

TWO MEN AND A WOMAN.

By Alec G. Pearson.

The schooner, yacht Aurora was shipping... The three people with whom this story has to do were seated on the after-part of the yacht's deck...

And yet there were mutual acquaintances who had long guessed at a certain state of affairs of which Tremayne had not the remotest suspicion...

Presently Hammond took a cigar from his case, and while he was searching in his pockets for a box of matches he overheard...

When he had finished the second parcel of the epistle, Tremayne folded it up and placed it in his pocket...

He paused, then jumped into the cockpit and gripped the tiller. There was a loud hissing close at hand...

Neither of the men spoke again. Hammond remained crouching in the bows, while Tremayne, eyes and ears alert, stood at the tiller...

They arrived at the week at dead low water. Tremayne made the cutter fast alongside and stopped on board, followed by Hammond.

"The trip was scarcely worth taking on a day like this simply to see the remains of this old rattle-trap," exclaimed Hammond, with some disgust.

"I agree with you," replied Tremayne. "But I had quite another reason for coming here. Now that we are alone and free from interruption, I should like to ask you if you have ever seen this before?"

Hammond took the document and glanced at it. One look was enough. He turned white to the lips, but made no reply.

"You recognize it?" continued Tremayne. "You found it?"

FOR THE TILLERS OF THE SOIL.

TANKAGE AS PIG FEED.

The corn-fed pigs were of unusual interest. These contained some offensive smelling material...

THE COVERED BARNYARD.

The present time of year should show to the fullest extent whatever benefits may pertain to a covered barnyard.

NOVA SCOTIA VESSEL BURNED FOR PLUNDER.

Three-masted Schooner Cavalier Wrecked and Looted at San Domingo.

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Negotiations With St. John Parties for a Steamer for This Service.

SHARP'S BALSAM OF HOREHOUND AND AHSIED.

It is a terrible thing, isn't it? Somewhat that awful cough, that hard struggle for air, can never be forgotten. Be a little fore-handed and prevent it.

Advertisement for Sharp's Balsam of Horehound and Ahsied, featuring a bottle illustration and text describing its benefits for coughs and colds.

DEATHS.

THORNE—At Chicago yesterday, the 9th St. Stephen Thorne, aged 51 years, formerly a resident of this city.

SHIP NEWS.

PORT OF ST. JOHN. Arrived. Friday, March 7. Coastwise—Schooner Bessie A., 26, Colton, from Parrbro.

Shipping Notes. The Italian league Vermont, 978 tons, has been chartered to load deals at this port for a Spanish Mediterranean port.

CANADIAN PORTS.

Halifax, March 7—C.M. stmr Karlsruhe, for Baltimore via New York.

FOREIGN PORTS.

Boston, March 7—Artd, stmr Pomeranian, from Glasgow, Anglin, from London; Artd, stmr Kingstonian, from London; Artd, stmr North Star, from Portland, Me.

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