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FLEETER BULLET FOR ROSS RIFLE

Sharp-nosed Missiles Soon to Be Issued in Canada

30 2,700 FEET A SECOND

New Bullet Will Not Rise Higher Than Man's Head When Shooting at 800 Yards—Has Greater Penetrative Power.

(Toronto Globe)

"If you are cornered, get behind the biggest oak tree you can find," may be an important thing for Canadian militia men to remember when the new needle-pointed bullet, shortly to be issued, comes into use.

It is understood that improvement in boring at the rifle ranges. Only men equipped with Ross rifles will be able to use it until the Lee-Enfield rifle is reconstructed, as the chamber of the Lee-Enfield now in use in the old country is not built strong enough to discharge the needle-pointed, high-power bullet with safety to the man behind the gun.

With the new bullet, Private W. J. Clifford, winner of the King's Prize, expects to see considerable improvement in boring at the rifle ranges.

Female Onlooker (to her companion, in a shockingly tall whisper)—"Did you hear that, Jess. He says she's 'too old,' and low me if she don't look it!"

EXTRAVAGANCE. Farmer's son (who has just returned from his annual visit to Glasgow)—"Aye, uther, an' I bocht a bairometer—it tells you when it's gain the rain, ye ken."

HEARD ON THE BASIN. He—I would, too, if it wasn't for the morning after.

SILVERWARE FREE

In appearance and utility this silverware is exceptionally attractive. They are better polished, as carefully as any pieces of metal in the market.

THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF DAVID WALKER. The matter of the estate of David Walker, deceased, came up for trial on May 7, 1909, before the Hon. Mr. Justice Gwynne.

IN THE COURTS

PROBATE COURT.

In the probate court yesterday the will of William L. Hayford, retired lumber merchant, was proved. He gives to his wife \$10,000, and the rest of his property to his daughter, Mary R. Henderson, wife of William A. Henderson, and nominates her as executrix.

GIVING HER A TIP.

The two ladies had been to the opera at a local theatre, and going home in the tram, they discussed the evening's amusement.

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MARINE JOURNAL

Monday, Feb. 19. Stmr Prosperina, 6317, Main, Liverpool via Halifax, Wm Thomson & Co.

Tuesday, Feb. 20. Stmr Karama, 3553, Moggs, Melbourne, Sydney and New Zealand ports, J T Knight & Co.

Wednesday, Feb. 21. Stmr Inishowen Head, 1968, Pickford, Port Talbot, Wm Thomson & Co.

Thursday, Feb. 22. Stmr Nancy Lee, 1892, Murdoch, Havana, Sydney and New Zealand ports.

Friday, Feb. 23. Stmr Karama, 3553, Moggs, Melbourne, Sydney and New Zealand ports.

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But the thing goes deeper than the sources of speech. The people who look behind the curtain and see the nature of the radical change in the man's nature, make the matter plain. I must describe the difference between the old whiskers and the new.

THE SHIP ERNE. (Boston Transcript.)

The ship Erne is gone, and with her one more of those last surviving square-rigged vessels which still grace our port.

THE LITTLE BOY AND HIS DREAM. (Grantland Rice, in Nashville Tennessean.)

The Little Boy smiled in his sleep that night.

As he wandered to Twilight Town; And his feet lit up with a heavenly light.

Through the shadows that drifted down; But he woke next morning with tear-stained eyes.

In the light of the gray dawn's gleam; And out from the stillness we heard him cry:

"I've lost my dream—my dream!" And he told us then, in his childish way.

Of the wonderful dream he'd known; He had wandered away from the land of Play.

To the distant land of the Crown; He had won his share of the fame and light.

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