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From chapter 4 of the novel "Ninety Three," Translation of Frank Lee Bene-

THEY heard a noise unlike anything usually heard. The cry and the noise came from inside the vessel. One of the carronand the hoise came from hiside the vessel. One of the carronades of the battery, a 24-pounder, had become detached. This, perhaps, is the most formidable of ocean events. Nothing more terrible can happen to a war vessel at sea and under full sail. A cannon which breaks its moorings becomes abruptly some indescribable supernatural beast. What is to be done? A tempest ceases, a cyclone passes, a wind goes down, a broken mast is replaced, a leak is stopped, a fire put out; but what shall be done with this enormous brute of bronze? brute of bronze?

All of a sudden, in that kind of unapproachable circuit wherein the escaped cannon bounded, a man appeared, with an iron bar in his hand. It was the author of the catastrophe, the chief gunner, guilty of negligence and the cause of the accident, the master of the

Then a wild exploit commenced; a Titanic spectacle; the combat of the gun with the gunner; the battle of matter and intelligence; the duel of an animate and the inanimate. On one side force, on the other a soul. A soul! a strange thing! one would have thought the cannon had one also, but a soul of hate and rage. This sightless the cannon had one also, but a soul of nate and rage. This sightless thing seemed to have eyes. The monster appeared to watch the man. There was cunning in this mass. It chose its moment. It was a kind of gigantic insect of iron, having the will of a demon. At times this collossal grasshopper would strike the low ceiling of the battery, then fall back on its four wheels like a tiger on its four claws, and commence again to dart upon the man. He, supple, agile, adroit, writhed like an adder in guarding against all its lightning-like movements

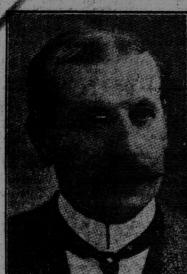
Such things cannot last long. The cannon seemed to say all at once: "Come! there must be an end to this!" and it stopped. The man had taken refuge at the foot of the ladder, a few steps from an old man who was present. The gunner held his handspike at rest. The cannon seemed to perceive him, and without taking the trouble to turn round, fell back on the man with the promptness of an axestroke. The man if driven against the side was lost. All the crew

gave a cry.

But the old passenger, till then immovable, sprang forward, more rapidly than all those wild rapidities. He had seized a bale of false assignats, and at the risk of being crushed, he had succeeded in throwing it between the wheels of the cannon. The bale had the matter than the right of the cannon of a tree diverts in throwing it between the wheels of the cannon. The bale had the effect of a plug. A pebble stops a bulk; a branch of a tree diverts an avalanche. The cannon stumbled. The gunner, in his turn, taking advantage of this terrible juncture, plunged his iron bar between the spokes of one of the hind wheels. The cannon stopped. The man, using his bar as a lever, made it rock. The heavy mass turned over, with the noise of a bell tumbling down, and the man, rushing headlong, attached the slip-knot of the gun-tackle to the bronze neck of the conquered monster. It was finished. The man had vanquished. The ant had subdued the mastodon; the pigmy had made a prisoner of the thunderbolt.

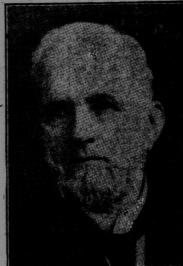
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Queenstown, Sept 22—Sld, str Oceanic, New York. Avonmouth, Sept 22—Ard, str Royal Ed-ward, Montreal. A Statement of Facts Backed by

FOREIGN PORTS.
Antwerp, Sept 21—Sld, str Montezuma,

Montreal.

City Island, Sept 22—Bound south, str. Florizel, St. John's (Nfid) and Halifax; schs Emily Anderson, Maitland; Roger Drury, St. John via Bridgeport.

Vineyard Haven, Sept 22—Ard, schs Lavolta, for St. John; Peerless, Greenwich (Conn) for do; Wandrian, New York for Walton; A K. Woodward, Liverpool (N. S) for City Island.

New York, Sept 22—Ard, str. Lusitania, Liverpool.

In the police court yesterday afternoon the case against Roy L. Potts and Thomas Daley, the two boys who in conjunction with Messrs. Armstrong, Denzinger and Dooley, were charged with the showing of the fight pictures in the Queen's Rink without a license, was dismissed.

Lord Northcliffe, of England, passed through the city last night in his private car, accompanied by Lady Northcliffe, Mrs. D. Pennant, G. S. Sutton, and his private secretary, M. McGillivray.

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