

# SIX Sale Days EVERY WEEK.

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# Marshall Bros

## Cassandras.

By RUTH CAMERON.



RUTH CAMERON

Is there anything any sweeter and at the same time any sadder than to be the mother of a girl of sixteen to twenty, full of energy and reaching forward toward the full possibilities of life. Perhaps you wonder why I say sadder.

I was talking the other day with a neighbor of mine. We spoke of mistakes. She is the mother of a girl of eighteen. "I have made a great many unnecessary mistakes in my life," she said, "and sometimes I have been very unhappy over them. But nothing in the world ever made me half so unhappy as to find out that my daughter can't profit by them. She says that every one must learn by their own experiences. She doesn't know what she is saying and yet I am afraid it is true."

And Never To Be Listened To.

Another mother who has two daughters, one just entering her teens, and another just passing out of them, was present. "It certainly is," she affirmed vigorously. "I have made up my mind long ago that we mothers are Cassandras doomed to always prophesy the truth and never to have our prophecies listened to."

It is a clever characterization, isn't it.

And as sad as it is true.

We Want To Take Experience's Job From Her.

Experience is the best teacher in the world but she is the cruellest. And not to be able to take her place for those we love; not to be able to give to them the wisdom we have bought with suffering; to have them thrust it

away when we offer it and say "You learned for yourself I want to do the same," is one of the hardest things a mother must learn to bear. Many of them do not hear it patiently and that is one of the reasons why a wall of misunderstanding and strangeness so often grows up between the mother and daughter in her teens. There are few relationships in which there is need of more self control, forbearance and above all things, tact.

Don't be fretful Cassandra mothers, be patient, watchful, loving, forbearing Cassandras. Teach yourself the great lesson of keeping your hands off at the right time and who knows but what some days you shall find yourself throwing off Cassandra's curse and speaking to ears no longer deaf.

Lachute, Que., Sept. 1908.

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JOHN WALSH.

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## Rann-dom Reels.

SUCCESS.

Success is a process which consists in climbing to the top of the ladder and sitting tight. Some men are born successful at a tender age and are able to demote their playmates of marbles and jack-knives with monotonous regularity. Others achieve success by working sixteen hours a day while their companions are trying to keep step with a five-piece dance orchestra. And a large number have success thrust upon them by the unexpected demise of a rich relative who intended to leave his money in another spot.



As a Rule Success is Measured in Money.

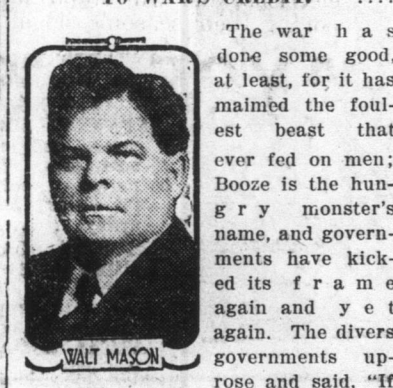
As a rule, success is measured in money. It is a great surprise to a man who never had enough ready money to stock a chiffonier to fall headlong into 400 acres of alfalfa land and a herd of registered short horn cattle, and then discover that he is about to run for Congress by admiring friends. Some of the most startling social successes on record in this country have been achieved by people who struck oil at a time when they were about to substitute middlings for wheat flour. Money will oftentimes enable a man to succeed where sterling worth can't get a check cashed without being identified by the resident pastor.

Success can be defined by the way you look at it. In every town and vil-

lage in this country there are men and women who have to scrimp on the meat bill in order to meet the taxes, but who are never too tired or busy to sit up with a sick neighbour or nurse a neighbour's child. Nobody but the recording angel can keep track of the men with big hearts and small salaries who slip into the back door of the grocery and order provisions sent to a needy home, or who fill some unfortunate's coal bin out of an already slim purse. When the great day comes there will be a lot of shining faces in heaven, worn by people who on earth never seemed able to get two jumps ahead of a writ of attachment.

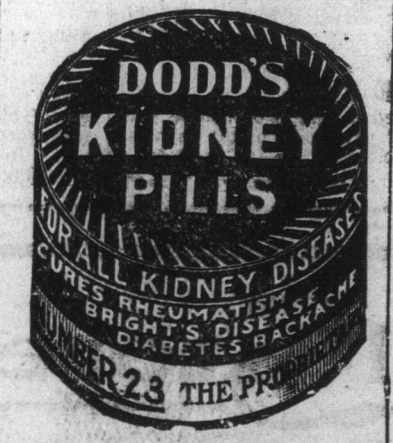
There are times when success seems to land on the side of the fakir, the quack and the crook. This causes many people to wonder if the Bible is true, and tempts others to invest in securities which yield 120 per cent. interest if acted upon before the stock is all gone. Success which gets there by picking the pockets of the ignorant or simple-minded usually winds up in remorse and a uniform furnished by the state.

TO WAR'S CREDIT.



WALT MASON

The war has done some good, at least for it has maimed the foul-est beast that ever fed on men; Boozie is the hungry monster's name, and governments have kicked its f r a m e again and y e t again. The divers governments up rose and said, "If we would swat the foe, and knock them galley east, our soldiers must be sober guys, without bad tastes or bloodshot eyes, and so we'll curb the Beast. No man is fit to bleed and die who's tanked himself with old red rye, no soldier should be stewed; and so, if we would hope to win, we'll have to put the lid on gin, and all of Boozie's brood." We read about the millions slain, of dead men lying in the rain, and of war's horrors yawn; but all the dead o'er whom we weep make but a trifling little heap compared with Boozie's crop. The governments are kicking Boozie with large steel spikes upon their shoes, they slug him with a brick; and Boozie's is scared and hollow-eyed, he kniks where once he strode in pride, the heart within him sick. The Beast is doomed, so let it die; the war has shown the critter why it's neither safe nor sane; so we may view the world-wide fray more patiently, tho' while, and say, "The war is not in vain."



MINARD'S LINIMENT CURES BURNS, ETC.

## Municipal Council.

Mayor Gosling presided at the regular weekly meeting of the Municipal Council yesterday.

The Colonial Secretary wrote the Council in relation to a sewer which was used by the Reid Nfld. Co.

The Council will consider the matter.

The Engineer will arrange to take away a quantity of gravel from the residence of R. Bowering, Cookstown Road.

F. Smallwood wrote the Council that he would be responsible for the amount of repairs to the sidewalk in front of his Water Street shoe store. The Council appreciates Mr. Smallwood's actions in that respect.

A. H. Willis was refused compensation for replacing an earthen connection with the main sewer by an iron one, as in the first instance Mr. Willis should not have been given permission to lay earthen pipes to his house. The amount claimed is \$60.00.

Plans were submitted for the proposed new S. A. Citadel. The Engineer will have to receive more complete plans.

P. Hanley's letter complaining of conditions of King's Road and Duckworth Street reached the Council after the work in question had been completed.

The sprinkler system at the Royal Stores had been erected and was working splendidly.

A Burt, Lower Battery, wrote that he was not prepared to pay \$50 for the extension of the water service to his home, but as the Council holds a letter in Mr. Burt's handwriting guaranteeing that he would pay the amount he will be asked to make good his promise.

## Obituary.

Another Newfoundland Has Paid the Supreme Sacrifice.

Sincere sympathy will go out to Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Richardson, of Bannerman Street, who have received the sad news that their beloved son, 66 Corp. Frank Richardson, was killed in action on August 16th, 1917. Corp. Richardson left here Oct. 4th, 1917, with the 1st Nfld. Regiment and as his number indicates he was one of the first to answer his country's call. He was a veteran of the Gallipoli campaign. Corp. Richardson was slightly wounded in that memorable charge on July 1st, 1916, and was brought to Wandsworth Hospital to recover from wounds received on that Glorious Day. After being granted a furlough which he spent at Ayr. On Dec. 28th he was transferred again to France where he remained until April 14th, when again he was in action at Monchy-Le-Preux and came through unscathed as letters received by his mother saying he was well and enjoying good health after that drive. But on August 16th, 1917, he paid the Supreme Sacrifice. This young life was cut short at the age of 22 in the bloom of manhood. He was an ex-pupil of St. Patrick's School, and a life-long member of the C. C. C. and also the Holy Name Society. For those left it is indeed hard to lose a loved son, but be brave in your sorrow (as he was brave) and proud of your gallant son.

For greater love hath no man than to lay down his life for that of his friends. R. I. P.

## Overmantels!

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## To-Day's Message

9.30 A. M.

ROUMANIAN REPLY

On the southern Roumanian frontier yesterday the Russians were from Trebitz and pressed the heights beyond the direction of the Suchitza. To-day's official report from the front.

FRENCH FRONT

The War Office issued a statement to-night: "The military activity on both the Meuse, the rest of the front."

BRITISH STEAMER

AN ATLANTIC PORT. Word has been received stating that the British steamer Verdie was sunk by loss of six of the crew. She was for an English port on August 12. A cable from the owners of the Verdie, members of her crew, saved with the exception of the lives of the crew, the owners said the vessel was sunk 5 days ago.

GERMANY AND THE

WASHINGTON. Jas. Keely, a Chicago declared here to-day that he had knowledge to reveal Ambassador Gerard's mind. He said that Germany had not Britain joint intervention in affairs and the ending of the Doctrine. "Last winter when I read a long editorial in the London papers," he said, "which stated that Germany had peace at any price, I sent to give Gerard a copy. In Central and South America ready had an appointment. British official in question, him whether any such proposal was made to his Government as he knew, he said it had been made in Germany. This official told me before the war started that Ambassador in London had an appointment with him as representative and clearing the Kaiser. It was granted. He had not conversed with the official two minutes when he said: 'Would it not be a good thing if Government and my Government block the evident design of the'"

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