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on sighting Laurence's haggard face. "Mercy on us! What's wrong with you?" Laurence asked, passing his hand over his eyes. "What? No, I see you've taken it off. You want a shave, but that's not it. You're a wreck, man alive, but that's been done for you. I expect I do look cheap. I was up last night, and I couldn't sleep. Harper made a gesture of anger. "You're nipping now, first thing in the morning! You fool, you weary man. What do you want?" "I want to borrow a trawler, Mr. Harper," Laurence began, humbly. "Why?" "I want to go to Iceland and back as quickly as ever I can. I want to get there before the Wednesday boat. Why don't you ask to borrow the trawler? You've enough cursed money." "I'm not impudent—I don't mean to be at least. I've very important business for crew and coal and the use of the boat." "I'll see you do it if I live, but first of all, I want to know the nature of this wild-goose chase." "I can't tell you," Mr. Harper, Laurence said, "I feel a heartened and unshapely. Full of the importance of this mission, and set upon its fulfilment as he was, he had never anticipated any opposition here. Yet now Harper seemed more too ready to oblige him, and without his aid he would be reduced to going by the passenger boat. That meant three days' delay, and, supplied by drink and sleeplessness as he was, a feat that Mortimer would not send a representative by the same boat seemed little less than a certainty. "I can't tell you," he repeated. "It's not my business, Mr. Harper. I must see the boat." "If it's none of your business, I'll not ask you in meddling with other people's affairs," Harper said. "You'll get no boat from me. You're a damn man, come here at this hour of the morning to rout me out of my bed to borrow a trawler, as cool as if you were

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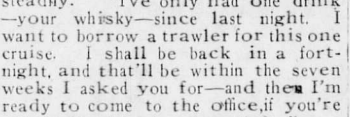
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I'll break your jaw first and drag you there by the beard afterwards." Menzies departed on his mission without a word, and Laurence addressed the little group of men.

"Any of you on the Columbia?" he asked.

"One of them happened to be a member of the crew and on him Laurence straightway laid commands.

"The crew and gear to come out of her before night," he said. "Get a move on you and beat up the crew, send 'em down to the wharfside, to start. I can't spare time to kick all of you about it. If I had that crew I'd refuse, take the next one that offers. I'll give a sovereign to the man that takes his place. We sail to-night, and there's a matter of ten tons of extra coal to get stowed on board when the fishing gear comes out. Get the key of the coal shed from the storekeeper—told him I said it was Mr. Harper's orders. Tell the fireman to get steam up. I'll be ashore most of the day, in clothes, replacing them with those he's accustomed to wear at sea.

"Guthrie says he'll not work on the Sabbath," he announced. "An' the Columbia won't sail before the morning. You go back to him and tell him to get to the deuce," Laurence said cheerfully. "The Columbia sails to-night, and if he hasn't turned up she'll go without him. I'll be skipper, and his blessed 'Sawab' 'll have left him a fortnight's work."

All through the day Laurence labored strenuously persuading her, pleading or ordering thereby promises or oaths, until the stores sent down to the wharf, or receiving and answering messages sent up from the boat. The town was shrouded in the forbidding silence of a Scottish Sunday. All things seemed to conspire to delay him, and in the encountering and overcoming of obstacles he almost forgot the pain at his heart. At four o'clock in the afternoon he drove on to the wharfside with his bag and a small but heavy suitcase, and showed to one of the crew to come and aid him in getting it aboard the boat. "Handle that tenderly," he ordered. "It's dynamite, and if you drop it you'll go where the devil wants you, quicker than you want to. Is steam up?"

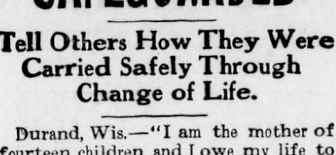
It was, and by five o'clock the Columbia's bows were swinging outwards towards the waters of the Fifth, her churning screw, and her great cow astern, thrashing farewell to the land.

At the last moment the men broke into open mutiny. "We've no food aboard," they cried, and one of the bold spirits jumped upon the bulwarks with a view to bringing towards the slowly receding wharf, Laurence swung him onto the deck before he had time to leap. "Then you'll starve," he said grimly. "The more reason to make her move. We're for Iceland, and if you shove her along you'll get a bellyful of dried fish inside of four days." He said nothing about the packages of stores he had sent on board, which the men ignorant of their nature had placed in his cabin. They were amply sufficient for all hands, but all his harder nature was revived by his return to the old life surrounding him, and the dull misery in which his soul was steeped called aloud for the relief of open strife.

The scuffle that ensued was as brutal a rough-and-tumble as he could have desired. Two of the men, with the fear of a voyage on short commons before them, rushed at him together. "He's daft!" they cried. "Averil's daft!" and, crying to the

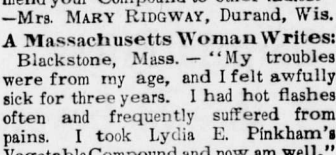
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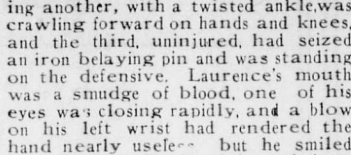
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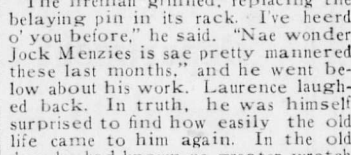
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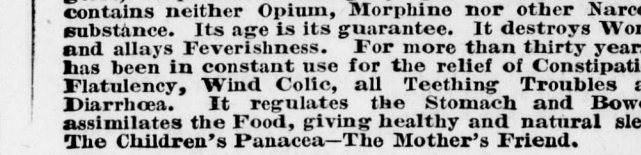
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