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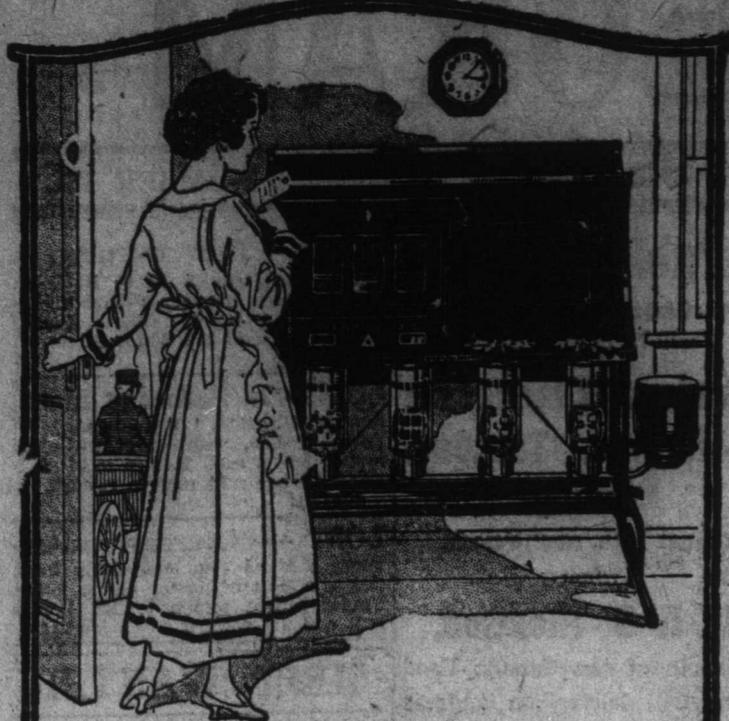
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CHAPTER X

ONLY A GOOD FOR NOTHING.

"Better stay where you are, Ken-drick. The change of air is doing you much good," is the grave reply. "It won't hurt you to be away from the studios and picture galleries for a time. Don't be in too great a hurry to desert the camps of Philistia, my dear fellow."

Somewhat, time seems to drag very heavily with me after the doctor's departure. Not that so much of his company has fallen to my share, however; for ever since the occurrence of that mysterious little incident in the garden, which has made so deep an impression on my mind, he had seemed to avoid me, and yet I am missing him more than I can express.

In other respects, things are going on very quietly at Deepdene—too quietly, I think, a little discontentedly, at times.

Len, who spends much less time in his studio than formerly, is not just now the most entertaining companion one could desire. He works or idles at the suggestion of a whim, rather than with the old, firm-set purpose so characteristic of him a few weeks back, and he has fallen into the habit of strolling away almost every day, with his sketchbook under his arm, for long excursions among the beautiful Devonshire woods.

These excursions, I am aware, from more sources than one, generally lead to the rectory parlor at Foxton, and end with an afternoon's flirtation with Miss Clitheroe, whose reputation as a beauty and coquette does not tend to set my mind much at ease about my brother.

As to Addie, engrossed by her writing and Ernest Warden—who, although no positive engagement as yet exists between them, has quite taken the tone of a lover, and seems jealous of her every word and thought—she leaves me so much to my own devices that I am beginning to consider the advisability of getting up some little counter excitement of my own, just to prevent me from becoming melancholy.

My housekeeping duties are not very onerous, either. Mrs. Martin, who, together with the unknown inmate of Ivy Cottage, is a greater mystery to me than ever, still continues to pay us periodical visits of assistance. As to visitors, though a few people

besides the Clitheroes have called upon us, they are not sufficiently numerous or interesting to take up much of my time and thoughts, which I am vainly casting about in my mind for some means of turning to profitable account.

If I could only hit upon some means of earning money! I am willing and able to work; but the question is, what can I do?

I know what I should like to do, if I could only have my own way about it. Deep down in my heart of hearts lies a secret ambition—burning desire to go on the stage and storm the world as a second Bernhardt.

This inspiration in an unfortunate moment of confidence I one day communicate to Len, who, wheeling sharply round from the easel at which he is at work, lays down his palette and brushes, and looks me over from head to foot, with a comical twinkle in his eyes that inspires me with an intense longing to box his ears.

"Is there nothing else, in a reasonable way, that you would like?" he asks. "Come, now, Lesley, don't be modest. Couldn't you fancy the crown of England, or any other trifle of that sort, while you are about it? Never be backward in announcing your desires. Believe in yourself, and other people will come to believe in you, also. Depend upon it, the world is much more apt to take us upon our own valuation than some folks are disposed to suspect. Only blow your trumpet loud enough and long enough, or get some one else to blow it for you, and people will come to the conclusion that there must be something in you, or you would never make so much noise in the world."

I am disgusted with Len! Why will he persist in always laughing at all my ambitions and pet aspirations?

If it were Addie, now, who had said what I had said, how differently he would have taken it!

That Addie is to make her mark in the world, and become a famous and successful woman some day, he never seems to doubt; but I—

I wonder what Len does consider me good for? Tears of vexation start to my eyes, and half offended, I turn away, without a word.

"Little simpleton!" my brother exclaims, as, catching me by the arm, he draws me back to his side in the old petting way that would make me forgive him anything. "Don't you know, dear, that I should be sorry, indeed, did I not think there was a happier fate than that in store for you? Ah, Lesley, it is a long and weary road that leads to fame, and every step of it uphill, no matter how you travel it—a road that I am glad to think one of my sisters will never

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CHAPTER XI

WHEN LOVE ENTERS.

I feel that a change—a terrible change—is approaching in our life. There is a strange, new, aching pain at my heart, and I have a premonition of coming disaster.

Whenever I think of Len and Addie, I am compelled to wish that we had never come to Deepdene.

Perhaps that is a very selfish wish, but for the last few months we three have been as one; and now, if I am any judge of symptoms, our happy little trio is soon to be broken up.

And what is to become of me when Addie and Len have married, I cannot conceive.

That Adelaide and Ernest Warden are in love with each other I guess from the first, and now!

of affairs between my brother and Gwendolen Clitheroe is scarcely less apparent.

Poor Len has changed remarkably. All his former careless freedom has vanished. Love has done this, for it is easy to see that he is hopelessly irretrievably in love with the rector's beautiful daughter.

Had she been a different woman than the shallow, worthless creature that I, could have borne it believed; but deep down in my soul I feel that Gwendolen Clitheroe is quite unworthy of the love of a man like my brother Leonard, in spite of the fact that most people would have regarded the sacrifice as all on the other side.

With her beauty, her ambition, and many advantages, Miss Clitheroe might certainly have done better, in a worldly point of view, than accept the attentions of a poor artist, with nothing but his own efforts to trust to in future, I admit; as I stand passively by, day by day, watching the growth of the mad passion with which she is exerting every will and fascination in her power to inspire him;

and yet the thought that she is unworthy of him still remains. I spite of her beautiful face and graceful manners, I can read her as only a woman can read another.

It is a cool, shady retreat, in which Len very often comes to smoke his beloved pipe and indulge in day-dreams; and, on reaching the spot, I find him already there before me, busy at work making a sketch of the distant Priory ruins, of which the spot affords an excellent view.

He gives me a nod and a smile as I take my seat a few yards off; and with rather a puzzled glance at my formidable packet of manuscript papers, goes on with his sketching in silence.

It is a lovely day and a lovely spot with nothing save the buzz of insects and the song of birds to disturb its quiet; but I am not thinking of my surroundings just now, my mind is too full of "Dark Deeds," as I have decided upon calling my unwritten romance, and in a few minutes I am scribbling away, as if for dear life, at a graphic description of my hero, who is to be handsome, brave, and noble, as no man ever was before, and desperately in love with the fair and faultless Lady Gladys Carew, who despises him on account of his lowly birth.

By and by Len gets up and strolls away, for a better view of the ruin, probably. But I am too much engrossed in literature to pay much attention to Len's movements; and, as he does not come back very quickly, I become so deeply absorbed in my work that I forget him entirely, until the smell of tobacco smoke and the sound of a step on the soft grass behind me informs me at last that he has returned.

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WAR REVIEW.

The Germans have materially stiffened their defence against the British, American and French troops on the Picardy battlefield, but they have been unable to stem the tide of advance against them. Although the forward push of the Allies has been slowed down somewhat they have made further important progress from the mouth of the Somme, where the Americans and British are fighting together, and on the northern bank of the Oise River where the French troops are engaging the enemy. The Americans and their British brothers in arms at last accounts were pressing closely upon Bray-Sur-Somme aided by tanks and armored cars which inflicted heavy casualties on the enemy as he endeavored to retard their progress across the River. The Germans heavily engaged the British at Lihons and its vicinity and at one point pierced the British line and gained the outskirts of Lihons. A counter attack, however, entirely restored the British line and the enemy retired to positions east and north of the village. Unofficial reports from London have credited the British with entering Chaulnes and British cavalry with a penetration of the enemy's territory almost to Nesles. These reports, however, have received no official verification. By far the greatest progress has been made by the French from the region immediately southwest and south of Roye to the Oise River. There they have driven their line well across the Roys Commune Road and at Cambrai have reached the road leading from Compigne to Noyon. Since the capture of Mont Didier, the French have penetrated eastward after their capture of Mont Didier at midday to Cannay-Sur-Matz, more than eight and a half miles, and through the hilly region southward to the Oise have averaged gains exceeding six miles over a front of twelve miles. The stiffening of the German defence does not, in the minds of observers on the battlefield, indicate that the retreat of the enemy has ended, rather it is assumed that these manoeuvres are similar to those carried out over the Maine front when strong rearguards covered the retirement of the Crown Prince's armies northward. The smoke of large fires continue to be seen far behind the enemy's lines, and movement of long transport columns eastward are considered evidence that it is the intention of the enemy ultimately to retire to new lines of defence. Aviators have destroyed all the bridges across the Somme from the region of Peronne southward, and with the enemy communicating lines here in the hands of the Allies or dominated by their guns, the rearguard movement necessarily must be slow, therefore strong rearguard actions are required to save large numbers of men and guns and enormous quantities of stores from capture by the Allied troops. The Allies are gradually encircling Roye, and its capture which seems imminent, will greatly heighten the difficulties of the Germans in falling back. Intensive air fighting is proceeding over the battle lines. On Friday, thirty-nine German machines were destroyed and twenty-two driven down out of control. The British war office acknowledges that twenty-three British machines are missing. Unofficial estimates bring the number of guns captured to more than 500. On the Vesle front the Germans on the northern side of the stream are reported to be entrenching and stretching barbed wire over the territory, where they are taunting the French and Americans.

MONT DIDIER FALLEN.

LONDON, Aug. 10. Mont Didier fell to the French first army, which had been operating south of that place, according to the British war announcement to-night. Many prisoners and great quantities of material were taken by the French. The statement follows: The attack launched yesterday evening in accordance

with the Allied plans of operation, on our right, by the French First Army south of Mont Didier, was developed by our Allies this morning with complete success. Enveloped from the north and from the southeast, Mont Didier fell into the hands of the French before midday, together with many prisoners and great quantities of material. During the remainder of the day the advance of the French First Army continues with the cooperation of the French army on its right, and the right wing of the British Fourth Army pressing hard on the retreating German troops. South of Lihons the British troops have overcome the enemy resistance and made substantial progress. The general line reached by the Allied troops now runs virtually north and south from Lihons to Fresney-les-Roye, Leignieres and Conchy-les-Pots. The number of prisoners was increased. During yesterday evening and last night the French troops continued their progress along the entire front between the Aire and the Oise. Further south they penetrated the wooded region between the Matz and the Oise, reaching the outskirts of Laberlire and Gury. They took Moreuil, Lamotte, and realized an advance of three kilometers in the region to the north of Chevriencourt. The general line reached by the Allies in the Albert-Mont-Didier sector now runs from Lihons to Fresney-les-Roye, Leignieres and Conchy-les-Pots.

PRISONERS AND GUNS TAKEN.

PARIS, Aug. 11. The number of prisoners taken so far in the Allied offensive in Picardy is now estimated at 56,000, including more than 1,000 officers. More than 500 guns have been captured, according to the latest advices. The French advancing eastward after their capture of Mont Didier at midday have advanced their lines to an average depth of six miles of the front extending from Andechy, which is seven miles northeast of Mont Didier, to Elincourt, lying ten miles southeast of the captured city, according to the war office statement issued to-night.

GERMAN REARGUARDS FIGHTING DESPERATELY.

PARIS, Aug. 10. The retreat of Von Hutier's army is showing the utmost haste. Much war material is being left behind. The German rearguards are fighting desperately.

CHAULNES CAPTURED.

LONDON, Aug. 11. Chaulnes, the important railway town in the heart of the Somme battlefield, and the key to the southern line of the German salient, has been captured by the Allies. The capture was effected by the Australian and Canadian troops. Further progress was made last night by the British on their left flank north of the Somme. The line was advanced here between Bray and Bernancourt, 4½ miles to the northeast, the war office announced to-day. On the right centre of the Allied front, the French have pushed forward on the right bank of the Aire and have reached the outskirts of Lechelle Staurin, seven miles northeast of Mont Didier.

ALLIES CONTINUE ADVANCE.

WITH THE BRITISH ARMY IN FRANCE, Aug. 11.—The Allied forces continued their victorious advance all along the line last night, and to-day were pushing into the general direction of the upper reaches of the Somme. They were smashing the stiff resistance interposed by the rearguard of the retreating Germans, the bulk of whom, according to reports considered reliable, are fleeing in disorder. British cavalry was reported this afternoon operating close to the town of Nesle, which is six miles southeast of Chaulnes. Many hours ago the British, French and American troops had reached roughly the old lines held by the Germans before their retirement to the Hindenburg line. They have now pushed beyond in many places. Gouycourt, two miles northwest of Roye, is reported to have fallen to British troops four hours ago.

ON THE ITALIAN FRONT.

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FRENCH FOLLOW UP SUCCESSES.

ON THE FRENCH FRONT IN FRANCE, Aug. 11. (Havas Agency.)

French troops to-day continued to follow up their successes, pushing far east of Mont Didier, and taking many additional prisoners and enemy guns. The retreat of the Germans has been disorderly, harassed as they were by the French cavalry and armored cars. They have been making vain efforts to disengage themselves from the French pursuit.

CUTTING OFF RETREAT.

PARIS, Aug. 11. All the bridges across the Somme between Peronne and Ham, a stretch of about 15 miles, have been destroyed by Allied aviators. The Germans have been attempting to throw temporary bridges across the stream, and the Allies' airmen are now systematically bombing these improvised structures.

WILL HOLD ON IF POSSIBLE.

WITH THE AMERICAN ARMY ON THE VESLE, Aug. 11.—Aerial observers have reported that the enemy is stringing barbed wire along the hills northwest of Fismes. Allied officers

expressed the belief that the Germans will not give ground here unless they are deliberately pushed off the plateau.

GERMAN DEFENCE STIFFENING.

WITH THE FRENCH ARMY IN FRANCE, Aug. 11.—The German defence was stiffening this morning in the region southwest of Noyon, but the French nevertheless gained a stronger foothold on the heights of Thiecourt. There are indications that Von Hutier is organizing a line of resistance on the general front of Roye, Lassigny and Noyon to protect the withdrawal of the great masses of munitions and supplies gathered to the rear and to ease up a retreat which is becoming more difficult to keep in hand.

STATEMENTS NOT EXAGGERATED.

PARIS, Aug. 10. (Havas Agency)—Several newspapers hint this morning that the official statements issued by the war office are purposely reticent, and that very interesting news might be made public if the war office chose to do so. They say that the number of prisoners is actually far above the figures authoritatively announced. Because the Allies gained all their objectives it is possible the enemy does not know where he was beaten by the British and French. It is, therefore, inadvisable to disclose exactly where the Allies are operating. It may be said, however, that the British infantry and tanks reached the points they intended to attain and this morning are holding consolidated lines along the front. The Allied forces captured many towns, large quantities of materiel and a complete German divisional headquarters and staff. This headquarters was captured at Lihons. The number of prisoners this morning is close to 25,000. North of the Somme the Allies after taking Chilly spur, have gone on driving the enemy before them. Numerous tanks and "whippets" assisted the advancing infantry to smother the enemy's resistance. Further south the French advanced rapidly and increased the number of prisoners as they pushed their line forward. Last night British airplanes dropped large quantities of bombs in areas behind the Germans. The Germans are now well back toward the Somme south of Peronne. With this stream at their back and the Allies' guns and airplanes pouring shells into the crossings over the Somme, the position of the enemy is serious.

ALLIED CASUALTIES.

LONDON, Aug. 10. (Havas Agency)

The Allied casualties, including all the killed, wounded and missing, are less than six thousand, or not more than one-fourth of the number of prisoners counted.

ADDITIONAL GUNS TAKEN.

LONDON, Aug. 10. One hundred additional German guns have been taken by the Allies.

ARTILLERY AND PATROLS ACTIVE.

ARMY OF THE EAST, Aug. 11.

The artillery and patrols have been very active on the Strumat-Vardar Rivers and on the Serbian front. An English detachment has made a successful raid on the Bulgarian lines west of Lake Doiran.

LONG RANGE CANNON SILENCED.

LONDON, Aug. 11.

The long range cannon with which the Germans have intermittently bombarded Paris for more than four months, have now been silent for two days. This fact may be explained by the Allied advance toward Noyon and Guise 6½ miles north of Noyon whence the recent firing is said to have been proceeding, as these localities are now endangered by the French forward push.

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EASTERN FRONT.

KIEV, Aug. 10.

The Russian army has captured the town of Krasnopol, 15 miles west of Kiev, and is threatening the town of Poltava, 25 miles west of Krasnopol. The Russians are reported to be advancing rapidly.

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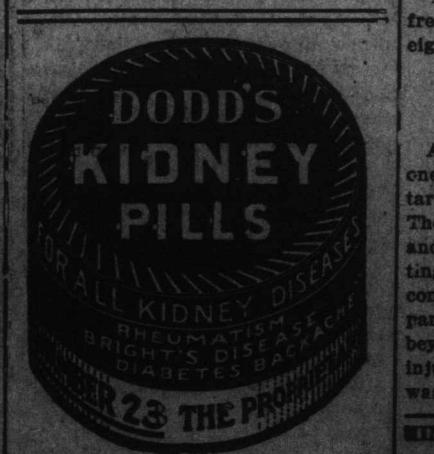
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Evening Telegram

W. J. HERDER, Proprietor
C. T. JAMES, Editor

MONDAY, Aug. 12th, 1918.

The Week's War.

The feeling of exultation over the series of defeats inflicted on the Germans by the Allies last week, and the cabled advices of the enemy being forced to retreat from positions which he had so long held, continues, and there is rejoicing because at last the turn of the tide appears to be at hand. The offensive-defensive of the Commander in Chief of the Allied armies was such a surprise to the German General Staff, that it left them up in the air. There was nothing in their military text books covering anything of this nature, and as no provision had been made for such a contingency, a "strategic retreat" was made to serve. By this precipitate retirement, the famous salient from Soissons to Reims has been almost, if not quite, wiped out, and Fismes that great storehouse of the enemy, from which he drew his supplies, and used as a safe base, has fallen into the hands of the Allies. Early in the week the German armies had retreated across the Vesle River, the French pursuing forces crossing it in four places. All through the succeeding days the Allied forces have been harassing the enemy at all points, along the line of the drive which he started on July 15th. Towns and villages have been recaptured and heavy losses inflicted on the Huns as they evacuated position after position. The number of prisoners taken is variously estimated, but there is no actual figure at hand, and until the official statement is issued from the War Office we can only conjecture the total from the reports, but as these sometimes overlap each other, individual calculations are apt to over-reach the correct tallies, hence it would be unwise to attempt a totting up. In addition to the prisoners, many guns of all calibres and a vast amount of munitions and supplies have been added to the Allies bag, both guns and stores having been abandoned by the Germans, a fact which gives colour to the report that at many points their retreat must have become a rout, for no army retiring at leisure leaves its supplies to fall into the hands of its pursuers. Another important feature which must be considered as evidence that the enemy is in a hurry to escape the closing of Foch's pincers, is that all the guns left behind are in good condition. Were his retirement orderly, even in the face of superior numbers, abandoned canon would be rendered useless, and ammunition destroyed. That such has not been the case is strongly indicative of the precipitation of the withdrawal from positions which the Allied advance has made untenable. The tremendous captures of guns shows more than anything else could do the weakening morale of the German soldiers. It is an axiom of all armies that guns must always be saved, or if not, rendered useless to the enemy. More deeds of heroism have been done by British artilliers in carrying off their guns or destroying them, when in a tight corner, than were ever written of and to lose a cannon was an everlasting disgrace. Of Wellington it was said by a poet laureate that "though he won a thousand fights, ne'er lost an English gun." And the saving of the

guns came to be a tradition, always maintained.

The death toll taken of the enemy during last week's fighting was enormous. Bodies of men and horses strewed the ground, in the open places, and in the villages bombarded, and machine gun nests captured, the dead were found lying as they fell. The capture of Montdidier after some furious fighting was an important gain for the Allies, this town being approximately the apex of the German salient, south of the Somme. Its occupation by the Allies, dominating, as it does the line between that town and Noyon, will be of immense advantage, and a late message announces that the German General von Hutte is already retreating from that line. In this he is assuming the risk of being surrounded and cut off by the French, who have already begun a movement south east of the captured position, and unless the German strategy is superior to that of the French, the former may find himself in a cul de sac.

In the operations on the Western Front, the aerial service of the Allies has performed some wonderful work. Aviators have bombed many villages occupied by the enemy, have bombed trains, bridges and troop movements, and have kept the intelligence department supplied with information concerning the dispositions of enemy formations, and taken numerous photographs of his positions and gun emplacements, beside fighting off enemy planes from making observations of the Allies lines.

In the Italian and Eastern theatres no fighting of great proportions was engaged in, the operations being mainly patrol and artillery activity, with nothing to report. During the week nothing has come from Palestine or Mesopotamia. The Russian situation has not been improved greatly. A new Government has been formed at Archangel, which proclaims itself to be working for the restoration of real democracy in that country.

German submarines, working in conjunction, on this side the Atlantic, succeeded in getting five sailing vessels, one of them a Newfoundland schooner belonging to Burin. The daring of the Commanders of these boats is strikingly exemplified in their operating so near the Nova Scotian coast, within short distance of Halifax, which is a naval port and depot. Whether there are, as has been suggested, hidden bases in the Bay of Fundy for these craft, or whether they are supplied with information by resident enemies, is conjectural. In any case their presence in our waters is a menace to shipping and life. At the same time there is every confidence that the naval authorities have taken measures to restrict the powers of the U-boats to do more harm and we should not be surprised if early news does not advise the destruction of the "sea wolves" by the efficient patrol of the Atlantic seaboard.

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A HANDSOME SHIP. — What is about the handsome vessel that has put in this port for some time now lies at Crobie's wharf. She is American, was built less than a year ago, 129 tons net, has an auxiliary engine and is perfectly fitted for local trade. It is likely that some one will purchase her in this country.

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Wedding Bells

DUFF—ROBERTSON.

This afternoon at Long Branch, Edna Jean, younger daughter of Dr. and Mrs. Robertson, was married to Mr. R. Maxwell Duff, eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Duff, of Harbour Grace, Newfoundland. At twelve-thirty the bride entered the prettily decorated room on the arm of her father, who also officiated at the ceremony. The bridal procession was led by Master Robert Holloway and Miss Macil Holloway, nephew and niece of the bride, who acted as flower girl and ring-bearer. The bride wore a simple gown of white Georgette crepe, prettily beaded in white and silver, and carried a shower bouquet of swansons and sweethearts. Her veil was held in place by three bands of orange blossoms, and a spray of white heather. The groom's gift to the bride was a lavaliere of amethyst and pearls, while the two tiny maidens he gave gold rings. Mrs. Stanley Wallace, of Ottawa, wearing her wedding gown of shell pink satin and large picture hat, played the wedding music. The wedding breakfast was served in the living room, which was attractively decorated with palms, "mums" asters, and baby's breath. The bride's cake, which was surmounted by an artillery arc, circled by shells, in honor of her soldier brother, was cut by a trophy bayonet taken in France by her brother-in-law, the late Lieut. R. P. Holloway, Intelligence Officer of the Royal Newfoundland Regiment. Shortly after the ceremony Mr. and Mrs. Duff left for a short trip to the Thousand Islands, the bride travelling in a suit of black and white, a gift sent direct from France by her soldier brother. Mr. and Mrs. Duff will live in Toronto.—Toronto Daily News, Aug. 3rd.

Corporal Allan B. White

KILLED IN FRANCE JULY 15th.

On Saturday night a message was received from Boston by Mrs. W. J. Budgen, to the effect that her nephew, Corporal Allan Boyd White, of the United States Army, had been killed in action in France on July 15th. No other particulars were received. Corporal White was a son of the late William White (who before going to Boston, resided with his family on Alexander Street) and a grandson of the late well-known Capt. White of the brig. Devon. Corporal White was about 22 years old, and sailed with the first contingent of American soldiers to go to France. He was a member of the National Guards, and had a good position in Boston when the call came. He is another Newfoundland man who has paid the price of liberty and his widowed mother will have the sympathy of her many friends in this city.

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An Appreciation.

Editor Evening Telegram.

Dear Sir,—We, the undersigned N. C. O's. and men of the Blue Puttee Draft, which arrived from France on Thursday last, wish to express through your paper our great appreciation of the services rendered on our behalf by Hon. J. R. Bennett, Minister of Militia, in obtaining furlough for us, in spite of considerable opposition on the part of certain authorities. Leave was only arranged through a private interview with Field-Marshal Haig at General Headquarters after other efforts through various channels had failed.

We would also refer with gratitude to the splendid arrangements which were made by Mr. Bennett in the matter of transportation, everything possible having been done to make our journey as comfortable and speedy as possible. We are decidedly of the opinion that Mr. Bennett's visit to England and France was of inestimable value to our men on active service, and we think that our Regiment would be greatly benefited by having a permanent representative in England. All the Colonial Forces have permanent representation there, and their various interests are continually looked after, but our Regiment has no such representation, except on the occasion of a visit such as Mr. Bennett has recently made.

Thanking you for space, we are yours truly,

Signed:—C. E. White, R.S.M.; T. C. Carmichael, C.S.M.; P. T. Samson, C.S.M.; F. LeGrove, C.S.M.; W. J. Eaton, Staff-Sergt.; V. Taylor, C.Q.M.S.; L. Harant, C.Q.M.S.; F. Walsh, C.Q.M.S.; A. Hammond, Sergt.; W. Taylor, Sergt.; J. Stacey, Sergt.; J. Dunn, Sergt.; H. Heater, Sergt.; H. Burridge, Corp.; R. Full, Corp.; R. Martin, Corp.; G. Collier, Corp.; S. Skiffington, Corp.; J. Fowlow, Corp.; S. Flander, Corp.; W. Newell, Corp.; F. Leglow, Corp.; W. Wood, Corp.; D. Lewis, Corp.; J. Kavanagh, Abbott; H. Morris, Corp.; A. E. Slade, Corp.; H. Hibbs, Corp.; A. Nicoll, Corp.; G. Nicol, Corp.; A. Muller, Corp.; F. Colbourne, Corp.; W. Motte, Corp.; W. Harnett, Corp.; A. Hennebury, Corp.; G. Walsh, Corp.; C. Peet, Corp.; E. Pike, Corp.; H. Spry, Corp.; C. Hammon, Corp.; J. Snow, Corp.

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MONDAY, Aug. 12, 1918.

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Casualty List.

RECEIVED AUGUST 12th, 1918.

Died as a "Prisoner of War" Beaufort of Accident—Atherton, Letter from No. 174 Corp.; A. P. Hartley, June 16th—No. Other Particulars Given 2486—Pte. Herbert Belbin, Country Path, Bay Roberts.

At Wandsworth.

3438—Pte. Ronald J. Saunders, Cove, Fogo. Previously reported.

J. R. BENNETT, Minister of Militia.

SCHOOL REPORT.—We acknowledge with thanks, receipt of the report of Public Schools in Newfoundland, 1917-18, from the Board of Education, including the Districts of Harbor Grace. Both Dr. Burke and Mr. R. K. Kennedy, the Superintendents of Education, are to be complimented on the thoroughness of their work and for the many valuable suggestions advanced.

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RAPS!

To-Day's
Messages.
10.00 A. M.

CHANGE IMMINENT.

LONDON, Aug. 10.
The German newspapers to-day admit that the situation in Russia is so critical that a change of government may come any day, according to a Copenhagen despatch to the Exchange Telegraph Company.

CHRONIC FAMINE.

LONDON, Aug. 10.
Germany's unrestricted submarine warfare could neither keep the army of the United States from taking part in the battles on the fields of France, nor break the will of the Allies to continue the war, is the admission made by the Munich Post, a copy of which has been received here. The Post takes exception to the word "unfavorable" in describing the food situation in Germany, and says "chronic famine" would be nearer the truth.

EX-EMPEROR LEAVING RUSSIA.

ROME, Aug. 11.
The Pope has taken steps to assist out of Russia the former Empress Alexandra Alix and her four daughters.

CONSULS RELEASED.

PARIS, Aug. 11.
A despatch here from Stockholm says that as a result of the efforts of Swedish representatives in Moscow, the British and French Consuls who were recently arrested by order of the Bolsheviks have been released.

FOR HOME CONSUMPTION.

THIS HAGUE, To-day.
"Events between the Somme and the Avre constitute the first defeat of Berlin," says the Deutsche Zeitung of Berlin.

NO SUPPORT FROM BRITAIN.

LONDON, Aug. 10.
Great Britain will not support any party in the Finnish revolution, and does not intend to assist any Russian army to enter Finland, or to support a civil war there, the British Minister to Stockholm having handed to the Finnish Minister there a note to that effect in reply to a note from the Finnish Government, according to an Exchange Telegraph Despatch from Copenhagen. The British note declared that Great Britain had no aggressive plans against Finland.

ALL SWORD FISHING VESSELS.

BOSTON, Aug. 11.
Fishermen here said to-night that apparently all of the nine schooners sunk by a German submarine on George's Banks to-day were small sword fishers. The vessels were valued at from \$5,000 to \$12,000 each.

TOWN BURNED.

AMSTERDAM, Aug. 11.
The Ukrainian town of Rosissine in the Government of Kiev, has been completely burned, according to the Weser Zeitung of Bremen. Numerous families were made homeless and destitute.

AVIATORS' GREAT WORK.

LONDON, Aug. 11.
The official communication dealing with aviation issued this evening follows: On Aug. 10th there was intense fighting in the air mainly over the hat area. Forty-one enemy machines were destroyed during the day, and twenty were driven down out of control. Twenty-four of our men are missing. Twenty-three and one half tons of bombs were dropped by our airmen in the course of the day, and thirty-one tons principally upon bridges and stations in the Somme valley during the following night. The work of destruction and observation for artillery was actively carried on along the whole front, while cooperation with the other arms in the battle has been actively continued. The amount of small arm ammunition fired from the air upon retreating enemy troops and trains has been almost all recent records. On the night of Aug. 10-11, two hostile night bombing machines were brought down by us. The first was a giant German machine with five engines and a heavy load of bombs. Anti-aircraft fire has also shot down several enemy machines during the last two days. On the morning of the 11th inst., our squadrons attacked the railway station at Karlsruhe and a hostile aerodrome. Clouds hindered observation but one large bomb was seen to hit the station.

THE UMPIRE.

"Oh! gee you bare-faced robber" someone hollers from the stand. Another says, "You jobber, Hawormales ought have you caned." "You'd steal a man's last nickel," howls another guy. "You gunman it would tickle me to soak you in the eye." Then lawyers, clerks and brokers yell, "They ought to have you pinched." While ministers and stockers tell the Ump he should be lynched. Infuriated matrons cry "He cheats at all the games." And then the bleacher matrons sigh "He's worse than Jesus James." And so through every city comes the cry of "crook" and "chump." Alas, it seems a pity, but there's no one loves the Ump. If he calls a hit a double he's a yeggman on the sly. If he says it's foul, there's trouble and he ought to go and die. He says that Blimp stole second home, he says that Blimp stole second home. A Kaffies out of work. If he calls him "out" it's reckoned that he's just a soft-thrust Turk. If he says the pitcher's spitter was a strike his work is rank. If he gives it to the hitters as a "ball" he'd rob a bank. But in spite of his failing, have a heart, O fans, pray. Cease your rabid cruel wailing tho' he calls 'em "wring, each day. Have compassion on the Umpire, the he calls "strike" a "ball." For, tho' you may not believe it, he is human after all.

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The new sleeves are cut a bit too long, so that they may wrinkle after all.

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PHONE 20.

Boat Cut Down.

Some people along the waterfront on the south side this morning witnessed what nearly amounted to a tragedy. A small punt was being rowed down the harbour by two young lads, and a large barge coming up rounded a large vessel which hitherto had hidden from the boys, and the boys from her, and swinging around the vessel's stern crashed into the punt, which sank immediately, leaving the boys struggling in the water. Meanwhile the engine of the barge was reversed and ropes were thrown to the boys in the water who luckily enough, grasped them, and were hauled aboard. Beyond the loss of the punt which, we understand, was old, and not very valuable, the lads sustained no injury. We would suggest that all barges or craft above a specified size, should be compelled to carry a horn, whistle or something else of like description, so that they could sound a warning when rounding anchored craft.

SPAIN TO TAKE A HAND.

MADRID, Aug. 11.
The Council of Ministers, presided over by King Alfonso, met to-day to consider the question of foreign relations and especially the situation between Spain and Germany resulting from the torpedoing of Spanish vessels at Karlsruhe causing an explosion. Fighting took place during most of the outward and return journeys, as a result of which, one of our machines was driven down and three hostile machines were driven down out of control.

Police Court.

A young woman for assaulting another had to furnish bonds for amount of \$100.

A man, found to be insane, was sent to the Asylum.

A number of men for driving carts without licenses were fined costs.

A number of men for driving trucks without licenses were each fined \$1 and costs.

For England.

On August 4th, 1914, Great Britain declared war against Germany, in support of the sacredness of the treaty pledging the inviolability of Belgium to the alliance with France, and in defense of the rights and interests of the British Empire. The cause of England has turned out to be the cause of the whole free world.

I longed to go to England,
And walk along the downs,
To see the little English towns.
Where all the brave young English
hearts

Once lived for which they died;
I longed to go to England,
I longed to go to England

And share her sorrowing pride.

They lived so strong for England,

Those poets, grave and gay,

They died so young for England,

They're dying every day—

The haunting music of their songs

Their braver hearts will tell.

They gave for England,

Because they fought for England,

Because they died for England,

And died, oh, none so well!

—Julia Whilton, in Scribner's Magazine for August.

Archbishop**Roche Leaves.**

Archbishop Roche went out yesterday to spend a two weeks vacation in St. George's. It will be the guest of Bishop Power.

Here and There.

A Garden Party will be held at Portugal Cove on Wednesday, August 14th, in aid of the New R. C. Church.—Aug. 8, 61.

CAPE RACE, To-day.

Wind S. W. fresh, weather clear;

several large schooners passed in during this a.m. Bar. 29.65; thur. 64.

ASKING QUESTIONS.

THE HAGUE, Aug. 12.

German newspapers are asking pointed questions concerning reverses in the west, and are caustic in their comments.

TRAIN MOVEMENTS.

Saturday's west bound train arrived at Port aux Basques on time yesterday.

Yesterday's west bound left Millerton Junction at 5:55 a.m.

Yesterday's eastbound left Arnolds Cove at 8:45 a.m.

The shore train, and the Trepassey train arrived on time this morning.

On No. 1. We are not going out of business, as is rumored about town, but we anticipate a substantial increase as time goes on. Whilst I will not be always in attendance myself, the various branches will be conducted by trusted people who know their work thoroughly. R. H. TREPASSEY.—Aug. 12, 21.

CONGRATULATIONS. — We must congratulate the Municipal Council on getting away some of the great pile of clay that is lying on the west side of the Court House, facing Water Street. If we can get another few loads taken from it, within a month, we will be well pleased.

EXPRESS PASSENGERS. — The following first class passengers are on the incoming express:—Mrs. W. Strang and 2 children, H. R. Roodhouse, W. W. Chisholm, Jno. C. Penny, J. G. Stone, G. J. Keough, Dr. and Mrs. Weeks, A. A. Chisholm, F. Veilorrow, L. and Mrs. Chafe, Mrs. Glennie and daughter, Miss A. Billard, Mrs. F. Fisher, A. E. Hickman, L. R. Lemon, F. V. Chace, Capt. A. Scott, Miss L. Combe, Miss K. Newman, G. A. Partridge, H. Y. Mott.

IN MEMORIAL.

In loving memory of Pte. Carl Reid,

1st Nfld. Regt., who was killed somewhere in France, August 12th, 1916, at the age of 21 years, son of Caleb and the late Jane Reid.

The voice we loved is stilled,

The place made vacant in our home

Can never more be filled.

Our Father in His wisdom called

The boon his love had given.

And though on earth the body lies

The soul is safe in heaven.

At 1 a.m. to-day, Olive May O'Brien,

beloved wife of John Donovan, aged 21; funeral on Wednesday, at 2:30 p.m. from her father's residence, 32 Lime Street.

ASK FOR MINARD'S AND TAKE NO

TIME.

Salt & Pickled Herring

Although there has been some hesitation on the part of herring merchants in New York in accepting Alaska-Scotch cured herring at the prices at which it has been offering, the market is now known that this Eastern market will command a place in the profitable experiences of those who ventured to purchase large supplies of this herring a year ago bears promise of being duplicated in New York during the rest of the present season. Those who have anticipated similar results appear to be prepared to handle Alaska herring, while others continue to hold off, perhaps to play the part of observers for another year. It is interesting to note that Maine Scotch cured packed herring at the price of August 11th, £1.60, formerly a New York herring merchant and now with the Bureau of Fisheries, does not show up well. Samples exhibited in New York within the past few weeks were somewhat disappointing to him. The quality of the herring cured Scotch style which has been coming forward from Provincetown. The quality of the Maine fish cannot be considered as comparable with that from Cape Cod, although fish is large and shows some food value. The cure, too, seemed to me to be faulty. British Columbian herring have not attracted much attention here because of the inferior quality. Split and round herring are in only fair demand in the local trade, but New York factors are the ones who buy the best.

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room or repair, repair you need also don't forget to see your boiler is O.K. before the fall sets in, and be like the wise and like the foolish servant.

REMEMBER,

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in the bath or

repair or

or supervises my own work.

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Four years ago you could purchase from any Tailor a Custom Made Suit for \$18.00 and up. To-day a similar made Suit will cost you from \$50.00 up, and not an easy matter to get what you would like at that. But why should you worry when you can get a Ready-made Suit that has all the **STYLE, FINISH AND APPEARANCE** of a Custom Made Suit and at a pre-war price. As a special inducement we offer for ONE WEEK ONLY OUR STOCK OF MEN'S AND BOYS' READY-MADES AT REDUCED PRICES. **STRICTLY CASH.**

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Regular Price \$15.00. Now	\$13.50
Regular Price \$18.00. Now	\$16.50
Regular Price \$21.00. Now	\$19.50
Regular Price \$21.50. Now	\$20.00
Regular Price \$22.00. Now	\$20.50
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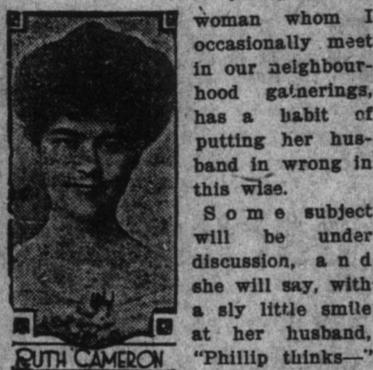
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MARSHALL BROS.

On Correcting Husbands.

By RUTH CAMERON.



A young married woman whom I occasionally meet in our neighbourhood gatherings, has a habit of putting her husband in wrong in this wise. Some subject will be under discussion, and she will say, with a sly little smile at her husband, "Phillip thinks—" and then quotes some opinion very much at variance with the opinions that the people present have been expressing.

Whereupon her husband, with a heightened color and an air of evident discomfort, will try to explain and justify the opinion which she has expressed for him.

An Opinion He Expressed in Private.

Plainly, the opinion is one which he has expressed in private to her. (Moreover, it is evidently not one which he cared to bring forth in public at that time, else he would have done it for himself.) Furthermore, it is probably presented in a much blunter form than he would have put; and sometimes, I suspect from the qualifications he hastens to make, it is given a different twist from its original meaning.

Easy to Reconstruct Their Argument.

It is very easy, from this little dialogue, to reconstruct the argument they must have held in private and to imagine the wife's feeling of triumph at having thus put him in the wrong.

One wonders if she would feel quite triumphant if she could realize the resentment and sense of injustice she is unquestionably creating every time she does that.

I do not believe in correcting a child, or a husband, in public.

It never pays. It creates too much resentment. Besides, it is uncomfortable for the public. Nobody loves a quarrelsome couple or a couple who are always giving each other sly digs in the presence of others. It doesn't help create a feeling of festivity or add to the gaiety of nations.

The Bully Who Thinks His Wife Should Not Have Opinions.

One wife is clever enough to tact-

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YOUR NECK.

There is nothing about a woman that tells her age as much as her neck and when it is beautiful it is one of her most seductive charms. Why is it that so many women who take the greatest care of their complexion and their appearance generally will not look below the chin for faults?

If your neck is scrawny, caco butter is efficacious in filling out the hollows of the neck. Rub all the skin off with a clean cloth when you have finished massaging and apply a little pure powder to keep from soiling the neckbands of your clothes. In drying and rubbing your neck, rub from the top downward.

If your neck is brown or discolored there are a number of things you may use to bleach it. But there is nothing better than lemon juice and water. One woman I know who has a lovely neck always keeps a half lemon on her wash stand. Just before she dries her neck every day she merely rubs a little lemon juice on it.

Those collars are responsible for many unsightly necks. When you consider how close the connection is be-

Victory, Not Peace.

The enemy has exhibited every ounce of his strength in the great offensives against the Western Allies beginning late in March, when the work of withdrawing every available man and gun from Russia had been accomplished. With an accumulation of artillery probably never equalled even in this war, with a great local superiority in infantry and with an utterly reckless disregard for the safety of the soldiers, he made the assault which the leaders had promised their people would end in decisive victory. But the movement failed, failed to attain any decisive objective and losses were suffered so gigantic as to make new records in the world combat. The nation and its rulers placed their hopes on peace in those assaults, and the utter failure to break through the Allied lines coupled with the recoil before the Allied counter-attack are certain to lead to another series of peace proposals designed to set one Ally against another and to appeal to the weariness of the Entente peoples. To listen to any such peace proposals would be supreme folly. Russia and Rumania acceded to such peace proposals to their own utter ruin and provided for all time an evidence of the utter untrustworthiness of any agreement which leaves the Junker and the military chiefs in the saddle, which leaves their prestige unshaken and would enable the Military Oligarchy to tell the people that the Prussian form of Government and the submissive discipline have enabled them to triumph against a world in arms, and that the continuance of this Rulership and discipline are necessary to preserve the integrity of the nation. No abiding agreement can be made with the Hun as long as the present form and personnel of Government obtain — a fact which makes all peace talk futile. In other words, a change of Government in Germany must precede any peace that is worth the name. The smashing victory over Russia confirmed the military chiefs in power and for the time being paralysed all popular movement towards reform. The case from within seems hopeless enough at present, and so the struggle must go on in the hope that the Hun will be so completely beaten that Hohenzollern prestige will be gone and with it Hohenzollern power. Realizing how every day of the war's continuance means added horror, added sacrifice, added debt and increased danger of civil commotions, no man wishes to see the war unnecessarily prolonged for a single hour. This can be taken for granted, but it is not the whole consideration. If there was the likelihood of the struggle continuing for many years more without changing the relative position of the belligerents, the continuance of a mere mutual and endless killing would not be defensible. This is not the case, however. Time is on the side of the Allies. Their population from which to draw soldiers is much greater. Their wealth is vastly greater and their resources in every way enormously superior, and as time goes by this superiority must and will become decisive. America alone can put more men into the field than Germany and all her allies combined, and America is in the war to the end. The continuance of the struggle therefore, if need be for years, means the inevitable defeat of the Hun, while to make any sort of a compromise peace at the present time would mean an undefeated Germany, a Military Government immovably in power at Berlin and a nation preparing for another and more dangerous assault on the world's liberty within

GOING DRY.

This land of ours is going dry, the groghops close their swinging doors, and soon the man who wants old rye will have to swim to foreign shores. John Barleycorn has met his fate, he's being pushed clear off the map, and we must learn to celebrate with sparkling water from the tap. There is no ginmill in the vale, there are no ginmills on the hills; dry people call for Adam's ale, and all themselves with babbling rills. The workman buys a home and lot with money that he used to blow for brimming bowls of liquid rot, that filled his head and soul with woe. Tired father laps up sparkling brooks, instead of seeking gilded halls, and has some coin to spend for books, and pictures for the parlor walls. The young man hits the village pond, when 'thirst has given him the blues; and then he buys a U.S. Bond, which is a better thing than booze. The war has killed the Demon Rum, has been a roar and deadly frost; and men will say, in years to come, the war was worth while it cost. The ginmill shuts its hatched doors, the red nosed patrons don't crowd in; the jewelled barkeep no more pours rainwater in the key of gin. The thirsty man thinks not of beer, but to the nearest hydrant tramps, and quaffs a dragon bright and clear, then buys himself War Savings Stamps.

The most fashionable frocks for small girls hang straight from the shoulders. A navy blue serge cape may have a capuchin collar and a wide hem of blue satin.

The new bathing robes may be made of Scotch plaid.

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the space of another generation. The men who talk peace at present are friends of German ambition or else blind to the military situation. We are not fighting for peace as the immediate objective. We are fighting for victory, for there is no power in Germany which can be trusted to make an honest and abiding peace.—Acadian Recorder.

Just Folks

by
Darcie Guest

A LITTLE TALK WITH NIETZSCHE.

Nietzsche, oh, where is your superman? What is he?

Where is your deep philosophical stuff?

What has become of the poison you spread?

What has been done to your doctrine of dread?

What has occurred to your marvelous dream?

Something has shattered your wonderful scheme.

Look at it now as it staggers and falls.

Look at it now. It is shot full of holes!

Gaze on your superman! See how he runs

From American dough boys who capture his run.

Nietzsche, they've shattered your piffle of gloom!

See your philosophy go to its doom!

Time was that dreamers said you were immense;

College professors who lacked com-

plexities;

Talked of the race that would some-

day arise

To govern the world and to order the skies—

Mentioned the mystery man to sur-

vey known mortal and every known class.

Look at your superman running away

From American dough boys in battal-

ion today!

Nietzsche! Too deeply the Kaiser has drunk

Of your poisonous, dizzying, brain-

storming bunk!

He was born, believed it, and thought

And now he is plunging headlong to his fate.

Oh, time was your system looked fine

And time has called you a wonder-

ful queen.

But never again will you turn a man's brain.

Never you'll set any monarch insane.

Never more in this world will your

Downy boys have knocked your philosophy cold.

The dough boys from Kansas and Michigan, too,

From Frisco and Dallis and Kal-

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Foch's Triumph Complete.

(From the New York Times.)

General Foch has practically disposed of the Rheims-Solsons salient, flattened it out, effaced it. In the form of a horseshoe it ran for eighty miles, little more than a fortnight ago; at its furthest sweep almost reaching Conde, south of the Marne. Epemay was in danger. Verdun likely to be cut off. It was remarkable how the Franco-American front held without breaking on the long exterior line. One cannot help thinking now that if General Foch had been operating on the inner side of the salient German tactics would not have availed against him—he would have disrupted the enemy's front and poured his forces through. It was a supreme test of his generalship when the tiring impeding disaster into a signal success that expanded with every day of fighting. He has taught the enemy that when they have to deal with him a salient can be stretched too far. General Foch more than any one else knows how great his debt to the Americans is for their obstinate stand at Chateau-Thierry, and for the vigor and ferocity of their counter attacks. "There shall not pass!" the watchword at Verdun, was adopted by the Americans. Confident that they would hold that key position, General Foch could afford to risk an assault in force at the western side of the salient. Had it failed, the fifth phase of the great German offensive would obviously have been such a triumph as might not have stopped short of the gates of Paris, and in all probability it would have isolated Verdun. Fortunately, General Foch was served by Lieutenant Petain and Mangin, who had a genius for the offensive not incomparable with his own endowment; happily the co-operation of the Americans in the ambitious movement was at all stages well-timed and effective, of a character that kindled the admiration of the French Commanders, and the British veterans, when called upon, did their part with the thoroughness and energy which the Germans had shown.

False Modesty.

has led many a suffering person to neglect the treatment of piles. The itching, stinging sensations produce the keenest distress. The thought of a surgical operation brings mental anxiety which undermines the general health.

Relief can always be obtained by the application of Dr. Chase's Ointment, and in most cases persistent treatment brings about complete cure. This ointment is worth trying when you think of the comfort to be obtained.

A No-decision War.

It is difficult to get at the "German mind." Apparently there is a Kaiser mind and a Kuehlmann mind. One day the Kaiser tells the German people that he is going to give them a speedy victory by the sword and the next day comes his Foreign Minister, who says: "In view of the magnitude of this war and the number of powers, including those from overseas, that are engaged, its end can hardly be expected through purely military decisions alone, and without recourse to diplomatic negotiations." The "powers engaged" were never more resolute than now for a decision by force of arms, and "those from overseas" will lay down their arms only when a "purely military decision" has been achieved. An earnest of this will be found in the fact that by Independence Day we had sent a million fighting men overseas and that, on the day, we launched nigh upon half a million tons of shipping to keep them supplied with all necessary food and equipment. Scientific American.

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Bacon in Glass.
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25 cases

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Tomatoes, 3 lb. tin...30c.

Boiled Oats...8c lb.

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Mystery Ships Accounting for Subs.

London, Aug. 6.—(Canadian Press despatch from Reuter's Limited)—Interesting revelations regarding the work of British mystery ships which have played an important part in anti-submarine warfare are made by the naval correspondent of the Times. They show how British seamen have been planned. It is to be noted, however, that the terrain lends itself to pursuit, and the enemy was German craft and cunning.

Until this week the public has known nothing about the mystery ships, known in the navy as "Q" ships, although several officers, notably Captain Gordon Campbell, have been decorated for their services on these vessels. Details now can be made public, as the Germans are becoming aware through bitter experience of the methods used against them.

How a "woman and baby" accounted for a U-boat is told by the correspondent. The submarine ordered a vessel to surrender, and fired a few shells into her. The boat then left the ship, leaving on board a woman who ran up and down the deck with a baby in her arms as if mad. The U-boat came alongside the vessel and the woman hurled the "baby" into the open hatch. The "baby" exploded and blew out the bottom of the submarine. The "woman" was decorated with the Victoria Cross.

The correspondent says that the first mention of a mystery ship was in the case of the Baralong, which on August 19, 1915, sank a U-boat after the torpedoing of the British liner Arabic. It will be remembered he says, that the German Government protested that there was nothing to indicate the Baralong's warlike character. The Baralong case was probably not the first in which a ruse was used, and since then the disguising of armed vessels as innocent merchantmen for dealing with submarines has attained considerable dimensions.

"Howls and moans" adds the naval correspondent, "went up in Germany about treachery of British seamen, but the German allegations curiously ceased at the beginning of 1916. These allegations afforded a typical example of German mentality for they ignored the fact that in every case the U-boat was an actual or potential assailant and any ruse of war is considered legitimate by them except when employed against Germany."

It should not be forgotten, he continues, that the Germans designed mystery ships for commerce destruction. The British commanders showed much ingenuity in devising plans for trapping submarines.

In addition to the "woman and baby" case the correspondent mentions the story of a retired Admiral, serving as a captain, who placed a haystack on board an ancient looking craft. When the U-boat ordered her to surrender the Germans were astonished to receive a broadside from the haystack.

On another occasion a seaworn tramp steamer was crossing the North Sea when a submarine ordered the crew to abandon the ship. So sure was the German of his prey that the bombs with which he intended to sink the vessel were brought on deck around the conning tower. The commander of the tramp steamer by carefully maneuvering brought the submarine within range of his concealed armament so that it required only a shell or two to explode the bombs and throw the U-boat out of the water.

Captain Gordon O. L. Campbell, then a commander, was decorated with the Victoria Cross and the D.S.O. in 1916, being the first to receive these orders without the nature of his heroic deed being made public.

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(From the Cleveland Plain Dealer.) For a hundred years the world wore knickerbockers for men would be "military," and those who dictate styles are not likely to forget that fact. There will be trouble, though, if the United States Government follows the French, Italian and British in the abandonment of military breeches and tries long trousers without puttees. The custom cutters it is to be feared, have broached their conservatism scheme to late.

Auto Collision.

While driving their auto along Duckworth Street yesterday morning, Dr. Duncan and his son narrowly escaped serious injury, when their car ran into an anti-freezing hydrant, as a result of the steering gear having become unmanageable. The hydrant snapped with the force of the collision, breaking it off with the water pipe leading to the main. Within a few minutes the street was flooded, and the water flowed along the street, and down McMurdo's Lane into Water Street. A phone message was quickly sent into the department, and one of the employees soon turned up; he turned off the water and plugged the broken pipe. The car, which was badly damaged, was driven to the rear near Smallwood's fa-

ce and now lies

Our American Letter.

BOSTON, Aug. 5.—Capt. McMahon, of the British Recruiting Mission at New York, in an interview published in the Boston Globe indignantly refutes the statement that Ireland has been a slacker in the war. According to British official figures, Ireland has contributed 59 per cent. of her manpower as against Canada's 25 per cent., and the number of Irish dead reaches an enormous total. He paints in glowing language the magnificent bravery of the Irish troops, Galloping and Glancing, and deplores the scant mention which the British press has accorded it.

The latest statement issued by the German tile factory is that Germany has saved 100,000 men to the ocean in large numbers in order that their food supplies may be disposed of by the U-boats later on. This means that Germany intends marooning several million American troops in Africa where they will either starve to death or be compelled to surrender. If the German people will believe such asinine stuff as this, they will believe anything.

The stage is set for the drama to be played in Siberia, Japan and the United States have agreed on interlocking zones of influence which will probably be sent across the Pacific before autumn. This move is calculated to upset Germany's dreams of empire in the East and is likely to shorten the war. The great danger is that Wilson will be drawn into the war. His denunciations of aggression are as scornful as they are effective, and we beseech the wretched law-breaker who calls forth his blighting rhetoric.

It is a beautiful idea which several American cities have taken up, this planting of oak trees in memory of the fallen. It is something which might well be adopted by St. John's—a city which has made little effort to beautify its thoroughfares by planting shade trees.

Personal.

Mr. W. A. McKay came in from Little Bay by Saturday's express to stay in the city a few days.

By this morning's train Judge Morris, of the Central District Court, left to spend a few days in Placentia. He was accompanied by Mrs. Morris and daughter, Mary, who recently returned from the other side to enjoy a brief furlough from nursing.

Mr. (Dr.) L. E. Keegan and Miss Kathleen Keegan, who have been on a visit to St. Pierre arrived in the city last Friday. They were accompanied by Mrs. Wiley, wife of the American Consul of that place, who will be the guest of Dr. and Mrs. Keegan during her stay here.

Mr. John P. Chetwynd, of Port aux Basques, arrived in the city by express yesterday. Mr. Chetwynd does a large business in fresh fish exportation at Port aux Basques and is an authority on the best methods of putting up our fish for the foreign markets.

Dr. and Mrs. H. A. Smith who have been spending a brief holiday in St. Pierre, returned late last week.

Dr. Tait Back Again.

Dr. J. S. Tait, who accompanied the last draft of soldiers to Canada, as Medical Officer, arrived by Saturday's express. During his absence Dr. Tait spent considerable time in Halifax, where he got a good insight into the building operations going on there now. While in that city he lunched with Lt.-Governor Grant, of N. S., and also the Mayor of the City. The doctor also spent a short time with the Newfoundlanders at Aldershot, and was the guest of headquarters staff while there.

Acknowledgment.

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Name of Place	Date.
Conche	August 31st
La Scie	September 2nd
Tilt Cove	September 3rd
Little Bay	September 4th
Grand Falls	September 6th
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Greenspond	September 13th and 14th
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