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**GLOUCESTER v. DEVONPORT SERVICES.**

By “TEEK.”

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**Able-bodied Jack Atkins**

Of the Devon Services

Was a lad of much promise.

On account of which he was granted a day's furlough every year for the purpose of going up to Gloucester.

The general would give him the unexpired portion of his day-before-yesterday's tin of bully.

And the orderly corporal would offer him a gasper of a lad.

But after a while Aunt Sally got very sick of it and when he appeared at Kingsholm last Saturday on his annual visit the fickleness of human nature dawned upon him.

For the admiral refuses to talk to him about double gogs.

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**First ball he threw and let drive at him with it, scoring a regular Bobby-Dazzler of a hit just under his badge.**

And after he had been carried back to Devonor

The old lady caught the "Puff" and the orderly corporal put him on the rhyme: "Fatigue and demons in his last year's gasper back again."

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**MORALS**

A) Every sea-dog has his day.

B) It's a long worm that has no turning.

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