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CHRISTMAS AND WAR.

The war has not proved that Christianity has failed. Vital Christianity, which has less to do with creeds than with human welfare, and which Germany has repudiated, will come out of the war vindicated and strengthened.

DOUBT IN GERMANY.

There are evidences that the people of Germany are beginning to ask themselves how long this war is to last, and what they are fighting for.

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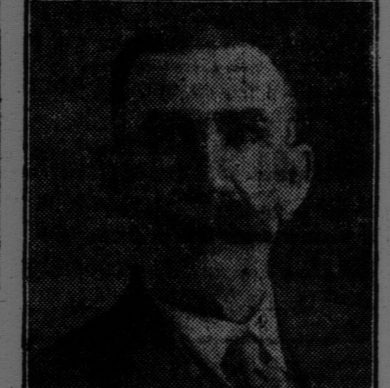
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WOMEN FROM CHINA

Vanouver, B. C., Dec. 24.—Confined in the cells of the police station here are three Chinese girls, who, as far as is known, are the first female stowaways to land in Canada.

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Train of Thought Inspired By a Letter About "Fruit-a-tives."



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One Way to Get It

"I wish you would tell him that I've sworn off drinking."

Her Definition

"Now, Dorothy," said the teacher to a small pupil, "can you tell me what a panther is?"

Try It

Young Enthusiast.—(After hearing lecture on Light, etc.)—I want to try something for the good of humanity, something I have never done in my life before."

Crushed Hopes.

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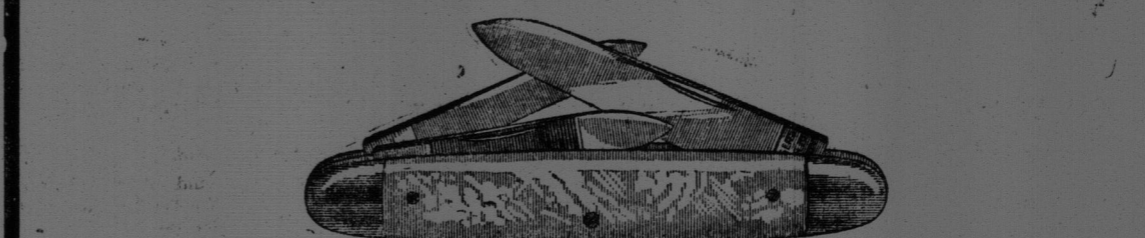
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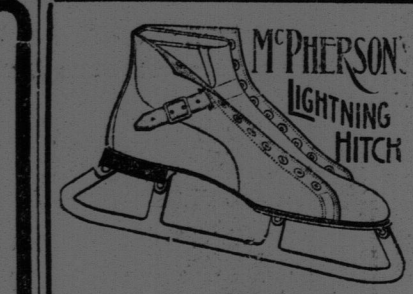
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