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RETROSPECT OF THE  
YEAR 1933.

(January).

Picture.:- Looking backwards before looking forwards.  
January 1933 !

Fire destroys the luxury-liner 1<sup>o</sup>Atlantique.  
The year started with--

--this disaster of great magnitude, involving the loss--  
--of two million pounds and twenty lives.

Was it accident, or sabotage ? A few

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--days later at--

--Santa Fe on the--

--Chicago river, a grain elevator burst, causing one--  
--of the most spectacular fires ever--

--seen in America. A rescuing--

--tug boat narrowly escaped being sunk by a crashing wall.

(EFFECT).

Hitler turned political Europe upside down by  
proclaiming himself--

--a dictator and seizing the reins of the German Government,  
and he's still holding on tight.

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February)

Picture.:- Tragic February witnessed Europe's most terrible  
explosion disaster. Whole streets of Neunkirchen--

--in the Saar were blown flat when a gasometer--

--went up. One-hundred unfortunate people lost their lives--

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(February).

--almost instantaneously, and hundreds more lost their homes--

--and entire belongings. The town looked more like a--

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--battlefield than Shanhaikwan. In weather unpteen--

--degrees below zero, Chinese--

--Soldiers fought bravely to stem the Japanese advance--

--in Manchuria, and that little quarrel--

--involving five-hundred-million people is not settled yet.

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This was too much for Mother Earth,--

--so she vented her spleen through Vesuvius which spat--

--fire and molten lava, panicking the peaceful countryside.

(March).

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Picture.

March welcomed back to our shores the fastest man on earth. Sir Malcolm Campbell returned after creating a new world record--

--at Daytona Beach. 273 miles per hour!

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The Grand National horses didn't go quite so fast as that, but thirty-four started! (EFFECTS). A riderless horse led in the winner. "KELLESBRO JACK" won. His owner was pleased, but thousands weren't.

(April).

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Picture.

April's opening brought disaster to our doors. Mitcham--

--experienced Britain's worst explosion in years. One minute--

--there was a flourishing chemical factory - - the next nothing but tortured--

--twisted girders and ruin, and more people rendered homeless

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