





The Sound of Wedding Bells

Won After Great Perseverance!

CHAPTER IX.

"Don't let us speak of it," she says "not now. Let us be happy."

"But," she says, "it is my fault, not theirs. I told you, I think—or if I didn't, you have found out—that I am not a favorite of women."

"Whom do you mean?" she asks. "He glances at her, and flips the wheeler before answering."

"Who, indeed?" he says, and if there is not a touch of jealousy in his voice then voices are deceptive.

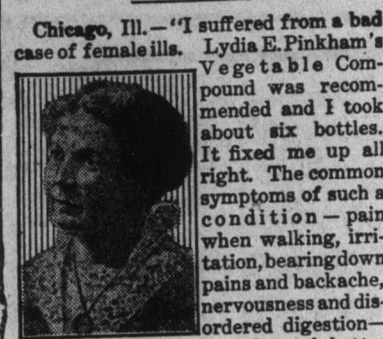
"How perplexing for Sir Archie!" she says, sweetly, and still smiling.

"Oh, he doesn't mind," says Sir Hugh, rather grimly. "All are fish that come to his net."

"To what?" he asks.

MRS. MAY'S LETTER TO WOMEN

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one would be envied by every girl in the country—as you say."

"I hate a man who is recognized as a professional flirt," he says, after a moment's pause; "I like a man to—to love one woman and stick to her."

"He bites his lips, and the red flush struggles with the tan; he is silent for a moment, then he says:

"I had heard—really, it is no business of mine!—that you admired her very much."

"So I do," he says. "Well?" "That is all," says Dulcie, demurely.

"Miss Fairfax," he says, as if compelled to continue the subject, "and I have been old friends—playmates since infancy."

"No," says Dulcie, with delicious coolness. "I don't suppose she calls you her little—or big—husband, now."

"Great Heavens!" he exclaims, "when shall we understand each other? Fancy Lucy calling me 'her husband!'"

"Yes," he says; then he sighs and pulls at his mustache. "Yes, it is all Holme property. We are in the middle of it about now."

"Why did you sigh?" she asks. "Does its immensity weigh on your mind?" she laughs.

"No," he says, gravely and concisely; "it is the mortgages that weigh upon it. Look," he says, and he points with his whip; "you see beyond there—right away to those hills?"

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"She flushes and looks at him. "Now, at once," she says, "if you will take my decision—the decision I gave you out there in Rome. You remember."

"No, he is running." Hugh smiles. "He will have to run fast to be in with us," he says, between his teeth.

"He stares, then laughs, a short, irritable laugh. "Great Heavens!" he exclaims, "when shall we understand each other?"

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"I understand," she says, but there is a strange look in her eyes and about her mouth.

"If he had not got the bit between his teeth!" mutters Sir Hugh. "You shall turn, my friends, if I pull you over! Ah! Now!" he shouts, as the leader, unable to bear the strain of the strong hand, swerves and turns.

List of Letters Remaining in the G. P. O. to Sept. 26th, 1917.

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Women's Association

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THE PRESIDENT'S ADDRESS.

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It is most gratifying to note the sustained increase in our out-put and also an increase in the variety of our work. I will not waste time in dwelling on this now, as when you have heard the reports, you can judge for yourselves and may also be justly proud of your share in its production.

The Outposts have been and are doing splendidly. They deserve great praise. Their work is of excellent quality and comes in steadily. I do not think I am far from when I say it is about equal to that done in St. John's. This is a very great credit to them, as the majority of our branches are little isolated places round the coast, that do not hear much war news, and would be small blame to them if they failed to maintain sustained interest in the war-work. This, however, is not the case here in Newfoundland, which is loyal to the core all the country through.

I have now been in Newfoundland for very nearly five years, and have travelled all round the Colony stopping at the majority of the Outposts, and the most striking feature is the bits of old Devonshire and old Dorsetshire or old Ireland, that one finds settled down here and there quite unchanged; and the charming pride they retain of their old far-off homes in the Mother Country. And it is from such homes as these that the young men of our Newfoundland Regiment have come. It is little wonder that they have done so well and made such a splendid name for themselves and their country. They come from the best of stock and from their infancy they have had difficulties and hardships to contend with, and while yet in their teens they often have to face dangers, such as we, who live in towns, little realize. They have won an imperishable fame for their homeland—the name of Newfoundland stands high and is now a household word to every one all the Empire over.

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## Women's Patriotic Association Meeting

### Lady Davidson's Farewell

The W. P. A. annual meeting, held on Saturday afternoon in the Greenhall Hall was very largely attended. It was notable as being the last such meeting to be presided over by Lady Davidson. The meeting being called to order, Lady Davidson made the following address:

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Now that your men have done so much for the honour and glory of Newfoundland, it behoves the women to continue to do their part. I do not desire you for one instant to imagine that I think the women of Newfoundland have not done their patriotic duty. Far from it—our reports alone show the splendid work you have all done, and I salute you one and all my good friends of the W.P.A., and I congratulate you on your share in contributing to Newfoundland's fame as one of Old England's most staunch supporters. But as I said at the beginning, we are now entering our fourth winter's work, and there is likely to be some who might think they had done enough and would like to drop out. To those I say most emphatically—Please Don't. Stick to the work and help to increase the output this winter still more, and more than it was last—for the Glory of Old Newfoundland.

I have to drop out—and let me assure you, this is a great grief to me. I had so ardently hoped that I might be here to the end of the war, and with our work up to the finish, but this is not to be. The authorities have willed it otherwise, so, to my great regret, I must go. But that will not in any way affect the good work of the W.P.A., the organization being in such able hands, and running so automatically that it is of little or no account as to whether my name or that of some other and probably more

efficient lady's name is placed as President at the head of your national organization. I am not at all sure that in the fourth year of our work it is not better to have some one fresh out from England to lead on the finish a work that might grow stale under the present leader of the Executive. Anyhow let us all firmly believe that it is for the betterment of the W.P.A. that the change has now come.

I have no doubt that my successor at Government House will take up the work with the greatest interest, and I most earnestly ask of you all to give her and your own beloved W. P. A. organization your very fullest support and prove to the world that Newfoundland is really what she has already shown herself to be the loyal, steadfast and enduring country to the end.

I must now say a few words about our new quarters. We have to thank Mrs. Pitts for so kindly and promptly placing her fine house, Sutherland Place, in King's Bridge Road, at the disposal of the W. P. A. It is an ideal place and you will all be far more comfortable than I could ever make you at Government House. On the ground floor there are two large beautifully lighted work rooms—one for socks and shirts, and one for Red Cross Work. Here I look forward to greeting you all next week and seeing you settle in your various groups in what you make your special corners.

You see I know so well where you all sit, when you came to Government House, and I always missed you when you were absent,—now I must think of you in your new places.

Upstairs in Sutherland Place, we have a splendid large cutting room and store room and the office, and at the back of the ground floor in the kitchen, we shall welcome the moss pickers, and I am glad to think that these ladies are going to be more comfortably accommodated than they have been in the past. Now I have told you all about our new headquarters, and all I have left to say for the present is, will you give me the great and lasting pleasure of letting me see very full rooms this week, with the knowledge that they are going to continue to be so all through the coming winter? We all pray to God this may be the last war-winter, and we shall join in the peace-rejoicings with a happier feeling, and with lighter hearts, if we know we have done our best and worked steadily and hard up to the finish. I hope that another full report will be published next spring, after the winter's work is over, and I trust that the Committee will remember me, knowing the lasting interest I shall always take in Newfoundland and all her works, and will send me a copy.

The accompanying statements were then submitted, as were those of the different committees:

### SECRETARY'S REPORT.

In presenting the third annual report of the Women's Patriotic Association, I beg to say that it is necessarily somewhat incomplete. I undertook the office of Secretary in January last, only, and was therefore not in touch with the happenings of the previous three months.

The obligations and responsibilities of a large organization like this, bear heavily upon all its officers, but my early struggles with the duties of Secretary were materially lessened by the excellent system and the business-like efficiency with which the work had been conducted by my predecessor in office, Mrs. Cluny Macpherson, to whom the Association owes its most grateful thanks.

Entering upon the fourth year of the war, I am glad to be able to chronicle no lack of enthusiasm on the part of our large and representative body of workers. Our work-rooms are as well attended as ever, and neither in quality nor in quantity has our work suffered. New branches both in the city and in the outlying

districts have been formed, and new members enrolled, especially in the department of Red Cross Work, for which it has been found necessary to have a special Secretary. There are now four large and flourishing Red Cross branches in St. John's alone, turning out all manner of hospital requisites of first rate quality, and up-to-date in every particular. During the last twelve months we have sent forward hospital supplies to the value of \$14,045.00, and comforts worth \$30,339.00, over \$44,000.00 all told, for the monetary value of our year's work.

During these three years of war the Women's Patriotic Association has provided for the use of our soldiers and sailors an immense quantity of shirts and socks of excellent quality and beautiful workmanship, which have never failed to elicit the unqualified admiration of all the Societies overseas that have handled them. Some of us, perhaps, are apt to regret that the opportunities of wider war service which come to women in other and less remote countries, have been denied to us, but at least, we can say with truth, that we have set ourselves heartily to the task that was nearest us. And it cannot be denied that what we have done constitutes a work of real national importance.

For sometime past the entire output of shirts has been sent to our own men, together with 2,000 pairs of socks per month, any surplus of socks and the bulk of our Hospital supplies going to Queen Mary's Needlework Guild. One branch "Vigornia," sends its output of Red Cross Work to the St. John Ambulance Association. You will see presently from the reports of the various Committees how ably their work in the City has been carried on, and from the Outpost branches we continually receive gratifying accounts of the industry and enthusiasm of their members, which encourage us to feel that all parts of the Island are one with us in our efforts to bring our work to the highest point of efficiency.

On arrival in England our shipments are, for the most part, taken in charge by the Newfoundland War Contingent Association. This Society has assumed the task of distributing comforts to our men, thereby making it an assured fact that they are adequately supplied. Under its jurisdiction the articles are repacked for distribution by a Committee of Ladies, all interested in Newfoundland, and are transferred by the War Office, free of cost, through Queen Alexandra's Field Force Fund, as formerly.

The Newfoundland War Contingent Association has a Committee for regularly visiting our sick and wounded, and our men on leave. It looks after their welfare in every particular, even to providing recreation for them, and through its generosity and foresight the Newfoundland prisoners of war in Germany are now regularly supplied with weekly parcels of food and other necessities. It has spent time and money and much endeavour on behalf of Newfoundland, and we owe this Association far more than most of us are aware of, for its untiring efforts to secure the well-being of our fighting men.

During the last few months the W. P. A. has considerably extended its appeal for funds in aid of Homes of Rest, founded in memory of the Marquis de Sade, in which the wounded and invalided home from the war might recuperate. We asked for the sum of \$2,000 and over \$2,800 was raised. This amount sufficed to endow a Newfoundland Room, thus enabling us to feel that we are adequately represented in so worthy an enterprise.

On May the 23rd a "Tag Day" was held by the W. P. A., under the management of a very energetic and capable Committee. The handsome sum of \$3,001 was realized, which was handed to the Imperial Red Cross Fund.

On July the 14th a "Flower Day" in aid of the French Red Cross was held also under the auspices of the W. P. A. It was very ably managed by Mrs. Charles Harvey, assisted by the "Tag Day" Committee, and the results were again eminently satisfactory, turning over to the most deserving fund the sum of approximately \$1,200.

Several other minor activities have been undertaken and successfully carried through, but our great work, the Monument to our year's industry, so to speak, upon which we may be permitted to look with special pride, has been our share in the establishment of a Convalescent Hospital for sick and wounded soldiers and sailors, an institution for which it was felt there had long been a serious need. Waterford Hall, an ideal spot for the purpose, was most generously given by Sir Edgar Bowring to the W.P.A. for so long a period as the need for a Convalescent Hospital should exist, and the generous donor has continued ever since to take the deepest interest in its welfare. He has instituted many improvements, among them a recreation room, new bathroom and lavatories, a new well (as the water supply was insufficient) and a garage. The hospital is greatly indebted to

many other kind friends as well, especially to Mr. G. M. Barr, for the gift of a motor car, which is a source of great pleasure to the patients and also affords an opportunity for them to qualify as chauffeurs. Sixty-five patients have been treated here. There are at present 32 patients, and the staff numbers 8. The entire equipment of both hospital and annex cost about \$4,000. Its running expenses amount to \$550.00 per month, or 70c. per patient per day, and it has at present a balance in the bank of \$1,460.00. The institution is managed by a Board of Control, on which the W. P. A. is well represented, and the energetic secretarial work is most efficiently performed by our own Red Cross Secretary, Mrs. P. A. Harvey. As I said before, we consider the Convalescent Hospital exceptionally well managed, and though the work is done by Mrs. John Harvey, we are all very proud of our share in its success, vicariously though it be.

This Association is about to sustain a severe loss. I had almost said an irreparable one. As we know, Lady Davidson, our President, will shortly be leaving the Colony, and we all know what she has been to us. What would the W. P. A. have done at its beginning without her talent for organization, and her splendid grasp of detail; her vision, her exceptional ability and her indefatigable capacity for work, and withal, her kindly encouragement and sympathy? It would be difficult indeed to overestimate all that her inspiring leadership and her stimulating co-operation have meant to our Association. We say "Good-bye" to her with the deepest regret, and we feel that it will be difficult, if not impossible, for anyone to fill her place.

Under the circumstances it was impossible for us to continue using Government House as our headquarters, and the outlook appeared cheerless in the extreme. Before, however, any attempt could be made to secure other premises in which to carry on our work, Mrs. Pitts came to the rescue with the offer of the splendid house adjoining her own residence on King's Bridge Road. She has not only provided us with a house but has undertaken the expense of heat and lighting for our occupancy during the winter. This truly munificent offer makes it possible for us to continue our work without a break. All the machinery necessary for the workroom and offices has been transferred to "Sutherland Place" and everything will be in readiness for work on Monday, October 1st. But for this most generous and timely help from Mrs. Pitts the W. P. A. would now be homeless wanderers, and I know I am voicing the sentiment of this meeting in offering her our warmest thanks.

As the war goes on there will be increasing demands upon our resources, which are just now at a very low ebb. I trust that the appeal for funds which was one of Lady Davidson's last official acts, will meet with that cheerful generosity with which Newfoundland has responded to every Patriotic call. And, I may remind you, those who furnish us with the "stewies of war" are after all the authors of all the benefits which we are able to transmit to our brave men overseas.

Although our energies seem fully occupied at present with the work in hand—that of furnishing our troops with comforts and hospital supplies,—and although their needs are insistent and show no sign of slackening, we shall no doubt be called upon as time goes on, to interest ourselves in Patriotic Work along other lines. The problem of Food Conservation and social economy is one which surely concerns women and which we might well consider.

The question of Child Welfare was brought recently before the citizens of St. John's, and the W. P. A. was invited to co-operate in the movement. It is not quite clear at present how this Association can forward the work, but there is no doubt that the need for action is great, and when we are called upon to help, I trust our response will be prompt and adequate. Many problems will surely arise out of this war which women can help to solve. Let us look upon all such as a National Obligation. Let us welcome responsibility, and let us show our loyalty by meeting every demand which we can supply with a steady purpose which shall leave no room for failure.

ARMINE N. GOSLING,  
Hon. Secretary.

### TREASURER'S REPORT.

At the end of the third year of this Association I beg as Honorary Treasurer to present my report:

We began on the first of September, 1915, with a balance in hand of \$7,722.44. Since then the money entrusted to us for expenditure has reached the large sum of \$32,209.69. This amount as usual has come to us from individual subscriptions in St. John's and outports and a large percentage from entertainments of various kinds, which are a most fruitful source of revenue. That our funds should have been so large is a great source of gratification, as the Association made no appeal for help during the past year, and in this manner the public have shown their appreciation of the

work done. With increased revenue has come increased expenditure, due in great measure to the taking up of Red Cross work at Government House, and during the past year we have spent for hospital requisites the sum of \$8,500.00. In doing so we are fortunate in being able to use our money to the very best advantage from the fact that our agents in New York supply us with the best quality of material at a minimum cost.

The money spent on wool alone for St. John's and outports reached the sum of \$12,000.00. This is a very big item in our expenditure, but we do not grudge it, as our men at the front have the comfort of our excellent socks which have attracted the admiration of all who have seen them. For flannel and flannellette we have spent \$2,700.00. Workroom requisites, cartage, telegrams, etc., as may be seen by reference to the balance sheet attached are responsible for the remaining expenditure, leaving us with a balance in hand of \$3,099.63. Although our balance is a small one we are beginning the fourth year of our work with the utmost confidence that the generosity and patriotism which have upheld us in the past will not be lacking in the future.

### HONORARY TREASURER'S CASH ACCOUNT.

Receipts.  
Aug. 13, 1916—  
To balance brought forward . . . . . \$7,722.44  
Jan. 8, 1917—  
To balance from Honorary Secretary's account now amalgamated . . . \$5,043.93  
Add interest . . . 33.02 \$5,076.95  
Less paid to Sir Wm. Horwood for Cash Fund . . . \$3,088.57  
Sept. 15, 1917—  
To received from Outpost Branches for materials . . . \$6,106.38 \$11,130.25  
Donations and Subscriptions from all sources . . . . . \$13,256.96  
\$32,209.65

### 13th AUG., 1916—15th SEPT., 1917, Payments.

Sept. 15, 1917—  
By materials including freight and insurance . . . \$27,096.89  
By badges . . . . . 310.31  
By cartage, postage and telegrams . . . 60.89  
By printing and stationery . . . . . 348.03  
By advertising . . . 181.85  
By Mrs. J. Harvey, Hon. Sec'y, For Placenta, 65.00  
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For Oderin . . . 36.00 106.00  
By flags for Tag Days . . . . . 381.29  
By Naval and Military Convalescent Hospital Funds . . . 466.68  
By Sundries . . . . . 158.08 29,110.02  
By balance—  
Cash in hand . . . 1.20  
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We have audited the above statement with the Books and Vouchers, and certify it to be correct. We have verified the balance at the Bank.

G. N. READ, SON & WATSON,  
Chartered Accountants,  
Honorary Auditors.

### Household Notes.

If there is a goodly portion of hot cake batter left, stir in some currants and bake as dropcakes.  
To wash a clothesline wind it round the lower end of a washboard, scrub, rinse and set out in the sun to dry.  
Dip pieces of bread in the juice from the roast beef; brown them in a skillet on top of the stove. This makes a delicious toast.  
Orange rinds parboiled and preserved in clear thick syrup are very convenient to have handy to use in cookies, pies, etc.  
Any cereal may be cooked through the day while the fire is hot, put into a glass jar and be warmed by standing the jar in hot water.  
It is possible to can fruits without sugar by using boiling water in place of the hot syrup. But one must know exactly how to do it.  
After one has been exposed to "figgers" or sand ticks in the woods a hot salt-water bath will make unpleasant results less likely.  
Put a little salt in the water in which greens are washed, and the insects will rise up to the top. Be sure to rinse quickly in plain water.  
Mix the cake while the vegetables are boiling. Let it bake while you are eating your dinner, and the time for baking a cake is not noticed.

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## Evening Telegram

W. J. HERDER, - - - Proprietor  
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MONDAY, October 1st, 1917.

### The East Again.

The censor continues to interpose his ban upon news from the Western front, an action interpreted to mean that an offensive of more than ordinary importance and dimensions is preparing. There will be news enough when it is launched and under way. Meanwhile other news comes from other fronts which is both suggestive and encouraging. General Cadorna has struck again and struck hard. Madoni, where a fresh success has been scored, is northeast of the famous San Gabriele and on the upper line of mountains which fringe the Chiapovano valley. Every foot won towards this natural outlet from the maze of hills and rocks is invaluable, and the number of prisoners taken shows the engagement to have been a large one. After the long lull it is likely that the Italians will put forth another supreme effort, of which this victory is but the beginning.

There is another direction, also, and one which has lately dropped out of sight, in which they have been quietly active for some time. They have followed up their fine feat of transporting a large Italian army across the Straits of Otranto to Albania, without the loss of a ship or a man, by building a military road clear across that province to the Allies' front south of Monastir, linking up direct communication with General Sarrail. There have been frequent hints of late of greater doings in this neglected theatre of war than the usual desultory bombardments; if an offensive flames out suddenly the Italians will play no small part in it.

Most refreshing is the British victory in Mesopotamia. The torrid heat of the summer is abating and operations are again possible. But it was not certain that they would first be resumed on our side. The failure of the Russian support had caused a general belief that the Turks would make a determined effort to retake Bagdad and restore their shattered prestige, and it was felt that General Maude would have his hands full even to defend his position. Yet it is he that has taken the initiative, and not only the initiative but a general and his staff to boot. The message speaks of the action as still continuing. At the same time the Russians have come back in the Caucasus, and it is possible that the two successes are co-ordinated. If so, it is an encouraging symptom of Russia's recovery and Turkey's exhaustion. It is possible the Turk has not the same plenty of German guns and German officers that two years ago saved Constantinople, and he has been quiescent for a long time, like his Bulgarian friend. It will be interesting to see how far and in what manner events develop in these lesser regions of war. The war itself is truly growing up to a climax.

MINARD'S LINIMENT CURES DIPHTHERIA.

## Casualty List.

RECEIVED OCTOBER 1ST, 1917.

3130—Private Lewis Pilgram, St. Anthony Bight. Seriously ill. 12th General Hospital, Rouen, Sept. 24th. Removed from seriously ill list. Sept. 27th.

R. A. SQUIRES,  
Colonial Secretary.

## Officers for Militia Department Arrive.

Major Walter Rendell and Lieutenant Gerald G. Byrne, M.C., reached the city by Saturday's express and were met at the station by a number of relatives and friends. Major Rendell, who left here with the first five hundred as Adjutant of the Regiment, was twice wounded, being among the first to get hit at Gallipoli. After recovering from his wound he was transferred to France and was among the first of "Ours" to stop a Hun bullet in that theatre of war. For upwards of a year Major Rendell was confined to hospital and still feels the effects of his wounds. Lieutenant Byrne also left here with the first five hundred as a non-commissioned officer, and served through the Gallipoli campaign, where for devotion to duty he was some time after awarded the Military Cross. He also saw active service in France. Both young officers are very popular in the Regiment and their appointment to important positions in the Militia Department will meet with the general approval of the soldiers and the public in general. In extending a hearty welcome home to Major Rendell and Lieutenant Byrne, M.C., we congratulate them in the services they have rendered the Empire.

## Obituary.

CAPT. T. FITZPATRICK.

We note with regret the death of Capt. Tom Fitzpatrick, which occurred at his home in Placentia on Saturday last. Deceased, who was in his sixtieth year, was a splendid type of man in every sense of the word and was well known and esteemed in the Island. A native of Placentia, he began the codfishery at the age of 15. He was a noted banking skipper, the fame he won being attributed to his industry, ability and dogged determination to succeed. His prowess as a mariner either on board the banking vessel or the coastal steamer is best testified to by the many heroic acts performed by him at great personal risk. He displayed brilliant seamanship during the many years he commanded the S. S. Algerine, Argyll and Portia. A few years ago he retired from the sea to occupy the position of Collector of Customs at Placentia. The travelling public know full well of Capt. Fitzpatrick's courtesy and obliging disposition. For some months past he had been suffering from an incurable malady, but he bore it resolutely and with typical manliness right to the end. He is survived by a widow and five daughters to whom much sympathy is extended.

## Daylight Saving.

TELEGRAM FROM ITS CHAMPION.  
NEW YORK, Sept. 30.  
Editor Evening Telegram.

Hope the trial of the first summer saving of one hour of daylight has proved satisfactory to the people and profitable to the industry, trade and commerce and conducive to the physical, mental, moral and financial welfare of the country. We go back on Sunday night one hour. Hope the promised hour will be returned with golden compound interest in health, happiness and prosperity and the rich harvest of potatoes and hay.

ANDERSON.

## Supreme Court.

Fall Session Opens—King's Counsel Receive Their Commissions.

The fall session of the Supreme Court opened this morning, the attendance being fairly large. The commissions of the Honorable W. F. Lloyd, P. J. Summers and James P. Blackwood as King's Counsel were read, and all three took the oath of allegiance of the office and were congratulated by the Chief Justice on behalf of the Bench.

The Grand Jury were sworn and are as follows: Henry Thomas (foreman), Ernest Snelgrove, Nicholas Worsley, Patrick Casey, John T. Coaker, John Williams, Bernard McGrath, Thomas Bowen, Ernest R. Pippy, Matthew Kelly, Edward Dougherty, Ernest R. Willis, John Savage and John B. Baird. The Chief Justice addressed the Grand Jury and sent two indictments to them—one against Alexander Morgan and Matthew Morgan for larceny, and one against Jonathan Raynes for carnally knowing Bertha Gould, a girl above the age of thirteen and under the age of sixteen years. The Grand Jury retired to consider the indictments. Several witnesses were examined and at 1 p.m. adjournment was taken till 2.30 o'clock.

## CIVIL BUSINESS.

Smith Co., Ltd., vs. The Nfld.-American Packing Co.

On motion of Mr. Blackwood, K.C., and by consent of Mr. Howley, K.C., the hearing is set for Oct. 10th.

Michael E. Martin vs. William H. Christian, Trustee of the Insolvent Estate of P. A. LeGrew.

On motion of Howley, K.C., and by consent of Mr. Dunfield the hearing is set for Saturday, the 13th.

James Hutchings vs. Paik Duggan.

On motion of Blackwood, K.C., this motion is deferred till the 4th inst.

## Hospital Report.

October 1, 1917.

Dear Sir,  
I beg to forward you herewith copy of cablegram from Henry Reeve, Esq., C.M.G., Honorary Secretary of the Nfld. War Contingent Association, London, reporting on the condition of the men of the Newfoundland Regiment who have been visited in hospital by the Visiting Committee of the Association.

Yours truly,  
R. A. SQUIRES,  
Colonial Secretary.

Progressing Favourably: 2978 Alesop, 1789 Cull, 3152 Devereux, 1345 Etheridge, 3409 Hiscock, 3021 Murphy, 3273 Simpson, 2864 Wheeler.

Improving: 3015 Cheffey, 3255 Lilley, 3400 Pittman, 3259 Twyne.

Grand C. L. B. Band Dance, British Hall, Wednesday night. Tickets—Gent's, 80c.; Ladies', 60c., at Gray & Goodland's, Atlantic Bookstore, Godden's Cafe and members of Band. Refreshments for sale.—oct1.11

VOLUNTEERS PARADE. — The weekly church parade of the volunteers was held yesterday morning, the men attending Divine service at the different churches.

## W.P.A. Christmas Fund

Amount acknowledged	\$348.70
Mrs. Fred. Rennie	5.00
H. C. Hayward	2.00
F. J. Cornick	2.00
A. E. Colbourne, Bishop's Falls	1.00
P. R. Colbourne, Bishop's Falls	1.00
L. M. Colbourne, Bishop's Falls	50
Officers and Crew S. S. Port Saunders	23.00
Mrs. Harvey	10.00
Miss Walker	5.00
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$398.20</b>

## McMurdo's Store News

MONDAY, Oct. 1, 1917.  
Petol Ointment is a wonderfully good thing for piles. No ointment is a cure for this distressing trouble, but Petol comes as near to it as it is possible for a local remedy to get, and gives prompt and welcome relief. For eczema, acne, and skin diseases generally, it is a good thing, and a tube of it kept in the house is a good investment. For convenient tubes 40 cents each.

Sunset Soap Dyes have made good, and their use will go a long way towards solving a problem which has been urgent for the past three years or so. Any kind of fabrics can be dyed with this dye, and these Soap Dyes cleanses as well as color the goods in one operation. Price 15c. a pkg.

## Reid's Boats.

The Argyle left Sound Island at 7.15 p.m. yesterday.

The Thesis left King's Cove early on Saturday morning.

The Clyde left Lewisporte at 6 a.m. to-day.

The Dundee is north of Flower's Cove.

The Glencoe left Fortune at 5 a.m. yesterday.

The Home left Lewisporte at 5.45 a.m. to-day.

The Wren left Clarendville at 7.10 a.m. to-day.

The Diana left for the Labrador at 7.30 p.m. on Saturday.

## Here and There.

Nyal's Face Cream at Stafford's Drug Stores, Duckworth St. and Theatre Hill.—sep7,17

WEATHER REPORT.—The weather across country is strong S. E. wind and raining; temperature 39 to 50 above.

TRAIN MOVEMENTS.—Yesterday's outgoing express left the Quarry at 7.15 a.m. to-day. The incoming express reached the city at 2 p.m. to-day.

NEW VESSEL READY. — A new schooner, built to the order of A. E. Hickman, Ltd., at Charlottetown, B.B., will be launched within a few days. She will be used in the foreign trade.

Don't Forget Grand Dance, Star Hall TONIGHT, Oct. 1st. Latest Music.—oct1.11

EXPRESS PASSENGERS. — The following first class passengers reached the city by to-day's express: A. F. and Mrs. McLeod, Mrs. A. Bennett, W. J. Corbett and daughter, R. H. Hayward, J. D. Henry and two daughters, Miss B. Steele, Mrs. L. P. Chaplin, H. A. Leonard, Miss M. Southcott, Rev. F. O'Regan, Geo. Hoskins, Mrs. R. Clark, T. Cartwright, Jas. Baker, Rev. H. Hubley, W. Morris, Miss Shano, J. Squires, Miss A. Gardner, M. Murdock, Mrs. N. Petley, Mrs. W. A. Fleet, E. Adams, E. Renfild, M. Robinson, W. Burgaway, P. Curran, Mrs. G. Powell, Miss B. Harris, Capt. J. Pike.

Cover the kitchen table with sheet zinc if you wish to save oilcloth.

# Public Notice!

Information as to the circumstances under which the Government of Newfoundland may consider the assumption of partial war insurance risk on fish shipments to the European markets may be had from the Tonnage Committee. The Tonnage Committee are:

HON. J. C. CROSBIE, Chairman.  
T. A. HALL, Gov't Engineer, Sec'y.  
HON. W. F. COAKER.  
HON. A. E. HICKMAN.

R. L. SQUIRES,

Colonial Secretary.

Colonial Secretary's Office, St. John's,

October 1st, 1917. oct1.31

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USE YOUR MIRROR OFTEN.

Do you look into your mirror often enough? Yes, of course you glance into it when you arrange your collars or fix your hair, but do you ever go to it and stare boldly at the reflection within?

Every woman who wants to improve her personal appearance will do well to learn how to use the mirror. She will take it where the light is strongest and begin studying her reflection as a whole—as a general assemblage of line and color. Then she can pick it to pieces later. The tour ensemble in what strikes the ordinary observer. The more intimate acquaintance even notices details.

What about the expression of the eyes and mouth? What is the story it tells? Does it tell a tale of selfishness, greed, deceit, conceit, superficiality? Or does it give out the lines of kindness, love, generosity, good sense, intelligence, friendliness? Or is there a queer, intermingling of good and bad expressions? And in that case which is the most enduring and which flashes across the face more often?

Just sit down with an open mind before your mirror and ask questions. You will learn a whole lot about yourself in a half hour. And if you are

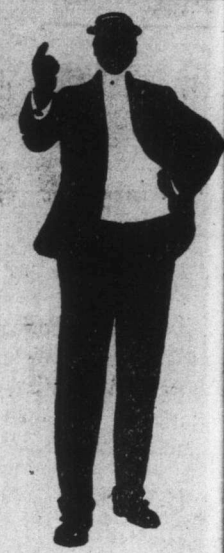
as wise as woman ought to be you can map out a campaign of beauty culture right in your own mind, and put it into effect with no one but yourself being the wiser and gain results that will make all your friends compliment you.

Sit down, sisters mine, and get out the most exacting mirror you can find. Pull the shades up and let the strongest and most fruitful and glaring light of day shine upon you.

Purge your mind and vision of every prejudice. Then work according to the result. There's a reason behind every frown, and every little curl of the lip may soon mean a fixed sneer. It is up to you to find out the reason and to right the fault.

Nyal's Assorted Talcums arrived to-day for Stafford's Drug Stores, Duckworth Street and Theatre Hill.—sep7,17

# Read



A. & S.

To-Day's Message.

9.30 A.M.

JAPAN'S MONROE DOCTRINE

NEW YORK, To-day.

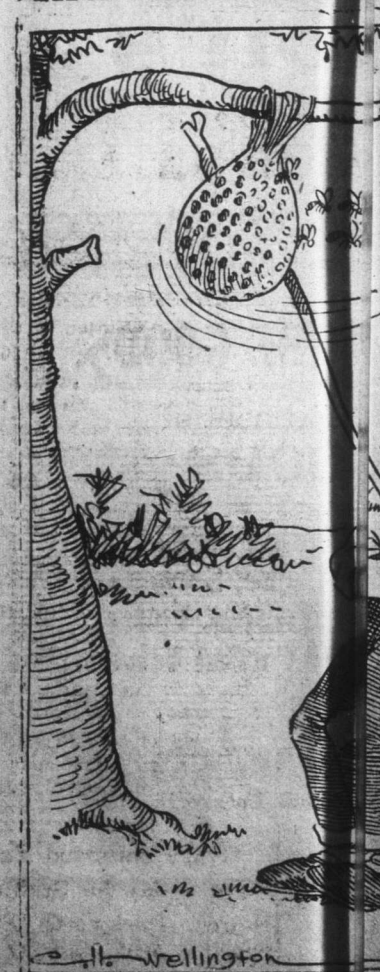
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BRITISH SUCCESS AT BAGDAD.

LONDON, To-day.

A British official concerning the operations in Mesopotamia announces

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12.30 P. M.

#### AUSTRALIA MAKES WHEAT FREE.

OTTAWA, To-day. Australia has put wheat and flour on the free list, according to a report to the department of trade.

#### BRUTAL MURDER BROUGHT TO LIGHT.

NEW YORK, To-day. News was received here of the torpedoing of the steamship Glenogle, flying the Chinese flag, off the Irish coast by a German submarine four weeks ago. She had a crew of 100 men, all Chinese with the exception of the officers and engineers. There were no signals of distress apparently and the sinking of the ship with her crew was discovered through papers being washed ashore in Bantry Bay, Ireland. She sailed from Hankow with tea for London.

#### BRITISH SHIP SUNK.

BOSTON, To-day. The British steamer Tanaqua, formerly the Den of Glamis, was torpedoed and sunk by a German submarine off the coast of Ireland, according to private cables received here. It is believed the crew was saved. She was bound from Glasgow to New York with a general cargo.

#### REDUCTION IN COAL PRICES.

WASHINGTON, To-day. Government control over the coal industry was made complete by an order of the fuel administrator, Carlfield, limiting the profits of retail coal and coke dealers throughout the country to a basis which is expected to bring about immediately a reduction

in prices to the consumer. The order, effective to-day, directs that retailers shall fix their prices so as to limit their gross margins over cost to an average of such gross margins during the year 1915 plus a maximum of thirty percent of the 1915 margin. Provided that in no case shall the average margin of the month of July of this year be exceeded. In another order the fuel administrator made the first revisions of his recently fixed prices of coal. The changes in Anthracite Peacocks in the Pennsylvania Field are as follows:—White Ash \$3.40 instead of \$4; Red Ash \$3.50 instead of \$4.10; Lykens Valley \$3.50 instead of \$4.35.

#### EXPECT NAVAL BATTLE.

PETROGRAD, To-day. Commenting on a statement made by Premier Kerensky in his speech to the Democratic Congress that the German fleet was attacking Petrograd from the Gulf of Finland, newspapers say the repulsing of the enemy is at hand, but it remains to be seen whether the revolution has hampered the fighting power of Russian fleet.

#### GET AID OF LA FOLLETTE & CO.

NEW YORK, To-day. In an open letter to the Governors of the United States made public here last night, the Executive Committee of the American Defence urged that steps should be taken at once to rid the United States Senate of those men who by their seditious utterances are giving aid and comfort to Germany. Each Governor is asked to arouse public sentiment through an appeal to the fathers, mothers, wives and sisters of the men at the front in his state.

#### ATTEMPT TO WRECK TRANSPORT.

AN ATLANTIC PORT, To-day. An attempt to wreck the machinery of a United States transport was discovered yesterday when the engines of the ship, which has been undergoing alterations, were started for a trial. According to the commander, who caused the arrest of one of the ship's mechanics pending an investigation, a large wrench had been dropped into the steering gear of the vessel.

#### CEASE SELF-STARVATION.

LONDON, To-day. A despatch to the Central News Agency from Dublin says: As the result of a decision of the Privy Council to make special regulations concerning the treatment of prisoners in Ireland under the Defence of the Realm Act, by which it is understood they will be treated like interned prisoners, the Sinn Feiners incarcerated in Mount Joy prison have ceased their hunger strike.

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bombing German cities, according to the belief now generally held here. They have the necessary machines and better aviators, but heretofore preferred to use them solely against the fighting men on the battle front. The defences of England against attack have proved to be almost as effective against Zeppelins, which have practically retired from business since the death of their inventor. But the fact that airplanes can scatter and present such a small target makes them more difficult to deal with. This is shown by the experience of one British squadron in France which has carried out 113 raids in five months and has lost only four machines. The method of putting up an aerial shrapnel barrage around London with numbers of heavy guns firing continuously gives the nervous people an idea that a great raid is on, whereas two of the noisiest nights which London has experienced, Monday and Tuesday of last week, involved small casualty lists.

#### TROUBLE WITH FINNS.

PETROGRAD, To-day. Many arrests have been made in Petrograd of Finnish agents who were purchasing (arms?) The newspapers say the arrests revealed mysterious plans for the arming of Finland.

#### HUNS STRIPPING MILLS.

WASHINGTON, To-day. Official despatches received here confirm the reports recently brought out of Belgium and Northern France that the Germans are stripping the textile mills of their machinery, destroying or sending it to Germany.

#### INTENSE BARRAGE FIRE DETERS AIR RAIDERS.

LONDON, To-day. The air raids last night accomplished nothing important for the enemy. The claim that the new air barrage acts as a powerful deterrent to the raiders seems to have been justified further. In the last attacks an immense number of guns of various calibres were in action. Indeed it was (the defence) and not the invaders who were putting up the show. There was an intense and far-reaching (fire) searching in all directions, the flashes of the bursting missiles showing brightly in the heavens notwithstanding the extreme brilliance of a full moon. More impressive was the terrific din of the guns. The enormous and prolonged volume of gunfire certainly was alarming to civilians if not accustomed to it, some of the big high velocity weapons employed detonating with a deafening crash, indistinguishable by the civilians from bursting bombs so great was the amount of the defence shell fire that an estimate of a thousand shells discharged for every bomb dropped does not seem extravagant. Almost nothing is known concerning the damage and casualties caused by the raiders. It is said several bombs were dropped in Essex and Kent without causing casualties. On Saturday was driven from London by the guns of the fleet. Southwest of the capital another was seen over the Thames estuary. It was hemmed in by shell fire and wriggled for half an hour trying for an exit from what seemed a triangle of bursting shells; it finally escaped southward. A half dozen bombs were dropped in a suburban district without casualties or important damage. One of the bombs narrowly missed striking a hospital. The newspapers, while commenting on the vigor of the defence, still call for other measures and advocate reprisals on German towns. They insist on this point with very great vehemence.

#### GURKO EXPELLED.

PETROGRAD, To-day. General Gurko, former commander on the southwestern front, has been expelled from Russia because of the letter he wrote to the former Emperor expressing his loyalty.

#### FRENCH MAKE REPRISAL.

PARIS, To-day. Violent artillery fighting is in progress in the Verdun sector. French aviators dropped half a ton of projectiles on the German city of Stuttgart in reprisal for the bombardment by the Germans of Barleuc.

#### SINN FEINER'S FUNERAL.

DUBLIN, To-day. The funeral procession which followed the body of Thomas Ashe, the Sinn Fein leader, from the City Hall to Glasnevin Cemetery yesterday was extremely large. The procession was very well organized and perfect order was kept. The principal contingents were Irish volunteers, the Gaelic League, the Liberty Hall Citizen Army and Dublin trade unions.

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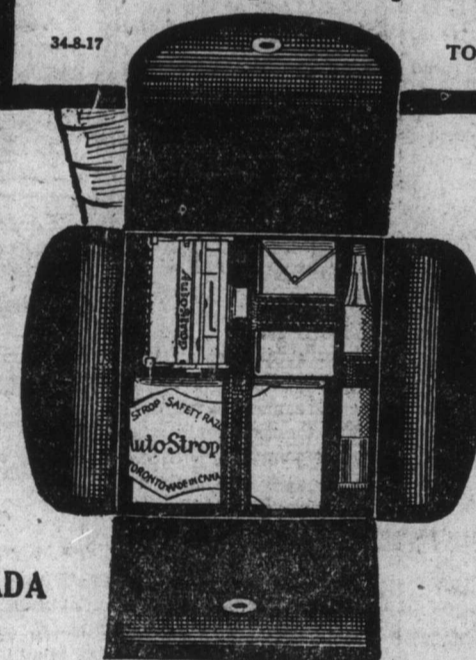
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### Prospero Back From North.

The s.s. Prospero, Capt. A. Kean, arrived back from the northward at 9 a.m. to-day, bringing a full freight and these saloon passengers: Messrs. L. Biles, E. Snow, T. Tucker, W. Elliott, R. Parsons, Dr. Blackall, Dr. Fallon, J. Morgan, N. Osborne, G. Hender, S. Hender, Rev. Sealey, K. Lush, C. Withers, L. Noble, R. Young, J. Birge, M. Dowden, T. Thistle, W. Chapman, A. Yates, L. Osmond, J. Roberts, H. Ashbourne, A. Earle, W. Kearley, E. Stuckless, F. Blandford, J. Hazelwood, A. Bishop, M. Perry, T. Mercer, A. Coffin, H. Stimms, H. J. Earle, W. Howard, D. Murphy, R. Oakley, J. Brett, Rev. Britnell, A. Peckford, Rev. Dr. Jones, P. Roberts, Capt. Hann, E. Parsons, M. Bowden, W. Howell, R. Parsons, Capt. S. B. Winsor, H. Rowse, S. Rowse, R. Riddout, J. Jones, J. Barre, Masters Jackman (?), Mesdames Biles, Brothens, Norris, Blackall, Sealey, Thistle, Matthews, Hayward, Maidment, Hennebury, Blandford, Habelwood, Brett, Britnell, Hiscock, Mellinby, White, Harnett, Misses Taylor, Maidment, Powell, Holmer, Biles, Fitzpatrick, Parsons, Ashbourne, Barrett, Faney, Oak, Ellsworth, Blandford, Hoffe, Brett, House, Hall, Parsons, Parry, Grantor, Scott, Kean, Fortier, Earle and 85 steerage.

There is a big voyage of fish ashore north, especially at Fogo, and south of that place. When the Prospero was passing there was very little hand-lining doing in White or Green Bays, owing to the uncliff weather prohibiting boats from going on the grounds.

### Young Woman Found in Pitiabile State.

Upon a complaint being made to the police that a strange young woman, apparently homeless and friendless, was seen wandering about in the vicinity of Smithville, Constable Whelan proceeded there last evening and found the unfortunate creature. She was sparsely clad, exhausted and fatigued from hunger and her condition of health was such as to elicit pity; she was the victim of some black-guards. She was taken to the police station by the officer for safekeeping and this morning, after being examined by a doctor, was admitted to the Maternity Home. The woman is 25 years of age and belongs to a northern outport. She had been engaged as domestic in the city and a few weeks ago lost her place. This is only one of several such pathetic and pitiable cases which have come under the notice of the police authorities lately.

"ELIJAH" practice in the Presbyterian Hall to-night at 8 o'clock. Mr. King would be obliged if members not resuming practice this season would kindly return unpaid for copies, as new members will require them.—oct. 1, li

#### MARRIED.

On September 17th at Cape Charles, by the Rev. W. K. Fisher, Clara Bell Fry, daughter of William S. Fry, to Freeman W. Dicka, of the Co-operative Stores at the above place.

### IT HAS MANY DELICIOUS USES.

Use Cleveland's Cocoa instead of Chocolate. Below is a recipe for Mocha Frosting:

- 1-3 Cup Butter.
- 1 1/2 Cups Icing Sugar.
- 1 Tablespoon Cleveland's Cocoa.
- 1 Tablespoon Cold Coffee (left over).

Cream butter, add sugar, gradually continuing the beating, then add Cocoa and cold coffee until of right consistency to spread, or force through a pastry bag and tube.

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PORTIA RETURNING.—The S. S. Portia left Burin to-day, coming east. She is due here to-morrow evening.

#### DIED.

Last evening, after a long illness, Alice Dalton, wife of William Dalton, leaving to mourn a husband, one child, mother, two sisters and three brothers; funeral to-morrow, Tuesday, at 2.30 p.m., from her late residence, 21 Fleming Street. Boston papers please copy. Passed peacefully away this morning, after a tedious illness, William White, aged 77 years, leaving a wife, three daughters, one son, two sisters, one brother and a number of grand children to mourn the loss of a loving husband and father; funeral on Wednesday, at 2.30 p.m., from his late residence, 11 Goodview Street; friends and acquaintances please accept this as the only intimation.—R. I. P.



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150 doz. comfortable, stylish Tweed Caps, a wonderful variety. You can count on your Cap in this assortment. Selling at 55, 65, 85c., \$1.00 up to \$1.70 each.

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10 doz. Fancy Dress Shirts, stiff cuffs and bosom. "Our Special." Sizes 14 to 17. \$1.80 value for \$1.40.

## BOYS' JERSEYS.

30 dozen Boys' All Wool Jerseys, in shades of Navy, Saxe, Brown, Cardinal, White and Myrtle. Values: \$1.00 to \$1.30. Sizes: 18, 20 and 22. All One Price, 75c. each.

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200 doz. Gent's Neck Ties. The best assorted stock of Neck Ties in the city, wide end. Selling at Old Prices, 35, 45, 50, 60, 70c. each.

### Motor Boats and Human Bodies.

By RUTH CAMERON.



RUTH CAMERON

I have a friend who has a beloved motor boat. As is often the way with motor boats there is frequently something wrong with its innards. "To the Dickens With Doctors" He said. That was the end of doctors for him. "To the dickens with doctors," he said. "He doesn't know what the trouble is with me. Look at the way he tries first one thing and then another." Now, there cannot be much question which is the more delicate machine,—a motor boat or a human body,—and yet that man expects a doctor to fix up his body without trying out his readjustments by letting the machine run awhile.

They Don't Give The Doctor Half A Chance.

And not only he, but many thousands like him, who know that an automobile or a motor boat or a clock or any other delicate mechanism can not be fixed without adjustments and readjustments and trying out, will expect the doctor to give one look at them and fix up a body out of order with a bottle or two of medicine and a set of diet rules (most inadequately followed.)

Truly whoever it was that said "What fools these mortals be," which is one of those many sayings which sound about equally (like the Bible or Shakespeare) said something.

Minard's Liniment Co., Limited Gents.—A customer of ours cured a very bad case of distemper in a valuable horse by the use of MINARD'S LINIMENT.

Yours truly, VILANDIE FRERES.

A child's dress, outgrown, can sometimes be utilized for aprons.

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### Rann-dom Reels.

THE BIG HEAD.

The big head is an affliction of the upper part of the human skull which is caused by feeding conceit into a vacuum. After Nature has gone to the trouble of providing man with a large, unoccupied space in which to store thought and ready-to-wear information, it would seem that this opening could be used to better advantage than by filling it with a low grade of conceit and allowing it to evaporate in the direction of the general public.



There are several kinds of big head. There are several kinds of big head, all of which are accompanied by intense swelling of the think chamber. This swelling does not cause pain to the owner, but creates a great deal of personal discomfort on the part of the average listener. Why is it that a man will not be able to sleep nights on account of the swelling from an ulcerated tooth, and yet not be disturbed in the slightest by an attack of the big head that resembles a toy balloon at a distance of three hundred feet? This shows rank favoritism on the part of Nature, which is supposed to be impartial in all her acts.

A certain amount of big head is in some respects a good thing, but when it begins to run out at the top and spin weird yarns faster than a cotton

gin, it should be provided with a wire muzzle and a hip reducer. Nobody ever got very far in the race of life without enough of the big head to prevent him from being pawed over on the remnant counter. Some of the biggest men this country has produced have had a noticeable enlargement of the cranial cavity, but they did not attempt to use it as a substitute for the intellect. A small quantity of the big head, driven with a high cheek, will not injure any man's chances so long as he keeps his fan belt tight. It often happens that the man who has the most cause to carry around a violent case of the big head is the last one to show any signs of it. The genuinely modest man—who does big things in a quiet way—does not have to convert himself into a billboard with megaphone attachment. One of the finest things that can be said about American manhood is that the brag and the bob-tailed flush artist so seldom sit at the head of the board of directors. Time will cure the big head, but it is liable to get mighty leg weary before withdrawing from the case.

### FOLLOWING ADVICE.



WILT MASON

Last spring wise people came around and said it was my duty to plant to spuds my garden ground, foregoing things of beauty, I'm fond of flowers and lovely buds, with care I grow and treat them, and I have not much use for spuds, excepting when I eat them. But then the sages came along, with taunting sneers and joshes, and said my beds of flowers were wrong, I should be raising squashes. The country needed sifted peas and other wholesome rations, not cucumbers and things like these, to feed the fighting nations. And so I planted peas and beans, uprooted all my lilies, and raised a thousand tons of greens, and now I have the willies. For no one seems to want the truck I raised with so much ardor; no man will blow a single buck to fill with it his larder. My neighbours all have done the same, great piles of fodder growing; the wise guys steered them to the game, just as they set me going. No nation comes to buy my peas, no king or queen has rubbered and priced my peas or narrowgrass, my squashes, plain or Hubbard. So I lament my roses dead, my cup of sorrow drinking; next year the nations will be fed by someone else, I'm thinking.

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### Strange Sight Near Bay of Fundy.

Second Officer of D. G. S. Tyrian Witnessed Thousands of Lobsters Schooling—Says Their Actions Were Peculiar.

Halifax, Sept. 25.—The D. G. cable steamer Tyrian, Capt. Alex. Dickson, is back in port after a successful cable repairing trip which took her to various points on the Cape Breton coast and then up the Gulf of St. Lawrence to Gaspe, whence she steamed for the Bay of Fundy. Her last repair was made in the line between Grand Manan and the mainland.

According to the captain the trip was uneventful, the weather for the most part fair and all the work they set out to do successfully accomplished. He had no story to tell of a news-seeking reporter.

The second officer of the ship, Michael Ryan, is more communicative. It will be remembered that it was from him came the story of the two German daschunds picked up from an iceberg on a last spring trip of the Tyrian; his surmise being that the dogs had deserted from a Hun submarine. In proof of his story he showed the two dogs. Not that the second officer of the Tyrian needs any proof for any story he tells for he has a better reputation than the late George Washington, the man that had the little hatchet. George couldn't tell a lie, Michael Ryan could but he won't.

Consulting his log-book second officer Ryan told the reporter that it was at 10.30 o'clock in the forenoon of Sept. 8, in latitude 43.48-25 W., longitude 66.32-5 N., that he was on the bridge when he saw something schooling in the water. The disturbance he at first witnessed was of such a nature that his mind naturally carried him to thoughts of submarines. As the Tyrian drew closer to the troubled waters he saw that it was a school of lobsters, thousands of them. Each lobster had its two long smellers up out of water and its right claw. Then he recalled that before he had left his native shores of Newfoundland it was no very unusual sight to see lobsters schooling and such an event was a sure forerunner of a beautiful spell of calm weather.

When the captain came on the bridge the second officer reported what he had seen. The captain laughed. He didn't believe that lobsters schooled in such a fashion. The second officer insisted that his vision was good and that the "bracing air" of the Bay of Fundy nor any other stimulant would make him see things that weren't there. "What is more," declared the second officer, "those lobsters were coming right off the United States coast and in the right claw which they were holding above water, each one of them gripped a little star and stripes. It was the prettiest sight I ever saw."

And the reporter believed him that it was. When water is very hard the bluing water will probably streak the clothes. Add a cupful of sweet milk to each tubful of water before putting in the bluing, and this trouble will be obviated. A drop of cocoon on the linen tablecloth can be removed with salt and lemon juice. Put the linen in the sun all day, and every hour wet with lemon juice and sprinkle with salt.

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### Women's Patriotic Association Meeting.

(Continued from 3rd)

The Executive was elected as follows: Lady Horwood, Mrs. Cashin, Vice-Presidents, succeeding Lady Morris; Mrs. Gosling, Treasurer; Mrs. Gosling, Secretary; Mrs. John Harvey, Honorary Secretary, and Mrs. Cluney, Secretary. The directors of the Association were also re-elected. Lady Horwood then read the following:

### FAREWELL ADDRESS TO LADY DAVIDSON.

To Lady Davidson from the Association of the Women of Newfoundland.

Dear Lady Davidson,— It is with deep regret that the Association assembles here this noon to meet you for the last time. Since you called it into existence just three years ago, you have done so much the guiding spirit and efforts, that a feeling of disquiet over its members at hearing of your departure from our midst.

The women of Newfoundland have never been lacking in patriotic feeling; it needed your inspiring words to bring it to life, and so direct our efforts that they would be productive of the great results of which we are so proud.

From a small group of women gathered together at Government House to knit socks for our soldiers, the Association has extended its work now covers the whole Island network, and wherever a branch exists, there your name is a household word, not only as President of the W.P.A. but as the kindly friend whose sympathetic word was always first to soothe the sorrow which entered so many homes in the days through which we are now passing. And as times which are hard in storm and stress are even more enduring, we feel that the bond which unites us to you will not wear time but that your joys and sorrows will ever find a responsive echo in our hearts. We trust that the memory of the Southern Cross will live in the memory of the years spent in the snows of Newfoundland.

We are, Yours, Lady Davidson desires to be remembered in acknowledgment of the part presented to her on behalf of the Patriotic Association of the Women of Newfoundland.

### LADY DAVIDSON'S REPLY.

I thank you for the Address of the Patriotic Association of the Women of Newfoundland. I value the honor more highly than to have the President of the W.P.A. continue your work as surely and resolutely as in the years we have worked together. I shall be myself to other duties, but the dress, so charmingly worded and beautifully engrossed, will be with me always in the place of honor, as my most cherished possession. Often I shall look on the picture of the Narrows, the rocky pass through which we were welcomed here at solid old Government House, typical of the place and of the where we have worked together with anxious hearts, during the brave and sad years, soiling in honor for our fighting men.

We came to Newfoundland, my husband and I, in all straightforward simplicity to do our best within the limits assigned to our position. We tried to help the helpless, to sympathize with the sorrow and to help in making the high standard of social life which is the most marked feature of the country. In normal times we might have done our best and yet not have entered into the inmost life of the people and women who we desired to help. But the day of trial arrived; and we learnt to know each other, as we stood together to face an hour which comes but rarely in a peaceful history. Thank God, the men of Newfoundland have been true to their proud traditions of loyalty and honor. We part from the glory of the snows of Newfoundland, typical of its purity and stainlessness. We part from an island of settled traditions, dogged and resolute as their forefathers were. We leave a new home whose heraldic emblem is the brightness of the Southern Cross, the stars which dominate the southern heavens. We shall be true to a great nation in the making. For the builders have laid aside their personal aims and have, under the gravest test of manhood, made name and fame of the new and the British Commonwealth of Australia.

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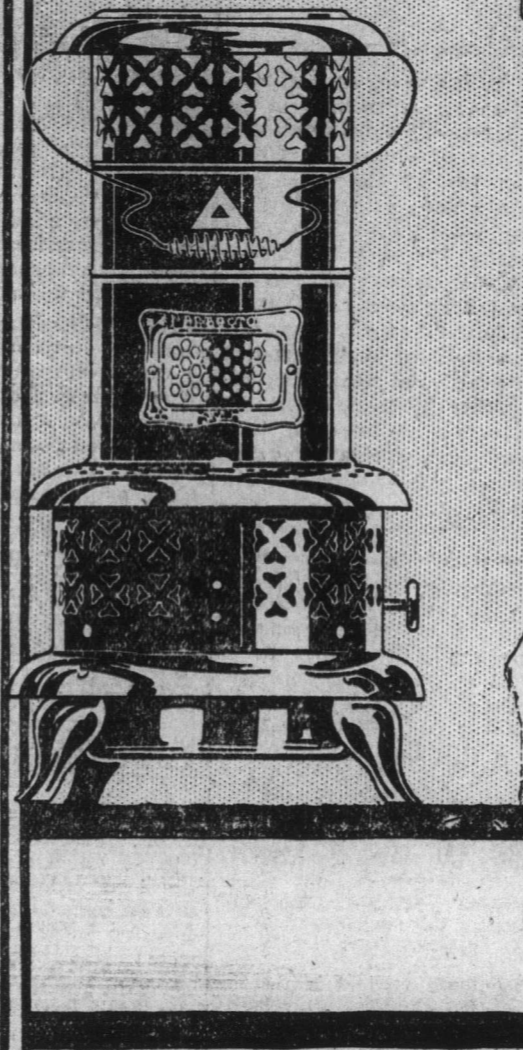
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"Petrol is scarce and dear and cannot be got except under license. In consequence those interested in motor-vehicles have cast about for substitutes. During the last few months it has been discovered that the internal-combustion engine will, with very slight alteration, work quite well with ordinary coal gas. Coal gas has certain very great advantages. It is cheap. The Manchester Gas Committee proposes to charge 4d. a hundred cubic feet. One thousand cubic feet is equivalent to four gallons of petrol, so that gas as 4d. a hundred corresponds to petrol at 10d. a gallon. At present petrol costs, not 10d. a gallon, but 3s. 10d.

Coal gas, again is very plentiful because it is being produced as a by-product of munitions; and its production, of course, makes no charge, as does petrol, upon our shipping accommodation. These are solid advantages. On the other side must be set the difficulty of storage. To carry the gas at atmospheric pressure a large and cumbersome bag must be used. Cylinders for compressed gas are during the war unob-

tainable. In practice, it is found that a motor vehicle cannot carry a supply of gas for more than 20 miles. That limits its usefulness, but classes of vehicles moving on fixed routes with certain replenishing stations are operating quite successfully.

"At Blackpool, for instance, charabancs driven by gas are being used, and commercial vehicles are testing the possibilities of gas. We are still at the beginnings of the new development, but its practicability may already be taken as demonstrated. There may be a big future before it, and it is satisfactory to think that Manchester is taking thought to assist it."

### Wonderful France.

Chicago Tribune—Private letters from France picture a nation by no means "exhausted" and "bled white," though it has been the fashion all along to weep for France. German crocodile tears began it. "We hate the English, but for France we have only pity." From Germany likewise came the habitual declaration, "One thing is certain: France cannot go through another winter." Exhausted and bled white, the poor dear French were as good as done for. Yet there are a million more French soldiers in 1917 than in 1914, and Germany's new chancellor accuses France of deliberately prolonging the war—her

motive, "lust of conquest." Writing in Scribner's for September, Mr. Alexander Dana Noyes reports that French exports were 22 per cent. greater last year than in 1915, and that French manufactured exports had increased 40 per cent. during the same period. New factories are being erected. French railways prosper as never before. Outstanding bank loans, based on pure commercial transactions, were half again as large at the beginning of this year as at the beginning of last year. Not only is the new war loan a success; France keeps on financing her weaker allies.

The Bank of France, let alone other financial institutions, has advanced \$550,000,000. Volla! Before the war Germany admitted a dread of French fury which, though it could not last, was terrific at the outset. What they may well dread now is French thrift, French determination, French coolness, and French staying power.

### Abundant Farm Crops.

The past season has been a most successful one for farm produce, and potato and other vegetable crops promise to be the greatest the country has ever witnessed. M. J. McEvoy brought us in some very large potatoes the other day. Under three stalks he obtained enough for nine hands for dinner. At Deer Lake, Lee

Maxfield has been very successful at onion raising, some of them weighing 2 lbs. 2 oz. each. Of a crop of 200, the smallest weighed half a pound. Some of his carrots also weighed 23 ozs. each. Some excellent cabbages have come in from Codroy Valley the past two weeks. Last week we visited several kitchen orchards and witnessed trees loaded down with magnificent apples, green, yellow, and purple plums, pears, etc. We sampled the various fruit and found them most delicious, and many of them quite ripe.—Western Star, Sept. 26th.

It costs less to buy where CLEANLINESS and SANITATION is the first consideration. Try ELLIS' SAUSAGES, they have made a name already.

### Everyday Etiquette.

"Jack White came home with me from Mabel's the other night," said May. "I stood outside and chatted with him. Should I have asked him in?"

"A young girl may ask a young man who has accompanied her home from a neighbour's house to call upon her in the near future, but she does not stand at the door and chat with him to show her appreciation of his initial courtesy," answered her mother.

### Aladdin's Training Camp

By Jack Lait, in the August Popular Mechanics Magazine.

As though Woodrow Wilson had rubbed a magic lamp and commanded genii to lay out, equip, and perfect an unsurpassable training institution for the vast army that is to rise in American khaki and enter the greatest game of all the ages the contest for the championship of the world, stands Camp Borden.

Fifty miles from Toronto, situated on two trunk railroads that run from populous American centers to every corner of the camp, is that superdeveloped institution dedicated to the mission of making expert European soldiers out of the raw stuff which is the courage of this hemisphere plus the patriotism of loyal men.

Through its gates have poured 150,000 of the bravest and finest soldiers that history has known, the Ontario contingent of the Canadian expeditionary forces. And now there are no more for Ontario to give for it has exhausted its giveable volunteers. Should conscription carry in the Dominion, Borden may need to train conscripts; but that is now in abeyance, and, if it be passed, winter will have frozen this contingent stiff before Canada can again use its superb drill college for its own.

Meanwhile, the United States, just frantically starting what Canada has gallantly finished, not only has not nearly enough camps ready, and will not have for months, but, should she employ her sternest efforts and eat up any reasonable measure of precious time, she will not then be able to provide facilities that will be comparable with Borden's matchless training opportunities.

We have not the experience. We have everything else. But the difference between thorough preparedness and inefficient incapability is contained entirely in that one word—experience.

Canada has been all through what we are just entering. It has cost her billions of dollars and thousands of her best sons. But now she knows and she has. And we are her ally.

She does not want us to pay the tax she paid; she is eagerly, graciously, generously willing that we mount to glory and to accomplishments over the mounds of her dead, over the mountains of her prodigally given gold.

Camp Borden today is manned by Canada's and England's heroes, invincible officers, and noncommissioned officers, who have been through hell and have come back, their souls bounding with zeal to help, but their bodies slashed and gashed, their lungs and eyes scared by venomous gases.

These men have thrown in their present work the task of sending new men on to do the work that they had to lay down, the same spirit and the same knowledge which has made Canada's page in the great European war a record of bravery and achievement. They have reconstructed Camp Borden into a miniature French battle field, a transplanted section of the vital arena "over there" where humanity stands at bay, giving its last ounce against the most cruel and atavistic and supermodern murder machine that depraved ambition and cold aggression ever conceived.

These officers have seen the effect of all manner of training, and they have eliminated, with the true eye of the expert observer and intimate participant, the needless, and they have substituted the intensive essential elements of the specialized branches which give a man a chance for his life against Germany's brilliant barbarian butchers.

What do we know of these things? We have read. We have heard. But Canada, in the war, armed with the same infantile knowledge of the of these things that we now possess, spent its richest blood in oceans to learn how tragically little she knew. Must we, too, scorning the lesson of that sacrifice, have our textbook written in the martyr blood of our sons?

Drilling soldiers on foreign soil is not a new or revolutionary idea in this war. Britain trained many of her men, and is today doing so, on French territory; it is our own plan, now, to give many of our battalions weeks of preparatory work in France.

If in France, at the tail end, why not in Canada from the start. Camp Borden can receive 6,000 raw soldiers a day without straining its ready resources. It can give them room and all needs up to a quota of 100,000 at once. It can turn out a comparative veteran, as new troops are judged, from the primary product in 12 weeks. If we started sending our boys there now, we could make 120,000 superior soldiers there before snowfall.

America must learn all that Canada has learned. It must do more; it must improve an all that, for it is going in to win the war, not merely to help carry it on. To do things one—a nation or a man—must learn how. If there was a civil institution in Canada where we

could get superior education in commercial or industrial affairs our fathers would send their sons there flocking. We must not overlook the parallel case in this critical military exigency, when so much more is involved.

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### Routed Germans Leave Infernal "Tortoisés" in Their Wake.

In an intensely interesting illustrated article in the September Popular Mechanics Magazine, Lewis R. Freeman describes various more or less ingenious but always diabolical contrivances that the Germans have lately made a practice of leaving in trenches from which they have been driven by the allies on the western front. Among these one is described as follows:

"An abomination of creased steel, looking more like one of the famous ceremonial kava bowls of the Samr oans than anything else I have ever seen, has evidently been manufactured in considerable quantities for no other purpose than to furnish unpleasant surprises to precipitate Tommies. The latter have nicknamed it the 'tortoise,' and 'until they learned that, like its slow-moving animal prototype, it was unsafe to take liberties with, several of them paid the penalty for their curiosity by being injured when it blew up as a consequence of their friendly prods of investigation. In that its very stangeness of appearance invites attention. The tortoise is like the famous Trojan horse, and the consequences of investigation are, likewise, disastrous.

The least touch of the wobbly thing established a contact, doubtless through fulminate of mercury, on the same principle as employed in the floating mine, which detonated 20 or 30 pounds of explosive with a force that shattered the thick steel shell—creased as it was like the casing of a hand grenade—and scattered the fragments over the wide area.

The menace of the tortoise was over as soon as Tommy learned to curb his curiosity. On my visit to a collection depot I was allowed to 'play' with one of them, from which the 'teeth' had been drawn, and I must confess that the weird poly-poly thing might well exercise considerable fascination upon one encountering it for the first time.

One feels that he simply has to go up and give it a shove with the toe of his boot, just to watch it wobble, the very action calculated to make it 'put up back' and 'fly to pieces.'

"The usefulness of the tortoise was over as soon as the wary Tommy ceased stroking its back with his bayonet and instead began hailing its appearance with hand grenades hurled from a respectful distance, and the wily Teuton was forced to rack his brain to devise still deeper 'subtlety.'

### From Cape Race.

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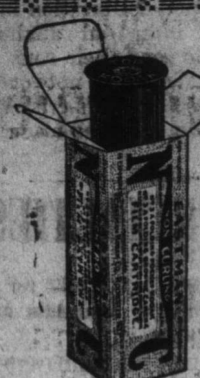
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### Some Howlers Are told by Eton's Head.

Dr. Lyttleton Gives Some Amusing Examples of Errors—Where Ignorance Was Not Bliss—The Funniness of Boys' Mistakes is that they are Undersigned.

Under the title of "Some Humours of Boyhood," the Rev. the Hon. Edward Lyttleton, Headmaster of Eton, gives some amusing stories and reminiscences of schoolboy life in the "Nineteenth Century, and After." Dr. Lyttleton begins with a number of answers to questions on Scripture knowledge:

"Give an account of Balaam." Answer: "Balaam was a prophet who lived a long way off. After a while he went out for a ride on his donkey, and he got very angry with the donkey and hit him; and a voice from heaven said, 'You must not hit the donkey; it is holy ground.'" The boy who wrote this may be still at Eton, and if his eye should fall on this record, will he recognize his handwriting? I trust not.

Question: "Who spoke the following words, and in what circumstances?" "It is better to fall into the hands of God than into the hands of man." Answer: "These words were spoken by King Ahasuerus when they cut off his head and threw it over the wall."

"It is commonly supposed (says Dr.

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Lyttleton) that this kind of statement is due to a rampant imagination; the truth is that only a strange want of imagination makes such an answer possible. One of the great educational needs of the day is some knowledge of how to cultivate the imagination of children. It may be that ill-judged interference with a child's silent musings often destroys a natural salutary process."

The next instance illustrates a common tendency to blend isolated bits of knowledge and acquiescence in a nonsensical result; on a theory which must be extensively held by young boys that no one need be surprised at any statement made in the classroom. "Who were the Pharisees?" "The Pharisees were people who fasted in public and in secret, devoured widows' houses."

"Not exactly from a Scripture paper, but on a kindred subject, was an account of the three Creeds, vouched for by the late H. W. Moss, headmaster of Shrewsbury:

"A long time ago they wrote the Apostles' Creed. Nobody believed it. So they waited a bit and wrote the Athanasian Creed, and they had to believe that."

"Just a Little Too Clever."

It is, Dr. Lyttleton thinks, the main test of the quality of these utterances that they should be genuine as well as authentic. Some few are open to a suspicion of the adult mind having been at work. They are just a little too clever, but still are worth recording. One was told him about twelve years ago:

"Trace the growth of the power of Parliament during the time of the Tudors?" Answer: "In the reign of Elizabeth the Commons were always petitioning the Sovereign to marry; a thing they would not have dreamt of doing in the time of Henry the Eighth."

Some of the funniest stories told by Dr. Lyttleton refer to what he describes as a very diverting way of teaching English literature by dictating some stanzas of a poem, leaving out certain words to be filled in by the boys.

"Their conjectures are always interesting, and sometimes let down a shaft into the abyss of their mental process. A child of 11 was told to finish the quotation:

"'Tis better to have loved and lost: and his experience of life suggested the excellently metrical line:

"Than never to have loved and won."

"Again I was once talking over the lovely serenade of Sir W. Davenant's 'The lark now leaves his watery nest; and when we came to the end of the second stanza, he chattered some-thing and produced the inevitable emendation: Then open thy window and begin the dawn."

I missed out the two last words and produced the inevitable emendation: Then open thy window and begin to yawn."

"The same remark applies to that rendering as was made on a misheard refrain of an old English song. The correct version was: 'Tis dabbling in the dew makes the milkmaids fair; but one of the audience insisted afterwards on knowing why 'dabbling' in the dew makes the milkmaids sweat.' A friend remarked that, whether correct or not, the latter was far more probable.

"Again, when we were coming over the noble ode, 'To Althea from Priscu' I felt sure that some of the class were out of touch with the poem and had not caught its drift. So, after explaining that the lover-prisoner when he had sight of his lady forgot his captivity, I asked X what the lines meant:

Enlarged winds that curl the food  
Know no such liberty.  
"Such liberty as what or whose?" The youth, who stammered, puckered his brow, and after a long pause with the utmost gravity answered, "Such liberty as his when he'd got rid of her."

The Happiest Day.

"Any general paper," continues Dr. Lyttleton, "is likely to be productive of mirth if the boys are young enough." To a low division in Fourth Form at Eton in 1882 he set a concluding question designed to give scope to the greatest ignorance among them: "What has been the happiest day of your life?" One boy, trying to say the right thing, answered, "My baptism." Another, with a far more mundane view of the matter, and leaving abundant scope for conjecture, replied, "The day my aunt was married." This leaves one pondering whether he was thinking of the back view of the disappearing bride, or recalling the ample store of wedding cake; or, perhaps, both. We shall never know."

An appealing reminiscence was given by Dr. Lyttleton by the late Dr. Hornby, who, about ten years ago, had been looking over the papers of the Entrance Scholarships at Eton. The short essay took the form of a prospective narrative:

Write an account of your life as you foresee it up to the age of 45. The writer, with the snows of thirteen winters on his head, described the prosperous finish to his school and university career, the entry into a profession, and the reward of labor.

### One Man Dead, and Another in Critical Condition

FROM DRINKING ALCOHOL.

As a result of drinking methylated spirits Mr. John Doyle, line repairer with the Postal Telegraphs, died at his home on Wood Street at 6 o'clock on Saturday afternoon, and Mr. Maurice Aylward, a fellow-workman, now lies in a critical condition at his home, Howe Place.

On Friday afternoon, while at work in the storeroom of the Postal Telegraphs situated in the basement of the General Post Office, both drank a quantity of methylated spirits and deceased on reaching his home, retired at the usual hour but arose and went down stairs about four o'clock on Saturday morning, when he was taken suddenly ill and was heard to fall. Dr. Mitchell who was summoned by 'phone quickly responded and tried all possible means to extract the liquid from the stricken man but his services were of no avail and at the time mentioned the unfortunate man breathed his last. A clergyman was also sent for and administered the last rites of his church. Prior to joining the Postal Telegraphs service about 10 years ago he was for many years engaged with the Anglo-American Telegraph Co. as a repairer, having gained by actual experience a good knowledge of his business. Left to mourn are a widow and three children to whom general sympathy will be expressed. Mrs. Doyle has been in poor health for a number of years.

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The Crescent Picture Palace presents one of the famous Knickerbocker Star features entitled: "The Room of Mystery" to-day. This thriller is produced in three reels and features the Knickerbocker Stars, Margaret Van and Gordon Sackville. Helen Gibson is featured in "The Trial Run," an episode of the "Hazard of Helen" railroad series; and Ham and Bud are on deck in one of their screaming comedies: "The Blundering Blacksmiths." Professor McCarthy plays a high class musical programme for this great week opening show.

### Men Enlisted for Week Ended September 29, 1917

REGIMENT.

Trinity 2; Bonavista, 3; St. Barbe, 2; Placentia and St. Mary's, 1; Labrador, 5. Total, 14.

NAVY.

Trinity, 3; Bonavista, 2; St. George, 2; Burgeo and LaPoile, 1; Placentia and St. Mary's, 1. Total, 9.



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INFECTIOUS DISEASE.—Two persons, suffering from diphtheria and another with scarlet fever were conveyed to the Fever Hospital on Saturday afternoon.

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RECRUITING IMPROVING.—There was an improvement in recruiting circles during the past week. Seven young men passed the medical examination and were accepted in the Army and six recruits were admitted to the Navy.

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## War News

### Messages Received Previous to

WAR SUMMARY  
NEW YORK

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### ANOTHER AIR RAID NIGHT.

LONDON.

Eleven persons were killed injured in last night's air announced officially. The damage was not great. Four of German airplanes attempted tuck London in the course

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## War News.

### Messages Received Previous to 9 A. M.

#### WAR SUMMARY.

NEW YORK, Sept. 30. The veil of secrecy which has hung over operations along the British front in Belgium and Northern France since the latter part of the week, still remains impenetrable so far as news offerings of the British War Office are concerned. Since Friday nothing except the most laconic statements have reached the outside world from Field Marshal Haig's headquarters. That another big offensive is in preparation by Haig seems to be the forecast, however. Sunday's Berlin official communication characterises the artillery duel along the Belgian coast and southwest to Ypres-Comines canal as severe, and also indicates that British troops are busy keeping the enemy alert by stabs here and there from reconnoitering parties, those little forays that always render the Germans anxious as to coming events and tend to get on their nerves. Doubtless using former history as a guide, Haig is again heavily pounding the German positions with a rain of shells, leveling them and making more easy the pathway for his troops again to snatch a point of strategic value to him.

Meanwhile, with the French and Germans still engaged in usual artillery battles along the southern front in France, the Italians have started another big offensive against the Austrians on the Isonzo front, where for a fortnight virtual quietude has prevailed. Daily the Italians continue their air bombardments against Austria with large quantities of explosives. The great fortress of Pola has again received a visitation and enemy depots at Berle near Naresina, northeast of Trieste, have been bombed.

A stronger hold has been obtained by the British on Baghdad through the capture from the Turks of the main Ottoman position in the region of Remabile. The Ottoman General Ahmed Bey, and his staff and several thousand men were taken prisoners, and a large quantity of guns and ammunition captured.

#### ANOTHER AIR RAID SATURDAY NIGHT.

LONDON, Sept. 30. Eleven persons were killed and 52 injured in last night's air raid, it is announced officially. The material damage was not great. Four groups of German airplanes attempted to attack London in the course of last

night's raid, but most of the machines were driven off. Bombs were dropped in the northeastern and the southeastern districts of London and various places in Kent and Essex. Casualties are believed to be comparatively light. The following official report of the raid was given out to-day: Last reports show a determined simultaneous attack by three groups of raiders. Each of the three groups which approached from different directions was broken up by anti-aircraft gun fire, and only two or three machines penetrated the defenses, none of the raiders penetrating the outer defenses of the capital. Bombs were dropped at various places in Kent and Essex. A full report has not been received, but all are believed to have been comparatively light.

London district was again raided to-night by German airmen. There is circumstantial but unconfirmed report that one machine was brought down. While there was a bright moon there also was a light mist, and the raiders were invisible to persons in the streets, but from the sounds of anti-aircraft guns in action indications were that the raiders were moving over various quarters of the district. Field Marshal Lord French reports two groups of enemy machines followed by others flying singly, crossed the Kent and Essex coasts between 8.40 and 8 o'clock to-night. They came toward London and about ten penetrated the outer defenses, but only four or five got through to London itself. Bombs were dropped on Kent, Essex and London. No details of damages or casualties have as yet been received. Fire ceased shortly after 9 o'clock. There are persistent but unconfirmed reports that two more airplanes were brought down. In expectation of nightly raids the streets of London were much lighter to-night than ordinarily. The majority of the people got home early and services in the churches were held at 5 o'clock instead of seven, hence when the warning was issued the streets were quickly cleared. There were the usual scenes in the clubs and other shelters, but the police and special constables had less difficulty in handling the crowds than on previous occasions.

#### ANOTHER ITALIAN DRIVE.

ROME, Sept. 30. In another powerful drive the Italians have captured the high ground south of Bodlusa and southeast of Madoni, in the Isonzo sector. The official announcement by the war office reports the capture of 1,400 prisoners.

#### GERMAN RAIDER DESCENDS.

AMSTERDAM, Sept. 30. A German airplane of the Gotha type descended near San Van Gent, Zealand, this morning. One of its passengers was severely wounded.

Two wounded passengers attempted to escape to the frontier but were caught. All three will be interned. The machine was armed with three machine guns and had aboard six bombs.

#### BRITISH CASUALTIES FOR SEPTEMBER.

LONDON, Sept. 30. The British casualties reported during the month of September total 104,595, divided as follows: Officers killed or died of wounds 636, men 18,302; officers wounded or missing 2,151, men 83,509.

#### LORD MAYOR OF LONDON.

LONDON, Sept. 29. Charles A. Hanson, Alderman of London and member of Parliament for the Southeast Division of Corn-

wall, was elected Lord Mayor of London to-day.

#### KERENSKY'S ORDER.

PETROGRAD, Sept. 30. Premier Kerensky has issued an order to the Criminal Investigator to employ the militia and arrest Nikolai Lenin and M. Zinovieff, his assistant in the Maximist agitation. The warrant was read in view of the fact that the aforementioned persons are in Petrograd. "You will see that they are discovered and brought before me in the character of accused prisoners."

#### GENERAL ROBERTSON TALKS.

LONDON, Sept. 30. General Sir William Robertson, speaking to-day at a hospital opening at Hampstead, said that during 1917

the British have captured more Germans and four times as many guns as the Germans have taken from the British during the whole war. The British were now fighting, he said, with their best material, while the enemy's resources were diminishing. The German losses had grown heavier, while the British losses were lighter.

#### ITALIANS PREPARING FOR OFFENSIVE.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 30. Italian troops in Albania are building roads in difficult country in preparation for the next offensive, according to despatches from Rome. The Austrians and their Turkish allies are opposing the work, the despatches say, but nothing approaching a real battle is in sight.

#### ARTILLERY FIGHTING.

BERLIN, Sept. 30. Heavy artillery fighting on the Belgian coast and along the northern end of the western front is reported in to-day's official statement. The British undertook reconnoitering expeditions at many points.

#### THE POPE WILL ASK ALLIES TO STATE THEIR CONDITIONS.

PARIS, Sept. 30. A despatch to the Temps from Geneva, says that Pope Benedict, in transmitting to the Entente Allies the replies received from the Central Powers to his peace proposals, will set forth in an accompanying note the theory that Germany and Austria have accepted a basis of negotiations satisfactory to the Allies, and will ask the Allies to state their conditions.

#### DESTROYING U-BOATS.

LONDON, Sept. 30. Another series of thrilling reports of recent naval actions against German submarines, illustrative of the manner in which the U-boat menace is being met, was given out last night by the Admiralty. The records are official and authentic, but no dates are given. The statement begun by reciting how a torpedo gunboat sighted a periscope six hundred yards away, and turned the ship so that the periscope was travelling in an opposite direction to that in which it was first seen. Then at a distance of 50 yards the periscope disappeared and the gunboat altering its course passed over the submarine. The impact of the collision was felt and when the captain estimated the submarine was under the after part of his ship explosive charges were dropped astern. A seaplane reported patches of oil on the surface and a mine sweeper found an obstruction on the bottom at this point.

A torpedo boat patrolling in the Atlantic found a steamer torpedoed and sinking. The survivors were res-

cued. Then the torpedo boat circled about the locality for more than an hour. Finally a white patch of water was seen dead ahead. The torpedo boat dashed over the spot, grazed the submarine and dropped three submarine bombs. Oil and air bubbles and gasoline came to the surface and a mine sweeper found another obstruction here.

The next encounter described in the statement was that of submarine against submarine. A British U-boat sighted a German submersible while both were on the surface. The British submarine dived and later picked up the enemy through the periscope. A torpedo fired at 800 yards caused a vital explosion in the German vessel. When the Britisher arose he found a patch of oil in which the Germans were swimming. They said they had been blown out through the conning tower and that their craft had been hit amidships, overturned and sunk.

A story characteristic of the mine-sweepers' spirit is recited. A flotilla of sweepers were engaged in Western Channel waters, when an explosion occurred between a pair of them, the wire net parting. When the sweeping wire was pulled in, two mines were found entangled, one on the ship's side and the other just under the surface. The slightest roll of the ship striking the mine whisks would have been sufficient to set off the annihilating charge. The officer in command being responsible for the lives of the crew ordered them to abandon the ship. Later the senior officer with volunteers re-boarded the mine sweeper and coolly cut the wire and the mines fell into the sea without exploding. The mines were towed away gingerly by another ship. The statement points out the value of the trawler, which hardly costs as much as one broadside from a cruiser for training our mercantile marine officers in gunnery and tactics.

A British merchantman was attacked by a U-boat by gun fire from a distance of three miles. The shots were wild and she immediately replied. At the sixth and seventh rounds smoke flames burst forth from the fore part of the submarine which abandoned the chase. Another ship sighted a periscope twenty yards away on the beam and while swinging on hard ported her helm. The torpedo passed astern. A minute later the periscope appeared on the surface on the other side. A shot was fired quickly followed by another and the submarine disappeared. The surface soon was covered with yellow oil. The determination of the merchant marine is evidenced by an instance of an armed ship proceeding to Liverpool conveying one which was unarmed. A submarine was sighted and at the same moment the torpedo struck the defensively armed vessel. The master ordered the ship to be abandoned, but he and two gunners remained aboard. The unarmed ship

fled pursued by the submarine whereupon the master opened fire from the sinking ship and forced the abandonment of the chase. The submarine returned and torpedoed the ship twice more; it then took the master and gunners prisoners.

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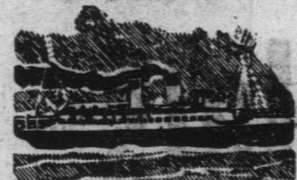
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