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Calendar for Feb., 1900.

MOON'S CHANGES.
First Quarter, 8th, 6h. 10.6m. a. m.
Full Moon, 14th, 5h. 12.8m. a. m.
Last Quarter, 22nd, 5h. 56.7m. a. m.
New Moon, 29th, 3h. 37.7m. a. m.

Day of Week	Sun rises	Sun sets	Moon rises	High Water
1 Thursday	7 26 5	8 3	11 16	0 0
2 Friday	7 25 5	8 34	0 39	0 0
3 Saturday	7 24 5	8 35	1 30	0 0
4 Sunday	7 23 5	8 36	2 22	0 0
5 Monday	7 22 5	8 37	3 15	0 0
6 Tuesday	7 21 5	8 38	4 9	0 0
7 Wednesday	7 20 5	8 39	5 4	0 0
8 Thursday	7 19 5	8 40	6 5	0 0
9 Friday	7 18 5	8 41	7 33	0 0
10 Saturday	7 17 5	8 42	8 47	0 0
11 Sunday	7 16 5	8 43	9 16	0 0
12 Monday	7 15 5	8 44	10 4	0 0
13 Tuesday	7 14 5	8 45	11 15	0 0
14 Wednesday	7 13 5	8 46	11 42	0 0
15 Thursday	7 12 5	8 47	11 43	0 0
16 Friday	7 11 5	8 48	11 42	0 0
17 Saturday	7 10 5	8 49	11 42	0 0
18 Sunday	7 9 5	8 50	11 42	0 0
19 Monday	6 59	8 51	11 42	0 0
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26 Monday	6 52	8 58	11 42	0 0
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28 Wednesday	6 50	9 0	11 42	0 0



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MR. CHARLTON'S REPENTANCE.

Those who remember "John Charlton of Michigan" of three or four years ago when he proposed to sacrifice imperial interests and even British connection for the sake of closer trade union with the United States would be surprised to find that no Government supporter and no opposition member exceeds him in the exuberance of his loyalty. He was willing to vote anything that might be necessary for this war, and declared that it was Canada's war as much as Britain's. Not satisfied with affirming his own loyalty, he proceeded to lecture the opposition and even went so far as to call Hon. Edward Blake a craven and a traitor. He did it by declaring that the Redmond resolution proposed in the British house of commons, and supported by Mr. Blake and the other Irish Home Rule members, was "a resolution of cravens actuated by treasonable feelings." When one recalls the fact that only eight years ago Mr. Blake withdrew from the liberal party of Canada, because he believed that the commercial union policy of which Mr. Charlton was one of the authors, was a policy of treason to the Empire, it may be found difficult to decide which of the two public men is the more correct in his opinion of the other.

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for the older Laurier if he were free to express an opinion.

Mr. Ross Robertson reminded the Premier that he had pronounced Canada a nation, and asked him why he did not propose that Canada should pay her own troops like a nation. He admitted that a century ago some nations had hired out their army for other countries to pay, but he thought that Canadians were not Hessians. "When the day of reckoning comes," he said, "and it will come soon if this Government is alive to see it, Canada should ask for the vouchers and give Britain a cheque for every dollar spent by the Mother Country on the Canadian troops."

DISCOVERED IN THE HOUSE.

The state of affairs was made pretty clear by the discussion in the House on Tuesday. General Hutton was then in town, but it was known that he had received orders to go. Col. Prior brought up the matter, saying that he was sorry the country was losing this able officer at a time when our soldiers were going to the front. He spoke in high terms of General Hutton's qualifications and services, and observed that his departure would be doubly unfortunate if it were true that he had gone on account of trouble with the Government. Dr. Borden said not a word, and the Premier only begged members to leave the matter where it was and suffer General Hutton to depart in peace.

Sir Charles Tupper agreed that it would be well for the House to wait until fuller information was at hand before discussing the matter.

A FIERCE ATTACK.

These considerations did not affect Colonel Domville, M. P., who poured out a perfect tirade of abuse on the departing General. The New Brunswick colonial declared that General Hutton had received no appointment for Africa. He accused Colonel Prior of attempting to "cover the General's tracks" charged that the late commander had been a failure in Australia, and had never held any imperial position longer than a few months. "I am not pro-Boer," said Colonel Domville "although in one way I would rather select a Boer General than such an officer as General Hutton." He went on to attack British officers who "assumed positions that they are not qualified for" and accused the General of "dictating to ministers" Colonel Domville made it appear that General Hutton had been sent away by the Laurier Government.

NOT A KIND WORD.

This rather brutal attack from the Government side was a distinct challenge. Mr. McNeill, Dr. Montague Collette Tisdale, Dr. Sprolton, Mr. Foster, Mr. Ouler, Sir Adolphe Caron and Clarke Wallace were among those who responded with kindly and appreciative words. Some of them reserved judgment as to the case of Colonel Sam Hughes, which was not yet understood, but all testified to General Hutton's ability and zeal and his strong desire to make the Canadian militia a credit and strength to the country, and a power for the defence of the Empire. Mr. Foster and Mr. McNeill expressed surprise that after the statements of their supporters, and after the distinct charge that General Hutton had been forced by the Government to leave Canada, his own ministry who had worked beside him and who knew his worth, had not a sentence of appreciation, or a single kindly word or generous sentiment to express for his departing comrade Dr. Borden could not keep silence longer, and rose to his feet. When he had finished his remarks he had not given expression to a single word on behalf of General Hutton or in protest against the attack on him. His whole speech was a "defense of himself against the charge of partisanship."

THE SEND OFF.

Not wanting in kindness were the farewell words spoken at two great banquets given at Ottawa to the general, one by his friends of the Rideau Club, and one by the officers of the militia. Speaking to the friends who offered the highest tributes to his worth General Hutton spoke modestly of the services that he had performed and the greater services that he had hoped to perform if he had been permitted to complete his term. His only reference to the government followed the statement that he had tried to com-

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GENERAL HUTTON'S BANISHMENT.

Last October, while the Government was still realising the impulse of Canadians to help the Empire in Africa, Mr. Tarte seems to have suspected that General Hutton was encouraging the agitation. His organ, La Patrie therefore issued a peremptory order for the General to quit.

Here is an extract from the semi-official warning:

"The Commandant is named by the Imperial Government but paid by the tax payers of Canada. It does not belong to him to deal with the Military or civil policy of the Government. He is simply an executive officer. All attempts to assume any other role can have no other result than his recall to England. There must be no misunderstanding about this. The General we hope has no such purpose. Above all we hope that he has not taken it into his head to enter into such an adventure with the Government of this country. For if such were the case he would get out of here very quickly and with much the worst of it."

THE MORE CARRIED OUT.

Not having the fear of Mr. Tarte before his eyes General Hutton proceeded with his adventure and has organized two contingents. When the first one went away, the General said that Canada could if necessary send many times that number. Then La Patrie fell foul of him again, On Saturday last the announcement was made that the General had been recalled, and a few hours later it was known that the Canadian Government had demanded his recall, or in other words had driven him out of his position. He will have a chance to serve in Africa, but no one supposes for a moment that he has been recalled for that purpose. The fact is that General Hutton has sought to keep the military end of the administration free from political influences. Moreover he is an imperialist, and was rather enthusiastic in his desire to have Canada strongly represented in the war. As an ardent Briton he has come into conflict with Mr. Tarte, and as

THE SECOND DAY'S DEBATE.

When the discussion was continued on Friday Mr. Davin had the floor. He replied to the arguments of Bourassa and Monet, but pointed out that these gentlemen were simply following the course laid down by the Premier himself. Sir Wilfrid had only once in his career as Prime Minister expressed a positive opinion. That was when he took strong and positive ground against sending a contingent to Africa. A few days later he treated this opinion with the contempt that it deserved, but it was not surprising that one of his more independent followers should prefer the Laurier of October 4th to the Laurier of October 14th. Mr. Davin thinks that the Premier himself would prefer

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JAMES McISAAC, Editor & Proprietor.

THE editor of the Patriot says the humor of the HERALD makes him laugh. Any humor in the HERALD's remarks was caused by the Patriot's folly.

In our obituary column to-day will be found notice of the death of Mrs. Captain Cameron. Mrs. Cameron was a daughter of the late Henry Longworth of Glynwood, and had been married about ten years.

THE unity and sympathy which bind together the different portions of the vast British Empire were wonderfully exemplified by the shifting scenes at the theatre of war in South Africa, within the past week.

THE casualties in the ranks of the Canadian volunteers serving in South Africa, referred to in the war news which we publish this week, furnish cause for widespread sorrow and profound sympathy for the relatives and friends of those brave young men who so cheerfully responded to the call of duty and died in the Empire's cause.

FROM time to time since the steamer Minto commenced this season's navigation of the Straits, testimonials setting forth her great qualities have appeared in the Patriot newspaper.

THE reptile press. Sir Wilfrid Laurier, in the debate on the address, spoke of what he called the "reptile press." This term was formerly applied by Sir Wilfrid's friends to those papers which not only printed and advertised using the same rule, we find the following in the reptile list, according to the latest report from the Auditor-General.

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model, the machinery and the ice-breaking power of the Minto and the Stanley. It is not impossible that half these passengers were seasick, especially the women; consequently the public must be excused from believing that they were in a position to contribute anything of value to nautical architecture or engineering science.

AT OTTAWA.

plete the organization of a truly national militia, free from party political control. He would have more confidence in the future, he said, if the government showed the slightest interest in his patriotic scheme, or any desire to assist in carrying it out.

TRANSPORTATION.

A great part of two private members' days has been devoted to a discussion of the grain transportation question between the lakes and the sea board. It came up on a motion of Mr. Bennett of Simcoe who proposed a resolution calling for the adoption of some definite line of action with the view of centering the traffic in Canadian Channels.

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Cronje Surrenders!

Details of the Fighting During the past Week and the Surrender of Gen. Cronje's Army to Lord Roberts.

From the meagre details that have come through it seems that on the 18th a portion of the Canadian contingent forced the Modder River after a night march and were engaged the whole day.

On Thursday Lord Minto received the following message from Lord Roberts: "Paardeberg, Feb. 23.—The Canadian Regiment has done admirable service since its arrival in South Africa."

SUNDAY'S FIGHTING.

It is somewhat difficult to explain Sunday's action, in which all the British forces were engaged and in which General Cronje, under difficult conditions, managed to hold his own.

MONDAY'S FIGHTING.

Early on Monday morning General Cronje asked for a 24 hours armistice in order to bury his dead, Lord Kitchener refused and a little later came another message with word that if the British were Johnson enough to refuse an armistice for the purpose of burying the dead.

TUESDAY'S FIGHTING.

To-day, Tuesday, was the third day of General Cronje's imprisonment and grim resistance. Early this morning the infantry engaged the enemy in the bed of the river and drove him back a short distance.

SHIRTS SOFT Fancy Shirts. Our new Fancy Shirts arrived last Saturday night. They were made by one of Canada's best shirt makers and are correct in every detail.

SLUMP IN PRICES. 2365 yards of OXFORD TWEEDS. FOR 30 DAYS. We offer to those who have not tested the wearing qualities of the Celebrated Oxford Tweeds.

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Caring for the women and children who were panic-stricken, and in expectation of some awful punishment.

LOCAL AND OTHER ITEMS. The prospects for the Newfoundland sealers are good, as it is an open season and thousands of seals are in the northern bays of the island.

DIED. In this city, on Feb 21st, Eliza Penelope the beloved wife of Capt. Alex. Cameron aged 44 years.

LOCAL AND OTHER ITEMS. The S. S. Pomeranian with part of the second contingent reached Cape Town on Monday.

LATEST. Buller has captured Pieter's Hill, principal position of Boers, and captured 60 prisoners, British loss heavy.

THE NOBLEST MIND. The best contentment has. Yet, however noble in mind, no man or woman can have perfect contentment without physical health.

At the City Hospital, Boston, on Feb. 11th, and interred at Mount Hope Cemetery, on the 14th, Christie Stewart, widow of the late Duncan Stewart, of Montague, P. E. Island.

STAMPED MATS.—Twelve hundred stamped mats newest and latest designs. Call in and pick out yours. Prices and quality right.—Weeks & Co. The People's Store.

Obituary. The body of Miss Nellie F. F. Garty who died in the City Hospital, Worcester, Mass., Feb. 19th, was brought to the Island for burial arriving at Cardigan Station Thursday evening Feb 22nd in charge of her two sisters, where a large number of friends and neighbors of the deceased were in waiting to receive it.

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NOTICE. IS HEREBY GIVEN that application will be made to the Parliament of Canada at the next session thereof, for an Act to incorporate a Religious Society to be called and known as "The Religious Society of the Church of Christ."

JOHN McKenna's saloon on Queen Street was entered Friday night, and about half a dozen bottles of whiskey taken. An entrance was made by breaking a large pane of glass over the door.

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C. M. B. A.—A very successful and largely attended entertainment, musical, literary and social, was held under the auspices of Branch 216, C. M. B. A., Charlottetown, on Monday evening last.

Rev. Alfred A. Sinnott was ordained priest in the church of St. Apollonia, Rome, on the morning of Sunday the 13th inst., and celebrated his first mass in the Berghese Chapel of St. Mary Major's Basilica at eight o'clock on the following morning.

ADVANCES from Mexico report fierce fighting between the Yaqui Indians and Mexican troops. According to a despatch of the 26th inst., the Mexican troops have saved the town of Guymas from the Yaquis. Over two hundred Mexicans were killed in this fight.

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On Friday last, the sad intelligence was received in this city that Dr. Joseph Creamer had died in Brooklyn, N. Y. after a brief illness of pneumonia.

A MAY giving his name as William J. Barnes called at Dodd & Rogers hardware store a few days ago, and selected a quantity of nails and other goods to the value of \$28 and tendered in payment a cheque for \$42.

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CHAPTER XXI.—(Continued.)

"You need have no fears on that score, my good man," Father Montmoulin replied, "God will reward you for the kindness you have shown me. Oblige me, if you can, by taking my farewell greeting to my mother and sister in the Rue de la Colombe. It seems as if I was to be hurried away so soon that I shall not have a chance of seeing them again. It is perhaps better that it should be so. How it would grieve my poor mother to see me in these clothes. Please tell them I shall remember them every day in my prayers."

The entrance of the sergeant put an end to the conversation. Father Montmoulin was conducted into the presence of the Governor, who read the rules aloud to him, and warned him that in case he should make his escape, and be taken again on French territory, he would be publicly branded, and condemned to compulsory labor for life. He was then taken by an escort of police to the prison van; one constable got in with him, the sergeant mounted the box of the driver, and away they went out of the prison courtyard to the railway station.

The news that the priest had been pardoned, and was to be removed to Marsailles, soon got abroad in the town, and a crowd of the lowest of the people collected at the station to indulge in a few parting insults, since they could no longer hope to see him on the scaffold. When the prison van drew up outside the station, it was greeted with groans and hisses. The police had some difficulty in getting the prisoner out in safety.

"String him 'up' to the nearest lamp-post," the people shouted, and a shower of stones was flying at the unoffending clergyman. One stone, thrown by a street Arab, struck him in the face, so that the blood began to flow; the police were obliged to hurry him into the building by a side door, and across the platform to the carriage awaiting him, before the doors were opened to the public. A basin of water had to be fetched to wash the blood off his face. It chanced that the guard who brought it was the very man who at the trial had tendered evidence so disastrous to the prisoner, namely, that the socialist had "gone off" by train on that momentous night.

The man started when he recognized the priest. "Sir, I said what I certainly believed to be the truth at the time," he said. "Since then I have had misgivings, I may have been mistaken. Forgive me if my evidence injured your cause." "I have forgiven you and everyone else long ago," Father Montmoulin replied, holding out his hand to the man.

The train soon started on its way. Through the iron bars of the narrow window of the compartment set apart for the transport of convicts, in which Father Montmoulin travelled, he saw the towers of Aix once more, and behind them the rocky heights of Ste Victoire, at the foot of which his own parish lay, which, as he thought, he was never again to behold in this life.

He felt as if his heart would break so overwhelming was his grief. Till now, since he received the pardon,

he had not had time to think over and realize his fate. Now he could do so undisturbed, for the sergeant opposite him sat silent, smoking a short pipe. He had imagined all so different for himself, the short passage to the scaffold, the last absolution pronounced by the priest as he ascended the steps, a final declaration of his innocence before the assembled multitude; then quick, almost painless death, and after that the entrance upon eternal felicity, on which the teaching of the church permitted him confidentially to count. And now, on account of the miserable pardon, just as he thought he was nearing the haven of peace, he was flung back amid the tempestuous waves of the ocean of life.

And what life! "Unhappy man that I am," he said to himself, "I was not worthy of the glorious crown towards which I presumptuously ventured to stretch out my hand." For the first time he fully realized the awful burden which the seal of confession lays on a priest. He felt it in his case to be intolerable, and a kind of desperation came over him. With all the force that faith gave him he endeavored to struggle against it; and though his will was steadfast during this storm of temptation, he could not help feeling its terrible bitterness. Everything seemed to him a disgust and a weariness, and the wish arose within his soul: "Would that some accident would happen to this train, and all could be ended, once and forever."

But the devout priest checked this involuntary thought, and exclaimed with the St. Peter: "Lord save me, or I perish!" And then he had recourse to prayer. In this dark night of desolation bordering on despair, the words of the Psalmist rose to his lips; the cry of a soul in dire distress sorrowful even unto death. "Out of the depths I have cried to thee, O Lord; Lord hear my voice. Let thine ears be attentive to the voice of my supplication." "Save me, O God, for the waters are come in, even unto my soul. I stick fast in the mire of the deep; and there is no sure standing. I am come into the depths of the sea, and a tempest hath overwhelmed me. I have labored with crying; my jaws are become hoarse; my eyes have failed while I hope in my God."

Gradually peace returned to the troubled soul. The temptation departed, grace conquered; and Father Montmoulin was able to make his further oblation of himself to God. It did not become easy, for was it bereft of its exceeding bitterness; but it was rendered less difficult, less appalling, by the remembrance of the Redeemer, who for our sakes drank its dregs the chalice of suffering, and endured the cruel death of the Cross.

CHAPTER XXII.

NEW CALEDONIA.

Father Montmoulin had not represented his lot to himself in very brilliant colors on the way to Marsailles; but on arriving there, he found the reality worse than he anticipated.

In the prison at Marsailles, where he remained a few days awaiting the arrival of the ship, he had a foretaste of what he would have to endure on the voyage. Till then he had been in solitary confinement, and nothing had interrupted his thoughts and prayers. Here he was penned in a common room with over a hundred other convicts, and was not alone for a single moment. And what company was he in? The scum of society; thieves, burglars,

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forgers, murderers, anarchists—the lowest and vilest of mankind. Even the sight of all these countenances bearing the stamp of vice and moral degradation was painful in the extreme. And then to hear their filthy conversation, the oaths and blasphemies whereby they gave utterance to their hatred of God and man!

With the quick perception of the criminal, his fellow convicts knew instantly that the fresh arrival who, pale and horror struck, was thrust in among them, was not one of them. Consequently everyone felt him to be an enemy.

"Hallo!" cried a brutal-looking fellow from Lyons, who had killed his wife in a fit of intoxication, staring him with vulgar curiosity, "what a sweet creature we have got here! Look at his smooth hands, I bet he has never earned two-pence in all his life! And look at his face! It looks like the saints one sees in the prayer-books!"

"It makes me sick to see him," interposed a burglar from Toulon, "he smells of incense and wax candles! Dence take me if he is not a scoundrel or even—"

"A priest, sure enough!" exclaimed a Paris pickpocket, who had got behind the new comer. "Do you not see the place where his tonsure has been? What a joke! His reverence shall preach some of his sermons to us, and sing a High Mass for our benefit."

"A priest, a parson," they roared and shouted. One began to howl a requiem, another knelt down and began a mock confession for the entertainment of his fellows, saying such horrid things that the priest, in shocked astonishment, put his fingers to his ears; others inquired of him what good work he had done to be rewarded with the honor of their society. In a word, the oaths and revilings on all sides resembled nothing, the unhappy Vicar of Ste Victoire thought, but the torture a lost soul endures in the company of the damned. "This is hell upon earth," he said to himself with a shudder.

He spent five days in prison at Marsailles before the convicts were embarked on board the transport ship Durance. Chained together in couples they marched through the streets, with a strong escort of police, down to the harbor. On the way thither, Father Montmoulin saw a priest with whom he was acquainted, coming out of a church; the priest scanned the ranks of the convicts as they filed past him with a sorrowful expression; he was evidently looking to see if the priest of Ste. Victoire was among them; for his supposed crime and his pardon were known far and wide by means of the daily papers. At length his eyes fell on the object of his search; he recognized him more through his timid, shamed-faced demeanor than from his features, for the calamity that had overtaken him had altered and aged him sadly. The priest's countenance changed, and he raised his hands with a gesture of dismay. A blush of shame dyed Father Montmoulin's cheeks; he cast down his eyes, that was the last expression of sympathy that he would meet with for many a long day.

On board the Durance the convicts were confined in the hold, packed closely together, and chained at their benches to rings in the side of the vessel. As long as the vessel remained in the harbor they were not allowed to go on deck. Fancy all these men full of hatred and every evil passion, shut up together in this narrow, and almost dark space! And when after many weary hours had elapsed, the engine began to throb and the screw to revolve, and the steamer, getting into open water began to roll as the waves, driven by a stiff southwest wind, broke against its sides, sea sickness, miserable enough under any circumstances, made itself felt in the crowded hold, the state of things became deplorable indeed. What Father Montmoulin had to suffer in the company of those degraded criminals beggars description.

Happily after a few days of almost insufferable misery, calmer weather set in, and the convicts were allowed to go on deck for at least several hours. The Durance had passed through the Isthmus of Suez, and was steaming South down the Red Sea. The heat increased day by day, and in the hold of the steamer it was hardly to be borne. Whenever the order was given to the prisoner's to go back to that ill-ventilated, unsavory place of confinement, Father Montmoulin felt as if he could endure his lot no longer. Already three of his unfortunate fellow-sufferers had thrown themselves overboard, in order to escape from their misery, and if the priest's faith in God, the sole disposer of life and death, and his belief in a life to come had been less firmly rooted, he also would have scarcely been able to resist the temptation of self destruction.

Presently, when the vessel had reached the Indian Ocean, and was pursuing its course over the wide expanse of waters towards the South coast of Australia, Father Montmoulin became seriously ill, so that the ship's doctor ordered him to have a better berth assigned to him, apart from the other convicts. For weeks he hovered between life and death in high fever. The doctor watching by his side when he was delirious, was

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astonished at the pure and pious fancies that flitted across the diseased brain of his patient. He thought he was preaching in his parish church on the subject of the seal of the confessional, or he was catechising the school children, and again confession and the secrecy to be observed was the theme of his instructions; or he was talking to his mother with filial affection and simplicity; once in his wanderings he fancied himself in Court, and cried excitedly: "They will condemn me, and I cannot! I dare not say who did it." The doctor felt convinced that the man was innocent, and intimated as much to the Captain, very emphatically. The Captain shrugged his shoulders and said, "Number 5,348 is the parish priest of Ste. Victoire, who was tried for murder. I read the whole account of the trial in the Figaro, and no doubt of his guilt was left on my mind. I confess it seems highly improbable that a man could keep up the part of a deceiver in a state of delirium. But granted that he were innocent, we could do nothing to alter his lot. You could not induce a Court of Justice in France to try the case over again on your psychological grounds."

"But we ought perhaps to do something to make his lot less hard," the doctor replied.

"I can do nothing. I have the command of the ship, and I do not meddle in other men's business. If you chose, you can speak to the commandant of the jail on the island, to whom I have to hand over the other convicts, but I warn you, you will do so at the risk of being laughed to scorn." Then the Captain turned on his heel, and went off to his own cabin.

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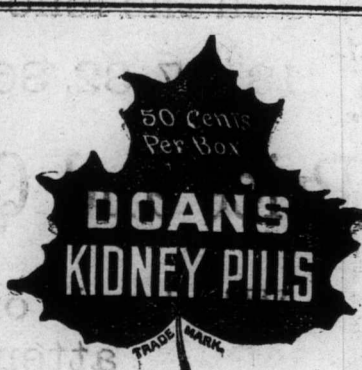
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