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### New Years and Battles of Peace

By RUTH CAMERON.



Good morning, reader friends, I wish you all a Happy New Year. Now do not tell me that in this war-ridden world there is not such a thing as a happy New Year. To be sure, there may not be many prosperous made happy New Years just now, but there are plenty of happy New Years ready for those who have the grit to make them out of their own optimism and courage. And after all, home-made, heart-made happy New Years come pretty near being the best kind because they're less easily lost or destroyed.

Suppose you think of some of these things and face your minor sacrifices with good courage, or if, by any possible chance, you have none to make, suppose you try to help someone who has.

I don't believe in using other folks' miseries as a back ground to set off our own good fortune but I do believe in using them as a goal to sting oneself into shape when one dares fret at little troubles.

**Soldiers of Peace.**  
Peace hath her victories no less than war and she has her heroes and her cowards too. We soldiers of peace can show ourselves just as brave and fine as the soldiers in the trenches. And as our battle song for this strange new year 1915, let us take into our hearts the finest marching song ever written for the battle of life.

"One who never turned his back but marched breast forward. Never doubted clouds would break. Never dreamed, though right were worsted, wrong would triumph. Held we fall to rise, are baffled to fight better, sleep to wake."

ROBERT BROWNING.

*Ruth Cameron*

Athens, Dec. 26.—Anticipating that the Allies will be able to force the Dardanelles and attack Constantinople itself, the Turks have transported heavy guns from Adrianople to San Stephano and Kadikoi, according to advices received here. From these two points the Turks will make their final fight against attempts to enter the Golden Horn.

### Second Contingent Complete Army Division.

Ottawa, Dec. 27.—Contrary to previous arrangements, the Second Contingent from Canada will comprise a complete army division. It was at first intended that four of the infantry battalions at Salisbury which are over and above the strength of a full division would be taken to form the nucleus of the Second Canadian division. This arrangement has been abandoned.

Twelve of the eighteen battalions at Salisbury have been included in the first division leaving a surplus of six. These are the 6th battalion, the 9th, the 11th, the 12th and the 17th. In addition there is the Princess Patricia's which has been brigaded with members of Kitchener's army.

### Cavalrymen to Go.

The 6th battalion is composed completely of former cavalrymen, including the Fort Garry Horse, 18th Mounted Rifles and other units. These men who joined the infantry in the hope of ultimately being allowed to go mounted are to have their desire satisfied for they are to be utilized as reinforcements for the Strathcona's, the Royal Canadian Dragoons, and the divisional cavalry. The 9th, 11th, 12th and 17th are to be utilized for the purpose of providing infantry reinforcements.

It would appear from the above that it is intended to send the remainder of the division to the front at an early date.

On account of this arrangement a larger number than at first expected will be required for the second division which will be re-organized as follows:

Fourth Infantry Brigade—The 18th battalion, London, 19th and 20th, Toronto, 21st Kingston.

Fifth Infantry Brigade—22nd French Canadian battalion, St. John, Quebec, 24th Montreal, 25th Halifax, 26th St. John, N.B.

Sixth Infantry Brigade—27th and 28th Winnipeg, 29th Vancouver, 31st, Calgary.

The 23rd Quebec may be included in the Fifth Brigade.

### Hr. Grace Notes.

We wish the Telegram, its staff and readers a very prosperous New Year.

Those of our citizens who are interested, were very pleased to hear of the Mongolian's safe arrival at Glasgow.

Several of the Naval Reserve boys now on the Calypso, were given leave to visit their homes and friends here during Christmas. Three more volunteers for the service left here yesterday morning for St. John's.

Miss Maylie Archibald, of the General Hospital, St. John's, spent Xmas Day with her friends here. We were glad to see her.

We were shown a few days ago, a 1915 calendar with a very fine photo of the Hr. Grace members of the 1st Nfld. Regiment. The photo was taken by Capt. John Tucker shortly before the Regiment disembarked from the transport Florida. The photo is an excellent one, and we hope the genial captain will remember his promise.

How far-reaching are notes in the Telegram may be seen by the fact that a Hr. Grace lady now in Boston after reading our notes sent a dollar to a friend to buy a Christmas dinner for one who was known to be ill and in poor circumstances. Before the letter arrived the poor person had passed away surrounded by several kind friends. Such kindness and thoughtfulness deserves to be written in letters of gold.

Miss Elsie Tetford spent Christmas Day with her parents here, and left for St. John's on Monday afternoon.

Two young lads of town being impressed with the wrong idea of celebrating Christmas, thought they would get a little fire water from St. John's to help them celebrate. Accordingly one of the lads sent money to a friend there for the "stuff" with the request that it be sent in the father's name, they intending to be on time to take delivery. But a younger brother who happened to be sent to the station for a parcel for his mother was given the sawya, and so the plot was discovered. "Be sure your sins will find you out."

The news that Bell Island will open next week was received here with great pleasure by the workmen and also by their friends.

Hr. Grace, Dec. 30, 1914. —COR.

### The "Madonna of the Slums."

The "Madonna of the Slums," or on New Year's Eve, the great reel feature presented at the Crescent Picture Palace yesterday is said by the large audience who attended the afternoon and evening shows to be one of the best features ever seen in the city, and the other three pictures that made up the programme is of the same superior grade; the same great show will be repeated to-day and those who could not attend yesterday should do so to-day as this fine picture will not be shown after to-day.

Mr. J. O'Neil Farrell, the popular baritone, sings "I used to be afraid to go home in the dark," a very catchy novelty song that commands rounds of applause.

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### Patriotic Fair at St Anthony

On Wednesday, the 16th of December, a Fair was held at St. Anthony for the benefit of the Patriotic Fund. Lady Davidson very kindly gave her patronage and the fair realized \$475 an amount which included a gift of \$50 from Mr. Joseph Moore, and contributions from other friends and nearby villages. Lock's Cove sent \$10 and a buyer as well, while others from outside came to buy also.

The enthusiasm was quite unprecedented. Three men gave the raffle of their fingers to be sold for the benefit of the Fund, while one young man gave his watch. It seemed as though every man and woman had a share in making something. The donations included new snow shoes, dog whips, komatiks, hooked mats, artificial flowers in pots, skin boots, fancy work, cakes, candy, ice cream, dried fish, ducks, carving work, and even a model boat windmill, and a model team of dogs, with real puppets, beautifully stuffed by the donors. One remarkable thing was that everything was sold. A loaf of bread was auctioned for sixty cents, while a cake which a fisherman bought for a dollar and a half, he allowed to be auctioned off all over again for the benefit of the Fund.

A concert was given at the close of the fair, with a reproduction of the old English Morris dances. The dancers were in costume, and there was a clown on a hobby horse thrown in, who created a great deal of amusement.

Four hundred and seventy dollars a good start, but we consider it only a start. The French Shore is going to do its best to make it up to a thousand dollars. Griset is now organizing to help on in the work while Conche, Englee & Cape Norm are expecting to do the same. The smaller villages near these places hope each to have stalls of their own and every village is going to make it stall the best in the sale.

St. Anthony Orange Lodge has voted a further one hundred and twenty dollars. We realize that we honor ourselves by giving far more than by receiving, and we believe it is a disgrace for any Newfoundlanders to have to say: "I gave nothing to my King and Country"—when thousands of our fellow men are freely giving their lives for us. These facts make it possible for every man to say "I was able to help." Every man and every woman can make and bring something, if it is only a load of firewood or a loaf of bread. Even the children worked for this fair, while a Committee of ladies got the whole thing up and managed it, attending even to the decoration and refreshments. God bless 'em."

WILFRID GRENPELL.

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