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NINSTALMENT XXXIII.

(Continued)

"Old Pongo's a cautious player -he takes no risks. Now, with proachfully, and he softened. me it's neck or nothing. And a fine motto through life, don't you know?" agree, Lady Eileen?"

"To be sure it has. Millions of play. times. But I'm still going strong. Sure, it'll take the hangman's noose to defeat Terence O'-Rourke."

Just then Jimmy Thesiger strolled around the corner of the house.

"Bundle by all that's wonderful!" he exclaimed. "You've missed competing in the

autumn meeting," said O'Rourke. "I'd gone for a stroll," said never hear him coming." Jimmy. "Where did these girls

drop from?" "We came on our flat feet." said Bundle. "The Hispano let us

And she narrated the circumstances of the breakdown.

Jimmy listened with sympathetic attention.

"Hard luck," he vouchsafed. "If it's going to take some time, I'll run you back in my car after

After Lunch

lunch."

and they all went in. Bundle ob- around here."

served Jimmy covertly. She thought she had noticed an unusual note of exultance in his voice. She had the feeling that things had gone well.

After lunch they took a polite leave of Lady Coote, and Jimmy volunteered to run them down to the garage in his car. As soon as they had started the same word burst simultaneously from both

Jimmy chose to be provoking.

"Oh, pretty hearty, thanks. Slight indigestion owing to overindulgence in dry biscuits."

"But what has happened?" "I tell you. Devotion to the cause made me eat too many dry biscuits. But did our hero flinch? No. he did not."

"Oh, Jimmy," said Loraine re-"What do you really want to

"Oh, everything. Didn't we do it! "Hasn't it ever landed you in well? I mean, the way we kept trouble?" asked Bundle, laughing Pongo and Terence O'Rourke in

> "I congratulate you on the handling of Pongo. O'Rourke was probably a sitter—but Pongo is made of other stuff. There's only one word for that lad-it was in the Sunday Newsbag cross-word puzzle last week. Word of ten letters meaning everywhere at once. Ubiquitous. That describes Pongo down to the ground. You can't go anywhere without running into him—and the worst of it is you "I thought I might find a clue." Bundle.

"You think he's dangerous?"

"Dangerous? Of couse he's dangerous. Fancy Pongo being dangerous. He's an ass. But, as I said just now, he's a ubiquitous ass. He doesn't even seem to need sleep like ordinary mortals. In fact, to put thing. But during the course of my it bluntly the fellow's a nuisance." And, in a somewhat aggrieved manner, Jimmy described the from the house, I imagine." events of the previous evening.

A gong sounded at that moment you're doing anyway, mouching not. But I found this."

N ALERT newsboy, on a day when news was

dull and sales were few, turned to the adver-

"Read about the big reduction sale," he shouted.

"Fine quality tea sets at \$3.50 and \$4. Fancy china-

His stock of papers was sold out very quickly.

to the fact that advertising is news-and important

news. It is the news of daily life, the news that comes

closest to you and those about you. It is news of the

furniture you sit in, the books you read, the bonds

you buy, the automobile you use, the flashlight, talk-

ing machine and food product that give you satisfac-

tion. News that concerns you more vitally than any-

thing else you read. News that is essential to you,

because whether you purchase a piano or a pin, you

newest and best when you read the advertisements.

The advertisements contain pocketbook

news—and that's important!

-and you can always be sure you are getting the

want the best your money can buy.

The case is, of course, exceptional. But it points

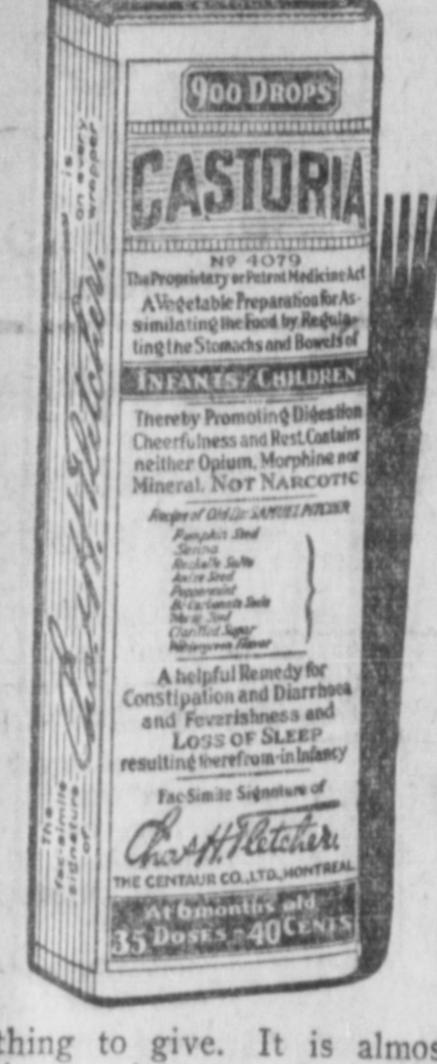
tising pages for inspiration.

ware sacrificed."

When Babies

Babies will cry, often for no apparent reason. You may not know what's wrong, but you can always give Castoria. This soon has your little one comforted; if not, you should call a doctor. of adults! Most of those little

that children like. stipated condition. Castoria is still the package.



Don't experiment with medicines the thing to give. It is almost intended for the stronger systems certain to clear up any minor ailment, and could by no possiupsets are soon soothed away by bility do the youngest child the a little of this pleasant-tasting, slightest harm. So it's the first gentle-acting children's remedy thing to think of when a child has a coated tongue; won't play, can't It may be the stomach, or may sleep, is fretful or out of sorts. be the little bowels. Or in the case Get the genuine; it always has of older children, a sluggish, con- Chas. H. Fletcher's signature on

"No. 7," said Jimmy crisply. produced a small bottle and tossed "That's what I'm after. No. 7." | it over to the girls. It was half full

"And you think you'll find him of a white powder. in this house?"

"And you didn't?" "Not last night-no."

"But this morning," said Loraine, breaking in suddenly. "Jimmy, you did find something this morning. can see it by your face."

"Well, I don't know if it is any-

"Which stroll didn't take you far

"Strangely enough, it didn't Bundle was not very sympa- Round trip in the interior, we might call it. Well, as I say, I don't know "I don't know what you think whether there's anything in it or

With the celerity of a conjuror he

"What do you think it is?" asked

"A white crystalline powder, that's what it is," said Jimmy. "And to annoyed.'

Bundle sharply.

## Peace Outlet Committee Is Still Working

Map Being Sent To Be Published in Peace River Newspapers

At a meeting of the Peace River outlet committee last evening, it was decided to send an engraving of the map showing the suggested route to Prince Rupert to be used in the Peace River newspapers. This was in reply to a request from C. W. Frederick, proprietor of three Peace River papers.

The letter received from Mr. Frederick stated that he expected to go to Ottawa to take up the matter of the Peace outlet with the government and he hoped the trip would coincide with that of the Prince Rupert delegation. He wanted to know when the delegation would go.

Several other minor matters were brought before the board at the meeting, there being present Alderman Collart, Alderman Macdonald, Ex-Ald. Frank Dibb and Ald.

any reader of detective fiction those The Board of Trade here went out words are both familiar and sug- of existence last night and in its gestive. Of course, if it turns out place has come a Chamber of Comto be a new kind of patent tooth merce. This was done by motion of powder, I shall be chagrined and the board and without any discussion. Henceforth there will be no "Where did you find it?" asked Prince Rupert Board of Trade, but G. P. Tinker will be president of the Prince Rupert Chamber of Com-



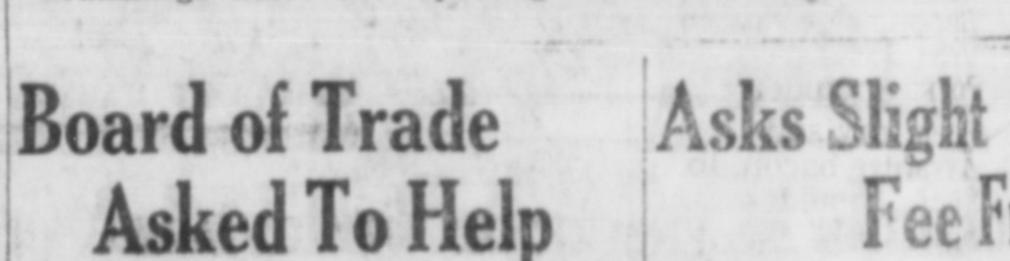
ONE DRESS A YEAR FOR THIS BALKAN PRINCESS

Princess Eudoxie, sister of Regent Boris, who, owing to unfavorable national economy, which has placed Bulgarian royal family on financial stringency basis buys fewer frocks than a shop



A WEEK-FND SHOOT AT MELCHETT COURT Lady Melchett tells an amusing story while attending recent shoot at beautiful residence of Lord and Lady Melchett, near

Romsay, Hants, Eng.



His Honor J. D. McGregor, lieutenant-governor of Manitoba (

and Brig.-Gen. Anderson, leaving the provincial parliant

Large Party of United Church People to Be Here in July For Few Hours

At the meeting of the Board of Prince Rupert. This would Trade last evening, Rev. Hugh Dob- means of increasing the sa son, accompanied by Dr. Large of the harbor master of the por Port Simpson, told the board of the J. R. Elfort. It was point proposed excursion of United that in Alaska the charge Church people from the East, who Canadian vessel amount w were to visit Prince Rupert July 11. while at present the port of The excursion was for the purpose Rupert is absolutely free to of acquanting the people of the east icans. The government with the country. The party would be asked to guarantee and arrive here at 10:30 and leave at 1 of \$100.00 a month to the p.m., but he suggested that this master. time might be extended. He also suggested that the board should undertake to entertain them while here by showing them something of the city and surroundings.

President Tinker promised that the board would co-operate in this matter, as soon as it was definitely known who and how many were coming. He was told that about 250 to 300 were expected.

## Mrs. Storrie Laid To Rest

Interment in Fairview Cemetery Today Following Service in B. C. Chapel

The chapel of the B. C. Under takers was crowded this afternoon with friends and sympathizers, when funeral rites were conducted for the late Mrs. Daisy Storrie, wife of Alex Storrie, who died suddenly this week from the effects of pneumonia. The service was conducted by Canon W. F. Rushbrook of St. Peter's Anglican Church, who spoke words of respect for the deceased and comfort for her family. W. organ and hymns were "Lead Kindly Light" and "Jesus, Lover of

After the service, a long concourse followed the cortege to its final resting place in Fairview Cemetery, Canon W. F. Rushbrook again officiating at the graveside. Pallbearers were J. W. Durran, Harry Menzie, L. J. Dell, V. Menzie, J. Ander-

son and H. B. Stiles. There were many floral tributes.

buildings after the opening ceremonies on January 21.

In Entertaining The Board of Trade at its m last night decided to ask the fa government to bring back the mer system of levying a small of \$1 each annually on Am fishing vessels using the p

