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Colonial Secretary's Office,
19th March, 1917. mar20,4i

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JAMES CARTER,
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St. John's, March 19th, 1917.
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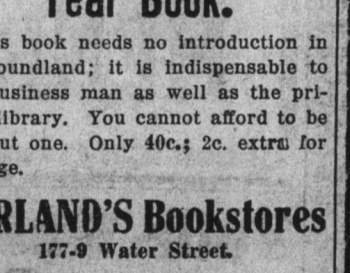
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CHAPTER XXXIX.

Missing.
As the detective took it from his trembling hand and put it in his pocket, the heroic girl staggered and fell into her father's arms.

The next morning the chase had commenced, the bloodhounds were on the scent.
But it was soon lost, and they hesitated and got astray.

Large rewards were offered, descriptions of the supposed murderer's person were posted all over the kingdom, every town and village searched, London scoured, but to no purpose. The fugitive had got clear away and the hounds were at fault.

That he was the murderer of a few had even doubts. There had been some story of a strange foreign-looking man inquiring his way to Grassmere, at the same way inn at which the woman had stopped, but no one attached any importance to that. What did that solitary fact weigh against the wet clothes, the bloodstains, the actually proved meeting of Maurice Durant and the deceased?

The pockets being turned inside out was no evidence in his favor, the police decided. It was a common rumour when the deed of blood was actuated by feelings of revenge or passion to empty the pockets in the hope of misleading the detectives and throwing them off the scent.

Another link in the mysterious chain of circumstances had also been found. Mr. Crawshaw, in a search he had instituted in every part of the hall, had come upon a small picture which was proved to bear a striking likeness to the face of the murdered woman, and Sir Fielding, on being asked about it, distinctly remembered that Maurice Durant had nearly swooned at sight of it the first night he had visited the gallery.

No, public opinion declared him the murderer, and once public opinion makes its declaration it is difficult to change it.
Even Sir Fielding and Lady Mildred had their doubts, though they strove hard against them; but Maud—gentle, loving Maud—declared, delirious or conscious, as she lay on her sick bed, his innocence, night and day, and called Heaven to witness it.

For the first week after the terrible scene in the library they had despaired of her life, and Sir Fielding had telegraphed for Chudleigh and Carlotta; but she had fought hard against her agony and delirium, and the doctors declared that though she would not be out of danger for some time, Chudleigh's return might save her.
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CHAPTER XL.
In Strange Scenes.
Oh, weary heart, that longeth for the day!
Oh, weary heart, that panteth for the night's still breath!
Where lies the succor? where the solace? Say!
Death! it answers, sadly, Death!
Yet were I lying where the sea sand lies,
A thousand lengthy fathoms deep,
That voice would wake me from eternal sleep,
And like the last trump, bid me rise.

WILL my readers graciously deign to seat themselves on the novelist's magic carpet, and let it carry them—whither?
To a wide expanse, limitless as far as the eye can see, a world of bright blue sky, spangled with stars, and lit up by a glorious moon, whose rays fall upon a boundless carpet of magnificent flowers.

Flowers to the right, flowers to the left, flowers as far as the eye can reach; one boundless prairie of heaven's earth jewels, one splendid meadow, soft as velvet, dazzling as a cluster of precious gems, without an owner save the solitary trapper, the feet-foot Indian, or the wild animals that browse on its bosom and fly across it with swift foot as the approach of men.

While we gaze lost in wonder and awe three specks appear in the gray horizon and gradually grow nearer. They are horsemen—rough, sturdy sons of the prairie and mountains, tanned by the sun, hardened by the continual struggle for the necessities of life, trained to deeds of daring by their incessant warfare with deadly and never-ending foes.

Attired in garments of rough calico, the hairy skins of the prairie wolf, and the tanned hide of the buffalo—the animal which provides them with both food and clothing—their rough heads covered by caps cut from the hairy coat of the dead grizzly bear, and their legs cased in moccasins, stripped from Indians that had fallen beneath their smooth, shining rifles, these Mexican trappers look fiercer than the beasts, and by the tawny sons of the forest are more dreaded.

Coming along at a speed which only a Mexican horse could maintain, and only a Mexican—the finest rider in the world—of a trapper, could sit through, steed and rider seem one, yet as they dash through the bright-hued flowers they could at a word bring their flying horses to a halt and fling themselves from the saddle.

Beyond them, glistening in the rays of the summer moon, lay the Rocky Mountains, whose summits are always hoary with eternal snow, whose holes and caves are the homes of the brown and the fearful grizzly bear.

Making direct for this high range of mountains the three riders skirted a little to the left, and, suddenly pulling up beside a bright, shallow stream, which meanders through low rocks and around the base of a clump of dark trees, leaped from their horses, and two of them commenced, without a moment's delay, to cut down some dry branches, wherewith to make a fire, while the third fastened the bridles of the horses by means of pegs driven into the ground with one heavy blow of his axe.

While one tended the fire, heaping up branch after branch, and piling stones around it in the shape of a round stove or grate, the other two un saddled the horses and took from the spacious saddlebags some dried buffalo hams and bread, and proceeded to erect a gypsy tripod over the

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crackling blaze.
From this tripod they suspended a piece of rope, and stuck huge slices of the buffalo meat upon a hook attached.
This done, and three flasks filled from the stream, the men threw themselves down beside the fire—their rifles close at hand—and watched their supper cooking.

Neither of them had spoken as yet, each going through his allotted share of the work with taciturn earnestness, but now that they were stretched at full length, one of them, the tallest, looked up, and, addressing the man who had been tending the fire said:
"Carlos, how came you to miss the old one?"
"Ask it when you see it—I can't tell. I'm not used to running 'em; eh, Bill?"
"Yer ain't," replied the other, curtly, his keen eyes, lank jaw and nasal accent proclaiming him a Yankee, though he rode, shot and hunted with the same daring and excellence as his Mexican companions. "It's lucky Alph pricked the cow, or we'd gone supperless to bed, I guess."

"There are more buffaloes this side of the mountains."
"I calculate not; they are due south now! Thar's only grizzlies and a brownie now and then up yer."
"Hum!" grunted the Mexican called Alph. "I have seen the Great Hunter drop one on this very spot."
"Ay, ye might, but why?" retorted the Yankee. "Why, 'cos he'd druv 'em from the south. Yer may star, but I'm speakin' t'nal truth. I've seen him hunt a head 'cross the flow'ry prairies till they were druv to the mountains, and then pick his bull and drop 'im."
"The Great Hunter can do everything. Dost mind, Alph, when he dropped the grizzly up beyond the hills?"
"Ay, ay," reiterated Alph. "That were nearly my last bar."
"Tell," said the Yankee, curtly.
"Carlos speaks of the time when I joined the trappers down South for buffalo hide and beaver. 'Twere their second trip—and winter. We had hailed up-stream from the east without luck to speak of, and parted in couples to spread out. Carlos and I were lotted off together. We started for the pine forest, while the snow was coming down like lumps of ice."
"At night we crept beneath the drifts, and covered our heads with our cloaks, for fear lest the snow should get to our insides and freeze our hearts. Two days of this, and the horses died; we ate 'em, and got on by tramping. Third day Carlos dropped a red dove which lasted us another night, creepin' in 'tween the warm skin. Next day we got astray and was for turning off or back—the snow had ceased, when I heard a roar, and next minute a grizzly was coming down on me; there was not time to do more than fire, and I lodged a bullet in his shoulder. It didn't stop him—worrin' him up more likely, for he came down like thunder and got me in his arms. Carlos had no more powder; my rifle was beneath me. I said an Ave and gave up quietly; but just as the animal were chokin' me off, I heard a shout, and,

looking up, saw a trapper riding a tall C'est come riding up. He was afraid to fire, for the b'ar was twisting around, and he might have dropped me as easily as the grizzly, but when he came close he leaped down, and, swinging his axe around his head, struck the b'ar 'cross the nozzle.
"It dropped me like a hot coal, and turned on him, but he, quick as lightning—I never saw it better done—out with a long bow and ripped the beast up. Before the claws did more than take the skin off his back it dropped dead as a nail.
"When I came to he was gone, but Carlos had seen him before—there's no forgetting him—and said it was the Great Hunter."
The Yankee took down one of the slices—and commenced eating, the others following his example.
"Seen him since?" he asked after five minutes' eating and staring at the fire.
Carlos nodded.
"Ay, thrice. Once with a couple of redskins, tracking a panther once scouring across the hills after deer, and another time sitting beside a stream watching for beaver. Always alone, excepting for the dog—dog never away."
"I remember once," said Alph, taking a flask of spirit from his pocket, and, after drinking from it, handing it to his companions; "I remember once when the Reds were on the war-trail, that if one mentioned the Great Hunter's name they uttered a yell. He never misses, never forgets, and shows no mercy to a foe. But a friend—well, it ain't a grizzly or a handful of redskins that will stop the Great Hunter if one needs him."
"When did you hear o' un last?" asked the Yankee.
"Five years back, before the great flood. Since then no man has seen him. The Indians say a grizzly dropped him across yonder. Old Wabe, the gray-haired trapper, says he still lives, and will come to the prairie once more; nay, more; Red Serpent swore by his father's grave, that he saw him this fall, down by the White River, snaring!"
"Can't believe in Junks," said the Yankee.
"Ay, truth never touches their tongues," replied the Mexican, filling a short, wooden pipe with black York River, and lighting it with a brand.
The others followed his example, and soon the fragrant aroma of tobacco joined the smoke of the wood fire.
For half an hour they smoked in silence, then one by one they curled themselves up in their blankets and rolled over, grasping their deadly rifles, to sleep.
Suddenly, before a couple of hours had elapsed, the American raised his head, and, lifting his rifle, sat up in a listening attitude.
The slight noise he made aroused his companions, and in a second all three were listening intently, rifles grasped and eyes on the watch.
"Coyote," said the Mexican, meaning the prairie wolf.
The Yankee shook his head and, listening for a few seconds longer, said, suddenly:
"It's a dog."
Instantly the three crept a little distance forward, and fell full length with their rifles pointed in the direction of the noise, ready to strike death at a single shot, if need be.
(To be Continued.)

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FRENCH OFFICERS
PARIS, 30
The statement issued from office to-night announced reads: In the course of the troops have gone beyond the Somme River and Charly Oise. We hold a great number of villages north of Ham and a convoy which was retreating in direction of St. Quentin. Our reached at this point a distance of 22 miles. South of this numerous villages reached the of Ailette-Soissons which entirely cleared. North of our advance forces have along the road to Maunche about 20 additional villages and towns were liberated. The fore retiring devastated of fruit trees, which were cut down, fields were over mines which opened up numerous villages were burned and the inhabitants shelter or sustenance were our troops. Communication at several points, all destroyed. In the Charly lery fighting became violent afternoon in the region of Mesnil and west of Arras. The left bank of the Meuse, where almost all the trench elements the enemy had entered the continues.
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War News.

Messages Received Previous to 9 A.M.

OFFICIAL.
Governor, St. John's:
LONDON, March 19.
Since Saturday the enemy has retreated on the whole front between Arras and Soissons. By last night we had occupied Bapaume, Peronne and over sixty villages. The advance continues in conjunction with the French who have occupied Nesle, Noyon and, from a report just received, about a hundred villages.

LONG.
FRENCH OFFICIAL.
PARIS, March 19.
The statement issued from the war office to-night announcing these gains reads: In the course of the day our troops have gone beyond Ham on the Somme River and Chancy on the Oise. We hold a great number of localities north of Ham and captured a convoy which was retiring in the direction of St. Quentin. Our advance reached at this point a depth of nearly 22 miles. South of Chaucy, our detachments reached the general line of Ailette-Soissons which has been entirely cleared. Northwest of Crouy our advance forces have progressed along the road to Maubeuge. To-day about 20 additional villages and small towns were liberated. The enemy before retiring devastated the country of fruit trees, which were cut or torn down, fields were overturned by mines which opened up great craters, numerous villages were completely burned and the inhabitants without shelter or sustenance were fed by our troops. Communication was cut at several points, all bridges being destroyed. In the Champagne artillery fighting became violent in the afternoon in the region of Butte De Mesnil and we of Auberville on the left bank of the Meuse, we recaptured almost all the trench elements which the enemy had entered. The fighting continues.

During the night our light detachments, keeping in close touch with the enemy, continued to progress, without interruption. East of Nesle we reached at several points the Ham-Nesle railroad. North of Noyons we occupied Guiscard and forwarded patrols along the national road to St. Quentin. East of the Oise we have captured the second German positions. The number of villages and small

towns delivered by us during the last three days actually number one hundred. Several places have been devastated and obviously looted by the enemy. Thousands of the inhabitants of the places which the Germans evacuated, came forward to cheer our soldiers. In Argonne, near Lattaraese we have made raids and captured prisoners. On the left bank of the Meuse yesterday evening, after a violent bombardment against our Avocourt Mort Homme front, the Germans launched a strong attack on positions situated between these two points. Curtains of fire and machine gun firing dispersed the assaulting waves on the greatest part of the front before they had reached our lines, and they sustained heavy losses. Towards Hill 304 and Avocourt Wood, where the enemy succeeded in penetrating our lines on a 200 yard front, spirited hand-to-hand fighting ensued, during which the enemy was partly expelled from our advanced elements. Yesterday Adjutant Madon attacked very near and brought down his 80th aeroplane. Another was felled by one of our pilots west of Altkirch.

GERMAN RETIREMENT CONTINUES.
LONDON, March 19.
The German retreat continued throughout the night, telegraphs Reuter's correspondent at British headquarters in France. Our troops continued to press hard upon the heels of the retreating enemy. Considerable forces of cavalry have been employed as reconnoitering patrols. The enemy had a screen of Uhlans covering his rear guard. There is much brisk fighting, but the main German forces continue to decline action. Whatever his tactical scheme may have been it now appears pretty certain that we forestalled him and are hustling him to a degree which he had not anticipated. This is borne out by the promptitude with which he evacuated strong defensive positions, every time our advance got in contact with him in strength. This morning was cloudy with strong wind but still very airy, therefore was all in favor of open fighting. Every movement of the enemy is being watched with cat-like vigilance all along the line. Our patrols have crossed the Arras-Bapaume road and railway at many points between these places. Although we cannot yet claim to dominate these important routes, the Germans are certainly off them. In other words the great salient is practically gone.

The British advance is still being pushed rapidly, further large gains being recorded in the official report from the British headquarters in France to-night. The pursuit of the

enemy, says the report, continued today, our cavalry and advanced guards driving back the enemy's rear guards. The ground gained extends from a depth of from two to eight miles. Forty more villages have fallen into our hands.

THE TERRITORY GAINED.
PARIS, March 19.
To-morrow or the day after, two entire French Departments, those of the Oise and Aisne will be liberated from the German invader, according to reports from the fighting front. The total territory now gained is roughly calculated at 600 square miles. The nature of the ground over which the Germans retreated was almost all against them and they were harried by cavalry which is now being used in force for the first time since the battle of the Marne. At a few points where nature offered an opportunity for resistance the Germans tried to make a stand and fell back only after considerable fighting. The principle of these points were the forest and the village and part of the wood of Carlepont. South of Noyon there was also a sharp struggle for the important Crouy plateau across the river from Soissons, the capture of which is believed likely by military critics to be followed by highly favorable developments.

AMERICANS MISSING.
NEW YORK, March 19.
Eighty-five Americans, comprising a large majority of the crew, were aboard the American steamer Vigilantia and City of Memphis and Illinois, sunk by German submarines on Saturday and Sunday. The latest information here is that 14 men are missing from the Vigilantia and eight from the City of Memphis. The crew of the Illinois landed safely.

TIENTSIN OCCUPIED.
PEKING, March 19.
Chinese troops have occupied without opposition, the German concession at Tientsin and Hankow. The Dutch have taken over the German consulates.

HOME RULE FOR FINLAND.
LONDON, March 19.
Home Rule for Finland is the policy of the new Russian Government, according to Reuter's correspondent, writing from Tamperfors, Finland's greatest manufacturing city. The correspondent says that the Finnish Diet will be convened shortly and asked to establish a Government possessing the full confidence of the people. General Zein, Governor of Finland under the old regime, has been sent to Petrograd as a prisoner. The people throughout the country are

joyful over the change, and the situation everywhere is peaceful.

MICHAEL'S ABDICATION.
PETROGRAD, March 19.
The renunciation of Grand Duke Michael was signed at his private residence, whether he went with a large part of the Duma committee, headed by Prince Lvoff, Professor Milukoff and President Rodzianke. The Grand Duke addressed the committee, and declared the responsibility devolved upon him found him undecided, because of the existing differences of opinion. He added that since the happiness of Russia was the only consideration he believed this would be best assured by his abdication, and therefore surrendered his authority.

MUNITION PLANT BLOWN UP.
COPENHAGEN, March 19.
A large munition plant at Cologne blew up on Thursday, according to information received from German sources by a newspaper at Kolding, near the frontier. Several hundred workmen are reported to have perished.

RUSSIAN ADVANCE.
PETROGRAD, March 19.
Further progress by the Russians in Persia, who have now reached the vicinity of the Turkish border, is reported to-day by the war office.

RAMSGATE SHELLED.
LONDON, March 19.
Enemy destroyers shelled the undefended place of Ramsgate on Saturday night. They retired hurriedly before our local forces and escaped in the darkness. It was not possible to ascertain the damage inflicted on them. At almost the same time enemy destroyers engaged one of our destroyers on patrol to the eastward of the Straits of Dover, sinking her with a torpedo. She returned the fire, using torpedoes and guns. Results not known. There were eight survivors from the crew; all the officers were drowned. A second British destroyer was torpedoed, but not seriously damaged while picking up survivors from a British merchant ship on the northern part of the Downs, which was sunk by a torpedo Saturday night. The official announcement made in London last night said early on Sunday morning German torpedo boat destroyers approached the Kentish coast on which Ramsgate is situated, and fired a number of shells at certain of the coast towns. It is said there were no casualties and only slight damage done.

DAILY AVERAGE EXPENDITURE.
LONDON, March 19.
Replying to a question in the Com-

mons to-day, Andrew Bonar Law, Chancellor of the Exchequer, said the daily average expenditure of the British Government from April 1st, 1916, to March 31, 1917, would work out at six million pounds. Law said the nominal total of the national debt was estimated at £2,900,000,000. The total estimated amount due from Britain's Allies and Dominions, the Chancellor said, was £964,000,000. The Chancellor said the average daily payments between Feb. 11 and March 31 would amount to £7,200,000. In that period heavy payments are falling due which increased the expenditure by a daily average of more than one million pounds. The daily expenditure of the year would work out at six million pounds.

CASUALTIES.
LONDON, March 19.
The casualty lists published by the war office show that during February the British army lost 417 officers killed, 831 wounded, 37 missing, total 1,255. This brings the aggregate losses of officers since the commencement of the war to 56,365, of which 16,819 were killed or died of wounds, 36,021 wounded and 3,465 missing.

AUTHORIZED TO SPEND \$115,000,000.
WASHINGTON, March 19.
President Wilson late to-day authorized the Navy Department to spend \$115,000,000 to speed up the construction of small auxiliary craft. Congress in its last session authorized the President to sanction the expenditure and authorized the issue of bonds to raise the money. The President's decision is one of the steps considered necessary to meet the maritime menace. His act was the first official recognition of the national emergency. He also will authorize the suspension of the eight-hour laws in naval construction and will authorize the payment of time and a half for overtime as provided for by act of Congress.

OFFICERS' STATEMENT.
LONDON, March 19.
The officers of the City of Memphis which have been rescued, state that the submarine which sank the vessel was one of the largest type, being equipped with heavy guns. The first warning shot was fired from a distance of more than three miles. The Memphis at once reversed her engines. The submarine came up to a distance of about a mile, when she fired again and fragments of the shell struck the ship, but no one was injured. The captain was able by this time to read the signals which the submarine was flying conveying the message "abandon your ship." The captain ordered a long blast of the whistle signifying the order had been

comprehended. Five minutes later four blasts were blown meaning that the crew were in the boats. The submarine then fired eight shots sinking the ship. In the abandoned captain's boat from the City of Memphis the American Embassy advises to-day were found the ship's papers, and a white silk handkerchief tied to a stick. The papers were in a biscuit tin which had been placed under the seat.

OFFICIAL.
LONDON, March 19.
The following official was issued late this evening regarding British troops in Mesopotamia: During Saturday night General Maude's troops effected a crossing of the Diala River, and occupied the village of Bahris and part of the town of Bakkubah on the left bank of the river. The enemy retired hastily toward Kaniki. Bakkubah is a prosperous town spread over a considerable extent on the river bank, and is a good supply centre. Bakkubah lies 25 miles north-east of Bagdad on the Diala.

ANNOUNCEMENT IN THE COMMONS.
LONDON, March 19.
The announcement was made in the Commons on behalf of the Government to-day that if the Germans should carry out their threat of employing British prisoners near the fighting line, the Government would decide at once on action, although reluctant to adopt retaliatory measures.

GERMAN CASUALTIES.
LONDON, March 19.
According to official lists kept here, the total casualties among the Germans reported for February, of killed and dead, due to wounds or sickness, and men made prisoners and missing, aggregate 60,471, making the total German casualties since the war began, exclusive of those of the navy or in the colonies, at 4,148,163. The German casualties for the month of January, according to London, aggregate 77,534. The total for the war up to that time was announced at 4,087,692.

CONSTRUCTION ORDERED.
WASHINGTON, March 19.
The construction immediately in the New York navy yard of sixty submarine chasers, deliveries to begin in from 60 to 80 days, was ordered to-day by Secretary Daniels. The boats will cost \$30,000 each. Forty can be laid down at once.

SMALLPOX IN GERMANY.
LONDON, March 19.
Reports reaching here from Scandinavia and Holland say that smallpox is increasingly prevalent in Ger-

many, with an unusual percentage of fatalities, owing to the decreased power of resistance of the people. A considerable number of cases are reported throughout north Germany. Official reports admit there were 146 cases in Berlin last week, with 11 deaths. The epidemic is said to have been brought from the east by returned soldiers. A despatch from Berne under yesterday's date, said Austrian newspapers and papers of other countries reported there were thousands of cases of smallpox in Germany.

RETIREMENT ON WESTERN FRONT.
AMSTERDAM, March 19.
A Berlin despatch to the Handelsblad, describing the retirement on the western front, says: As the ground abandoned is now to become a battlefield, it was necessary to destroy everything which might be of service to the enemy, such as roads, shelters and water supplies. This destruction was carried out ruthlessly, but what could be of no military advantage to the enemy was spared to the population. All which is capable of military service have been brought along so that it might not be incorporated in the enemy's army.

NEW FRENCH CABINET.
PARIS, March 19.
Alexandre Ribot has formed a Cabinet: Premier and Minister for Foreign Affairs, Alexandre Ribot; Minister of Justice, Rene Viviani; Minister for War, Paul Painleve; Minister of Marine, Rear-Admiral Lacaze; Minister of Munitions, Albert Thomas; Minister of the Interior, Lucas J. Malvy; Minister of Finance, Joseph Thierry.

COUNTRY STORE TO-NIGHT.
There is a wonderful display of beautiful goods to-night at Rossley's British Theatre, such beautiful articles and more than ever. Jack Rossley will appear in Irish songs and dances after his long and tedious illness. The Pantomime Troupe in new Irish songs and dances and costumes and all new pictures. Thursday night is reserved for the children when they will have a Country Store all to themselves. A beautiful assortment of useful ornamental and eatable goods will be given away. For the benefit of those who could not get into Rossley's on St. Patrick's Day many of the Irish songs will be repeated to-night. Don't miss the big show and Country Store at Rossley's British Theatre where you always get more than your money's worth.

N. B. S.—President J. Carbery presided at last night's meeting of the British Society. There was a large attendance of members and much important business was discussed.

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TUESDAY, March 20, 1917.

Changing the Map.

We would give much to be for a few minutes today at the German Chancellor's elbow and bid him, in our best German, "look at the map." The trouble is that, having a German memory and a German sense of humour—being, in fact, a German—he would probably have forgotten that he ever used the expression himself, and not be as much annoyed as we would wish. But it would be pleasant, just the same, to move the little flags about underneath his nose.

We have all had to buy new maps. The older one, which we cut out of some newspaper last summer and pasted over our desks, showing Arras at the top and Chalones at the bottom, with Bapaume and Peronne and all the other famous places dotted around them, is still useful for part of the movements that come flashing over the wires, but only a part. As more and more unfamiliar names, like "new planets," swim into our ken, we have to get another map to see where the places are which they denote. If anyone will take one which shows the whole line as it used to run from Switzerland to the sea, and draw a straight line from Lille to Laon, he will see how it is now likely to run before long and how great a stretch of territory will have been redeemed. The ordinary map, while it is of little use as a guide to the operations and prospects in a small area, is quite reliable on occasions such as this, particularly if it shows the railway systems clearly.

It should serve to discount all the theories we have heard recently about the "strategic" nature of the German retreat, as if they had some terrible counter-stroke up their sleeves and were about to deliver it at an unexpected moment. This may be true, though we are sceptical, but it does not in the least alter the fact that they are retreating now because they have been driven out of their old positions and are unable to hold a new and continuous line until St. Quentin and Cambrai are reached. As the Scientific American says, "Once any of the main lines running north and south in rear of the present German positions are reached, a retreat of the troops in such a sector supplied from these lines becomes absolutely necessary." This is precisely what has happened. The Germans held on until the British took Bapaume and the supply lines radiating from it; then they retired without a moment's delay. We are told the famous Arras salient is practically no more. The same thing has followed south of Bapaume. The French have made amazingly rapid progress and got as far as Ham and Chauny, important railway connections belonging to the St. Quentin-Laon system.

But, assuming that this line is eventually reached and held, what will happen then? It will be time enough to consider that when this occurs, but the map may help us again. The new line will still run generally north and south, so that the pressure of the Allies will be towards the east. From Rheims the front runs east, with the pressure to the north. Midway between Rheims and Verdun, at Maison de Champagne, there has lately been severe fighting. It may mean nothing or it may mean a great deal. Nothing would then be more likely than a big offensive by the French in this region, driving north while General Haig drove east. If successful, such a move would have tremendous results, but it is early to speak of it yet. Finally, in this map survey, the possibility should be noted of the French penetrating too far between St. Quentin and Laon to permit the establishment of the German line between them; it is an ambitious project, but they are evidently aiming at it.

Meanwhile there is another bit of map-changing going on in Turkey in Asia. General Maude is some thirty miles north of Baghdad, the Russians are coming rapidly from Persia to meet him, being now on the Turkish border, and the Grand Duke's forces are reported to have taken Van, on the lake of that name, in Armenia. The last named are coming south, all three armies converging on Mosul and the great campaign inaugurated last year and abandoned through the defeat of the British being recommenced. There is not the slightest doubt that it will succeed this time and Mesopotamia be rapidly reduced into the Allies' possession. Herr Haig, frank as usual, admits something of the real meaning of the fall of Baghdad. For the rest, the almost complete silence from Berlin on the military situation everywhere is one of the most eloquent commentaries upon it.

Physician Charged
With Giving Script for Beverage Purposes.
At the instance of Sergt. Noseworthy, Dr. J. S. Tait was summoned before Judge Penney in the Magistrate's Court this morning, charged with a violation of the Prohibition Act—giving a prescription to one John Griffiths to get a bottle of liquor, which was not used as a medicine. It appears that Griffiths, on application with the script, procured the liquor at the premises of the Controller. He drank the contents of the bottle until he got helplessly intoxicated. He was found lying in a drain by Sergt. Noseworthy, who was informed by Griffiths how he got the stuff. Mr. Higgins appeared for the defendant, and pleaded "Not Guilty." Messrs. Hunt and Dunfield represented the prosecution and Mr. Hunt asked for a postponement till April 25th as at present Griffiths is at the seal-fishery.

Capt. Stevenson Honored by Passengers

Passengers on s.s. Kyle Make Presentation.
After the s.s. Kyle had docked at Port aux Basques on the night of Thursday, 15th inst., a very pleasant function took place in the smoking-room, where the first class passengers had assembled. Arrangements had been made shortly before arrival to honor Capt. Stevenson and pay tribute to his skill and caution as a commander as well as to his personality as a man. These were in charge of Hon. A. W. Piccott and Mr. C. T. James to whose initiative the ceremony was due, and being backed up by passengers was brought to a successful termination. Capt. Stevenson having been asked to attend, Mr. James was elected to the chair, and made the introductory speech, explaining the object of the gathering. Mr. Piccott followed, after which the chairman read the accompanying address and presented the gallant captain with a purse of gold. Speeches suitable and appropriate were made by Messrs W. A. Munn and A. E. Hickman. Capt. Stevenson, to whom the affair was entirely unexpected, replied to all the nice things which were said of him in a terse and brilliant manner. The company gave three cheers and a tiger for the captain and ship's company, when all joined in singing "For He's a Jolly Good Fellow," "Rule Britannia" and "Auld Lang Syne," with more cheers for the principal figure of the event. To all who took part and to the subscribers to the purse congratulations are extended for at such short notice bringing to a successful issue one of the most pleasant incidents of the trip.

Here and There.

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WEATHER REPORT.—The weather across country is calm and fine; temperature 15 to 28 above.

Turkeys, Ducks and Chicken at ELLIS.

ETHIE AND GLENCOE.—The Ethie reached Placentia at 3 p.m. yesterday. The Glencoe leaving Placentia to-day.

W. P. A. HOCKEY.—At the Prince's Rink at 7.30 this evening, Terra Novas vs. Victorias.

BEAT HIS WIFE.—A man was summoned to court to-day for beating his better half. Neither party appeared, and the case was withdrawn.

Coughs and Colds can be cured by using Stafford's Phorotone and Stafford's Liniment.

FREE FROM ICE.—The South side of Conception Bay is again free of ice and the freight and passenger service to and from Bell Island is going on as usual.

ACKNOWLEDGMENT.—Mr. Arch. Macpherson begs to acknowledge receipt of \$40.00 Conscience Money.—mar20, 11

PROSPERO OFF.—This morning, early when the ice moved off the coast the coastal steamer Prospero got away for western ports. She took a full freight and these passengers in saloon: H. Rose, G. Best, C. C. Flander, Victor Slaney, S. Drake, P. Bennett, Miss Daley and ten second class.

At the quarterly meeting of the Ladies' Khaki Guild held on Thursday, it was decided to hold a "White Elephant" Sale early in May, for which donations will be thankfully received by Mrs. McKean and Mrs. Syme, Waterford Bridge Road. Mr. P. C. O'Driscoll will preside.—11

Over 30,000 bottles of Stafford's Liniment sold last year.

WOMAN MISSING.—Deputy Minister of Justice Hutchings received the following message to-day from Mr. Simms, at Herring Neck: "Mrs. George Powell astray since Sunday night last. Search parties were out yesterday and this morning, but failed to find any trace of her."

Turkeys, Ducks and Chicken at ELLIS.

BORN.

On the 12th inst., a daughter to Mr. and Mrs. Michael Byrne, Mundy Pond Road.

DIED.

There passed peacefully away on March 19th, after a long and painful illness, Mrs. Mary Yetman, aged 24 years, beloved wife of Azariah Yetman, leaving a husband, two children and a loving father and mother to mourn their sad loss; funeral on Thursday, at 2.30 p.m., from her late residence, 49 Colonial Street; friends will please attend without further notice.

On March 17th, there passed peacefully away, Francis, youngest son of the late William and Elizabeth Gardner, aged 12 years. Funeral took place on Monday from the residence of his sister, Mrs. Stephen Bragg, Quidi Vidl.—R. I. P.

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TO-DAY Messages
11.00 A.M.

DARDANELLES.
In anticipation of the Premier Asquith and Churchill, former First Lord of the Admiralty, in the Chamber of Deputies, on the Dardanelles campaign to-night issued a statement to Parliament, containing words certain notes, which public interest will track, from the sense of some doubt from the full report of the Commission. The chief revelations is to show that at the end of August 1915 opinion that Turkey was the Central Power, and for the seizure of the Gallipoli by means of a force adequate strength which might the British fleet, General Marmora, Director of military operations at the War Office, pointed out would prove an expensive operation and that it was justifiable to undertake an army of less than 100,000. It is shown that the Admiralty believed the appearance of a fleet would be the signal for an attack at Constantinople and Dardanelles forts were in preparation. On March 10th, the British Minister at Athens, that Venizelos, then Greek Premier, offered the British Greek army corps of 100,000. The British Minister on that day added that the British had already been sounded on that and that he had heard that wanted war. On March 10th, Paget, who was engaged on mission to the Balkan States, telegram to Kitchener at the operations against the Bulgarians made a deep impression on the possibility of a Balkan any Balkan state would with the Entente. There is reason to think the British has moved against Turkey in the Dardanelles.

PRESIDENT WILSON'S MESSAGE.
WASHINGTON, March 19.—President Wilson's message in the next 48 hours, which he believes a "hot" war exists between the United States and Germany. Whether the President hasten the extra session already called for April 1st, additional steps to be taken. American Commerce without was not disclosed that the pretended to know that the general view was that considering the question of deliberate war.

BRITISH FOREIGN POLICY.
LONDON, March 19.—The pressure of the German fleet between Bogy and the Peninsula line running against the Arras-Peronne salient, miles east, is reported to our infantry. The last Vraucourt is in British hands. As Arras is approached.

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11.00 A.M.

DARDANELLES REVELATIONS.
LONDON, To-day.
In anticipation of a speech by former Premier Asquith and Winston Spencer Churchill, former First Lord of the Admiralty, in the Commons to-morrow on the Dardanelles campaign, the Government to-night issued a White Paper to Parliament, containing in its own words certain notes, which as far as public interest will allow, will replace the sense of some portions excised from the full report of the Dardanelles Commission. The chief effect of the revelations is to show that Churchill at the end of August, 1914, being of opinion that Turkey was about to join the Central Powers, proposed a plan for the seizure of the Gallipoli Peninsula by means of a Greek army of adequate strength with a view to admitting the British fleet into the Sea of Marmora. General Charles E. Callwell, director of military operations at the War Office, pointed out that this would prove an extremely difficult operation and that it wouldn't be justifiable to undertake it with an army of less than 60,000. It is also shown that the Admiralty officials believed the appearance of a British fleet would be the signal for a revolution at Constantinople and that the Dardanelles forts were short of ammunition. On March 1st, 1915, the British Minister at Athens telegraphed that Venizelos, then Greek Premier, proposed to offer the co-operation of a Greek army corps of three divisions. The British Minister on the following day added that the King of Greece had already been sounded on this proposal and that he had heard that the King wanted war. On March 17th, General Paget, who was engaged on a special mission to the Balkans, sent a telegram to Kitchener as follows: "Operations against the Dardanelles have made a deep impression. (In view of the?) possibility of Bulgaria attacking any Balkan state which might side with the Entente, there is now every reason to think the Bulgarian army has moved against Turkey to co-operate in the Dardanelles operations."

PRESIDENT WILSON CONSIDERING.

WASHINGTON, To-day.
President Wilson is expected within the next 48 hours to indicate definitely that he believes a virtual state of war exists between U. S. and Germany. Whether the President will hasten the extra session of Congress already called for April 16th, or will take additional steps to protect American Commerce without this move was not disclosed to-night, the official pretended to know his plans. The general view was that he was still considering the question in his usual deliberate way.

BRITISH FORGING AHEAD.

LONDON, To-day.
The pressure of the Germans between Bevyg and Ypres on a seven mile line running almost parallel with the Arras-Peronne Road, but about 7 miles east, is reported to be held by our infantry. The village of Vaux-Fraucourt is in British possession. As Arras is approached the advance



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slowly in pace. The Germans have fallen back behind Hendecourt, nearly 10 miles southeast of Arras and only two miles from the main roadway to Cambrai.

THE LATEST DEVILRY.

AMSTERDAM, To-day.
A Rotterdam despatch says that two of five relief ships which, with letters of safe conduct from the German Legation, were en route northward, were shelled by a German sub in the so-called safe passage. Seven men were killed aboard the Tunisie, which entered Stavenger. The other vessels continued on the voyage. Two steamers named Tunisie are listed, one of them a Belgian, 2467 tons, which is reported to have sailed from New York on January 3th, and arrived at Rotterdam on January 28th; the other is a French steamer.

1.00 P. M.

RUSSIA STILL DISTURBED.

LONDON, To-day.
Grand Duke Nicholas will not after all be commander-in-chief of the Russian army, according to the Petrograd correspondent of the Times, the new government having found it necessary, in order to checkmate mischievous propaganda, to appoint a generalissimo not connected with the Romanoff family. The correspondent does not state who the new appointee will be, nor does he indicate whether the Grand Duke Nicholas is likely to continue to hold any subordinate command. In a long despatch to the Times, dwelling on the difficulties the Government is meeting because of the aims of extremists, he says that rumors have been circulated designed to discourage enthusiasm on the part of the soldiers and munition workers; by alleging that Germany has ceased to fight, and that they have failed to create any impression. "Some other report had to be sought," continues the Times, "and the inventive brains of the demagogues found a convenient hobby in the alleged danger of a counter-revolution. They are preaching to the soldiers and workmen that the representatives of the old regime were

still powerful and mischievous and that it would be dangerous for the workers to return to the mills or the soldiers to resume their duties at present. Under pressure of the moderate elements they, however, raised the interdiction on the appearance of the newspapers, and expressed willingness to permit the resumption of the street traffic, which will be reopened Tuesday." Among other signs of trouble, according to the correspondent, is the dissatisfaction in some quarters that the former Emperor was allowed to go to Livadia. This he attributes to rumors of a counter-revolution. The writer does not, however, represent the situation as necessarily dangerous for the Government, and quotes that the papers which reported on Sunday are taking a hopeful and moderate view will triumph.

RAPID ADVANCE.

PARIS, To-day.
A military eye witness writing from the front, says: "The forward march of our troops is so rapid and the villages are so promptly freed, that one is unable to stop in any of them to give a description. Furthermore, all are similarly pillaged, devastated to the foundations. At Neule, a village of 2500, the French cavalry entered at ten o'clock in the morning. The entire population was in the streets crying for joy and waving all the tricolor cloth that was to be found. A French airplane had the first honor of alighting at Neule. The aviator, flying over the city, saw on the roof of a house a man waving the French flag. He landed immediately. The last of the Germans had just left. At Roye entry to the village was difficult. Streets no longer exist. Gaping holes caused by the explosion of mines separate the quarters, which are in groups. The Avre River penetrated some of the excavations, which were transformed into little lakes. Here again pillage was savagely and methodically organized. The entire village, looming up like an amphitheatre, offered to view only houses with bare walls and floors broken in. Tapestries, dishes, linen, pictures, and the smallest objects were carried off and sent toward Germany. Furniture was burned or transported to the trenches, where it was afterwards broken up. Each inhabitant was left a mattress and a chair, but only what was necessary. Roye retains a spirit of a village, for the church is there, and the organ resounds. To describe the joy of the inhabitants is impossible. They grasped our hands in passing. The day for which they have waited so long has arrived. We questioned them incessantly. Many of them did not hope to see the return of our troops. The Germans had spoken of evacuating all the civilians on February 17th. One hundred and ninety of them had received at 5 o'clock in the morning an order to leave toward evening. They left crying. Since then to more have been taken away. "The Germans did not expect you so soon," was the unanimous cry. We were told by the inhabitants who remain that the Germans grouped in certain villages the populations of a number of hamlets.

FRENCH OPTIMISTIC.

PARIS, To-day.
The latest news from the front accentuates the feeling of optimism in military circles here, and convinces the critics that the Germans are now engaged in a most difficult and dangerous operation, in view of the large front involved. According to the hitherto accepted theory, to effect such a movement with any safety, it was necessary that a distance equal to two days march should be maintained between the pursuing and retreating forces. Under present circumstances both armies are in close contact. The Germans are carrying out their retirement under cover of small but picked rear guards, sometimes entirely composed of officers and non-commissioned officers, which make counter attacks when the pursuers persist too closely on their heels. The weather, which continues to be extremely clear, is in favor of the advancing Allies. French military critics maintain that it is most unlikely that the Germans can reach the Lille-la Fere line without mishap. It is assumed that they propose to convert this line, which was their former base, into their principal position and remain with their base seventeen miles to the rear on a line running from Valenciennes to Laon. It is asserted that from any point of view the Germans are facing an aggravation of an already difficult position and confront even less favorable fighting conditions in the immediate future.

KULTURI.

BRITISH HEADQUARTERS IN FRANCE, Mar. 19.
The deliberate character of the destruction wrought by the Germans before their withdrawal from Peronne is painfully evident in the once beautiful avenue of trees leading to the railway station. These trees were touched by shell fire but each one was hacked in two with an axe and the gashes and chips show that the work was done within the last few days.

The King and Queen

Entertain Newfoundland Officers.

Their Majesties invited 100 officers from overseas to Buckingham Palace on Saturday afternoon the 17th February, and among them were five officers of the Mfd. Regiment. They were Major W. F. Rendell, Lieuts. W. J. Pippy and J. R. Stick, 2nd Lieuts. W. V. Warren and C. C. Duley. These assembled at the Headquarters of the Regiment in London, at 58 Victoria Street, and proceeded shortly before 3 o'clock to the Palace. The guests were conducted direct to the State Ballroom, which in peace time is the scene of great Court functions. The Throne and of the magnificent apartment had been transformed into a cinema stage for the occasion. At 3.30 the King and Queen, Princess Mary and the Duke of Connaught entered. Captain Besley's film "The Amazon River and Unexplored South America, with the Besley Expedition" was shown by the explorer himself. With the guests sat the King and Queen, Princess Mary, the ladies and gentlemen of the Household, and a few others, including the Countess of Airlie, Lady Stamfordham, Lady Farquhar, Lady Ponsonby, the Marchioness of Lansdowne, the Countess of Crew, and the Marchioness of Salisbury. After the entertainment in the State Ball Room, the King and Queen, with the other members of the Royal Family present, mixed freely with the guests, greeted all in turn, and chatted with them in most cordial and friendly fashion. There was the smallest possible formality, though every officer was formally presented to the King. At tea about a score of ladies, including those already named, waited on the soldier guests. His Majesty greeted our officers and enquired how their wounds were progressing. The Duke of Connaught took special interest in the Newfoundland officers and chatted with them for some time. He evidently did not forget his much-enjoyed visit to the Ancient Colony. A thoroughly enjoyable afternoon was spent by our officers, who will long remember their Majesties' gracious hospitality. —H. A. A.



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2.00 P. M.

NEW FRENCH CABINET.

PARIS, To-day.
It was late last night before Premier Ribot was able to submit to President Poincare the list of the new Cabinet, and the decrees appointing the Ministers will be signed by the President to-day and appear in Wednesday's official Journal. Premier Ribot has decided to retain the War Council system, instituted by the retiring administration, with the modification that Andre Maginot, Minister of the Colonies, will attend the Council's sittings.

GREEK BLOCKADE LIFTED.

LONDON, To-day.
The Ministers to Greece of the Entente Nations have taken up their residence in Athens. Reuter's correspondent there has reported. The discharge of a cargo of wheat destined for Piraeus begins to-day. The admission of wheat to Greece indicates the lifting of the blockade which had been in effect for several weeks. The Greek Government has made repeated representations that widespread suffering had been caused by the shutting off of the food supply, to which the Entente replied that the blockade would be lifted when Greece complied with its demands.

DAYLIGHT SAVING IN FRANCE.

PARIS, To-day.
All clocks in France will be put forward one hour at midnight on March 24th, according to the Summer Time Bill which has been passed by Parliament.

LAUGHABLE.

BERLIN, Mar. 19.
The morning newspapers to-day gave the German public its first news of the big event on the front in France. All the public articles by military experts explain the movement as part of a strategical plan of the general staff for a decision on the western front and a master stroke to vitiate the preparations of the Entente for an offensive, giving a decided advantage to the Germans. These writers are unanimous in expressing the fullest confidence in Field Marshal Von Hindenburg.

ADVANCE RETARDED.

PARIS, To-day.
The War Office announces that the French are still maintaining contact with the Germans along the section of the front over which the retirement is taking place, but that the advance has become more difficult by reason of the destruction of all means of communication and on account of bad weather. Attacks at Avocourt Woods and Hill 304 on the Verdun front were repulsed and serious loss was inflicted on the Germans.

WARD'S LINIMENT USED BY THE ARMY.

Sealing News.

There is an encouraging tone about the sealing news to hand, inasmuch as the Viking, previously reported jammed, has struck the fat. The Viking is the only steamer in the Gulf and with seals plentiful would not take long to load. Seemingly the northern voyage does not look as promising as it appeared at first. The following wireless messages were received last night:

- To Bowring Bros. Ranger—Seals scattered all over ocean; took 200 to-day; S.E. gale blowing; Diana, Neptune and Bloodhound in company; all well. Eagle—Ten thousand on board and stowed down; seals scarce. Viking—Struck small patch of whitecoats 10 miles N.W. of Bryon Island; took 800 to-day; too thick to see far. Terra Nova—Seals scattered; very foggy; nothing done to-day.
- To Job Bros. Theta—Have 13,000 on board; 5,000 on ice. Neptune—Did not do much to-day; got about 500; seals very scattered.
- To Harvey & Co. Sable I—Seventeen thousand on board; 30 flags out. Seal—Twelve thousand aboard; 2,000 panned.
- To James Balrd, Ltd. Erik—Fifteen thousand stowed down; 5,000 panned; good, prospects.
- Official. Cape Ray—Viking all well; no men on ice. Fogo—Entire fleet reports all aboard and well.

Special Services at Wesley Church.

The special Frangeltic Services under the auspices of George Street and Wesley congregations will be continued in Wesley Church every night this week, except Saturday, commencing at 8 o'clock. The good results of the past week is an encouragement to hope for greater results this week. All seats are free. Hymn books provided. You will be welcomed.

Sinnott Case Dismissed

Mr. F. J. Morris, J.P., has handed down judgment in the case of Const. Edward Whelan vs. Edward Sinnott, arising out of a sale and delivery by the defendant of a quantity of liquor in December and January last, respectively. The judgment dismisses the action.

McMurdo's Store News

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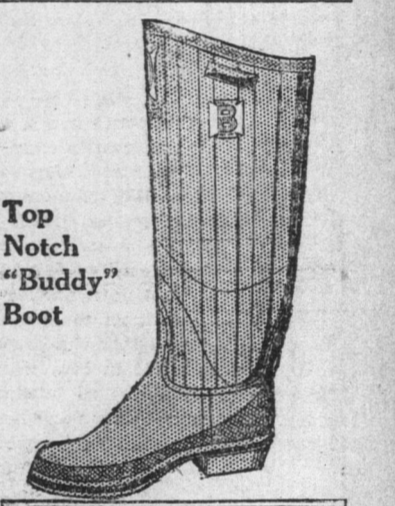
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Salmon, Lobster, Cod Tongues, Oysters, Sardines, Herring, Findon Haddock, Codfish (Boneless), Elliots, Haddies, Kippers.

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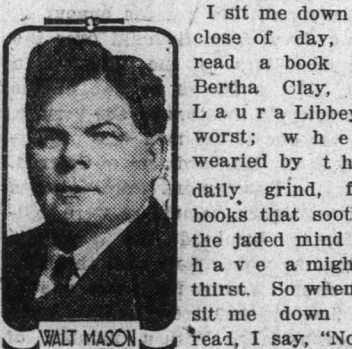
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EVENINGS AT HOME.



WALT MASON

I sit me down at close of day, to read a book by Bertha Clay, or La u r a Libbey's worst; when I wearied by the daily grind, for books that soothe the jaded mind I have a mighty thirst. So when I sit me down to read, I say, "Now I'll have peace indeed, and comfort six ells wide; I'll revel in the printed page, absorb the thoughts of hard and sage, and let the glad hours slide." But ere I've turned a dozen leaves, I'm thinking how the roof and eaves, demand the tinner's care; and how the carpenter must come, to fix the door that's out of plumb, and mend the cellar stair. I think about the coming spring, when wife and girl's will once more sing their song of Easter hats; I think of seeds that I must buy, to make the garden multiply, the beans and marrowfats. I think of bills that I must pay when comes the next collection day, I think of them and sigh; I think of how the price ascends on all the needed odds and ends, on raiment, shoes and pie. My book has fallen to the floor; I cannot read it any more; my thoughts are far astray; I do not care for idle tales when I must raise the price of nails and gasoline and hay.

Everyday Etiquette.

"Should I shake hands when presented to a woman?" inquired Henry. "When calling a man does not offer his hand first, but waits for the intimation to come from his hostess," advised his father.

FREIGHT.—

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How often does your friend ask you "How are you feeling?" and your answer is: "Just the same, my cough is not one bit better." Don't you think that you are very foolish in allowing this nasty cough and cold hang on to you for such a long time?

If you have contracted a cough or cold in some way or other, try the following:—Mix equal parts of Stafford's Liniment and Camphorated Oil together and apply to the neck and chest, rubbing it in well every time. Take from one to two teaspoonfuls of Stafford's Phorone Cough and Cold Cure every two hours.

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MINARD'S LINIMENT CURES DYPHTHERIA.

First Sealing Arrivals Expected

Sweepstake dabblers who are interested in the Halifax sealers Sabie I and Seal, are now feeling delighted over their chances. According to the latest reports from them, both ships are practically loaded by this time, and it would not be unreasonable to expect them here to-morrow sometime. In any case, we understand, the Sabie I and Seal received orders at the outset of the voyage not to remain out longer than the 24th inst., as they can be employed, yielding handsome profits, bringing freights from Halifax to this port. At present at the South Side of the harbour preparations are being finalized to receive the catch of the fleet.

Here and There.

LOST FINE HORSE.—Captain Kelly lost a fine horse last night through breaking one of its legs.

Stafford's Liniment cures Rheumatism, Lumbago, Neuralgia and all Aches and Pains.

TO TRY FOR COD.—A number of Battery fishermen are preparing for a try-out on the fishing grounds as soon as the ice moves off the coast.

RAILWAY ENQUIRY.—A further enquiry into the railway catastrophe was held at the Magistrate's Office yesterday evening. Mallman Thistle and Roadmaster Connors were sworn in turn.

Received a shipment of Scotch Coopers' Tools. BOWRING BROS., Ltd., Hardware Dept. feb6,17

BIG SHIPMENT OF LIMESTONE.—A big shipment of limestone reached Grand Falls a few days ago from the Limestone Quarry, West Coast. We understand this is only a portion of a large quantity required by the Anglo Newfoundland Development Co.

STOMACH TROUBLES.—Stafford's Prescription "A" cures Indigestion and Dyspepsia. Price 25 and 50c. bottle. Postage 5 and 10c extra.

YESTERDAY'S RAINSTORM.—The heavy rain which swept over the city yesterday caused considerable damage to property along New Gower Street and dwelling houses adjoining thereto. Cellars and ground floors were badly flooded, forcing the occupants to remove their belongings up stairs. Miniature streams from Theatre Hill, Carter's Hill and Lime Street, came rushing down Adelaide Street to Water Street bringing several tons of earth and gravel in their trail.

FIRE COMPANIES ON WILD GOOSE CHASE.—In response to an alarm from box 221, the Central and Eastern Fire Companies were called out to Rawlins' Cross at 7 o'clock last evening. Their presence in the neighbourhood, however, was more or less an attraction and surprise. The firemen found that the ringing in of the alarm was a "slight mishap" on the part of a woman, who evidently became excited on seeing a reflection in the window of Rennie's store made by the raising of a damper from a stove therein.

Handy to have about the House

You never know when some one of the family will get a very serious burn, and a serious burn is a painful, annoying experience.

'Nyal's Handy Ointment'

Applied right away will soothe that pain and take the fire out. Keep Nyal's Handy Ointment on hand—you'll find it a "friend indeed."

It possesses soothing and softening as well as healing properties—a grateful antiseptic application for any painful sore. It is an efficient healer of old running sores, ulcers, "bad legs," and in fact any sore of any kind.

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Read The Telegram

At Cochrane St.

The services at Cochrane St. attended.

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MINARD'S LINIMENT

At Cochrane St. Church

The services at Cochrane St. Centennial Church on Sunday were well attended.

The Rev. Dr. Bond was the preacher at the morning service, basing his remarks on Exodus, 32 chap, and 26 verse: "Who is on the Lord's side." There always is a clear cut issue, what is God's plan and what is not. Always two sides, the side of God and the side of evil. Do the duty that lies nearest to you. God will meet every man that wants to do his bidding. If a man is not on the Lord's side it is his own choice. No man can be neutral. This text of mine, said the preacher, is the test question of human life and is most important and simply means, personal safety, fighting for God and doing the right at all times under all circumstances.

The evening worship was in the nature of a memorial service, the Rev. Dr. Bond again being the preacher, who delivered another of his well thought out, practical and every day sermons from the text: "He was a good man." This text referred to Barnabas, a companion of St. Paul, who accompanied Paul in the triumphs and work of his ministry. Our Lord declared a good man out of the good treasure of his heart bringeth forth that which is good. Goodness is a heart matter essentially. A good tree always brings forth good fruit. A good man obtaineth favour of the Lord. Love is the great fundamental and brings with it joy, satisfaction and other beautiful characteristics.

At the close of the sermon touching reference was made to the sudden death of Mr. Henry Maunder who for over a period of twenty years was a member of the Quarterly Boards of the Church. The pulpit was neatly draped in black. The choir rendered "Vital Spark of Heavenly Flame," and the choir joined heartily in the singing of several well known hymns. Organist Mews at the close of the service played the Dead March in Saul and the congregation with reverently bowed heads remained standing.

Another Fresh Fish Cargo.

The Gloucester on her last trip West picked up a full cargo of fresh fish at the various ports of call and landed the same at Port aux Basques for export to Canada and the United States. The fishery along the S. W. Coast has been the best for many years without unheeded prices are being received for the catches by the fishermen. A man and his three sons are reported to have cleared \$1,200 since the beginning of the year, not counting what they will receive for cod liver oil.

A GOOD SHOWING.—Only five of the number of young men from the West Coast who were listed as Bancroft recruits failed to pass the medical examiner. They leave for their homes by the S. S. Prospero to-day.

A Scene at the Rink.

The hockey match set down for last evening at the Prince's Rink between the Regiment and "Has Beens" for the benefit of the W. P. A. fund did not materialize because of some misunderstanding. The "Has Beens" did not turn up, though the ice was in excellent condition. Some three hundred spectators entered the rink and so as not to disappoint them a promiscuous match was arranged between the Volunteers and a number of enthusiastic citizens. The game was being greatly enjoyed by the onlookers and excitement was about reaching the climax when Frank, the iceman, entered the arena, blowing as if he had just finished a grueling marathon contest with Tom Longboat. He immediately pounced on a soldier player to "hunt" him and put him hors de combat. This stunt was as amusing as it was interesting to the spectators, but the only regrettable feature was that Skipper Frank stopped the game, ordered all out and closed the rink for not asking "by his leave." Having due regard for the rules of discipline and etiquette, the opinion expressed by those present was that the iceman's act was at the least discourteous and thoughtless, particularly in view of the fact that the skating season is nearing the end.

This evening the Terra Novas and Victorias will play for patriotic purposes.

What a Gas Range Means for You, Mrs. Housekeeper.

The gas range is a muscle saver and a step saver. Think of the many tons of coal you used in that coal range and how you have had to handle it all twice; first, carrying it up out of the cellar; then, from the kitchen to the wash barrel.

No more soot to wipe away; no more ashes to cart away; no more wood to fetch; no more coal dust; no more smoke and no more reason why the kitchen cannot be kept as clean and as orderly as the parlor. The gas range means just this.

Saves 50 Per Cent. of Kitchen Cares.

Half of the labor in the house is caused by dust from the coal range. Every time it smokes, no matter how good the draught may be, clouds of ashes rise and settle on the furniture.

It Eliminates Hard Work.

Use a gas range and you will live better, you will play better, and you will work better because the use of the gas range eliminates the drudgery of carrying coal, ashes and the chopping of kindling, as well as the drudgery of cleaning up a lot of dirt, and, best of all, for the cook it makes it unnecessary for her to stand over a hot stove from two to three hours a day.

Large Quantity of Freight at Sydney.

Owing to North Sydney Harbour being blocked with ice, we are informed that 76 cars of freight are now lying on the siding awaiting shipment to Newfoundland. This unforeseen delay has caused considerable annoyance to the local business men who are expecting their spring goods.

Milady's Boudoir.

EYEBROWS AND EYELIDS.

Many women would like to have the narrow penciled eyebrows, and as few eyebrows grow naturally straight, this line will have to be secured by pulling out any of the hairs that grow beyond the line desired. This may be done without harm by the use of tweezers.

The application of red vaseline or castor oil is wonderfully beneficial in promoting a quick growth. In applying either of these, particular care should be taken that the oil does not get into the eyes because it would irritate and inflame them. The best way to apply the oil is by using a small camel's hair brush and brushing gently, but firmly. Using the first and third fingers to gently pull the lashes will help too, because it strengthens the roots.

We have all seen transparent eyelids with the delicate blue veins barely visible through the fine skin, and they are so much more pleasing than red, heavy lids, swollen and coarse looking. To improve such eyelids, there is nothing quite so beneficial as a gentle massage with a good face cream. This will improve the texture of the skin, keep it in a soft, healthy condition and will also eliminate any wrinkles that may have formed.

With constant application of these few suggestions one is sure to see a marked improvement inside of a month. It might be well to state that the wise woman with beautiful eyes would do well to study their color, and as often as possible wear gowns to match them, this being one of the secrets of the well-dressed woman.

ARRIVED AT HALIFAX.—Passengers who left here Saturday last by steamer reached Halifax at 4 p.m. yesterday.



Cheeks Like The Wild Rose

For all complexion ills—for Pimples and Blotches and Sallow Skin—take the one thing that will cleanse the system of impurities.
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Creams and ointments and lotions won't do it—because they only treat the skin. The trouble lies deeper—in the blood. Purify the blood—cleanse the stomach—regulate the Liver—and you will have a complexion like the wild rose.
Dr. Wilson's Herbine Bitters is Nature's tonic and blood purifier. 25c. a bottle. Family size, five times as large, \$1. At most stores. 27
The Brayley Drug Co., Limited, St. John, N.B.

A Few Suggestions

TO CONCERT MANAGERS AND OTHERS.

Editor Evening Telegram.
Dear Sir,—As a steady patron of the majority of concerts and amusements in St. John's, I feel entitled to discuss with some freedom some of their disadvantages which appear to be due to lack of system.

If St. John's would adopt the system of other countries for non-ticket holders, namely that of lining up, or forming a queue at the ticket-box, thus eliminating undue confusion, pushing, shoving and often minor accidents, it would add to rather than detract from the pleasure of attending. This not only applies to concerts but hockey matches, picture shows, etc.

In speaking of concerts I would like to bring to notice one or two regrettable incidents of "Irish Night" in the College Hall. Quite a few ticket-holders discovered on being seated that their reserved seats were a disadvantage owing to the poor arrangement of the stage which was entirely lost to view and, needless to say, those on it. This in itself was not only a great inconvenience but somewhat of an imposition that might have been avoided by a little foresight on the part of the management.

Then, too, it would not be a bad suggestion if organizers of concerts would advertise, when possible, the various changes that so often happen in the program due to the indisposition or some other cause of the performers, and instead of depriving the eager audience of some favorite performer or promised "Playlette," arrange to have a substitute, understudy or another full caste "Playlette" for emergency. This may seem a lot to expect from amateurs but as they, as a rule, have ample time to prepare, it is not only to their benefit to do so but to the benefit of the cause for which they are working.

Thanking you in advance for your time and trusting that these suggestions will meet with the desired effect.

I am, yours truly,
"STEADY PATRON."

BOWRING PARK.—Mr. A. E. Canning has been appointed conservator of the Bowring Park and will have as his assistant Mr. A. Fagan, who has been timekeeper and park constable for the past three years.

Teachers and the Flag.

Editor Evening Telegram.
Dear Sir,—Kindly allow me space in your columns for these few remarks.

Some time ago there appeared in the Daily News an article written by one who signs himself by the comic name "Billy". In it he said that a teacher had volunteered and it would be well for other teachers to follow his example. I think it unfair to the teaching profession that this should pass by unnoticed.

As everyone knows, teachers were among the first to volunteer, and as a result a number of schools suffered. Some of them were without teachers and others were taken in charge by teachers of a lower grade than was there before the outbreak of this war.

One in seven of the male teachers of this country have enlisted besides those who were "turned down" as physically unfit. This has been considered by one of our eminent men as a creditable showing.

Can this person be wise in singling out the teachers when the members of the profession have done so well?

Besides all this, others intended to volunteer, but on being asked by the Superintendent to remain at their posts a bit longer, have remained doing their duty in the humbler post.

I may enlighten and possibly educate this person if I would give what the late Lord Kitchener said on the matter.

When asked by a correspondent what a teacher should do in the difficult choice, he replied: "Those teachers and those only who can be spared without impairing the work in our schools and the training of O. T. C. contingents should join the military forces of the Crown." Surely, if all the male teachers of military age should join the forces the work of our schools would be impaired. Therefore this person's idea is different from the late Lord Kitchener's, and whose is right?

I hope it will be seen that teachers on the whole have done their duty at home and abroad.

TEACHER.

Are you going to get a New Suit of Clothes for Easter? If so, buy now; as the longer you delay the more you pay. We have a splendid line of Tweeds and Serges of the very finest quality, and our cut and workmanship need no advertising. SPURRELL BROS., 365 Water Street.—mar14, eod, tf

Fads and Fashions.

Crepe skirts have deep tucks. Bright brocaded crowns are seen on close-fitting, small hats.

Knotted silk jersey is extensively used for afternoon dresses.

A short waistline is accentuated in many new evening gowns.

Sleeveless coats for house gowns are used over clinging chiffon.

Long summer coats of tussor are lined with polka-dotted foulard.

Narrow drooping hat brims are bound with colored twine hemp.

There is a tendency to tighten the new silhouette at the waistline.

Sponge-cheviot trimmed with leather, is used for sports suits.

Jet, crystal and pearls will be embellishing notes of embroidery.

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We have just received a large assortment of goods for above tables and will have them on display to-day for the first time.

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Jelly Cake Tins.
Pudding Pans.
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Scrub Brushes.
Kitchen Knives. | For Twenty Cents.
Assorted Glassware.
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Bake Pans.
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Fads and Fashions.

Collars of the cape style are very frequent.
Crepe de chine is very fashionable again.
Yoke effects will be frequent in new dresses.
Some of the new suits have very short jackets.
Vests run with metal threads are still in favor.
Sweaters crocheted from ribbon are the newest.
Flesh-colored organdy fashions a very dainty frock.
Outer coats and garments will be made of satin.
Smocks are rivalled by blouses of very bright colors.
Narrow frilled cuffs of chiffon are very attractive.
There is a lovely new shade, named heart-of-rose.
Evening gowns are to be made of soft liberty satin.
Silk will be the material most used for street frocks.
Polka dots are very much in fashion for sporting clothes.

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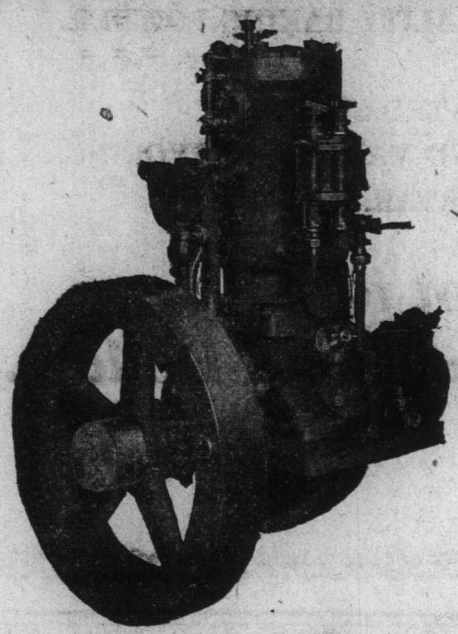
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Try this! All dandruff disappears and hair stops coming out.

Surely try a "Danderine Hair Cleanse" if you wish to immediately double the beauty of your hair. Just moisten a cloth with Danderine and draw it carefully through your hair, taking one small strand at a time; this will cleanse the hair of dust, dirt or any excessive oil—in a few minutes you will be amazed. Your hair will be wavy, fluffy and abundant and possess an incomparable softness, lustre and luxuriance.

Besides beautifying the hair, one application of Danderine dissolves every particle of dandruff; invigorates the scalp, stopping itching and falling hair.

Danderine is to the hair what fresh showers of rain and sunshine are to vegetation. It goes right to the roots, invigorates and strengthens them. Its exhilarating, stimulating and life-producing properties cause the hair to grow long, strong and beautiful.

You can surely have pretty, soft, lustrous hair, and lots of it, if you will just get a 25-cent bottle of Knowlton's Danderine from any drug store or toilet counter and try it as directed.

Newfoundlanders Sinking Submarines.

In conversation with some of the eight Naval Reserve Men who returned by the S. S. Kyle's train on Saturday we came on the following interesting facts from two Trinity Lads that should certainly be recorded in our Authentic History of the War.

Mark Clarke and Charles Earle, of Trinity, were among those who joined the Royal Naval Reserve of the S. S. "Calypso" and when the War broke out they at once came forward for active service. After leaving here they were drafted with about fifty other Newfoundlanders to the gunnery school at Chatham where for three months they went through a course of gunnery instruction.

Clarke and Earle were then given charge of a defence gun on the transport S. S. "Orantes," a seven thousand ton cargo ship plying between Marseilles and Port Said on the Suez Canal. This gun was a 9.7 training over the stern of the S. S. Orantes and would carry 9,000 yards.

For three months these two men were on the lookout for the chance for work but the opportunity only came once.

One evening between sunset and dark when off the Coast of Greece they saw a submarine disguised as a sailing vessel.

When they first noticed her she was about eight thousand yards off with all sails set. While they were watching her she suddenly disappeared and they at once knew that there was something doing and got ready for action. In a short time a periscope appeared off the bow of the Orantes, and whether the submarine fired a torpedo and missed or whether she was in a poor position to attack them they do not know.

The Captain of the S. S. Orantes at once changed his course. Shortly after the submarine was seen but this time she was about eight thousand yards off the stern of the S. S. Orantes. Clarke and Earle now had their chance and took a careful aim, with the grand success that during the next minute they saw the submarine blow up and their Captain at once gave them orders to cease firing.

These two chaps are home for a month's holiday and will then be off again as they are very certain there will be some stirring times before long. The whole navy firmly believes that the Germans will venture from their lair in the Kiel Canal one of these days. Then there will be the glory of another Trafalgar for Old England and the Newfoundlanders want to take their part in it as they have done more or less in all of England's Battles since the days of Spain's Invincible Armada.

Both Clark and Earle say that they are not the only Newfoundlanders who have sunk Submarines as they have heard of several from intercourse with their chums but unfortunately they kept no record of the names and cannot give further particulars.

It is a pleasure for us to give these details all of which can easily be proven and we only trust it will lead to others sending facts which we will be only too pleased to publish.—Com.

SHIPWRECKED CREW RETURNING.—Capt. Cross and crew of the ill-fated Pere Marquette, which sprang a leak and sank off New York, are passengers on the incoming express.

War News.

Messages Received Previous to 9 A. M.

BRILLIANT FRENCH ADVANCE.

From a Staff Correspondent of the Associated Press on the French Front in France, Sunday.—The French troops made one of the most significant advances since the war began yesterday and to-day along a 60 kilometre front some hundred square kilometres fell into the hands of the French, while the German retreat movement gave no evidence of coming to a halt. An immense tract of reconquered grounds was traversed to-day by the correspondent for the Associated Press, who found the inhabitants in many places where they were allowed to remain by the Germans, fearfully joyous at the reappearance of their fellow countrymen coming in as victors. Signs of hasty German departure were evident everywhere, especially in the villages and towns where shops and houses were blown to fragments by the explosion of incendiary bombs. In the distance burning villages showed the retreat still progressing. Here and there were a few corpses of the German soldiers who evidently had been killed while acting as rear guards. The former German positions are just heaps of scattered wire entanglements and trenches half filled with water. Supply columns are proceeding in every direction following the French pursuing troops who keep close on the heels of the retreating Germans, not allowing them a moment's respite. The Associated Press correspondent entered the area reconquered at Lassigny, which suffered badly, not a house escaping damage, and none of the contents being left behind. Passing through various succeeding lines of former German entrenchments, there were many still bearing directions of officials written in German. The joy of the inhabitants was almost incredible at the sight of the French soldiers in the town within an hour following the Germans' departure. The correspondent spoke with many women who declared they owed their own lives as well as those of their children to American relief in occupied territory. At Malmaison Farm the Germans evidently opposed with some considerable resistance the French advance, the ground about being pierced with shell holes like a sieve. Further along in the villages of Candor and Laney many women and children remained, their rapid retirement not permitting the Germans to carry them off with the Mayor, Assistant Mayor and other officials. They asserted that everything they grew in their gardens was requisitioned by the Germans, their sole means of sustaining life was food distributed by Americans every month. At Candor nearly two hundred women and children were left in German hands. At the beginning of the war young men and girls were all carried off to Germany, their parents even now being ignorant of their whereabouts. Those remaining were compelled to do all sorts of work without payment. When for religious reasons they refused to work on Sunday they were fined. Even boys over 13 years old assert they were driven often under fire to dig ditches or small trenches for military telephone wires. All schools have been closed since the German occupation. The inhabitants assert that the German soldiers told them a week ago they were about to retreat as they were not able to withstand the constant attacks from the Allies on all parts of the line. Further they were suffering from a shortage of food supplies. Their statements confirm the information that new military works have been under construction for some time past far in the rear of the German front line. There appears to be no doubt in military circles that the pressure brought to bear during the Somme battles hastened the Germans' decisions to retreat. The French now are everywhere close upon their heels. To-day the advance guard of the French army kept in constant touch with the German rear guard. French aviators watched and reported progress of the retreat while the German airmen

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were absolutely invisible. Indications on all sides show that the retirement of the Germans is becoming more extensive.

LONDON, March 19.

According to Reuter's correspondent at British headquarters in France, the British advance reached a line east of Bapaume, extending from Vaulx-Valcourt four miles northeast of Bapaume to Ytres six miles east-southeast of Bapaume. Between Benigny and Ytres on a seven mile line, running almost parallel with the Arras-Peronne road, but about seven miles east, is reported held by our infantry. The village of Vaulx-Court is in British possession. Arras is approached, the advance slows in pace. The Germans have fallen back behind Hendecourte, nearly 10 miles south east of Arras, and only two miles from the main roadway to Cambrai. Describing the vagaries of the German retreat, the correspondent says: "Sometimes the British find villages held by rearguard forces, sometimes the enemy has completely disappeared. For instance after the occupation of Perronne a patrol passed Egrard two miles to the northeast without getting into touch with the enemy. In another case the patrol crossed the Somme by a partly damaged bridge, hurried into a village a mile away, only to discover it empty. Perhaps the most striking feature of the situation is the fact that our patrols go astride the railway between Arras and Bapaume in various places between the two towns without encountering any resistance. While this does not prove we possess the undisputed use of these routes, it proves that the Germans are behind them. It is an interesting fact that the British are now holding practically the line which Joffre chose for an attempt to make a stand during the great retreat, but was unable to hold it under the great pressure of the Germans.

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NO CIVILIANS TO CROSS THE CHANNEL.

One result of the new German U-boat campaign is that the great drapery houses of London will have to do without the latest Paris "ideas," both as regards fashions and actual goods. Throughout the war expert buyers have made periodical visits to France to obtain models of various kinds, but it has now been decided by the naval and military au-

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RETURN OF THE AMERICANS.

A good many important messages are coming through from the American correspondents and other Americans who are with Mr. Gerard's party in Paris. The indignation against Germany is very strong, even amongst some of those whose former attitude in Berlin had been called pro-German. It is unlikely, I am told, that any of the correspondents will come to London for some time, the probability being that they had agreed not to do so. Such arrangements have not been uncommon in the case of war correspondents who were permitted to be for some time in the German lines, but in the present case they are already in the country of Germany's enemies, and one would have thought that one country of the Allies would be the same as another so far as Germany's embargo is concerned. There is a possibility that America may send a warship to Barcelona to take back Mr. Gerard and the other distinguished Americans. The only available boat sailing from Barcelona for New York is a 2,700-ton fruit steamer—not the most pleasant passenger liner for winter sailing in the Atlantic. And one can see possibly other reasons. The total number of Americans who came out of Germany is given as about 150, but it is not likely that much more than a third of these will leave Europe at present.

A NOVEL ANTI-SUBMARINE PLAN.

Many are the plans that have been put forward for dealing with the submarine menace, but I think the oddest suggestion I have heard of reaching a member of Parliament from a far-distant part of the country. The "inventor"—though he disclaimed the distinction—proposed that the hulls of all ships should be bored with holes sufficiently large to admit of the ingress and egress of torpedoes, the apertures to be lined with a "substance" which would attract the torpedoes. In this way the enemy's marine weapons would, he said, pass through the ship and expend their energy in the "blue sea." "I may say," he added, naively, "that I know nothing about shipbuilding."

NEW COLOR CRAZE.

Jade green is the color craze of the spring. Hats, ribbons, silks, and crapes for blouses and many little accessories of women's dress are dyed in the new shade. For the moment the new color is most seen at the milliners, although, if the truth be told, a jade green hat is a trying fashion to all but possessors of good complexion.

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Springtime produces some of our most industrious citizens, such as the spring poet, the housecleaning housewife and the automobile salesman with last year's crop on his hands. We would not say anything disrespectful of woman, but why does she insist upon cleaning houses in the spring and then forcing her husband to remove his muddy shoes before stepping into the reception hall? If it was against the law to clean house oftener than once in ten years, husbands with bright, sunny natures would be more common than they are.

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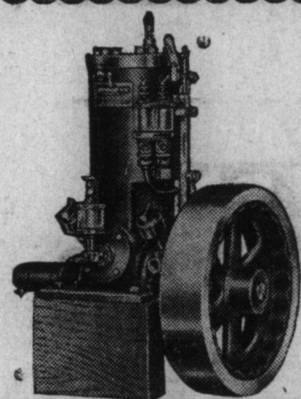
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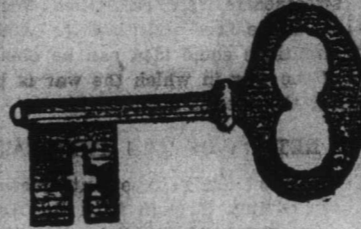
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