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MUTT AND JEFF-By Bud Fisher.

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## SEVEN DAYS IN OPEN BOAT IS ADVENTURE UP-TO-DATE

Thrilling Tale of Nine Men Affoat on Atlantic With Food and Water Gone

A CONRAD TALE A romance of the sea rich with the stant, the comfortable passengers salty tang of a forecastle yarn by glimpsed the sea.

Joseph Conrad or Clark Russell was TWe left Philadelphia October 10." brought to light on October 30, when said Potter, his face still drawn from the Volendam of the Holland-America the strain. "We were for Martinique Line, carrying a number of bankers with a cargo of coal for Guadaloupe. on a holiday junket, picked up in the We had 1,100 tons under our hatches. dangerous waters of Bermuda an Everything seemed fine when we open boat containing eight white men stood out of the Delaware River, and a Jamaica negro. These men, two days later we were in the Gulf shipwrecked seven days before, were stream with wind picking up. nost spently with battling against The Horatio Foss, nearly twenty wind and wave, and, to make matters years old, had four stubby masts, rigworse, their provisions and water had ged fore and alt, along the 182 feet come to an ehd. Their tale as they of her length. She was registered out told it, when warmed and fed aboard of Boston at 346 tons

ed schooner, with a tired grin.

told it, when warmed and ied aboard of Boston at 846 tons the hospitable liner, was as old as We now have a glimpse of Captain the race of men "that go down to the Potter, safe and sound in his cabin on the race of men that so down to the votes, sale and sound in his capin on sea in ships," as timeles sas the gray the Volendam, reading from the log waters that had tossed their cockie of the Foss, carefully preserved by shell of a boat to and fro so many him through all these perilous days, weary hours. In ossence it has been the story of the heavy gales that at weary hours. In essence it has been the story of the heavy gales that at told a thousand times in song and last forced him to leave his sinking story, but the thrill of it is still "as vessel. He then takes up his tale story, but the thrill of it is still as vessel. He then takes up his tale new as the new cut tooth." There is once more by word of mouth something about the sea and, man's. The day before abandoing ship Poteterial struggle to tame its tremend, fer, who believed in being beforeous forces to his will that has the hand, had looked the situation over power to stir us all to the very depths, and decided the ship's launch hardly

a call of the primitive that finds an would take his whole crew with the answer in every heart. Here is the weight of the gasoline engine in it tale of these tille men and their boat So he had ordered the engine shipped as recorded for us in the columns of Now, when the time came to get away the New York World: 45 "It wasn't no plenic," said Chief ing from the galley with a case of heer, a case of tomatoes, some old "Next time Ill take more fruit and cans of salmon, and a few biscuits. less heef," said-William DPotter, tho thirty year old captain of the founder A water beaker holding about twenty gallons was stowed athwait. Another five-gallon tin of water was

"Fadder God done it," said the big from the davits. The falls were use through somehow by the forlorn little Jamalca negro who was cook Joseph loss. So the boat was slung from a party. Most of them had not the faith the dost schooler called him "Bill." axe dropped it flat into the running was hard to fight of despair. The

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hir whim overhoad; and how potter in through the hearing tark when over the gard, and how potter in through the hearing tark had was at an end.

And while his crew dragged life in ped his tail and vanisher and never came back. Pechaps he felt the presence of a dark shadow gathering over the said was atmost as honcommittant in the mine from the seal.

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pulled, and sailed into a gale 400. That was the beginning of the long the big "Volendam" weighed anchor it." He paused, then added, "And miles, just up to the gate of Bermuda. Week, the longest week those nine and stood out from Hamilton. Potter now for a punishment you will play hardier vegetables, and flowers may be planted. W. S. Blair, Superintent for while Others were at the oars. Pot abandoned ship. Now he took out things, while one of these and got it lighted. In this gale, the longest week the longest

second place he didn't date.

Then, driven back away from life "All you could do was eather now had been beaten back toward death ist as it seemed, to be in their bleed; and then when you had the chance; by the gale, found the "Volendam's" he said wearily. "Once I carled up ladder dangling over their sagging justing outs of Hermuda in the twilight. They watched her come to sleep." They watched her come to sleep."

They grouned Peter succeeded in were spelled by their comrades they Friendly hands caught them. There lighting a wet match. The ged flare dropt over against a thwarf and went came warm fool and clothes and hot sputtered in the fading light full of to sleep. They dared to sleep, and drink. A collection was taken up by purple dimness. And all at once the had to in order to have strength for the bankers. It was all a rosy dream Volendam sheered out of her course, more balling in the next watch. And for Bill with his prayer-book, and light, the excited bankers leaned ed. The salt water came slatting cans. Literary Digest.

You Can't Always Believe What You Hear.

"ADAMSON'S ADVENTURES"—By O. Jacobson.

MR ADAMSONI

Dawn was just breaking, the wind state is a poignantly moving one:

one of their unhappy or chestra Leader Made "Cutty was screaming the role of the r

They islipped back. They had been things. For seven days he never by the twilight that red signal caught within a mile of the reef, not more those was to seep. In the first place, the eye of the Dutch captain, de Konthan eleven or twelve miles from there wasn't room to lie down. In the hig. on the "Volendam's bridge and

ward them, then sheer off to the right. Always when the two balling men came out and picked them up.

topped and then backed into the gale, Bill the cook prayed. If Bill had been Peterson the bos'n, and Tom Del Rae, sathering speed.

And a little later, in the darkening frayer, he doxologized, he hallettial. Norskies, Swedes, Italians, and Americal

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light, the excitch bankers leaned ed. The sail water came slatting cans.—Internal blook of the high rail and watched over in sheets every time the launch the small boat slide and reel into the smacked down into a wave, but Bill Doctor—"You il have to send for an slick which the liner made with her hall brogadiste to the wind."

They saw the cramped mon, more faired up, Bill would sout:

They saw the cramped mon, more dead than alive, dreep up the rope.

"See what Fadder sent us!"

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The sail water can slatting can slatti When things got worse again and I appeared as an expert witness. My exhausted, their hedges covered with the wind howled hungrily all around conscience wont let me kill you, but boils, from the slatting of the salt them, Bill would shout still louder: I'm hanged it feel like curing you. Good day!"

King Edward and A Timely Topic The Meistersingers PUTTING ASIDE SOIL FOR

leaves, straw, strawy manure, or lity of, course, them and the rising "What exactly do you mean by tor no containing weed seeds is put to no containing weed seeds is put to keep out the frost. In the early spring this little is removed and the rising that?" he said coldly. "Where was Pogner's pring this little is removed and the compass."

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Too Many Pacts

Paris Soir The Balkans are again he most troubled region of Europe. simply because the comitadis are not simply because the commence active once more but also and established taken up pecially because Italy has taken up the rold once played by the Austria-Hungary of the Hapsburgs. The war heart fathere is enough in the day. I for it to-morrow may be born at Tirana. The antagonism between Jugo-Slavia Italy, which becomes steadily pending of so many formidable mences over the heads of the nations.

By Lereine Ballantyne

Do It Now

There was great excitement in the flices of the Randall Furniture Company. They were bldding on one of the biggest orders they had estimated on for years. The General Manager had decided to motor to the city, and place the tender personally. He rank for Walter Courley, who did the fal-

"Bring me the cards of the city territory," he said, "I just want the Orfice furniture people. Have them ready by 4 o'clock."

It was nearly 3 o'clock, and Gourley knew he had plenty of time, so lespite the fact that a "Do It Now" ilga hung on his deak, he got up to weigh look out o fthe window. Boing Wed- cut and on nesday afternoon, it was really very and of hard for him to keep his eyes on his desk, for right across the road was the athletic field, where the teams of the different trades played baseball. To-day the Grocers were playing the stem, Butchers, and one or two of his; square chums were on the Grocers' team, tissue Curly Williamson was at bat, and he paper was giving them some clean ones. It was his last strike, when he sent the sprink ball clear out over the fence into the

Country leaned out of the window to eo the runs. Bang! went the buzzer bags in the Manager's office. Gourley uniped back, stumbled, and his arm took a drawer of cards, as he slipped went backward on the floor with he cards in a shower over him. He irriedly picked himself up and ruch into the "Inner Sanctum."

Take this note to the Cashier, and ou are getting those cards ready Yes sir," answered Gourley as he suppeared through the door le delivered the message to the Miss Thompson, one of the girls who especial

ddressed envelopes in the publicity from

went leaving a greatly relieved Goin-

"Well, what do you know about that, he said as he quickly took out at one the section he wanted, all neatly in Bang! went the buzzer. With his center

cards he sprang to answer it. The Manager got away all right, fer point and they all loyally wished him luck. Gourley returned to his desk, and there w lookell to see how Curley's team was the anoth getting along. The boss was gone, upper pas and it was a temptation. "No sir," he said, "one attack of There

guess I'll do'it now."

Mr. Seinger would persist in wear more eccentuated, constitutes the sus- ing his suits until the last possible pended canger. Certainly this: Franco- moment, with the result that he found ugo.Slaw agreement will do nothing himself continually inargument with owards gun anteeing the peace, for his wife. Strolling down a fashion double Fig. towards guidanteeing the peace, for it is calculated to add to the friction able thoroughfare one afternoon, they between France and Italy. Our multinappened at pass a modern Beduchter of these diplomatic pacts all lover Europe—all of them partially Ceringer, "Why don't you dress like Faster with a bow. Here is a little of the sustained by the control of them partially itself." It am far too intelligent," replied her husband proudly. At that I'm sendin silly Handkerchief moment Mrs. Scringer caught sight of How, we may ask, do those who sign a heggar and his wife in the gutter. manage to reconcile them with "Then thank goodness your intelli-

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