

very feature, gasped "My God! She's dead!' CHAPTER XXII. The Murderer and His Victim. The Web:

TRUE LOVE'S PASSION. ad touched him too

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CHAPTER XXL The Deadly Drug.

ly light was that of the murky lantern, He had moyed to the cupboard as she spoke, and took the small blue lent an additional terror to the moand held it hidden in his

He peered into it keenly

He had not intended to murder her: closed hand. "You mean it, Becca?" he said, with he told himself so over and over again in those first dreadful minutes. He a smile, though his face was pallid and his dark eves seemed to glow with the had intended stupefying her only, and until he had hit upon some plan for the tiger just before he springs. "You mean to make a scandal of our little stopping her from carrying out her threat of denouncing him. At college

She put her hand upon the door, and he had dabbled in chemistry, and the cience, especially in its relations to vouchsafed no reply.

"Well." he said. "I don't know subtle poisons, had a strange fascina-I should care. After all, perhaps"tion for him. He loved power, and to possess a drug the very effluvia of talking incoherently to which should be sufficient to overgain time as he approached herpower an adversary had a strange "after all-here, you have dropped your handkerchief, Becca." veird charm for him. He was proud

She turned, and saw that he had wound his handkerchief over his own could do its horrible work so swiftly mouth, and as she stood wondering, silently, and surely. He had not meant to kill her, and half-fearfully, at his action, he sprang upon her, clipped her arms with one now she lay dead at his feet!

Gradually the benumbed feeling hand, and held the phial to her face. One cry, and that only a faint, gasne passed away, and he began to shake in ing one, rose from her lips, then her every limb, and a terrible craving to head fell forward, and she slipped look at her face possessed him. limp and helpless to the ground. Crawling on his hands and knees

he lifted her head-shuddering as his Guildford Berton, after a glance at hands touched her-and looked at her, let her lie as she had fallen, until he had carefully recorked the phial

Her face-the face which he had and put it in his pocket: then he slowonce thought so pretty, which he had ly removed the handkerchief from his once, and so short a time ago, almost mouth and bent over her. nersuaded himself that he loved-

"Almist instantaneous," he mutter seemed to look up at him reproached, with a grim smile. "a wonderful fully. It was white with the whitediscovery. Now, my good Becca, just ness of death, but so placid, so peacelet us have Mr. Cyril Burne's letter." ful that it might have been the face He took it from her dress, and, leav-

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Messages Received **Previous to 9 A**

APPOINTMENT DEFERRE

LONDON, D Replying to a question with to the appointment of a Food tor. Premier Asquith said he all questions as to personnel 1 ter be deferred, until the pro reconstruction-if this should was completed.

HUN AGENTS AT WORK

NEW YORK, I The steamships blown up Russian harbor of Archangel weeks ago with the loss of of dollars worth of munitio other supplies, were destro bombs placed in the cargo of t at the piers of the Bush " Company in this city, it was to-day at police headquarters ommercial agent here of the In Russian Embassy.

GREEK OFFICIALS RESIG

LONDON, I The Greek Minister at Lon the Greek Consuls at Londo Manchester have resigned. that they were unable further tify themselves with the p King Constantine.

EXPLANATION NOT FORTH(

LONDON, D The cabinet expectation that planation of the Cabinet crisis colution would be forthcomin the House met to-day, was not The Premier simply and that King George had approve proposal for a reconstruction was forced by the demands Secretary Lloyd George and ministers for a smaller war with bowers independent of inet. The Premier suggested

ing her lying on the ground as if she With a cry that was scarcely a cry were no consideration whatsoever, he so much as a wail, he put the head carried the letter to the lantern and down and staggered to his feet. read it.

"Gone for months, perhaps!" he wholly wicked. At that awful mo--muttered. "What a chance for me ment Guildford Berton would have Leaves the field open for months. relinguished all his ambitions, if by so What could I not do in that time ifdoing he could bring Becca to life if-I could keep her from hearing from again. He threw himself into a chair, him, and silence this silly little fool! and, flinging his arms out upon the Heaven and earth, what a chance!" table, let his head fall upon them, and

He stood with the letter in his hand surrendered himself to the demon o for a minute or two, staring before him, then he put it in his pocket, and which is a very different thing. almost with a start, as if he had forgotten the presence of the unconbegan to weigh upon him like a heavy scious girl, turned and knelt down beweight; a ghastly desire to leap to his side her.

"Almost time she came to," he mutassailed him; and, feeling that his tered; "and when she does? The little reason was going, he staggered clumfool is like a wild cat. and will carry silv to the decanter, and, lifting it to out her threats. Good-by, then, to all his lips with his shaking hands, my hopes and ambitions! Oh, Guilddrained it to the last dron

ford, my friend, what an insensate The wine steadied him a little, and he led away by a he tried to think. For some time his fancy for a pretty face! What shall brain spun round to the dull, sicken-I do to persuade her to hold her ng tune of "She's dead, she's dead!" tongue? If I could only keep her but presently his mind grew clearer. quiet for, say six or eight weeks, while How long she had been lying there this fellow was out of the wayhe did not know-it seemed hours to muttering and mushim: but he knew that the daylight would be peering through the holes in unconscious girl, and suddenly a the window shutters directly, and change swept over the moody expres- that the old woman who waited upon

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months Cyril himself might be dead. and thought keenly, acutely. He shuddered as he remembered how Could he not invent some story basthe longing to kill Cyril had com d upon facts which would accoun over him the last time Cyril was in the for her absence? cottage. Was he a homicide by in If any one had seen her standing at stinct? he gate he was lost. But he rement

pered that as he stood talking to her The h ars crept by as he sat in the with the key in his hand, he had looksilent room in the tomb-like house ed up and down the lane, and had seen scheming and plotting, and at last. no one. The lane led directly to no unable to think any longer, he took the cottage: it was the lantern and went upstairs to his unlikely that any one should have

een passing. The persons who were The room was at the back of the out were making the best of their way nouse, and instinctively he walked to to the village. It was unlikely, too. the window and peered down into the that she should have told any one of garden

her intended visit to him and its pur-How long he looked at the heap of port. If she had told Cyril Burne, for eaves which hid its awful secret he astance, she would have been almost did not know, but presently he felt the sure to tell him, Guildford Berton. oom spin round, and, staggering, he hat she had done so. fell full length across the bed.

Probably no one had seen her after (To be Continued.) she had left the park. In that case lmost the last person with whom she

would have been seen was Cyril Burne

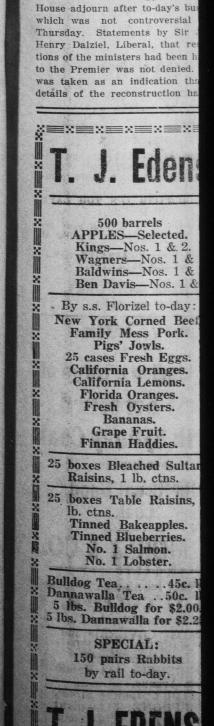
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East vs. West. We ventured the sugges-

was to be found in the growing dithat an all-round pressure, or such force: and the transport trouble war will be won in the east. There cult it is may be gathered when one desperate fighting. expert opinion, not lightly formed but the result of two years of experience and observation, is able to call the

other expert opinion sheer lunacy This is the term we are told the "westerners" apply to the view of the "easterners," but it looks very much as if England, taught and persuaded morning from Curling: largely by France, may soon commit herself to the lunatic course. The decision must rest upon innumerable factors, great and small, but the large features of the debate are fairly plain England has aways held to the opinion, and acted upon it, that the end must come in the west; but she has too much lost sight of the fact that even if this is so the way may have

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A Serbian offic of the capture o garian position and Budimirtsa

to be prepared for it in the e this is so is fairly apparent from a large survey of the situation and a comparison of the advantages to be won by success in the respective thea tres. Gratifying though the ascendancy of our arms in the west has been there is yet no evidence of the breaking through that is necessary or even of our ability to effect it. Assuming

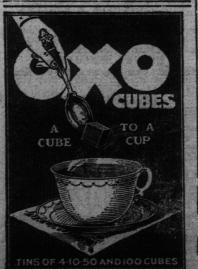
as we must for the sake of argument assume, that Germany is allowed to retain her hold on the east and to keep open her avenue all the way Turkey and Asia, what will be the effect even of a great victory for us of the west front? Clearly, Germany wil

retire her troops, probably in order We have just opened a very fine and and with the exaction of a high price quite extensive line of Rubber Goods abandoning foreign soil which consisting of Hot Water Bottles, she knows she cannot hold Fountain Syringes, and combinations, and falling back finally upon These are all made of good rubber and a defensive line of stupendare perfect in all their parts, so as to ous strength elaborately fortified dur he entirely reliable for the purposes ing many preparatory months. This for which they are to be used. If you would be to us a most costly business need anything of this kind we shall and while it was in process Germany he glad to show you our stock and would drain to the defence all the rehelp you to choose a good one. Prices sources of her allies, which she is vary from one to three dollars. already exploiting so thoroughly,

'We shall be in a position to display that could be spared from the task of keeping the walls erect against Rus-of days. Watch our windows. our Christmas perfumes in a coup sense conducting a frontal offensive against the whole Germanic alliance, though we do not underrate the effect

The Argyle leaving Placentia to-day of the flanking pressure of our allies: on bay route we should not be able to cut into it anywhere.

It is far different in the east, where p.m. yesterday The Dundee left Port Blandford a this last advantage so obviously of-2.35 p.m. yesterday fers itself. The Germans could easily The Ethie left Curling at 9.30 a.m.



three miles from his home" **McMurdo's Store News**

TUESDAY, Dec. 5, 1916.

Reids' Boats.

The Clyde left Lewisporte at 9.45

The Glencoe left Placentia at 10 p.m.

The Home left Lewisporte at 4 p.n

The Neptune left North Sydney at

The Kyle left Port aux Basques

.m. yesterday for St. John's.

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less. I would have allowed the re- stock which they were holding jumped port to go unnoticed and to have five points between Friday and Monshared the same fate as others, were day and some of the local holders it not for the fact that it was being cleared as high as \$1,200 on their inused against me with a certain class

vestments. of people in St. John's that I do usiness with and would probably ex-BORN. tend if allowed to go unchecked to the On Dec. 1st., a daughter to Mr. and outports amongst the same people, Mrs. E. J. Ridgley the majority of whom are particular friends of mine. To show the justifi-DIED cation of the romour I may add that

Killed in action, Somewhere in the first intimation I had of such a case was in reading the St. John's France, July 1st, Private Joseph papers while in Conception Bay at Hollahan, South Side, sone of Samuel and Julia Hollahan. Left here with M. A. DUFFY. Company E., was a Gallipoli veteran. St. John's, Dec. 5th, 1916.

Leaves to mourn a wife and one son, also father and mother, four brothers GREAT FEATURE PICTURE AT (one in the R. N. R.) and two sisters

ROSSLEYS. in Montreal. Private Hollahan was "The Moth and the Star," in two a brother-in-law of the late 2nd Lieut. parts, shown at the Rossley British S. J. Ebsary and Private F. C. Ebsary, Theatre, is one of the finest social who died in Cairo, Sept. 23rd, 1915. At Healthfield Farm, Topsail Road, iramas seen in a long while. In fact every picture is first class. On the on Dec. 4th, Annie Gibson, beloved econd show the store people took wife of Peter Cowan, aged 46 years; advantage of seeing the full show aft- leaving a husband, sister, three sons er closing time. On Friday night the and a nephew to mourn their loss; usual contest will take place; names funeral on Wednesday, at 2.30 p.m., from her late residence: friends may be entered now. In preparation please accept this, the only, intima-Mrs. Rossley's 6th annual Christmas ion. Safe in the arms of Jesus. production; dainty songs, dances, cosumes and wonderful electrical ef-This morning, after a short illness,

Elizabeth Robbins, widow of the late Caleb Robbins, aged 83 years; funeral on Thursday, at 2.30 p.m., from the Skin Muddy? sidence of Capt. L. Diamond, 201 wer Street; friends will please ac pt this, the only, intimation. This morning, after a tedious ill less, John Hearn, aged 77 years; uneral on Thursday, at 2.30 p.m.

rom his late residence, 124 Duckorth Street; friends will please ac-This morning, after a short illness here. Elizabeth Rendell, aged 50 years, leav-

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From Cape Race.

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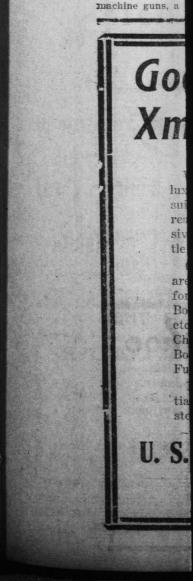
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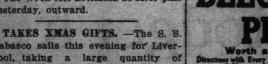
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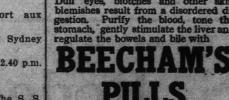
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France and Flanders. They argue that the lines of communication to the western front are short and secure they devour less ships, while the deviation of forces to the eastern thea tre would place an intolerable strain on our depleted shipping. The east school are in favor of standing on the defensive on the western front and taking the offensive from Salonika whither they propose to send a huge army of between half a million and a iliion men. The westerners regard this as lunacy which is only likely to ead to disaster by playing the Gernans' game, Field Marshal Von Hinenburg's aim being to shift the centre of gravity from France to the Balkans. The Somme offensive is the one thing he dreads. After suggesting that the people choose a new ruler through a general election, the Manchester Guardian, commenting on the Cabinet situation, sounds this note of warning: "There are in fact two crises, for a crisis in the ministry but a reflection of a crisis in the war Criticism of the war amounts to this that the progress of events and a suc ession of bitter experiences have : last brought home to the minds most men the fact that we are no It is the consensus of opinion among the managers winning the war and the further con of the stores that the people cannot be too strongly urged to do their Christmas shopping early. In the viction that with the present methods of waging the war we should neve win it.' first place, the Christmas stocks are now all in and the

ATHENS CALM.

PARIS. To-day. A despatch to the Temps from Ath ns on Monday says the city has be ome calm, but armed bands of reser vists are still moving about th tion and other material and many streets. King Constantine and the prisoners who have not yet been members of the Royal family are a counted. The number of guns capturthe Palace.

RUSSIANS TO THE RESCUE.

NO CHANGE IN POLICY, SAYS PETROGRAD, To-day. The timely arrival of Russian troop LONDON, To-day. before Bucharest at a critical momen When the members of the House when the loss of the capital seeme uggested a longer adjournment than almost certain, has somewhat changed Thursday on the ground that it was the routine of the German situation not certain that the Premier would here. The Roumanians have at last make a definite announcement on that a fighting chance to retain their capday that the House should be given ital with the aid of the Russians, who an opportunity to discuss the new have rendered their first valuable assituation, Asquith said, "I desire to sistance to the Roumanian defence by Toulon and Brest, say the following make it perfectly plain to the House an offensive in the Carpathians begun and to the country that, whatever re- five days ago, will now attempt to in

construction of Cabinet takes place, steamer Moeraki; the French schoon-it involves no departure in any shape they are able to defend by establisher Robinson: all the crews were sav-from the policy already announced ed. The British steamer Moeraki was and pursued since the beginning of of the capital. According to informaing a permanent line north and west 4.392 tons and owned by the Union S. the war. If any one encourages or tion received here from Bucharest the entertains the idea that there is any German plan of encircling Bucharest question of a change in policy, I can was perilously near accomplishmen ANOTHER BRILLIANT VICTORY assure them they are entirely mistak- when it struck an unexpected obstacle

en." "Ministers," added the Premier, in the form of a Russian force be will continue to perform their du- tween Bucharest and the Danube. SALONIKI, To-day, ties." A motion to adjourn till Strong cavalry columns of the Teu-A Serbian official issued to-day tells. Thursday was carried, the Nationaltonic Allies had been sent forward on of the capture of heavily fortified Bul- ists alone protesting. Before the ad- both wings of a united front, forcing garian positions north of Grunishts journment the Premier said the first the Roumanian flanks backward both



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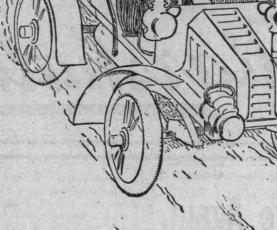
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ing over several days, in which the members an opportunity to discuss Bulgars suffered heavy casualties and any topic they might raise. lost prisoners, guns, machine guns and ammunition. After sanguinary BOMBARDMENT OF BUCHAREST. fighting lasting several days in which COPENHAGEN, To-day. the Bulgars suffered heavy losses, According to the Berlin correspond without interruption, despite bad weather, difficult terrain and desper-

already been completed for the big ent of the National Tidende, the Gerate resistance by the enemy, our man artillery, which was emplaced guns which were to bombard the Butroops by a brilliant attack yesterday only eleven miles from Bucharest, be gan yesterday to bombard the city. captured an entire series of power-

fully fortified Bulgarian position in the region north of Grunishte and Budimirtsa. The ruins of the ancient fortress above Grunishte are in our

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tle appreciated?

EAST VERSUS WEST. LONDON, To-day The real basis of the political crisis,

and Budimirtsa, east of the Cerna business of the House Thursday would north and south of the capital. The

be to vote a credit which would give

hands. The Bulgars are flying north- according to the Parliamentary cor ward leaving a large number of dead respondent of the Star, is a conflict on the field. By this brilliant victory between eastern and western strategy. we captured numerous trophies, in- The westerners, the correspondent cluding 5 field guns, 5 caissons, many say, are concentrating the whole man machine guns, a quantity of ammuni- power on the west front and forcing

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TO-DAY'S

Messages.

10.30 A.M.

MORE SINKINGS.

Reports received from Bordeaux,

vessels were sunk by submarines: the

Norwegian steamer Boss, the British

S. Co., of New Zealand. The Robin-

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son was 186 tons

PARIS, To-day.

charest forts. Executing a hasty rereat, the Germans and Bulgars had o abandon guns of all calibres and a large quantity of war material. The north Teutonic Allied group, which is

attempting to flank Bucharest from he side of Pitesti, has proceeded with greater success but the Roumanians have managed to retreat without losing connection with the forces defending the western fortifications of the capital.

WAR REVIEW.

flanking movement was partially suc

cessful when the Teutonic forces ad-

vancing from Lake Grecu encounter-

ed a sudden stiffening resistance from

the Roumanians, due to the arrival of

Russian troops, and were compelled to

etire in disorder. Emplacements had

The armies of the Teutonic Allies ghting in southwestern Roumania with, Bucharest as their main objec-7 ive, have joined hands from the Danube in the south to northwest of ucharest, where coming through the ountainous region they have reachnounces that the battle of the

Argeshu River has come to a final in progress. According to Solia in the changes to be made will not bring clusion with the Teutons victors former region the Belgarians repulsed about a policy different from that and that all along the front they are heavy Russian attacks. Berlin admits which has been pursued since the bedrawing closer their net towards Bu- slight progress in the northwest by ginning of the war. Unofficial adcharest. With the capture of Terger the Russians who captured another vices from Athens say that quiet previstea and further south the driving height. In the Macedonia theatre lit- vails in the Greek Capital. The Britof the Roumanians beyond the rail- tle fighting of moment has taken place. ish War Trade Minister announced i way junction to the town of Titu the Berlin admits the realignment of the the Commons that the Entente Allies forces of the Central Powers now hold | Teutonic Allied front east of the Cerna | will immediately obtain a solution of intact all the railway lines running River while the Serbian War Office the Greek difficulties in which it i into Bucharest from the west of the asserts that the Serbs here have cap- said that King Constantine and his Predeal Pass. A line running north tured the entire services of powerful Government are deeply involved. from the Capital into Transylvania is fortified Bulgarian positions north of Britain has prohibited the sailing of

this will be a Victor Gramaphone.

Arm Chair for "grandad" to the tiny toy for the toddling tot.

in western Wallachia partly in Rou- additional guns, machine guns, ammanian hands. With the Teutons munition and prisoners. British sapnearly astride this line at Breza and pers near Ypres and Wytschaete in' rapidly advancing this route is likely Belgium by nine explosions had preto be taken from them. South and pared the way for a raid on German outhwest of Bucharest the forces of trenches. Some British succeeded in agree to on Thursday will be £400,-Field Marshal Von Mackensen, which entering an advanced trench but later crossed the Danube, have inflicted a were driven out. A British attack of 1916 up to £1,750,000,000.

heavy defeat on the Roumanians and against LeSars also failed. Considerantured the town of Gradichea, 12 able artillery activity continues at niles from the Capital. In this fight- various points along the French front, ing, according to Berlin, the Rouman-especially the Somme region and on the Verdun sector, Artillery duels and ies on Sunday, with a loss of more small manoeuvres by patrol parties than 8,000 men made prisoners, and featured in the fighting on the Austroannon to the number of 35 were cap- Italian front. The Russians' attack red near Ritu; 13 locomotives and against the German lines near Lake KINARD'S LINIMENT USED IF

ch rolling stock fell into the hands Drisvety, south of Dvinsk, failed with

he Royal Stores Itd. of the Teutons. In Dobrudja and in heavy casualties to the Russians, ac ed the town of Tergovistea. Berlin the northwest along the Bukowina and cording to Berlin. The British Cab-Transylvania fronts violent fighting is inet is to be reconstructed, but the -THE-**Undernoted Liqueurs, Etc.**, Will be Cleared at Old Prices. Cherry Brandy. French Vermouth Dry Sillery—qts. Hock—Still & Sparkling. Moselle-Sparkling. Italian Vermouth. Cocktails. Bordeaux Beaune. Cherry Whisky. Grand Mariner. Burgundies. Sauternes. the sole remaining railway connection Grunishte and Budimistra and taken Greek steamers from British ports. Tokay Wine. Claret. Schweppe's Soda. THE NEW VOTE. Angostura Bitters. Benedictine-Large & sma Sloe Gin. LONDON, To-day. Plymouth Gin. The new vote of credit which the Curacao. - Old Tom Gin. Chartreuse-Green & Y Premier will ask the Commons to Tanqueray's Gin. Holland Gin. 000,000. This would bring the total Maraschino.

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A Fisherman's Opinion

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Australian Method Keeps Down Prices. BACKACHE GONE!

WHY NOT IN CANADA? New York, Nov. 28 .- Patrick E Quinn, Government Commissioner for New South Wales, who is on a visit to the States, is busy explaining the Australian system of Food Control ousewives leagues. "The storing of eggs, butter, meat

poultry and like foods to boost the prices, is only less criminal than the destruction of food to keep the market up," he says. "In New South Wales every morning the prevailing prices for staples are announced by the Government. If the announced price is 36 cents for butter, the house wife knows she will pay 36 cents and no more. Thanks to our system, housewives in Sydney and other large cities pay about 25 cents a dozen for

the best eggs. There is no legitimate met an humble fisherman eason why they should be dearer And stalwart was his form, He had sailed the broad Atlantic In summer's calm and storm, For forty years and over He had done his little bit ere. Your American egg barons would like to hit me with some of their storage goods for saying it no doubt, but the reason eggs are not 25 cents For to upkeep Terra Nova here is that the speculators are holding a pistol to the consumers head. 'I said you're looking happy,"

His face it wore a smile, He answered, "I'm the happiest To-day upon this Isle, For since I was a youngster Now I'd like to let you know "At home we provide a reasonable profit for the producer, one for the wholesaler and one for the retailer and yet sell many articles of food at half and less than half what you pay That my feet were always chilly here. There is plenty of food of all kinds in the United States. The spec-

"Though of boots I've worn a number When I fished at Labrador, ulators have got dealers and consum Yet I never struck the rights ones 'Till I called on John B. Orr; So you see I'm feeling happy, Now do not think it strange, Because the ones called 'Buddy' ers by the throat. They have raised the false cry of 'heavy exports on ac count of the war' and then have boosted prices on that artificial theory. This a situation that could not exist in Is what brought about the cha New South Wales.

'So I feel like one and twenty, "Can you imagine a two pound loaf They bring ease unto my feet, They're strong, well made, and lasting of bread selling in the United States or seven cents? I think not, yet that And they are likewise neat; And in the place I came from s what the Australian state bakeries In Bonavista Bay 'll find there's many hundreds

"Take a spool of common thread. In Of them worn there to-day. Australia the housewife gets 3,000 bade that stalwart fisherman vards for a nickel. The American Before he crossed the foam tood luck and Merry Christmas honsewife gets 1.000. This is all the

more remarkable when you consider that all our cotton must be shipped from England or America, as we grow

Boycott of Eggs on in New York.

Rev. Gordon Thousands of Housewives Identified With the Movement-Turkeys Drop in Price.

New York, Nov. 30 .- New York city's Given Reception Last Night. fight to reduce the high cost of living

Mr. J. C. Hepburn presided at an began in earnest to-day with a boy-"At Home" held by the members of cott.on eggs by thousands of housethe Kirk at the Presbyterian Hall last vives. This was followed by a direct night. The object of the gathering appeal by the National Housewives' was to extend a hearty welcome to League to President Wilson for the Rev. and Mrs. Dickie, following the

Three Smuggled Prizes There was a time when the Turkish government imposed the death penalty on persons caught trying to smuggle out of the empire the best breeds of Angora goats. In 1881 a Californian, Dr. Riley, bought four goats in Turev. carried them on mules, camels and in closed carriages for some hundreds of miles, sheared off their luxuriant wool, rolled them in coal dust to make them look common and disreputable and escaped with the Sultan't goats and a whole skin. The descendants of these goats are found on ranches in the west and southwest, crossed with Angoras from South Africa and other parts of the world. Once the government of China and Japan guarded with similar jealousy the exportation of the tea plant. Some ne escaped with some seed or cut-

tings, however, some forty years ago, and the original plantation of smuggled tea plants is still flourishing in South Carolina. Fifty years ago Brazil was engaged

in an effort to keep the rubber tree in confinement in that empire. The seed was smuggled to Ceylon, however, and for half a century East Indian planters have been perfecting the rubber tree until now the best plantations are there rather than in Brazil, and the Brazilians who want the best varieties send to Ceylon, Java and other Asiatic countries for their trees for planting.

The sultan lost his goat, the mandarins their tea and the dons their rubber trees-and in return Brazil has given the Asiatics the plague of the water hyacinth and the Mongolians have sent us the San Jose scale, the gypsy moth and several other pests -Farm and Fireside.

Evolution in Thought.

The New York woman suffragists State Convention assembled, do Resolve. To announce a Thanksgiving of our own for the support of the half million votes at the polls November, 1915, and for that evolution in thought, in which we firmly trust to make us citizen equals with the men of our State in 1917.

That evolution in thought evolves and is memorably attested by this reolution :--

The New York State Woman Suffrage Party, believing that unenfranchised persons are at a great disadvantage, whether producers or consumers, does affirm that until we vote we cannot expect to arrest the present deplorable distress known as "the high cost of living."

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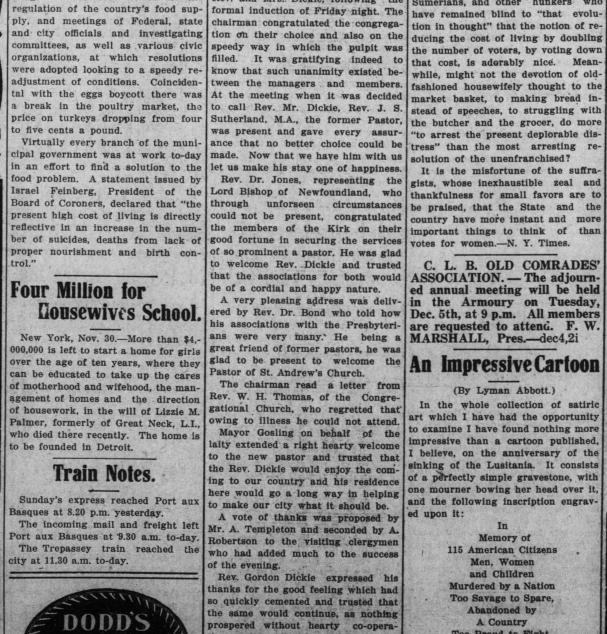
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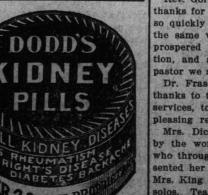
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Memory of 115 American Citizens Men. Women and Children Murdered by a Nation Too Savage to Spare, Abandoned by A Country Too Proud to Fight. on, and as church members and May 7, 1915. pastor we should bear and forbear. Dr. Fraser proposed a vote of hanks to the Rev. Dr. Dickie for his

services, to which the Dr. made a boil one teacupful of rice in a small leasing reply. quantity of water until tender. Lin Mrs. Dickie was also remembered an earthenware baking dish with the by the women of the congregation, rice, pressing it up against the sides who through Miss Pauline Baird preand over the bottom. Fill it with sented her with a handsome bouquet. Mrs. King and Miss Strang rendered apples cut in small pieces. Add a little sugar and cover with rice. Place solos. Teas were served and the so-the dish in a steamer, and steam until cial closed by the singing of the Na-the apples are tender. Serve with onal Anthem. sugar and cream or milk.

for Our Coats. ducing the cost of living by doubling Nfld. Clothing Company, Ltd. while, might not the devotion of oldfashioned housewifely thought to the stead of speeches, to struggling with the butcher and the grocer, do more "to arrest the present deplorable dis tress" than the most arresting re solution of the unenfranchised? It is the misfortune of the suffragists, whose inexhaustible zeal and PILK thankfulness for small favors are to be praised, that the State and the country have more instant and more important things to think of than votes for women.-N. Y. Times. C. L. B. OLD COMRADES ASSOCIATION. - The adjourned annual meeting will be held The best Jigger ever invented. Ask for O. MUS-TAD'S and see if you don't get the fish every time. An Impressive Cartoon Use a swivel at each end of the sed line, this makes the (By Lyman Abbott.) jigger act as a spinner. In the whole collection of satiric art which I have had the opportunity sep2,eod,tf to examine I have found nothing more impressive than a cartoon published, CAN'T EXPLODE. **The Aladdin Lamp** Saves oil, therefore saves money. Gives a light preferable to ELECTRICITY. Disastrous city fire a few days ago. Cause, explosion of an ordinary kero lamp. Fires often happen from same cause. No danger with an ALADDIN LAMP. To make fruit and rice pudding



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with buckskin makes a chic boot. A suit of deep blue velvet is effectively trimmed with mole skin. Collar and cuffs of old-fashioned lace are effective on a dress of silk. Brown boots with castor colored are fashioned on the Russian blouse

are usually veiled and softened with

afternoon are made of velvet or a smooth cloth, and tirmmed with fur. A lovely evening gown is of chiffon embroidered with gold and green ads over a green velvet underdress Elbow sleeves are worn over undersleeves of tulle which are finished at

The afternoon frock of velvet, if

ionable hat.

For evening wraps and mantles cades nanne velour, gold and silver





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