the author of the Canada Medical Act, and who, subsequently, after Dr. Roddick's retirement from politics, had championed the bill in the house.

"In the Dominion Medical Council, the representatives from the provincial medical councils are: Ontario—Dr. W. Spink, Wolfe Island; Dr. R. J. Gibson, Suite Ste Marie, Quebec; Dr. L. P. Normand, Three Rivers; Dr. Arthur Simard, Quebec. New Brunswick—Dr. A. H. Atherton, Fredericton; Dr. Walter N. White, St. John. Nova Scotia—Dr. A. W. H. Lindsay, Halifax; Dr. John Stewart, Halifax. Manitoba—Dr. R. S. Thornton, Dufferin; Dr. J. S. Gray, Winnipeg. Alberta—Dr. R. G. Brett, Banff; Dr. John Park, Edmonton. British Columbia—Dr. R. E. McKee, Vancouver; Dr. K. Walker, New Westminster. Saskatchewan—Dr. Thompson Young, Prince Edward Island—Dr. MacNeil.

"The representatives of the Canadian universities are: Dalhousie—Dr. Fraser Harris, Halifax. Manitoba—Dr. J. R. Jones, Winnipeg. Quebec—Dr. J. C. Cunnell, Kingston. Western—Dr. H. H. McCallum, London. Laval, Montreal—Dr. E. P. Lachapelle, Montreal. Laval, Quebec—Dr. Dagnac, Quebec. McGill—Dr. J. Sheppard, Montreal. Toronto—Dr. J. M. MacCallum, Toronto. The representatives of the homoeopathic physicians are: Manitoba—Dr. Charles E. Sugden, Winnipeg. Ontario—Dr. E. H. G. Hardy, Toronto. Quebec—Dr. E. M. Morgan, Montreal.

"The Dominion Medical Council will provide for the qualifications of candidates for registration and examination and will appoint a board of examiners. It will accept the matriculation examinations of candidates which are recognized by the medical councils of the different provinces; but will have the control and management of examinations in purely medical subjects. Persons holding medical degrees from accepted foreign universities or colleges may be admitted to the examinations of the Dominion Medical Council; but no Canadian will be eligible, unless he is also the holder of a license from the medical council of a province of Canada, may register with the Dominion Medical Council, if ten years have elapsed from the date when his provincial license was issued. A practitioner, whose provincial license is not of ten years standing, may register after the ten years period has expired. The diploma of the Canada Medical Council will entitle the holder to practice medicine in any province of Canada."

In the millionaire class in his village—pardon her deception, and released her brother from any obligation to serve. Then, also, in the early nineties, there was the strange case of Sergeant Henry Armstrong, a veteran of the American Civil War, who died at Chattanooga, in the State of Tennessee. Armstrong was, and had been for thirty years, a farmer, and was much respected. When he died it was discovered that "he" was a woman whose real name was Myra Lawrence, and who had been in the army during the Civil War, and who had been in the army during the Civil War, and who had been in the army during the Civil War.

With the Balkan Allies

In a military hospital during the same war was a drummer-boy, aged twelve, full of typhoid fever. Charles Martin, though so young had seen a great deal of fighting, for he had been in five big battles and many smaller fights. The nurse in charge was very much interested to discover that the drummer-boy was a girl.

A still more recent example of feminine martial ardor is the case of Miss Sophia Yanovitch, who fought valiantly by her lover's side in the Serbian army during the great struggle between the Balkan allies and the Turks. At the end of this war this modern Joan of Arc is to marry her lover, if both have survived the bullets of the enemy.

AN EYE TO BUSINESS

The prisoner was charged with so trivial an offence that the judge told him that if he would plead guilty he would be let off with a fine.

"Before we plead guilty," replied the man's lawyer, "we'd like to know what the fine will be."

"Isn't it rather unusual to attempt to bargain with the court?" asked the judge. "Perhaps it is, your honor," replied the lawyer, "but in this case it is important. You see, the prisoner has only \$12 and as my fee is \$10 we can't afford to plead guilty if you intend to fine him more than \$2."



These boys gave the lively Canadians from Montreal a good struggle in the N. H. A. opening game in the Toronto arena.

Right to left—standing—Holmes, Wil-
son, Neighbor, Jopp, Percy Quinn, (pres-
ident), Tom Humphrey (coach), McMan,
McGill, Doberty, Stanyon, Frank Car-
roll (trainer).
Sitting—Davidson, Randall, Cameron,
Foster, Walker. In front is Bruce Rid-
path, manager of the team.

LATE SPORT NEWS

Baseball

ton and W. H. Thorne & Co. Ltd. teams, scheduled for last night, was postponed as the Hampton team did not come down. This evening the Thorne team will meet the Y. M. C. A. clerks in the Y. M. C. A. The game will start at nine o'clock.

Hockey

Upper Canada.

In the Upper Canadian Hockey games last night Quebec defeated Toronto 10 to 5, the Canadians defeated the Wanderers 4 to 3, and the Tecumsehs defeated Ottawa 4 to 1.

Crescents Get Scott

At a meeting of the M. P. H. A. at Halifax last night it was decided that Harry Scott, the Fort William hockey player, was the property of the Halifax Crescents and not of the Sydney Club.

New Edinburghs Easily Win

Ottawa, Jan. 9.—The New Edinburghs' swampy college in the Ottawa section of the Interprovincial Amateur Hockey Union, last night, more than 3,000 people witnessed the game. The score was 13 to 1. New Edinburghs outplayed Ottawa college throughout.

Wrestling

Goths May Come Opt.

Indianapolis, Jan. 8.—If Zyzko is successful in defeating all opponents this season, Frank Gotch has consented to meet the Pole for the world's championship title in the last week in April. Local sporting men are prepared to hang up a \$30,000 purse.

Would Spring Out
Of Her Bed.
She Was So Nervous.

Diseases of the nervous system are very common. All the organs of the body may be sound while the nervous system is affected.

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Build Mile of G. T. P. A Day

Montreal, Jan. 9.—A telegram has been received at Grand Trunk Pacific headquarters from Head of Steel, British Columbia, which reads as follows: "Grand Trunk track-laying gangs commenced laying steel here. Twenty-eight more miles of grade are now ready and the steel will be placed on it during January. Following this bridge gangs will throw temporary structures across streams and further track-laying will then be possible. The head of steel is now at mile 54, 1,008 miles west of Winnipeg. One mile of track a day will be laid."

ACCIDENTS CAUSED BY TOO MUCH CARE

Carelessness in factories is not guilty of all the things which it is charged, says a writer in the Survey. If a man is too careful he is bound to get hurt because of his awkwardness. He must learn the motions so well that they become automatic. Then he is likely to get hurt whenever the machine balks. This dilemma is brought out by the United States Bureau of Labor in a careful study of accidents in the metal trades.

Out of 317 accidents studied, 234 were charged to carelessness on the factory records. The report disputes this classification in the case of two groups of workers.

The first group consisted of workers who had been in the shops less than a week. Of these the report says: "The faltering learner is in constant danger. The very intensity of his care is a source of danger; strained attention leads to action by anticipation. Mangled fingers, a lost hand, or greater mutilation may result."

The other disputed group of accidents can be classed roughly as due to "taking risks."

"As practice continues," says the report, "the tension gradually subsides, and the worker attains less closely, but is vastly more able."

In his case danger intrudes. A very large number of mechanical processes involve a series of operations. Occasionally, to use a stamping press as an example, after the series of motions starts, the worker sees something wrong with the machine. This may start an entirely new series of actions, but does not stop the one already started. "He will press the treadle and at the same time put his hand under the die."

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RECENT DEATHS

The death of John Singleton occurred yesterday at his home at Kenosha River, N. B. He was eighty years of age, and is survived by his wife, two sons and two daughters.

The death of Thomas Foley, hotel keeper, occurred at his home in Newcastle yesterday morning. For many years he conducted the Miramichi Hotel, and of late years the Commercial Hotel. He was very popular with the travelling public and others. He is survived by his wife, two sons and one daughter.

The death of Miss Alice J. Daley of this city occurred in Bathurst on Monday last. She was a daughter of Thomas L. and Mary J. Daley of this city, and had been visiting her sister in Bathurst, Mass.

The death of John A. Leaman occurred this week at the home of his son, N. E. Leaman in Ontario, Me. His wife, one daughter, and one sister also survive. He formerly resided in New Brunswick.

The death of Mrs. Clark G. Dunham occurred yesterday at the home of her brother in Shrewsbury, Mass. She was forty-two years of age and had been ill for about a year. Her mother, three brothers and two sisters survive. She was a native of New Brunswick and formerly resided in Sussex.

FROM GRAND MANAN

Boston.—R. R. Black, of Amherst, N. S., passed through St. Andrews last week, and went over to Grand Manan to see the fine Guernsey bull, Blossoms Anchor, No. 336. He was so well satisfied with the animal that he bought him on sight to head his herd of twenty-five cows.

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