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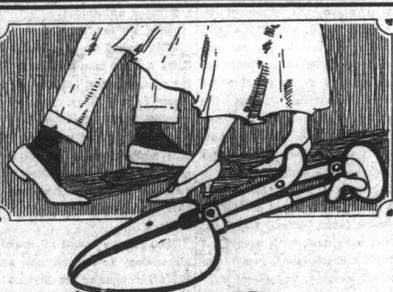
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#### Preliminary Notice.

The Annual Meeting of the Nfld. Auxiliary Bible Society will be held in the Methodist College Hall on Wednesday evening, 26th February, at 8 o'clock. Particulars later.

W. R. STIRLING,

Hon. Secretary.

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The Regular Meeting of Terra Nova Council, No. 1452, will be held on Tuesday evening, Feb. 18th, at 8.30 o'clock.

C. J. CAHILL,

Fin. Sec'y.

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#### B. I. S.

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By order,

T. P. HALLEY,

Hon. Sec'y.

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## The Heir of Rosedene

### The Game-Keeper's Hut

CHAPTER XV.  
ROSEDENE.

Edna spoke to the children in her frank, girlish way, patting their rosy cheeks, and lifting the youngest, a bonny little girl, for a kiss, thereby winning the mother for all eternity, and having left a glow of delight and happiness on the group, went on her way. It was a rather roundabout way, as she missed the cross; but suddenly she came upon what she sought. Before her, starting out into view between the tall pines, rose the red-bricked facade of More House. It could not have been seen to better advantage, and to Edna, associated as it was with a subtle sentiment of mystery and romance, it was intensely interesting. To her it looked like the palace of the sleeping beauty, with the spell still unbroken. The windows along its wide-stretching front turning their dusty, shuttered faces to the evening sun, that struggled through the thick belt of trees, and made the neglected garden and weed-grown terrace look weirdly cheerless and solemn.

Edna gazed and gazed until the spell, which seemed to hang over the place fell upon her, and she felt a dim consciousness of being a part and parcel of it. Had she seen it before? Never, unless it was in a dream, or an engraving of it in some old county history among her father's books. Anyway, it seemed familiar to her in a subtle, indefinite degree; and, with a distinct sense of relief, she gradually withdrew her gaze and turned away; but before she did so, she stretched out her arms toward it saying, wistfully:

"What is there that draws me toward you, old house? Is it because we are both deserted, and left to stand alone in the world?"

Yes, it was under a spell—the spell of misfortune and misrule. Only one man at present could break through that charm, and wake the place into life again; and he could have done it easily if he had but consented to marry her; rather than do it, he had chosen to leave the home of his ancestors to ruin and decay.

Edna's cheek burned, her heart

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maid ever tempt you to use the hare's foot, my dear; they will do it if they can, but always stand firm; you have no idea what bother I have had with some of them, but I have always said, 'Checks are yellow, are they? I prefer them yellow; keep your rouge pots for French women and play actors—to whom it is no shame to use it. Well, I must not sit gossiping here all day. You will not forget? Monday, at eight o'clock.'

"At eight; very well, your grace," said Aunt Martha, with a look of mild triumph at Edna, who could not repress a little start.

And this chatty, amiable, homely lady was the great duchess! Edna was astonished by the great difference between the reality and the ideal she had imagined of that personage; she did not reflect that the duchess might have shown a very different manner if she had not taken a fancy to her new neighbors.

Her grace was not only pleased with the young heiress and her simple, single-hearted aunt, but charmed with the house and its surroundings.

"I always said it was the prettiest place in the county," she said, as she got into her carriage, and Edna stood at the steps quite at her ease, and making a pretty picture against the background of dark brickwork, "excepting More Park."

Then, as Edna colored, the good-natured duchess remembered the story of wicked Sir Cyril, and anxious to remove any pain her slip of the tongue might have caused, she bent her head and said:

"Good-by, my dear; give me a kiss, will you?"

Edna put up her pretty, young face and the duchess with a sigh—she had no laughter of her own, and she would have bartered her title and the Arleigh jewels for one—was driven off.

### CHAPTER XVI. COUNTY SOCIETY.

The invasion had commenced, for it was soon known that the duchess had called upon Miss Weston, of Rosedene, and that she was favorably impressed. Thereupon everybody else hastened to follow suit and be charmed in like manner.

Before the week was out most of the county families had called or left cards for Miss and Mrs. Weston, and when it was known that they were to dine at the castle, on Monday, the duchess was assailed on all sides with hints and almost outspoken requests for an invitation to meet them; it was not every day that such a romance occurred as that with which Edna was connected, and people were anxious to make the most of it. Monday came round, and Edna and Aunt Martha started for the castle.

It was the drive of an hour through the prettiest part of the county. The moon was fast rising behind the gaunt chimneys of More Park as they passed it, and Edna thought how beautiful it would look when the moon was high and the moon was high in the heavens.

"If I am asleep and you are awake as we come home, aunt, wake me just here," she said, with a laugh.

Through country lanes, just beginning to grow green, and along well-kept roads, the new carriage took them, and presently Edna saw a vast pile rise in the semi-darkness from a belt of elms with square patches of light streaming into the night; then the carriage rattled over a draw-bridge and pulled up with a clatter of restless hoofs at the entrance door of the courtyard.

Instantly three footmen in the ducal livery hastened to assist the Rosedene footmen in the arduous task of letting down the steps and opening the door, and the whole five, with an air of the most profound importance, made a lane for Edna and Aunt Martha.

"That's settled, then," continued the lady, patting Edna's head. "I am very glad to see you, my dear, and I hope we shall make you happy among us. Bless me, we none of us understood that the great heiress was such a child. Why, my dear, you will have all the men fighting for you, and the worst of the lot running away with you in a post chaise and four. Ah! they don't do that now—more's the pity, sometimes. They did it in our day, Mrs. Weston."

"That they did," said Aunt Martha, starting off in a series of reminiscences. "I remember young Lady Mary running away with Capt. Parker and getting married in an out-of-the-way place, and coming back the same day to her people, as if nothing had happened. Why, Edna, my dear, the sun has caught your face, you are quite burned, or perhaps it's the fire after the cold air."

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Aunt Martha to pass through. They entered an enormous hall lined with suits of armor, on which hung portraits of dead and gone Arleighs. Edna noticed a great carved gallery for musicians before she passed out into a broad passage which led to the salons. Footman after footman heralded the way and ushered them, and at last they announced and entered the drawing room. It was such a blaze of light and gold, and crimson, contrasting with the sober hues of the oaken hall, that Edna was almost blinded and confused, but she saw the duchess and a tall, white-haired man, with a kingly presence, coming toward her, and felt that the latter was the duke. There were about a dozen persons in the room, most of whom were unknown to Edna, and before she had quite recovered her composure—it was all such a glitter of rank and natural magnificence—a bell rang, and dinner was announced. Eight o'clock to the minute, punctually being a virtue much respected at the castle.

The guests paired and walked into the adjoining room, a dining room, just large enough to be noble, and yet not too large for comfort, with paneled oak and walnut, upon which the light of numerous wax candles, held by antique bronzes, was reflected dimly.

Lord Portfield took Edna in, saying as she placed her hand on his arm:

"This is an honor that I did not expect; it was to have fallen to my son, but he is late, unluckily for him."

However, before they had all taken their seats the door was opened, and a footman announced:

"Lord Mersey."

Edna looked up and, lo and behold, there was the man she had taken first for a gamekeeper, and then for a professor on a holiday. Dressed in the regulation suit of sables, the air of high breeding and gentle birth was still more marked, and Edna felt a certain amount of pleasure when he took his seat beside her, and his father moved to another part of the table.

Lord Mersey bowed all round, made his apology to the duchess, and then sat contemplating the flowers with a placid air of abstraction.

Soup was served, and a gentle murmur of conversation had commenced, when he turned to Edna suddenly, as if he had just remembered her, and said:

"Do you know which is Miss Weston—is it that lady?" and he looked toward Aunt Martha, who was in a deep discussion on lace with Lady Portfield.

"No," said Edna, amused, "that is Mrs. Weston, Miss Weston's aunt. I am called Miss Weston."

"You!" he said, putting his soup spoon down to stare at her. "You are Miss Weston—why, how old are you?—I mean—I beg your pardon—" Edna laughed.

"I am glad you did not press the question."

(To be Continued.)

2720—Seersucker, gingham, galates, drill, khaki, percale, lawn and linen may be used for this style. The sleeve length may be in wrist or elbow length. The dress is a one-piece model.

The Pattern is cut in 7 sizes: 34, 36, 38, 40, 42, 44 and 46 inches bust measure. Size 38 requires 6 1/2 yards of 36-inch material. Width at lower edge is 2 1/2 yards.

A pattern of this illustration mailed to any address on receipt of 10 cents in silver or stamps.

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"A COVER ALL APRON."



2723—This style is fine for gingham, seersucker, lawn, percale and calico, also for saten, drill and khaki.

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LADIES' HOUSE DRESS.



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TO ROYAL NAVAL RESERVISTS:  
It is notified for information that the Government has ordered that there be paid an additional amount of 20c. per day from the time of the commencement of the War, in cases where men were then serving, or otherwise, from the time when their services began up to the time of discharge, or of decease, or to 30th Sept. 1917, inclusive. And the sum of 35c. per day from the 1st October, 1917, up to the time of discharge or decease.

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It is notified for information that the Government has ordered that the following Allowances, and additions to already existing Allowances, shall be paid:

1. A Clothing Allowance on the following sliding scale:
  - For men discharged up to 1st April, 1917—\$35.00.
  - For men discharged between 1st April, 1917, and 1st April, 1918—\$45.00.
  - For men discharged on or after 1st April, 1918—\$60.00.
2. A War Service Gratuity, in place of Post Discharge Pay, to be graduated up to six months' Pay and Allowances, exclusive of subsistence or allowances in lieu of rations and quarters. For men who have served in an actual theatre of war, or were on the strength of some recognized overseas establishment on Nov. 11th, 1918, the Gratuity is graded as follows:—
  - For three years' service or over—183 days' pay and allowances.
  - For two years' service and under three years—153 days' pay and allowances.
  - For one year's service and under two years—122 days' pay and allowances.
  - For less than one year's service—92 days' pay and allowances.

For men who have served overseas, and were discharged prior to November 11th, 1918, without having been in actual theatre of war, and for men who have served in Newfoundland only, the Gratuity is graded as follows:—

- For three years' service or over—92 days' pay and allowances.
- For two years' service and under three years—61 days' pay and allowances.
- For one year's service and under two years—31 days' pay and allowances.

In the case of an Officer or man without dependents whose pay and allowances, as above described, are less than \$70.00 for a 31 day period, a consolidated rate of \$70.00 will be paid in lieu of every 31 or 30 days' pay and allowances to which he is entitled.

In the case of an Officer or man, with dependents who are entitled or who, before his retirement or discharge, were entitled to Separation Allowances, whose pay and allowances including Separation Allowance is less than \$100.00 for a 31-day period, a consolidated rate of \$100.00 will be laid in lieu of every 31 or 30 days' pay and allowances to which he is entitled.

If part of, or all the gratuity under Post Discharge Pay Regulations has been paid to any officer or man, the amount so paid will be deducted from the Gratuity provided for by "War Service Gratuity" Regulations.

3. Separation Allowance to wives of members of the Regiment and to other dependents entitled thereto, shall be retroactive, making it effective from date of enlistment, or from the date when entitled to receive same under authorized Regulations.

The foregoing will necessitate a large amount of accounting and additional work, and it will not be possible for the Department of Militia to make payments before the 1st of March.

J. R. BENNETT,  
Minister of Militia.  
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**PARIS, Feb. 15.**—The Russian problem was again before the Supreme Council of the Allies today. This was the first time since the assembling of the conference at Princes Islands, when the day passes without a word, the hopes of holding the conference have not entirely been abandoned. The Supreme Council met at the Hotel de Ville, the Secretary of War, to-day, Mr. Churchill proposed further the adjustment of the Russian problem. No action was taken, however, which went to the general situation. The general situation is an adjustment of the situation and not to be encouraging.

**GERMAN CHANCELLOR.**

**WEIMAR, Germany, Feb. 13.**—Philip Scheidemann, the new German Government, to-day showed himself able to resist the demonstrations of the national assembly with no intention of being intimidated by the opposition or moved by the pressure of the national assembly. The national assembly has been so out of control that his speech was his only chance to Austria's desire to join the League of Nations. He said he desired no further advances and by the same time he wished to join us in the prevention. There was a threat in his warning. The Government is able to force any kind of a settlement upon the people in Germany, but if it is an unjust one, they will forgive or forget.

**NOT SATISFIED.**

**GENEVA, Feb. 15.**—The Swiss Telegraph Agency received a telegram from Berlin this morning stating that the German armistice commission had suspended the Allies at Spa, and they considered the new Armistice too severe. The German Government is complaining against the Armistice and future negotiations are predicted over the occupation of the Rhine towns, the expulsion of undesirable Germans, and the railway transportation.

**FOREIGN POLICY DISCUSSED.**

**BASLE, Feb. 15.**—The Foreign Secretary, in discussing Germany's foreign policy in the national assembly at Weimar, declared he had resisted

and would continue to resist Allied attempts to make Germany demobilize all her military forces. Germany, he continued, has shouldered the consequences of defeat and is determined to observe the conditions agreed upon with her adversaries. These conditions imply the complete renunciation of the political aims of the old Germany. We are ready to accept restrictions upon our sovereignty by compulsory submission of our differences with other states to international court of arbitration and the renunciation of our armament if our old adversaries and future neighbors submit to the same restrictions.

**MORE IMPUDENCE.**

**AMSTERDAM, Feb. 15.**—A note containing an insinuation that the occupation of German territory was not due to military superiority, according to the Cologne Zeitung, was handed in recently to the Allied armistice commission by the German delegates and is said to have drawn a very sharp retort on behalf of Marshal Foch. At the meeting of the armistice commission on February 7th, a French general, acting under instructions from Marshal Foch, the newspaper adds, refused to make an answer to the note and declared that it would be examined only if it was presented in a more courteous form. General Von Hammerstein, the leading German military delegate, postponed a declaration in the matter until the receipt of instructions from the German Government.

**TO SAVE WILHELM.**

**WEIMAR, Feb. 13.**—An urgent appeal to all Germans to unite to prevent former Emperor William from being delivered up for trial, was published to-night in the Landes Zeitung Deutschland, a new Government organ being issued here. The appeal is headed "League of German" men and women for the protection of the person, freedom and life of William.

**CAPITAL AND LABOR CONFERENCE.**

**LONDON, Feb. 16.**—The Government has decided to convene, probably within the present month, a national conference of representatives of capital and labor to seek a settlement of the industrial unrest. It is understood that representatives of the employers and all the leading trade unions will be invited, and that the Premier is devoting himself actively to the promotion of the conference which will be the most important ever assembled to deal with labor problems. It is expected that, there will be a

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**SHOOTING AFFRAY.**

**LONDON, Feb. 16.**—In a shooting affray between American naval men and negroes in Cardiff, two of the Americans were wounded, according to despatches to the Evening News from Cardiff.

**HOMEWARD BOUND.**

**ON BOARD THE U.S.S. GEORGE WASHINGTON, Feb. 15.**—President Wilson has nominated Hugh C. Wallace of Seattle, Ambassador to France, to fill the vacancy caused by the resignation of William Graves Sharp. This was the first official act of the President on his homeward journey. The President also despatched telegrams arranging for a brief ceremony in connection with the speech which he expects to make at Boston on Feb. 24th. It is expected that he will select a successor to Thomas W. Gregory in the Attorney Generalship of the United States before the ship reaches home waters.

**LAURIER PARALYZED.**

**OTTAWA, Feb. 16.**—Sir Wilfred Laurier was seized with a stroke of paralysis this afternoon and his condition is critical. Sir Wilfred Laurier has recovered consciousness from an attack of paralysis with which he was stricken this morning at 10 o'clock. To-night his condition was reported to be hopeful. There is no immediate cause for anxiety, stated J. L. Giguere

**his Private Secretary.**

Sir Wilfred's condition is not critical, and for the present there is every hope. He is quite conscious, and his heart is strong.

**INFLUENZA IN AUSTRALIA.**

**MELBOURNE, Feb. 15.**—(Reuter's.)—Influenza continues to spread, but the mortality is not increasing. In Sydney many persons have been fined for refusing to wear masks. Adelaide, the capital of South Australia, has been declared infected. The Commonwealth has cancelled the quarantine agreement and takes control of Inter-State sea traffic, but does not interfere with land traffic.

**BORDEN CRITICIZES.**

**PARIS, Feb. 15.**—Sir Robert Borden, Premier of Canada, speaking to Canadian soldiers on leave at the Canadian Y.M.C.A. here this evening, demanded that the soldiers be told immediately whenever there was to be any more fighting. He severely criticized the methods by which time had been wasted since the signing of the armistice.

**OFFICIAL.**

**PARIS, Feb. 15.**—The following official communication was issued this evening: The representatives of the Allied and Associated Powers met this afternoon at the Quai D'Orsay from 3 o'clock to 6 o'clock, and heard the delegates of the Administration Council of Lebanon. They then began the examination of the Russian question. The next meeting will be at 3 o'clock Monday afternoon.

**ENTERS PROTEST.**

**TORONTO, Feb. 16.**—The Chinese Vice-Consul has served notice on the city that the new by-law of the police commissioners, refusing business licenses to aliens, is a breach of comity between Britain and China under existing treaties. It is likely that the Board of Control will confer with the commissioners on Tuesday in regard to a possible repeal of the by-law, aliens or Allied nations having protested that treaty rights are being violated.

**ASKS FOR GRACE.**

**COPENHAGEN, Feb. 16.**—A Welmer despatch under date of Saturday, Feb. 16, says that the German Government requested an extension of 24 hours' time in which to reply to Marshal Foch's proposal for a prolongation of the armistice. It was pointed out that owing to the delay in receiving the armistice commission's report, a reply could not be returned by 6 o'clock, as fixed by Marshal Foch.

**Some Dog.**

Lord Raglan, who has resigned the office of Lieutenant-Governor of the Isle of Man, is a capital raconeur. One of his best yarns concerns a canine wonder. Two men were discussing the sagacity of dogs. "A pal of mine, Johnson by name," said one, "had a most intelligent retriever. One night his house caught fire. All was instant confusion. Old Johnson and his wife flew for the children, and bundled them out pretty sharp. "Alas! one of the children had been overlooked, but up jumped the dog, rushed into the house, and soon reappeared with the missing child, which it deposited on the lawn. "Everyone was saved, but Rover dashed through the flames again, and presently the noble animal reappeared, with the fire policy wrapped in a damp towel."

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**HARBINGERS.**

Be patient if you freeze your feet while trudging through the slush and sleet; already Winter's growing gray, and soon he'll bow and say "Good day!" I see some harbingers around; the grass is a greenish on the ground; a bug-house bird seen anon cawing on the frosted lawn. And in the grocer's moral store seed packages are seen once more. When once the grocer digs up seeds, to meet the garden grover's needs, we wot that Winter's on the wing, and that we're due to welcome Spring. This morning as I went my way, I heard the village marshal say, "This year I'll hark to no excuse—no chickens must be running loose. The owners of all hungry hens must keep the blamed things in their pens, according to the statutes made, and which by all must be obeyed." He says the same thing every year, when Winter's billed to disappear, and then forgets it in the Spring, when chickens scratch like everything. But it's a harbinging, all right; it indicates that Spring's in sight. The marshal makes his yearly bluff, and then farewells to wint'ry stuff, to foolish storms and silly gales, for biting wind that shrieks and walls. The gentle Spring will soon return, for there are harbingers to burn.

**You Should Go!**

On to-morrow (Tuesday) the Cathedral Women's Association will hold a Sale of Work in the Synod Hall. All kinds of Plain and Fancy Work will be on sale at moderate prices. A special feature will be afternoon and children's Teas and delicious candies. The entrance fee is so small that everyone, even the smallest child, may go and spend an enjoyable afternoon.

**ENTERED HOSPITAL.**

One of the crew of the War-Mohawk named Brown, was removed to hospital Saturday suffering from general debility. A man named Doucette, of Charlotte, a member of the crew of the Victory Chimes, was removed to hospital Saturday afternoon suffering from flu.

**Ricketts, V.C., Dined.**

Sgt. T. Ricketts, V.C. was yesterday (Sunday) the guest at dinner, of Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Cox at the Osborne House. After dinner the Sgt. was presented by the guests of the Hotel, with the sum of \$60.00 in gold as a slight token of their high esteem. The presentation was preceded by a short but heartfelt address by Sgt. Major White, who concluded his remarks with the hope that Sgt. Ricketts, who had done so much to live honor on his country, would live in health, wealth, and happiness. Our V.C. was as usual very reticent about talking of his experiences, but greatly amused all present, when in answer to a question as to why the Germans he captured had not defended themselves with their revolvers, he drolly replied, "Oh, they couldn't do that, because I took them all away from them."

**thanks by the meeting.**

A resolution of condolence to the Christian Brothers community on the death of one of its illustrious members, Rev. Bro. A. P. Kennedy, was unanimously adopted, the resolution being spoken to by President Barron, Rev. Fr. Sheehan, Jas. J. Jackman and others. The annual meeting will be held Sunday next.

**C. M. B. C.**

Yesterday's meeting of the C. M. B. C. had one of the largest attendances for the season. The Chairman, Rev. J. Briston, gave a very interesting address. At the end of the meeting it was shown by the Committee that the Tea and Entertainment to be held on Wednesday night, Feb. 19th inst., promised to be a success, as the tickets for same were selling rapidly. In view of the forthcoming entertainment no lecture will be given to-night, but all should make an effort to come along Wednesday evening instead, as many of the artists of the city will take part in the programme planned.

**Aviator's Sad Death.**

Some of the returned soldiers tell of the sad death of Lt. Mackay, son of Regimental Sergt.-Major M. Mackay, the well-known soldier of the second battalion. Lieut. Mackay was a member of the R. F. C. and was engaged as an instructor when his death occurred. Coming after the conclusion of the war the news of his passing is particularly sad, being entirely unexpected.

**TO FINISH LOADING.**

The brig, Olinda, which loaded codfish at Carbonear, arrived here Saturday night to complete her cargo.

**St. Patrick's H. N. S.**

A special meeting of St. Patrick's branch of the Holy Name Society was held yesterday after last Mass in the Holy Cross school, the President, Mr. John Barron in the chair. When the meeting was called to order the newly appointed Spiritual Director, Rev. Fr. Sheehan, was introduced by the President, and addressed the meeting at length. The meeting was called for the purpose of electing officers for the ensuing term, which resulted as follows:

**President—John Barron.**

Vice-Pres.—M. Manbrick. Treasurer—James J. Power. Secretary—T. J. Vavasseur. Asst. Secretary—Jan. J. Jackman.

**The election was conducted by Messrs. A. W. O'Reilly and Jas. Kennedy, who were tendered a vote of**

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**Evening Telegram**  
 W. J. HERDER, Proprietor  
 C. T. JAMES, Editor  
 MONDAY, Feb. 17th, 1919.

**Without Justification**

The Advocate's covert sneer at the small amount, so far subscribed toward the Rickett's Educational Fund, and the suggestion made by that journal, (the wish being father to the thought) that the Government may have to augment the fund at a later date, if the popular subscription method of raising the money for the purpose proposed is carried on, should be at once a challenge and an incentive to the completion of an obligatory duty. The motive underlying the position taken by our Duckworth St. contemporary is so very transparent, that the bare mention of such a mode of procedure as it puts forward should be tabooed of hand, and any attempt at Government intervention in this entirely national matter, banned.

There can be but one object in the belittling reference to the present size of the fund, which the Advocate makes, that sole object being to raise doubts in the minds of the people of the outports that the sum necessary can be made up by individual donations, and thereby, because of that, alienate their support, and thus furnish the reason why the Government should be the sole donor. But, unless we greatly mistake the independent character of our people the Advocate's cold water douche will not have the effect desired.

No direct appeal has yet been made to the populace for donations toward the main fund, for the education of Rickett's, and until such is done the amounts which have been donated and acknowledged have been but supplementary to the Memorial Fund under the control of Dr. Blackall. That the sum of over three hundred dollars has been collected in the short space of one week, in addition to the whole amount required for the erection of the school building memorial, is adequate proof that concerted action by a committee with authority, would speedily result in the receipt of every cent needed. The appointment of such a committee could be by public meeting of the citizens of St. John's, or as advocated in another direction, by the Municipal Council, the Deputy Mayor to be ex-officio Chairman. Let this course, or any other of equal utility be adopted, and the response will be generous and liberal.

Our Victoria Cross hero has been reported both by the English and local press, that it is his intention to enter College to resume and complete his education. Knowing this it is our plain duty as citizens to give him every opportunity to bring his wishes to fulfillment, and subscribe to the Fund, making it large enough to provide him with the best education obtainable in Newfoundland. In this way will we best show our sincere appreciation of the man and our admiration for his heroic deed, and prove that the taint of our inability to raise this sum, made by the Government organ, is without justification, and made to suit its own little purpose.

So far as the Government is concerned we quite agree with our contemporary that they are capable of anything—and if in registering a protest against their making a legislative grant to Sergt. Rickett's, we have "let the cat out of the bag," we are quite satisfied for the animal to be at large.

**"Guffey" Nearing Port.**

The steamer Guffey, which was reported thirty miles off Bay Bulls last evening, can be plainly seen as we go to Press in tow of the s.s. Ramona Head and the tug Iroquois from Halifax. The ships are trying to force their way into the harbor, but owing to the ice their eventual arrival will be considerably delayed, and possibly they may not get in while the wind blows in its present direction.

**From Cape Race.**

**CAPE RACE, To-day.**  
 Wind E. N. E. light, snowing; shore packed with ice; no vessels sighted. Bar. 29.75; ther. 42.

**HOCKEY MATCH TO-NIGHT.**—We understand there is to be a hockey match between the Felidians and Terra Novas to-night at the Prince's Rink. As this is the first match of the season it will undoubtedly draw an exceptionally large audience of fans.

**Supreme Court.**

(Judge Kent Presiding.)  
**The King vs. Wm. H. Trask for Manslaughter.**

Special Jury sworn for the trial are: Chas. H. Butt, Thos. Davis, George Forsy, Frank Carnell, W. J. Des Augustus Bradbury, Alexander Moore, Denis Galway, P. J. Carter, Philip Raynes, F. Chislett, Robert LeBreton, Mr. W. R. Howley, K.C., for the Crown, addresses the Jury giving them a brief account of the cause of the trial.

The first witness called was Dr. J. S. Tait, who being sworn, said: "I reside in St. John's, and I remember the morning of the 23rd of September last, being called to the morgue to conduct a post mortem examination. The dead man's name was Neil. I found the body of the man was not inured very much externally except for a little abrasion on the face and on one of the hands. (Nothing to speak of). But the man had received some very severe internal injuries. Both lungs were considerably torn, but the heart and kidneys, and bladder were intact. The worst of all was that the spine had been fractured, near about the small of the back, and in the cavity thus formed was blood which had oozed from the internal injuries received.

The man's death was due to these internal injuries.

"It was in the forenoon, I think, when I conducted the examination. The man had died within the past forty-eight hours. Such injuries as had happened to the man could be caused by a heavy machine striking and running over a man. The man was about 40 or 50 years of age. There was no cross-examination by Mr. Squires, K.C., he said the machine must have struck the man near about the time North-rop happened until I heard the noise of a motor car coming at time was about opposite Kean's shoestore. Witness said he looked around and saw the car and also saw a man run towards the sidewalk, but ere he reached it the car struck him. The man was struck by the right forewheel of the car. The man fell down and the car went over him, but later the car went back to the man. There were three people in the car at the time. When the car went back the man was taken out between the wheels and put in the car.

Cross-examined by Mr. Squires he said, the car reversed and the rear wheel rested on the body, but when he looked back at a little the man was taken out between the wheels and put in the car.

John Coady, sworn.—Witness said he remembers the 23rd of September last, and worked at Bishop and Sons, Ltd., that day. He was going home via Adelaide Street when he heard the motor car behind him, and it was on the west side of the track. There were a dozen or more people on the street at the time, and I saw a man rush towards the west side sidewalk. The car and the man appeared to run into each other, and as the car stopped instantly and then backed the man lay underneath the car, and then the car went ahead over the man and the rear wheel rested on the body. The car struck the man near the shoulders. When I saw the car go over the man I shouted: "For Heaven's sake get off the man." I pulled him out between the wheels.

Cross-examined by Squires, K.C.—Witness corroborated what he had earlier said.

Constable J. Dempsey, sworn.—This witness said he was on duty at the corner of Adelaide and Water Streets on September 23rd, last, and remembered a motor car go up Adelaide St. He said that he had the car toot 3 or 4 times as it went up the street. It was a few minutes after 6 in the evening and quite a few people were on the street at the time. The number of the car was 302 and W. H. Trask was the driver, two other persons being in the car. The right forewheel of the car struck the man, making for the sidewalk of the street and knocked him down, and when the car came to rest it was resting on the body of the man. The man was subsequently got out between the wheels, and he took the man to Dr. Burden's in the car, from that to the General Hospital, and from there to the morgue.

Cross-examined by Squires, K.C.—Witness answered as hitherto given, and stated the horn could be distinctly heard. The car was also driven on the western side of the track in keeping with the traffic regulations.

The case is being continued this afternoon.

**McMurdo's Store News.**

MONDAY, Feb. 17, 1919.

If your hair inclines to grow thin on the top of your head, now is the time to save it. In most such cases the use of our Canthardine Hair Tonic will be found very useful, keeping the scalp clean and stimulating the growth of the hair. If the scalp be very full of dandruff, use one of our Shampoo Powders to begin with, and you will get great results. Price (Canthardine) 35 and 60 cents a bottle. Shampoo Powders, 7c each.

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**GRAND DANCE—C. C. C. Boat Club, C.C.C. Hall, Feb. 18th. Music by Battalion B and D. Tickets: Double \$1.50; Gent's (single) \$1.20; Ladies' 60c.**

Dancing will not take place till 9.45, as the C.C.C. Band is playing at Peg o' My Heart, in aid of Mount Cashel.—Feb 17, 21

**To-Day's Messages.**  
 1.30 P.M.

**REPUBLICAN PROPAGANDA DENOUNCED.**

CAPE TOWN, Feb. 16. (Via Reuter's Ottawa Agency.)—The debate was continued Saturday on Republican propaganda, which is causing immense interest all over South Africa. The veteran statesman, Merriman, declared the movement was backed by nothing but the purest political chicanery. Minister of Justice N. J. DeWet, pointed out that Great Britain could not restore to the Boer Republic their independence, as the South African Union, of which the Transvaal and Orange Free State were but parts, also had a say in the matter. He concluded by paying a tribute to the work of conciliation of General Botha, who had honorably stood by his oath. The debate was again adjourned.

**LAURIER'S CONDITION CRITICAL.**

OTTAWA, Ont., Feb. 17. At 8.30 this morning the condition of Sir Wilfred Laurier was very critical.

**SOUTH AFRICAN FIGHTER DEAD.**

PARIS, Feb. 17. Lieut. Colonel Sir Mark Sykes, who came here with the British delegation to the Peace Conference, is dead, following an attack of influenza. He was born in 1879. He served in the South African campaign, and later was in command of various regiments in England.

**NO REVOLUTION.**

PARIS, Feb. 16. Reports of a revolution in Bucharest are denied by the Roumanian Press Bureau.

**BEAVERBROOK WILL RECOVER.**

LONDON, Feb. 17. Lord Beaverbrook's condition last night was quite satisfactory, but his recovery, it is anticipated, will be slow.

**SPARTACAN'S FLUNDER TOWN.**

BERLIN, Feb. 16. From nearby towns marched into Gelsenkirchen, in Westphalia, early this morning and overpowered the police and a portion of the Spartacans. The plundering of the city followed. The doors of houses were broken open, and much booty was secured by the Spartacans. The Gelsenkirchen banks and the city treasury had been warned in time, and saved their funds. The raiding Spartacans came from Rattungen and Wattenscheid.

**Here and There.**

**WEATHER ACROSS COUNTRY.**—Wind S.E., light, dull; 20 to 25 above.

**THE EXPRESS.**—Yesterday's west bound express arrived at Bishop's Falls at 8.55 a.m.

**When you want Sausages, why get ELLIS'; they're the best.**

**HARBOR ICE-PACKED.**—The harbor and narrows are at present filled with heavy slob ice, which must necessarily remain here until an off-wind springs up.

**REDS' BOATS.**—Glencoe left Placentia at 10.15 a.m. Saturday for South Coast ports; Kyla left here at 6.30 p.m. Saturday for Louisburg; Meigie in port; Sagona due at Port aux Basques.

**WARRANTS FOR DELINQUENT JURORS.**—Warrants for the arrest of several members of the Special Jury of the Trask case, who failed to appear this morning, were ordered to be taken out by the court.

**STORK VISITS HOSPITAL.**—The first birth to occur at the Southcott (Private) Hospital, Monksdown Road, was that of a son to Mr. and Mrs. F. C. Rogers, the stork paying his initial visit yesterday.

**When you want Roast Beef, Roast Veal, Roast Mutton, Roast Pork, try ELLIS'.**

**CHIAMEN WITH INFLUENZA.**—Two Chiamen were found this morning to be suffering from Spanish Influenza, and were removed to hospital. One was Tom Lee, of Theatre Hill, the other Wah For, New Gower Street.

**BLEW OUT CYLINDER.**—The S.S. Ingraham, which left to go in aid of the J. M. Guffey this morning, blew out a cylinder when outside, and the tug John Green had to go after her and tow her back. It is probable that a scowler will have to be sent after the Guffey.

**IN CRITICAL CONDITION.**—Up to Press hour, the condition of the young girl Gladys Parsons, who was accidentally shot last evening, was very serious, and she was not expected to live. This morning, Mr. J. T. McCarthy, J. P., visited the hospital to take the deposition of the patient.

**"A TANGLED SKEIN."**—The comedy "A Tangled Skein," postponed on account of illness of three of the performers, will be staged at Canon Wood Hall Monday evening, March 3rd. All tickets dated Jan. 27th, will be good for the above night. The Llewellyn Dramatic Company regrets the delay which has been unavoidable.

**St. John's Choral Society.**—Rehearsal of "Mozart's 12th Mass" and other numbers, Presbyterian Hall, at 8 o'clock to-night. A full attendance is requested.—Feb 17, 11

**Oats!**

Just to hand per S. S. Sheba:  
 250 Bags—4 Bushels each  
 —Heavy Black P. E. I. Oats.  
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 2 Cars Prime Hay.  
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**Here and There.**

**Parade Rink open to-night; ice in splendid condition—11**

**Prince's Rink will NOT be open this afternoon or night, Feb 17, 11**

**DIPHTHERIA.**—Two cases of diphtheria from Carew and Knight Sts., respectively, were reported Saturday. The patients were removed to hospital.

**"Stafford's Phoratorne" for all kinds of Coughs, Colds, Bronchitis, Asthma and various Lung Troubles.—Feb 14, 11**

**QUARANTINED.**—Feld Hall, Bp. Field College Hostel, is again quarantined. A case of diphtheria, a pupil named Critchell, was removed to the hospital yesterday.

**"Stafford's Phoratorne" for Coughs, Colds, Sore Throat, Bronchial Troubles, Croup, Loss of Voice.—Feb 14, 11**

**SEAMAN DIED.**—Capt. Robt. Holt, of Burin, has been cabled from Oporto, that one of the seamen of the schr. Laberge, named Paul Gillis, has died, but giving no particulars of the cause.

**BROWN TEAPOTS, 35c, 40c, and 50c. at G. KNOWLING'S, Ltd., East, West and Central Stores.—Feb 17, 21, m**

**SERVICES.**—There will be special evangelistic services held in the lecture room of Cochrane St. Church every evening this week, excepting Saturday, to commence at 7.45. Everybody is welcome. Come and bring a friend with you.

**POSTPONED.**—The meeting of the Amalgamated Fishermen of St. John's has been postponed until Friday, Feb. 21st. By order WM. MORRIS, Sec'y.—11

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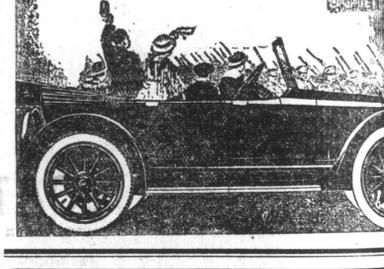
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**KYLE'S PASSENGERS.**—The following passengers went by the s.s. Kyle, which left here Saturday night for Louisburg: W. F. Cummings; F. F. Phillips; Mrs. F. English; A. E. Lamon; Sergt. Hancock; W. F. Pearce; C. F. Walsh; D. W. Kay; C. R. Steer; Mrs. J. C. Baird and daughter; W. F. Pierce; J. Hall; D. McShartone; Mrs. W. Pierce; S. H. and Mrs. Hue; W. Dawe; S. G. Faour; J. Sapp; J. Lindsay; J. Bursay; B. H. Ford; J. A. Kenned; Thos. Ryan; E. L. Tull; Leo Shea; A. Edelson; T. Grace; W. Burnstien; J. Forbes; A. and Mrs. Colbrook; D. McLean.

**FIRE ALARM.**—An alarm from box 32 at 5.58 yesterday noon brought the Central Western Companies to the house of Bartor's Hill and Queen St. Power, 39 George St. East, where fire. No damage was caused, but an output being sent in a message after the alarm.

London, Feb. 10.—The Young men's Christian Association will end with a division into two by reason of agitation over the fact that smoking is permitted in many some branches, and forbidding others.

**23rd Annual February Sale**

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Are in every instance below value bought for to-day under present conditions is no better time to prepare for NOW. You'll be surprised at the here for you.

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 Reg. 25c. yard. Sale Price .22c.  
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**FANCY DRESS COTTONS.**  
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 Reg. 50c. yard. Sale Price .44c.

**PERCALES.**  
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 Reg. \$35.75 each. Sale Price \$31.75  
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 Reg. \$39.00 each. Sale Price \$35.00  
 Reg. \$40.25 each. Sale Price \$36.25  
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 Reg. \$42.25 each. Sale Price \$38.25

**MEN'S SERGE**  
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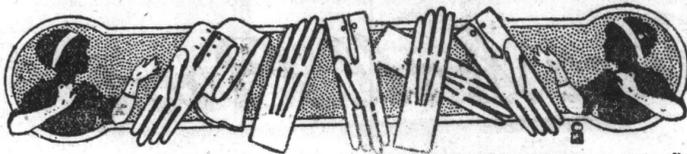
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Reg. 27c. yard. Sale Price...26c.	<b>WHITE MUSLINS.</b>
Reg. 30c. yard. Sale Price...26c.	Reg. 15c. yard. Sale Price...13c.
Reg. 35c. yard. Sale Price...30c.	Reg. 25c. yard. Sale Price...22c.
Reg. 40c. yard. Sale Price...35c.	Reg. 30c. yard. Sale Price...26c.
<b>FANCY COTTON CREPE.</b>	Reg. 35c. yard. Sale Price...30c.
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<b>FANCY DELAINE.</b>	Reg. 55c. yard. Sale Price...47c.
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Reg. 45c. yard. Sale Price...39c.	<b>WHITE PIQUE.</b>
<b>FANCY DRESS COTTONS.</b>	(Fine Cord.)
Reg. 55c. yard. Sale Price...49c.	Reg. 55c. yard. Sale Price...47c.
Reg. 60c. yard. Sale Price...54c.	(Wide Cord.)
Reg. 65c. yard. Sale Price...59c.	Reg. 75c. yard. Sale Price...64c.
<b>PERCALES.</b>	<b>WHITE BRILLIANT.</b>
Reg. 45c. yard. Sale Price...39c.	Reg. 40c. yard. Sale Price...35c.
Reg. 50c. yard. Sale Price...44c.	<b>COLORED ZEPHYRS.</b>
<b>BLUE JEAN.</b>	(Plain.)
Reg. 70c. yard. Sale Price...60c.	Reg. 60c. yard. Sale Price...52c.
	<b>GALATEAS.</b>
	Reg. 70c. yard. Sale Price...60c.
	<b>WHITE JEAN.</b>
	Reg. 80c. yard. Sale Price...68c.



## BARGAINS IN GLOVES.

Great bargains are offered in all kinds of Gloves during this Sale. It is getting rather late for some of the lines we have, but the prices have been reduced so low that we anticipate no difficulty in clearing them out.

<b>MEN'S LEATHER GAUNTLETS</b>	<b>BROWN ASTRACHAN GLOVES.</b>
(Lined.)	Reg. \$1.75 pair. Sale Price...\$1.52
Reg. \$2.25 pair. Sale Price...\$1.97	<b>WORKMEN'S HORSEHIDE GLOVES.</b>
Reg. \$2.85 pair. Sale Price...\$2.50	(Brown Lined.)
Reg. \$3.00 pair. Sale Price...\$2.70	Reg. \$3.50 pair. Sale Price...\$3.25
Reg. \$3.70 pair. Sale Price...\$3.50	<b>MEN'S BUCKSKIN GLOVES</b>
(Unlined.)	(Brown Lined.)
Reg. \$1.40 pair. Sale Price...\$1.25	Reg. \$2.75 pair. Sale Price...\$2.40
Reg. \$1.75 pair. Sale Price...\$1.55	Reg. \$3.00 pair. Sale Price...\$2.70
Reg. \$2.85 pair. Sale Price...\$2.50	(Grey.)
Reg. \$3.00 pair. Sale Price...\$2.70	Reg. \$4.50 pair. Sale Price...\$4.25
Reg. \$4.00 pair. Sale Price...\$3.40	<b>WOMEN'S WOOL GLOVES.</b>
<b>MEN'S GREY SUEDE GLOVES.</b>	Reg. 50c. pair. Sale Price...44c.
Reg. \$2.85 pair. Sale Price...\$2.50	Reg. 65c. pair. Sale Price...58c.
Reg. \$3.00 pair. Sale Price...\$2.70	Reg. \$1.25 pair. Sale Price...\$1.10
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<b>MEN'S WOOL GLOVES.</b>	Reg. \$1.70 pair. Sale Price...\$1.55
Reg. \$1.20 pair. Sale Price...\$1.05	Reg. \$1.75 pair. Sale Price...\$1.52
Reg. \$1.40 pair. Sale Price...\$1.25	Reg. \$2.20 pair. Sale Price...\$2.00
Reg. \$1.50 pair. Sale Price...\$1.35	<b>WOMEN'S KIDGLOVES</b>
Reg. \$1.70 pair. Sale Price...\$1.55	(Black.)
Reg. \$1.80 pair. Sale Price...\$1.65	Reg. 60c. pair. Sale Price...52c.
Reg. \$2.00 pair. Sale Price...\$1.70	Reg. 70c. pair. Sale Price...64c.
Reg. \$2.20 pair. Sale Price...\$2.00	Reg. 80c. pair. Sale Price...70c.
	Reg. 90c. pair. Sale Price...78c.
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Reg. 35c. yard. Sale Price...30c.	Reg. \$1.30 pair. Sale Price...1.10
Reg. 38c. yard. Sale Price...33c.	Reg. \$1.35 pair. Sale Price...1.15
Reg. 40c. yard. Sale Price...35c.	Reg. \$1.50 pair. Sale Price...1.25
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<b>ART MUSLINS.</b>	<b>HALF BLIND NET.</b>
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<b>CURTAIN NET.</b>	Reg. 27c. yard. Sale Price...24c.
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Reg. 55c. yard. Sale Price...48c.	Reg. 35c. yard. Sale Price...30c.
<b>HALF BLIND MUSLINS</b>	Reg. 50c. yard. Sale Price...44c.
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Reg. 70c. yard. Sale Price...60c.	<b>LACE AND MADRAS WINDOW TOPS.</b>
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Reg. 95c. yard. Sale Price...84c.	Reg. \$2.00 pair. Sale Price...\$1.68
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"We have all paid our tributes to Marshal Foch and his masterly direction of the entire campaign. Let us not forget this morning that under unity of command and subject to the general plan of operations the British Staff retained its own initiative and showed in the days between May and November that it possessed soldiers who could rise to every emergency, and could move in the field armies such as no British general has ever before commanded."

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### Haig's Greatness.

"What is shiningly manifest is that the Field-Marshal ranks the peer of the greatest among British Generals," adds the Post, "and as for the British Armies, in Sir Douglas Haig's words, they 'have created new traditions, which are a challenge to the highest records of the past and will be an inspiration to the generations who come after us.' To which brief and eloquent eulogy we would add the Field-Marshal's testimony to the infantrymen, who 'remains the backbone of defence and the spearhead of attack. At no time has the reputation of the British infantryman been higher, or his achievement more worthy of his renown.'"

"Even the genius of Foch," says the Times, "would have been unavailing without the skill of the British General Staff, which, subject to the general plan arranged in concept, still retained all its old initiative, and above

all without the magnificent valour of the British Army."

### The Germans Were Out-Generalled.

"A fact that comes out very clearly from Sir Douglas Haig's despatch is that the British victories were not victories won by numbers," says the Times. "If we compare the figures engaged on either side in the German offensives of the spring and in the British offensives of the summer and late autumn, we find that such successes as the Germans attained—and even at their highest valuation it is clear that they paved the way to the subsequent German defeat—were won by overwhelming superiority in numbers, and that the British successes were gained in spite of an inferiority in numbers."

"What the Germans failed to do with a numerical superiority we accomplished with a numerical inferiority. It is not, of course, denied that at certain critical points the British attack had a superiority in numbers; but it is the supreme test of generalship to be in numerical superiority at the point that matters with force inferior in its total numbers. The necessity of war, in other words, is to convert a gross inferiority into a net superiority. That it was done so successfully must be put down in part to the individual superiority of the British soldier, but in part, too, to the better Staff work and generalship on the British side. The Germans, in fact, were out-generalled."

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**AN EXPLANATION.**

What is there in molasses that would make it explode, particularly in winter time when the sticky syrup is proverbially slow? Two weeks ago a large tank of molasses exploded in Boston killing a dozen persons and injuring 50 more, and no completely satisfactory explanation of the disaster is obtainable.

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The only plausible explanation of this unique disaster is based on the assumption that there was an accumulation of alcohol in the tank. In order to have the molasses fluid enough to flow readily through pipes, steam-heating coils were placed in the tank and it is quite possible that there was some fermentation, generating a certain amount of alcohol. It may be that the steam was left on too long, warming the molasses sufficiently to vaporize the alcohol and this, mixing with the air at the top of the tank, resulted in the accumulation of an explosive mixture which needed but a spark to touch it off. Possibly an attendant lowered a lantern into the tank or dropped a lighted match into it to determine how much molasses it contained and then—the explosion—Scientific American.

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to see the way 'Topsail'  
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heighs, and the L.O.A. Band  
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and  
have lost heavily, yes; and  
and feared, and worked and  
who has not, during the  
years? But, through it  
Days of Welcome stand  
atures in our little part of  
days—days when the bars  
and, for a few hours, only  
and biggest things were al-  
matter. Personal grief  
out aside that no shadow  
to  
the joy of those who would  
the ache of waiting in vain;  
affairs, discounted; scars  
hidden. Only the warm spirit  
man-  
friendship fusing and en-  
all. And on those days we  
that we were of this little  
and that life in little villages  
and fragrant. For only in  
the villages can everybody  
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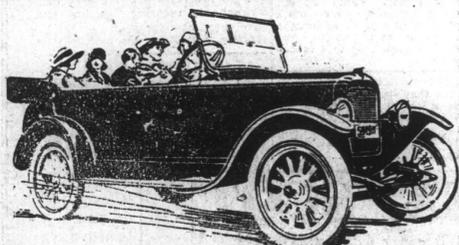
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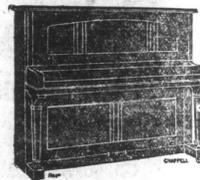
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