

# AMONG THE THEATRES

## Chit-Chat of the Play Houses in Sanford

### THE GARDEN OF ALLAH

Great Play Coming to Duval Theatre in January

Many times it has been said that The Garden of Allah, dramatized by Robert Hichens and Mary Anderson de Navarro, which comes to the Duval Theatre on January 7th and 8th for a limited engagement of two nights, is the desert dramatized.

It is more than that, however, for it tells the story of the renege monk in search of that "elusive something" that we call peace and happiness. Every human being is searching for that very same thing. That a monk, for many years shut up in a lonely monastery should decide to leave his peaceful surroundings and look for contentment elsewhere is the ground work of the story. That he should also discover, that despite a happy marriage, peace and contentment are only of the soul and not of the world, is not so strange that is a Catholic doctrine and one which a great many people subscribed to.

There is a wealth of beauty in the Lieber Company's production of The Garden of Allah, for they are mood creating as well as impressive to the eye. The very first panorama and the succeeding scenes, each in its own way suggests the locale, while the Arabs and Moors in their picturesque costumes, wandering to and fro, speaking their un-

intelligible language and suggesting the custom of their African homes give vividness to the action of this most stupendous production, which is replete with dramatic climaxes and scenic effects.

### Francis X. Bushman and Beverly Bayne

Francis X. Bushman and Beverly Bayne, the two most popular stars on the screen, who are now appearing exclusively in Metro Pictures Corporation will be seen here at the Star Theatre on Tuesday, Dec. 28th in the five part feature picture, "Pennington's Choice." This production will be a decided treat for motion picture patrons for neither Mr. Bushman or Miss Bayne ever appeared in any previous picture to better advantage. In the role of a wealthy New York club man, who must prove his worth among the woodsmen of Northern Canada, before the girl of his choice will consent to marry him, Mr. Bushman has the greatest opportunity of his career. Not only does he give a faithful portrayal of the debonair clubman, but because of his wonderful physique and marvelous muscular powers, he appears to great advantage in a difficult role in the woods. Miss Bayne is equally as well suited in her part, first shown in a New York drawing room and afterward as her "supposed" twin sister, romping wild in the Canadian woods. Never before have these

two stars had such an opportunity to prove their versatility. A strong cast appears in support of Mr. Bushman and Miss Bayne, including Wellington Playter, Lester Cuneo, Helen Dunbar and William Farris.

### GREAT SHOW COMING

September Morn With Great Music and Lots of Girls

What the Durham, N. C., Herald of Dec. 4th says of the big dancing carnival, "September Morn" coming to the Allen Theatre Tuesday night, Jan. 4th. This is good news to local theatre goers for this delightful fun show is one of our long looked for attractions, and it is as much as it will be presented in the big new Allen Theatre a treat in store for all lovers of musical comedy:

"September Morn," a very musical, a very kooky, a very in 20's and a very laughable show, was the attraction at the Academy of Music last night and it was a good show. Right in the very beginning it made a good impression. There was nothing about the comedy that might offend the most sensitive, for while it is lively all the way through, there is nothing vulgar in the production. It is filled with bright lines but there are no suggestive songs or dialogues.

Bearing the name of the picture that caused something of a sensation some time ago, the show is a street scene, and the music is of the street variety.



Valeska Surratt in "The Immigrant" at the Star Friday, Dec. 31st

stone and caught the favor of the crowd with his song, "Where's the Pleasure in Wine and Song, If the Woman is Not There." Some of the other song hits was the finale of the first act, "When a Little Boy Loves a Little Girl," and the "Sparrows from the Butcher'shop of Life."

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## ALLEN'S THEATRE

TO-NIGHT---"A Man and The Law" Falstaff Comedy. "Making Matters Worse"

WEDNESDAY---"No One To Guide Him" "The Diamond From the Sky" 7th Episode. "For His Pal"

THURSDAY---"The Father" "Biddy Bradys Birthday"

FRIDAY---"Her Oath of Vengeance" "Pansy's Prison Pies"

SATURDAY---"The Bowl Bearer" "Plot and Counterplot"

The 7th Episode of the **THE BROKEN COIN** UNIVERSAL

Coming---Jan. 4th---Rowland & Clifford, a Musical Comedy---"September Morn" TWO CARLOADS OF SCENERY

## CURBSTONE GLEANINGS

BUDGET OF OPINION "JUST BETWEEN YOU AND ME."

EVEN THE GATE POST NOT IN IT

A CHIEF IS AMONG YE TAKING NOTES AND FAITH. "HELL PRENT 'EM"---SO SAYS SAUNTERER.

The popularity of the new model in the Circle Line, as a street car, is being discussed in the Herald. It is a very good one, and the music is of the street variety.

County politics seem to be warming up some and the race for county superintendent is the first one to be placed in the public eye by being the first race to make general elections. J. Rowland Wildman, who made such a good race for the position last year, is again in the race.

Now that the bricks are being hauled for the roads, the knocking of the same should cease, and I respectfully call Charles W. W. attention to the fact that the bricks that our poor brick company is making at Mt. Dora are not a good example of the brick road and therefore it is an even stand-off. Some of these roads are poor and some of our roads are poor. Only intend to fix our roads now and the brick company have up a good road for the roads in Lake county and if so for how long and how much?

February is coming and no provisions made for a big of any sort here in Sanford. The completion of the bulkhead would give us a glorious chance to give a big celebration and one that would call attention to our pretty city. At that time the city holds would be in their prime and we could show the visitors the time of their lives. Let us have a big celebration on the days in February and let the people to Sanford not let the boys get them to go to other places. Every little bit of publicity helps and all of the advertising that Sanford can obtain will help some.

Sanford is a very old town and the old building re-  
 Mr. Martin, the best place house in Sanford, building the same for Sanford & Taylor. I have many memories of the night. At that time the old building was Sanford avenue. Mr. Martin had enough experience in those early days to fill a book and can well remember when the part of Sanford that is thickly populated now was a wilderness. The old building re-

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Geraldine Farrar in "Carmen" at the Star New Years Day.

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## Paramount Picture PROGRAM

Tuesday, Dec. 28---Metro Day. Francis X. Bushman and Beverly Bayne in "Pennington's Choice"

Wednesday, Dec. 29---Serial Day. "Romance of Elaine" "Pathe News" etc. Not many more episodes of Elaine.

Thursday, Dec. 30---Big Four Day. Kathlyn Williams in "The Rosary" Admission 5 and 15c.

Friday, Dec. 31---Paramount Day. Valeska Surratt in "The Immigrant" Admission 5 and 15c.

Saturday, Jan. 1---Paramount Day. Gladys Adams in "Carmen" Admission 5 and 15c.

STAR The Theatre Exclusive

## ALLEN'S THEATRE

# TUESDAY NIGHT Jan. 4

The Greatest Musical Comedy Treat Ever Presented in Sanford

## THE BIG DANCING FESTIVAL

# SEPTEMBER MORN

FROM THE LaSALLE OPERA HOUSE - Chicago

## ALL Musical Comedy

# Tangoes and Joy

A Singing, Dancing Musical Whirl -- Complete LaSalle Production

50 PEOPLE - - - 2 SPECIAL CARS

PRICES 50c, \$1.00 and \$1.50. Children in General Admission Seats 25c. Seats Selling at L. R. Philp's



The Big "September Morn" Company direct from the LaSalle Opera House (Chicago) coming to the Allen Theatre Tuesday Night, January 4th. This attraction is taking the country by storm playing to capacity everywhere.



## COST OF GAS IS BEING PROBED BY OFFICIALS

THERE IS NO EXCUSE FOR RAPID RISE IN THE PRICE OF GASOLINE

Washington, D. C., Dec. 31.—Preliminary estimates of the geological survey on the production of crude petroleum in 1915, which are to be used in connection with the federal inquiry into the cause of advancing gasoline prices were made public today by Secretary Lane and indicate an increase of about two million barrels of last year's output which, with a total production of about 200,000,000 barrels, was a record breaker.

The present year began with a surplus of petroleum in field storage, says the report, "so that production of crude oil was not pushed. Under these conditions the small increases in marketed production was significant. Of the total yield of the wells the past year about eight per cent remains in the field storage, and added to this are the stocks held in storage by the pipe line companies, estimated to be about fifty million barrels more than a year ago.

The report of the United States geologist, however, had the effect of increasing the output of crude oil has been estimated. The increase in production is a fairly constant one, and the report from the geologist is that the production of oil will continue to increase in the future.

### Merchant Marine

Washington, Dec. 31.—America's merchant marine construction is well advanced, and the country's output of crude oil has been estimated. The increase in production is a fairly constant one, and the report from the geologist is that the production of oil will continue to increase in the future.

At the end of the fiscal year the documented tonnage of the American merchant marine was 2,443,258 gross tons, aggregating \$389,429,000. From July 1 to November 30 there was a net increase of 182,215 gross tons, aggregating 53,829 gross tons. The total up to December 31 is 2,625,473 gross tons, aggregating \$443,258,000. Since June 30 twenty-three ships have come under the American flag from foreign registry and 107 were completed in shipyards. Two hundred and seventy-two vessels were lost, abandoned or sold abroad.

Altogether 171 foreign vessels were taken over by the registry under the act of August 14, 1914. Ninety-eight American vessels have been transferred to foreign registry since August 14.

Many big vessels are being built, fifteen mentioned in the report are over 10,000 tons. Twenty are of tonnage between 7,000 and 10,000 tons, and thirty-six are of from 5,000 to 7,000 tons. Eleven vessels are under forty-seven or vessels of over 400 tons. Four general freight vessels, and six passenger and freight vessels.

### Opened the New Theatre

While Allen's Theatre has been open to the public for several weeks the actual opening for shows took place last Friday night when Neil O'Brien's Minstrels played here. The evening scene and other features of the troupe were well staged at Allen's theatre, showing that Mr. Allen had builded a theatre here that will stage any of the productions that come to Sanford during the season. Christmas Eve is generally an off night with the shows and O'Brien had it for an open act but decided to try Sanford and was well pleased with the house. With this new play house in operation this season Sanford should have some first class productions and the theatre goers will have an opportunity of witnessing some good shows.

### Big Drainage System

Cocoa, Fla., Dec. 31.—The upper St. Johns river drainage district will be one of the largest in the state outside of the proposed Withlacoochee river district and the Everglades project. It will drain the great saw grass swamps around the head of the St. Johns river into that stream and will make available 263,000 acres, according to estimates of engineers.

It runs from the south tip of Brevard county north to the DeSoto grant, a distance of more than forty miles and takes in considerable territory west of the river in Orange and Osceola counties. Lake Washington, Winder and Ponce de Leon will be within the drainage district. Neither the Southwestern Farms nor the Fillmore projects are included in this district. Both of these are big drainage projects in this vicinity.

### Is It a Mastodon?

Fishermen employed by J. J. Vincent while drawing their net in the St. Johns river, near the mouth of a little tributary, discovered the skeleton of a mastodon. It is about twenty feet long, and is about as thick as a man's arm. It was brought to The Herald office for examination.

### Orphan Will Build

The orphan boys of Sanford are building a new home for themselves. The new home will be erected on the corner of the old city hall and will be a fine building. The orphan boys are doing a fine job of work and are to be commended for their efforts.

### Stole Car Here

An Overland car was stolen from T. W. Reynolds, three miles east of Sanford Wednesday night. The car was a 1914 model and was valued at \$1,000. The thief was seen driving away in the direction of the north.

### New Addition Completed

The new addition to the Garage building occupied by the McCrory store and the sky lights are now being put in place. When finished the new addition will give the McCrory store one of the best rooms in the city and will be sufficiently large to take care of their growing trade for several years to come.

### Remembered The Herald

The Herald was remembered at Christmas time by a basket of grapefruit, oranges and pineapples from the groves of M. F. Robinson of this city and the fruit was a compliment from Mr. and Mrs. Robinson. It was enjoyed by the folks and some time we will return the favor to this estimable couple. Mr. Robinson is one of the largest growers of orange groves in the state and had fine groves in many parts of Florida.

### Sanford Under Quarantine

A resident of Sanford came to Orlando recently and remarked that all people in that city were being quarantined. "What for?" breathlessly asked a bystander. "So they won't catch the jitney fever," came the unmerciful reply.—Orlando Sentinel.

## BAD CHECKS CASHED HERE BY A STRANGER

WORKED SEVERAL MERCHANTS IN A VERY SMOOTH MANNER DURING YESTERDAY AND LEFT FOR PARTS UNKNOWN

If any one has time to go to 511 Elm avenue they will find a number of household articles, wearing apparel, etc. Yesterday a smooth individual who was supposed to be named Simmons deposited a dollar in the Peoples Bank and said he would open a bank account and add to it each week. He then went from store to store buying goods and giving checks and taking the balance in cash. This was after the bank had closed and he seemed to have no trouble in cashing checks made by Simmons & Co. per I. A. Simmons. He ordered all the goods delivered to 511 Elm avenue which happens to be a vacant house and the smooth stranger seemed to know this and had no trouble in convincing the merchants that he had rented the house and was moving in right away. He succeeded in getting all kinds of goods, and the household articles were carried away with him.

### Will Open the Dining Room

The dining room of the Commercial Hotel will be opened for business on Monday, January 1st. The new dining room is a fine one and will be a great asset to the hotel.

All the strangers wanted was the balance in cash that each check called for and when this was obtained he did not care to bother with the merchandise, although he took away some nice ties, hats and shoes and he can use them in his business. He is gone and the merchants that cashed the checks of a nice appearing stranger are sadder and wiser. It is never safe to cash a strange check even if you make him mad and lose a customer. Just at this particular time there are many smooth individuals working this state and you never know who is right and who is wrong. And the Peoples Bank has a dollar or deposit that will never be called for. Merchants are advised to be careful and not cash checks of strangers.

### Constitutional Church

The Constitutional Church will hold its regular services on Sunday, January 3rd, at 11 o'clock. The church is a fine one and is well attended.

## THE DEMOCRATIC PRIMARIES

A FEW VERY IMPORTANT FACTS COMPILED FOR THE INFORMATION OF THE VOTERS

The Democratic executive committee will give its right to nominate the qualifications of a Democrat by declaring that only whites who vote the Democratic ticket at the last preceding election are members of the party and may take part in nominating primaries. Committees of other parties will not be permitted to register to vote. The Democratic committee at its January meeting will also pass on the question of placing the names of candidates for President on the ballot and sending delegates to the national convention with instructions to vote.

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### Vote on Many Offices

The offices which will be voted upon in the June primary if the committee puts on all elective and appointive offices as usual. Are Governor, secretary of state, comptroller, state treasurer, attorney general, superintendent of public instruction, commissioner of agriculture, United States senator, four members of supreme court, one member of railroad commission, adjutant general, state auditor, assistant state auditor, state chemist, shell fish commissioner, state labor inspector, members state tax commission, fifteen of thirty-two state senators, all members of the house of representatives, justices of supreme court, judges of circuit courts, clerks of circuit courts, superintendents of public instruction, county surveyors, county assessors of taxes, county tax collectors, supervisors of registration, county commissioners, members of county board of public instruction, justices of peace, constables.

### Painting the Scenery

The sides and top of the stage at Allen's Theatre are being completed this week and being painted as well as several curtains and other scenery for the stage. Most of this work will be completed in time for the September Morning Company that will show here next Tuesday night.

### Christian Science Services

Regular Christian Science services will be held next Sunday, January 2nd, at 11 o'clock in the Woman's Club building, Oak avenue near Third street. Subject "God". The public cordially welcome.

### Commissioners Meet Tuesday

The Board of County Commissioners of Seminole County will hold their regular meeting next Tuesday, January 5th, at 10 o'clock. Several matters of importance will come before the meeting.

### Debating Club No Meeting

The Debating Club did not have a meeting last night on account of a press of other business. The club will meet next Tuesday night at the regular hour in the Congregational church.

Willie Stringfellow of Deland and other places spent several days of this week in the city circulating among his many friends.

## EDUCATORS ARE HOLDING MEETING THIS WEEK

Lobby Is Fine

The lobby of the Hotel Carnes is great. Such is the verdict of all who have seen it and the new work never showed to better advantage than the night of the Woman's Club dance when the new electric lights and fixtures showed the effect of the improvements that have been taking place at the Carnes for the past two weeks. With the new paper and painting and the installation of the electric lights the rejuvenated Sanford House has lost the plenty of former years and looks like the new Carnes should look. The rooms that have been done over are also in first class shape and with the installation of bath tubs and lavatories for every room the Carnes will be all that can be desired.

### Bryan Will Not Go

New York, Dec. 31.—Reports that William J. Bryan had contemplated a visit to Sanford, Fla., for some time were confirmed today, but because Mr. Bryan is returning to Europe, he will not be able to visit here.

### New Year's Eve Dance

The New Year's Eve dance will be held at the Hotel Carnes on Saturday night, January 1st. The dance will be a fine one and is well attended.

### Death of Little Boy

A little boy, the son of Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Reynolds, died of pneumonia on Wednesday, December 30th. The boy was only two years old and his death was a great loss to his parents.

### Circuit Court to Meet

The fall term of the Circuit Court will be held here beginning Tuesday, January 11th. Several important cases will be tried during this term of court. The session will last several weeks. It is said that the Baxter cow stealing case may come up again at this term of court.

### Mr. Arthur Flake, considered the leading Efficiency Man of the South will be in Sanford all next week.

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## TALLAHASSEE IS THE SCENE OF A LARGE NUMBER OF VISITORS

Tallahassee, Fla., Dec. 30.—During the business session of the Florida Educational Association which lasted well into last night, Arcadia was chosen over West Palm Beach for the next meeting place and the following officers were elected to serve during the ensuing year: J. H. Workman, Miami, president; Kate Sullivan, Tallahassee, vice-president; W. A. Dobson, Baker county, treasurer; R. L. Turner, Inverness, secretary.

### Orlando Masonic Temple

The Orlando Masonic bodies, A. F. and A. M., No. 69, Eureka Chapter, No. 7, and Olivet Commandery No. 4 have purchased of the Misses Welch the three lots on East Central avenue lying directly west of the hotel. Within the very near future the Masons will erect a temple which will be ample in dimensions to accommodate the needs of the city.

### Rapists Served Saturday

The rapists who were sentenced to the state penitentiary on Saturday, December 26th, are now serving their terms. The rapists were sentenced to terms of from one to five years.

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# COUNTY HAPPENINGS

### A BUNCH OF INTERESTING ITEMS FROM CORRESPONDENTS—EVENTS OF SEMINOLE COUNTY—EFFICIENT REPORTERS COVER TERRITORY FOR HERALD

#### UPSALA AND GRAPEVILLE

Norman Swanson took a trip over to Barberville last week.

A number from Upsala enjoyed the Christmas exercises at Lake Mary, among whom were Walfred and Carl Pierson who carried over Mrs. Stedt and Ebba, and Margaret Ericson, and Mr. Vihlen's family, composed another.

We could not undertake a Christmas tree at the church this year but a number of families had one at their homes. Those reported are Mr. H. G. Lundquist, Mr. T. O. Tyner and Mr. Alfred Ericson, so Santa did not forget the little ones after all.

Mrs. Alfred Ericson served supper Xmas Eve and among the guests were Mrs. Bertelson, Mr. and Mrs. Magnusson, Mr. and Mrs. Broell, Woodard Bertelson, Mrs. Stedt and Edna Stedt.

On Christmas Day Mrs. Magnusson entertained them all, including Rev. Ericson's family for dinner.

Mrs. Edna Critchley of Fort Pierce is spending the holidays with Miss Signa Vihlen and Olga Vihlen.

Guests at Mr. Vihlen's on Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Lundquist, Walfred Pierson, and after Sunday school Rev. Ericson's family were supper guests.

Mr. and Mrs. Swanson and son, Norman, were guests at Mr. Van Ness' on Christmas Day.

Mr. and Mrs. Vera Collier were dinner guests Christmas at Mr. Hill, per's and Mr. and Mrs. Myers were all in their respective homes.

Mrs. Ericson and family were at Mr. Tyner's, Mr. Thompson, Mrs. Ballinger and Mrs. L. J. ...

Little Robert Thompson, not much better yet, was reported by Mrs. M. H. ...

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Sanford, where the groom is employed. All wish them a happy life.

#### LAKE MARY

Fred Lee of Jacksonville arrived here on Wednesday last to spend his Xmas vacation with home folks.

Miss Helen Iserman is spending her Xmas vacation at Orlando, Oakland and Winter Garden.

Mr. and Mrs. R. N. Poston left Thursday last for Denton, Ga., where they expect to make their future home.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Fortier are house-keeping at their new home west of our village.

Rev. Morey and daughter Miss Jennie were Sanford visitors Monday.

A Christmas tree and Christmas exercises were held on last Friday evening. A delightful little program was rendered by the children. The parents were delighted and well pleased with the work of the faithful teacher.

Dr. George Morey and little five-year old grandson arrived Wednesday from South Bend, Ind., and will spend the remainder of the winter here.

The music in the M. E. church next Sunday will be, in the morning New Year's quartette and anthems; in the evening a part of the Christmas music will be repeated. Sermons and all the worship will be appropriate to the joyous anniversary season. All not attending elsewhere are invited to these services.

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candy to every one. Mrs. S. A. Huston received a much deserved vote of thanks for planning and coaching the young people and for the music.

Rev. Long was reported quite ill last week. Hope to hear he is out again.

Gilla Sipes, while riding on his motorcycle passed the Cameron auto and the rear door being open he collided, and was thrown, with the result that his right hand was broken in two places.

Here is wishing The Herald and all its readers a happy, prosperous New Year.

#### THREE STRIKES AND OUT

Looks as Though Geo. Fish Had Finally Lost His Cery Suit

New York, Dec. 24.

George Fish, the celery specialist has lost again in the suit brought against him by Chase & Co. This time it looks as though the loss would stick and that Mr. Fish's series of appeals was over and done.

On Friday last the Court of Appeals in Albany affirmed the decision of the Appellate Division, which in turn had affirmed the jury's verdict originally brought in the case and cinched that verdict for the sum of \$5,955.80 to be paid by Mr. Fish to Chase & Co. and the original sum of \$5,000.00, which was the exact amount for which Chase & Co. sued. What with costs and interest the affirmation by the Court of Appeals of the verdict will set Mr. Fish back about \$7,500, which goes to show the costs of the prolonged litigation.

The case settled at Albany Friday, for it does not look possible that Mr. Fish can carry the matter any higher, as probably one of the most celebrated and able attorneys in the city, Broome & Co., are representing Chase & Co. at a certain price. Broome & Co. are well known in the city and have a long record of successful litigation.

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"Good-bye Old Year, Your Days So Blest Will Soon be Left Behind, But I Will Keep on with What is Best."

**E. H. PETERS--SHOES**

A GOOD START

1915

Can you beat it? Can you do better for the New Year than "Hold Fast That Which is Good?" Think what E. H. Peters' Shoes and high efficiency means to your feet. Think of the amount of money you save and the worry taken off your mind when you bring your feet to

1916

**E. H. PETERS--SHOES--"THAT'S MY BUSINESS"**

#### Merchants Had Good Trade

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# WAR WORKS BIG CHANGE AMONG FRENCH WOMEN

From the Highest to the Lowest All Are Working for Their Country.

## GET NEW OUTLOOK ON LIFE

They Have Seen a New Vision and Have Learned the Joy There is in Doing for Others—All Find Work to Do and Are Doing It Well.

By EDWARD B. CLARK, Staff Correspondent of the Western Newspaper Union

Paris.—It is to be wondered if the world knows of the work of the women of France. In this great City of Paris every woman physically capable, is at work for her country. It may be true that the thought of the nations on the women of Paris has been that they are given to frivolity. In a large sense this thought never was true. Today it has no shred of truth in it, for the women of Paris from the humble quarters to the avenues of the St. Germain district are working for the cause of the country which they hold to be holy.

The St. Germain section of Paris, spoken of usually as the Faubourg St. Germain, is the residence district of the men and the women of what sometimes is called the old regime. Here dwell the titled people of Paris, the counts and countesses and even the princes and the princesses who, under the old system of government held not only titles but also the honor which went with them. The women of the Faubourg St. Germain today are working side by side with the girls, the milliners and the dressmakers in an effort to do what they can for their country.

All is Different Now  
Always in Paris, the houses of business have been busy with the business of the war. The women of the Faubourg St. Germain have been working in the same way. They have been working in the same way. They have been working in the same way.

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Find Other Fields for Endeavor.  
After the first work in the hospitals the women of Paris learned that there were other fields for their endeavor. The trained nurses came from all parts of the earth to take their places at the bedside of the wounded. What else can we do? This was the question that the women of former leisure put to themselves. They realized suddenly that all the able-bodied men of the city had gone to the front and that they had left wives and children behind them who needed help and guidance and in many cases, work.

The women of the Faubourg St. Germain went into the byways of Paris and ministered to their more lowly sisters. Many shops in Paris have closed because of the war, thus throwing many women and girls out of work. The women of Paris, blessed with wealth, used it to start work shops of their own where the unemployed could earn money by making things necessary for the soldiers at the front. The fashionable women of Paris have learned many things of which they were in complete ignorance. They know now what social endeavor means, and they understand the spirit which prompted American women to establish social settlements and to attempt to help those who seemed powerless to help themselves.

When this war is over social settlement work in Paris will be upon a firm foundation, the stones of it being laid by women who 13 months ago hardly knew what social endeavor meant, except in a society sense. There is only one woman's club in the whole city of Paris, and that is little more than what might be called a "tea club." An American woman who is the president of a woman's club in the city of Washington came to Paris recently. The French women

of high estate asked her to tell them all about woman's club life in America, the so-called social uplift, and the general plan of American women to do good in the communities in which they dwell.

The women of Paris were told what they wanted to know. They showed deep interest in the effort of American women to make life easy, to do something for the mothers, and to make the way of the working girl easier. It is perhaps almost startling to say that the women of Paris are showing an interest in woman suffrage. Thirteen months ago a society woman of Paris would have been held almost an anarchist if she had expressed a desire to know of woman's suffrage with a view of possible conversion to a belief in it. When this war is over there can be no doubt that woman's clubs will be founded in Paris, that they will have large memberships and that into their work will be thrown a spirit of devotion.

Put In Regular Hours.  
From eight o'clock every morning until five o'clock in the afternoon the society women of Paris work either in the hospitals or in the shops where employment has been given to those whom war has deprived of the opportunity to earn their daily bread. At five o'clock the society women go back home to enjoy the only relaxation of the day. To a considerable extent, Paris has taken over the English custom of tea drinking. The women of the city drink tea at five o'clock, and with it eat bread very lightly spread with butter. No cake is served, because cake is an extravagance as they view it, and moreover to leave it alone is to practice self-denial. Anything that the French woman can do to save money she does, and the money she saves she gives to the cause of her country.

The readers of correspondence from Paris will remember the tragic death by a fall from an aeroplane of Henry Beach Needham, the well-known writer for American magazines. Needham was my close friend. He was a man, and a writer of striking stuff. He had been kept for a story, and when he got it he knew how to write it. The story was the truth and he always wrote the truth. He was killed in a crash with him and his discussion with me the day before he died. He had been planning to go to the front to make a trip over Paris at night in a dirigible. He was a man of great courage and a man of great ability.

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# SEES WAR HORRORS

Stretcher Bearer Gives Impressions of Life at Front.

Is Nearly Overcome by Sight of First Operation—Dare Not Tell Men Truth.

Villers-et-Orchères.—We had just left the hospital and had reached the station. We were exchanging glances of joy and shaking hands, saying, "Paris! We are going to see Paris again." The train was waiting on a siding. We climbed into it, the hospital attendants placed us in our seats. There I heard a conversation that struck me more than has any other since the beginning of the war. One of the soldiers in our carriage doubtless in a confidential mood that day began to relate the impressions of his life as a military hospital attendant. "It was in the early days of the war, I had received a commission as stretcher bearer in a hospital at Nice. The first wounded arrived; long trains were filled with them; they had lain on the straw of the cars throughout the interminable journey across France in slow military trains, which were constantly delayed. Many died on the way; others were landed here and there in heaps. How feverishly we had to work, there was not a minute to be lost. "I remember the terrible slap the head surgeon gave me the first day he entered the operating room. When I was ordered to hold a wounded soldier whose leg was being amputated. The odor, the cruel sight of the operation, caused me to turn as white as death, and I was about to faint. That blow brought me quickly to my senses. I have seen worse sights since."

We spent some terrible moments of anguish there. We had no anti-tetanus serum, we had written and telegraphed everywhere for it, but the hospital had it. It had it kept in cold storage, as was impossible to obtain any. I remember the first time I saw a man who had been wounded in the head. He was lying on the stretcher, his head in a bandage. He was looking at me with a look of despair. He was looking at me with a look of despair. He was looking at me with a look of despair.

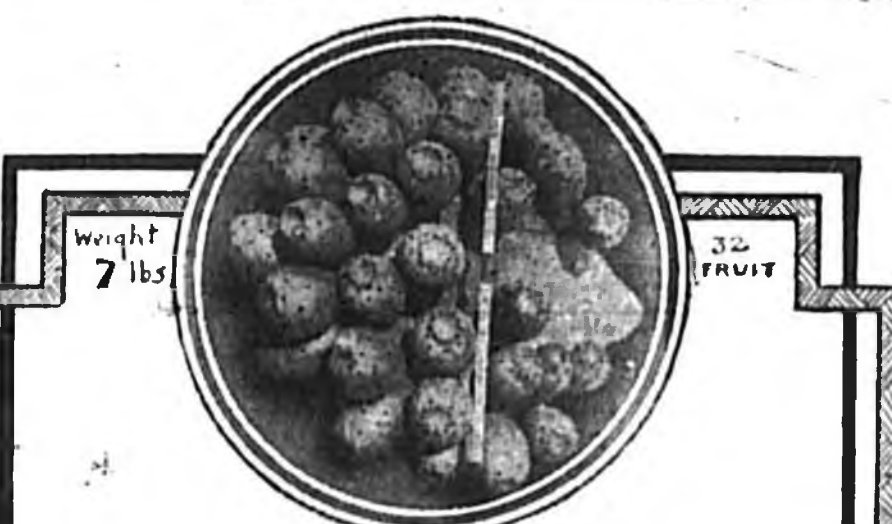
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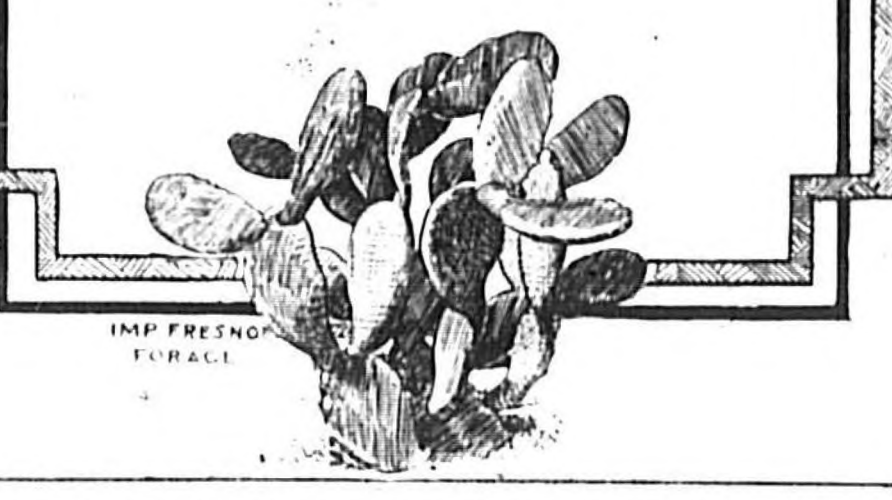
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### SYNOPSIS.

After the finding of Wu Fang's body and Kennedy's disappearance, a submarine appears the following morning on the bay. A man plunges overboard from the boat and a strange ashore. It is the entrance of the submarine into America. His mission is to obtain information of Kennedy and recover it, despite the loss of the submarine. At the Dodge home he soon wins the confidence of Elaine. Later she is warned by a little old man to be careful of Del Mar. The warning came just in time to prevent Del Mar from carrying out his plans. At last Del Mar succeeds in getting the torpedo, only to have it destroyed by the little old man. Jameson is captured by Del Mar's men while on his way to mail a letter to the U. S. secret service. Elaine rescues him. Lieutenant Woodward and his friend attend a party given at the Dodge home, at which Del Mar is present. Unknowingly Del Mar drops a note which gives Elaine a clue. In her attempt to prevent his cutting the Atlantic cable she is discovered and made a prisoner on the boat, which afterwards is wrecked by Woodward and the old man of mystery. Jameson arrives in a hydro-aeroplane just in time to save Elaine from drowning. Elaine, disguised as a man, discovers the submarine and Del Mar's wireless case at about the same time Professor Arnold by a "radio-detective" has discovered the wireless station. Elaine's discovery is nearly lost when a fatal shot is fired by Jameson. Del Mar, Professor Arnold and Lieutenant Woodward are destroying the submarine system and Del Mar escapes. Making his way to a deserted hotel in the woods, he attempts to make of a number of attempts. Elaine discovers Del Mar's man, being captured, but escapes. When the hotel is later attacked the men retreat to the woods, where they explode the gas, nearly causing the death of Lieutenant Woodward and his attendant.

### THIRTY-SECOND EPISODE

#### THE SEARCHLIGHT GUN

I don't understand it," she said. Elaine one day saw with Aunt Josephine and myself. She was looking at the strange events that had occurred since the disappearance of the submarine. Somehow it is as if a strange influence seems to be watching over us. Nor do I understand it, but I feel that something is being done to help us in this mystery.

A package for you," she said. "It is from Del Mar. It is a searchlight gun. I suppose you will find it interesting. You'll have to keep it safe."

In the library, the paper wrapping covered a post-board box. She opened that. There lay a revolver which she picked up and turned over. It was a curious looking weapon.

"I never knew so much about this sort of thing," she said. "The last time I saw one was in the hands of a man who shot at me and why?"

"She held the gun up. From the barrel stuck out a little rolled-up piece of paper. 'See,' she cried, reading and handing the paper to me. There it is again, that mysterious power."

Aunt Josephine read the note. "Dear Miss Dodge: This weapon shoots exactly into the center of the light disk. I suppose you will find it interesting."

"Let me see it," I asked, taking the gun. Sure enough, along the barrel was a peculiar tube. A searchlight gun? I exclaimed, puzzled, though still my suspicions were not entirely at rest. "Suppose it's sighted wrong," I could not help considering. "It might be a plant to save someone from being shot."

"That's easily settled," returned Elaine. "Let's try it."

"Oh, mercy, no, not here," remonstrated Aunt Josephine. "Why not down cellar?" persisted Elaine. "It can't hurt anything there."

"I think it would be a good plan I agreed, 'just to make sure that it is all right."

Accordingly we three went down cellar. There Elaine found the light switch and turned it. Eagerly I hunted about for a mark. There in some rubbish that had not yet been carted away, was a small china plate. I set it up on a small shelf across the room and took the gun. But Elaine playfully wrenched it from my hand. "No," she insisted, "it was sent to me. Let me try it first."

Reluctantly I consented. "Switch on the light, Walter, please," she directed, standing a few paces from the plate.

I did so. In the darkness Elaine pointed the gun and pulled the little ratchet. Instantly a spot of light showed on the wall. She moved the revolver and the spot of light moved with it. As it rested on a little decorative figure in the center of the plate she pulled the trigger. The gun exploded with a report deafening in the confines of the cellar.

"I switched on the light and we ran forward. There was the plate—washed into a hundred bits. The bullet had struck exactly in the center of the little Bull's-eye of light.

"Splendid," cried Elaine enthusiastically as we looked at each other in surprise. "Though none of us guessed it, half an hour before, in the seclusion of his yacht, Woodworth's friend, Pro-

fessor Arnold, had been standing with the long-barreled gun in his hand, adjusting the tube which ran beneath the barrel.

In one hand he held the gun, in the other a piece of paper. As he brought the paper before the muzzle and pressed a button on his desk, and the panel opened. Through it came the diver still wearing his dripping suit and carrying the world helmet under his arm.

That Dodge girl has rigged us again!" he exclaimed excitedly. "How?" demanded Del Mar, with an oath.

"I saw her on the rocks just now. She happened to stumble on the bomb which you left there to be placed."

"And then?" demanded Del Mar. "She took it with her in her car."

"The diver?" ejaculated the foreign agent furiously. "You must get the men out and hunt the country thoroughly. She must not escape at any cost."

The diving man dove back into the water to escape. Del Mar, Veratt, while Del Mar hurried out leaving his valet in the library.

Quickly Del Mar made his way to a secret hiding place in the hills back of the bay. There he found his picked band of men armed with rifles.

As briefly as he could he told of what had happened. "We must get this time—dead or alive," he ordered. "Now scatter about the country. Keep in touch with each other and when you find her, come straight to my camp."

The men saluted and left in various directions to scour the country. Del Mar himself picked up a rifle and slipped shortly, falling down a secret trail to the road where he had

been waiting. He saw a man in a dark coat and hat, who he recognized as the man who had been sent to him. "What do you want?" he asked.

"I have a message for you," the man said. "It is from Del Mar. He wants you to come to his camp. He has a plan for you."

In the library Del Mar changed his wet clothes and had them sent to work on an accumulation of papers on his desk.

That afternoon Elaine decided to go to the beach. She was as though a premonition of danger came to her. She paused, then turned back and took from the drawer the searchlight gun which had been sent to her. She slipped it into the pocket of her skirt and went out.

For she thought it a fair clip that she would have a good look at the searchlight gun. She had heard that it was a very curious looking weapon.

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was only a few minutes before Lieutenant Woodward himself appeared.

"What is the trouble, Miss Dodge?" he asked solemnly, noting the look on her face.

"I don't know what it is," she replied, dubiously. "I found something on the floor. Perhaps it is a bomb."

Woodward looked at the package, studying it. Professor Arnold is investigating it as a matter of fact," he remarked. "Perhaps you'd better take the package to him on his yacht. I'm sorry I can't go with you, but just now I'm on duty."

"That's a good idea," she agreed. "Only I'm sorry you can't go along with me."

She started up the car and drove off as Woodward turned back to the fort with a lingering look.

Del Mar was hard at work in the library when suddenly he heard a sound at the panel. He reached over and pressed a button on his desk, and the panel opened. Through it came the diver still wearing his dripping suit and carrying the world helmet under his arm.

That Dodge girl has rigged us again!" he exclaimed excitedly. "How?" demanded Del Mar, with an oath.

"I saw her on the rocks just now. She happened to stumble on the bomb which you left there to be placed."

"And then?" demanded Del Mar. "She took it with her in her car."

"The diver?" ejaculated the foreign agent furiously. "You must get the men out and hunt the country thoroughly. She must not escape at any cost."

The diving man dove back into the water to escape. Del Mar, Veratt, while Del Mar hurried out leaving his valet in the library.

Quickly Del Mar made his way to a secret hiding place in the hills back of the bay. There he found his picked band of men armed with rifles.

As briefly as he could he told of what had happened. "We must get this time—dead or alive," he ordered. "Now scatter about the country. Keep in touch with each other and when you find her, come straight to my camp."

The men saluted and left in various directions to scour the country. Del Mar himself picked up a rifle and slipped shortly, falling down a secret trail to the road where he had

been waiting. He saw a man in a dark coat and hat, who he recognized as the man who had been sent to him. "What do you want?" he asked.

"I have a message for you," the man said. "It is from Del Mar. He wants you to come to his camp. He has a plan for you."

In the library Del Mar changed his wet clothes and had them sent to work on an accumulation of papers on his desk.

That afternoon Elaine decided to go to the beach. She was as though a premonition of danger came to her. She paused, then turned back and took from the drawer the searchlight gun which had been sent to her. She slipped it into the pocket of her skirt and went out.

For she thought it a fair clip that she would have a good look at the searchlight gun. She had heard that it was a very curious looking weapon.

She held the gun up. From the barrel stuck out a little rolled-up piece of paper. "See," she cried, reading and handing the paper to me. There it is again, that mysterious power."

Aunt Josephine read the note. "Dear Miss Dodge: This weapon shoots exactly into the center of the light disk. I suppose you will find it interesting."

"Let me see it," I asked, taking the gun. Sure enough, along the barrel was a peculiar tube. A searchlight gun? I exclaimed, puzzled, though still my suspicions were not entirely at rest. "Suppose it's sighted wrong," I could not help considering. "It might be a plant to save someone from being shot."

"That's easily settled," returned Elaine. "Let's try it."

"Oh, mercy, no, not here," remonstrated Aunt Josephine. "Why not down cellar?" persisted Elaine. "It can't hurt anything there."

"I think it would be a good plan I agreed, 'just to make sure that it is all right."

Accordingly we three went down cellar. There Elaine found the light switch and turned it. Eagerly I hunted about for a mark. There in some rubbish that had not yet been carted away, was a small china plate. I set it up on a small shelf across the room and took the gun. But Elaine playfully wrenched it from my hand. "No," she insisted, "it was sent to me. Let me try it first."

Reluctantly I consented. "Switch on the light, Walter, please," she directed, standing a few paces from the plate.

I did so. In the darkness Elaine pointed the gun and pulled the little ratchet. Instantly a spot of light showed on the wall. She moved the revolver and the spot of light moved with it. As it rested on a little decorative figure in the center of the plate she pulled the trigger. The gun exploded with a report deafening in the confines of the cellar.

"I switched on the light and we ran forward. There was the plate—washed into a hundred bits. The bullet had struck exactly in the center of the little Bull's-eye of light.

"Splendid," cried Elaine enthusiastically as we looked at each other in surprise. "Though none of us guessed it, half an hour before, in the seclusion of his yacht, Woodworth's friend, Pro-

make walking on country roads somewhat hazardous nowadays.

As I did so, someone in the car waved to me. I looked again. It was Elaine.

"Where are you going?" she called. "Where are you going?" I returned, laughing.

"I've just had a very queer experience," found something down on the rocks," she replied seriously, pointing to the square package on the floor of the car. "I took it to Lieutenant Woodward and he advised me to take it to Professor Arnold on his yacht. I think it is a bomb. I wish you'd go with me."

Before I could answer, up the hill a rifle shot cracked. There was a whirr in the air and a bullet sang past us, cutting the red feather off Elaine's hat.

"Duck!" I cried, jumping into the car. "And drive like the dickens!" She turned and we fairly ricocheted down that road back again.

Behind us a man, a stranger whom we did not pause to observe, rushed from the bushes and fired after us again.

Suddenly another rifle shot cracked. It was from another car—that had stealthily sneaked up on us—coming fast, recklessly.

"There's her car," pointed one of the occupants to a man who was masked in black. "Yes," he nodded. "Give her a little more gas!"

"Crouch down," I muttered, "as fast as you can."

We did so, racing for life, the more powerful motor behind us overhauling us every instant.

We were coming to a very narrow part of the road where it turned, on one side a sheer hill, on the other a stream several feet down.

If we had an accident, I thought, it might be ticklish for us, supposing the square package really to be a bomb. What if it should go off? The idea suggested another, instantly. The car behind was only a few feet off.

As we reached the narrow road by the stream I rose up. As far as I could see, I had the car behind me. It fell. We received a shower of dirt and small stones, but the cover of the car protected us. "What the devil is that?" I muttered, as if at a death blow in the roadway.

Del Mar's car, the driver practically lunging at the emergency brake. "Get out of the car, please," was not from us, but from the car behind.



Let Me See It, I Asked, Taking the Gun.

a car with a chauffeur waiting. Still carrying the rifle, he climbed in and the man shot the car along down the road.

On the top of a hill one of the men was posted as a sort of lookout. Gazing over the country carefully, his eye was finally arrested by something at which he stared eagerly. Far away on the road he could see a car in which was a girl alone. Waving in the breeze was a red feather in her hat. He looked more sharply. It was Elaine Dodge.

The man turned and waved a signal with a handkerchief to another man far off. Down the valley another of Del Mar's men was watching and waiting. "As soon as he saw the signal he waved back and ran along the road."

As Del Mar whizzed along he could see one of his men approaching over the road, waving to him. "Stop," he ordered his driver.

The man hurried forward. "I've got the signal," he panted. They have seen her car over the hill."

"Good," exclaimed Del Mar, pulling a black silk mask over his eyes. "Now get off quickly. We've got to catch her."

They sped away again in a cloud of dust.

But even while Del Mar was speeding toward her, another of his men had discovered her presence, so vigilant were they.

Had Del Mar been keeping a sharp watch on the road when he was suddenly all attention. He saw a car, driving the square. Quickly his right hand to his shoulder. Through the sight he could just see Elaine's head for her hat with a bright red feather in it showed plainly just over the bushes.

He aimed carefully and fired. "I had been out for a tramp over the hills with no destination in particular. As I swung back the road, I heard the chattering of a car coming up the hill. The curtain open. I turned for a

crashed into the ditch like a machine gun.

It took a longer time, the side of the road and down the stream. Just as the masked man and the driver jumped the pheasant into the water.

"Safe now in our car, which was slackening its speed. I looked back. 'They've been through,' I cried. 'We're all right!'"

On the edge of the water, just covered by some rocks, the chauffeur lay motionless. The masked man crawled under the wreckage and looked at the victim.

"Dead," he exclaimed. "But, my chauffeur is still alive, and he's dead. Anybody he hit, it was up and dead. A moment later some other men gathered from all directions about him, each armed.

"Don't mind the wreck," he cried, exasperated. "Fire!"

A volley was delivered at us. But the distance was now apparently too great.

We were just congratulating ourselves on our escape, when a stray shot whizzed past, striking a piece directly out of the head of the steering post, almost under Elaine's hand.

Naturally she lost control, though fortunately we were not going so fast now. Crazy, our car swerved from side to side of the road, as she vainly tried to control both its speed and direction. On the very edge of the ditch, however, it stopped.

We looked back. There we could see a group of men who seemed to spring out of the woods, as if from nowhere, at the sound of the shots. A shout went up at the sight of the bullet taking effect, and they ran forward at us.

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One of their number, I could see, masked, who had been in the wrecked car, stumbled forward weakly, until he sank down.

A couple of the others ran to him. "Go on," he must have urged vehemently. "One of you is enough with me. I'm going back to the submarine harbor. The rest—go on—report to me there."

An the rest ran toward us there was nothing for us to do but to abandon the car ourselves and run for it. We left the road and struck into the trackless woods, followed closely now by two of the men who had outdistanced the rest. Through the woods we fled, taking advantage of such shelter as we could find.

"Look! There's a cave," cried Elaine, as we plunged exhausted and about ready to drop, down into a ravine.

We hurried in and the bushes swung over the cave entrance. Inside we knipped short and gazed about it. There was a fire here. They had been overtake us. On down through a passage we went.

The two men who were pursuing us plunged down the ravine also. As luck would have it, they saw the cave entrance and dashed in, but their figures silhouetted in the dim light of the entrance of the cavern. The other advanced. He was a big fellow and powerfully built and the other fellow was equally built. I made up my mind to fight to the last, though I knew it was hopeless. It was dark. I could not even see the man who advanced.

Quickly Elaine reached into her pocket and drew out something.

"This is a light," she said. "It was the flashlight gun."

Hastily I aimed it, the spot of light glancing brightly. Indeed, I doubt whether I could have shot accurately even with a rifle. As the man approached I fired. He fell forward, his body striking the ground.

Again I fired, this time at the man who was following me. He dropped his rifle and ran, which explained the noise. His hand was wounded. Quickly he drew back and disappeared among the trees.

We waited in tense silence, and then cautiously looked out of the mouth of the cave. No one seemed to be about.

"Come, let's make a dash for it," said Elaine.

We ran out and half of it was the ravine, apparently not followed.

Back among the trees, however, the man had picked up a rifle which he had hidden. While he was binding up his hand with a handkerchief, he saw us. Painfully he tried to aim his gun, but it was too heavy for his weak arm and the pain was too great. He had to lower it. With a muttered imprecation he followed us at a distance.

Finally, to us, we had eluded the pursuer, for the one seemed now to be following us, at least as far as we could determine. We kept on how ever, until we came to the water's edge. There, down the bay, we could see Professor Arnold's yacht.

"Let us see Professor Arnold, anyhow," said Elaine, leading the way along the shore.

We came at last, without being noticed, to a little dock. A sailor was standing beside it and moored to it was a swift motor boat. Out at anchor was the yacht.

"You are Professor Arnold's man?" asked Elaine.

"Yes," he replied, remembering her.

"Is the professor put on his boat?" we asked.

He nodded. "Did you want to see him?"

"Very much," answered Elaine. "I'll take you out," he offered.

We jumped into the motor boat, he started the engine and we plunged out over the water.

Though we did not see him, the man whom I had wounded was still watching us from the shore, noting every move. He had followed us at a distance across the woods and fields and down along the shore to the dock, had seen us talking to Arnold's man, and got into the boat.

From the shore he continued to watch us, as we sped across the bay and up alongside the yacht. As we climbed the ladder he hurried back the way he had come.

Elaine and I climbed aboard the yacht where we could see the professor sitting in a wicker deck chair.

"Why, how do you do?" he welcomed us, adjusting his glasses so his eyes seemed, if anything, more open than before.

I could not help thinking that, although he was glad to see us, there was a certain air of restraint about him.

Quickly Elaine related the story of finding the bomb in the rocks and the peculiar events and our escape which followed. Once at the mention of the

We moved off from the yacht as swiftly as the speedy little open motor boat would carry us, not a minute too soon.

The torpedo struck the yacht almost exactly amidships. A huge column of water started up into the air as though a gigantic whale were blowing off.

Below in the submarine Del Mar was still at the periscope directing things.

"A hit!" he cried exultingly. "We got the whole bunch this time!"

He turned to the men to congratulate them, a smile on his evil face. But as he looked again he caught sight of our little motor boat skimming safely away on the other side of the wreck.

"The deuce!" he muttered. "Try another. Here's the direction."

Furtively he swore as the men guided the submarine and loaded a torpedo into a tube. As the tube came into position they let the torpedo go. An instant later it was hissing its way at us.

"See, there's another!" I cried, catching sight of it.

All looked sure enough, through the water could be seen another of those murderous messengers dashing at us.

Arnold ran forward and seized the wheel himself, swinging the boat around hard to starboard and the land. We turned just in time. The torpedo, harmless but deadly, dashed past us harmlessly.

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THE MAYOR AND ALDERMEN START OFF NEW TERM OF OFFICE

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Five of the former aldermen will be of the same job for the next two years, their services being so satisfactory that the people did not wish to change them. They are as follows: C. H. Dungee, W. W. Abernethy, John Adams, R. C. Maxwell and B. W. Herndon...

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PATTISHRILL'S CAR STOLEN LAST SATURDAY NIGHT AT GENEVA

Stealing automobiles is becoming a regular business and according to the police of the larger cities there are half way garages now that will take stolen automobiles and convert them into new ones...

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THE EXPEDITION WAS SUCCESSFUL ACCORDING TO LEADER'S STATEMENT

New York, Jan. 3.—Henry Ford, who led the peace expedition which left here December 4, on the Oscar II, for Copenhagen, in the hope of bringing about a conference of neutral nations that would end the war, arrived here today on the steamer Bergensford...

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President Wilson hastens to Washington to face crisis

Washington, D. C., Jan. 4.—President Woodrow Wilson will cut short his honeymoon and will start for Washington tonight to assume personal charge of the new crisis which has arisen between the United States and Austria-Hungary...

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President Wilson decided to return after a telephone conference with Secretary of State Robert Lansing and the President's secretary, Joseph Tumulty. He will confer with the cabinet immediately.

AGAINST LAKE ADVERTISING

The petition was circulated by a representative of the committee among the merchants and business men of the city, which read: 'We, the undersigned business men of Orlando, hereby bind ourselves and agree not to patronize any advertising scheme not approved by the advertising committee of the Orlando Board of Trade.'

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The petition was enthusiastically received by the merchants and business men seen, who gave their hearty approval to the move. The petition was in circulation but for an hour. If the representative did not see any one he will shortly. To make the proposition a success it is necessary that the petition be signed by all the representative business people of the city and if the interest which was shown during its circulation is continued there is no doubt of its success.

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Baron Zwiedinek, the Austrian charge d'affaires called upon Mr. Lansing and asked that judgment be withheld until the full facts are known. He expressed the belief that the final explanation will be satisfactory and that Austria will make full reparation.

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FINE CAULIFLOWER

W. S. Thornton who lives on the west side and is one of Sanford's successful growers brought a head of cauliflower to The Herald office yesterday that is one of the finest specimens we have seen this year. It is a large head and well developed and is of snowy whiteness. Such cauliflower should bring the grower a fine price.

Mrs. E. J. Parsons of Jacksonville is guest of Mr. and Mrs. E. T. Woodruff, 217 Third street.