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## A Great Intrigue,

### —OR, THE— Mistress of Darracourt.

#### CHAPTER XVI.

He saw one or two of the men with whom he was transacting the business of the horses, and in the evening tramped back to his hut. He had taken no food all day, and was endeavoring to eat some supper, when there came a knock at the door.

He got up instantly, and opened it, and found Susie standing there.

She blushed prettily, as he smiled down at her in his kindly fashion, and said:

"Well, Susie, what do you want?"

"Oh, Master Harry!" she replied, with her little, shy pant, "I wasn't sure that you was at home, but I thought I'd just knock and see."

"Well, here I am at home," he said, trying to speak lightly. "What can I do for you? Has anything happened?" he added, quietly.

"Oh, no, no, Master Harry! but it's this: Miss Darracourt is just going to dress for a party at the Grange, and she wants some wild clematis for her hair, and I've come to get some. I knew there was a lot here, because I saw you plant it years ago—"

"She paused, breathless from her rapid speech, and Harry eyed her with grave perplexity.

"Did Miss Darracourt send you to gather wild flowers at this time of the evening, Susie?" he asked, quietly.

"Oh, no, no," replied Susie, rapidly. "It wasn't Miss Lucille at all. It was Miss Verner. I chanced to say how pretty they would look in Miss Lucille's lovely hair, and Miss Verner, who was there, beckoned me aside and asked me if I could get some. I said of course I would, and I told her that there was some growing here. She seemed quite pleased at my remembering, and told me to go at once."

"And you were not afraid?" he asked, absently.

"Afraid, no! Why, I've been thro' the woods at night hundreds of times! What is there to hurt me? Besides, if there was," she added, valiantly, "I'd go anywhere and through anything to please Miss Lucille!"

"Many of us would do that, Susie," he murmured.

"I shouldn't have taken the liberty of disturbing you, Master Harry," Susie went on, "but the very best of the bunch was above my reach, and I thought perhaps you wouldn't mind getting it down for me. Your arms are longer than mine, Master Harry."

"A little, Susie," he said, smiling. "Come along, and we will get enough"

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to make a wreath for Miss Lucille if she wants it."

He went out bareheaded—a trivial point this, but how often trivial points carry great weight in the throes of after events—and easily gathered a bunch of the clematis.

"Oh, that's lovely, Master Harry!" she exclaimed, as he handed her the long, trailing flowers. "How pleased Miss Lucille will be!"

He held a slip in his hand, and looked at it for a moment in silence, then he said:

"See here, Susie; I think this is the best piece. Keep it separate from the rest, and give it to Miss Lucille."

"So I will, Master Harry," she exclaimed, gratefully. "And I'll tell her you chose it for her."

"No, you need not—well, as you please," he said, turning his head away that she might not see the crimson flush that rose to his face.

"Picking flowers, young people?" said a voice behind them at that moment.

It was Hope, the keeper, and he stood and regarded them with a smile of approval and good-humored raillery.

"Yes," said Harry. "Susie, this is fortunate for you; you can have company home. Go with her to the house, will you, Hope?"

"Yes, Master Harry," said Hope. "My way lies here."

"Good-night, Susie," said Harry; then, as he was going, he beckoned to her. "You need not tell Hope why you came, and what you have got," he said in a low voice, obeying a momentary impulse which he could scarcely have accounted for.

"Very well, Master Harry," assented Susie, and tripped off beside Hope.

"Fine evening for a ramble, Susie," said Hope, looking down at her, with the same smile, "and just the evening for flower gathering. Ah! we all have our young days; but by George! I do envy Master Harry."

"Don't be so silly," remonstrated Susie; but she blushed, as was her wont, and Hope gave a chuckle, firmly convinced that he had caught the two sweet-hearts.

When Susie got back, Lucille was nearly dressed, for Marie Verner had offered her services during Susie's absence. Lucille was sitting with her hands crossed in her lap, her eyes fixed on the glass, but looking through it far away to that glade in the wood where she had listened to her first love avowal; but she turned as Susie entered, and uttered a low cry of admiration at sight of the clustering heap of flowers.

"Oh, Susie, what beautiful clematis! Where did you get it?"

"It is for you, miss," said Susie, blushing with delight. "You'll let me put a little in your hair, miss, won't you?"

"I will wear it all over me, if you like, Susie," said Lucille, with a smile; "let me see it. How good of"

you to get it for me. Did you get it?"

"Some of it," said Susie, and she waited until Marie had gone into the next room before she added, "Master Harry got it, miss; and, if you please, he picked out this spray for you. He said it was the best."

A rose-flush dyed Lucille's face, and she took the spray with trembling hands.

"It—it was very kind of him, Susie," she said, as carelessly as she could; "and—and I will wear it, of course. Put it in my hair—no, I will put it," she said, drawing it back as if loath to let her touch it. "When did you get it?"

"Just now, please miss."

Lucille turned her head and looked at her.

"Now! so late in the evening?" she said, with a smile.

"Oh, yes, miss. That's what Master Harry said, 'late in the evening.' But I'm not afraid. Oh, how beautiful you do look with it lying there in your lovely hair! Oh, I wish Master Harry could only see it!"

Lucille put up her hands to fix the spray so that they hid her face.

"It was very kind of him, Susie," she said, in a low voice; "and when you see him next you must tell him—now will you remember?" she asked in a low, tremulous voice.

"Oh, yes, miss, every word."

"Well, but I haven't told you. Tell him that I wore the spray he chose, and that it was the best of them all for many reasons. Can you remember that?"

"Yes, miss. Lor', how pleased he will be!"

Lucille drew a heavy sigh, and as Susie turned she took the spray from her hair again and kissed it quickly, passionately.

Marie Verner stood at the door unobserved, watching her, and her lips curved.

"Run down and tell them your mistress is ready, Susie," she said. "You are ready, ain't you, dear? What lovely clematis! That is Susie's work. She is a good girl—so quick and thoughtful! Though I suspect," she added, with a little laugh, "that Miss Susie's anxiety to get it sprang from another source as well as her desire to please you."

"What do you mean?" asked Lucille, drawing her Indian shawl round her.

"Oh, she and Harry Herne got it together," she tells me," she replied, with a smile. "Trust the most innocent of girls, dear, to seize an opportunity of snatching a few minutes with her sweetheart."

Lucille's face flushed, then grew pale.

"Marie," she said; "that is unjust to Susie and Harry Herne. This is not the first time; the other night you—"

She stopped and drew her brows together, and her hand went up to the spray. But it dropped again, and with a smile she went out of the room.

Mrs. Dalton was all ready and waiting in the hall. Marie was not going, for the best of all reasons—she had not been invited.

"This is a little party, as you know, my dear," Lady Farnley had said to Lucille; "and I don't want you to bring that pert minx with you. I like that stiff old woman, Mrs. Dalton, well enough; but I can't stand that Frenchy girl with the thin lips."

It was a special little party—select and limited to those friends whom Lady Farnley considered the elite of the county.

Lucille was late, and Lady Farnley was getting irritable and impatient; but her painted and powdered old face wrinkled into a smile as Lucille entered the room. The little indefinite buzz or murmur, which always announces the important guest, arose as Lady Farnley bent forward and kissed her, saying, half chidingly:

"You're so late, my dear, that we thought you were not coming. In that case I should have sent all these people home, had a basin of gruel, and gone to bed."

"That is all very well," said a low, soft voice at her elbow; "but gruel would not have consoled us for our loss, Lady Farnley. If Miss Darracourt had not come, some of us would probably have taken to poison."

It was the Marquis of Merle. He was pale, and composed, and impassive as usual; but there was a strange light in his eyes, which Lucille noticed in a vague way as he took her hand and bent over it.

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To-night she danced only twice, once with the old Earl of Towerford, and once with the marquis; but though she danced with him but once, his presence seemed to haunt her. Wherever she went, the glittering eyes, the glittering diamonds, seemed fixed upon her. His low, soft, insinuating voice was always about her, if not addressing her, then in conversation with some one near her.

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Evening Telegram

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THURSDAY, September 10, 1914.

British Marksmanship.

The news every day is more cheerful. Time is running and the armies of the allies are intact, except for the casualties which are inseparable from such fighting as has been going on.

On Monday last the French official bulletin, posted at General Gallien's headquarters, paid a fine tribute to the British forces. Here it is:

"That the Germans great object was the destruction of the French field army and its brother Allies. Every movement of the German infantry wing has been planned to envelope the French left, and drive it eastward on the French centre. Then the Germans clearly had planned to surround the armies and overwhelm them by sheer weight of numbers."

"That this action has not succeeded has been due to the quickness of the retreat of the French. The British forces have been responsible for this; because, whenever a French position was in danger, the British have been hurried to its assistance and their wonderful marksmanship has always carried the day, providing the time needed for a withdrawal, before the German enveloping movement could be carried to completion. As a result the allies still have their entire army, with less of course, the casualties, free for action and now placed along a selected battle line, waiting for the next German move."

This is a fine tribute to the skill of the British forces, and to the value of marksmanship. Teach the men how to shoot, and be quick about it. Don't spend too much time on drill, get on to the gun, is the substance of Kitchener's direction to those in charge of recruits. That rule is also being carried out well, and we hear too that great progress is being made by our own Five Hundred.

Sentenced to 2 Months.

An aged man named Fowler, who has been going about the city for some time past soliciting money by illegal means, was arrested last evening. He was tried by Judge Conroy to-day charged with obtaining money under false pretences. Accused was convicted and sentenced to two months' imprisonment without the option of a fine.

**BOWRING'S SHIPS.** The Prospero left King's Cove this morning, going north. The Portia left Hermitage at 5 a.m. to-day, going west.

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French Official News.

St. John's, Nfld., Sept. 10th, 1914. The Following Bulletin Posted St. Pierre.

OFFICIAL.—The general situation is considered to be very favorable. Reports from divers quarters along the front indicate sure signs of extreme fatigue among German troops, and also show a lack of ammunition. The battle rages on a line of 120 miles and the result cannot be known for several days yet. On the left wing all German efforts to break the line of French troops on the right bed of river Ourcq have failed. The French capturing two standards, and the English troops have crossed the river Marne, causing a German retreat of nearly 15 miles. No notable change on the right wing or in the centre.

ROME, To-day. The Montenegrins commanded by General Vucotich have captured strategic points, south of Sarajevo in Bosnia.

McMurdo's Store News.

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Reids' Boats.

The Atgyle is due at Placentia from the westward, this evening. The Bruce arrived at Port aux Basques at 6.25 a.m. to-day.

The Clyde left Lewisporte at 8.25 a.m. to-day. The Dundee arrived at Port Blandford at 2.10 p.m. yesterday.

The Ethie arrived at Clarendville at 5.20 p.m. yesterday. The Glencoe left Marystown at 8 a.m. to-day, coming east.

The Home arrived at Lewisporte at 8.25 p.m. yesterday. The Kyle left Twillingate at 5 a.m. to-day, coming South.

The Lintrose leaves North Sydney to-night. The Meigie left Curling at 5.30 p.m. yesterday, going north.

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Wedding Bells.

GOODLAND.—ADAMS. The Church of England Cathedral was the scene of a pretty wedding yesterday afternoon when Mr. Ernest Goodland, of the Mass and Advocate staff and son of Mr. W. H. Goodland, of Gray and Goodland, and Laura, daughter of the late Joseph and Mrs. Adams, were made man and wife. It was the birthday of the groom. Rev. Canon White officiated at the ceremony. The bride, who was given away by her brother, Mr. Bert Adams, was handsomely dressed in grey silk and carried a bouquet of sweet peas and maiden hair ferns and was attended by Misses Ethel Reid and Bertha M. Goodland, sister of the groom, who wore dresses of champagne silk and hats to match, carrying bouquets of sweet peas and ferns. The groom was supported by Messrs. Ernest Adams and Fred Marshall. The groom's present to the bride was a beautiful and valuable ring with opals and to the bridesmaids gold brooches to the best men stick pins with initials engraved. After the ceremony the happy couple drove to their future home on Pennywell Road where a reception was held and the health of the bride and groom enthusiastically honored, after which they left for Port aux Basques where a honeymoon will be spent. Numerous useful and costly presents were received testifying to the esteem in which Mr. and Mrs. Goodland are held. The Telegram unites in the congratulations extended.

Passing of a Good Citizen.

This morning, after a brief though tedious illness, one of St. John's most respected and esteemed citizens in the person of Mr. John Cormack, crossed the bar. For many years he had been suffering from an internal complaint—cancer of the stomach—which developed into a serious stage a fortnight ago, when he was removed to the General Hospital and operated on. Following the operation on Monday last his condition became more critical. He began to sink gradually and at 9.25 a.m. to-day he passed to his eternal reward after receiving the rites of his church. Deceased was 68 years of age and was the late Hon. James Cormack. He was born in Bay Roberts and educated in Dublin. He was the local representative for the Queen Insurance Company, which position he held for forty years. He was a most exemplary citizen and a true man in every sense of the word. He always had a good word for his fellow man. Gentle and unostentatious, he was very charitable, and few, if any, knew of his benevolence. In fact it may be said that he lived to help those in need. He was a devoted Catholic and a prominent member of the B. I. S.

Here and There.

**LOCAL ARRIVES.**—The local from Carboneau via Brigus, arrived in the city at noon to-day with upwards of forty passengers.

**POOR CATCHES.**—The schooner Messenger and Young Builder, have arrived at Bonna Bay from the Labrador with 50 qts. of codfish each.

**CASE DISMISSED.**—The domestic who was arrested charged with a score of thefts, was before court to-day. His Honor Judge Conroy dismissed the accused.

**WEATHER.**—A light northeast wind prevails along the line of railway to-day. Weather on the West Coast where it is calm and fine. The temperature varies from 45 to 60 above.

**CONCERT.**—Saturday Afternoon, at 2 o'clock, in the Aula Maxima, St. Bonaventure's College, in aid of the St. John Ambulance Brigade. Tickets 20 and 10 cents.—sept.10,2i

**FISHERY PRACTICALLY OVER.**—According to messages received in the city to-day the fishery is practically over at Bonavista. During the past week there was a very small amount of cod taken there owing to unfavorable weather.

People are doing more reading to-day than ever before, and it is very important to those who wear glasses that they should be properly fitted. If you have any trouble or are in doubt, go to TRAPNELL, the Eye-sight Specialist.—sept.11

**REVISED SUPPORT.**—An old offender in police circles was before court to-day for refusing to support his family. On being asked by the judge if he intended to mend his ways he replied in the negative and was given a month in the lake side inn to reconsider his decision.

**SHOOTING SEASON.**—The shooting season is scheduled to open this year on Sept. 20th, but as that date falls on a Sunday, it will begin on the following day, Monday, the 21st. Already a number of persons daily visit the most popular shooting grounds with their dogs. Birds, however, are reported to be very scarce this season.

War News LATEST.

FIGHTING AT LEMBERG. Special to Evening Telegram.

LONDON, To-day. It is officially announced at Vienna that a new battle began around Lemberg to-day.

PETROGRAD, This Afternoon. A despatch from Tokio says Japan has joined the agreement of the allies not to conclude peace without the consent of the allied nations.

GERMANS IN THE BALTIC. LONDON, This Afternoon. A despatch to Copenhagen says a German squadron of 31 ships, battle ships and cruisers were observed at various points along the Gulf of Bothnia on the East.

AUSTRIA IN DUE STRAITS. A despatch from Petrograd says in Russia and Foreign diplomatic circles, it is believed Austria will sue for peace within a fortnight, as the only means of avoiding a complete break-up of the Empire, owing to rapidly growing internal troubles.

2-P.M. Special to the Evening Telegram.

LONDON, To-day. Advice from Vienna says it is admitted there that Archduke Frederick lost 120,000 in the recent Galicia battles or one fourth of his entire army. A statement from the Commander-in-Chief, Sir John French, given out this morning sets forth in detail the operations of British army in France from the transportation of the troops to France up to date.

Holyrood Garden Party. Despite the disagreeable weather conditions, there was a large attendance at the Garden Party at Holyrood yesterday. Rev. Fr. Finn and the various committees in charge did everything possible for the entertainment of their patrons. The C. C. C. Band from Carboneau was present and discoursed excellent music for the occasion. In the afternoon teas were served indoors owing to the rain, and at night a grand dance was held in the Star of the Sea as a finale to the day's entertainment. Though the proceeds were comparatively small, those in charge are very grateful to those who assisted to make the event a social if not a complete financial success.

DIED. Yesterday, Elizabeth, relict, of the late Capt. Charles Power, aged 90 years, leaving two sons and one daughter to mourn their sad loss: funeral on Friday, at 2.30 p.m., from her late residence, 346 Duckworth St., friends will please accept this, the only, intimation.

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War News LATEST.

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GERMANS IN THE BALTIC. LONDON, This Afternoon. A despatch to Copenhagen says a German squadron of 31 ships, battle ships and cruisers were observed at various points along the Gulf of Bothnia on the East.

AUSTRIA IN DUE STRAITS. A despatch from Petrograd says in Russia and Foreign diplomatic circles, it is believed Austria will sue for peace within a fortnight, as the only means of avoiding a complete break-up of the Empire, owing to rapidly growing internal troubles.

2-P.M. Special to the Evening Telegram.

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Slight Accident Prompts Wise Suggestion.

One of the volunteers named Edgecombe, was run down by the official messenger cycle yesterday and received some slight injuries to his head and face. He is being treated at the Hospital camp at Pleasantville, and will be around again in a few days.

This little incident prompts the suggestion that as the enemy is so far away from us at present, there is very little necessity of such speeding on the part of the driver of the motorcycle bearing the letters O. H. M. S. as we have witnessed on several occasions. While we admit that there are many messages of importance to be sent from time to time, without being the least bit unpatriotic we may venture to say that the letters "O. H. M. S." offer little protection to the pedestrian, who is in danger of being unnecessarily made the victim of a serious accident. We think that discretion should be an absolute essential of a person engaged as official messenger, as there are many parts of this city where the speediest messenger should drive cautiously so as to safeguard the public from accident.

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Yesterday being a half holiday, a large number of people availed of the opportunity to visit the training ground of the First Newfoundland Regiment at Pleasantville.

Parents and relatives of the Volunteers were around, but the boys were busy, and visitors did not get beyond the boundaries of the camp.

On all sides, activity was in evidence. The parade ground was occupied by nearly 100 men, who were being initiated in the first elements of a soldier's duties by the Instructor, Capt. A. O'Brien.

### Beautiful Drama at Nickel Theatre.

SEE UNDER THE DAISIES. The programme at the Nickel Theatre yesterday was an exceptionally good one. Hundreds were present during the afternoon and evening and all were delighted with the programme.

### The Wrecked Steamer Floriston

The s.s. Floriston, which had to be beached following a collision with an iceberg in the Belle Isle Straits while on her way from Montreal to Avonmouth, England, grain laden, will proceed to Quebec for complete repairs.

### Here and There.

DISCHARGING COAL CARGO. — The S. S. Coban, Capt. McPhall, is now at Port Blandford discharging coals for the Reid Nfld. Co.

POLICE CIRCLES QUIET. — Matters were very quiet in police circles yesterday and last night, and not a single arrest for inebriation was made.

DECORATED WITH BUNTING. — Yesterday the R. C. Cathedral and Catholic halls in the city were decorated with bunting in honor of the coronation of Pope Benedict XV.

FISHING CREWS RETURN. — By the Meggie which arrived at Humbermouth on Tuesday last, there arrived a number of fishing crews, who came along to their homes by to-day's express.

YESTERDAY'S EXCURSION. — Only forty-five persons went out by yesterday's excursion train to points as far as Holyrood, the majority of whom de-trained at Waterford Bridge.

YESTERDAY'S RECRUITS. — The recruits who entered camp at Pleasantville yesterday were put through a series of physical exercises by Capt. Murphy in the morning, and in the afternoon were out for a tramp under the command of Capt. Goodridge.

OBITUARY. — There passed peacefully away after a long and tedious illness, at St. Michael's, Tor's Cove, September 8th, Matthew Brunno, aged 66 years, fortified by the rites of his Holy Church.

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## New Embroideries

Way Under Price. Exquisite patterns in White Swiss Embroideries. There's a charm of some sort in every pattern. Insertions and Edgings in galore. Every one worth twice the price asked. Special for Friday and Saturday, per yard, **5 cts.**

## For FRIDAY and SATURDAY Selling.

We offer a wealth of timely bargains. Take full advantage of them. These prices are not affected by the war, but sooner or later all goods are bound to advance in price. SEE that your needs for Fall are satisfied NOW, while the low prices are still in force.

## Women's Skirts.

Remarkable Values. These are all new 1914 models. Every Skirt stylish and up-to-date, in Black and Navy Cloth, Serge, &c., button trimmed; sizes 38 to 42 in. long. Every one well made and will give good service. Reg. \$1.60 each. Friday and Saturday, **\$1.32.**

## Housekeeping Helps at Money Saving Prices.

### FANCY LINENS.

A nice assortment of Plain White Linen Sideboard Covers and Duches Sets, all Hemstitched. Te sets have 4 pieces in each. Reg. 30c. each. Friday and Saturday, **24c**

### TRAY CLOTHS.

Splendid selection of White Linen Tray Cloths, sizes 15 x 21 inches. Hemstitched, Hemstitched and Draw Threaded. Reg. 25c. each. Friday and Saturday, **20c**

### LACE CURTAINS.

A new line of Nottingham Lace Curtains, 3 yards long and 60 inches wide, assorted designs; fine and heavy mesh, taped edges. Reg. \$1.65 pr. Friday & Saturday **1.38**

### STAIR OIL CLOTH.

Pretty patterns in good quality oilcloth for stairs, 15 inches wide, light and dark colorings, tile and floral designs. Special per yd. **7c**

### FOOT STOOLS.

For house or church use. Leather bound footstools, covered with tapestry carpet, Black linen base, well stuffed. Reg. 50c. each. Friday and Saturday **40c**

### AXMINSTER HEARTH RUGS.

Handsome patterns in Scotch made Rugs, wool and jute; size 28 x 52 inches; rich warm colorings, light and dark wool fringed ends. Regular \$1.40 each. Friday and Saturday **1.20**

### HUCKABUCK TOWELS.

Superior quality Linen Huck Towels, hemmed ready for use; size 17 x 34; Plain, Red and Blue borders. Special Friday & Saturday, ea. **12c**

### REGATTA SHIRTS.

A splendid line of Regatta Shirting in light and dark striped patterns, 25 inches wide; strong hardwearing quality, suitable for Men's Working Shirts. Special for Friday & Saturday, per yd. **15c**

### BED TICKING.

The "Sterling" brand Bleached Yarn Herringbone Ticking, 30 inches wide; Blue and White stripes. Reg. 30c. per yd. Special for Friday and Saturday, **28c**

### JOB SHIRTING.

About 1,000 yards of White Shirting to sell at a clearing price. This is another shipment of the popular cloth he was in great demand during the summer; heavy weight, 36 inches wide. Special, per yard, for Friday & Saturday, **10c**

## Ladies' and Children's Hose

VERY SPECIAL. LADIES' HOSE. A large assortment of Ladies' Cashmere Stockings in Plain Black and two toned effects, assorted shades, plain and ribbed; all these colors are guaranteed fast, seamless feet. Special for Friday and Saturday, **49c**

### CHILDREN'S SOCKS.

A special line of Cashmere Socks for children of all ages; colors of Tan, Black, Navy, Sage, Cardinal, Pink and Sky. Special for Friday & Saturday, per pair **12c**

## New Lines of Fall Footwear

For Ladies' and Children.

CHILD'S KID BOOTS—A splendid line of serviceable Boots for children, buttoned and laced styles, Black only; sizes 3 to 6. Reg. 80c. pair. Friday and Saturday **73c**

LADIES' KID SHOES—50 pairs Black Vic Kid Shoes, Blucher styles, low and Cuban heels; all sizes. Reg. \$2.15 pair. Friday and Saturday **1.99**

LADIES' DONGOLA BOOTS—Black Dongola Kid Boots; sizes 2 1/2 to 7; Buttoned and Blucher styles, Cuban heels. Regular \$2.10 pair. Friday and Saturday **1.89**

## Special Prices On Gloves.

LADIES' CASHMERE GLOVES. Suede finished Gloves in all the most fashionable colors; perfect points, all sizes; also a nice selection of Lisle Thread Gloves in assorted colors. Reg. 40c. per pair. Friday & Saturday **34c**

### JOB KID GLOVES.

75c. Values selling for 49c. High grade Suede and Undressed Kid Gloves in Tan and Grey, perfectly made and finished; all sizes. Values 75c. pr. Friday & Saturday **39c**

## SHOWROOM SPECIALS.

LADIES' UNDERWEAR. Pants & Vests, White Jersey, Knit Cotton sleeves; Reg. 40c. garment. Friday & Saturday **34c**

## NEWER NECKWEAR of the most charming order at trivial cost.

Real Yoke Lace Collars and Jabots in White, Ivory and Cream, assorted pretty patterns. Selling Special for Friday & Saturday, each **30c**

## NEW FALL RIBBONS. Ribbons and Velvets for every use.

Silk Merve Ribbons, 5 1/2 inches wide, in shades of Cerise, Sage, Pink, Grey, Tan, Crimson, V. Rose, Tango, Navy, White and Cream. Special, per yard, for Friday and Saturday **21c**

Band Velvet, a job lot in shades Tan, Lime, Tango, Royal, Purple, Sage, Brown, Crimson and Cerise; 3 1/2 inches wide. Values 35c. per yard. Friday and Saturday **16c**

NEW CORSETS. A choice selection of styles, all new up-to-date models. One style is fitted with the Marmola Belt; all medium and low busts, 4 and 6 garters; sizes 20 to 36 in. Reg. 2.25 pr. Friday & Saturday **2.08**

MOTOR SCARFS. Silk Muslin Scarfs in shades of Cream, Sage, Orange, Champagne, Reseda, Sky, Black and White, 2 1/2 yards long, 27 inches wide; hemstitched ends. Special for Friday and Saturday, each **47c**

FLANNELETTE UNDERSKIRTS. To fit Misses of 10 to 15 years, assorted striped effects; nicely made and finished. Special for Friday and Saturday **36c**

Ladies' Umbrellas. Colored and Black handles, wood and steel rods. Values to \$1.20. Friday and Saturday, each **87c.**

## SCHOOL SUPPLIES.

SCHOOL BAGS—For boys and girls, waterproof lunch and book pockets. Reg. 25c. each for **30c**

SCHOOL SLATES—Size 6 1/2 x 10, stout wood frames. Special, each **5c**

COMPANION BOXES—Containing Pens, Pencils and Ruler. Special, each **4c**

PENHOLDERS—Superior make, Special, 3 for **3c**

EXERCISE BOOKS—90 pages, stout ruled paper. Special, each **5c**

COLOR PENCILS—Red and Blue. 2 for **7c**

## GENTS' OUTFITTING.

MEN'S SHIRTS. Fall styles in Men's Shirts. New patterns coming in every day now. Here's a line of fine Cambrie Shirts, light grounds with pin striped effects; good values. They come in all sizes. Special for Friday & Saturday, each **1.10**

SATEEN SHIRTS. Men's Black and White Striped Sateen Shirts, well made; sizes from 14 to 17; perfect fitting collar. Special, Friday & Saturday, each **65c**

COLLAR & TIE COMBINATION. Here is something new: A neat White washable Collar with a smart Silk Poplin Tie attached; assorted colors. Special, Friday & Saturday, set **30c**

SUSPENDERS. Special values in Workmen's Braces, strong leather, elastic and metal fixings. Special, per pair, Friday and Saturday **30c**

SILK TIES. High grade Wide End Ties in all the shades that will worn this fall; soft and fancy colorings. Reg. 50c. each. Friday and Saturday **43c**

RELIABLE FOOTWEAR. MEN'S BOOTS—Black, Vic Kid and Gunmetal Boots in all sizes; the favorite with all discerning men. Reg. \$4.85. pr. Fri. & Sa. **4.45**

BOYS' BOOTS—For school wear; none better. Sizes to fit boys of 10 to 15 years. Good Box Call Leather, Blucher styles. Reg. \$2.20 pair. Friday and Saturday **1.95**

MEN'S CAPS—Another selection of Tweed Golf Caps, linings; all sizes. Reg. 75c. each. Friday and Saturday **65c**

GENTS' HANDKERCHIEFS—White Cotton Handkerchiefs, Scotch manufacture, light and dark patterns, silk chiefs, Irish Linen finish; nicely hemmed. Special, Friday and Saturday, each **7c**

HAT WINGS. Special offer in newest Military effects: Hat Wings in all popular colors and Black. Reg. 50c. ea. Friday and Saturday **42c**

## HARDWARE.

Toilet Paper. Special, per roll **7c**

Tooth Brushes. Special, each **17c**

Nail Brushes. Special, each **4c**

Pudding Moulds. Reg. 70c. each for **60c**

Soap Dishes. Reg. 15c. each for **12c**

Enamel Jugs. Reg. 30c. each for **27c**

Soup Ladles, 3 1/2 inch. Reg. 17c. for **15c**

Knives Boxes. Reg. 65c. each for **42c**

Towel Racks. Reg. 12c. each for **10c**

Stand Mirrors, 8 x 10. Reg. 80c. each for **65c**

Fire Irons, 4 pieces. Reg. \$3.75 set for **\$2.96**

Japanned Coal Vases. Reg. \$2.40 each for **\$1.91**

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## Mail Orders.

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## Bloody Affray on German Steamer.

New York, Sept. 2.—A riot aboard the German steamer Bluecher, at anchor in the harbour of Pernambuco, Brazil, in which three of the Bluecher's crew and fifty of her 300 steerage passengers were killed, was described to-day by passengers aboard the Brazilian steamer Sao Paulo upon her arrival here from Brazilian waters.

whence she sailed at the commencement of the European war.

The Bluecher was bound from Buenos Ayres for Hamburg, under the German flag, when Germany and England went to war. Upon learning that war had been declared, the Bluecher put back to Pernambuco.

She had aboard, the Sao Paulo's passengers asserted, several million dollars for London and 300 Spaniards and Portuguese in the steerage. When Pernambuco was reached the

steerage passengers insisted that the ship proceed to her destination, and upon the refusal of the Bluecher's officers to do so, a riot was started.

The bodies of the steerage passengers who were killed were thrown overboard, according to the Sao Paulo's passengers.

Nine German ships were tied up at Pernambuco when the Sao Paulo sailed.

MINARD'S LINIMENT CURES GARGET IN COWS

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Every Monday, Banana Ice Cream; every Tuesday, Vanilla Ice Cream; every Wednesday, Chocolate Ice Cream; every Thursday, Vanilla Ice Cream; every Friday, Raspberry Ice Cream; every Saturday, Strawberry Ice Cream—June 19, 1914.

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## "CHRISTIANS AS WELL"

"Almighty and merciful God! Lead us to victory, and give us grace that we may show ourselves to be Christians towards our enemies as well."—A prayer the Kaiser has ordered to be included in the Liturgy at all public services.

MINARD'S LINIMENT CURES DYPHTHERIA

## "A Heart Cry From the West."

The sunset floods the golden gate with glory. The glow of orange groves is on the breeze. Yet my heart within me cries For my home in northern skies, An island far away in other seas. The friends I love and youthful memories call me. Their call my yearning soul can not withstand. Take me back, oh! take me back, from California To the Hills, the "Dear Old Hills," of Newfoundland.

Miss Clark sings "A Heart Cry from the West" at the Crescent Picture Palace to-night. The words of this song were composed by Mr. Dan Carroll and the music written by Rev. Father Sheehan. The two-reel feature, "Michael Arnold and Dr. Lynn" is a picture full of intense situations and dramatic climaxes. "An Old Locker" is a highly romantic story produced and acted by Louis Weber. "The Chicken Chasers" gives plenty of scope to the lively joker tumbler and is no end of fun. "Out of Door School Life" is very instructive in showing some of the methods used nowadays to make the race a "race of giants."

## Soft Drinks.

By GEORGE FITCH, Author of "At Good Old Slwash."

A soft drink is a fussy liquid made by mixing water with gas, ice cream, syrup, ginger, benzoate of soda and other enticing junk. It is called a soft drink because it is not relished by hard drinkers.

Those who have cultivated a taste for brandy gin, fuel oil, aloes, forty-rod whiskey and other dissolvents of the digestive lining speak with scorn of the soft drink and make rude jokes about the dissipated young man who insults his digestion with a glass of carbonated fancy work instead of lowering a liquid conflagration into his charred and devastated hold with noble carelessness. It does not take as much pulp to attack a glass of ice cream soda as it does to swallow six fingers of raging dye, and no man who has to attack an army and deminish it has ever screwed up his courage with chocolate nut sundae.

Yet the sweet and yielding bitless soda has virtues of its own. They are chiefly negative. When it has entered the system of a trusting man it does not at once proceed to operate him as a fourteen-year-old boy runs an automobile. It does not heat his brain until he blows off a vein defence and challenges a live wire to mortal combat, and it does not wander into his legs and tie them into weird designs on the public thoroughfare. It may lower his internal temperature until he combusts his meals with difficulty, but it does not make a danger signal of his nose and give him bats and buzzings in his aching belfry. When a man has ascribed three cold lemonades he may ache inside, but the children do not hide under the bed as he wearily totes his load home, while the destroyer of a fragrant egg phosphate does not advertise the fact by distributing samples of spoiled atmosphere to a street car load of people who can't get away from him.

Soft drinks do not make iron constitutions, but neither do they produce the soft and frazzled head which is the great specialty of the hard drink.

## The Harvest.

The kings and the colonels, fagged by the strain, are writing their journals of losses and gain. "We've conquered a city, we've smashed a redoubt! Oh, sing a glad ditty, with jubilant shout!" The dead men are lying out there on the plain, and women are crying, and children. The kings and the colonels in blood do not wade; they judge by externals the progress they made; in tents over yonder they're painting maps red; they don't hear the wailing, the shrieks of despair. "We've captured a village and seventeen farms! They're given to pillage—God favors our arms!" But dead men are lying out there in the rain; the wounded are dying—your triumph's in van. In darkness and sorrow the widowed ones wait, still hoping to-morrow may bring to the gate, the step of some derring who went forth alone, when nations were snarling like dogs for a bone. In vain is their sighing; their watching is vain; the loved ones are lying out there with the slain.

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### Playing Too Safe,

By RUTH CAMERON.



There is a strong feeling in favor of cowardly and prudential proverbs. The sentiments of a man while he is full of ardor and hope are to be received, it is supposed, with some qualification. But when the same person has ignominiously failed and begins to eat up his words, he should be listened to like an oracle.—Stevenson.

I sat in a railway station the other day behind two men who had arrived a half hour before their train time. The younger man was complaining of this fact. "Yes, I know it," said the other man, "but we wouldn't have wanted to miss the train. I believe in playing safe. It doesn't cost you anything and it sometimes saves you a lot of inconvenience and time."

There are a great many other people in the world who believe in playing safe because it doesn't cost anything. But they are wrong; it frequently does.

Playing safe may cost you just as much as playing risky if you play too safe. For instance, take this matter of catching a train. If you always reach the station from ten minutes to half an hour ahead of time, you will never miss a train to be sure, but don't you lose just as much time in waiting, as if you arrived from five minutes to a minute before train time

and once in a while missed the train and had to wait an hour or two. To my mind the admirable man in this connection is he whose watch is always right, who knows how long it should take him to get to a train, and who without hurry or flurry, contrives to step on the train just a minute or two before it starts.

Real safety is usually a middle ground between two dangerous extremes. Playing too safe may mean playing unsafe. I know a mother who is very anxious to do the best thing by her children, especially as regards their health. She is always afraid they are going to catch cold and wrapping them up to prevent it. When anyone ventures to suggest that it doesn't seem as if Robert needed that extra sweater or that he surely wouldn't hurt Ruth to take her shoes and stockings off with the other children, the anxious mother answers, "Perhaps it might not do harm, but I would rather be on the safe side."

The result, of course, is that by over-protecting the children, she makes them more susceptible to colds and similar ills. "Better be sure than sorry" is a motto than can easily be run into the ground by people with too strong an inclination to caution. And as people who are inclined the other way will probably laugh at it, it does just what most wise sayings do—confirms those who need no confirmation and seldom reaches those for whose instruction it was conceived.

*Ruth Cameron*

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## A Thought for the Times

CHAPTER V.—THE WAR.  
 I. C. MORRIS.

Let us be loyal to our King. And let the people shout and sing: Hurrah for England's guns.

It is said that "history repeats itself" and the saying is true; and as an illustration of this we have our lads camping at Quidi Vidi under real military conditions and for the purpose of war.

Pleasantville, which was so long, and so often, the centre of recreation and the scene of sport, is now a military camp, where all the regulations and discipline of army life are enforced. How strange that it should thus happen! On this same spot, and over this same valley the soldiers of England once marshaled and made their final dash across the foot of the pond and up the steep of Signal Hill, and by their bravery re-captured St. John's from the French garrison. They landed at Torbay and marched overland through the woods to Quidi Vidi valley, and there on the same spot where our own sons now encamp, and under the same flag, they rallied and won the day. Let us hope that as victory crowned the day a century and a half ago, so will it crown the day in this present war.

And then we have another coincidence in connection with the Rifle Range on the South Side Hill; for this, too, has had its fire, and its baptism of war; but the date was more remote than that of Quidi Vidi. It was in 1896 that the invasion took place, and it was made by the French under Captain Le Moyne D'Arville, and Governor DeRocheville. The English then occupied St. John's, and the French had to land at, or near, Petty Harbour, and then march in over the hills. The line by which they came was afterwards used by the few people of that place in their overland visits to St. John's. In the course of time, as its population increased, the path became the chief highway of intercourse with the city. Later on the main road, which connects with the Waterford Road, was built over the hill, and afterwards the Waterford Road was extended right on to the Gouls and to Bay Bulls, and the entire Southern Shore. This road over which the French came was formerly known as the old Petty Harbour Road, though but a path.

Our late energetic countryman and historian, Judge Prowse, states that somewhere along this old road and in the vicinity of St. John's, many of the old French guns lie, sunken and covered, just as they were left by the French in the battles of long ago. The line of this old road is now mostly lost; but that portion of it which was used by the people of Freshwater Bay and Blackhead is still quite a thoroughfare. It is right on the brow of the hill, and at the junction to the west of the rifle-range, that the old path branched off, and the French army were near or about this spot when the garrison at Port William saw their approach. The French were victorious.

Our boys are now daily practicing at this place, and by their presence they awaken the spirit of the past, and renew the customs of war, and thereby they are making history re-

peat itself. Both those camping grounds were the centres of victory, and now that the two nations, which were then opposed, are united in the world's greatest war, it is but loyal and natural to hope that the same success will follow them and that the record of our First Regiment will be a victorious one.

Who of us that saw our lads on Sunday last did not feel our interest deepen in them? Our sons were there, our hopes were there, and the love of mothers was in the ranks, and the affection of maidens was deep in many a heart. And what a beautiful lesson they taught us as they attended their various churches, and then reformed their ranks, and en masse marched to the Government House and thence to their headquarters at Pleasantville.

Some worshipped at the Kirk, others at the Methodist Church, and others at the Roman Catholic Cathedral, and still another contingent at St. Thomas's Episcopal Church. And this latter feature was another repetition of history, and a very noteworthy one indeed. As many of our readers are aware St. Thomas's Church was the early military church and was built principally for that purpose. The tablets in the walls tell something of this story. It was quite a small building at first, but it has been twice enlarged, but the main entry and the tower and the bell area of the original structure. The late Canon Pilot stated in a lecture delivered at St. Michael's Church during the winter of 1893—after the fire—that the site where stands St. Thomas's Church, was the first spot in the New World, where the Church of England service was read. Halifax claims this as its right, hence their ten-centenary celebration three years ago, but Canon Pilot held a different opinion. How-

## THE NAVY'S NEW WEAPON.

THE HUGE POWER AND RANGE OF THE FIFTEEN INCH GUN.

Germany's inferiority in regard to naval armament will be even more marked in a few weeks—when the 15-inch gun makes its appearance on two new British Super-Dreadnoughts—than it is at present.

We already have on duty in the North Sea, point out Mr. Archibald Hurd, in the Daily Telegraph, thirteen ships mounting a gun—the 13.5 inch gun—which is still without its equal in any of the navies of the world. In October next two ships—the Queen Elizabeth and the Warspite—are due for delivery. They maintain even more deadly weapons—the new 15-inch gun.

The First Lord of the Admiralty recently gave the nation the Admiralty's view of the triumphs of the British naval ordnance authorities. Speaking of the efficiency of the new gun over the 13.5-inch weapon, he said:

When the first of these guns was tried it yielded ballistic results which vindicated, with what is to the lay mind marvelous exactitude, the minutest calculations of the designer. It is the best gun we have ever had; it reproduces all the virtues of the 13.5-inch gun on a larger scale, and it is the most accurate gun at all ranges that we have ever had. As it is never pressed to its full capacity

ever, in the years past, and when St. John's was a small town, and when those portions of it known by such military names as Fort William, Fort Townsend, King's Road, Queen's Rd., Garrison Hill, Ordnance Yard and Military Road comprised the whole or most of it, the soldiers constantly frequented these places and the majority of them worshipped at St. Thomas's Church. So on Sunday last, the first Sunday of September 1914, our lads renewed this lost link of history, when, as "Soldiers of the King," they attended the old Church for the purpose of Divine Service.

From different parts of the country they came, and they are worthy representatives of our forefathers who came far across the sea, from the British Isles, and who, by their endurance and perseverance established the flag for which their descendants now fight. "The flag that braved a thousand years the battle and the breeze."

(Continued.)

### At the Crescent.

Miss Clark's singing of Mr. Dan Carroll's song, "A Heart Cry from the West" was a feature of the holiday programme given at the Crescent Picture Palace yesterday. The pictures shown were of a high order, featuring some of the best talent in the moving picture world to-day. The music by Prof. Spencer was first-class and thoroughly enjoyed by the large audience present, both in the afternoon and night. The same bill will be repeated to-day and a good hour's enjoyment is assured all who attend.

MISS CLARK'S SINGING OF "A HEART CRY FROM THE WEST" WAS A FEATURE OF THE HOLIDAY PROGRAMME GIVEN AT THE CRESCENT PICTURE PALACE YESTERDAY.

by explosive discharge it will be an exceptionally long-lived gun.

Its power may be measured by the fact that, whereas the 13.5-inch gun hurls a 1,400 lb. projectile, a 15-inch gun discharges a projectile of nearly a ton in weight and can hurl this immense mass of metal ten or twelve miles. That is to say, there has been an increase of rather more than 50 per cent.—I am purposely vague on this point—in the weight of the projectile for an addition of 1 1/2 inches to the calibre.

This increase in the capacity of the shell produces results in far greater proportions in its explosive power, and the high explosive charge which the 15-inch gun can carry through and get inside the thickest armour afloat is very nearly half as large again in the 15-inch gun as was the charge in the 13.5-inch.

It is interesting to recall that even though the war should last until next spring, when two more British ships with 15-inch guns are due for delivery, Germany will still possess no ships carrying a heavier weapon than the 12-inch gun, which we superseded in 1909. She has to-day only nine ships at sea mounting even as powerful a weapon as this, the remainder having either 11-inch or 9.4-inch weapons as their primary battle armament.—Westminster Gazette.

### Lumbago's Misery Ceases, Every Aching Muscle Cured.

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Rub Nerviline right into the sore spot, rub lots of it over those tortured muscles, do this and the pain will go. You see Nerviline is thin, not oily. Therefore it sinks in, it penetrates through the tissues, it gets right to those stiff, sore muscles and irritated nerves that make you dance with pain.

You'll get almost instant relief from muscle soreness, stiffness, aching joints, lameness or rheumatism by rubbing with Nerviline. It's a soothing liniment, and doesn't blister, doesn't burn or even stain the skin.

It's the most harmless cure in the world for Lumbago, Back Strain or Sciatica. It takes away the ache at once and ends your misery quickly. Now quit complaining—don't suffer another day—Nerviline, that good, soothing old-time liniment will limber you up mighty quick. Get busy to-day, the large 50c. family size bottle is the most economical, of course, the trial size costs but 25c. Any dealer anywhere can supply Nerviline.

Lady Fitzroy (at home) Writing—Do you know, Percy, this is the most charming paper I have ever written on. I bought a tablet of "Fair" Linen in the New Duchess size at GARDLAND'S and the price only 25c. Really I hope it is not a mistake, as I want you to buy me 6 more to-day.—sep4,31,14,f

## WARNING!

IN THE INTEREST OF THE PUBLIC SAFETY.

The Rifle Range on the South Side Hill will be in constant use, from daylight till dark, for musketry practice, until our Regiment leaves for England.

All persons are therefore prohibited from approaching the Rifle Range within 200 yards from either side, or within 1,000 yards of the targets to the eastward.

Any unauthorized person so doing will be liable to arrest, besides incurring serious danger from rifle bullets.

A number of red flags will be used to indicate the Danger Zone. This prohibition does not extend to any part of the Hills west of the 800 yards Firing Point.

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## OFFICIAL REVIEW OF THE SITUATION.

LONDON, Sept. 9.

To the Governor, St. John's, Newfoundland:

The following review of the War is sent for the information of your Ministers and for general publication.

After one month of war, the command of the sea is left unchallenged in the hands of Great Britain and her allies. The main German and Austrian fleets remain in harbor under shelter of mines and batteries. Four German cruisers, one auxiliary cruiser, two destroyers, one submarine and one Austrian cruiser have fled, without fighting, to the Dardanelles. The loss of British ships has been insignificant.

In consequence of this naval supremacy, over 300,000 troops have crossed the sea in different parts of the world, without losing a man. The British Expeditionary Force has been carried to France; expeditions have been sent to attack the German colonies in Africa and the Pacific, and French troops, protected by the Anglo-French Mediterranean fleet, have been escorted from Algiers to France. The armies in Europe will be reinforced without ceasing by troops from Canada, Australia, New Zealand, Africa and India.

The German Mercantile Marine has disappeared from the seas, which are

open freely to British commerce. Everywhere in China, on the Pacific and the Atlantic, German ships have avoided action with British cruisers, and their depredations have been small. The British Navy will be increased within the next twelve months by not less than ten first-class capital ships, fifteen cruisers and twenty destroyers. During the same period Germany will not add more than one-third of this number to her fleet.

In the meantime, in answer to the call of the Government, a large number of fresh recruits have volunteered in the British Army. Eagerness to enlist has grown markedly since the British troops have actually engaged the enemy. During the last week in London alone the number of recruits averaged nearly 4,000 daily, and on Monday last the number exceeded 4,800. Enthusiasm for recruiting is increasing everywhere.

The position in France was dealt with in previous telegrams. The Russian armies have invaded Prussia, and the Austrians have been decisively beaten by Servians and Russians.

Outside of Europe, the Japanese fleet and troops blockade Tsing Tao, Togoland has surrendered to an Anglo-French force, and Samoa to a force from New Zealand.

(Signed) HARCOURT.

### Patriotic Fund.

Editor Evening Telegram.  
Dear Sir: Kindly acknowledge through the columns of your paper the following subscriptions towards the Patriotic Fund: Amount already acknowledged—

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Yours very truly,  
JOHN S. MUNN,  
Hon. Treasurer Patriotic Co.

### Red Lions Win 18 to 9.

The Shamrocks met their second reverse of the season yesterday at St. George's Field, the Red Lions winning by 18 runs to 9. The day was poor for good ball playing, the bats and balls being very difficult to handle. Winter and Anderson pitched for the winners, the latter being very effective. A feature of the game was a spectacular catch by Jenkins in the last innings. The score and line up follow—

**RED LIONS.**—Anderson, pitcher; Hiltz, catcher; Ross, 1st base; Robson, 2nd base; Frost, 3rd base; Munn, short stop; Winter, centre; Jenkins, right; Grant, left.  
**SHAMROCKS.**—W. Callahan, pitcher; Power, catcher; Lannon, 1st base; Sellahan, 2nd base; Kesner, 3rd base; O'Neil, short stop; Waterfield, centre; Jackman, right; Ellis, left.  
Red Lions: 3 1 1 3 2 7 0—18  
Shamrocks: 3 0 3 2 1 0 0—9  
Umpires: Messrs. McLeod and Pritchard; Scorer: Mr. P. E. Outerbridge.

### Larry Cheney.

Red McGhee says: There's always some guys wants to sing some song like "God Please Save the King" i some Celt picnic crowd. In baseball dopsters prophesy a tick death for some p o o r, strugglin' guy who's left the bushes proud. The singer, if he sings, gets his. It's just the same in baseball biz—the dope gets pick some wrong. They hit the nail a sideways blow in Cub town couple years ago when Cheney came along.

He'd pitched down in the Cotton States an' then behind the A. A. gates for dear ol' Louisville. The Hoosiers had him, too, a while. His ol' right arm showed classy style an' Cub scouts liked his skill. But Larry pitched a sutter's shoot. So, right away, he got the boot from mixers of the dope. He'd be a firver—couldn't last—they'd seen these spit-ers in the past—there wasn't any hope.

When Larry heard, he only spat, set out to see where he was at—how well his slants would take. That year he finished one-two-three an' came back last year just to see there wasn't no mistake. His good ol' arm don't weaken none. He's back this year still havin' fun with that saliva ball. Two starts in three he cope the prize. It shows that these here dop-guys don't always know it all.

### A Summer Tale.

"You look irritated this evening."  
"I am—on warm days like this I always suffer from heat rash."  
"I am liable to heat rash, too, but it never irritates me; it never has since I began to use Zylax, which at once allays the irritation, physical and mental. And I find Zylax Soap with the Ointment go far to prevent heat rash altogether."  
Zylax sells at 25 cents a box; Zylax Soap at 25 cents a cake, at your Druggists.  
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### Fads and Fashions.

The newest tunics open in front. Waists are accordeon pleated all over. Sashes are of velvet, Roman striped. The general effect of all clothing is still loose. Ball cheneille effects are reappearing in veillings. Green is the leading color for the coming months. For dancing frocks there is nothing like taffeta. The cape coat is an ideal style for cold weather. Cape dresses are vigorous rivals of waistcoat styles. Striped velvets will be used for trimming purposes. Stripes used crosswise on a skirt are the newest thing. Tete de negre is as much in favor as ever among colors. Crowns of the autumn hats are high and pert looking. Velvets for all suitings are plain, dark rich in color. Certain new long tunics are pointed back and front. The new blouse blouses seem to be very limited in favor. Sleeveless coats are worn over figured or plaid blouses. Collars and cuffs of hemstitched organdie remain favorites. Long coats are seen which almost completely cover the dress. The variety of tunics that one may have is simply endless. Simple tunic dresses are in favor for school and college girls. Black and white is a prominent combination among fall silks. Over blouses of tulle or chiffon are worn with tailored waists. Raglan sleeves appear in many forms in even the new blouses. Young girls' school dresses have their collars and cuffs of linen. The Parisienne still prefers the navy blue costume to any other. White gowns which approach the Greek in style are always beautiful. A peculiarity of the new basque is that it is loose around the waistline. Skirts are pleated and set upon yokes to maintain the slender silhouette. Straight skirts that are too narrow can be widened by inserted pleatings.

### The Four British Bells

AT ROSSLEY'S.  
The Military Act at Rossley's tonight is full of good songs, dances, jokes and laughs. Mrs. Rossley's clean little troupe have made a very good impression as they always do. The pictures are the best that can be had. On Monday Mrs. Rossley has another big surprise act for the patrons. There is coming by the Carthaginian one of the cleverest lady troupes in the business; their splendid wardrobe will be a revelation here for it is all new and very beautiful. Mr. Rossley signed contracts with those ladies before the war, therefore he will keep his word and let the engagement go on. They are English ladies, two who have their father and five brothers at the front fighting for King and Country, and the talented young ladies wish to support those at home, and they will face the dangers of the Atlantic to fulfill their engagement.

### Rod and Gun.

The cover cut of Rod and Gun Magazine for September illustrates the fact that the open season for wild ducks in Canada starts with September. The list of contents which is sure to appeal to all sportsmen readers contains among other things the following stories and articles: A Reconnaissance from Coast to Coast; The Wildfowler in Canada from 1906 to 1914, by Bonnycastle Dale; Our Friends of the Waterways, by H. Mordimer Batten; Duck Shooting by Twilight, by R. A. Fraser; After Nova Scotian Woodcock with That Good Old Man; From Sharnot Lake to Montreal by Water; Tolling September Ducks; A Cry in Wilderness; and the first of a series of articles on Things to know about a Shotgun. The regular departments are as usual well maintained. W. J. Taylor, Limited, Woodstock, Ont., are the publishers.

### Florizel in Port.

The Red Cross Liner Florizel, Capt. W. Martin, arrived in port to-day from New York and Halifax bringing a full cargo and the following passengers in saloon:—Miss Mary Clatney, Miss J. Lawton, C. G. Dunlop, J. S. Under, J. E. Wisener, J. E. Harris, William Whitney, Dr. A. B. Eisenrey, Miss M. Hugh, Miss E. Dunlop, H. J. Levy, J. Carey and wife, Mrs. M. E. Noder, Mrs. C. J. Smith, Miss M. E. Noder, C. C. Gardner, D. Willis, L. Johnston, Miss Julia Keon, Miss Elsie Langhlin, A. Faulk, S. Lee and wife, Miss W. Lee, J. S. Penny, L. Fleron, A. C. Hall and wife, T. J. Brett, W. D. Deigar and wife, Master Ed. Deigar, Miss W. Pawley and 30 in second class.

### Driven Back.

After the terrific French artillery fire had decimated the German troops, the latter were driven back four or five miles, but advance has always been resumed. The Germans have paid dearly also for the immense amount of money Britain has spent on its regular armies in target practice during the time of peace. Most of the British regular soldiers have had from four to seven years and each man has shot away many dollars worth of ammunition at the targets. Germany, with her vastly greater army, cannot afford such target practice, during peace times, and her men are not good marksmen. The British fire is much more deadly.

### More Fires.

Fires provoke immediate sympathy for the sufferer and also thankfulness for personal escape. Another thought should be whether one is personally and sufficiently protected? An insurance policy with Percle Johnson would provide for you this desired security and at small expense. Have you enough insurance?

## Divorced Life

By Helen Mesrobian Fuesle

### Playing With Fire

A wild and reckless impulse came to Marian to play with Calhoun, the moody southerner. She was curious to know just how determined a man of his type would be to shunt romance, once he had resolved to be through with it.

Men are accused of being sentimental gamblers. Women are no less so. Many a woman has drawn a man on, for the mere and only purpose of amusing herself by watching him and comparing his conduct with that of others at whom she has consciously or unconsciously directed her spell. Marian was anything but a flirt. Since her career as a writer had begun to open up, however, she had become more of a student of men and emotions than had been true of her before. She sought to find excuse for her course with Calhoun in the fact that she needed material for her writing.

For some reason, however, she saw nothing of Calhoun for several days, save glimpses at luncheon and dinner. After meals he would disappear, having flashed her scant nods of recognition in the dining room.

On the third day she ran on to him on the verandah. "Why have we been seeing so little of you?" she inquired. Again his grave eyes were transformed into smiling ones. "Why should you want to see me?" he asked. "After the confession of all that foolishness that I made to you the other night?" he added.

"Merely the confession that you are human," she put in. "It's more refreshing than you have any idea of to hear a man admit the weaknesses that make him human. If it were not for confessions like yours now and then, we'd begin thinking that a race of supermen were coming into being."

"The superman is still far off," he grinned. "I have an idea that it's a race of superwomen though who are able to make monkeys out of men. Will you take a stroll with me and throw some of this stuff out?"

Marian fell in at his side. He led her down a pathway that followed the edge of the river. Their dialogue rippled back and forth. Sentences wobbled with much meaning ran of the southerner's lips, in sharp contrast with the tale of woe he had recounted on the evening of their canoeing. They did not prolong the stroll, nor pause to rest on any of the rustic benches they passed. Soon they were back on the Inn's verandah, where Calhoun excused himself and retired to his room.

Marian wondered whether the other had divined her purpose, and resolved to cheat her out of carrying out her plan. His indifference to her to-night made her marshall anew her determination to draw him out and have a look at his sentimental manners. The game called and beckoned. Womanly or not, she was going to have a fling at this prey, and consoled herself that after all it might do him good, and take his mind off his own troubles.

"Why not?" she philosophized. She began to see the world's whole sex drama as a wide-flung comedy. Women throughout all time had taken it too seriously. Thus they had brought upon themselves the consequent sufferings. For the first time in her life she felt the candid desire to make a man care for her, for the mere amusement of the thing, to demonstrate that she was master of the situation. Here was to be an affair without any thrills for her, but a cool, calm study of the man-creature under stress of emotional excitement.

Beyond the elms, the moon sailed slowly into view, its half-silvery, half-copper lustre drifting faintly over earth and heaven.

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# War News.

## Messages Received During the Night.

### INDIA'S SPLENDID GIFTS.

SIMLA, India, Sept. 9. The Viceroy of India in Council has outlined proposals for the consideration of the Indian people by which the Government of India proposes to negotiate reciprocal arrangements with other British Colonies to meet the present difficulties regarding the emigration of Hindus. Under this plan a limited number of passports will be issued. It is similar to the present arrangements between Canada and Japan which permits of temporary arrangements for the movements of students and tourists but which limits strictly the right to settle permanently. The Viceroy has announced also that India was contributing £100,000 towards the cost of the Indian contingent in the war. This is in addition to the gift of the Maharaja of Mysor of £100,000 to the cost of a transport.

### HINDOOS TRUE TO EMPIRE.

LONDON, Sept. 9. In the House of Commons, this afternoon, A. Roberts, the Home Secretary for India, said nearly seven hundred native rulers had offered personal service and resources to the flag.

### THE CZAR DETERMINED.

LONDON, Sept. 9. The Evening News has published a despatch from its Rome correspondent, who says that Emperor Nicholas of Russia is reported in Rome to have made the following declaration: "I am resolved to go to Berlin itself, even if it costs me the loss of my last Mouljik." The Japanese Ambassador at Petrograd, the correspondent continues, having expressed to the Emperor the wish to see the soldiers fighting, side by side, with those of Russia, the Emperor replied: "I shall do my best to realize your wishes."

### HUNGER IN EVIDENCE.

BORDEAUX, Sept. 9. The following official communication has been announced: "On the whole front the Germans begin to be sensible of the movement of retreating. The strategic improvement of the French troops is improving, but one cannot judge of a battle extending over a front of sixty-three miles. The Germans appear to experience difficulties in provisioning. On the left wing all German attempts to break through the French lines on the right bank of the Ourg River has failed. We have taken two standards. The British army has crossed the Marne, and the enemy has fallen back twenty-five miles."

### FRENCH CALLING UP RESERVES.

BORDEAUX, Sept. 9. President Poincare has signed a decree calling on all Frenchmen, previously exempted for military service, on the ground of defective health, to undergo further medical examination. Those found fit will at once be drafted into the army.

### SHORT OF AMMUNITION.

PARIS, Sept. 9. Wounded soldiers arriving here say that Germans in the vicinity of Montmirail on the department of Marne, are running short of ammunition. For this reason they offered only a feeble resistance to the attack of the allies, who captured many prisoners, also a regimental flag.

### McKENNA IN CHARGE OF PRESS BUREAU.

LONDON, Sept. 9. Home Secretary McKenna has taken charge of the work of the Official Press Bureau. Mr. McKenna declined to commit himself "as to which war correspondents might be allowed to enter the scene of warfare. "As our army is operating in the country of the allies, and in conjunction with their forces," he declared, "it is proper that in this matter, we should be guided by their views."

### STRATEGIC POSITION OF ENEMY BETTER.

The following bulletin was posted at St. Pierre yesterday:— The general engagement continues. On the left wing the Germans are in retreat towards Petit Morin and in an effort to protect their communications engaged in several violent but unsuccessful attacks against the French forces occupying the right bank of the River Ourg. Our British allies are following up their offensive movement in the direction of Marne. On the Heights north of Sezanne the French troops are progressing but very slowly. In our centre there is heavy fighting with alternatives of

successes and partial repulse. To our right the situation is good in from Nancy and all along the Vosges. The French Minister of War agrees with best experts in announcing that the strategic position of the allies is far better now than at the start. German forces now are in a convex position which would be completely contrary to the German staff's plan. The heretical action of two thousand Algerian sharpshooters is recorded. At a critical moment and without the least hesitation at the point of the bayonet they took the enemy's position under a fierce artillery fire. On arriving at the trenches a real slaughter followed. Several cannons and artillery pieces were taken. When the French infantry and artillery arrived on the scene the Germans fled but the sharpshooters followed up the enemy and inflicted on them heavy losses. According to a French officer who was wounded, the three days' battle in Champagne gave better results than at first expected. The Germans have suffered enormous losses and also lost about thirty thousand prisoners.

### MEN OF HIGH RANK AMONG GERMAN LOSSES.

BERLIN, Sept. 9. Two more Generals have been added to the death list, Field Officers General Von Gotha and Nialnd, Premier Von Weisseacker of Wurtemberg and Finance Minister Von Breunig of Bavaria have both lost sons. Prince Frederik William of Hesse was wounded in the breast in the fighting in France.

### GERMANS EVACUATE UPPER ALSACE.

LONDON, Sept. 9. A despatch from Basle, Switzerland says the Germans have evacuated Upper Alsace.

### THE KAISER'S IMAGINATION.

LONDON, Sept. 9. Emperor William sent President Wilson under date of Sept. 4th, protests against the use by the English of dum-dum bullets, and against participation in the war of the Belgian population.

### GERMAN RETREAT A ROUT.

LONDON, Sept. 9. A correspondent of the Chronicle at the front in France telegraphs as follows: "The tables are turned. The right wing of the German army which was considerably battered by the heavy fighting of the last two days, is continuing its retrograde movement. It is falling back with the British army fast on its flank. Everything points to the movement being rather a rout than a temporary retreat. The greater part of the German force held Amiens on Tuesday morning, and the German wounded were rushed to Arras. When I left the neighborhood of Amiens at noon a small French force was waiting in the vicinity to re-occupy the town as soon as the last German soldier had withdrawn, which was expected Tuesday night. The allies left wing is giving the retiring army no respite; the British cavalry being especially active. The allies are making every effort to detach the harried German right wing from the main body and annihilate it. In an effort to prevent this, the German commander seems to be directing a rearward march upon Cambrai and Touraine, evidently with the intention of attempting to re-pass the Belgian border East of Lille. Each instant the rearward progress of the Germans is gaining in momentum. It is the beginning of the end."

### BATTLE CONTINUES WITH ADVANTAGE TO ALLIES.

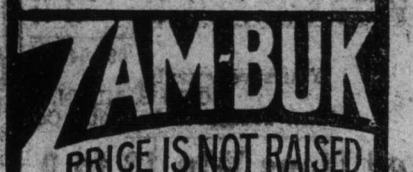
LONDON, Sept. 9. A despatch from Troyes says in the engagement of September 6th the Germans among other set backs had one serious check at Montmirail and Fere Champanois, towns little over twenty miles south west of Epernay. The battle continues on the line toward Vitry le Francois, 27 miles east of Fere Champanois, with advantage to allies.

### ADVANTAGE SOLELY WITH THE ALLIES.

LONDON, Sept. 9. The advance of the allies on the west continues. The French and British are progressing with their enveloping movement. On the extreme right of the German right wing, the British are pressing further north past their advantage of yesterday, and are driving the German right wing back. In the centre the fighting continues, but there is no official news of the outcome so far. To-day at Nancy and Lunville, a German attempt to advance westward has been

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defeated, the Germans being pushed back. The German army besieging Mauberge has captured that fort, but the capture is discounted entirely by the development which followed the investment of the fortress two weeks ago. The Russians are closing upon the Austrian army in Russian South Eastern Poland and Galicia and its future seems sealed. The advance guard of the Russian army marching in East Prussia is now in touch with German outposts along the centre of the line.

### SITUATION PERFECTLY SATISFACTORY.

PARIS, Sept. 9. British officers and soldiers who arrived from the front to-day declared that the four days battle which still continues to the East of Paris is being carried on furiously. They assert the French captured a considerable number of field guns and machine guns, while the Germans often surrendered in groups. Field Marshal French looked perfectly satisfied with the situation according to the British soldiers.

### NO RUSSIAN TROOPS IN FRANCE.

LONDON, Sept. 9. The Standard states that the Russian and French Embassies are denying the presence in France of a Russian force.

### WILL SOON MOVE BACK.

BORDEAUX, Sept. 9. The Des Armes, a newspaper issued by the Ministry of War, declares there is every reason to expect that the stay of the French Government at Bordeaux will be short.

### ADMIRAL JELICOE'S FATHER DEAD.

LONDON, Sept. 9. Captain J. H. Jellicoe, father of Vice-Admiral Jellicoe, died yesterday at Ryde. A despatch to the Morning Post from Geneva says that Sir John Henniker died there last night. He was the father of the Imperial Penny Postage.

### SAILING UNDER FALSE COLORS.

LONDON, Sept. 9. A British gunboat has captured a trawler purporting to belong to Grimsby which had been laying sea mines. The trawler had 200 mines on board.

### AUSTRIAN MILLION SPLIT.

PETROGRAD, Sept. 9. The War Minister states that the Russian advance for the purpose of dividing a million Austrians who are advancing on Lubin is on the point of succeeding. A great battle is proceeding.

### GERMAN MERCHANTMAN SUNK.

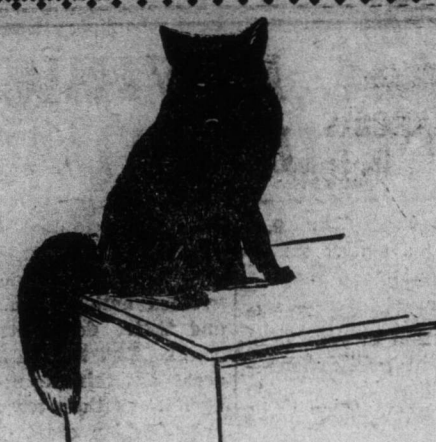
PARIS, Sept. 9. A despatch from Bordeaux says two German merchant ships have been sunk in the Atlantic by the French cruiser Conde, aided by the British cruiser Bristol.

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### Slight Fire This A.M.

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## Captain of Cruiser

Honolulu, Sept. 9. The cruiser Nürnberg will evening cleared for the Australian war and Warrego. The of-war to-day accomplish collier Strathfield mile limit here, and waiting outside. Captain Schoenberg, said to-day that would not surrender. pected the ship to lose himself and his crew.

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### Captain of German Cruiser Expects Defeat.

Honolulu, Sept. 1.—The German cruiser Nürnberg will leave port this evening, cleared for action, to meet the Australian warships Australia and Warrego. The two British men-of-war to-day accompanied the British collier Strathdale to the three-mile limit here, and are reported waiting outside.

Captain Schoenburg, of the Nürnberg, said to-day that the Nürnberg would not surrender, and that he expected the ship to be the coffin for himself and his crew.

### "Teach Them to Shoot" Says Kitchener.

London, Sept. 3.—"Never mind whether they know anything about drill. It does not matter if they don't know their right foot from their left. Teach them how to shoot and do it quickly."

These are instructions which Lord Kitchener gave the officers who are engaged in the work of getting his second army light on the situation. It's a race against time.

### British Labor Men Urge Recruiting

London, Sept. 3.—The Parliamentary Committee of the Trades Congress has issued a manifesto expressing approval of the efforts which the Labor members in the House of Commons are making, in conjunction with the representatives of other parties, to stimulate recruiting.

The manifesto states that in the event of the voluntary system of military service proving inadequate at the present time, the need would result in greatly strengthening the advocacy of compulsory service. Accordingly, the manhood of the nation should rally to the defence of the country in such numbers as "will demonstrate to the world that a free people can rise to the supreme height of great sacrifice without the whip of conscription."

### Trading with the Enemy.

The meaning of the proclamation against trading with the enemy is officially explained as follows: "The important thing is where the foreign trader lives and not his nationality. There is no objection to trade with German or Austrian firms in neutral or British territory. Trade with the branch of a hostile firm in neutral or British territory is permissible so long as its head office is not involved.

Contracts with firms in hostile countries cannot be performed and payments ought not to be made during the war. There is no objection to paying for goods delivered or services rendered before the war.—Daily Mail.

### The Other Kitchener.

Lord Kitchener, our new War Minister, has a brother—General Walter Kitchener, acting as Governor and Commander-in-Chief of Bermuda. When in South Africa he had occasion to rebuke two Canadians, and the men seemed to resent the interference.

"Perhaps you do not know who I am?" said Walter Kitchener, who was in mufti.

"No; who are you?" asked one of the Colonials.

"General Kitchener, and I shall expect you to report yourselves at my tent in the morning."

One of the Colonials laughed scornfully at this.

"Why, we have had old Kitchener's picture on the wood-shed at home ever since he whacked the niggers at Omdurman, and you are as 'muen like him as I am!" he said.

"The wood-shed saved him," General Kitchener, remarked at the end of the tale.

### Brave Deed of Duke of Westminster.

London, Sept. 3.—The Duke of Westminster has distinguished himself on the battlefield. He was in a company with Captain Grenfell and Lieutenant Percy Wyndham, son of Countess Grosvenor, during a hot engagement when Grenfell fell wounded. At great personal risk, amid a galling fire, the Duke rushed through the battle zone and carried Grenfell to safety.

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## War Notes.

Mrs. Collis, a widow, of Epsom, whose husband was a soldier, has seven sons on active service.

In response to Mr. Bramwell Booth's appeal, 500 officers of the Salvation Army have volunteered for Red Cross work. Miss Murray, brigadier in the Salvation Army, will have charge of the foreign service contingent.

From a return made to the Church Lads' Brigade headquarters. It appears that over 3,000 officers, warrant officers, and elder lads have been called to the colours, and are now serving in the Army, the Navy, or the Territorial Force.

A Marching Hint.—I have done a good deal of walking, and have discovered that a simple remedy which prevents one's feet from getting tired and soothes them very considerably is to soap thoroughly the inside of one's stockings or socks before putting them on. It is almost certain that soap can be obtained where probably ointment could not, and it is easy to carry about. I would ask any of your readers who see this letter, or are able to get into touch with the soldiers at the front, to mention this to them, as it may save them perhaps some pain on their weary marches.—Joyce M. Gibson.

T. P. O'Connor, M.P., says: "It is evident now that Germany has to count on a war which will not be finished by any coups, however successful, on French soil, and that England, as in the days of Pitt's struggle with Napoleon, will go on and yet on, forming combinations until German militarism and overlordship of Europe are brought to the end. It is possible that in the meantime English army after army may have to dash itself against German guns, but another army will follow, until they have finally exhausted the foe."

The Boston Herald says: "The week which has just closed witnessed an extraordinary change in American sentiment toward the combatants, if the press of the country affords any test. There was a good measure of neutrality at the start, in the shape of a judicious attitude of mind, reinforced by the President's proclamation. But Germany's course in Belgium has powerfully affected American sentiment until to-day the great newspapers of cosmopolitan New York are speaking out with an emphasis that cannot be misunderstood."

Belgium is the first country to make a wide use of the services of the Boy Scouts in time of war. In Brussels they are employed as despatch riders between the various departments of the State; as orderlies at the numerous depots of the Red Cross organization; as "policemen" they patrol the streets during the day and in case of any disturbance can at once summon assistance; and upward of a hundred are daily collecting money for the Red Cross Society, and for the various funds started for the relief of the families of the men at the front. There are to-day some 4,500 Boy Scouts in Belgium—2,000 in the organization based on the lines of the English Boy Scouts, and 1,500 belonging to the Catholic Brigade.

The Boston Transcript says: "Outside of Germany and Austria the war seems to have come with the swiftness of a cloudburst and even less warning. Yet within the jurisdiction of the dual monarchies all was preparation many days before the storm burst. Here is an interesting bit of testimony to this effect from an American lady who was spending the summer at Bad Nauheim: 'On July 2nd my doctor told me he had orders to make the big Kursaal ready for a hospital, and that his two sons—officers in the army—had already received sealed orders.' And this is the war which we are assured was forced upon Germany at the end of July."

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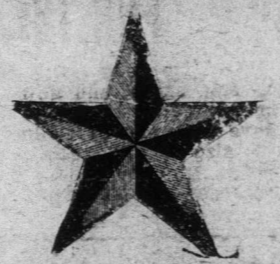
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