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The Web; OR, TRUE LOVE'S PASSION.

CHAPTER XXIII.

An Entangling Web. "Harman and I will go," said Norah, in a constrained voice. "Will you let me go with you?" he said. "I may be able to save you a little trouble."

Bravery Was No Word for It. Dorgan.



"Yes, sir," said the station-master, respectfully, but evidently with some surprise. "Do you remember any of them? For instance, did you see"—he paused and a scarcely perceptible moment, he could not bring himself to pronounce Becca's name.

Incandescent Gas Lighting.

Possibly, the feature of incandescent gas lighting most frequently noted by casual observers is the great ease with which it may be performed under the Velsbach gas mantle. The light has a peculiar "soft" quality, difficult to describe, but which is readily recognized by those who have had experience with the gas mantle lamp.

Battle Became Chase.

How the British Guards Made an Immortal Charge. "It was worth living, even if I am killed to-morrow, just to have seen such men charge," said one commanding officer whose speech to his men after the Guards had been into action will be remembered, almost syllable by syllable, by all who heard it.

Indigestion Resulted From an Inactive Liver

The Bowels Became Constipated and the Whole Digestive System Upset. With many people constipation becomes a habit. And it is a dangerous habit which, if not checked sooner or later, causes serious disease.

Christian Brothers' Collection.

(Continued.) \$2 each—Mrs. Kennedy, Jas. Healy, P. P. Malone, Jas. Whelan, Chas. Cox, N. Wadden, J. T. Meany, M. Hynes, Thos. Ryan, F. J. Brown, M. Darcy, Sr., John Keating, John White, Jas. Brennan, Pat Nash, Pat English, J. F. Brien, John Flynn, Peter Whitten, P. J. Dohbin, John Gladney, P. J. Keenan, E. J. Devereaux, Wm. Hart, Constable Carey, M. Aylward, L. Callaghan, Jas. J. Collins, Jas. Trelogan, John Barton, D. Courtney, John Fitzgerald, Leo Coughlan, John Prose, Mrs. Peddle, W. J. Darcy, John Murphy, Jas. Gibbs, Mr. Holland, Gus Wadden, Wm. Rose, Miss Keating, T. Power, Miss J. C. Jardine, John J. Evans, W. F. Graham, John Sutton, John Hanlon, Miss Kavanagh, Stan Lawlor, Peter Murphy, John Barron, Thos. Dooley, Sam Kyall, P. J. Walsh, John Preston, Chas. Fitzpatrick, Mast-er M. Morris, Michael Morris, J. D. O'Driscoll, Miss Alice Norris, W. Broderick, Thos. Walsh, Ed. White, Jas. McKenna, Mrs. A. T. Wood, Edward Murphy, Ronald Martin, Mrs. W. J. Moran, Pat O'Driscoll, J. Murphy, J. Ring, Capt. Joy, T. D. Carey, William Griffin, Pat Boland, Luke Walsh, Pat Kelly, Walter Lawlor, Pat Kent, Mich. Gullivan, Michael Fitzgerald, A. H. O'Keefe, John Walsh, M. J. Murphy, Mr. Rose, Master Frank English, Gus Barron, R. S. Stewart.

Incandescent Gas Lighting (continued)

Contrary to the popular notion the temperature of rooms lighted by incandescent gas lamps is seldom markedly greater than under incandescent electric light, even under unfavorable conditions of ventilation, while in rooms provided with the ventilating facilities required by the demands of hygiene, the temperature in gas-lighted rooms is frequently lower.

CHAPTER XXIV. A Black Outlook.

Norah drew Harman's arm within her own and led her back to the phaeton, and Guilford Berton followed, fairly dazed by this latest stroke of luck. Who the girl was had gone with Cyril he could not even conjecture. As he himself would never have condescended to procure a ticket for a stranger, it did not occur to him that Cyril might have done so. Anyway, this new link in the chain suited his purpose to a marvelous degree, and by the time the ponies had started he had collected himself and mastered the situation.

Battle Became Chase (continued)

The enemy fired rifles and threw bombs. The guards used only the bayonet. Each man, they said, got his man, and the bayonet was used as well as below ground, and the sight of these new regiments, body to body, hand to hand, stabbing, hitting, even wrestling, so stirred the Irishmen coming up in support that they rushed forward at the double to take their part.

Battle Became Chase (continued)

The enemy had fought well. He thought he could stop the Guards; but the bayonet was irresistible, and of a sudden the desperation of the struggle broke. "We flushed 'em and they rose like a covey of partridges." The battle became a chase. The prisoners who surrendered were just given leave to hurry back without escort to our lines, and took the permission at the gallop.

Christian Brothers' Collection (continued)

\$1.50 each—P. Curzon, Mrs. Tobin, J. St. George, J. Moakler, John Fleming, C. O'Keefe, Miss Walsh, M. J. Hollett, E. Taffe, J. Condon, M. Malone, Mrs. J. P. Grace, Charles Spurrell, Michael Hartery, Martin Gorman, L. Corp, Christopher, L. Corp, Edens, Pte. Leo Healey, Pte. P. Whittle, Pte. Coleman, Pte. William Collins (France), Pte. Leo Collins (France), Pte. P. Hayes (France), Pte. D. DesRoches (France), Pte. M. Larkin (France), In Memoriam Pte. W. Dehoney, Pte. H. A. Walsh, Alex. Lacey, B. N. White, Master John Cormack, Master Smith, M. K. Greene, W. Russell, Ed. Maher, Mrs. Mealey, Mrs. Ryan, Thos. Bird, Wm. Cullen, Miss Doutney, Mrs. O'Regan, R. Redmond, Charles Percy, Max Lawlor, M. Galvey, P. Costello, W. Squires, Graham Kelly, Gordon Kelley, R. Comerford, C. Merneer, A. Hennessey, J. Dempsey, E. J. Russell, Miss Pike, Gerald Jackman, Pat Summers, Will Molloy, Master Michael Duff, John Goodall, Jas. Fitzpatrick, M. Flynn, G. Brocklehurst, Ed. Murphy, P. Gullivan, F. Hogan, P. Wadden, Mrs. Williams, J. Dodd, Joseph O'Rourke, J. Coleman, Gerald Carey, N. Codner, Mrs. J. Gladney, Mr. J. Reilly, P. Morey, Mrs. J. Donnelly, Pat Walsh, Harry Dunne, J. Russell, James Armstrong, F. Fogarty, Master Monkler, Bert Channing, Mrs. Keough, Mrs. Higgins, Constable Chate, Mrs. A. Knight, James Clancy, John Connolly, Joseph Murphy, P. Power, Frank Rose, G. Choney, Chas. Byrne, Thos. Ebbis, Mrs. P. Burnham, Mrs. P. Maher, D. Clatney, Mrs. F. McKee, Mrs. McGuire, P. Connolly, Master F. H. Carter, P. J. Goss, Mrs. Const. Sparrow, Miss Mitchell, Miss M. Crotty, Master J. Warren, Thomas Longworth, Mrs. G. Kearney, E. Keough, Miss E. Shea, Mrs. J. T. Martin, Mrs. Donnelly, Mrs. Pike, Miss Halloran, Mrs. J. Fitzpatrick, Master L. Payne, Thos. Nash, Mrs. J. H. Dee, Master L. Connolly, John Bell, Frank Bogan, Pat Fleming, Stan O'Leary, A. Friend, J. W. Kent, Bernard McGrath, V. Goss, Harold Hamilton, Thos. Trainor, John Kelly, Master T. Kennedy, James Daly, Mrs. J. Maher, Mrs. Coady, W. Dwyer, Master D. Meaney, Wm. Wood, Master Bob Carter, Mrs. E. Furlong, John Culleton, J. Kelly, Robt. Nash, Wm. Buckley, Peter Sinnott, Mrs. Canning, Thos. Kelly, P. Browne, Sergt. Byrne, Ed. Denfield, M. White, J. Pennessy, Capt. Nichols, John Reddy, Mrs. James P. Gladney, John Murphy, F. Anderson, J. Boland, Mrs. F. O'Mara, T. Stevenson, M. Neill, Jos. Ryan, M. Hall, P. Power, Mrs. E. Rosstier, A. Rice, F. Doyle, Thos. Power, Peter Maher, John Dohbin, Mrs. Whelan, Thos. Riggs (Bay de Verde), P. Doran, T. J. Aylward, Vincent Nugent, Master A. Taylor, J. Sage, Mrs. F. Fitzgerald, W. Harley, R. Kearney, P. Buck-



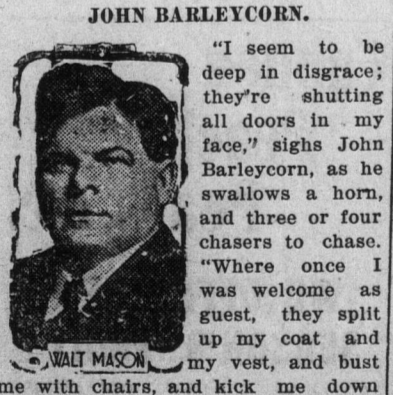
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War News

Messages Received Previous to 9 A. M.

BUCHAREST EVACUATED IN GOOD ORDER. NEW YORK, Dec. 7.—A News Agency despatch from Bucharest is believed to favor strong labor policy, including control of all coal fields, and other large developments in the direction of collective ownership. It is asserted unanimously in the press that Lloyd George succeeds, his cabinet will be a national administration, pure and simple, looking to the needs of the war alone, which the press says is the prime necessity of the moment.

JOHN BARLEYCORN.



"I seem to be deep in disgrace; they're shutting all doors in my face," sighs John Barleycorn, as he swallows a horn, and three or four chasers to chase. "Where once I was welcome as a guest, they split up my coat and bust me with chairs, and kick me down stairs, and say it is all for the best. Oh, once I was laughing and proud; my diamonds were many and loud; I traveled in state and was close to the great, and looked with disdain on the crowd. I handed down laws and decrees to henchmen who got on their knees, to list to my rede, for favors to plead—and fawners were busy as bees. But now when my visage appears, the people don't greet me with cheers; and cabbage and sticks and tomatoes and bricks are appling my hat and my ears. The people; John Barleycorn said, 'are cutting out vintages red; I do not see why they go back on old rye, unless they've been counting their dead.'"

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Size 16" 18" 20" 22" 24" 26" 28" 30"
Price 15c. 18c. 21c. 24c. 27c. 30c. 33c. 36c.

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All this Season's Styles at Bargain Prices.

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REMEMBER ALL VALUES IN THIS AD. ARE SPECIAL, AND IN SOME CASES CANNOT BE EXPECTED TO STAND LONG.

HENRY BLAIR.

City Fathers Hold Important Deliberation

The regular weekly meeting of the City Council took place last night, the full board being present. The Mayor referred to a certain matter, which he considered an injustice, was brought under his notice. It was that non-taxpayers were getting employment on city works and taxpayers were not. Whilst he did not want to interfere with those looking after the employing of workmen, he considered it only fair and just that those living within the city limits and paying taxes should be given the preference when there is work to be given out on the roads, especially in winter time. The matter will be dealt with fully at a special meeting of the Board to be held next week.

Mayor Gosling also expressed his dissatisfaction with the Tarvia pavement on Duckworth Street. It was caused by poor workmanship or otherwise and it was ordered that Assistant Engineer Ryan report fully on the matter so that the Company responsible for the "job" can be communicated with.

The Solicitor reported on the Supreme Court Case of Parsons versus the Council. The Council had refused Parsons permission to build and he applied for a writ of mandamus which was granted. The Solicitor pointed out that the Council could reconsider its decision on appeal to the Privy Council. The latter course will likely be taken, though the matter will be discussed further on Monday night next when the Solicitor will be present.

The Solicitor also reported that the Council could attach monies to the extent of \$500 belonging to McKinnon and Holmes who are contractors for the building of the Imperial Oil Co.'s plant on the opposite side of the harbour. They are not domiciled in the city and are liable to the tax. Legal action will be taken.

Monroe and Co. asked for a hydrant on their premises. Referred to Engineer.

John Callahan, sanitary employee, asked for a rise of pay. Referred to Secretary.

The Royal Colonial Institute asked for a Nfd. Directory. Will be supplied.

A. J. Forsy complained of a cavity in near his home on LeMarchant Road, causing water to flow into his cellar. Referred to Engineer.

J. Kavanagh, York Street, wrote that he intended to connect houses 11 and 13 on that street and use the one water and sewerage for both. Referred to Plumbing Inspector.

It was again reported that the water from Smallwood Building was washing away the surface of McMurdoo's Lane. The matter is now in the hands of the Solicitor.

The Engineer was instructed to attend to gullies and drains around town.

The Reid Company asked permission to build a shed. Plans must be submitted first.

Following the passing of pay rolls, etc., the meeting closed.

In Memoriam

OF JAMES J. WHEELER, TORBAY ROAD.

James J. Wheeler, son of John and Agnes Wheeler, Torbay Road, has given his young life for King and Country, having died of wounds whilst doing his duty 'Somewhere in France,' on November 21st. Poor Wheeler was but 24 years of age, and when the call came for men he gallantly joined the colors, and went through the immortal drive of July 1st and again on Oct. 12th when he was wounded, but remained on duty 'till the "last call" came, when he gave his all for Right and Justice. James Wheeler was an ideal son, and those who knew him are fully aware of the great love which he ever had for his good mother, and though he had been away for some three or four years before joining the Newfoundland Regiment here, he always thought of home and kindred and many kind letters and still more tangible proofs of remembrance were forwarded to the loved ones. He had been only a month at home when he joined the volunteers—and no more worthy young man has given his life for the cause. To mourn him are left a father and mother, three sisters and two brothers, one of whom—Philip—is now serving in the Navy.

To them the writer would say: "Why regret the passing of one who did so well his duty? Heaven knows of the deed and all that gave to it its glory and its honour. Why mourn for him who has given us cause to feel proud of his memory, and to resolve that his name and honor and "loyal duty" shall live for ever? May his soul rest in peace.—Com.

City Collections.

For last week the city collections were:

Arrears	\$ 348.35
Water and Sewerage Rates	1,755.05
Customs Coal Duties	2,258.80
Customs Water Rates	39.90
Sundry Revenue	865.90
	\$5,388.00

EXPENDITURE, 1916.

Pay Rolls	\$1,243.74
Bills	1,569.99
	\$2,813.73

COLLECTIONS, 1916.

Arrears Water and Sewerage Rates	\$1,159.67
Sundry Revenue	517.04
	\$1,676.71

EXPENDITURE, 1915.

Pay Rolls	\$1,235.70
Bills	634.08
	\$1,869.78

OFF FOR WEST.—By the a.s. Portis, which sailed last night for the westward, the following passengers left in saloon: Capt. Foote, William Collins, H. Dibbin, H. Haskell, Com. Russell, E. Loughlin, J. Rose, P. Keating, P. Elford, G. Rose, S. Spencer, A. Grant, W. Webb, B. Lynch, Mrs. Foote, Mrs. Collins, Mrs. Nolan, Miss Hartigan, Miss Sterling, Miss Flood and 32 steerage.

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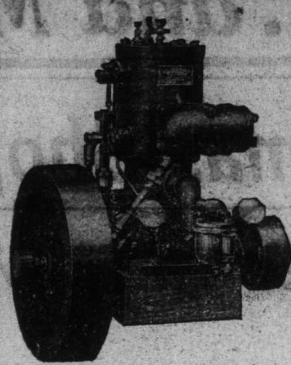
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