#### PHILADELPHIA WOMAN BARELY ESCAPED WITH HER LIFE DURING REVOLT IN RUSSIA

Mrs. Carrie Lou Thompson Passed Through Two and Half Years of Terror

Roughly Treated by Soldiers: Slept in Railway Stations: Often Without Food

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WHEN the warring nations of the world finally sign their peace treaty and those in the various branches of military service are allowed to return to their homes, there is one young woman now in London who is going to hurry back to Philadelphia as fast as ship and trains can carry her. "What are going to do when you get

there?" I asked her. "Oh, I don't know and I do not care, she answered. "I shall be satisfied to

sleep on a bench in the Readings Terminal for the rest of my life, so long as I know that I am once more in dear

And even a Reading Terminal bench will be a luxury after what she has passed through. For she has lived two years and a half among such scenes of riot, revolution, murder and bloodshed she has suffered such hardships and privations and has had so many infractions necapes as could scarcely be conjured up in the imagination of those of us who think we can write good melodrama.

#### Went First to Russia

Mrs. Carrie Lou Thompson bern Newton-little thought when she was a sirl at the Darby Friends' School, or later when she attended Friends' Central at Fifteenth and Race streets, or later still when she lived quietly at 3121 Spring Garden street, that she would ever pass through such experiences as the can relate today.

She went to Russia two years and a

half ago as governess in the family of General Sergelen Baldwin, whom she iad met when she worked for the Russian Technical Commission in New York. General Baldwin sets her to Pet-

front, because the captain could more to the fro-easily produce food for them there. But, the childre after two months the captain was sent

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"Striking speech in Dunia Advise you and children leave for Harsov."
The Philadelphia girl started packing at once for flight. While she was in the midst of it Mme. Lossieff returned. They were nearly ready to go when They were nearly ready to go when gunfire sounded in the streets.

Soon the shots came so fast as to in-dicate a pitched battle in the city. From their window they could see men run-ning for shelter and other men, some in uniform, firing. Here and there dend bodies lay on the payernerits. Then came the sound of recording on the street floor of the libral there were hourse should and a same the deer was broken down and a same the deer was proken down and a same to free outline. Soon the shots came so fast as

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Mrs. Thompson took the children to their mother in the hospital and there their mother in the hospital and there Market above 18th. was unable to keep them longer, so Mrs. Thompson took the children to the house of one of Mme. Lossieff's friends. At the end of seven days trains began to run again and Mrs. Thompson took the children to Harkov. Mrs. Thompson tent word to Captain Lossieff that she ould get no food. He telegraphed her d get no food. He telegraphed her ring the children to the front. They

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